

From The Editor's Window

The late peach crop throughout this area is almost a complete failure, according to reports, due to a dry freeze early last season. Some families have enough canned fruit to last well into the winter but very few of us have enough to tide us over until a new crop. Very few peach peddlers to date from more favored territories have appeared on our streets and as every one is trying to conserve his tires we are very much afraid the folks here will have to get along without our usual amount of canned peaches this season.

It is said that East Texas is enjoying one of the largest peach crops in years and in thousands of homes, rural and city, the crop is now rapidly being put into cans. According to the report some have already used their canning sugar rations and are going right on canning the peaches without the sugar, hopeful that there will be enough sugar on hand when the cans are opened for the family table.

Birth certificates no longer will be required to prove one's citizenship in order to secure work on government contracts Paul V. McNutt of the War Man Power Commission has announced.

From now on the applicant will merely be required to sign, in the presence of Army or Navy representative that he is a citizen of the United States and that he knows the penalty for the misrepresentation of facts concerning his status. Mr. McNutt said this procedure is intended to speed up government work that has heretofore been hindered by applicants having to wait their turn among the many thousands requesting birth certificates.

William Edward Wroe, widely known as the Spinach king in Texas, recently died at his home in San Antonio at the age of 72. He moved from Chicago to the winter garden district of Texas some years ago and immediately began the growing of winter spinach which he shipped out in car-load lots and was the first man to undertake the growing of the vegetable in Texas on such a large scale. Mr. Wroe is survived by his wife, a son in Chicago, and a daughter in Houston.

The Admiral was talking at a banquet on one occasion about racial characteristics. "Eight men," he said, "were once wrecked on a desert island. A year later a passing ship picked them up. The shipper of the ship later noted in his log that—The two Irishmen had fought each other twice a day.

The two Scotchmen had founded a Caledonian Society.

The two Englishmen had not spoken because they had not been introduced.

The two restless Americans had opened a real estate agency, with a Kiwanis club and a booster's league.

A lifeboat was overloaded and sinking. Three volunteers were called for that were expected to jump overboard and thus lighten the ship. A Frenchman arose and said, "Viva la France," then jumped. An Englishman arose next with "God save the King," and also jumped. Last, a Nazi arose and shouted, "Heil Hitler," then pushed an Italian overboard.

Walking along a lane one bright, sunny morning, the vicar met a local farmer driving some cows.

"Spring in the air, Mr. Giles," he hailed the man cheerily.

"What ever for, sir?" replied the farmer in amazement.

A contract for the sale of the entire rubber crop of Bolivia to the United States in 1943 has been drawn up and probably signed by this time, according to a recent report.

The crop has been estimated to be about 3,000 tons and the contract will run for several successive years.

The United States will pay 45 cents per pound which is expected to be about \$2,125,000 and will be used in the development of new plantations, better roads, and hygienic measures in the producing areas the report said.

Speaking of royalty—the secretary to Queen Wilhelmina has announced that an American, woman, Baroness Van Boetelcote of Washington, has been appointed lady-in-waiting to the visiting queen. The Baroness is said to be the first citizen of this country to be so honored. Before her marriage to

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Scholastic Transfers Must Be Made Before Saturday, August 1st

School patrons desiring to have their children transferred to another district should file their application on forms that may be obtained from the County Superintendent's office not later than August 1st.

Transfers may be legally made to any district in the same county and to adjacent districts in adjoining counties.

Under rulings of the State Department of Education children whose grades are taught in the home district and who are transferred to another district are required to pay their transportation if they ride a school bus. The rate of pay is \$1.50 for elementary children and \$2.00 for high school pupils each month.

B. C. CHRISMAN,
County Superintendent.

Madge Wagner Has Been Named New Farm Supervisor

Madge Wagner has been named new home management supervisor of the Farm Security Administration in Callahan County. She succeeds Veda Cole, who is to be inducted into the Woman's Auxiliary Army corps in Dallas Sunday. The new supervisor was district home management supervisor in South Texas, with headquarters at La Grange for some time. She is living in Abilene for the time being.

M. M. Little Injured Starting Power Last Friday

M. M. Little prominent oil operator who brought in the first well in the Seranton field on the Ledbetter was seriously injured last Friday, while trying to start the power plant. He was trying to hold a belt on the pulley with an iron bar of some kind and in some way the belt caught the bar throwing it striking Mr. Little on the right side of the back of his head. His son, Osborne was with him who picked him up and rushed home with him, where Mrs. Little took the car and carried him to the Graham hospital at Cisco, for treatment. His head was x-rayed and it was found his skull was fractured for about three and one-half inches with other minor fractures. He was reported to be getting along as well as could be expected. Wednesday morning, Dr. Clark who is treating him states he will have to remain in bed at least three or four weeks.

WOMAN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met at the Methodist Church, July 21 with Mrs. Geo. Parrish leading:

Musie—Take My Life and Let It Be.
Hymn—Lord Speak to Me.
Prayer—Mrs. W. N. Byrd.
Hymn—Wonderful Words of Life.

Poem—Silence—Mrs. R. F. Brown
Devotional—Gal. 4:9-11, Mrs. Parrish.

Vocal solo—Barbara Jackson.
Reading—Hope—Mrs. W. P. Yarbrough.

An article from the World Outlook was read by Mrs. D. R. Jackson.

Mrs. Slayden read a letter from the Conference President.

The president, Mrs. Brown appointed a nominating committee, consisting of Mesdames Parrish, Jackson and Clinton for the election of the new officers for 1943.

Mrs. Slayden presented the Benevolence poster to the members.

The next regular meeting will be called off and we urge all the ladies to attend the revival.

Benediction—Prayer for Peace, was read by the members.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stephens of Dallas, visited with Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Scott the first of the week returning to Dallas Tuesday morning.

Mrs. F. J. Haley of Baird and Mrs. O. A. Elkins of Austin spent the week visiting in the home of their cousin Mrs. T. L. Hamlin.

Maxine King is visiting her sister Mrs. Hugh Vernon Smith and Mr. Smith in Ft. Worth this week.

Last week's issue stated that Stanley Hurst would leave for the training July 27th. This was an error. Lester Hurst his brother has passed final examination and will leave for training July 27th. Lester is a son of Mrs. A. J. Hurst of Putnam.

Methodist Revival Begins Friday Eve

The Methodist Revival will begin Friday night July 24, with Rev. F. L. Willshire as the preacher. Services each evening at 9:15 p.m. with prayer meetings at 8:45 p.m. There will be morning services each morning next week at 10:00 a.m. We are expecting our members to attend and all others are cordially invited to attend.

Cisco Baptist Call Rev. Cooper Waters As Pastor

The Cisco Baptist church met in conference Wednesday evening July 15th, and after being without a pastor for several months the church unanimously called the Rev. Cooper Waters of Merkel to the pastorate of the Cisco church. Rev. Waters notified the church Thursday he would accept the call but stated he was in a revival at Merkel and was billed for a meeting at Shepp immediately following the Merkel meeting the second Sunday in August and it might be the latter part of August before he could begin the Cisco work.

Rev. Mr. Waters is a comparatively young man and is an eloquent speaker in the pulpit. He states he was born in New Mexico, 1915, but came to Wichita Falls with his parents at the age of four years. He secured his bachelor of arts degree from Baylor University, Waco. He lacked only two years of having a master of theology degree. He has been pastor at Merkel two and one half years.

Russell Sanders Assume Duties As A.A.A. Secretary

Russell Sanders assumed his duties Wednesday at Baird, as secretary of the Callahan County agricultural association, which is in effect administrator of the triple A program in Callahan county. He succeeds E. B. Hale, who three weeks ago took over as district performance supervisor in district No. 7.

3 YEAR OLD JOY RIDES WHILE ABILENE TURNED UP SIDE DOWN IN HUNT

Gary Coppinger, 3 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Coppinger of Abilene and formerly of Cottonwood, caused his parents and city policemen in Abilene no little concern last week as he wandered from his play pen and mounted a bus for a two hour joy ride over the city.

Missed only a few minutes after the lad's departure, his parents notified police and a hunt was immediately instituted. Abilene radio station interrupted programs to announce loss of the child and to describe his appearance.

After nearly two hours of exhaustive searching the little boy alighted from the bus in front of his home and rushed in to show his mother and father the many pennies fellow passengers had given him.

So elated were the parents to find the child safe and uninjured that disciplinary measures were indefinitely postponed.

PUTNAM BAPTIST REVIVAL BEGINS FRIDAY, AUGUST 14TH

The Putnam Baptist revival meeting to begin Friday night before the 3rd Sunday in Aug. By vote of the members last Sunday it was decided to hold the meeting at the tabernacle in the northeast part of town. Committee was appointed to secure seats and make other arrangements for the meeting. It is not known at present who will do the preaching, but will be announced later.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Nelson of Abilene and children and Mr. and Mrs. Clark Tabor of Clyde visiting the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Nelson Sunday.

Mrs. S. L. Seastrunk has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Buchanan the past few days enroute to Beaumont where she will join her husband who is employed there.

Gene Park has been visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Park for the past several days. He left Sunday for New York. He is employed in South America by the Texas Co., and has been several years.

The State Auditor Makes Report For All Old Age Funds

State Auditor C. H. Cavness makes the following report on funds collected for Old Age Assistance Fund have been properly handled by the State Controller and state Treasurer and that every individual old age assistance application who has been duly certified by the State department of Public Welfare has been paid full the entire amount to which he is legally entitled to date.

The auditor pointed out that under the present Federal law, with which the State law must conform, all monthly payments to each individual are fixed by the Department of Public Welfare after investigation of each case to determine actual individual need. He said that the amount of the cash balance that may be on hand cannot legally be used to increase the size of the check, that any excess cash over the amount necessary to pay the ones on the roll can be used only to increase the number, and that the total cash balance after the July 1942 checks had been written was only \$15,812.96.

The report also states that 176,413 old age assistance checks were issued during July or an average of \$19.86 per check. In July 1941 checks were issued to 144,359 old people averaging \$18.54. This is an increase in 12 months of 32,054 checks and \$132 in their average monthly amount. Since January 1941 the lowest average check was \$11.47 in May 1941, and July 1942 was the highest, average since the law was enacted.

John Holders Are Seriously Hurt In Automobile Crash

Mr. and Mrs. John Holder, formerly of Cross Plains, are both in a Big Spring hospital suffering with serious injuries sustained in an automobile wreck two weeks ago.

Mrs. Holder is said to be most critically hurt. Her injuries include a broken left leg, elbow and shoulder, crushed chest and neck dislocations. Mr. Holder underwent surgery Monday in an attempt to rebuild his knee, which was broken in 10 places.

A small girl riding in the car with the Holders was unhurt when she was thrown behind Mr. Holder's feet. It is believed that his injuries were made more severe because of his shielding the child from the impact of the crushed front of the automobile.

Another couple also in the car with the Holders sustained only minor injuries.

Mr. Holder is a brother of Mrs. T. D. Little and Mrs. J. W. (Jack) Lacy of Cross Plains.

The Holders now live in Stanton.

SINGERS MEET IN CROSS PLAINS ON SUNDAY AFTERNOON

The Cross Plains Singing Association met Sunday afternoon, July 19, at the Baptist church, with Willis Connelly, president, in charge of the program, which began promptly at three o'clock.

There were a number of singers from Coleman, Callahan and Eastland counties present.

The next association will meet at the Cross Plains Methodist church Sunday afternoon, August 10.

Our good friend Clyde King of the Dan Horn community was in Putnam Saturday and remembered the editor and family with a nice bunch of roasted ears which were fine and appreciated very much. Thanks Mr. King.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Eubank, Mrs. Roy Williams and son of Cisco visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Williams at Big Spring last week. Mr. Williams directs the music at the Big Spring Baptist church and is a son in law of Mr. and Mrs. Eubank and son of Mrs. Williams. Mrs. J. E. Heslep made the trip with them visiting Mrs. Tiny Jobe and other friends in Big Spring.

First Primary Election For State and Co. Offices Saturday

The primary election will be Saturday and it has been the quietest campaign in the history of the State or in many years to say the least. No interest appearing in any office with the exception of United States Senator and all the politicians appear to be after the scalp of O'Daniel and they may defeat him. However O'Daniel is playing an ace card on his stand against the racketeering of labor unions as has been done around practically every training camp according to reliable reports.

The News has picked for winners, Governor Coke Stevenson, Lieutenant governor, John Lee Smith, court of Criminal Appeals, Jessie James Harry N. Graves, State Treasurer. There are too many in the railroad commission's race to have any idea as to who will be the winner.

Lone Star Gas Reduction Effective By An Agreed Order

Agreed judgement entered in four courts at Austin Friday brought an end to nine year litigation and a reduction from 40 to 30 cents per thousand feet of natural gas in the rate charged by the Lone Star Gas Company in some 275 Texas cities and towns.

The company sells gas at wholesale reduction in the whole sale rate to the ultimate consumer as of May 15th, 1942, and the railroad commission which originally ordered a rate reduction accepted it. The company sells gas wholesale to Dallas, Fort Worth, Waco, Sherman, Denton, Denton, Wichita Falls, Sweetwater, Abilene, Temple, Bryan and Georgetown among other cities and towns.

The Lone Star Company has already announced they will pass reduction on to the consumer in the 175 towns which they are furnishing with gas.

MRS. HENRY MUNDT HONORED WITH A SHOWER WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Henry Mundt, recent bride, was honored with a shower on Wednesday afternoon at four o'clock in the home of Miss Jessie Lee McIntosh, hostess. Co-hostesses were Glyn Manard and LaJuan Gunn.

Miss Jessie Lee McIntosh received the guests at the door and invited them into the dining room where they were served punch and cookies.

Miss Glyn Manard presided at the Bride's Book. Misses LaJuan Gunn and Geraldine Armstrong presided at the punch bowl.

Following the refreshments the guests were entertained by Fredalyn Cook and Anna Frances Waddell with selections on the violin and accordion.

Following the duet Fredalyn Cook gave an accordion solo, "He's One A In The Army and A-1 In My Heart." Miss LaJuan Gunn gave a toast to the bride. The theme of the afternoon was patriotic.

Attendants were Mesdames. Joe McIntosh, Dale Clark, S. M. Eubank, L. A. Williams, J. N. Williams, Loren Everett, Fred Cook, Wiley Clinton, Mark Burnam, Mabel Carrio, K. E. LeVier, O. D. Allen, John D. Isenhower, Arnold Pruet, George Damon, Montie Gunn, E. C. Waddell, E. N. Hull, H. F. Butler, C. C. King, E. G. Scott, J. S. Yeager, Enna Lovelady, Misses John H. Clark, Fredalyn Cook, Naida Leigh Lowrey, Mary Burnam, Mary Brown, Ellen Williams, Marian Pearl Damon, Anna Frances Waddell, Jo Verle Everette, Gail Williams, Mary Helen Isenhower, Linda Lou and Betty Joyce Le Vier.

Those sending gifts were Mesdames. Lynn Williams, G. P. Gaskins, L. D. Maynard, F. L. Armstrong, Jim Heslep, Lula Fleming, Milton Crosby, Fred Golsen, Charley Davis, J. R. F. P. Shackelford, Gus Brandon, R. L. Clinton, R. E. Clark, U. L. Lowery, J. E. Green, Mary Guyton & J. A. Williams & W. W. Everett.

Mrs. Betty Mobley, Joyce Williams and Vanda Merle Lowery and Mr. Lon McIntosh.

Concluding the program the gifts were brought into the living room in a wagon decorated in patriotic style drawn by Jo Verle Everett, Gail Williams, and Mary Helen Isenhower.

Mrs. Mundt was the recipient of many beautiful and useful gifts.

J. L. Dorsey of Baird was in Putnam Wednesday afternoon and while here visited with the News for a few minutes and left one-dollar for his renewal to the little paper. Thanks Mr. Dorsey call again.

VOTE FOR J. S. YEAGER FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE



PUTNAM PRECINCT NO. 8
QUALIFIED — EXPERIENCED
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American Legion Wants Old Phonograph Records

The American Legion wants your old phonograph records. Old records—broken records—worn out records—as part of a plan to provide a constant stream of brand new phonograph records for army camps, naval stations, forts and marine bases here and overseas. Records are the only source of always-available entertainment for our boys. And many of them do not even get records. But with your help, we are going to see that they get them continuously, for the duration—wherever they may be. New phonograph records are what our boys want and will get. New phonograph records bought with the money provided from the sale of these old records as scrap.

To make your contribution give your old worn out, scrap records and broken records to the American Legion or to the persons in your community designated to receive them. The American Legion has volunteered to make these collections and you may be sure that your contribution reaches the boys in the Service.

Judge B. H. Freeland, Commander of Eugene Bell Post of the American Legion of Callahan County, in connection with the drive makes the following announcement:

"The following named persons and businesses have been named as collection centers to receive the records:

Cross Plains; Cleve Callaway; Jack Scott and The Cross Plains Review; Kemper's Cafe.

Cottonwood; Floyd Coffey. Ophi; Zack McIntyre. Denton; R. B. Paden. Dudley; Hawk Roberts. Fula; Smith's Store. Atwell; B. A. Foster. Rowden; Bill Taylor. Putnam; Fred Cook.

Clyde; Pete Bouchett's Service Station; John Bailey, BBB Drug Store.

Baird; Judge Freeland's office in Court House; City Fire Hall; T&P Cafe; Blue Arrow Service Station.

The quota for Callahan county has been set at 1500 records and the deadline for receiving the records for August 2nd. The time is short and the American Legion calls on every man, woman and child to assist in getting the records to the collection centers. Our boys will appreciate this effort to make them happy."

J. J. SHACKELFORD SELLS FARM, CONSIDERATION \$400.00

J. J. Shackelford, who has been in Louisiana for the past several months returned to Putnam, last week. He sold his farm this week to W. J. Shirley, consideration being \$4000.00, this figures a fraction over \$40 per acre. He owned little less than one hundred acres. However, practically the entire place was in farm land. The land is located about one and one-half miles southeast of Putnam. Mr. Shackelford will move back to Louisiana, where he and Mrs. Shackelford will make their future home.

Joe T. Steadham of Austin was in Putnam Tuesday in the interest of Coke Stevenson for governor.

Mrs. Joe E. Laffan of Big Spring visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pete King a few days ago.

R. N. HAZELWOOD PASSES AWAY AT RANGER MONDAY

R. N. (Red) Hazelwood as he was familiar known by his many friends died in a Ranger hospital Monday afternoon following a major operation. Mr. Hazelwood was about 71 years old and had lived in Eastland county for about 50 years coming to Eastland County from Tennessee in 1890, and settled near Seranton about 12 miles southwest of Cisco.

He came to Eastland county a young man and was married to Miss Leona Gifford of the Seranton community and to this family eleven children were born eight of whom together with his wife survive.

They are follows: E. L. Hazelwood, Dothan; Mrs. Cora Six, Vienna, W. Va.; Mrs. Enola Dungen, Baird; Mrs. Letha Coffey, Big Spring; R. C. Hazelwood, and J. W. Hazelwood, Abilene; Bob Hazelwood, Reich; and Mrs. Stella Grace Butler, Forsan.

Mr. Hazelwood, moved from the Seranton community to the Reich community many years ago and was a very successful farmer and was prominent in the county, being a trustee in the Reich district and was a candidate for county commissioner at one time. He was a member of the Methodist church since early manhood and had many friends throughout this territory.

Funeral Monday afternoon at Lane's Funeral parlor and interment in the Oakwood cemetery. Services conducted by the Rev. Sanders pastor of the Seranton Methodist church.

Eastland County Old Settlers Re-Union August 1-2

From Cisco Daily: The annual homecoming of Eastland counties will be held at the City Park in Eastland August 1st and 2nd.

A program of music, both vocal and instrumental will be presented throughout the two days' celebration. An invitation is extended to everyone in the county to attend and bring picnic lunches.

UNION DEMONSTRATION ON CLUB IMPROVING AND CANNING FRUIT

The Union Demonstration club is busy making improvement demonstrations and canning fruit.

Mrs. J. A. Yarbrough, Yard Improvement demonstrator for the Union Home Demonstration Club is doing home improvements as well this year. Mrs. Yarbrough has extended her living room 3 ft. and instead of three windows she now has five.

The walls have been papered and off-white and the wood-work is being refinished in the off-white. Mrs. Yarbrough says that the hall will be finished in the same manner. A new front porch with a concrete floor is replacing the old porch, the old porch being moved to the back door will be screened to form a place for the milk separators, etc. The house will also have concrete underpinning. In addition to these improvements another clothes closet has been added in the bedroom now making two large roomy closets for clothing storage, having one long shelf across the top with a rod directly underneath and shelves across one end from the ceiling to the floor. The upper storage space with its own door forms storage for luggage and quilts.

In yard work Mrs. Yarbrough reports that grass set out as late as April this year has covered the space and formed a good sod. Workers will make concrete curbs around the bed for foundation plantings for shrubs and flowering plants before their work is considered finished.

Between four and five hundred containers have already been conserved by Union Home Demonstration Club Home Food Supply demonstrators. Mrs. Burelle Ramsey This amount includes: Kraut, garden beans, peas, English peas, corn, pineapple, berries and strawberries. This food supply is stored in a concreted cellar on shelves with the walls and ceiling finished in white to aid in cleanliness and light, also a pantry in the kitchen.

Five hogs will furnish the pork supply for this family of four.

Lieutenant Chris Sunderman, who has been stationed in Florida for some time visiting home folks the past week. He is being transferred to Salt Lake City this week.

Maxine King is visiting Mrs. Hugh Vernon Smith and Mr. Smith in Fort Worth this week.

Mrs. J. H. Cunningham is back home again after spending several months visiting with her children in Jal, New Mexico.

Lee Ivey was in town last week seeing the voters in the interest of his candidacy for sheriff of Calhoun county.

Mrs. W. H. Bowne of Miami, Ariz. has been visiting her mother, Mrs. D. D. Jones and other relatives recently. She is a sister to Mrs. Homer Pruet.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Webb of Irving were in Putnam for a short while Monday afternoon. Mr. Webb was former superintendent of the Putnam high school.

Mrs. John McIntire who has been living at Canton, Ill., was in Putnam Monday afternoon and stopped at the News office, and said her husband has been taken in the Army and was stationed at Fort Clayborn, and she was going back to Sweetwater where she was employed. Mrs. McIntire is the former Miss Roma Yarbrough, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Yarbrough of the Union Community.

SAFETY RULES FOR SWIMMERS GIVEN

Some timely advice to vacationists concerning the proper precautions to be used in water sports has been released from the State Health Department by Dr. George W. Cox, State health officer.

It was pointed out that, in view of wartime restrictions, vacation pleasures are apt to be limited to excursions and picnics at nearby lakes, rivers and ponds of unfamiliar depths and currents and without the usual lifeguard supervision associated with bathing beaches and commercial swimming pools.

"Swimming and water sports are beneficial to good health provided one's physical condition justifies this type of exercise," Dr. Cox asserted; nevertheless, they possess dangerous possibilities if the rules of safety through carelessness or thoughtlessness, are disregarded. The State health officer outlined the following simple rules for bathing and swimming in safety:

At least one hour should elapse after a meal before entering the water.

Upon the first indication of fatigue, come ashore and call it a day. Don't reenter the water.

If becoming chilled, leave the water immediately.

Do not enter the water when overheated.

Learn to float. This is most important.

Never attempt to rock a boat in a spirit of fun.

Never swim in water that may be polluted. Swimming close to or even a few miles below sewage outlets is inviting the possibility of acquiring disease.

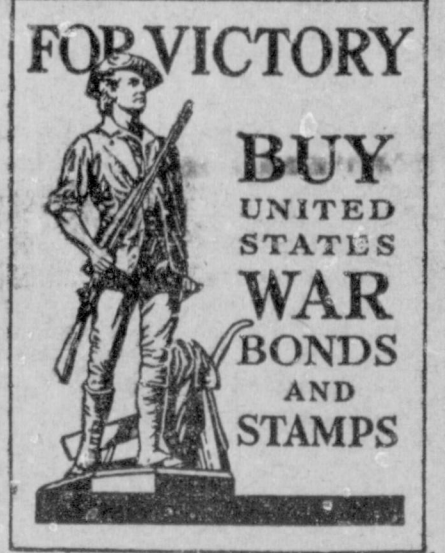
"Excursions, picnics, and swimming parties contribute much to a healthy, happy, normal life, which is especially desirable at this particular time when the whole nation is tense and under a strain," Dr. Cox said. "It is by no means advisable to eliminate these excursions from our summer programs but it is important that they prove beneficial and not disastrous."

Mrs. Hubert Buchanan left last Thursday for her home in Beaumont after visiting with her mother Mrs. A. J. Hurst for several days.

LOST or STRAYED from my pasture 3 miles southeast of Putnam one 2 year old Registered Berford bull, "Tattoo" 18 in right ear; no other mark or brand.

Wearing metal blind when last seen. If seen notify.

Earl Rutherford, Putnam, Texas



Political Announcements

The News is authorized to announce the following candidates for office subject to the Democratic primary July 25, 1942.

For 107th Representative CLEVE CALLAWAY

For Tax Assessor-Collector MRS. T. W. BRISCOE

For Sheriff C. R. NORDYKE LEE IVEY

For County Clerk LESLIE BRYANT

For County Treasurer MRS. WILL MCCOY

For District Clerk RAYMOND YOUNG

For County Judge B. H. FREELAND

For County Superintendent MRS. SIDNEY FOY B. C. CHRISMAN

County Commissioner Prec 3 E. C. KING

O. D. ALLEN

CLAUDE C. KING

JOE B. MCINTOSH

GUARD YOUR KNIVES FOR LONGER SERVICE

Every wise housewife should avoid abusing her knives because new ones will be hard to obtain with most available metal going into war equipment. To make your knives last longer and to keep them in repair, neighbors might form a "knife sharpening clinic" says Mrs. Bernice Claytor, specialist in home improvement of the A. and M. College Extension Service.

All household equipment will stay in better condition, whether in war or peace time, if it is kept clean. It should be checked occasionally by equipment dealers or persons trained in repair work who can advise on feasibility and cost of repair. Manufacturer's instructions for use of the appliances come in handy in prolonging the life of the equipment around the home.

Sharing household equipment with others is a good way to keep the Victory Demonstrator's pledge to "work with family and neighbors." Exchanging the use of a washing machine with a neighbor who has a sewing machine shows a cooperative and neighborly attitude, but it is more important for patriotic reasons because sharing will release metals, materials and labor for war production; will improve farm life for families who cannot afford equipment; and will save time, money and labor.

Whenever possible, sell or trade equipment you don't need, keep what you have in good repair, and postpone buying of new equipment until after the war. The money you save, you can invest in War Stamps and Bonds. The metal you save will help build another ship, plane or bomb, Mrs. Claytor says.

The East Texas timber belt is today capable of yielding \$7,000,000 cords of wood pulp, more than six times the total pulpwood requirement for the entire United States in 1930.

CO-OP BUYING AND THE TWO-WAY HAUL

Pooling orders and working out a two-way haul for exchanging such things as wheat for peaches or feed for syrup may mean better distribution of agricultural commodities and better fed Texans.

C. F. Bowles and Myrtle Murray, specialists of the A. and M. College Extension Service, say cooperative group purchasing offers one of the best ways to get rid of seasonal surpluses and make it easier for people to follow the Texas Food Standard, a simple guide to a good daily diet.

Marketing committees of many county home demonstration councils have pioneered in cooperative buying in Texas. Truckloads of citrus fruit, wheat and pineapple have been ordered, delivered, and distributed among home demonstration club women far from the localities where these are produced. Honey, sweet potatoes and other food crops may be purchased cooperatively, and Number 4 wheat for feed is being released from storage at prices which compare favorably with other grains.

The specialists add that farmers' cooperatives and other groups easily can pool their members' orders for grain or fruit and eliminate much of the cost and waste which often result from less direct distribution.

Here is one example of this type of cooperation. In the Panhandle, a federation of about 50 local wheat growers' cooperatives, has consented to serve as a clearing house for information regarding sources of wheat. And in the West Cross-timbers, a fruit growers' association is prepared to perform the same service for groups wishing to purchase truck loads of peaches.

SAVE FATS FOR UNCLE SAM NOW

Waste fat homemakers save in their kitchens for the nation's salvage campaign may one day sink an enemy battleship or help crumble axis fortifications on fronts the world over.

Grease makes glycerine, and glycerine makes gunpowder, explains Louise Bryant, specialist in home management for the A. and M. College Extension Service. She explains that every 10 pounds of fat saved in the nation's campaign will produce one pound of glycerine for gunpowder or other explosives needed in winning the war. The two billion pounds of fat wasted in American kitchens every year would provide two hundred million pounds of glycerine Uncle Sam badly needs, according to the Bureau of Home Economics.

Recently the War Production Board arranged with meat dealers to receive some of this waste fat from housewives, and the A. and M. Extension Service will cooperate with state and county salvage committees in helping every rural family in Texas know its part. Cooperation in the national fat-saving campaign is in line with the war-time Extension program—the Victory Demonstration—to which thousands of rural Texans are pledged.

The homemakers' part in the campaign is to use grease wisely in cooking and take her surplus fats to her nearest meat dealer or freezer locker plant. She'll receive money—probably five cents per pound. Fat should be strained and poured into clean, wide-mouthed cans, such as a colander can. "Keep the fat in the refrigerator or some dark, cool place until you have a pound or more," the specialist suggests.

Using fat drippings in preparing food will help in the movement, since it will prevent drawing on commercial stocks of fats and oils. Every tablespoon used means buying less fat.

Some homemakers have mistakenly feared a soap shortage would make it necessary to save their fats for making soap at home. But soap is a by-product of glycerine, Miss Bryant explains, so large supplies will be available.

ORCHID TEA

Lower classes of Venezuela use orchids to brew tea. Orchid tea is a common beverage among domestics, and is thought by them to be a sure cure for colds.

Texas State College for Women at Denton has a larger enrollment than any other state supported women's college in America.

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Mrs. W. H. Bowne of Miami, Ariz. is spending a few days visiting her mother, Mrs. D. D. Jones and other friends and relatives in and around Putnam. Mrs. H. A. Hart is a sister to Mrs. Bowne.

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EDITOR'S WINDOW

the Baron she was Ethel Litchfield of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. King Christian X of Denmark recently has been returned to his castle in Copenhagen after an operation for gallstones. The King is 71 years old and is said to be resting very well. The Duke and Duchess of Kent are the parents of a young son, born at their country home at Copple, England on July 4. The Duke of Kent is the youngest brother of King George and the little prince is said to be seventh in line of direct succession to the English throne.

The annual death toll of farm fires in this country is estimated at 3,500 lives lost. Two-thirds of the national fire loss occurs on farms and in rural communities.

Estimates place the effectiveness of fire prevention from 30 to 40 per cent greater now than during the last war.

FIRE CHIEFS SUPPLY INFORMATION ABOUT CIVILIAN TRAINING

Marvin Hall, State Fire Insurance Commissioner and Fire Defense Coordinator of the National Defense Committee for Texas, today requested local fire chiefs to supply him with information about local civilian defense training. "We are particularly anxious," Hall said, to receive the information recently requested of every fire chief on Fire Defense Form No. 3. This will supply us with information as to the number of persons in each community now being trained, or who have received training in first aid, rescue work, auxiliary fire fighting, and fire watching. Hall's appeal was directed to approximately 50 per cent of the organized fire departments in the state. About half have already ex-

PRECAUTIONS GIVEN ABOUT CAMP FIRES TO VACATIONISTS

"Prevent careless sabotage of our fields and forests—be certain your camp fire is out before leaving it." This is the plea of Marvin Hall, State Fire Insurance Commissioner, and directed to picnic groups and vacationists. With the vacation and out-of-doors picnic season approaching its peak, the Commissioner warns that open camp fires can become destructive. "If the fire is properly built," he said, "it will burn better and cook a meal faster. If it is properly protected, there is no likelihood of its igniting surrounding brush or grass." A few precautions, carefully observed, will make an out-of-doors trip more enjoyable and prevent destruction of the country-side by fire. Hall offers the following suggestions on camp fires: Clear all brush and grass from a space five feet in diameter. Build the fire in a wide hole in the center of it. A large camp fire is likely to get out of control, while a small one is safer and more satisfactory for cooking. Fires should be built away from trees, logs and grass. Fire in a spot exposed to strong wind is exceedingly dangerous.

Fires are more easily controlled when they are prevented.

pressed appreciation. In addition, the State Fire Defense Coordinator suggested immediate organization of training for civilian defense in those communities where no defense training activities have been held. "The information concerning training for emergency war conditions will not only be valuable in completing a war protection plan for Texas, but such information is urgently requested from us by OGD officials," he stated.

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IGIVE YOU TEXAS by BOYCE HOUSE

Folks, old Boyce House is so busy that let's fill up the space this week with a quotation from a man who can really write—former Governor Pat M. Neff, my good friend, as he is the friend of all the \$6,500,000 citizens of this State. In his book, "Making Texans," he pays this tribute to "The Hen":

The hen, hatched and raised in the lowly environment of the barnyard, has scratched her way to fame and fortune. Though she lives and labors in humble surroundings, her cackle—like the voice of freedom—is heard around the world. Hers is a universal language. It is understood wherever the tongues of men fashion the symbols of speech. Her beauty is unadorned in the realms of art but she is known wherever the dinner bell is heard or the banquet board is spread.

Hers is not the elfin grace of the swan. Hers is not the sweet song of the canary. Hers is not the colorful glory of the peacock. Hers is not the arrogant pride of the eagle. And yet all these feathered favorites combined do not rank as high in the affairs and the affections of men as does the placid, the diligent and the unpretentious hen.

"Pay as you go" is the hen's policy. She is self-sustaining. Not long ago, a carload of hens was shipped from Texas to New York and they laid enough eggs on the trip to pay for the freight.

This is an age of substitution. We substitute cotton for silk, oleomargarine for butter, and jazz for music; but there is not satisfactory substitute for the vitamin contents and mineral compounds of an egg. The hen has less than a teaspoonful of brains and she boasts of no college degree; yet she is the most expert alchemist of the ages. She mixes in her simple laboratory the elements of calcium, magnesium, iron, sodium, potassium, chlorine, sulphur and phosphorized fats — mixes them into rich and well-balanced nutrients in a sanitary and protective shell. She defies the world to make a substitute.

The home is the hub of humanity. On its stability, civilization depends. The hen is a home-maker. She supplies the table, fills the wardrobe and lifts the mortgage. The farm wife of the henless home has no bank account. The hen is the only

servant that can just "lay" around the house and still make money.

The hen, feathered aristocrat of the barnyard, the only billion-dollar bird beneath American skies, should be our national bird. No longer should the selfish, haughty, arrogant eagle, which never earns an honest dollar, adorn the nation's coin. Contrary to the American spirit, the eagle makes war on smaller birds and steals its daily food from creatures too weak to protect their own. All you can say in favor of the eagle is that it flies above the clouds and builds its nest high on the mountain crag. Its meat, its feathers, its eggs and its offspring are worthless in both the homes and the marts of men.

The image of the honest, patient, efficient hen who, by picking up the scattered grain and turning it into gold, has made her business one of the biggest industries beneath the American flag—hers is the image that should go upon our coin. She graces alike the paltry meal of the plebeian and the epicurean board of the plutocrat. She cackles but she does not crow. Her daughters are everywhere; her sons never set. Hats off to the hen!

Thank you, Governor Neff.

1941 COTTON LOANS HAVE BEEN EXTENDED

All 1941 cotton loans have been extended for an indefinite period. Maturity date previously was July 31, 1942.

The new plan, under which Commodity Credit Corporation will continue to carry the loans, permits producers to repay their loans and obtain possession of the pledged cotton or sell their equity after July 31, 1942, in the same manner as prior to the maturity date of the notes.

Lending agencies holding Certificates of Interest in 1941 cotton producers' loans will be permitted to carry certificates after July 31, 1942, under terms of agreement with CCC. The certificates will bear interest at 1 percent per annum.

Cooperative marketing associations also will be permitted to continue loans held for their members under 1941 CCC cotton Form G, after July 31, and the rate of interest to the associations on advances made to members will be the same as for lending agencies, according to P. C. Colgin, state AAA commodity loan specialist.

The new agreement for lending agencies and amended cotton Form G, will be forwarded to lending agencies and cooperative marketing associations by Commodity Credit Corporation, Colgin said.

Hershall Wagley is spending a few days visiting with his mother and other relatives and friends. He is training at San Francisco.

Mrs. Gordon Young of San Francisco is visiting with Mrs. A. J. Hurst the first of the week.

while Saturday morning.

Miss Evelyn Dennis of the Pueblo community was in Putnam for a lon.

Melvin Crawford left this week for Grand Prairie where he enters training camp in the airplane division.

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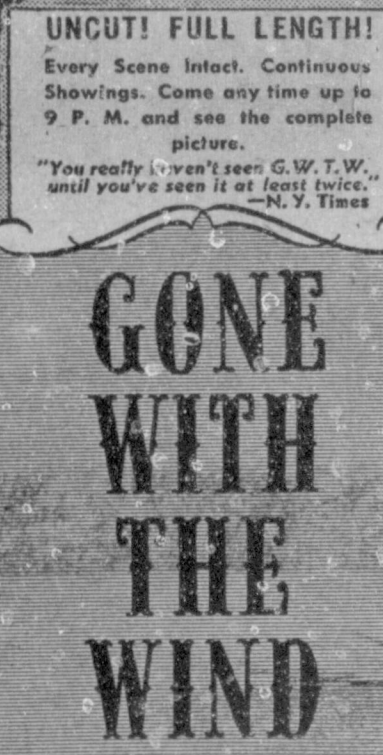
PALACE THEATRE CISCO SUN.-MON.-JULY 26--27



Mrs. F. I. Haley of Baird and Mrs. O. A. Elkins of Austin spent the week visiting in the home of their cousin Mrs. T. L. Hamlin.

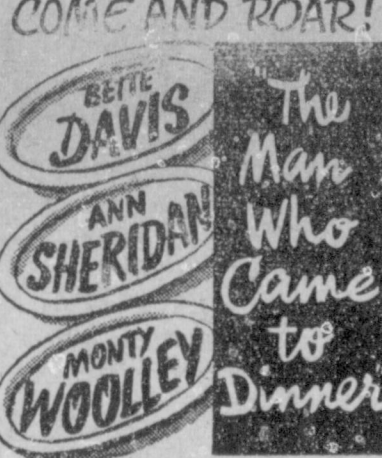
Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Culwell of New Orleans are visiting friends and relatives in Putnam, this week. The left for New Orleans their home Friday.

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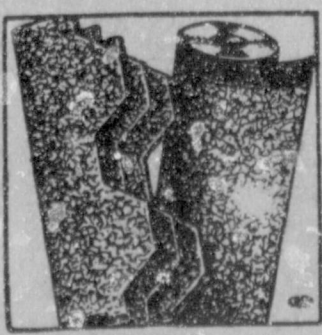
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L. D. Maynard

FOR PRECINCT CHAIRMAN PREC. NO. —

J. Rupert Jackson, Jr.

* **ATWELL** *

Rev. Charley Myrick of Brownwood filled his regular appointment at the Missionary Baptist church Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night.

The Protracted Meeting will begin at the above church on Friday night before the third Sunday in August.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jones and family of Abilene spent the week end with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Boykin and children of Gorman spent last week in the Leon Sykes home.

D. C. Foster, Jr., of Abilene spent the week end with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Barclay of Brownwood visited in the Nathan Foster and Howard Pillars homes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Purvis and Winona Purvis of Brownwood spent Sunday in the J. P. Purvis home.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Abernathy of Union visited in the D. L. Sessions home Sunday.

R. Z. Cozart of Scranton called on Charney Hutchins Sunday.

Mrs. Truett Foster and children of San Angelo are on an extended visit here with homefolks.

Ernest Jones of Leanders spent Thursday and Friday in the Ben Rife home.

Mrs. Weldon Gardner of Abilene spent the week end in the D. C. Foster home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harlow of Cross Plains spent Sunday p.m., in the home of her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morgan of Zion Hill, attended church here Sunday night.

SUGAR BEET EMERGES WARTIME RESOURCE

The sugar beet is making its debut as the most popular plant of the year. When in 1917 the United States entered World War One, the annual production of beet sugar was approximately 850,000 tons. In the intervening years production has more than doubled reaching a peak of 1,890,000 tons in 1940. Today there are 100,000 farmers growing beets for sugar on 1,000,000 acres of fertile land in 19 states. The number of field workers employed is about 150,000. Tens of thousands are also employed in factories and offices of the industry, which today is more necessary than ever, because it must furnish us with needed sugar supplies.

Sugar is not a luxury, but a necessity for a balanced diet. Together with starch, it is the most important member of the carbohydrate group. It is the fuel of the body, supplying both heat and energy when necessary, has long been recognized by athletes and army officials. Sugar rates high on a comparative scale of food values for its supply of energy and its digestibility.

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SO WELL, HE MADE THEM!

The good citizens of Berwick are agog!

Their volunteer fire chief for the past 20 years, Herbert Fish, was arrested on a charge of being a firebug.

State policemen said he confessed to starting two fires, one in a church and turning in two false alarms.

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To those of you who I have missed I ask that this little message be accepted as a personal appeal for your suffrage. If elected you may be assured that I will work tirelessly to make you the kind of Sheriff I think the people of Callahan county want to have a right to expect.

Too, I wish to thank every citizen of the county for the courtesies shown me during the campaign and wish for everyone of you the choice blessings of life.

Sincerely,

LEE IVEY

HARVEST AND GROW TIMBER AS A CROP

COTTONWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Rutledge and children of Brownwood visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Pearl Rylee and Eunice Hembree were Baird visitors Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Brower of Abilene visited with their grand-sons, Fred and Bobbie Smith this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Coppinger and children visited in the home of Judge and Mrs. B. H. Freeland of Baird Saturday night.

Mrs. Floyd Coffey and children and Mrs. O. D. Strahan visited in Cisco Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Moore of Breckenridge spent the week end with homefolks.

Mr. J. R. Ramey of Brownwood visited with his family last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Thomas and Wilmalee of Cisco visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Shirley of Goldsmith spent Saturday night with his mother, Mrs. W. B. Shirley.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Coffey and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heyser left Tuesday on a fishing trip to the Buchanan Dam.

Mrs. R. C. Thompson, Mrs. Pearl Rylee and Mrs. Susie Peery spent Tuesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Smedley of Rowden.

Lavonia and Celesta Redden went home with Mr. and Mrs. D. Moore, last Sunday for a two weeks visit.

Little Vernetta Davis of Putnam visited with her aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Coffey last week.

Mrs. T. M. Hensley of Abilene spent the week end with Eunice Hembree.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Arvin were Cisco visitors Monday.

Mrs. Loy Carter and children of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Thomas this Houston are visiting her parents, week.

Mrs. Bill Noel and son is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Varner this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Addis and children of El Paso visited with her mother, Mrs. R. J. Young last week.

A clockwork bird, capable of singing 12 airs, was inside an Easter egg presented to the eldest daughter of King Louis XV of France.

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To make all your friends feel that there is something in them.

To look at the sunny side of everything and make your optimism come true.

To think only of the best, to work only for the best and to expect only the best.

To be just as enthusiastic about the success of others as you are about your own.

To forget the mistakes of the past and press on to the greatest achievements of the future.

To wear a cheerful countenance at all times and give every living creature you meet a smile.

To give so much time to the improvement of yourself that you have no time to criticize others.

To be too large for worry, too noble for anger, too strong for fear, and too happy to permit the presence of trouble.

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