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## Labor Day - 1942

The sincerity of Labor Day—just how big and broad and how much patriotic territory does it cover today? Apparently the A. F. of L. and the C. I. O. are discussing "possible establishment of organic unity between our organizations" and meanwhile we are at war and production is necessary at full swing. But labor organizations are "deeply concerned" and "bargaining agents," "wage scales" and "grievances" are all to be worked out in due time!

Today we have in our country undemocratic actions that are deplorable to a nation that appears to adhere to justice and unity. Pledges and policies are being violated and political corruption is evident though carefully hidden under other unjust coverage. The War Labor Board excuses itself by the fact that labor interference would "extend jurisdiction beyond the frame of reference under which the tribunal acts." But under the surface the War Labor Board fears the labor organizations politically—so there we have it! We are a nation at war and our very existence depends on winning but we are blocked by hypocrisy and under-handed treachery within our own structure.

Not so long ago labor announced that "anti-strike legislation would not be necessary and that labor was policing itself," and what was the result? The A. F. of L. and the C. I. O. have been pledging "unity" since 1937 and just how near to mutual organization have they become through recent months? Always they are "willing" and "peace committees" are appointed and always they are eager to "reach a settlement for all concerned."

Labor—has it become too absorbed an affiliated in disputes and organic grievances to be almost associated with the unpatriotic? Has it lost the ring of the humble worker striving for the sustenance of his family? Labor organizations certainly have exercised unjustifiable actions during recent years and with these actions in mind we can scarcely associate labor today with the true purpose and thought of the honest sincere laboring man—the man that labors whole-heartedly for his own and national well-being. But the labor of the man that is unaffected and produced through the sinews of humility and right is just effort deserving of the full simplicity and worth while credit expressed nationally through Labor Day—1942!

### The Miracle Of Music

Did you ever hear of colored music and did you ever have a blue headache, or did you ever actually see red when you became intensely angry? Apparently some really do experience such sensations and do hear music in colors. This mixing of sensations is called synaesthesia, but to most of us this is just another word impossible to pronounce, but a great majority of us do enjoy the sensations produced by music. "The miracles of music" are in rest, soothed nerves and stimulated glands producing health and enjoyment. That tense feeling disappears with the strains of a dreamy waltz and that ache between the shoulders melts away to the sweet tones of strings. The melody of a song lingers and aching muscles relax—music has its way.

Then there are those stirring martial tunes and our feet and hearts beat in patriotic rhythm or perhaps its melodious tones of the throaty organ and reverently we listen to the comforting hymn. Again it may be the tilting tones of laughter and age drops from our shoulders and we are light-hearted and gay. Whatever the note, the tune or the instrument, most of us feel the sensations of gladness, mirth, reverence, or sadness. The music of the past, of the present, has charm and enchantment—the miracle of music and the miracle of living touch the inner soul and a note is sounded.

### Can We Lose This War?

"We might lose this war"—a statement now sobering America. The fact also that we could lose the war in 40 days is something too a little more alarming, and the Office of War Information's statement that "the war must be won but that it is not being won at this time" is also certainly not recognized as a pessimist's dream.

It would be too bad if our complacency destroyed us—if we would go on believing that under any circumstances we could not help but win this war or that by some miracle of innovation we would be saved. We are too far from the actual perils to become too much alarmed and the scarcity of food and materials has not yet actually touched us. When we hear of those within the war area valuing a single orange, we can hardly comprehend the fact—we can still buy several dozen! Throughout the country our grain is still plentiful and in the middle west there is still another high yield. We cannot visualize people in want.

But, "we might lose this war"—that possibility is alone staggering. We can no longer compare figures with the past, neither can we stand them up to the future. We are assured of a long war, this we know involves a number of risks and this we know in spite of everything—we must not, can not, lose this war!

An heirloom is said to be an article handed down from father to son, but it looks like a mighty poor name for trousers.

## Burkburnett . . . . History

As revealed by the files of The Star 10 and 20 years ago.

Oscar Kemp, owner of the Kemp Pipe & Supply, happened to a very serious accident Wednesday morning when a mud mixer fell on his leg, tearing the flesh for several inches and breaking both ankle bones on the left foot.

Mrs. Jess Griffin entertained a group of young people with a slumber party Wednesday evening on the Red River. Those present to enjoy swimming and excellent refreshments were Misses Pauline Browning, Charlotte Smith, Marjetta Owens, Kate Kendall Wooten, and Margarette Griffin.

A quiet wedding was solemnized Thursday afternoon when Miss Jewel Bussey became the bride of Ben Garrett at Grandfield, Okla. Immediately after the ceremony the couple returned to Burk Burnett, enjoying a delightful wedding dinner in the home of Mrs. Ray Mills. They then departed for a short wedding trip.

At a meeting of the Panhandle Fireman's Association held in Vernon Tuesday and Wednesday of this week, J. J. Blackstone, chief of the Burk Burnett Volunteer Firemen was elected second vice-president of the organization.

Little Miss Geneal Gregory was presented in piano recital at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Gregory, August 16th in honor of her 10th birthday. This young lady performs unusually well for her age. She was assisted at the piano by Miss Claudia Bowman, Vera Mae Johnson, and Mrs. Gregory. Little Miss Doris Mae Grace rendered a clever reading.

The small son of S. E. March and received cuts and bruises on his leg last week.

### 20 Years Ago

On Tuesday August 22, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Lohoefer gave a dinner party in honor of Miss Lottie McCall, sister of the hostess, who spent the summer here and is returning to her home in Oberlin, Kansas. Those present at

this delightful affair were: Misses Louise Davis, Erna Schwegler, Helen Felty, Lucy Cavfield, Mildred Ellis, Florence Urban, Minnie Knauth, and the honoree, Lottie McCall.

The movies that were showing in Burk Burnett 20 years ago were "Polly of the Follies," "Hurricane's Girl," "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine," "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde," "North of the Rio Grande," and "She Was Her Husband's Trademark."

On Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. Cawfield entertained a party of young people at a "42" party in special celebration of their daughter, Lucy's, birthday, and that of their young friend, Francis Felty, both falling on the same day. A diamond dinner ring was given Miss Cawfield and gold cuff buttons to Mr. Felty. The cutting of the birthday cake and a dainty refreshment course concluded this unusually nice birthday party.

Sunday night while Rev. C. C. Blair, pastor of the Thrift Baptist church was preaching, 12 Ku Klux Klan men entered the church and handed the pastor a note and a nice donation and stood at attention while the pastor read the note and after a word of praise and appreciation they silently departed, disappearing in to the darkness.

### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

"Christ Jesus" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, Aug. 30.

The Golden text is: "The law was given by Moses, but grace and truth came by Jesus Christ" (John 1:17).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "And John bare record, saying, I saw the Spirit descending from heaven like a dove, and it abode upon him . . . And I saw, and bare record that this is the Son of God." (John 1:32, 34).

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easy way to chop off chick-  
chicks: Drive two spikes into  
spine block, spacing them  
the chicken's head will not  
rough. Catch the head be-  
the spikes and stretch the

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"nerck." It has nothing  
with the epidermis of his  
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more military carriage.  
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THE STORY SO FAR: Jeff Curtis  
and his wife, Lee, are already on their  
way to Tierra Libre when Jeff re-  
ceives a note from Zora Mitchell warn-  
ing them not to come. It is too late to  
turn back, so Jeff decides not to tell  
Lee, who was opposed to their return-  
ing to the tropics. She finally agreed to  
go only after Jeff persuaded her  
that the job of chief engineer for a  
newly organized fruit company is the  
chance of a lifetime. He nearly changed  
his own mind about going after talking  
long distance to Jerry McInnis, a former  
associate of his in Tierra Libre, who  
told him that Zora Mitchell's husband  
had been killed. It is Mitchell's job that  
Jeff has been called to fill. They are  
sitting now at Cabeza de Negro, Jeff  
thinking of Zora's note, "Don't come."  
NOW CONTINUE WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER II

Don't come! And here he was with  
Lee in the curve of his arm, Buddy  
and Chuck tugging at his trousers,  
with Tierra Libre rising up out of  
the morning sea, the buildings of  
Cabeza de Negro taking shape. His  
arm unconsciously tightened about  
Lee.

Long before they drew close  
enough to make out details of the  
sturdy new docks and receiving  
sheds they saw the motor launch  
cutting along the coast as though  
to intercept them. It, too, was head-  
ed for the port, and at last Curt  
recognized the figure standing in the  
cockpit.

He yanked off his hat to wave it  
wildly.

"Jerry, you old muckle-head," he  
shouted. "I might've known you'd  
come down to meet us."

"Yeh, got your wireless you were  
coming through Cabeza. Hiya,  
Curt. Hiya, Lee," called the stocky  
man in the launch. "It's good to  
see you folks again. Where're the  
kids?"

Curt and Lee each picked up a  
child and stood him on the broad  
rail. Buddy, from his new vantage  
point, piped up: "Mummy, what's  
a muckle-head?"

"A muckle-head, darling," she an-  
swered gravely, "is your Uncle Jer-  
ry down in the little boat. See?"

There was no opportunity for dal-  
ying here. The launch drew away  
and by the time the Pisces warped  
up to the dock Jerry McInnis—leath-  
ered face, close-cropped hair,  
weather-stained clothes—was wait-  
ing for them.

A dockhand delivered a message  
from Senor Montaya on a company  
briefcase. The senior had been de-  
layed in getting down river to meet  
them but would reach Cabeza in  
another hour or so.

"That one of their river boats?"

"Yep. They have two. But we  
can talk later, Curt." Jerry scooped  
up the children, one in each arm.  
"Let's find a more comfortable spot  
for the wait. Lee, you're looking  
great! If I didn't know better I'd  
guess you were twenty. Hard to  
believe these are yours, Marta  
sees her love and can't wait to  
see you."

McInnis, chuckling, nodded from  
Curt's piled luggage to his own  
launch boy, and the mestizo im-  
mediately took possession to stand  
guard. Then the Associated man  
led the way from the dock to the  
one main street of the town. There  
were signs of recent construction.  
The new company was booming the  
village.

"That's a good dock they've  
built," Curt said. "I suppose Mitch-  
ell did it?"

"Sure."

Just the one word, and it sounded  
strange. Clipped and odd, for Mc-  
Innis. Curt threw his friend a side-  
long glance.

"Looks like they're really going it  
big here."

Associated Fruit Growers—where  
Curt and McInnis, fresh from  
M. I. T., had their first years of  
practical engineering—stretched  
along the north bank of the Rio  
Negro, a hundred kilometers or  
more of banana plantations in an  
almost unbroken line. These were  
fed by a narrow-gauge railroad, and  
there was one handling of fruit from  
farm pick-up platforms to conveyor  
belts at shipside.

But the new Compania Agricola  
Tropical, south of the Negro, had  
more of a problem. It wasn't pos-  
sible to run a railroad through to  
the sea. Salt marshes lay between  
their concession and the coast and  
made it necessary to handle fruit  
by rail from farm to river port, and  
by steamer or lighters from there  
to Cabeza where ocean vessels could  
pick it up. Not so good, two hand-  
lings of perishable fruit. Costly,  
too. And the delay and expense of  
hauling construction materials up  
river was sharp in Curt's mind.

"Well, here we are."

McInnis stopped before a small  
cantina, the facade a blinding, mil-  
lions green in the raw sunshine. Mc-  
Innis put the boys down, led them  
inside. Lee and Curt followed.

"It's nearly lunch time," McInnis  
remarked. "Shouldn't the kids be  
fed, Lee? You know what the cook-  
ing is like here, but we can proba-  
bly get canned soups."

Lee smiled.

"I don't need a brick wall to fall  
on me. Go ahead, you two. Have a  
drink. I know you have plenty to  
talk over. I'll drag out my rusty  
Spanish and get along."

The men turned to the deserted  
bar at the end of the room, moun-  
ted uncomfortable stools and ordered  
gin rickies. While the native bar-

tender mixed them nearby, Curt  
made conversation.

"Jerry, it'll cost so much to pro-  
duce and ship fruit here that I  
don't see how these people can hope  
to compete with Associated. Not  
without a subsidy, and Tierra Libre  
does not grant subsidies."

McInnis grunted.

"Well, that's their business."

"Of course," Curt mused on, "it's  
a pretty slick hombre who could  
put anything over on Old Man  
Moore. I could give even money  
the Old Man figures they'll go broke  
getting into production, then plans  
to bid in and take over the conces-  
sion cheap. Maybe throw a bridge  
across the Negro and handle the  
fruit once from pick-up to the dock  
at Soledad."

McInnis grinned, but said noth-  
ing. The bartender placed the drinks  
before them, then left to lend a hand  
in the kitchen lean-to.

Alone now, and with a furtive  
glance to be sure Lee was occupied  
with the children, Curt pulled forth  
Zora Mitchell's letter. He spread it  
open before the other, and his face  
was serious, his voice low.

"Jerry, what've I got into?"

McInnis read the note, refolded  
it, slid it back to Curt. He frowned.  
He took a long pull at his drink.

"All right, Jerry, out with it,"  
Curt spoke again. "What's up?"

"Well, Curt," his friend said final-  
ly, "my reason for coming down



"There's nothing I can put a finger on."

to the coast to meet you wasn't  
altogether social. But now I'm here,  
I have my doubts. There's nothing  
I can put a finger on." He  
paused.

"Come on, pal, we know each other's  
first name. Spill it."

It came out slowly and in pieces.

"Well, Curt, I can't help feeling  
there's something fishy about your  
new outfit. They have more men  
on their payroll than we have, for  
instance, Americans as well as na-  
tives, trying to get things set  
before the next rainy season. That's  
all right. But Soledad's the only  
live spot—such as it is—within their  
range. You couldn't call Cabeza a  
satisfactory place to live a fellow  
up over a holiday.

"So—well, damn it all, you'd ex-  
pect that while to Soledad  
once in a while. But no one ever  
does. The two Swedes and the  
Dutchman I told you about are the  
only ones who ever get to Soledad,  
and that's only on business, to super-  
vise receipt of shipments."

"And they don't talk! We tried to  
get up a ball game with your people  
once. No go. It's as though this  
Montaya was afraid his men'd spill  
something to our advantage. And  
that's carrying the rivalry theme a  
bit far for this business and this  
country. I—well, you see how vague  
it is, only a feeling . . ."

Curt reflected. He pushed his  
glass around in circles on the bar.  
"Ever get over to the new plant-  
ing yourself?"

"No," grinned McInnis. "That  
wouldn't be etiquette. The Old Man  
paid them a courtesy visit once,  
but we're rival outfits. If I went  
over they'd think I'm snooping. All  
the dope I've had on them is picked  
up from natives. You know how  
stuff gets around."

"And that leads right into what I  
really came down here for. It was  
especially to—uh—warn you. But, he  
held up his hand, "don't ask me  
against what. I don't know. That  
note from Zora Mitchell—I'd talk to  
her as soon as I could. Sounds like  
she knows something."

He held an uncomfortable silence  
for a moment. Then:

"I got hold of a rumor after you  
called me several days ago. There's  
no evidence, mind you, and it was  
too late to stop you by cable. Well,  
the natives working for me have  
their own ideas about Mitchell's  
death. They say it was no native  
did the job, but a couple of white  
men. But Curt," he expostulated.

"You know no white man would  
hate a guy to pick the way Mitch was  
found."

Curt thought this out.

"Huh, unless it was to hide the  
fact that it was a white man's kill-  
ing. And suppose it was a white  
man, Jerry, or a couple of them?  
So what? Old Mitch knew his job,  
but he certainly piled up enemies.  
You and I know that well enough.  
He made engineers out of us, first  
job out of college, but we got plenty  
bruised in the process. Men with  
less sense of humor than we have  
can't take the treatment he dished  
out."

Curt pulled at his drink reflectively.

"You didn't give me any details,"  
he mentioned after another mo-  
ment.

"There aren't many. A track-  
walker found him early in the morn-  
ing—fortunately before the buzzards  
did. Let's see, the 11th, it was.  
About a kilometer outside of Tem-  
pujo, in a ditch by the track. The  
damn zopilotes were wheeling over-  
head, so he got the section handcar,  
loaded the body onto it—"

"The 11th?" interrupted Curt.  
"That's the date of their letter to  
me! They didn't waste any time.  
Wonder how they picked a man so  
quickly?"

"Well, the date's correct. I re-  
member because we had an early  
evening dinner-dance on the Tekla  
at Soledad the night before Mitch  
was found. And the Tekla pulled  
out for Cristobal about 9:00 p. m.  
on the 10th."

"It did!" exclaimed Curt softly.  
He looked at McInnis. "Their let-  
ter to me was dated the 11th, but  
air-mailed from Cristobal on the  
12th. Didn't notice that discrep-  
ancy at first. When I finally did, I  
figured the letter either made a plane  
to the Canal Zone, or was misdated  
in error."

"We have no air service in Pana-  
ma from Soledad—direct. Course,  
it's less than two hours by air to  
the Zone, but I doubt they'd make  
the flight just for a letter. Any-  
way, I know a messenger from Tem-  
pujo brought mail to the Tekla just  
before it sailed. Came as our party  
was breaking up and going ashore."

"Then the chances are the letter  
to me, dated the 11th, was put  
aboard the Tekla which sailed the  
10th. Actually mailed before Mitch  
was found murdered. Right?"

"By God, Curt, that's so!" Mc-  
Innis brought his palm down on the  
bar. "Mitch was killed some time  
after dark on the 10th and discov-  
ered early on the 11th."

"Meanwhile . . ." Curt fell silent,  
then looked up keenly. "The two  
Swedes are white men."

McInnis frowned. "And there are  
plenty more white men where you're  
going. No, Curt, the Swedes are  
not what we'd want for bosom pals,  
but we've no right to jump to con-  
clusions. Besides," he dropped the  
scowl and grinned, "I did some  
checking up myself. Had my motor  
boy ask questions here and there.  
The Swede made the run from Tem-  
pujo to San Alejo late that after-  
noon, while Mitch was staying in  
Tempujo overnight."

Another silence fell between them.  
Then Curt spoke harshly.

"Jerry, there's more here than  
meets the eye. If Mitch's killing  
was a grudge payment, then, Tierra  
Libre being what it is, there's lit-  
tle we can do about it. Nothing, in  
fact. And there's nothing for me  
to worry about. I don't make en-  
emies like Mitch did. But if there's  
more behind it . . ."

McInnis heaved a sigh.

"Curt, be careful! Don't moun-  
t any white charger over Mitch. He  
asked for it. He's been asking for  
it for years. And you've got Lee  
and the kids here now. But if—well,  
I don't have to say it, but if you  
find you're in a spot, call on me."

They downed the last of their  
drinks and swiveled to face the  
room. But before rejoining Lee Curt  
brought up another matter.

"By the way," he said slowly,  
studying his friend's face, "I saw a  
destroyer headed for Soledad this  
morning. American, I suppose—  
looked like ours. Any particular  
reason for it?"

"No. The country's quiet as a  
church meeting. Dr. Arecas only  
one step removed from being a dic-  
tator, sure, but a good one. Seems  
to be what the people need, they're  
satisfied. He's solidly entrenched,  
too, there's no opposition to speak  
of. But . . ." He paused.

"Well?"

"Well, we had a Navy visit only  
a couple of weeks ago, and they cer-  
tainly aren't scheduled to stop in  
again so soon." He added, in a puz-  
zled tone, "Funny I didn't see the  
ship as I came down the coast."

"You were pretty low in the wa-  
ter and they were some distance  
off."

"Huh. Well . . ." He shrugged.  
They started across the room to  
rejoin Lee and the boys. McInnis  
dug his fingers into Curt's arm.

"See Zora Mitchell, Curt, first  
thing you get to San Alejo. But only  
to find out if you have anything  
personal to guard against," he said  
insistently. "Don't borrow trouble.  
You're a family man now. What's  
more, the family's right here with  
you."

"Yeh, I see what you mean," Curt  
answered dryly, his eyes on Lee  
and the children.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

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Tomorrow Beyond  
When another day has arrived,  
we will find that we have con-  
sumed our yesterday's tomorrow;  
another morrow will urge on our  
ears, and still be a little beyond  
us.—Persius.

Wish a Few Bones, Too?  
"Have you seen my dog, Fido, this  
morning, Mr. Butcher?"  
"Seen him? I should think I have.  
Came in here and chewed up a leg of  
lamb, and then upset a customer into  
some eggs."  
"Really? Well, I wonder if you'd mind  
putting this 'Lost' notice in your win-  
dow?"

Toast His Shins?  
Wife (preparing breakfast)—  
There isn't a slice of bread in the  
house.  
Husband (absently)— Never  
mind, dear; just make some toast.

You can fool some of the people  
all the time, and all of the people  
some of the time, but the rest of  
the time they'll make fools of  
themselves.

Which Kind?  
Thelma—Do you think I'm con-  
ceited about my brains?  
Virginia—Nonsense! I'm sure  
that nothing of the kind ever en-  
tered your head!

Customer—Satisfied? Certainly  
I'm satisfied. I've nothing but  
praise for you.  
Tailor—Then I suppose there's  
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ASK ME  
ANOTHER?  
A General Quiz

The Questions

1. Is sterling silver the same as solid silver?
2. Who said genius is 2 per cent inspiration, 98 per cent hard work?
3. Do trees die of old age?
4. What city is built on seven hills?
5. What king of England couldn't speak English?
6. What is meant by "eminent domain"?
7. Did Washington wear a wig?
8. What civilized country, about 40,000 square miles in area, has no railroads?
9. In what state may one pass through the settlement of Pneumonia, enter Hell's Gate into Purgatory and pass on to Paradise?
10. What was the "Flying Dutchman" and what did it portend?

The Answers

1. No, sterling is but 92.5 per cent silver and 7.5 per cent copper.
2. Thomas A. Edison.
3. Almost never. Invariably, it is not cut down, they are blown over by the wind or struck by lightning.
4. Rome.
5. George I.
6. The right which the government reserves to take private property for public use.
7. Washington powdered his hair and tied it up in a queue, but he never wore a wig.
8. Iceland.
9. Virginia.
10. A spectre ship reported seen in bad weather about the Cape of Good Hope, supposed to presage bad luck.

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PETROLEUM JELLY  
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BURNS  
CUTS

Fosters Genius  
Poverty is the stepmother of genius.—H. W. Shaw.

What Causes  
Your Constipation?

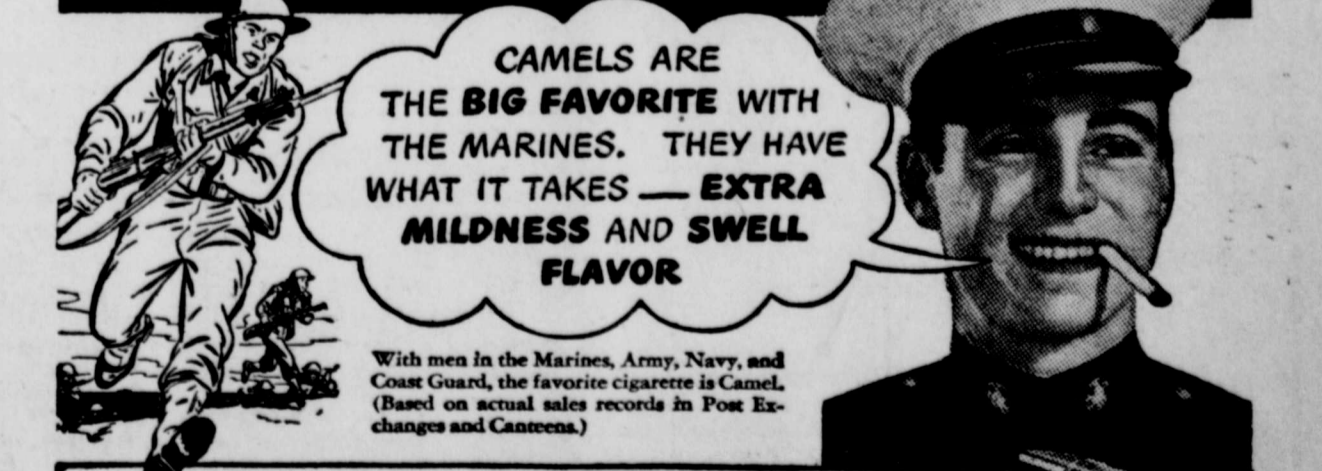
The super-refined foods we eat these days too often do not give us enough "bulk food." And medical science tells us that lack of sufficient "bulk" is one of the commonest causes of constipation!  
If that is your trouble, harsh cathartics and violent purges are, at best, only temporary remedies. How much better to get at the cause and correct it!  
Why not make sure that you are getting the "bulk" you need by eating Kellogg's All-Bran? All-Bran is a delicious, crispy cereal that millions of folks rely on. Eat All-Bran yourself—eat it daily—and drink plenty of water—not only to get regular but to keep regular. All-Bran is made by Kellogg's in Battle Creek. If your condition is not helped by this simple treatment, it's wise to see a doctor.

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# Social Activities..Clubs..Churches

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Society Editor  
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## MARRIED FIFTY-TWO YEARS



The above picture of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Reese, who will celebrate their 52nd wedding anniversary this Saturday at their home, 510 East Main street, and Mrs. Reese were married Aug. 29, 1890, in Hartsville, Mo.

Mrs. Reese was before her marriage, Miss Flora abeth McCain, and both were born and reared in Hartsville. To this union has been born three children, two daughters and one son. The living child, Mrs. L. O. Haymes, resides in Cherryvale, Kansas. Mr. Reese farmed until 1904, when he was appointed chief of police and street commissioner of Marshfield, Mo., where he served for 11 years. He has also served as deputy sheriff, county highway engineer of Marshfield county for a number of years. He resigned these positions to go to Webb City, where he and his brother had some mining interests. They worked their claim until the price of ore became so cheap they were compelled to abandon their claim.

Mr. and Mrs. Reese came to Burkburnett in 1919, where he went to work for the Albritton and Roy Edge drilling contractors. He later went to work for the Texahoma Oil company, and for several years he was a drilling contractor, with a partner, Frank Simmons. Mr. and Mrs. Reese have resided here since 1919 with the exception of a few years spent in Vinson, Okla.

They intend to spend a quiet evening at home Saturday where they will welcome friends who will visit them and extend congratulations.

### NO LAW FOR HIM

If the defendant had been able to find a buggy, his jail term would have been longer. Judge of Ester Wheatley of Jefferson City, Mo., studied the police court charge of riding while drunk—but found no law to cover a horseback offense.

"If he had been driving in a buggy . . ." the judge mused. But he wasn't. "Thirty days for plain drunk."

CLEAN RAGS WANTED—STAR

### Officers Confer Of Lutheran Church Friday

The zone officers conferring at the Clara Lutheran church Friday evening at 8:30. The meeting will include a meeting of officers followed by a meeting of Knowledge and Service chairmen. Misses Goetze and Bernice Klum are the Clara Knowledge men and Miss Margaret and Miss Doris Holtz are Service chairmen.

### What You Buy WAR BONDS

When the American Expeditionary Force landed in Ireland newspapers reported that the soldiers remarked at the similarity of steel helmets worn by our boys to those worn by German troops. Steel hats are protection from shell fragments and other light shells. We need thousands of them for they are a regular issue to American soldiers.



A smart strap fastens chin and they are padded for comfort. One steel helmet costs every time you kill a German you are buying protection for an American soldier. Invest ten percent of your income. Bonds every pay day. The community reach its quota.

## O'Daniel Elected—

(Continued from page 1)

1, prior to his defeat in 1940, regained that seat in the state legislature Saturday by polling 5,489 votes to a total of 4,226 given his opponent, J. H. Martin.

Albritton, staging his second campaign in two years for the office of county clerk, won a majority of approximately 600 votes over Julian McFall, who had held that post for the last 10 years.

Following is the vote in the Burkburnett boxes:

Box 26—Cashion School: Senator: O'Daniel 45, Allred 23; Lieut. Gov.: Beck 21, Smith 45; R. R. Com.: Brooks 26, Jester 38; 111th Rep.: McFarland 29, Martin 37; Dist. Atty.: Parish 32, Anderson 37; Co. Clerk: Albritton 36, McFall 32; Sheriff: Hawkins 52, Suttle 18; Treasurer: James 47, Hatcher 19.

Box 27—Burk High School: Senator: O'Daniel 155, Allred 95; Lieut. Gov.: Beck 89, Smith 130; Treasurer: James 139, Hatcher 79; R. R. Commissioner: Brooks 26, Jester 38; 111th Rep.: McFarland 121, Martin 110; Dist. Atty.: Parish 123, Anderson 111; Co. Clerk: Albritton 133, McFall 109; Sheriff: Hawkins 146, Suttle 95.

Box 28—Burk City Hall: Senator: O'Daniel 134, Allred 79; Lieut. Gov.: Beck 163, Smith 131; Treasurer: James 120; Hatcher 68; R. R. Commissioner: Brooks 96, Jester 97; 111th Rep.: McFarland 93, Martin 100; Dist. Atty.: Parish 99, Anderson 99; Co. Clerk: Albritton 132, McFall 72; Sheriff: Hawkins 129, Suttle 76.

Box 29—Jiffers Pipe Shop, Burk: Senator: O'Daniel 146, Allred 74; Lieut. Gov.: Beck 91, Smith 108; Treasurer: James 139, Hatcher 62; R. R. Commissioner: Brooks 109, Jester 104; 111th Rep.: McFarland 121, Martin 90; Dist. Atty.: Parish 105, Anderson 103; Co. Clerk: Albritton 113, McFall 102; Sheriff: Hawkins 136, Suttle 80.

Box 30—Fairview School: Senator: O'Daniel 63, Allred 22; Lt. Gov.: Beck 24, Smith 54; Treasurer: James 53, Hatcher 26; R. R. Commissioner: Brooks 46, Jester 37; 111th Rep.: McFarland 41, Martin 41; Dist. Atty.: Parish 49, Anderson 29; Co. Clerk: Albritton 53, McFall 28; Sheriff: Hawkins 51, Suttle 31.

Box 31—Clara, Whitney Grocery: Senator: O'Daniel 48, Allred 25; Lieut. Gov.: Beck 27, Smith 39; Treasurer: James 41, Hatcher 28; R. R. Com.: Brooks 25, Jester 48; 111th Rep.: McFarland 50, Martin 21; Dist. Atty.: Parish 34, Anderson 38; Co. Clerk: Albritton 43, McFall 30; Sheriff: Hawkins 36, Suttle 36.

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## FASHION PREVIEW



THIS black wool suit with black rayon braid and rayon-velvet frogs, collar and cuffs pictured in the September issue of Good Housekeeping Magazine spells charm. Worn with it is a velveteen hat.

### James Rex Mathews Funeral Saturday

Funeral services for James Rex Mathews, 26, who died Tuesday at his home here will be held Saturday, the exact time and place to be announced later. The body is at the chapel of the Owens & Brumley funeral home.

Survivors are his mother, Mrs. J. M. Mathews, Burkburnett; two sisters, Miss Betty Jean Mathews and Mrs. C. L. Terry, Burkburnett, and three brothers, Howard, Burkburnett; Welborn, New Orleans, and Guy, San Diego, Calif.

### Eastern Star To Have Box Supper

The Eastern Star will have a box supper and social hour at the City Light Plant Lawn on Thursday, September 3. The public is cordially invited to attend.—Jesse McGee, secretary.

### Texas Auto Quota For Sept. Higher

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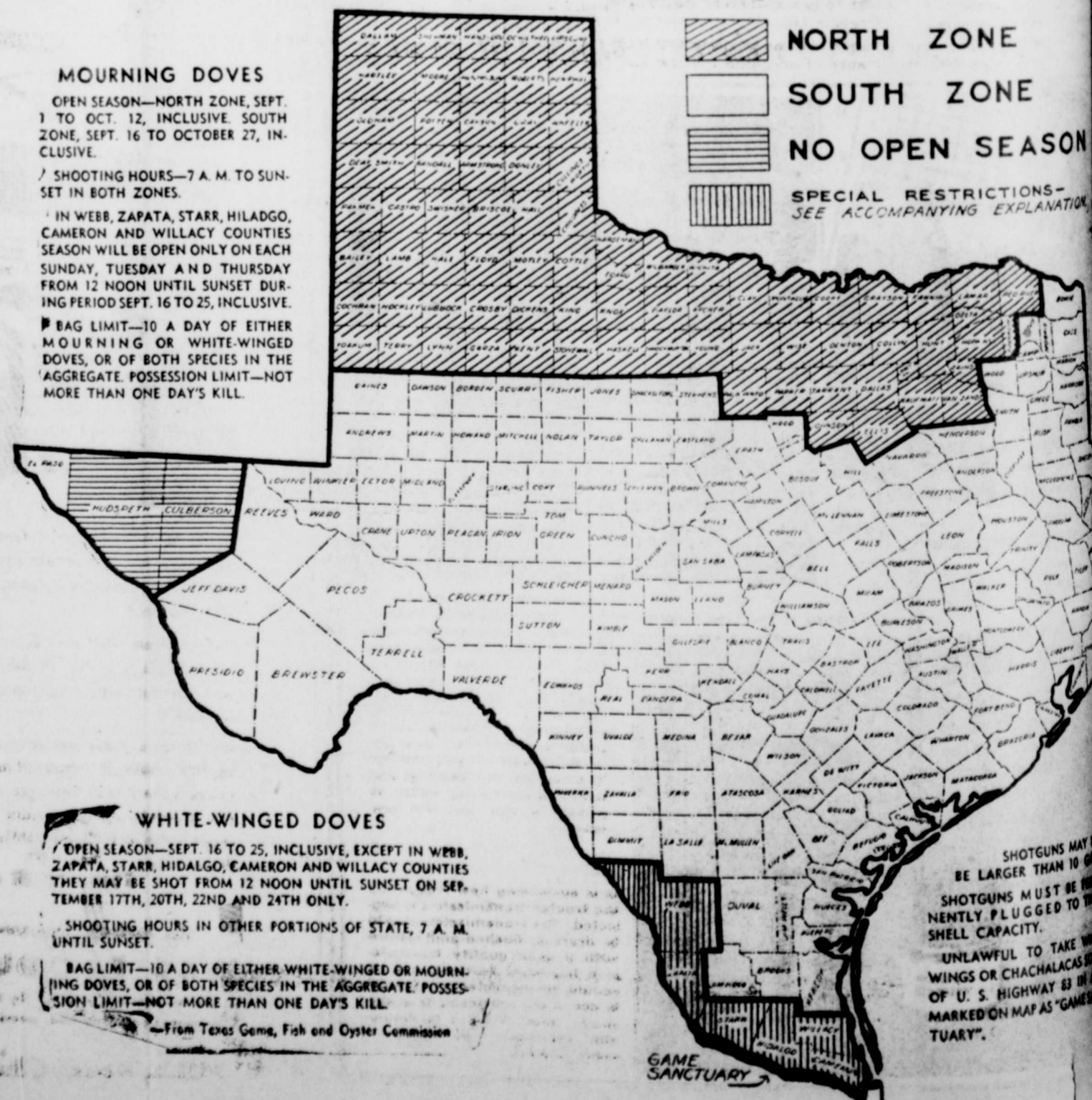
### HORN'S TOOT SAVES TIRES

Fred Benefiel of Forest Grove, Ore., was awakened by the loud continued appeal of his auto horn.

He dashed out to find the car afire. He saved four tires.

## MOURNING DOVE AND WHITE-WINGED DOVE OPEN SEASONS FOR

—As Provided By State Law and Federal Regulations—



### MOURNING DOVES

OPEN SEASON—NORTH ZONE, SEPT. 1 TO OCT. 12, INCLUSIVE. SOUTH ZONE, SEPT. 16 TO OCTOBER 27, INCLUSIVE.

SHOOTING HOURS—7 A. M. TO SUNSET IN BOTH ZONES.

IN WEBB, ZAPATA, STARR, HIDALGO, CAMERON AND WILLACY COUNTIES SEASON WILL BE OPEN ONLY ON EACH SUNDAY, TUESDAY AND THURSDAY FROM 12 NOON UNTIL SUNSET DURING PERIOD SEPT. 16 TO 25, INCLUSIVE.

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### Quiet Rites Unite Well Known Couple

In a quiet ceremony read at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Beulah Oualline of Olney, Texas, Miss Ellis Mae Oualline and Oddie Mack Curry were married on Wednesday evening at 8:00 p. m., August 19. Rev. Harold McColum, minister of the Church of Christ of Iowa Park, officiated. Mr. Curry is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Curry of Burkburnett.

Mrs. Curry is well known in Burkburnett and is employed as bookkeeper for the City of Burkburnett. She is a graduate of Mankins High School and of a business college in Wichita Falls.

The groom is a graduate of the Clara High School and is employed with Garland & Goble Furniture Co. Those attending the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. John Shields and daughters Evelyn and Billie Jean of Burkburnett; Mr. S. H. Curry, father of the groom, Burkburnett; Mr. and Mrs. D. Y. Oualline, and son D. Y. Jr., of Iowa Park; Mrs. Bertha Oualline, mother of the bride; Mr. M. W. Oualline, of Olney; Mrs. M. W. Cartwright, of Conroe, aunt of the bride, and Mrs. Ollie Womack of Conroe, Texas.

### Picnic Enjoyed By Circle 3 Of W.S.C.S.

One of the most enjoyable meetings of Circle Three of the W.S.C.S. was a picnic given Monday evening at the City Light Plant.

Mrs. Rigby, circle leader conducted a short business session and plans were made for the box of supplies for this quarter.

Games and contests followed, with Mrs. Rigby directing the activities. A delicious picnic dinner was served to Mesdames R. H. Henry, M. W. Majors, George Kerr, J. M. Pogue, Scott Morris, J. H. Rigby, J. H. Brumley, O. C. Wills, S. S. Reger, O. E. Melton, J. L. Caffee, M. J. Innes, G. L. Bush, Eureka, Kansas, H. C. Inlow, B. I. DeVore, and Misses Lilla Majors, Jean Reger, Verna Jean Pogue, Joan Duncan, Mary Lewis and Martha Lewis of Dumas, Jewel DeVore, Donald Wills, Irvin and Paul DeVore.

The men entertained the women of the Fellowship class with a steak fry at the Light Plant Tuesday night.

The Children's Workers' had a good attendance at their all-day workers' meeting at Mrs. Tom Harm's Wednesday.

### Rainbow Girls Enjoy Dinner

Miss Martha Gail Parr was hostess for a buffet dinner given on Friday, August 21, honoring former and prospective Rainbow Girls.

The delicious meal was served after which games and music were enjoyed.

Those attending were Misses Thema Jean Bilibrey, Dottie Kent, Margaret Ferguson, Alice Millikin, Frances Marten, Jean King, Mary Frances Boyd, Josephine Utts, Valta Brookman, Rubine Russell, Betty Jo Miller, Clara Mae aPrker, Allyne Jeffers, Juanita Kohen, Martha Beth Utts, Billie Jane Roach, and the hostess, Martha Gail Parr.

### First Baptist Church Announcements

Rev. Milton Greer of McKinney will be the preacher both morning and evening at the First Baptist church Sunday.

### Former Burk Girl To Be Married

Miss Lela Adair announced the betrothal of her daughter, Miss Jackie, of Houston, to Bill Bailey of New York City.

The marriage will take place Dec. 25th, in New York, where Mr. Bailey is connected with the maritime service.

Miss Adair formerly lived with her parents here, but has been employed in Houston for the past several years. She recently returned from New York, where she spent two weeks visiting Mr. Bailey and his parents.

### Methodist Church Announcements

The Fourth Quarterly Conference will be held at the church Tuesday night, Sept. 2. Dr. Hunter will preach and the officers for the next year will be elected. Reports will be given for this year.

Dr. Hunter was in Burkburnett Tuesday and announced a District Wide Worker's Meeting at First Methodist church Wichita Falls Tuesday, Sept. 8th. Dr. J.N.R. Score, newly elected president of Southwestern University, will be the inspirational preacher at 11:30. Every officer of the church is urged to be present.

The Church Board of Christian Education met Thursday night and planned an appreciation day for Sept. 20, at which time Dr. Ira C. Kiker, of Dallas is invited to preach.

The Board of Stewards Monday night and laid plans for the closing of this year's work. Finances are in good shape and there is a fine spirit in the church. New members are in attendance at almost every service.

Circle 3 enjoyed an excellent picnic at the light plant Monday evening. About 25 were in attendance.

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### Martha Walling Hostess For Dinner

Miss Martha Jean Walling acted as hostess last Thursday August 20, for a steak dinner given at 8:30. During the evening the hostess told fortunes of the guests.

Those present were Sergeants and Mesdames Thomas, Bleil, and Weaver, Mr. Oscar Loveless and the hostess.

### Calvary Baptist Announcements

Sunday school at 10 a. m., all classes studying Revelation, chapter 6, "The Four Horsemen." Come visit with us and study the pun intended. Aq jaderce b'ibe rverse by verse. You will enjoy this way of studying the Bible, and you will get acquainted with your Bible anew.

Preaching at 11 o'clock. The pastor will bring an expository message from the Book of Ruth. In the afternoon Calvary Baptist will take part in an old time 5th Sunday meeting at the Valley View Baptist church just across the river in Oklahoma. The pastor will speak.

Evening services: Young people's and prayer groups meet at 8 o'clock. Preaching at 8:30. Sermon subject, "A Big Fish Story."

### Burkburnettans View Moon Eclipse

An eclipse of the full moon which was visible in Burkburnett for several hours Tuesday night gave most of North America a lunar blackout. It was the first total lunar eclipse visible since 1935.

The earth's shadow began creeping over the sun a few minutes after 9 o'clock. From approximately 10 to 11:30 o'clock the eclipse was total, with a dim rim of the moon showing around the shadow. By early Wednesday morning the phenomenon was concluded and the full moon once more bathed the world in brightness.

### DIES AT 118

Senora Gertrudes Arguello, 118, of Clovis, N. M., died Tuesday, August 11th.

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Save On Your Food  
Buy a whole side of beef—it's the cheapest way. And protect it in our cold storage lockers. Our "custom butchers" serve you.

ceived greater publicity are abandoned holes.

The well was soon forgotten by the public and remains forgotten in the histories written about the field because it seems so trivial in comparison to the greater events which followed. For a few years the activities in the area were confined to the same general structure and a few holes were punched in the Stringtown area and the shallow field.

It was not until the Fowler No. 1 blew in in 1918 that the excitement assumed the proportions of an insanity. It has been reliably estimated that about nine millions of dollars had been invested in the industry up until that time, and from the day that the famed Fowler "spouted", money poured into the small community. The initial production of the Fowler gusher was 3,000 barrels.

**MAYOR THRESHES**

Mayor George Hicks and Street Commissioner Jim Graves are doing their bit in the "food for victory" campaign. The two city officials joined a threshing crew here to see who could un-load a hayrack first. Mayor Hicks won "by a forkfull." This all took place at Cherokee, Ia.

**President To Make Three Addresses**

Washington, Aug. 26—President Roosevelt today arranged a crowded speaking schedule, keyed to war-time problems and compressing three top flight addresses into eight days.

The speeches, all to be broadcast nationally and internationally, will conclude with an exposition of the administration's latest plan to attack inflation and mounting living costs.

This is the schedule:

Aug. 31—Dedication of a new naval medical center in nearby Bethesda, Md.

Sept. 3—Address to the youth of the world through an assembly here of the International Student Service.

Sept. 7—Labor Day speech—the one on inflation.

Presidential Secretary Stephen Early said he thought "they will all be extremely interesting."

**BRIDES**

Mississippi had thirteen 13-year old brides in 1941 and one bridegroom who gave his age as 102.

**OBITUARY**

**Martin Houston Burton** was born March 27, 1905, at Shawnee, Okla. He moved with his parents to Randlett in 1919 and lived there most of the remainder of his life. A few months ago he moved to Burkburnett, Texas, where he resided when the accident which proved fatal occurred. He passed away at the General Hospital in Wichita Falls, Texas, Thursday morning, Aug. 20, at the age of 37 years, 4 months and 24 days.

At the age of 16 he was converted and joined the Baptist church of Randlett. His membership was there at the time of his death.

He was united in marriage to Irene Allen on July 7, 1932. To this union four children were born: Inavelle, Jenelle, Loretta, and Martin.

Those to mourn his passing are his wife, four children, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Burton, of Randlett, three brothers, Lawrence and Brice of Randlett, and Oscar of Temple, one sister, Inas of Oklahoma City, and a host of relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held at the Baptist church in Randlett, Friday afternoon, Aug. 21, by the pastor, Rev. Hughes. He was assisted by Rev. R. C. Hopper of Temple and Rev. Ryan, pastor of the Methodist church of Randlett.

Pall bearers were his employer, Dick Jeffers, of Burkburnett, and Joe McClusky, Joe Boy Griffin, Bill Blair, Rome Brown, and Marvin Cornelius of Randlett.

He was laid to rest in the Randlett cemetery.

**Rabbit Creek News**

By Charlene Griffith

Mr. and Mrs. Jink Wood and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Crow of Randlett, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McClusky of Walters, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Ashton Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Thornton of Denison, Tex., spent the weekend visiting friends and relatives.

Misses Modena Elkins and Bobbie Ashton who are taking radio training at Sayre, Okla., spent the weekend with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hale and family visited Mr. and Mrs. W. Dobbs and family of Union Valley Sunday.

Charlie Welch, of Atoka, Okla., is visiting his brother, Willie Welch and family.

Sunday visitors in the W. R. Elkins home were Ed Elkins, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Elkins and family of Waurika, Mr. Bill Dumas of Duncan, Miss Modena Elkins of Sayre, Okla., and Bobbie and Florence Griffith.

Mrs. Billie Spearman is visiting her husband who is stationed at Dallas, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hinchey of Shamrock, Texas, visited Mr. and Mrs. Gilgity Sunday.

**FINDS TREASURE**

Discovery of a century old treasure trove buried at Pilgrim's beach at Plymouth, Mass., was revealed this past week by Ben Lay of Colebrook, N. H. The finder is riched by 400 silver half dollars, 38 silver dollars, \$50 in gold coins, and 46 foreign pieces. The oldest gold coin was dated 1834 and the oldest silver piece 1795.

The treasure was believed to have been buried at about the time of the Mexican war 1846-47. Lay reportedly has been offered \$2,000 for the collection.

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I want to assure all of the citizens of Wichita County that I will work hard to merit the confidence that you have placed in me by electing me your County Clerk. I am fully aware of the tremendous responsibilities of this office and intend to give my undivided attention to its duties.

Thank You.

**FORD ALBRITTON**

**ROTARY CLUB**

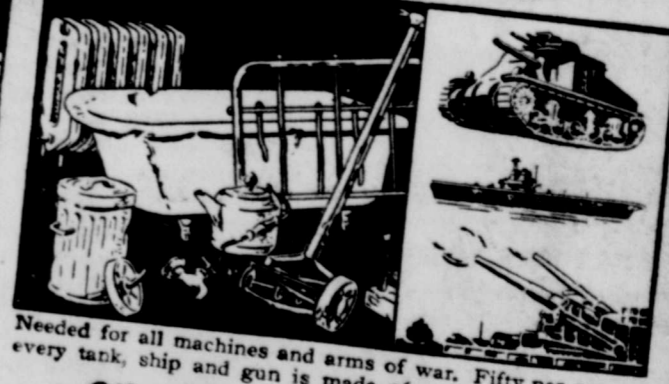
President Clifford Dodson of the Lions club, was a guest of M. C. Tucker, rotarian, Tuesday noon at the regular meeting, and told the Rotarians of his trip to the Lions convention at Toronto, Canada. He told of the many sights they saw during the trip and also made an interesting report on an old castle they visited.

Child's definition of memory: "The thing I forget with."

**Bomb 'em with JUNK**



**JUNK NEEDED FOR WAR**  
Scrap Iron and Steel



Other Metals—Rubber—Rags—Manila Rope—Burlap Bags



WASTE COOKING FATS—Strain into a large tin can and needed only in certain localities—Waste paper and NOT NEEDED (at this time)—Razor blades—glass.

Let's blast Japan—and Germany—and Italy—with the chain lightning of destruction that can be built from the scrap in our cellars, attics and garages, on our farms and in our places of business.

Scrap iron and steel, other metals, rubber and waste materials. It will all be used to make tanks, ships, planes and the fighting weapons our boys must have. It is needed at once.

Sell it to a Junk dealer—give it to a charity or collection agency—take it yourself to the nearest collection point—or consult the Local Salvage Committee... If you live on a farm, and have found no means of disposing of your junk, get in touch with the County War Board or your farm implement dealer.

Throw YOUR scrap into the fight!

This message approved by Conservation Division **WAR PRODUCTION BOARD**

This advertisement paid for by the American Industries Salvage Committee (representing and with funds provided by groups of leading industrial concerns).

W. R. HILL, Local Chairman

PHONE 101

**Care of Your Farm Machinery—New Implements Will Be SCARCE!**

By Eric Patterson, Farm Supt., N. Y. State Institute of Agriculture

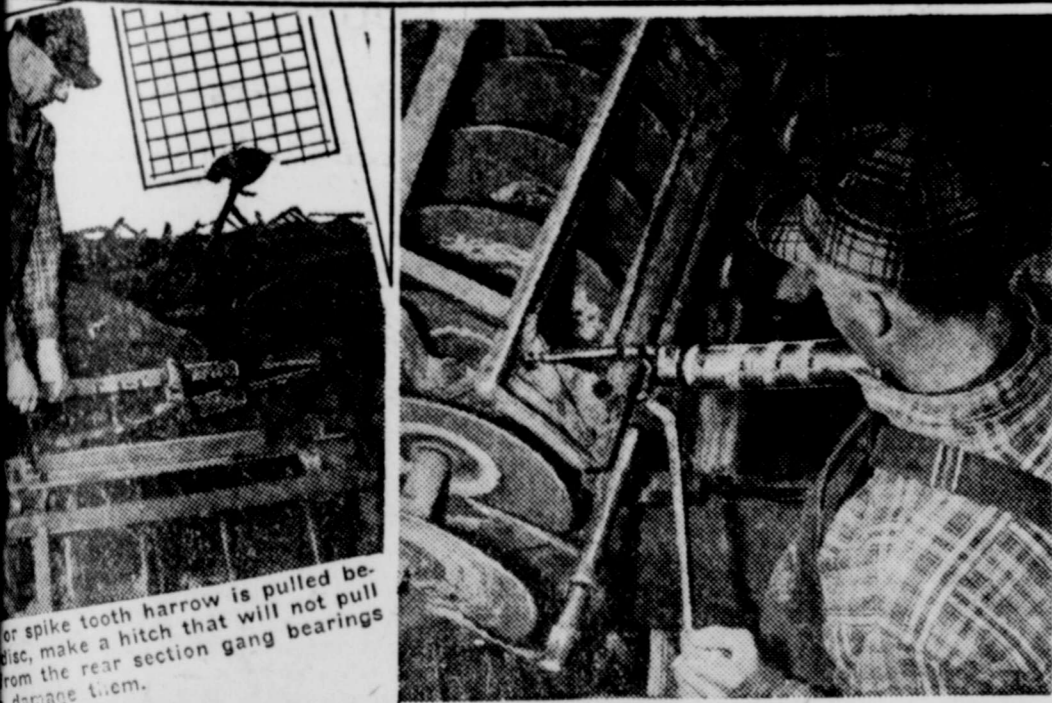
chinery, avoid costly breakdowns and save repair expense, follow these three simple rules:

1. More frequent lubrication: Stop at least four times a day and lubricate drawbar equipment.
2. More frequent check-up of adjustments. A loose bolt can cause a breakdown. A poorly adjusted carburetor wastes fuel.
3. Prompt replacement of worn parts. One worn part can cause others to break, thereby doubling the repair bill.

I cannot emphasize too much the importance of adequate lubrication.

Paul R. Hoff, Cornell Extension Engineer in his excellent bulletin on farm machinery lubrication (War Emergency Bulletin 28) says: "The length of life and freedom from trouble of any farm implement is determined largely by the lubrication it receives. The expense and time invested in good lubrication pay large dividends."

**AUTHOR'S NOTE:** It is not the policy of the N. Y. State Institute of Agriculture to recommend any specific product, and nothing in this article should be so construed.



For spike tooth harrow is pulled behind disc, make a hitch that will not pull from the rear section gang bearings damage them.

(Pictures by courtesy of The Texas Company)

The disc harrow operates in dirt; therefore, it is important that the wheel bearings be kept adjusted to eliminate play. The bearings should be lubricated four times a day. Apply the pressure gun until you see the grease coming out through the bearing clearances especially on side opposite pressure gun fitting. This cleans the bearing and leaves a protecting collar of grease to seal out dirt and water.

It is surprising how frequently the tractor transmission is neglected. The transmission should be drained, flushed and refilled with a good quality transmission lubricant twice yearly. It should be inspected frequently, to see if the lubricant is at the proper level. Failure to follow this procedure can result in costly trouble.



ON THE HOME FRONT

RUTH WYETH SPEARS



ALMOST any plain washstand or dresser may be given long smart lines by adding open shelves at the ends.

Now, having been offered the space of my friend Walter Winchell, with whom I often agree and just as often do not, I have the opportunity not often vouchsafed the actor to talk about the fellows who talk about him, in print.

Of the great stage critics there were some who honestly wrote what they believed, in spite of hell, high water and the newspaper's business office.

The diagram at the upper right shows how to make the wall decoration from a remnant of flowered chintz.

NOTE: Now that it is patriotic to be resourceful in our domestic economy why not use the talents of all the family?

MRS. RUTH WYETH SPEARS Bedford Hills, New York

Enclose 10 cents for each book desired.

Address

Lunch box Vitamins

Easy-to-peel oranges perfect as 'dessert'

Box lunches are tastier and more healthful when you include oranges.

They're delicious and the best way to be sure of your vitamin C! Few foods have much. It's easily lost in cooking.

Those stamped "Sunkist" are the finest from 14,500 growers.

Today there are numerous trade magazines, which review pictures in the same manner and for the same reason.

BEACONS OF SAFETY Like a beacon light on the height—the advertisements in newspapers direct you to newer, better and easier ways of providing the things needed or desired.

Walter Winchell

During Mr. Winchell's absence, on vacation, his column will be conducted by guest columnists.

By LIONEL BARRYMORE (Who needs no introduction.)

Every actor knows what the critics think of him. These industrious gentlemen who distribute plaudits or brickbats, according to their views of plays and performances, have the benefits of their newspaper circulation to broadcast their views.

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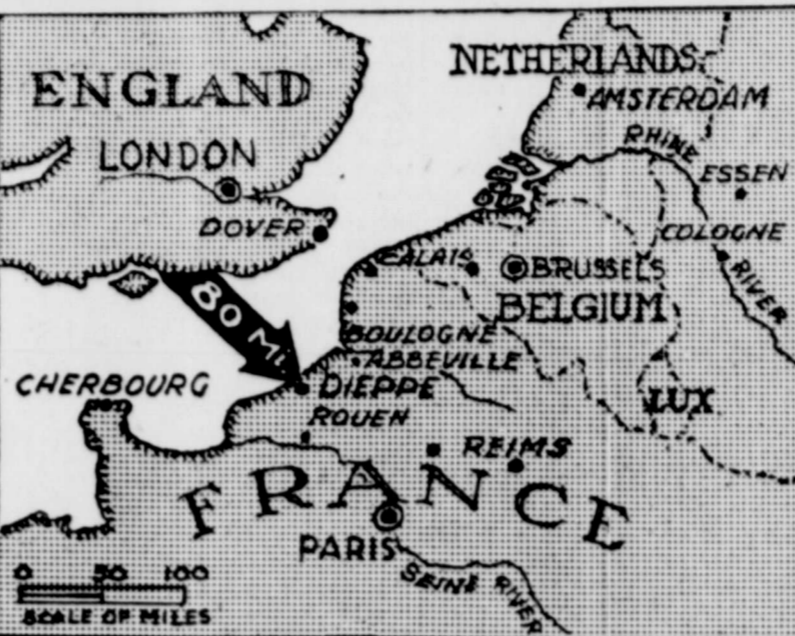
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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Allies Demonstrate Growing Strength In 'Dress Rehearsal' Raid on Dieppe; Solomon Victory Forecast of Further Pacific Offensives by United States

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysis and not necessarily of this newspaper.)



The English channel area which was the scene of the most daring and extensive daylight raid by Allied forces on the French coast thus far.

At last it could be told, for the news revealed in a laconic navy communique was that the offensive in the Solomon islands had been completely successful.

United States marines are engaged in mopping up remnants of the Japanese forces on the islands which were recently captured in the Solomon archipelago.

Casual bombardments of our shore positions by enemy aircraft, destroyers and submarines have inflicted only minor damage.

The main offensive had been launched on the strategically important Tulagi harbor area on Florida Island, 930 miles from Australia.

Viewed in its strategic perspective, the Solomons offensive meant that Japan's thrusts toward New Caledonia would be forestalled, and that the pressure on southern New Guinea and Australia would be lifted.

MARRIED MEN: Face Early Draft Married men under the age of 45 with dependents faced the prospect of being called in the draft.

RUSSIA: Gloom Persists Only in the northernmost area of the Russian fighting front—at Voronezh and Bryansk—were the Soviet forces able to report any success.

Brazil: Irked at Axis Submarines which for weeks had persistently attacked Brazil's coastwise shipping roused that nation to fighting pitch when they sank five merchantmen within a few days' span, with a loss of more than 600.

LABOR PEACE: Green Urges Unity Another olive branch was waved in the cause of labor peace when William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, called for an end to "the economic tug-of-war whereby each group seeks to get the best bargain it can from the other."

NEW DELHI, INDIA: Devadas Gandhi, son of the Hindu leader and managing editor of the Hindustan Times, was arrested here under the defense of India rules.

LONDON: One of the largest troopship convoys to cross the Atlantic arrived in Britain recently after a fast, peaceful voyage escorted by American and British warships.

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RATIONING: Meat and Oil First

Two rationing programs loomed on the near horizon for American citizens with others in the background. These two were fuel oil in the East and meats generally throughout the nation.

The food branch of the War Production board had drafted a preliminary order embodying recommendations of Agriculture Secretary Wickard's food requirements committee.

Rationing of fuel oil for Eastern heating purposes appeared near as industrial establishments and homes using oil for heating were warned they would have to get along on less than normal supplies.

MIDDLE EAST: Command Is Changed

As Gen. Sir Claude Auchinleck had joined a growing list of ousted commanders of the precarious Middle East front, the infusion of new brains in the person of hard-hitting Gen. Sir Harold R. L. G. Alexander, focused attention on the importance of that sector.

Observers pointed out that because of its strategic possibilities, North Africa might become the United Nations' second front.

Biggest task confronting the United Nations before snow flies was halting Hitler's gigantic pincer drive against the Middle East by way of the Russian Caucasus from the north and via Marshal Rommel's Egyptian Nazi armies from the southwest.

WAR PRODUCTION: Nelson Gets Tough

Criticism of the War Production board's management of the war program had been mounting in recent weeks.

Thus when Donald M. Nelson, WPB chief, returned to his desk after a much-needed rest there was considerable speculation about the next move.

The usually quiet production chief made himself forcefully clear. Challenging his critics to a showdown, he indicated a new spirit of

frugality by asserting: "From now on anyone who crosses my path is going to have his head taken off."

He underscored this declaration by immediately dismissing a \$5,600 WPB employee. He declared he was "going to get tough enough to get this job done and the job will be done."

DIMOUT: For West Coast

Spurred by the ever-present danger of enemy air attack, the West coast dimmed out officially for the duration of the war.

Until peace comes night baseball will be only a memory. Automobiles will be driven with parking lights. Theater and store entrances in Hollywood will no longer use glaring lights for outdoor shots.

Residents up and down the Pacific coast will blackout their windows.

Dimout technique had been practiced for days before regulations became official.

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The economic fight "must be abandoned for the duration," he told the 50th annual convention of the Wisconsin State Federation of Labor.

Improved Uniform International SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D. OF THE Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

Lesson for August 30

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JACOB SEEKS GOD'S HELP

LESSON TEXT—Genesis 32:2-12, 27-29. GOLDEN TEXT—God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble—Psalm 46:1.

"O God, our help in ages past, Our hope for years to come, Our shelter from the stormy blast, And our eternal home."

How true it is that "God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble." Jacob found it so, even though his trouble came upon him because of his own misdeeds.

God had prospered him at Haran, but in due time he was led by circumstance and by direct guidance to return to his own land (Gen. 31:1-3). Hindrances arose, but Jacob pressed on. As he came toward home, however, he recalled the sin which had caused him to flee. He remembered now how he had defrauded Esau and this

I. Guilt Brought Fear (vv. 2-8). It always does. The sinful act of 20 years before now faced Jacob. He had left it behind and had all but forgotten it. He had hoped that the years would cover it, but they did not—and they never do.

"Be sure your sin will find you out" (Num. 32:23)—perhaps not this week or this year, or next; but until it is dealt with and forgiven it is there to rise up and plague you sooner or later.

Jacob's fear was increased by hearing that Esau came out to meet him with 400 men. He tried by his own devices to meet the situation, but ultimately realized that his predicament had reached the point where only God could help him.

How like us, trying everything else until we realize its futility, and then turning to God. How delightfully simplified life becomes when we turn to God first. Yet we are glad that Jacob's

II. Fear Brought Prayer (vv. 9-12). It was real prayer, too, although, as W. H. Griffith Thomas suggests, it is strange that after his blessed personal experience with God he addressed Him only as the God of his fathers and not his own God (v. 9).

Then, too, his faith seemed a bit weak, for it was coupled with great fear (v. 11).

We are told that fear is not a proper motive for turning men to God. Perhaps it is not the highest motive, but both in Scripture and in experience we find it to be true that fear often leads men to God in real repentance and faith. If the goodness and grace of God do not touch man's heart, it is assuredly far better that he should be saved through fear than to be eternally lost.

Jacob, however, needed a further experience of dependence upon God before he could be brought back in peace into the land. He was led to send everyone away so that he was alone when the Lord dealt with him and

III. Prayer Brought Blessing (vv. 27-29). Jacob, who had by deceit taken the promise from Esau instead of awaiting God's time to give it to him, was now about to attempt another skillful scheme which would have won over Esau and sent Jacob into his land glorying in his own ability. In spite of all God's dealings with him, he was still Jacob the supplanter. So God had to deal with him.

We sometimes think of the grace of God only as that which brings us blessing and joy, but often God is being most gracious and considerate of our real need by sending opposition and hardship.

The divine visitor let Jacob struggle all night, giving him a chance to submit of his own will; but when it was evident that he would not, he was shown that his own strength would not do, for he was made lame (v. 25).

The very thing which made Jacob sure of his own strength became his weakest point at the touch of God. He was not the last one to learn that lesson.

The comment of F. B. Meyer on this entire scene is most helpful: "Note that Jacob did not lay hold of this visitor, but the visitor lay hold of him. This is not a picture of a man coming to God, but a record of God coming to man, to break the spirit of stubbornness and self-sufficiency which a particular man has for too long a time habitually manifested. All night these two wrestled, the one from heaven and the one of earth, and when, at the dawn of day, Jacob saw that he could not prevail against the man, in his exhaustion and weariness he suddenly felt the touch of the stranger's hand on his thigh. Immediately his thigh was out of joint, rendering him absolutely helpless. But now Jacob realized that the one with whom he had wrestled all night was a divine person; and, whereas early in the night he was held in the grip of the other, now he refused to release his grasp of the visitor until he received a blessing from him."

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# Give You Texas

By Boyce House

notes (now three past.)

with George Sidney, "Our Gang" comedies, he could hardly eat for looking around for Judy Garland and Lucille Ball. A visit to the studios and meeting Cantor again (met at the Fort Worth Casa 1939) . . . Dinner with Mahin, noted script-writer with the lovely Mrs. gypsy cafe and the (satin, blousy sleeves came) to our "lunch" something soft in the drug store, surrounded by her belle, in hoop- ing a cigarette; and a patch over one eye, and Daniel Jackson set his rifle in order to play board.

used to insist that on the increase, it's way around. "Take grandpa said, "and he and they had two, or a total of four; her parents had eight back just 12 genera- that one man had 2- ther back you go, the number of kindfolds, that one man by the half in the world to- population must have the trillions and quad-

## Free Training In Skilled Work

Local men and women who wish to obtain training in skilled occupations so that they may make their war contributions and at the same time earn good wages, were urged today by Mr. Donald W. Hawkins, manager of the Wichita Falls office of the United States Employment Service, to investigate the free training schools now in operation.

These schools are operated jointly by the state and federal governments in cooperation with the public schools for the purpose of training people for war jobs. They charge nothing for the training, and there are now openings in them for many men and women who wish to prepare themselves for well-paid wartime work, Mr. Hawkins said.

Graduates from War Industry training schools are needed in such war industries as aircraft manufacturing, shipbuilding, munitions manufacturing and others which exist in Texas. Thousands of trainees who have gone to these free schools have been placed in these industries by the United States Employment Service. It is virtually impossible to get a war plant job without training.

Training is offered in the following subjects: Machine shop, aircraft engine mechanics, aircraft sheetmetal (including riveting), drafting and inspection. Men between the ages of 18 and 65 years, and women between 18 and 45 are wanted to fill classes in these subjects.

The training period lasts from 3 to 10 weeks, depending on the subject and the ability of the trainee to learn it. The trainee may choose the subject in which he is most interested or in which because of some previous training or experience, he is most likely

## Clara Lutheran Announcements

Evening service, 8:30 p. m. in the Presbyterian church.

Subject of the sermon, "God's Solemn To All Americans In These Perilous Times."

This will be a timely, vital message which you will want to hear, a message that will bless and fortify your spiritual life. Be sure to hear it.

Morning service at the Clara Church at 11:00 a. m. Sermon topic, "He Went About Doing Good."

Adult instruction classes on Tuesday and Thursday night, 9:00 p. m.

Walther topic study on Wednesday night. The Ladies' Aid will meet on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Arthur Ramming.

Friend, for your battle against sin there are weapons in the church. It is the arsenal of Christianity.

—Paul Kaiser, pastor.

## September Blue Stamp Foods List

Blue stamp foods available during September to families using food stamps in Wichita County were announced today by David G. Guthrie Jr., local area supervisor for the Agricultural Marketing Administration.

Foods for September are the same as those listed for August except that fresh plums, peaches and oranges, and butter have been removed from the list because conditions do not warrant additional market support for the items at this time. The complete list of blue stamp foods for the period Sept. 1 through Sept. 30, is fresh pears, fresh apples, all fresh vegetables including sweet and Irish potatoes, shell eggs, corn meal, hominy (corn) grits, dry edible beans, wheat flour, enriched wheat flour, self-rising flour, enriched self-rising flour, and whole wheat (Graham) flour.

Designed to help create necessary outlets for farm products and enable farmers to increase production, the food stamp program also helps build up the health of the nation by making much needed additional foods available to underprivileged families, it was pointed out.

## Card Of Thanks

Please accept our sincere thanks and appreciation for each word, deed, thought, and prayer of kindness and sympathy shown us during the loss of our husband, father, son, and brother. May God richly bless you.

Mrs. M. H. Burton and family, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Burton and family.

Approximately 800 species of native birds in Texas have been catalogued.

## Defense Guard Needs Recruits

Company C, of the 25th battalion of the Texas Defense Guard have launched an all-out drive for recruits in Burkburnett, according to M. C. Tucker, chairman.

Company C, which is composed of men of Burkburnett and surrounding communities, needs approximately 35 men to make their company full strength. They meet each Friday night for drill at the Burkburnett Gin Company.

The Texas Defense Guard has been of service in this area in times of emergency. The guardsmen stand ready at any time to be called where they are needed. It is strictly a voluntary movement, but one that has done much to train the men for the future service that many of them have begun, and other will begin as the war goes on.

Training in the Texas Defense Guard often means fast advancement to the ranks of non-commissioned officers, and offer to officer training camps. It gives the recruit the basic ground training that he must face if he goes into service. It also gives him the training that would be invaluable to him, his family and his community should a crisis arise.

## Card Of Thanks

To the good people of Burkburnett:

We want to deeply thank all who so graciously had a part in the showers and donations given us during our hour of bereavement.

May oGd bless all of you is our prayer.

Mrs. M. H. Burton and children.

CLEAN RAGS WANTED—STAR

## REALLY AN OPTIMIST

Ambrose L. Hunting of Denver, Colo., doesn't expect to see world peace until he's 102—but don't look so gloomy. He was 100 last Wednesday, Aug. 12th.



## How Much Do YOU Stand To LOSE?

How much would you lose if a burglar plundered your office tomorrow? You need not lose a cent!—if inexpensive theft insurance is protecting you. It can so easily be arranged through our conveniently located offices.



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## Interest Feature Gas Co. Ads

of interesting happen- working of employes as Pipe Line Company and companies is being publication in a newspaper advertise- A. Abernathy, vice- of the company an- week.

of interesting happen- are aimed to applicably the fact that Natural Gas Service Happen."

of the series concerns of a River." The this river, which in hours could turn from wing stream to a rag- had threatened to pipe line crossing and had even occa- sionally relocation of line.

of methods of controlling of the river were tried until facine boxes and that a solution to was finally in sight. frames covered with more than a thousand ere built and placed and vertically on and in the river at the

points which needed to be built up. Men worked in quick sand, on rafts and in the cold water to get them in the proper places.

The unwieldy frames did the job when the floods came and the river began to tear at the banks. The pipe lines were not damaged, thanks to the ingenuity of the man who designed the boxes and the men who labored to put them in place. It was another one of the behind the scenes jobs that prove "Dependable Natural Gas Service Doesn't Just Happen."

## Draft Card From World War One Received Here

Frank Kelley, member of the local draft board, received a draft card from Lt. Frye of Brookley Field, Ala. The card was for Lee Carl Looney, formerly of Burkburnett, who served in the first world war. According to the Lieutenant the card was lost by Looney's son, who is now in the armed forces.

The card is of no value only as a keepsake and if anyone knows the whereabouts of Mr. Looney, get in touch with Mr. Kelley, and he will forward the card to the proper person.

# FENCING A WILD RIVER...

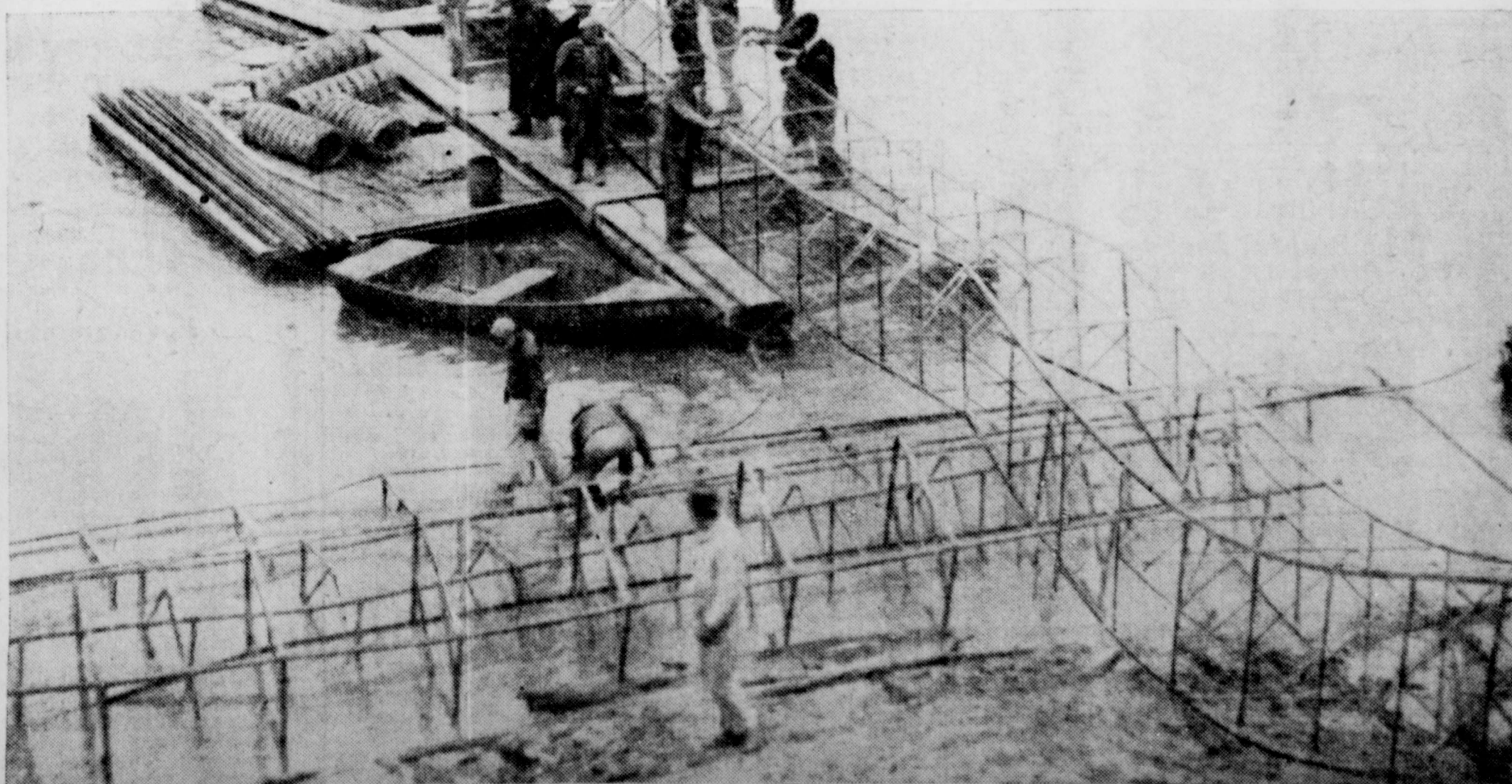
that's why we say...  
**Dependable Natural Gas Service Doesn't Just Happen!**

● Sometimes rivers threaten **DEPENDABLE Natural Gas Service**. Recently, United Gas men fenced in a wild river to keep it from destroying a pipe line and interrupting Gas Service. That's why we say "Dependable Natural Gas Service Doesn't Just Happen!"

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● This high standard of Gas Service, established in peacetime, now meets the expanded demands of war production. Natural Gas Service is working for Victory—**AND WE WILL WIN!**

Buy U. S. War Bonds and Stamps—Help Win the War!



**UNITED GAS PIPE LINE COMPANY**  
AND ASSOCIATED COMPANIES



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## ::: About People You Know :::

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hill are spending their vacation in Lubbock, Texas.

We have some good used electric and ice refrigerators for sale cheap. Smith & Hatch Hardware Co. 4-ltc

Billy David Arrington is recovering from a tonsilectomy performed Friday.

T. R. Frank and family of Longview are visiting in the home of Mr. Frank's sister, Mrs. Delmer Brown, and other relatives and friends. Mr. Frank is chief clerk for the Arkansas Fuel Oil Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Knauth are visiting Mr. Knauth's mother, Mrs. F. R. Knauth this week. The Knauths reside in Joinerville.

Earl Wayne Mills is visiting his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Garrett in Archer City, this week.

Do your washing at the Burk Helpy-Selfy Laundry. Plenty of soft, hot water and good machines. 4-ltc

Mr. and Mrs. John Haley and children of Seymour are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Gore, Mrs. Haley's parents.

Mrs. Christine Dunn and children, Joy and Gene, of Vanderbilt, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Royce.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McClarty and children have returned from a ten day trip. They visited Denver, Salt Lake City, Reno, Los Angeles, and returned home by the way of El Paso.

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Late News and  
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BARGAIN DAY  
Tues. Sept. 1  
Milton Berle  
Brenda Joyce  
"WHISPERING  
GHOSTS"  
and  
Short Subjects

WED.-THURS.  
SEPT 2-3  
Henry Aldrich is in  
the Dog-House again  
—  
"HENRY AND  
DIZZY"  
Plus Sport & Comedy

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Collier and son, Fletcher, visited relatives in Burkburnett over the week-end.

Mr. F. H. Hunt has been confined to his bed for two weeks. He is making satisfactory improvement and expects to be up soon.

We have some good used electric and ice refrigerators for sale cheap. Smith & Hatch Hardware Co. 4-ltc

Mrs. M. E. Prinzing is glad to be up and about the house again after a prolonged illness.

Tech. Sgt. and Mrs. Durwood Arrington and baby, Sandy, have returned to their home at Randolph Field, after spending the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Tempie Arrington.

Do you need a good gas range, oil or wood cook stove. We have some that are rebuilt and in good shape. Smith & Hatch Hardware Co. 4-ltc

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Northcutt received word this week that their son, Robt. H. Northcutt, has been promoted to the rank of Corporal. He is in the medical department and is stationed at Camp Edwards, Mass.

Kent Reger has received his appointment as an aviation cadet and will report to the training field at Santa Anna, Calif.

Harry Dutton returned to his home in Falfurrias after a week end visiting with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hood.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dunn of Walters spent the week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harold Preston.

Mrs. Hettie Herrington of Wichita Falls spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. S. E. Askins.

Misses Patsy and Kay Wiley of Denver City visited with their grandmother, Mrs. Fannie Hoffman last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Polk Robison and son Bill of Linanu, Tenn., spent Wednesday and Thursday in the Exley home. Mr. Robison has accepted a position as basket ball coach in Texas Tech and will make his future home in Lubbock, Texas.

Lieut. Jack L. Exley returned home Saturday from Fort Monmouth, N. J., where he graduated from officers training school in the Signal Corps. After Sept 1 he will be stationed in Seattle, Washington. Mrs. Exley and son who have been visiting in Judd Exley's home will accompany him to his new post.

Miss Dorothy Schroeder has returned from Mexico where she attended school this summer.

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Pvt. Guy Williams visited in the home of his sister, Mrs. Wilbur Spray last week. He is stationed at Orlando, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Mathews and son, John of Dallas, are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Thaxton this week.

Jack McKown who recently enlisted in the coast guard, spent last week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry McKown. He is stationed at New Orleans for his preliminary training.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith and daughter, of Temple, Okla., visited friends in Burkburnett Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Reger and daughter, Jean, have returned from a visit in Independence and Cherrysvale, Kansas.

Mrs. Anna B. Saunders has been confined to her bed for a number of weeks. Her condition is greatly improved and she is able to sit up a part of the time.

Mrs. Amy Garrett of Brownsville, Miss Jo Ann Hunter of New Orleans, and Mr. and Mrs. Tenyson Cropper of Fort Worth, spent Sunday with Mrs. B. M. Cropper and Mrs. Louise Lohoefer.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Wallace received a telegram this week from their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wallace of San Fernando, Calif., announcing the arrival of a seven-pound girl born Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Brookshear and daughters, Gene and Beth, and Misses Mildred Hill and Amy Johnson visited Carlsbad Cavern in New Mexico Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. S. I. Hill of Houston is visiting her mother, Mrs. B. M. Cropper for a few days.

**Mrs. Opal Reeves To Be Buried Saturday**

Funeral services for Mrs. Opal Reeves, 38, formerly of Cincinnati, Ohio, who died in a Burkburnett hospital late Tuesday afternoon, will be held Friday afternoon from the First Baptist church at Byers, Texas, with the pastor, Rev. Roland Whatley, officiating. Services will be under the direction of the Owens and Brumley Funeral home.

Mrs. Reeves had resided with her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Watkins in Burkburnett the last two months. The husband, O. R. Reeves, employed by the federal government in Cincinnati, arrived in Burkburnett Thursday afternoon.

A woman taxi driver at Tulsa, Okla., answered a male customer's call. At his destination the customer met his wife.

Two policemen arrived shortly thereafter to settle the argument. They charged both husband and wife with disorderly conduct.

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