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BURKBURNETT, WICHITA COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, MAY 27, 1943

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Adj. Johnston New Commander 13th Dist., American Legion

Deadline For Application For Gas Books Near

Applicants Urged To Bring 1942 License Numbers

R. C. Tevis, chairman of the local gas rationing board, stated this week that a number have failed to apply for their new gasoline coupons and that unless they do so immediately they will be without gasoline when they present coupons expire.

He urges all motorists making applications to write their 1942 license numbers (not the 1943 Tag) on the application blank, as that is the license that appeared on the first application when gas rationing went into effect.

Save Covers of "A" Books
Tevis also warns all motorists to save the covers of their "A" mileage ration books, after all stamps have been used.

"The No. 6 coupon in the A book became effective May 22," he said, "expiring July 21."

"Attention is being called at this time to the fact that all motorists should save the covers of the present book. The reason for this is that when application is made for the new A book, around July 1, one of the requirements will be the back cover of the present A book."

"We are reminding motorists early so that loss may be avoided."

Tevis said that while the fuel panel had not received all instructions yet and thus could not say what penalty will be imposed if the cover is not presented, it appeared reasonably certain that such cases will involve additional paper work and probable penalty.

C. F. (Adj.) Johnson was elected 13th district commander of the American Legion at the meeting held last Thursday at the Memorial Auditorium, Wichita Falls.

Mr. Johnson has long been an active worker in the Legion and his promotion to the post as commander was well deserved.

Johnson succeeds Howard Hudgins of Vernon, who presided at the meeting, attended by 76 delegates and visitors, some of whom were from Oklahoma. Eleven posts were represented.

Roger E. Thoes of Wichita Falls was elected district vice commander and C. L. Tillerson, also of Wichita Falls, was reappointed district adjutant. Hudgins was elected delegate to the national convention.

Delegates elected to the state convention in Fort Worth Aug. 17 and 18 were J. O. Burke, Vernon, credentials committee; Jake Price, Denton, grievance and appeals committee; O. E. Dewey, Graham, resolutions committee; Pat Murphy, Seymour, constitution and by-laws committee; State Senator George Moffett, Chillicothe, legislation committee; M. J. Carpenter, Wichita Falls, rehabilitation committee; A. J. Blagg, Denton, the next convention city committee; W. G. McMurray, Wichita Falls, publication committee, and Alvin Butler, Bowie, Sons of Legion committee.

President Johnson was elected a state convention delegate to serve on the awards and trophies committee.

Principal speaker was Mrs. Frank Bell of San Angelo, state auxiliary president, who addressed a joint session on the war program that the auxiliary is carrying on such as paying tuition for training nurses.

The next district meeting will be at Seymour in November.

Burk Youngsters To Aid Farmers

W. R. Hill, manager of the Burburnett Chamber of Commerce, attended a meeting of the agricultural and civic leaders in Wichita Falls last Friday and stated that plans for relieving the threatened farm shortage was discussed.

Boys and girls will be trained in schools to be established within a short time, County Agent G. R. McNeil, stated.

Boys and girls of Wichita Falls, Electra, Burburnett and Iowa Park will be trained in handling farm machinery, milking, cotton picking and cotton chopping. McNeil said a survey revealed there were more than 2,500 boys and girls in the four cities ready to give part-time service as farm hands this summer if they are needed.

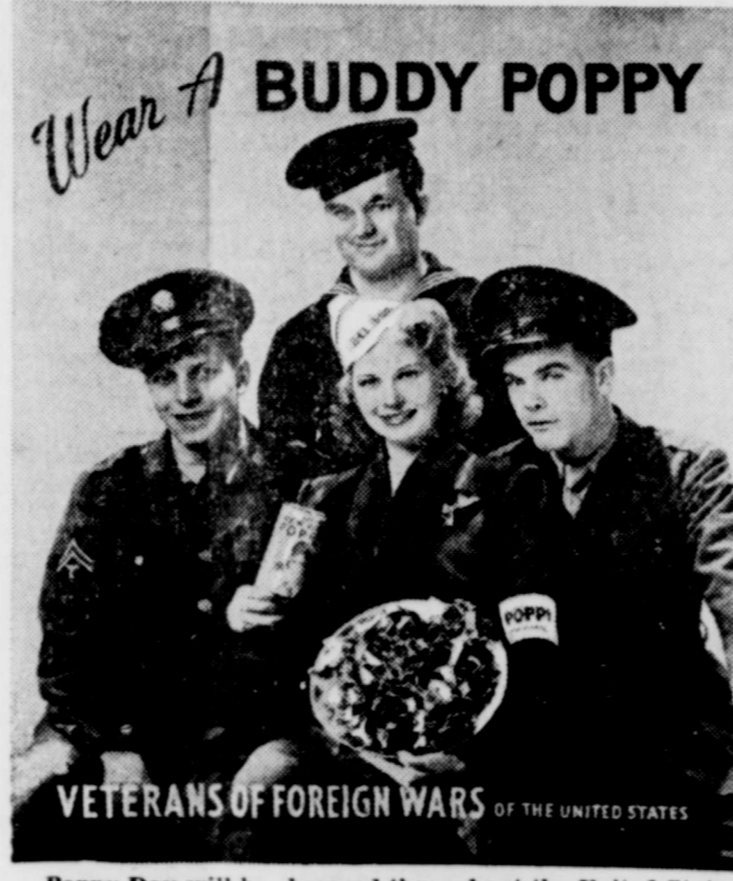
Schools Co-operate
School leaders also have agreed, it was announced that school schedules will be arranged to permit scholastics to aid in gathering the cotton crop if such help is needed. Schools would operate on a half-day basis during the cotton-picking season, if necessary, it was indicated.

Approximately 700 Boy Scouts of Wichita County already have offered their services to the farmers here for whatever work they are able to do, McNeil said. Similar assistance is expected from the Wichita Falls Boys Club, it was said.

Transportation Plans
It was revealed that should transportation units maintained by farmers of the county prove unequal to the task of transporting urban workers to and from the fields, appeal will be made to the Sheppard Field command for aid through occasional provision of trucks.

Residents of the four cities of the county also will be asked later to furnish cars to carry workers to and from farm fields, if necessary; but it was believed that farmers' transportation facilities will be adequate for the job.

Another meeting of the Wichita County Victory Agricultural Council's farm labor committee is to be held soon for actual establishment of the workers' training schools, and furtherance of other phases of the program.



Poppy Day will be observed throughout the United States on May 28, the Saturday before Memorial Day, when the poppy, memorial flower of the American Legion and Auxiliary, will be worn in tribute to the World War and Global War dead and to aid the war's living victims, the disabled veterans, their families and the families of the dead. Squadrons co-operate in the Poppy Day program.

The poppies are crepe paper replicas of the wild poppies of France and Belgium which grew in such profusion in the World War battle areas and provided the one touch of nature's beauty amid the desolation and death of the front. They are made by disabled veterans working under direction of the American Legion Auxiliary in 60 different government hospitals and Auxiliary work rooms in 40 states. Many hundreds of disabled men, drawing little or no government compensation, and having families to support, have been given employment making more than 10,000,000 poppies for Poppy Day this year.

Volunteer workers from the Auxiliary distribute the memorial flowers and receive contributions for aid to the disabled and dependent families. Every penny of the money given for a poppy goes into the welfare and rehabilitation funds of the Legion and Auxiliary, and is expended for the benefit of the war's unfortunate victims. Wearing a poppy on Poppy Day means "Honor for the dead and aid for the living."

POPPY DAY PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, in the World War of 1917-1918 the young men of Burburnett gave their services to the defense of the United States, and the men and boys are giving their services and some their lives in the Global War now being fought;

WHEREAS, many others were called upon to sacrifice health and strength, with resulting suffering and hardships to themselves and families which continue to this day;

WHEREAS, the memory of these patriotic sacrifices should ever be kept in the minds of patriotic citizens, while fullest aid should be extended to those still within the reach of human aid; and

WHEREAS, the wearing of the Memorial Poppy both honors the dead and aids the disabled and dependents;

THEREFORE, I, A. R. Hill, mayor of the city of Burburnett, do hereby proclaim Saturday, May 29, POPPY DAY in the City of Burburnett, and urge all citizens to observe the day by wearing The American Legion and American Legion Auxiliary Memorial paper poppy.

Final Scout Leader Sessions to Be Sunday

The final camping course sessions for adult scout leaders are to be held Saturday and Sunday at Perkins Reservation. The camp opens at 5 p. m. Saturday.

The program will include gadget making for cub packs; conduct of a model camp fire program directed by Jack Linn and troop No. 1 leaders; star study by J. K. Estes; sunrise services conducted by Dr. Kelly O'Neill Sunday Morning; emergency service activities; demonstration of a one-pot meal by C. A. Clark.

Others taking part in the instruction will be Dr. Harry Ledbetter and Executive C. H. Peden. A summary of the course and presentation of certificates by Paul Woodward will end the session Sunday afternoon.

Red Cross News

Mrs. W. L. Minor has accepted the chairmanship of the knitting that is to be done for the Red Cross. It has been announced that the thread and sweaters are here and those who wish to knit may do so by seeing Mrs. Minor at the Red Cross room on either Wednesdays or Thursdays.

Those who wish to fold surgical dressings may meet with Mrs. Hugh Jones in the surgical dressing room from 9 a. m. until late on Wednesdays and Thursdays. There is also some sewing to be done.

A good line is the shortest distance between two dates.

Coffee Stamp No. 24 Brings Better Ration

WASHINGTON, May 23.—The next ration of coffee will be the largest yet.

Stamp No. 24, which becomes valid May 31, will be good for one pound of coffee through June 30, a period of 30 days. Stamp No. 23, now valid, is good for a pound in the 35 days (five weeks) ending May 31. Since rationing began last Nov. 28, the ration has never exceeded one pound for 5 weeks and once dropped to a pound for six weeks.

Price Administrator Prentiss M. Brown said today "the supply of green coffee in the United States has now reached the level where an increase in the ration is possible at this time."

A. A. Lawson Heads Scout Troop 155

Mr. A. A. Lawson has been appointed Scout Master of Troop 155 which meets at the First Methodist Church. Mr. Lawson succeeds Mr. C. E. Baker who has taken up the scout executive work full time now, and is stationed at Seymour.

Mr. F. T. Felty is to assist and to have charge when Mr. Lawson is absent.

The Scouts have given these new workers a warm welcome and the work of the troop is moving forward in a fine way. Troop meetings are held regularly each Tuesday night.

Do You Have A Picture?

The Star Wants Pictures of Those
In Service for Victory Edition

Large Number Have Already Sent Photos

R.A.F. Pilot Rotary Guest

Capt. W. R. Roberts, a member of the R.A.F. stationed somewhere in Canada, is visiting his parents here, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Roberts, and was a guest of the Rotary club Tuesday noon. He was secured by Burn Alexander, who had charge of the program.

Roberts, whose rank in the R.A.F. is the same as a Lieut. Col. in the U. S. Army, told of his many experiences since joining the R.A.F. three years ago. He was the first American to sight a submarine on the East Coast. He was piloting the ship and he and his crew received a half point for sighting the sub. They notified the navy and they sank the sub.

He has been on active duty somewhere in England for the past six months as commander of a fighter squadron. When he reports back for duty he will be in charge of a ferry command for six months before being transferred back to combat duty.

President Truman Garland announced that the milk bottle campaign for cigarettes for the boys overseas was progressing nicely and that a neat sum had been realized the first week.

Fred Cooper, Lloyd Taylor and Andy Andrews, Rotarians of Wichita Falls, were guests of the club.

Miss Wilma Butts, the club sweetheart, is taking a three months leave of absence during the summer.

Your co-operation with us in issuing the Victory Edition of The Star will make the edition that much more of a success. If you do not have a picture that will make a suitable half-tone you still have plenty of time to get one, even if he is out of the Continental United States. So, rather than try to use a kodak snapshot, please ask that a head and shoulders picture be made if possible.

Under rules of conservation there will be no extra amount of copies for the newspaper run that week. For insurance of copies we suggest that you subscribe for the Star if you do not get this paper now, and arrange with your neighbor for his copy of the Star that week if it can be secured.

By order only, a number of the tabloid section will be printed on excellent heavy weight book paper and appropriately bound will be available. This book will be carefully printed and will be a lasting memory you will want to keep for your loved ones in the service.

O. B. Jordan Elected Lion President

The election of officers for the coming year by the Lions Club was held at their regular meeting on Tuesday night. O. B. Jordan was elected president.

Loy Nichols and Rev. Harrison had charge of the program and presented Rev. Varner who performed a number of magical tricks. Rev. Mathews was then introduced by Loy Nichols and made a very interesting short talk.

Notary Publics Have A Refund

County Clerk Ford Albritton was in town Wednesday and asked the Star to state that all persons applying for Notary Public appointments and sent in \$2.00 are asked to call at his office or send a written order by someone else for a refund of 45c that has been allowed by the State.

The old filing fee was \$2.00 but the new ruling cuts the fee to \$1.55, thus the saving.

Mrs. Gladis Ward Asst. Secretary Chamber Commerce

Mrs. Gladis Ward, who has been teaching at the Grade School, has accepted the position as assistant secretary of the Chamber of Commerce.

She will take the place of Mrs. Jean Garrett, resigned. Mrs. Garrett is contemplating going to California, to be with her husband, Pvt. Levi Garrett.

RUBBER STAMPS AT STAR.

STEVE'S Ration Reminder

SUGAR—Stamp 12 in book No. 1 good for five pounds until midnight, May 31, 1943.

COFFEE—Stamp 23 good for one pound April 26 to May 30, inclusive.

SHOES—Stamp No. 17 in Book No. 1 good for one pair of shoes through June 15.

MEAT, CHEESE, FATS, CANNED FISH, OILS, including April 25 through May 31; Stamp F, from May 2 through May 31; Stamp G, from May 9 through May 31; stamp H, from May 16 through May 31; and stamp J, through May 23 through May 31.

PROCESSED FOODS—Blue G, H and J stamps (48 points) valid through May 31.

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Rex Beard Loses Rehearing Plea

AUSTIN, May 26.—The court of criminal appeals today overruled a motion for rehearing in the case of Rex Beard, West Texas paper sack bandit, who was sentenced to death for the slaying of Deputy Sheriff Charles W. Willis in an attempt to break from the Taylor County jail.

The court held to an earlier ruling that evidence of previous convictions against Beard was admissible. On arguing for rehearing Beard's attorney had contended there was no logical connection between former convictions of the appellant and the killing of the officer.

Beard pleaded guilty of slaying the deputy sheriff who was shot to death Feb. 12, 1942. Testimony at his trial was that when Willis attempted to place handcuffs on him, Beard drew a pistol and shot Willis.

Student Program Feature Of Burburnett Graduation Exercises

An all-student program of commencement exercises at Burburnett High School will be held Thursday night at 8:30 in the school auditorium, and students to receive their diplomas.

The graduates are as follows: Edward Bankhead, Delmer Berry, Betty Briscoe, Valta Brookman, Alice Brower, David Brown, Dorothy Browning, J. R. Broyles, Peggy Dot Busby; Mildred Butts, Carroll Chapman, Kathryn Curd, Donald Dodson, Johnnie Marie Dunn, Nela Garrett.

Rhee Geisert, Bruce Good, Bob Green, Johnnie Lee George, Bill Grozier, Donald Hagemann, Mary Ellen Hatcher, Nona Hilbers, Ouida Fay Hillis, Billie Jo Hothan, Allyne Jeffers, David Johnson, Mildred Kasper, Jean King, Irene Lewis, W. T. McEntire, Louise McKinney.

Steve Marchand, Betty Mills, Jo Ella Morris, Clara Mae Parker, Martha Gail Parr, James Pearson, Marie Raley, Leroy Reed, Bettye Richardson, Rubinnelle Russell, Herbert Schroeder, J. D. Smith, Alta Faye Spillers, Mary Starnes, Leroy Story, Charlotte Sumrow, Betty Jean Turner, Tommy Tyler, Opal West, Jean Willis, Bernard Whiteacre, Vernon Duke, Mike O'Neill, Ijauda Lawson and Bobby Ragsdale.

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Our Boys In The Service

OUR NOTE—This column is devoted to news of the boys and girls in the service. We have any news regarding them we would appreciate getting.

Harvey Smith, son of Mrs. J. W. Smith, is home for a 10-day leave. He has just completed his course at the radio school at Murphy, Fla.

Peters, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. A. Moreman, received his commission as a 2nd lieutenant, April 20th, from the Army Flying School in La Grange, Colo.

Mrs. J. H. Williams received this week from their son, James Williams, stating he is fairly happy for he has started in the work he has been hard for. He has visited his parents but does not like it very much. He says the place is too hot and the rain would wash away the dirt and it doesn't rain in Cairo.

L. Ralston Seaman 2-C, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Reed of Burburnett, just finished his naval training at Farragut, Idaho, and will be home in a few days. He will be home with his parents and returned to his camp to receive orders.

Baracks, Mo.—Pvt. P. Parker, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Parker, is a newly commissioned pilot at Jefferson Barracks, St. Louis, Mo. This historic military post on the Mississippi River, 100 miles south of St. Louis, is a training center for Army Air Forces Technicians.

Employed as a motion picture operator by Palace Theatre, attended the Burburnett schools.

Kaiser, son of Rev. and Mrs. K. Kaiser, is on his way to Washington, where he has enlisted in a special unit.

Received the following letter from Pfc. Dorace Hage, who is in the Seabees, over there:

April 26, 1943.

My day was a happy day in I had mail call. I got letters and a Burk Star. It was good to hear about people here.

It isn't much I can tell you about here, because if I did I would just cut it out. I am on an island somewhere in the southwest Pacific and there isn't much to be said about it. I've seen a girl in so long that if I would know what she is like now and it has been quite a bit. We use to be in SERVICE, Page 5

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Don't Work for the Saboteur

Spring clean-up time has arrived. Attics, basements and garages cluttered with winter's accumulation of rubbish should be cleaned out now. They are fire hazards that promote the processes of combustion with the approach of warm, humid weather.

Fire prevention is of the greatest importance. The busiest war worker can find time for a thorough spring cleaning of his premises. Preventable fires which destroy irreplaceable property, to say nothing of human life, are utterly inexcusable. They slow down the war effort far more than most of us realize. Then a home is destroyed by fire, one or more persons lives, if not interrupted permanently by death, are inevitably interrupted for a measurable period while each residence is being re-established.

Each spring communities throughout the nation conduct fire prevention clean-up campaigns. No estimate can be made of the actual cash value represented by saving of life and the improvement in health and property resulting from these annual campaigns. They remove disease-breeding conditions which might cause pestilence, in addition to eliminating fire hazards which might result in conflagrations.

Removing rubbish may not be as spectacular as catching a saboteur, but the beneficial result is the same. A fire is a fire no matter how it started. If, through stupidity and neglect on the part of otherwise patriotic citizens, valuable property is destroyed, it simply means that the saboteur can rest in his lair with a cynical chuckle.

Plain Talk

A national oil shortage will be inevitable within two years, and responsibility for it can be placed squarely upon the OPA and the Federal Treasury, says Walter S. Hallanan, member of the Petroleum Industry War Council, unless present trends are immediately reversed. He asserted that the nation is producing and consuming five times as much oil as is being discovered, and that the only remedy is price adjustment which will stimulate wildcatting and restore thousands of stripper wells to production.

"It is no time to be concerned about ruffled feelings of some government bureaucrats, or to be fearful of reprisals from Washington," said Mr. Hallanan. "This is a down-to-earth problem and it cannot be discussed in terminology of the stratosphere. I may use such an earthy word as 'money.' I know that the starry eyed dreamers in Washington regard this as a sordid term but they have not yet devised any synthetic substitute which can be used by oil men to pay lease rentals, drilling costs and increased taxes."

He added that Congressmen, public officials of oil producing states, Federal government committees and "every other disinterested individual or body" has warned of the impending oil shortage and has urged an immediate price correction.

Time To Quit Kidding

In spite of the apparent success of the last war bond drive, the ominous fact remains that of the billions of dollars worth of bonds sold only a small proportion went to individuals. As usual banks, corporations and other institutional investors with accumulated reserves absorbed most of the obligation.

This means that the prosperous masses are still riding the crest of a luxuriant war boom, with income expanded in March, 1943, 28 per cent over March, 1942. Taxes and bond buying will barely scratch the surface of the billions of the "new rich."

This all adds up to one thing: The people at home are still trying to fight the war the easy way. Instead of sacrificing comfort for the sake of victory as our men are sacrificing their lives, they are, so far, using the war as a device to wallow in more comfort for the sake of victory as our men are sacrificing their lives, they are, so far, using the war as a device to wallow in more comfort.

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History

20 YEARS AGO—

A meeting of the City Council was held Monday evening and the newly elected City Commissioners were administered the oath of office by Mayor Adams. The Commissioners then took charge of the program and elected Paul Browning Mayor Pro Tem. Following this Glen Kincaid was elected as Mayor.

At a regular meeting of the County Commissioners Court last Monday, the resignation of C. O. Walling as Justice of the Peace for precinct 2 was accepted and R. D. Laney was appointed to fill the unexpired term.

On Thursday night of last week the Seniors were entertained with a very delightful party by Minnie Knauth. Enjoying the games and refreshments were Helen Felty, Mildred Ellis, Zebbie Gray, Donna Gebhart, Fern Morgan, Lela Brady, Mildred Sturdivant, Hallie Moody, Irene Grimes, Erna Schwiegler, Eleanor Burney, Polly Parker, Cora Knauth, Vesta Hay, Nina Freeze, Glenn Owens, Fain Blaincett, Edgar Taylor, Glenn Owens, John White, Jr., Oran Kite, George Duke, Ervin Schwigler, and in assisting the hostess entertain were Francis Felty and Julius Knauth.

Miss Alice Grennell and Miss Lila Majors of the Burk Burnett High School Faculty are leaving at an early date for Chicago, where they will enter the summer course in that University.

Mrs. B. H. Alexander and little twin girls left Sunday for Shreve-

port, La., for an extended visit with her parents. Mr. Alexander accompanied them as far as Fort Worth.

10 YEARS AGO—

Women of the Oscar Frye unit of the American Legion Auxiliary will distribute memorial poppies in all parts of Burk Burnett throughout tomorrow.

Rev. W. R. Viverette of Denton will preach the baccalaureate sermon here at the Baptist Church Sunday for the 1933 graduation class of the local high school. He is pastor of the First Christian Church in Denton.

R. J. Kelley of the Burk Burnett Gas Co., was elected president of the Burk Burnett Lions club at their regular Tuesday night meeting at the Methodist Church. Other officers were Henry Grace, Dave Barrow, Chester Duncan, Lee Clifton, Ray Hill, O. K. Jackson and Joe Majors.

A barbecue for tired business men was staged last Friday afternoon at the Dickerson Park on Manse Griffith's place in Oklahoma. The barbecued mutton with all accessories was sufficient to make the T. B. M. forget the cares of the day. John Ashton, as master of ceremonies made the occasion a jolly one by leading the informal entertainment.

Summer school registration will begin at the high school building on Monday, June 5, according to G. A. Reaves. Mr. Reaves with Miss Norene Kirby and Alice Morgan will teach classes during the summer.

AN OPEN LETTER

To Those Men Who Contemplate Military Service And Who Are Not Engaged In An Essential Industry At The Present Time:

The United States Navy's Construction Battalions, the Seabees, who "build and fight for victory," offer excellent opportunities for men with experience in virtually all trades and all types of construction work.

In seeking these trades, the Seabees want plumbers, auto lubrication men, blacksmiths, bulldozer operators, carpenters, concrete workers, crane operators, divers, draftsmen, mechanics, electricians, engine operators, pile-driver foremen, pipefitters, pipe-layers, steel workers, welders, sheet metal workers, shovel operators, draftsmen, drillers, gas and metal workers, telephone and switchboard men, water tenders, wharf builders, hatchmen, wenchmen, wire splicers, and many others.

If you have experience in one of these trades, we strongly urge you to visit Navy Recruiting station in Wichita Falls and learn of the opportunities awaiting you as a member of the fighting Navy construction units.

Those accepted for the Seabees through other voluntary enlistment (those 38 through 50 years of age) or through voluntary induction (18 to 38) have an opportunity to qualify for any one of 84 construction trade jobs and the higher pay grades that go with them. The army engineers also offer opportunities for construction men.

Unskilled men over 38 and through 50 years of age are offered ratings up to fireman first class, while skilled workers in this age bracket may be qualified for higher ratings—up to chief petty officer.

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Cadet Induction To Be Speeded

Draft boards here received instructions Friday from state headquarters to speed the induction of volunteer qualified aviation cadets.

"There is an urgent need of all available qualified young men for aviation cadet training," a bulletin said, "and recruiting offices are making every effort to locate such men."

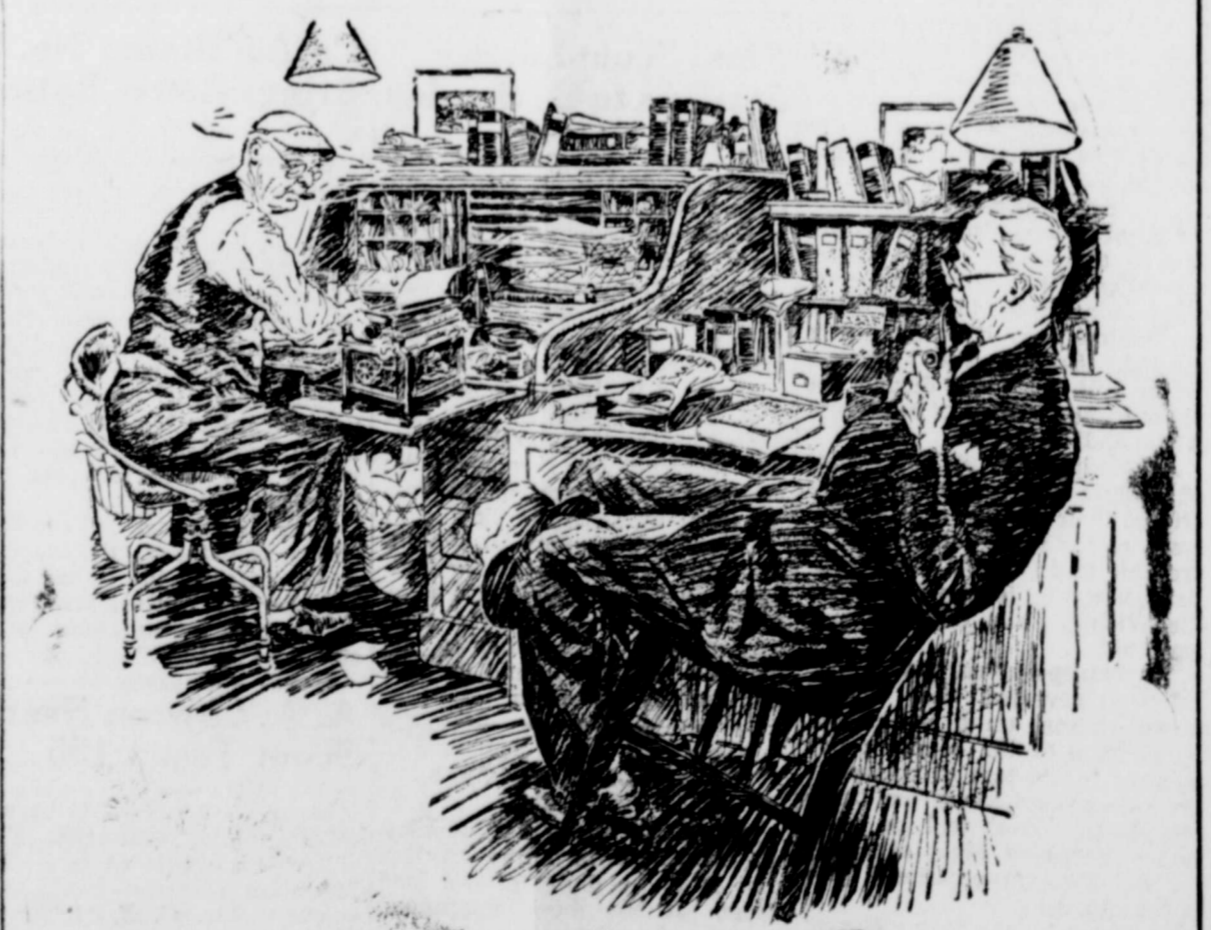
Those men qualified, ages 18 to 26, are to be given letters by the recruiting office addressed to the draft board stating they are qualified and asking that they be forwarded to the nearest induction station.

Boards were asked to send qualified cadets to induction stations at the earliest possible date and they should not be delayed to await a draft board call. Induction stations will accept the cadets regardless of the date of their arrival.

CAT IN REVERSE

Seattle, Wash.—Mrs. George Barney's cat eats vegetables and doesn't care for meat. She prefers water to milk. And she really wields a tooth on corn on the cob.

THE OLD JUDGE SAYS...



"Anything new, Bert, on that black market trial up at the county seat?"
"The jury came in 'bout an hour ago, Judge. The verdict was 'guilty.' I understand the sentence is going to be a mighty stiff one."
"Can't be too stiff to suit me. Anything those law-flouting racketeers get will be too good for them. How they thrive every time there's an opportunity to sell something illegally instead of legally in this country. Just like the bootleggers did during the 14 years when liquor was sold illegally instead of legally."
"Unless this black market in meat and other commodities is stamped out and stamped out quickly, Bert, we're in for another dose of the crime, corruption and lawlessness we had following the last World War."

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Lesson for May 30

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PETER'S COUNSEL TO SCATTERED CHRISTIANS

LESSON TEXT—1 Peter 1:1, 2:11-25. GOLDEN TEXT—Honor all men. Love the brotherhood. Fear God. Honor the king.—1 Peter 2:17.

Persecution for Christ's sake has been the lot of believers from the first century down to 1943. Sometimes it has been official, but more often unofficial, yet nonetheless severe and trying.

The manner in which Christians face their difficulties is one of the best testimonies to the reality of their professed faith. Sometimes, however, in the midst of their trials the enemy of their souls brings discouragement—and then they need the counsel and encouragement of others.

Such was the situation when Peter addressed his first epistle to the early believers who were scattered abroad (1:1). His counsel was just what they needed, and is equally helpful to us. They were to be

I. Separated As Pilgrims (1:1; 2:11, 12).

Christians are in this world but not of it. They are passing through, wayfarers on their way to the eternal dwelling place of God. That does not mean that they are not interested in the welfare of those around about them, or delinquent in sharing the responsibilities of life, but it does mean that they are to have the pilgrim's detachment from the things of the world and the flesh.

In the days of Peter, membership in the church was not considered a normal or respectable thing. It marked a person as belonging to a hated sect, one which was falsely accused of many evil deeds. For example, Christians met at night, men and women together for communion service. Because they spoke of this as a "love feast," they were accused of immorality, and because they spoke of the body and blood of Christ they were said to be eaters of human flesh.

Christians must meet such malicious reports. How? By silencing their accusers by their good works.

II. Submissive As Citizens (2:13-18).

One of the hallmarks of Christian character is willing and gracious recognition of proper authority, whether it be in the state, in the place of employment, in the school, or in the home. He does this for the Lord's sake (v. 13), and even when that authority is in the hands of an unreasonable man.

This does not mean that the Christian is to encourage or countenance tyranny and oppression, but that he is loyal to the state and to his employer, even though the present representative be a hard, unjust man. In all well ordered society there will be proper and effective means to correct injustice. But in and through it all the Christian shows his faith by his behavior.

Observe that government, in the plan of God, is for the purpose of keeping order, encouraging the good, and punishing the evil (vv. 13, 14). The powerful influence of the Christian Church should keep it in that right channel, or bring it back if it has strayed. Always loyal and obedient, the believer should use his ballot and his personal influence to establish and support good government.

III. Suffering As Christians (2:19-25).

Christ is our "example" (v. 21). Since some have interpreted this word and the statement "that ye should follow in his steps" as indicating that we are saved by our imitation of Christ, it is well to point out that this would be quite impossible. We would have to begin where He began—He was without sin (v. 22). But we have all "sinned and come short of the glory of God" (Rom. 3:23). We need a Saviour—not an example as far as redemption is concerned.

In the ever present problem of suffering, we as redeemed ones do have Christ as our example. He who was sinless and without fault bore the shame and suffering of Calvary without complaint. When He was reviled He did not retaliate, when He was hurt He did not threaten revenge (vv. 22, 23), but was willing to leave the ultimate judgment in the hands of God, who will have the final word.

We ought to do the same when we suffer for Christ's sake. If we suffer because of our own sin or folly, we can claim no credit for bearing it patiently (v. 20). But when we have done well and then are persecuted, we have opportunity to show whether our profession of being followers of Christ really means anything. At this point some Christians lose their testimony and influence by a bitter, vengeful spirit. These are trying days for the souls of men. In many parts of the world Christians are forced to drink the bitter cup of persecution. To the glory of God we record the fact that they are doing it heroically and in a true Christian spirit.

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Can't Beat 'Em

An American soldier in England was giving some illustrations of the size of his country. "You can board a train in the State of Texas at dawn," he said impressively, "and 24 hours later you'll still be in Texas."

"Yes," said one of his English listeners, with feeling, "we've got trains like that here, too."

Sent the Scent

His teacher sent a note home with Johnny asking his mother to give him a bath. The next day Johnny brought an answer: "Dear Miss Smith, When I send Johnny to school I send him to be learnt, and not to be smelt; he ain't no rose."

Added Weight

Visitor—Sunny, what's the noise upstairs? Sonny—Ma's dragging pa's pants across the floor. Visitor—That shouldn't make that much noise? Sonny—I know; but pa is in 'em.

Some women walk to reduce; some husbands are reduced to walking.

Transferred

The little woman had worried the grocer over trifles at the busiest time of the day, and at last he had managed to satisfy her. "Do you know, Mr. Peck," said the woman, "when I came into your shop I had a dreadful headache. I've quite lost it now."

To Be Sure It's Simple With the Man's Hat Off!

A woman entered the photographer's shop and addressed the proprietor thusly: "I want this photograph of my husband enlarged. Now, do you think you can remove the hat? I do not like it on him."

The photographer carefully studied the portrait for a time. "Yes," he said at last. "I think I can manage to fake the hair all right. By the way, you'll have to tell me on which side he parts his hair. I must know that."

The woman thought for a moment, then said: "Oh, I just can't remember, but you'll be able to see that when you take his hat off."

HMM...DO I SEE COFFEE CAKE? MOLLIE, I DON'T SEE HOW YOU MANAGE TO GIVE US TREATS LIKE THIS SO OFTEN WHEN YOU'RE ALL TIED UP WITH WAR WORK

I HAVE A WONDERFUL NEW RECIPE FOR COFFEE CAKE. AND WHAT DO YOU THINK? THERE ARE EXTRA VITAMINS IN IT!

TASTES EXTRA-EXTRA DELICIOUS, TOO! BUT THOSE EXTRA VITAMINS TAKE SOME EXPLAINING, MOLLIE. NEVER HEARD OF 'EM IN COFFEE CAKE!

THEY'RE IN THE FLEISCHMANN'S YELLOW LABEL YEAST I USE. I'VE FOUND OUT IT'S THE ONLY YEAST WITH BOTH VITAMINS A AND B AS WELL AS THE VITAMIN B COMPLEX

ARE WE EATING ALL THOSE VITAMINS, MOM?

WELL, YOU SEE, DEAR... ALL THESE VITAMINS IN FLEISCHMANN'S YEAST GO RIGHT INTO WHATEVER YOU BAKE WITH NO GREAT LOSS IN THE OVEN!

WHEN I WRITE MOTHER TONIGHT, REMIND ME, BOTH OF YOU, TO TELL HER ABOUT THE NEW FLEISCHMANN'S RECIPE BOOK. SHE'LL WANT TO TRY EVERY RECIPE IN IT! AND SHE MUST SEND FOR A FREE COPY... IMMEDIATELY!

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Uncle Phil Says:

THE trouble about seeing both sides of a question is that both sides go for you for being on the other.

It's true that you can do almost anything you desire to do; the trouble is making yourself desire to do it.

It may not be possible to find the perfect girl, but there's a lot of fun in the hunting.

Well, we've certainly got the right material for making a new world. The old one was fashioned out of chaos.

The man who sits down to wait for Opportunity to appear should put a good cushion in the chair.

A compromise is what two people arrive at to their mutual dissatisfaction.

When you have a bad neighbor, one who just doesn't get along with you despite your every effort, doesn't it rather reassure you when you find out that he quarrels with all the other neighbors, too?

ON THE HOME FRONT with RUTH WYETH SPEARS



EXTENDER RODS ALLOW CURTAINS AND DRAPERIES TO COVER WALL

HOOKS SUPPORT HEADING

BAY windows are much in vogue again. One reason for this is that modern methods of hanging curtains make bay windows more attractive than they used to be in the Gay Nineties when they were a feature of so many houses.

In those old houses the vertical lines of woodwork and wall showing between windows made the bay seem like a coop stuck on the outside of the house. Many home owners had the bays removed because, while they actually added

space, they made rooms seem small and cluttered.

Today curtains are hung to cover both wall and woodwork around the individual windows in the bay. This brings the group of windows together as a unit and makes the bay seem a broad and spacious part of the room. The sketch at the right shows a standard fixture that allows curtains to extend beyond the window frame; but don't rush out to buy new rods. The chances are that your old rods may be extended over the wall if you wire them to hooks or staples at the upper corners of the window frames.

NOTE—If you are planning new curtains, you will want a copy of Mrs. Spears' booklet that illustrates twelve different styles of curtains with directions for making them; including a simple home-made rigging for draw curtains. Ask for BOOK 1, and enclose 15 cents with name and address to:

MRS. RUTH WYETH SPEARS Bedford Hills New York Drawer 10. Enclose 15 cents for Book No. 1. Name, Address fields.

AROUND THE HOUSE

Save worn-out garden hose to be cut into pieces for looping up vines or holding young trees in position. Thread a piece of wire about six inches longer through a cut piece. After looping about the branch or small tree, draw ends of wire firmly together and fasten by bending over each other in opposite directions. Slip the fastened wire ends forward into the hose and adjust so that the opening is out of sight.

Vinegar eliminates odors. Don't put away a frying pan that smells of onions, fish or some other strong-flavored food. Put some vinegar in the pan and bring to a boil. Then wash as usual.

When making berry pies, mix with the fruit measurement for one pie about two tablespoons fine quick-cooking tapioca to make a clear thick juice that should not run out during baking and that will serve neatly.

To mend small holes in window screen, put a piece of mosquito netting over the hole and coat it with varnish. When dry, apply another coat or two.

Here is a good tip for making woolen jumpers fit properly at the waist. Knitters know how sometimes the ribbing, even although done on smaller needles, will stretch round the waist, and the jumper will tend to ride up at the back. To prevent this, sew a narrow piece of elastic, waist measurement, round the inside of the jumper, at the top of the ribbing. The elastic should be sewn loosely so that it will not show on the right side.

If you find fruit jars difficult to get clean after cold packing corn or meat, rub the jar with salt and wash in the usual way.

Baking materials are precious these days, and burning a cake is little short of a tragedy. When putting a cake into the oven set an alarm clock for the time the cake should be finished baking. This is a big help, especially when visitors drop in, and one is apt to forget all about the cake in the oven.

Put a sponge in the bottom of your potted plants and you won't have to water them so often.

ASK ME ANOTHER? A quiz with answers offering information on various subjects

The Questions

- 1. The solid part of the earth is called what? 2. What American general is called "Blood and Guts"? 3. What proportion of U. S. senators is elected every two years? 4. What type of song is a barcarole? 5. What is a plexis? 6. What is meant by carte blanche? 7. Who was the first President of the United States to be born under the flag of the United States of America? 8. The liquor derived from sugar cane is called what? 9. What is the approximate depth and width of the Grand Canyon? 10. Are all federal offices open to naturalized citizens of the United States?

The Answers

- 1. Lithosphere. 2. George S. Patton Jr. 3. One-third. 4. A boat song. 5. A network of blood vessels or nerves. 6. Full powers. 7. Martin Van Buren. 8. Rum. 9. About one mile deep and from eight to ten miles wide at top. 10. All excepting President and vice president.

When you see news photos of soldiers "off duty" in camp or behind the battle-lines—notice how often you'll see them smoking a cigarette. There's a good reason for that. Army officials say that cigarettes are an appreciable factor in maintaining morale—and the soldiers themselves add that a carton of cigarettes from home is always welcome. What brand? Well, sales records in Post Exchanges and Canteens show that Camels are the favorite cigarette with men in all the services. Though there are Post Office restrictions on packages to overseas Army men, you can still send Camels to soldiers in the U. S., and to Sailors, Marines, and Coast Guardsmen wherever they are.—Adv.

True Enough

Some visitors were inspecting a junior class in the school and things were going rather badly. When the teacher asked if any little girl could recite something, only one small hand shot up. "That's a good girl, Betty," said teacher encouragingly. "Now step out in front of the class. What can you say for us?" "Nelson's Farewell to His Mother," replied Betty brightly. "Splendid! Begin." "Ta-ta, mum!" said Betty dramatically, waving her hand in the air.

Advertisement for Camel cigarettes. Features a soldier in uniform and a pack of Camel cigarettes. Text includes: "IN THE MARINES they say: 'WALKIE-TALKIE'...for signalman with 'BOONDOCKS'...for wild country—outposts 'DING HOW'...for very good 'CAMEL'...for the favorite cigarette with men in the Marines FIRST IN THE SERVICE With men in the Marines, Army, Navy, and Coast Guard, the favorite cigarette is Camel. (Based on actual sales records in Canteens and Post Exchanges.) CAMELS SURE ARE DING HOW! THEY'RE EXTRA MILD AND THAT RICH FLAVOR HOLDS UP PACK AFTER PACK The Walkie-Talkie 2-Way Portable Radio. Camel Cigarettes.

Advertisement for Fleischmann's yeast. Features a woman and a man talking. Text includes: "HMM...DO I SEE COFFEE CAKE? MOLLIE, I DON'T SEE HOW YOU MANAGE TO GIVE US TREATS LIKE THIS SO OFTEN WHEN YOU'RE ALL TIED UP WITH WAR WORK I HAVE A WONDERFUL NEW RECIPE FOR COFFEE CAKE. AND WHAT DO YOU THINK? THERE ARE EXTRA VITAMINS IN IT! TASTES EXTRA-EXTRA DELICIOUS, TOO! BUT THOSE EXTRA VITAMINS TAKE SOME EXPLAINING, MOLLIE. NEVER HEARD OF 'EM IN COFFEE CAKE! THEY'RE IN THE FLEISCHMANN'S YELLOW LABEL YEAST I USE. I'VE FOUND OUT IT'S THE ONLY YEAST WITH BOTH VITAMINS A AND B AS WELL AS THE VITAMIN B COMPLEX ARE WE EATING ALL THOSE VITAMINS, MOM? WELL, YOU SEE, DEAR... ALL THESE VITAMINS IN FLEISCHMANN'S YEAST GO RIGHT INTO WHATEVER YOU BAKE WITH NO GREAT LOSS IN THE OVEN! WHEN I WRITE MOTHER TONIGHT, REMIND ME, BOTH OF YOU, TO TELL HER ABOUT THE NEW FLEISCHMANN'S RECIPE BOOK. SHE'LL WANT TO TRY EVERY RECIPE IN IT! AND SHE MUST SEND FOR A FREE COPY... IMMEDIATELY! FREE! 'The Bread Basket'—40-page, full-color book with over 60 recipes. Write Standard Brands Inc., Grand Central Annex, Box 477, New York, N.Y. —Advertisement.

Socials..Clubs..Churches

Candlelighting Service to Be Held June 6th.

Mrs. O. B. Jordan, Superintendent of Youth Work, at the First Methodist Church is rehearsing an outstanding service for young people to be held, as a candlelighting service at the Church on Sunday night, June 6th at 8 p. m.

This Youth Service is to highlight the "RELIGIOUS EMPHASIS WEEK" which begins June 6th and concludes June 13th. It is to be composed of special songs, dialogue and pageantry, entirely by the young people. The Spirit of Youth accepts the lighted candle from the spirit of the Church and all the young people accept their part of the responsibility and light their candles in a very impressive service interspersed with appropriate hymns. It is expected that this will be one of the outstanding services of the series.

On the morning of June 6th Rev. W. R. Houston is to preach, preceding the Lord's Supper. Following the young people's service on Sunday night, visiting preachers will preach each night throughout the week and through the morning of June 13th, when Dr. E. A. Hunter is to preach. Each is to bring an evangelistic message, and each service is to be closed with an invitation to discipleship.

Other visiting ministers who will take part include Rev. Paul C. Stephenson of Floral Heights; Rev. S. M. Dunnam, pastor at Electra; Rev. E. H. Coburn, District Evangelist and Teacher of the Electra Men's Bible Class, which broadcasts the lesson each Sunday morning; Rev. Dan R. Robinson of Iowa Park and Rev. Paul E. Martin of First Church, Wichita Falls.

Ida Mae Wright Party Honoree

A party to honor the eleventh birthday of Miss Ida Mae Wright was given at the home of her mother, Mrs. F. C. Wright, with Mrs. Pearl Ouzts acting as assistant hostess, on May 22, at 2:30 p. m.

Throughout the afternoon games were played and refreshments of hot coco and cake were served. Those attending and presenting gifts to the honoree were: Barbara Sue Jones, Johnnie and Donnie Ouzts, H. C. Ouzts, Patsy Ann Ouzts, Lee Bean, Earl Wayne Mills, Wanda Lee Hicks, Nevia Lee Hill, Kathryn Shafer, Earnest Baumhardt, Richard Collison, Margaret Bean, Midge Wright and Ida Mae Wright.

Gleaners Enjoy Social

The Gleaners Sunday School class held their monthly social in the home of Mrs. Frank West. The meeting was opened with a prayer, followed by a short business session in which the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved by the secretary, Mrs. West. A committee was appointed by the president to secure new officers to fill the vacancies. Those appointed were: Mesdames Ramsey, Chairman, Fred Hunt, and Lewis Walling.

The devotional was brought by Mrs. Burnett, after which games under the leadership of Mrs. Ramsey were enjoyed. Refreshments of ice cream, cake and cookies were served to the following: Mesdames W. A. Minick, E. D. Simpkins, J. C. Hinkle, H. Y. Miller, Joe Hancock, O. G. Burnett, Harry Hall, John Beckham, Bud Ramsey, Fred Hunt Lewis Walling, O. E. Morris, and the hostess, Mrs. Frank West.

Vacation Bible School To Begin With Methodists Sunday

The annual Daily Vacation Bible School is to begin at the First Methodist Church with the Sunday School hour and continue at 3 P. M. each week day afternoon and close with the morning service on June 6th. Last year all but one of the Church Schools in town were represented in the Methodist Vacation School, which was the only one held in town, and a fine spirit prevailed throughout the school. Teachers from some of the other churches assisted, and are being invited to assist this year in the school.

Mrs. Sam Cope is Superintendent of the Children's Division, and is doing an outstanding piece of work with the fine corps of teachers. A meeting Tuesday afternoon in the Church Basement completed the final plans for the Daily Vacation Bible School. All children are invited to attend.

The silk that would normally make 100 pairs of silk stockings is required for one parachute.

Mrs. Buford Lawson Honored With Shower Thursday

The home of Mrs. Dink Lawson was the scene of a lovely shower given Thursday May 20 in honor of Mrs. Buford Lawson. The hostesses for the occasion were: Mesdames Dink Lawson, and Misses Ijanda Lawson and Darlene McHenry.

The honoree was presented with many beautiful and useful gifts after which the lovely refreshments were served to Mesdames Blake Browning, Stella Pace, Lorene McHenry, Collins, Wallace, A. B. Sharp, C. L. Rodgers, Ed Sanders, W. A. Lawson, Williams, Dink Lawson, and Misses Ijanda Lawson and Darlene McHenry.

Mrs. Neal Allen Shower Honoree

Mrs. Neal Allen was honored with a shower Friday night, May 21, at the home of Mrs. Elbert Buckner. During the evening, Miss Judy Willingham read and Paula Gene Buckner presented the gifts to the honoree. The hostesses, Mesdames Ted Harwell, Bill Bean, Elbert Buckner, and Miss Leona Bunjes presented Mrs. Allen with a beautiful carnation corsage and satin gown. The guests were registered in a beautiful guest book made by Miss Bunjes. It was bound in white satin with pink and blue satin ribbon.

Former Burk Boy Enjoys The Star

Dear Fred:
The real reason for this letter of course is to deliver to you my \$2.00 for the renewal of my subscription.

I know it isn't quite due yet but this time I want it to be there on time.

I didn't know how much I really did miss the old "Burk Star".

It has almost been a year now since my wife, mother-in-law, father-in-law and myself had our vacations in the "Ol' Lone Star State." No vacation in that direction this year. But perhaps you could say hello to all my friends for me.

My wife and I enjoy and appreciate your column, "Our Boys in the Service" very much and we can see it keeps a lot of boys and people in close touch with each other.

Corp. Paul Grady, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Grady of West Main St. was a guest at our house about a month ago for about 3 days. Then again he was to see us last night (5-16-43). We sat and chatted about Burk and old memories. We went to 'Ol' Burk High together.

The wife and I would like to extend to any of the boys who know me and who get into N. Y. to drop in on us for a visit. We would be very glad to see them and they would be very welcome. You might give our address and telephone Number, which is H-E-3-0461.

We are all well here in New York and hope the same for all of you.

Burk T.C.U. Student Receives Award

Miss Sadie Beth Tevas, freshman in Texas Christian University from Burkburnett, has been announced as the winner of second prize in the design division of the annual student exhibit of the school's Department of Art.

Contests were held in 12 divisions, supervised by Prof. S. P. Ziegler, Art Department director. The winning projects have been hung in the Art Studio in a public exhibit which will remain open until June 1.

Mrs. B. A. Browning Hostess For Circle 2

Circle 2 of the First Methodist Church met on May 24th at 2:30 P. M. and opened the meeting with a song, "I Love to Tell the Story". The circle leader, Mrs. W. R. Hill, took charge of the program and presented Mrs. Boyd I. DeVore who talked on, "Child Labor Safeguard in Wartime", and then herself gave a paper on "Youth and Tomorrow." The scripture was read by Mrs. B. M. Cropper.

A short business meeting was also held with Mrs. Roy Kelley in charge. Mrs. Blake Browning, hostess for the afternoon, served refreshments to the following: Mesdames F. L. Pilkenton, B. M. Cropper, B. A. Browning, L. W. Chrestman, Roy Kelley, W. R. Hill, Scott Morris, Bro. and Mrs. B. I. DeVore, and Emma Smeltzer.

Walther League Members Attend Anniversary Rally

Twenty-eight young people of the Walther League of Clara attended the zone rally at Vernon Monday observing the League's Golden Anniversary. A special candle lighting ceremony commemorating the event was held, which was in charge of the Clara Society. Those taking an active part were: Rev. Paul Kaiser, Marcella Engelmann, Eveline Schroeder, and Thain Kasper.

First Meth. Church Honors Seniors Sun.

There was a good attendance present Sunday morning to honor the graduates. Between 40 and 50 graduates were seated in the center section in a body, and many of their parents and friends filled the remaining auditorium.

The choir rendered a beautiful anthem, and the entire service was built around the theme, "Are Ye Able".

To illustrate the sermon on that theme, preached by Bro. DeVore, Pastor, the communion table was set with a white cloth on which was placed a cross and a chalice. The Chalice is a reproduction of the type used in the early Christian Church in administering the Lord's Supper, and the Cross is symbolic of the suffering of Christ.

It was a privilege to have the graduates and they were very pretty in their graduation suits and dresses. The Church took this opportunity to wish them success in life.

Sunday School Attendance

Cloudy weather and mist Sunday morning decreased the Sunday School attendance in three of the churches. An increased attendance is expected through the next two months. Attendance reports were not received this week from the Church of God and the Church of the Nazarene.

Attendance—	May 23
Assembly of God	70 76
Calvary Baptist	110 100
Central Christian	31 33
Church of Christ	316
First Baptist	363 316
First Methodist	219 191
Total	793 810

Attention to Farmers!

After today the 27th of May, it will be the eighth of July before any officer will be in Burkburnett to issue driver's license. Renewal forms may still be secured from the Chamber of Commerce office, filled out and mailed to Austin. Those, however, who wish to take the examination must go to Wichita Falls where the offices are open each day except Sunday from 8:00 to 5:00. The reason for this is the vacation period of all personnel.

Rubber Stamps on Short notice at The Star.

The SNAPSHOT GUILD

INFORMAL PORTRAITS



A reflector was used to brighten the shadow portions of this fine informal portrait.

SNAPPING informal portraits is one of the most interesting and satisfying phases of photography. It is within range of the humblest camera. And for outdoor picture taking of this type, spring and summer are ideal seasons.

There are two requirements for an informal portrait. First, the person or persons pictured must be reasonably large in the picture. Second, such subjects should not appear stiffly posed.

Many amateurs' pictures violate both these rules. This is especially noticeable when the picture shows two or more persons.

Stiffness is quite unnecessary, because it can be promptly eliminated if you cooperate with your subjects and give them something to do. Take our illustration as an example. It is posed, and yet not stiff at all. The photographer simply picked a suitable spot, had his subject stand where he indicated, then asked the man to look this way—and snapped his picture as soon as the subject turned his head.

The picture is noteworthy also on

two other points—viewpoint and lighting.

By choosing a low angle viewpoint the photographer was able with little or no tilting of the camera to obtain a sky background, the simplest and best of all outdoor backgrounds. And, by using a medium yellow filter when he snapped the picture, he rendered this background in a pleasing middle-gray tone.

The lighting is noteworthy because it illustrates the advantage of using a reflector. A sheet of white cardboard was held just outside the camera range, so that light was reflected up under the hat brim and into the shadows on the subject's face. If that had not been done, the shadows would undoubtedly have been much darker, and the general effect far less pleasing.

To summarize—if you want to make good informal outdoor portraits, work close to your subject, avoid stiff poses, choose a simple background, and use a reflector to brighten the shadow areas.

John van Gulder

Calvary Baptist Church News

Sunday School begins promptly at 10 a. m., with all classes studying Genesis, Chapter 27—"What Did Jacob Receive By Deceiving Esau? What Did He Lose?" This is a very interesting study, and will help you to understand present circumstances. Read this chapter and then come sit in one of our classes. You will be glad that you came.

Morning preaching service at eleven o'clock.

Evening services begin at 7:45, with the young people's Bible study. We are very happy over the way this department is going. Many soldier boys are coming and taking part with our young people. We want to give a special invitation to every service man who doesn't attend service somewhere else to visit with us. You will have heard old-time singing, and the preaching of the gospel from the Word of God. Not a social, ceremonial or cultural gospel, but the gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ, Who died in the guilty sinner's place to redeem the sinner from the penalty of his sin—a devil's hell. We want to show all men the way of death, and preach and make them desire the way of life.

Evening preaching service at 8:15. Since the pastor is not settled on his subjects for Sunday, no sermon subjects will be announced. But we promise the subjects will be timely, to the point and from the Scriptures.

The Church with a warm welcome and an open Bible welcomes you.

Ray C. Morrow, Pastor.

Christian Endeavors Elect Officers

The Junior Christian Endeavors of the Central Christian Church of this city met on Sunday night and elected officers. They were as follows: President, Miss Neva Jo Martin; Vice president, Mary Jo Haley; Secretary, Johnny Cecil; Treasurer, Sidney Gambin; and reporter, Jimmy Douglas.

Baptist Church Announcements

Sunday School, 9:45.
Preaching, 11:00.
Training Union, 7:30.
Preaching services, 8:30.

Not up THE LADDER but down the ladder we slid just a little Sunday in our Sunday School attendance. Again we can lay it to the weather, but we are wondering if it was really the weather that kept that many away?

We are sure some were kept away because of the weather, but maybe now our ugly weather is gone and we can keep climbing upward.

Some of the departments and classes are visiting but we wonder what about the rest of them. Is your department-class working to enlist the absentee-prospects and visitors? Do we care whether they come or not? Are we interested in helping them not only to become Christians, but to be a stronger, better, more useful one? Maybe there is a man, woman, boy, or girl, just waiting for you to enlist them in the work of the Lord, which will help them to grow in the Grace and Knowledge of the Lord Jesus Christ.

Sunday morning, the pastor will speak on the POWER OF PURPOSE—using Daniel as an example. The writer said, "Daniel Purposed in His Heart".

Sunday evening following the preaching services we are to have the baptismal services. There are several awaiting this ordinance.

There were 29 adults in the Adult department Sunday night. There is a place for the entire family in our Training Union and you are the loser when you fail to attend. The table is spread, if you come not to eat it is your fault.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL:—June 7-16th. All things are just about ready. Are you making your plans to participate in this? You are welcome regardless of the church to which you belong—EVERY BOY AND GIRL FROM 5-16 years included.

A. E. Harrison, Pastor.



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By Anne Goode

To make the waistline sash-able by you-know-whose arms, fashion experts are making use of the flared peppum. It's a style that's never failed to make you look slimmer!

"This little piggy stayed home" isn't quite true these days. More than 941 million pounds of pork—canned, cured and frozen—were sent to the Allied nations last year.

Fresh fruit and vegetable departments will be expanded by grocery chains as they play down hard-to-get tinned foods. Too, it's economical to buy in-season food stuffs.

Soap may become scarcer this year. WFB has currently limited the soap industry to 84% of materials used in average calendar years 1940-41. Which reminds me, soldiers and sailors use twice as much soap as the average civilian—about 2½ pounds per month, per man.

Another story at the expense of the so-called "bureaucrats" is going the rounds here. Man says he heard Bureau of Mines official say that mine operators should be made "to step up the mining of copper, aluminum and brass." Did you ever go down in a brass mine?

We hear from the manufacturers that rationing evaporated milk will not be necessary this year.

With cobblers complaining about the poor grade of leather they're getting, and the prospect of leather rationing, we'd best take super-care of our shoes by having them repaired at the first sign of hard wear and then giving them the ol' shoinola, with ten-cent paste or liquid, to preserve them.

Raw wool imports from Australia and the successful blending of raw wool by the mills insures woolen fabrics for our next Fall's wardrobe!

"Home-cooked" cereal now stars on the A.E.F. breakfast menu. By adding hot water to pre-cooked oatmeal it's ready in a jiffy.

Imitation cinnamon appears on the market as the Government cautiously doles out spices and condiments.

Film production for home still and movie cameras has cut 50%.

Don't forget to flatten and your tin cans! And help our flatten the Axis by buying Bonds and Stamps! ! !

Clara Lutheran Church News

Paul Kaiser, Pastor

All war is a result of sin. It is a calamity and visitation of God. The only ray of hope is that every war brings greater opportunity for the Church. A greater church will emerge from also this war. Moreover, the future of the Church depends on just how the world will react to this punishment from God. Our government regards the Church as a mighty builder of morale. May we regard it so. Come out to the Clara Lutheran Church next Sunday for comfort, peace, and spiritual fortification for the trying days that

ments. Most food flavoring from Asia and Africa; other producing lands are in the of the Japs.

OPA warns that buying a compound—containing any in the blend—will require a coupon. Coffee substitutes containing no coffee require no coupon.

Fish can't be counted on to relieve the meat rationing. Sea catches fell off 22% last year 1941. And most canned fish are the armed forces or to land.

Bread sales are rising. Consumers are warned that bread baked goods prices must be in line with recent adjustments flour ceilings. The bakers' becoming just a memory.

Department of Commerce soon ask the removal of food barriers, such as laws restricting the sale of margarine. State be asked to remove prohibitions on milk, margarine, eggs similar products. Already some movements in several states demanding repeal of the margarine laws.

Contrary Mary's garden grow lots of vegetables this About 20 million vegetable predicted for '42, nearly double last year's number. With expectations there'll be plenty of but trouble may be the new tools, and a shortage of fertilizer.

OPA directs that packaged and cosmetics have maximum tail prices marked at the . . . Priorities haven't made cosmetics suffer; they require raw materials and little margin. Only serious threat is to ration using nitro-cellulose, which is for quick-drying lacquers, graphic film and smokeless powders. Colors have been reduced.

Buyers of new summer furniture will be terribly disappointed, door furniture manufacturers able to get necessary metal, working for the armed forces.

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GARDEN Stretch

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Bluebird' Towels Make Kitchen Gay



7492

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Pattern 7492 contains a transfer pattern of 6 motifs averaging 5 1/2 by 7 1/2 inches; stitches; list of materials needed.

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

U. S. Invasion of Attu Is Second Step In Drive to Oust Japs From Aleutians; Discount Rumors of Nazi-Italian Rift As Allies Plan Heavy Knockout Blows

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Pictured are members of the delegation of the United States to the United Nations conference on food and agriculture at Hot Springs, Va. Left to right, seated: Murray D. Lincoln, executive secretary of the Ohio Farm Bureau Federation; Miss Josephine Schain; Judge Marvin Jones, conference chairman. Standing: Paul H. Appleby, undersecretary of agriculture; W. L. Clayton, assistant secretary of commerce, and Thomas Farran, M.D., surgeon general, U. S. Public Health Service.

ATTU: Second Step in Aleutians

Firmly established on Attu, westernmost of the Aleutian islands in Japanese hands, strong American forces pushed forward against bitter opposition by the enemy.

First to admit the American landings, the Japs also were first to confess that heavy U. S. aerial and naval bombardments provided an irresistible cover for a continuing stream of reinforcements.

Presaging their defeat on Attu, the Japs made much of the claim that their troops were fighting numerical superior forces.

In Washington, Col. R. Ernest Dupuy declared that the attack on Attu was the second step in the drive to oust the Japs from the Aleutians. The first, he said, was the American occupation of Amchitka and Adak to establish bases from which to strike not only Attu but also Kiska, 172 miles to the east.

FOOD CONFERENCE: Post-War Agriculture

Reconstruction of agriculture in Europe after the war was the principal subject of discussion among the representatives attending the United Nations food conference in Hot Springs, Va.

According to Marvin H. Jones, chairman of the parley and head of the U. S. delegation, conferees are chiefly concerned with getting the farmhands of reclaimed countries back into production.

Problems connected with such an effort, such as adequate distribution of supplies and materials, and the planning for the production of crops which would furnish local populations with nutritional diets, were brought into study.

The conference, in the nature of a discussion, brings no binding agreements among the nations, Jones said. Representatives will present conclusions of the conference to their respective governments for further action.

ITALY: No Setup

After a sudden welter of rumor, it appeared as though the Allies would have to take Italy the hard way. The Italians and Nazis gave no sign of handing it over on a silver platter.

King Victor Emmanuel answered wild rumors originated by the Free French that he was about to abdicate by appearing at an art exhibition in Rome to receive the applause of his subjects.

Talk that Hitler was preparing to abandon Italy to its fate and draw all Nazi forces into the Brenner pass were immediately counteracted by plentiful assurances in the German press that Der Fuehrer had no such idea.

Allied airmen apparently were the first to take these rumors with a grain of salt. Even as the abdication talk, etc., intrigued the arm chair strategists, bombers were plastering the seaplane base of Lido di Roma, 15 miles from the Italian capital. Hangars, moorings and planes were the targets.

Rome admitted damage in the vicinity, but claimed Axis planes had bombed Algerian harbors "with good results."

HIGHLIGHTS . . . in the week's news

CASUALTIES: British losses in the Middle East and Africa have totaled 220,000 since Italy entered the war.

GOOD REASON: Love-sickness was accepted as a reason for allowing an essential woman employee to leave her job in the States and take another in Pearl Harbor—beside her sweetheart.

RECIPROCAL TRADE: Renewal Fought

Renewal of President Roosevelt's authority to negotiate reciprocal trade treaties with foreign countries was the subject of heated debate in congress, with successful efforts to limit the life of the President's power to two years.

Claimed as a great contribution to stable international relations by its advocates, and opposed as a dangerous threat to our tariff system by its foes, the Reciprocal Trade act passed through the house only after fierce debate and a two-year limitation on its existence.

Inspired by Secretary of State Cordell Hull, administration forces contended that renewal of the act now was necessary to assure the world that we were prepared to participate in the revival of international commerce and stabilize employment and marketing in other countries.

Foes of the act said it had failed to avert war since its creation in 1934. They tried to limit its operations by offering amendments which would allow congress to review treaties; permit domestic producers to testify against provisions of any treaty, and prevent the importation of products when they sold for less than the American cost of production.

WHEAT: May Increase Acreage

With some officials claiming current consumption of wheat will run 500 million bushels over the 1943 crop of 690,000,000 bushels, the War Food administration has been debating about the possibility of increasing acreage allotment next year by 20 or 25 per cent.

If the WFA has hesitated in deciding on an increase, it has been for fear that production of other important staples like corn, flaxseed, soybeans and peas would drop. The problem centers around boosting wheat output without sacrificing other yields.

This year, 55 million acres of wheat were seeded, and intended increases would add 11 million acres. At a normal yield of 12 bushels to the acre, the WFA estimates the extra plantings would produce a crop of 792 million bushels.

HOSPITAL SHIP: Sunk by Japs

With its red cross sign brightly lighted and the whole vessel fully illuminated, the Australian hospital ship Centaur was silently plying through placid waters to New Guinea.

Suddenly a terrific explosion shook the ship, and in a moment, it was wrapped in raging orange flames. As many of the vessel's complement of 363 fought to escape the burning hulk, the ship went down, only 64 surviving.

Cause of the sinking: a Japanese torpedo. Even as some of the survivors clung shakily to a raft, they could see the submarine's lights flickering over the dark sea.

Said Gen. Douglas MacArthur: "I cannot express the revulsion I feel at this unnecessary act of cruelty. The Red Cross will not falter under this foul blow. Its light of mercy will but shine the brighter on our way to eventual victory."

OPA: President Roosevelt has asked for an appropriation of \$177,000,000 to operate the Office of Price Administration during the fiscal year 1944.

BOOKS: Some 35 million pocket-size editions of popular books will be published on order for the army, navy and marine corps for service men.

CARIBBEAN CONSPIRACY by BRENDA CONRAD

THE STORY SO FAR: Anne Heywood, beautiful daughter of a wealthy New York newspaper publisher, goes on an assignment to Puerto Rico where Pete Wilcox, a reporter on her father's paper, is stationed as a U. S. Army intelligence officer. On the boat she meets a young Puerto Rican, Miguel Valera, and an engineer named Richard Tausig, of whom she is immediately suspicious in spite of the fact that he looks like a typical tourist. She does not know that he is, in fact, a German agent ordered to destroy Puerto Rico's water supply. Pete meets the boat, but does not tell Anne that he, too, has reason to be suspicious of Tausig, although his commanding officer so far refuses to act.

CHAPTER III

Anne closed the door of Room 110 behind her and stood for a moment, listening under the open transom. The door of Room 108, a few steps down from hers, had been slightly ajar, and without knowing why or how she had felt that somebody was standing behind it, waiting. She heard it close quietly, and listened for steps along the waxed floor, but there were none. After a moment she went across the room to the window and looked down into the sunlit patio where she and Pete had been. The windows of 108 opened onto the patio too.

She turned and went over to her baggage stacked in the corner on the other side of the window. Again without knowing exactly why, she opened the flat case lying on top of her steamer trunk, and looked inside. It was just as she had packed it, and yet somehow it wasn't. The flat rubber band around the batch of letters of introduction lying on top of her dressing gown was twisted as if it had been slipped back hurriedly. She had put it carefully flat so that it wouldn't mar the edges of one of the envelopes that was broader than the rest.

She looked back at the door, then reached to the table and took her compact out of her handbag. She opened it and struck the powdered feather puff sharply on the polished brass face of her suitcase lock.

"Anne the girl detective," she thought as she blew the powder off the way a police inspector had showed her once in New York. On the brass below were three clearly defined thumb prints. The most distinct was probably her own, the others were larger.

She began to unpack her things, humming softly to herself. As she was almost through she heard the sharp click of high heels out in the hall, and a light double knock on her door. She crossed the room and opened it.

"Anne! My dear! How simply wonderful!" The girl standing there, in a blue-checked gingham dress, a blue bow in her fuzzy taffy-colored hair, her baby blue eyes sparkling with joy, held out her hands.

"You don't remember me? Why, Anne! It's Sue Porter—Sue Latter!"

The sixth form of Miss Oakley's fashionable school for young ladies flashed back into Anne's mind.

"Sue! Of all people! What are you doing here—of all places!" Anne cried. "Of course I remember you. You haven't changed a day. Only where's your uniform? You still look sixteen."

Sue laughed. "Well, I'm not—I'm twenty-three, and Mrs. Russell Porter, and the mother of two hulking infants, aged four and two and a half."

That all flashed back too. Spoiled, willful, curly-headed Sue who got letters from boys when the rest of Miss Oakley's young ladies were gangly and lank-haired and hopeless everywhere except on the hockey field.

"But what are you doing down here?" Anne demanded.

Sue sat on the bed and crossed her feet under her.

"Oh, darling, Russell's firm sent him down," she said with a groan. "It was more money, and I thought it would be a wonderful chance for him to get ahead. I thought it would be romantic. You know—the tropics? I hadn't heard about cockroaches and termites. I simply hate it. We're trying to get transferred."

She brightened expectantly. "—Did you meet a Mr. Tausig on the boat?"

Anne nodded. "Why?"

"Because I want you to help us with him. You see, he's awfully important to Russell. He's one of the world's leading sanitary engineers, and that's what Russell is."

She swung her bare brown legs off the bed and went over to the window. "That's Russell down there with him now."

She turned back, her blue eyes appealing as a child's. "You see, Anne, I have to do everything I can, because . . . well, it was my fault Russell didn't finish M. I. T. He was going back, but the baby came, and so . . . you see?"

Anne nodded, looking over Sue's shoulder. Down at a table by the fountain Mr. Richard Tausig, in a white linen suit and brown-and-white oxfords, his finger tips together in a contemplative arch, looking much more civilized than he had in his curious get-up aboard ship, was listening to the young man beside him.

"Doesn't Russell like it here?" she asked. The corners of Sue's red mouth

drooped. She looked like an unhappy six-year-old.

"Yes, he likes it all right," she admitted half heartedly. "It's really me that wants him to get away. That's why I'm having Mr. Tausig to dinner tomorrow night. So he can talk to Russell. You'll come, won't you? And be awfully nice to him? Please, Anne—will you?"

She looked out the window. "Russell's leaving, so I'll have to go now. Remember—eight o'clock. Russell will come for you. Oh, look—there's Diego Gongoro."

A tall heavy-set man of about fifty, with iron-gray hair, the peckmarks on his face visible from where they stood, was sitting at one of the small tables at the corner of the terrace, absorbed in his newspaper and cup of coffee. He had a short clipped mustache and shaggy eyebrows, and an air . . . definitely an air, Anne thought.

"Who is he?" she asked.

"He's your friend Miguel Valera's uncle. But he's not like the Valeras. He mixes with the Americans. Of course he's Spanish, he's not Puerto Rican. And my dear—"

She lowered her voice to a whisper. "—He has a mistress. You know it's quite customary down here. It's perfectly above board, except their wives pretend they don't know it. Well, I've got to go. It's perfectly swell having you down. I'll see you tomorrow."

Anne nodded.

She turned back to the window. As she looked down, she saw Diego Gongoro get up and make his way casually through the arcade into the hotel. Almost immediately Richard Tausig got up too. Even more

casually he strolled over to the table Diego Gongoro had left and picked up the folded newspaper.

He came back to his chair and sat down again. Anne watched him unfold the paper, moving back instinctively a little behind the long chintz curtains. She could see very clearly the piece of letter paper inside it.

Mr. Tausig glanced around him, glanced up at her window, looked down at the paper in front of him a moment, and slipped it unobtrusively into his pocket. He put the newspaper down on the table, got up and strolled into the hotel.

The Officers Club at El Morro was inside the gate, overlooking the golf course, the graveyard and the Atlantic Ocean. It was part of the old Spanish barracks.

When the waiter had gone Anne said, "Look, Pete—do you know anything about a man named Richard Tausig? He was on the ship."

"Sure," Pete said cheerfully. He kept on looking at her. "I know all about him. He's an internationally known sanitary engineer. He's dining with the General on Friday, and the Governor Saturday. He has the blessing of Washington. Why?"

"I just wondered. Do you suppose he can do anything about the water supply at the Granada?"

"I wish he'd start here, if he can. But you don't have to worry about Mr. Tausig. He can't help his face. He's Okay."

He poured the rest of his beer into his glass.

"Any other information? Public Relations is sort of my job."

"Then do you happen to know Russell Porter?" Anne asked.

"My dear, I know everything," Pete said blandly. "Russell Porter is the local representative of Consolidated. He's in charge of a big job they've got."

He looked at his watch. The officers had thinned out, leaving the women sitting around. "I'll see you tonight. What about dinner?"

Anne shook her head. "I'm dining with somebody else."

"Not Miguel Valera?"

She smiled. "Why not? Don't

tell me you're like Sue Porter?"

He looked at her soberly.

"Look, Annie. You haven't fallen in love with that guy, have you?"

He gazed wandered out across the rolling green lawn to the ocean. She had asked herself that all the way from the Granada. The note she'd found in her mail box—"You have a caller, so I won't disturb you, but I'll be around at six and if you aren't engaged may I take you to dinner?"—had set her heart dancing and her eyes sparkling as she stuffed it into her bag and ran out to the taxi. Maybe that was what it was. She hadn't been in love often enough to be very sure about it. But it was something—something new and different.

Miguel Valera waited for Anne to sit down. It hadn't occurred to her that they wouldn't have dinner alone, or that she could be suddenly dashed as she was when she stepped out of the elevator and saw his uncle Diego Gongoro and his cousin Graciela there in the lobby with him.

"I understand you are a newspaper writer, Miss Heywood," Don Diego said. His smile was quick and warm.

Anne was instantly aware of two things. The first was that he thought it amusing that such an attractive young woman should be anything of the sort. The second was that it was odd he should have known it. She had carefully concealed it from Miguel. Pete Wilcox was the only other person on the Island who knew it. Unless . . . She thought about the letters in her suitcases. There was one to the correspondent of the press syndicate her father's papers used in Puerto Rico. And that meant that Richard Tausig surely had talked to Richard Tausig during the afternoon—and that they'd talked about her. It was all very curious.

"I've worked on my father's paper, if that's what you mean," she said. "I wasn't much good."

"I am pleased to hear that, Senorita. We believe a woman has a higher place in society. She should let her husband take care of her."

"But if she hasn't a husband?" Anne said.

"That surely wouldn't be difficult for you, Miss Heywood."

Graciela put her unostentatious cocktail on the table. Her cheeks were flushed.

At no time would Anne ever have believed that the appearance of Mr. Richard Tausig could effect anything but distaste. Just then she was distinctly relieved. She actually found herself smiling and saying "Good evening" with the utmost cordiality to the man she objected to more than any other man she knew.

"Good evening, Miss Heywood," Mr. Tausig said. He turned to Miguel. "You must be delighted to be back home again. It's so perfect here."

Anne found herself blinking a little. Mr. Tausig, dressed in immaculate white linen, was as courteous as Don Diego himself.

"This is my uncle, Mr. Gongoro—Mr. Tausig," Miguel said.

They shook hands. "This is a great pleasure, Mr. Gongoro," Mr. Tausig said. There was nothing to indicate that they had ever seen or heard of each other before.

It was the same when they all went into dinner together. Only once did she have the quick sense of fear that she'd had the afternoon in the ship's library. That was when Mr. Tausig started to put his green guide book on the floor beside his chair. She held out her hand, not because she wanted to see it but because it was something they could talk about that perhaps Graciela could talk about too. She hadn't said a word since he came. Anne tried to analyze what had happened just then. What he said was, "Now, now, Miss Heywood, this is my book." It was bland and playful, but there had been something else in it.

Mr. Tausig put the book down on the other side of his chair. "Of course when the bases here are finished, I imagine your unemployment problem will be bad," he said. "I understand the five-hundred-acre law will work an additional hardship on your economy. Does it affect your father, Mr. Valera?"

"My father is not a corporation, fortunately," Miguel Valera said.

It was the longest meal Anne ever sat through. If her own voice had been a victrola record and her smile on a motion-picture screen across the room they couldn't have been more detached from her. It seemed hours before the coconut sherbet served in polished half coconut shells came and went and they had coffee. At least, she thought as they finally got up to go, she was sure of a number of things she hadn't been sure of before. One was that Miguel had asked her to dinner just because he was Latin and polite to visiting freemen. Another was that Graciela was not bright enough to realize that, or to realize that her open resentment of Anne was stupid. Or maybe it wasn't. Maybe Latins liked their women to be jealous.

But chiefly she knew that she was either stark raving mad or that Richard Tausig was something profoundly different from what they all thought he was.

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:-: About People You Know :-:

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Fulks and Dr. and Mrs. Lewis Shores left today for Houston and Galveston to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Griffin of Wichita, Kans., are visiting in the home of Mr. Griffin's mother this week.

Mrs. Eva Reaves and little son Paul, from Lawton, Okla., are visiting Mrs. Reaves' mother, Mrs. Maude Webb of Burkburnett.

Chief Green, Aux. Chief, W. R. Hill; Fred Brookman, attended the F.B.I. conference and fish fry held in Vernon, Wednesday afternoon.

Carlos Baker will leave Saturday for Mendhan, New Jersey, to attend the National Scouter School. The school will last one month.

Mrs. Ellis Mae Curry will leave Sunday for Tampico, Fla., where she will spend a two week's vacation with her husband, Pvt. Mack Curry, who is in the air corps.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Rigby and John Jr., attended the annual lecture of the Texas Funeral Directors and Embalming Association at Fort Worth last Monday.

Lt. Neal Peters visited in the home of his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Moreman Saturday and Sunday. He returned to La Junta, Colo., where he will be stationed for nine weeks, flying B-25 planes.

Mrs. C. M. McKinny of Choctaw, Okla., Mrs. J. B. Patterson, Mrs. Anne Peterson, and Miss Melba Jordan of Clayton, Texas, and Mr. Ed Richard Whitesides of Lubbock, Texas, are visiting Mrs. Artie Whitesides this week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Jamison left Thursday for Henderson, where they will attend the funeral of Mrs. Jamison's uncle, Mr. F. B. Donell.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Knauth, and daughter, Jane of Thompson, Texas, are visiting Mr. Knauth's mother, Mrs. F. R. Knauth, and sister, Mrs. Carlos Baker, here this week. They are also visiting their son, Ben, Jr., who is stationed at Sheppard Field.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Reese entertained at their home Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Simmons and daughter, Glenda Kay, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. McCullough and son, Donald C. and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simmons. The evening was enjoyed with a wonderful supper.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Robinson and little daughter, Joann, left Monday for Houston, Texas, after spending two weeks with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robinson, Burkburnett, and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Reece of Temple, Oklahoma.

"Father, what is meant by the term 'diplomatic phraseology'?" "My son, if you tell a girl that time stands still while you gaze into her eyes that's diplomacy. But, if you tell her that her face would stop a clock, that isn't."

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Growth of Rural Electrification After War Is Predicted

Rapid strides made in the electrification of America's farms were recounted by G. Edward Pendray, assistant to the president of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company and a recent western visitor. Mr. Pendray predicted that after the war, electricity will play a major part in easing the tasks of the farmer and making his work more profitable.

"From this world conflict will come new knowledge that will provide a tremendous impetus to rural electrification," Mr. Pendray said. "This war is an electrical war—no plane could fly, no tank could roll and no big gun could fire without electricity. Many of our farm boys now in the armed forces are getting a fine working knowledge of electricity and the vital job it is doing. When the war is over these boys will carry that knowledge back to the farms, where there undoubtedly will be a broader and more profitable use of electricity."

"In 1922, only 175,000 of the nation's farms were served by electricity," he continued. "By 1935 this number had grown to 800,000 and at the end of 1942 mounted to 2,240,000 or 38 per cent of all the farms in the United States. Just before Pearl Harbor farms were being electrified at the rate of 200,000 a year."

An important influence in rural electrification, the visitor believes, is the work of the 4-H clubs, organizations of rural youth sponsored by the state agricultural colleges in cooperation with the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Through a nation-wide contest sponsored by Westinghouse, these youngsters get well acquainted with electricity. They make some electrical apparatus and demonstrate it themselves before club and community audiences. Winners of local contests get gold medals; state winners get a free trip to Chicago for the national contest. Six national contest winners get college scholarships supplied by Westinghouse. In 1936 there were 2,200 contestants from 37 states. In 1942 there were more than 10,000 contestants from 43 states.

Health Department Urges Vaccination Against Fever

Austin, Texas May 26.—"If you have not been vaccinated against typhoid fever within the last two or three years, go to your doctor and secure this protection at once," Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, advises prospective campers, Boy and Girl Scouts, and other summer vacationists as the out-of-door season approaches.

"Typhoid fever," he continued, "is unnecessary and preventable. Every case is due either to community negligence or to the ignorance or carelessness of some individual. There would be no deaths from typhoid if every person were protected by typhoid 'shots.'"

Some of the most serious and far reaching outbreaks of the disease have been caused by drinking milk or eating foods that have been handled by carriers. A typhoid carrier is a person who has had typhoid at some time and who even after recovery carries the germs of the disease in the urine and the discharges from the intestinal tract. Carriers who are careless in their personal habits are likely to infect any foods that they handle with unwashed hands.

Dr. Cox explained that typhoid germs are picked up and spread from person to person by water, milk, flies, fingers, food. Every case of typhoid is contracted by the way of the mouth and the digestive system. "The only way to be absolutely sure of typhoid prevention is by immunization," he declared.

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By Boyce House

Boyhood memories:
I've never especially cared for magnolias. It goes back to my boyhood home. There was a magnolia tree in the yard. Overnight that tree could—and would—shed hundreds of leaves. It was my task to rake them up. Then, next morning, there would be as many leaves as ever littering up the lawn. I visited the place after an absence of thirty years and the old tree was still there—and so were the leaves in the yard.

Did you used to read those nickel thrillers—Wild West, Buffalo Bill, Diamond Dick and Nick Carter?

Movies are all right—but a magic lantern show was the real treat in the good old days.

And did you ever "play show" in the barn? We had a real professional troupe because we actually charged money, and not pins, for admission. When we presented "Jesse James," you had to pay ten cents to get in.

My first school principal had a crooked index finger. He must have broken it and then failed to knit back properly. Anyway, it was permanently bent. The shape of the finger made it a very simple matter for the educator to yank a boy out of his seat by the collar.

Almost eight years ago, your columnist had the pleasure of interviewing H. P. Drought of San Antonio, just beginning his work as state administrator of the Works Progress Administration, and I was impressed by his courtesy and ability. The other day, the work came to an end after he had directed the expenditure of a third of a billion dollars, employing a total of 600,000 persons—a truly gigantic undertaking. Construction of strategic highways and many airports fitted into our war needs; 80,000 adult Texans were taught to read and write, to name just a few of the activities. Mr. Drought sums it up, "The successful effort of WPA worker to find work for themselves, when private industry made jobs available, justifies completely this nation's faith in them."

She: Did anyone ever tell you how wonderful you are?
Gob: I don't believe they ever did.

She: Then where did you ever get the idea?—(from Comanche Chief).

"I would be true, for there are those who trust me; I would be pure, for there are those who care; I would be strong, for there is much to suffer; I would be brave, for there is much to dare; I would be the friend of all, the poor, the friendless; I would be giving, and forget the gift; I would be humble, for I know my weakness; I would look up, and laugh, and love, and lift."

Mexico memoranda:
Did the civilization of ancient Egypt, in some mysterious way,

reach Mexico? There is a stone face in the National Museum in the City of Mexico that suggests the Sphinx.

The contrast in the characters of the two men—Emperor Maximilian and his conqueror, Juarez—is shown in their carriages, the emperor's being ornate and of gold and Juarez's being simple and black.

One of the most famous eating-places in the world is Sanborn's in Mexico City in the picturesque "house of tiles." Waitresses are garbed in Mexican costume, the surroundings are semi-tropical, but the foods, except for a few native dishes, are French and American. Hundreds of tourists dine there and the place is almost always full. P. S.—The meals are superb.

If you have plenty of time, visit Henri's. It's quite a small cafe. The picture of the chef is on the wall. You understand why after you've dined there. There were three in our group and each ordered something different, so we could share dishes. The steak was delicious; the chicken, "hunter-style", was even more so. But, finest of all, was the squab roast. If you can imagine meat as melting in the mouth, you'll have the general idea.

Can you remember when the most popular play was "Ten Nights in a Bar Room"? And when the scorekeeper of the sandlot ball game would announce "Smith at bat, Brown on deck and Jones in the hole"?

One thing that is hard to explain to a child is why he must go to bed when he isn't sleepy and get up when he is.

Every locomotive in active service on American railroads now handles about 25 per cent more ton miles than it did in 1939.

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Sunshine Hill	39	54
Fowlkes	36	38
Allendale	29	44
Rocky Point	73	108
Howard	35	37
Friberg	69	72
Cashion	89	111
Everett	24	24
Enterprise	72	86
County Line	88	81
Barwise	38	46
Cobb	35	44
Fairview	159	193
Valley View	439	465
Iowa Park	807	925
Electra	1,322	1,579
Burkburnett	925	995
Wichita Falls	10,200	10,705
Totals	15,982	14,793

Home Soldiers Can Do Their Part Says U. G. Pipe Line Co.

Designed to bring about a greater understanding and appreciation of America's part in total war, an advertisement is being published this month in the Star and more than 300 other daily and weekly newspapers in the Gulf South by United Gas Pipe Line Company and associated companies.

"It makes me wonder what kind of an American I am" is the heading of an advertisement which headlines a few of the many things soldiers of the home front can do to back up our fighting men and speed Victory.

The sponsoring organization is engaged in production and transportation of natural gas to meet the fuel requirements of war industries, cities and military centers throughout the Gulf South. Its oil production is going to meet military requirements in this country and at distant battlefronts.

The advertisements points out that every civilian can identify himself with the war by voluntarily doing certain jobs, working in spare time, investing idle funds and part of earnings in war bonds, and cooperating in the numerous wartime activities now being conducted.

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