

Board Of Review Named For City Scout Troops

A Boy Scout Board of Review was appointed, and plans were made for a year of intensive scouting work when Hugo O. Olsen of Pampa, the new Boy Scout Executive for the Adobe Walls Council, met with a group of local business men for the first time Thursday, April 15.

Members of the Board of Review are Sandy Parsons, Jr., chairman; Logan Cummings, Dr. E. W. Jones, Joe Terry, Morris Reed, Cliff Campbell, Cameron Beam and Rev. Tom Posey.

The board will meet the last Tuesday night of each month, when the Boy Scouts will appear to demonstrate their ability in various tests, and to receive their awards.

Mr. Olsen was enthusiastic over Scouting prospects in Wellington and predicted an unusually good year for the two troops here.

The new director takes the place of Fred Roberts, who resigned as Scout executive January 1.

Troops 31 and 32 in Wellington are sponsored by the Kiwanis Club and the Rotary Club. Scoutmasters are Rev. H. H. Kinkeade and L. C. Lehmberg.

Mr. Olsen also met with a group of parents of smaller boys to discuss Cub Scout work. Cub Scouting is planned for those boys who are interested in Boy Scout work, but who are too young to join that organization.

Two Cub Dens, with approximately 20 boys as members, now function in Wellington. Rev. Hubert Thomsen is cub-master, while Mrs. Herschel Combs and Mrs. Esdel Bartlett are Cub Mothers.

Mrs. A. O'Neil WAAC Chairman

Mrs. Austin O'Neil has been named county WAAC chairman to replace Mrs. Joe Thompson, who underwent an operation recently.

Mrs. O'Neil will continue the work started by Mrs. Thompson in interesting women of the county in the activities of the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps.

"We appreciate the work Mrs. Thompson has done here, and we regret that her illness prevents her continuing in this. We are happy, however, to have Mrs. O'Neil take it over, and we urge every woman and girl who wishes to learn more of the opportunities offered by the WAAC to contact her," members of the Amarillo recruiting office stated.

Here's Your Victory Tax

At the request of a number of readers of The Leader, the Victory Tax deduction schedule is reprinted here. It is suggested to employers that this schedule may be cut out, pasted on a small piece of cardboard, and tacked above an office desk or in any place where it can be seen conveniently.

Victory Tax Schedule
For Weekly Payroll Period:

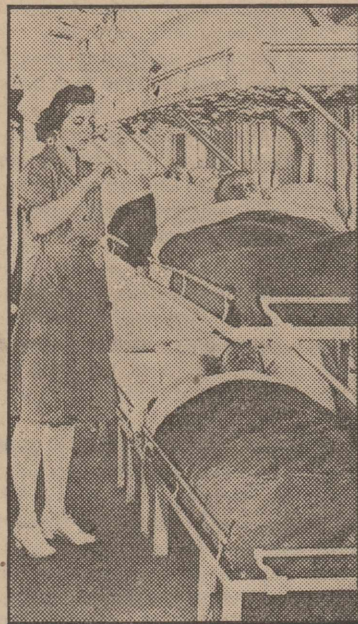
Wages over	Not over	Amt. tax
\$ 12	20	0.10
16	20	0.30
20	24	0.50
24	28	0.70
28	32	0.90
32	36	1.10
36	40	1.30
40	50	1.60
50	60	2.10

For Semi-Monthly Payroll Period:

Wages over	Not over	Amt. tax
\$ 26	30	0.10
30	40	0.40
40	50	0.90
50	60	1.40
60	70	1.90
70	80	2.40
80	100	3.20
100	120	4.20
120	140	5.20

For Monthly Payroll Period:

Wages over	Not over	Amt. tax
\$ 52	60	0.20
60	80	0.90
80	100	1.90
100	120	2.80
120	140	3.90
140	160	4.90
160	200	6.40
200	240	8.40
240	280	10.50



QUICK AID FOR WOUNDED YANKS

A new British-built American ambulance train—the first—gets a trial. A "casualty" is hoisted aboard, left, and made comfortable in one of the two rows of double-deckers in a ward car, middle. At right an Army medical corps doctor performs an operation assisted by two Army nurses. These trains are equipped for treatment and surgery en route from the front to a base hospital. (Passed by U. S. Army censor.)

Kiddies Easter Show Saturday

All Quail Teachers Are Reelected For 1943-44

Fathers Deferred Under Draft Rule

Approximately 425,000 "dads" of military age in Texas will be granted draft-deferment under amended Selective Service Regulations, according to word from Brig. Gen. J. Watt Page, State Director, to the local Selective Service office.

Local boards have been directed as of April 12, 1943, to classify as "fathers" and retain or place in Class III-A all registrants with one or more children born on or before September 14, 1942, "provided such registrant and his child or children maintain a bona fide family relationship in their home" and excepting such registrants who are engaged in farming, and thus entitled to a III-C classification, and those engaged in certain non-deferrable activities.

"The revision of regulations has not only abolished dependency deferment for childless married men," General Page said, "but adds thousands of men to the fathers' class who were heretofore excluded under general instructions to local boards to disregard as reason for deferment a child conceived at a time when there were reasonable

New Pastor At Assembly Of God

Rev. A. A. Daly arrived in Wellington Sunday to take over his work as pastor of the Assembly of God here. He and his family come here from Hereford, where he has been pastor of that church.

Rev. Daly preached his first sermon before the local congregation Sunday night and extended a cordial invitation to the public to attend services at the church. He has been in the ministry for the last eight years, holding pastorates in New Mexico and West Texas. He is a former president of the young people's organization of the church for the New Mexico-Panhandle district.

Rev. and Mrs. Daly are the parents of two children Joe Ralph, age 8, and Margaret Alice, age 2. Several years ago, Rev. Daly was a resident of Shamrock.

First National Enlarges Building

The First National Bank in Wellington has completed the enlarging of the bank building and other repairs.

The office formerly occupied by the Wellington Independent School office has been taken into the bank building. From this, a room for directors meetings has been formed, along with a large vault for customers lock boxes.

"This added room not only has improved the appearance of the bank, but it gives us space that has been needed for a long time," R. D. Wiley, vice president, said early this week.

At a board meeting of the Quail School April 13, all the faculty members were re-elected for the 1943-44 term.

The superintendent and principal's contracts were extended one year, making each of them a two-year contract. The teachers are given a nominal length of time to sign contracts if they wish to teach in the Quail Schools for the 1943-44 year.

"The school board was very complimentary of the work done by each of the teachers in Quail Schools this year and expressed the desire to have each of them back next year," stated Supt. Noah Cunningham. The following teachers were re-elected:

Supt. Noah Cunningham, high school principal Herman Moseley, Grade school principal Elver Brown.

Mrs. George Graham, Miss Christine Cooper, Mrs. Orval Tate, Miss Daisy Cagle, Miss Vivian Clay, Mrs. Lewis Morris, Mrs. Vada Vaughan, Miss Margaret McElreath, Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, Miss Juanita Stinnett, Miss Frances Smith, Miss Adelle Harrell, Mrs. C. B. Leggett, Miss Leitha Lowe, Mrs. Elver Brown, Miss Euba Fae Hillis, and J. B. Patterson.

The election of these 20 teachers was made possible only after the incoming schools had signed contracts for the 1943-44 school year. The Hughes School District, Childress County; Swearingen School District and Cottonwood School District, Collingsworth County; McKnight School District, Donley County, have signed contracts for the 1943-44 school year, as they did for this school year. This assures Quail Schools sufficient scholastics for the election of 20 teachers. Contracts for the above mentioned schools have been signed by a hundred per cent of the board members in the schools, some of them newly elected. Supt. Cunningham states that the board members expressed compliments to the Quail Schools for the services

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"We want every child in the county to attend the Easter show the Kiwanis Club and the Ritz Theatre are giving Saturday morning, April 24," Horace Clark, new manager of the Ritz Theatre announced today.

Plans for the event are complete, Mr. Clark said. The show will begin at 10 a. m. and will include a series of comedies, one feature, "Lone Star Vigilantes," and shorts.

The show this year takes the place of the Easter egg hunts, sponsored for a number of years by the Kiwanis Club, but which could not be held this year due to the inability of the club to obtain candy Easter eggs.

"Just remember, it's for all the boys and girls. It's your show, and we want you to come," Mr. Clark reminded.

County WAAC Quota Is Six

An enrollment quota of six women has been assigned this county by the WAAC recruiting and induction station at Lubbock for the period ending June 30.

"This is a fair quota, based on your urban population. We appeal to you to meet it, to double it if possible," Lieut. Col. Marvin B. Durette, commanding officer, declared.

The West Texas District, of which this county is a part, has fallen far behind in its enrollment

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Price Scale On Used Typewriters Is Announced

The regular schedule of prices paid by the government for used typewriters was announced this week by Ernest Lewis, who is in charge of this work here.

The price range from \$26.67 to \$47.16, depending on the model and age of the typewriter, Mr. Lewis said.

Because of the shortage of typewriters, and because no more are

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Farm Meetings Called For Crop Pre-Measurements

Bond Election Loses By Vote Of 348 To 283

By a vote of 348 to 283, property owning voters of the county defeated the special bond issue called for Wednesday, April 14. This election was to determine the issuance of \$50,000 in road bonds, to be used to refinance indebtedness already existing.

The total of 631 votes was lighter than had been expected.

Balloting by boxes follows:

Box	For	Against
S. Wellington	75	114
N. Wellington	44	57
Aberdeen	29	12
Buck Creek	10	14
Samnorwood	12	3
Quail	36	10
Pleasant Mound	0	6
Dodson	3	23
Dozier	8	12
Abra	3	23
Swearingen	3	0
Ring	7	2
Lone Mound	12	8
Shinnery	12	2
Nicholson	8	11
Rolla	2	8
Lillie	3	0
China Grove	4	4
Total	283	348

Chickens Must Be Kept Penned

The city ordinance forbidding residents within the city limits letting their chickens run at large will be enforced this year, the City Council warned following a meeting Monday night.

Numerous complaints have come before the council from local persons who have planted Victory Gardens, it was pointed out, and in view of the need for food from these gardens this year, the council issued this warning to poultry raisers.

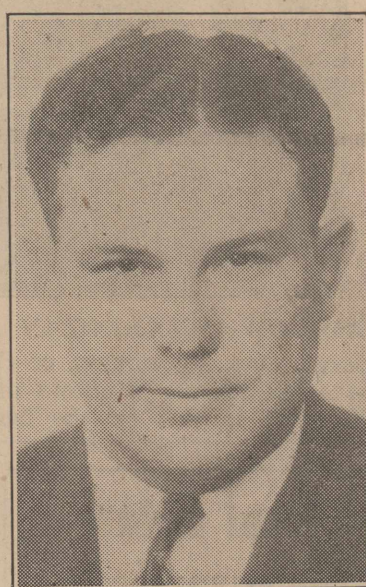
Lowell Wells Injured In Car Accident Sunday

Lowell Wells, a former resident who is now living in Amarillo, was painfully injured in a car accident near Canyon Sunday night, April 18. He received a slight brain concussion but his condition is not believed to be serious, his mother, Mrs. Percy Wells said Wednesday.

Mrs. Lowell Wells was visiting in Wellington and did not learn of her husband's injuries until Monday evening. She and Percy Wells left immediately for Amarillo to be with him.

The accident was described as unavoidable.

Mr. Wells was on his way from Hereford to Amarillo at the time. His car was demolished in the accident.



REV. A. A. DALY

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Horace Clark Is New Manager Of Ritz Theatre

Horace Clark, manager of The Ritz Theatre, arrived in Wellington last week to assume his new duties. Mr. Clark has been with the Griffith Company for the past 13 years. He started at Altus where he remained until 1937. After that he was assistant manager at Borger, Seminole and Ada. He comes to Wellington from Lubbock where he was assistant manager of the Broadway and Lyric theatres.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark are members of the Methodist Church and he has been a member of the Lions Club and the Junior Chamber of Commerce in every city where he has lived. He is particularly interested in Boy Scout work and intends to continue active interest in this work in Wellington.

Mr. Clark will live in the home formerly occupied by Paul Cornwell. At the present time Mrs. Clark and their two children are in Altus, Oklahoma. They are expected to arrive in Wellington the latter part of this week. The children are Patricia Ann 4½ years

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Ring Church Will Hold Box Supper April 30

By TOMMIE BILL LENTZ
Plans are being made for a box supper at the Ring Church Friday night, April 30. Proceeds will be used to send a delegate to the church assembly at Abilene from May 31 through June 4.

The young people of the church are in charge of the plans.

"We cordially invite the people of the community to attend and help us in this work," those in charge have announced.

A contest for the prettiest girl and the ugliest boy will be held.

A series of community meetings for farm operators, to help them in securing pre-measurements of all allotment and war crops to be planted this year, will be held from Thursday, April 22, through Thursday, May 6, Millard P. Brown, administrative officer of the AAA office here has announced.

In explaining the pre-measurement method to be used this year, Mr. Brown pointed out that all operators whose fields are to be planted differently from last year's measurements, should bring to the meeting sufficient and accurate measurements, taken in feed or chain measurements by using a wire, rope or chain for measuring, to afford the AAA office members present with the necessary data for making the calculations.

All acreages determined by pre-measurements will be guaranteed for the 1943 crop year.

The reason for using this method of measuring is due to the shortage of persons available to take the measurements this year, and because cotton cannot be plowed up this year in order to meet compliance after the acreage has been determined.

"We urge every farmer to attend the meeting in his community. Since each farmer will measure his own farm and will receive a drawing and record of the measurements of his farm, the job of checking compliance will be made much easier and earlier," Mr. Brown said.

Community meetings scheduled include:

Aberdeen, Thursday, April 22
Samnorwood, Friday, April 23
Lutie, Monday, April 26
Dozier, Monday, April 26
Dodson, Monday, April 26
Lone Mound, Tuesday, April 27
Abra, Tuesday, April 27
Ring, Tuesday, April 27
Shinnery, Wednesday, April 28
Rolla, Wednesday, April 28
Fresno, Wednesday, April 28
Swearingen, Thursday, April 29
Houselog, Thursday, April 29
Wellington, Friday, April 30
Midway, Monday, May 3
Cross Roads, Tuesday, May 4
Quail, Wednesday, May 5
Marella, Thursday, May 6

Feed Shipments From Here Heavy

Approximately 45 carloads of maize and kaffir have been shipped out of Wellington by rail in the last two months, J. E. Roberts, agent for the Fort Worth and Denver, and S. G. Henry, agent for the M-K-T. here.

Mr. Roberts stated that this was the first headed feed shipped out of here by his line in five years. Most of this was shipped by R. C. Stephenson to East Texas points.

Approximately fifteen cars of hogs have also gone out recently, Mr. Roberts said. These are shipped by Harley Kern to Fort Worth and are in addition to those sent out of here by truck.

Mr. Henry stated that shipment

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Dodson Senior Play For Friday

"Brothers of Belinda," a comedy in three acts will be presented by the Seniors of the Dodson High School on Friday night, April 23. The play is scheduled to begin at 9 o'clock in the high school auditorium.

Mrs. Margaret Griffith, teacher of English and history in the high school, is director of the play.

A small admission fee will be charged.

The character are Brooks Eaton (a guest at Broadacres), Calvin Newton; Arlene Niles (rather fond of Brooks), Erma Lee Hunt; Gordon Ellis (another guest), Johnny Dawson; Janice Royce (rather fond of Gordon), Charlene Finley; Wilmet Barnes (another guest), Darrell Darnell; Belinda Bassett (an incorrigible flirt), Geneva Watts; Sally Clifford (rather fond of Wilmet), Vinita Carter; Sarah Bassett (Belinda's aunt), Winona Harris; Annie (Sarah's maid), Joanna White; Barton Bassett (Belinda's father), Hardy Scott; Alvin Jones (Sarah's protegee), Irvin Welch.

Wellington Churches Observe Second War-Time Easter At Services Sunday

Easter, to all people one of the holiest days of the church calendar, will be observed by the churches in Wellington with special services, or with music and sermons in keeping with the day.

The following churches have announced services:

Our Lady Of Mercy Church

Two Masses are scheduled for Holy Week at Our Lady of Mercy Catholic Church in Wellington. Services for Holy Thursday will be at 7:30 p. m. Good Friday services will be at 7:00 o'clock.

High Mass and the benediction will be said by Father Edmund Wegner at 10:00 a. m. Easter morning. An Easter choir will be composed of the Dominican Sisters from St. Joseph's Hospital.

Methodist Church

Easter Sunday will mark the close of a week's revival services at the Methodist Church in Wel-

lington. The worship service and the Easter Music will follow the program outlined for all Methodist Churches, Rev. Hubert Thomson, the pastor, said.

Anthems and Easter hymns will be sung by the choir.

Children from the preparatory class will be received into the church at the morning service.

Services for the remainder of the week, as announced by Rev. Thomson, include the Wednesday night service, dedicated to the parents and families of the men in the armed service. "The theme of Rev. Thomson's sermon will be 'Soldiers of the Passion'."

Services Thursday night will be dedicated to the older members of the congregation. Old revival hymns will be sung, and an award will be given the oldest person present.

A dramatized sermon, sponsor-

ed by the Church School, will be given Friday night. An award of a religious picture will be given the class with the largest number present.

Several young people of the church and the choir will assist in the dramatization. The subject of the sermon will be "The Answer of the Cross," based on the words of Christ, spoken from the cross.

There will be no service Saturday night, the pastor said.

Church of the Nazarene

The Junior department of the Church of the Nazarene will be in charge of the Easter devotional at the opening of the Sunday School, it has been announced.

Since a pre-Easter revival has just closed at this church, with good attendance and good interest, Rev. L. A. Dickerson, the pastor, does not plan further special ser-

First Christian Church

Special music, under the direction of Mrs. Stanley Larson, is planned for the morning service of the First Christian Church.

Since this church is now without a pastor, no preaching service will be held, according to present plans.

Assembly of God

A special observance is planned for Easter Sunday, Rev. A. A. Daly, new pastor of the church, said early this week. Plans for this, however, have not been completed.

First Baptist Church

Special Easter music by the choir is scheduled at the First Baptist Church for the morning service, Rev. H. H. Kinkeade, the pastor, has announced.

The text of Rev. Kinkeade's sermon on the Resurrection will be, (Continued on Page Ten)

Chemist Warns Danger Of Acid In Motor Cars

NEW YORK.—Danger of acid in the engines of America's motor cars, due to slow driving necessitated by wartime rationing, was pointed out today by Dr. B. H. Lincoln, chief chemist of Continental Oil Company.

He warned that motorists must be doubly cautious under present conditions if they are to preserve the country's transportation system for the duration of the war.

"There won't be any new cars until after the war is over," said Dr. Lincoln, "because manufacturers will have to divert from wartime to peacetime production before they can turn out new automobiles. Consequently it behooves all motorists to take the best possible care of the cars they now have.

"Due to war conditions of slower driving and less frequent driving, an old danger threatens to become more pressing and do immeasurable damage. It has always been known that cold engines, not run long enough nor hard enough to get really warmed up to their jobs, wear out fast. Engineers have estimated that the first few minutes of operation, the warm-up period, are responsible for 80 per cent of all engine wear.

"Actually this has not been due to 'wear' from friction, as the word is usually understood. Corrosion of metal parts by the action of acids is to blame.

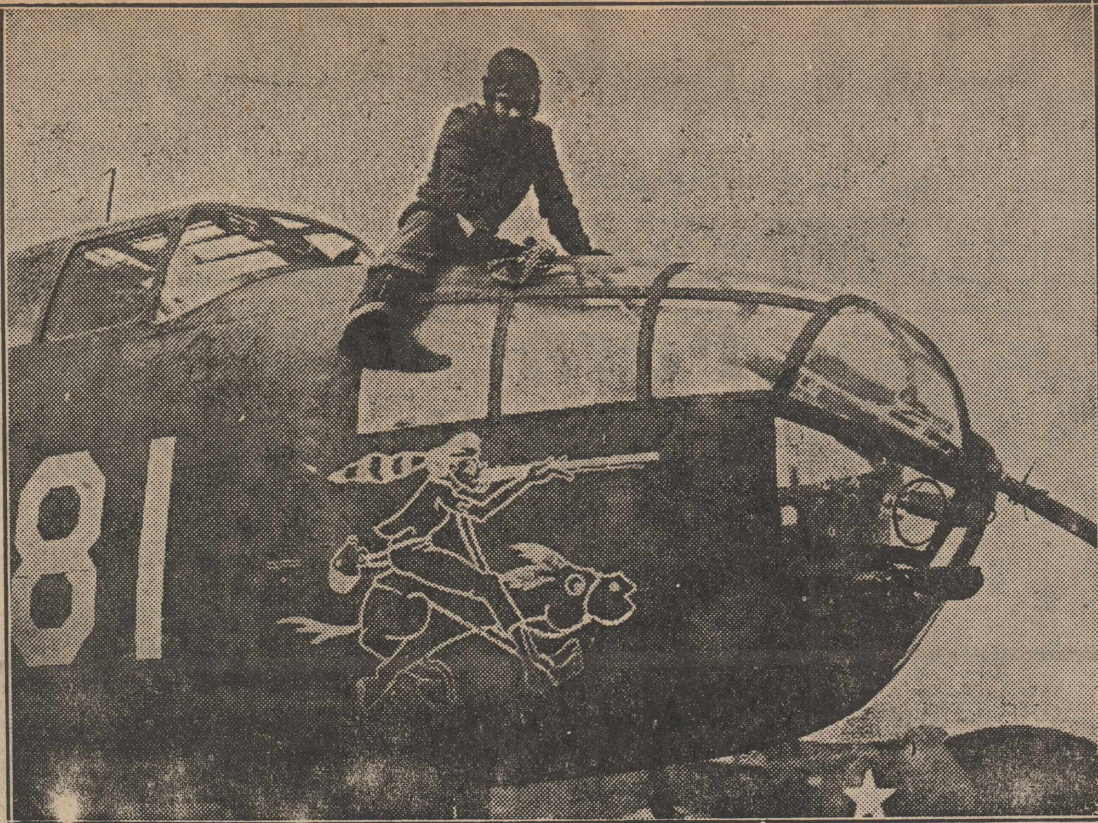
"The ordinary driver does not know much about the danger of engine acid and corrosion, its causes and effects, and the best method of prevention. Most of all he does not know how and why this particular operating problem has become suddenly more dangerous as he patriotically reduces his speed and cuts down his driving mileage."

Dr. Lincoln went on to say that this acid condition and its dangers are responsible for Continental Oil Company's current advertising theme—an effort to prolong the life of America's automobiles by a timely warning to motorists.

One of Continental's advertisements, in this series, featuring the dangers of acid, appears in today's issue of The Leader.

A two way radio weighing only 32 pounds has been developed for the armed forces. Carried on a man's back and having a range of 10 miles in daytime, it has proven useful not only on land but also at sea. Ships in a convoy can hear the signals but they fade out before reaching enemy ears.

Adding a minute part of a rare metal, rubidium, to mercury used in mercury lamps has resulted in the development of a lamp whose light approximates sunlight.



WINDOW CLEANING IN ALASKA

Sergt. Dick Hazelburst, of Peoria, Illinois, back from bombing Jap bases on the Aleutians, cleans the windows of his B-25. The crew is proud of the sketch of "Jughead Yokum" painted on the bomber's nose.

Real Estate Transactions

I. M. Hutchens and wife to D. W. Harris—the southeast one-fourth of section 90, block 14.

Dodson Janes and wife to E. A. Williams—section 3, block 17.

C. E. Deahl, individually and as attorney in fact for the heirs of G. W. Deahl estate; N. T. Deahl, individually and as executor of the estate of Catharine Aston; Maggie Weatherly and husband, J. F. Weatherly; Valentine D. Coltharp; George C. Davis; Alena Gayden; Dollie Whisenant; Florence Davis Bryant and husband, M. H. Bryant; Edward T. Davis; Edna Earl Warner and husband, W. F. Warner, to N. H. Deahl—the south one-half of the southeast one-fourth of section 56, block 15.

Arthur E. Sharp and wife to A. T. Smith—lots 13 and 14, block 168.

Mary James, independent executrix of the estate of Sarah C. Vaughan, to Buford Chandler—181 acres in the southwest part of section 64, block 14.

Trustees deed to M. Little—lot 14, block 231, Wellington.

Sheriff's deed to E. O. Gribble—undivided interest in Section 36, block 16; section 65, block 16; and the southeast one-fourth of section 24, block 16; the northwest one-fourth of section 45, block 16; 90 acres of the southeast one-fourth of section 35, block 16, lots 14, the east one-half of 13, C. and D, block 7, Sammorwood.

Leon G. Waldrop and wife to J. O. Coleman and wife—the southeast one-fourth of section 14,

block 22.

Joe Wilson and Isla Mae Wilson to Mrs. T. R. Whisenant—lots 7 to 12 inclusive, block 26, Dodson.

S. G. B. Littleton to Floyd Gardner—lot 13, block 175.

E. R. Goforth and wife to F. A. Hatch—lots 1 and 2, block 87, Wellington.

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Denver Offers Garden Plots

Free use of the right-of-way land owned by the Fort Worth and Denver Railway has been offered to Wellington residents for Victory Gardens, J. E. Roberts, local agent, announced Monday.

This policy is being carried out in a number of states, President Ralph Budd of the Burlington Lines, who is a trustee of the National Victory Garden Institute, has stated.

All that is necessary to secure a right-of-way plot is to obtain an application blank from Mr. Roberts. The Victory gardener may select his own plot, and provided it does not interfere with railroad operations and has not been allocated to someone else earlier, a permit will be issued promptly. The only restriction on plantings is that the crops must not constitute a fire or safety hazard and must not obstruct drainages.

Gardens have been planted along the right-of-way in Wellington for several years at no cost to the gardener, Mr. Roberts said.

DR. M. Z. KING

Registered Optometrist

Office at Jay Days' Jewelry Store

EVERY WEDNESDAY in Hollis, Okla.

Amarillo College Summer School Opens May 29th

The Amarillo College will hold a summer school beginning May 29. One who attends the school will be able to acquire a semester's college credit in the two six weeks' terms. Summer school should appeal to teachers who want to get off some practical courses, to wives of soldiers who want to get ahead, to housewives and business and professional people who want to keep abreast of the times. Students who want to fit themselves for positions in the vital industries should be especially interested in summer school.

Courses in business administration, education, English, fine arts, music, foreign languages, mathematics, psychology, science, social science, speech, and vocational courses will be offered. A number of the regular members of the Amarillo College faculty plan to teach in the summer session: Ernest C. Shearer, Russell C. Artist, Mrs. E. J. Baggett, Robert Louis Barron, Malcolm H. Clack, Donald Clark, Edna Coy, Russell C. Curtis, Folsom D. Jackson, Lucille King, Shelby M. Kritzer, W. I. Layton, H. L. Robinson, Harold Schoen, Mrs. Agatha McLarry Shaw, Mrs. Wilda H. Talbot, Bertie Warren, and George A. Whetstone.

MIDWAY

By MRS. EARL GIBBS

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Caldwell and daughter, Helen, were called to Temple, Texas, this week for the funeral of their uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gillespie of Clovis, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Newsum and Carla Jean of Wellington spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gibbs.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Eudy and children went to Childress Wednesday to attend the funeral of an old neighbor, Mr. Norman.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodell Byers have moved to the Shinnery community.

Several families in this community are setting out strawberries this spring.

Everyone will be busy after the nice rain Wednesday night.

Tom Caldwell was elected new school trustee. The outgoing trustee, F. F. Popwell, had served for several terms. The people appreciate what he has done for the school and community.

Mrs. Josephine Winders and daughter, Virginia, visited their son and brother, Asa Winders, at Camp Walters over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Caldwell and children went to Hollis Sunday to visit relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Eudey made a business trip to Childress Monday.

day.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Ingram of Amarillo visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ingram and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tolleson, Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. R. T. Savage and son, Wesley, of Dallas are here visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ingram and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Peters had as their guests for dinner Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Peters, Jerry and Louella Peters, and Keith Bain, all of Hedley.

Tom Caldwell made a business trip to Wichita Falls Thursday.

They give their lives. Are you lending your money? This is war.

CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 101.370 miles of Seal Coat (67.248 miles) Double Asph. Surf. Treat. (21.919 miles) & Mixed in Place Bituminous Concrete Pavement (12.202 miles)

From Cottle County Line to 5 miles South; From 1.8 miles N. of Estelline to Estelline; From Pease River to 0.4 miles North; From Crowell to Pease River; From Benjamin to 6.2 miles North; From Brazos River to Benjamin; From Hulver to Estelline; From Dickens to Crosby County Line; Safety Lanes at Jet. of US 82 and St. Hwy. 222; From Matador to the Cottle County Line; From Wellington to Okla. St. Line; From Wheeler to 10.3 miles East; From Knox City to Munday; From Brazos River to US Hwy. 82 Highway No. US 83, US 287, St. 283, St. 86, US 82, US 70, St. 52, St. 152, St. 222 covered by Control M 32-5-7; M 42-9-33; M 98-1-12; M 98-2-8; M 98-4-12; M 98-5-8; M 105-1-13; M 131-6-15; C 133-3-11; M 146-1-13; C 230-1-7; M 486-1-7; C 496-1-5; C 538-1-5; in King, Hall, Hardeman, Foard, Knox, Dickens, Motley, Collingsworth, and Wheeler Counties, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 10:00 A. M., April 27, 1943, and then publicly opened and read. The wage rates generally prevailing in this locality, which are listed below, shall apply as minimum wage rates for those employees employed and paid by the Contractor, on this project.

Title of "Laborer" Prevailing Minimum Per Diem Wage

"Workman" or "Mechanic" (Based on Eight Hour Working Day)

Carpenter	8.00
Shovel or Crane Operator	8.00
Powder Man	8.00
Mechanic	8.00
Crusher Operator	4.00
Roller or Broom Operator	4.00
Distributor Driver or Operator	4.00
Tractor or Blade Operator	4.00
Truck Driver (over 1½ tons)	4.00
Air Hammer or Compressor Operator	4.00
Fireman (Asphalt Plant)	4.00
Spreader Box Operator	4.00
Oiler	4.00
Truck Driver (1½ tons & less)	3.20
Flagman	3.20
Unskilled Laborer	3.20
Watchman	2.80
Water Boy	2.40

Legal holiday work shall be paid for at the regular governing rates. Plans and specifications available at the office of Van Earl Sams, Resident Engineer, Childress, Texas, and Highway Department, Austin. Usual rights reserved. 40-2-c



THE 2ND WAR LOAN DRIVE IS ON!

Come on, Let's WIN this war!



If we should lose the war, life would not be worth living.

"But we won't lose it," you may say.

Listen, brother—in this world nothing's sure, unless you make it so.

This month it's up to us here at home to do our part, and then some, to make Victory surer—and quicker! To do it, we've got to lend Uncle Sam 13 billion extra dollars.

It isn't easy—but war isn't easy and Victory isn't cheap. It takes money—and more money—to buy planes, ships, tanks, guns and a million other things our boys must have to deliver that final, paralyzing knockout punch.

And it's a whale of a lot easier for us at home to lend our money than for our boys to fight through the hardships and dangers of deserts, swamps, jungles, ice-fields and sub-infested seas!

Just think! Every extra bond you buy will help provide the weapons to save the lives of many American boys! Isn't that alone worth every effort, every economy you can make? You bet it is!

There are 7 types of U. S. Government securities to meet the needs of every purse. They offer the finest investment in the world—liberal interest, plus securities guaranteed by Uncle Sam himself.

A volunteer worker for the 2nd War Loan Drive may visit you soon. Welcome this unselfish patriot—and buy all the bonds you can. But don't wait for that call. Go—today—to your bank, investment dealer, broker, post office or bond booth and invest to your uttermost limit. Even if it hurts, it's nothing compared to the agonizing impact of a bayonet thrust, a fresh-tearing torpedo fragment or a bone-crushing bullet.

So dig deep, brother, and do it NOW!

There are 7 different types of U. S. Government securities—choose the ones best suited for you!

THEY GIVE THEIR LIVES . . . YOU LEND YOUR MONEY!

Wellington State Bank

UNITED STATES TREASURY WAR FINANCE COMMITTEE—WAR SAVINGS STAFF—VICTORY FUND COMMITTEE

ACID—not speed—may "burn up" your engine now!

You don't go "tearing off" the miles, and you hate tearing off ration coupons, too. You'd think your low speed and mileage would almost do away with engine wear. But the products of combustion—always hanging back in the cylinders after stopping—contain acids that nibble at metals!

Engine acids are nothing new, only they couldn't do their worst when interrupted by frequent use of your car and fast driving, instead of staying in your inactive engine for days. Short, slow, infrequent runs don't help much to clean acids out. So now when you're not even sure of getting any needed replacement parts, make sure you muzzle acids as well as you can, by keeping your engine's insides OIL-PLATED.

You know of plating being used to resist such corrosion as rust, for instance. And to resist acid corrosion, have your engine OIL-PLATED—quickly—simply—economically—by changing this Spring to Conoco Nth motor oil—patented. It includes a great advancement in synthetics, invented to maintain OIL-PLATING up and down your engine's insides, during many hours or days when such resistance against acid can help. Your Spring oil change is a "must," but the worst acid effects are not—not when you get Conoco Nth motor oil. Continental Oil Co.

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102 On Norwood Grade School Honor Roll

One hundred and two students were listed on the honor roll for the Samnorwood Grade School for the fifth six-weeks period, Earl R. Ponder, superintendent, has announced.

The following were listed as being on the "A" and "B" honor rolls:

First Grade, "A" roll: George Cunningham, Darrell Ezzell, Roff Graves, Donald Edward Green, Jerry Martindale, Thomas Whitson, Dicky Ponder, Shirley Montgomery, Shirley Ann Todd, Shirley Jean Brown. "B" roll: Bob Baxter, Joe Frank Knoll, John Drew Knoll, James Dowell Massey, Billy Bruce Oldham, Charles Shields, Elizabeth Conway, Orbie Joyce Offutt, Billie Irene Seago, Peggy Rue Shields, Joan Woods, Fern Ferguson.

Second Grade, "B" roll: Wanda Stevenson, Peggy Grace Jeffers, Ralph Robinson, Dale Johnson, Joyce Sullivan, Dail Clark, Bonnie Ruth Kidwell, L. B. Cornell, Jimmy Lee Henderson, Betty Jo Laycock, Genadal Wellburn, Franklin Knoll, Don Knoll, Earl Wayne Bryan, Horace Davis, Appie Ruth Lynch, Mildred Johnson.

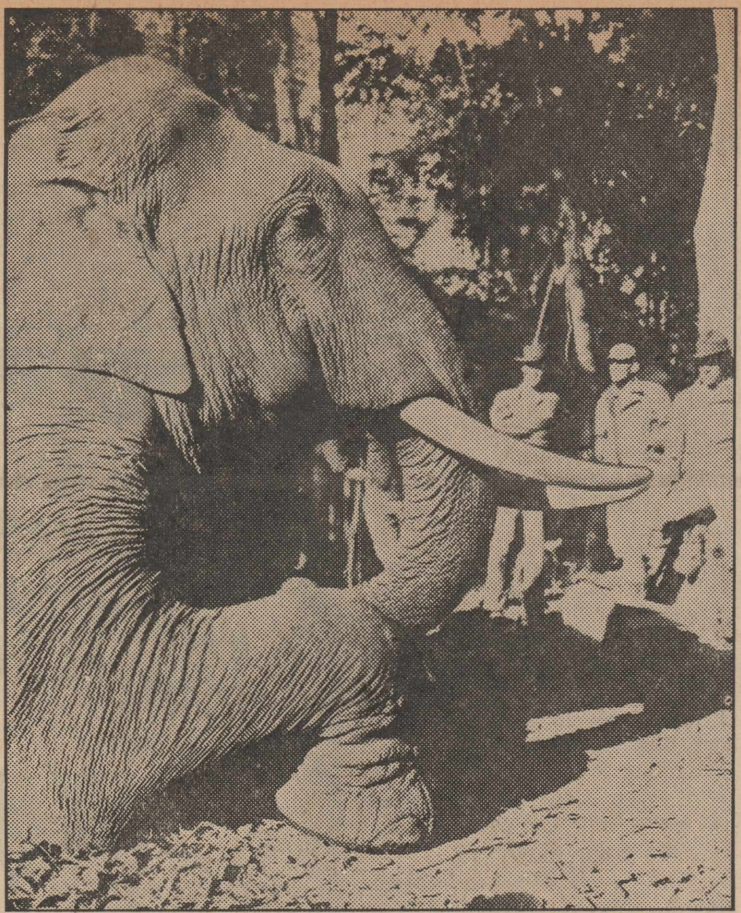
Third Grade, "A" roll: Danny Max Ponder. "B" roll: Billie Mayberry, Homer Rogers.

Fourth Grade, "A" roll: Dora Jose Ezell, Scotty Ponder, Joe Henderson, Martha Kidwell. "B" roll: Dolores Browning, Wendell Phillips, Joan Tanner, Glenda Laycock, Patsy Roark, Edna Pearl Groves, Ronald Gooch, Rosetta Burney, Leona Brooks, June Woods.

Fifth Grade, "A" roll: Hubert Peoples, Eugene Terry, Daphene Terry, Byrel May Miller, Betty Jean Urice, Anna Lou Bradley, Douglas Coleman, Frieda Johnson, Betty Jo Fain. "B" roll: Wanda Morgan, Dudley Coleman, C. H. Clark, Almer Burney, Marie Ann Grogan, Wanda Faye Johnson, Wayne Whitson, David Morris Woodruff.

Sixth Grade, "A" roll: Lucille Barker, Claude Caperton, Jr., Douglas Payne, Jo Ann Rountree, Mary Carolyn Whitson. "B" roll: Wanda Lee Browning, Wayne Craven, Rhea Rhea Fain, Juanita Ann Loring, John Ed Roark, Clifton Robinson, La Ferne Thompson, Fannie Louise Waters, Eileen Wilson, Ollie Winters, Jeanette Young.

Eighth Grade, "A" roll: Sue Grimes, Donald Coleman. "B"



COMMON CARRIER

Mechanized equipment is all right, but Uncle Sam's boys in India find that the elephant is pretty handy at packing a load, too. Here Bijou kneels complacently, waiting to be unloaded.

roll: Marie Carreker, Sue Margaret Whitson, Oleta Wilson, Clifton Robinson, Billie Neal Sewell, Robena Johnson.—Lottie May Clay, reported, Samnorwood Grade School.

SAMNORWOOD

By MRS. C. W. FRITTS

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Fritts of Amarillo visited his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fritts and Belva, Friday night and Saturday. They also attended to business in Wellington.

Farmers are happy over the good rains that have fallen the past few days. Some hail fell Saturday afternoon with slight damage.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Carrell left Sunday to visit their daughter and family, Lt. and Mrs. Cecil Jones and son, of Arlington.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Young and children spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Young's brother and family near Quanah. Mr. Young's

parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Young, who had visited here several weeks, returned to their home in Quanah with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fritts visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Parsons Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Jim Hightower returned Sunday to her parents' home here, after visiting her parents-in-law, near Hedley for several weeks.

Rev. Pickens of Shamrock filled his regular appointment at the Methodist Church Sunday and Sunday night.

Mrs. William O'Rear and son returned to her home here Sunday after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Robinson of Quail. Her sister, Rona Robinson, is visiting her this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Morrow, C. B. Morrow and Miss Belva Fritts visited Miss Mary Peters at her parents' home near Wellington Sunday afternoon.

Working on a farm will have its advantages. You'll be in close contact with food.

LETTERS From the PEOPLE

Stephenville, Texas

Mr. Deskins Wells
Wellington, Texas
Dear Deck:

Please find enclosed signed check for which fill out for the correct amount for a subscription for The Leader for another year.

We can't get along without The Leader, it is like getting a letter from all of our friends in dear old Collingsworth who have been so kind to us.

Deskins, we read your column first and enjoy your remarks. We wish for the county another bumper crop and give our best regards to everyone. We have had several inches of rain during the last three weeks, will have some fruit if nothing happens.

Sincerely,
The E. L. Winn's.

P. S. We noticed recently where the prisoners on Bataan and Corregidor were receiving their first mail from home, which was very encouraging, but they have not been permitted to write letters to us.

Purchase Of Bonds In Collingsworth Part Of Southwestern Plan

Last week the purchase of \$15,000 in War Bonds in Collingsworth County was authorized by the Southwestern Life Insurance Company. The sum was divided equally between the three banks in Wellington.

The local purchase of bonds is part of the national effort of the company. The Southwestern Life Insurance Company is purchasing \$9,000,000 of United States Bonds in the Second War Loan Campaign. Since Pearl Harbor, the company has purchased more than \$24,000,000 of Government securities.

The purchase of bonds in Collingsworth County was made in recognition of the outstanding work that has been done by John T. Forbis, local representative.

Probably the safest and most effective way to reduce weight is to put a time lock on the refrigerator.

LOCO

By CORRESPONDENT

Miss Allene Elbert of Oklahoma City visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Elbert, this week end.

Mrs. Tiffin Young underwent an operation in Temple this week.

Mrs. Oscar Daughtery and Mrs. Bill Harbin have been visiting in Lubbock and Seagraves the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Rainer have gone to Alabama to be with Mr. Rainer's father, who is ill.

Grandpa Bearden has been very ill for the past week.

Buddy Ray has been on the sick list this week.

Lester Hunter spent last week in Temple receiving medical treatment.

Mrs. Tom Harper has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Catroll, in Childress the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Huffhines of Seagraves visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Gibson, last week.

S. R. Pinkston of Wellington gave an interesting talk at the Bethel church in Loco Sunday.

LILLIE

By MRS. G. D. THOMAS

Sunday School and church services well attended at Lillie. Everyone enjoyed Bro. Elam's good message both morning and night.

We are glad to report Mrs. C. W. Golligh is still improving at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gosnell were called to Wellington Sunday due

to the illness of their daughter-in-law, Mrs. James Gosnell. She is doing fine after her operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrison of Duncan, Oklahoma, have moved to the place vacated by the J. M. Lowes. We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Garrison to our community.

S-Sgt. and Mrs. Finis Hall of Paris are visiting this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Souyres and Mr. and Mrs. Con

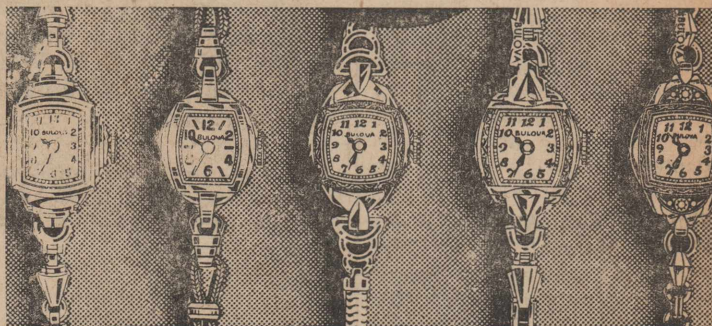
Hall. Mr. and Mrs. Carreker of Dozier attended church at Lillie Sunday and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carreker.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Jenkins have returned to Kansas after spending his furlough with his mother, Mrs. Beatrice Jenkins, and brother, Herman Lee Jenkins.

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FINE BULOVA WATCHES



14.75 — 19.75 — 37.50 and 47.50

Palace Drug Store

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Worship UNAFRAID

Three hundred and twenty-three years ago, the Pilgrim Fathers settled America as a place in which to worship unafraid. So great was their cause that a century and a half later, when the principles of the American democracy were laid down in our constitution, freedom of religion was one of the first among them—and shall ever be one of the first.

Sunday morning, and the church bells are ringing. Here and there, as you pass along the street, you can hear fresh, childish voices raised sweetly in a Sunday School hymn in this free, glorious America.

It seems hardly noteworthy, except when you read that in many a home under Nazi control, the altar is concealed . . . worship is a desperate venture.

As an American you will fight, as our armed forces are now fighting, for the preservation of our religious freedom . . . of all our freedoms: freedom of speech—freedom of initiative—freedom to vote, and to come and go as we wish. These are as sacred and inviolable to our people as the nation itself.

Go to church next Sunday—say a prayer of thankfulness that you live in such a country as ours. Worship unafraid. This is America!

Preserve Our Freedom of Religion—
Buy U. S. War Bonds and Stamps

UNITED GAS
CORPORATION

Yes, Sir-ee!
SHE'S
ALWAYS
WELCOME!

Wherever she goes, she's always welcome. . . . Because Grand-dad guaranteed HER an income for as long as she lives. . . . And, so, Granny gets a "paycheck" every month.



YOU can do the same for your wife . . . or for any member of your family, with SOUTHWESTERN LIFE INSURANCE. You can guarantee that the home in which your family lives will be THEIR home—You can assure them that your business will go on, in THEIR possession—You can set up a fund with SOUTHWESTERN LIFE INSURANCE to liquidate your Federal Estate and State Inheritance Taxes, so that those taxes will be no financial burden upon THEM—You can assure the education of your children—create a financial trust—or do a good many things that your local SOUTHWESTERN LIFE representative can tell you about. See him today. He has had a wide experience in assisting the citizens of Texas in the solution of similar problems.

Wellington Representative

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Minimize waste—of time, fertilizer, seed, hard-to-get labor—by treating cottonseed with CERESAN or buying only seed marked with the CERESAN Certificate Tag. Many tests and years of use show how successfully CERESAN reduces seed rotting and sore-shin, generally improves stands, helps save costly replanting and commonly increases yields—often 10 to 25%. CERESAN costs only a few cents an acre; is easy to apply. See your dealer now!

TREAT OTHER SEEDS, TOO!
Use Semesan Jr. for seed corn; New Improved Ceresan for small grains; Semesan for vegetables; Semesan Bel for potatoes.

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A TREATMENT FOR EVERY MAJOR CROP

CERESAN
FOR SALE
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Deck's DIDACTICS

—By Deskins Wells

The men who fight the battles will have a very low opinion of us if they come back to a country that has been ruined by inflation. This is our job at home. Buy those extra war bonds today.

In San Antonio I heard a prominent man connected with the bond drive explain why the people and not the banks must buy the bonds to head off greater inflation. I asked him why not explain this to the American people. He said he thought the idea was a good one and that he would send it to higher authorities. That does not mean it will be adopted.

While in San Antonio, I saw J. W. and Marshall Wells. They look more fit than at any time in their lives. You won't believe this, but Marshall now has as much "get up and git" about him as J. W. ever had. He doesn't know it, but the Army has done something for him. He is a Sergeant and J. W. is a private, but regardless of the fact that his younger brother outranks him, Jay is making him pay on his debts regularly.

While I was there The Leader arrived and they quit talking to me. Some of you merchants who have not been keeping your name before the people regularly should see how the local boys and girls devour the home town news. Those who are away and who are reading the home news so closely and with such interest are your future customers.

In Dallas I had a very pleasant visit with Mr. G. B. Dealey. He is one of the truly great men of Texas journalism. He created the present Dallas News. The late Adolph Ochs used The News as a model in developing The New York Times, but the outstanding part of his work has not been the influence of The News on other papers but in the service he has rendered Texas and the nation. However, the thing that impressed me was his thoughtful courtesy and his genuine kindness. Not all



SGT. WOLF
Staff Sgt. Henry R. Wolf of Loco was decorated recently at Honolulu by Adm. Nimitz with the Air Medal for meritorious achievement, following an American bombing raid on Japanese held Wake Island, December 24. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Wolf, and a former Wellington School student.

newspaper men can publish a Dallas news, but I know of one Collingsworth publisher who could emulate Mr. Dealey's politeness with profit.

Mrs. J. M. Strong, Sr. phoned me Tuesday to ask if I heard Ken McClure broadcast my mother's account of the heavy rain and how the shelterbelt spread out the water. I had not because I was on the train; but it was even a greater pleasure to hear the kind words from Mrs. Strong. She is a gentlewoman of the first rank and she has a great and courageous soul.

The annual chicken problem has arisen in Wellington. The City Council says they must be kept up in order that our neighbors can grow victory gardens. That is right, of course; but I am glad they do not have an ordinance on rabbits. My bunnies got out in my neighbor's garden last week.

On the lot just south of the Baptist Church are some bindweeds. They should be killed. If they ever spread to fields or gardens it will take chemicals to kill them out. It can't be done by plowing or hoeing. Native weeds and grass stand up against them, but cultivated plants will die. The same is true of that nut grass that is growing just south of the Strong Floral Co. It is hard to eliminate once it gets started.

New Books In Library

A number of outstanding new books have been received in the county library during recent weeks, Miss Katherine Boverie, librarian, said this week.

This group includes best sellers in the fiction and non-fiction list, as well as technical books that follow: "Primary Ground Study Manual, Civil Air Regulations for Student and Private Pilots;" "Energy and Sleep," by Laird and Miller, two widely known American psychologists; "Barriers Down," by Kent Cooper, the story of the Associated Press; "Time of Peace," by Ben Ames Williams, a novel covering the period from 1930 to December 7, 1941;

"Road to Victory," by Archbishop Francis J. Spellman, a book declaring that Victory must be the victory of American ideals as well as a military victory; "Days of Wrath," by Andre Malraux, which tells the story of the life of those who are prisoners of the Nazis; "I Escaped Hong Kong," Marsman, a personal story of events that happened only yesterday;

"The Just and the Unjust," by James Gould Cozzens, an outstanding novel built around a murder trial, but portraying the life of an entire community; "Drivin' Woman," by Elizabeth Picket Chevalier, the story of the post war Southern women, who had nothing left but their beauty, brains and breeding; and "The Human Comedy," by William Sorayan, a best seller telling a story that might be about even your neighbor.

More Donors Contribute To Red Cross

Additional donors to the Red Cross War Fund drive were announced this week by Miss Katherine Boverie, secretary.

The list included George Richard Kirklin, Jr., A. T. Smith, C. L. Harrison, Miss Katherine Schellenberg, and the Wellington High School.

DODSON

By REV. J. E. PERRYMAN

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Lewis of Hollis attended the all day services at the Nazarene Church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lewis are the parents of a son, Carroll Lynn. He was born April 11 and weighed 9 pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Caddell motored to Fort Sill Sunday to visit their son, Riley Caddell, who is in the Field Artillery Service.

Jeff Corbitt has gone to Oklahoma City for medical treatment. Mrs. Coleman Berry of Hot Springs, New Mexico, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. L. A. Fillpot for the past two weeks.

Mrs. Robert Green has gone to visit her husband, Sgt. Green, who is stationed at Camp Livingston, La.

Attending the Nazarene revival at Wellington Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Camp, Mrs. Fletcher White, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Green, and Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Perryman and children.

School has started on a new schedule this week, taking up at 9:15 each morning.

LETTERS FROM MEN IN SERVICE

San Diego, Calif.
April 15, 1943

Dear Deck:

How is everything in Wellington now? Fine I hope. I surely do wish I were there now for a few days to see Dad and Mother and all the friends I knew before I joined the Navy.

I sure do want to thank you for the Wellington Leader. Boy, do I enjoy reading it. When I get through with it, I let the other boys look it over.

There are a few boys here from Wellington. R. C. Patrick is here and also Kelly Cynard. I see them pretty often. I am now in a unit waiting to get a school. I hope to get it soon.

I have been in the Navy now about three and one-half months. I am liking it just fine. I guess I had better close for this time. It is about time for chow.

Sincerely yours,
Hubert Lee Roberts.

P. S.—Thanks again for The Leader.

For quick results—use Classified

Farm Machinery Picture Date Changed To Thurs.

The date of the motion pictures, sponsored by the Farm Machinery repair course in Wellington, has been changed from Friday, April 23, to Thursday, April 22.

The show will begin at 8:30 p. m.

A cordial invitation has been given the public to attend, Tom Henry, vocational agriculture teacher of the local high school, has announced.

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WHEN YOU CONSERVE
YOUR "RATION POINTS"
FOR
WHITE SWAN
Fine Foods

FOLLOW THE CROWD TO

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Sure point rationing is trouble to the grocery store just as it is to you, but if that is what it takes to share the food you can count on us to co-operate 100 per cent. AND YOU WILL STILL FIND STEVE OWENS TRYING TO SAVE YOU MONEY. In addition you will find us constantly striving to make your points go further in feeding your family. This store was built on service to our customers and we intend to continue it.

ONIONS		25c
CRYSTAL WAX—3 POUNDS		
GRAPEFRUIT	Morris Seedless, 80 Size—Each	5c
LEMONS	Sunkist, Dozen	25c
LETTUCE		8c
NICE FIRM HEADS—EACH		
PRUNES	2 Pound Box, No Points	29c
RICE	Fancy Blue Rose, 2 Pound Bag	25c
TOMATO JUICE	20 Ounce Can	12c
FLOUR	Acme's Best, 48 Pound Sack	\$1.98
LIMA BEANS	Large California 28 Ounce Bag	25c
Vanilla Extract		8c
8 OUNCE BOTTLE		
PINEAPPLE	No. 2 Can	25c
CORN FLAKES	3 Boxes	25c
CAMAY BEAUTY SOAP	3 Bars	20c
Peanut Butter		33c
19 OUNCE JAR		
POP CORN	2 Pound Cellophane Bag	25c
SALT	50 Pound Block	49c
SOY BEAN MEAL	Per 100 Pounds	\$2.75
PORK CHOPS		35c
NICE AND LEAN—POUND		
Steve Owens		
WEST OF FARMERS CO-OP GIN WELLINGTON, TEXAS		
Prices Good for Wellington and Dodson		

**A father is fighting...
So his boy may tinker
with
Electricity**

Over 160 of our men (and one woman) are in the U. S. armed forces. Last week one of these men, a good electrician who had been with the company for many years and who is a veteran of World War I, came home on leave. (He's a volunteer in the Navy.)

With him when he dropped around to say "hello" and talk shop with the fellows was his 13-year-old son... wearing his Boy Scout uniform.

All the guys were darn glad to see him and know he has a swell Navy rating as an electrical technician. Naturally they asked a lot of questions and learned that Uncle Sam's Navy thinks mighty high of its men who come from America's electrical companies where they got their training and experience. They learned, too, that electric power is behind most of the Navy's great punch...

building ships, guns, bombs, torpedoes and the like with which to win the victory.

Finally someone asked: "Well, Don, have you decided—just what are YOU fighting for?" He answered right off, pointing to his son.

"Me—I'm fighting for this kid. He's a Boy Scout, see, and it teaches 'em to be independent and self-reliant. Well, dictators and bureaucrats don't like that—they want regimentation. So I'm fighting so he—and millions like him—will be free.

"Too, the kid's kinda like me. He has a knack for tinkering with electricity... likes it, see. Well, the kid may not be another Edison. But I want him to have the same opportunities that Edison had—and a lot of other guys who helped make this country great.

"I want him to be free to tinker all he likes. And if anything comes of it, if his tinkering creates something useful to the world, like Edison's tinkering, I want him to share in the profits."

Out of this freedom of individual opportunity grew America's great industries that today are pouring out the weapons of war... as in peacetime they pour out the comforts and conveniences of everyday home life to give us the highest of all standards of living.

This freedom is worth fighting for. Free men and women, working out their own destinies with their own hands and minds... building, inventing, improving... taking the risks and enjoying the rewards. And bettering the world as they better themselves!

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Northerners View Cotton As Fiber Crop Only

It seems futile to argue against the northern view that cotton is strictly a fibre crop, but spokesmen for the cotton-growing states cannot afford to be silent.

In spite of the fact that 48 per cent of the edible vegetable oil produced in this country last year was derived from cottonseed, Washington officialdom refuses to recognize cotton as a wartime food crop.

The words, "You can't eat cotton," are chanted throughout the cornbelt and dairying sections of the North and are echoed by the bureaucrats in Washington. And Secretary Wickard is criticized for authorizing an increase of 7 per cent in cotton acreage.

In a recent editorial on the food situation, The Commonwealth, a magazine of national circulation, published in New York, said, "Cotton fields could well be converted to produce food, vegetable fats or green vegetables. . . It is scandalous that cotton acreage has not been reduced but has actually been increased, when this same land could be more usefully planted in other crops."

Yet vegetable oil, nearly half of which is obtained from the cotton fields, is being rationed. It is true that you can't eat cotton, but for every 500 pounds of lint produced, there is an accompanying yield of 900 pounds of seed. From the arguments made in the North, one might think that cottonseed was being dumped into gulleys, as it was five or six decades ago.

The facts are on record, but they seem to mean absolutely nothing to the stubborn disparagers of the crop that the South is best able to grow and process. In spite of the record, it is argued that, because there is an ample supply of short staple fibre at this time, Southern farmers should abandon cotton growing and turn to peanuts, soybeans, or some other crop with which they have little or no familiarity.

The facts being so stubbornly ignored are these. From each bale of cotton produced, there is added to the supply of consumer goods, not only 500 pounds of fiber, but 140 pounds of the finest type of edible oil, 400 pounds of excellent protein feed for livestock, 240 pounds of idea roughage feed, 81 pounds of ideal material for smokeless powder, plastics, and other essential products.

Regardless of all arguments to the contrary, cotton is a highly important war crop. Refusal of bureaucrats and dairy agricultural interests of the North to recognize this, is not due to ignorance or their part. It looks more like a deliberate attempt to carry on, during the war, the fight against cottonseed that was waged in time of peace.

In the last decade dairying has expanded rapidly in the Southwest. So has the practice of fattening livestock for the market. In this area the principal livestock feed is derived from cotton. Is it possible that the corn belt and the northern dairy section are trying to stifle competition from the South and Southwest? It would seem so.

For years, the Northern dairy-men and corn and hog raisers have fought cottonseed oil. States led by Wisconsin have taxed it drastically and have induced the federal government to tax it. This fight is being continued and made broader. The guns are being aimed at the whole cotton crop. The Commonwealth editorial is only one of many of its kind. Unfortunately for the country at large, this short-sighted discrimination against cotton is retarding food production when there is danger of a national food shortage. Argument seems fruitless, but in the interest of the victory program, spokesmen for Southern agriculture must continue to point out the facts.

Mr. and Mrs. V. P. Cate moved from Hobart, Oklahoma, to Wellington early this week. Mr. Cate is employed at the Childress Airfield.

Willie May Floyd, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Floyd, is a medical patient in St. Joseph's Hospital.



TYPICAL MARINE RAIDER

Eighteen-year-old Private David Chalkley of Bethesda, Md., a member of the Fourth Raider Battalion, U. S. Marines, was a student a few months ago. Today he is an expert with a number of weapons, knows many tricks of jungle warfare and, physically, is as hard as nails.

FFA Holds Father-Son Banquet Friday Evening

By BENTON BERRY

Fathers of Wellington Future Farmers were honored at the fourth annual Father-Son banquet held Friday night, April 6, at the Methodist Church.

Marion Baumgardner served as toastmaster. The banquet was opened with the regular opening ceremony of the Future Farmers, with officers of the chapter taking part.

Rev. Hubert Thomson, pastor of the Methodist Church, spoke the invocation and Don Leach gave the welcome address.

Miss Virginia Sachse was crowned FFA Queen for the year in a ceremony conducted by Benton Berry.

The main event of the evening was two motion pictures, "Livestock and Mankind," and "The Battle is in Our Hands."

Humorous stories were told by Rev. Henry Kinkeade, pastor of the Baptist Church, while Superintendent Logan Cummings of the city schools described the benefits received by farmers attending the farm machinery repair course now being taught by Paul Lamkin. Tom Henry, vocational agriculture instructor, was in charge of arrangements.

The banquet was served by the F.H.T. girls under the supervision of Mrs. Abbie Burch and Mrs. Irene Harris. Assisting them

were Mrs. Tom Henry and Mrs. J. B. Baumgardner.

Registering for the banquet were Rev. Kinkeade, Rev. Thomson, Tom Campbell, Ernest Lewis, Guy Clay, Mr. Cummings, Joe Terry, B. W. Beaird, J. L. Beard, Al Duncan, H. L. Ezell, Ollie Raburn, Pink Sullivan, W. A. Brown, J. T. Slay, Cameron Beam, Fleet Pruden, Lee Fortenberry, Floyd Francis, Paul Lamkin, Truman Jones, Lee C. O'Neil, Benton Berry, Tom B. Berry, Marion Baumgardner, J. B. Baumgardner, Dale Scott, R. W. Scott, Herschel Lewis, Clay Kutch, Don Kutch, W. H. Kutch, Jimmie Auddell, Robert Auddell, G. E. Auddell, Lindy Cunningham, Billy Don Cunningham, Buddie Stamps, J. S. Smith, Jap Thomas, H. F. Thomas, Dan Trew, J. B. Trew.

Wade Welch, Barney Cook, W. C. Baird, Smithy Baird, Elmer Roy Lee, Roy Lake Sachse, Virginia Sachse, Henry Dan Austin, G. T. Austin, Jack Boverie, Eddie Crawley, E. C. Crawley, Ervin Emmert, J. C. Emmert, Jack Covey, H. A. Covey, S. B. Jackson, Jr., S. B. Jackson, Sr., Don Leach, W. E. Leach, Billy Nelson, A. R. Nelson, C. E. Welch, J. E. Welch, Jim Bob Wood, W. O. Wood, Phil Trew, E. M. Trew, Ed Wallace Wells, and J. O. Wells.

Dodson Stock Sales Good

Buyers from as far away as the Plains section are attending the Dodson Livestock Sales each Thursday, Mike Carter, owner reports.

The recent rains apparently have increased the interest of local farmers in livestock buying, he continued.

One of the largest sellers at the last sale was Dodson Janes, with 26 head of cattle.

Other sellers were W. V. Swinburn, E. C. Alexander, Ruel Alexander, Woody Wilson, B. G. Glenn, J. A. Scott, C. R. Talley, Arthur Belew, Bobby Copeland, Hubert Faulks, Hiram Bartlett, Lee White, Cliff Camp, T. L. Campbell, Lonnie Carter, Elmer Hightower, M. H. Hall, J. G. Peters, Mr. Mays, Ray Scott, W. A. Horton, H. C. Boyd, A. J. Adkins, F. B. McCaleb, O. T. Mitchell.

Buyers were Joe Rountree, D. C. Camp, Edwin Crowder, B. G. Glenn, Claude McKinney, Henry Motley, Clarence Royal, Hugh Painter, Mr. Stewart, Joe Horton, Hubert Faulks, Boyd Pierce, Mitchell Fitzgerald, Mr. McCaleb, Arzie Gamble, Bud White, Fred Yarbrough, Earl Yarbrough, Mose Clement, J. E. Darnell, George Aaron, A. L. Sorrells, Mr. Glenn, Mr. Hightower, Sam Young, Mr. Lynn and Mr. Mays of Dimmett.

FFA Member Buys Registered Sows Recently

Two registered sows of outstanding breeding were bought by Melvin Thomason, Wellington FFA boy, recently.

One, a Berkshire sow, was bred and raised by Arthur Munz of Moody. The other is a Poland China gilt, bred by the Lillian Stock Farms at Arlington.

Both will be used by Thomason in building up his herd.

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DOZIER

By MRS. ROY BILLINGSLEY

A large crowd attended the Quarterly Conference at Dozier Sunday.

Farmers are very busy getting their land ready for planting.

Mrs. Truman Bradstreet and daughter, Mary Ann, were dinner guests Sunday of Mrs. Ella Phillips and family.

Mrs. J. E. Leggett and daughter of Wellington visited Sunday with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Guss Gooch and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Billingsley and children, Jerry and Margaret, and

Naydene Montgomery, visited Sunday evening in the Frank Mayo home on Sitters Ranch.

A. J. Shields and daughter, Peggie, made a business trip to New Mexico over the week end.

Cpl. Marvin Caperton of Camp Adair, Oregon, is here visiting his wife and other relatives. His mother, Mrs. W. A. Jones of Las Cruces, N. M., is here visiting with Cpl. Caperton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Coleman and children, Mrs. Wood Coleman and children and Mrs. McKinney visited Mr. and Mrs. Polk Hooten and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Willoughby and baby and Mrs. G. C. Porter and Nell were in Amarillo Monday.

Singers Invited To Jackson Springs Convention April 25

Singers of Collingsworth County have been invited to attend the annual Homecoming Singing convention at Jackson Springs, near Chillicothe, Sunday, April 25th.

This year's singing will observe the 23rd anniversary of the organization of the Jackson Springs singing class.

J. M. Collins of the Jackson Springs community is president of the organization, and Mrs. Perin Williams is secretary. Mrs. Williams, a former Wellington music teacher, is better known here as Miss Mildred Collins.

NOTICE

Residents in the City Limits Must Keep Chickens Up

Due to the fact that many people are raising Victory Gardens, numerous complaints have reached the City Council concerning chickens being allowed to run at large.

Your attention is called to the fact that this is a violation of a city ordinance and we urge your co-operation in observing the law. We do not wish to work a hardship on any one at this time, but the ordinance will be enforced.

City of Wellington

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FOR SALE—Feed mill. See Pete Brock on A. Y. Bell's farm. 41-1-p

BARN for sale 40 x 14 with 14 foot shed. See Buford Chandler. 41-1-p

FOR SALE—Pure 1st year cottonseed. Gin run. Half & Half and Cluster at the Walter Patterson farm. 2 miles west and 2 miles north of Dodson. \$2.00 per bushel. Walter Patterson. 41-2-p

FOR SALE—House, 28 x 36. See Buford Chandler. 41-1-p

FOR SALE or trade—Small two room house. See Floyd Gardner, 411 N. El Paso street, after 6 o'clock. 41-2-p

FOR SALE—1939 Chevrolet Dump Truck. See U. S. Bolton. Mile and half west of Salt Fork Church. 41-1-p

1 CASE TRACTOR and Lister for sale or trade. Buford Chandler. 41-1-p

FOR SALE—B. F. Summerhours half and half seed. \$2.00 per bushel. Good early seed. Good staple. All grown in Collingsworth County last year made the loan. See E. S. Hale, 3 miles east and one mile north of Lutie. 41-4-p

FOR SALE—1937 F-20 Farmall tractor. Excellent condition. New rubber. At my farm 6 miles east of Shamrock. A. F. Wischkaemper, Jr. 41-1-p

FOR SALE—Good work team and 100 bushels Second year half and half cotton seed from Georgia. Three-fourths mile east of Quail Baptist Church. Virgil Mars. 41-2-p

FOR SALE—Large, good team of horses. See Bob Spears at Bob Spears Barber Shop. 41-tfc

FOR SALE—One good room 14 ft. square, one shed room 8 ft. by 28 ft. J. T. Bradley. 42-2-p

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—One milk goat with five weeks old kid. A. Parsons, 1402 Dalhart. 41-1-p

CAR FOR SALE—'38 model, two door Oldsmobile. Mrs. F. E. Branum. 1400 E. Ave. 41-1-p

FOR SALE—One good bicycle. Cheap. Jack Gibson's Service Station. 40-tfc

FOR SALE—One sow and one boar Duroc Jersey pigs. Subject to register. Route 2, Rolla, Troy Godbey. 39-2-p

FOR SALE—Martin Combine Maize seed. \$2.50 per hundred. W. S. Braboy. 3 1/2 miles south town section. 40-2-p

FOR SALE—Baby Beef turkey eggs and poults. First house south of Fresno Baptist Church. Mrs. W. A. Morrow. 38-tfc

JERSEYS FOR SALE—Fresh cows, springer heifers, good stock. See A. L. Cochran. 38-4-c

FOR SALE—One good room 14 ft. square, one shed room 8 ft. by 28 ft. J. T. Bradley. 37-5-p

LOST

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MISCELLANEOUS

I AM Standing my Palomina saddle horse on Jake Tarter's farm. Terms, \$5.00 cash, with privilege of returning the mare. Paul Atkins, owner. 41-4-p

MY HAUL and Arabian Saddle horse ready for service. Fee \$7.50. To insure colt at foaling time. One block north, two blocks west of Lucky Corner. Carr Scott. 41-2-p

PALOMINO Stallion for service. Fee \$7.50. 1 mile north of Wellington. Darvin Nix. 40-3-c

I WILL haul your trash or fill in your yards. Prices reasonable. Webb Washington. 40-2-p

NOW READY

Tested bulk garden seeds, onions and cabbage plants, other plants soon. Fruit and shade trees, Evergreens and shrubs. Hybrid Seed Corn. Also rose bushes, berry vines all kinds. T. B. Starkey at Starkey Elec. Shop. S. Side Square. 30-tfc

RENTALS

FURNISHED APT. for rent. New paint. Coca Cola Bldg. Call 343 or see Otis Roberson. 40-2-c

FOR RENT—On third and fourth, 160 acre farm. 2 miles west of Quail gin. J. E. Blevins, Quail. 40-2-p

STRAYED

STRAYED—One yellow Jersey cow. Branded circle on left side and left hip. With leather halter and short chain. Notify Homer Tedder. Commercial Hotel. 41-1-p

WANTED

WANTED—Good used barbed wire. W. E. Winters, Route 6, Wellington. 40-3-p

WANTED—Hand to do farm work. White or colored. Charlie Neese. 40-2-p

WANT TO BUY—A good used windcharger, also a good butane refrigerator. Buster Smith, Quail. 40-2-p

I AM BUYING Shipper and Butcher hogs every day. Sandown Smith. 28-tfc

I AM shipping hogs from Wellington every Tuesday and Wednesday. Will pay you highest possible price for your hogs. Harley Kern, phone 411. 32-tfc

WE ARE Paying Top Prices for scrap iron, steel and motor cast. See us before you sell. Eads Produce. 10-tfc

NOTICE

ON ACCOUNT OF FIRE I am forced to close my pasture to all trespassers. Please take notice. A. F. Wischkaemper, Jr. 38-4-p



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Buster Hughes, Secretary

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FLOUR, Early Light, 48 lbs. \$2.00

MILNOT 3 CANS 24c

APPLE JUICE QT., 14 OZ. 29c

TOMATOES NO. 2 CAN 10c

GRAPEFRUIT DOZEN 25c

LEMONS, fresh and juicy, dozen 29c

ORANGES, Texas, dozen 27c

MUSTARD, Quart 9c

SALAD DRESSING, Quart 25c

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STEW MEAT POUND 22c

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Editorial

We on the home front face one of the most personal challenges of this war to date. That challenge is whether or not we are willing to sacrifice to a sufficient extent to lend our government thirteen billion dollars within the next few weeks.

To do the job, you and I, and everyone we know, are going to have to dig down in our sock—to dig out some of those dollars we have salted away for a rainy day—as well as to take a good hunk out of this month's paycheck.

This is a job that has to be done. Sure, we on the home front are feeling the pinch of war. We have gasoline rationing, food rationing, higher taxes and a lot of other little discomforts. But they are nothing compared with the agonies faced daily by our men—men from this community among them—out there on the fighting fronts of the world.

Yes, we know that this constant demand for money out of our pockets and out of our paychecks—an increasing amount each month—is monotonous. But so is sitting in a fox-hole or lying in a slit-trench day after day, slogging through the hell of a humid jungle or that of Sahara sand.

Our sons, friends, brothers, husbands and others we know are doing that for us. They are facing something more terrible than cutting down on a few things that we once thought were essentials to the American standard of living in order to do it, too. As Secretary Morgenthau has said: "Shall we be more tender with our dollars than with the lives of our sons?"

The Second War Loan is an order to the home front to go on a new offensive. Your dollars are the weapons in this attack. They will make possible the passing of the ammunition to those boys up there in the front lines. To win this war is going to cost more and more money—and more and more lives. But the price of freedom is high. We can not; we dare not let our fighting men down.

You can't let George do this for you. You pitch in with your dollars. Just keep in mind those boys in the front lines. They give their lives—you lend your money! Don't wait for someone to come around and ask you to do it. Do it today—and do it until you feel worthy of them.

OTHER EDITORS SAY..

• Free Enterprise

It took Germany nine years to build enough plants and equipment to fight this war; it took Japan 25 years; Russia 20 years. American industry, under free enterprise, has done it in two years.—Claude Wells in The Memphis Democrat.

One local worker has been fired (in fun) already. In company with his particular committee this worker called upon a certain party and inquired whether or not the party would be interested in buying a bond. The party expressed interest whereupon the worker started taking his order for a \$100 bond. Imagine his surprise when his customer protested and instead said he wanted a \$5,000 bond.—The Hollis Weekly News.

• Tobacco—Old Style

That delectable but repulsive habit, tobacco chewing, is on the increase. In more war industries, workers are not permitted to smoke, so they chew. Sales of eating tobacco increased heavily last year over 1941, which in turn showed a gain over 1940. Consumption of snuff is increasing also.

When a cigaret addict switches to chewing, Uncle Sam loses. The tax on a pound of tobacco made into cigarets is about \$1.20; on a pound of chewing tobacco, 18 cents.—John Gould in The Wichita Daily Times.

• Strange Coins

The old admonition not to "take any wooden nickels" has been replaced. Now it's a warning against pewter dimes.

New War pennies made of pewter instead of copper arrived at the First National Bank here this week and are now in circulation in Bowie. The same size as the old familiar "coppers," the new pennies are only one-half the weight and closely resemble the silver dimes in color and appearance.

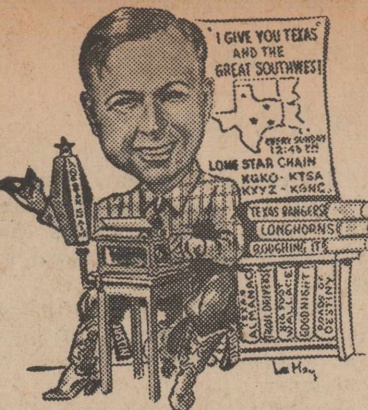
The war pennies were conceived in order to conserve copper but as yet the local bank has received no order to call in copper pennies already minted.—The Bowie News.

• Victory Gardens

It's going to take all the Victory out of our neighbor's garden if your chickens get over into it. It will also disturb what has up to this spring been a happy and peaceful neighborhood. For the sake of Victory gardens and for the sake of neighborhood tranquility keep your chickens penned up.—T. B. Klepper in The Foard County News.

• Cattle Stealing

Too many cattle are disappearing from pastures and lots adjacent to highways for live stock owners to feel comfortable at nights when they lay them down to rest. The next morning they count early, but sometimes too late at that. Apparently "black market" has nothing to do with the matter. Just plain cattle theft almost has to be the answer. The fact that the animals do not show up at any of the sales pens or stock yards of the county indicates they are going to somebody who is careless about establishing ownership and identity of the animals they buy. Whatever precautions can be evidently should be taken by stock owners. Possibly the old custom of branding everything may come back again if the thefts continue, especially if they increase. Homer Steen in The Floyd County Hesperian.



—By BOYCE HOUSE

"God, give us men! A time like this demands Strong minds, great hearts, true faith and ready hands; Men whom the lust of office does not kill, Men whom the spoils of office cannot buy, Men who possess opinions and a will, Men who have honor; men who will not lie, Men who can stand before a demagogue And damn his treacherous flatteries without winking! Tall men, sun-crowned, who live above the fog In public duty and in private thinking."

A terrific blow to loan sharks, who extort \$40,000,000 a year from war workers, men in the armed forces and the general public, will be dealt by the injunction bill which the legislature has passed.

As a small boy, I used to shudder when the lightning cracked. Then one day I read in a paper that lightning kills only 26 people out of a million in a year, or maybe it was only six. And since then, I haven't worried a great deal about thunderstorms.

Favorite season: Fall.
Favorite writers: Mark Twain, Dickens, O. Henry.
Favorite historical figures: Lincoln and Lee.

And favorite people: Those who have traveled and adventured, and those who have thought and studied though they may never have been more than 40 miles from the village in which they were born.

Nomination in the oldest joke contest:
"Will it stop raining?"
"It always has."

The thousands of women engaged in the beauty shop profession pay taxes on their property just as any other citizen does; and, in addition, these ladies pay a special State fund to be used in the interest of the public for regulation and efficiency in connection with the profession. A surplus of \$30,000 has accumulated and a bill (which opponents say would confiscate this amount) is pending in the House of Representatives. This money should be used for the purpose for which it was paid or else it should be refunded to those who paid it. Just because the State General Fund is overdrawn by some \$25,000,000 why should these ladies—who, through skill and hard work, earn a living—be singled out for any such discrimination as this?

There is also an effort being made to take the current special assessments paid by the barbers and put this money into the General Fund, the warrants of which are discounted whereas their warrants are bringing par, and in the General Fund, it would no doubt be mixed and mingled with other revenues and much of it could be used for other purposes than that for which it is paid.

Odd Bits Of News

If you doubt that women are wearing fewer clothes, just take a look at the figures.

Your government is in dire need of kitchen fats. Used kitchen fats should be saved and sold to the grocers. Rendering of kitchen fats produces about ten per cent of glycerine. Gun powder and nitro-glycerine, the products of kitchen fats are needed to win the war.

TEST YOUR I. Q.

1. On what date do the seasons begin in South America?
2. How many holidays do we observe as legal, Congress-declared national holidays?
3. Exactly how long does it take the earth to travel around the sun?
4. Can a citizen of the U. S. hold a title of nobility conferred by a foreign power and still legally retain U. S. citizenship?
5. Of how many articles does the original constitutional Bill of Rights consist?

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Folks in Uniform



"A girl? That's heredity for you—her mother is one."

Town And Farm In Wartime

(A weekly news digest prepared by the Rural Press Section, OWI News Bureau).

Meat Ceilings

Maximum prices on beef, veal lamb, and mutton sold at retail will not become effective until May 17. OPA suspended ceilings scheduled to go into effect April 15 in order to be sure that the prices were in line with other living costs.

Raise Corn Prices

A ceiling price on corn five cents per bushel higher than present maximums, established April 14, will be effective until September 30, 1943. According to OPA, which acted upon instructions from Stabilization Director Byrnes and Food Administrator Davis, there will be no further increases in corn prices during the 1943 market season. The price raise is designed to relieve the present acute market shortage of corn for livestock feeding and industrial processing.

Selective Service

Chief effect of the recent changes in Selective Service classifications is the elimination of dependency deferment except for

- (1) Those who maintain bona fide homes with children,
 - (2) Those whose induction would cause extreme hardship to a wife, child or parent, and
 - (3) Those with dependents who are necessary to and regularly engaged in agriculture.
- Men formerly classified in III-A and III-B who had been deferred because of dependents will be reconsidered. Class IIIB is eliminated entirely. A child born after September 14, 1942, is not recognized as a "dependent" in classifying a registrant in Class III-A. The new classification, III-D, will contain all men whose induction, in the opinion of their local boards, would create extreme hardship or privation for a dependent wife, child, or parent.

War Costs Higher

A new high of more than 7 billion dollars was reached in war expenditures during March, when the average amount spent each day was \$263,400,000. To meet these mounting costs of war, Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau recently disclosed that the 13 billion dollar second war loan is part of 70 billion dollars that must be raised during 1943. "This is a people's war, so all the people ought to have a part in financing it," said the Secretary as he warned that "ten percent is not enough."

Farmers Who Sell

A farmer who sells butter, lard, or any other rationed food to a retailer must collect ration points for the sale, just as he has done in selling to consumers since March 29. All farm sales must be made at current point values and stamps collected must be turned in to local ration boards with a report made on OPA Form R-169. This form will be available to all local boards during the last week in April. The first report is due during the first fifteen days of May and will cover sales made between March 29 and the end of April.

Women's Land Army

A women's land army of about

60,000 city and town women will be recruited, as a part of the U. S. Crop Corps, to help meet the farm labor shortage. Ten thousand of these women are expected to enroll for year-round farm work and about 50,000 for seasonal work for one month or more. Three hundred thousand women will be placed by country agricultural agents for short-time emergency jobs on farms—women who can spare weekends, a few days, or a few weeks, women who wish to contribute their services should await the local call.

Sugar For Canning

Sugar for home-canning of 1943 fruit crops will be available to housewives on approximately the same basis as last season. No deduction of blue point stamps will be made from War Ration Book Two for canning sugar. Details of the program will be issued within the next few days.

Farm Values Up

Farm real estate values on March 1, 1943, showed an increase of nine per cent over last year. This is the most substantial gain that has occurred since 1920. Last value increases during the past year were widespread, with some advance reported for each of the 48 states.

Radio "Hams"

Radio "hams," formerly banned from the air because of the war, may now serve their country in the War Emergency Radio Service. For further information, write to the Editorial Section, Office of Civilian Defense, Washington, D. C.

Safe Canning Methods

The steam pressure canner is the only method recommended by the U. S. Department of Agriculture for preserving certain types of vegetables. Such vegetables as beans, peas, corn, spinach, and asparagus, as well as meats, should be cooked in a steam pressure canner to kill organisms which cause food to spoil. Fruits and tomatoes, rhubarb, and pickled beets may be safely canned by the boiling water-bath method. To be safe, these products should be boiled for at least ten minutes before they are eaten or tasted, even though there is no sign of spoilage when the jar is opened.

Shoe Leather Released

Certain types of leather, which had been frozen, have been released by WPB for the manufacture of shoes. As a result of the action, more than one million pairs of women's and girls' shoes are expected to be made from genuine and imitation reptile leather. Natural colored retan leather was also released, and manufacture of leather bows for shoes prohibited.

"On The Farm" Wiring

Farmers can now install farmstead wiring for operation of equipment at the same time utility service connections are being made. A former eligible for electric service under order U-1-C, and who has been certified by his USDA county board, can purchase up to 75 pounds of wire, plus necessary accessories, from any supplier, and is granted a preference rating of AA-3 to obtain it.

I Saw

—By VIRGINIA ROBEY

Dan Bevers, seeing Noel Cudd down town in his car, stopping. "Say Noel, you're going to take me to school aren't you?" he said. "Well, I didn't know about that," was the reply. Result: Dan got the ride . . . Morris Wells climbing up a ladder to his office awning, where a new top was being put on. He liked it fine.

A. T. Smith and Joe Thompson watching the awning work from a lower view. They seemed to like it too . . . Attractive Lieut. Ann Markusich of the WAAC Recruit Station at Amarillo, was by The Leader office with Cpl. Della Coleman and Mrs. Austin O'Neil, the new local WAAC chairman. She's from Youngstown, Ohio, and her only objection to Texas is its sandstorms. On the other hand, she said the soot, that most folks from this section who have been to Youngstown object to, had never bothered her.

A story that is still circulating about Mr. and Mrs. Logan Cummings and their baby daughter: Janice Carol began talking quite young—at the age of about two hours, and the very first thing she said was, "Can I have the car tonight, Daddy?" Author of this is Logan himself.

BRIEF TOPICS

February shipments of Texas livestock to Fort Worth and out-of-state points amounted to 6,334 carloads as compared with 4,389 in February of last year, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research has reported. Of this total, 3997 carloads were cattle; 684 calves, 1,103 hogs; and 550, sheep.

"There are no German war bond issues for the people—to ask the people to buy Nazi war bonds voluntarily would have amounted to a plebiscite on the war, a plebiscite which the Nazis did not dare to face."—Stefan Heyn, author of "Hostages."

Regardless of your walk in life, smooth running gets you there a lot quicker.

Glycerine, the vital material used in the manufacture of explosives is produced from kitchen fats. It is the only liquid on which accurate ship-compasses float. Save your kitchen fats for Uncle Sam.

One of the few out-of-town visitors at the University of Texas' annual Round-up recently was Lt. John Hunter Newell, Jr., of the Army Air Forces, veteran of two battle zones. Lt. Newell, a 1940 graduate of the University, has seen service in the Aleutians and in Africa.

Glycerine, made from kitchen fats, is used in the hydraulic landing gears of airplanes. It is also a prime requirement in many medicines. Save your kitchen fats for your government and help win the war.

One of the easiest things in the world to meet is expenses—you run into them every place you go.

Texas municipal electric plants are well equipped for any wartime expansion of power demands, Robert H. Gregory, research assistant for the University of Texas Bureau of Municipal Research, has discovered. While plants throughout the nation operate at capacity 40 per cent of the time, Texas municipal plants operate at full capacity from 14 to 25 per cent of the time.

Bible Notes

If a man die, shall he live again.—Job 14:14.

"RESURRECTION"

If in this life only we have hope in Christ, we are of all men most miserable. But now is Christ risen from the dead, and become the first fruits of them that sleep.—1 Cor. 15:19-20. Far as in Adam all die, so in Christ shall all be made alive.—1 Cor. 15:22.

THE FINAL VICTORY

OVER DEATH

So when this corruptible shall have put on incorruption, and this mortal shall have put on immortality, then shall be brought to pass the saying that is written: Death is swallowed up in Victory.

"O death, where is thy sting, O grave, where is thy victory?"

But thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

A Feller Can Dream, Can't He?





News

— from the —

Army Navy Air Force Marines Coast Guard

Pfc. and Mrs. C. B. Newman are here visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Gray and Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Newman, and other relatives. Pfc. Newman is stationed at McChord Field, Washington.

CAMP GRUBER.—Herman C. Kersten, stationed at Camp Gruber, Okla., has been promoted to the rank of Tech. 5th Grade. Cpl. Kersten, formerly a welder in civil life at Wellington, Texas, is now Q. M. Motor Pool.

He attended public school at Wellington. T-5th Gr. Kersten is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kersten of Wellington.

It isn't Auxiliary Della Coleman now, as she received rating of Corporal this week. This is one of the things Della Faye had to tell the Wellington Leader Thursday, while she was recruiting here for the WAAC.

Lieut. and Mrs. Joe McWilliams of Shreveport, La., visited relatives and friends here two days last week. Lieut. McWilliams is in the Quartermaster attached to the Army Air Corps, at Barksdale Field, Shreveport, La.

Word was received here this week by Mrs. W. A. Squires that her husband, Chap. W. A. Squires, has been promoted to Captain. The head Chaplain of Fort Mason, Calif., notified Mrs. Squires of this promotion.

Capt. Squires has been in the Service for eight months. He visited his family here in January, but has been overseas since that time.

Word has been received that Harvey J. Walker has been sent to Fort Riley, Kansas. He left Collingsworth County March 31 for Fort Sill. Harvey reports that he will go to a mechanical school following his basic training.

Pvt. Walker is a graduate of Texas A & M College, finishing with the 1943 class in January. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Walker, Elm Valley community.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Young of Samnorwood report that their son, J. C., a seaman second class with the Coast Guard, is now stationed in New Orleans. J. E. Childers, the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Childers of Samnorwood, who enlisted along with Young, is stationed in Norfolk, Va.

Pfc. James K. Porter writes his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Porter, from somewhere in England,

that he is still alive and doing fine. He tells of buying his rations, which include 21 cigars, cookies, candy, gum and toilet articles, for ten shillings. This amount equals two dollars in our money. Jackie is serving as a mechanic in the Army Air Corps.

Bob F. Gilbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gilbert, was promoted to the rank of corporal last week when he finished his schooling at Sheppard Field. Cpl. Bob writes his parents that he is only fifteen miles from the University of Illinois and he thinks he will take some of his schooling there where he will be enrolled in the Electrical Specialists School.

Among the 36 officer candidates who were graduated as second lieutenants at a rustic camp somewhere in Australia on April 1, was J. A. Muncie, former Wellington boy and the grandson of Mrs. Martha Muncie, who reared him. Altogether, he has been in the Army for about six years, and has seen action in Darwin bombings and in the jungles of New Guinea. He soon will leave for New Guinea for an infantry assignment.

Lieut. Muncie is a former student at West Texas State College, Canyon, of Texas Tech, Lubbock.

In addressing the young officer candidate graduates, Lieut. Gen. Walter Kreuger, Sixth Army commander, told the men:

"You must do a man's job 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. We don't need many generals but we do need thousands of junior officers, especially those who can show a private how to do anything. You as ex-enlisted men have the advantage now of seeing the other side of the picture."

Pvt. Charlie Harrell, owner of the Ben Franklin Store here, stationed at Fort Frances E. Warren, Wyoming, is recovering from a case of scarlet fever, Mrs. Harrell, who returned home last Wednesday night, said.

"He's getting along fine, as well as anyone could who has been as sick as he was," his wife stated. Mrs. Harrell added that she stayed in Wyoming until the doctors were certain that she wouldn't take the fever, too. "I certainly didn't want to bring it back to Wellington," she declared.

James Darrell Crooks of the U. S. Navy has received his second class petty officer's rating, he wrote his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Crooks of Route 3, recently.

Petty Officer Crooks is in the Naval Air service, stationed at a



COMPREENEZ-VOUS JITTERBUGGING?

French sailors from the 35,000-ton battleship Richelieu learn about rug cutting from U. S. O. hostesses at New York City's Stage Door Canteen. Do they like it! Mais oui!

base somewhere in the Southwest Pacific. He helps to repair the Navy planes.

In service for the last 20 months, his parents have been able to see the young officer only twice, and the total amount of time for both visits is only 45 minutes!

Pvt. Edith V. Davis, of the Woman's Auxiliary of the United States Marines, says that life in the Marine Corps keeps one very busy, but at the same time it is all very interesting. Pvt. Davis is stationed at Hunter College in New York City.

Pvt. Leo Thompson, a former resident of Wellington, is now in the Army Air Corps at some camp in Georgia. He has been in the Armed Services since January. Leo received a portion of his high school education here but grad-

uated from the Memphis High School. While attending school here, he was a member of the

boxing team and participated in other sports.

S-Sgt. and Mrs. Finis Hall of Paris have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hall this week. S-Sgt. Hall has been in the Army for about a year and at the present time is the chief clerk in the Army Personnel office at Camp Maxey, Texas.

Mrs. Walter Poteet, who for the past two months has been visiting in Goose Creek with her brothers, Charles and Floyd Barber, and sister, Mrs. G. C. Isabel, spent the week end with her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Poteet and daughters. After a visit here she left Monday for Fort Knox, Kentucky, where she will visit her husband, Pvt. Walter Poteet. Pvt. Poteet has been in the Tank Division there since March.

Lieut. M. Fred Tidwell, executive officer of the Naval Training School on the Oklahoma A. and M. campus, has recently had published his new textbook on Advanced Speed Typing.

Lieut. Tidwell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Tidwell of Wellington. Although he has never lived here, he has visited here a number of times and has many friends here. He is on military leave from

Oklahoma A. and M., where he is director of the school of vocational business. In this school, students are allowed to advance as rapidly as their individual ability permits. The new textbook has already been adopted by the A. and M. College. It is also being used for instruction of several hundred WAVES yeoman trainees stationed at the campus. Naval officers declare that it is especially beneficial for rapid wartime training.

Friends in the Kelley community recently heard from Pvt. Leon Lewis who is now stationed at Rosecrans Field at St. Joseph, Mo. Pvt. Lewis said he had been visited recently by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Lewis of Durant, Oklahoma. The Lewises formerly lived in the Kelley community.

Kearns, Utah.—Pre-aviation cadet Wallace Elbert Dawson of Arlie Route, Dodson, is now stationed at this Army Air Forces Basic Training Center, it is announced by Co. Conversé R. Lewis, Com-

mander.

Private Dawson is the son of J. E. Dawson of Dodson, Arlie Route. Prior to his enlistment for aviation cadet training Private Dawson attended the Dodson High School.

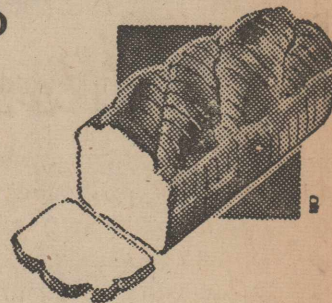
Under a recent war department ruling the thousands of aviation cadets, who were awaiting their orders to report for cadet training, were called from the Enlisted Reserve and were ordered to report to the many basic training centers operated by the Air Forces. While at Kearns these pre-aviation cadets will receive their regular air corps basic training. They will learn how to march, use small arms and machine guns, chemical warfare and other kindred subjects.

Upon completion of their basic training most of the pre-aviation cadets will be sent to one of the many colleges operating under the supervision of the Army Air Corps. At colleges they will receive specialized training before entering the aviation cadet training centers.

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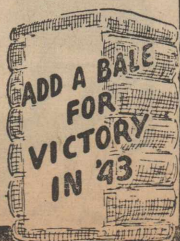
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Personal

Miss Louise Ward visited her aunt, Mrs. A. D. Patterson, in San Angelo this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ward and family of Clinton spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Ward and other relatives last week.

A-C and Mrs. Stanley Sinclair and Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Pope and daughter of Pampa visited Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hunt last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Huffman left Tuesday for Melrose, N. M., where they will visit for three weeks with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Shumate.

Corsages for the Junior-Senior banquet. Get yours at Strong's Floral Shop. Call 13J. 41-1-c

Mrs. R. N. Fullerton of Oklahoma City was a guest in the home of Mrs. Deskins Wells Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brannum and Mrs. D. F. Garrett and children of Hobbs, New Mexico, visited in Dodson and Wellington last week with relatives.

Mrs. E. E. Conner and Mrs. Roy Thompson, both of Arlington, visited in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Handley last week.

Mrs. J. A. Dukeminier left the first of the week for Houston where she will spend the next two months visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ernest Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bynum of Brownwood are visiting relatives here this week. They were accompanied here by Mrs. J. I. Cummings, who has been visiting them for the past three weeks.

Remember her with a corsage for the Junior-Senior Banquet. Order early at Strong's Floral Shop. Call 13J. 41-1-c

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Morris and daughter, Viola, of Quail visited Mrs. Raymond Graham and children Friday.

Mrs. Margurite McCampbell and daughter, Thesis, spent Saturday visiting in Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Cayton and Mrs. John T. Payne of Amarillo visited Mrs. J. W. Payne and Winfred Payne over the week end.

Misses Bula Bess Bell and Rose Erisman spent the week end in Fort Worth with Miss Erisman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Erisman.

Miss Geraldine Graham left Friday for Childress where she will make her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton King and family of Childress and Mrs. G. G. King of California visited Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Aaron Sunday.

Mrs. J. B. Brooks of Abernathy visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Starkey, Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Goforth of Amarillo spent the week end with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jones Singley and daughter, Linda Gale.

Mack Saied, Mrs. Blanche Dakil and son, Camal, spent Sunday in Childress with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross James and Mrs. J. L. Burt visited relatives in Hollis, Okla., Sunday.

Sue Leach, Bobbie Lou Brewer, Wynona Smith, Earline Thompson, Amy Sue Way, Charles Hester, Mack Saied, Buddy Forbis, and Mrs. Jennie Holcomb attended the Methodist District Young People's meeting at Shamrock Friday night.

Miss Billy Jean Langley left Thursday for Houston, where she will make her home.

Miss Argen Hix of Canadian was a guest in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hix over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Fike are in Guymon, Tex., visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Nowlin spent Friday in Hollis, Okla., with relatives and friends.

Mrs. I. M. Hutchens transacted business in Amarillo Thursday.

Webb Moore returned this week from Jackson, Miss., where he has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Joe Hemphill, for the past several months.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Rankin, Miss Effie Rankin and Miss Delia Cowan visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Luce and family of Hollis over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gidden of Plaska visited here Sunday with her brother and sister-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Orr.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Caperton of Shamrock transacted business in Wellington Thursday.

Mrs. Nadine Abernathy visited her husband, Pvt. Glenn Abernathy, in San Antonio last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ott Sisk and son, R. O., of Amarillo visited relatives here during the week end.

Mrs. G. L. Jones spent the week end in Amarillo with her son, Pic. Harvey Jones, who is stationed at the Amarillo Air Field.

Miss Helen Hudson of Clarendon visited relatives here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Melton and Misses Claudine Melton and Pearl Ball visited in Borger and Amarillo Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Judge Holton and Mrs. John Holton left Monday for San Diego, Calif., to be with their son and husband, John Holton, who is seriously ill. John is in the Navy and is stationed at Camp Elliott.

Miss Yvonne Allen Has Eighth Birthday April 7

Miss Yvonne Allen celebrated her eighth birthday on April 7, in the home of Mrs. H. Risinger. Many lovely gifts were received by the honoree which were presented after the games. Refreshments were served to more than forty guests.

Attending were Wilson Tally, Billie Fern Carter, Mary Catherine Johnson, Georgia Lee Underwood, Harold Stanley, Jessie Underwood, Bobby Davis, Eugene Hunter, Billie Moore, Norman Allen, Dan Jameson, Josephine and Jennie Scott, Betty Robertson, Wanda Kellison, J. R. Hammond, Kenneth Covey, Jimmy Reynolds, Douglas Younger, Bobby Clendinning, Gladys Bible, Charlene Casey, Rita Hudson, Nellie Underwood, Clara Maldenour, Imogene Hatcher, Billie Black, Teddy Crownover, Tommy Skidmore, Bobby Hammond, Ferna Royal, Shirley Baird, Mildred Goodson, June and Jimmie Allen, Lou Rose and Phil Risinger, Mrs. Billie Brewster, Mrs. Z. U. Allen, Mrs. Risinger and Mrs. Louie Allen.

Rev. Kinkeade Leads Bible Study At Baptist W. M. U.

All circles of the Baptist WMU met at the church on Monday afternoon for Bible study under the direction of Rev. H. H. Kinkeade, pastor of the church. Following a song and opening prayer by Mrs. Frank Langford the meeting was in charge of Rev. Kinkeade.

Those attending were Mmes. Frank Langford, A. N. Hutcherson, G. T. Austin, Henry Davidson, Earl Smith, T. W. Kesler, R. W. Brantley, L. A. Moore, Doshia Dix, R. S. Montague, O. L. Couch, Jess White, Jack Ball, R. L. Porter, Noble Murry, Tom Berry, Jess Cook, J. W. Harper, and Rev. Kinkeade.

High School Group Attend Party Tuesday

More than fifty boys and girls of the high school set were present last Tuesday evening at an entertainment held at the Community Hall. Miss LaVora Hall and Charles Hajek were hosts for the evening and Miss Merle Hays and Miss Bonnie Hall were chaperones. Recorded music was used for the dancing.

Strawberry Planting Is Studied At Houselog Club

The Houselog Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. W. A. Morrow on Friday afternoon, April 16, to learn how to plant strawberry plants. Miss Rose Erisman, demonstration agent, gave the demonstration.

Mrs. Frank Thomas will be hostess to the next meeting of the club on Friday, May 21.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mmes. R. L. Karnes, John Barjenbruch, C. A. Kesler, W. H. Moates, Pete Chandler, Bob Stephenson, J. M. Wattam, O. A. Iiker, Claude Savage, Misses Billie Lou Moates, Rose Erisman, and Mrs. Bill Heckathorn, visitor from Childress.

Charlie Bynum of Brownwood visited his niece, Mrs. Raymond Graham, Saturday.

Beth Conway Given Party On Seventh Birthday

Mrs. Harrison Conway of Samnorwood entertained her daughter on her seventh birthday recently with a birthday party in their home. The group enjoyed games between the hours of 5 until 7 o'clock. The honoree received many lovely gifts.

Refreshments of animal cookies and punch were served to the following: Dickie, Dannie and Scottie Ponder, Harold Davis, George Cunningham, Don and Jerry Dorman, Jimmy Morris, Alma Leta Clement, Billie Seago, Flora May DeBord, Peggy Jeffries, Bobbie Berg, Tommy Jones, Billie Bruce Oldham, Mrs. S. J. Glazner, Mrs. Coral Jeffries, Mrs. George DeBord, and hostess.

Tom Whitson and Roff Graves sent presents.

Mrs. Bill Carter Given Shower In Culp Home Friday

Mrs. Bill Carter was honoree at a stork shower in the home of Mrs. Dan Culp on Friday afternoon, April 16. The guests were entertained with games from 2 until 4 o'clock.

Games were played throughout the afternoon with prizes going to Mrs. Frank Ivy, Mrs. Pete Scott and Mrs. Otis Jesse.

Th gifts were displayed and refreshments of punch and cake were served to the following: Mmes. Nora Miller, Dock Lewis, Pete Scott, J. W. Culp, Frank Ivy, Thomas Jesse, Jack Christy, James Havron, Claude Sutton, Floyd Francis, Buck Judd, Thompson, I. T. Judd, Loyd Francis, Theo Kesler, Ruby Lucas, O. B. Jesse, Lester Dodd, Miss Helen Judd and Miss Delia Pearl Bell, honoree and hostesses.

Sunbeam Band Hears Easter Program Monday

The story of Silk Ears, the Rabbit, told by Mrs. J. C. Whisenant at the Sunbeam Band meeting on Monday afternoon held the interest of the large group of children attending. Memory verses and refreshments were other features of the program.

Mrs. Whisenant, Mrs. R. W. Brantley, Mrs. Frank Langford and Mrs. Frank Eikenburg were sponsors present when the children met at the Baptist Church at 5 o'clock.

Attending were Melva Squires, C. R. Roy, LaVerne Jesse, Eva Joe McClain, Yvonne Stroman, Mary F. Turner, Bobby King, Tarrell Kent, Naomi Brewer, Eddie Cagle, Duane Dodd, Johnny Langford, Charles Bell, Shirley Agee, J. R. Dunson, Billy Watson, Fred Stroman, Jorene Clements, Bean Babcock, Ruby Payne, Iva Richards, Sylvia Payne, Phil Love, Joan Phillips, Mary Dodd, Guthrie Hiett, Roberta Ann Posey, Carolyn Smith, Betty Smith, Betty Finley, Joe Ann Aaron, Barton Groves and Katherine Payne.

The Sunbeam Band meets regularly at the Baptist Church on Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock and children are invited to attend.



Bunnie's Coming

All set for the Easter bunny is this charming little lady with the chocolate egg and the all-cotton dress. Her skirt's of gathered organdy while the cotton net top is covered with tiny ruffles of cotton lace. Blue cotton velvet bows add a final touch.

Shower Wednesday In Henry Home For Mrs. Jarvis

Mrs. J. G. Gardner, Mrs. Floyd Henry and Mrs. Frank Moore were joint hostesses on Wednesday, April 14, when they entertained with a stork shower honoring Mrs. Earl Jarvis of Shamrock, a former Wellington resident. The party was held in the home of Mrs. Henry.

After the gifts were admired, refreshments of cookies, hot chocolate and candy Easter bunnies were served.

Those attending were Mmes. Sid Harrison, Buster Grout, Floyd Gardner, Bill Miller, O. B. Rabin, Beulah Julian, Ray Godbey, J. R. Lawson, Roy Bounds, honoree and hostesses. Children present were Judy Ann Harrison, Vaughna Lee and Harrell Grout, and Beverly Gardner.

Mrs. W. C. Bell Shower Honoree Saturday Afternoon

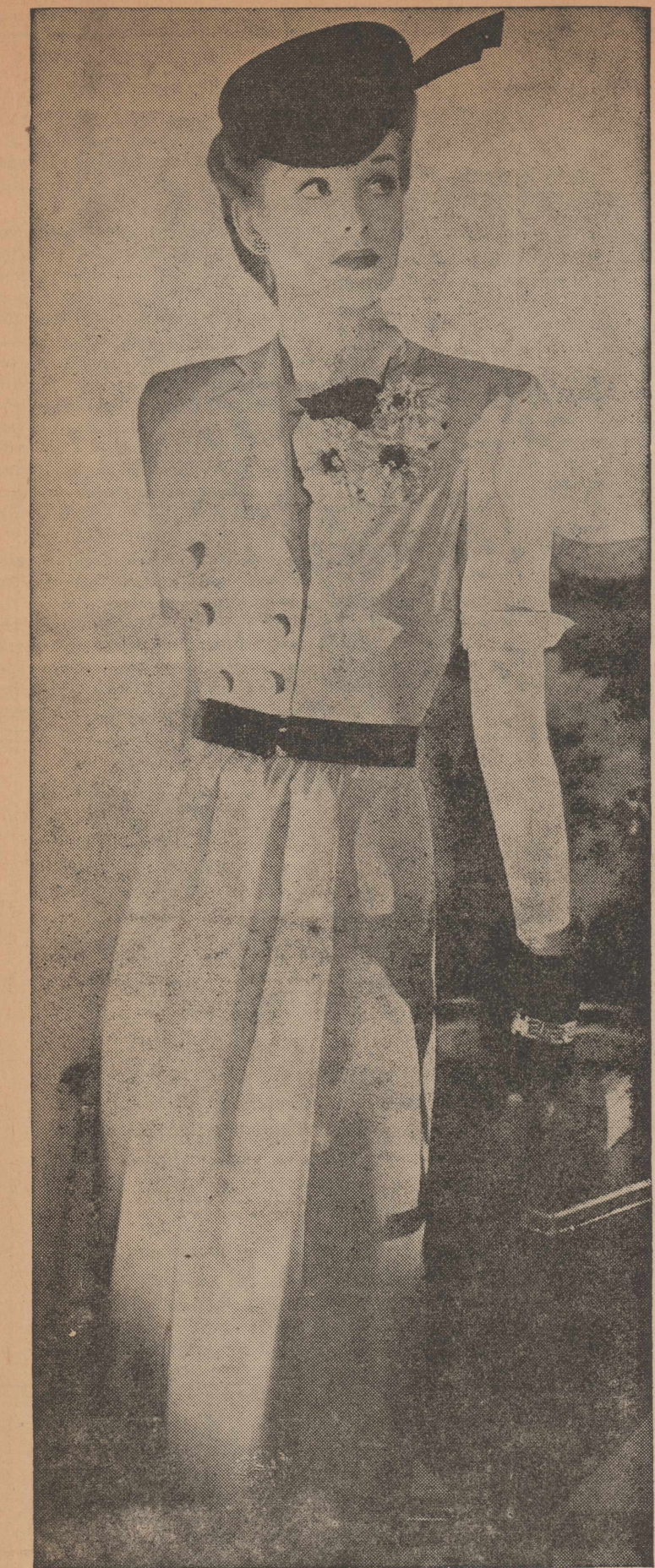
Mrs. Buck Judd and Miss Delia Pearl Bell entertained with a stork shower honoring Mrs. W. C. Bell on Saturday, April 17. The party was held in the home of Mrs. Fred Bell at 1102 Dallas street, from 2 o'clock until 4 o'clock.

Games were played throughout the afternoon with prizes going to Mrs. Dan Culp and Mrs. Judd.

After the gifts were displayed, refreshments of cookies and punch were served to the following: Mmes. Dan Culp, Loyd Francis, L. D. McMinn, Smith Baird, Floyd Francis, I. T. Judd, Gilbert Bell, N. E. Feemster.

Misses Patricia Richards, Joyce McPherson, and Floy Faye Bell, honoree, Mrs. W. C. Bell, and hostesses, Miss Delia Pearl Bell and Mrs. Judd.

Those sending gifts were Mrs. J. T. Slay, Mrs. Jim Lowe, Mrs. D. Burkhalter, Mrs. Dick Judd, and Mrs. Vida Bell.



Silk Shantung Dress

This smart one-piece silk shantung dress is featured for April. Simple, with doublebreasted bodice, short sleeves, turned back revers, it is a happy choice choice for spring and summer. Note fullness in the skirt and patent leather belt. Wonderful with dark accessories.

District Federation To Hold One Day Meet In Amarillo May 4

The twenty-second annual convention of the Seventh District, Texas Federation of Women's Clubs will be held at the First Christian Church, which is centrally located near downtown Amarillo, on Tuesday, May 4.

Mrs. W. S. Izzard, district president, announced yesterday that all sessions, including the luncheon, of the one-day conference will be held at the church, in order to simplify the transportation problem and eliminate waste of time.

Although war service will be the theme of the convention, other departments of the federation will come in for the usual attention, the president said. The morning program has been announced as follows:

Registration, 8 o'clock in the morning; formal opening, 9:00 o'clock; processional made up of the executive committee, visiting state officers and district board; assembly singing; pledge of allegiance; prayer; greetings and introductions by Mrs. Izzard, 9:30 o'clock; Keynote address by Miss Ethel Foster of Sterling City, state president, 10 o'clock; presentation of the department chairmen in the form of panel reports and discussion, each chairman consuming five minutes; In Memoriam, and at 11:15 o'clock, concurrent sessions for club reports and the board meeting. Three minutes will be allowed for each club report and five minutes will be allowed for each city and county federation report, the president said.

Lunch will be served at 12:30 o'clock, and the afternoon session will begin at 2 o'clock. Assembly singing will be followed by a talk by an out-of-town speaker (not yet named) at 2:10 o'clock, then music by an Amarillo chorus. "Mobilizing Woman Power for Victory" will be discussed by Mrs. J. W. Walker of Plainview at 3:15 o'clock, and the afternoon session will be concluded with a Panel Digest of club reports and a war service forum at 4 o'clock.

Miss Foster, who will make her first visit to this district as state president, and other guests will be honored at a reception at 5

Young People Enjoy Party At Community Hall

Misses Margaret Davis and Glennis Escoc were honorees last Saturday evening at a party held in the Community Hall. Mrs. Eva Fulcher and Mrs. Sid Harrison were hostesses for the occasion.

Games and music furnished entertainment during the evening.

Attending were Katherine Carter, W. A. Fulcher, George Cristy, Billie Jean Tension, Granvel Harrison, Noma Cristy, Ralph Martin, Neva Joy Clark, Wayne Benson, Virginia Thomas, J. Bryan Easter, Virginia Sachse, H. B. Maxwell, Connie Walker, Bob Scott, Ardis Kern, Sgt. Si Allen, Dottie Sue Sisk, Billie Allison, Sis Johnson, Ray Wooldridge, Edna Mae Bennett, Jack Boverie, Marie Radford, Billy Earl Wallace, Oliveta Welch, Troy E. Daffron, Billie Joe Scott, Frankie Roberts, Leo Popwell, Shirley Easter, Sam Carter, Eddie Joe King, Harold Burns, Clogene Young, Elmer Roy, Louise Fulcher, Joyce Fay Fulcher, Jasper Thomas, Audie Fulcher, Raburn White, Lyla Ryan, Betty White, Dorothy Davis, Goldalene Sherwood, Ema Lee Lockhart, Judy Ann Harrison, Denzil Deger, Helen Judd, Juanita Judd, Lena Mae Harmon, Lucille Hedger, Billie Gene Hunt, honorees, Glennis Escoc and Margare Davis; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dowdy and hostesses, Mrs. Harrison and Mrs. Fulcher.

o'clock.

Time for judging the district year books has been extended to June 1, Mrs. Izzard said, but clubs are urged to send their year books as soon as possible to the district year book chairman, Mrs. G. J. Nunn, 1615 Tyler street, Amarillo. The state year book chairman, Mrs. Mark Lovett, is offering a special prize of \$3 for the best year book made by hand, mimeographed, typed or prepared by long-hand.

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LETTERS FROM MEN IN SERVICE

Jackson, Tenn.
April 11, 1943

Dear Mr. Wells:

I'm writing to let you know how much I appreciate the Leader. I have received the last two issues and have read them from the front page through the back one. It surely is good to have this contact with the community which I am proud to call my home.

In church this morning, we had to stand up and tell who we were and where we were from. It surely gave me a thrill to get up and say, "Wellington, Texas." Quite a few of the boys here are from the North and as a result we have some nice friendly heated arguments rather frequently. But there are also some other boys here from Texas so I don't have to defend it by myself.

I am going to school here in preparation for my preflight training. As you probably know under the plan set up about February 1st., all prospective aviation cadets are first sent to a basic training center such as Sheppard Field. There they learn to march and take orders. While there we took an examination to determine how much schooling we would have to have before going to classification center and then preflight, if we passed the tests there.

Our courses here are math, geography, first aid, physics, history, and military customs. In our last month here at school we will receive ten hours of dual instruction in flying. I'm looking forward to that. I'll be getting that about July or August.

The people here are surely nice to us. There are 300 of us here at the present time.

Well, between this and the preceding paragraph, we have put on a parade down on the drill field. We do it every Sunday afternoon. It was hot this afternoon and did we work up a hot-box. The people come out to see our parades, so that puts added zest in our efforts.

I want to thank you again for The Leader and say that I hope they keep coming.

Sincerely,
Robert W. Baumgardner.

Laredo, Texas
April 13, 1943

Mr. Deskins Wells, Editor
Wellington Leader
Wellington, Tex.

Dear Deck:

Just a line to let you know that I am now at Laredo, Texas. Please send my paper to me here at this address.

I certainly enjoy reading every line of The Leader and don't want to miss a copy of it so please inform me before my subscription runs out so I can renew it.

Sincerely,
Lt. Truett A. Thomas

(Pfc. Olen Goodner writes the following letter to his mother, Mrs. Ida Goodner, from Victorville, Calif.)

April 14, 1943

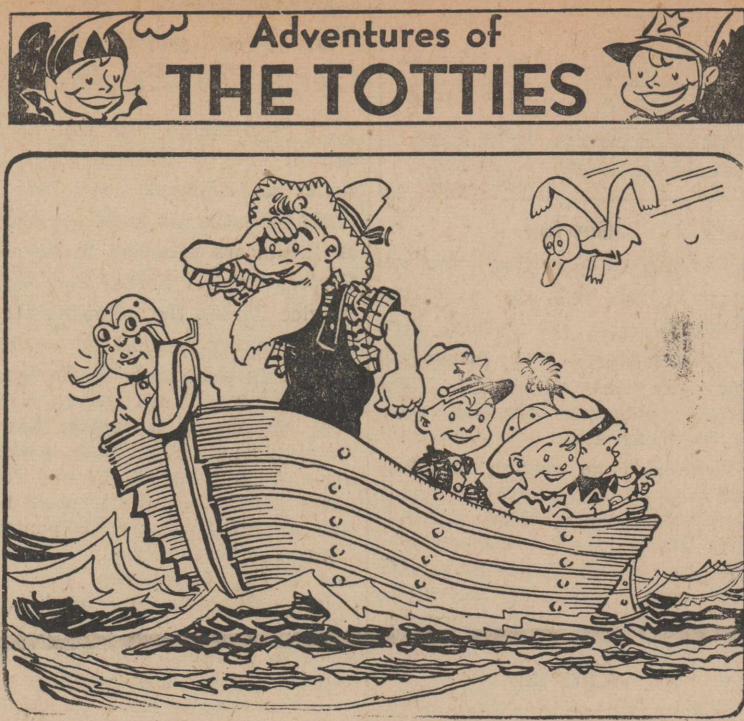
Dearest Mother.

I am just fine and hope that you are too. We were allowed to go out on rifle range this morning. I think maybe they will break the quarantine pretty soon for everyone is showing to be all right.

The instructor at the rifle range said that I made a good score. I made 107 points out of 40 shots. A lot of the fellows didn't do near that good. Well, it is about time for chow so I will stop until after mail call this afternoon and see if I get a letter from you. Yesterday was the first day that passed that I didn't get any mail from anyone in a long time.

Well, I just got back from mail call and I didn't get a letter from you. I hope that you are feeling O. K.

Boy, the days are surely long now since we don't do anything much except stay in the barracks and sleep. I'm sure getting plenty



(READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE AND PASTE IN YOUR SCRAPBOOK)

THE puppy dogs kept barking and wee Duncy calmly raised his hand and said, "No, sir, you cannot have a bite till you be still."

"This hot dog I will share with you, if you'll do what I say to do. Sit down, now, and behave yourselves. Then you will get your fill."

All the dogs jumped all around, then Duncy rushed up, shouting, "Oh, my goodness, what a mess."

"Those pups are hungry as can be. Here, give that nice hot dog to me. I'm going to feed them, right now. That will quiet them, I guess."

"ALL right," said Duncy. "I give in." And then he watched, and had to grin, to see kind little Duncy feed the dogs. It was a sight.

"I'll get some more meat. Let them stuff," said Duncy. "I'll bet (The Totties reach a strange island in the next story)

of rest and sleep now anyway.

Well, Mom, I guess that I will stop for now. Don't worry about me for everything is just fine. I think that we will get to go back out on rifle range tomorrow. I surely hope so anyway. Answer soon.

With love,

Olen.

(This letter was written by Lt. Harris Howell to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Howell.)

Fort Benning, Ga.
April 11, 1943

Dear Mom and Dad:

I like down here fine. It has been cool so far. I guess it will be warmer a little later, though. It is surely pretty here in the spring—the tallest pine trees you ever saw, lots of creeks and rivers. The big Chattahoochee river runs across the post here. The Spanish moss almost touches the ground. I live across the lake from the Officers Club. It is surely a pretty thing. Out the other way are the big parachute towers, where the boys train. They pull them up to the top with a cable. The towers are about 400 feet high. They turn them loose with a parachute. When they finish that training, they are taken up in the planes.

I have made high grades here so far. I have fired expert on the famous Garand rifle and machine guns. That is the best score that can be made on them. These are supposed to be the best firing ranges in the world. Also I have taken two of my major examinations and have dropped 1½ points on both of them so that gives me a high grade.

Well, I had better close. I think I will go to a show. It's across the lake and is only 20c. I don't leave the post very often, but there is everything out here, even more than in town. The Army people and families live out here on the post, where at Camp Wolters they didn't. This is an old established post anyway so it is much prettier and the homes are

they won't sleep a wink tonight."

It wasn't very long until each puppy dog had had his fill. And then the diver man cried, "Well, let's look around some more."

"There are some things you haven't tried. Say, how about another ride? I'll take you to a spot right now, where there's real fun in store."

THE Totties followed him around until a tiny train was found. "Hop on," exclaimed the engineer. "Where would you like to ride?"

"Out to the entrance of this fair. We're going to leave when we get there," replied the kind old diver. "Then a new trip will be tried."

They traveled for a little while and then the diver, with a smile, said, "Well, this ends the train ride. To my scow we now will hike, to a place I know you all will like."

nice too. These posts are just as clean as a pin.

I will close so write when you have time.

Love,

Your son,

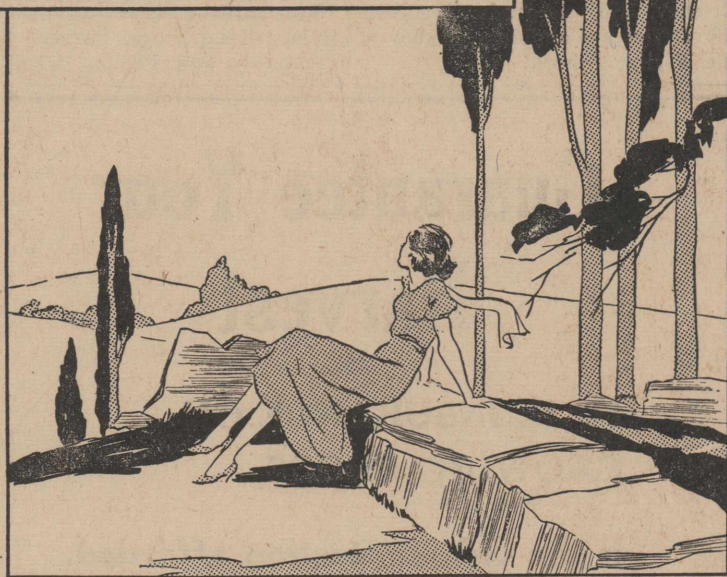
Harris Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Starkey and daughter of Goodnight spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Starkey.

POISE

TODAY there is so much of blatant noise . . . God, grant me peace, and give me inward poise. Help me to keep a haven deep inside, Untouched by tears, unseared by worthless pride. Make it as calm as small towns are at dusk, Make it as sweet as dreams kept long in musk.

TEACH me to know that even as the hills Stand tall, serene, although the bright air fills With chaos or brief fanfare, so may I Be unmoved, too, and quiet—if I try! Let my roots sink too deep for outer touch, Then nothing, God, can hurt me—overmuch.



Legislative Grapevine

By GRADY HAZELWOOD

After considerable debate, many jibes at the Liquor Control Board, and a few amendments, the rewrite of the liquor laws of Texas by Senator George Moffett was passed through the Senate by the almost unanimous vote of 231 to 1. Heretofore either minors or aliens could procure liquor licenses. Also, the Liquor Board could close a bar or honky tonk and a new license in another name could be procured immediately, with the result that operation of such places continued without interruption. This was corrected so that hereafter when any such place is closed it will remain closed regardless of ownership for a period of six months, thus incurring considerable financial loss to the owner of the property. Election machinery was revised in some minor respects but the one year period between elections remains the law. There had been some division among prohibition forces in this regard. The bill as passed carried the official endorsement of the Texas United Dry Group.

Passed by a very decisive vote last week was another rather rigid control act commonly referred to in newspapers as the "Curfew Law." The votes in the Senate and the House on these two bills bears out the earlier prediction made in this column that the dry forces would have their way at this session.

This week the Senate refused to concur in House amendments to the "Fire Murchison" bill by the writer and asked for a free conference committee. The House amended the bill taking the appointing power away from the Board of Public Welfare and placed it with the Governor. It was rumored that the Governor would have none of this, and newspapers quoted Lieutenant Governor John Lee Smith, aspirant to the governor's office at some future date, as also opposed to it. The old age assistance problem is much discussed but no one wants anything to do with it. Executive Director Murchison is Texas' largest single spender, having \$42,000,000.00 per year which he expends for old age assistance and

administrative purposes. Everyone remembers that it was he who raised his salary \$1,000.00 per year and the salaries of his department \$60,000.00 per year. Incidentally, the old age assistance division occupies the most elaborate and most expensive aid conditioned offices in Austin. The grapevine is that the Board of Public Welfare is not going to give

the Senate a chance to fire Murchison by refusing to confirm him, but will name another man for the place before the free conference committee can act. Rumor has it that three men have already been solicited for the position and all three have refused it, all of which further indicates how wary everyone seems to be about this department.

Before turning your kitchen fats to your grocer for Uncle Sam, they should be strained to remove all food particles. It is well to heat the fats again so that all water is removed. Water cuts down the high glycerine content.

Second War Loan Bonds will keep the planes up and the prices down.



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... for your freedom and your future.

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The winner will dictate whether tomorrow you shall be a free citizen of a free world, or a helpless serf to a "master race."

The winner will dictate whether you shall live and prosper under the Four Freedoms, or toil hopelessly in the darkness of a "New Order."

The winner will dictate . . . because the winner takes all.

The winner takes all. All you own, all you hold dear.

The winner is being decided now . . . today . . . this very minute . . . on battlefields all over the world. Will you stand idly by . . . or throw all your weight on our side?

The weight of mighty tanks and planes. The weight of thousands of guns and millions of shells. The weight of billions of dollars . . . 13 billions which your country asks you to lend during

this Drive.

Your country wants to borrow every idle dollar you have—every dollar except what you need for the barest necessities of life.

You'll have to give up some luxury or comfort which was dear to your heart. You'll have to postpone some pleasure which you had been eagerly anticipating. But what of it?

Your sons and brothers and husbands are dying out there . . . fighting your fight. Surely it is no sacrifice to lend your dollars while they are giving their lives.

They need your help. They need the weapons your money can buy. If one of the War Loan volunteers calls on you . . . greet him with open pocketbook. Remember, Uncle Sam's goal is 13 billion dollars in April.

Don't wait to be asked. Go to your nearest bank, investment dealer, broker, Post Office or issuing agency and lay your money on the line. Remember, it's an investment you're making—an investment that pays a good return and insures a happier future for you and your loved ones.

So lend up to the limit.

You'll sleep better for it.

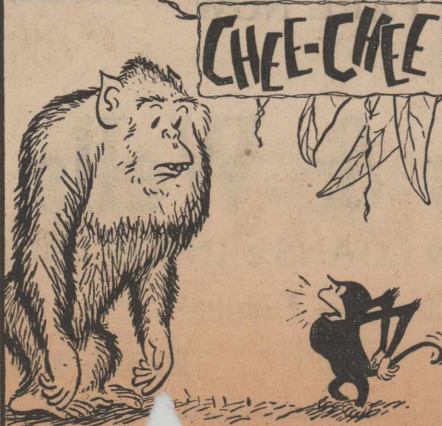
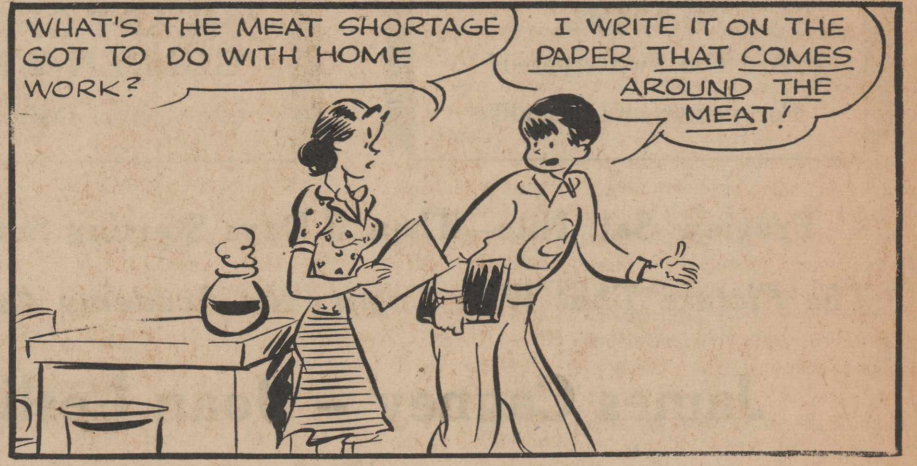
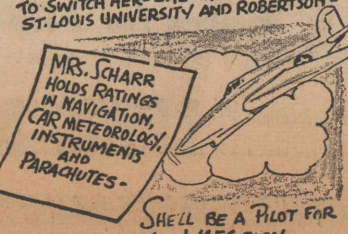
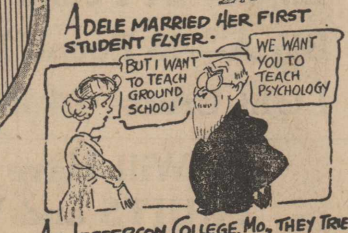
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Society

Mary Allen Birthday Honoree At Hartman Home

Miss Mary Allen was honored with a surprise birthday dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hartman last Sunday, April 18.

Following a bountiful dinner at the noon hour the guests played games and enjoyed group singing. Gifts were presented to the honoree after she blew the candles out on the birthday cake.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Allen, and family; Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Mote and family; Dan Simmons, Tommy Joe and Learline Morgan, Finis Dobbins, Tommie Bill Lentz, Leon Lentz, Josephine Stallings, Clio and Mary Allen, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Harris and Joyce and hosts, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hartman and family.

100 Strawberry Plants Set Out At Breeding Home

The Abra Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. W. W. Breeding on April 14, for a demonstration on strawberry culture. Miss Rose Erisman, demonstration agent, gave instruction for setting out plants. The members set out 100 plants for Mrs. Breeding during the afternoon.

Dainty refreshments of sandwiches, punch and candy were served to ten members. They were Mrs. Pat Bradley, Mrs. Guss Gooch, Mrs. W. M. Laycock, Mrs. Joe Laycock, Mrs. John Groves, Mrs. Elsie Ezell, Mrs. A. R. Clay, Mrs. Roy Billingsley, Mrs. Buck Martindale as a visitor, and hostess, Mrs. Breeding and Miss Erisman.

The next meeting will be an all day session at the home of Mrs. Frank Mayo on May 12. Everyone is invited to attend.

Feed Shipments -

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of the county's first commercial peanut crop was due to begin within the next day or two. It is estimated that approximately ten cars will go out at this time.

Price Scale -

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being made, the government has issued a call to private citizens to sell their machines for war use.

Only those typewriters made since 1935 are being accepted.

County WAAC -

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of WAACs, he pointed out. "The WAAC is included in the overall strength of the army now, and it is absolutely necessary that its expansion keep pace with the overall training program. We are counting on Collingsworth county to do its part," Col. Durette said.

Notary Public Renewals Made

Notary Publics of the county will have their commissions renewed this year without having to make application as was heretofore necessary, Miss Margaret Shields, county clerk, has been notified.

Each notary, however, should file his bond with Miss Shields before June 1.

Persons wishing to become notaries for the first time must file their names with Miss Shields, who will send the application to the secretary of state at Austin.

Fathers -

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grounds for the father to believe his selection for induction was imminent.

"Formerly, many young fathers whose children were born after Selective Service became law in 1940, and especially during the last two years of heavy calls, were classified in I-A because of the immaturity of selection rule. The new policy, however, establishes a hard-and-fast rule governing the classification of fathers, and registrants whose children were born before last September 15th have the same status as fathers of three or more years standing."

Pointing out that all childless married men, except those who are regularly engaged in farming, those who are personally essential to essential activities, and those whose induction would mean "extreme hardship and privation" to dependents, will be shifted to I-A, General Page estimated that in Texas approximately 60,000 childless married men in the 18-to-38 age group would be added to the lists of registrants available for service.

Answers To TEST YOUR I. Q.

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1. Spring, Sept. 23; summer, Dec. 21; autumn, March 21; winter, June 21.
2. None. States have jurisdiction over observance of holidays. The only national holiday ever declared by Congress was April 30, 1869, commemorating the 100th anniversary of the Constitution.
3. One sidereal year: 365 days, 6 hours, 9 minutes, 9.6 seconds. That's the year your calendar lists.
4. Yes. A constitutional amendment passed by Congress in 1810 to legalize such a situation failed of ratification by the states.
5. Ten.

All Quail -

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rendered during the past year. "It will be a constant goal of the Quail faculty, school board, and students to render the very best service possible to all the children who attend Quail Schools during 1943-44," added Mr. Cunningham.



Collingsworth

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Garner of Route 3, Shamrock, are the parents of a daughter, Linda Elaine, born April 1 at St. Joseph's Hospital. She weighed nine pounds and four ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dodd are the parents of a nine pound, nine ounce son, Billy James, born April 11, at St. Joseph's Hospital.

Keith King Bowen was born to Mr. and Mrs. King Bowen at St. Joseph's Hospital Sunday, April 18. He weighed seven pounds, fourteen ounces.

A daughter, Peggy Jean, was born to Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Jackson Monday, April 19. The baby, born in St. Joseph's Hospital, weighed seven pounds and fifteen ounces.

Lieut. and Mrs. Eugene Duggan are the parents of a daughter born April 13 in St. Joseph's Hospital. The baby weighed seven pounds and three ounces, and has been named Mary Teresa.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Fulcher of Roswell, New Mexico, are the parents of a seven pound and eight ounce son named Roy Wayne. The baby was born on April 7 at St. Joseph's Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Blandford are the parents of a daughter, Juann, born Tuesday, April 20, in St. Joseph's Hospital, and weighing seven pounds and four ounces. Mrs. Blandford is the former June Thomas. Mr. Blandford, with the Coast Guard, is stationed at Galveston.

ROUNDUP

By THELMA W. JOHNSON

J. B. Welborn of Wellington spent the past week with his two sons and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Welborn and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Welborn.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth E. Johnson and family spent last Sunday with their daughter, Miss Roberta Johnson, of Wichita Falls.

Miss Dorothy Raper visited Miss Nadine Cody of Aberdeen last Thursday night.

Misses Bonnie Ruth and Freida Johnson spent last Thursday night with Miss Erma Dean Price of Aberdeen.

Mrs. Thressa A. Johnson visited Mrs. Delia Purdy Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. James Gosnell underwent a major operation in St. Joseph's Hospital Sunday, April 18.

Three Marriage Licenses Issued Through March

Only three marriage licenses were issued through March, the records in the office of Miss Margaret Shields, county clerk, show. None have been issued so far in April.

The three licenses were issued to Robert Gosnell and Miss Eva Creed, March 3; Ray Crownover and Miss Elsie McNeil, March 20; and L. E. Tyler and Miss Ollie Hahn, March 31.

MARELLA

By MRS. PRESTON GILBRETH

Sunday School was as usual Sunday. An Easter egg hunt is planned for next Sunday after church. Everyone is invited to come and bring their lunch.

Pvt. Kenneth Hodge visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hodge, over the week end.

Mrs. Juanita Weldon of Olney visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Pettitt and Charlene.

Cpl. Della Fay Coleman of Amarillo spent Thursday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coleman.

Most of the parents of this community attended the school on Community Day Saturday. Everyone had an enjoyable time.

A group of youngsters of this community went on a picnic Sunday. The chaperons were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Claunch and Rufus Jones.

Mrs. Hazel Graham received word from her brother, Lieut. Weldon Gilbreth, of Fort Benning, Ga., that he would be in Childress one hour Saturday. Mrs. Graham, Mrs. Sam Russell and daughter, June, and W. P. Gilbreth met him there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lewallen and daughter, Lenita, went to Morton Saturday to visit relatives there.

F. Gilbreth visited his daughter, Mrs. C. D. Daniel, in Amarillo last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Keese visited at Midway with relatives Sunday.

Oleta Ruth Winegar visited in the home of Zelma King over the week end. Mary Dell Depauw visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ogletree Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Montague, Mrs. B. A. Bledsoe, and Mrs. O. M. Ball went to Quanah Wednesday to visit Mrs. Gerald Hardy and family. Mrs. Hardy returned to Wellington with them. They were accompanied to Quanah by Elizabeth Ann Hurst, who visited her grandparents there.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Clay and Miss Neva Clay have gone to Lubbock to attend the graduation exercises of Wayne Wilkins. He is the husband of their granddaughter, the former Miss Billie Voca Brickey. He was graduating from the Officers Candidate School at the Flying School.



Meets
Wed. 2-5 p. m.
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Sewing

The Red Cross sewing room will be open only one day a week—Wednesday—in the future, Mrs. J. W. Harper, war production chairman, has announced. The sewing room was formerly open on Saturday also.

"There is no sewing on hand just now, but we are expecting more within the very near future," Mrs. Harper said. Women who now have garments out may leave them at the office of Miss Rose Erisman, county home demonstration agent, in the court house.

Knitting

Women who prefer to knit for the Red Cross may get their yarn each Wednesday, when the sewing room is open, or by contacting Mrs. Gene Lewis, the knitting chairman. Mrs. Lewis' phone number is 44.

Horace Clark -

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old, and Robert Lloyd who is 15 months old.

He says that he welcomed the opportunity of coming to Wellington and that he has been deeply gratified at the cordial reception given him by the merchants and people of Wellington.

Wellington -

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"If Christ be not Risen, Then—" Central Baptist Church Plans have been completed by members of the Central Baptist Church for a short Easter program. Special music has been arranged, and at the morning worship, the pastor, Rev. J. R. Lawson, will bring the Easter message.

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as directed, to relieve the pressure of large intestines on nerves and organs of the digestive tract. Adler-I-KA assists old food wastes and gas through a comfortable bowel movement so that bowels return to normal size and the discomforts of pressure stop. Before you know it, you are asleep. Morning finds you feeling clean—refreshed and ready for a good day's work or fun. Get Adler-I-KA from your druggist today.

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Enlistments Open For Specialists In Corps Of Engineers

In connection with the recent call of the U. S. Army for recruits as Enlisted Specialists to serve with the Units of the Corps of Engineers attached to the Air Forces, Ground Forces and Army Service Forces, the following classification have been added to those previously published: Radio Operator, Painter, Truck Driver, Highway Machinery Operator, Sheet-metal Worker, Draftsman, Receiving and Shipping Clerk, and Telephone Lineman. Vitrally needed at the present time are Carpenters, Riggers, Construction Foreman and Utility Repairmen.

In addition to an applicant's qualifications as a specialist he must be between the ages of 18 and 50, and he must volunteer prior to the time he has been ordered for induction. The applicant must also pass the prescribed Army physical examination.

Any person wishing to volunteer for services in any of the above classifications are urged to contact James E. West, U. S. Engineer Office, Childress Air Force Station, Childress, Texas, Phone 745, P. O. Box 471.

Mrs. Shirley B. Lorente, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Wells, left Wednesday for Chanute Field, Ill., to be with her husband, Cpl. Lorente of the Army Air Forces.

Quentin Fritts of Amarillo visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fritts and Belva at Samnorwood from Friday until Sunday. He was enroute to Tyler, where he will be employed.

RING

By TOMMIE BILL LENTZ

There were 36 attended Sunday School Sunday morning. Let's try to double this number next Sunday.

An interesting lesson was discussed at Young People's Meeting Sunday night. Plans were made for a box supper on April 30. Funds will be used to send a delegate to church assembly at Abilene May 31. Let everyone come and help out in this event.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Shores and daughter of Phillips sent Wednesday night and Thursday with Mrs. Shores' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Allen.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Doode Allen and family of Borger and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Morgan and son of Quail.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence DeBord and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence DeBord and daughter, Sonja, visited the Messrs. DeBord parents Sunday.

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