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City to Enforce Traffic Rules

In an effort to eliminate congested traffic during the fall season—particularly on Saturdays—stronger enforcement of the city traffic regulations will be made, Chief of Police Ed McCreary said this week.

The streets are sufficiently wide, the chief said, to allow an easy flow of traffic. But too many people double park both on the square and on the side streets for long periods of time, thus causing traffic to be congested badly every Saturday afternoon and night.

The downtown streets were marked off last week, to facilitate parking and driving for visitors to the city. All parking places, both angle and parallel parking sites, have been re-marked and those people using the spaces are urged to park correctly.

Where angle parking is indicated, McCreary said, motorists are asked to cooperate by parking between the lines—and not with one tire on a line, or a line completely covered by a car. Where parallel parking is indicated, the lines "mean just that," McCreary emphasized. Too many people disregard the parallel parking lines and continue to angle park, thereby leaving only a small space for the regular traffic to get through.

Double parking is allowed for a period of 15 minutes in any spot on or off the square, if the driver remains in the car during the 15 minutes. The driver must be present, however, to move the car if another driver wants to move his car from an inside parking space.

Numerous citizens double park, take the car keys out of their auto, and leave it parked for a long period, the chief of police explained. He told of one person who double parked, left the car in gear, locked the car door to make it impossible to move the car, and then went to a motion picture show.

"We are not trying to force the citizens to obey the city ordinances," McCreary explained. "All we want is cooperation to avoid the congestion of traffic which is sure to come as the busy fall season continues. No one will be given a traffic ticket and be forced to pay a fine unless the fine is justifiable."

The ordinance which was passed in July of 1940 provides for two-way traffic on the outside lane on the square, whereas the old arrangement was for one way on the outside lane and the other on the inside lane.

Another common violation made is the execution of a "U" turn on the four corners of the square. The "U" turn was done away with when the corner buttons were removed from the square to allow easier turning.

Miss Sullivan New Home Ec Teacher

Miss Rhita Jean Sullivan, who has been engaged in home economics work for the past nine years, has been elected to fill the vacancy in the Memphis High School system caused by the resignation of Miss Rachel Deahl.

Miss Deahl will be employed as the supervisor of the Housekeeping Aid project in Memphis. She will succeed Mrs. Ross Gentry, who resigned when she moved to Floydada.

Miss Sullivan is a graduate of SWSTC at San Marcos, and has done graduate work at Colorado State College in Fort Collins. She taught at Hereford seven years, and at Claude two years. She was a state sponsor of the Future Homemakers of Texas in 1940-41, and is now a member of the state executive council of the FHM organization.

Baptist Revival Now in Progress

A week's revival, with services being held twice daily, is now in progress at the First Baptist Church in Memphis.

Night services begin at 7:30 o'clock, and morning services at 10 o'clock.

Conducting the revival is Dr. E. S. James, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Vernon. In charge of the song services is D. C. Hamilton, educational and musical director in the Vernon church.

CYCLONE, LEFORS TO MEET FRIDAY

Memphis to Play Strong Pirate Team at Lefors; Opponents Are Rated High

The Memphis Cyclone, feeling better after holding the powerful McLean Tigers to 19 to 0 when the local gridmen were supposed to be drubbed all over the field—according to advance dope, face another tough foe Friday night when they meet the Lefors Pirates on the Lefors field.

The Lefors team, admitted to the 3-A district only last year, was strong in 1940 and appears to be even stronger this year. So far the Pirates have played four games—and won four.

The Pirates opened their season with a 31-0 slashing of Perryton, went on to whip Clarendon 26 to 6 in a conference battle, then downed the Amarillo Yarnigans 34 to 6, and last week knocked Wheeler down 32 to 12 in another conference game.

Memphis, on the other hand, has played four—and lost four games. The Cyclone started the season by dropping a conference (Continued on page 12)

Four Teams Still Undefeated in 3-A Conference Games

McLean, Wellington, and Lefors Victorious in All Tilts; Irish Only One Loss

With the football season practically half over, three District 3-A teams, McLean, Wellington, and Lefors still remain undefeated, and one other, Shamrock, has lost only one non-conference tilt.

The McLean Tigers stretched their winning streak for the year to five last Friday night by downing the Memphis Cyclone 19 to 0. The Cyclone held the big Tigers to a lower score than any team except Phillips, who lost by the narrow 7-6 decision.

Wellington, the surprise team of the district, defeated the Lakeview Eagles 37 to 6 in another conference tilt to remain unbeaten, while Lefors was whipping the Wheeler Mustangs 32 to 12.

Non-conference games last Friday found Clarendon losing to the Phillips Blackhaws, and Shamrock running through Perryton 25 to 0.

Next week will find McLean meeting Wellington in a tilt which will put one of the leaders in the beaten list—unless the game results in a tie. Both teams have met Lakeview, Wellington winning 37 to 6 and McLean 35 to 0, indicating a tight game between (Continued on page 12)

Judge in Austin To Study Laws

County Judge M. O. Goodpasture left Wednesday for Austin, where he will study recent legislation during the next few days.

The judge will visit several departments of the state government, and will make a particular study of legislation dealing with court procedure to avoid mistakes in the local county court.

Taxes, Beautiful Taxes

SO OLD THE RED INK HAS TURNED TO GRAY

Every once in a while when you are walking down the street, you may see a man with a big smile on his face.

Maybe—yes, maybe—that man is one of those who recently—yes, very recently—paid his delinquent taxes, those taxes which have been on the books of Hall County for so long that the red ink has turned to gray.

October—yes, October—is the last month in which you—yes, you—can pay your delinquent taxes without having to pay the penalty and interest on them.

All penalty and interest on city, county, and state taxes delinquent prior to the 1940 taxes will be knocked off the total amount due



INSTALLED—J. W. Burk, who was installed last Thursday night as commander of the Chas. R. Simmons Post of the American Legion. He succeeds O. V. Alexander.

High School Honor Roll Is Announced For 1st Six Weeks

Only Few Students Are Listed; West Ward Group, Junior High Announced

The lucky—or perhaps studious—students to make the honor roll of Memphis High School for the first six-weeks period were announced this week by Principal Noah Cunningham.

The entire list was lower in number this year than is ordinarily the case, with only six seniors, one junior, ten sophomores, eight freshmen, and five pre-freshmen making the necessary grades.

Seniors were James Baldwin, Muffet Merrell, Cassandra Morris, Wanda Posey, Jane Tarver, and Hiram Wood.

Teddy Austin was the only junior to be listed.

Sophomores: Billy Jean Beckham, Laverne Dodson, Frances Gilreath, Sue Lynn Guthrie, Laura Mai Hightower, Billie Frances Murdock, J. B. McAbee, Nora Mae McMurtry, R. C. Taylor, Mary Anderson.

Freshmen: Glynn Baker, Doris Compton, Euclair Gilbert, Betty Bob Webb, J. W. Goffinett Jr., (Continued on page 12)

Two Youths Hurt In City Accident

Two Memphis youths were seriously injured, and three others suffered slight injuries when a sedan and a coupe collided near the Log Cabin service station last Sunday night.

Most seriously injured were Bobby Jeffries, who suffered a fractured leg and head injuries, and Lloyd Comer, who received a pelvic injury. Both of these youths were still undergoing treatment in a local hospital Wednesday.

B. P. Kinsey and Robert Cochran also received treatment Sunday night, but have been released. Another Cochran youth was not seriously enough hurt to be taken to the hospital.

The accident occurred as the sedan was coming out of the side road which runs to the Pastime swimming pool, and the coupe was going west, Chief of Police Ed McCreary, who investigated the crash, said this week. Both cars were badly damaged.

Hall County Agent Urges Farmers to Harvest Feed

COTTON PICKING CLOSES SCHOOLS

Total of 318 Bales Ginned Prior to October 1; Other Schools to Close Soon

For further proof that the cotton ginning season is on the up-grade in Hall County, take a look around at several of the schools in the county—for four have already closed to allow students a chance to help with the cotton gathering.

A total of 318 bales had been ginned prior to October 1 from the 1941 crop, C. Lee Rushing, special agent for the bureau of the census of the Department of Commerce, reported this week.

At the same time in 1940, a total of 1,594 bales had been ginned in comparison to this year's 318. The low figure for the year, however, is easily explainable since the 1941 crop is much later than that of last year due to the heavy rains.

The four schools which closed last Friday were those at Lakeview, Deep Lake, Brice, and Pleasant Valley. The schools will remain closed for a period of at least four weeks, and possibly more, depending on the weather. (Continued on page 6)

County Judge and City Mayors Made Defense Workers

Governor Makes Officials Co-ordinators for Work With Local Organizations

All Texas county judges and city mayors were officially designated Saturday by Governor Coke Stevenson as defense co-ordinators for their particular areas, to work with local defense councils, veterans organizations, and civic groups in carrying out defense activities.

No definite outline of the work to be done has been received by Mayor J. C. Wells, the city official said this week.

Under the plan, however, defense matters which relate to the regular functions of state agencies are referred to those offices by the governor. The governor has asked the heads of state agencies directly concerned with defense problems to serve as members of the National Defense Committee for Texas. They, in turn, call upon local authorities in their respective fields and upon private organizations and individuals for any needed cooperation.

Local organizations, local defense councils, clubs, societies, and individuals will be given full opportunity to help. (Continued on page 12)

Burk Installed as Post Commander

J. W. Burk was installed as commander of the Chas. R. Simmons Post of the American Legion last Thursday night to succeed O. V. Alexander, who has served in that capacity during the past year.

Del E. Wells of Lakeview was installed as vice commander, succeeding C. C. Meacham. Roy Guthrie was re-elected to serve as adjutant.

.36 of Inch Rain Drops Mercury To 44-Degree Low

More rain—.36 of an inch in all—brought cooler weather to Hall County, as well as a long look on the faces of farmers who are striving to get some of the cotton from their fields to gins.

Wednesday night .05 of an inch in moisture fell, and Tuesday 31 of an inch came. The total for the year is now 31.13 inches.

Lowest temperature of the week was 44 degrees, recorded by J. J. McMickin, local weather observer, last Friday and Saturday nights.

Temperatures for the week are as follows: Wednesday, high 56, low 47; Tuesday, 68-52; Monday, 92-62; Sunday, 76-61; Saturday, 81-44; Friday, 75-44; Thursday, 76-58.

Eight Men Leave For U. S. Army; Six More to Be Called

New Draftees to Leave Memphis November 17 for Fort Bliss for Induction

Eight Hall County men left for the army as draftees Monday, and six more will be asked for in Call No. 27, to report to Fort Bliss November 18.

The eight men who left Monday, and their order numbers, are as follows: Oda Hawthorne, 141; Grover Charles Booth, 224; Floy Eugene Anthony, 234; Richard Benjamin Lindsey, S-250; Olan George Richards, S-291; Woodrow Wilson Reed, 320; Doyce George, S-333; Wilfred William Dunn, 346.

Hall County has no quota in Call No. 26, W. J. Bragg, chief clerk of the local draft board, said this week, but Call No. 27 asks for six men. The six to go have not yet been selected, but will leave here November 17.

Play Activities at School Continue

Activities in the recreation program at Memphis High School, under the joint sponsorship of the Memphis schools and the WPA, continued this week, and three new members joined the staff of workers.

New members are Nora R. Sheenmaker, Jessie Gilbert, and Zora M. Chandler.

A volleyball tournament, conducted by Robert Mauck, was completed last week, with the women's club taking first place over a boys club, a girls club, and CCC men's club.

Henry Wasson started basketball workouts Monday night, and the work on the first night was pronounced as "highly successful." Most of those entering the contests were high school students.

A program was given at the CCC camp last week. Included on the program were musical numbers by Laura Mai Hightower, and a special number by Muffet Merrell and Thomas Pyle.

More than ten thousand leisure hours were spent last week at the project, Mrs. Roy Guthrie, supervisor, reported.

Memphians Make Deer-Hunting Trip

Three Memphians and four residents of Wichita Falls returned last Friday from White Lake Forest in northwestern Colorado where they bagged five deer and one elk on a ten-day hunting trip.

The weather was continually growing colder while the men were there, and when they left, the snow was 14 inches deep in some places.

Making the trip were Leo Fields, E. E. Cudd, and T. D. Weatherby, of Memphis; and J. C. Cudd, Cecil Scott, Ralph Swenson, and L. F. Johnson, of Wichita Falls.

CROP TO YIELD LARGE AMOUNT

Preserve Feed in Silos, Official Says; Will Keep For Indefinite Period

Hall County is going to make "worlds of feed" this year, but there will be lots of it never gathered, County Agent W. B. Hooser said this week as he urged all farmers to make an attempt to gather as much of the feed as possible.

"Every farmer should take care of the feed," the county agent emphasized, "for it is the best insurance the farmer can have. We should remember the lean years in the past when we had cattle but no feed, and make an attempt to be prepared for a similar time in the future."

The feed can easily be preserved or future use in a trench silo, Hooser explained, and at little expense. There are eight silo machines in the county, and the use of one of them can be obtained for little cost.

"Dairy cattle without a trench silo is not much of a program," (Continued on page 6)

Fire of Unknown Origin Destroys Busy Lesley Gin

Blaze Apparently Starts In Press Room; Another Gin May Be Constructed

The Lesley Gin, which had been one of the busiest gins in Hall County so far this season, was completely destroyed Wednesday night by fire of an undetermined origin.

The gin, managed by Kirby Hagins, was running at the time, and the fire apparently started in the press room. It was thought that the fire had been extinguished at one time, it was reported, but the blaze broke loose again and workers were unable to control it.

The Memphis Fire Department answered the call, but were unable to control the blaze due to lack of water facilities.

The gin had already ginned about 100 bales of cotton this year. Only a few bales were destroyed in the fire, however, since most of the cotton had been removed.

Whether another gin will be moved to the site is not known. The Lesley Gin was controlled by the Memphis Cotton Oil Company, and an official of that company said this morning that another gin might be constructed there this fall if parts for the machinery can be bought.

The value of the gin was not disclosed, although it was reported that it was at least partially covered by insurance.

Class Exemption Given Local Girl

A "B" average in all her subjects at Texas State College for Women has entitled Miss Charlotte Coursey of Memphis to class exemption this semester. Only 180 of the 2,400 students enrolled received this privilege.

All students with this high scholastic average are required to file application in the Registrar's office and if approved are not subject to compulsory class attendance. Miss Coursey is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Coursey. She is majoring in sociology and is a junior student at the college.

Forestry Service Officer in Army

William S. (Bill) Greene, who has been serving as the local Forestry Service officer for the past several months, left from Clarendon Wednesday to be inducted into the U. S. army.

Greene was drafted under Selective Service regulations as one of the quota from Donley County.

Crocheted Jewelry New Fashion



WHEREVER you use crochet, this year, you can be sure of its fashion-rightness, with outstanding designers using this lovely handwork for everything from hats to sandals. And now comes crocheted jewelry, the perfect accessory to dramatize a simple dress and give it an up-to-the-minute flair. Tiny seashells in crochet comprise this set of matching collar-necklace, bracelet and earrings. Made in two shades of mercerized pearl cotton—a lighter shade for the inner part of each shell and a deeper tone of the same color for the edge—the set can be crocheted for about 30¢. Directions for crocheting this jewelry may be obtained by sending a stamped, self-addressed envelope to the Needlework Department of this paper, specifying design #1011.

Annual Installation of Officers Is Held By Local Legion and Auxiliary Groups

The American Legion and Auxiliary met at the Legion Hall last Thursday evening at 7:30 for the installation of the officers of both organizations.

The commander of the program was O. V. Alexander. "America" was sung and the preamble was read in unison. Mrs. Roy Guthrie was the installing officer. Mrs.

H. B. Gilmore, president of the Auxiliary, read the names of officers of the Auxiliary, each coming forward and forming a line, with the officers of the Legion also forming a line. Mrs. Roy Guthrie made a talk and gave the charge to the new officers.

Mrs. W. Wilson presented to Mrs. H. B. Gilmore, retiring president, a vase from the Auxiliary. The officers of the Auxiliary were president, Mrs. Glynn Thompson; first vice president, Mrs. Allie D. Weaver; second vice president, Mrs. J. E. Reheis; secretary, Mrs. Louie Merrell; treasurer, Mrs. C. C. Meacham; historian, Mrs. John Deaver; publicity, Mrs. Mamie VanPelt; sergeant-at-arms, Mrs. Jim Vallance; chaplain, Mrs. Mac Tarver.

Officers of the Legion were Post Commander, J. W. Burk, and Del Wells, Glynn Thompson, and Jim Vallance.

After the installation Judge M. O. Goodpasture gave a talk on defense. John Deaver then addressed the group and business was discussed. The colors were retired by the bearers, H. H. Lindsey and Lonnie Edmondson.

Coffee and sandwiches were served the following members of

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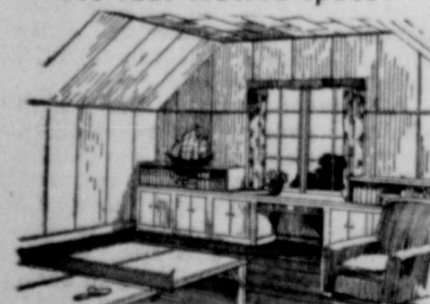
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HALL COUNTY'S CLUB REPORTS—WEDDINGS

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Anna Margaret Mitchell Is Married to William Moss

Miss Anna Margaret Mitchell and William Moss were married Sunday in a single-ring ceremony in the parsonage of the First Methodist Church of Childrens at 12 o'clock by Rev. Orion Carter, pastor.

The bride wore a navy blue dress trimmed in lace, with a corsage of white carnations. She carried white gloves. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Mitchell of Salisbury and graduated with the class of 1940 from the Memphis High School.

Mr. Moss is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Moss of Eli. He attended Clarendon Junior College in Clarendon, Texas A. and M., Brantley-Draughn in Fort Worth, and Texas Tech in Lubbock. He graduated from Memphis High School in 1936.

Mr. and Mrs. Moss will make their home in Memphis at 16th and Bradford streets.



MRS. WILLIAM MOSS

Harmony Club Has Meeting in Home of Mrs. M. McNeely

"Members of the Harmony Club have prepared a musical program of a simple beauty designed for your enjoyment," Mrs. Conley Ward, president of the local organization said when she opened the ensemble program presented to 50 guests last Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Marion McNeely.

Unique in that each of the numbers was recorded on a wax disc by the guests during the refreshment hour, the recording process was the first to be used by the club.

Fall colors in chrysanthemums, zinnias, and dahlias dominated the decorative arrangements and the miniature corsages on the refreshment plate.

The program was opened with a two piano arrangement of Nevin's "The Gondoliers" by Mesdames Robert Devin and Conley Ward. Miss Lowena Moore and Mrs. Ward played a violin duet, "Alita," by Losey. Scott's refreshing folk work, "At the Donnybrook Fair," was featured as a piano duet by Mesdames Matthew Allen and O. N. Hamilton.

A vocal solo selected from a group of Indian songs, was presented by Mrs. Robert Sexauer, accompanied at the piano by Rayburn Jones. The two pianos were used again with a quartette, Mesdames Clyde Milam and Marion McNeely, and Misses Mary Foreman and Demarius Gidden, playing DeKout's "Persian March." Strauss' ever popular "Blue Danube" was played on two pianos by Mesdames Tom Draper and Ned Baird.

The club chorus composed of Mesdames Joe DeBerry, Clyde Milam, D. L. C. Kinard, Otho Fitzjarrald, R. S. Greene, Matthew Allen, Misses Gladys Schantz, Eddie Mae Scott, Mary Foreman, accompanied by Mrs. Robert Devin, closed the program singing "Come Where My Love Lies Dreaming" by Foster.

A refreshment plate of hot tea, candied peel, and cheese canapés was served to the guests.

The following registered at the door: Mesdames J. A. Whaley, W. S. Gooch, J. D. Browder, T. A. Everett, T. B. Rogers, Allie D. Weaver, T. M. Harrison, E. S. Foote, G. W. Sexauer, Standie Roberts, Sam Foxhall, W. B. Jameson, J. W. Stroehle, W. B. Kimberlin, W. C. Dickey, Jack Jarrell, Harry Delaney, E. L. Yeats, J. E. Roper, A. Gidden, James Norman, Allen Grundy, J. H. Norman, J. A. Odom, W. Wilson, Claud Johnson, Otis Jones, George Cullin, Chas. Drake, H. B. Gilmore, Louie B. Merrell, Frank Foxhall, John Deaver, W. C. Davis, A. W. Howard, J. M. Ferrell, R. Ernest Clark, R. H. Wherry, Seth Pallmeyer, and Misses Clara Elizabeth Lee, Rachel Deahl, Mary Noel, Grace Ezzell, Maud Milam, Helen L. Boswell, Frankie Barnes, and Betty Ewing. Out-of-town guests at the tea were Mesdames Van Kennedy and John Bass of Clarendon.

Following the ensemble program at a business meeting, Mrs. McNeely was elected as delegate to the District Music Federation to be held at Hereford October 16, 17, and 18. Selected to appear as representatives of the organization on the Fine Arts program of the Federation were Mrs. Ned Baird and Mrs. Tom Draper.

WEST WARD P.-T. A. Superintendent W. C. Davis discussed the Texas School of the Air, outlining its programs and emphasizing its usefulness for parents as well as teachers and pupils at the West Ward P.-T. A. meeting October 9.

The program is broadcast over several Texas stations daily Monday through Friday from 1:15 to 1:30 o'clock in the afternoons. Mrs. Roy Guthrie explained the different phases of the recreational program in Memphis, speaking of its benefits and inviting each to take part.

Group singing was led by Miss Esta McElrath. Miss Thelma Shankle's room again won the attendance prize. Mrs. H. D. Stringer, president, presided at the business session.

Martins Entertain Memphis Football Squad at Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Martin honored the Memphis football squad with a 6 o'clock dinner Monday.

The Martin store was decorated in gold to honor the Cyclone team. Glen Stilwell, toastmaster, appropriately introduced W. C. Davis, Noah Cunningham, the coaches, and the captains and they responded with peppy talks.

Mr. Martin commended the Memphis squad and their coaches and welcomed them to help him celebrate his birthday anniversary. The toastmaster expressed to the hostesses the appreciation of the group for the dinner.

The menu served was: Carved chicken, dressing, gravy, candied sweet potatoes, creamed potatoes, macaroni and cheese, apple sauce, peaches, and cookies.

The guests served were Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Cunningham, Bill Fletcher, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Headstream, Miss Mildred Baker, Glenn Stilwell, Louie Grimes, J. W. Harrison, J. H. Maxwell, Jerry Doss, Alonzo Robertson, Charles Maxwell, Troy Romines, Aubrey Evans, William Clark, E. F. Jackson, James Chappell, Perry Stevens, Aldon Huggins, Ed Shirley.

State Garden Club Officials to Visit Local Organization

Mrs. Ben G. O'Neal and Mrs. C. E. Bevers of Wichita Falls, who is president-elect of the Texas Federation of Garden Clubs, will visit the Memphis Garden Club in November at a luncheon. Mrs. O'Neal will show a film of gardens and flowers in color.

Mrs. Virgil Greenhouse Honored at Bridal Shower

Mrs. Virgil Greenhouse, formerly Miss Leota Wines, was complimented with a bridal shower Wednesday evening of last week at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Phillips on South 7th street.

Misses Mildred Lamb, Kathryn Jones, Ima Ruth Spry, and Mrs. Adron Byrhalter were co-hostesses.

The program consisted of a musical medley of "Deep Purple" and "I Love You Truly." Mrs. Myrtle Howard read, "The Jealous Wife."

Mrs. Lloyd Phillips gave a chalk talk, "Home Sweet Home." The gifts were presented when a small grocery boy representing the P and J grocery where Mr. Greenhouse works, delivered a basket of groceries to the honoree.

Refreshments were served to those present.

Homemakers Class Meets in Home of Mrs. J. McCulloch

The Homemakers Class of the First Baptist Church had its monthly class meeting Thursday in the home of Mrs. Jake McCulloch, with Mrs. Shirley Patrick as co-hostess.

The program was opened with the class song, "Home Sweet Home." Mrs. Juanita Eudy brought the devotional, using as her subject, "Together," reading from Corinthians 3:8-14.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Byron Baldwin, Herschel Stewart, Cecil Williams, Ruth Scott, Oris Gilbert, Charlie Hill, George Carroll, O. N. Hamilton, Cleron McMurry, Bill Hawthorn, George Thompson Jr., and the hostesses.

Elevian S. S. Meets in Home of Mrs. Sam Fox

The Elevian S. S. class members of the First Church met in the home of their teacher, Mrs. Sam Fox, for a Spanish dinner Tuesday night.

Following a dinner of Spanish food, a short business session was held over by the president, Miss Rosalyn Williams.

The nominating of the new officers and the following were elected: President, Helen Lindsey; first vice, Rosalyn Williams; second vice, Miss Addie Mae Sanders; group captain, Pina Hill and Owen Green.

Those present were Helen Lindsey, Betty Ver, Addie Mae Hill, Rosalyn Williams, Mae Sanders, Owen Green, and Mrs. Sam Foxhall.

Thursday B. Club Meets in Home of Mr. and Mrs. Green

The Thursday B. Club met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Green, Mrs. D. J. Morgenson for the women and for placed high for

Those present were Mrs. Hugh Crawford, Mrs. D. J. Morgenson, Mrs. Irvin Johnson, E. E. Cudd, Miss T. E. Noel, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Harris.

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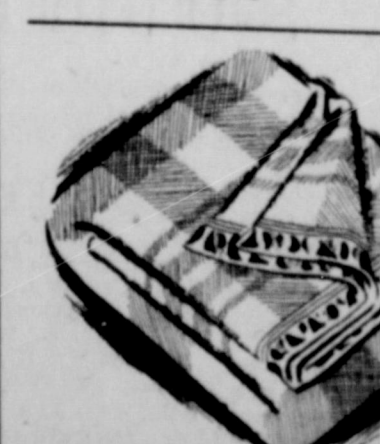


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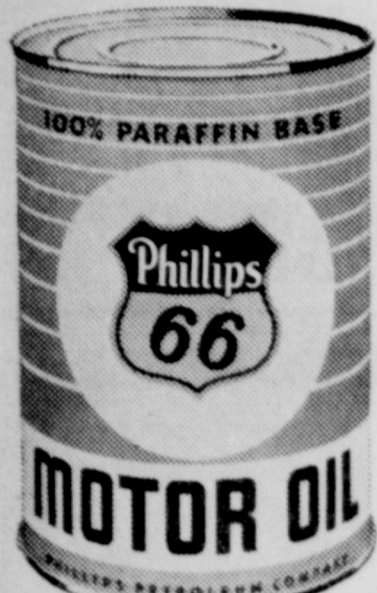
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Up a Ladder for Firemen



Jerry Ward, left, and Katherine Hubbard, of Pasadena, Calif., are up in the air to welcome visiting firemen who attend the California State Firemen's Association conclave. They're demonstrating how not to ascend a ladder.

ESTELLINE

By MRS. FRED BERRY

Mrs. Finis Edwards was brought to her home Sunday from a Childress hospital.

Mrs. Red Spradlin and daughter and Pal Spradlin of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Fouts Spradlin are visiting relatives and friends in Estelline this week.

Dean Bailey of Amarillo spent Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bailey.

Mrs. Verlie Shearer of Lubbock spent the week-end here with her sister, Mrs. John Ewen. She was accompanied by Mrs. Ewen's three boys, Buck, Bob, and Gene, who are attending Texas Tech. Miss Doris Stilwell of Memphis also accompanied them home.

D. C. Brooks of Wellington is here visiting his son, T. B. Brooks. With them was a sister, Mrs. Nixon, and two nieces, Miss Donita Blain and Mrs. Nellie Foster, all of Wellington.

Pete Woods, who is coach at Eddins, spent Sunday in the D. T. Eddins home.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Denson of Estelline and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Phillips of Memphis visited Mrs. Denson's daughter and baby, Mrs. E. S. Rowe of Littlefield, Sunday.

Those going to Quanah Tuesday for the wolf hunt were Mr. and Mrs. Pat McClain, Roy Baccus, Bill Holland and daughter Daisy, Mrs. Perry Hall, Jewell Marcum, and C. O. Kennedy.

Luma Stilwell and daughter Gayle visited in the Fred Berry home Sunday.

Poster Galley, Rudge Holland, A. J. Berry, and Vernon Hunt attended a show in Childress Sunday night.

Virgil Payne and daughter of Plainview visited his sister, Mrs. S. T. Hutchins, here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Waldron of

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Palmeyer Explains Part FSA Plays in National Defense

More Production of Basic Foods Gained Through Use of Improved Methods

Testimonial to rural America's contribution to national defense through the "Food for Freedom" campaign is the Farm Security Administration's program to assist low-income families in adequate diets and good health, improve their housing and farm and home planning in the opinion of Seth B. Palmeyer, county committee chairman for this federal agency in Hall County.

Commenting on Secretary Wickard's request for American agriculture to step up production for food for this nation and all other nations resisting aggression, Palmeyer said, "It is fortunate that families cooperating with the FSA have been for several years getting more production of the basic foods by using improved methods."

He cited the problems of inadequate acreage, sub-marginal land, ill health and other problems faced by many farm families being assisted by this agency of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, which undoubtedly limit the possibilities of increased production by many operators.

"However these families are following definite farm and home management plans designed to help in each specific case, and I have every reason to believe they are now willing and ready to step in and do their part for national defense by increasing production of the needed farm products to the best of their ability."

The well-known community leader declared the agency is contributing materially to National Defense by building better morale by helping needy farm families get back on their own feet, and by helping them acquire something of their own to defend.

Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Bill D. Hart and daughter Jo Ann visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hightower, at Brice Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Lenoir were Amarillo visitors last Friday.

Mrs. Wendell Harrison is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Beck, in Sylvester this week.

Whaley Gillenwater, who is attending Texas Tech at Lubbock, visited last week-end with his mother, Mrs. E. W. Gillenwater.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Selby went to Oklahoma City Sunday due to the illness of their daughter, Evelyn.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

New Birth Means Peace and Love

The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for Oct. 19
Text: John 3:5-8; Acts 1:8; Romans 8:26-28; Galatians 5:22-26.

THIS lesson, consisting of four passages of Scripture, begins with mystery and ends with plain, practical teaching concerning character and daily life.

The mystery is the mystery of the New Birth, which Jesus said in His conversation with Nicodemus could not be explained. Nicodemus could not understand such a thing as being born again, and very frankly said so. Jesus replied to him by the illustration of the wind. "The wind bloweth where it listeth," He said, "and thou canst not tell whence it cometh and whither it goeth. So is every one that is born of the spirit."

With this mystery of the New Birth is associated the baptism of the Holy Spirit. We cannot understand the mystery of God or the nature and relationship of Father, Son, and Holy Spirit; but we see the operations of God's spirit in human life and we know, as the early disciples knew from practical experience, that the Holy Spirit is present with men to be their guide and helper.

The fruits of the Spirit of the Apostle Paul has defined and listed in an unmistakable way, and with detailed fullness. "The fruit of the Spirit," he says, "is love, joy, peace, long-suffering, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, meekness, self-control." Against these Paul says, there is no law. They are the positive expressions of the good life and the God-guided life that all who seek God's guidance can develop without limitation.

The higher one rises in this new life in Christ, and the more conscious he is of God's presence and guidance, the humbler is his spirit and attitude. It is in this spirit that Paul admonished the Christians at Galatia, "Let us not become vain-glorious, provoking one another, envying one another."

TOUCH-DOWN TACTICS

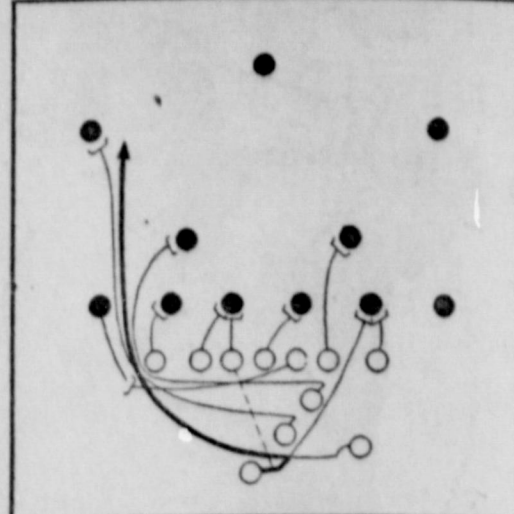
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Bernie Bierman
Head Football Coach
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This is the third in a series of six outstanding diagram plays by leading college coaches from Grantland Rice's new Cities Service Football Guide.

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The fullback receives the ball, takes a short lead to the right and passes it to the wingback who has made a half pivot to his left and continues around the left side as fast as he can. This play depends largely on speed, and everything has to be done in a precision-like manner.



Although this diagram shows an unbalanced line to the right we use this same formation from which we run plays through any spot of the line, or throw forward passes.

The principal blocking assignments are on the line of scrimmage until the play gets into the open field. For that reason it can readily be seen that speed and precision are paramount if this play is to succeed.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Swift and Mrs. Myrtle Mayes were Childress visitors Sunday.

J. W. Foust of Colorado City visited Saturday with his son, E. S. Foust and wife.

Miss Doris Stilwell, who is attending Texas Tech, visited last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luma Stilwell.

Mrs. J. C. Ross returned Thursday from Amarillo where she had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Benton King and family.

Miss Jane Harris of Amarillo spent last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Harris.

James Evans, who is attending Texas Tech in Lubbock, spent last week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Evans.

Jack Drake, who is attending Texas Tech in Lubbock, spent last week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Drake.

Miss Athalee Hutcherson, who is attending Texas Tech, spent last week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hutcherson.

Bill Johnson, who is stationed at Camp Bowie at Brownwood, came last Thursday for a visit with friends.

Rayford Harris of Camp Bowie, Brownwood, came last Thursday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Harris.

Miss Imogene King visited her sister, Mrs. Ray Martin, in Pampa last week-end. She also visited friends.

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October is the last month in which Delinquent Taxes can be paid without penalty and interest added. Half the month is gone and a great many have already paid who are on safe ground feeling happy.

Don't wait until the very last day to settle your old taxes because the collector's office can do only one day's work in one day and we don't want to see anybody crowded out by being "too late." It's lots safer to come early in the month and be sure to get the discounts; so, friends, don't wait.

Owing to discounts being taken in Delinquent Tax payments (as much one-third of the total in many cases) and the 3% discounts on current taxes given in October, the Tax Collector will have no time to leave the Memphis office to go to Turkey or elsewhere to receive taxes until November, the books must stay here during the rush.

J. M. Ferrell
Collector

Mrs. Joe Hammon, minister, Calif., is visiting her father, E. Hammon, here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Shamrock visited Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shamrock.

Pete Payne left Monday home in Olden after his mother in Law.

Mrs. Roy Russell of a Memphis visitor Monday.

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McLean Tigers Hit Stride Period to Defeat Cyclone 19-0

Food Expenditures Increased \$8,661 By Blue Stamps

Memphis Cyclone McLean Tigers during the first three games last Friday in the Cyclone field, but the last period and the last game, the Tigers of a 19 to 0 score.

Lee, fast and loose and tore for 65 yards and a kick was no good. The score lasted until the last period. The Tigers were up a much bigger margin than the Cyclone.

McLean: Louie Lawrence, Ed Jackson, backs; J. W. Harrison, and Ed Evans, Chappell and Troy; Ray Bruce.

Montgomery, and Cook, backs; Dyer, ends; Batson, and Innes and Boyd, center.

Red Cross active duty with armed forces. Our young men must be enrolled in the Red Cross. We can provide in this community the local Red Cross.

Wives' Special spent a busy day in town shopping. The stop-off that refreshes... at the for a chipped steak sandwich. Bet drop the hint to friend husband that's lunches are tops for eating-out.

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Grocer Sentenced In Stamp Fraud

Federal Judge Allen Cox of the northern district of Mississippi October 9 sentenced G. C. Josey, a 55 year-old Starkville, Miss., grocer to two years and four months in the federal penitentiary and fined him \$250, plus a five year probational period after serving his sentence, for presenting false claims against the United States Government.

Josey was operating a grocery store in Starkville and participated in the United States Department of Agriculture, Surplus Marketing Administration's food stamp program. He was indicted at Aberdeen, Miss., October 8, arraigned and plead guilty Thursday.

Presenting the case for the federal government were United States Attorney George T. Mitchell, and assistant United States Attorneys J. O. Day and Chester L. Summers.

Josey is the second Mississippi grocer to be sentenced to the federal penitentiary for violation of the food stamp program during the past 30 days. James Newton Weir, a 65-year-old West Enterprise, Miss., grocer was sentenced to three years in the federal penitentiary and fined \$1,000 at Meridian the latter part of September.

Marine Officers To Be in Turkey

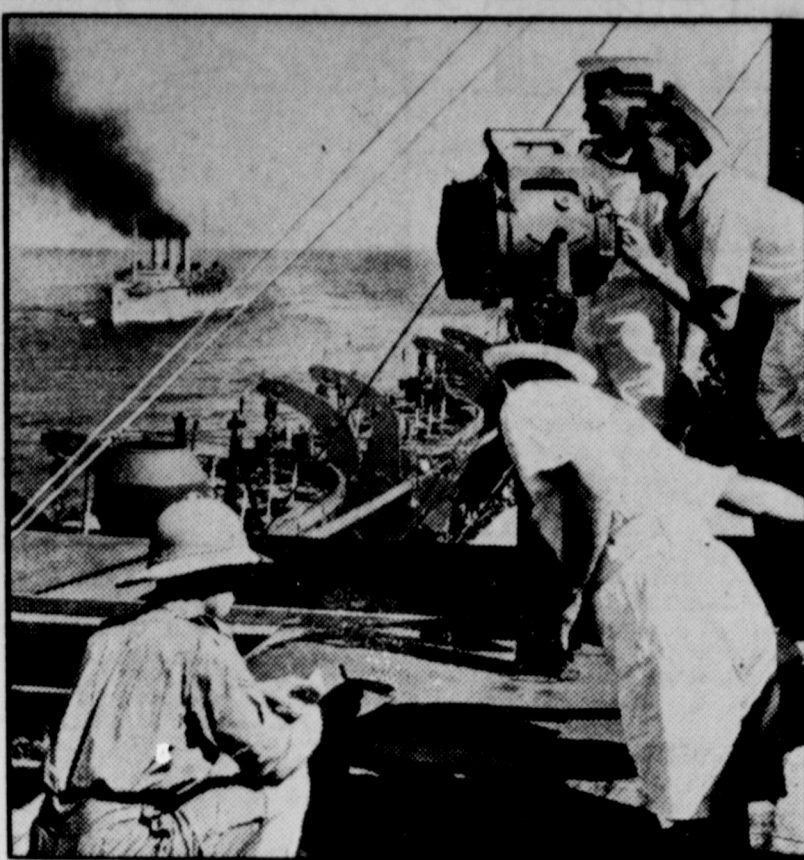
Two "Leatherneck" recruiting sergeants will be located in the post office building at Turkey Wednesday and Thursday, October 22 and 23, to interview, examine, and accept applicants, who are unmarried and between 17 and 30 years of age, for the U. S. Marine Corps.

Accepted applicants will be furnished transportation to Oklahoma City for final enlistment and transfer to the Marine Corps Base at San Diego, Calif.

The recruiting sergeants are authorized to accept an unlimited number of men for both the four-year, and the "duration of the national emergency" enlistments.

Do you want to help save American lives? Last year the American Red Cross taught First Aid to 577,000 men and women, home nursing to 80,000, water safety to 260,000. Hundreds of thousands more must be reached this year. Help the Red Cross save American lives. Join the local chapter.

Move to Protect Middle-East



British "Tommies" co-operate with tars aboard a steamship bringing men and materials to centers of defense along the Middle East front. A steady stream of defenders and their equipment is pouring into this region.

PERSONALS

L. J. McAbee returned Sunday from Wyoming where he has been working.

Herschel Pounds attended the WTSC-New Mexico A. and M. football game in Canyon Saturday night.

A. J. Berry spent Sunday in Estelina with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Berry.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Howard and daughter Gloria Virginia left Sunday for a business trip to Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McBride and child moved here last Friday from Weatherford. He will be employed at Bill Smith's Barber Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard visited last week-end in Abilene with their son, Cearley Read Kinard and wife.

Mrs. Roy R. Fultz and daughter Dortha and Miss Martha Draper attended the Texas University and Oklahoma University football game in Dallas last week-end.

Miss Genevieve McCool, Hiram Wood, Miss Gloria Scott, Miss Betty Fultz, carried Curtis Harrell back to Childress Sunday night after he spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Harrell.

Mrs. A. R. King returned to her home in Plainview Saturday after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Si Wood of Amarillo visited Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Silas Wood.

Roy R. Fultz left Wednesday for Austin, where he will visit with his son, James, who is attending the University of Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Lively of Lubbock visited here during the week-end with friends and relatives.

Miss Winifred Crow visited Friday night with her sister, Rachel Crow.

Miss Betty Lou Barbee visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Barbee of Lakeview.

Elvadee Payne, W. R. Weems, and John J. Wood visited Sunday with Bobby Nell Boren.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Denson of Estelina and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Phillips of Memphis visited Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Rowe and daughter Sharon in Lubbock Sunday.

Mrs. R. E. Clark and Mrs. Lloyd Phillips were Amarillo business visitors last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hamilton visited E. M. Ewen and family in Wichita Falls last week-end.

V. L. Taylor was a business visitor Monday in Amarillo.

Miss Bessie Mae Love, Miss Maggie L. Henson, Bob Land, and James D. Gouldy attended a meeting in Amarillo Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday of this week.

Mrs. Lynn Harris carried her husband to Wichita Falls Monday afternoon where he is going thru a Wichita Falls clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake McCulloch spent Sunday at Estelina with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ewen.

M. R. Evans of Prescott, Ariz., came last Sunday for a visit with Miss Lowena Moore.

Mrs. L. L. Doss returned Monday from Tyler where she attended the Loe festival last week.

Miss Dorothy Bragg left Sunday night on a business trip to Wichita Falls.

O. M. Cosby of Abilene was a business visitor here the first of the week.

Byron Baldwin left for Dallas Monday night where he will be a business visitor for a few days of this week.

Miss Helen Bray of Wichita Falls came Sunday night for a visit with her aunt, Mrs. Roy R. Fultz and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Bitts of Amarillo visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Harris.

Mrs. Charles Manoushagian and daughter Linda returned to their home in Wichita Falls after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Pyle.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Grimes visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Reynolds, in Childress. They also visited friends in Crowell and Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Martin of Childress visited Saturday with their parents here.

John J. Wood, W. R. Weems of Quitaque, and Bobby Nell Boren visited Saturday night with Miss Elvadee Payne of Clarendon.

Rufus James of Lakeview returned last Friday from Dallas where he attended the State Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Rule and son Billy left Sunday for a vacation in Oklahoma.

Margaret McElroy visited last week-end with her sister, Mrs. Roy Dunn and family, in Leveland.

Alvin Carter of Amarillo visited relatives here Tuesday en route to Wichita Falls.

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We Will Pay For EGGS, Saturday, per dozen 27c

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SYRUP, Ribbon cane, gallon jug 59c

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APPLES 29c

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SHORTS, 100 pounds \$1.85

BRAN, 100 pounds \$1.75

EGG MASH, Joy, 100 pounds \$2.35

HAY, Prairie, per bale 45c

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ANTI-FREEZE, Super Pyro, per quart 25c

COLD PATCH, Camel, box 25c

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Comments—

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ers for the leading cemeteries in their counties. Hall has been at it for several weeks. Hale for a little over two weeks. Hall is doing it through a weekly paper. The Herald takes six times as many shots at the target as does The Democrat at Memphis. We're nearer the goal, too."

Do Hall County people like to be crowded over that way? If so, just keep on not donating to this very important proposition.

The burning of the Lesley gin last night was a serious blow to the west end of Hall County. Both the owners of the gin and the farmers who patronized it will lose. This early in the season the gin was running night and day, and was just getting started good. The Lesley community has the best cotton crops of any section of the county, and the loss of the gin is nothing short of tragedy.

The new game of "ditch 'em" turned out rather serious for some of the players here recently. The game is played similar to the old game of "police and robbers" which boys played on foot, only "ditch 'em" is played with autos, and the object being to see which driver could surprise the other and force him to take to the ditch. Innocent citizens could have easily been victims also, for streets and highways were used as the arena for playing the dangerous game.

Those of you who listened to the Exchange Editors program over KGNC last Sunday morning at 8:15 heard Lewis Nodyke read "The Democrat staff poet's poem and comments that were published in last week's Democrat. The Exchange Ed program is a new feature over the Amarillo station, and Nodyke is making it worth hearing. Be sure to listen in each Sunday morning at 8:15.

The staff poet this week says: "I want to talk today a little about my Grandma. She was Grandma's third wife, fourth choice. She was a woman who did not need to eat onions to give her strength. She was a natural and weathered many drouths.

"I remember one of the drouths she told me about, was the time that water got as thick as cake dough, and she said fish had to come out on the bank to get wet, and it was the first time she had ever known folks to set con traps to catch catfish. She said it was pitiful to see little children chewing their water. Honestly, she

Tree Committee Has First Meeting

With a representative group present to discuss farming and ranching problems which might be solved through the planting of shelterbelts, the first called meeting of the Precinct 2 Hall County Shelterbelt Committee was held at the local Forestry Service office in the City Hall Saturday afternoon.

The committee members listed problems which might be solved or helped by a tree-planting program. Included in the list were wind erosion, water erosion, livestock protection, need for wood products and fuel, and farmstead protection plantings.

Suggested ways and means were named by the committee for the establishment of additional new shelterbelts on a precinct-wide basis, and for adequately taking care of existing belts. These ideas are to be incorporated into a workable plan for the precinct, it was explained. Tentative plans were also drawn up to present to the landowners of the precinct.

Attending the meeting were Paul Montgomery of Lesley, chairman; Del Wells, Glen Verden, and J. E. Gable of Lakeview; S. D. Posey of Memphis; Thomas C. Croker Jr. of Childress, district Forestry Service officer; and William S. Greene, local Forestry Service officer.

Approximately 8,000 people in 1940 saw a movie, "Texas Cooperatives in Action," which was made by C. E. Bowles, Extension Service specialist in organization and cooperative marketing.

said, it goes as dry as a Hardshell Baptist sermon.

"Grandma came from a part of the country where beauty was not judged by face and figure, but by the size of their feet. She was one of the winners, for her feet finally got so big that she had to sleep standing up, and they had to pack them in wet sand every night to keep them from cracking open.

"My verse today is about DOG BITES MAN. It isn't news when a dog bites man, or so the papers say; but it is news when a man sinks his teeth in a cur that's gone astray. Now is it fair, my paper friend, to take that selfish view? If you were a dog, perhaps you'd like your name in the paper too.

No matter who is first to bite, or just what view you take—let's be fair about the scrap, and give the pooch a break.

Texan Introduces Bill for Pensions

Senator Tom Connally last week introduced in the Senate a bill which would double the federal contribution toward Texas old age pension payments.

This bill is in line with President Roosevelt's recent proposal to vary federal pension grants according to the per capita income of the states rather than on a fifty-fifty basis. This will enable the poorer states to receive proportionately a larger share of federal funds than that received by the richer states.

Under the present act the federal government matches the Texas contribution dollar for dollar, but under the proposed Connally bill the federal government would contribute a little more than two dollars for every dollar contributed by the Texas Legislature.

In other words, a \$45 Texas pension payment would be possible by the state contributing the remainder. Heretofore the combined contributions of the federal and Texas governments have totaled a little less than \$14, but with the same state contribution the total would be \$22.50 under the Connally bill. Under recent enactments of the Texas Legislature, if funds are available, the monthly payments from federal and state funds would amount to \$18.50, but under the Connally bill, with the same state contribution, the monthly payments would amount to \$27.75.

Cotton Picking—

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ing upon the time it is believed will be necessary to gather the cotton.

Some of the other schools of the county will probably close in the near future, it was explained. A part of the schools, those at Memphis, Newlin, Estelline, Salisbury, and Turkey, do not close during the cotton-picking season. Some of the others are hoping to avert closing this season.

Others to close will do so when the cotton is ready to gather in their respective communities. In some sections of the county, the cotton is later than in others and is not yet ready to gather.

WASHINGTON WEEK

Assure Plenty Of Castor Oil

BY RALPH HERBERT

IF the news ever seeped down to the millions of kids in the United States, they would probably make wry faces, for the fact is that down in Texas the United States Department of Agriculture is making an experiment in the growing of the bean from which is extracted the child's terror—castor oil.

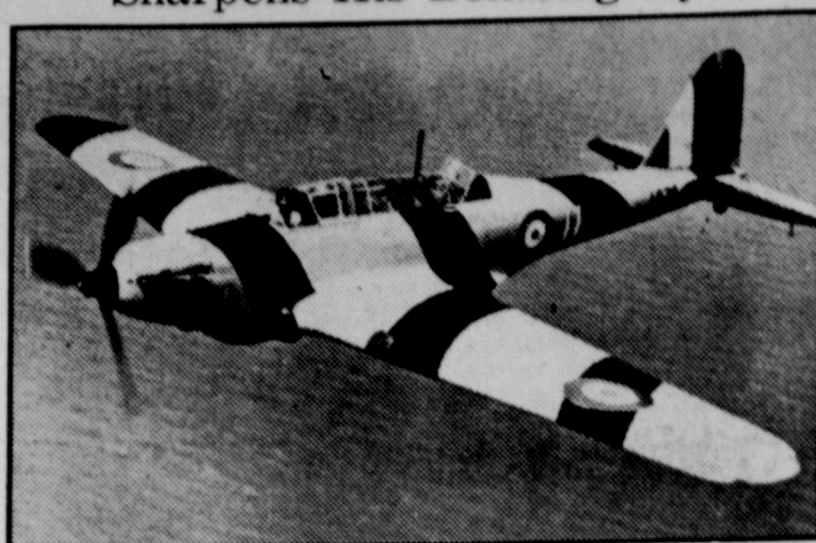
In 11 counties four fine varieties of the best castor bean seeds have been sown on 1700 acres. It is estimated this should bring a production of about 1,500,000 pounds of beans. And this product in turn, could, if necessity arose, be used to plant 250,000 acres. And then, if everything went right, this new planting would bring in a harvest of anywhere from 55,000,000 to 80,000,000 pounds of castor beans.

The necessity has not yet arisen. It will not arise as long as there is shipping to bring in castor beans from Brazil and India. The larger part of the import comes from Brazil. So far this year the imports, despite increasing scarcity of ships, have been greater than last year. For the first four months of 1941 the United States imported 118,000,000 pounds of castor beans, compared with 81,000,000 pounds in the same period last year. For the whole of 1940 the United States imported from Brazil alone 238,000,000 pounds of castor beans.

OF course, only a very small part of this was used to make the castor oil the druggists sell to parents who want to dose the children. Castor oil has been found to be a good lubricant for airplanes, but now in this country it is chiefly used in a dehydrated form as a drying oil by paint, varnish and allied industries. It is used as a substitute for tung oil which has come in decreasing amounts from China where crops have been smaller, due to the war with Japan. Some tung oil is obtained from crops raised in the southern states, but not enough to supply the country's needs.

The Texas experiment with castor beans is a preparedness scheme. If war or increased shortage in ships cut off the Brazilian and Indian supply of castor beans entirely or almost entirely, farmers in this country would be encouraged to plant castor beans. But this could only be done profitably if the foreign supply were shut off. In ordinary times, the American farmer could not economically compete with the foreign growers.

Sharpens His Bombing Eye



Flying low over quiet Lake Erie, a Fairey Battle searches out buoy targets for the bombardier who is training at the Jarvis Bombing and Gunnery School, in Canada.

Texas Farmers Urged to Plant More Winter Cover Crops of Needed Foods

Texas farmers are being urged in the name of national defense to plant more winter cover crops as a means of increasing production of needed foods for America and the embattled democracies.

Meeting in College Station on the request of Secretary of Agriculture Claude R. Wickard, the Texas USDA Defense Board studied a threatened shortage of winter legume seed and recommended increased plantings of both winter legumes and non-leguminous cover crops.

"Protection of our soil is more important than ever during the defense emergency," B. F. Vance, chairman of the board, told board members representing all USDA agencies in the state. "Food is vital to our national defense, and increased production of the necessary foods to a great extent depends on increased productivity of the soil."

Winter cover crops, it was pointed out, prevent leaching and

erosion of the soil and add to its fertility. Most widely-used legume cover crops in Texas are vetch, Austrian winterpeas, and various clovers. Non-leguminous cover crops in the state include oats, barley, rye, and sudan grass.

Texas farmers this year ordered nearly a million pounds of winter legume seed through the AAA's conservation materials program. Vance told the board, and already have received 60 per cent of their order. A delay in shipment of the rest of the order will seriously curtail the planting of winter legumes in the state and will result in serious damage to the state's soil, he declared.

It was explained to the board that most of the vetch and Austrian winter-pea seed supply was produced in the northwest, but that an anticipated bumper crop of seed had failed to materialize with the result that growers were holding the seed off the market to await better prices.

FSA Encourages Borrower-Families To Stabilize Business, Increase Income

With the best feed crop in several years now maturing in Hall County, the Farm Security Administration is encouraging its borrower-families to stabilize their business and increase their incomes by properly conserving and utilizing their crop resources.

Robert C. Land, county FSA supervisor, believes that although farmers may expect increased incomes during the present period of national defense, they also face higher production costs.

"Farm families cooperating with this agency," Mr. Land said, "are being assisted in increasing the next returns from each acre of land by using their feed crops so that the maximum pounds of butterfat, beef, pork, and wool, and so forth are produced.

"The farmers who utilize their acreage to best advantage, who conserve their feed supplies by proper storage and feeding practice, and who manage their farm plants on a sound business basis are the farmers who will prosper most now and in the future.

"For example," Mr. Land continued, "an acre of sorghums fed as silage will go approximately twice as far as when in the form of dry bundles. This is especially true with dairy cows. This fact, coupled with the comparatively low cost of trench silos, is expected to result in an additional number of these storage facilities here this year."

"The best substitutes for pasture is silage, and silage can be had by every dairyman even though he has only two cows," Mr. Land said.

Citing the savings of feeding silage, the FSA supervisor said dairy farmers especially appreciate the value of this ration. He told of an experiment made at the Ohio State Station, where dairy cows received a dry roughage ration of hay and stover with 13.5 pounds of grain were compared with cows being fed 58 pounds of

silage, a little mixed hay and 15 pounds of grain. The cows on the silage ration gained 15 per cent more weight at 41 per cent less cost.

Sounding a warning as they are this year, he stated that since a good effort should be made in most cases, placed in the

"In fact," he continued, "a mighty good time for last year's crop of feed silage, their best cost, harvesting and feeding may be obtained charge from the FSA Extension Service office."

Feed—

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Miss Betty Johnson, Dick Shelton in Charge Thursday.

WEEK-END SPECIALS

COFFEE, Folger's, 1-pound	29c; 2 pounds	57c
SUGAR, Pure Cane, 10 lbs.	63c; 25 pounds	\$1.58
SNOWDRIFT or CRISCO, 3 lbs.	66c; 6 lbs.	\$1.31
BAKING POWDER, Calumet, 1-lb. cans		18c
MILK, all kinds, 6 cans		27c
SOAP, P & G or Crystal White, 6 large bars		27c
SOAP, Palmolive or Camay, 3 bars		19c
SOAP, Woodbury's, 4 bars for		23c
OXYDOL, large box		23c
BIG 4 SOAP FLAKES, per box		41c
OLD DUTCH CLEANSER, 2 cans		15c
SPAGHETTI or MACARONI, 2 boxes		7c
JELL-O, all flavors, 2 boxes		11c
CAKE FLOUR, Swansdown or Snosheen, box		24c
POWDERED or BROWN SUGAR, 2 boxes		17c
MARSHMALLOWS, 8-oz. pkg. 8c; 1-lb.		14c
CRACKERS, 2-pound box, Salted		16c
KRAFT'S BUTTER CARAMELS, 1-lb. bag		19c
MIRACLE WHIP, pints	24c; quarts	37c
TOILET PAPER, Scott Tissue, 3 rolls		22c
PAPER TOWELS, Genuine Scot, 2 rolls		21c
TOMATO JUICE, Campbell's, 2 cans		15c
CHILI BEANS, Chuck Wagon, 2 cans		15c
PORK and BEANS, Campbell's, 2 cans		17c
TOMATOES, No. 2 cans, 2 for		17c
CHILI, Wolf's, No. 1 can	15c; No. 2 can	25c
TAMALES, Wolf's or Ratliff, can		15c
ENGLISH PEAS, White Swan, No. 1	12c; No. 2	17c
SPINACH, No. 2 cans Heart's Delight, 2 for		25c
FRUIT COCKTAIL, Heart's Delight, 2 cans		27c
APRICOTS or PEARS, large cans, Heart's Delight		22c
SPUDS, Red or White, 5 lbs.	11c; peck	29c
SWEET POTATOES, 5 lbs.	14c; peck	29c
CABBAGE, Colorado, firm heads, pound		2 1/2c
CELERY, nice and fresh, stalk		11c
CRANBERRIES, new crop, quart		20c
BELL PEPPERS, nice, pound		8c
FRESH TOMATOES, Lelia Lake, pound		6c
CARROTS, nice bunches		4c
LETTUCE, nice heads		5c
LEMONS, nice size, per dozen		17c
GRAPES, seedless or Tokays, 2 pounds		15c
COOKING APPLES, nice ones, per peck		27c
BACON, Rex, 1-pound layers		29c
PORK CHOPS, nice and lean, pound		29c

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CELERY, large, each	15c
PEPPERS, green, 2 pounds	15c

TURNIPS, bulk, pound	
TOMATOES, fresh, 2 pounds	
CRANBERRIES, quart	

CABBAGE	
10 POUNDS	
25c	

ONIONS	
10 POUNDS	
25c	

SPUDS	
No. 1 Reds, PECK	
29c	

YAMS	
EAST TEXAS, PECK	
25c	

TOMATOES, No. 2 cans, 3 for	25c
CORN, No. 2 cans, 3 for	25c
PORK & BEANS, 4 cans	25c
PEAS, Concho, 2 No. 2 cans	25c
CORN, Our Darling, 2 No. 2 cans	25c
PINTOS, new crop, 8 pounds	49c
MILK, Carolene, 7 cans	25c

SPAGHETTI or Macaroni, 2 lbs.	
CORN FLAKES, 3 packages	
OATS, White Swan, large	
CRACKERS, 2-pound box	
CATSUP, gallon can	
MUSTARD, quart jars	
PICKLES, quart jars	

FOLGER'S	
COFFEE	
2 pounds ...	55c
1 pound	29c

Bird Brand LARD	
4-POUND CARTON	
55c	
SUGAR	
10-POUND BAG	
59c	

STEAMBOAT	
SYRUP	
GALLON CAN	
59c	

BROOMS	
Good Value, Each	
25c	
MOPS	
16-Ounce, Each	
25c	

CATFISH	
PER POUND	
35c	

FISH FILLETS, per pound	28c
OYSTERS, fresh, Extra Select, pint	45c
FRESH SHRIMP, pound	30c
FRYERS, Dressed, per pound	28c
HENS, Dressed, per pound	26c
HOT BARBECUE, per pound	30c

TRY 'M' SYSTEM

Borrower-Family Business, Increase In

Farm Groups Urge Texans to Increase Food Production

Parity Payments For Hall Countians Now Over \$61,000

FOOD FOR FREEDOM

FAIRVIEW

several, a little mixed... Hall pounds of grain... its at 41 per cent less cost... Sounding a warning... next year may not be... as they are this year... stated that since a good... hand at the present... effort should be made... it is properly conserved... most cases, placed in... "In fact," he concluded... a mighty good time for... last them at least in... Information about the... of trench silos, their... cost, harvesting and... tations may be obtained... charge from the FSA or... Extension Service office.

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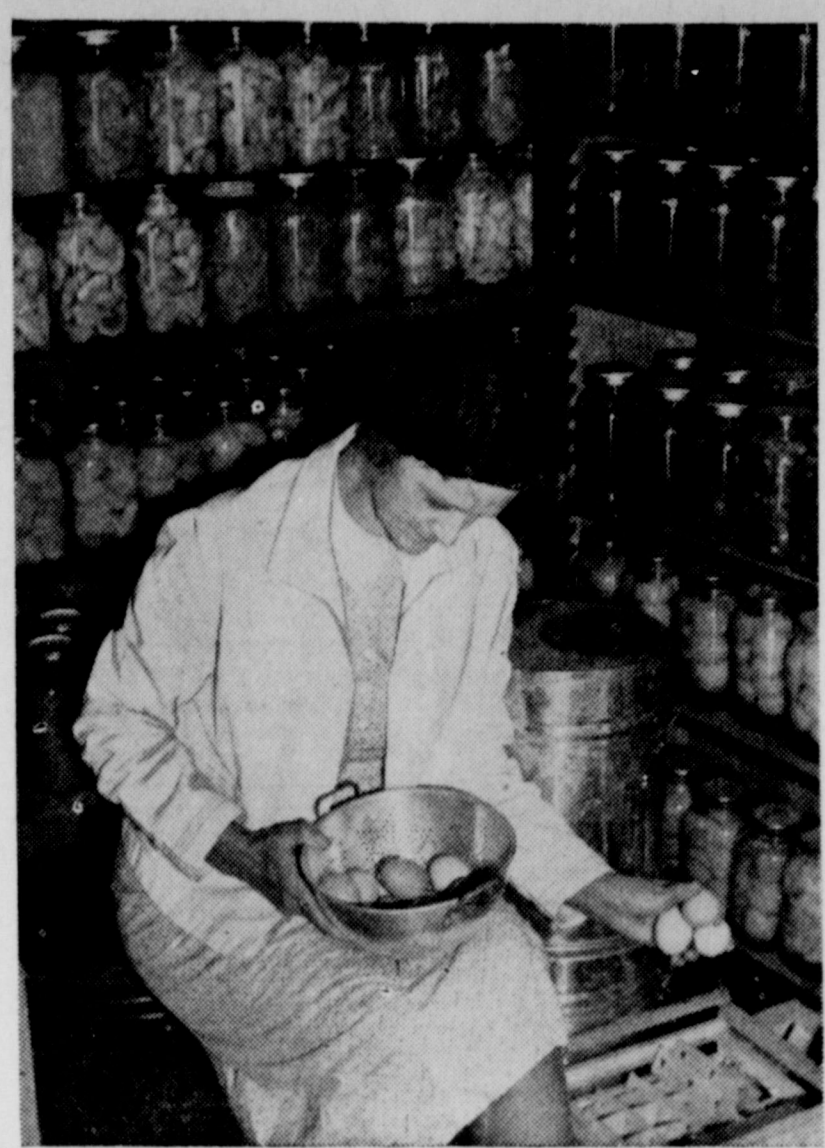
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S, Green Cut, Peerless, No. 2... 10c
R, 48-pound sack... 1.65
TENING, Crustene, 3 lbs... 55c
& BEANS, 3 cans for... 25c
UP, American Beauty, 14-oz... 11c
ON, Del Monte, 2 No. 2 cans... 28c
ON, Brimfull, can... 23c
ARONI, 2-pound box... 16c
P, 'Ole Man River,' 2-lb 5-oz... 23c
NS, per dozen... 20c
E JUICE, Royal Purple, 17c; Quart... 33c
COT or Peach Butter, Brimfull, 23c
IES, bulk, assorted... 20c
KERS, Sunshine Krispy, 2 lbs... 32c
AKE Flour, Light Crust... 10c
ET TISSUE, White Fur, 4 rolls... 23c
PAPER, 10c rolls, 3 for... 25c
FLAKES, Washo, 25c box... 23c

FIELD'S MARKET

have you served a Swiss Steak lately? Get... 35c
D MEAT, fresh ground, pork added, for... 20c
Meat Loaf, per pound... 30c
HOPS, nice, lean, cut from home-killed... 30c
ORK, streaked fresh Salt Pork for boiling, lb... 15c
A, see it sliced, per pound... 15c
S, another shipment fresh from Baltimore... while they are fresh.



Food for Freedom is being piled high in the storage spaces of Texas farm families as they move to meet the Nation's need for increased production of basic foods. Mrs. Richard Gill, whose family is cooperating with the Farm Security Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture, is shown with a year's supply of fruit, vegetables and lard as she prepares surplus eggs for market. Directed by Secretary Wickard, in cooperation with the Texas USDA Defense Board, the greater food production program, which will win the war and write the peace, as the secretary has prophesied, is popular with farm families in every part of the state.

Memphians Tour With Grid Squad

Billy Hall and Taimadge Pounds of Memphis have been playing football and seeing the sights in the sunny states of California and Arizona.

Hall, a halfback, and Pounds, a fullback, are members of the Buffalo football squad. Their team is a member of the Border Conference, which has as members Texas Tech, Hardin-Simmons University, Texas College of Mines, Arizona State College of Tempe and Flagstaff, the University of Arizona, the University of New Mexico, and New Mexico A. and M.

The Buffaloes won their first four games, two of which were played in Fresno, Calif., and Tempe, Ariz.

P-TA to Sponsor School Program

A "get-together" for all people interested in high school students or high school work will be sponsored by the High School P-T-A. Thursday night, October 23, in the gymnasium.

All persons interested in the high school are invited to attend, including parents and others, it was explained.

The home ec department members will serve refreshments following the social hour. The recreation project staff will plan games, including stunts, contests, and folk games.

County Farmers Asked to Increase Production of Milk

USDA Defense Board Meets to Outline Plans To Hike Food Production

Hall County farmers were asked this week to do their part in the "Food-for-Freedom" campaign by increasing their production of milk by 3,330,000 pounds and eggs by 99,000 dozen in 1942.

Tentative production goals set for the Hall County USDA Defense Board as follows:

A total of 19,980,000 pounds of milk, increase of 3,300,000 pounds over 1941.

A total of 654,000 dozen eggs, increase of 99,000 dozen over 1941.

Increase of 20 per cent over 1941 in number of hogs for market or to be slaughtered on the farm.

Seven hundred gardens on Hall County farms (present number not definitely known).

Six per cent increase in number of sheep and lambs.

The goals were discussed at a meeting of the Hall County USDA defense board Tuesday night at the court house. The meeting was attended by D. A. Neeley, chairman, W. B. Hooser, vice chairman, H. B. Wallin, secretary, and Bob Roberts. Other members are Bob Land, FSA representative, A. Gidcen, land-use planning committee representative, and Tom Croker, Forest Service representative of Childress.

"These goals are minimum rather than maximum goals," Neeley pointed out. "Perhaps the farmers of the county can produce more than enough to meet the goals. If they can, then that's all to the good. The county USDA Defense Board will consider the goals, which were submitted to us by the State USDA Defense Board, and if the local situation seems to warrant increasing the goals or if it seems necessary to reduce some of them, then we will do so."

The principal factors to consider in setting these goals, the board chairman said, are the ac-

Miss Estelle Sweet spent the week-end visiting friends in Canyon.

Mrs. Johnnie Fowler and daughter visited friends at Lesley Saturday.

John Ethridge of Cameron is visiting friends and relatives here.

Minister and Mrs. Pricer of Memphis spent Sunday in the B. J. Ellerd home.

Mrs. Lewis Townsend and children are visiting in the R. Ellerd home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Seyon Shearer visited in the W. G. Shearer home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Yarbrough spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Mabry.

America needs the Red Cross more than ever before. Help build America's defenses by joining the Red Cross. Enroll through the local chapter.

production pledge on the products needed in the Food-for-Freedom campaign, the county chairman said.

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YAMS PER PECK 25c	SPUDS PER PECK 27c
PEANUT BUTTER, Armour's qt. 29c	
MUSTARD, quart 10c	
APPLE BUTTER, quart 15c	
APPLES Golden Delicious, Peck 29c	Tomatoes, lb. 5c
	Lettuce, head 5c
PICKLES, 2 quarts 25c	
SALMON, pink, No. 1 can 19c	
SARDINES, packed in cottonseed oil, 1/4-size can 5c	
SARDINES, No. 1 cans, 2 for 22c	

PEPPERS Hot, lb. 15c Sweet, lb. 10c	CABBAGE PER POUND 2c
American Beauty Brand Macaroni, Spag- hetti, Shel-Roni or Alphabets 12-ounce Package 10c	Grapefruit Juice, 46-oz. can . . . 15c
Pineapple Juice, 46-oz. can . . . 32c	
Laundry Soap, C.W., 6 bars 25c	
Apricots, gal. . . 40c	
LARD Pure, 8-Pound Carton \$1.15	CATSUP PER GALLON 49c
Folger's COFFEE 1-lb. can 28c	
Plymouth Coffee 1-lb. pkg. 17c	

MARKET	
PORK SAUSAGE, pound 25c	
ASSORTED LUNCH MEAT 27c	
OLEO, Nu-Maid 18c	
BOLOGNA, per pound 17c	
BRICK CHILI, pound 25c	
DRY SALT JOWLS, pound 15c	

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APPLES Per Peck 29c	Grape Jam, W.S., 2-lb 25c
SPUDS Per Peck 29c	Lettuce, each 5c
YAMS Per Peck 29c	Celery, crisp stalks . . . 12c
SUGAR 10-Pound Paper Bag 59c	Cabbage, firm heads, per pound 3c
Matches 6-Box Carton 19c	No. 1 Yellow Onions, 7 pounds . . . 25c
	Sweet Pepper, lb. . . . 10c
	Cranberries, per qt. . . 20c
	Aunt Jimima Meal, 5 pounds 23c
	Pineapple, 9-oz., 2 for 19c
	Jell-O, any flavor, 2 12c
	Tamales, can 15c
	Mission or Our Value Peas, 2 cans 25c
	Del Monte or Our Darling Corn, 2 No. 2 cans . . . 25c
	Tomatoes, 2 No. 2 . . . 18c
	Peaches, No. 2 1/2 can 19c
	Light Crust Cake Flour, pkg. . . . 23c
	New Pinto Beans, 4 lbs. . . 25c
	Sealed Tin, Bake-Rite Shortening, 3 lbs. . . . 57c
	Pure Lard, 8 lbs. . . . \$1.16
	Sliced Bacon, 27c-30c-35c
	Dry Salt Bacon, lb. . . 18c
	Loin, T-Bone Steak . . . 30c
	Oleo, Gem, lb. 17c
	Pure Pork Sausage, lb 23c

FRESHEST VEGETABLES IN TOWN

CHURCHES

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Joe Findley, Pastor

The regular service hours at the First Christian Church are as follows:

Sunday School at 10 a. m.
Church services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Christian Endeavor at 6:30 o'clock Sunday evening.
Prayer meeting at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening.
Sunday Sermon Subjects:
Morning: "Truths Jesus Left Unspoken."
Evening: "The Christian's Aim in Life."

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Grady Pricer, Minister
7th and Brice Streets

SUNDAY—
Bible class, 9:45 a. m.
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Communion, 11:40 a. m.

TUESDAY—
Women's Bible Class, 3:30 p. m.

WEDNESDAY—
Prayer meeting and Bible study, 7:30 p. m.
You are invited.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
S. F. Martin, Pastor

SUNDAY—
9:45 a. m., Sunday School.
11 a. m., morning worship; Sun-
beam Band.
7 p. m., Training Union.
8 p. m., evening worship.

WEDNESDAY—
7:30 p. m., S. S. officers and teachers meeting.
8:30 p. m., prayer meeting.

The revival will continue thru Sunday night. If you have not been attending these services, you are cordially invited to come once and we feel sure you will come again. The music has been good under Mr. Hamilton's direction and Dr. James is bringing some most timely and helpful messages.

Remember to find your place in the Sunday School, Training Union, and mid-week prayer service.

"Prove all things; hold fast that which is good."—I Thess. 5:21.

PLASKA PULPIT PARAGRAPHS
Albert Cooper, Pastor

October 19, the pastor will be at Eli. May we honor the church with our substance. May we give ourselves to humble worship of Him, who is the giver of every good and perfect gift.

May we lift our eyes unto the hills whence cometh our help. May we praise God together for His goodness and mercy.

Americans eat more cabbage than any other vegetable beside potatoes.

Plainview Herald Congratulates Hall County on Expansion of Dairy Program

Editor's Note: The following appeared in the Plainview Herald as a comment on the recent dairy show-cheese plant edition of The Democrat. The dates of the show and the cheese plant opening were not included in each ad and on each page of the edition because the definite dates were not announced until two weeks before the event. Most of the special edition was printed before the dates were announced, because it would have been a mechanical impossibility to do otherwise.

Congratulations to Hall County on the expansion that is being made in dairy production. Last week there was opened at Memphis a fine new cheese plant, operated and owned by Kraft. On the same day there was held the fourth annual dairy show of the county.

We've had a lot of fine cattle over here at the Panhandle-Plains Dairy Show from Hall County. There have been a lot of citizens of that area here at the dairy show from time to time, and they have been instrumental in expanding and improving the good herds of dairy cattle in Hall County.

The Memphis Democrat got out a fine edition announcing the opening of the cheese plant and the annual dairy show. We have just one suggestion to make to Claude Wells on that edition: namely, more places in the paper to give the date of the dairy show. The Herald staff jumped on that fine edition and divided it up among themselves. Some local

This Week's Birthdays

Oct. 18 to 25



Heien Hunt Jackson, author, was born on Oct. 18, 1831. Franz Liszt, composer, was born on Oct. 22, 1811.

citizens wanted to know the show date so they could go over to Memphis. Almost every ad invited people to the show, but section after section of the paper didn't carry the date.

We're kinder lazy like, Claude, and like to see a date, when we're looking for it in such a big paper, on every page and in every ad. Hearty congratulations to Memphis and Hall County and to the livewire Memphis Democrat!

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NOTICE

Due to the costs of both materials and labor, we are forced to advance the price of rough dry work from 5c to 6c per pound. However, we will maintain the other low prices now prevailing, as well as the excellent quality of our work.

These prices effective Monday, October 20.

Memphis Steam Laundry

Money Saved Is Money Earned

And you can save plenty—up to 46 per cent in some cases—by paying your delinquent city taxes NOW! The deadline on paying delinquent taxes without penalty or interest is October 31, and we urge you to PAY EARLY AND AVOID THE RUSH!

You can also save money on your current taxes by paying them during October. A three per cent discount is allowed during October, two per cent during November, and only one per cent during December.

PAY YOUR TAXES TODAY—NOT TOMORROW!

City of Memphis

BRICE

(By Correspondent)

Rev. Story delivered a grand sermon both church hours Sunday. Mrs. Fred McAnear and family spent Sunday at Groom with her daughter, Mrs. Durwood Ray.

Miss June Moreman of Amarillo spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hurley Moreman.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Higgins entertained relatives from Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Pitman had as guests their son, Luther Nile, and daughter, Mrs. Brady Pitman.

Dr. Black of Amarillo was at Brice Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shine Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kellough of Clarendon were here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harrison and children of Amarillo visited Mrs. Harrison's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Youngblood.

Mrs. C. J. Holland and Mrs. Star Johnson visited Mrs. Zack Salmon Sunday in a Clarendon hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Waldrop had as their guest last week-end their son Earl, who is in Camp Wolters.

Short Gibson of Wyoming is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Gibson.

Mrs. W. E. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Star Johnson, Mrs. George Craft F. E. Gibson, his daughter Mary, and Mrs. Bertie Sanderson attended the football game at Wellington last Friday night.

Boyd Dickson and family and Mrs. Anna H. Dickson attended church at Webster Monday night.

Almost every one in the flat is picking cotton this week. We have the finest crop for many years.

PARNELL

(By Christine Trapp)

Charlie Bruce and Travis and Susie Ray visited Joe Damron Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Weatherly and family of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Weatherly Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Bruce, and Mr. and Mrs. Eric Trapp visited Mr. and Mrs. George Weatherly Jr. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Red Pullen visited friends in Parnell last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Welcher were Memphis shoppers Friday.

Miss Nita Jean Trapp visited Miss Norma Coleman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Farley have moved to Weatherly.

Hellary Bruner visited his relatives last week.

A party was given by Misses Billie and Genice Travis Friday night. All had a nice time.

Rev. Crawford of Wellington held services here Sunday and Sunday night.

Mrs. Golden Welcher was a guest Sunday in the home of Mrs. Bob Mothershed.

A Red Cross button displayed now means the wearer is doing his part for National Defense. Get yours by joining the American Red Cross through the local chapter.

Summer Lull Ends in Libya



British tank units are ready for action along the forward defense positions in the Libyan desert, as the summer lull in battle ends and enemy forays begin. American tanks were praised for their performance in these engagements.

RELIGION DANGEROUS STUFF

Editor's Note: This is the second of the articles written by local pastors in connection with Church Loyalty Month, being observed during October. This article was written by Joe Findley, pastor of the First Christian Church of this city.

By REV. JOE FINDLEY
Christian Church Pastor

Religion is the most dangerous stuff known to man. It is always either a blessing or menace to the life of human communities. It either divides or unites people. When we reckon with religion we must always remember we deal with tremendous sources of power.

What do you think religion has done to your community? Does your religion, for instance, alienate you from your neighbor, or does it bring you closer to him? What has it magnified in your life; understandings or prejudices? I personally question the value of any religion which creates breaks in the community. Do you?

Church Loyalty month is a local movement founded on the premise that all good religion is a wholesome influence which strengthens the bonds of friendly cooperation throughout the community. The religious records we all revere champion such a premise.

Do you "pigeon-hole" people who do not go to your particular church? In case you do, this movement is a friendly effort to discourage you from continuing such an altogether un-Christian practice.

Do you refuse to trade with anyone who is not a member of your particular church? If so, it is the purpose of this movement to dampen your ardor in that special regard.

Do you have a religion that makes you think everybody is a fool who disagrees with you? If so, this is the kind of a movement you would hate to see started, but we sincerely hope to eventually win your goodwill and support.

Are you indifferent toward religion and do you think it has "seen its day of usefulness"? If so, this is an earnest effort on the part of your neighbors to encourage in your mind a happier faith in the Christian way of doing things.

The Red Cross campaign against the ever-rising toll of highway fatalities is waged today by 3,000 Highway First Aid stations from coast-to-coast and 4,000 mobile units. Help the Red Cross wage this battle against "sudden death" on the road. Join the American Red Cross.

Vernon Men Give Rotary Program

Dr. E. S. James and D. C. Hamilton, both of the First Baptist Church at Vernon, who are here conducting a meeting this week at the First Baptist Church, furnished the program at Rotary luncheon Tuesday.

Mr. Hamilton sang two solos. Dr. James spoke about the decisive battles of the world from the beginning of history to the present time. He gave names, dates, and locations of the battles, and told how they affected the destinies of nations, governments, peoples, etc.

The decisive battle of the first World War was fought at the Marne, he said, and the decisive battle of the second World War may have been fought at Dunkirk, or it may be that it is being fought now in Russia. Later developments will have to decide that.

The speaker closed his interesting and instructive talk by saying the greatest battle of all times was fought by Christ alone on the Cross of Calvary where he gave his life for the redemption of sin.

Walter Hightower introduced the program. Two new members of the club, T. D. Weatherly and J. M. Dickson, were introduced.

Jane Hicks Heads New Tri-Y Club

Jane Hicks was elected president at the organization meeting of the Tri-Y Club for girls Tuesday at Memphis High School.

Chosen vice president was Cassandra Morris, secretary Jeanne Denny, and treasurer Sue Lyn Guthrie.

The group will meet monthly on the fourth Wednesday, and monthly on the second Monday night.

CARD OF THANKS

The West Ward P. T. A. wishes to thank the parents and teachers for their help and splendid cooperation in putting on the rummage sale Saturday, October 11. Because of their response, a nice sum was realized for the Library fund.

Mrs. H. D. Stringer,
President.
Mrs. H. B. Gilmore,
Finance Chairman.
Mrs. H. B. Estes,
Principal.

THE AMERICAN FAMILY . . . By George



"I knew that sooner or later Officer Flanigan would find that pepper I hid among the apples."

Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Dan McCollum were business visitors in Turkey last Wednesday.

H. C. Loard was a business visitor in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Johnsey visited with friends last week-end in Borger.

Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Winkle of Nocona came Saturday to make their home here. He will be employed at the Greenhaw barber shop and she will be employed at Popular Dry Goods.

Mrs. C. Z. Stidham returned Wednesday night from Beaumont, Calif., where she has been visiting her brother, Jack Cummings.

Legal Notice

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF HALL

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By virtue of an order of sale issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Hall County, Texas, on the 7th day of October, 1941, as directed by the terms of said judgment.

As Sheriff of said Hall County, I have seized, levied upon and will, on the first Tuesday in November 1941, same being the 4th day of November, 1941, at the courthouse door of said Hall County, between the hours of 2 o'clock P. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. of said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of Memphis Cotton Oil Company, a corporation, in and to the following described real estate levied upon the 8th day of October, 1941, as the property of Memphis Cotton Oil Company, a corporation:

Description—All of Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4 and 13, and 14 and 21 and 22 in Block No. 80, Original Town of Memphis, Hall County, Texas. Amount Apportioned Against Said Tract—\$461.04.

(The adjudged value of said property being in the sum of \$200.00 as fixed by the court on the date of the trial, there being delinquent taxes for the year of 1935 and for prior years.)

Subject, however, to the right of redemption of the defendant, or any one interested therein, may have, and subject to any other and further rights the defendant, or any one interested therein, may be entitled to under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment and foreclosing the lien provided by law for the taxes, interest, penalty and costs. The proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof. Said sale will be made subject to the defendant's right to redeem the said property by complying with the provisions of law in such cases made and provided.

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SPORTS IN OUR LIVES

DESPITE THE FACT that war is making the headlines of newspapers not only in the war-torn countries of Europe, but also in America, sports are taking the thoughts of many American citizens.

When the World Series baseball games were in progress recently, thousands of people hovered around radios to listen to the games. In Memphis, numerous store employees and employers practically stopped waiting on their customers to listen to the Yanks play the Dodgers.

When Joe Louis and Lou Nova were fighting several weeks ago, one could walk down a street and miss little of the fight as radios were blaring out the round-by-round description from almost every residence.

When Friday night comes, many Memphians attend a football game, either in Lakeview, Memphis, or some neighboring town if a game is not in progress in either of the two places.

Cold weather has slowed down golfing on the local course, but on "warm-enough" days, one can still find several men on the links, not especially trying to improve their game but enjoying this popular sport.

Taxes may be taking much of the money which people formerly had to spend, but some are still raking up some extra cash to do a little wagering on football games. Most of those who wager do not do it for the money they may possibly win, but to give them more reason to be interested in certain games and their outcome.

Sports, then, do play an important part in our lives. They keep our minds in a more enjoyable channel than if we had only the war and the suffering and the slaughter going on daily in Europe.

Sometimes it appears that we treat the war situation too lightly by letting sports take the place of the war in our minds. But that is hardly the case, since too much thought on such a horrible subject as war is probably one of the worst things which could happen to the American public.

"All work and no play," as the old saying goes, may now be re-constructed to say "all war and no diversion." It might also be said that we should be thankful we still have sports left in America—they are probably about extinct in Europe.

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WHAT GOES UP COMES DOWN

HAVE YOU TRIED buying anything lately? If so, you are one of the millions in America who realize—directly—the effect of the national defense program on everyday prices of everyday merchandise.

Many retail merchants have advanced prices on various types of merchandise, although they are not to be blamed. Neither can one rightly blame the wholesaler who goes up on his prices, for his expenses, largely along tax lines, are also naturally becoming higher.

Cafes have even had to advance prices of some of their items, for meat and vegetables sold by grocers are on the upgrade. So is flour, and the price of bread throughout the nation may even have to go up—or many of the bakeries may have to close up.

Even picture shows have advanced their prices, since the new tax law of the federal government hits amusements first and hardest. No longer can school football games and other paid admission school affairs go tax free.

Clothes cleaning, both laundry work and tailor work, is now costing you more. Reason? Simply because your laundryman or your tailor has to pay more for his living, and has to pay more for materials to do his work.

Utility bills will be slightly higher than in the past, for the new tax law hits the utilities, too.

In fact, almost everything in the way of living facilities is going up. Most men who know much about finances agree that inflation is on its way. The national defense program, with its release of billions of dollars, is putting this extra money into circulation.

When the financial standings of a nation are inflated, it is similar to a balloon—there will be a time when the deflation comes. Are you preparing for it?

It's So Peaceful in the Country



ALL-CHEERING PLENTY, WITH HER FLOWING HORN,
LED YELLOW AUTUMN, WREATH'D WITH NODDING CORN...
—BURNS—

Press Paragraphs

CULLED FROM THE
DEMOCRAT'S EXCHANGES

The Oil Industry

The Stephenville Empire-Tribune: The oil industry is one of the many private industries which has planned ahead for just such an emergency as we are facing now. Private enterprise made this country great. And private enterprise is today making this country secure.

Rationing

Sketch in the Menard News: If gasoline rationing becomes a fact, that legendary chicken crossing the road may actually get across.

Higher Prices

The Happy Herald: Prices will inevitably rise in the future. Higher costs of doing business, combined with increasing power and dwindling supplies, make that inevitable. But to blame this on retail merchandising, is to put the cart before the horse. Generally speaking, retail prices are being advanced when, and only when, wholesale prices and operating overhead make it absolutely unavoidable. This is the progressive retail policy today. And it will be the retail policy in the future.

Want a Ride, Soldier?

The Amarillo Times: Army men on leave are not supposed to ask motorists for a ride, but may ride when invited. And often they are not invited, even when they are tired of tramping and there is plenty of room in a car.

A Pittsburgh man, who has had enough army experience to know how that makes a fellow feel, has started a crusade to broaden drivers' sympathies. He tells stories of men in uniform slogging wearily along the road and sleeping at gas stations and maybe never getting home at all, because nobody picks them up. So he has a scheme to get the boys aboard without their asking.

It is quite simple. He has thousands of stickers printed, show-

ing a blue "V" on a red and white circle. That is a mute invitation for the boys to get aboard without any formalities on either side. It seems like a good idea. Only the mute invitation seems rather formal. There might be an adjustable card on the windshield that just says, "Hi! Hop on!" when there is room in the car.

Pork Barrels

The Wheeler Times: Our leaders are now pointing out that all must sacrifice for defense, which is necessary. But how about the politicians—sacrificing some of their pork-barrel activities which are driving this nation down the road to bankruptcy?

Safety

Carl Roewe in the Turkey Enterprise: Trespassing on railroad property is dangerous, according to a safety poster being distributed by the Burlington Company. The danger lies in the fact that railroad property is a busy place where men and machines have important work to do. Playing anywhere around railroad tracks is not safe, boys and girls. Here's a little poem about safety that applies to railroad tracks as well as to the highways:

The curfew tolls the knell of parting day.
A line of cars winds swiftly o'er the lea.
A hiker plods his absent-minded way,
And leaves the world quite unexpectedly.

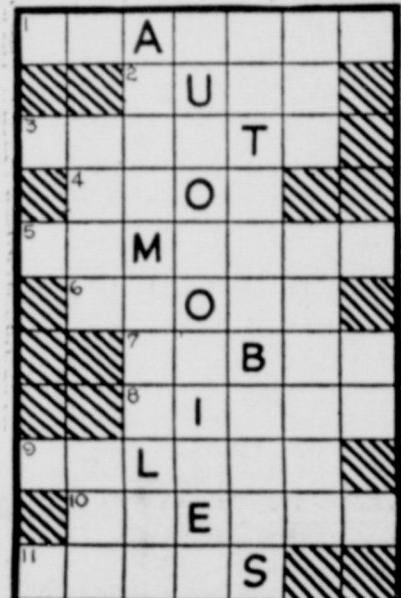
Weeds

Jimmie Gillentine in the Hereford Brand: You can never tell what will attract the most attention. Tuesday morning Louie Sherman drove his truck up in front of The Brand office and unloaded a big 13-foot weed. Since then people have speculated over what kind of a weed it was—and everyone seemed to have a different answer. It was called everything from a Careless Weed to a hybrid. A few of the names were: Water Weed, Horse Weed, Lamb's Quarter, Soy Bean, Polk Salad and Careless Weed. The thing looks more like a big Sunflower

MINUTE CROSSWORDS

No. 2

Fill in horizontal blanks with words suggested by the key word AUTOMOBILES. Each letter given must appear in its proper place.



SOLUTION TO PREVIOUS MINUTE CROSSWORD

1. Tables
2. Score
3. Prize
4. Bidding
5. Game
6. Deal
7. Trumps
8. Cards
9. Trick
10. Partner
11. Tally

without any flowers. The stalk is fairly solid, indicating a quality of wood.

One fellow insisted that it was the biggest Careless Weed he ever saw; another replied, "That ain't no Careless Weed, it's one of those California Redwoods."

Jake

The Claude News: We were swapping newspaper yarns the other night and one of the boys told about the time he had visited Claude, that somehow boasted a newspaper. As he entered the shop, the story-teller saw the editor engaged in a quarrel with two

Adventures of THE TOTTIES



(READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE
PASTE IN YOUR SCRAPBOOK)

Wee Duncy jumped up from the ground
And said, "Come on, let's catch that hound.
He thought it was a hare he had,
Until I turned into a lad."

"A good idea," Dotty said,
"I'd like to pat him on the head.
I'll walk right up and have some fun.
I do not think that he will run."

The others watched her as she walked
Up to the dog. How nice she talked!
The hound then wagged his tail a bit
And Dotty grabbed a hold of it.

They all played with the hound.
The Mystic Man then said,
"Soon into the hound,
You'll ride until a found."

They tried to shoot the hound.
But he insisted he was not
The Mystic Man said
He is the finest I've met.

"My flying log is right
You see, this sails up
sky."
And so the bunch started
And then they started
ride.

NEXT: The Totties on Ozone Island.

TICKLERS

By Bob



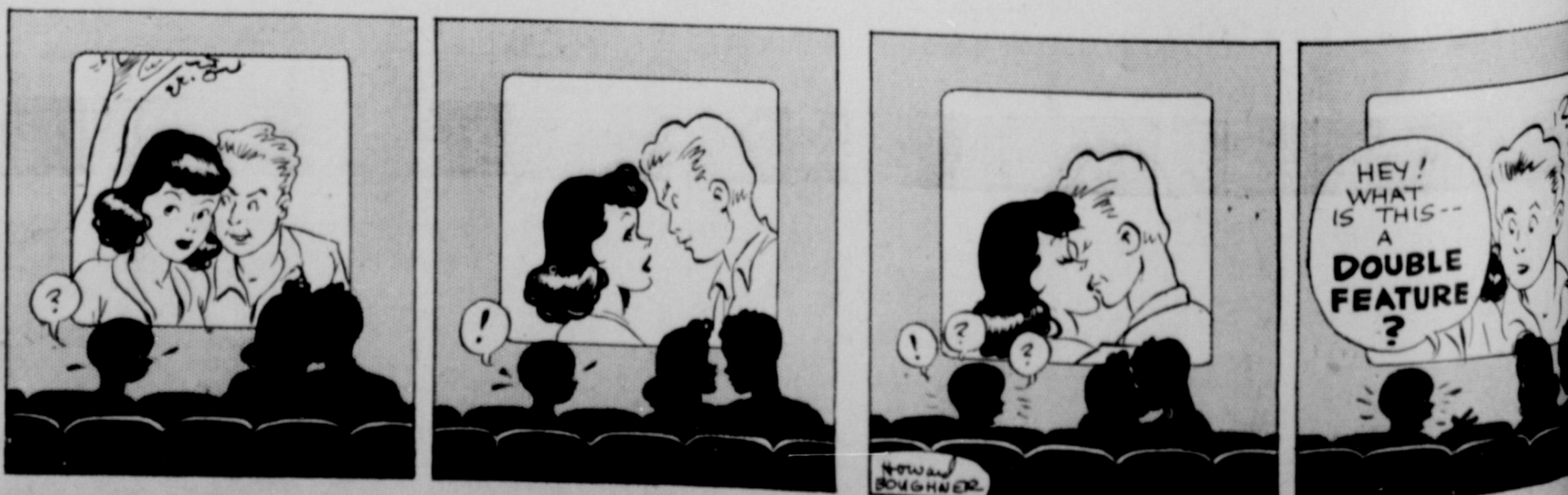
"Can't you get some really impressive words in bulletins, major? Go and read the Hollywood movie

elderly men.
"Sorry to find you fighting," said the story-teller, after the men had left. "Who were those men—the owners of the paper?"
"Owners nothing," snorted Editor Waggoner. "They were the circulation!"

Modernity
Douglas Meador in the
dor Tribune: Modern
embellished with gas
and car radios, may pro-
er marriages, but it is
tributed anything to
ance.



MAC—



By BOUGHNER

Phone 412