

January 31 Final Day To Pay Taxes Without Penalty

January 31 is the last day on which to pay 1941 taxes without penalty, Howard Riggs, county tax assessor and collector, warned this week.

Poll taxes must also be paid this month to carry a voting privilege, Mr. Riggs pointed out. All persons who have reached the age of 21 since January 1, 1941, or will become 21 before election primary, must secure an exemption certificate during January in order to be entitled to a free vote.

Collection of taxes and payment of poll taxes is coming in fairly well, Mr. Riggs stated. To date, 840 poll taxes have been paid. This is approximately one-third of the expected number for this year.

Miss Childress To Attend Lunch Room Short Course

Miss Helen Childress, assistant project supervisor of the Collingsworth School Lunch Program, has been selected as one of two representatives of District 1 to attend a short course on school lunch room management to be held in Austin January 26 to 31, inclusive.

Attending the conference will be two representatives from each district—twelve from Texas, state supervisors of the School Lunch Project of Alabama, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Oklahoma and Texas.

The tentative program for the short course includes suggestions for marketing in quantities, suggestions for low cost dishes and menus, short-cuts in food preparation and serving of food to large groups, methods for avoidance of waste, suggestions of improvised equipment, and methods of management to make the operation of the program more effective and efficient.

Dodson Class Gives Comedy

Deacon Dubbs, a comedy in three acts, will be given by the Juniors of Dodson High School as their annual play Friday night, January 30, they announced this week.

The play will begin at 7:30 o'clock, and will be given at the high school auditorium.

One of the most popular comedies given by high school students in this area, "Deacon Dubbs" is expected to draw a capacity crowd at this performance. The small admission charge will be used by the Juniors in financing their class activities.

The cast of characters includes the Deacon, played by Irving Welch; Amos Coleman, Calvin Newton; Rawbon Crawley, Dale Farris; Major McNutt, Johnnie Dawson; Deuteronomy Jones, Vernon Baird; Rose Rawlings, Erma Lee Hunt; Miss Topover, Vinita Carter; Emily Dale, Geneva Watts; Trixie Coleman, Joanna White; and Yennie Yensen, Charline Finley.

Assembly Of God Revival To Open

Revival services are scheduled to open at the Assembly of God in Wellington Sunday, January 25, Rev. Floyd McCleskey, pastor, has announced.

Conducting the services will be Rev. Fredona Amerman of Seminole, Oklahoma, an outstanding young revivalist of the church.

This will be her first time to preach in Wellington. Services will be held each evening at 7:30 o'clock, and a cordial invitation has been given the public to attend.

Lieut. W. George Bourland Tells Of Jap Attack On Pearl Harbor

The story of the raid on Pearl Harbor December 7 came first hand to Collingsworth County this week in a letter from Lieut. W. George Bourland, stationed in Hawaiian waters, to his father, W. M. Bourland, of Quail. Lieut. Bourland was receiving treatment in a hospital on the day of the Japanese attack.

Mrs. Loader, whom he mentions in the letter, is a former Wellington resident and a sister of Mrs. John McClure of Wellington. She was before her marriage Miss Louisa Jones, the daughter of Mrs. Carrie Jones. Her family and that of Lieut. Bourland's have been friends for many years.

Lieut. Bourland is a graduate of the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis with the class of 1938.

His letter follows: Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, U. S. A. Supply Department Wednesday the 15th Dear Dad, Your letter to the Loaders came

yesterday. I thought surely you had heard from me by now. I wrote a post card on the day following the raid, which I understood would go out via clipper. Then on the 23rd I received a letter from Sis dated the 18th, in which she said that it was certain to be a relief to hear that I was all right, I assumed from that that you had received my card for the 8th and would worry no further. Since the card, I have written three clipper letters, one of which has surely reached you by now.

But to bring the news up to date, I will start all over. The hospital is here in the Pearl Harbor area, so I had a pretty good view of the raid. I heard the first plane, felt the earth shake a bit, then heard the explosion. I was at the time reading the President's appeal to the Emperor, and possibly that is why I realized right off the bat that the explosion was a bomb. At any rate, I jumped out of bed, ran over to the veranda, and got there just in time to

see the first plane swerve off. Then the party really started. The first planes came mainly from only two directions, flying low, and all loaded with torpedoes. They were so low that you could almost count the teeth in the grinning pilot's mouth (Japs don't have very good or very many teeth). It is known that some planes were shot down by individual rifle fire. Well, to get on, they caught us very much by surprise, but it didn't take the boys in the ships long to open up, and in less than five minutes they were downing Japs. One torpedo plane came in very low over the hospital. He would have been a sucker for a rifle shot, or even a shotgun, but I could only cuss for having neither. If my last quail hunt is any indication of my shooting ability, it probably wouldn't have done the Jap any harm if I had had a gun. While getting dressed, which I started to do after I saw the first two or three planes come in, a

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Bargain Days End Feb. 1st

Mrs. P. L. Bartlett Dies Wednesday

Mrs. P. L. Bartlett, 69, widely known resident of this county for the last 32 years, died in a Wellington hospital Wednesday morning, January 21. Mrs. Bartlett had been in ill health for the last year. About a week ago she became ill of pneumonia.

Funeral services are scheduled for Thursday afternoon, January 22, at 2:30 o'clock from the Methodist Church in Wellington. Rev. J. E. Kirby, pastor, will be in charge, assisted by Rev. Vernon Jones of Lillie.

Mrs. Bartlett is survived by her husband, four sons and a daughter, Bill Williams, Esdel Bartlett, Ozro Bartlett, Milton Bartlett, (Continued on Page Ten)

Miss Effie Rankin Named Teacher At Samnorwood

Miss Effie Rankin of Dozier has been elected as a teacher in the upper elementary grades at Samnorwood, B. W. Beaird, county superintendent, said Monday.

This vacancy arose after Principal Paul Morris resigned, and Merle Walker was promoted from the grade school to fill that place. Miss Rankin has lived at Dozier for a number of years, and is a former teacher in the county.

Rev. Hawkins Is Guest Pastor

In the absence of the pastor, Rev. Hadley Hall, who is concluding a tour of the Abilene District of the Church of the Nazarene, the Rev. Jeff Hawkins, of Mangum, Oklahoma, will be in charge of the services at the local Nazarene church Sunday, January 25. Rev. Hawkins will speak at 11:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.

Every member of the church is urged to attend both these services and the public is given a special invitation to hear Rev. Hawkins.

Federal Use Tax Due On Motor Vehicles

Drivers of all motor vehicles used on the highways have one more tax to pay, R. F. Curry, Wellington postmaster, reminded early this week. This is the Federal Use Tax, which was provided for in a law passed in the summer of 1941, and which goes into effect February 1. This tax is \$2.09.

Payment of this tax is made through the purchase of a Federal Use Tax Stamp at a post office, Mr. Curry pointed out. The tax paid at present is good until July 1, when the use tax will be \$5 for an entire year.

Only nine days remain on the Wellington Leader Bargain Rate! For this traditional event of the paper closes February 1.

Readers of the paper who have neglected to renew their subscriptions were warned today. With many renewals coming in to the paper during the last few days, only a small number of The Leader's readers are left to subscribe during the closing days.

Of these, a majority of the subscriptions do not expire until after February 1, the date set for the Bargain rates to close. A few readers have moved from the county, but the number who have let their subscription to the home paper drop is almost zero.

In addition to these renewals, a large number of new subscribers are listed with The Leader this year. These include new residents in the county, along with others who have lived here for several years, but who have never been readers of the paper.

"We're mighty proud of the response given to our Bargain Days campaign," Deskins Wells, editor of the paper, said. "Your loyalty to the paper during the years you have been readers is deeply appreciated, and it is with the greatest pleasure that we see you return from year to year."

Many reasons are given by readers for renewals, but the one which comes most often is, "The Leader is like one of the family. We couldn't do without it."

Many gracious things have been said by the readers during the last few days. Some of these are: Mrs. W. A. Box, who has been visiting in various towns over the state—I said if I ever got home I'd tell Deck Wells how much I appreciate his paper. I thought when I got in larger towns, I'd find good papers, but they weren't as good as The Leader.

V. G. Cole of Littlefield—We just can't do without your paper. W. T. Gunstenson—The Leader is something we can't do without. W. E. Cummings—I couldn't go through a hard winter without The Leader, and it looks like we're going to have one.

Mrs. Edna Arendale—I can't get along without The Leader. In fact I can hardly wait to come and get it. L. W. Hartman—Of course I'd

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O'Neil Represents Production Credit

Lee O'Neil last week assumed his duties of field representative of Production Credit here. He succeeds R. L. Porter in this capacity.

Mr. O'Neil is assisted in this work by Olen Alexander, while Miss Juanita Clark has been employed as stenographer. Miss Clark was formerly with Starkey Electric Co.

The offices of Production Credit and the National Farm Loan Association, of which Mr. O'Neil is secretary, are now together, and have been moved from the office occupied by the NFLA to the offices formerly occupied by Wells & Wells, in the same building.

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March Of Dimes For Birthday Fund

Paul Cornwell, District Chairman of the March of Dimes, sponsored by the Motion Picture industry, to raise money for the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, announced that all theatre managers in the five towns in this district had completed their plans to raise their part of the money for the President's Birthday Party.

The March of Dimes campaign will start Thursday, January 22, and will continue through January 29. There will be a wishing well in the lobby of each theatre and patrons are invited to drop their

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G. T. Stephens For Commissioner

G. T. Stephens, who has lived in the Quail community for the past 26 years, has announced as a candidate for Commissioner of Precinct 3.

"I will appreciate the vote and influence of the people of the precinct," Mr. Stephens said. In the coming months Mr. Stephens plans to see every voter in the precinct and discuss the race with them.

Birthday Ball Planned For January 29

The President's Birthday Ball for Wellington will be held Thursday night, January 29, J. W. Wells, who is in charge, announced Wednesday morning.

The ball will be held at the American Legion Hall, and will begin at 9 o'clock. Tickets for the event will go on sale early next week.

This ball has become an annual event in Wellington, as a part of the nation-wide drive to stamp out infantile paralysis.

Red Cross Goes Over The Top In War Drive

By their generous giving, Collingsworth County people have exceeded the Red Cross Emergency quota more than \$400.

Tuesday night, \$2,323.66 had been raised, and more is expected from several communities where work is still going on.

The county's quota was \$1900.

While the most intensive part of the drive is over, a number of workers plan to continue their efforts to raise additional funds, and all donations will also be taken by Miss Katherine Boverie, treasurer.

Funds raised over and above the \$1900 quota will be retained in Wellington to be applied on the next Red Cross war relief quota, which is expected within a short time.

"The people of the county have been truly patriotic in their generosity to the Red Cross. Every one who is working with the organization appreciates this deeply. The spirit of cooperation we have shown has put us over the top in a big way," Dick Wiley, county chairman, and Miss Boverie said.

Contributors during the last week include: Mr. and Mrs. W. S. White, F. L. White, A. T. Lewis, Claude Lewis, George Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Birchfield, Mr. Hudson, D. C. Camp, C. C. Camp, Roy Thomason, Floyd Jones, Mr. Baird, Mont Cornelius, Herbert McWhorter, Walter Camp, Harry Patterson, Bob Hightower, W. E. Brewster, Homer Kesler, Bill Patterson, Grover Graham, Ernan Welch, W. F. Vaughan, W. O. Vaughan, Mid Lewis, Fred Patterson, A. B. Smith, Mrs. Lynn Carter, Mrs. F. J. Lewis, R. E. Thomason, Mrs. Etta Owens, Tom Birchfield.

Rama Camp, Mrs. Selba Rainey, Eula Lucas, Mr. and Mrs. Scott McCall, Lora Mae McFarland, Harvey Owen, Mrs. Allard Vandiver, John L. Beard, Mrs. Reda Brickey, Delia Cowan, Alegra Gibbs, Margaret Hix, Mildred Hulsey, Mary Katherine Hutcherson, L. C. Lehmer, Roy Long, Mr. and Mrs. Gilroy Rummel, Business and Professional Women's Club, Mrs. Lucy B. Wells, Hattie D. Wells, Mrs. C. C. Rolls, Southwestern Associated Telephone Co., Leslie Woodriddle.

City of Wellington, Pink Sullivan, R. F. Curry, B. O. Handley, Joe Thompson, Collingsworth County, Mrs. L. Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Berry, T. E. Benge, Morris Reed, J. P. James, Ida B. York, J. P. James, Laura L. Hays, Jimmie Kelso, W. F. Decker, Harley Kern, Jimmie Wayne Strickland, Jerry and Kenneth, W. C. Popham, W. O. Woods, Mrs. V. Henard, Mrs. K. D. Tinkler, Mat Eiland.

Mrs. W. E. Maddox, United Gas Co., H. M. McCaskill, Lake Moody, City Bakery, Farmers Co-op Gin, Wellington Farmers Co-op Gin, Harry Gilbert, West Texas Gin, (Continued on Page Ten)

Church Training School Opens At Norwood Jan. 31

The Baptist Church at Samnorwood will sponsor a Sunday School training course, beginning Saturday night, January 31, and continuing until Wednesday night, February 4.

Rev. V. M. Lollar of Kelton will teach the course.

A cordial invitation has been given the public to attend any or all of these sessions.

J. B. Curtner Has Light Stroke Of Paralysis

J. B. Curtner, Wellington resident for many years, suffered a light stroke of paralysis while down town late Tuesday afternoon.

His condition was reported by his daughter, Mrs. R. H. Ball, as improved Wednesday morning. The left side of his face and his right shoulder and arm were affected by the stroke.

An attending physician said that he believed Mr. Curtner would recover in a short time, Mrs. Ball said.

Let Quail Road Contract Jan. 30



REV. F. AMERMON will conduct revival services at the Assembly of God in Wellington beginning Sunday, January 25.

Contract for the surfacing of the Quail highway will be let Thursday, January 30, H. T. Cunningham, resident engineer for the state highway department, said Monday. This job will be for a little more than \$100,000.

At the same time, he stated that actual construction work on Highway 52 from Wellington east to the Oklahoma line, got under way last week, with the laying of the gravel base. Work was begun at the west end of the stretch, near Wellington, and will progress eastward until the state line is reached. Topping on this road will be of asphalt.

Approximately six or seven months will be required to complete this job, Mr. Cunningham estimated. It is a combined project of the highway department and the WPA.

Mr. Cunningham is in charge for the Highway Department, while W. B. Clench, who came here recently, is supervisor for the WPA.

There will be no re-routing of traffic while the laying of the gravel base is under way, Mr. Cunningham said.

The Quail Highway will be approximately twelve and one-half miles in length, including a one-mile spur leading from the highway through the business section of Quail to the school.

The contract calls for regrading the road, placing of a crushed rock base and an asphalt top.

Notice of the letting of this contract, along with the types of workmen required on its construction, and the wage scale are published in this week's issue of The Leader.

Local Teachers On Music Program

Mrs. Aldah Wynn of Wellington and Mrs. Carl Chaudoin of Quail will appear on the program of the District Three Music Conference, which is scheduled to be held in Childress Tuesday, January 27.

In addition, this conference will be attended by a large number of the teachers of the rural schools, and by music teachers in the city and consolidated schools.

Both Mrs. Chaudoin and Mrs. Wynn will have part in the panel discussions.

The conference will open at 9:00 a. m. at the Childress Junior High School auditorium. Following the opening procedure, the morning's program will consist of panel discussions on specific problems current in music education in this district.

The afternoon session will consist of a forum discussion, followed by a panel discussion led by Miss Nell Parmley on agencies which need to cooperate in training and using music students.

The meeting will close with a (Continued on Page Ten)

All Plans Ready For Plasma Bank

As originally stated in a previous issue of this paper, the Plasma Bank will be started at St. Joseph's Hospital this week. Full equipment has been installed for this purpose.

"The Sisters are more than ready to cooperate with anyone who is willing to do their bit for National Defense. All volunteers will be welcome. Come and have your blood typed," members of the hospital staff said.

The Greatest Value AMONG WEEKLY PAPERS A \$2.00 PAPER FOR ONLY 150 ANNUAL BARGAIN RATE OF The Wellington Leader This offer good for a limited time only, and will enable every home to have the news of Collingsworth County for less than 2 cents per copy. This rate applies only to Collingsworth and adjoining counties.

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Valentine Date

If you want to please your Number One Valentine, remember navy blue is very smart now; and polka dots are always fetching. This pert dress with its youthful Eton jacket and its pleats-on-a-yoke skirt is one of the latest creations for young budgeteers.

50th Wedding Anniversary For S. W. Norwoods Sunday, Jan. 18

Another of Collingsworth County's pioneer couples to celebrate their fiftieth wedding anniversary was Mr. and Mrs. Sam Willis Norwood who came to this county from Alabama in 1897. The couple married in Stevenson, Alabama, on January 19, 1892 and came here five years later to make their home in the section of the county which is now known as Samnorwood, being named after Mr. Norwood.

The anniversary was celebrated Sunday with an open house for more than one hundred friends and relatives of this section. All of the Norwood children were together for the first time in many years. The Norwood children are: Mrs. T. J. Lyle, Shamrock; Mrs. Tom Clay, Shamrock; Mrs. Earl Jackson, Dallas; Mrs. Frank DuBose, Shamrock; Olin Norwood, Wellington; and Charles Norwood, Corpus Christi.

The entertaining rooms were decorated with bouquets of roses, gladioli and many beautiful cut flowers sent by their friends. The serving table was centered with a three-tier wedding cake decorated in gold. Mrs. Clay, Mrs. Lyle, Mrs. DuBose, Mrs. Jackson and Mrs. Charles Norwood assisted in receiving the guests and serving cake and coffee.

Mr. Norwood came to Texas to regain his health and after a few years became well and strong again. The family lived on the ranch until their children reached the age to attend high school at which time they moved to Shamrock. In Shamrock Mr. and Mrs. Norwood were charter members of the Methodist Church and he is a charter member of the Masonic Lodge there. Mr. Norwood was the first person to serve as vice-president of the Farmers and Merchants Bank and also served as president. Five years later they moved to Clarendon where they lived six years, their daughters attending college there. They then returned to the ranch and built their present ranch home.

Mrs. Norwood has served as postmistress of Samnorwood since the establishment of that office and Mr. Norwood was instrumental in establishing the Samnorwood High School.

Among the guests calling were Dr. and Mrs. Charlie Jones, Mrs. E. W. Jones, Miss Katherine Boverie, Miss Viola Hudson, Mrs. E. H. Small, Mrs. Deskins Wells, Mrs. Cleo Templeton, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hurst, and Dr. and Mrs. Elmer Knox Jones of Dallas. Mrs. Elmer Knox Jones is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norwood. Other guests were from Samnorwood, Dozier and Shamrock.

Legion Members Entertain Thursday With Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Larson, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cochran and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Wells were hosts last Thursday evening at the Legion Hall at the monthly dinner and dance for members of the Legion, their families and guests. Dinner was served buffet style to more than fifty guests and members. Valentine decorations of red cellophane bows and candles were used on the long dinner tables.

Dancing was enjoyed following the dinner. Clyde Miller's orchestra furnished music.

Mrs. Howard Hunt Shower Honoree In Hudson Home

Mrs. Oras Hudson and Mrs. Jack Walker were co-hostesses when they entertained with a shower honoring Mrs. Howard Hunt. The party was given in the home of Mrs. Hudson at Dodson, January 12.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mmes. M. A. Branum, Fred Boyd, G. E. Hunt, J. H. Seymour, E. J. Doran, Buster Fillpot, Ben Boyle, Z. O. McKinney, Clyde Alexander, Van Bonneau, Mike Carter, Ellen Scott, F. E. Branum, Lloyd Mills, Olgie Watson, W. M. Swift, Allie Wilhite, Ethel Ford, Dewey Malone, Joe Wilson, U. N. Davis, Tolbert Painter, H. A. Painter, Misses Ruby Hodel, Erma Lee Hunt, Virgie Crowder, Hazel Hodel, Vivian May, Mabel Scott, Lucy Boyd, Vey Wynn, Gladys Scott, Ruby Sanford, Josie and Jimmie Lee Scott, Margaret Nell Wynn, Ila and Naomi Savage, Chrystal Allen, Helen Howell, Aline McKinney, Mayrene Darnell, Ladean Loven, Dorothy June Duvall and hostesses.

Gifts were sent by Mmes. Merlyn Carter, Rufie Jameson, Blake Lyde, Milton Seymour, J. A. Ricketts, G. M. Stokes, Norman Burk, W. W. Carter, Gertrude Wynn, Bill Hays, J. E. Dawson, Jake Stewart and girls, G. T. Owens, J. T. Baling and Joann, Ernest Nipper, Millard Scott, Hattie Scott, G. C. Milner, C. E. Caddell, John May, Mamie Ricketts, Mattie Jameson, Duard Scott, Pasco Swift, Bura Handley, Jim Scott, Tobe Deah, Trimble and Ella, Orval Couch, Orval Vaughn, Floyd Teutsch, Rosalie Roberson, Roy Tisdale, E. M. Long, L. A. Fillpot, Jack Davis, E. J. Smith, T. R. Whisenant, Ross Swift, Harry Patterson, R. E. Kellison, Sam Lemley, R. E. Caddell, Tom Watson, Sr., Pat Patterson, and Mahoma, Bob Hightower, Maggie Webb, Dora Johnson, R. L. York, Horace Weaver, Maudie Ricketts, Lamorne Lemley, Ura Scott, B. B. Martin, Thompson, J. H. Sims, Woodrow Wilson, Misses Mary Lee Davis, Helen Holloman, Ola Davis, Mozelle Branum, Myrtle Henderson, Bessie Rainer, Dora E. McClaskey, Annie Davis, Alice Wilks, Joyce Copeland, and Norma Copeland.

Wednesday afternoon members of the Domestic Science Club met in the home of Mrs. Lee O'Neil to hear the program given by Mrs. J. B. Stevenson. Mrs. Stevenson gave a review of the book, "Life of Christ," by Humphrey Lee.

Domestic Science Club To Buy Defense Bonds

During the business session the members voted to buy a \$25 defense bond. Each member also will pledge a certain amount each week to buy bonds in the future.

Attending were Mmes. T. E. Bengé, J. L. Beard, J. B. Stevenson, E. N. Lewis, S. R. Pinkston, T. J. Way, A. B. Mears, L. E. Gribble and hostess, Mrs. O'Neil.

Ellis Johnson Weds Miss Florene Bowman Of Hollis

Announcement was made last week in Hollis of the wedding of Miss Florene Bowman of Hollis and Ellis Johnson, Long Beach, California, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Johnson of Dodson. The wedding took place Sunday, January 11, at Las Vegas, Nevada, with the close friends of the couple as attendants.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Bowman of Hollis where she has lived all of her life. She attended school at Hollis where she graduated. For the past several years she has been stenographer and secretary of the Tag Agents office in Hollis.

Mr. Johnson's parents are pioneer citizens of Dodson. He graduated from the Dodson High School and from the University of Oklahoma, Norman. For the past year he has been located at Bakersfield, California, and for the past few months at Long Beach with the Douglas Aircraft Corporation.

The bride chose for her wedding dress a sheer brown crepe with gold and brown accessories. She wore a corsage of spring blossoms.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson will make their home at Long Beach, California.

Zell Higdon Heads Red Cross Knitting Club

Friday, the Freshman Math Class of the Wellington High School met and organized a Red Cross Club. Their plans are to knit caps for the Red Cross.

Officers elected were Zell Higdon, president; Mozell Foster, vice president; Johnnie Wiles, secretary; Betty Evelyn Curry, treasurer; Ruby Clark, reporter; Amy Sue Way, song leader; program chairman, Margaret Bumpas; committee, Betty Jean Richards, Yvonne Shields and Betty Louise McDonald.

On Tuesday, January 13, Mrs. John W. Harper, County Red Cross Chairman, made an interesting talk to the members on the activities of the Red Cross.

About fifteen of the girls are already knitting. Three caps have already been finished.

Miss Rose Erisman spent Sunday in Wheeler visiting with friends.



Mrs. Buel Taylor who was before her recent marriage, Miss Mary Louise Weaver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Weaver of Quail. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor will make their home in California.

Mrs. Owens Has 84th Birthday January 14

Mrs. Georgie Owens was hostess Wednesday afternoon at a birthday party honoring her mother-in-law, Mrs. Owens, on her eighty-fourth birthday. The guests brought quilt scraps and gifts to the honoree.

The following friends were served coffee and cake: Mmes. Evert Akin, A. T. Lewis, Harry Patterson, Frank Luck and daughters, M. C. Cornelius, T. M. Cornelius, J. E. Dawson, Woodrow Wilson, J. T. Lewis, John Patterson, F. L. White, D. C. Camp and honoree.

Mrs. Frankie McGinnis Hostess To Ring H. D. Club

The Ring Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frankie McGinnis. Miss Rose Erisman gave a beneficial talk on soils and fertilizers for lawns, flowers and shrubs. The president, Mrs. Frankie McGinnis, appointed the following committees for the year: Mrs. Jessie Lee Ribble, exhibit; Mrs. Gertrude Mote, finance; and Miss Tommie Bill Lentz, recreation.

Various games were played by the group and refreshments of cocoa and cake were served to the following: Miss Rose Erisman, Mmes. Gertrude Youree, Kate Harris, Lillian Peters, Jessie Lee Riddle, Frances Mote, Miss Tommie Bill Lentz and hostess, Mrs. McGinnis.

Reporter, Tommie Bill Lentz.

Mrs. L. Wooldridge Honoree At Bryant Home Wednesday

Wednesday evening, January 14, Mrs. Lloyd B. Wooldridge was honoree at a stork shower in the home of Mrs. Tom Bryant from 7:30 to 9:00 o'clock p. m. Mrs. Aubrey Stuckey, Mrs. Truman Compton and Mrs. Bryant were co-hostesses in entertaining.

Pink and white colors were used to decorate the entertaining room and refreshment table. The lace covered table was centered with a miniature bassinette made of pink paper, and filled with pink and white carnations and placed on a reflector. Mrs. Earl Hunter and Miss Lois Crossland served.

Mrs. Hubert Leach presided at the guest register with the following registering: Mmes. Floyd Henry, Grant Wooldridge, John Roberts, Ernest Harwell, Fletcher Curry, Mat Johnson, J. H. Harris, Donald Curry, Buster Hughs, Virgie Peeks, Leon Roberts, Charlie Harrell, Leslie Wooldridge, members of the house party and hostesses.

Gifts were sent by Mmes. C. B. Downs, Panhandle; Noel Berry, Bill James, J. P. James, V. H. Lindsey, J. H. Simpson, Roy Brinson, I. O. Ruby, J. B. Wade, J. B. Sasser, Bill Sims, Harley Kern, J. L. Burt, Misses Dela Bee Burt, Ruby Hopper, and Vera Simpson.

East Ward P. T. A. Hears Discussion On Vocational Guidance

Wednesday members of the East Ward P.T.A. met to hear Miss Allegra Gibbs and Harvey Owen speak on vocational guidance. Miss Gibbs and Mr. Owen explained their duties in the community and benefits which can be derived from vocational guidance.

The students' program was presented by pupils from Miss Rama Camp's and Mrs. Ruth Barton's rooms. Students read The American Creed and three new year songs were sung by the same group. Miss Veda Mae Kiker gave a reading.

The attendance prize was won by Mrs. Barton's room.

Mrs. George Jones Given Farewell Tea Thursday

Mrs. George Jones, who is moving from Aberdeen to a new location west of Wellington, was honoree at a tea given last Thursday, January 15, by Mrs. D. G. Mahaffey at Aberdeen. Mrs. Ike Rogers presided at the tea service which was arranged on the dining table. Pastel shades of flowers were used to center the serving table.

Mrs. Jones was given a surprise shower of gifts by her many friends who live in that section. The gifts were presented in the grab box fashion. When Mrs. Jones reached for her grab prize the entire contents of the box fell into her lap.

Those attending were Mmes. Bert Shaw, S. D. Shaw, Tom Wall, Wesley Ammons, Joe West, W. C. Ketner, Nathan Thompson, E. Smith, D. G. Mahaffey, Donnie Ammons, Homer Simpson, S. Fletcher, Ike Rogers, Misses Leota Ammons, Naomi York and Jerry Shaw.

Sending gifts were Mmes. C. Bodine, Theresa Johnson, Durwood Willingham, Jim Light, L. R. Irwin, Misses Roberta Johnson, Wau-netta Johnson and Belva Johnson.

Beryl Dean Cooper Honored On Ninth Birthday

Mrs. J. E. Cooper was hostess Friday afternoon, January 16, at a party honoring her son, Beryl Dean, on his ninth birthday. The guests played games during the afternoon.

Favors of Valentines and suckers were given at the close of the party.

Refreshments were served to the following: June Ann Robertson, Adel Kern, Delores Somerville, Patsy Combs, Joyce McPherson, Barbara Martin, Jo Lynn Moore, Cameron Beam, Jimmie Agee, Jamie Kirby, Donald Jo Terry, Howard Murry, Wilbur Earl Smith, Earl Lynn Bartlett, Clinton Childress, Mrs. Luther McPherson, assisting hostess and honoree.

Mrs. F. F. Popwell Hostess To Midway Club

Mrs. F. F. Popwell was hostess last Thursday afternoon to the members of the Midway Home Demonstration Club when Miss Rose Erisman gave a demonstration on flower bed preparation. Miss Erisman tested soil and gave helpful suggestions for results in flower care.

The business session was under the direction of the president, Mrs. Popwell. Members voted to change the meeting date to the first and third Fridays of each month. The next meeting will be with Mrs. V. J. Simpson February 6.

The following were present at this meeting: Mmes. Minnie Gibbs, Tom Caldwell, V. J. Simpson, Popwell, hostess, Misses Dorothy Gibbs, Thelma Popwell and Rose Erisman.

Aberdeen W.S.C.S. Meets In Mahaffey Home Thursday

The Aberdeen Women's Christian Service of the Methodist Church met Thursday, January 15, at the home of Mrs. D. G. Mahaffey. Miss Naomi York gave the devotional and Miss Leota Ammons gave a talk on the beginning of the Missionary Society and its origin.

In the business meeting which followed pledges were made for the new year.

Mrs. G. L. Jones was presented with a handkerchief following the missionary meeting.

Jason Youngs Celebrate 26th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Jason Young celebrated their twenty-sixth wedding anniversary Sunday, January 18, at Weatherford. Mrs. Young and two children moved there the first of January. Mr. Young and the oldest daughter will go next year.

Mr. and Mrs. Young were married in Wellington. She was Miss Marie Miller, daughter of Mrs. Katie Miller of Davenport, Iowa.

Those celebrating the event were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Young, Mrs. L. K. Vaughn, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Taylor, all of Arlington, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Young and son, Charles, of Dallas, Arlene Young of Lutie, Katie and Robert Young of Weatherford and the honorees.



One-Dish Meal

A combination of vegetables, left-over meat, and a smooth, creamy, white sauce topped with buttered crumbs and baked in individual casseroles, is a one-dish-meal you will want to serve often. So many savory casserole dishes can be made from left-over vegetables and meat when combined with a piquant white sauce made by adding a small amount of prepared mustard, Worcestershire sauce or horseradish.

59 High School Girls Model Dresses In Home Making Style Show

The Home Making One Classes of the Wellington High School modeled their cotton school wash dresses on Tuesday, January 13, in a style show at the high school. From the two Home Making One Classes the following were winners: Miss Doris Lamkin, first; Miss Dorothy Jane Riggs, second; Miss Marie Radford, third; and Miss Laverne Bullington, fourth.

Outstanding dresses were modeled by the following: Mozelle Foster, Marie Radford, Frances Nunnelley, Doris Lamkin, Vera Gholson, Blonde Payne, Viola Wilson, Laverne Bullington, Dorothy Jane Riggs, Joan Kelly, Pollyanna O'Neil, Monarie Stout and Allene Raburn.

Miss Rose Erisman and Mrs. Harvey Owen judged the dresses on the following points: suitability of the pattern, material and color to the girl's figure and personality; workmanship; cost in relation to appearance and durability; grooming and posture.

The following girls styled dresses: Ruth Bearden, Margaret Bumpas, Tommie Jo Cook, Virginia Cooper, Alice Copeland, June Davis, Ruby Clark, Betty Evelyn Curry, Mozelle Foster, Vera Faye Gholson, Treva Hassell, Lena Harris, Lovella Lancaster, Jessie Loven, Brownie Lamb, Doris Lamkin, Doris McKinney, Frances Nunnelley, Blonde Payne, Erma Joyce Phillips, Marie Radford, Vera Sears, Doris White, Jeanne Wright, Viola Wilson, Glenna Beavers, Laverne Bullington, Thelma Cooper, Dorothy Harbin, Virginia Hays, Carrie Jo Hawkins, Jean Kelly, Helen Kersten, Merkie Kersten, Johndaline McClure, Doris

Null, Pollyanna O'Neil, Birdeen Phy, Dorothy Jane Riggs, Allene Raburn, Zelderie Sinyard, Monarie Stout, Ruby Dell Souder, Frances Souder, Ruby Scarberry, Evelyn Jo Culton, Loudene Ward, Myena Williams, Mary Lou Williams and Ruth Willoughby.

Guests were Mmes. Nunnelley, Austin O'Neil and Scott McCall.

Mrs. Maggie Webb President Of Dodson Civic Club

Mrs. Hattie Scott and Mrs. Nell Scott entertained the Dodson Civic Club on January 14, in the home of Mrs. Hattie Scott.

During the business session new officers were elected to serve the club. They were Mrs. Maggie Webb, president; Mrs. Edith Painter, vice president; Mrs. Lorene Smith, secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. Helen Howell, reporter. One new member was added to the group, Mrs. Ima Jo Hunt.

Games of bingo were played during the entertainment hour with high score going to Mrs. Webb. Mrs. Painter's name was drawn for the hostess prize.

Delicious refreshments were served to the following: Mmes. Mable Scott, Helen Howell, Edith Painter, Rudine Boyd, Maggie Webb, Peggy Scott, Lorene Smith, Doris Sue Painter, Mattie Deahl, Nell Scott, Hattie Scott and Mr. Don Edward Scott.

The February meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Fred Boyd.

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Outstanding Ball Club Found In Quail Girls' Unit

A recent achievement of the Quail girls' basketball team was the winning of the girls' division of the Patton Springs tournament, J. B. Riddle, coach, reported late last week.

In addition, two of the Quail players, Virginia King and Virginia Hilgenfeld, won places on the all-tournament team.

Jayton, champions of the Sweetwater district, was defeated by the Quails in a tight 14 to 12 game in the first round. Samnorwood was overpowered 23 to 13 in the next round, and Patton Springs was beaten in the finals 20 to 13.

Logan Cummings, superintendent of the Patton Springs School, and former resident here, was in charge of the tournament.

Members of Mr. Riddle's girls' team include Virginia King, Virginia Hilgenfeld, Alpha Neeley, Addirene Clay, Oma Lee Hill, Bernice Oatman, Erma Lee Bell, Eva Creed, Mary Lee Bishop, Grace Aaron, Modena Spier, and Iris Blevins.

In the boys' division the Quail basketballers lost out early in the tournament to Matador, however Whit Pate was chosen the most valuable player of that division.

In last week's games, both the boys and girls met the strong Arnett, Oklahoma, teams, with the Quail girls winning 26 to 19. The Arnett boys, state champions in Class C basketball, downed the Quails 64 to 30.

Both boys and girls from Quail were winners in games with Lelia Lake Thursday night, the girls by a score of 46 to 13, and the boys 53 to 20.

Games for this week include Lakeview at Quail Thursday night and Mobeetle at Quail Friday night.

Former Resident Dies At Lamesa

Funeral services for F. E. Patterson of Lamesa, a former resident of this county, were conducted Sunday, January 18.

Mr. Patterson resided here for a number of years, but left several years ago to make his home on the south plains.

Attending the funeral from here were a brother, G. K. Patterson, and Mrs. Patterson.

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF COLLINGSWORTH NOTICE OF EXECUTION SALE

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Justice Court of Collingsworth County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 26th day of March 1941 in favor of M. P. Watkins and against W. C. Cook, in the case of M. P. Watkins versus W. C. Cook, No. 2923 in such court, I did on the 16th day of January 1942, at 11:30 o'clock a. m., levy upon the following tracts and parcels of land situated in the county of Collingsworth, state of Texas, as the property of said W. C. Cook, to wit: All of the said W. C. Cook's interest in that part of the H. S. Cook estate, described as follows: The NW 1-4 of Section 35 in Block 16 of the H. & G. N. RR Survey in Collingsworth County, Texas, and on the 3rd day of March 1942, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day, at the courthouse door of said county I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said W. C. Cook in and to said property.

Dated at Wellington, Texas, this 19th day of January, 1942.

PAUL BELL, Sheriff of Collingsworth County, Texas. 28-3-c

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BEST BET FOR BLACKOUT

A curtain of felt material provides protection in blackouts. Material is put on a flexible piece of wood with thumb tacks and is hung from the top of the window just like a picture. Not only is light concealed, but felt absorbs splinters in case of shattered glass. Miss Margo Lundgren shows how easily this type of curtain is hung.

Mrs. Percy Wells At Dallas Market

Mrs. Percy Wells of the Wells Department Store left Saturday for Dallas, where she will buy spring merchandise for the store.

A complete line of merchandise for the coming season will be included in the purchases. She will attend the markets through this week.

While in Dallas, Mrs. Wells will also visit with her daughter, Mrs. Shirley Llorente, and Mr. Llorente.

CHINA GROVE

By MRS. CHARLES GRAVES

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Elder and H. E. Hill visited in Wellington Wednesday.

Bill Overcast left Friday for Bakersfield, Calif., to make his home.

E. L. Blewer visited in Memphis over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Elder, Melvin Overcast, J. D. Graves, Miss Vivian Elder and Ancel Miller visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Castle Wednesday night at Sweetwater, Okla.

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W. T. Newsom visited with W. M. Elder Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. May of Oklahoma City visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Elder Saturday.

Mrs. J. E. Walker visited with Mrs. C. R. Overcast Sunday.

Thelma Lee Overcast, who is staying with her aunt, Mrs. Dave Walker, at Needwood and attending high school at Samnorwood, visited with her parents over the week end.

Reece Sanders and Dannie Baker of Mangum are visiting with Joe Sanders.

Ancel Miller returned from Little Rock, Ark., Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ammons and family of Erick, Okla., and Chas. Graves and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Bodine Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sanders, Ancel Miller, Reece Sanders and Dannie Baker visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Webb Sunday.

Jack Sutton and Clarence Sutton visited with E. L. Blewer Saturday.

On the sick list were Mrs. Auviv Stephens and children and Ernest Overcast.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd White have moved to Denver City to make their home.

Real Estate Transactions

The following transfers of real estate have been recorded recently in the office of Miss Margaret Shields, county clerk:

C. T. Donnell and wife to Wayne Johnson—southeast one fourth, section 6, block 12.

Gourd Land and Cattle Co., to E. N. Lewis—240 acres out of the south one-half of section 73, block 14.

Isaac Bounds and wife to W. T. Bounds—lot 7, block 41, Wellington.

W. T. Bounds and wife to Troy Gardner—lot 7, block 41, Wellington.

T. F. Hunt to J. G. Peters—section 90, block 15.

Frances Elizabeth Neal and husband, F. M. Neal, to Carrie Archie—lot 20, block 151.

C. L. Hill and wife to John Barjenbruch—south 300 acres of section 23, block 14.

Commercial Casualty Co. to The Church of Christ (colored)—lots 22, 23, and 24, block 61.

B. G. Winton and wife to Ellis B. Love—lots 16, 17, and the south one-half of lot 18, block 197, Wellington.

R. O. Gregory to R. C. Bryan—the west one-half of the southwest one-fourth of section 64, and all of west one-half of the northwest one-fourth of section 57, block 16.

Ira Rolls and wife to Zoeda Rolls—undivided interest in the south 80 acres of the northwest one-fourth of section 128, block 21.

Beatrice Hiett and husband, Elmer Hiett to Bart Martin—lots 1, 2, and 3, block 90, Wellington.

First National Bank of Shamrock to A. M. Oldham—207 acres of the east one-half of section 8, block 16, and the northwest one-fourth of section 9, block 16; and the north one-half of the north one-half of section 10, block 16.

First National Bank of Shamrock to Harry A. Jones—304.76 acres out of the west one-half of section 35, block 16.

Arthur E. Sharp and wife to J. W. Wells—lots 11 and 12, block 89, Wellington.

J. W. Wells and wife to Trustees of Calvary Baptist Church—lots 11 and 12, block 89.

Zoeda Rolls to Ira Rolls, an undivided interest in and to the north 80 acres out of the southwest one-fourth of section 128, block 21.

Eva T. Hilburn and husband, J. A. Hilburn to Willis McKee—lot 24, block 150.

Lula Mae Eads to Robert Herbey Eads—the east one-half of the northwest one-fourth of section 95, block 11.

D. M. Obenhaus to Fred Yarbrough—the west one-half of section 39, block 11.

J. D. Pritchett and wife to Mrs. Lennie Peoples—the south one-half of the south one-half of the northwest one-fourth, and all of the north one-half of the southwest one-fourth of section 55, block 15.

J. Lewis Powell and wife; Emmett R. Powell and wife; Roy D. Powell and wife; Claude M. Powell and wife; and Clyde L. Powell and wife to Mrs. Maude Powell—the south one-half of section 6, block 23.

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Deck's DIDACTICS

—By Deskins Wells

The Sisters of St. Joseph's are after some of your blood. I mean that literally and not in the figurative or wisecracking sense. They announced this week that they were ready to receive donors to the blood plasma bank. This is of great value to the community. The blood you give now may save a human life later. It could be the life of someone very near and dear to you.

The advantage of plasma over blood is that it can be stored safely, can be transported long distances and it can be transfused without typing. It is remarkable. It is life-saving.

Some people tell me that they feel weak after giving blood. They were the ones who went right back to work after giving it. I gave some blood once. It was about bedtime. I went home, drank a quart of sweet milk and went to bed. The next day I could not tell the slightest bit of difference.

Sergeant York will show at the Ritz soon. By all means see this picture. It was voted one of the two best shows produced in 1941. That was before Pearl Harbor. Now the state of your own emotions plus the excellence of the picture ought to make it doubly good. It will enable you to let off some surplus steam that many of us have been using in shouting: Where is our Navy? If we can't figure out anything more useful or practical than asking such questions, it would be better to spend the energy cheering. Those who have seen the picture tell me that it will make you want to cheer.

Early last year I wrote about the importance of food in winning the war. Ed Bishop up at Dalt-hart thought it significant enough to reproduce. My suggestion a year ago was simply to guarantee the farmers a fair price and turn them loose to do their best.

Now comes Secretary Wickard saying that there is a shortage of oil products and that we must raise more peanuts and soybeans. That is fine of course. But what of cottonseed oil? I said a year ago that cottonseed oil was one of the most useful vegetable fats. I said turn the farmers loose. The lint will keep. The oil can be used now.

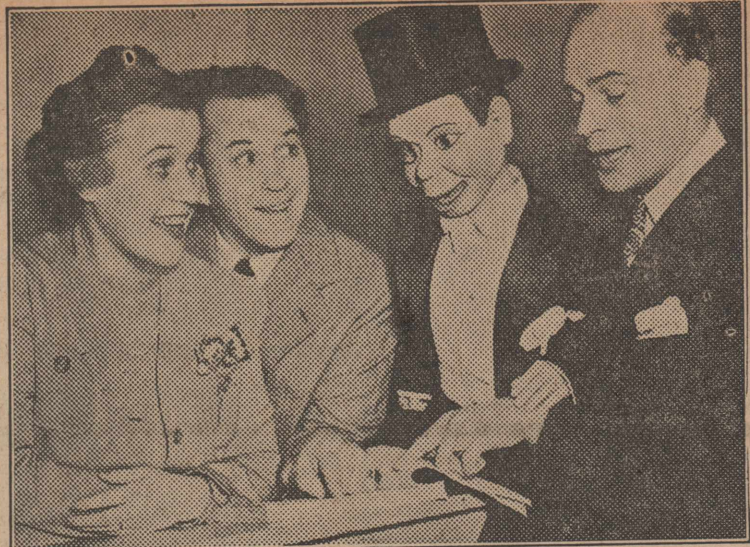
Then there is wheat. Wheat mixed with a few other cheap ingredients can be used to fatten animals. The fat makes oil. We need oil and fats now they say.

Besides there is the matter of bread for the hungry in those nations who are our allies. There is the matter of life giving bread for the starving of the world when the war is won. Why not turn the wheat farmers loose? Don't let them break out more sod, but do let them farm the wheat land. A year ago I said that it was wealth and that in time it could be used as such.

A year ago Mr. Wickard and his assistant Mr. Hill said no to more production of cotton and wheat. How long do you think it will be until they will be saying yes, yes, yes? My concern in this is not to criticize. My concern is to get the job done. Production will get it done.

If you have not done so, turn back to the front page and read the letter of Lieut. George Bourland. In some ways this is something that no daily paper can offer its readers in the intimate fashion we furnish it to you. In spirit it smacks of Valley Forge when the home folks read the news three months late. This news is only three weeks late, but lay it beside the front page of your favorite daily and see how it compares. This is a Collingsworth boy writing

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home and he writes very well.

Arthur Hudson told me an interesting item. The family of Arthur Capps is still receiving a pay check from the construction firm that employed the boy. Arthur Capps was stationed on Wake Island. It is believed that he is now a prisoner in Japan.

Jack Watson thinks the cotton crop will be out in March. He says that if the county only raised two bales they would gin one bale at night and the other in March.

Step right up folks. The Bargain rate will end Feb. 1. I am grateful for the splendid response to the campaign this year. We could stop right this minute and have more subscribers than any year since 1929, but we are going to close as usual on Feb. 1. And again I say thanks to all of you fine, fine people.

Mr., Mrs. Schaded At Market

Mr. and Mrs. Enis Schaded, owners of The Hub Store, left early this week for Dallas, where they are buying new spring merchandise.

"We are looking forward to buying for the coming season, and to being able to show our customers the high type goods which is available at this time," Mr. Schaded said.

They will stay in Dallas for the remainder of the week.

Maddox Completes One Phase Of Flight Training

Billie Wayne Maddox, aviation cadet in the U. S. Army Air Corps, has completed his work at the Ryan School of Aeronautics at Hemet, Calif., his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Maddox of Wellington, were notified recently.

His work at the basic flying school at Gardner Field, Taft, California, was begun Tuesday, January 20, and will continue for 10 weeks before he enters the final phase of his training.

With him at Gardner Field will be Theo Nichols, former band director here, and two former schoolmates at Weatherford College.

R. M. Horn, Jr., who is attending a defense school in Dallas spent last week end in Wellington visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Horn.

Political Announcement Column

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- Commissioner, Precinct 3
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JOHN STEPHENS
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C. E. STRONG

Rudy Child Buried Tuesday

Funeral services for Thomas Andrew Rudy, the year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Rudy of Samnorwood, were held from the Baptist Church at that place Tuesday afternoon, January 20. The child died in Wellington at 3:00 a. m. Tuesday morning following a brief critical illness.

The child was born December 2, 1940, in this county, and at the time of his death he was one year, one month and eighteen days of age.

Survivors are the parents and these grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rudy of Samnorwood and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Harper of Loco.

Pallbearers for the service were Odis Bradley, Charley Bradley, Oliver Young and Roscoe Chatherrall. Flower bearers were Lela Marchant, Annie Ruth Young, Carmen Marchant and Mrs. W. E. Marchant.

In charge of the funeral rites were Rev. V. M. Lollar of Kelton and Rev. Dick Gambrell. Hymns included "Safe In the Arms of Jesus," "Asleep In Jesus," and "Sweet Bye and Bye." Burial was in the Plymouth cemetery with the Kelso Funeral Home in charge.

E. M. Love lives on South Love street, in Lovington, New Mexico.

Readers Of The Leader

These readers of The Wellington Leader have renewed their paper, or are taking it for the first time: Oliver Young, L. A. Hunt, Charlie Depauw, Dr. J. H. Loving, E. B. Haralson, Sam Alice Brickley, Gordon Camper, L. C. Hill, Gene Martin, Olin Norwood, F. A. Pope, St. Joseph's Hospital, H. F. Weir, Fred Allison, Paul Brewer, John French, J. F. Holley, Mrs. Rebecca Knowles, Mrs. Ray Love, Shorty Lucas, W. A. McClure, Thad Roberts, Roy Brinson, Bryan Denley, J. B. Castleberry, A. V. Coker, Alva Cristy, Mrs. Creed Franklin, Mrs. H. A. Holcomb, S. A. Lasater, Virgie Ledbetter, R. E. Leggett, Levi Needham, Wellington Hotel, D. F. Wilson, Harry Gilbert, E. F. Lewis, E. N. Lewis, J. S. Maddox,

Kelly Pigg, Jimmie Richards, Enis Schaded, Mrs. Lutie Templeton, Mrs. John Bevers, Mrs. N. T. Cudd, Lee Fortenberry, J. A. Leach, Lion Auto Store, Mrs. J. W. Peeples, Ritz Theatre, Bert Starkey, C. B. Anderson, J. W. Chapman, Ralph Dent, C. M. Gunter, W. E. Hall, F. A. Hatch, Earl Hunter, J. V. Langford, A. P. Messick, Parsons Drug, Mrs. W. O. Richards, G. N. Scruggs, Velma Warrick, Marie Berryman, Mrs. J. A. Dickson, Mrs. J. C. Hampton, C. H. Harrell, Mrs. R. J. McClure, Mrs. H. A. Phillips, A. H. Reneau, Virgie Thomas, Grover Young, Mrs. W. J. Boykin, Neil Braboy, W. S. Braboy, Cliff Camp, H. C. Dickey, T. C. Fike, Henry Fournementin, Wilton Ketchum, S. A. Koen, C. W. Lee, Mrs. Stella Mattox, Wash Roberts, V. J. Simpson, Jim Terry, Billie Lee Burton, J. N. Griffiths, Mrs. Lee Harris, A. A. Haywood, D. M. Jarrell, J. B. Long, V. L. Long, H. F. Thomas, J. L. Gladney, E. H. Hartman, M. W. Hartman, Murl Lacy, W. C. Long, G. T. Owens, W. M. Scott, O. R. Spears, W. M. Squires, R. O. Thomas, G. H. Brewer, O. C. Cook, Mrs. J. C. Dean, C. R. Nece, Dudley Phipps, W. E. Reynolds, D. F. Roberts, R. L. Simpson, J. O. Stone, C. E. Welch, Richard Beall, Sam Berryman, C. A. Hall, Bill Hill, Kenneth Johnson, John E. Jones, E. D. Koen, Marvin Seale, Fred Walker, Roy Webb, H. O. Wiles, Buster Fillpot, Marvin Wynn, Gilbert Hunt, C. B. Jones, Ernest Nipper, G. M. Stokes, Theo Parker, O. B. Bradley, J. T. Daffron, Austin Deger, J. L. Deger, Jeynell Deger, M. V. Fritts, C. F. Hyman, Mrs. W. C. Kether, Mrs. W. H. Moody, C. M. Simpson, T. B. Whitson, Mrs. J. H. Blandford, E. L. Ezzell, D. T. Johnson, John M. Morgan, J. B. Van Huss, J. A. Coleman, W. R. Breeding, W. W. Breeding, S. L. Montgomery, J. W. Hartman, Mrs. R. R. Rankin, I. J. Self, Warren Carter, J. P. Cummings, Fred W. O'Hair, Pat O'Hair, H. Melton, Lee Minyard, C. T. Painter, J. C. Stratton, T. H. Rainer, Mrs. Byrd Guill of McLean, Buddy Yarbrough, W. A. Bettis, H. W. Carter of Hollis, A. J. Adkins, Loyd Mills, Paul Birchfield, San Diego, Calif., Mrs. Annie Bird of Helmetta, N. J., D. O. Cooper of Bloomington, Calif., Pvt. James H. Hobbs of Chanute Field, Ill., Donald Black of Childress, Mrs. Pete Winters of Twitfield, J. E. Simpson of Shamrock, Mrs. J. W. Stokes-True of Memphis, Lloyd Powell, W. M. Tucker, Barney Jones, J. G. Hunt, Mrs. Cleo Templeton, E. C. Scott, Bob Spears, C. D. Slay, O. O. Graham, E. G. Finley, M. L. James, E. L.

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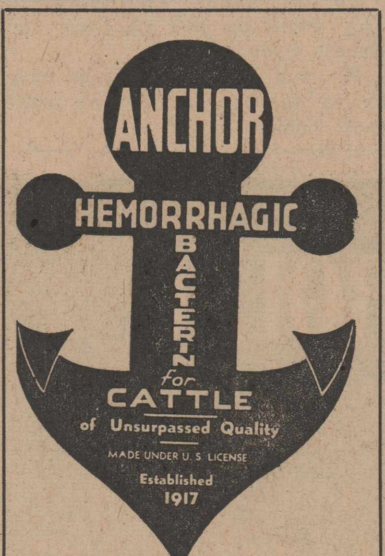
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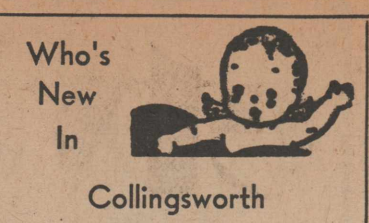


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Who's New In Collingsworth
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Schaub of Dozier are the parents of a girl born January 14 in Shamrock. The little lady was named Barbara Kay. She weighed seven pounds, six ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Swinburn of Lakeview announce the birth of a son born on Sunday, January 18. Mrs. Swinburn is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Boarman and a former resident of Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Middlebrook of Haldton, Okla., announce the birth of a son on January 18, 1942, in St. Joseph's Hospital, Wellington. He has been named Thurman and weighed five pounds and fifteen ounces at birth.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. White of Hale Center, Texas, announce the birth of a son, named Donald Harry, born January 19, in St. Joseph's Hospital. The baby weighed seven pounds and four ounces at birth. Mrs. White and Donald went home on Wednesday of this week.

Julius Wayne Reddoch, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Reddoch, was born January 20, at St. Joseph's Hospital. The baby weighed seven pounds and eleven ounces at birth. Mrs. Reddoch and son went home on Wednesday afternoon.

Fred Cagle of near Quail had the ring finger of his left hand cut almost off Monday while working with a combine in the Buck Creek community. He was brought to Wellington for treatment, and an attending physician said that it would not be necessary to amputate the finger.

Mrs. L. C. Hill, Jr., who underwent a major operation in St. Joseph's Hospital on Sunday, January 11, is still improving.

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Society

Weaver-Taylor Wedding Vows Spoken In Altus

A wedding of interest to their many friends over the county was that of Miss Mary Louise Weaver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Weaver of Quail, to Buel Taylor of San Francisco, California, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Taylor of Quail. The vows were spoken on Tuesday evening, January 13, by the pastor of the Baptist Church in Altus, Oklahoma. The couple's only attendants were Miss Lola Mae McMinn of Childress and Bill Martin of Quail.

The bride wore a blue tailored suit with black accessories. She was born and reared at Quail, receiving her education from the Quail schools. She graduated in the class of 1941 after an active high school record. She was sweetheart of the F.F.A. chapter of Quail in 1939, played basket ball two years, was a member of the drama club, and was society editor of the Quail Echo, high school paper.

The groom was also born and reared at Quail and attended school there, finishing in the class of 1938. He attended college at W.T.S.C., Canyon, where he specialized in industrial art. For the past year he has made his home in San Francisco where he is with the Bethlehem Steel Company as a ship carpenter.

Mr. Taylor left Friday for San Francisco and Mrs. Taylor will join him in two weeks to make their home on the west coast.

Mrs. Aubert Keller Hostess To Cross Roads Club

On Tuesday, January 12, the Cross Roads Home Demonstration Club held the first meeting of the year in the home of Mrs. Aubert Keller. The members tested soil for spring flower planting.

The afternoon was spent studying the rule book presented to the club by Miss Rose Erisman and in singing the songs found in the new yearbook.

The women plan to carry out the programs given in the yearbook and they urge every woman in the community to attend the meetings and help make a success of the year's work.

Mrs. Aubert Keller invited the club to meet with her on January 27, when Miss Erisman will be with the members for a demonstration.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. Lewis Keller, Harold Keller, Auburn Keller, George Null, Dudley Phipps and hostess, Mrs. Aubert Keller.

Mrs. W. R. Breeding Hostess To Abra Club

Wednesday, January 14, the Abra Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. W. R. Breeding. The roll call was answered by telling what kind of fertilizer each had been using for plants and lawns. Miss Erisman gave a demonstration on soils and fertilizers for stimulating growth of plant life.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mmes. Guss Gooch, Joe Laycock, Ott Clay, Pat Bradley, Homer Stein, Guy Beasley, Wayne Laycock, Miss Erisman and hostess.

The club will meet in the home of Mrs. W. W. Breeding on January 28. Each member is requested to bring a sample of soil for testing.

Mrs. Earl Reynolds To Be Hostess To Fresno Club

The Fresno Needle Craft Club will meet with Mrs. Earl Reynolds on Wednesday, January 28.

The members plan to recushion two chairs with Miss Allegra Gibbs supervising the work. Everyone interested in the work is invited to come.

Reporter.

C. A. Wright Honored On Birthday Wednesday

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Wright honored their son, C. A. Wright, with a birthday dinner last Wednesday. Those enjoying the event were Mr. and Mrs. Rob Isbell, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Isbell, Mrs. Frank Gillespie of Quitaque, Mrs. C. A. Wright and children, Charles and Edna Ellen, Mrs. S. L. Maxwell, honor guest and hosts.

Mrs. C. B. Wade Honoree At Shower Wednesday

Mrs. J. B. Wade and Mrs. Leon Roberts were hostesses in entertaining with a shower honoring Mrs. C. B. Wade, recent bride. The shower was given in the home of Mrs. J. James Wednesday evening, January 14.

Mrs. Wade was presented with many lovely and useful gifts. The gifts were attractively displayed for the guests to see.

Refreshments of cake and hot chocolate were served to the following: Mmes. Floyd Nipper, Virginia Peeks, J. P. James, W. A. Bettis, Erwin Wooldridge, Earl Chitwood of Memphis, Bill James, Ray King, Robert Strong, R. L. Simpson, A. C. Shipley, J. H. Simpson, Mrs. Vara and Nellie Jo Simpson, honoree, Mrs. Wade and the hostesses, Mrs. J. B. Wade and Mrs. Roberts.

Those sending gifts were Mmes. Noel Berry, Foster Brown, Luther McPherson, Curtis McKinney, Enis Schaded, Chas. Cason, Leonard Karnes, W. E. Hall, Jess Young, E. M. Hix, Truman Compton, Velman Warrick, Dewey Ellis, I. O. Ruby, Bill Smith, J. R. Childress, Miss Mary Brown and Lanya Smith.

Mrs. V. E. Warrick Hostess To Belles Lettres

Tuesday afternoon of this week Mrs. V. E. Warrick was hostess to the members of the Belles Lettres Club. Mrs. J. M. Stowell was leader of the program on South America and talked on facts concerning better relations of North and South Americas. Members took part in a round table discussion.

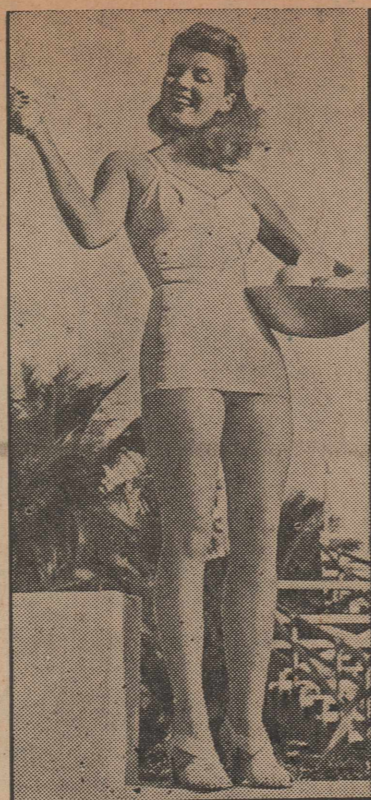
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All Day Quilting Held At Baptist Church Monday

Monday, January 19, members of Circle No. 3 of the Baptist Church met for an all day quilting at the church. Each member brought a covered dish for the noon luncheon.

Mrs. Noble Murry was director of the program in the afternoon and gave a reading on the missionaries of China.

Those attending the meeting were Mmes. Fred Dorsey, J. L. Hays, W. E. Hall, G. T. Austin, Noble Murry, Kesler, Fred Kersten, members, and Mrs. Bruce Hite, guest.



PICK A PEACH

Caroline Goode has been selected by the Florida Citrus Commission as Citrus Queen for 1942. "A glass of orange juice a day keeps the fat away," is her slogan. Looks prove it.

North Wellington Club Meets In Aldridge Home

The North Wellington Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday, January 20, in the home of Mrs. W. D. Aldridge. The meeting began with a prayer by Mrs. J. L. Hays. The Star Spangled Banner was sung by the group. Soil testing was the demonstration carried out at this meeting.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. J. O. Wells, February 3.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mmes. Morgan Tucker, Jap Smith, Nannie Masten, Eads, Deaton, S. F. Hughes, Bruce Hite, Clinton Epps, J. L. Hays, Fred Kersten, and hostess. New members are Mrs. Russell Gallia, Mrs. Nuck Garrel and visitor, Mrs. Jack Brisbin.

Prof. Roy Wells Named Officer Of National Group

Prof. Roy Wells, a former resident of this county and the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Wells of Wellington, was recently chosen as one of the officers in the National Association of Commercial Teachers, when that body convened in Chicago.

He, with Mrs. Wells, visited his parents here during the holidays, and then went to Chicago.

Mr. Wells is now head of the commercial department in Sam Houston State Teachers College at Huntsville. He was formerly a teacher in Clarendon College at Clarendon, and Hardin Simmons at Abilene.

Short Illness Fatal To J. B. Wyrick Monday

J. T. Wyrick, a resident of the Arlie community for the last 35 years, died at his home there Monday, January 19, at 3:45 a. m., after a short illness.

Funeral services were conducted Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the family home, with Rev. W. B. Gilliam, pastor of the Methodist Church in Dodson in charge. He was assisted by W. W. Carter, who for more than 30 years had been a close friend of Mr. Wyrick, and who paid tribute to his sterling character, and his qualities of friendship and neighborliness.

Pall bearers for the service were U. N. Davis, J. G. Bevers, T. S. Younger, R. A. Covey, Billie Wolfe, and M. L. Boyett. Flower bearers were Travis Sue Lawrence, Bernice Anna Hammon, Alice Wilks, and Gypsy Lee Younger.

Hymns were "Rock of Ages," and "A City Four Square." Interment was in the Arlie Cemetery, with the Ellis Funeral Home of Wellington in charge.

John Tolbert Wyrick, a native of Tennessee, was born August 24, 1874, and at the time of his death, he was 67 years, 4 months, and 25 days of age. He was the son of Adam and Bertha Ferguson Wyrick, both of whom were born in Tennessee.

Of a quiet and retiring nature, Mr. Wyrick had nevertheless by his neighborly actions, his sincerity, and his high principles made a host of friends throughout the area.

Surviving are a brother and three sisters, J. A. Wyrick of Arlie, Mrs. Bell Hammon of Dodson, Mrs. Mattie Ketchum of Fresno, and Mrs. Jennie Hardy of Lubbock. In addition, a large number of nephews and nieces also survive.

Leader Buyers In Dallas

Mack Saied, owner of The Leader Department Store, and his daughter, Mrs. Blanche Dakil, are in Dallas this week marketing for new spring merchandise.

"We will purchase complete new goods for all departments of the store before returning," Mr. Saied said.

They will remain in Dallas through this week.

Mrs. Hattie Killingsworth and son, Otis Killingsworth, of Lubbock were Wellington and Quail visitors Tuesday and Wednesday. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Melton, and Mrs. J. W. Russell and other relatives.

Watch Finds Way To City Woman After 14 Years

A pocket watch that lay for 14 years in a Wichita Falls hospital came back last week to relatives of the man who had owned it.

Mrs. Tom Beck received the watch through the mail last week from Dr. B. W. Dorbandt of Wichita Falls, with no word of explanation, and she and Mr. Beck were at a loss as to its meaning.

The next day, however, a letter arrived, telling them it had belonged to Mrs. Beck's brother, Lee Bond, who died in the Wichita Hospital 14 years ago. Only recently a man who knew the Becks, Mr. Bond, and Dr. Dorbandt, told the latter where the watch should be sent.

Mr. Beck recalled that at the time of Mr. Bond's death, he and Mrs. Beck were living at Quitaque, and that another death in the family prevented their attending her brother's bedside.

SAMNORWOOD By MRS. C. W. FRITTS

The Methodist First Quarterly Conference was held at the Methodist Church Sunday. Rev. G. T. Palmer of Clarendon preached an inspiring sermon at the eleven o'clock hour. A basket lunch was served at the noon hour, with conference in the afternoon. A large crowd of visitors were present from Kelton, Aberdeen and Dozier.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Walker visited several days the last of the week with their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Walker, of Canyon.

Rev. Virgil Lollar filled his appointment at the Baptist Church Sunday and Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Johnson have moved recently from the farm of Mrs. J. P. Coleman to their own farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bockman moved from the M. L. Gambrell farm to Mrs. Coleman's farm.

Albert Montgomery and daughters of Prairie View will move to the Gambrell farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Blain and daughters of Nocona have moved to the Reynolds farm south of Norwood.

The Wynn family is moving from the Bank farm back to Dodson, their former home.

A. A. Skidmore deals in non-skid tires at Ripley, W. Va.

Tot Parker -

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who was born in London, England, and Sarah Gibson Parker, a native of Tennessee. He made his home in southeastern Oklahoma until moving here.

While in Wellington, Mr. Parker operated a store in North Wellington, and for the last four years had been employed in the I. O. Ruby Grocery.

During this time, he had made a host of friends throughout this area. Since his death, many of these friends have paid tribute to Mr. Parker's honesty and his fair dealing, and his respect for those who dealt in a similar manner.

He was a member of the Masonic Lodge.

Surviving Mr. Parker are his wife, Mrs. Tot Parker of Wellington; four sons, Raymond of Victoria, Bill of San Diego, Calif., Wayne of Wellington, and R. E. of Norman, Okla.; and these brothers and sisters, Mrs. Fred McCarley of Purcell, Okla., Mrs. Chas. D. Slay of Wellington, Theo Parker of Samnorwood, J. W. Parker of Duncan, and Mrs. C. E. Haller of Cincinnati, Ohio.

Local funeral arrangements were in charge of the Kelso Funeral Home.

CARD OF THANKS

May we take this opportunity to thank all those who were so kind and thoughtful during the illness and death of our wife, mother, daughter and sister, Mrs. H. A. Kendrick. The many ways in which you showed your love for her and your thoughtfulness for us means more to us than we are able to express.

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Ernest Allen Kendrick,
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Locker,
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Locker,
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Editorial

Mexico's entry into a mutual defense plan with the United States cements the two neighboring countries into a single unit in the war against aggression, while at the same time each country preserves its identity. This partnership contrasts strongly with the type of collaboration which Hitler has forced upon the smaller, puppet states of Europe.

The United States has no imperialistic designs toward Mexico or any other Latin American country, and the sole reason for Pan-American unity is the common cause against Germany who would reduce the entire Western Hemisphere to vassalage. The enlightened view which President Camacho has taken toward mutual defense against Axis aggression is evidence of his capacity and foresight as a national leader.

Under the joint arrangement, Mexico will rid herself of Nazi spies and sympathizers. The Mexican coasts and remote areas of the interior will not offer sites for naval and air bases, respectively, for the Axis powers. The people of Texas are in a position to appreciate fully the import of Mexico's defense collaboration, because German and Japanese bombers with landing fields in Mexico could strike at military and armament centers in this state.

Indications have been that Germany, Japan and Italy have gained footholds in Latin America through colonization and "missionary" plans, but the same problem exists in the United States where the advance guard of the Axis has been sent and has had time for effecting collaboration with American quislings. Mexico and the United States must deal with these enemies on the home front according to strict wartime requirements. There are "fifth columnists" on both sides of the Rio Grande just as they were found in every European country conquered by Germany and Japan.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

Miss Katherine Maurer of San Francisco, an attractive Red Cross stenographer, has been appointed to a post at Fort Richardson, Alaska. She was required to give an "informal pledge" not to get married for two years.

Inaccurate bookkeeping has caused plenty of trouble, but in a case reported from Missouri it served to prolong a man's life. The execution of a convict murderer was delayed until his books could be straightened out so as to make out a correct income tax return.

OTHER EDITORS SAY--

• This Can Happen Quick

A few weeks ago a prominent wholesaler told us that he was fined \$1100 by a snob in the Social Security office because of a technical error in bookkeeping. The wholesaler had not defaulted; owed none of his employees a single cent, but his books did not correspond to the demands of this certain investigator. This is war; and winning of the war as quickly as possible with the least handicap to existing institutions should be the aim of the administration.—Clyde Warwick in The Canyon News.

• Remember?

Who remembers back in the depression years when it seemed to be the personal duty of every property owning citizen in the country to raise a racket about high taxes? and who is there in these war-torn days who remembers a series of mass meetings held at different places over the county protesting about the high levies? "We demand that a man go to the legislature and do something about these high taxes," was the tocsin sounded at every one of these meetings. The memory we have of these sessions was the almost complete knowledge the people as a whole had of the true facts. Some outstanding business men openly declared that the legislature could give the needed relief.—Rufus Higgs in The Stephenville Empire-Tribune.

• Best Seller

Do you know one of the fastest selling items in the United States right now is knitting needles. The ladies are buying them by the thousands to knit for the Red Cross. At the Red Cross rooms here in Amarillo, they are issuing yarn out every day to around 75 new knitters.—Mason King in The Amarillo News.

• On Contests And Lotteries

During the past few months we have been requested by individuals and groups of persons to publish lists of winners in drawing contests of various kinds. The postal rules and regulations do not permit us to do this. Whether these various schemes violate the state's lottery laws or not is of no concern to us—that isn't a matter for us to decide; but we do know the postal laws regarding the sending of such matter through the mail, and we are taking no chances.—Megargel Times.

• Dairying In Our Neighbor County

Building up a dairy program and establishing a cheese plant here did more to put the county on the map than any single event that has occurred here in recent years.—The Hollis Weekly News.

• Six Rules For Success

1. Unimpeachable integrity.
2. Loyalty.
3. A liberal education in the finer things of life, of art, of literature. Man needs imagination and these are the source of it.
4. Make friends—enemies don't pay.
5. Concentrate! Learn to think upon the problem in your mind until you have reached a conclusion. Don't be afraid of mistakes, nor blame the man who makes one. It is the fool that makes the same mistake twice.
6. Go at your work. Don't hesitate to change from distasteful work, but don't change because difficulties come up or troubles arise. Give the best that is in you. Let nothing stand in the way of your progress.—Quoted by Sam Braswell in The Clarendon News.

Washington Week

By RALPH HERBERT

The American government has fixed as an agricultural goal an increased production of food for 1942. But increased crops mean that the farmers must be able to buy new farm machinery and keep in good repair their old farm machinery. And that in turn means the manufacturers and repairers of such machinery must have the raw materials—steel, cast iron, copper, aluminum, tin, and rubber especially. And those things happen to be very much in demand for the manufacture of war material.

A serious problem thus presented itself. However, Donald Nelson, Director of Priorities in the Office of Production Management, consulted with officials of the U. S. Department of Agriculture and a definite program was drawn up. Use of materials for new farm machinery will be restricted to an average of 83 per cent of what was used in 1940. Use of materials for repair parts will be at the average rate of 150 per cent of the 1940 figures.

With this special rating, equipment manufacturers will obtain 1,123,916 tons of critical materials for new machines for domestic use, 497,112 tons for domestic repair parts and 172,614 tons for new machines and repair parts for export purposes. The latter will go principally to the Latin-American countries, some for whose crops are destined for the United States.

The 1942 agricultural plan calls for greatly increased production of pork, lard, milk and eggs. So machinery necessary to fill these needs will be produced at higher levels than for crops considered less essential.

There are about 1200 concerns, mostly in the middle west, and employing about 95,000 people, who are mainly affected. A schedule of permissible production of every type of farm equipment, ranging from windmills to wheelbarrows, is being sent to them. This schedule was worked out by industry representatives, the U. S. Department of Agriculture and other interested governmental agencies.

Here are some typical percentages of production to be allowed this year compared with 1940: horse or tractor-drawn potato planters, 58 per cent; grain-binders, 75; rice binders, 100; hay press combines, 333; peanut pickers, 208; wooden stock tanks, 351; steel stock pens, 50; silos, 90; horseshoes and horseshoe nails, 90; wooden wheelbarrows, 100; steel wheelbarrows, none; subsoil plows, 50; potato diggers, 100; windmill pumps, 100; small incubators, 60.

The program allocates for new machinery and repair parts a total of 1,065,000 tons of steel, 679,600 of cast iron, 9215 of copper, 373 of aluminum and 23,390 of rubber.

Odd Bits Of News

In St. Louis an escaped lunatic was found playing in a jazz orchestra. There may be others.

The sixth in a series of ten volumes of "The Writings of Sam Houston," has just come off the University of Texas Press. The series is being edited by Dr. Amelia W. Williams and Dr. Eugene C. Barker, University historians.

Dick Wakefield, a University of Michigan sophomore outfielder, has been paid a bonus of \$45,000 for signing a contract with the Detroit Tigers.

Technically, the husband is the head of the household, but the technicality is usually overruled.

We wouldn't mind giving another driver half the road if he would only take it on his own side.

TEST YOUR I. Q.

1. Who supervises procurement of all military supplies for the U. S. Army?
2. What are the duties of the chief of staff?
3. What division of the Army is known as G-1?
4. What division is known as G-2?
5. Who are the members of the war council?

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The American Family



"Yes. John is experimenting again. This time he's trying the dough his wife uses for his biscuits."

It Happened In . . .

Compiled By ELIZABETH GILLENTE

1917

(Sept. 14)

The food administration set 11 o'clock September 8th as the time for all processes in the production of distilled liquor for beverage purposes to stop.

J. P. Pritchard reports the sale of Carl Wall's residence in the west part of town to R. L. Kersey of Goodnight. The consideration was \$1,000.

Representative Templeton left Sunday for Austin to be in attendance at the call session of the Legislature.

Lee C. O'Neil of the Hardy-O'Neil Drug Store of Wellington and Miss Beulah Jones were married last Sunday morning at nine o'clock in the home of the bride's parents in Gorman, Texas. They arrived in Wellington Monday morning and are now domiciled in the southwest part of town.

Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's parents in Wellington in the presence of a few relatives and friends Rev. M. E. Hawkins united in marriage Mr. Ray Wall and Miss Ciddie Richards. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Richards and is a charming and popular young lady, who has lived here practically all of her life.

1927

(Jan. 13)

Around 130,000 pounds of turkeys were shipped out during the past season, netting the growers a total of \$39,000. It is expected that the production of turkeys will be increased considerably during the coming year and that the gross amount derived from this source will total over \$50,000.

Mrs. L. E. Gribble entertained for Leta Fern Wells on her seventh birthday. Refreshments were served to Margaret Ann Pires, Dora Elizabeth McClaskey, Nell Marie Watkins, Alice Wilks, Carter Holcomb, Henry and Patricia Sullivan, Kathryn Lynn, Jo Mae Payne, Erma Rae Clements, Helen Clements, Beth O'Neil, Billy Crawford, R. M.

Horn and Edna Joyce Gribble.

From an editorial: West Texas has an advantage in raising cotton over other parts of the state and a big advantage over some of the cotton-producing regions of the south. When other parts of the cotton producing section learn of this fact, they will cut their acreage through necessity. The farmers of Collingsworth intend to cut their acreage to a certain extent as a matter of self protection in order to give themselves room to diversify, but all of them intend to raise some cotton, and it is probable that the production next year will rank right along with the average years.

1932

(Jan. 28)

With but four more days left in which to qualify for voting this year, 1,500 poll tax receipts had been issued by Clark Anderson, county tax assessor, late Wednesday afternoon.

E. Fleet Pruden has purchased the Arcade Drug Store located on the east side of the square from Joe Hardy and will continue to operate it under the name of Pruden Drug Company.

B. W. Boorman was unanimously elected to succeed B. P. Clark as a member of the board of county school trustees, following the resignation of Mr. Clark on January 23. Mr. Boorman is a steward of the First Methodist Church in Wellington and has been active in public affairs of the community for a number of years.

Wellington carried off the honors at the meeting of the Panhandle Certificate Men's association in Memphis, Thursday, January 21, when two Wellington Masons were elected to important offices of this district. J. M. Strong was named president of the association, and Jack Knight was elected secretary.

At least one-third of the University of Texas co-eds have already volunteered for civilian defense training and service, according to Miss Dorothy Gebauer, dean of women.

I Saw

—By VIRGINIA ROBEY

Mrs. Sarah Slagle and her daughter, Mrs. Mattie Warren, down town doing some errands. . . Mrs. H. T. Whitfield, who lives not far from Sannorwood, saying every week after she read her Leader, she sent it to her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Katherine Whitfield, whom most people remember as Katherine McMinn.

E. J. Davis saying there ought to be fine crops in this county in 1942, and he recalled that the record crop of 1924 was made after the big rains of 1913. . . W. P. Johnson, who lives in the west part of the county, discussing this year's crop. . . J. C. Criswell of Sannorwood, another who had crops on his mind Saturday.

Mrs. B. H. Hooker saying for eight months the doctors had been trying to get her to go to bed and rest a week, and now she guessed she would. . . J. W. Stephens renewing his Leader in town one day recently. . . Louise Whisenant planning some candy to make that evening. . . Mrs. Donald Curry and Mary Johnson lunching together.

James Frederick LeDerer carrying around a toy airplane that must have been a Christmas gift. . . and thinking of Christmas, Mrs. D. G. Mahaffey saying that now the holidays were over, maybe she could get some work done. . . Tom Royal's dog passing the Leader office and looking pretty skinny after a strenuous hunting season.

J. O. Wells showing a clipping telling of Rev. John Burch, a friend of Rev. Oscar Wells, who went to Shanghai, China, as a missionary along with Oscar. Rev. Burch later went to Hangchow, China, and when war broke out he was captured by the Japanese, later escaped, and has now reached Chinese friends. Mr. and Mrs. Wells have not heard from their son.

Corbett Ford in town on Saturday paying off his colored cotton pickers. Everyone of them had his weights down and ready to get his money. . . Walter Johnson, just up from the mumps, sitting in the car in the sunshine waiting for his mother. . . and Mrs. J. B. Stevenson saying she was running errands (mainly buying an ice cream cone) for Buddy also a mumps victim.

L. A. Hunt knocking a dried weed off the sidewalk, where it had blown. . . S. A. Welch hunting, and successfully finding, a watch his daughter, Zella, had lost in town a few days before.

BRIEF TOPICS

If the gasoline shortage in the East becomes acute it will be pretty tough on the hitch-hikers.

Before condemning a writer's work because it isn't original, think how much worse it might be if it were.

Joe DiMaggio's record of hitting safely in 56 consecutive games will long be a mark for other batters to aim at.

Students from every state in the Union and the District of Columbia attended the University of Texas during 1940-41.

G. Lytleton Rogers, an internationally known tennis player, is 6 feet 8 inches tall.

The game of softball has been known by several names, including mushball, punkball and kitty-seed.

Ray Lunny, a lightweight California boxer, has won 30 successive bouts, and is considered a likely contender for the championship.

Looking through some old books from his father's estate, O. J. Husemeir of Antigo, Wis., found \$335 in old bills in one of them.

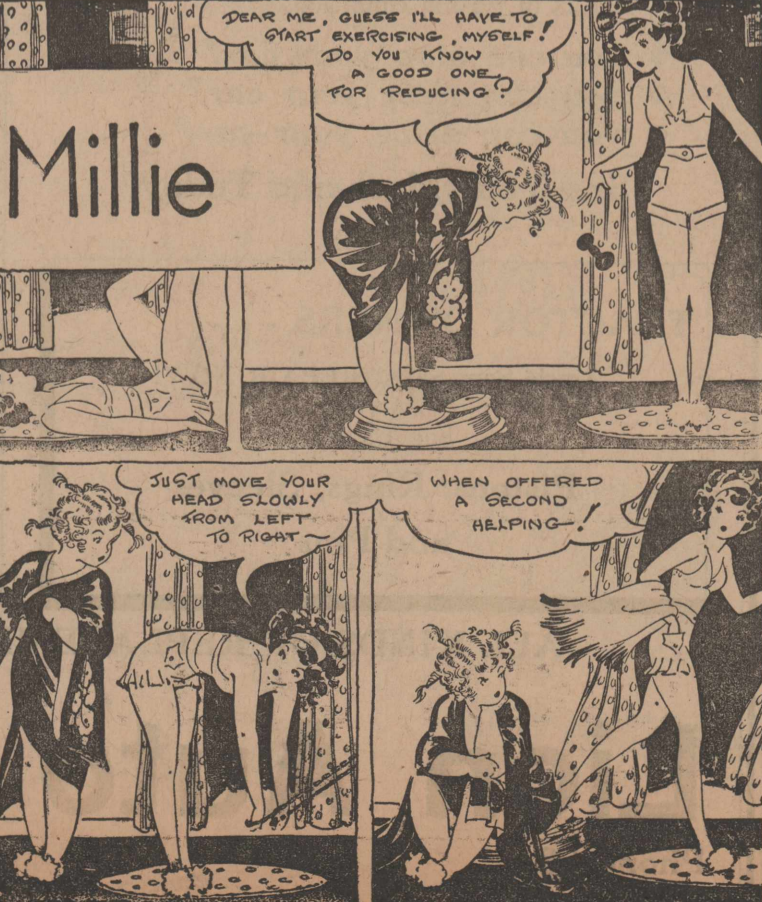
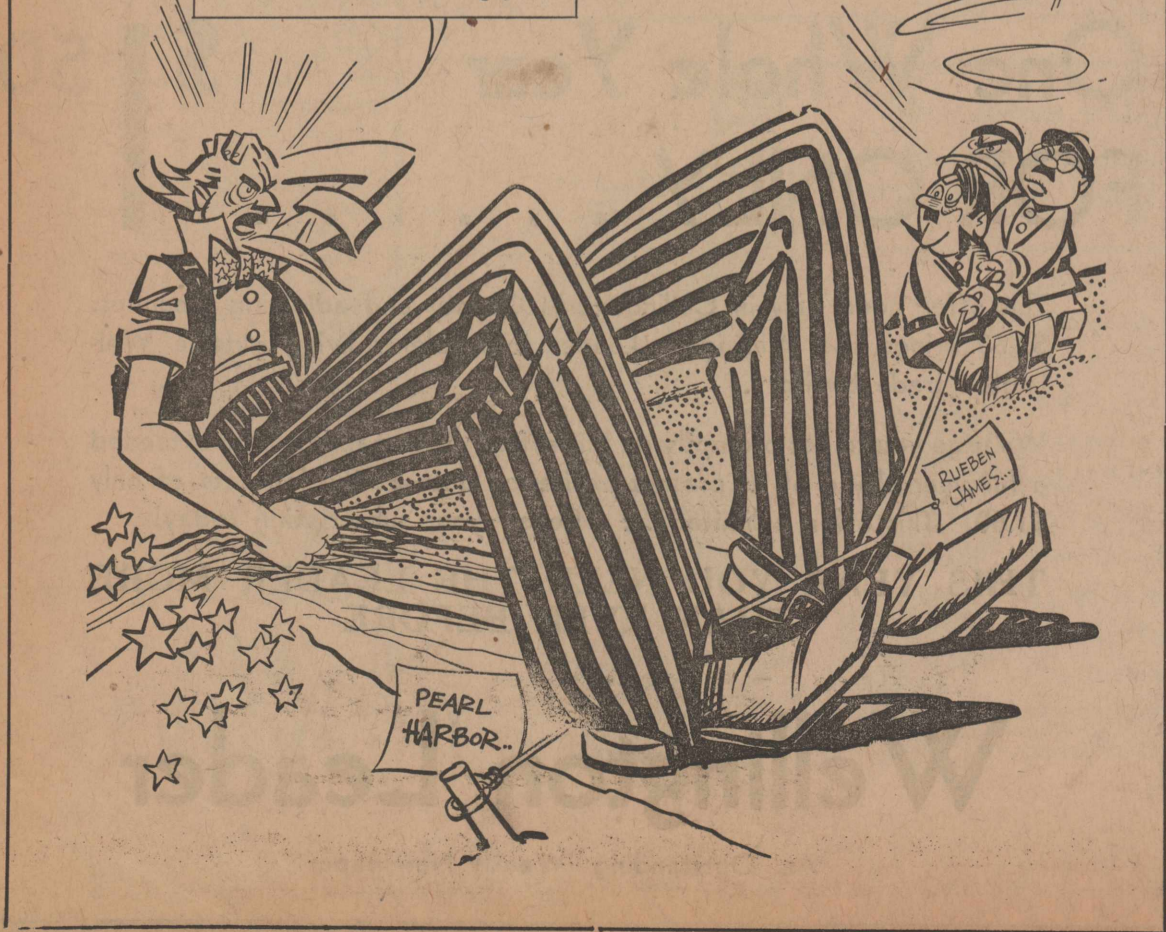
Of 11,300 students registered in the University of Texas at Austin in 1940-41, 8,728 were natives of Texas.

Daisy Snowdrop, a Shorthorn cow owned by H. C. Folk near Canton, O., had triplet calves, all normal and healthy.

The Rev. C. W. Jones, evangelist, travels only by air, carrying his family and his own pilot in his plane.

A Giant Awakens

SO, YOU WANT TO PLAY ROUGH??



Duties Of Fire Defense Workers Outlined

Duties of the District Fire Defense Co-ordinator and his assistants was announced this week by Edwin Hall, State Fire Insurance Commissioner and Fire Defense Co-ordinator of the National Committee for Texas.

E. B. Cooper, Chief of the Amallo fire department is District Fire Defense Co-ordinator for District No. 1.

Ben White, Chief of the Pampa Fire Department and B. O. Handry, Chief of the Wellington Fire Department, are assistant district fire defense coordinators in the district which is composed of the following counties: Dallam, Sherman, Hansford, Ochiltree, Lipscomb, Hartley, Moore, Hutchinson, Roberts, Hemphill, Oldham, Potter, Carson, Gray, Wheeler, Deaf Smith, Randall, Armstrong, Donley, Collingsworth, Farmer, Castro, Swisher and Briscoe.

The district and assistant district fire defense coordinators in each of the state's 26 districts will assist local fire departments in training volunteer firemen in auxiliary companies for emergency civilian defense. Auxiliary firemen will be organized from volunteers registering for civilian defense and given training in fire fighting as a part of the civilian defense program of preparation to meet any emergency which may arise during the war.

Hall praised the work of Gov. Coke Stevenson, who months ago began the coordination of various state departments, agencies, local and county officials.

"When war was thrust upon us," he said, "this state's organization for emergency defense was ready to function as all preliminary details had been completed, thanks to the effort of our governor. "Peacetime requirements are heavy upon any public official, especially the governor. When the added burdens of war-time effort are placed upon him, he needs the wholehearted cooperation of everyone of us, private citizens and public officials alike."

Mrs. L. A. Manzer made a trip to Paducah Sunday to meet her mother, Mrs. J. W. Peoples, who has been visiting in Lubbock.



LESSONS IN FARMING FOR CO-EDS

Anne Hennenway, Evanston, Ill., is one of the large number of Wells College students taking lessons in a wide range of defense subjects. She'll soon be expert at handling a farm tractor, and will be familiar with many farm chores by the time her course is finished.

ABRA

By MRS. JOHN GROVES

Everyone took advantage of the pretty weather in gathering crops.

Mrs. D. A. Kincannon received a telegram Tuesday morning to come to the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Drury, who lived in Olustee, Okla. Mr. and Mrs. Kincannon and Uncle Edd left immediately. Mrs. Drury passed away Thursday morning. We extend our deepest sympathy to Mrs. Kincannon and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Breeding and Dee Kincannon went to Olustee Friday to attend the funeral of their grandmother, Mrs. Drury.

Mr. and Mrs. Chleo Davis and family visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Davis and family.

New neighbors are always welcomed in Abra. Mr. and Mrs. Alta Harvey and family of Twitty moved here last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Groves and family were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Amerson.

Eck Ray of Corpus Christi is here visiting with his sister, Mrs. J. C. Breeding, and family.

Little Joice Amerson happened to a serious accident Monday while out playing. She fell on her little wagon and cut a gash over her right eye. She was rushed to Wellington to the hospital, where several stitches were taken in her head.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Laycock and J. W. Puett are planning on a trip to California in a few weeks.

Mrs. Elsie Ezzell and children of Samnorwood visited Saturday night and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. W. H. Groves.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Billingsley and Mr. and Mrs. John Groves visited a while Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bradley.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Gooch have a new Butane cook stove.

Juanita and Willie Decker and Ola Mae Tate were Dozier visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Byrd Guill and son, John Byrd of McLean were through Abra Saturday on their way to Wellington.

Mrs. Englander Buys For Store

Mrs. Marvin Englander left Saturday, January 17, to attend markets in Dallas and Fort Worth, and to purchase new merchandise for Englander's, Inc.

Mrs. Englander will remain in those two cities through this week, and a complete line of spring and early summer goods will be purchased.

BUCK CREEK

By MRS. D. B. PEEPLES

Everyone has been really enjoying the pretty weather and all have been taking advantage of it. Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hartman spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Peoples and Mrs. Ed C. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Porter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Hartman.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Lancaster spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Lancaster.

Mrs. Ray Peoples of Lutie spent the last two days with Mrs. Denzil Peoples.

Mrs. Ed C. Smith returned home Saturday after having spent the past week with her daughter, Mrs. Roscoe Land, of Hedley.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brown spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Patterson and Alfred Patterson attended the funeral of Mr. Patterson's brother, Frank Patterson, of Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lancaster, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Lancaster spent the evening with Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Sears.

Mrs. Ed C. Smith, Mrs. Denzil Peoples and children visited Mr. and Mrs. George Shadid in Sayre Monday.

The best assurance of a good spring calf crop is well-fed brood cows this winter.

Want Ad Acts Quickly For Poultry Grower

Alvis Derryberry last Thursday advertised some of his fine Rhode Island Red cockerels for sale through The Wellington Leader.

By Thursday night, he had sold five of the birds, and Saturday he left his exhibit at the county Poultry Show to go home and make another sale.

"I sure got rid of those roosters quick," he commented.

LILLIE

By MRS. G. D. THOMAS

Our community was made sad Saturday when word was received that Mrs. P. L. Bartlett was seriously ill in a Wellington hospital. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Conard Cass returned Thursday from Brownfield, where he had been on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Dence Burkhalter visited in the L. D. McMinn home Sunday.

James Eiland of Hereford visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Eiland Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Albert Gollighugh spent the week end in the C. W. Squyres home in Apache, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Wright, Mrs. Frank Gillespie, Mrs. Rob Isbell and Mrs. C. A. Wright visited in the Bill Clifton home in Vinson, Okla., Tuesday.

Mrs. S. L. Maxwell visited in the Bill Carreker home Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Gillespie of Quitaque visited in the Rob Isbell home Wednesday.

Rev. J. R. Gambrell preached Sunday night at Lillie to a large crowd. Everyone enjoyed his message.

New Books In County Library

A group of new books, including both best sellers and westerns, was received in the County Library Tuesday morning.

Included are "Miss Bishop," by Bess Streeter Aldrich; "In the Days of Poor Richard," by Irving Bacheller; "Dynasty of Death," by Taylor Caldwell; "The Eagles Gather," by Taylor Caldwell; "Magnificent Obsession," by Lloyd Douglas; "Sundown," by Barre Lyndon; "The Horse and Buggy Doctor," by Arthur E. Hertzler; "When A Man's A Man," by Wright; "Patent Leather Kid," by Hughes; and "Square Shooter," by Raine.

DOZIER By MRS. ROY BILLINGSLEY

Several from Dozier attended the program put on by the orphans at the Methodist Church in Shamrock Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Willoughby and children visited her mother and brother and family near Cheyenne, Okla., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Massey and daughter, Willie, are visiting friends in Georgia.

Della Joe Groves of Abra spent Saturday night with Margaret Billingsley.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Schaub of Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Watts and daughter, Mr. Schaub and Clyde Schaub, all of Wheeler, visited Sunday with their son and brother, Ernest Schaub, and family.

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Office of Secretary
Washington, D. C.

October 23, 1941

Repair Your Farm Machinery Now

A Message to the Farmers of America!

The year of 1942 will be a critical one for farmers. Prepare for it by repairing your farm machinery now. The Food for Freedom program calls for a record farm production. At the same time defense needs will limit available farm labor. Farmers who are unable to get enough labor will have to rely more and more upon machinery, but the defense program will mean much less new farm machinery in 1942. New farm machinery requires steel and other metals, and metals are a prime need in the defense program. You can help your country and yourself by repairing your old machinery now rather than attempting to get new machinery next year.

Repair your farm machinery and equipment now. The Government is taking steps to provide as much steel and other metals as may be needed for all necessary repairs for farm machinery in 1942. To be sure of a supply of necessary repair parts, manufacturers need to know how much will be required. The only way to be sure of repair parts is to order them immediately. Failure to make repairs now may mean a crop loss later. I suggest you do these things at once:

- Check over your old machinery.
- Order necessary parts from your dealer.
- If parts cannot be obtained, notify your County U. S. D. A. Defense Board.

As replacement needs arise throughout the year use substitutes for steel and iron wherever possible.

In many areas, county agents and vocational agricultural teachers are arranging for instruction in farm machinery repair. You may wish to take advantage of such instruction or to have others in your family do so. Make your old farm machinery and equipment do another year by repairing it now.

Claude R. Wickard
Secretary.

EXPERT MECHANICS TO REPAIR ANY MAKE OF TRACTOR

Check over your tractor now. Repair work done now even though minor may save serious trouble from developing later. It is obvious that it will prolong the life and the effectiveness of your machinery. Remember the Government advises you to order spare parts now and make sure that everything is ship-shape.

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NOTICE TAXPAYERS

Your 1941 TAXES are now due and must be paid before the first day of February, 1942 to avoid penalty. Both men and women are required to pay their poll tax. Unpaid poll taxes are a lien upon any real or personal property you may own, or come into possession of.

Those who were 60 years of age or more on January 1, 1941 are not required to have an exemption to vote; those who have moved into the county since January 1, 1941 are required to have an exemption; those who have become 21 years of age since January 1, 1941 or will become 21 before election are required to secure an exemption certificate during January, 1942, before they may vote in any of the elections during the year; no charge is made for these exemptions.

In 1942 automobile license fees cannot be paid before February 1st, 1942, but must be paid between February 1st and April 1st, 1942.

Howard Riggs

Tax Assessor, Collector of Collingsworth County

A Week Of The War

The President established a War Production Board headed by Donald M. Nelson, former mail-order firm executive and more recently Executive Director of SPAB and Priorities Director. The President directed Mr. Nelson to exercise general direction over the war procurement and production program, to supervise the OPM and issue production and procurement directives where necessary to all other Government agencies. The President said Mr. Nelson's decisions shall be final. Vice President Wallace and other members of the SPAB, now abolished, were made members of the War Production Board.

In letters to OPM Directors Knudsen and Hillman and other production officials, Mr. Nelson said "we must enlarge all our previous activities, all our facilities... must produce 24 hours a day, 168 hours a week." OPM Director Hillman, speaking in Washington, said the nation's force of workers in war industries must be doubled or tripled, more women must be trained and brought into the labor force to take the place of men going into the armed services. He asked employers not to bar aliens in war industries except in plants turning out secret weapons.

Director Odum of the OPM Contract Distribution Division said a plan has been prepared to set aside one percent of all available materials to assist small manufacturers in keeping their plants going until they can be converted to war use. He said the nation's entire production facilities—all of those "hidden away in thousands of cities and towns and villages"—must join in the total war effort. He asked all mayors to have every manufacturer in their cities register at the nearest OPM Contract Distribution Division field office and to "go after war contracts with every ounce of ingenuity and energy they possess."

The War Front

The Navy Department reported the sinking of five enemy vessels in Far Eastern waters—three transports and two large cargo ships. The announcement brought to 25 the total of Japanese vessels reported definitely sunk by the Navy and Marine Corps in the Pacific. The Navy also announced two allied merchant vessels were attacked by Axis submarines off Long Island. Throughout the week Gen. MacArthur reported heavy land and air fighting in the Philippines but said American and Philippine troops were putting up effective resistance and U. S. losses were low.

Army

War Secretary Stimson announced the Army will be increased from the present total of 1,700,000 men to 3,600,000 men this year. Combat air units and armored units will be doubled; 32 motorized divisions will be added, and at least 50 more military police units for guarding production facilities will be created. Instead of the originally scheduled 10,000 more than 90,000 privates will be selected to attend officer-training schools. All training centers and posts will be enlarged and five temporary tent camps will be set up. To make 2,000,000 more men eligible, the Army will lower age limits for aviation cadets from 20 to 18 years, make married men eligible, and change educational qualifications by eliminating college credit requirements.

Selective Service Director Hershey said the Army increase could be accomplished without calling up men with dependents. He said there are now 1,000,000 men in class 1-A but not yet called, and 900,000 more men can be obtained by reclassification of other men and from those men who will register February 16. He said deferment cases would be re-examined but deferments will continue to be given where possible to avoid undue disruption of family life. He said married men with one or more children probably would not be called until an Army of 7,000,000 to 8,000,000 has been built. He estimated 10,000,000 is the top number of men the U. S. could mobilize for service even with lowered physical standards.

Labor Disputes

The President abolished the National Defense Mediation Board and established a National War Labor Board with NDMB Chairman Davis as Chairman. Four

commissioners will represent the public, four will represent employees and four, industry. The new Board has wider authority than the old Board and can arbitrate or mediate disputes as it sees fit except that it cannot disregard existing labor legislation.

The Maritime War Emergency Board established war bonuses for sailors on merchant ships.

Autos

The OPA announced auto rationing would begin February 2 in the same manner as tire rationing. Of the 202,000 cars in the industry quota for January, about 130,000 cars will be stored with dealers who promise not to sell without permission—probably not to be granted before January, 1943—and then only at OPA-established priories.

OPA issued a schedule of prices for "retreadable" tire carcasses and "retreads" and forecast a ceiling over all used tires "in the very near future." Federal Loan Administrator Jones announced plans to increase synthetic rubber production capacity to 400,000 tons by pooling of resources and skills of the rubber and oil industries if priorities can be obtained on steel needed to erect plants. OPA Administrator Henderson said tire rationing probably would not be affected because of increasing military needs for rubber.

Censorship

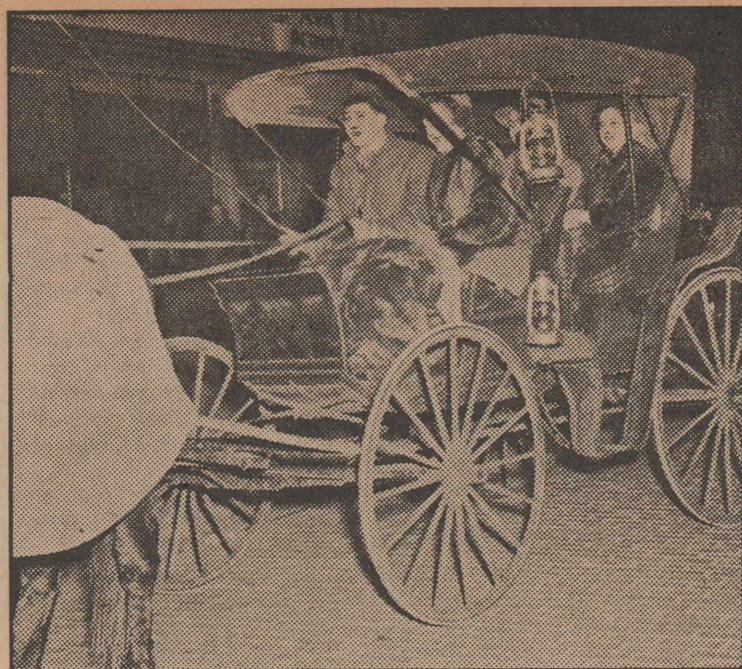
Censorship Director Price, after consultation with newspaper, magazine and periodical editors, announced a code of conduct which publications were asked to follow in handling information in order to prevent information of a military nature reaching the enemy. Prohibited, unless officially released, are most details of military, naval or industrial establishments, casualty lists, damages to war facilities, movements of troops and ships, weather reports except of certain types, and movements of the President or of official military or diplomatic missions.

Agriculture

Agriculture Secretary Wickard said goals have been revised to call for the greatest agricultural production in U. S. history, with particular emphasis on the production of oil-bearing crops such as peanuts and soybeans. The corn goal was stepped up by five million acres in order that there be feed supplies to continue expansion of meat, dairy and poultry production. Dry edible bean and dry pea production increases were called for. An additional five million bushels of rice was asked and provision made for an increase over 1941 of more than 18 million cases of canned fruits and vegetables.

Civilian Defense

The OCD announced 3,516,600 volunteers have enrolled in the various civilian defense services, including 1,423,755 assigned to training or duty in the protective services. The Office also announced a Victory Garden Program



DON'T SPARE THE HORSES

Sparing their cars and tires, two Cleveland, O., couples brought old hobbin and the gig out of oblivion and started out on their dates in this fashion. Accessories that helped in winter weather included blankets, hot bricks, ear muffs, and the old gas lanterns.

under which all families in any community can jointly till community gardens, use the produce themselves and give the surplus to schools and institutions.

Surgeon General Parren told the U. S. Conference of Mayors in Washington "the enemy has planned and in my opinion will use bacteriological warfare whenever possible." He asked the mayors to begin at once to take every possible precaution.

Conservation

The OPM Bureau of Industrial Conservation opened a program to mobilize the nation's 1,700,000 retail stores in a continuous drive to salvage materials—wastepaper, scrap metal, old rags, rubber—needed to produce weapons for the fighting forces. Signers will display window emblems signifying their part in the "Salvage for Victory" program. The shopping public was asked to help conserve tires, trucks, and paper by carrying home bundles instead of depending on delivery service. Consumers of natural gas in nine States, mostly in the Middle West were asked to cut consumption as much as possible.

H. A. Phillips Returns From Father's Funeral

H. A. Phillips returned last week from Crockett, where he attended the funeral services of his father, A. W. Phillips, a pioneer retired merchant of that city, who died Monday, January 12.

Mr. Phillips was almost 80 years of age. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, January 14.

Peanuts rank as one of the richest food sources of thiamin, or vitamin B1. They also contain abundant phosphorus, and fair amounts of calcium and iron.

Rolla Family To Make Home Near Hollis

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Lewis and their four-year-old son, Regie, moved Tuesday to a farm six and one-half miles northeast of Hollis, Okla., where they will make their home for the coming year. They formerly lived at Rolla, where Mr. Lewis farmed. They had lived in this county for approximately 8 years.

SWEARINGEN

By W. A. ANTHONY

Everyone is still busy gathering their crops. Help is scarce since the bad weather and holidays. Some are using sleds to pull their cotton. There is quite a little maize still in the fields.

Dennis Leroy, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Heathcox, is sick with measles at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Anthony.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Yarbrough of Amarillo were visiting at their farm with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Bowman Saturday of last week.

Dorris Taylor had a tumor removed from her back last week. Dr. E. W. Jones performed the operation. She is doing nicely. The E. F. Sustair family plans to move to Benton, Ark., the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Denton Anthony are visiting her brother, A. J. Childress, and her sister, Mrs. Dock Gipson, at Borger this week.

W. M. Davis contracted his feed to a trucker from East Texas last week at \$12.50 per ton. He estimated that he would have more than 100 tons.

Some snakes, like the pythons, have vestigial hind legs which they use in locomotion.

2 Schools Taken Into Great Plains Boxing League

John Lee, boxing coach of Wellington High School, attended a meeting of the Great Plains Boxing League in Pampa Monday night. Members voted to admit Childress and Memphis into the League.

It was also announced that eliminations for the south half of the district will be held in Childress late in March, with boxers from Childress, Memphis, Wellington and Lefors taking part. Finals between the north and south sections of the district will be held in Pampa.

Officers of the League were re-elected, and include Toby Waggoner of Lefors, president; and Coy Palmer of Stinnett, secretary.

Only four out of every 100 low-income farm people are in first-rate physical condition, the USDA Farm Security Administration has announced after a check covering 2,480 FSA clients and their families. A total of 11,947 men, women and children in 17 states were examined.

CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 12,482 miles of Regrading Crushed Rock Base & Asph. Surf. Treat. from Quail to Junction with Hwy. 83 and Quail Spur on Highway No. 203, covered by Control 448-3&5-2&1, in Collingsworth County, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 a. m., Jan. 30, 1942, and then publicly opened and read. The wage rates generally prevailing in this locality, which are listed below, shall apply as minimum wage rates for those employees employed and paid by the Contractor, on this project.

Title of "Laborer"	Prevailing Minimum Per Diem Wage (Based on Eight Hour Working Day)
Carpenter	\$8.00
Shovel Operator or Crane Operator	8.00
Mechanic	8.00
Roller Operator	4.00
Distributor Driver or Operator	4.00
Tractor Operator	4.00
Blade Operator	4.00
Broom Operator	4.00
Truck Driver (Over 1½ tons)	4.00
Blacksmith	4.00
Fireman (Asphalt Plant)	4.00
Mixer Operator	4.00
Pump Operator	4.00
Steel Setter (Reinforcing Steel)	4.00
Oiler	4.00
Truck Driver (1½ tons & less)	3.20
Flagman	3.20
Unskilled Laborer	3.20
Teamster	3.20
Dumper	3.20
Watchman	2.80
Water Boy	2.40

Legal holiday work shall be paid for at the regular governing rates.

Plans and specifications available at the office of H. T. Cunningham, Resident Engineer, Wellington, Texas, and Highway Department, Austin. Usual rights reserved. 28-2-c

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NOTICE To Farmers & Stockmen

We have recently opened a full time office in Wellington to serve all of Collingsworth County and the northern part of Childress County. We have employed Lee C. O'Neil as Field Representative and Olan Alexander has been named as his assistant, and Juanita Clark as clerk. The office in Wellington will be open from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. each day in the week for the purpose of making loans to farmers and stockmen.

Mr. O'Neil will be glad to have you call and discuss your production loans with him.

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Personal

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Berryman and two daughters of Amarillo were in Wellington from Friday to Monday visiting in the C. R. Berryman home. They came to visit Mrs. Berryman who had been ill for the past three weeks. Mrs. M. C. Lowry, also of Amarillo, came with Mr. and Mrs. Berryman for a visit.

Carlos Melton of Pueblo, Colo., is visiting at Quail with his father, H. Melton, and also his brothers in Wellington and Quail. He is visiting here for the first time in three years. Mr. Melton moved away from Wellington about 30 years ago but still has many friends over the county.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Winters and Mrs. Pete Brock were visitors in Wichita Falls and Vernon one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Paine and baby son, John A., of Borger, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Owens, and sisters, Jo and Betty Jean, of Quail.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lawhon of Amarillo visited J. J. Cook and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cook last week.

Mrs. Bob Hardin and daughter of Canadian visited over the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Fuson.

Miss Olene Fuson, who is attending Draughon's Business College in Wichita Falls, visited this week in Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cook visited in Amherst Tuesday and Wednesday. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Shelton Nunneley.

Mrs. Ross Blythe and children, Ruby, Bertha and Dorothy, visited their husband and father, Ross Blythe, who is in the Veteran's Hospital at Amarillo. Members of the family said that he seems to be improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Matheson and daughter of Salinas, Calif., are visiting this week in the Theodor Wilkerson home, three miles east of Wellington. Mr. Matheson and Mr. Wilkerson are cousins.

Particular cleaning for particular people. The Toggery. 12-tfc

Dr. and Mrs. Elmer Knox Jones and daughter of Dallas arrived last Saturday for a visit with Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Jones. They also were here to attend the fiftieth wedding anniversary of Mrs. Jones' grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Norwood of Samnorwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Van Bibber of Kellerville visited in Wellington Sunday with Mrs. Van Bibber's mother, Mrs. J. T. Baldwin. She also visited other relatives and friends while in Wellington.

Virrel Roberts left last week for El Reno, Oklahoma, where he will be employed by McLelland and Company.

Mrs. Marguerite McCampbell and daughter, Thesis, visited Sunday in Lefors with relatives. She was accompanied on her trip by her sisters from Shamrock and McLean.

Mrs. Cleo Templeton and Mrs. E. H. Small were Amarillo visitors Friday and Saturday of last week. Mrs. Templeton attended a district meeting of the W. P. A. officials.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy B. Deger of Fort Worth came last Sunday to visit for several days with Mr. Deger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Deger.

Mr. and Mrs. Cicero Gulley visited in Childress Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harper.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Castleberry visited in Hereford Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Jimmie Gilentine and Mr. Gilentine.

Miss Lora M. McFarland spent Sunday in Friona visiting with her family.

Mrs. M. P. Watkins who has made her home in Austin for the past several years has returned to Wellington to live. Mrs. Watkins plans to be here most of the time but will make occasional trips to Austin to attend to her business here.

Bargains in Mis-fit suits. The Toggery. 12-tfc

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Farmer visited in Paducah Sunday with their daughters.

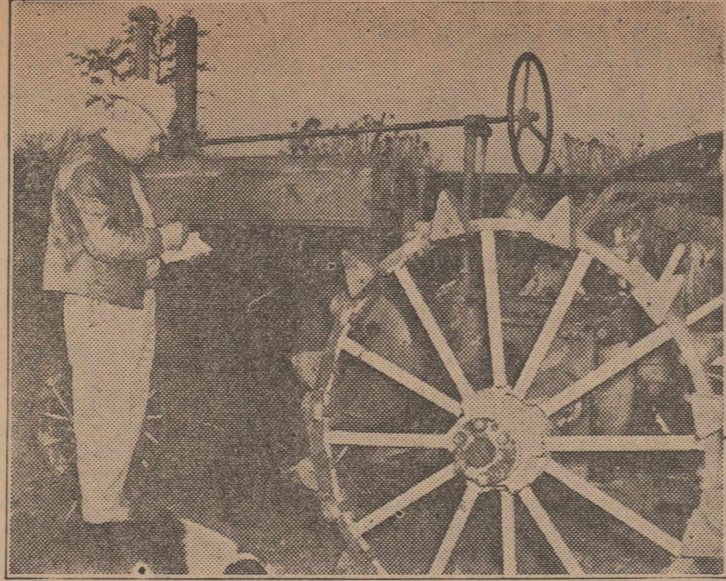
Bob Williams left Monday for San Antonio where he plans to make his home. His children will be in Eola, with Mr. Williams' parents for the present time. The Williamses have been residents of this county since 1927. Mr. Williams has been engaged in the radio business, farming, gin business and automobile business.

Ellen Mae Gribbin of Toledo, Ohio, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Lonnie Watkins. She plans to be here for several months visit.

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NEW PARTS FOR OLD

L. F. Johnston, chairman of the Tarrant County USDA Defense Board, follows his own advice "to repair farm machinery now" by listing the parts needed on his old tractor which will be needed to produce defense foods under the Farm Defense Program in 1942.

Mrs. C. C. Bishop left Saturday night to be with her daughter, Mrs. H. C. Christian, who is seriously ill at her home in Chicago. Mrs. Christian will undergo a major operation some time this week, Judge Bishop said Monday.

Mrs. G. A. Wilkerson was in Memphis Sunday as guests of her daughter, Mrs. Wiley Whitley, and Mr. Whitley.

Austin O'Neil returned Sunday from Chama, Colorado, where he has been for the past week attending to business.

James Eiland and Elsie Wilkins of Hereford and LaVerne Eiland of Wellington visited in College Station and Mineral Wells from Tuesday until Friday of last week.

Mrs. Charles Crews, Mrs. Presley Wright, Mrs. H. E. Sherwood and Mrs. Fred Sherwood, all of Childress visited with Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Heath Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Bengé visited their son, Lester Bengé, and family in Pampa Sunday. Their grandson, Bill Derr Bengé, returned with them to Wellington for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Tibbetts and daughter, Mrs. Ralph Dilbeck and son, of Alanreed visited Sunday with I. T. Goodnight and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Starkey and Mrs. T. B. Starkey visited Charlie Starkey in Goodnight Sunday.

Miss Mary Alston, teacher of the first grade at East Ward, returned Monday from Dallas to resume her teaching. Miss Alston has been with her mother who has been ill for the past several months.

Mrs. Wood Coleman left Monday for San Antonio to visit Capt. Coleman who is stationed at Fort Sam Houston. Mr. Coleman will be transferred to Louisiana soon.

Rites Held For Gilmore Infant

Funeral rites for Martha Nell Gilmore, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Gilmore, were held at the Kelso Funeral Chapel Thursday, January 15, with Min. Jas. W. Reynolds in charge.

The child was born January 14. Survivors include the parents, and these grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Martin of Wellington and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Gilmore, Sr., of Dade, City, Fla.

Interment was in the Wellington cemetery with the Kelso Funeral Home in charge.

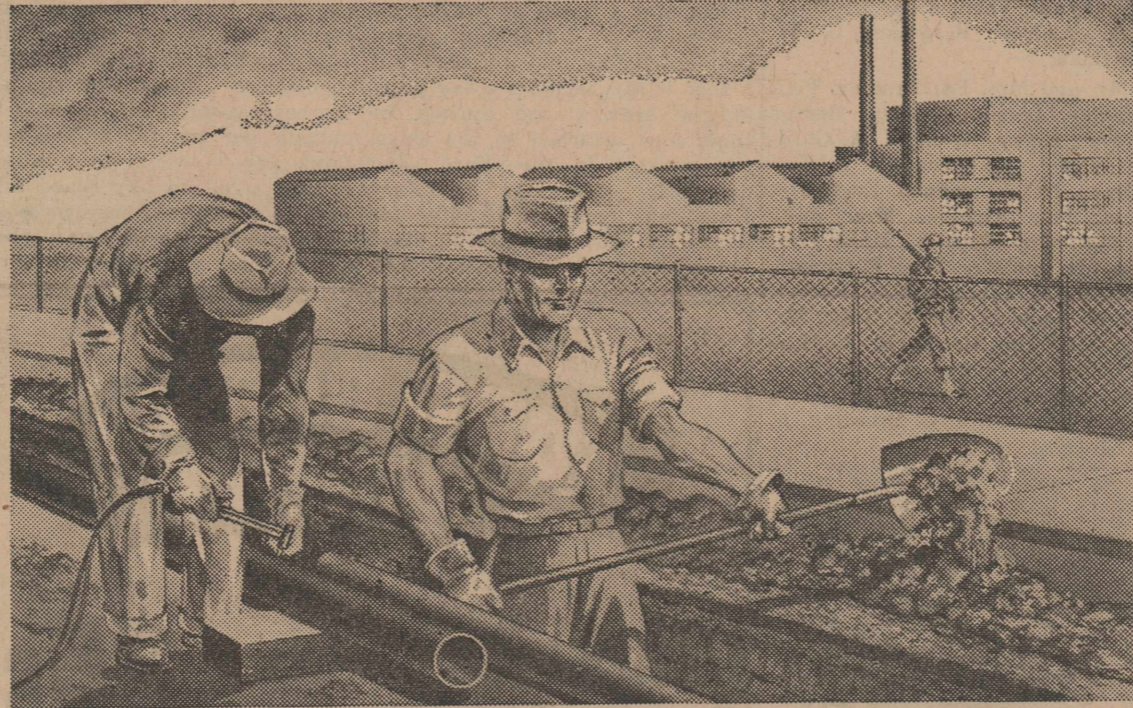
Answers To TEST YOUR I. Q.

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1. The assistant secretary of war.
2. The chief of staff plans, develops, and executes the Army's program for national defense, and is immediate adviser to the secretary of war on all military matters.
3. The personnel division.
4. The military intelligence division.
5. The secretary of war, assistant secretary of war, and chief of staff form the war council. They meet daily.

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★ Throughout the years your Gas Company has aimed to provide all of its customers with adequate, low-cost Natural Gas Service at all times. It regrets that now extension of Natural Gas Service may be greatly restricted, unless the desired Service is necessary for defense or public health and safety. Even such construction must be built under special governmental priorities.

★ However, the Company does not expect these restrictions to affect your present Dependable Natural Gas Service. Our entire personnel is alert to its responsibility. We have an ample supply of Natural Gas for the needs of our customers, and enough in reserve to take care of such increased defense demands as can now be foreseen.

★ Meeting these conditions naturally means some sacrifice, but everyone will agree that winning the war comes first. When this war is won, the United Gas Corporation will be ready and quick to resume its program of bringing the complete benefits of low-cost and reliable Natural Gas Service to those desiring it in the territory it serves.

"We are going to win the war, and we are going to win the peace that follows."
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Mrs. E. H. Oatman At Bedside Of Mother In Oklahoma

Mrs. E. H. Oatman, who lives west of Wellington, is at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Annie

Lemme, of Waurika, Okla. Mrs. Lemme was severely burned when her clothes caught on fire. Details of the accident had not been learned Wednesday morning when Mrs. Oatman left Wellington.

Fred Cox left Friday for Amarillo where he will be employed.

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FOR SALE—1933 Chevrolet Sedan. Fair condition. Will trade for hammer mill. R. W. Cunningham. 28-2-p

FOR SALE—Equity in modern six room home, first class condition, 1213 Dallas. See Joe Darden. 28-3-p

FOR SALE—Farmall F-20 Tractor and farm tools, 1 four wheel trailer, 1 two iron wheel trailer, 5 sows, 15 pigs, 4 steers. Bill McClaskey. 28-1-c

FOR SALE—M System vulcanizing plant complete. \$125.00. 107 4th Street S. E., Childress Texas. 28-1-p

FOR SALE—One Buick 8 Wrecker. 6 good tires. Motor in good condition. Price \$125. See Adrian Thompson. 28-2-c

FOR SALE—Broadbreasted turkey toms, from prize winning stock. Mrs. W. A. Morrow, Route 2. 27-3-p

FOR SALE OR RENT—Modern 6-room house, 2 blocks due east of First Baptist Church. Stella West, 1008 11th street. 27-2-p

FOR SALE—1937 model Plymouth, 18,000 actual driving miles. \$50 worth of brand new rubber on it. See Harry Farmer at Farmer's Cafe. 26-3-c

FOR SALE—One 3-room house with 7 lots. Price \$600. Also used furniture. See Adrian Thompson. 28-2-c

FOR SALE—Like new, Florence white and black kerosene range—5 burners, \$35.00. See C. L. Copeland, section foreman, Dodson, Texas. 26-3-p

SOME Work Stock for sale. Mules and horses. 8 miles east of Luttie. H. A. Marchbanks. 2418-p.

FARM and STORE—For sale, trade or lease, separately or together. Fred Bell. 7-tfc

FOR SALE—Large assortment of kerosene cook stoves at bargain prices. Starkey Appliance Co. 47-tfc

FOR SALE OR LEASE—One 6-room house and shop buildings located on Haskell Street. See Adrian Thompson. 28-2-c

BOTTLE GAS for heating, cooking, and refrigeration. It is safe, dependable, and economical. Starkey Electric Co. 12-tfc

FARM FOR SALE—305 acres 5 miles southwest of Wellington, 208 in cultivation, \$15.00 per acre. Can give possession. Donald Black, P. O. Box 709, Childress. 27-2-p

WANT TO BUY 2-room house to be moved. See Tom Bryant at Pullman Cafe. 28-1-c

FOR SALE—One good used separator. Starkey Electric Co. 27-tfc

LOST
LOST—Elbow and pipe to feed mill between Wellington and 3 miles south of town. R. V. Kelly. 28-1-p

RENTALS
80 acre farm for rent, 3 mi. north of Wellington. See Mrs. W. J. Boykin. 28-1-p

STONE BUILDING for rent. 25 by 28 feet. See Franks Furniture Store. 27-2-c

WANT to rent farm of about 400 acres. Orville Atkinson, Quail. 27-3-p

SALESMEN WANTED
WANTED—A good reliable man to supply customers with Rawleigh Products. Write Rawleigh's, Dept. TXA-782-127, Memphis, Tenn. 28-1-p

MISCELLANEOUS
READY—Onion and cabbage plants now ready. Other plants later. T. B. Starkey, south side square. 28-tfc

FOR SHRUBBERY, fruit and shade trees of all kinds, also fall bulbs and flower seed, see T. B. Starkey, south side square. 13-tfc

WANTED
WANTED—Housekeeper for Mrs. John Starr at Canyon. See or phone Mrs. G. N. Scruggs. 28-1-p

WANTED—Man with car for special work. See L. T. Walker, 1012 E. Ave., after 6 o'clock. 28-1-p

WANTED TWO MEN—Due to increase in business we need two men not subject to immediate draft who live in Collingsworth County. Must have car, be honest and willing to work. You should make \$30 to \$50 a week. Apply in person or write R. M. Eldred, 115 B East 4th Ave., Amarillo, Texas. 27-2-c

GIRL WANTS WORK, \$3.50 week, room, board. Pansy Lee Graves, Route 3, Shamrock, Texas. 27-3-c

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

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

NOTICE
NOTICE—We will remove your dead and crippled horses and cattle free if the hide is on. Call us immediately. Call collect. Phone 108. Wellington Soap Works, Wellington, Texas. J. J. Jones, agent. 42-tfc.

Stated meeting of Wellington Lodge No. 763 A F & A M second Thursday each month 7:30 p. m. Members urged to attend. Visitors welcome.
FRANK ANDERSON, W. M. J. M. STRONG, Sec'y.

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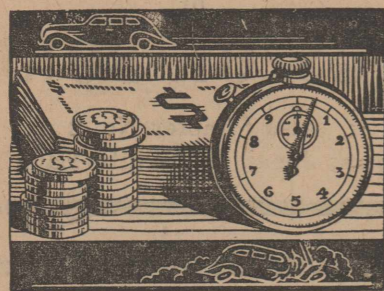
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Postal Receipts For 1941 Above Previous Year

"Nothing but better business conditions in general could have caused the increase in postal receipts for 1941 over the preceding year," R. F. Curry, Wellington postmaster said Tuesday as he reviewed the office's income for the two years.

The 1941 total was \$17,700.55, while the 1940 total stood at \$16,946.77.

Practically all of this gain came during the last quarter of the year, when approximately \$1,000 more was taken in than for the same period in 1940. These totals are \$5,763.49 for the final quarter of 1941, and \$4,781.86 for the final quarter of 1940.

In pointing out the \$800 difference in the yearly receipts for 1941 and 1940, Mr. Curry pointed out that this meant a considerably larger volume of mail had been handled during the year just closed than during the previous year. "It takes many, many letters to make \$100 worth of postage, and likewise, it takes lots and lots of packages to make up that same amount, so really, there has been a greater increase in volume of mail handled than there appears at first look," he explained.

Better times always bring more confidence, more buying, and greater use of the mails, Mr. Curry observed.

The fact that many boys from the county are in the armed forces at present has had little to do in the increase of postal receipts, the postmaster said, since the volume of mail going to these men is not sufficient to boost receipts much.

Bargain Days -

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pay more if I had to read The Leader. I don't always have time to read the daily papers, but I do take time off to read The Leader.

Mrs. J. G. Gardner—We have taken The Leader for 25 years, every since we came to this county, and couldn't get along without it.

Mrs. J. H. McNabb—It seems like we'd be lost without the paper.

V. B. Allred—I couldn't do without the old Wellington Leader. Wouldn't find out anything.

W. H. Tate of Brice Route, Clarendon—I am sending a check of \$1.50 for another year's Leader. Got a good crop this year.

Mrs. Mary Dowdy—Yes, Mr. Wells, I will be a reader if not providentially hindered, for it is lots of company to me.

George White—I've read The Leader so long that I couldn't do without it. I guess it has become a habit with us.

O'Neil -

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Credit is located in Memphis. Maurice Dickson, formerly of this county, is assistant secretary-treasurer, and Tom Berry of Wellington is a director.

Mr. O'Neil and Mr. Berry attended the annual stockholders meeting held in Memphis Friday.



J. L. Burt In Dallas Hospital

J. L. Burt, Wellington photographer, is receiving treatment in a Dallas hospital this week. His condition was described by doctors of the institution as serious.

Mr. Burt, along with Mrs. Burt, was taken to Dallas Sunday by his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brinson.

Mrs. Burt remained with him. If his condition is sufficiently improved by the end of this week, he will likely be returned here, Mr. Brinson said.

Red Cross -

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John Barjenbruch, Stevenson Implement Co., W. W. McClaskey, George Shadid, R. A. Williams, Cliff Campbell, Shamburger Lumber Co., Parsons Drug Store, S. F. Hughs, Luther Gribble, Castleberry Motor, Woodridge Lumber Co., Wellington Poster Co., Ritz Theatre, W. R. Franks, Mrs. Jones Singley, Bill Sims, Rufus Hays, Jimmie Richards,

Dr. J. M. Wattam, Dr. J. W. Harper, Pruden Drug, John Harper, A. B. Clark, A. B. Mears, Collingsworth Motor Co., Margaret McCampbell, Mish Dukeminier, Hatch Dry Goods, Mrs. Vera Hester, Cochran Drug, Harry Galbreath, Frank Hajek, R. H. Cocke, Warrick Feed Co., Monroe Grocery, Frank Campbell, R. H. Eads, Bert Starkey, Bryan Denley, Englander Dry Goods Co., George Clark, Clark Anderson, Mrs. Fred Watkins, Inez Leach, Wells Department Store, Sidney Heath,

C. L. Harrison, Lee Harris, Bill Kelly, G. W. Munby, Doc Thomas, M. L. James, V. L. Long, U. E. Kelly, Wallace O'Rear, Sam E. Smith, W. J. Uselton, R. B. Uselton, R. H. Lacy, R. B. Alford, E. M. Trew, James Doneghy, J. B. Trew, H. C. Stout, J. E. Crawford, Earl Abney, King Bowen, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Bowen, Beth Bowen, Frank Fourmentin, J. R. Godbey, Glen Lewis, J. L. Moody, Rolla Gin, Frank Thomas, A. D. Holliman, Andrew Bergman, L. W. Hartman,

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Bradley, Paul Bradley, Donald Bradley, George Groves, Elmer Strong, J. A. Gardner, Miss Pearl Strong, D. A. Kincannon, Dee Kincannon, Ed Drury, Mrs. John Groves, Mrs. Julia Groves, Guy Beasley, Hugh Grogan, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse R. Grogan, Mrs. J. H. Grogan, Mrs. Decker, W. M. Laycock, E. A. Tate, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Gooch, R. A. Harvey, Robert Oldham, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Laycock, Buck Martindale, James Gardner, J. C. Breeding, R. F. Jeffers,

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Duncan, J. W. Stephens, Ocie L. Scott, D. M. Jarrell, Mrs. J. H. Stephens, Edwin Parker, Tom Parker, J. F. Skaggs, John Messer, Erra Messer, Tom Stewart, B. M. Shields, W. A. Anthony, Raymond Hobbs, J. H. Hobbs, J. L. Chandler, Jewel Aldridge, W. C. Reeves, E. H. Yarbrough, W. R. Ward, Fred Yarbrough, D. C. Lacy, Baddy Yarbrough, E. L. Hively, George Peeks, Floyd Nipper, George White, Chas Allen, Mrs. Barney Glenn, Murl Hays, Helen Nelson, Mrs. Paul McKinney, Doc Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Hill,

Willie G. Willard, Mrs. M. A. Mabry, Miss Narcie Willard, Robert Johnson.

Schools contributing were Buck Creek, Elm Valley, Dodson, Wellington High School, students of Rosemary Boston's room, Cross Roads, Bean Hill, Hackberry, and West Ward.

Jap Attack -

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plane was hit just after he had swerved up from having loosed his torpedo. He started burning, and jiggled his plane a little in an effort to lose the fire, I suppose, or maybe he was nervous (I certainly would have been). Then he lost control, and we thought he would hit the right wing of the hospital in his crash. He missed it though, by a few feet, and landed in a burning, spreading heap about 50 yards from where I was. This was as close as I got to the battle. The fire party from the hospital had the fire out in a matter of seconds, although it had already caught a house afire. (Censored).

The raid was over about a quarter of twelve, having consisted of torpedo bombing, dive bombing, and high altitude bombing, which came last. Since I hadn't eaten in over a week, I was plenty weak and had turned my place in the emergency-nurse line-up over to someone else. When the high altitude raid started, I went under cover. Up to that time the Japs had mercifully spared the hospital, but I didn't trust their high altitude efforts.

History will no doubt record the defeat of the Battle of Pearl Harbor due to our not having spotted the Japs before they got here, but I hope it also includes a few notes on the bravery and courage of these men attached to the ships, the workers in the Yard, and everybody else. As Secretary Knox said, none can be cited for particular bravery, since all stood up and fought as sailormen should.

I remember one kid who was brought in. He had had his right foot blown off, and was pretty well bloodied up. Although he had had no shots of any kind to ease the pain, there was not a murmur out of him. I picked up a blanket and spread it over him to keep warm, and as I did so, he looked up and murmured "Thanks." I felt pretty little to receive thanks for so little after what he had given. And he was one of plenty.

On Monday I tried to get out of the hospital. There was little cause for nurses and corpsmen to waste time over me when they were needed elsewhere. The doc vetoed the idea because I had no one at home to take care of me. The next day I told him that Jean Bryant would be tickled to take care of me if he would let me out, and it worked. I planned to do it myself. All I needed was a bunch of pills every so often and to stay in bed and drink my milk, but I found the apartment pretty lonely. John was there when I got home Tuesday afternoon (his first time since the raid), but left again to stay here at the yard on duty. Wednesday was plenty lonely. I couldn't sleep, it was hot, and those four walls were damn bare. I began to call up everyone to see how they had fared during the raid. When I got to the Loaders, I called no more. Mrs. Loader came down and got me and bundled me up to their place.

I don't know whether I owe them my life or not, but surely the Loaders are responsible for my getting well so quickly and so completely. Before many days we had blacked out a couple of rooms and were able to sit up after dark. More rooms were added until now the whole house is blacked out, which means a lot. Life out here in the past has been so free and so much in the open. If one wanted to go all day long in a bathing suit, all over town, he had but to do so. Well, we, rather they, since service personnel now wear the uniform all the time, can wear the bathing suit all right, but if they do so after dark, it is in their own homes. No one is permitted on the streets after six except defense personnel going to and from work, doctors on calls, etc. And a person can't go far, either, even if he tried to disobey regulations. Buses don't run, and the basic gasoline allowance is ten gallons per month, and I don't think anyone would care to take a long stroll to any place after dark, not after the way these soldiers and Territorial Guards have shown their willingness to shoot.

But no one tries to disobey regulations. This is one place where prohibition really works and one doesn't see many speedsters, either. Military justice is swift, but it is also damned just and efficient. I came back to duty last Saturday, and so far, the tummy has held up fine. I have to watch my food, of course, but outside of that, I'm back to battery. I get off every other day at four, which leaves me some time with the Loaders. They have been really grand to me, and I will never be able to repay them in any way.

Don't worry, we're all right, but you might save a little sympathy for the Little Brown Brothers, they're going to need it. Will write you all about Xmas and New Year's next time.

Yours,
George.

Mrs. P. L. Bartlett

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and Mrs. Calvin Aaron, all of this county. Other survivors are a brother and three sisters, Ozro Sheppard of Willow Point, Texas, Mrs. Jim Alexander of Bridgeport, Mrs. Tom Boyd of Tipton, Okla., and Mrs. Billie Holt of Electra.

The Kelso Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.

Mrs. A. F. Wischkaemper, Jr., and Mrs. W. W. Shields were visitors in the home of Mrs. R. L. Tenison last Saturday.

Local Teachers -

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talk by Dr. L. A. Woods, state superintendent of education, entitled "Developing an All-Out Community Music Program."

E. W. Beard, county superintendent, said Monday that as many of this county's teachers as could attend are being urged to do so, since music in the public schools is being stressed more than at any time in the past.

Mrs. J. W. Abernathy, Alton Abernathy and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Collins of Hollis were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Duk Abernathy.

Too Late To Classify

FOR SALE—1935 Chevrolet, 4 new tires. See Jessie Service Glenn. 28-2-c

160 ACRE Farm for rent—for cash. See Bill Goforth. 28-1-p

FOR SALE—½ section land, Chillard Highway, S. W. Buck Creek Bridge. Federal Loan, small down payment, terms. See Willie or Eddie Smith. 28-3-p

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5 Pound Pail	
SALAD Dressing and Sandwich	17c
Spread, Kem Quality, Quart	
PINEAPPLE Gold Bar, Crushed	17c
No. 2 Size Can	
HERE'S A SMART BUY!	1 Pound Can
FREE PEARL COUPON ON EVERY CAN	33c
WHITE SWAN Regular Coffee	3 Pound Can
	97c
PINTO BEANS, 10 Lbs.	49c
PINEAPPLE JUICE Heart's Delight	29c
46 Ounce Can	
EGG MASH, Big J, 100 Lbs.	\$2.50
MILK Pages, Small Can 4 1-2c;	8c
Large Can	
PUFFED WHEAT, 8 Ounce Bag	5c
PIE PEACHES, No. 2 Size, 2 Cans	15c
KRAUT, No. 2 Size, 2 Cans	15c
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