

# Burkburnett Star

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BURKBURNETT, WICHITA COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, MAY 29, 1941

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## Teachers Are Elected For Coming Year

### Football Queen



Miss Jean Wills was elected football queen Wednesday morning by popular vote and will be crowned at the annual coronation ball tonight.

### Jean Wills Was Crowned Queen At Coronation Ball

Miss Jean Wills was crowned Football Queen for the 1941 season by captain Bill Bowman at the annual Coronation Ball at Town Hall Thursday night.

Miss Billy Jane Koach, escorted by Robert Robison, was Football Princess. Duchesses and their escorts were: Dorothy Browning and Homer Garrett, Dorothy Maben and Joe Bob Tyler, Rubine Russell and Vernon Duke, Martha Gail Parr and Gene Turner, Josephine Utts and E. J. Reed, and Jackie Henry and Hugh Frank Brown.

### Gas Company Has Service Manager

Cloyd Harris has been transferred to Burkburnett by the United Gas Corp., as full-time service manager, according to Woody Carter, local manager.

### Services Are Held For "Dad" Kellow

Funeral services for Gillispie Kellow, 74, the oldest blacksmith in Wichita county, were conducted at 2 p. m. Wednesday afternoon from the Owens & Brumley chapel with Rev. Boyd I. DeVore, pastor of the First Methodist church, officiating. Burial was in the Burkburnett cemetery.

Kellow has been a resident of Burkburnett for 25 years and had operated his shop and been active in business until the last few months.

In a recent meeting of the school board, the following were elected to hold positions on the faculty of the Burkburnett public school system.

Grade school: Ethyle Virginia Allen, Annie L. Billingslea, James Burnett, Ora Lee Doty, Sarah Gibson, Maurine Goodwin, Mary McGinnis, Dorothy Isbell, Ruth Jackson, Katherine Lasseter, Lilla Majors, Clara McSween, Marguerite Paris, Sumpter Reed, Annie Loree Smith, Lily Solomon, and Mrs. Bess Vann.

High school: Ella Billingslea, Pearl Cooper, Mrs. Ralph Davis, Irene Evans, Laura Faye Herring, Janice Holland, Virginia Hyden, M. P. Kimbrow, Harold McWilliams, C. E. Pommerening, Agnes Ruth Sanders, L. C. Scarbrough, and Cornelia Evert.

Those who had previously signed contracts are: C. J. Duncan, Ralph M. Davis, Guy C. Pryor, M. S. Dean, C. V. Hill, and Polk Robison.

### List Rooms For Rent With Chamber Of Commerce

Working on Sheppard Field is bringing new people to Burkburnett every day and the housing of them is going to be a problem.

Ray Hill, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, asks all who have houses for rent, apartments or bed rooms to list them with him.

This is an added service of the chamber and no charges will be made.

### Seventh Grade Has Patriotic Plan In Commencement

In a program executed by members of the graduating class, 68 seventh grade students were presented their diplomas by Mr. C. J. Duncan, Friday, May 23.

The entire program was built on a patriotic scheme and was carried out as follows:

Processional, Mamie Browning. Invocation, Donald Mills. Welcome, Rita Ann Lear. Commencement Song, Class. "The Meaning of Americanism" Mamie Browning.

"What the Flag Means to Me As An American Citizen," George Smith.

"Training the Citizen for American Life," Jean Boyd.

"We Are Citizens of Tomorrow," Mary Frances Gamblin.

"My America," Mary Frances Kelley.

"We Are Proud," Dorothy Ann Preston.

"My Task," Mamie Browning, accompanist, Alice Millikin, Mary Frances Gamblin, Janice Caffee, Billy Sam Poete.

High Honor Graduates, Ralph M. Davis.

Presentation of Diplomas, C. J. Duncan.

Recessional, Mamie Browning. Miss Jean Boyd and George Smith were valedictorian and salutatorian of the class. Misses Mamie Browning, Mary Frances Kelley, and Mary Frances Gamblin tied for third honors.

Officers of the class were: Ellis Gragg, president; Joe Bill Duke, vice president; George Smith, secretary; Opal Lee Taylor, reporter; Mamie Browning, pianist. Class sponsors were Miss Virginia Allen and Miss Clara McSween.

The interest of the community in the graduates and in this type of program was shown by the capacity crowd which filled the auditorium.

### Mother Mrs. Geo. Counter Sr., Dies In Mississippi

Word was received here last week that Mrs. Rebeba Ellen Vincent, mother of Mrs. Geo. Counter Sr., died at Corinth, Miss., where she was visiting. She had resided at Jackson, Miss., for the past 21 years. Mrs. Counter was at her bedside when the end came.

## U.S.O. Drive Here Monday

### Virgil Innman Brings In First 1941 Wheat

### Walters To Play Burk Here Sunday

DECATUR AND BURK TIE AT 7 TO 7

Walters, Oklahoma, golfers are scheduled to play Burk's "ball-chasers" here Sunday at the local course, the match play to start at 1:30 p. m.

This is an open date for Burk in the Oil Belt league and Walters is returning a visit made by the Burk golfers to their course several weeks ago.

The course will be in good shape providing it does not rain between now and Sunday. The fairways are being mowed and the greens worked. The club recently purchased a rough mower and by Sunday the rough will be improved.

### Decatur And Burk Tie

The second game of the Oil Belt league for Burkburnett resulted in a tie of 7 and 7, when they journeyed to Decatur to play Decatur's picked team of golfers.

Louis Sims shot the best game of the day when he came in with a 70. Par for the course is 68.

Following is the players participating and their score: B. H. Alexander, 72; Truman Garland, 73; Dr. Morrison, 79; Cliff Dodson, 87; Don Chesnut, 81; Bobby Hayes, 72; Al Ragsdale, 90; Glenn Howard, 84; Bob Browning, 91; B. H. Alexander, 86; H. R. Hayes, 85; C. B. Beldon, 85; J. H. Brumley, 89.

### Motorists Warned To Keep Out Of Convoys

Police Chief Sid A. Williams of Wichita Falls has given all city policemen and patrolmen orders to arrest any motorists cutting into any column of military vehicles which may be passing through the city.

Military convoys are taken through the city quickly by a police escort. Numerous civilian cars have taken position in the line of military trucks in order to assure their own quick passage through the city. Others have tried to cut in on the long line of trucks and cars.

### Bridge Repairs Are Finished Wednesday

Repairs on the seven washed out spans and the badly damaged south approach to the Burkburnett railroad bridge over Red river were finished early Wednesday morning. However, regular mail and train service were delayed until Thursday due to time lost on the regular schedule.

### Probably First Of 1941 Harvest

What is probably the first wheat of the 1941 harvest in the nation was brought into Burkburnett Thursday by Virgil Innman, Cotton county, Oklahoma, farmer, who lives southeast of Devol, according to Frank Kelley, manager of the General Mills company plant here.

The load was 60 bushels, harvested from a patch of 20 acres. The production combined by Innman averaged 20 bushels per acre from summer fallow land.

The wheat was unusually low in moisture content, grading at 13.65 per cent. It was classified as No. 1 wheat. The grain planted was early black hull.

The first load of 1940 wheat was brought in by W. C. Johnson, who resides 4 miles west of Petrolia. The average yield of that wheat was 13 bushels to the acre. The grain tested 57 pounds and had a heavy moisture content.

### Armadillo Found By Burkburnett Farmer

W. A. Davis, residing west of Burkburnett, discovered a full grown armadillo on his farm on the Iowa Park road about 12 o'clock Monday night when he went into the yard to quiet the barking of dogs.

The animal, which is rare in this part of the country, had presumably wandered into the front yard in a midnight prowling, and had disturbed the farm dogs. Davis found the armadillo trying to find shelter by digging into the soft ground near the tires of his car. The refugee was holding off the pack of howling dogs by powerful swishes of his long, scaly tail.

Davis was exhibiting his catch in Burkburnett Tuesday morning.

### Bobby Arrington Recovers From Burns On Legs

Bobby Arrington is reported recovering from severe burns on his legs.

The burns were inflicted last Friday about 3 o'clock at Green's Filling Station on West Main. Bobby caught fire while burning trash. He was rushed to the Burkburnett Clinic for first aid treatment, and then was removed to his home.

### RESIGNED



J. J. Blackstone, fire marshal, resigned today to accept a position with the fire department at Camp Walters, near Mineral Wells.

Mr. Blackstone has been fire marshal here since 1926, coming here from Wichita Falls. He is president of the West Texas Fireman's Association.

He and his family will leave Saturday for their new home.

### Lewallen Recital At Baptist Church Tuesday Night

Mrs. M. E. Lewallen will present her violin and piano pupils in their annual recital, June 3rd, at 8:15 p. m. at the First Baptist church. A group of artists from the Wichita Falls Civic Symphony orchestra will also be on the program.

Mrs. Lewallen's recitals are always of the very highest type. She has chosen "What America Needs Most" as the theme of the program. There will be readings and a short talk by local talent. You will find the program elsewhere in the paper. The public is cordially invited to come.

### Car Registrations For Last Week

J. P. Bowen, Wichita Falls, Buick Sedan.

C. J. Bohner Oil Co., Burkburnett, Dodge Cpe.

S. D. Young, Nocona, Plymouth Coupe.

Bill Paulos, Wichita Falls, Chevrolet Cpe.

A. J. Berry, Wichita Falls, Chevrolet Sedan.

Burnis M. Hamilton, Burkburnett, Chevrolet Sedan.

C. T. Campbell, Burkburnett, Chevrolet Sedan.

C. B. Linn, Harlingen, Chevrolet Sedan.

J. B. Brookshear, Burkburnett, Mercury Sedan.

T. Guy Willis, Burkburnett, Dodge Pickup.

J. Neal Hall, Burkburnett, Pontiac Sedan Cpe.

### Paul Browning Elected Chairman

Burk's Quota \$400

### COMMITTEES FROM DIFFERENT ORGANIZATIONS TO CANVASS

At a meeting of the United Service Organization called by J. H. Allison of Wichita Falls, Monday, Paul Browning was elected chairman, Jack Brumley, vice chairman, and Fred Brookman, secretary of Burkburnett district.

The purpose of this organization is to raise money for chaplains and welfare workers for the recreation camps which are going to be built by the government in and near training camps.

Wichita county's quota has been set at \$10,000, with Burkburnett's part, \$400. Mr. Browning has appointed drive chairmen from the different oil companies, civic and social clubs and they plan to make a concentrated drive beginning Monday morning.

This is a worthy cause and every man, woman and child in Burkburnett and surrounding communities are expected to get behind this movement and put it over. Anything from dimes to dollars will be accepted and if one of the committees fail to see you drop in to the Burkburnett Motors or Star office and leave your donation.

Young men who are called into military service from Wichita county—your boy, your brother, your neighbor's boy—will no longer walk the streets of their training camp town when off duty like lost men.

Instead they will go to their own club house built by Uncle Sam and operated by the United Service Organizations which will look after their moral, religious and social needs.

In whatever camp or station these young men will be in training, there will be one of these club houses with trained personnel in charge to give them every aid.

Uncle Sam is now planning to build 360 of these club houses. More will be built if required. The government is spending many millions of dollars in building these clubs. He has called upon the Y.M.C.A., the National Catholic Community Service, the Salvation Army, the Y.W.C.A., the Jewish Welfare Board and the National Travelers Aid, joined in the United Service Organizations to operate these clubs.

The purpose of the United Service Organizations is to serve the religious, spiritual, welfare, educational and social needs in the (Continued on Page Five)

### Baccalaureate Sermon Given By Rev. Jack Manning

Rev. Jack W. Manning, pastor of the First Baptist church of Burkburnett, presented the baccalaureate sermon to the senior class of the Electra high school Sunday night, May 25. He chose as his subject, "The Essentials of a Great Life."

Rev. Manning spoke to 122 graduates and a crowd of approximately 1,000. Rev. Manning's invitation to give the baccalaureate sermon came as a vote of the graduating class who had heard him while he was in a revival meeting at the First Baptist church at Electra, about six weeks ago.

### Lions Club Elects Officers

At the regular meeting of the Burkburnett Lions club on Tuesday, May 27, the following officers were elected: L. L. Kincaid, president; D. C. Dodsor 1st vice president; O. B. Jordan 2nd vice president; George McClarty, 3rd vice president; A. A. Hyde, secretary; Ray Hill, treasurer; Roy Magers, lion tamer; Connie Evert, sweetheart; Bu Hicks and L. H. Lorang, directors. Don Moore was guest at the meeting.

### Modern Styling is Keynote in USO Clubs



In sharp contrast with the barren recreational "huts" of World War days, these modern buildings, which will be erected in more than 360 localities adjacent to military camps and naval bases, are comfortable, home-like structures where the lads in uniform may find facilities for reading, writing, games, social activities or relaxation in off-duty hours.

WHAT BURKBURNETT MAKES—MAKES BURKBURNETT BETTER.

Scrambled Eggs Some Good—Some Bad By Rusty

Appeal To Patriotism

Next Tuesday, June 3, the United States will raise by publication over ten million dollars. The quota for Wichita county is \$10,000. The money will be used for National Service Organizations for National Defense (U.S.O.), which together with six national organizations in a common program will serve our defenders, our young men in the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, Young Men's Christian Association, National Catholic Community Service, Salvation Army, Young Jewish Christian Service, Jewish Welfare Board, National Travelers' Aid and National Travelers' Aid.

These will serve soldiers, sailors, marines, defense workers, and women as well as men, in and wherever they may be.

The government will conduct morale and welfare work in the army and training camps. This money will serve youth while off duty and their friends so they may not be exploited commercially or otherwise.

The government will construct suitable and adequate buildings with \$150,000,000 appropriated. The U. S. will operate these clubs with your voluntary contributions. These clubs will serve religious, spiritual, welfare, educational, and social needs of our soldier boys; provide moral and guidance for their families; provide social, educational and cultural opportunities for non-combatants; provide recreation, reading and writing rooms, and all other services.

These clubs, including club activities, hospital visiting with chaplains and the Red Cross; provide general information services, contact with their homes when necessary, and otherwise relieve the mental routine in army camps, bases and training centers.

The boy while off duty and away from camp wants a little recreation and has no place to go to do this. This is untrue to him and it is unwise. The American mother has all she can do to get that boy and, as the Landrum says, "Sonny Boy" just about all Uncle Sam has to do now. These mothers are there ought to be a clean, decent place where a homesick boy can go to write letters, sing songs, or get sight of his mother once in a while. A mother thinks her boy, away from home the first time, no matter how rough and tough he gets to be on the outside, has to stay on the inside or he won't be good for anything at all. Our army and navy say these mothers are right. Morals are an affair of the heart and soul. Some agency must supply the moral atmosphere and spiritual leadership which young soldiers and sailors need during their first time away from home. That agency is the U. S. O. The plan is to combine with saloons, dives, and dens of iniquity to make the good both

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THURSDAY, MAY 29, 1941

## Bread, Jelly — And Inflation

If you want an illustration of how inflation gets started just watch a small boy who is helping himself to "bread 'n' butter 'n' jelly."

First he gets a little too much butter on his plate for the slice of bread and has to take another. Then he finds he has some jelly left over and must go back for both butter and bread to make things come out even—which they seldom do.

Something very like that is going on in the United States today, and unless the government, backed by public sentiment steps in to call a halt, the result is going to be uncomfortably higher prices for everybody without any matching increase in income except for some favored groups.

At the outset of the present war, labor remembered its experience with rising living costs twenty-five years ago and threw its new-found organization strength into demands for higher wages. Inflation usually had come from the other end of the scale; so labor meant to be forehanded this time and get the wage increases before living costs went up.

But the unions' action has tended to hasten the event they feared. Between mid-March and mid-April the cost of living for medium-income families in large American cities went up one per cent, to a point 3.7 per cent above the level of August, 1939. This is beginning to put a squeeze on the families of laborers outside the defense industries.

Moreover, the impression that urban industry, both capital and labor, was profiting heavily by the defense program doubtless has contributed to the evident determination of farm-bloc leaders in and out of Congress to put the political screws on the Treasury for all they can get in the form of parity payments from the government.

A couple of interesting sidelights appear in news reports. One is that although the price-pegging loans apply only to cotton, corn and wheat, the price of eggs has gone up because higher grain prices will make it more expensive to feed chickens. The other is that dairy farmers in New York state are asking an increase in the price paid for milk on the grounds that the attracting of men into industry by better wages is producing a shortage of farmhands.

The government through its office of Price Administration has tried to put its foot on one section of this rising spiral, through halting a proposed increase in steel prices and more recently through an announcement of intention to set a price ceiling on combed cotton yarns, which has risen approximately 70 per cent in a year.

Sooner or later—and it cannot be much later—the government is going to have to intervene to halt the rapid boosting of labor costs and of farm benefits if it is to be able to hold a lid on industrial prices. There is occasion for this in the shipyard machinists' strike in San Francisco and in the case of the crop loan bill. If laborer, industrialist, and farmer continually watch with suspicion the matching up of the laborer's bread, the industrialist's butter, and the farmer's jelly, the defense effort will be in danger of falling "butter side down."

## Thanks For Thanksgiving

Doubtless gratitude was as sincerely expressed on the third Thursday of November as on the fourth. The people who believed President Roosevelt was violating the Constitution—"or something"—when he proclaimed an earlier date for Thanksgiving had forgotten how unofficial and short was the last-Thursday tradition. Some of the opposition to change was opposition to the New Deal, some was just opposition to change. Yet we are grateful that Thanksgiving is going to be restored.

It will end a lot of bickering and much confusion, make it easier for families to get together for the great family day. It is the first frank and explicit confession of the failure of an experiment to come from the White House in eight years. Most of all, it may help us to see that commercialization of holidays which should be primarily religious is a poor business. Thanksgiving was originally moved in an effort to improve retail sales by lengthening the Christmas buying season. It is now explained that the purpose was not achieved. A real understanding of the spiritual values of Thanksgiving and Christmas would never have permitted the date to be pushed around for such a reason. Failure may remind us to keep not only the date but the deeper values of Thanksgiving.

Gradually the conviction is spreading throughout the United States that the nation may have to use some of the tanks that it is building.

It is not necessary to use big space when you advertise in The Burkburnett Star. Just a few lines will be read; you read this didn't you?

# Burkburnett . . . . History

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

The infection of a pimple on her lip which developed into blood poisoning resulted in the death at a hospital in Wichita Falls late Friday, May 22, of Mrs. Alex Klinkerman, 30, member of a prominent pioneer family of the Clara community, according to information given by hospital authorities.

Dr. Carl J. Morrison and Miss Maude Aileen Smith were married in Walters, Okla., Friday evening by Rev. Alverson, pastor of the Presbyterian church of that city.

On last Thursday afternoon, Mrs. B. H. Preston, assisted by her daughters, Margaret and Grace, entertained a number of children at her home east of town.

honoring Brack Jr.'s, sixth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jingle Hayes returned last week from a vacation trip in Wisconsin.

Brooks Robertson, Chester Duncan, Gene Wagner and Horace Gotcher went to Lake Kemp Tuesday on a fishing expedition. They report pretty fair luck, having brought back 33 fish.

Dr. Philip A. Carpenter returned to Burkburnett Saturday after an absence of more than four months, during which time he has been taking post graduate work in surgery at the Mayo Bros. clinic, Rochester, Minn., and Bellevue hospital, New York city.

## Zeke Says . . . .

By Nugent Ezekiel Brown  
Austin, May 23 (Special)—Another week will about end the 47th regular session of the Texas Legislature.

The members are weary, very weary. It has been a terrific strain on the nerves—this session which began and carried through nearly five months of a period when everything or anything can happen to governments and peoples all over the world. Much of the uncertainty that exists in the world today has been reflected in many attitudes of legislators toward measures of all kinds.

During the last two weeks, in particular, observers in the galleries have noted a slackening on the part of many of the legislators, who give vent to their pent-up energies in a loud manner. Cat-calls, loud cheers, much hand-clapping and bursts of yelling are now just part of the business each hour of each day the boys are in session. And most of the members are now most certainly not in a mood for kidding. After they go home and rest up for several weeks, many of them will see clearly where many mistakes were made. But there also have been many accomplishments if the enactment of more laws means accomplishment. After all, the 150 house members and the 31 senators pretty nearly represent a true cross-section of the people as a whole. They are not wholly bad, neither are they wholly good. Just average folks. They are inadequately paid. They will go home only to dig into other jobs at which to make a living for the next 18 months.

The \$1300 they drew in salary will not last long; most of it is already spent. With all their faults, the legislators are a good decent bunch of men (and two women). If you, average reader, believe you could have done a better job, you just ought to try it one term. Most of the boys will be ready to swap jobs with you. The legislators, after all, have a job to do. They have done it to the best of their knowledge and ability. Our hat is off to them!

**That Hot Senate Race**  
While man ymore people are now discussing the special election to be held June 28 in Texas, there is a very noticeable slowing down of guess-work as to who will lead among the 21 candidates now filed with the secretary of state for the place in the U. S. senate held by the late Morris Sheppard. In fact, the great majority of folks, in big city, small town or at the cross-roads store, will now readily tell you there is but one answer as to the probable winner and that is Governor O'Daniel. Most of the discussion now gets back to speculation as to two who will go into second place or third place. Many still believe the young attorney general can go into second place but more, day by day, begin to believe he will drop into third place with either Martin Dies or even Lyndon Johnson taking second heat. Even football passers sometimes lose their stride, my dear. Two candidates already have resigned from the race in favor of O'Daniel, Hal Collins of Mineral Wells, and Virgil Arnold of Houston. There are likely to be several others in the next few days.

**Will Texas Print Its Own Textbooks?**  
There is a bill on the calendar of the House of Representatives authored by W. W. Bridges of El Paso, that will meet majority approval of all red-blooded Texans. It is a bill to require the printing of all school textbooks in Texas. The fact that it must be a good bill is indicated by the heavy opposition it has received from folks who can be influenced by big publishing houses of the North and East. There are even some misguided members of the State Board of Education who are against it.

**Clean Up Started By O'Daniel**  
Following alarming reports in Austin of rotten conditions around some of the many army camps in Texas, Governor O'Daniel asked special consideration last week-end of a proposed bill that would outlaw whisky and beer and wine within ten miles of any army camp. Legislator Jim Taylor of Kerens has agreed to sponsor the bill. It is the same kind of law Senator Sheppard asked Congress before his death.

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Already, Kerrville entertains 5,000 church folks each summer at the church camps, already over 1000 boys and girls attend camps of their own; already several hundred camps are found along the river that belong to "old customers."

But, as any citizen of Kerrville will point out, the city can offer the summer visitor his choice of 1000 rooms, from hotels to lodges on the mountain-side. And they know how to be the perfect host. Their big aim in life is to entertain visitors and make them come back.

Kerrville, with 6,769 people, is 1650 feet above sea level with elevations in the county as high as 2500 feet.

Yes, sir, Texas is proud of Kerrville as it belongs to all of us. We can enjoy a real vacation right here at home this summer.

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS**  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Wichita County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Anna Jordan by making publication of this citation once each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper in your county, to appear at the next regular term of 89th District Court of Wichita County, to be held at the Court House thereof in Wichita Falls, on the First Monday in July, A. D., 1941, the same being the 7th day of July, A. D., 1941. Then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 17th day of May, A. D., 1941 in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 35712-C wherein, Allen T. Jordan is Plaintiff and Anna Jordan is Defendant and said plaintiff after alleging jurisdiction further alleges that in the latter part of 1924 or the early part of 1925 he and the defendant agreed to live together as husband and wife and lived together as such until on or about June of 1936 at which time they separated and have not lived together as husband and wife since that date. Plaintiff further alleges that said defendant, shortly before separation, began a course of harsh and cruel treatment toward plaintiff without cause which made their further living together as husband and wife insupportable. Plaintiff further alleges that there is no community property but that he owns a separate estate consisting of the following real property located in Montague County, Texas, to-wit:

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- 25c B. C. Powders . . . . . 19c
- \$1.00 Cardui . . . . . 69c
- 60c Syrup Figs . . . . . 49c
- 250 Norwich Aspirins . . . . . 69c
- 60c Haley's M. O. . . . . 49c
- \$1.00 Wampole's Prep. . . . . 89c
- 40c Fletcher's Castoria . . . . . 34c
- 25c Carter's Pills . . . . . 17c
- 5-lb. bag Epsom Salts . . . . . 24c
- 2 lbs. Acme Dusting Sulphur . . . . . 25c
- 60c Alka-Seltzer . . . . . 49c
- \$1.00 Pursang Tonic . . . . . 3 for \$2.50
- 50c New Tek Tooth Brush . . . . . 23c
- 50c Ipana . . . . . 28c
- 25c Cue Liquid Dentifrice . . . . . 21c
- 50c Dr. West Tooth Brush . . . . . 59c
- 50c Dr. West Vray both for . . . . . 39c
- 60c Calox Tooth Powder . . . . . 29c
- 50c Prophylactic Brush . . . . . 29c

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- Frozen Malt . . . . . 5c
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# THE STAR SNAPSHOTS



**Iraq Forces Reported Seizing Oil Fields** — Iraq—Laying pipeline carrying the rich oil of Iraq to ports on the Mediterranean.



Mrs. Lily Rona, famous Czech-Slovakian sculptor, examines her portrait bust of Franklin D. Roosevelt, Jr., completed just before he reported for active duty as a Naval Officer. Mrs. Rona, who has modeled many of Europe's notables, came to America three years ago to live on free soil and to perpetuate American men and women in sculpture.



Continuing a phenomenal rise in radio popularity is blonde Vivian, soprano singing star of Phil Spatalny's all-girl orchestra. A vivacious beauty, she was recently chosen one of the best dressed women in radio, still looks toward the concert field as her final goal. Along with her twenty-some companions, Vivian may be heard on the "Hour of Cheers" program every Sunday night at 10 o'clock E.D.S.T., over the red network of NBC.

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**Nice Work If You Can Get It — No fooling, the pretty gal above is hard at work in her office. Oh how she loves to get up in the morning, rush down to the office and go back to bed again! She's Martha Aiden, Pequot Mills sleep consultant. Miss Aiden makes studies and gives advice not only on how to get to sleep but how to make the most of it. In the picture she is taking notes on the G-E automatic blanket. In her left hand is the thermostat control which maintains an even temperature in the blanket, regardless of outside temperature changes.**



**Open Wide, Please** — Philadelphia — Pat, 30-year-old, three-ton hippopotamus at the Zoo, obligingly opens her mouth so that beagan Pat Crossin can pull a decayed tooth.

## DAY-BY-DAY WITH HARDIN DEM. CLUB

In a recent radio address, Miss Ruth Farquhar, County Demonstration Agent, advised women on methods for selecting household linens.

Her address follows: "For voluntary reduction of cotton acreage in 1941 below the 1940 planted acreage or 1941 allotment whichever is the smaller, the A.A.A. has made available the cotton stamp plan which entitles eligible owner operators, share tenants or share croppers to cotton stamps valued at 10¢ per pound for such reduction up to a maximum of \$25.00 worth of stamps per family. Land owners of multiple farms may qualify for as much as \$50.00 worth of stamps. These stamps may be exchanged in retail stores for cotton goods processed in the United States.

"In buying household linens the consumer must have the ability to determine the essential qualities required and to judge the various brands with respect to those essentials. Here are a few pointers in buying sheets, pillow cases and towels.

"Each bed in your house should be provided with at least six sheets, two on the bed, two in the wash and two on the linen shelf. You will spend less money in the long run if you buy fewer sheets and work them harder. For durability, select heavy muslin 4-6 ounces per sq. yard, high thread count (72x66 or better to sq. inch) high tensile strength (70 pounds) for both warp and filling threads.

"For smoothness and lightness of weight, select percale (4 ounces per sq. yard) thread count of at least 90x90 tensile strength above 60 pounds. These cost more, have shorter life, but one saves by weight in laundering and this saving may pay the difference in the first cost.

To test a sheet at the counter, it is suggested that you feel it for a smooth even weave and rub it together for excess sizing. Beware of any powdery film that comes out. Hold the sheet up to the light to see if it has an even weave. Make sure the white ones are a clear white.

Look at the selvage—a good one makes a sheet 25% stronger. Hems should be straight, generous, carefully sewn with tiny stitches and end stitched.

"How long should your sheets be? Long enough to cover the bed, with the top sheet folded back at least 15 to 18 inches over the blanket, and with metred corners such as are used in the most careful homes and hotels. Sheets come in five widths: 54 inches, 63 inches, 72 inches, 81 inches and 90 inches. They come in four (torn) lengths: 90 inches, 99 inches, 108 inches and 113 inches. These sizes are printed on the label. The shorter the sheet, the cheaper its price. To save a few pennies, many women buy sheets that are too short. They pay for this in three ways: discomfort, undue strain on the sheets, and needless soiling and wear of the blankets. It pays to get sheets plenty long.

Ninety inches you would think is a pretty long sheet. The standard bed is only 76 inches long. And yet a 90 inch sheet is entirely too short. Ninety inches is the torn length before hemming. The continuous roll of sheeting has been torn off at 90 inches. It takes 5 inches for hems. Another 5 inches is lost by shrinkage, so the net length is only 80 inches. The 108 inch length with the 10 inch deduction for hems and shrinkage comes out exactly right. There is no such temptation to buy a sheet too narrow as there is to buy it too short. Just know the width of your beds and get the right width sheet for each.

Standardize your buying by asking for sheets of these standard sizes: Single bed, 108 inches long, 63 wide; three-quarter bed, 108 in. long, 72 in. wide; double bed, 108 in. long, 90 in. wide.

Pillow cases should be 2 inches larger in circumference and 6 inches longer than the pillow. Nowhere do the taste, skill and thrift of a housewife show more clearly than in her purchase of towels. An ample supply, beautiful because of the excellence of their material and the beauty of their laundrying, bespeaks the efficient homemaker.

For durability a towel must have a firmly woven ground that will hold the strain of pulling and serve as a sponge for water taken up by the loops. Hold the towel in front of a strong light, if only pin holes of light seep through, the ground cloth is closely woven; if splotches of light seep through, the ground cloth is too loose to take long wear. Best wearing towels have a ground warp of two ply (that is, two yarns twisted into one.)

Absorbency is an important factor as durability. The more loops per square inch of drying surface, the more absorbent the towel. For maximum absorbency the towel should be made of soft, evenly spun cotton with a minimum of twist in the yarn. White towels are most absorbent; pas-

## Side Glances On Texas History

By Charles O. Hucker,

### An Introduction To Comanche Ethics

There is an old belief that if you stand up for what you think are your rights you can make your way in the world under any conditions. In the Texas Collection of the University of Texas Library is evidence to back it up—to prove, for instance, that it was possible to get on even with the Comanches, possibly the fiercest of the North American Indians, if you only knew the trick.

The evidence is in J. W. Wilbarger's voluminous "Indian Depredations in Texas," which contains some of the most dramatic tales in all Southwestern literature. It's the story of Mrs. Rachel Plummer, who lived among the quarrelsome Comanches for eighteen months and eventually earned a place of respect among them, though at the cost of long misery and suffering.

Mrs. Plummer was among the settlers who came to Texas from Illinois in 1833 and established on the banks of the Navasota river a fortress which they called Parker's Fort after their leader, Elder John Parker. And she was present on May 19, 1836, when the fort witnessed an Indian raid which was to become famous in frontier history.

**The Parker's Fort Raid** Early that May morning, some five hundred Indians, mostly Comanches and Kiowas, suddenly invaded the settlement. They swept into the fort, murdered five of its inhabitants, and carried another five off into captivity. Mrs. Plummer, together with her son, John and her better-remembered kinswoman, Cynthia Ann Parker, who was then but a girl of 9 years, was among those taken alive.

When the various tribes later parted company, Mrs. Plummer separated from the other captives, fell to the lot of a Comanche warrior and his squaw, who, during the coming months, taught her all the fabled terrors and rigors of Indian captivity. She was carried into the snow-covered Rocky mountains of New Mexico and there, with little clothing and frequently no footwear, was required to dress buffalo hides by day and tend horses by night, often while suffering seriously from frostbite. She was despised, abused, and apparently destined to a future of servile futility.

After a year of such service, which she found she could do nothing to escape, she was passed on as personal servant and companion to a brutal old woman, under whom her life was even more miserable than it had been before.

**She Learns Her Lesson** But by this time, however, Mrs. Plummer later told, she was so deep in despair that she quickly resolved no longer to be tormented by the old squaw, who held her in the greatest contempt. So one day, when the old woman began to beat her with a club, she snatched it from her and knocked her down in a rage.

As the incident had passed in full view of a number of Comanche warriors who, typically, were looting about in the shade and telling tales, the unexpected turn of events brought them all rushing excitedly upon her. Quite naturally, Wilbarger wrote, "she fully expected to be killed." Instead, however, she met the warm approval of the warriors, who, thinking it all a huge joke, patted her gleefully on the back.

And thus, from personal experience, Mrs. Plummer learned the old 'stapd-up-for-your-rights' lesson, and she learned it well. In a short time she was an established favorite in the camp—"the Fighting Squaw", they called her—and remained so until she was ransomed at last, eighteen months after her capture, and returned to her people.

### Big Crowd Saw Home Guard Drill

A big crowd including county officials, representatives of the patriotic and fraternal societies and area sightseers witnessed the review of the 25th battalion of the Texas home guard Sunday afternoon before Col. L. E. Van Vliet of Nocona, inspector, at the polo grounds near Wichita Falls.

Units on exhibition included Company C of Burkburnett and Companies A and B of Wichita Falls, and Company D of Nocona. All except Company B were in uniform. The review was presented to Lieut. Col. Merrill W. Blair, retired, of Wichita Falls.

Colonel Van Vliet's report will be mailed to the state organization prior to formal acceptance of the battalion.

The companies here and at Nocona are full, but the Wichita Falls companies still have a few vacancies, Capt. E. C. deMontel, temporary battalion officer, said Sunday.

rode into Texas from one Elias Rector of Arkansas.

Q. When was the first shot of the Texas Revolution fired? L.B. A. October 2, 1835.

**Historical Highway:** Highway 219, one-half mile in length, is of significance because it is the shortest officially designated highway in Texas and of special significance because it leads from highway 75 into General Sam Houston's home at Huntsville, and because Houston's body lies buried at one end of it.

## Food Experts Develop Diet For Low Incomes

University of Texas food experts have developed a diet that will feed you adequately on a dime a day.

A member of the state nutrition committee, Dr. Jet Winters, University nutritionist, has directed her advanced students—all coeds—in preparation of such a diet. Part of the state's national defense work, aim of the research is to develop diets from 10 to 20 cents that will be adequate as health-builders for low-income families.

The week's seventy-cent grocery list includes salt jowl, pork liver, salmon, sweet potatoes, dried peas, beans, turnips, turnip greens, onions, canned tomatoes, irradiated-sterilized milk; enriched whiteflour, oleo, sugar, seasonings.

One of the 21 sample menus, to be distributed through welfare agencies, reads like this: for breakfast: cornmeal mush, sugar milk, cambric tea, prepared with hot sugar water, sugar and milk; for lunch: bean soup with onions, turnips, corn pone; for supper: broiled pork liver, turnip greens, hoe cake, coffee cake.

## Last Rites Are Held For Retired Farmer

Funeral rites for E. L. Jennings, 69, retired farmer of Burkburnett, who died Monday morning were conducted Wednesday afternoon at 4 p. m. at the chapel of Owens & Brumley Funeral home by Rev. Jack W. Manning, pastor of the First Baptist church. Burial was in the Burkburnett cemetery.

Surviving him are three sons, J. E. Jennings of Wichita Falls; G. W. Jennings, Burkburnett; P. J. Jennings, Santa Monica, Calif.; and four daughters, Mrs. Grace Gokey, Santa Monica; Mrs. I. H. Dickens, Wichita Falls; Mrs. Myrtle Rhyne, Oklahoma City; and Mrs. O. R. Martin, Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

## Do You Know Texas?

Reader of this newspaper can answer to any question of writing to A. Garland Curator of Patriotic Exhibitions Memorial Museum, Texas.

**Memorable Passage:** "The best of perpetuating the throbbing patriotism of any generation, to know the facts of history from which great democracy has grown which have sustained it time again."—from Knowledge Patriotism in Texas by Ben

What is the most highly prized document in the Spanish archives of the general land office, says Bascom Giles, commissioner of general land office, says the most highly prized document in the archives collection is the rediscovered original rough-draft of the constitution of the state of Texas.

**San Park Board:** The Texas Board was created in 1923 in response to a special message delivered by Governor Pat M. Neff. It has proposed a six-member board.

With the number of schools increasing and establishing vocational training to their credit in the past few years, the University of Texas has had to play on the field where the University engineering plant is now before the erection of a new stadium.

**Funeral:** Mrs. M. A. Zumbal of Columbus, Texas, recently celebrated the hundredth anniversary of her birth. The mother of Mrs. Zumbal of Columbus, Texas, was present at the funeral ceremony when Texas became a part of the United States in 1846. She is called "The Sage of G.V.G."

E. B. Kuehne answers this question: "Joachim Besen, poet, philosopher, is known as 'The Sage of Boerne.' He is a veteran of the Spanish War and Disabled American Veterans of Foreign Wars, of the American Legion. Born within 30 miles of the site of Hitler, Besen came to the United States in early childhood and is a grand American and a gifted writer."

**General Sam Houston's Horse:** General Sam Houston got the first horse he

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tels, next; deep tones, least. Hems should be turned back neatly, stitched firmly with fine stitches and corners backstitched to prevent unravelling. Selvages should be firmly and closely woven, because they are subject to greater wear and tear than any other part. To insure color fastness, inquire if the towel has been vat dyed. Another point about color to keep in mind is that colored lines and bands increase the cost slightly; solid color adds considerably to price; and floral and scroll patterns which have to be woven on Jacquard looms, are the most expensive. In these days when it is easy to secure addition to the supply of household linens and when houses have little storage space, perhaps 6 bath towels, 6 face towels, 4 wash cloths for each member of the family with a few extra for the use of guests will be enough. American cotton will assume a more important place in the fabric market during 1941, thanks to the development of new finishes and the wider application of old finishes during 1940. Check on your household line supply and buy wisely.

**BHS Girl Placed Second In State Essay Contest**  
Miss Marcella Engelmann, one of the honor students in this year's high school graduating class has received notice that her essay, "What Democracy Means To Me, A Texan," has been awarded second place in a state-wide contest in which 250 schools competed. Miss Engelmann won first place in a local contest which was sponsored by the Rotary and Lions clubs with the same essay which was written after the contests were announced by the American High School Educational association. She will receive a cash award for placing second in the state-wide contest and her essay will be read over the Texas state network sometime soon.

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## University Study Club Installs Officers At Wednesday Meeting

Mrs. S. A. King took office as president of the University Study club at the installation ceremonies at the home of Mrs. P. A. Wiggins Wednesday afternoon.

Other officers installed in the services by Mrs. Ray Hill, retiring president, were Mesdames A. R. Bunstine, 1st vice president; J. H. Rigby, 2nd vice president; O. B. Jordan, recording secretary; R. H. Henry, corresponding secretary; J. V. Brookshear, treasurer; George Kerr, parliamentarian; and Ray Hill, reporter.

A reading was given by Miss Helen Graham. Sadie Beth Tevis offered two piano numbers. Mrs. P. G. Williamson, chairman of the year book committee, presented the new yearbook.

Those present were Mesdames J. V. Brookshear, A. R. Bunstine, J. H. Davis, C. J. Duncan, R. H. Henry, Ray Hill, O. B. Jordan, J. M. Pogue, S. A. King, I. D. Russell, R. C. Tevis, P. A. Wiggins, P. G. Williamson, O. C. Wills, and O. R. Wood.

Mrs. Jim McDowell of San Antonio was the guest of the club during the meeting.

## Mrs. Hill Is Complimented With Shower

A shower complimenting Mrs. Volney Hill, was given in the home of Mrs. A. R. Hill Monday afternoon at 2:30. Hostesses for the event were: Mesdames Ted Harwell, J. P. Prince, Morris Dean, Carlos Baker, H. R. Hayes, A. R. Hill, Polk Robison, Cliff Cannon, and Miss Blanche Butler.

Guests included: Mesdames Lynn Kincaid, J. L. Welch, J. H. Brumley, P. A. Wiggins, P. A. Johnston, Elbert Buckner, N. R. Allen, Wayne Goodlett, Louis Sims, Allie Chatham, Wiley Browning, B. F. Gilchrist, F. A. Jamison, Carl Morrison, Walter Morris, and George Byerly.

Those sending gifts but unable to attend were: Mesdames Frank Riley, Truman Garland, Jack Scott, Wiley Pippin, Oscar Kemp, W. R. Hill, H. J. Exley, Ralph White, I. E. Harwell, H. C. Sullivan, Leonard Mattingly, Harold Van Loh, Earl McCreary, Bob Browning, O. L. Clark, Glen Bear, Morris Bookbinder, Ralph Davis, and Faye Jordan; Misses Martha Elliott, Dorothy Browning, Irene Evans, Pearl Cooper, Ella Billingslea, Laura Faye Herring, Thelma Dunaway, Virginia Hyden, Agnes Sanders, and Connie Evert.

## Bible School Continues At First Baptist

With an enrollment thus far of 175 and attendance increasing daily an excellent group of workers and an enthusiastic crowd of boys and girls, ages 4-16, are meeting each morning at 9:00 at the First Baptist church for Bible study, song, prayer, study of Hymns, missions, character study, handwork, recreation and refreshment. They will meet all this next week at 9:00 a. m. through 11:45 a. m., and you are invited to attend for a really enjoyable and helpful time.

Every boy and girl is learning songs, Bible stories, verses, and history, doing handwork, and enjoying a time of worship, fellowship, and fun. You will be welcome in any or all the meetings, and will have a good time if you come. Whether you are a member or whether your family are members of the Baptist church does not matter, you are welcome, and you will not be embarrassed in any way if you do come, for we are not seeking to change anyone's religious connections; we are trying to teach the boys and girls a part of God's word that they may be better Christians and citizens.

## Page Advises Draft Boards

General J. Watt Page, state selective service director, warned Texas local boards against calling for military training skilled workers and professional men whose services as civilians are necessary for defense. It was suggested that promising students of professions be allowed to complete their training.

From a recent survey of the Office of Production Management, Page quoted parts showing that manpower in the following fields is very low: Civil engineering, mechanical engineering, mining and metallurgical engineering, mechanical engineering, chemistry, medicine and dentistry.

## Rainbow Officers Will Be Installed

New officers for the Rainbow Girls will take office in public installation Tuesday evening, June 3. Miss Anne Danforth, worthy advisor, will have charge of the ceremonies.

Miss Mary Blackstone will be installed as the new worthy advisor. Other officers are: Gene Brookshear, worthy associate advisor; Maxine Gilbow, charity; Betty Kelley, hope; Frances McCreary, faith; Peggy Kemp, recorder; Billie Jane Roach, chaplain; Dorothy Browning, drill leader; Jean Wills, love; Mary Jean Prince, religion; Colleen Mattingly, nature; DeLois Foote, immortality; Dorothy Maben, fidelity; Rubinel Russell, patriotism; Martha Gail Parr, service; Emma Tom Yeary, confidential observer; Jimmie Jo Hodges, outer observer; and Mary Frances Boyd, musician.

## Methodist Announcements

Communion services will be held at the Methodist church next Sunday.

Rev. DeVore and O. B. Jordan took A. H. Key to the Wichita General hospital last Monday. Key was operated on Tuesday. His condition is improved, and he will probably return home Friday.

Fifty children are regularly attending the colored and white vacation bible school. The school was started Monday at 3 o'clock.

A meeting of stewards of the Methodist church was held last Monday afternoon. The next meeting will be on June 3.

On three different afternoons, Revs. A. A. Hyde, Otto Perry, and Pierce Burns led the devotionals at the colored vacation Bible school. The school is being conducted by Mrs. Monroe Prizling and the children workers of the Methodist church.

The Home Builders class served refreshments at the school two afternoons.

Rev. and Mrs. T. L. Huffstutler, former pastor of Burk Burnett in 1917-18, visited at the parsonage Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Huffstutler is president of the Minister's Wives club and Mrs. DeVore is secretary. They discussed some plans of the June 10th meeting to be held at 1st church in Wichita Falls.

Jewel DeVore, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Boyd I. DeVore had a tonsilectomy at the Burk Burnett Clinic Wednesday.

Mrs. Boyd I. DeVore visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hurt in Dallas last Thursday. Both are bedfast. Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Mitchell of Dallas returned home with Mrs. DeVore for a visit.

## Hardin Club Meets All Day

In an all day meeting on Wednesday, May 28, at the home of Mrs. John Enderli, the Hardin Demonstration club made a tufted bedspread which will be given away at the annual Harvest Festival.

A covered dish luncheon was served to Mesdames Fred Knauth, Fred Minick, George Smith, Sid Askin, J. C. Muller, J. M. Matthews, W. C. Nolen, S. W. Farley, Clyde Peed, Newt Crane, A. A. Evert, N. T. Simons, and two visitors, Mesdames N. M. Beasley and S. T. Grozier.

The club will meet next on Wednesday, June 11, with Mrs. demonstration agent for the club, Jess Wallace.

Miss Ruth Farquhar, county is still confined to her bed.

## Presbyterian Church

Someone wrote a book years ago on "As A Man Thinketh." But that isn't the whole truth for one may think himself something when he is nothing when only the head is involved. Therefore the heart must be added to the thinking.

We invite you to hear our Sunday morning message. Sunday school at 10 a. m. "As A Man Thinketh In His Heart," 11 a. m.

"I Was Afraid," 8 p. m. You are always welcome.

—Atwood A. Hyde, pastor.

The trouble with most golfers is that they talk a better game.

## First Baptist Church

"The Heart's the Man", a message on the theme of what it takes to make a real man, will be the Sunday morning subject, and "The Glory Christian", the subject of the evening message.

We welcome the visitors who were with us last Sunday, and invite everyone in this community not in services to worship with us. We promise you a simple Bible message and a sincere welcome.

Our vacation Bible school is meeting this week at 9:00-11:45 a. m., daily, with good enrollment and attendance. It will continue through all next week with Bible study, Hymn, Character, and Missionary study, Handwork, games and refreshments for all who come. You are welcome.

Our revival begins Sunday, June 15, with McKinley Norman preaching, and Wayman Norman singing. Services twice daily. The second Sunday, June 8, will be Children's Day in our church with a real Children's Day program and graduation exercises for the vacation Bible school.

A special Father's Day service is planned for June 15. Goals for attendance are set for each Sunday in the month with the highest goal, 735, for Sunday, June 29, the last Sunday of our revival.

## Ches-Ca-May Girls Sell Many Poppies

A total of \$37.50 was realized from the sale of poppies Saturday in Burk Burnett by Camp Fire Girls for the American Legion auxiliary.

The girls, members of the "Ches-Ca-May" group, were: Margaret Chambers, Wanda Gale Cruce, Genevieve Marchand, Kay Kincaid, Ramona Milford, Margaret Brady, and Dorothy Allen Boyd.

## Mrs. Whitesides Presides At Sallee Circle Meeting

The Sallee Circle met at the First Baptist church on Monday, May 27, with co-chairman, Mrs. M. E. Whiteside presiding. Twelve members were present.

Mrs. F. M. McMurry led the discussion on "Showing Others How to Become Christians."

The Circle adjourned to meet again on Monday, June 2, for an all-day meeting.

## Garden Club Has Call Meeting

It has been announced that there will be a call meeting of the Burk Burnett Garden club at Mrs. J. M. Pogue's on Friday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock. Officers will be installed and there will be other business. All members are urged to attend this meeting.

## Blanche Butler Presents Recital

"The Old and the New" was used as the theme of the recital presented by Miss Blanche Butler at the High school auditorium on Tuesday, May 27.

The finale of the program, which featured folk dances and tunes both old and new, was a patriotic number, "Anchors Aweigh." The audience and the entire cast joined in the singing of "God Bless America."

## Scout Troop 35 Visits Sandy Beach

Under the direction of Scout Master Bob Myers and Dick Smith, Scout troop 35 went on a swimming party at Sandy Beach pool Wednesday, May 28.

Those who went were: Stephen Marchand, Joe Hensley, Donald Kent Dodson, Wid Phillips Crawford, E. W. Stevenson, Jimmy Brookman and Robert Green.

## Ches-Ca-May Has Children's Party

The Ches-Ca-May group of Campfire girls will sponsor a Children's Game Party Wednesday from 2 p. m. until 5 p. m. at the American Legion hall. The admission for the party will be five cents. All children are invited to come.

## Office Supplies Star Office

Most of the people we know are baffled by their own ignorance.

## Rainbow Girls Are Dinner Guests At Wednesday Party

Mrs. Jessie Faye Griffin and Mrs. P. G. Williamson were co-hostesses at a dinner given at Mrs. Griffin's home Wednesday, May 28, in honor of all Rainbow Girls who graduated from high school this year.

Those attending the dinner party were: Misses Bonnie Lee James, Doris Frances Magers, Mary Blackstone, Martha Beth Utts, Jane Duvall, Anne Danforth, Frances McCreary, Helen Graham, and DeLois Foote.

## First Baptist Announcements

One of our unions will fit you like a glove. Try it Sunday at 6:45 p. m., in the Intermediate department.

A playlet, the name of which is "Living Letters," will be given by the Intermediate department in the general assembly. The cast of the play includes: Peggy Dot Busby as Edna, Mr. Beulah Jackson as Grandmother, Uel Tutt as Jack, Garvine Tipton as Hazel, Annie Bell Freeman as Dessie, and Christine Suttles as Louise. A colored trio will sing several selections.

## Club Postpones Flower Pilgrimage

Due to unfavorable weather, the Garden Club flower pilgrimage scheduled for Tuesday, May 20, was indefinitely postponed.

## Access Road For Sheppard Field Is Selected

State highway department engineers are to start work immediately on plans and specifications for an access road from Sheppard field to Wichita Falls which will intersect the Iowa Park highway at some point approximately half a mile west of the North Scott overpass.

Chamber of commerce highway committee representatives and county officials indicated they preferred the above route and city officials announced they would accept any recommendation made by the county. Major Chadwick then announced that the route indicated would be satisfactory to General Donovan, commander of the eighth army corps area, and General Lincoln, commander of army air corps technical schools.

Previously the army had expressed a preference for an access route which would have entered the Iowa Park highway at North Beverly.

## Red Cross Loses Very Few Ships

Of 369 ships carrying 910 consignments of relief supplies to Great Britain, the American Red Cross has lost cargoes on only 11 ships, according to word received from Norman H. Davis, national Red Cross chairman, by Grover Bullington, chairman of the Wichita county Red Cross chapter.

The total value of Red Cross supplies lost en route to England has been \$1,056,000, or approximately 9 per cent of the total value of Red Cross relief to Great Britain, Davis said. The supplies which have been lost include purchases made both with government and Red Cross funds, and a substantial part of these supplies has been covered by insurance, it was stated. Articles produced by women volunteers constitute only a small portion of the losses.

The confirmed losses at sea of supplies shipped by the American Red Cross have been limited to date to shipments to Great Britain, Davis said. "It has been assumed that one shipment of supplies to Greece valued at \$120,000 had been lost but this report has not been confirmed. The largest shipment to Greece, valued at approximately \$1,000,000, is now safe in a Mediterranean port," Davis said.

There has been no loss of any supplies transported on the three Red Cross ships flying the Red Cross flag, and authorized by the neutrality act to proceed into the combat area with the consent of the blocking powers, the national chairman reported. Except for these three Red Cross ships, all supplies are transported on commercial vessels.

Most of the people we know are baffled by their own ignorance.

## ON RECITAL PROGRAM



Misses Lela Mae Pinkston and Dorothy Warren, two of Mrs. Lewallen's music pupils, who will appear on her program Tuesday, June 3rd, at the First Baptist church. Miss Pinkston will render a violin solo, "Ave Maria," and Miss Warren will play a piano solo.



Cadets Face New Requirements

## County's Red Cross Has Increased Work

Through the efforts of volunteer Red Cross workers, an increase in both war relief production and in the making of U. S. army surgical dressings was reported by the Red Cross production committee of Wichita county.

Mrs. Jo Cable, general production chairman, said, "It is the continued efforts of volunteers which make it possible for the Red Cross to meet the requests for assistance."

Collections for aid to Great Britain have reached the \$16,000,000 mark, it was reported. As soon as shipping space is available, the remaining 427,000 garments, of the 4,852,000 garments received at the New Jersey warehouse, will be shipped to war-torn Britain.

Wichita county volunteer workers are turning out surgical dressings, including sponges and abdominal pads, for the U. S. army in the Red Cross production rooms.

## Court Upholds Right To Control Primaries

Even though the 14th amendment gives all negroes who are citizens of the United States a right to vote, in several states this right has been denied in primaries.

On Monday, May 26, the supreme court ruled that all state primaries are subject to federal jurisdiction. Even though the question of negro suffrage was not involved in the case decided at that time, justice department officials expressed belief that the decision of the court indicated the court would "rule that any interference with the rights of negroes to vote in a primary to determine candidates for federal office violated the federal statute."

Justice Stone of the supreme court said, "Conspiracy to prevent the official count of a citizen's ballot is equally a conspiracy to injure and oppress the citizen when the ballots are cast in a primary election prerequisite to the choice of party candidates for a congressional election."

"The right to participate in the primary for the choice of representatives in congress—a right clearly secured by the constitution—is within the words and purposes of (the 1870 law) in the same manner and to the same extent as the right to vote at the general election."

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## Cadets Face New Requirements

A change in educational nation for flying cadet admissions has been received by J. J. Fair, army recruiting officer of Wichita Falls.

The educational examination will consist of five required optional subjects. The subjects will be English composition and grammar, arithmetic, algebra, to include quadratic geometry and plane trigonometry. Two optional subjects will be selected by the applicants among the following: States history, general elementary physics, in chemistry and any modern language except English.

Applicants who show college completion of a given in the educational examination in such subject given credit for a grade of cent in each such subject. Applicant should present time of examination officialment for his college or university showing the subject completed and the grade attained.



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**U.S.O. Drive-**

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armed forces and defense industries of the United States, and in general to contribute to the morale of our defense forces and the communities in which they are based.

Each club will have its own program designed to meet its peculiar local needs. They may include such projects as:

Religious services for those of varying faiths, in cooperation with chaplains of the forces and churches in the community.

Counsel and guidance for personal problems.

Social events, and entertainments.

Hospitality in homes and the creation of opportunity for normal friendships.

Facilities for service within the clubs, such as recreation rooms, lounges, meeting rooms, possible limited sleeping quarters and all of the services one might expect from a club.

Group activities.

Cooperation with educational and cultural programs in camp.

Hospital visiting in cooperation with chaplains and the American Red Cross.

General information services.

Aid to transient service men.

Contacts between soldiers and their homes when necessary.

These are but a few of the services these clubs will perform. They will be expanded to fill individual and local needs, and will include innumerable services.

**"I Can't Call It Home Anymore"**  
In memory of my Father:

I can't call it home anymore  
I'll never walk inside that door;  
Never gain can I sit and swing  
I can't claim a single thing.

The trees that grew so high,  
Those tiny ones that Dad and I  
Planted in each corner in the rain  
Are still there blooming again.

Oh, how it hurts a heart to know  
There is no place one can go,  
And have all the family gather round,  
Each one well, safe and sound.

Of the pictures on memory's wall  
There's some I love best of all;  
Just scenes of our family four  
Gathered around that home's door.

Everything is so quiet now and dim,  
Each little thing reminds me of him.  
And still as twilight shadows are falling,  
Upon the wind a voice seems calling.

Far from out of the misty deep  
Where he lies resting, fast asleep,  
They are moving the old things tomorrow,  
To think of it ladens me with sorrow;

For as they are parting from there  
My heart is aching beyond compare.  
All things there are sacred to me,  
Memories remain just as they used to be.

And with wet and dreamful eyes  
My spirit goes communing with him who lies  
Safely with the wall of Paradise.

—Mrs. Jerry Shaw.

dividual and local needs, and will include innumerable services.

The money to support this work will be raised in a nation-wide campaign starting June 3rd. The 13th congressional district has been given a quota of \$14,940 to raise as its part of the general fund. Wichita county has been assigned a quota of \$10,000 by J. H. Allison of Wichita Falls, district chairman. Wichita county, having the largest population of any county in the district has a quota of \$10,000. Quotas of other counties are:

- Archer, \$170; Baylor, \$170;
- Clay, \$300; Cooke, \$600; Denton, \$700; Foard, \$150; Hardeman, \$300; Jack, \$300; Knox, \$250; Montague, \$450; Throckmorton, \$150; Wilbarger, \$500; Wise, \$400; Young, \$500.

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**BHS Student Named Head Of Youth Conference**

Garland Johnston, student at Burkburnett High school and the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Johnston of Clara, has just been elected president of the North Texas Youth conference, an honor never before conferred upon a Burkburnett student.

Young Johnston will be a senior next year and will meet with representatives of the various high schools included in the conference at Denton in October to plan the November conference of which he will have charge.

Johnston was elected president of the conference by his fellow students following the designation of Burkburnett High school by the conference as the institution from which the 1941-42 president would be selected.

**Flight Courses Will Start Soon**

Fulcher Armstrong, manager of Kell Field, announced May 22, that quotas for the primary and secondary flight courses have been received. These courses will start July 1 and end September 15th.

The primary course will take 30 students, while 20 will be taken in the secondary class. The quotas for the cross country and apprentice instructor's classes are 12 and 10, respectively. The latter courses will be begun in the next few weeks, Armstrong said.

**County Bar Offers Opposition To Bill**

In a meeting of the members of the Wichita County Bar association Thursday, May 22, that body favored a resolution of decisive opposition to the measure before the state legislature which would bring about the revision of the judicial districts in this section.

If the bill were passed, Young county and Stephens county and Archer and Clay county would be joined.

The association has made plans for sending copies of the resolution to every representative and senator of this area who is in Austin.

**Marine Corps Take Younger Fighters**

Notice that for the first time in the organization's history the minimum age requirement for enlistment in the U. S. Marine corps has been reduced to 17 years was received at the Abilene Marine Corps Recruiting Station this week.

The lowered limit applies both to the regular enlistment in the Marine Corps and in the Corps Reserve. Enlistment in the Corps are for four years, and in the Reserve for the duration of the National Emergency.

Along with the lowered age limit the local office received an additional recruiting sergeant stationed permanently at Abilene. He is Sergeant H. C. Lindsey, transferred from the Dallas office.

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**County Free Fair Gets New Home**

It has been announced by Walters officials that a permanent home for the Cotton county fair will be begun immediately.

Due to the rapid growth of the county's free fair, the executive board has apportioned \$2,500 for purchasing lands, and the construction of buildings. The Chamber of Commerce, having recently acquired title to the desired land, will bear half the expense of the purchase, it was announced.

John Kohout, fair board president; Ira Goodfellow, secretary; and Bill Coleman, chamber of commerce secretary and city manager, are in charge of making the plans for the first building.

**Rains Boost Alfalfa Yields**

In Harmon county, Okla., the most plentiful alfalfa harvest of the decade is expected. In many of the fields of the 11,000-acre Harmon county, the alfalfa has reached three feet in growth. Mowers are running day and night.

The greatest worry of the alfalfa growers at this time is a sufficient storage space for such a large crop.

At this time almost all of the alfalfa growers of the county have signed as members of the Alfalfa Growers' association in order that they might be able to get a top price for the seed crop which will be harvested in the summer.

**Defense Program Fosters Industry**

Fostered by the growing defense program, a \$5,000,000,000 government owned munitions industry is springing into existence. Government capital has been used for the building of munitions factories, arsenals, shipbuilding ways and other defense facilities.

The majority of these new plants are managed by private companies, but will belong to the government. The companies are only hired in some cases, but in others they have options to buy the plants after five years.

Commitments for government owned facilities so far include \$1,000,000,000 by the army, about \$500,000,000 by the navy, and approximately \$600,000,000 by the defense plant corporation, a subsidiary of the Reconstruction Finance corporation. In addition, the British government has contracted for \$191,000,000 of American munitions plants, most of which have been or will be bought by the U. S. government.

The maritime commission is building 193 new shipways expected to cost more than \$500,000,000. The lend-lease program and other appropriations contemplate an additional \$1,500,000,000

of all kinds of plants and equipment, and the defense plant corporation has allocated \$850,000,000 for more facilities. All of these costs are exclusive of the expense of the airplanes, ships, tanks, powder and other munitions to come out of the factories. Only the value of the land, buildings and machinery are included.

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**PIANO AND VIOLIN RECITAL**

The piano and violin pupils of Mrs. M. E. Lewallen will present their annual recital at the First Baptist church Tuesday, June 3, at 8:15 p. m. The program is as follows:

- ARTHUR DAVIS AND HIS ORCHESTRA**  
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Lovely Marianne Eitel Allen Nelson  
Soloist Frederick Nelson
- ARTHUR DAVIS AND ORCHESTRA**  
THEME—"What America Needs Most"
- Piano Solo—"Summer Days" Williams  
Piano Solo—"The Camel Driver" Loomis  
Violin Solo—"Venice", Italian Folk Tune  
QUINTON C. ROBERTS  
Piano Solo—"The Toe Dancer"  
WANDA JO LUDDINGTON  
Reading—"Mr. and Mrs. Cant"  
PETE JEFFERS  
Piano Solo—"Indian Dance in the Firelight" McIntyre  
Piano Solo—"Triumphal March" Oesten  
JOHNNIE CECIL
- Song—"The Band"  
Mary Ruth Gray, Rose Ann Graham, Julia Ann Pink, Greta Fay Berry, Kay Frances Hurd, Zona Fae Austin, Barbara Vaughn, Arnela Miller, Mary Jo Haley.
- Reading—"The New Piano"  
JESSIE RUTH PRESTON  
Piano Solo—"Italian Song" Tschaikowsky  
Violin Solo—"Cradle Song" Ilynsky  
JOYCE NICHOLS  
Piano Solo—"Wong Ho"  
WANDA JEAN DUKE  
Piano Solo—"Phantoms Passing By"  
ANICE JUNE TAYLOR Robert W. Service
- Reading—"Comfort"  
HELEN GRAHAM  
Violin—"The Trail of Long Ago"—WINNIE JEAN JOHNSON,  
JOYCE NICHOLS, JAMES PEARSON, WELDON (Buddy) WARREN  
Piano Solo—"Minuet" Dussek
- Piano Solo—"Sweet Dreams" Tschaikowsky  
EDNA MAE KINNAIRD  
Talk—"The Rugged Rocks"  
LELA MAE PINKSTON Schubert  
Piano Solo—"Serenade"  
MERLE HANSARD  
Violin Solo—"Jeannie With the Light Brown Hair"  
WELDON (Buddy) WARREN Foster
- Piano Solo—"Barcarolle" Offenbach  
ALLYNE JEFFERS  
Piano Solo—"The Waves of the Danube"  
CHRISTINE SUTTLES Ivanovici  
Violin Solo—"Cradle Song" Brahms  
JAMES PEARSON  
Reading—"Life's Mirrors" Bridges  
MARTHA JEAN WALLING  
Piano Solo—"At the Cross" (Variations)  
LOUELLA PEMBERTON Schumann  
Violin Solo—"Traumerl"  
WINNIE JEAN JOHNSON  
Piano Solo—"Will of the Wisp"  
OPAL LEE TAYLOR  
Piano Solo—"March"  
MARY FRANCES PEARSON Blake  
Piano Solo—"Clayton's Grand March"  
"In A Polish Garden" F. Williams  
MONA JUNE CHENEY  
Violin Solo—"Ave Maria" Bach-Gounod  
LELA MAE PINKSTON Paderewski  
Piano Solo—"Minuet"  
DOROTHY WARREN Di Capua  
Violin Duet—"O Sole Mio"  
MRS. LEWALLEN and ARTHUR DAVIS  
Violin Solo "Andante Gabotte" Dash  
"The Blue Danube Waltz" Strass  
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THE ARTHUR DAVIS ORCHESTRA  
Pupils not playing because of illness or vacations are as follows:  
Peggy Nell Davis, Helen Justice, Elmer Wellington, Joy Rankin.

**Ray Lawler Rated Highly At University**

The following article, written by Wayne Dunson, was taken from "The Megaphone," student publication at Southwestern University where Ray Lawler, Burkburnett boy is a student of theology.

"When a new student on a college campus organizes a dozen dishwashers into a religious movement and in less than one year, through sheer personality and leadership makes the organization the largest and most powerful on that campus, he has, indeed created news.

"Such is the record of twenty-three year old Ray Lawler, Southwestern University senior. Transferring from Austin College of Sherman in September, 1939, Lawler lost little time in making himself a prominent religious figure in the university. One month after enrollment he had talked the dish-washing crew of the college dining hall into uniting themselves into "The Campus Crusade."

"Without formal recognition or capital, the "Crusade" soon gave notice that it was a coming force among campus activities. The vis-

ion, the dynamic personality, the uncompromising spirit, the knack of advertising and filibustering of its youthful founder and president soon gave the group official recognition as a college organization. Today the "Campus Crusade" is the largest organization, including fraternities and sororities, on the Southwestern University campus."

Lawler has a scholastic average of between 85 and 90 for his senior year. Also he has been serving for a number of weeks as Master of Ceremonies on "The Church of the Open Door" program over radio station KTBC, Austin. It is a program composed of talent from Southwestern.

Upon his graduation he plans to join the North Texas conference of the Methodist church in the Wichita Falls district.

**'Feed For Fitness' Is Advised**

Austin, May 21—"The importance of 'feeding for fitness' as a part of the national defense program cannot be over-emphasized because proper nutrition is the basis of health and physical fitness," states Dr. Geo. W. Cox, state health officer.

"America is beginning to realize that intelligent selection of the proper foods necessary to maintain optimum health is more important than merely eating food with regard to its nutritive qualities.

"In a comparative study made on the health of school children in two widely separated districts—one in an agricultural community and the other in an industrial area—a large percentage of the children from the farming sections were found to be malnourished, while those from the industrial area were in better shape physically.

"Although milk and other dairy products, fruit and fresh vegetables, all of which are essential to a well-balanced dietary, are readily available in the farming sections, the children had been allowed to indulge their preferences for less familiar and less nourishing foods, with the results already mentioned above.

"Certain factors that affect nutrition—and not all of them apply to food—must be given consideration in 'feeding for fitness.' The state health department would stress the importance of the following:

"First, the diet must be adequate; it should include on a day-to-day basis a generous supply of the protective foods—milk, fruits, vegetables, eggs, whole grain breads and cereals.

"Second, sufficient sleep and rest to maintain a good physical condition.

"Third, remediable physical defects, such as decayed teeth or diseased tonsils, should be corrected in the individual to insure the best utilization of food.

"Fourth, correct elimination is essential in the utilization of food.

"Fifth, exercise and fresh air are needed to stimulate the appetite and give tone to the physical condition.

"Sixth, good posture aids digestion."

**H. D. Smith Is Case Worker**

H. D. Smith will start work Monday as a case worker for the Wichita county welfare office in the Burkburnett precinct.

Smith replaces Don McCullough who has moved to Decatur as an investigator for the Texas Old Age Assistance commission.

**Hydra-Matic Drive Proves Success**

Oldsmobile has now manufactured and shipped to dealers 100,000 cars equipped with Hydra-Matic Drive, according to a report issued yesterday by D. E. Ralston, Oldsmobile's general sales manager.

"This outstanding production record is in response to one of the most widespread acceptances ever given to any automotive feature", Ralston said. "The volume shows a net increase of 300 per cent in Hydra-Matic drive sales over the total output last year," he added. "Production of Hydra-Matic transmissions for 1941 automobiles has been steadily increased. Today approximately 45 per cent of all the new cars Oldsmobile builds are equipped with this advanced feature. Delivery of Hydra-Matic equipped cars last year was limited by productive facilities and reached the 20,000 car mark. Production of 1941 Oldsmobiles with Hydra-Matic Drive has now reached the 80,000 car figure.

"Not since the introduction of the electric started, in 1912, has any automotive development received more favorable acceptance from motorists, dealers and salesmen alike, than Hydra-Matic Drive," Ralston continued. "Because there is no clutch pedal to press and no gears to shift, owners are constantly writing us of the new motoring pleasure they are receiving and relating the thrills that Hydra-Matic Drive provides. Dealers and salesmen also report unprecedented praise because of Hydra-Matic's contribution to simplified driving.

"In order to keep pace with the demands, Oldsmobile plans to continue increased production schedules on Hydra-Matic Drive units as long as materials are available."

**Registrants Must Carry Certificates**

Amendment of selective service regulations to make it mandatory for every registrant to have his registration certificate in his possession at all times and to present it upon request of proper authorities was announced today by General J. Watt Page, state selective service director.

General Page made his announcement upon receipt of advice from National headquarters which pointed out that while the old provision of the regulations said that the registrant "should carry his registration certificate with him at all times as he may be required to show it from time to time," the revised regulations provide:

"The registrant must have his registration certificate in his personal possession at all times and, upon request, must exhibit it to any law enforcement officer, any selective service official of National headquarters or of a state headquarters, or any member of the local board or board of appeal."

Failure of a registrant to have his registration certificate in his possession, or to exhibit it upon request of authorized officials, will constitute a violation of the regulations, and, in addition, shall be construed as prima facie evidence of his failure to register, General Page said.

General Page also announced another amendment to the regulations pertaining to late registration which makes it compulsory that, "Every person subject to registration who for any reason failed to register on the day fixed by the President for his registration must present himself for and submit to registration before a local board."

"This means that every person subject to registration on October 16, 1940, must register if he has not already done so," General Page declared. "It does not apply to persons who have become 21 years of age since last October 16, as they will be required to register only if the President proclaims a second registration date."

Violations of the regulations may cause a delinquent to be penalized by fine or imprisonment or both, General Page said.

**Sale Of Bonds Reported Good**

Sale of defense bonds and postal savings stamps is meeting with excellent response here, according to postmaster A. H. Lohofener.

Defense bonds in the amount of \$3,693.75 have been sold and a \$180.55 is the total for postal defense stamps.

Mr. Lohofener invites anyone interested to inquire at the post-office regarding the bonds and stamps.

**Rabbit Creek News**

By Florence Griffith

The annual all day singing will be held at Rabbit Creek Sunday May 26. Everyone is invited to come and bring a full basket of lunch.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Ashton the past week were Mrs. Emmett Cook of Olney, Texas, Mrs. Dean Clay of Henderson, Texas, Travis Milligan who is in training at Abilene, Texas, and Mrs. Jim Milligan of Madill, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Bentley of Randlett visited Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Laminack and family Sunday.

Winnie Mae and Willadean Green visited Rose Ellen Norton of Riverland Sunday.

Mrs. Homer Green is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hatcher and family and Jewel Dean Kinard visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Duval of Burkburnett Sunday.

Mrs. C. O. Griffith visited Mrs. Margaret Titchywy of Walters Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Thornton of Denton, Texas, are visiting J. M. Thornton and Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Branson

Kenneth Dilbeck of Randlett visited the Rabbit Creek school Monday

Kenneth Beavers, Kenneth and Louise Hale are recovering from the mumps.

The Rev. E. Ryan of Randlett held services at the Rabbit Creek school Sunday.

Pauline Ashton attended the two day outing of the Randlett eighth grade in the Wichita mountains Thursday and Friday.

Miss Ella Green of Riverland visited Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Green Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harral Bible of Galveston have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Baber.

**Meetings T-B Ass'n Suspended**

Directors of the Wichita County Tuberculosis association voted Tuesday in their regular monthly luncheon meeting at the Episcopal parish, Wichita Falls, to suspend such meetings until September.

It was indicated by President George Truitt, however, that one or more called meetings may be held to consider plans for providing some kind of a sanatorium in Wichita county for accommodation of persons afflicted with tuberculosis.

Miss Mary Quinn, executive secretary, reported briefly highlights of the recent convention of the National Tuberculosis association at San Antonio. She explained also how extensively the tuberculin skin test is being applied by army and navy alike in recruiting activities for detection of any trace of tubercular infection. Tentative plans were made for conferences in Wichita Falls June 2-3-4 with Miss Pansy Nichols, state executive secretary.

Present were Truitt, Mrs. M. A. Beckman, Dr. C. A. Beesley, Mrs. Joella Terrill Butler, Dr. M. W. Caskey, Mrs. Fred Delahoussaye, Dr. W. J. Masters, Dr. R. D. McConchie, Paul Woodward; Mrs. H. R. Hays and Mrs. Fred Brookman of Burkburnett; Mrs. C. W. Monroe and Mrs. Annie Weaver of Electra; Mrs. T. M. Black, Iowa Park, and Miss Quinn.

While Texas has approximately 53 per cent of the Nation's oil reserves, it was able to market only 36 per cent of the total oil production of the Nation last year.

**Registrants Will Notify Board Of Changed Address**

Warning to all registrants under selective service act that they must notify their local boards promptly of any change of address, or become liable to severe penalties, was given today by General J. Watt Page, state selective service director.

It is the duty of every registrant to keep his local board advised at all times of the address at which mail will reach him without delay, General Page pointed out. Any registrant who fails to conform to the selective service act and regulations, he said, is liable to punishment "by imprisonment for not more than five years or a fine of not more than \$10,000, or by both such fine and imprisonment."

General Page stated that so far most cases of delinquency have been found to have been due to ignorance of the law or carelessness on the part of registrants. It is the policy of the selective service system, he said, and of the department of justice which is charged with the enforcement of the act, to be lenient in cases where it is apparent there has been no willful intent to violate the law. Nevertheless, he stressed, investigation of such cases is taking up much valuable time of local boards and of the department of justice agents which

should be devoted to for national defense.

To relieve this, he also to protect the law, General Page said, all local boards means of investigation disposal and to wait length of time before apparent cases of the department of justice.

In this connection Page said that the assistance of local officials may be used a registrant who has responded to notification.

"If, after a reason on the part of the with the assistance of state police, the of the delinquent is certain, and nothing heard from him in notification, the local report the delinquent United States Attorney



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carrying on specialized work. The Robertson county area is one of several the game department has set up for deer and turkey throughout the state in an effort to restore big game to areas which formerly had a sufficient supply of game, but from which it had been shot out.

**HELP SAVE TEXAS MINNOWS**

Now that Texas season on all species of fish is open, the state game department is urging anglers to use care in the handling of minnows. Those small fish are not only excellent bait, but are essential food for a large number of fish found in Texas. Wasting minnows means that you are simply robbing fish of badly needed food and that the fish you do catch may not be as large as they could have had you helped conserve the minnow crop.

Texas laws are specific concerning minnows. Seines used to catch them must not be longer than twenty feet. Any fish other than minnows and minnows too small for bait must be returned to the water.

It is an excellent idea to handle your minnows carefully. If your minnow bucket is not supplied with an air pump, the water should be changed frequently or the bucket placed in a stream or lake. A minnow bucket should not be towed behind a rapidly moving boat. All minnows remaining after you are through fishing should be dumped into the lake or stream.

**STOCKING NEW LAKES**

New lakes, of which Texas is getting many, are being given special attention by the Texas Game, Fish and Oyster commission without the game department negotiating its usual stocking and work on the older bodies of water. The lakes are being stocked heavily with small fish and some of spawning size. Results to date have been excellent, but some comprehensive tests will be made this year due to a large number of lakes being given special attention.

It is admitted that the Texas regulations on the size and number of fish allowed each day are wrong. The size limits should be larger and the creel limits smaller. Wherever the department has been able to get special regulations the fish population has been increased tremendously.

For example, Lake Austin, at Austin, was closed for slightly more than a year. The department stocked the lake heavily and scientifically. More than 500,000 black bass fry were placed in the lake, but no large bass were used for stocking purposes because bass are very cannibalistic and large ones would have

eaten many of the smaller fish. However crappie, bream, and white bass of spawning size were planted. As they grew their offspring were of approximately the same size as the bass fry planted and thus cannibalism was cut to a minimum. As a result Lake Austin is probably the heaviest populated lake in the state at the present time.

Among the large new lakes which are being treated similarly this year are Possum Kingdom in Palo Pinto county and Lake Travis in Travis and Burnet counties. Almost 1,000,000 bass, bream and crappie fry have already been placed in Possum Kingdom and it is likely the total will reach 1,500,000. More than 200,000 fry have been planted in Lake Travis and a million and a half is the total planned for it.

The game department, according to the executive secretary, is attempting to obtain special regulations for these bodies of water. If they are obtained and the department is able to carry on sufficient improvement work both those lakes should be fishermen's paradises next year.

**DUCK MEETS EMERGENCY**

A mother mottled duck didn't let a "little" thing like high water destroy her nest, it is reported to the game department by the Colorado county state game warden. The warden and Mr. Ed Koy owner of the land upon which the nest was located, found the bird pushing grass and weeds under its nest. They watched until the bird had elevated the nest eight inches. A heavy rain destroyed many prairie chicken, quail and duck nests, but this Mother duck was, at last report, sitting pretty on a good dry nest.

**MAKES PET OF QUAIL**

Don Carroll, 7-year-old son of City Officer C. D. Carroll of Fort Worth used considerable patience to make a temporary pet of a nesting quail. Young Carroll found a quail setting on thirteen eggs near his home. Don went out daily to see how the bird was getting along. He approached a bit closer each day until he was finally able to reach down and pet the Bobwhite. He stroked the bird several days. She finally hatched eleven of its thirteen eggs and Mother quail and her brood disappeared.

**WARDENS AS RIVER COWBOY**

An East Texas farmer has a cow and a calf grazing in his pasture now which would have been a loss had it not been for a couple of state game wardens. Two wardens, while on patrol duty saw a cow stranded in a river with only its head sticking

out. After much pulling, pushing and tugging by the wardens the cow was rescued. The cow was heavy with calf and had evidently gotten so deep in mud and water it was unable to extricate itself. Patrol duty was continued after the rescue.

**ORDINANCE NO.**

**AN ORDINANCE FIXING RENTALS TO BE PAID BY TELEGRAPH, TELEPHONE, ELECTRIC AND GAS COMPANIES FOR THE PRIVILEGE OF USING WITH THEIR POLES, WIRES, CONDUITS, PIPES AND FIXTURES, THE STREETS, EASEMENTS, AND ALLEYS AND OTHER PUBLIC WAYS WITHIN THE CITY OF BURKBURNETT, TEXAS, PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION, AND PROVIDING AN EMERGENCY.**

BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Commissioners of the City of Burkburnett, Texas:

Section 1. That all persons, associations, organizations, and corporations using or maintaining any telegraph, telephone, electric light or other poles, gas pipe lines, pipes and other fixtures in any of the streets, highways, easements, alleys, parks or other places within the corporate limits of the City of Burkburnett, Texas, shall on the 1st day of July of each and every year file with the City Secretary a sworn report showing the gross receipts from the business conducted by such persons, associations, organizations and corporations within the corporate limits of the said city for the preceding year ending May 30th.

Section 2. The Board of Commissioners may when it may see fit have the books and records of the person, association, organization or corporation rendering the statement required in Section 1 of this Ordinance examined by a representative of the City to ascertain whether such statement is accurate, but nothing in this Ordinance shall be construed to prevent the City from ascertaining the facts by any other method.

Section 3. That upon the 1st day of July of each and every year every person, association, organization, or corporation occupying or using the streets, highways, easements, alleys, parks, or other public places in the City of Burkburnett, Texas, with poles, pipes and for other fixtures shall as a condition to such further occupancy, pay the city annually for such privileges a rental equal to two (2%) per cent of the gross receipts received by such person, association, organization, or corporation in its business conducted in the corporate limits of the City of Burkburnett, Texas, for the preceding year which sums shall be paid to the City of Burkburnett, Texas.

Section 4. That upon receipt of the above rental by the city, the City Secretary shall deliver to the person, association, organization, or corporation paying the same a receipt for such rental.

Section 5. That the rental for the privilege of using the streets, alleys, highways, easements, and public places of the City of Burkburnett provided for in this ordinance is not charged as a tax but is made for the privilege now enjoyed and to be enjoyed by such persons, associations, organizations, and corporations of using the streets, easements, alleys, and other public ways of the city in the conduct of their respective businesses; and such charges are additional to all ad valorem and franchise taxes and to all taxes of every nature whatsoever against the persons, association, organizations or corporations mentioned herein.

Section 6. That nothing herein is intended to relieve any persons, association, organization or corporation of any condition, restriction or requirement imposed by any law or ordinance of the said City of Burkburnett, Texas.

Section 7. That this ordinance does not grant a franchise to any utility or person, association, organization, or corporation, to use the streets, easements, alleys and other public ways and shall never be so construed by the courts or otherwise, and the City reserves the right to cancel the privileges granted hereunder and refund the unearned rentals paid to the city.

Section 8. That the City of Burkburnett hereby reserves the right to put into effect at any time other restrictions and regulations as to the erection and maintenance of poles, wires, pipes, and other appurtenances in the streets, easements, alleys, and other public ways of the said city and from time to time to require such poles, wires, pipes, and other property equipment and fixtures as it may deem proper to be removed and to require wires to be run in conduits on such terms as the city may deem proper.

Section 9. That every person, association, organization, and corporation who shall operate any business without the payment of the rentals provided herein shall be subject to a penalty of One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars for each and every day that such persons, association, organization, or corporation shall conduct such business using and occupying the

streets, easements, alleys or other public ways of the City of Burkburnett without the payment of the said rentals which said sum may be recovered by the City of Burkburnett in a court of competent jurisdiction by a suit filed therein.

Section 10. That every person, association, organization, or corporation and the local manager or agent of every persons, association, organization or corporation failing or refusing to make the report required by Section 1 of this Ordinance, or failing or refusing to allow the examination provided for in Section 2 herein shall upon conviction be fined in any sum not to exceed One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars and every day's failure or refusal as mentioned in this section, shall be deemed a separate offense.

Section 11. The city fire marshal, building inspector, electrical inspector, city's police officers, and such other persons designated by the city, shall have power and it shall be their duty to examine and inspect from time to time all telegraph, telephone, electric light or other poles, gas pipe lines, pipes and other fixtures in the public places within the city for the purpose of seeing that all of same are in a safe and suitable condition, and whenever any such item is found to be unsafe or unsuitable for the purpose for which it is used, the person using, possessing or maintaining same shall be notified and required to place same in a safe and suitable condition.

Section 12. If any section, paragraph, subdivision, clause, phrase or provision of the Ordinance

shall be adjudged invalid or held unconstitutional, the same shall not affect the validity of this ordinance as a whole or any part or provisions thereof other than the part so decided to be invalid or unconstitutional.

Section 13. That the fact that telegraph, telephone, electric, and gas companies have been occupying and using the streets, easements, alleys and other public ways of the City of Burkburnett, Texas, for many years without the payment of rent for such use creates an emergency, and this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage, approval and publication as required by law.

Passed and approved this 19 day of May, A. D., 1941.

J. F. KELLEY, Mayor.  
ATTEST: L. L. KINCAID, City Secretary.

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:-: About People You Know :-:

On hot summer days try cool summer sheers from OPAL'S. 43-1tc

O. D. Dial and family left last Sunday for a two weeks' trip to points of interest in California.

Mrs. W. W. Carter is visiting in Childress this week.

Weldon Minick and Kenneth Thompson went to Dallas Tuesday on a business trip.

Dewberries for sale; 1/4-mile east of Hardin Park. Formerly the A. A. Jacobs place. H. C. Thompson. 43-2tp

Mrs. Esta Norris, Miss Louise Norris and Mrs. Margaret Cobb, of Duncan, Okla., were visitors of Mrs. Minnie Blum on Thursday night, May 22.

Mrs. Etta Taylor of Tipton, Okla., has been visiting in the homes of her daughters, Mrs. M. E. Myers and Mrs. J. M. Matthews of this city for the past week. Mrs. Taylor returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Jessie Faye Griffin and Mrs. Ira Miller of Burk Burnett were called to Sayre, Okla., last week to the bedside of their grandmother, Mrs. G. W. Blanton. Mrs. Blanton is reported somewhat improved.

J. C. Adams Jr., had as a weekend guest, Jack Blanton of Dallas. They are former roommates at school.

L. L. Harris attended the Texas Bankers Assn. convention which was in session at Dallas last week. The next meeting will be held in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Davis left Thursday for Howe, Texas, to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. John George.

Mrs. W. R. Hill and Mrs. Oscar Kemp went to Waco and brought Miss Mildred Kemp home from Baylor University Monday.

Miss Gayle Preston of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Brown, Shelby Reed, and A. D. Brown, all of Big Spring spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Preston.

Mrs. Christine Dunn and son, Gene, and daughter, Joy of Bowie are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Royce this week.

Mrs. I. C. Harwell, Mrs. C. C. Gilbert, Clarence Winston Gilbert, and Ike Harwell Jr., spent the week-end at Waco and A. and M. college.

Little Miss Beverly Wyant, who has been living in Burk Burnett for the last three years with her grandmother, moved to Oklahoma City Sunday, May 25. She will live there with her mother, Mrs. L. G. Schroeder. Her address is 603 West 20th St., Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Vance visited in Fort Worth and Dallas last week with their son and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Hammet Vance of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. McNeil of Fort Worth, and Mrs. N. G. Goodlett and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Harms left Sunday for Brownwood where they will visit Mr. Harms' father, mother, and sister.

Mrs. Cecil Wheeler of Bryson, Texas, visited in the home of Mrs. P. A. Wheeler and her mother, Mrs. J. P. Scruggs Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Will keep children by the day or hour. At my home, 128 Ave. F. 43-1tp

W. P. Boydston and W. P. Jr., were business visitors in Georgetown, Monday and Tuesday.

Funeral services for G. W. Laster, brother of Mrs. T. D. Oxley of Burk Burnett, were held Wednesday at Cody, Wyoming. Laster was drowned near Cody.

Mrs. Grayson Chinwith of Tishomingo, Okla., is visiting her brother, Mr. J. C. Inloe of this city this week.

Miss Pauline Gladden, who teaches at Fairview will leave for her home in Oilton, Texas, Sunday.

Mesdames P. A. Wiggins, Lynn Kincaid, Ray Hill, and Cliff Cannon left for Denton Thursday morning.

Miss Kathryn Houser, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Houser of this city was graduated from the Lubbock Clinic's school of nursing on May 6.

J. H. Hatcher and family left Wednesday for Fresno, Calif., where they will make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stuckey left Monday for Gainesville to be at the bedside of Mr. Stuckey's father, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Preston will leave Sunday to attend the graduation exercises of their daughter, Miss Grace Preston, from Baylor University.

Miss Bernice Berringer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Berringer of this city, will graduate from the Clinton hospital school of nursing on June 1st.

Tom Spray, son of Mrs. Annie Spray, will leave for San Diego, Calif., today for training in the Marine corps. His acceptance into the corps was announced Wednesday, and he was given his final examination Thursday.

The Band parents club will meet at 8 p. m. Monday at the Hardin grade school for election of officers.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Browning and family will leave Friday for Dallas to attend the graduation exercises of Mrs. Browning's niece, Miss Genevieve Gentry.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Nolen visited their daughter, Mrs. H. H. Hicks in Childress Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Allen and Jon Hi Bear, have returned from Crowell where they have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tex Allen. The party went fishing while there.

Mrs. L. Lemmons of Houston, Mrs. O. M. Kelley of Breckenridge, Mrs. H. E. Shoat of Wichita Falls, and Mrs. Lean Corkin of Abilene visited their mother, Mrs. J. K. Rose of Burk Burnett Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Evert and their daughter, Cornelia, spent the week-end with their daughter, Mrs. Herman Engelmann in Mineral Wells.

Mrs. Kell Wiley, Patsy and Kay from Seagraves, are visiting Mrs. L. H. Hoffman, Mrs. Wiley's mother, and her sister, Mrs. L. A. Hatch.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Minick, Weldon, and Mrs. G. B. Schroeder, visited Mr. Minick's aunt and uncle in Orlando, Okla., last week-end.

Wheat And The First World War

Farmers have only to compare the present wheat situation and the first world war situation to realize that conditions are radically different, and that some protective measure such as marketing quotas is needed to meet the new problems, says Ben L. Robison, vice-chairman of the county AAA committee.

From 1917 to 1920 there was a good demand for American wheat, while today there is neither the demand nor the shipping space for wheat exports from the United States, he explained. Exports have also dwindled in Australia and Canada, where large stocks of wheat have accumulated. Exports from this country will run about 30 to 35 million bushels for the current season, compared to 106 million bushels in 1938-39 and 240 million in 1915.

The present surplus in the United States, Canada and Australia also contrast with world war conditions, Robison pointed out. At that time neither Argentina, Canada nor Australia produced as much wheat as they do now and a larger part of the export wheat came from the United States. As a result the wheat reserve in the United States was negligible all through the first world war period. The stock of old wheat which will be on hand here on July 1 will be approximately seven times the size of the 1915 carry-over.

During the world war years the United States boosted its wheat production facilities to meet the war-born demand. Following the war Canada, Argentina and Australia expanded acreage considerably. Because of smaller markets and increased competition for the remaining world outlets, the available markets will not take all the wheat this country can produce for export.

With the present war shutting off even the limited foreign markets, the result has been a record-breaking wheat surplus here, he said, and U. S. farmers need some measure as marketing quotas to divide their remaining market fairly and to provide for safe storage of the surplus until needed.

Burk Masons To Entertain 88th Grand Master

Secretary Jess Griffin of the local Masonic lodge, announced this week that the lodge is preparing to entertain P. E. Pearson, 88th District Grand Master of Wichita Falls, here next Monday night at 8 o'clock.

Masons from Devoil, Grandfield, Randlett and Walters, Okla., Wichita Falls, Iowa Park and Electra have been extended an invitation.

Home Economics Offered As Only Summer Course

Due to the lack of sufficient numbers desiring to attend there will be no summer school in Burk Burnett this summer. However, a summer course in Home Economics will be offered for three weeks. Those taking the course, will be required to spend the rest of the summer months on a home project, on which at least 90 hours must be spent.

Rotary Club Met On Tuesday

Paul Browning had charge of the program at the Rotary club Tuesday and made a talk on "How the Defense Program Will Affect the Auto Industry." For the entertainment part of his program he presented Dorothy Ann Preston in a reading, "I Am Proud," and Sadie Beth Tevis in a piano solo.

Scrambled Eggs-

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attractive and appealing. Uncle Sam builds these commodious club buildings. Every man, woman, and child in all the nation is asked to chip in to pay for the personnel in charge. Let U. S. O. provide the right sort of environment for the soldier off duty so when Sonny Boy gets back to camp, he will come back to his company instead of the guard house or a jail. Each and every one of you who read these lines will want to have a personal financial part in caring for our service men who are away from home training as guards for all of us and as defenders of our liberty.

This campaign is nationwide and begins everywhere next Tuesday, June 3. Our workers will all serve without pay. If every boy and girl will give a nickel or a dime, if every man and woman will give something, no matter how small, Burk's quota of \$400 can be raised in one day. This is our goal. Let no person shirk his duty. Let every human give some amount. Since Sheppard Field is located here, many times this amount will be spent here logically. Have your checks made payable to U. S. O. already signed when our workers call on you Tuesday. If you must leave town, leave your check already filled out. See that these splendid workers are not forced to make any return calls. Contribute now and help us put this campaign over in one day, next Tuesday.

This is an appeal to the heart and soul and we submit this worthy cause to your intelligence and to your patriotism.

Sheppard Field Road Provided By Court

In the meeting of the county commissioners court Monday, May 26, official authorization was given to Commissioner Lee Cooper to buy right of way for a road connecting Wichita Falls with Sheppard Field.

The proposed road will leave North Scott avenue just north of the overpass, and will pass through the Panhandle Oil Refining company's tank farm. The road will reach the Burk Burnett highway just south of Sheppard Field.

Petroleum refining is the largest manufacturing industry in Texas, representing 41 per cent of all manufacturers in this state.

Canadian Travel Provides Ideal Summer Vacation

CANADA today is one of our biggest and best customers. It is buying more from us than ever before in its history. To continue its enormous purchases Canada needs exchange—that is, it needs American dollars, spent by tourists in Canada.

Writing in the May issue of Good Housekeeping magazine, Alva J. Leonard points out that each dollar thus spent will help the Canadian cause and will eventually come back to the United States as payment for war supplies and material. But aside from this, Canada affords a paradise for the summer visitor. Travel, in spite of Canada being actively engaged in the war, is convenient and pleasant, Mr. Leonard reports. First of all, if you are a bona-fide American citizen, a passport isn't necessary. But in case you are asked to establish your identity, a birth certificate, an automobile license, or even personal letters will be sufficient. Tourists will actually benefit by the favorable money exchange which is 10 per cent at the moment. This means that for every American dollar you will receive \$1.10 in Canadian currency.

Furthermore there is no delay at the border, only a brief and cursory examination is held, and getting out of Canada will be as simple as getting in. Everyone is allowed to bring back purchases up to \$100 duty free, with the provision that you have remained in Canada for at least forty-eight hours.

Americans, who have taken the candid camera craze so much to heart, will be glad to know that cameras may be taken in without duty, and they may be used freely except in prohibited places, pertaining to defense.

Once the American visitor has reached Canada there is a wealth of activity which he can enjoy. Among the excellent fishing grounds are Lake St. John, Quebec, Nipigon District, Ontario and the Restigouche River District. For sightseers there is the breath-taking scenery of Jasper National Park, the Gaspé Peninsula, Annapolis Valley in Nova Scotia and the Columbia Icefield. The cities of Quebec and Montreal, and Fort Churchill on Hudson Bay are landmarks of historical interest that are bound to attract Americans. And those who enjoy seeing wild life run rampant will get their fill in such places as New Brunswick, Northern Ontario, Lake St. John in Quebec, and in the Rocky Mountain Parks.

I Give You Texas

By Boyce House

The Mexicans have a proverb for it: Guests and fish stink on the third day.

He who would be rich has not to pile up money but to diminish his wants.

It is a bad hen that feeds at home and lays abroad. If the pitcher knocks the stone or if the stone knocks the pitcher, it is equally bad for the pitcher.

He who will revenge every affront means not to live long. Laws, like the spider's web, catch the fly and let the hawk go free.

By night, all cats are gray. Keep yourself from the anger of a great man, from the tumult of the mob, from fools in a narrow way, from a widow that has been thrice married, from wind that comes in a hole, and from a reconciled enemy.

Over the hill trailed a man behind a mule drawing a plow. Unexpectedly the plow hit a root; the mule stopped and the man began to grumble as he fixed the hames:

"Bill, you are just a mule, the son of a jackass, and I am a man made in the image of God. Yet here we work, hitched up together year after year. I often wonder if you work for me or I work for you. Verily, I think it is a partnership between a mule and a fool, for surely I work as hard as you do, if not harder. Plowing or cultivating, we cover the same distance but you do it on four legs and I on two, therefore I do twice as much as you.

"Soon we will be preparing for a corn crop. When the crop is harvested, I give one-third to the landlord for being so kind as to let me use a small speck of God's earth. One-third goes to you and the rest is mine. You consume all of your portion except the cobs while I divide mine among nine children, six hens, two ducks and a banker.

"If we both need shoes, you get 'em. You are getting the best of me and I ask you, is it fair for a mule, the son of a jackass, to swindle a man, the lord of creation, out of his substance?"

"Why you only help to plow and cultivate the ground and I alone must cut, shock and husk the corn, while you look over the pasture fence and hee-haw at me. All fall and most of the winter, the whole family from baby up picks cotton to help raise enough money to pay taxes and buy a new set of harness and pay the mortgage on you. And what do you care about the mortgage? Not a thing, you ornery cuss. I even have to do the worrying about the mortgage on your tough, ungrateful hide.

"About the only time I am your better is on election day, for I can vote and you can't. And after election I realize that I was fully as big a jackass as your papa.

"And that ain't all, Bill. When

you're dead, that's supposed to be the end of you. But me? The preachers tell me that when I die I may go to hell forever. That is, Bill, if I don't do just as they say. And most of what they say keeps me from getting any fun out of life.

"Tell me, William, considering these things, how can you keep a straight face and still look so dumb and solemn?"—(Quoted from Lon Boynton's Lamar County Echo.)

Around the corner I have a friend In this great city that has no end; Yet days go by and weeks rush on,

And before I know it a year is gone. And I never see my dear friend's face, For life is a swift and terrible race.

He knows I love him just as well As in the days when I rang his bell. And he rang mine. We were younger then.

We were not busy, tired men—Tired of playing a busy game, Tired of trying to make a name. "Tomorrow," I say, "I'll call on Jim,

Just to show that I am thinking of him." But tomorrow comes and tomorrow goes, And the distance between us grows and grows.

Around her corner! Yet miles away! "Here's a telegram, sir." "Jim died today."

And that's what we get and deserve in the end— Around the corner, a departed friend!

(Author Unknown.)

Local Boy Makes Bedroom Suite

Buster Jacobs, Burk Burnett, a student at John Tarleton Agricultural college, Stephenville, had on display at the recent annual Tarleton Industrial Arts department exhibit held on May 25, a complete bedroom suite of solid walnut furniture, made solely by himself.

Students Receive School Certificates

During the 1940-41 school term, only 16 high school students were neither absent nor tardy. They are: Mary Blackstone, David Brown, Irene Crowder, Virginia Crowder, Betty Curry, DeLois Foote, Martha Nell Grady, Marcella Kramer, Floyd Lawler, Bobby McMurtry, Doris Frances Magers, Alton Sauls, Garvane Tipton, Betty Jean Turner, Lorene Womack, and Marjorie Hieserman.

These students were awarded certificates by the school for their accomplishment.

When gangsters work together, honest people might as well cooperate.

A 'Jitney' Goes a Long Way in Defense



Typical of nightly gatherings in Army cantonments from coast to coast is the convivial above. Uncle Sam's new fighters relax in true American fashion after a hard day on the job.

UNCLE SAM'S new defenders make only \$21 a month—but that buys for them a lot of luxuries essentials at a nickel a shot. These Army lads have discovered that commonplace luxuries of civilian life are actual necessities for relaxation from service routine and they're satisfying most of their desires for five cents. That old "jitney" stands up as a major spending item in the Post Exchanges, the modern canteens that have been installed at most of the Army cantonments. A bar of candy, a package of chewing gum or a bottle of their favorite soft drink costs only a nickel but they're worth their weight in gold when the gang is relaxing after a hard day of drilling or field maneuvers. The boys in camp, going through the arduous routine of becoming top-flight fighting men, realize the value of that five-cent miracle—the soft drink. It's as national to them as tea is in England; coffee in the Scandinavian countries; and wine in Italy or France. Beverages, along with candy and chewing gum, are "luxuries" to buck privates because they must buy them with their own money. Their clothes, their grub, their sleeping quarters and medical care are all provided. It's up to the boys themselves to find a means of relaxation and refreshment after their tour of duty is finished for the day. And so the Post Exchange comes where they're nickels cautiously. Even when they're on candy or soft drink are helping their comrades. Benefitted are the produce the sugar, sugar, and the frosting; box wood bottles; box wood machinery, and other adjuncts of a fortune by any go a long way when they spend a nickel or so at

TEX THEATRE BURKBURNETT, TEXAS. 2 SHOWS FOR 1 PRICE OF 1. Friday-Saturday-Sunday MAY 30-31, JUNE 1. TIM HOLT in "ALONG THE RIO GRANDE" —and— "HERE COMES HAPPINESS". BOX OFFICE OPENS FRI. 6:00 - SAT. 12:00 SUNDAY 2:00. Adults 20c.

Burkburnett PALACE Attractions. FRI.-SAT. - - May 30-31 Jane Withers - Buddy Rogers "GOLDEN HOOF". SUNDAY Ayres and Barrymore in "PEOPLE vs. JUNE and MONDAY Dr. KILDARE" 1-2. Tues. June 3 BARGAIN DAY "That Uncertain Feeling". Wed.-Thurs. June 3-4 Jas. Stewart "Pot 'o Gold". PHONE 95 "ASK ABOUT THE SHOW"

Library Re-

Thursday, M

Since the Presid approval of allocat for WPA and NYA Burk Burnett Public has been closed a

May 17, was reopen day, May 22. Librarians Mrs. Balsley and Mrs. announced that the open daily, except 10 o'clock a. m. to 5 p. m. The library will day on Memorial May 30.

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TO RENT: A gold nesday, May 21, ground. Return to ward.

FOR SALE—Cafe fixtures in Burk Burnett, 122 Ave. D, Burk Burnett Star Inn, Wichita Highway, Phone 24.

FOR RENT: 4-room garage apt. street. Modern including linoleum kitchenette; auto heater, shades, knotty pine stairs space. See R. D. B. L. McDonald, 24 of Burk Burnett.

CALL Mrs. Fred fresh baked cakes. Phone 53. Also grocers.

Mr. and Mrs. are invited guests of BURKBURNETT for the night.

Palace next Sunday (Present this box off)

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