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City Charter Will Be Put To A Vote In Lamesa May 1

Members of the Charter Commission, with M. C. Lindsey as chairman, finished their study of the proposed charter at a meeting held in the local Chamber of Commerce office Tuesday night, February 20.

Members of the commission agreed unanimously on the proposed city charter which has been prepared. The charter will be printed and individual copies will be mailed to each voter in the city of Lamesa. An election is to be held in this city on the first Tuesday in May, which is May 1, and voters will cast their votes for or against the charter. If a 2-3 majority favors the new government, the charter will be used as a new form of city government.

According to M. C. Lindsey, commission chairman, the suggestions recommended in the proposed charter will change the present government of the city to a city manager form.

He explained that under this form five councilmen are to be elected and they, in turn, are to select a mayor. Two councilmen will be selected on the even years, and three on the odd years.

The council, which is to be elected at large, will hire a city manager, secretary, police force, and other necessary offices.

Under the proposed charter, the mayor of the city will receive a salary of \$25.00 per month and each councilman will be paid \$10.00. These officials are to meet at least once a month and may meet more often.

According to the charter, tax rates will be the same as heretofore. It is a rule that citizens can amend the charter any time, and that a qualified voter of the city can run for councilman.

Chairman Lindsey stated that the charter commission would hold a meeting later to draw up the final draft of the charter, and that soon thereafter it would be mailed out to the citizens, who vote on it in May.

Members of the commission attending the Tuesday meeting included: M. C. Lindsey, Henry Norris, Wright Boyd, Ira Ashley, George Norman, Homer St. Clair, E. W. Renner, Charnell Jobe, W. B. Osborn, O. W. Richardson, W. K. Crawley, W. H. Collins, Audrey Cox, and J. H. Harp.

Fifty-Eight Here Have Been Given Tire Certificates

The local tire board met Tuesday, February 20, and granted tire certificates to the persons named below.

Those issued passenger grade only tires included Continental Oil Company, Raymond B. Hatch, Ben Allen, Leroy Surface, T. A. Bralley, Fred Dossey, John T. Agee, Fred Hall, W. H. Hall, G. V. Cope, D. O. Blackmon, E. B. McCulloch, L. E. Brownlow, John Banta, A. E. Weeks, W. J. Hogue, Herbert Flenniken, D. V. Wade, H. C. Powell.

Alton Lewis, J. M. Peterson, R. H. Smith, R. G. Patterson, B. F. Painter, C. B. Norris, Maria Torres, H. D. Barnett, A. D. Kirkland, J. G. Rogers, S. G. Read, G. R. Baker, H. V. Bartlett, L. R. Bagwell, Tom Glenn, S. M. Latham, W. E. Love, S. R. Simpson, G. E. Smith.

O. L. Collins, H. B. Hutchinson, E. T. Huse, D. Patterson, Bennie E. Wilson, Ira Henson, M. H. Fair, E. K. Hill, C. A. Fields, Millard McDowell, Orin Holden, J. R. Middleton, and Wilton C. Gruben.

Truck tire certificates were issued to John A. King, H. A. Simmons, G. C. Futrell, Higginbotham Feed & Elevator, E. E. Brown, Dawson County, and M. G. Hazel.

Mrs. Negy To Speak At Agents Meeting In Dallas On Sunday

Mrs. Myrtle Dickie Negy, county home demonstration agent, will speak before the state board of directors of the Texas County Home Demonstration Agents Association on Sunday, February 25. This session is to be held in Dallas.

The local home demonstration agent will discuss the National 4-H Club Congress, which she attended Chicago last December.

Dr. Ide P. Trotter, director of Extension Service in Texas will attend meeting, in addition to the directors from various district in Texas.



Pvt. Jimmie McCarty, paratrooper, is the brother of Miss Tammy McCarty of this city. Word from the War Department was received here February 12 that Pvt. McCarty was wounded January 18, in Belgium, and later communications revealed that shrapnel entered his arm, going through his elbow and lodging in his arm. Pvt. McCarty reports that he is doing fine now and is in a hospital in France. He entered the service 20 months ago and has been overseas since August. Three of his brothers are also in service, and all are overseas.

Union Cops First Half District 15 In Ball Tourney

Members of Union girl's basketball team took the first round of the tournament to determine the representative for district 15, at the state tourney to be held at Hillsboro.

The tournament which was held Saturday, February 17, at Union gym, found Union meeting Knott, Flower Grove tangle with Klondike and Stanton drawing a bye for first round.

In the initial game Union had little trouble eliminating Knott by a score of 30 to 9, Knott failing to score a field goal. Moore of Union was high scorer with 9 points for the winner while Kemper sank seven free pitches in the basket to score most for the loser. Substitutions were frequent for Union with second stringers seeing much service.

Second game of the affair witnessed Klondike and Flower Grove in the closest game of the tournament in which Flower Grove downed Klondike sixteen to twelve. Harris of Klondike led the scoring with all twelve points for the winner for top honors for her school.

In the third game Union eliminated Stanton 18 to 9, with Union using frequent substitutions and second string girls playing about half the time. Moore of Union was high point scorer with four field goals and two gratis pitches while McClain scored seven of the nine points for Stanton.

In the final match, Union eliminated Flower Grove 32 to 10 taking it easy most of the time and using many substitutions. Moore of Union with ten points, topped scoring honors but was pushed by Hogg of Union who scored nine of her team's points.

Other features of the evening was a game between Courtney and the Union 1944 team which resulted in a victory for the latter with a score of 27 to 15. The game was a closely played affair until the third quarter when Union's team pulled away scoring twelve points in this period while the visitors were collecting only two. The Klondike boys school team and Flower Grove boys played a good hustling game to even the entertainment for the evening. The final score showed Klondike outlasted the Flower Grove boys 30 to 27.

The district membership agreed to play a double elimination tournament to determine the representative to the state meet at Hillsboro and the tournament will be completed next Saturday at Stanton with the same five teams, but will be played in a revised bracket.

Six Week Reports To Be Given At School

Superintendent V. Z. Rogers reports that the fourth 4 weeks grade period for the local high school ends this week.

He states that pupils will receive grade reports at the latter part of the week.

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Noted Lecturer On China Will Be Here Friday Night

Geraldine Townsend Fitch is an author and lecturer in the field of Far-Eastern affairs. She was born in Michigan and is a Phi Beta Kappa graduate of Albion College. Shortly thereafter she accepted an assignment which necessitated extensive travel throughout China. She sailed for that country 25 years ago on a steamer which carried 2,000 Chinese coolies home from the war in France. Mrs. Fitch left China during the first year of Japan's invasion to take her two youngest sons out of air-raids, leaving her husband and two grown sons still in war torn China.

Friend of Chinese women from Madame Chiang Kai-shek down, Mrs. Fitch was chosen a member of the Chinese delegation to the Pan-Pacific Conference in Honolulu in 1930, a signal honor to come to one not Chinese. Past president of the American Association of University Women, active in the American Women's Club, she has kept in close touch with the women of her own race as well as those of her adopted country.

Geraldine Townsend Fitch thought life in America ended where life in China began. Not so. She returned to this country to be the only woman to testify before both Senate Foreign Relations and House Foreign Affairs committees on neutrality revision and the Far East, attracting international attention by her unusual understanding of Far-Eastern affairs. She has also been much in demand as a speaker on China, and has made 17 trans-continental trips, either to protect the sale of war materials to Japan, to raise relief funds, or to lecture on Rotary Institute of International Understanding. Her husband, who is Regional Director for the Y. M. C. A., in Northwest China, is a past president of both the Shanghai and Chungking Rotary Clubs.

Mrs. Fitch has been a feature writer for the leading English daily in Shanghai, a book reviewer for the "China Weekly Review," and has had many articles in newspapers and magazines in this country. By experience, ability, and training, she is unusually competent to speak on "The New China in the New Pacific," which is the subject of her address at the Rotary Institute program on Friday, February 23, which will be presented in the Lamesa High School auditorium at 8:30 p. m.

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Morelands' Have Bought The Frank And Ed's Grocery

G. F. Moreland and his son, Jack Moreland, have purchased what was formerly known as Frank and Ed's Grocery, and are now operating it under the name of Moreland Food Store. The firm is located at the intersection of the Seminole and Brownfield Highways.

The store has been operating under their supervision since February 15, with G. F. Moreland in charge of the meat market, and Jack Moreland, in charge of the other department.

The two are well known here, and have been in this field for several years. Jack Moreland has been employed at Beale Food Store in Roswell, New Mexico. From 1932 to 1938 he was employed at Wilkes Grocery Store in this city. His father has been living in this county since 1924, and has previously worked at Campbell Grocery, Wood & McSpadden Grocery, and for a time operated George's Potato Chip Company here.

Two Plays Will Be Given At Klondike School On March 2

Pupils of the Klondike High School will present two plays at that school on Friday night, March 2. The program is scheduled to begin at 8:30 p. m.

Arrangements have been made to present "From Punkin Ridge" and "Crazy To Reduce," two comedies which are expected to furnish you with a full evening of fun and laughter.

Admission to the plays has been placed at 10 cents and 20 cents. Everyone is extended a cordial invitation to be on hand for the program Friday night.

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S-Sgt. William S. Land, son of Mrs. Alma Land of this county, is stationed overseas in the European Theatre of War. Sgt. Land wears the Purple Heart for wounds received in November somewhere in the Luxembourg area, and is holder of the Experts' Combat Badge also. He is a member of the Infantry.

Additional Items Recovered By Sheriff Bennett

Sheriff A. M. (Buck) Bennett returned Tuesday night, February 20, from Huntsville, after taking Jim Thomas, charged guilty with the Dr. Roy Hunt murder, to the Huntsville Penitentiary.

Enroute home, Sheriff Bennett went by Schulenburg and recovered some stolen property, including men's clothing, women's dresses, and coats. He also stopped by



Perry Land, another son of Mrs. Alma Land, is a member of the Navy, and is stationed somewhere in the Pacific War Theatre. He serves as Sound man on his ship. In a recent communication to his folks, Perry reported that he had been in the operations around Luzon and had 2 or 3 narrow escapes.

Columbus and picked up a rifle.

This is a part of the merchandise which 3 men and a woman were charged with stealing recently. Persons, who have been arrested in connection with the burglary, are said to have stolen goods in Dawson, Terry, Lynn, Gaines, Borden, Howard, Martin and Sterling counties. The articles which the sheriff recovered this week are said to be a part of their loot.

Sheriff Bennett states that all the stolen articles which have been recovered are at his office in the courthouse, and reports that he will be glad for persons to come there and identify their articles.

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RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR THE LOCAL LIVESTOCK SHOW IN APRIL HAVE BEEN LISTED

General rules and regulations for the Dawson County Livestock Show to be held at the fair grounds in Lamesa on April 4, 5, and 6 have been submitted and are given below. Exhibitors, superintendents, and judges are requested to thoroughly familiarize themselves with all rules of the show in classes and departments applicable to their exhibit. It is stated that all special rules of each division must be observed.

Rule 1 applies to the interpretation and violation of rules. It is said that the Dawson County Livestock Show, hereafter referred to in rules as "the show," reserves to its Executive Committee the final right to interpret these rules and arbitrarily settle and determine all matters, questions, and differences in regard thereto. Any exhibitor who violates the following rules will forfeit all privileges together with premiums won and be subject to such penalty as the Executive Committee may order.

Rule 2 which concerns liability, states that all exhibitors will be under the control and direction of the manager. The show will in no case be responsible for any loss or damage that may occur. Each exhibitor will be solely responsible for any consequential or other loss, injury or damage done to, or occasioned by, or arising from any animal or article exhibited by him and for its description as given in the catalogue. He shall indemnify the show against all legal or other proceedings in regard thereto, as well as damage or injury to any other person or property, caused by the exhibitor or any of the animals exhibited by him or arising out of, or in any way connected with such exhibition or any of the animals so exhibited. This rule shall apply to any and all animals brought on the show grounds.

Involved in rule 3 is a persons application for entry. According to this rule no 4-H or FFA exhibit will be accepted direct from the club or chapter member. All such entries must be made by the supervising county agent, or vocational instructor to the secretary of the show. These entries must be made on printed forms furnished by the show, and must be filled out completely in accordance with the instructions on same. Exhibits in all other divisions of the show must be entered by the exhibitor direct to the manager of the show.

Rule 4 includes regulations as to time of entries, and states that all entries close in every department at 12 o'clock noon, April 4, 1945. (Continued On Back Page)

Twenty-Four Are Re-Classified By The Local Board

Members of the local selective service board met Tuesday, February 20, and classified the group of men listed below:

Charles Ham and Thomas Bertman were classified 1-A. Men 1-C inducted include Cecil Field, Walter White, Arthur Scott, Jack Vaughn is 1-C discharged. James Leig is 2-A, and Horace Jones was classified 2-BF. Alton Crouch is 2-C.

Men designated 4-F are Ellis Agrock and Alberto Baltasar. Classified as 4-A are Thomas Howard, William Gilliam, Slater Johnson, Bonnie Horn, Suttle Purcell, James Norris, Clive Russell, Carroll Gritson and Ruben Lambright.

A Farm Laborer Meet Will Be Held Here On Friday

On Friday, February 23, at 2 p. m., a farm labor meeting will be held in the courtroom in the local courthouse, according to an announcement from T. A. Barfield, county agent.

A legal representative from the state office will be at the session to lead a discussion on migratory labor plans for the coming year. It is stated that the Extension Service plans for better distribution of labor through this area, and ways to obtain more laborers for the county for the coming harvest will be discussed. Sanitary conditions and parking space for laborers will be another item which plans will be made for.

All representatives of farm agencies, the city and county commission, the county judge, representatives of the Chamber of Commerce, and farmers and labor groups are asked to be at the courthouse Friday for this session.

Medal Awarded To Sgt. Onial King

Sgt. Onial King, the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. King of this city, has been awarded the Bronze Star, according to word received here recently.

The award was made because of Sgt. King's personal interest and efforts in the showing of a movie to a quartermaster's depot in the Pacific War Theatre. While he was showing a film, the spring which turned the reel broke, and Sgt. King completed the film by turning the reel by hand for more than half of the show.

His commendation for this service reads: "Such conduct shows thoughtfulness and consideration as his behalf."

Sgt. King entered the service approximately 3 years ago, and for the past 2-3 years has been overseas in the Pacific Theatre.

Sgt. King's wife and son, Charles, make their home in this city. A brother, B. H. King, was killed recently in the Pacific Theatre of War.

Gus Ragsdale And O. D. Harris Purchase Magnolia Station

Gus Ragsdale and O. D. Harris have announced the purchase of the Magnolia Service Station on North First and Dallas Streets, was formerly owned by Maurice Sharp.

Magnolia Petroleum products will be handled, and both Ragsdale and Harris will operate the firm. The men are widely known here, Ragsdale having formerly operated a station in this city for 19 years, and Harris having been connected with the Ford plant here for several years.

Cream Records Due By February 28th

C. E. Tarter, administrative officer at the local AAA office, reminds local agriculturists that February 28, is the last day to turn in cream stub records for the month of November and December.

These cream records are to be taken to the local AAA office, where farmers can receive payment on them.

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Workers For Red Cross War Fund Drive Have Been Announced For This Area



Work will begin March 1, on the 1945 Red Cross War Fund Drive, with a breakfast for all workers who will take part in the campaign. The breakfast is to be held at the Plaza Hotel, and immediately following it workers will begin their business house and house-to-house canvass for funds which will complete the goal for Dawson County.

The Rev. Cal. C. Wright, minister of the First Methodist Church in this city, is to be the featured speaker at the breakfast. He will discuss various phases of Red Cross work, and the importance of Dawson County's drive.

The \$12,000 county goal has been split among the city and the various precincts of this territory. The city is to raise \$6,300 for the drive with each precinct raising \$1,575.00.

Dr. J. M. Harrington, chairman of the campaign, and Mrs. Tom Woods, assistant chairman, have announced the campaign workers in this city. Women who will assist are Mesdames W. H. Collins, Sam Frazier, D. W. Massengale, Dick Jones, J. R. Leuenberger, J. H. Stanfield, Gordon McGuire, Jr., Charlie Bird, Barney McKinney, Joe English, Don Emory.

Karl Cayton, Robert Koger, E. O. Kutch, Jimmie Cotten, James Sumpter, Wright Boyd, E. R. Tinsley, M. E. Boren, Bill Phillips, Albert Heath, George Norman, Arthur Hull, C. A. Hollingsworth, Marshall Crawford, Fred Mitchell, J. W. Howell, Frank Jones, and Elzie Burleson.

Men who will render their assistance are L. B. Vaughn, Erwin Wright, Albert Heath, James Sumpter, Bill White, C. E. Cameron, Gordon McGuire Jr., Millard McDowell, Clarence Martin, Olen Earnest, D. O. Blackmon, J. R. Earnest, Ed Dohse, and Johnnie Earnest.

Hudson Landers will supervise the drive at Lamesa Field.

Although the Red Cross War Fund Campaign is slated to run throughout the month of March, it is hoped by officials that it will be completed early in the month. Officials ask that you have your contributions ready for them when they call at your business or at your home. They remind you that this is not a membership drive but a fund raising campaign for the 1945 Red Cross War Fund, and ask you to make your donations as generous as possible.

G. C. Aten chairman of the drive for precinct 2, states that he and his co-workers will be ready to work that territory when the campaign begins on March 1. They plan a house-to-house canvass, and workers are as follows:

Mesdames Ellet Wright, Jesse Adams, Ed Dorsey, Matt Gilliam, Edna Middleton of O. E. Mesdames Bert Stegman, O. H. Harwick, Herbert Green, Matt Hughes, F. M. Middleton of Hancock.

Mesdames George Hardesty, E. N. E. E. O. H. Morris, Ed Hatch, Ben Moore, G. C. Chitt, M. A. White, Sr. J. Wheeler, Miss L. Powell of Lamesa; Mesdames Homer Hancock, B. B. Street, E. O. Kirby, Earl Gillispie of Harmony; and Mesdames W. O. Reeves and D. L. Adcock of Woody.

In connection with the drive chairman Aten made this statement: "The Red Cross can help our boys in service as much as we give through the drive. The organization is doing a great work, so we must be willing to back them up by doing our duty. Make your donations as large as possible and help put the drive over successfully here."

Tennie M. Dyer And Friends May Give Music Recital Here

Miss Tennie Marie Dyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Dyer of this city who is a senior with a music major at the University of Texas, has informed local school authorities that she and three of her student friends will be in Lamesa on Monday, February 26. There is a strong possibility that the visiting musicians will appear at the high school auditorium in joint recital on that date. Persons interested in music are invited to watch for announcements concerning the program.

Miss Dyer was accompanist for the high school orchestra and choral groups while a pupil there and has made an excellent record in her music studies at Baylor University and later at the University of Texas.

Coaches Fitzgerald and Sanders are working with about forty candidates for track team membership. The squad is expected to increase now that basketball competition is ended for the local teams.

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TO: H. E. KING and MRS. H. E. KING, if they are living; and if they are each of them deceased, or either of them, then his or her unknown heirs, administrators, Executors, assigns and legal representatives, and of them or anyone else who claims any interest or rights under a contract of sale from W. H. Turner to H. E. King dated December 1st, 1922 and recorded in Volume 32, page 391 of the Deed Records of Dawson County, Texas. And of J. C. RASCO and MRS. J. C. RASCO if living and if either one of them are deceased, or both of them, then all their unknown heirs, assigns, administrators, executors or legal representatives or of anyone else who claims any right or interest under or by virtue of a contract dated January 22, 1923 from W. H. Turner to J. C. Rasco and recorded in Volume 31, page 344, Deed Records of Dawson County, Texas, whether they are specifically mentioned herein or not. And of W. H. TURNER, a non-resident of the State of Texas and of the unknown heirs and legal representatives, executors and assigns of MRS. HALLIE TURNER, Deceased.

GREETING:

You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 9th day of April, A. D. 1945, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. before the Honorable District Court of Dawson County, at the Court House in Lamesa, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 21st day of February, 1945. The file number of said suit being No. 2931.

The names of the parties in said suit are: J. N. BARRON as Plaintiff, and H. E. KING and MRS. H. E. KING, if they are living; and if they are each of them deceased, or either of them, then his or her unknown heirs, administrators, executors, assigns and legal representatives, and of them or anyone else who claims any interest or rights under a contract of sale from W. H. Turner to H. E. King dated December 1st, 1922 and recorded in Volume 32, page 391 of the Deed Records of Dawson County, Texas. And of J. C. RASCO and MRS. J. C. RASCO, if living, and if either one of them are deceased, or both of them, then all their unknown heirs, assigns, administrators, executors or legal representatives or of anyone else who claims any right or interest under or by virtue of a contract dated January 22, 1923 from W. H. Turner to J. C. Rasco and recorded in Volume 31, page 344, Deed Records of Dawson County, Texas, whether they are specifically mentioned herein or not. And of W. H. TURNER, a non-resident of the State of Texas and of the unknown heirs and legal representatives, executors and assigns of MRS. HALLIE TURNER, Deceased, as Defendants.

THE NATURE OF SAID SUIT BEING SUBSTANTIALLY AS FOLLOWS, TO WIT:

Plaintiff alleges that he is a resident of Dawson County, Texas and that he is the owner in fee simple of the following described land and premises, to wit:

A tract of land out of Block No. Fifteen (15) of the W. H. Turner Addition to the town of Lamesa, Dawson County, Texas, being the tract of land conveyed to him by O. C. McBride by deed dated November 4th, 1944, and recorded in Volume 86, page 495, Deed Records of Dawson County, Texas.

That on or about the 1st day of January, 1945 the Defendants unlawfully entered upon said land and ejected him therefrom to his damage in the sum of \$5000.00. He especially pleads for three, four and five year statutes of limitation and says:

"This action is brought as well to try the title as for damages." He alleges the rest of the various defendants are unknown to him, and he prays for citation by publication and for judgment for the title to and possession of the land sued for and for general relief.

Issued this 21st day of February, 1945.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Lamesa, Texas, this 21st day of February, A. D. 1945.

W. W. PETTEWAY, Clerk District Court, Dawson County, Texas. 14-16-18-20 c

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: Author J. Hahn GREETING:

You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 12th day of March, A. D. 1945, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. before the Honorable District Court of Dawson County, at the Court House in Lamesa, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 26th day of January, 1945. The file number of said suit being No. 2918.

The names of the parties in said suit are: Nettie Hahn, Edna & P. A. Lauderdale and Lloyd Hahn as Plaintiffs, and Author J. Hahn, Agnes Hahn Alton and A. A. Alton; Granville, Wendell, Iris June, Doris and Bettie Hahn and Laura and J. B. Parker, as Defendants.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit:

Plaintiff alleges that Nettie Hahn is the surviving wife of T. H. Hahn deceased, who died in 1938 intestate in Dawson County, Texas, where he resided; there is a community estate existing between them; that Edna Lauderdale, Lloyd Hahn, Author J. Hahn and Laura Parker were the sole and only heirs of the said T. H. Hahn; that the whereabouts of Author J. Hahn is unknown and neither is known whether he is living or dead; if deceased then his heirs are Agnes Hahn Alton his

SAND

Julia Grayson

We invite you to attend church services Sunday as Brother Aslin will preach.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Freeman and children of Wilson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Smith. Alvin Kemper who is in the Army visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kemper.

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Welty and baby, H. A. Welty and Luke, Mrs. Nolan Currie and sons of Lamesa spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brooks near Ackerly.

Mrs. Jack McGulre has returned home from the hospital.

Tom Frank Stringer made a business trip to Big Spring Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Jackson and children of Colorado spent Sunday with his brother J. S. Jackson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Larence Henderson and children of Fairview visited Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Lee Friday evening.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to take this method of thanking each and every one for everything that was done during the sickness and death of our darling Mabel, also for all the beautiful flowers.

May each of you have such friends in time of need.

Cpl. Thurman D. Phillips and Delwyn.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Phillips and family.

Mrs. J. H. Clark, Mrs. Hugh Lott and daughter Sue are visiting with relatives in Fort Worth this week.

Mrs. Lott and Mrs. Clark will also attend the Gift Market while in Fort Worth.

former wife and his five children to-wit: Granville, Wendell, Iris June, Doris and Bettie Hahn all Minors. That T. H. Hahn and Nettie Hahn jointly owned three pieces of real estate, viz: First Tract: 150x140 feet out of Section 6 Block 35 Twp. 5N in Dawson County as described in deed recorded in vol. 68 page 215, Deed records of Dawson County, Texas. Second Tract: Lot 1 Blk. 2 Original Town of Lamesa, Dawson County, Texas. Tract Three: Surface rights to E 1-2 Sec. 230 Blk. G Gaines County, Texas. Plaintiffs allege that said property is incapable of being partitioned and pray for the appointment of a receiver to take charge of said property and manage and sell same subject to the orders and approval of the court.

Issued this 26th day of January, 1945.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Lamesa, Texas, this 26th day of January, A. D. 1945.

W. W. PETTEWAY, Clerk District Court Dawson County, Texas. 8-10-12-14 c

STATE SOIL CONSERVATION BOARD OF TEXAS

Notice of hearing upon organization of proposed Dawson County Soil Conservation District, embracing land lying in Dawson County, Texas.

WHEREAS, on the 13th day of February, 1945 there was duly filed in the office of the State Soil Conservation Board, at Temple, Texas, a petition signed by fifty or a majority of land owners pursuant to the provisions of the State Soil Conservation Law, as enacted by the 47th Legislature, known as House Bill No. 444, requesting the establishment of Dawson County Soil Conservation District; and

WHEREAS, the land described by said petition, and other lands which will be considered for inclusion in said district, are located in Dawson County, described substantially as follows:

All the lands lying in Dawson County, Texas.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held pursuant to the said petition, on the question of the desirability and necessity of the creation of such district; on the question of boundaries to be assigned to such district; upon the propriety of the petition, and of proceedings taken under the said Act. The said public hearing will be held by the State Soil Conservation Board on the 2nd day of March, 1945, beginning at 2 o'clock p. m., at Court House, Lamesa, in the county of Dawson.

All interested parties are invited to attend and will be given opportunity to be heard at the time and place hereinbefore specified.

STATE SOIL CONSERVATION BOARD.

By V. C. MARSHALL, Administrator.

(SEAL)

Issued this 13 day of February, 1945.

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Latest News From COUNTY AGENT

T. A. BARFIELD

County Agricultural Agent
County Agent, T. A. Barfield, calls your attention to a radio short course on growing baby chicks which will be a feature of the Texas Farm and Home program February 26, through March 2, under the sponsorship of the A. and M. College Extension Service. Stations broadcasting the 6 a. m. program include WBAP, Fort Worth; WOAI, San Antonio; KPRC, Houston; and WTAU, College Station.

Enrollment will continue through February 24, and enrollment blanks can be obtained through county extension agents or from extension headquarters at College Station, according to C. W. Jackson, director of the radio short course.

Since the war, no farmers' short courses have been held on the A. and M. College campus, and rural people have had to depend on other means to keep up with scientific developments and improved practices. Success of this breakfastable type of education was demonstrated several months ago when more than six thousand persons enrolled in a fall garden school of the air. Directors of the poultry radio short course are hoping for similar interest.

Outstanding poultry authorities from the college faculty, experiment station, and extension service will be the speakers for this school of the air. They will discuss the buying of chicks, what to do before and when the chicks arrive, care of chicks during the brooding period, and disease control.

Beginning March 12, a similar radio short course on growing gardens will be sponsored over these same stations and at the same hours. Enrollment may be made through your county agent's office or directly to the extension headquarters at College Station.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Mrs. C. D. Coon was dismissed from a local hospital February 14 where she received medical treatment.

Mrs. J. H. Alexander was admitted February 14 for major surgery. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jones are the parents of a baby boy born February 14.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Clark are the parents of a baby boy born February 14.

Miss Alta Faye Loftin was admitted February 15 for medical treatment.

Mrs. A. B. Clark was dismissed February 18 from a local hospital where she underwent minor surgery.

Sammie Kay Caldwell was dismissed February 17 from a local hospital where he was a medical patient.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Bland are the parents of a baby boy born February 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Parker are the parents of a baby girl born February 16.

Mrs. E. F. Eggleston was admitted February 16 for major surgery. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Schafer are the parents of a baby girl born February 16.

Miss Esther Gist was admitted February 16 for medical treatment. Mrs. Kenneth Baggett was dismissed February 18 from a local hospital where she was a medical patient.

Mrs. Wallace Dossey was admitted February 17 for major surgery. Mrs. Buster Reed was admitted February 18 for major surgery.

Mrs. Lawrence Vogler was admitted February 18 for major surgery. Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Blair are the parents of a baby boy born February 19.

Truman Moseley was admitted February 19 for medical treatment. Louise Wigface was admitted February 20 for major surgery.

Ann Toles was admitted February 20 for medical treatment.

FAT STOCK SHOW TO BE HELD IN FORT WORTH MARCH 9-18
The Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show to be held in Fort Worth is slated to be held from March 9 to 18, according to an announcement received this week.

Exhibitors and contestants in the Show will have a grand purse of \$81,602 to divide at the close of the 10-day exposition in Ft. Worth. Featured entertainment for the 10-day exposition will be the championship rodeo and Earl Carroll Vanities.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Flenniken and Mrs. Mildred Bristo spent the week end at Forsan visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Evans.

Pericles was born about 490 B. C.

OPA Appoints A Veterans Advisor

In connection with a recently announced program for assisting veterans of this war to return to business or employment affected by Office of Price Administration regulations and for veteran participation in the work of price control and rationing, District OPA Director Howard B. Gholson today announced the appointment of W. A. Robertson as Veterans' Advisor.

The job of Veterans' Advisor will include the establishment of an OPA Veterans Advisory Committee to discuss and plan with us ways of making price and rent control and rationing more effective, ways of meeting special veterans' problems, and increased employment for returned service men in the OPA in full cooperation with the Civil Service Commission, Gholson said.

Robertson is already a member of the District Price Division staff, is familiar with the OPA set-up, and is a veteran of the last World War.

In referring to the new program, Gholson said that OPA price and rationing regulations affect veterans as businessmen or potential businessmen. Some price regulations have clauses in them that restrict the field to those who were in it before a certain date. Several rationing regulations, especially in the case of sugar, fats and oils, have a similar effect.

The national office is in the process of amending the price and rationing regulations to meet this problem, he stated.

Ancient people imprisoned fireflies in coconut shells to furnish light.

Mrs. J. T. Griffin of Littlefield is visiting here this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Griffin.

Miss Della Mae Wood spent the week end at Abilene visiting with friends and relatives.

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**WEDDING OF MISS LETA MERLE
KOENIGER TO JOHNNY LYONS
SOLEMNIZED SATURDAY EVENING**

The marriage of Miss Leta Merle Koeniger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Koeniger of O'Donnell to Johnny Lyons, was solemnized Saturday evening, February 17, at 8 o'clock at the home of the brides parents. The Reverend Crandell, pastor of the First Methodist Church O'Donnell officiated.

The vows were exchanged before the mantel which was lighted with tall tapers in crystal holders. Tall baskets of white chrysanthemums were on either side.

The bride chose a winter white wool dress with brown accessories, and a shoulder corsage of sweet-heart roses. She was attended by her sister in law, Mrs. Burl Koeniger as matron of honor.

Sgt. Johnny Bryant of Stamford attended as best man.

Mrs. Lyons is a graduate of Texas Tech, Lubbock and for the past several years made her home in Lamesa. At the present time she is employed at Jenkins and Wood.

Mr. Lyons has made his home in Lamesa a number of years and is local manager of Bryant Link Com-
pany.

After a short wedding trip they will make their home in Lamesa. Guests attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Koeniger, Sgt. Johnny Bryant, Pvt. and Mrs. Burl Koeniger and Mrs. M. V. Smith, grandmother of the bride.

Pvt. Jewell S. Franklin of Camp Shelby, Mississippi is visiting here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Franklin and other relatives and friends.

**MISS EVELYN DAVIS
TAKES VOWS WITH
SGT. F. F. SALSER**

Miss Jo Evelyn Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Davis of Big Spring, became the bride of Sgt. F. F. Salsar of this city Sunday, February 11, at 6 p. m. in the parlor of the First Baptist Church, Big Spring. The pastor, Rev. P. D. O'Brien officiated. The vows were exchanged before an altar of gladioli palms and lillies lighted with white tapers.

The traditional wedding music was played by Mrs. Ann Gibson Houser.

The bride who was given in marriage by her father, wore a pink dressmaker suit and carried a prayer book, which came from Jerusalem, topped with a cluster of pale orchids. For something old she wore a cameo ring belonging to her mother and for something borrowed she wore a pearl bracelet belonging to Mrs. Elizabeth Lamb. Something new was the combs she wore in her hair which was a gift from her sister, Miss Earline Davis. Some-
thing blue was the sapphire stones which were the sets in the combs.

Miss Earline Davis, sister of the bride was maid of honor. She wore a blue dressmaker suit with a cor-
sage of fuchsia camellias. Jack Salsar of Lubbock, brother of the bridegroom, was best man. Ushers were Blaine Wiggins and Lamar Land of Lamesa.

Immediately after the wedding a reception was held in the home of the brides parents, Mrs. Elizabeth Lamb, presided at the brides book which was topped with a spray of pink carnations.

Miss Annie Marie Bailey of this city served the three tiered wed-
ding cake topped with a minia-
ture bride and groom. Miss Sue Patton of Big Spring presided at the crystal service. The serving table was laid with a lace cloth centered with an arrangement of gladioli and bridal wreath, surrounded with white candles in crystal holders.

Guests attending were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stanfield, Lamesa, Mrs. Fred Boatwright of Abilene, Mrs. Elizabeth Gibson Lamb of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Salsar, parents of the bridegroom, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Salsar, brother and best man of the bridegroom of Lubbock, Blaine Wiggins and Lamar Land of Lamesa, Annie Marie Bailey La-
mesa.

Mrs. T. W. McSpadden, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. White, Mrs. Ole Dixon, Mrs. Porter Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Sumner, Mrs. Jo Ervin Flynn, Mrs. Annie Bailey, Mrs. Blaine Wig-
gins and daughter.

The bride is a graduate of Sul Ross College at Alpine where she received her AB degree and for the past year has been employed with the City Department in Big Spring.

The bridegroom is in the Marines, stationed at Oakland, California.

After a short wedding trip Sgt. and Mrs. Salsar will make their home at 2840 Burr St., Oakland, California.

**MRS. LANCE FURLOW
HOSTESS TO CLUB
FRIDAY AFTERNOON**

Mrs. Lance Furlow was hostess to members of the Bartlett Home Demonstration Club Friday afternoon, February 16.

During the afternoon the women worked on dress forms.

After the meeting pecan pie and coffee were served to Mesdames J. C. Stewart, L. L. Peters, Shelton Lance Furlow and W. C. Drennen.

— BUY MORE WAR BONDS —

**VARIOUS ARTICLES
NEEDED FOR BUCKNER
ORPHAN HOME**

The W. M. S. of the First Baptist Church will pack a box Monday, March 12 at the Church for Buckner Orphan Home, Dallas. A number of things are needed for the children and it is hoped that a large box can be packed.

Things that are especially needed are washrags, face and bath towels, and everything for the Nursery, baby clothes, and clothes for children between the ages of 2 and 8. Among other things needed are toys, books, and pictures for all ages.

Anyone having any of these things or donations which they wish to contribute call or see Mrs. C. A. Hollingsworth or Mrs. Aubrey Boswell at the Church office.

**MERELINE DICKENSON
BECOMES BRIDE OF
JOE BROWN**

The marriage of Miss Merlene Dickenson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Dickenson, pioneers of West Texas to Joe Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brown was solemnized Thursday evening, February 15, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Tabor.

O. H. Tabor, pastor of the Church of Christ officiated in the impressive single ring ceremony.

The bride chose a navy blue dress with white trim, blue ac-
cessories of white carnations. For something old she wore her mother's wedding ring and for something borrowed she wore a pair of ear rings belonging to Joyce Greene. She wore a six pence from England in her shoe, which was given to her by her brother Tech Sgt. W. P. Dickenson.

Mrs. Brown is a graduate of the Lamesa High School and at the time of her marriage was employed at the Telephone Co here. Mr. Brown is a graduate of the Klondike High School and has been engaged in farming for the past several years.

After a short wedding trip they will make their home in Lamesa.

**OUT OF TOWN FRIENDS
ATTEND PHILLIP
FUNERAL SUNDAY**

A number of our town friends and relatives spent Sunday in Lamesa where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Mable Phillips. Among them were Mrs. G. W. Lisenbee of Ver-
non, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Stevens of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Cothran and son of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Lisenbee and daughter of Morton, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Ramsey and children of Morton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Lisenbee and children of Denver City, Mr. and Mrs. Elsworth Lisenbee and son of Seagraves, Gus Edwards of Tahoka, Mrs. J. W. Edwards and children of New Home, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Hodge and son of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Stephens and children of Lubbock.

**"DRAMA" TOPIC FOR
DELPHIAN PROGRAM
TUESDAY EVENING**

The Lamesa Delphian Club met Tuesday evening at the Lamesa Country Club for their regular meeting. Hostesses for the occasion were Mesdames W. W. Griffith, M. C. Lindsey, O. H. Morris, Anna Beasom, Mrs. Eddie Darrell who was in charge of the program which was on "Drama."

Opening the program the High School Choral Club, under the direction of Richard Young sang "Wonderful One" and "Alice Blue Gown," accompanied at the piano by Miss Nancy Hollingsworth. "The Doll in the Pink Silk Dress" by Leonard Merrick was given by Mrs. Darrell.

Mrs. N. H. Price accompanied by Mrs. Weldon Lindsey at the piano

sang, "The Desert Song," and "My Beautiful Lady." Mrs. Darrell gave "Good Bye Sister," by Edna Means and a sketch from a school room. She also read "The Next Picture Please" by Ruth Glasscock.

The meeting was closed by Mrs. Price singing "Deep in My Heart Dear" accompanied by Mrs. Weldon Lindsey.

Approximately seventy five women attended this meeting.

**"FOOT PATHS TO
PEACE" TOPIC FOR
BRASWELL CIRCLE**

Members of the Braswell Circle of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday evening at 7:30 at the Church for their regular Royal Service Program.

Topic for the program was "Foot Paths to Peace." Various subjects on the program were "Conviction for Conviction," "Generosity for Greed," "Godliness for Glamour," "Courage for Cunning," and "Freedom for Fear."

Those attending were Mesdames Frances Stuart, Lorna Bucklew, Myrtle Harrington, Helen Costin, Katherine Crumby, Estelle Hinson, Billie Boswell and Mrs. R. R. Townsend.

**MRS. W. J. BECKHAM
TO REVIEW BOOK AT
W. M. S. MEETING**

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church will meet Monday afternoon at the Church for their regular meeting at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Owen Taylor, president of the W. M. S. ask that members of the Executive Board attend as a business meeting will be held at that time.

A book review "Home Mission in the New World" by Mrs. W. J. Beckham will be given after the business meeting.

**MRS. JOE WHITLOW
HOSTESS TO 42 CLUB
WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON**

Mrs. Joe Whitlow entertained Wednesday afternoon at her home for members and guests of the Wednesday 42 Club.

During the afternoon games of 42 were enjoyed after which a refreshment plate consisting of salad, sandwiches tea and coffee and cake was served to the guests.

Those attending were Mesdames Carl Peterson, Blaine Wiggins, Doyle Shillingburg, Barney McKinney, Elmer Cope, Tim Boyd, Joe English, Durwin Echols, Olon York, Nelson Williams, Jap Baldwin.

— BUY MORE WAR BONDS —

**EDDY CARYL PETERSON
HONORED ON 4TH
BIRTHDAY SATURDAY**

Mrs. Carl Peterson entertained Saturday afternoon for her son Eddy Caryl on his 4th birthday with a party at their home.

Various games were enjoyed during the afternoon after which cake and lemonade were served to the guests.

Those attending were Olinda York, Sonny Baldwin, Charlene and Bailey Dewane Whitlow, Pamela Price, Donna Jean Caldwell, Betty Burns, Barbara Richardson, Dick Williams, Beuford Burns, Neal Echols, Dennis Lamphere, Ronnie

Kutch, Kirk Wiggins, Sue Shillingburg, Ronnie English, Kay Warren, Jarene Crumby, L. W. West Jr., Marilyn Bingham, Kay Boyd, Linda Gay Peterson, Ann Holton, Norma Lynn Miller, Mary Grissom, Martha Linda and Janice Burns, Bea Davis and the honoree Eddy Caryl Peterson.

Tech. Sgt. John T. Sanders of Presque Isle, Maine spent several days here this week visiting with friends.

Mrs. Lewis B. Reed of Fort Sill, Oklahoma is visiting here with Echols, Dennis Lamphere, Ronnie

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REGENT — Dr. C. O. Terrell of Fort Worth, named by Gov. Stevenson as a regent of the University of Texas.

Miscellaneous

NOTICE: Customers of Planters Gin Company who are interested in taking their 1944 cotton out of the loan program to place in the Government Purchase Program. We will be glad to help you. Just call at our Lamesa Office, Phone 604. PLANTERS GIN COMPANY, Box 597, Lamesa, Texas. 14-17 c

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NOTICE I will do slip covering at my home. MRS. VERNON AD-CKOCK, 512 South Third Street. 12-18 pd

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our sincere and deep gratitude to all our friends who sent flowers, food, and other material things during our sorrow of bereavement of our dear-est loved one, Mr. Ed Snell.
We appreciate very much the love and sympathies manifested by all of you. These things are an encourage-ment to us. Our prayer is that God will bless each of you and keep you and that you will be tre-mendously rewarded for these pre-cious deeds.
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TANTALITE TANTALIZES SEABEES IN ARCTIC

POINT BARROW, Alaska (AP)—Far northern Seabees, up above the magnetic north pole in north-ern Canada to try to find oil, are keeping a sharp eye for tantalite ore.
One source of tantalum, a sup-erhard, noncorrosive metal, has been found by Gustine De Stef-fany, a Montana explorer and pros-pector. The world's supply is small and the metal is next to gold and platinum in value.
A new source of tantalite in the far north would supplement the meager supply in Brazil, Belgian Congo and Australia. North Amer-ica's only known previous supply was mined on a very small scale in New Mexico and South Dakota.

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GIGGLEPROOF WOOL

LONDON (AP) — Plans are being made by the wool industry to further perfect processes to "take the tickle out of wool" and make woolen textiles, upholstery, clothes

and carpets moth-proof and non-shrinkable. Guadalcanal was named by a 15th century adventurer for his home town in Spain.

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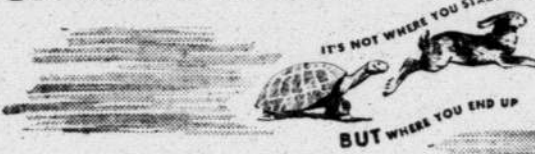
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Tornadoes Finish Ball Season With Two Victories

The Golden Tornadoes finished their 1945 basketball season by defeating Big Spring High School Steers in two games. The 'B' team had to hustle to win a victory of 31 to 18 but had the spirit, speed and basket eye quality to pull through.

The first team got off to a Tornado lead which grew greater as the game progressed. The Golden Tornado offense scored 55 points and the defense held the Steers to 14 points. This last game found the Tornadoes in fine form, which could have won the sectional title if it had been attained earlier.

Abilene and Odessa are representing the east and west divisions of district three in play off for the district title which must be decided by Saturday night. The last two games will be played in Odessa on Friday and Saturday nights if two other games are necessary. The winner will meet an El Paso team for the bi-district title and the right to enter the State meet next week.

Cotton Insurance Discussed Here

Community Committeemen have had a series of conferences at the local AAA office this week. The meetings began Tuesday and will continue through Friday.

The purpose of these sessions is to adjust yields for cotton insurance. C. E. Tarter, administrative officer at the local AAA office, reports that cotton insurance will be available to agriculturists in this county. He further reports that it is imperative that producers bring their gin tickets to his office because they are needed in working out cotton insurance.

Applications for this insurance, which covers most everything concerned with the growing of cotton and wheat, can be made in the near future.

Regular Check Of Tires Necessary

Failure of commercial motor vehicle operators to comply with regulations requiring periodic tire inspections will adversely affect the claim of these operators for new tires. Nettles F. Nelson, of Lubbock, Texas, district manager of the Office of Defense Transportation announced today.

The ODT official warned truck, bus and taxicab operators that General Order ODT 21A requires all commercial motor vehicle operators to have their tires checked after each 5,000 miles of operation, or after every six months of operation if operated less than 5,000 miles.

Office of Price Administration action lifting this requirement for passenger car tires in no way affects compliance of commercial motor vehicle operators with ODT tire inspection requirements. It was pointed out. Inspections may be made by any agency designated by OPA.

Truck, bus and taxicab operators were also informed that ODT representatives on tire rationing panels are giving close consideration to records of regular tire inspection in making recommendations on applications for new tires.

S-SGT. G. T. SIMPSON, VET OF 33 MONTHS IN INDIA, VISITING HERE

S-Sgt. George T. Simpson arrived Wednesday night from Venice, Florida to visit a few days with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hollingsworth of this city.

Sgt. Simpson recently returned from India where he had been stationed for 33 months, and where he served with the Air Corps. He wears the African Campaign Ribbon, the Southwest Pacific Campaign Ribbon, and the Pre-Pearl Harbor ribbon. A graduate of Lamesa Schools, Sgt. Simpson worked at the Courier prior to entering the service.

Cryolite was discovered by the Danes in 1794.



CHAMPION LAMB AND OWNER — Steve Wood, 11, of El Paso, Texas, wept when he was told that his Champion Lamb had to be auctioned off at the annual Houston, Texas, Fat Stock Show auction. Then he dried his tears and grinned when Albert Lee and Bill Hubbell of Houston bought the lamb and gave it back to the boy. The sale price was \$500 and a company gave Steve \$250 bonus for raising such a prize. Later the boy said he would give the lamb to the McCloskey Hospital in Temple, Texas, for wounded veterans.

Pvt. Lloyd McDougal Has Important Role In Drive On Manila

Pvt. Lloyd N. McDougal, son of Mr. and Mrs. Noah McDougal of this city, is a member of a unit which played an important role in the drive to Manila.

In a recent picture sent to his parents, Pvt. McDougal was shown in the "pulpit" of a Priest tank. The picture was taken less than 1,500 yards from the front line on Luzon.

Pvt. McDougal is a member of a cannon company of the 43rd Infantry Division.

Local K. P. Lodge To Celebrate Third Anniversary Feb. 26

The local Knights of Pythias Lodge will celebrate their third anniversary here Monday night, February 26. The event has been announced for 8:20 p. m. and will be held in the lodge hall.

A special program has been planned and music and tap dancing will be featured.

The public is cordially invited to be present for the affair.

Delbert Harvick Gets Pilot's Silver Wings

Completing many months of training, Delbert Harvick, has received the silver wings of an Army Air Forces Pilot at the recent graduation exercises held at Stockton Field, Stockton, California.

The warding of the wings and assignment to active duty with the Army Air Forces comes after months of study and training in Pre-Flight, Primary, Basic and Advanced flying schools. He will be placed on active duty with the Army Air Forces immediately.

Delbert is the son of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Harvick of Route C in this county. He attended Lamesa High School from the Hancock District as a transfer and was graduated in May, 1939.

"Combat America" Shown Local Pupils

The film, "Combat America," was shown to pupils in the local high school Tuesday morning, February 20, as a part of the war financing activity in which the pupils are engaged.

The film was well received. It features the training and combat experience of B-17 bomber groups. Some of the pupils were quite positive that Major Horn, formerly of this city, is shown in the film. Major Horn is the husband of the former Ruth Wood, a graduate of the local high school.

Husband Of Former Lamesan Missing

Word has been received here that Lt. Schroeder, husband of the former Miss Dorothy Caldwell, who made her home here for several years, has been reported missing in action in the Pacific theatre. Lt. Schroeder is a pilot of a B-29.

Mrs. Schroeder is the daughter of Bogan Caldwell, who is in this city at the present time. She is a former student of Lamesa High School and Baylor Belton.

DELMAR SEARS HAS ENTERED OFFICERS SCHOOL IN MARYLAND

Mrs. J. T. Allen Sr., of this city has had word that her son, Sgt. Delmar Sears, who for the past two years has been stationed at Randolph Field, has been transferred to Annapolis, Maryland. In Annapolis, he will attend Officers Candidate School, where he will receive training in finance work in the Air Corps.

Another son, Dorman Sears, was recently promoted to the rank of sergeant. He is stationed at Camp Crowder, Missouri, where he is a member of the Signal Corps. Both men are graduates of Lamesa High School.

Cpl. Leonard Houston, a member of the Air Corps for the past 30 months, who is now stationed in Liberal, Kansas, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Houston of this county on a 5 day furlough.

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KELLEY IMPLEMENT CO. IS TO BE CLOSED FROM FEBRUARY 26 TO 28

R. W. Kelley of the Kelley Implement Company reports that his firm will be closed Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, February 26 through 28, while moving to his new location. On Thursday they will be open for business in the new building, which is situated behind the local Ration Office.

Kelley asks customers to take note of the closing dates, and states that they will be ready to serve the farmers at their new location on Thursday.

R. W. Terrall Jr. Is Back In The States

R. W. Terrall Jr., a veteran of 2 years in Pearl Harbor, has arrived in the United States for a 30 day furlough. Terrall is visiting his wife in this city at the present time.

A Navy Seabee, he has been in service for the past 3 years. He is the grandson of W. W. Petteway of this city. His father resides in New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. John Agee and daughter are spending several days this week in Temple attending to business.

BOY STIRS MEMORIES OF BATAAN FIGHT

WITH THE COAST GUARD ON LUZON (AP) — A five-year-old Filipino, a boy the Coast Guard beach party nicknamed "Lem," was showered with everything from ration delicacies to candy and chewing gum.

On the pocket of Lem's tattered shirt was written in careful, old-styled handwriting: "I am an orphan. My father died in action in Bataan."

Pineapples weighing 20 pounds are common in the New Hebrides islands.



WARNING! The traffic toll in winter regularly climbs to a peak fifty per cent higher than the summer accident rate.

And this winter, because tires and cars are older, both cars and lives will be wrecked at a rate far faster than ever, unless YOU do something about it!

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American Dishes Treat To Capt. J. Pipes In Belgium

Editor's Note: Below is printed a letter to Mrs. John Pipes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Lindsey of this city, which was written by her husband, Captain John Pipes, who has been overseas 1 year, is attached to the headquarters of the 7th Corps Artillery. At the time the letter was written, he was on a special assignment as a Liaison Officer with a British unit. Captain Pipes has been in service approximately 3 1/2 years. His wife is making her home here with her parents at the present time, and is employed as a teacher in the local high school.

8 January 1945
Belgium
Dearest Virginia,

All I need right now is a pair of skis, snow shoes and ice skates slung over my shoulder and I would be completely equipped for winter sports on the continent of Europe. Last night, Wise and I were on our way back to join our friends when we were held up by a most severe snow storm. Not being an expert at judging just how much did fall I made a guess at between four and five inches, and that's a heavy enough snow for me.

Driving was completely out of the question so we stopped at a Belgium house to warm and wait for better weather. To our amazement the old man spoke English—flattering and pleasant because it had been 44 years since he had been in America. In 1900 while McKinley was president he had gone over and worked as a waiter in the Hotel Astoria of New York. After four years, during which time he had risen to the position of head waiter he came back to his native Belgium to manage his farm, his father having died meanwhile.

The old boy was fairly well off and insisted that we stay for supper. Knowing our weakness (the same for all soldiers) he gave us a magnificent meal of fried eggs and then steak with french fried potatoes. Could you picture us sitting at a table with a white table cloth, dishes and silver and being served like visiting diplomats? Wise took it all in and so did I for it was the best meal either of us had eaten since leaving the States.

To top it all off we were then ushered into the spare bedrooms and shown real beds with clean sheets and feather mattresses. The war was the farthest thing from my mind last night. I can assure you.

This morning we had a form of country sausage and mashed potatoes for breakfast with native coffee and their home made brown bread. The latter is somewhat like our whole wheat bread, though not as refined a flour. The only payment they would accept was chocolate and cheese from our emergency supply of K-rations.

Capital, originally developed as an insulation material, has been adapted as a priming coat in automobile painting.

Wage Reports On Social Security Are Not Complete

LUBBOCK—Wage statements requested from the Social Security Board by individuals for anticipated use in making out income tax returns are not complete for the last quarter of 1944 and therefore, cannot be used for income purposes, said Sam Leifeste, manager of the Lubbock, Texas, Social Security Board field office.

It was explained that any statement of such wages from this source would not include the latest report of earnings made to the collectors of internal revenue covering the last quarter in 1944, because of the time involved in posting such data to the records.

Leifeste said that several inquiries had been received regarding this matter owing to the fact that the time has arrived for considering payment of income taxes for last year. Anyone desiring to secure a statement of his wages for income tax purposes can expect to receive from his employer, a W-2 report including this information.

Pvt. and Mrs. Kermit Jordan and Mrs. Harlin Thomas spent the week end at San Angelo visiting with Cpl. and Mrs. Ted Sanders and Pvt. Thomas.

Mrs. Bill Warnick of Los Angeles, California is visiting here this week with her father, Ramsey Westmoreland.

In the Solomon Islands, native women bleach their kinky hair with a paste made from coral lime.

The American Association for the Advancement of Science has 25,000 members and 187 associated societies.

Whales may have a life span of 500 years; eagles, 200; alligators 300, and elephants from 100 upwards.

NOTICE Policy Holders—

Babies reaching the age of 30 days may secure a Burial Policy for monthly Premium of 10c.



Hat Clinics Saved Women \$175.83 In This County

Fourteen hat clinics were held by Mrs. Myrtle Negy, county home demonstration agent during January, and were attended by 51 home demonstration women and 122 Four-H Club girls. Women cleaned 108 hats, added new or cleaned ribbons, veils or trimmings to 42 hats, restyled more than 50 hats.

Club members valued their work at more than \$175.83. In connection with this evaluation of their work, one woman made this statement, "The \$175.83 is the amount we would have saved if it had been possible for us to have had this type of work done."

At each meeting a hat shop was set up. Styles of hats and dresses were discussed, and pictures studied. Fire was extinguished and the agent cleaned a hat with brush and

naphtha. Most of the clubs had all day meetings. Mrs. Claude Gowen made a brown felt spring sailor from a hat stored many years, and Marilyn Furlow, whose mother is a member of the Bartlett Club, has a red beanie which she likes very much.

At 4-H Club meetings, hats were shown which were suitable for girls. A large mirror was hung up and girls modeled them. In schools where all fires could be extinguished, a hat was cleaned. Girls and women reported that they enjoyed the clinics.

Hubert Coon Jr., of Canadian, Texas spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Coon.

Ensign C. G. Eudy of Corpus Christi is visiting here this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Eudy.

Sgt. R. C. Lott of California is visiting here on a 30 day furlough with his mother and other relatives.



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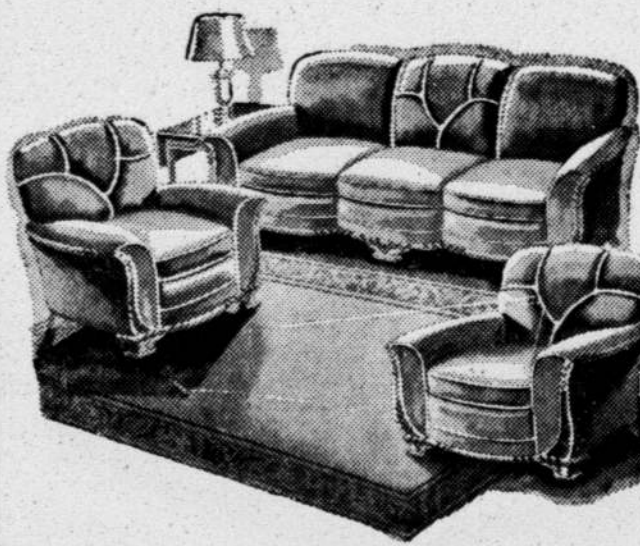
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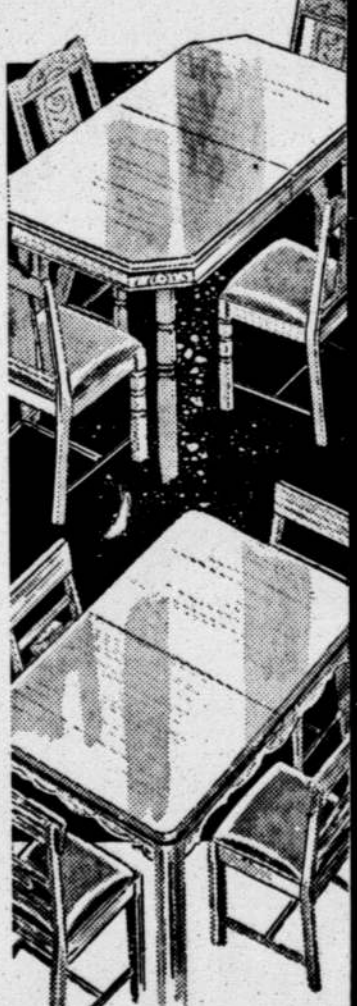
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NEWS and COMEDY

TOWER THEATRE

ROD CAMERON
—in—
"RIDERS OF THE SANTA FE"
—with—

FUZZY KNIGHT
EDDIE DEW
JENNIFER HOLT
DICK ALEXANDER
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—with—

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JIMMY LYDON
—also—

NEWS and COMEDY

Mrs. Milton Jones returned Friday from Los Angeles, California where she has spent the past month visiting with her husband, who is stationed at Camp Roberts, California.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Keathley and

daughter and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Keathley Jr., of Lawton, Oklahoma spent the week end here visiting in the home of Mrs. George Keathley.

Basque whalers are believed to have fished in Newfoundland waters in the 14th century.

Swing Of Farm Markets For This Area Is Listed

Bad weather, transportation problems and government buying and set-asides influenced Southwest farm markets last week. Prices held steady under moderately active demand for most farm products.

Car shortages, the freight embargo and rains in the lower Rio Grande Valley hampered vegetable movement from the Southwest during the early part of the week. Prices for onions sagged under a slow demand. Otherwise Southwest vegetables held mostly steady until Thursday, when slight weaknesses were reported on cabbage, carrots and poor grades of spinach. With most of U. S. No. 1 potatoes going to the army and government agencies, demand held good and prices firm at \$2.69 per cwt.

Poultry markets were practically at a standstill with live poultry unobtainable. All cold storage holdings of chicken and turkey were set aside for military use under a new government order. Egg supplies were sufficient to meet local demands. Current receipts were quoted at 31 to 32 cents a dozen in Dallas and Fort Worth. New Orleans quoted current receipts at 30 to 33 cents a dozen and Denver 33 to 34 cents.

Steady to strong prices prevailed at Southwest cattle markets all week. Lifting of the freight embargo increased receipts at all principal markets and trade was active as shippers tried to make up for last week's loss. Chicago reported the largest receipts for the season in 25 years and an all-time high of

\$15.25 per cwt., for strictly good cows. Medium cows reached \$11.50 at Fort Worth, \$11.25 at Houston, and \$11.00 per cwt., at Wichita and San Antonio. Beef cows cashed \$12.00 per cwt., at Oklahoma City. Medium and good grade cows brought \$12.00 at Denver.

Southwest sheep markets were slightly uneven but mostly steady. Some terminals reflected the trend at Chicago where slaughter lambs, after reaching the highest price level of the season, reacted with a downturn of 25 to 50 cents. Good and choice lambs brought \$15.00 per cwt., at Fort Worth, \$15.00 at Oklahoma City and \$16.25 at Denver. San Antonio quoted a short deck of good and choice spring lambs, the first of the season, at \$14.25 per cwt. Texas wools remained slow in Boston. New Mexico reported shearing has begun.

Hog receipts at principal markets last week were about one fourth less than they were for the same period last year. Hardly enough supplies were available to satisfy demands. Only changes in prices were gains on feeder pigs at Fort Worth and on 160 to 165 pound weights at San Antonio.

Grain held fully steady to stronger. No. 1 Hard ordinary wheat closed the week at \$1.07 1-2 a bushel, bulk, in carlots, at Fort Worth and Texas common rate points. Milo brought \$1.99 per cwt., and kafir \$1.99. Cotton showed gains throughout the week. New York futures closed at 22.00 cents.

POSTAL NOTES ARE NOT CASHABLE OVERSEAS
Persons writing to service men and women overseas are urged NOT to send Postal Notes—simplified money order forms—to their husbands, sons, and sweethearts in the service overseas.

Although the postal notes go on sale by the Post Office Department on February 1, 1945, Navy post offices afloat and at overseas bases are not authorized to cash the notes.

They may only be cashed within the United States and are good for only two calendar months from the date of issue.

Mrs. Hazel Wright and son of Slaton are visiting here this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Camp.

Plans To Build A Drier Available From The Agent

T. A. Barfield has plans showing how to build grain driers for granaries to reduce moisture content in grain sorghum. Men interested in this construction should contact him at his office, where County Agent Barfield will be glad to assist you.

It is said that this drier will reduce moisture content from 30 per cent to 12 per cent in the course of a 2 or 3 day period, pending on weather conditions.

The grain drier is composed of a high pressure butane burner through which air is pulled and forced by fan into the shoots that are built on the floor on which grain or hay is stacked. There are no fire hazards. Green alfalfa can be cut and placed in your barn and cured without moving it, saving much of the leaf and giving the hay a better quality.

These systems have been used in South Texas where humidity is great, according to the agent, who further states that the drier may be installed in cotton bins for drying purposes.

Dr. Cox Says—

AUSTIN, TEXAS — Many false ideas and misconceptions regarding the cause of cancer are responsible for an unjustified fear of this disease according to a statement released by Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

"We receive many inquiries as to what is the cause of cancer," Dr. Cox said. "In order to reduce the total of 150,000 cancer deaths in the United States each year it would be well for the general public to be more fully informed about the established cancer facts."

"The more common cause of cancer," Dr. Cox asserted, "is some form of chronic or prolonged irritation such as friction. Constant friction of a mole or wart or of an old burn scar may produce cancer. Cancer is seldom caused from a single bruise. A type of bone cancer known as sarcoma may possibly result from a single severe injury, but it is believed that a single bruise to a soft tissue such as the breast will not cause cancer to develop."

There is no scientific evidence that cancer is caused by a germ; therefore it is not contagious or infectious. There is no record in medical literature of physicians or nurses getting cancer from their patients.

In commenting on some of the old-fashioned ideas about the causes of cancer, Dr. Cox said it is time for the average person to realize that aluminum cooking vessels, electric refrigeration, or certain food groups cannot be the cause of cancer.

"Certain aluminum vessels and electric refrigeration has nothing to do with it, and there is no known food or combination of foods that have an influence on the cause or cure of cancer," Dr. Cox said.

Cancer can often be cured if diagnosed in time. If the earliest symptoms such as enlargement or change of color in any mole or wart, bleeding from any body cavity or chronic indigestion with an aversion to meat are heeded as warnings, and early diagnosis is secured, X-ray, radium, or surgery may save the life of the patient.

Student Nurses Now Needed To Help In The War

As the demand for nurses grows each day because of the increasing needs of the armed forces, there are still opportunities for girls in Texas to join the Cadet Nurse Corps of the U. S. Public Health Service, according to Mrs. Ella M. Tipton, State Recruitment Officer.

Created by the Bolton Act at the request of leaders in nursing and hospital fields, the Cadet Nurse Corps offers all-expense scholarships, monthly personal allowances for its members, and official outdoor uniforms. In turn, Cadet Nurses pledge, health permitting, that they will remain in essential nursing for the duration of the war. High school graduates and college

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Here's good news for the people of the U. S. A. Canada's greatest cough medicine is now being made and sold right here, and if you have any doubt about what to take this winter for the common cough or bronchial irritation get a bottle of Buckley's CANADIAN Mixture. You won't be disappointed—it's different from anything else you ever used—one little sip and you get instant action. Only 45¢ at all good druggists.

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girls with good scholastic records and in sound health who can meet the requirements of the nursing school selected are eligible. Age limit is from 17 to 18 to 35 years. "Student nurses are needed now," says Mrs. Tipton to provide nursing care on the home front and to help release graduate nurses for active duty with the military services. Recruitment headquarters are located

at: 1001 E. Nevada St., El Paso, Texas.

Mrs. E. L. Green and son John Lee of Deluth, Minn. have returned to Lamesa to make her home here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Marr.

Mrs. J. B. Tarleton and Mrs. W. J. Smith spent the week end at

Fort Stockton visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Simon.

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Rules And—

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Rule 5 states that entries are free of charge.

Regulations relative to erroneous entry are given in rule 6. Exhibits that have been erroneously entered may be transferred to their proper class, previous to judging upon application to the department superintendent, who will determine the matter upon its merits. If such classes have been judged, however, they shall not be reopened, but all premium money won on an erroneous entry will be forfeited. To be eligible for entry, the animal must be bona fide property of exhibitor.

Rule 7 deals with objectionable exhibits. The management reserves the right to remove from the ground any exhibit, animal, stand or show that may be falsely entered, or may be deemed unsuitable or objectionable, without assigning a reason therefor, and if necessary, to return any money already paid for space or stalls which shall exempt them from any claim what-

ever on the part of the exhibitor or purchaser.

Arrival of animals is included in rule 8. All exhibits must be in place at the time specified by the special rules governing each division.

Rule 8 states that unless otherwise provided in the special rules of any division all livestock must remain in place until 12 o'clock noon of the closing day of the show, and must not be removed from the premises even temporarily, without the consent of the management. Any violation of this rule will cause a forfeiture of all premiums earned by the exhibitor.

Included in rule 10 are regulations relative to care of animals. All owners of property or livestock or others having same in charge shall care for, guard, protect, and preserve the same, as show does not undertake to do so, and it shall not be responsible for any loss or damage to said property or the owners thereof.

Regulations for the care of stalls and pens make up rule 11. All stalls, pens and exhibition places must be

THE COURIER WELCOMES NEW SUBSCRIBERS

In line with the policy of presenting facts instead of fiction the Courier is proud to present advertising patrons with this fine group of readers recently added to the list. All names appearing below, represent either a new or renewal subscription, received at the office since Thursday, February 1, 1945.

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High School Will Have Program On Pottery Making

The Polomene Potters will present an actual demonstration of pottery making together with a thrilling story of this craft at the local high school auditorium Thursday, March 1, at 2:10 p. m.

Pottery making is perhaps the world's oldest craft. Every civilization, old and new, is known by its pottery. Many of the most precious and interesting relics in the museums of today are examples of ancient pottery. This craft is indissolubly woven into the life of every age.

The story will begin with clay—the first requisite of pottery making. The formation, indispensability and ancient adaptation of clay will be discussed; also, the ancient manner of building a vase; the development of the potter's wheel; building in slab method; moulds; ancient and modern wedding and manipulating; firing bisque and blots; preparation of local clay for ceramic work.

The audience will see the whirling vase on the potter's wheel; whirling bases of different form; the technique of the potter's wheel; ceramic sculpturing; methods in modeling the whirling of intricate shapes.

For a number of years the Polomene Potters have been presenting their program in the schools of the country where they have received an enthusiastic welcome.

In their program you will hear a graphically gripping, descriptive demonstration lecture. You will see the magic of responding clay on the swiftly whirling wheel. You will feel the thrill of this unusual universal, age-old craft.

This program is one of the Harry Byrd Kline series.

Courier To Carry A Travel Column In Want Ad Section

The Dawson County Courier is inaugurating a new column in the classified ad section of the paper, which will be known as the travel column.

In this section, ads pertaining to rides will be placed, and those persons wanting rides, or offering rides to some section of the country are urged to list them there at a small charge.

If you can provide a ride for someone, or are wanting a ride, list in the travel column of the Dawson County Courier.

Small Plant Beds Recommended By Food Assistant

The following article entitled "Making A Small Garden Bed" was written by Mrs. Mabel Phinizy, emergency war food assistant here.

Spring gardening time is almost here, and it is not too early to make definite plans for planting the home vegetable patch. An advantage to spring plants like lettuce, cabbage, tomato, pepper and eggplant is to plant them in a small bed. This will give plants a head start. They will be ready for transplanting in the garden soil when the time arrives with six or eight weeks infant growth behind them.

The small plant bed should be a portable thing. A box four to five inches deep, 18 inches wide and 24 to 30 inches long is a good size. A used wash tub or dishpan also will do. The main consideration is ease in moving the container into the kitchen on cold days or nights and

put outside on warm days.

Soil for the bed is important. Rotted leaf mold is good but a mixture of equal part of well rotted manure and top soil will do. Better still, is a mixture of one-fourth rotted manure, and one-fourth sand and one-half top soil. Make a layer two to three inches deep of any of these mixtures and put on a one inch layer of coarse sand. Mark off the rows in the sand two inches apart, plant the seed three to four to the inch and cover one-half inch deep. Finally, scatter a thin layer of pea size gravel over the surface after planting and sprinkle freely with water. The gravel helps prevent damping off of the small plants.

Treating the seed with a quarter teaspoonful of two per cent ceresan or cuproside to the ounce aids germination. Shake thoroughly to

coat the seeds with the dust just before planting.

Mrs. Harold Cole and son, Lee Harold Jr., returned this week from Dallas where they have been visiting with relatives and friends.

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clean before 8:00 a. m. each day, and refuse matter disposed of as the general superintendent of livestock may direct. Positively no smoking will be permitted in the covered show sheds. Hay or straw must be placed in each stall for the cattle to bed on and to keep them clean and in show condition.

Rule 12 states that hay or straw can be bought from the feed department on the show grounds at market prices. Exhibitors will not be permitted to unload any kind of bedding on the show grounds.

In rule 13, it is stated that all protests must be in writing. Such protest must state plainly the cause of complaint, or appeal and must be delivered to the secretary or manager of the show immediately after the occasion for such protest. All protests as to the eligibility on account of age of animals must be filed with the secretary or manager prior to the day on which such animals are to be judged.

Sanitary regulations are included in rule 14. All exhibitors to the show must comply with the regulations of the Texas Livestock Sanitary Commission and any willful infraction will be considered a reason for removing the animals from the show grounds.

Rule 15 concerns sales order and states that a list showing the order in which animals will be sold will be posted in the barn prior to sale time. Each seller will check the order in which his animals are to be sold and have them ready when called by the superintendent. Any protest as to the position assigned each exhibitor will be made to the chairman of the sales committee.

Regulations regarding stall numbers are included in rule 16. All animals will be issued a stall or pen number, the same number to be used during the entire show. All entries in all classes shall be subject to rule number 7.

Pvt. JIMMIE WILSON
TO VISIT PARENTS
HERE ON FURLOUGH

Officials at Fort Lewis Army Service Forces training center said today that Pvt. Jimmie L. Wilson of Route 3 of this city, who is attached to the engineers, has left the post on a well deserved furlough of 22 days.

Pvt. Wilson indicated that he will spend his brief holiday with his parents at Route 3, in this city.

Mrs. James Henry Lippold visited in this city with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lippold for a few days. She was enroute to her home in Houston, after visiting on the West Coast.

Mrs. Bryan Cox and daughter Betty Bryan are spending several days this week in Temple attending to business.

Details Of Death Of L. Gene Smith Received Here

Miss Bernice Gillmore of this city received the following clipping from a newspaper, telling about the death of Lon Gene Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Smith, who made Lamesa their home for several years. Mrs. Smith was a teacher at Woody, and Mr. Smith drove the school bus. Lon Gene was a former student of the Lamesa High School.

Funeral services for 18 year old Lon Gene Smith, killed Sunday in an auto accident near Big Spring, were held Tuesday afternoon at 4:30 at the Roscoe Baptist Church. Interment was in the Roscoe Cemetery.

Smith was killed instantly at 3:05 p. m. Sunday, when the car he was riding in overturned in a ditch along highway 80, eleven miles east of Big Spring. It is believed that he jumped or was thrown clear for the car burst into flames and was completely destroyed.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Altom, of Sweetwater, reported that they were immediately behind the car and saw that a front tire blew out, causing the driver, Malcolm Sorrels, of Colorado City to lose control and overturn.

Sorrels, a recently discharged veteran of this war, is still unconscious in the hospital at Colorado City.

Lon Gene was enroute to Lamesa to work in the Higginbotham Feed & Elevator Company, and had been taken by his family to Colorado City after church and dinner at home. He secured the ride on at Colorado City with Mr. Sorrels.

Lon Gene Smith was born September 1, 1926 at Childress. He was converted and joined the Baptist Church at the age of 9.

He went to school in Canyon, Tulla and Lamesa, and was due to go into the Army Air Corps on February 28.

Surviving are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Smith, a sister, Doris, and his grandfather, O. P. Stuckey, all of Roscoe.

MRS. TOM STANFIELD
RETURNS FROM PENN.

Mrs. Tom Stanfield of this city and Mrs. H. M. Chick of Lubbock returned Sunday from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania where they attended the funeral of their nephew Burt McHugh.

Burt McHugh 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norbert F. McHugh, was killed in an automobile accident.

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A family of four needs every year about four hundred and sixty pounds of preserved meat—that is, meat which is canned, frozen, cured, or dried. This figure includes lard, too—about 15 pounds for each person in the family.

Of course, there still are lots of rural families in Dawson County who don't have access to a freezer locker—so many people will have to rely largely on canning to store large quantities of meat. If you intend to can a beef this winter, here

are some points worth giving some consideration.

If you have any choice in the matter, your home demonstration agent suggests that you kill an older, fat animal, rather than a calf. That's because the meat isn't so likely to get over-cooked in the canning process. The animal should be kept quiet for at least a day before it's to be killed. Keep it off feed for 24 hours, but give it plenty of water.

For best results, chill the carcass to about 38 degrees for 24 hours before you cut it up. Complete directions for the cutting, dressing, and canning can be found in Extension bulletins you can get in this office.

Here are some warnings, however. Don't use imitation black pepper in your meat canning. It sometimes contains so many bacteria that it may cause spoilage. And don't stack glass jars in your pressure cooker. You might have some

COURTHOUSE NEWS

The following records were taken from the county clerk's office beginning February 13, and extending through February 19.

OIL, GAS AND MINERAL LEASES

Frank L. Cox to Barnsdall Oil Company, the north 1-2 of section 37, block 34, township 4 north, T & P Ry. Co. Survey, February 15.

Etta M. Delaney to The Texas Company, tract 76 of the Higginbotham & Harris Subdivision number 1, by R. W. Higginbotham, J. M. Higginbotham, and John G. Harris of the east part of survey 1, west part of survey 2, and all survey 3, block 01, W. H. Godair Original Purchase and all league 277 and 278, Glascock County School Land, and all league 279, Hutchinson County School Land, February 19.

Katie V. Burkett to P. W. DuBose, all section 14, C-39, Public School Land, February 13.

Monroe Davis and wife to Chas. J. Wohlford, the southwest 1-4 of section 27, block 25, township 4 north, T & P Ry. Co. Survey, February 13.

Rhoda C. Spencer, Floyd Spencer, Bruce Spencer, Lucille Lynch and husband to Allan Hargrave, all of the northwest 1-4 of section 10, block 36, township 4 north, T & P Ry. Co. Survey, February 13.

O. K. Jones and wife to T. H. McElvain, all the southwest 1-4 of section 41 in block 34, township 5 north, of the T & P Ry. Co., February 15.

MINERAL DEEDS

P. W. DuBose to M. D. Self, undivided 1-8 interest in the northeast 1-4 of section 65, block M, EL & RR Ry. Co. Surveys, February 16.

P. W. DuBose to M. D. Self, undivided 1-32nd interest in the south half of section 114, block M, EL & RR Ry. Co. Survey, February 17.

Ed B. Beck to W. E. Maberry, undivided 1-2 interest in the southwest 50 acres of the north 1-2 of section 49, block M, February 17.

C. A. Hollingsworth to Carl Rountree, undivided 20-500 interest in the northeast 1-4 of section 137 in block "M" of the EL & RR Ry. Co. Surveys, February 19.

WARRANTY DEEDS

J. C. Gaines to M. D. Bussell, lot 7 and the west 1-2 of lot 8 in block 6 of the Depot Addition to Lamesa, February 13.

F. A. Crump to V. O. Key, lot 5 in block 2 of the Morning Addition to the town, February 13.

T. F. Murphy to C. M. Bassett, 178.5 acres off the east side of the west 277 acres of section 16 in block C-39, Public School Land, February 13.

H. H. Corbitt to Clemmie Gray, the west 25 feet of lot 4 and the east 25 feet of lot 5 in block 5 of breakage—and, besides, it's dangerous.

We recommend the raw-pack and steam method of canning meat as a step toward better flavor and quality. If you're interested in how this is done, come by the office. There is a bulletin, "Canning Meat in the Home." If we know several days in advance, we may be able to arrange to help you with your first pressure cooker full of cans or jars.



GOOD COACH AND GOOD LOOKING TWO — Here's Coach Nedra Morgan of the Beaumont, Texas, boxing team with one of her pupils in the Golden Gloves, Shirley Gadet, 112, State champion last year. Coach Nedra succeeded her husband, Buddy, who was recalled to sea by the United States Maritime service. The comely matron of 28, who looks 18, knows her boxing and always has been athletic-minded. At Beaumont High School she was awarded a "B" for her PT work and was student instructor in PT during her senior year.

the Depot Addition, February 15.

T. A. Painter to Noble H. Price, 41 5-7 feet off the west side of block 6 and 8 2-7 feet off east side of block 7, M. J. McDonald Addition, February 16.

J. R. Westmoreland to C. L. Houston, all the south 60 feet of lots 1, 2, and 3 in block 28 of the Lee Addition to the town, February 16.

Joe G. Delgado to Victor W. Henningsen, the west 1-2 of tract 6 of the Dawson County Poultry Colony Addition, February 16.

L. A. Miller to C. W. Holt, lot 4 in block 1 of the second Morning Addition to the town, February 16.

H. C. Barton to Thomas D. Barton, 3 acres in a square out of the northwest corner of section 18, block 35, township 4 north, Dawson Co., T & P Ry. Co. Survey, February 16.

Wilma Martin to J. D. Guye, 1 acre out of block 8 in the town of Welch, February 17.

Docia Bowman, to B. D. Reeves, the northeast 1-4 of section 64, in block M of the EL & RR Ry. Co. Surveys, February 17.

E. R. Yates to W. C. Compton, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 in block 6, also lots 1, 2, 3, 10, 11, 12 in block 5 of the S. A. Jackson Addition to the town, February 17.

A. D. Brown to F. M. Compton, lots 1, 2 in block 9 of the original townsite of Ackery, February 19.

C. W. Holt to Z. T. Gilcrease, all lot 4 in block 1 of the Second Morning Addition, February 19.

L. F. Lock to Calvin Pugh, lots 1, 2 in block 6 in the Minton Addition to the original town of O'Donnell, February 19.

P. H. Oates to Karl Kaddatz, lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 in block 4 of the Creighton Place Addition, February 19.

Leroy Sreace to C. C. Peterson, lot 10 in block 7 of the original town

of Lamesa, February 19.

Minnie D. Cross to Nora Snell, tract 2, 3, 9 and 10 in league 266 Kent County School land, except undivided 1-2 interest in lot 2 in league 266, Kent County School Land, February 19.

C. L. Barnes to Loo Randalls, lot 10, 11 and 12 in block 12 of the original town of Lamesa, February 19.

D. J. Jones to W. D. Arnett, east 1-2 of section 59 in block M, EL & RR Ry. Co., February 19.

Mrs. Beatie Richardson to V. O. Key, all lot 1 in block 6 of the D. W. Adams First Addition to the town, February 19.

TURNKEYS DO A PRISON MAKE
FORT SHERIDAN, Ill. (AP) — Cpl. Mary Weiss arrived in a small

town at night, picked up an A.W.O.L. soldier, and decided to put his prisoner in jail until train time the next day. In response to considerable pounding on the locked door of the bastille, an elderly gent poked his head out a window and reported the turnkey wouldn't be around until morning. "O. K., the Army man fumed. 'We'll take our business somewhere else.'"
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What Is The Church?

If we all really understand what the church is, in the Bible sense, we would quit saying, "join the church" "the church of your choice" "open the doors of the church", etc.

WHAT THE CHURCH IS NOT

1. It is not a meeting house.
The church is a spiritual institution composed of men and women. A church may build a house to meet in but the house is not the church.
2. It is not a denomination.
The church was in existence for hundreds of years before the first modern denomination. The church is composed of all the saved Eph. 5:23 But no denomination can make that claim. There was only one church, Eph. 4:1-23 but we have in the United States alone over 200 religious denominations.
3. It is not the aggregate of all denominations
Some will contend that there is only one body but that this body is divided into many parts, each denomination being a part, and that therefore all the denominations taken together make up the church. This is false, since we are taught in 1 Cor. 12:25; Acts 4:32; 1 Cor. 1:10 and Jno 17:21-23 that the New Testament church was NOT DIVIDED in this way.

WHAT THE CHURCH IS

1. Meaning of the word.
Our English word "CHURCH" is translated from the Greek "ECCLESIA" meaning literally "ASSEMBLY" this word was used by the Greeks in reference to any assembly, civil or religious. The Biblical writers applied it to the "ASSEMBLY OF GOD'S PEOPLE." Several uses of the term are found in the New Testament.
2. Uses of the word.
The word "church" is applied to a local congregation of God's people, for example the seven churches of Asia. The record tells where these churches were located. The word is used in the regional sense to include all saved people in a given territory, although those people met for worship in different places. Example, Church in Texas, Oklahoma etc. The universal sense the word "church" is applied to the entire body of Christ, Col. 1:18, Eph. 5:25. There were many local bodies in Paul's day but were all churches of Christ, Rom. 16:16.
3. The church is made up of all the saved.
This is clearly taught in Eph. 5:25, Acts 2:47, 1 Cor. 12:13. When one turns away from darkness and sin in obedience to the gospel he is translated into the kingdom or church, Col. 1:13. Believe, repent and be baptized for the remission of sins and you will be added to the church.

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Sold under the trade name of the Rocking H and La-Mesa Brand Feeds are all the feeds manufactured at Henningsen Lamesa, Inc., Feed Department. Included in the stocks at that firm are hog feed, 21 per cent egg mash, chick starter, grow mash, 18 per cent egg mash, 32 per cent egg mash supplement, 16 per cent Lamesa brand dairy, 11 per cent sweet feed, 18 per cent egg pellets, dog food meal, alfalfa hay, alfalfa leaf meal 20 per cent, alfalfa meal 13 per cent, barley, carbox, cottonseed (Northern Star), yellow corn, white corn, ground ear corn, grits, milo, milo heads, milo, head chops, rabbit pellets, oats, keetons tankage, oyster shell, vitamek, flour, wheat, wheat bran, tankage, vita way, dried buttermilk, sulphur, calf manna, meat and bone scraps, peanut hay and meal, sudan seed, cane seed. Also salt sacked and in blocks, yeast, charcoal, soybean meal, bone meal, milo seed, Prats poultry remedies, bundle hay, and cod liver oil.

Three units compose the feed department, including the grinding and mixing room, the retail unit, and the warehouse division.

The warehouse measures 54x110 feet, and the retail division which was built to the business last year

is approximately 30x80 feet. Officials of the firm have leased another building which is complete with storage and elevator equipment and which measures 50x140 feet. The latest addition is located on the railroad track, and will enable the firm to care for their increased business.

A seed cleaner, with an output of 1,000 sacks daily is among the equipment at Henningsen Lamesa, Inc., Feed Department. This cleaner is the largest in town, and through its use, large contracts can be filled. With this, officials of the firm do their own seed cleaning as well as custom cleaning. The seed cleaning process is highly successful, for both cotton and all types of feed seeds. Through its use all impurities are removed, leaving the seed crop. Germination is tested, and seeds are ready for the next years crop.

The sweet feed mixer is another piece of the modern equipment at the department. The mixer has the average capacity of 50 to 60 sacks output per hour.

Grinding units for feed mixing purposes are also a part of the firm. In addition to doing their own grinding, Henningsen Lamesa, Inc., Feed Department offers custom grinding. Credited with the output of twenty-five tons per day the grinding units are especially helpful in the operation at the firm.

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The elevators have a capacity of 900,000 pounds.

Manager of Henningsen Lamesa, Inc., Feed Division, is T. J. Landers, long experienced and capable in this field of work, who has served at the firm for five years since it was first built. W. B. Chism is general foreman and is in charge of maintenance operations, and completing the force are W. L. Burger, mill operator and in charge of the yard, Frank Bruce, who supervises the mixing unit and warehouse and Dean Davis, bookkeeper in the office.

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BROTHER TO BROTHER, SHIP TO SHIP

SOUTH PORTLAND, Me. (AP) Ensign Lester Williams and Parker Williams, Jr., radarman, South Portland brothers with the Navy in the Pacific, "met" on the high seas recently for the first time in four years. Their ships anchored somewhere in the Pacific some distance apart and they talked over ship-to-ship telephones.

Pvt. Aaron Coon of Madison, Wisconsin left Sunday after spending a 10 day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Coon.

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We will have Quarterly Conference. Lunch will be served at the noon hour, after which a message will be brought. Everyone is invited to attend.

Due to sickness we only had eleven present at Sunday School. Let's do better next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cooper went to Lubbock on business.

Mrs. Sterling Stovall and daughter Neva Jeanne of Lamesa spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Stovall and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stoudt were visitors in Big Spring Tuesday.

Mrs. W. P. Stovall has been visiting with Grandmother Stovall who is ill in Lamesa.

Miss Mearie Hogg returned home this week after having worked in Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hoffman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Garland Anderson and family.

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TOWN and FARM IN WARTIME

RATION REMINDERS

MEATS AND FATS — Red stamps Q5, R5, S5; last date for use, March 31. Red stamps T5, U5, V5, W5, and X5; last date for use, April 28.

PROCESSED FOODS — Blue stamps X5, Y5, Z5, and A2 and B2; last date for use, March 31. Blue stamps C2, D2, E2, F2, and G2; last date for use, April 28. Blue stamps H2, J2, K2, L2, and M2; last date for use, June 2.

SUGAR — Stamp 34, last date for use, February 28. Stamp 35; last date for use, June 2.

SHOES — Airplane stamps 1, 2, and 3 in book three, good indefinitely.

CIVILIANS AT WAR

The Government needs and asks its citizens in this 168th week of war to:

1. Hold series "A" Bonds (the "Baby Bonds" that went on sale in 1935) and reinvest the proceeds when they begin maturing. March 1st War bonds offer the same interest: \$4 for every \$3 invested.
2. Look for dollar-and-cents price ceiling posted in your shoe repair shop. Such services are now under OPA price control.
3. Place specific orders now for fertilizers and insecticides for farms and victory gardens. Transportation and manpower shortages seriously delay deliveries.
4. Use V-Mail and help share overseas cargo space. Shipments of whole blood and typhus vaccine urgently need the plane facilities V-Mail will save.

HOUSEHOLD FATS TO RESCUE

Homemakers of Town and Farm again are asked by the War Food Administration to come to the rescue of a wartime program. WFA states that it is looking largely to the peo-

ple in agricultural areas to increase the quantity of salvaged fats this year to the 250,000,000 pounds needed to meet United States military industrial and civilian requirements. Last year housewives turned in 170,000,000 pounds. M. L. Wilson, Director of the Extension Service, has called upon all state directors of the service to enlist the aid of their field forces in helping to speed the drive for used fats turned in from rural areas. WFA advises and asks all housewives to keep a tin can in a handy spot in which to pour used cooking fats. When the can is full the fat—can and all—should be taken to the local market where the butcher or grocer will pay two red points and up to four cents a pound for every pound turned in. Salvaged fats are used to help make munitions, machines, synthetic rubber, military and civilian soaps, parachutes and a score of other wartime necessities.

TAX EXEMPTIONS EXPLAINED

In response to numerous inquiries arising from new provisions of the individual income tax law relat-



RESCUED — Lt. Clifton H. Chamberlain Jr., pictured in his Texas A. and M. uniform, was among the more than 40 Texans snatched from a Jap prison camp on Luzon. He is the son of Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Chamberlain of Marlin. (AP Photos).

ing to exemptions for husbands and wives, and the income of minors, Joseph D. Nunan, Jr., Commissioner of Internal Revenue, made the following statement today:

"Husband and wife exemptions—The new law requires that if a husband and wife file separate returns, each must take his own exemptions on his or her own return. Both exemptions can be claimed on the same return only if (a) they file a joint return, or (b) if one of them had no taxable income and was not the dependent of another taxpayer. In applying this rule to wives of men in the armed forces, it should be borne in mind that the tax laws exempt and disregard the first \$1,500 of active pay received each year by a member of the armed forces. The result is that most members of the armed forces have no taxable income, in which case their exemptions can be claimed by their wives.

"Income of minors: The new law provides that the earnings of children shall be considered to belong to the children, and not to their parents, for purposes of the Federal income tax. As a result, minors who had \$500 or more income last year must file income tax returns the same as adults. Therefore, parents need no longer include in their own income tax returns the earnings of their children.

"Income under \$500: Persons whose income last year was less than \$500 are not required to file income tax returns, but frequently will find it advisable to file. In the case of a single person who has less than \$500 income from which

tax was withheld, the filing of a return will bring a refund of the tax which was withheld. In the case of a married person who had less than \$500 income, whether or not any tax was withheld from it, the person should file a joint or combined return with her husband (or his wife) or as to get the full benefit of their exemption.

"TIME TO TIME" FOOD SHORTAGES

Civilians may continue to expect food shortages "from time to time" as a result of multiplying military and lend-lease needs, but these shortages will not be serious if farmers repeat their record productivity and if Americans plant victory gardens and do as much home canning as possible, Marvin Jones, War Food Administrator, declares. "There is need for all of the meat and milk and vegetables and grains and dozens of other foods that the nation's farmers can produce," Jones said. "Farmers are being asked to plant more acres to crops this year. Farmers and their wives as well as older people and children on farms are working to the limit of their ability, and the help of city and townspeople will be needed in addition to meet this year's needs." He said the surest way to assure a fully supply of fruits and vegetables for home use is to grow a garden and do as much home canning as possible.

WHERE THE POCKET KNIFE GO

The mystery of where that pocket knife you wanted to buy has gone is cleared up by an announcement this week of WPB. To meet the urgent need of bomber crews, ski troopers, sailors, and other members of the armed forces for pocket knives, employment in the pocket knife industry must be expanded to a point that will permit production in the first half of 1945 of approximately 5,000,000 pocket knives per quarter, WPB states. Each pocket knife is a miniature engineering project. Making the simplest type of knife requires about 40 separate operations, while a more complicated four-bladed knife, containing some 20 pieces, requires about 100 operations.

BLACK MARKET REPORT

Organized black markets in meat and sugar are reappearing in dangerous proportions in the United States, and their existence is dependent largely on counterfeiting of ration coupons, the Office of War Information said on the basis of information provided by the Office of Price Administration, U. S. Secret Service and the Alcohol Tax Unit of the Treasury Department.

Fresh mushrooming of counterfeit activities constitutes the principal problem now confronting government enforcement agencies. Printing of bogus coupons has become widespread in the meat and sugar

fields whereas it was formerly rampant in the gasoline business, officials said.

OPA Executives said that the illegal diversion of gasoline through counterfeit and stolen coupons has been almost stopped while organized black market activities in liquor have been virtually eliminated. They denied the existence of any organized black market in cigarettes, claiming the "petty chisellers" are the chief supporters of this illicit market.

Although Federal Agencies have achieved considerable success in coping with organized black markets, they are increasing, not relaxing, their day-to-day vigilance against any new racketeering gangs which might try to spring up.

Officials cited the harm done by the individual consumer who basically creates and perpetuates the demand for illegal or stolen coupons by his willingness to pay extra sums for more than his rationed share. They emphasize that the citizen's willingness to "chisel" induces the racketeer to take advantage of the resultant high profits, thus enabling the criminal to thrive and expand his activities.

Authorities emphatically said that counterfeiting, theft and illegal distribution of all types of ration coupons constitutes one of the greatest menaces today.

More than a 1,000 persons were arrested by special Treasury and OPA Agents during 1944 for counterfeiting activities. OPA also has imposed thousands of sanctions for violations of rationing regulations besides obtaining more than 5,000 convictions under criminal statutes. Injunctions and suspension orders likewise were used to check black marketing.

Chest Bowles, OPA Administrator, made the following appeal to solicit more active public participation in continuing efforts to keep black markets down to the normal.

"If all consumers in America were to adhere strictly to rationing regulations, enacted for their protection, and reported all observable violations, we would not have such an evil as black marketing. Black markets are perpetuated by consumers collectively. Every black market purchase affects the honest consumer. Every American who participates in any kind of a black market deal, no matter how financially trivial, does disservice to the war effort and to his law-abiding neighbor.

Professional racketeers are blamed for the making and distribution of counterfeit ration stamps. More than \$1,000,000 has gone into the pockets of racketeers in two months alone from the sale of bogus gasoline coupons. OPA watchfulness has almost smashed the traffic in bogus gasoline coupons, and as a result counterfeiters are shifting their counterfeiting activities to the food fields.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible School—10:00 a. m.
Preaching—11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.
Communion—11:45 a. m. and 8:45 p. m.
Boy's training class—6:45 p. m., Sunday.
Song Drill—8:00 p. m., Wednesday.
Ladies Bible class—4:00 p. m., Monday.
Sermon subject for Sunday, February 25:
11:00 a. m., "Ways of Disobeying God."
8:00 p. m., "Excuses."
Our Spring Meeting Begins March

4, at 11:00 a. m. Bro. Garrie Atkinson of O'Donnell will do the preaching. Services will be held twice daily at 10:30 a. m. and at 8:00 p. m. Plan now to attend every service.

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