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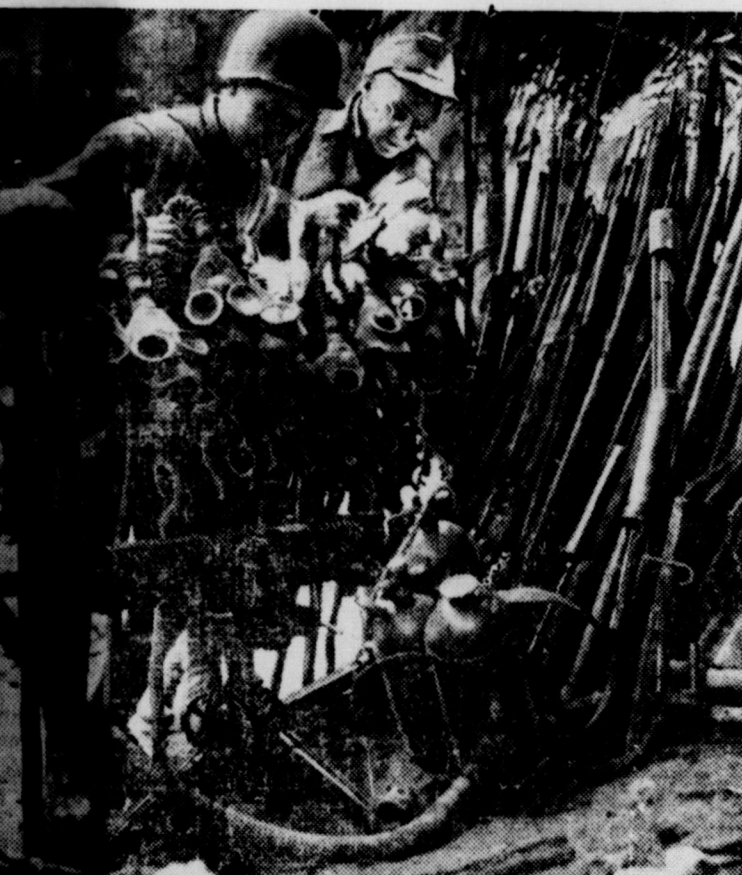
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Army Rolls on Towards Rumania



This map shows how the new Russian drive which ripped a 106-mile gap in the German lines south of the Dnieper bend, placing some 500,000 man troops in danger of capture or slaughter, may carry the Red Army to the border of Rumania. From the north below the Pripet marshes, one spearhead strikes towards Rumania via Tarnopol while other strikes towards Luck.

Jap Equipment Captured in Burma



Colonel Lee, commander of an American-trained Chinese battalion (left) and Lieut. Gen. Joseph Stilwell, wearing a Chinese cap, are shown examining weapons and equipment that was captured by Colonel Lee's men when they attacked and wiped out strong Jap outposts in the Hawkeye valley jungles, in northern Burma.

Red Cross Executives Meet Thursday Night to Make Plans

A. Y. Beverly, Foard County Red Cross chairman, and Mrs. Beverly were hosts to the local Red Cross workers at their home Thursday evening, March 30, for the purpose of making a more complete organization and for making plans for future activities. Mr. Beverly, upon a motion made by the assembly, appointed a board of directors. They are Leo J. Beverly, George Self and Leo Russell, who, with Mr. Beverly, will act upon problems which arise. To take the place of J. A. Stovall, Home Service Chairman, who had tendered his resignation on moving to Abilene, Leo J. Beverly was appointed by the chairman. Mrs. S. S. Bell, War Production chairman, Mrs. L. A. Andrews, Camp and Hospital chairman and Miss Blanche Hays, chairman of Prisoners of War committee, were present and made reports. The chief business of the evening was the discussion of the local Plasma campaign which is now under way in the county. Mrs. Mack Edens, Thalia, chairman of the Red Cross Blood Donor committee for the county, explained the work and plans were formulated for the furthering of the campaign. Bert Self was named as transportation chairman for the taking of the blood donors to Wichita Falls at the appointed time.

In the 50 day racing meet at the local track, a total of \$6,786.12 was wagered on the races. This was \$11,000,000 above the record.

Easter Service to be Held Sunday at 6 a. m. at Christian Church

At 5:30 o'clock on Easter morning, the fire siren will be sounded to arouse people who desire to attend the Sunrise Easter services which will be held at the First Christian Church, starting promptly at 6 o'clock. The program is participated in by all denominations and everyone within reach of Crowell is invited to attend. It reflects the true Easter spirit in every number and will be of spiritual help to any who attend.

THALIA CEMETERY REPORT

"Since it is getting time for weeds and grass to come, we have decided to start raising funds for the purpose of keeping the cemetery clean," Will Johnson, president of the Thalia Cemetery Association, says.

In order to reach many of the people, it was decided to have each of the three churches of Thalia to take up a collection on Sunday morning and the following amounts were handed in:

Methodist Church	\$25.38
Church of Christ	8.25
Baptist Church	23.00

The total amount received in this manner was \$56.63, added to \$14.50 already in the treasury, makes a total of \$71.13.

Mr. Johnson asks others who want to make a donation to please turn it in as work will start soon and the cemetery will have to be cleaned several times during the summer. Georgia Adkins is secretary of the association.

The name "England" is derived from the word "Anglo-Land."

In Service Petition Presented Austin Regarding Margaret Highway

Cpl. Harold Canup, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Canup, has been transferred to Fort Sill, Okla., recently.

Cpl. Orval H. Jones of Camp Wolters has been here on a 14-day furlough visiting his mother, Mrs. J. H. Jones, and other relatives and friends.

Pvt. James A. Blevins, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Blevins, of Thalia, is now stationed at Camp Fanning, near Tyler, after being at Fort Sill, Okla., for two weeks. His wife and children are making their home in Thalia.

Emmett J. Christian, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Christian, who entered the U. S. service in the Navy, recently, has been assigned to Camp Scott, Farragut, Idaho.

Sgt. Claude S. Adams has arrived safely overseas in Africa. He landed two weeks ago. He has been in the Army since August, 1943.

Lieut. Sam T. Crews Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Crews, has completed his primary flight training at the 55th Army Air Forces Flying Training Detachment, a Civilian Flying Contract School operated by Southwestern Air Service, Inc., under the Eastern Flying Training Command, according to a new release received by The News this week from Bennettville, S. C. Lieut. Crews will be advanced to a basic flying school in the Eastern Flying Training Command.

Capt. Robert M. Magee, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Magee of Crowell, has been selected to attend the officers' advanced course of the field artillery at Fort Sill, Okla., according to a news release from the Public Relations Office of the school at Fort Sill. Capt. Magee and his wife and his brother, Cpl. Joe M. Magee, also of Fort Sill, spent the week-end here visiting their parents.

Pfc. Bryan H. Banister, son of Mr. and Mrs. Banister, Thalia, has finished boot camp at Parris Island, S. C., and a three-months' course of bayonet and physical training at New River, N. C., and is now stationed at Quantico, Va., where he will take officers' training for six months in the Marine Corps. Another son of Mr. and Mrs. Banister, Cpl. Harold W. Banister, is located at Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls.

The News received a letter from Cpl. Robt. E. Choate, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Choate, formerly of Margaret, but now of Bonoke, saying how much he enjoyed the some town news, although of late he hasn't been getting the paper regularly because the address was not correct. His APO is Seattle, Wash., and he says "I am well and happy as possible for anyone to be in this part of the world."

Mrs. Henry Moss received a letter this week from her brother, Pfc. Jimmie Young, who is a prisoner of the Germans. The letter was written Dec. 19, 1943. He said he was well and doing fine and that he had recently received some pictures of his little son, whom he has never seen. Young was wounded in the hip at the time he was captured. He sent regards to his friends and said that he would be glad to be home again and settle down.

Pfc. Henry A. Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Taylor of Margaret, who has been in Daniel Field, Ga., for some time, has recently been transferred to Ingleside, Calif., to take an advanced course in Aeronautics. Taylor is an airplane mechanic, and has been in the service for one year.

Rayburn Taylor, S2-C, spent a five-day leave in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Taylor, last week. He is stationed at Norman, Okla.

Pfc. Claren W. Nichols, son of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Nichols, has recently been returned to the United States, after eleven months overseas duty. He is now recuperating in a hospital at San Diego, Calif., and hopes to be at home soon.

Pvt. Joe Wallace Beverly, who has been at Camp Abbott, Ore., for the past five months in training, arrived at home Tuesday morning to spend a furlough of seven days, in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Y. Beverly.

Marion Chowning Jr., S 2-C, Coast Guard, Alameda, Calif., left Sunday for his base after spending a 10-day leave with his wife, parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Chowning, and Mrs. J. M. Chowning, of Truscott. He also visited in the home of his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Carroll, and with other relatives here.

Billy Cox and Lowell Campbell, who had enlisted in the Army Air Corps for cadet training, received their call for active duty Tuesday

MacArthur Pilot



For the past two years, Lieut. Col. Henry C. Godman of Palo Alto, Calif., has been personal pilot of Gen. Douglas MacArthur. Here the 1936 graduate of Stanford university stands by "Bataan," personal plane of the Southwest Pacific commander-in-chief.

Cpl. Douglas Adkins Writes Parents From German Prison Camp

Within the last ten days Mr. and Mrs. Cap Adkins of Thalia have received three letters and four cards from their son, Cpl. Douglas Adkins, who is a prisoner of war in Germany. The letters were written over a period extending from Oct. 25, 1943, to Jan. 2, 1944. In October he was moved to Stalag No. 3, and is studying Spanish and has a class for one hour every other night. A chapel has been furnished so that the men can attend church services twice on Sunday.

Cpl. Adkins says he spends one hour each day taking exercises and the balance of the time is spent in reading and is given plenty of material for that purpose. In a letter written in the latter part of 1943 he told that the first snow of the winter, which was light, fell on Dec. 12. At this time Christmas was approaching, but the men had nothing to look forward to with the exception of a pie and prune pudding which had been promised them at that time. For Thanksgiving, four men put their chocolate bars together and with crackers out of their Red Cross boxes, they made a pie. They have the privilege of attending a show once a week. On a card written January 2, Adkins stated that he had been away from home over a year and hoped to be at home by next Christmas.

House Destroyed by Fire at Early Hour Monday Morning

The home of Verge Allen and family in the west part of town, was entirely destroyed by fire about six o'clock Monday morning, caused from a defective oil stove.

The family got to safety but nothing of the household goods was saved. There was no insurance on either building or contents.

The house was the property of Ed Hudlow of Childress and was the old home of the late L. D. Phillips.

Preliminary Work on New Water System Now in Progress

H. N. Roberts, engineer from Lubbock, who is working out the preliminary details for the new water system of Crowell, was here Monday and Tuesday in the interest of the proposition.

It is expected that all of this work will be completed within 15 or 20 days and bids on construction can be let.

Trustee Election Held Saturday, April 1st

At the election held last Saturday, April 1, to name three trustees for Crowell Independent School District, J. T. Cates, G. V. Walden and R. C. Johnson were elected.

Cates and Walden were elected to succeed themselves and Johnson was elected to fill the place of F. C. Borchardt, who was not a candidate for re-election. Mrs. Pearl Carter served as presiding officer for the election and was assisted by Mrs. R. E. Magee and Mrs. Marion Crowell.

Project Show of 4-H Club and F. F. A. Boys of County Held in Crowell Last Saturday Was Successful Event

The 4-H Club and F. F. A. annual project show, which consisted of calves, pigs and poultry, held at the Self Motor Co. building in Crowell Saturday was considered very successful, according to officials in charge of the event. There was a satisfactory number of exhibits entered in each division and the quality was surprisingly good considering the feed shortage.

The boys are indebted to Self Motor Co. for the use of the building, also to County Agent Frank Wendt of Wilbarger, who judged the hogs and calves, and to Francis Todd of Chillicothe and Walker Todd of Seagraves, who judged the poultry. Appreciation is also extended to the citizens and Crowell business men, who so liberally financed the show.

Gordon Erwin and Gordon Wood Bell entered two calves in the show, and the following entered one calf each: Delmar McBeath, Carlos McBeath, Ginger Johnson, Jerry Westbrook, Robert Carroll, Oran Carroll and Jackie Brown.

In the hog classes the following boys entered exhibits: Mary Wayne Ford, J. M. Meadows, H. A. White, Doyle Wright, John Allen Greening, Wayne Shultz, Berman Wright, Floyd Borchardt, Bruce Bledsoe and J. C. Patton.

Exhibits in the poultry division were entered by Henry White, Jim Tom Cates, Bruce Benham, Ray Tamplin, J. N. Naron, Charles Wislen and H. A. White.

Hog Division
In the hog division boys named below won prizes and placed as follows:

Gilt Class—1. Floyd Borchardt, 4-H Club, \$4.00. 2. Bruce Bledsoe, 4-H Club, \$3.00. 3. John Allen Greening, 4-H Club, \$2.00. 4. J. M. Meadows, F. F. A., \$1.00.

Boar Class—1. Doyle Wright, 4-H Club, \$4.00. 2. Mark Wynn Ford, 4-H Club, \$3.00. 3. J. C. Patton, 4-H Club, \$2.00. 4. Herman Wright, F. F. A., \$1.00.

Light Breed—1. Ray Tamplin, F. F. A., \$4.00. 2. Charles Wislen, 4-H Club, \$3.00. 3. Jim Naron, 4-H Club, \$2.00. 4. Henry White, F. F. A., \$1.00.

Heavy Breed—1. Bruce Benham, 4-H Club, \$4.00. 2. H. A. White, F. F. A., \$3.00. 3. Jim Tom Cates, 4-H Club, \$2.00.

Calf Division
Senior Calves—1. Gordon Erwin, F. F. A., \$12.00. 2. Gordon Erwin, F. F. A., \$10.00. 3. Jerry Westbrook, F. F. A., \$8.00. 4. Gordon W. Bell, 4-H Club, \$6.00. 5. Ginger Johnson, 4-H Club, \$4.00.

Junior Calves—1. Gordon Wood Bell, 4-H Club, \$12.00. 2. Jackie Brown, F. F. A., \$10.00. 3. Delmar McBeath, F. F. A., \$8.00. 4. Carlos McBeath, F. F. A., \$6.00. 5. Oran Carroll, 4-H Club, \$4.00. 6. Robert Carroll, 4-H Club, \$4.00.

In the calf division Gordon Erwin won grand champion and Gordon Wood Bell won the reserve champion.

Donations Made for Cemetery Association

Since the last report of donations made for the upkeep of the cemetery, the following persons have sent funds to Mrs. N. J. Roberts, Cemetery Association president:

Mrs. Fred Dicks	\$1.00
Mrs. P. E. Randolph, Vernon	1.00
E. P. Bonar, Sour Lake	5.00
W. F. Flaherty	10.00
U. C. Rader	2.00
A. W. Owens	5.00
A. D. Campbell	10.00
Gift	5.00
Gift	5.00
Mrs. John H. Cope, Lubbock	5.00
Mrs. Ethel Glover Rider	2.00
Gilliland	2.00
Mrs. Sam Knox	2.00
M. H. Jones, Thalia	3.00
B. W. Jones, Marietta, Ok.	2.00
Fred Riethmayer	5.00
J. M. Marr	5.00
Miss Alma Patton	5.00
Clint White	5.00
Nick Chatfield	2.50

Mrs. Roberts reports that the gravel that has been used on the streets of the cemetery was given by Grover Nichols and Doyle Kenner. Four loads of hauling was donated by C. C. Joy and Mr. Webb.

Womack, Breedlove Elected Councilmen

Reeie Womack and Ernest Breedlove were elected as City Councilmen in the election held in the City Hall Tuesday. There were three names on the ballot. Mr. Womack, Mr. Breedlove and M. O'Connell. Mr. Womack was elected to succeed himself.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients In:
Mrs. Eva Asford
Mrs. M. B. James and infant daughter
J. R. Bevers

Patients Dismissed:
Larry Johnson
Mrs. Walter Daniels and infant son
Loey Keith Hopkins
Mrs. S. T. Holloway
Billy Bell
Mrs. George C. Fox
Mrs. Walter Bolibruch and infant daughter

Visiting Hours: 9:30 to 11:30 a. m.; 2 to 5 p. m.; 7 to 9 p. m.

Battle-Weary Enemy



Bag-eyed with battle-weary, a German grenadier shoulders his light machine gun against the usual "New Order" background of fire and destruction. This photo was taken in Zhitomir, Russia.

'Ghost' Is Caught



Their prowlings through the tree-tops at night, which keep U. S. infantrymen in state of tension, have earned for banana bears the name "ghosts of Bougainville." Specimen shown here jumped from a tree onto a headquarters tent.

Items from Neighboring Communities

THALIA

(By Minnie Wood)

Buddy McBride of Oklahoma City visited in the I. M. Shultz home here Sunday.

Mrs. J. R. Morris, Mrs. Marguerite Meeker and sons, John and Mike, of Palestine, Mrs. Tom Johnson of Stephenville, Mrs. W. R. Bowers of Fort Worth, C. B. Morris and family of Clarendon, John T. Morris and family of Ashtola, visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. J. M. Jackson, and family here last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Baker of Merkel visited Mrs. S. R. Sims, who is very ill here, Tuesday.

G. W. Scales visited relatives in Eldorado, Texas, last week.

Martin Jones of Lubbock is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jones, here this week.

Henry Rampey of Hollywood, Calif., visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Taylor and other relatives here this week.

G. A. Shultz and family visited relatives in Seymour recently.

R. B. Cato and family visited relatives in Mineral Wells Sunday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Davis and son, Harry Hamilton, of Farmers

Valley visited in the Lee Sims home Sunday.

Mrs. Rex Snowden, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wood, here, left Sunday to join her husband, who is stationed in Fort Bliss, El Paso, Texas.

Arlie Dunn and family of Pampa visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dunn, here last week-end.

Mrs. H. R. Randolph of Vernon visited her daughter, Mrs. Lee Sims, and family here Sunday.

Frank Wood and family and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Dozier of Vernon visited W. F. Wood and family here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Shultz visited Mrs. Bertha Shultz in Abilene Sunday of last week.

RAYLAND

(By Mrs. T. C. Davis)

Grandma Crisp is visiting her son in Fredericksburg this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Pigg of Looney visited friends and relatives here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. George Key were visitors in Lubbock Wednesday.

We are sorry to report the illness of T. F. Lambert. He is in a Wichita Falls hospital.

Mrs. Billy Cleveland and Mrs. T. F. Lambert visited Mr. Lambert in a Wichita Falls hospital Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alis Singleton and children of Chillicothe visited her sisters, Mrs. Dink Ramsey and Mrs. Willie Lee Lyles, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillips of Northside visited their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Idress Phillips, Friday.

Mrs. Buck Clark and granddaughter, Barbara Lee Anderson, left Monday for Waxahachie to visit her sister.

Mrs. Arnold Hines has returned home after visiting her husband in the Camp Hood hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Mansel visited in Electra Saturday.

FOARD CITY

(Mrs. Luther Marlow)

Miss Estelle Aubry of Crowell spent from Thursday until Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Aubry.

Miss Helen Callaway of Crowell and Miss Mildred Marlow spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ferguson.

Mrs. J. W. Mills of Jacksboro is visiting in the homes of Mrs. G. G. Mills and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Johnson and family.

Mrs. Luther Marlow returned home Friday from Decatur where she visited her uncle, T. T. Manning, who is ill, and other relatives.

She attended the funeral of her cousin, Rev. Bennie Woffard, at Fort Worth last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Barker moved to their farm in the Clay-tonville community Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Gover of El Paso, Ensign Gaylon Gover of Alameda, Calif., Mrs. Jim Caylor and son, Jimmy, of Wichita Falls, Sandra Bell of Crowell and Mr. and Mrs. Ozzie Turner and family of Truscott visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Lilly and Mr. and Mrs. Blake McDaniel Wednesday and Wednesday night.

Mrs. Jennie Reish of California and Phillip Key of Houston visited

ed their sister, Mrs. G. G. Mills, and their mother, who is ill in the home of Mrs. Mills, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Manning and daughter, Carla, and Mrs. J. L. Manning visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Lilly and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Marlow Sunday. Mrs. J. L. Manning remained for a longer visit with her daughter, Mrs. Marlow, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake McDaniel visited Mr. and Mrs. Ozzie Turner of Truscott Thursday.

Luther Marlow visited J. R. Bevers in the Crowell hospital Saturday afternoon.

Misses Evelyn Barker and Mildred Marlow spent Sunday night with Miss Helen Callaway of Crowell.

John Wheeler, Houston McLean and Clark Brown went to Lubbock one day last week for their physical examination for the Army.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

1. If what country is De Valera the Prime Minister?

2. Where is the island of Madagascar located?

3. Young King Peter is king of what country?

4. Where was the home and burial place of Irvin Cobb?

5. What scientist was the author of the theory of Relativity?

6. From what country did Pedro Ramirez recently resign as president?

7. What well known movie actress plays the lead in the picture of "The Song of Bernadette"?

8. For what is Tallulah Bankhead known in the news?

9. What is the meaning of the title of the song "Marry Dots"?

10. Where is Nettuno Beach located?

(Answers on page 3).

Food Home Notes

(By Miss Elizabeth Elliott, County Home Demonstration Agent.)

An Extra Egg For Richness and Flavor

With many other protein foods in shorter supply for civilians, the abundance of eggs is fortunate for the family dinner table. Use an extra egg wherever possible in cooking while eggs are plentiful this spring. Adding an egg adds food value, and gives color, flavor, richness. Many times homemakers whose families eat few eggs, can hide them in the cooking and in this way serve enough for good nutrition.

In soup or broth for supper, quick egg noodles may be made by beating 1 or 2 eggs with a little salt until foamy, then blending the beaten egg with flour, using 2 tablespoons flour for each egg. Pour the mixture in a thin steady stream into simmering broth, stirring constantly. Cook 2 minutes and serve at once.

Eggs also may be added to make a clear, slightly thick gravy for chicken pie. Beat an egg thoroughly, add a little hot chicken broth slowly, and stir the mixture into the remaining broth.

Another way to work in that extra egg is to put an egg glaze on coffee cake with sliced fruit on top. Beat a whole egg with a fork until slightly foamy. Add three tablespoons of sugar. Spread evenly over fruit before baking. The glaze keeps the fruit plump and moist and holds it in place.

For a delicious cream sauce with rich color, first make a white sauce, then add a small amount of the sauce to a well beaten egg. Stir the mixture into the remaining white sauce. Serve on vegetables or in other creamed dishes.

Custard sauce served on fruit, flavored gelatin, plain cake, or pudding adds eggs to dessert. To make soft custard sauce heat 3 cups of milk over boiling water. Add 1/2 cup of sugar and 1/4 teaspoon salt to 2 beaten eggs. Gradually add hot milk to the egg

mixture. Cook over hot, but not boiling water. Stir constantly until mixture coats spoon.

Egg Cookery

How much heat is used in cooking and how the ingredients go together are the questions that often decide whether an omelet, an angel food or any other egg dish is a success or a failure.

The most important rule for cooking eggs alone or in mixtures—whether the cooking is done in water, frying pan or oven—is: Use low to moderate even heat. Eggs cooked with too much heat become tough and leathery.

In custards and other egg and milk combinations, curdling is often a problem. The home economists say this may be prevented, first, by proper mixing, and, second, by cooking at moderate heat until the mixture is firm—but no longer. When hot milk is added to egg, the sugar should be mixed with the egg, not with the milk. Then the milk should be added to the egg a little at a time.

In making soufflé, omelet or angel food, the mixing is again important. To combine beaten whites with other mixtures, fold in the white with a light under-and-over motion instead of stirring it in. Fold the heavy mixture into the beaten whites never the whites into the heavier mixture. Mix only long enough to combine the ingredients. Over-mixing breaks some of the air bubbles and means a loss of lightness.

Meringue for the top of pies and puddings calls for special mixing if it is to be tender and light yet firm with no "wateriness." To make meringue, beat the whites with a little salt until the foam forms soft moist peaks but is not dry. Then add the sugar, a tablespoon at a time, using 2 tablespoons for egg white. Beat until sugar is thoroughly dissolved and the meringue will pile well. Have the pie cool before topping with meringue, so that liquid will not be drawn out of the meringue making it look "watery." To help keep meringue from shrinking as it bakes, spread it over the edge of the crust to give it something to cling to during cooking. Bake meringue in a moderate oven (325° to 350° F) for 15 to 20 minutes.

The Perfect Baked Potato

A pinch is better than a poke as a method of finding out whether a baked potato is done. The common practice of jabbing a fork into the potato lets out steam and means longer baking. A better test is to hold the potato with a cloth and gently press between thumb and forefinger without breaking the skin. The fingers can feel whether the potato is soft all through.

The moment the potato is done, however, it should be opened to let the steam escape and leave the flesh white and light rather than soggy. Cut a crisscross in the skin on the side of the potato, then pinch the potato so hard that some of the white inside will be forced up through the brown skin. Into this steaming opening put the seasoning, whether it is butter, drippings or other fat.

Sugar For Canning

The sugar allowance for home canning this year will be the same as last year and will be obtained in much the same way. Five pounds of sugar for home canning may be bought with sugar stamp No. 40 in War Ration Book Four. The remainder—a maximum of 20 pounds of sugar per person—will be granted on application to local War Price and Rationing Boards at any time after March 23, 1933.

Substantial supplies of sugar have been set aside for home canning this year in spite of the limited supply of sugar for civilian use, because of the importance of home canning in the country's wartime food program.

Grow Some Soybeans

Every West Texas gardener should grow some soybeans this year. Soybeans are not bothered by insects or diseases and will produce more food value than any other vegetable. The protein is the most complete that can be

Your Sacrifice

Dear Customer:

You have given up a lot of things because of the war.

You can't do much driving. You can't buy tires like you used to. And the same goes for meat and butter and cars and electric iceboxes.

That's tough on you. You're "sacrificing"

Me, too. My gas business is down to a trickle. My tire business has practically folded up.

And on top of that, I'm short of help. That's why it sometimes takes me longer to serve you than it used to.

But I am more anxious than ever to inspect your tires and your battery. If anything, my lube jobs are more conscientious than before. That's my part in helping you care for your car for your country.

I am working longer hours than any man should, and making less money than I did. So that's my "sacrifice".

But, brother, you and I are not making any sacrifice that even deserves to be mentioned in the same mouthful with the sacrifices of our fighting soldiers, sailors, and marines.



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Your Horoscope

April 3, 4.—You are a faithful friend, sympathetic, intelligent, you are a society, but you do not meanly shut up like a cat. Find yourself in a group that is the principal of the list, and are capable of about right if left to their inclinations.

April 5, 6.—You are and self-willed, and independent. You have confidence in your own power. Your intentions are good, things you are engaged to do may not be entirely with the results.

April 7, 8, 9.—You are much mechanical ability, intellect and determination, try out whatever you are and are anxious to leave dependent on you well off. Your friends have confidence in you and come to your difficulties. If you possess a vein of sarcasm can be very sarcastic when occasion arises.

Buenos Aires is the Spanish-speaking city of the world.

INTERESTING FACTS OF THIS AND THAT

Last year the women of the United States spent \$350,000,000 with the beauty parlors.

The Census Bureau estimates that women spend at least \$800,000,000 annually for pretty faces and youthful figures.

There are 40,000 beauty parlors in operation in the United States.

There are 465,000 workers employed at the present time in the coal mining industry.

A recent nation wide survey by the Gallup poll showed that 47 per cent of the civilian adult population of the United States do not know the name of their state senators.

A recent Gallup poll, revealed that only 13 per cent of the people in cities of 500,000 or over know the name of their Congressmen.

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ams from Neighboring Communities

RIVERSIDE

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Whitten has returned to her home at Crowell from a visit in the R. G. Whitten home. Sidney Swan of Crowell spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Swan. Otis Simmons and daughter, Doris, and mother, Mrs. Ollie Simmons, of Seagoville have returned home after a visit in the homes of Mrs. Simmons' sister, Mrs. H. H. Hopkins, and brothers, J. G. and R. F. Adkins. Mr. and Mrs. Luther Cribbs and Mrs. Veda Box spent Sunday in the Fred Blew home of Vernon. James and Lyndon McBeath of Thalia spent Sunday with Lowell McKinley in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl McKinley. Mrs. Joe Mott of Bomarton spent from Monday until Thursday with her daughter, Mrs. Johnnie Matus. Mrs. Mott had been receiving medical aid in a Vernon hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Pope were called to Goree last week on account of Mrs. Audrey Pope having undergone an appendix operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hopkins and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Grimm of Thalia Sunday.

Mrs. Reid Pyle returned Saturday from a visit with her sister, Mrs. George Grant, and family of Hollister, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Skelton and family spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey, of Lockett.

Mary Evelyn Adkins accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Sim V. Gamble and family and Carolita Jones of Thalia to Wichita Falls Sunday where they visited Chaplain and Mrs. T. J. DuBose and daughter, Pat.

Leonard Tole and family of Thalia, Bay Sitten and family of Five-in-One spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tole.

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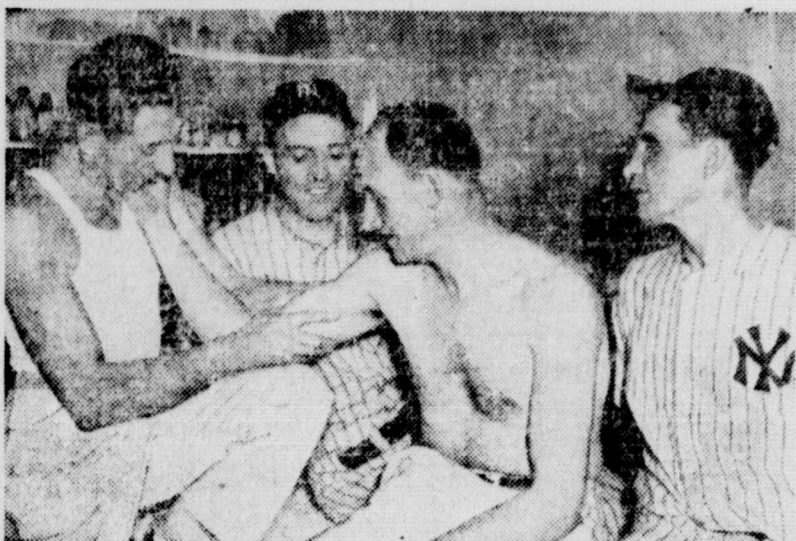
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Yankee Pitcher Gets Rubdown



The New York Yankees have begun their spring training at Atlantic City, N. J. Picture shows veteran Yankee pitcher, Alcy Donald, getting a rubdown as his teammates look on. Left to right are Gus Mauch, Yankee trainer, administering massage to Alcy's arm; Bud Metheny, and Donald and Oscar Grimes.

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KNOW TEXAS

By Dr. William E. Howard and A. Garland Adair.

STATEHOOD CENTENNIAL

(Editorial in The Dallas Morning News, March 19, 1944.)

On Dec. 29, 1845, the Congress of the United States accepted the new State Constitution of Texas and this date has been declared by the United States Supreme Court to be the official date of annexation, though the Texas flag flew over the capitol until Feb. 16, 1846, when President Jones was succeeded by Gov. J. Pinckney Henderson. So the statehood centennial year of 1945 is close upon us. How to celebrate it? Even if the World War progresses toward its close as rapidly as the most optimistic hope for, we will have little opportunity to prepare a great celebration of the usual order. Because of the uncertainty of the outlook we cannot make definite plans.

In this situation, the Texas Centennial of Statehood Commission has thoughtfully prepared a campaign that will encourage people to know more about their state—to better understand its past, its present, and its future. It will be a wise and constructive way to observe the centennial year and it will be a very practical one in view of the problems that will arise during the period of postwar adjustment. Especial emphasis is being placed upon a statewide high school essay contest on "Why Texas Should Observe Its Centennial of Statehood," according to announcement of A. Garland Adair, statehood centennial commissioner. Prizes in War Bonds will be awarded by Karl Hoblitzelle of Dallas and the contest will be under direction of the Daughters of the Republic of Texas, with Mr. Henry R. Wofford of San Antonio as chairman of the supervising committee.

Texasans are sometimes accused of talking too much about Texas. Possibly they talk too much for what they know. No other state has a greater heritage of history. Yet Texas today is peopled primarily by those who came within its bounds in the flood of interstate migration in recent years. That they have quickly embraced the typical Texas Loyalty is testimony to the appeal of the Texas tradition.

It is a happy and constructive thought which the Statehood Centennial Commission has decided to carry on in preparation for observance of centennial year.

Q. Who was the second governor of Texas?

George T. Wood

Second Governor, 1847-49. (Served one term). He was elected while living in San Jacinto County. Birthplace: Georgia. March 12, 1795. Public Offices: House of Representatives, and Senate.

Wood County was named for Governor Wood. In 1844 and 1842, he represented Liberty in the Congress of the Republic, and was later commissioned Brigadier General of the militia. He enjoyed long trips on his mule "Faulstetter," using his saddle for a pillow at night. His early military training was received in Georgia.

The epitaph on his tomb: "Here Lies a Great Man."

He passed away September 5, 1858, at the age of 63, and was buried in the little cemetery situated about one-half of a mile southeast of Point Blank, San Jacinto County.

His Lieutenant Governor was John A. Greer.

Worth Remembering: Joachim Besen of Boerne says: "May the blood from fallen soldiers on the battle field and the tears of those dear ones who were left behind not become a fertilizer for another war."

Before he became an inventor, Robert Fulton was a portrait painter.

The Paisley shawl is so called because it originated in Paisley, Scotland.

Benjamin Harrison was the last bearded president of the United States.

Wouldn't it be nice if some animal trainer could teach moths to eat holes like lace?

ANSWERS

(Questions on page 2).

1. Ireland.
2. Off the east coast of Africa.
3. Yugoslavia.
4. Paducah, Ky.
5. Prof. Albert Einstein.
6. Argentina.
7. Jennifer Jones.
8. She is an actress.
9. It is the expression of a child attempting to say "Mares Eat Oats."
10. Italy.

The man in the next block says that chemistry's most outstanding contribution to the world is blondes.

In England Indian Summer is known as St. Luke's Summer.

To store our memories with a sense of injury is to fill that chest with rusty iron which was meant for refined gold.

Elizabeth Barrett was 40 years of age when she married Robert Browning.

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Pound . .

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Spuds No. 2 100 lbs \$2.25

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Lemons Sunkist Doz. 19c

Roast Lb 23c
Green Beans Lb 10c

Sausage PURE PORK Lb 25c
CABBAGE Lb 3 1/2c

leomargarine All Sweet 23c
Pound . .
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LOCALS

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Mrs. H. C. Roark is spending the week in Wichita Falls.

We have a good selection of oil cloth.—Farmers Supply Store.

Mrs. P. E. Randolph left for her home in Vernon Saturday afternoon for a week's visit here.

One good used 5-burner Perfection oil range for sale or trade.—Beverly Hdw. & Furn. Co.

Mrs. Ernest Breedlove returned home last Thursday from a visit with her mother, Mrs. J. E. Goodson, at Gulfport, Miss.

See Womack's for pints, quarts and half-gallon fruit jars and extra ring and cap.

Buy something for your Easter dinner from Vivian H. D. Club at Haney-Rasor Grocery, Saturday, April 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Blevins and son, Calvin, of Fort Worth, spent the week-end here visiting relatives and friends. They returned Monday.

Mrs. Jean Reeder and Miss Juanita Boman visited in Abilene Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Reeder's husband, Cpl. Ted Reeder.

Pyrex percolators at Beverly Hdw. & Furn. Co.

Miss Nola McClung of Quanah spent Sunday here as the guest of Miss Nora Banister.

All kinds of garden tools, hoes, rakes, spading forks, at Womack's.

Mr. and Mrs. Carey Alger of Vernon were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Magee Sunday.

O'Cedar oil and dust mops 49c to \$1.35 at Beverly Hdw. & Furn. Co.

Vivian Home Demonstration Club is having a Bakery Sale at Haney-Rasor Grocery, Saturday, April 8.

Mrs. Jessie Blankenship and little son, Jimmy Don, of Knox City, spent the week-end visiting her sister, Mrs. Henry Ross.

Mrs. C. E. Gafford and sister, Mrs. Emma Howard, left Monday for Bay City where they will visit another sister, Mrs. Gregg Lawrence, for about a week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cotton and three children of Lamesa spent Friday here visiting in the home of Mrs. J. H. Shults. Mr. Cotton is a former resident of Crowell.

Roy Reynolds of Los Angeles, Calif., was here the latter part of last week visiting relatives and old friends. Mr. Reynolds, a resident of Crowell for many years, was called to Texas on account of the serious illness of his sister, Mrs. Joe Long, of Cottle County.

100-watt lite bulbs only 15c at Beverly Hdw. & Furn. Co.

After residing in Crowell for 24 years, Mr. and Mrs. L. Alston and their daughter, Miss Beatrice, moved to Abilene Monday where they will make their home.

Practically all makes of lister points, \$2.50 each.—Farmers Supply Store.

Mrs. Jim Christian and little granddaughter, Dee Ann Christian, of Lubbock, spent several days of last week visiting relatives in Electra, Wichita Falls and Vernon.

Bearings and boxes for different makes of plows.—Farmers Supply Store.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Harwell of Lawton, Okla., spent Sunday here visiting in the home of W. F. Kirkpatrick. Mr. Harwell returned Sunday evening but Mrs. Harwell remained until Wednesday.

Plenty of oil cloth, white and variety of colored patterns at Womack's.

Mrs. Emma Howard of Sacramento, Calif., is here visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. C. E. Gafford, and family. She has been visiting in Arkansas and Oklahoma and will be here until about the first of May.

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Mrs. Raymond Burrow of Fort Worth spent last week-end here visiting her son, Don Ray, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Karl ten Brink and H. E. Ferguson. She also visited other relatives and friends.

You will find plenty of minnow seines at our store.—Farmers Supply Store.

Pvt. Don Day and wife of Dallas arrived in Thalia Tuesday for a visit with Mrs. Day's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Jones. Pvt. Day is a dispatcher of planes at Love Field in Dallas, and Mrs. Day is a registered nurse.

26-inch discs for one-way plow.—Farmers Supply Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland C. Foster and little daughter, Helen Faye, who have been in Blacksburg, Va., for the past six months where Mr. Foster has been teaching under the ASTP program, are here visiting in the home of Mrs. Foster's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Griffin.

Just arrived at Womack's some 500-chick Butane brooders.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Shirley of Houston were here the first of the week visiting Mr. Shirley's brother, Paul Shirley, and wife.

Buy your new Coolers and ice boxes at Womack's.

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Congressman Ed Gossett of Washington, D. C., was in Crowell for a short time Thursday afternoon.

Get your fishing poles now at Womack's.

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Mrs. R. L. Hunt arrived here Wednesday from Octavia, Neb., to visit her mother, Mrs. Charles Dickerson, and other relatives.

Just received a shipment of genuine Bonney end and socket wrenches at Beverly Hdw. & Furn. Co.

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With every dinette suite bought at Womack's you get a 43-piece set of dishes free.

Mr. and Mrs. Carey Alger of Vernon visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Grady Magee in Crowell.

Ben Little and daughter, Billie Jean, of Abilene were here Wednesday visiting Mr. Little's sister, Mrs. Vergie Allen, and family and friends.

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Mrs. J. M. Lewis of Madisonville arrived here this morning for a visit in the home of her sister, Mrs. A. Y. Beverly, and family.

Felt base rugs, all sizes and patterns, priced \$3.95 to \$16.50.

Ralph Flesher, who attends Texas A. & M. College at College Station, spent last week-end here in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Flesher.

All new shades of Kem-Tone and trims. Now is the time to redecorate your room. See it at Womack's.

Mrs. S. T. Crews left this morning for Houston and New Gulf where she will visit her daughters, Miss Mary Sam Crews and Mrs. Lee Crews and family, and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Sam Crews Jr., and baby daughter.

One and two burners oil stove ovens at Womack's.

Conditions Make It Necessary to Stop Papers Not Paid Up

Owing to the scarcity of paper, the higher cost of operating a newspaper, and the large number of papers it is necessary to print each week to meet the demand—1,525—The News, under these conditions, will be forced to stop papers when subscriptions expire. Subscribers who want the paper are urged to look after this matter and keep subscriptions paid in advance so that their papers will not be stopped. Looking after a large subscription list, changing addresses, etc., requires almost a day of one man's time each week which leaves very little, if any, time to send out notices of expiration. Papers going to soldier boys at home or abroad, should be kept paid up.

The News force appreciates the interest subscribers are taking in the paper and it encourages us to work harder to keep the paper up to the standard it has been trying to maintain for so many years. Renewals and new subscriptions received since March 14 follow:

Willard J. Kerley, Liscomb, Iowa; Mrs. Marie Francis, Clovis, N. M.; E. Hilburn, city; T. C. Porter, city; Rev. R. I. Hart, Margaret; Miss Lenna Wedel, city; Mrs. Ray Downing, Lubbock; Mrs. Mary E. Dodd, Wichita Falls; Mrs. Annie Ayers, Scottsville, Ky.; Pvt. Kenneth S. Halbert, postmaster, San Francisco; Mrs. Guy C. Easley, Paducah; Mrs. Pearl Rodgers, city; R. T. Carroll, Foard City; Bob Abston, Thalia Star, Rt.

Roy Daniels, Foard City; Sgt. Toy L. James; J. N. Johnson, Ft. Worth; E. M. Key, Mission; Mrs. W. B. Morris, Rt. 1; L. W. Greenway, city; R. N. Beatty, Vivian; Leland E. Flesher, S. 2-C, Postmaster, San Francisco; Pvt. Jack R. Trawick, Postmaster, New York; C. E. Blevins, Thalia; Beverly Hughston, Denton; J. T. Hughston, Postmaster, San Francisco; U. C. Rader, Foard City; Rev. W. B. Fitzgerald, Crosbyton; Fred Rennels, College Station; Mrs. J. A. Abston, Thalia.

G. W. Wright, city; Mrs. Mary W. Phillips, Iowa Park; Fred Hammonds, San Diego, Calif.; Pvt. Billy Joe Collins, Postmaster, San Francisco; R. A. Miller, Thalia; Ray Burrow, S. 2-C, Kingsville; A. W. Johnson, Abilene; Jim Vernon, Morton, Texas; Wayne A. Greening, San Diego, Calif.; Sim Gamble, Rt. 2; Forest Durham, Anton; A. J. Navratil, Gilliland; Mrs. Homer C. Stewart, Amarillo; Pvt. Homer D. Brisco, Camp Fannin; Monroe B. Karcher, Thalia; Clonita Russell, Lubbock.

R. Huskey, Rt. 2; S. C. Clark, Oklahoma City; James Adkins, Fort Worth; Houston Adkins, Thalia; Pfc. Bryan H. Banister, Quantico, Va.; Pvt. J. W. Whitely, Postmaster, San Francisco.

Rules of Protein Meal Deliveries in Texas Changed

After April 1 in Texas, processors were no longer required to obtain a statement from buyers approved by the county AAA Committee in order to deliver more than 500 pounds per month of protein meal to an individual. The required statement regarding the use of more than 500 pounds of protein meal monthly in mixed feeds is also eliminated.

This situation has been effected by revocation of Director's Order No. 2 of Feed Production Order 9, Revision 3, which was issued December 24, 1943. On that date, the 500-pound plus deliveries were prohibited in New Mexico and certain counties in West Texas, unless given special approval by County Agricultural Conservation Committees. On January 1, 1944, the area was extended to include Oklahoma and the entire State of Texas.

Requirements of the December order did not apply to set-aside protein meal or to soybean oil meal produced under contract for the Commodity Credit Corporation.

Tennis balls, nets and rackets. See Womack's.

Long Beach, Calif. — A Red Cross lady encountered more than the usual task when she volunteered to help a naval hospital patient with letter writing. He planned to keep his promise to get in touch with 150 relatives of all his overseas buddies. The lady finished the job with a mimeograph machine.



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ORANGES TEXAS Dozen 25c	Pork Roast Lb 29c
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Cookies One Lot of 25c Bags 10c	OLEO Lb 19c
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Apple Juice Quart 25c	Cheese Glass Kraft 15c
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Malt BLUE RIBBON 85c	Sausage Pork Lb 23c
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Rex Jelly 5 Pounds 65c	Oyster Shells 100 Lbs \$1.15
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Pickles Sour or Dill Qt. 29c	Egg Mash 100 Lbs \$3.45
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Salt 3 10c Boxes 25c	Maize EXTRA CLEAN Bring Your Sack \$2.75
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CHEESE Lb 35c	Bran 100 Lbs \$2.50
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FLOUR Southern Queen \$2.39	Stock Salt 100 Lb Sack 69c
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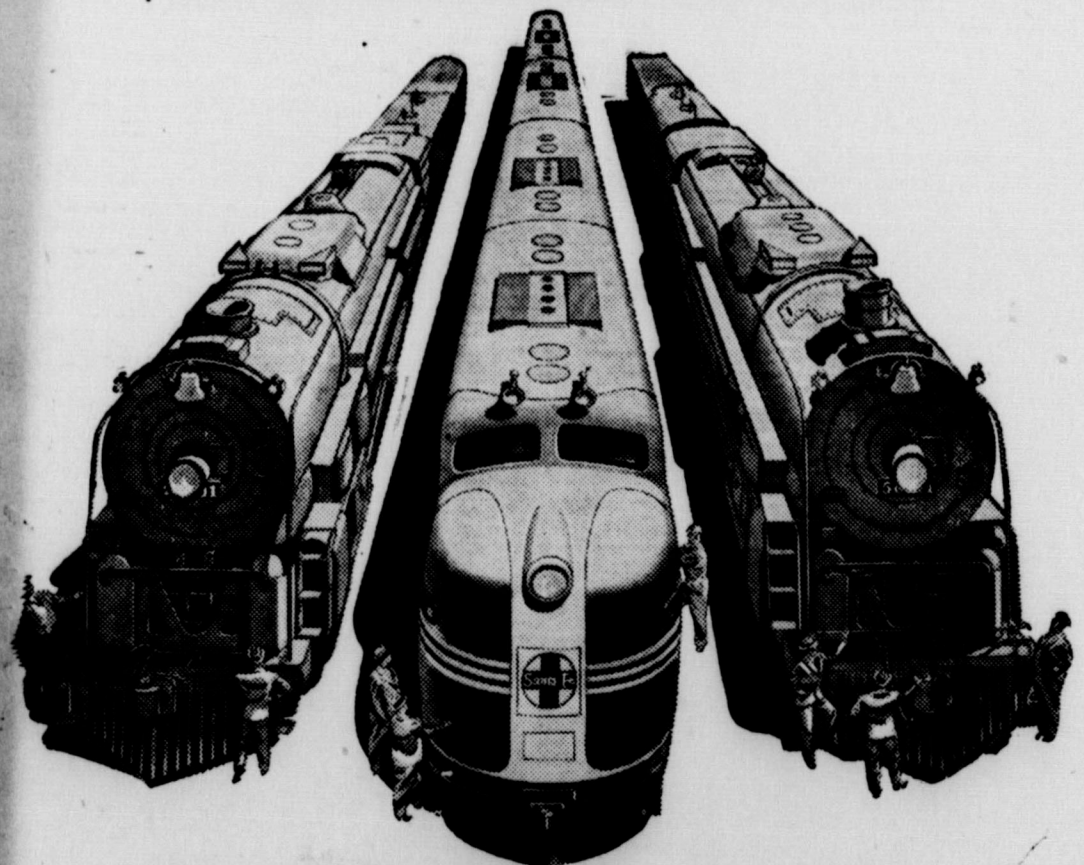
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Milk of Magnesia Tooth Paste	49c
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Reeder's Drug Store

(Another chapter in the story, "Working for Victory on the Santa Fe")



New Steel Beauties on the Santa Fe

There isn't yet the ceremony in taking delivery of a new locomotive that there is in christening a ship.

But, just the same, it's a great occasion on the Santa Fe when we receive those super-powered, high-speed locomotives so badly needed today.

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WHY AN INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE

It is about this time every year when the students of Crowell High School begin to drag out their tennis racquets, speeches, and one-act plays. Just what is the why and wherefore of the interscholastic league? What are its benefits? First, the interscholastic league is an organization of all the schools in the State of Texas. Every state in the Union has an interscholastic league of some sort or fashion. Texas is rated as one of the best of these in the United States. This is shown every year by the quality and the standards of the finished products. Football and basketball are the main sports in the league; however, these are earlier in the season.

Crowell High School is always an active member of the interscholastic league. Our trophy case is full of trophies earned by our football and basketball teams, along with the many earned by our one-act plays, debaters, extemporaneous speakers, and several other participants of the various events. This year, as a courtesy of ration board No. 1, our resources of contestants are comparatively small. Therefore, it is up to you to join in the race for the honor of yourself and your school.

F. F. A. SHOW

Gordon Erwin's calf won first place in the senior division and also won the title of Grand Champion in the FFA project show held last Saturday. The second place was won by his other calf, Jerry Westbrook's calf won third in the senior division.

Gordon Wood Bell's calf won first in the junior division, and Jack Brown won second. Delmar McBeath won third.

Ray Tamplen won first in the poultry division, and J. C. Patton placed first in the swine division. The prizes were as follows:

Grand Champion Calf \$5.00	
(Both Divisions of Calves the same amount.)	
First prize	10.00
Second	8.00
Third	6.00
Poultry Division:	
First prize	4.00
Swine Division:	
First prize	4.00

The show was on a much smaller scale, but was a great success.

as it always is.

WELCOME BACK, MR. FOSTER

The halls were humming last Friday morning with "Glad to see you," and "How are you, Mr. Foster," Mrs. Foster, and little Helen Faye? The reason? Mr. Garland C. Foster, who was formerly the Science and Chemistry teacher here, and his family, were back on a visit. He has been in Virginia the past six months teaching Math under the ASTP. Mr. Foster is at present waiting for his orders back to the uniform. Mrs. Foster and Helen Faye will remain here.

The faculty and students wish to take this opportunity to say that we were very glad to have them visit us; you're welcome here anytime. The best of luck to you!

AYRES AND WISDOM HAVE BEST POSTURE

That's right! Frances Ann Ayers wins the title of "The Girl with the Best Posture," while Floyd Andrews Wisdom wins the same title for the boys. It was a close contest with the runner-up for the girls being Betty Johnson, Naomi Teal and Joyce Jones; and the runners-up for the boys were: Kenneth Payne, J. L. Brock and Craig Sandlin. We want to express our congratulations to these winners!

WHAT'S NEWS IN THE HOME MAKING DEPARTMENT

The latest happening in the Home Making department was a contest of children's clothing made by the girls. The winners in section one were: Highly superior, Doris Browder, Lynette Chowning, Naomi Crisp and Doris Jones; Superior, Wanda Crisp, Eva Lois Gray, June Hickman and Patsy Sue Young; Excellent, Vandolyn Browning, Hazel Marlow, Robbie Lee Ralston and Bessie Gamble; Good, Wilma Flesher, Joyce Jones, Janet Self and Norma Flesher. The winners in section two were: Highly superior, Mary Sparks and Rebecca Ross; Superior, Opal Callaway and Lois Ann Wright; Excellent, Jean Wallace, Charlene Landford and Leta Jo Carroll; and Good, Ora Mae Fox and Lois Hinkle.

EASTER SUNRISE SERVICE

An Easter Sunrise Service will be held Sunday morning at 6 o'clock at the First Christian Church, in which all of the churches of the town will be represented and take some part in the program. The fire whistle will sound at exactly 5:30; therefore, there will be no reason why you should not awake in time to be present. Everyone is invited, and a large crowd is anticipated.

WHO'S WHO?

The Wildcat will sponsor a "Who's Who" Contest next week.

The winners will be three girls and three boys who are conspicuous in their services to the school and possess the vaguely defined qualities of character, personality, leadership and scholarship.

Each teacher will be given the opportunity to submit six names and those receiving the largest number of votes will be the winners.

DECLAIMERS

The following is a list of those who have expressed their desire to enter in the elimination contest for Declamation: Janice Ward, Betty Seale, Evelyn Barker, Bessie Gamble, Ada Jane Ma-Milton Hall is the only boy at present. Benny Brown, Edith Blevins and LaRue Graves for the girls; present. It is not certain that the above list is complete; therefore, if there are others who plan to enter the contest, please get in touch with the editors by next Monday. The date has not been set as yet.

GUESS WHO

If you tried very hard, it was almost impossible for you to miss last week's individual because we told you how handsome he is. No, sir, everyone knew we were referring to none other than John C. Carter.

This week, however, it is going to be a rough one. You probably will never know. To begin with, she is about 5 ft. 5 in. tall. She is a brownette, that is absolutely out of this world. Another notable fact is that she has a superior structure. She has represented CHS in declamation and the one-act play. This versatile senior is making the honor graduate race plenty hot. Do you know her?

WHAT'S BUZZING?

Flopsy, Mopsy, Cottontail, and Peter and all the other members of the royal rabbit clan are helping that famed old gentleman of rabbit land, the Easter Bunny, get off to an extra good start in 1944 by leaving Crowell High a special Easter gift—a holiday! After that line of nonsense, we are ready to start the weekly gossip.

Seen running busily around Vernon Saturday night was Roy Joe Cates, and a cute little girl from the city in question.

By this time, we really should say something about R. L. Thomas and the fine head of hair. He informed us that it was this that made a hit with the women. His nickname is "Baldy" Thomas.

Mildred Marlow was looking sick Monday. Could it be that Delmar was gone? When will the Navy say about this romance?

A CHS girl was terribly glad to see Don Lewis back. She is Bessie Gamble. She and Don were seen together Saturday night. This is one of the latest romances of CHS. They do make

TOWN and FARM in WARTIME

Prepared by OFFICE OF WAR INFORMATION

RATIONING REMINDERS

Meats, Fats.—Red stamps A8 through J8 are good indefinitely. Waste kitchen fats exchanged for two points and four cents a pound.

Processed Fruits, Vegetables.—Blue stamps A8 through K8 are good indefinitely.

Sugar.—Stamps 30 and 51 are good for five pounds indefinitely. Sugar stamp 40 is good for five pounds of canned sugar through February 28, next year.

Gasoline.—In 17 East Coast states, A-9 coupons are good through May 8. In other states A-11 coupons are good through June 21.

Tire Inspection Deadlines.—A-coupon holders, September 30; C-coupon holders, May 31; B-coupon holders, June 30.

Fuel Oil.—Period 4 and 5 coupons are good through September 30.

Shoes.—Stamp 18 in Book One is good through April 30. Airplane stamp 1 in Book Three is good indefinitely. Another stamp, good beginning May 1, will be announced soon.

Income Tax.—Declaration of estimated 1944 tax and first quarterly payments are due by April 15.

From now on all food stamps will be good indefinitely, unless advance notice of expiration is given, the Office of Price Administration has announced.

Housewives may budget their food purchases on the basis of three Red 10-point stamps every second Sunday and five Blue 10-point stamps the first of every month.

To release cold storage space for other food, all frozen fruits and vegetables will not be rationed through April 29. Lard will remain unrationed, ready-to-eat hams will be one point lower.

"Dry-cured" hams are to be only one point above fresh hams, and other meat point values will remain almost unchanged. Food expected to be in good supply over most of the country during the next three months are potatoes, cabbage, spinach, lettuce and other leafy greens, carrots, beets, wax beans, tomatoes and other citrus fruits, canned green and fresh vegetables, frozen vegeta-

bles, shell eggs, fluid milk, bread, flour, noodles and spaghetti. The War Food Administration says each civilian will have on the average 132 pounds of meat in 1944, or one pound more than he had on the average during the decade, 1931-1940.

Draft Reclassifications

In an effort to assure a continuing supply of young men for the armed services without inducing those who are indispensable in war activities, the national selective service system has ordered pre-induction physical examinations for all class II-A and II-B occupationally deferred registrants under 26 who have not been physically examined. Local boards have been ordered to review cases of registrants under 26 in classes III-A, II-T, II-B, II-C and III-C before reconsidering registrants 26 through 37 years of age. Registrants under 26 III-A, II-A, II-B and III-C are to be reviewed, and if such action is warranted are to be reclassified regardless of existing deferment termination dates. Registrants under 26 found unfit for military service or fit for limited military service only, may be reclassified into II-A or II-B provided they are contributing to war production or war supporting activities.

More News About Tires

More tires will be rationed for small trucks and farm tractors and implements in April than in March, but substantially fewer than in April, last year, OPA says. April quotas of new and used passenger tires are the same as for March, and the new passenger tube quota is 7.2 per cent over March. Meanwhile the War Food Administration urges farmers to withhold appeals for conversion of tractors from steel wheels to rubber tires except in cases of extreme hardship, and suggests that many old tractor tires will now have 35 per cent less crude rubber and more synthetic, according to the Office of the Rubber Director, which says that the synthetic program can fulfill our military requirements for tires.

Plans For Farm Transportation

Plans for getting farm products to market and supplies to farms by motor truck include use of one farmer's truck to do what several farmers' trucks did, the Office of Defense Transportation says. Wasteful practices ODT frowns upon include—transporting farm products beyond nearest practicable market, operating empty vehicles when a full or partial load is available; operating with less than a full load where a regular collection service is available; operating in scheduled service over highways likely to cause undue wear; use of a heavy or large vehicle when a lighter one is available and suitable; and hauling persons when other transportation is available ODT and WFA officials are now explaining the ODT program in a series of regional meetings.

You May Amend Tax Declaration

While declarations of estimated 1944 income tax and first quarterly payments are due by April 15, amended declarations and payments may be made on or before the fifteenth day of the last month of any succeeding quarter—June 15, September 15, and December 15, the Bureau of Internal Revenue explains. When an amended declaration is made, an increase or decrease in estimated tax should be spread evenly over the remaining installments. Penalties are provided for failure to file a required declaration in time, failure to pay any installment of estimated tax on time, and substantial underestimation of tax.

New Juvenile Manual Published

A new manual, "Techniques of Law Enforcement in the Treatment of Juveniles and the Prevention of Juvenile Delinquency," has just been published by the Federal Security Agency, which has a limited number of free copies for distribution to civic officials and organizations requesting them.

Round-Up

OPA actions provide that—ten thousand new passenger automobiles and 12,000 new adult bicycles will be available for April rationing. . . Increased ceiling prices for Southern produced cordwood match previously announced 50-cent to \$1.10 per cord increases for pulpwood, and increases in ceiling prices for pulpwood produced in Northeastern states range up to \$2.75 a cord. . . Pickled, spiced and branded fruits will be restored to rationing in June to prevent large diversion of fresh fruit into these higher priced products. . . Retailers of cosmetics and toiletries may continue to pass on the recently increased federal excise tax to consumers. . . Ill persons may quickly receive extra amounts of rationed food they need through special handling of applications for such extra rations. . . Agricultural workers from Newfoundland will be brought to the Northeastern states, primarily for employment on dairy farms, WFA announces.

A special petroleum co-ordinator has been added to the staff of the University of Texas Industrial Teacher-Training Bureau to help the petroleum industry with its worker-training program.

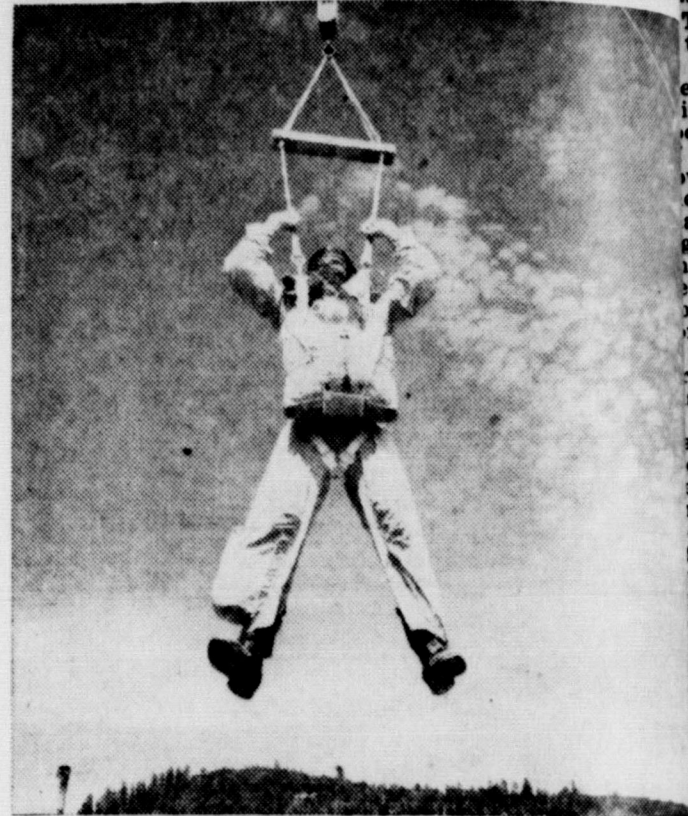
By means of a plastograph, University of Texas industrial engineers can determine the purity and other properties of clays, for use in ceramics manufacture.

Hide and Seek with Hitler's Playthings



CANADIANS and German forces have fought, thus far anyway, a "battle of engineers." Canadians spearheading the Eighth Army's advance have been slowed down, but never actually stopped, by the clever work of the Nazi demolition experts and by clever mine-laying. The series of pictures illustrates how a mine is first discovered, then removed and finally dealt with. Spr. Louis Gillescuttee and Spr. N. Paasch are shown as they detect and handle these deadly souvenirs which retreating German troops leave. Units such as these two men precede the advance of infantry and tank corps.

"Smoke-Jumper's" Training Will



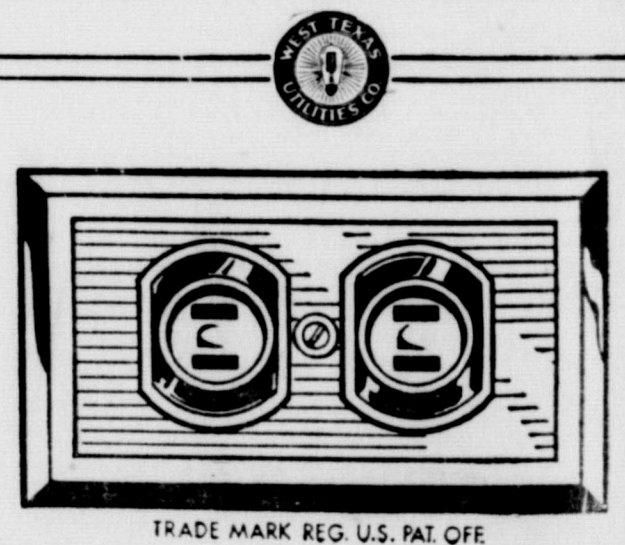
"A smoke-jumper" gets training on the "let-down" at Seeley Lake, Lolo National Forest, near Missoula, Mont. This jumper has on complete uniform except for a length of rope so the "jumper" can let himself down, should he get in a tree. He carries also a two-way radio. U. S. medical officers are among those assigned to Seeley for parachute training. Trained "jumpers" are taken on yearlong duty for rescue work.

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Back To The Bible

"If Christ be not raised, your faith is vain; ye are yet in your sins," 1 Cor. 15:14.

The resurrection of our Lord the foundation of Christianity. The resurrection is not a fact, the entire christian system of worship is based upon fraud. Space does not permit an examination of the evidence in this article; however, if any one will examine the evidence with the same care at a juror should examine the real evidence before passing upon the guilt or innocence of a man charged with murder, one cannot help but note that the historical proof of the resurrection is far greater than the historical proof of many incidents that no historian will question.

Many religious institutions have converted a pagan celebration known as Easter into a day devoted to the commemoration of our Lord's Death, His Burial and His resurrection for the purpose of reeling us from death, the just penalty of our own acts. Let us then gather together each Lord's day and picture a perfect man, who is both man and God, manifest in the flesh, suffering the agonies of the cross, becoming free from shackles of death, and the grave and reigning upon the right hand of God in order that our souls might have eternal life. Let us then depart determined to live the lives of the fulfillment of that mission.

Martin Kamstra, East Side Church of Christ, (Advertisement)

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

A straight pin pushed through the side of the cork in novelty salt and pepper shakers will prevent it from being pressed in too far.

Lipstick stained napkins and towels should be cleaned before laundering with a spot remover such as carbontetrachloride.

Wind your measuring tape on a discarded adhesive tape spoon to keep it clean and in order. When not in use, place the spool back in the round tin container.

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FOR SALE—1,000 pounds of Sudan seed.—S. T. Knox. 39-2tp

FOR SALE—Hibred cotton seed. First year seed.—Jim Davis. 40-1tp

FOR SALE—The M. P. Gray 2-room house near my home.—G. L. Cole. 39-1tp

FOR SALE—Second year Hibred cotton seed, \$1.50 per bushel.—T. H. Matthews, Thalia, Texas. 40-tfc

FOR SALE—Hibred and long staple cotton seed, well matured, at my farm.—Carl Zeibig. 40-2tp

FOR SALE—One 12-foot Baldwin combine in good running condition. Price \$500.00.—Howard Bursey, Thalia, Texas. 39-tfc

FOR SALE—Second year Hybrid Half and Half. Have been graded and culled. \$2.00 per bushel.—Ralph McCoy. 40-2tp

FOR SALE—Good planting cotton seed, first and second year. Hibred and 140.—Sim Gamble. 39-4tp

FOR SALE—Four mares, one mule and one coming 2-year-old stallion, works gentle.—Jack Murphy, 2 miles west and 2 north of Margaret. 40-1tp

PERMANENT WAVE, 50c! Do your own Permanent with Charm-Kurl Kit. Complete equipment, including 40 curlers and shampoo. Easy to do, absolutely harmless. Praised by thousands including Fay McKenzie, glamorous movie star. Money refunded if not satisfied.—Ferguson's Drug Store. 33-10tp

Wanted

WANTED—A small second-hand baby bed and mattress.—Dan Callaway. 38-3tc

PAINT SPRAYING—I make a specialty of paint spraying, such as gins, barns, roofs, also stucco or brick houses.—G. H. Hill, Vernon, Texas. Box 2123. 40-3tp

Two Minute Sermon

(By Thomas Hastwell)

Do Today the Things That Should Be Done Today: There is in my town a man who has had many opportunities for good positions, and who, because of his many good qualities, his splendid personality and enthusiasm, has held a number of good positions. One by one he has lost them all. Through capable and popular he has never been able to make much of a success in life because of one sin or one fault, which seems to dog his footsteps, and which he seems unable to overcome. That sin is the sin of procrastination. He seems unable to do today what should be done today. He puts off, and puts off, until he finds himself always behind, overcome with a multiplicity of tasks which have to be done all at once, and which, when they do have to be done all at once, are not done as well as his ability might easily enable him to do them. In my opinion procrastination is a real sin in this man's life as it is in the lives of all others like him. Like a plague it will follow him as long as he lives. Only a miracle and the power of a prayer can save him. The miracle will be a complete reversal of his habits, and the prayer will be: "God help me to do today the things I should do today."

THOUGHTS OF SERIOUS MOMENTS

True wisdom is to know what is best worth knowing, and to do what is best worth doing.—Humphrey.

A heap of ill-chosen erudition is but the luggage of antiquity.—Balzac.

The aim of education should be to convert the mind into a living fountain, and not a reservoir. That which is filled by merely pumping in, will be emptied by pumping out.—John M. Mason.

Thalia Lodge No. 666

A. F. & A. M. STATED MEETING Saturday Night, April 8.

Members urged to attend. Visitors always welcome.

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Meet tonight (Thursday), at 8:00 at the Odd Fellows hall. All members are urged to attend.

JIMMIE FRANKLIN, Noble Grand. E. H. CROSNOW, Secretary.

STATED MEETING of Crowell Lodge No. 840, A. F. & A. M., April 10, 7:30 p. m. and Mon. each month. Members urged to attend, visitors welcome.

T. S. HANEY, W. M. D. R. MAGEE, Secretary.

No Trespassing

NO TRESPASSING allowed on the Teague Estate land. No passing through.—Mrs. L. Kamstra. 31-tfc

TRESPASS NOTICE

Positively no fishing or hunting on any of my land on Beaver Creek.—J. M. Hill. 4-tfc

TRESPASS NOTICE—Trespassing on my place in the Vivian community known as the Harris place, and my place north of Crowell, is hereby forbidden. Please stay out.—J. H. Carter. tfc

NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land.—Furd Halsell. tfc

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CALENDAR ODDITIES



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Italy.—It may be optimism or it may be preparedness, but—an American Red Cross club here offers lessons in German, free, to all American servicemen who would like to know something about the language.

The man down the street says that while our divorce rate may indicate that this is the land of the free, our increasing marriage rate proves that it is still the home of the brave.

The size of the United States was nearly doubled by the Louisiana Purchase.

Andrew Jackson was the first Democrat to become United States president.

CHURCHES

Christian Science Church

Sunday services at 11 a. m. Wednesday evening services at 8:00 o'clock.

Sunday School at 10 a. m. Sunday, April 9, 1944. Subject: "Are Sin, Disease and Death Real?"

Truscott Church of Christ Bible Classes, 10:15 a. m. Communion, 11 a. m. Mid-week Service, 8:30 p. m., Thursday.

Martin Kamstra, Minister.

Methodist Church

Church School, 9:45 a. m. Church Services, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Young Peoples' Fellowship Meeting, 7:15 p. m.

Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet for their Bible Study Monday, 3 p. m.

The Church District Conference, also the Woman's Society of Christian Service District Meeting will meet in Chillicothe next Tuesday, April 11.

The pastor is conducting two classes in training in Church Membership daily for four days this week. One group meets at 4 p. m., the other meets at 4:30 p. m.

We are expecting a large attendance in all departments Sunday, which is Easter.

Special Easter music will be rendered at the eleven o'clock hour.

Let us make it family day at our church, urging all children to stay for the preaching service.

R. S. WATKINS, Pastor.

First Christian Church

Easter morning service beginning at 6 a. m. We invite the entire community to attend this beautiful service.

Bible School, 10 a. m.

Preaching service, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Subject for morning sermon, "If Christ Be Not Risen."

G. O. McMillan, Minister.

East Side Church of Christ

Sunday Services: Bible Classes, 10 a. m. Preaching, 11 a. m. Communion, 11:45 a. m. Preaching, 8:30 p. m. Ladies' Bible Class, 3 p. m., Tuesday.

Mid-week Service, 8:30 p. m., Wednesday.

Martin Kamstra, Minister.

Margaret Baptist Church

Sunday School, 11 a. m. Preaching Service, 12 m. Evening Services, 8 p. m. Come and help in the Lord's work.

A. C. Hamilton Jr., Pastor.

St. Joseph's Catholic Church

Time of Masses: October-April (inclusive). 1st Sunday at 11:00. 3rd and 5th Sundays, 9:00. May-September (inclusive) 1st Sunday at 10:30. 3rd and 5th Sundays, 8:00.

Truscott and Gilliland Baptist Churches

Preaching services are held at Gilliland on the first and third Sundays, and at Truscott on the second and fourth Sundays.

A most cordial welcome is extended to all. Delightful Christian fellowship.

J. W. ENGLISH, Pastor.

Truscott Church of Christ

Assembly of God Church

Services Wed. and Saturday nights, 7:30 o'clock. Sunday School 10 a. m. Morning service 11 a. m. and Sunday evening service 8:30 p. m. Every one is invited.

WARREN EVERSON, Pastor.

Thalia Church of Christ

Sunday 10:30 a. m., Bible Study. 11:15 a. m., Morning worship and Lord's Supper.

5:30 p. m., Church of Christ hour over station KVVW, Vernon.

7:30 p. m., Young People's Meeting.

8:15 p. m., Evening Worship. Wednesday

8:00 p. m., Mid-Week Meeting. NICK P. CRAIG, Minister.

Church of God

Sunday School, 10 a. m. Preaching, 11 a. m. Evangelistic service, 8 p. m. Bible Study, Thursday, 8 p. m. Young People's Service, Saturday, 8 p. m.

Mrs. Gertrude Alexander, Acting Pastor, Phone 34W.

SAFETY SLOGANS

The man who wakes and finds himself famous, hasn't been asleep.

Remember—the jaywalker has no defense.

The bank of safety pays 100 per cent and never fails.

Drinking and driving do not mix.

More than 200 men in the armed forces are taking courses by correspondence from the University of Texas, a recent survey shows. One-fifth of these are in overseas theaters of action.

Approximately 50 women are enrolled in a University of Texas war training short course to prepare them as engineering aides for the Aircraft Radio Laboratory at Wright Field.

Weekly Sermon

By the Rev. Wendell P. Loveless, Director of WMBI and WDLI, Chicago.

Friends

Christians are called by many names in the New Testament—brethren, heirs, children, sons, ambassadors, servants. But there is no term more intimate than that of friend.

When we pray, we feel we need something. When we serve, we feel we owe something. But when we are enjoying fellowship as friends, it is without special sense of need or obligation. Most of us know what it is to sit in the company of a true friend. There is expressed confidence, equality, enjoyment, liberty.

And the Lord Jesus deigns to call us friends! "Henceforth I call you not servants; for the servant knoweth not what his lord doeth; but I have called you friends; for all things that I have heard of my Father I have made known unto you" (John 15:15).

In John 12 we see the Lord Jesus in a home in Bethany with Martha, Mary and Lazarus. Here we find various attitudes of relationship. We observe that Martha was standing for service. Mary was kneeling at Jesus' feet for worship. But we read that Lazarus sat. How beautifully this indicates the friendly relationship existing between our Lord and this member of that family.

It is not gracious of our Lord to call us friends? There is no flippant familiarity intended here, but gracious intimacy. We have an illustration in the case of Abraham, who is called "the friend of God" (James 2:23). This refers back to the story found in Genesis 18. God said, "Shall I hide from Abraham that thing which I do?" Abraham was sitting in the place of friendship with God.

In Exodus 33:11 we read, "The Lord spake unto Moses face to face, as a man speaketh unto his friend."

In Ephesians 2:5, 6 we learn that God, "even when we were dead in sins, hath quickened us together with Christ (by grace ye are saved); and hath raised us up together, and made us sit together in heavenly places in Christ Jesus."

May we know the joy and blessed intimacy of being friends of the Son of God.

Christian Science Services

"Are Sin, Disease and Death Real?" the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, April 9.

The Golden Text is: "Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits: who forgiveth all thine iniquities; who healeth all thy diseases; who redeemeth thy life from destruction" (Psalms 103:2-4).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, and cometh down from the Father of lights, with whom is no variableness, neither shadow of turning" (James 1:17).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Sickness, sin and death, being inharmonious, do not originate in God nor belong to His government. His law, rightly understood, destroys them" (page 472).

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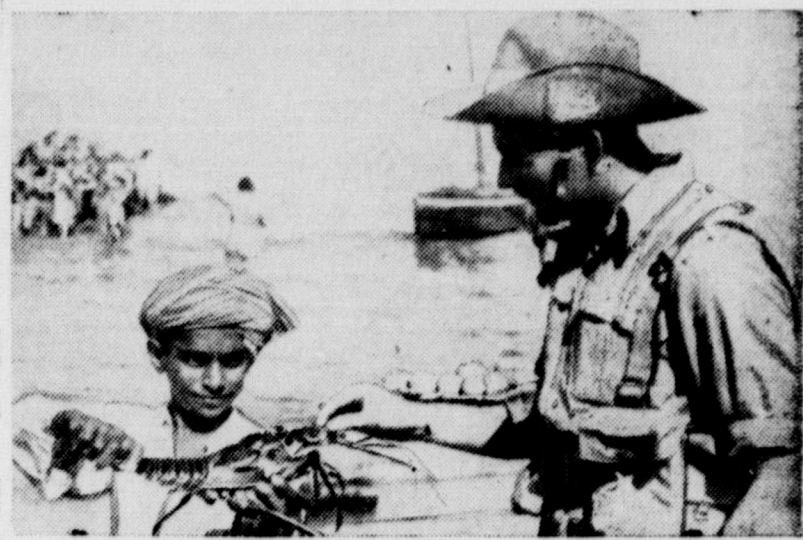
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Wanna Lobster, Mister?



This little Indian boy dived into the sea and returned with this lobster, which he graciously offers to Pvt. H. Fordy, of County Durnham, England. The village to which the little turbaned lad belongs was recently visited by 50 British soldiers, who toured the fishing hamlet, hundreds of miles from anywhere, and were later entertained by the villagers.

Whenever the value of the package exceeds the value of the contents, that's glamour.

Silas said he was late to work because he squeezed out too much toothpaste.

When a man looks down at the heel, there's usually a trim ankle above it.

Christiana, which means a turn in skin, was the former name of Oslo, Norway.

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Miss Westbrook Weds Easter Breakfast Lt. Starnes, March 25 Given by Mrs. Grady in Greenwood, Miss. Magee Saturday

Miss Dorcas Deane Westbrook and Lieutenant Wilson Starnes were united in marriage on Saturday evening, March 25th, at 8 o'clock at the home of Dr. and Mrs. S. H. Guess in Greenwood, Miss. Rev. John B. Dickson, minister of the Presbyterian Church, officiated at the marriage.

The bride was attired in a suit of ivory with which she wore brown accessories. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benton Westbrook of Truscott. She is a graduate of Truscott High School and also attended Harding Christian College in Searcy, Ark. For some time previous to her marriage, she was employed by the Archibald Supply Co. in Fort Worth.

Lt. Starnes is the son of J. C. Starnes of Vernon. He was reared in the Margaret community and attended school there. He is now stationed at the Greenwood Army Air Field. He has finished his first course in pilot training and is now on a short furlough.

While in Greenwood, the couple will make their home with Dr. and Mrs. Guess.

Mrs. Grady Magee was hostess to a number of friends at her home Saturday morning with a delightful breakfast which featured the Easter motif in all appointments. Easter baskets of flowers, rabbits and chicks centered each table which were covered with cloths also featuring the Easter scheme.

Each guest, upon her arrival, was presented with a beautiful corsage of pastel sweet peas. A delicious two-course breakfast was served after which games of bridge and 42 were enjoyed.

In the games, Mrs. Paul Shirley and Mrs. Leo Owens were given dainty satchets as high score winners.

The table centerpieces were given, in a cut, to Mrs. Tom Bell, Mrs. Kincaid, Mrs. Davis and Mrs. Alva Spencer.

The guest list for the pleasing occasion included Mesdames Paul Shirley, T. N. Bell, M. L. Hughston, Karl ten Brink, T. F. Hughston, Foster Davis, R. L. Kincaid, Gordon Bell, R. E. Lanier, A. S. Hart, Alton Bell, Alva Spencer, Leo Spencer, Leo Owens, T. B. Klepper, R. R. Magee and Henry Borchardt, and Miss Mary Elizabeth Hughston.

It was discovered by OPA officials recently that 30 per cent of the gasoline ration coupons in circulation in the Detroit area were counterfeit.

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ROTARY CLUB

Lieut. W. V. Favor, who has recently returned from active duty as a bombardier in the South Pacific, and his father, Rotarian W. V. Favor, of Quanah were visitors at the Wednesday meeting of the Crowell Rotary Club.

W. F. Kirkpatrick was in charge of the program and introduced Mrs. Clint White, who gave a very interesting and instructive talk on China, its history and its people and their customs.

The committee on nominations for officers for the club next year submitted the names of Herbert Edwards for president, Leslie Thomas for vice president, and L. E. Archer for secretary.

COLUMBIAN CLUB

On Wednesday, March 15, the Columbian Club met in the home of Mrs. B. W. Self with Mrs. Grady Hallbert as hostess. The program was on Natural History with Mrs. Agnes McLaughlin as leader and Mesdames C. R. Ferguson and B. W. Self as assistants. "A family of Bear Cubs," "The North American Hall of Mammals," and "Jewelry Around the World," were interesting subjects discussed. The hostess served a delicious refreshment plate.

On March 29, the Club met with Mrs. Sam Crews for the annual program on Fine Arts. "All Nature is but Art," and "Music is the Universal Language of Mankind," were the quotations to introduce the study. Roll call was answered with items of interest on music.

Mrs. Crews presented four of her pupils in a delightful program. Those taking part were Jean Hughston, Robert and Frances Kincaid and Marcia Kincaid. These children are all talented and rendered a program showing excellent training and thorough work on the part of the children. "Music Inspired by the World Wars," was capably discussed by Mrs. Charlie Thompson. "Over There," "Pack Up Your Troubles," and "There's a Long, Long Trail," were songs of World War II, to be heard over the radio today. Mrs. M. O'Connell gave an interesting study on "Color Strategy for Wartime," which is indeed an art and plays a necessary part in war tactics.

Mrs. D. F. Eaton was leader for the afternoon, and the hostess had as guests, Mesdames W. D. Howell, T. M. Beverly, Enos Todd, T. F. Hughston, Alton Bell and daughter, Caroline, and Mrs. Merl Kincaid.

A lovely refreshment plate was served. Mrs. Jno. S. Ray will be hostess for the next meeting on April 19, at the home of Mrs. R. L. Kincaid.

ADELPHIAN CLUB

"Timeless Land," by Elenor Dark, was presented in review by Mrs. W. B. Johnson during a meeting of the Adelphean Club, held Wednesday afternoon, March 29, at the Club House with Miss Florence Black as hostess.

Mrs. L. A. Andrews introduced the review by giving the history of Australia and New Zealand, discussing their discovery, government, population, climate, agricultural products and the important cities, closing her talk with a biography of the author, Elenor Dark.

"Timeless Land," is fiction built around history, giving a two-sided view of Australia, a study of two races, tribes, customs and progress, and the true facts in the settling of Australia. The scene of the story is laid around Sydney, which is second in population to England.

Preceding the review, Mrs. Merl Kincaid, president, directed a business session.

Refreshments of salad, salad wafers, cake and punch were served to twenty-two members and three guests, Miss Thelma White, Miss Nancy Cordell and Mrs. Todd.

The Club will meet on April 12 at the club house with Mrs. Earl Manard as hostess.

BIRTHDAYS CELEBRATED

A joint birthday celebration was held Sunday in the home of Geo. Myers of Truscott, honoring George Myers on his seventy-second birthday and Jess Boykin on his forty-first. It was also the birthday of Mr. Myers' son, Clyde Myers, of California.

A bounteous noon meal was served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Myers and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Myers and daughter, Peggy Joyce; Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Gordon and children of Foard City; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Carroll and children of Crowell; Irene Myers, and Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Boykin and sons, Gaylon and Elmer.

A huge birthday cake was given to Mr. Myers with seventy-two candles on it. After wishing the honorees many more happy birthdays, the guests returned to their respective homes.

Joe Lends Threshers a Hand



While on his entertainment tour for United States servicemen overseas, Joe E. Brown, film comedian, stopped along the Burma Road at this Chinese farming village, where he briefly joined two Chinese farm women in threshing grain.

Co-Laborers' Class Has Easter Party

The Co-Laborers' Class of the Methodist Sunday School was entertained on Wednesday evening of last week at the home of Mrs. Paul Shirley, with an Easter party. Mrs. Shirley was joint hostess with Mrs. W. B. Tysinger, Hartley Easley, Allen Sanders, Belle McKown and F. C. Brooks.

Mrs. Brooks supervised the program which opened with a song by the group, "He Lives." Mrs. Charlie Thompson and Mrs. T. B. Klepper sang, "Christ Arose," as a duet. Mrs. Shirley accompanying. A beautiful Easter story was told by Mrs. Brooks.

Mrs. Q. V. Winingham and Mrs. J. A. Stovall, in costume, gave a playlet entitled "My Man." Other parts of the diversion included contests and games which provided merriment and fun to those present.

A lovely salad plate was served by the hostesses to about thirty-seven guests. Other than class members, the guests included Mrs. Grady Magee, Mrs. Jim Cook, Mrs. L. E. Archer, Mrs. R. S. Carroll and Miss Nona Olds. The refreshment plate further emphasized the Easter motif.

Mrs. J. A. Stovall, who is moving her residence to Abilene, was presented with a parting gift from the class. Mrs. Brooks made the presentation with words of appreciation to Mrs. Stovall, who has been a member for many years.

Supper for Scouts and Parents Will be Held Thursday Evening

The Boy Scout committee and officers have designated Thursday night, April 6, as Scout Fellowship night and are asking the Scouts, their parents, Cubs, their parents and friends of both to co-operate by attending.

The main feature of the program is to be a supper to which all interested are invited and asked to contribute a covered dish of food of their own choosing.

In addition to the supper, there will be stunts by the Scouts and Cubs, a candle lighting service, an address, a court of honor with Carlos Baker, Scout Field Executive, in charge, an investiture service and the awarding of special honors to the Scouts.

D. F. Eaton, Scoutmaster, urges both mothers and fathers to be present, if possible, and one, at least. The meeting is to be held in the basement of the Methodist Church at 8:30 Thursday night.

This is a critical period for youth and Scouting is attempting

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RIALTO

Habitual Loss of Sleep Tends to Retard Body's Recovery

Austin.—Sleep is a necessity of life and health, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, and habitual loss of sleep will tend to retard the body's recovery from the fatigue of the day's activities.

"We may be able to go without sleep for a night or two, but too little sleep for a prolonged length of time will undermine the health of a rugged person and turn a cheerful individual into a cross, irritable one," Dr. Cox said. "When good health can be maintained to such a large degree by merely sleeping and thus allowing overtaxed bodies and minds to regain a proper balance, it is hard to understand why so many persons are heedless of this necessary requirement of a balanced program of life."

Some individuals need more sleep than others, the Doctor said, and the most valuable experiments in this line are the ones each person makes on himself. We must take into consideration in this experiment, however, that how well we sleep is as important as how long we sleep. A "good night's rest" means a sufficient number of hours spent in sleep to enable each individual to feel well, do efficient work, and to keep in a cheerful humor the next day.

"Some exercise out of doors each day will help us to sleep soundly at night. We must also have fresh air in our sleeping quarters. Give as much consideration as possible to the comfort of your bed and bedclothes. Do not mull over your problems and ideas after you have gone to bed. Make your plans early in the evening for a good night's rest by slowing down from the physical and mental work of your daily life. When you arise each morning rested and with a feeling of general well-being, you will be amply repaid for your thought in planning a 'good night's sleep.'"

to play its part in youth character development and the co-operation of all parents in this project will be evidence of the sympathy and support which is very much needed.

GAMBLEVILLE H. D. CLUB

The Gambleville Home Demonstration Club met on Wednesday, March 29, in the home of Mrs. J. C. Prosser with eight members and one visitor, Mrs. C. C. Joy, present.

Miss Elizabeth Elliott, county home demonstration agent, was present at the meeting and gave a demonstration on cheese making.

During the business session, Mrs. E. M. Davis gave a report of the council. The afternoon's program consisted of the following: "Questions and Answers on Selling Country Butter," Mrs. Millburn Carroll and "How About Using Dry Milk?" Mrs. Davis.

During the demonstration on cheese making, Miss Elliott made a cooked cheese from clabber and gave points on milk and dairy cleanliness.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. George Morgan on April 4. There will be a demonstration on the preparation of cosmetics.

ON HONOR ROLL

Miss Anita Traweck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Traweck, has been placed on the dean's list of honor students at North Texas State Teachers' College at Denton. The spring list of honor students has risen over that of last fall by three names.

The list includes the names of Junior and Senior students, who attended the fall semester of college and completed at least 12 semester hours of class work with an average grade of B and no grade below C.

Miss Traweck is a graduate of Crowell High School.

TRUSCOTT GIRL HONORED

Texas State College for Women gave public recognition on April 4 to 203 students of the college listed on the Dean's Honor

Roll for outstanding achievement last semester. Those listed is Miss M. J. Downing, junior accounting student of Truscott. To this honor, a student must at least two and three many grade-points as credit, and must have no or incomplete grades on a college record.

THALIA WMU

The members of the WMU of Thalia Baptist met on Monday, April 10, in business meeting with Mr. Long, president, in charge. The committee chairmaned on the year's work. A packed for Buckner's Home. The program for meeting will be Royal

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