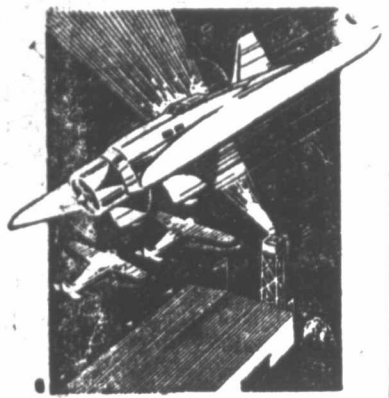


On The



BEAM

By J. W. King, Sr.

We have on our desk one of the finest editions of a newspaper we have ever seen. The Dallas Morning News on April 11, issued a 144 page special edition commemorating the founding of the company which publishes The News. The company first published the Galveston News which celebrated its 100th anniversary on April 11.

The issue is a history of Texas and Dallas. If you haven't seen one it will be worth your while to buy it and read it.

In what way are you helping to keep the boys in our armed forces cheerful? The boys appreciate letters from home folks and friends—we know from experience—and they appreciate as much as anything the home paper. We would like to see every boy from the Loraine area get The Mitchell County News. In order to give all of you an opportunity to send your boy or your neighbor's boy the paper we are making a special offer to send the paper to any boy in the service anywhere the paper a full year for only \$1.00. We know the boys will appreciate getting it and we are making that much of a contribution toward their happiness. The paper of course, will not take the place of a letter from home but it will give your boy much more news than you could possibly write to him.

Don't Kid Yourself

We Americans must not fool ourselves. The Fascists and Nazis are at work in this country, spreading propaganda just as diligently as they spread it in France before the Fall. They are trying to undermine the morale of the American people by creating distrust of government, by spreading suspicion about congress and the President, by breaking down faith in victory, by poisoning the hearts of people with vague, unfounded fears.

The other day a pamphlet came to the Gazette from Denver. It had no sign or mark of its authorship. It was a deadly bitter attack upon Washington for not going to the rescue of the American troops in the Philippines. It was intended to give suckers the belief that the President and the army and the navy and the air force would rather save Great Britain than to rescue American boys under siege in Bataan.

If you, Mr. and Mrs. Voter, fall for that kind of bunk, you are simply swallowing Fascist poison. This anonymous circular was one of the things which the Nazis are spreading through the country. Its story is the kind of story that licked France, because the French, in too many cases, half way believed the deadly things that were printed about their own government.

Buck up, brace up, wake up, Americans!

Remember, with all its faults—and they are many—the confusion and corruption and paralysis that Lincoln faced was a part of the Civil War. These evils are the inevitable burdens of all wars. Roosevelt is battling with the same kind of futility, and worse, that almost licked Washington, that brought Lincoln to black despair. And don't forget that the hatred of Lincoln was so bitter in 1865 that his assassin escaped with a thousand accomplices. Lincoln won because his cause was just.

Roosevelt is the only President we have. His cause is as just as Lincoln's. The board of strategy which our government has set up is following the wisest plan we know. To question it, to throw slimy suspicion upon our war plans, is just one way to slow down those very plans, to cripple our soldiers, to scuttle our ships. Don't kid yourself. When you smear your government you are betraying your country.—William Allen White in the Emporia, Kan. Gazette.

G. K. Baker has opened his service station across the street from the furniture store. He will feature Phillips 66 products.

Miss Bessie Hendrick of McAllen is at home with her parents Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hendrick, for a few weeks recuperating from a recent attack of mumps.

Read In More Homes In The Loraine Territory Than Any Other Newspaper

The Mitchell County News

THE MIRROR THROUGH WHICH THE PUBLIC VIEWS THE COMMUNITY AS IT IS WEEK BY WEEK

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Supt. Williams Resigns Post

Ed E. Williams, Superintendent of the Loraine Schools, has resigned his position effective after the present school term expires, to accept the principalship of the Colorado City Schools.

Mr. Williams has been with the local school for twelve years, the first six as principal and coach, and the past six as superintendent.



During his tenure as superintendent six school districts have been transferred to Loraine. A gymnasium built, a football field acquired and lighted, and vocational agriculture added to the courses offered in high school.

MRS. K. L. TAYLOR ENTERTAINS SEW-PLAY

On Thursday afternoon Mrs. K. L. Taylor entertained the Sew-Play club at her home. The afternoon was spent playing 42.

A refreshment plate of frozen salad and cake was served. Those present were Meses Frank Johnson, E. P. Kuck, Wiley Walker, Clyde Smith, W. L. Hester, Glenn Coon, E. C. Raney, D. E. Gunn, George Corse, Ed Williams, Floyd Griffin, Bruce Johnson, and John Marshall.

BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES

We speak of the wonderful Lord's day that we enjoy, especially grateful for just the day with its privileges, not counting the many other blessings that come our way on that day. We think of almost 200 in S. S. and the church filled for the church services, and the strangers and visitors that came to worship with us—we had a minister visit us Sunday night that was soon to leave for Greenland for service. The Lord has abundantly blessed us, let us be a blessing to the community.

The gospel messages were from Mark 8:36 "For what shall it profit a man if he shall gain the whole world, and lose his own soul?" and the evening message "Going the Second Mile" as did Rebekah. Do you tell your pastor, his wife, your friends, neighbors, deacons and officers what they have meant to you and that you are praying for them. Let us not be ungrateful for others' kindness.

It is true the church is affected by the present world condition, materially, because Southern Baptist churches are in the midst of the greatest building era ever known, not as a luxury, but as a necessity; morally because the world upheaval strikes at the very foundation of American home life; spiritually because many of the young leaders are leaving for camps. We have a great task teaching the Bible, telling men of sin, death and hell, calling on them to repent and seek salvation in Christ Jesus, while there is time.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sisson and Jack Bagwell were Sweetwater business visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pritchett and Mrs. David Collier of Odessa visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Collier last week.

Mrs. Clint McCollum spent last week end in Abilene visiting her daughter Lorraine, who is attending Draughtons Business College.

Supreme Moments of Life.



When you received the chair pay envelope with the full amount for 100% attendance.

Mrs. V. Tillison Killed In Wreck

Funeral services for Lela Belle Tillison, 4, who was killed instantly in an automobile accident 3 miles east of Colorado City Saturday night, were held at Kiker Chapel Monday afternoon at three o'clock. Rev. E. E. Barber, pastor of Second Baptist Church in Colorado, officiated. Burial was in the Colorado cemetery.

Pall bearers were Melvin Blair, Wayland Kirkpatrick, Burnard Kirkpatrick, Joe Tom Draper, Valton Beale.

Flower girls were Mrs. Melvin Blair, Mrs. Bennett Blair, Mrs. Wayland Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Burnard Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Joe Tom Draper, and Mrs. Valton Beale.

Mrs. Tillison was instantly killed at 8:30 Saturday night when the car in which she was riding with her husband and baby both of whom were injured, figured in a collision on highway 80, three miles east of Colorado. The husband, who was driving, was treated at Root hospital for chest injuries, lacerations and shock, and the 16 months old daughter, only slightly bruised, received examination and treatment.

The accident occurred when a Hudson driven by Lee Brandon sideswiped the Tillison Model A Ford in passing it, officers who investigated, said. Brandon's car plowed into a field, and he was only slightly hurt. The Tillison car overturned several times.

HOME HYGENE WILL MEET

All those who are interested in the "Home Hygiene and Care of Sick Course" will please meet at the Martin building (north of telephone building) Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

At the meeting Tuesday afternoon there were not enough ladies present to organize. This is a worthwhile course, with a very capable teacher and will prove profitable to all those who will attend these meetings.

Mrs. Lucy Britton is visiting this week in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Paul Terrell, at Sweetwater.

Mrs. Dutch Baumgartner and children of Nacogdoches are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hall, for a few weeks after which they will join Mr. Baumgartner who is in Army service.

P.T.A. Sponsors Entertainment

Thursday night, April 23, at 8 o'clock, the P. T. A. is sponsoring an entertainment at the high school gymnasium.

Games of various kinds, 42, dominoes, checkers, and what have you, will be played, and an interesting program directed by Mrs. W. R. Martin will be rendered.

The admission will be one pie per couple. At the refreshment hour the pies will be sold for five cents a slice, and whole pies will be auctioned off.

All proceeds will go to the Local Chapter of the American Red Cross. Be sure to come out and bring your friend and have a good time and at the same time help the Red Cross win the war.

All political candidates are cordially invited.

Remember: Time, place and date, and don't forget the pie.

FIRST GRADE GIVES P. T. A. PROGRAM

One of the largest crowds of the year witnessed the P. T. A. patriotic program presented last Thursday by the first grade, directed by Mrs. L. G. Baker. The attendance prize was awarded the first grade for having the largest number of room mothers present.

Mrs. F. M. Simmons, next year's president, resigned but no one was elected to fill her place.

The organization voted to sponsor a game night and pie supper Thursday night of this week, all proceeds will go to the local Red Cross.

Following the meeting refreshments of punch and cookies were served, and open house was held at the main building.

There will be only one more meeting this year, at which time Mrs. Johnson and her second grade will give a National Music Week program.

Mrs. Roy Richards and Mrs. Walter Honea, and Dorothy Honea left Wednesday morning for Corpus Christi where they will visit for a few days.

Helen Richards is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. H. Hudgins, in Roscoe this week.

Hazel Ruth Ray and Doris Black left Wednesday for Monahan for a few days visit with friends.

Bob James Now 1st Class Private

Robert V. James of Loraine, the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. James of Loraine, has just been promoted to Private First Class, according to Col. Thomas L. Gilbert, Commandant of the Lubbock Army Flying School, Lubbock, Texas.

Pfc. James, who is a graduate of the Loraine high school and Abilene Christian College is with the 98th Material Squadron at the large advanced twin-engine flying school.

He enlisted on February 14 and at the large Lubbock twin-engine school he is a file clerk in the instrument trainer section.

YOUNGSTERS HAVE THE CHOICE IN SERVICE

A War Department announcement will be welcome news to the young men of 18 and 19 years who wish to get in the Army and have a favorite branch in which they wish to serve.

The West Texas Recruiting & Induction District has been allotted quotas of enlistments for the Air Corps, the Armored Forces, the Coast Artillery Corps, Cavalry, Field Artillery, Engineers, Signal Corps, and Infantry exclusively for men who are not yet 20.

Enlistments of men who are 20 and over, and are therefore of draft age, are welcome in the Army of the United States, Unassigned. Their preferences are followed in assignment whenever possible. But only men of 18 and 19 years of age are allowed the preference of enlisting direct into the branch in which they wish to serve. 18 and 19 year old men should see the Army Recruiting Service today.

Mrs. Inez Alderson and daughter of Big Spring visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Brians, last week end.

Miss Pauline Faulkenberry visited friends in Roscoe last week end.

Garland Faulkenberry is again employed at the cheese plant here. Mrs. Faulkenberry, who is attending college at Denton, will join him here as soon as school is out.

Mrs. Tony Snyder and children visited friends in Roscoe last week end.

Men 45 to 65 Years Old To Register Next Monday

LUTHERANS REPORT MISSIONARIES SAFE

Dr. R. Tauber of Minneapolis, Minnesota, went high in his praise of the Australian government for their assistance in bringing the missionaries of the Lutheran Church on New Guinea to safety, according to Rev. L. D. Braun and Mr. Adolf Hackfeld who represented Salem Lutheran Church in Seguin last week. The government provided planes to evacuate the women and children when the Japs attacked. Missionary Ackerman who was stationed at Malalo, on a hill midway between the heavily bombed stations of Salamaua and Lae, likewise was brought to safety by a government plane. It also provided for the needs of the mission personnel until the church could come to their assistance.

The two representatives were impressed with the interest of both government and church in the spiritual welfare of the men with the colors. The interest of the government was evident from the addresses of Chaplains O. R. Shaw, of Camp Shelby and Oliver Grofendorf of Camp Bowie. Chaplain Grofendorf exhibited equipment and supplies provided for his use by the National Lutheran Council, an agency in which the Lutherans of America cooperate. Rev. M. C. Rieke of San Antonio spoke on the spiritual care the church is making available to soldiers and sailors in its Service Centers. Salem Lutheran Church will take pride in supporting this work when the opportunity is given on Mother's Day, said Mr. Hackfeld.

"What impressed me most at the convention," said Rev. Braun "is the confident faith, forcibly expressed by the President of the Texas District Brotherhood of the American Lutheran Church when he said 'The heavens and the kingdoms of this world shall pass away, but the kingdom of the Prince of Peace remains forever unmovable to bless all who will receive such blessing.' This faith was the dominant characteristic of the meeting."

130 men of the community enjoyed the occasion.

HEALTH OFFICER URGES CHILD HEALTH CARE

Austin, Texas. — Commenting today on the wide spread interest and cooperation shown by Texans in the observance of Texas Children's Week, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, said that America has no better safeguard for her future than the promotion of good health in the youth of today.

"Americans have done a great deal in the past to make the United States a better and safer place in which to live the all-important years of childhood," Dr. Cox said, "but in spite of all of this, American childhood has not yet been made as safe as it can be."

Dr. Cox pointed out that the national emergency naturally adds to the health hazards that already exist and urged parents of every child in Texas to make sure that their children have been immunized against such preventable diseases as diphtheria and smallpox.

Dr. Cox stressed the fact that although most babies are born physically sound, the foundation for future health is laid in the first six years of life. All parents must realize that raising child health standards is a job for them especially, Dr. Cox said, and added that it is better to keep them from getting sick than to try to save their lives when they are ill.

MERCHANTS TO REGISTER FOR SUGAR NEXT WEEK

Mr. Ed E. Williams, chief registrar for sugar, announced Tuesday that he will have registration blanks here Friday for the merchants of the community to use in registering for sugar on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday of next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith of Haynesville, Louisiana, visited relatives here this week, and attended the funeral services for Mrs. Victor Tillison.

Registration of all men in the Loraine area between the ages of 45 and 65 will be held at the office of The Mitchell County News on Monday, April 27, from 7 a. m. to 9 p. m., according to announcement made this week by Joe Earnest, chairman of the Mitchell County Selective Service Board.

Those who will offer their assistance for the registration may see J. B. Clifton, member of the Selective Service Board of Mitchell County.

More men are expected to register Monday than were registered on February 16.

PIE SUPPER AT BETHEL FRIDAY APRIL 27th

The young people and the ladies Bible class of the Bethel Baptist Church are having a Pie Supper on Friday night, April 27th to raise funds to buy curtains for the petitions in the church. All the women and girls of the surrounding territory are invited to come and bring a pie. The men and boys are invited to come, buy and eat them. There will be plenty of entertainment. All candidates are being invited for a three minute speech. 8:25 is the time.

BRUCE BIBLE CLASS HOLDS ANNUAL BEAN FEED

The Bruce Bibel class entertained the men of the Baptist and Christian Church with their annual bean feed Tuesday night. After the supper Chaplain Carl W. Eklund of Camp Barkeley spoke to the group on the subject "Today's Child and Tomorrow's World". The Riden quartet sang two songs.

130 men of the community enjoyed the occasion.

SPECIALISTS WANTED IN ARMED FORCES

The West Texas Recruiting and Induction District, with headquarters at Lubbock, and Recruiting Stations at Amarillo, Pampa, Plainview, Big Spring, Sweetwater, Odessa and Fort Bliss has an assignment which is right down its alley.

It has been authorized, between April 16 and May 20 to enlist a group of nineteen different specialists for the Army. And these men are the type of rugged workmen who are numerous in West Texas oil fields and ranches. Allotments cover both white and colored specialists.

The list includes Tool dressers and cat skimmers; Railway construction Foremen and Highway construction Foremen; Welders and Quarrymen; Structural Steel Workers and Crane Shovel operators.

If you are, between the ages of 18 and 45, and feel that your place is in this man's Army; if you feel that you want to get to work quickly, and at jobs for which your civilian training fits you—where you can pull your own weight and more, in licking the Japs and Germans, then get hold of your nearest Recruiting representative right off and get all the information on openings in this call for the Corps of Engineers, Camp Claiborne, La.

W. S. C. S. HAS MEETING

The W. S. C. S. of the Methodist Church met Monday at the church with twelve present.

A very interesting report was given by Mrs. W. L. Hester on the District Conference Meeting she attended at Midland. We were happy to know that we received recognition from the conference on our last study course "Christian Imperative".

Next Monday the Local Circle will meet with Mrs. Frank Johnson.

CHURCH OF CHRIST LORLAINE

Sending you a special invitation to come meet with us. Bible Study at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. Communion at 12 noon. Preaching at 8:30 p. m.

Morning subject, "What Do Ye More Than Others?" Evening subject, "Where Are The Dead?"

C. Y. Pettigrew, Minister

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

By Edward C. Wayne

Laval Given French Police Powers As Germany Fears Invasion Threat; U. S. Bombers, Subs Smash at Japs; Increased Undersea Program Likely

(EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.)
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VICHY: Pressure from Berlin

Regardless of underlying causes, or of how much justification there might have been, the overturn of government in Vichy which had brought Laval back to power as "civil supervisor" had been definitely accepted by Britain and the United States as a decision to "go with the Axis."

It had come at a moment when there were some indications that Vichy was wavering in its collaboration with Germany, and that Petain and his associates were looking with longing and friendly eyes toward the United States as a possible source of food supplies.

Some favorable steps had been made in this direction, then, all of a sudden, Laval seized the police power, and before the world knew it, Laval was back in the cabinet and many believed it marked the end of the Petain regime.

London was very positive about the whole thing, saying frankly that the re-entry of Laval into the government, the man who looks, acts and talks like Hitler, "reduces France to the level of a nickel Balkan state." The spokesman continued: "It clearly indicates the complete subservience of the Vichy policy to Berlin."

Two vital reasons were seen for the Laval development and both of them were envisioned as Germany "cracking down" on the Petain regime. The first was the German fear that an American-British invasion of the continent through France is imminent.

The second was that Germany feared the growing friendliness of Vichy and Washington through the ministrations of Leahy.

Hardly anybody thought the French fleet would immediately go into the war on Germany's side, neither could most observers see French soldiers fighting against the Russians, nor French fliers manning planes to bomb Britain.

But they could see a strong effort to be made at once by Germany

U. S. SUBS: Wolfpack Tactics

The success of American submarines in the present Pacific war with credit for a substantial percentage of the amount of Japanese warships sent to the bottom, had caused Chairman Vinson of the house naval affairs committee to present a program calling for \$800,000,000 more in undersea craft.

A program adopted in 1940 called for 65 such ships. This would call for 100 more, or more than double the amount previously authorized. The navy, last October, had 186 submarines in service, of which only a few were of the 1,500-ton "cruiser type," which are now under construction and planned by the Vinson program.

The naval plan would be for the United States to adopt the same



CARL VINSON
An \$800,000,000 program.

"wolfpack" tactics used by the Japs and Germans against American shipping. Though it was pointed out that we are building ships faster than they are being sunk, Vinson felt that an increased sub program would kick the Japs out of the war faster, as their shipbuilding facilities were limited.

MacARTHUR: In Command

Although it had seemed clear enough through dispatches from Australia that the return of MacArthur from the Philippines had been to place him in command of all armies of the United Nations in the Far East, some doubt had followed this in the eyes of the public largely because of stories about General Blamey, and the small amount of material coming direct from MacArthur.

Finally the direct question was put to the American generalissimo, and his headquarters gave credence to the rumors when it frankly said it didn't know—that the general's status was not clear.

This called for a statement by President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Curtin, the former stating that it was his understanding that MacArthur was in supreme command.

The following day this had been concurred in fully by Prime Minister Curtin, who went into enough detail so that little doubt could remain as to MacArthur's command powers.

The only point remaining not clear was whether MacArthur's powers extended to New Zealand. A Netherlands spokesman had confirmed his command over such Dutch forces as had escaped from the East Indies, and the fact that General Stilwell was in command of Chinese in Burma seemed sufficient confirmation from that quarter.

PRICES: And Labor

The chances were that President Roosevelt might "beat the punch" congressional efforts to legislate on the labor situation by pegging all prices, including rents and wages and interest on capital, thus following the Canadian and Australian systems already in effect.

Australia, guarding against the "black market," troubles England had had, because of a dire shortage of commodities, took the same step Canada had, and brought all prices and services under control of the government.

The price commissioner was given authority to peg all prices and services at levels he might select.

The announcement already had gone out from Washington that such a move was "under consideration by the government," and most observers felt that under precedent as well as law, the Executive Branch had the wartime power to do this.

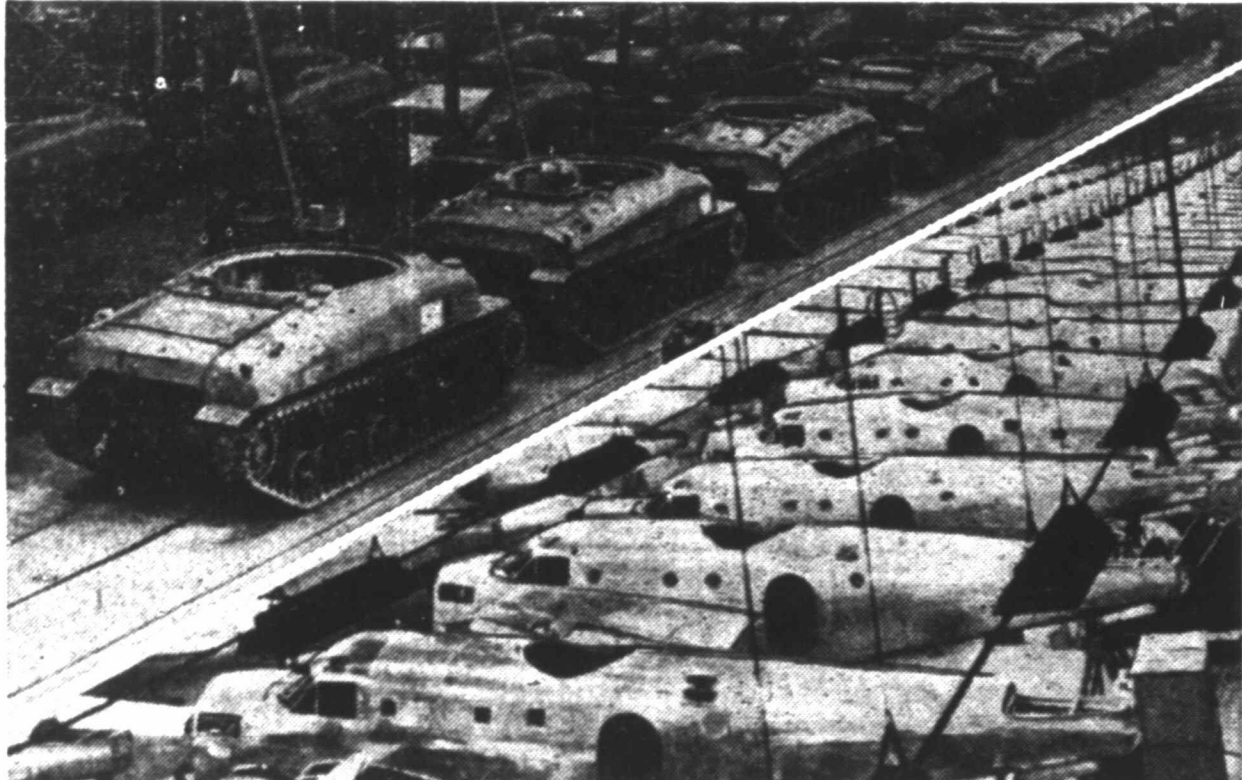
Technically, this, if carried out by the President, would tend to spike the guns of congressmen proposing laws setting the work week and the return to capital on war contracts, because it would affect all workers, pegging their wages at certain levels, and also, presumably, setting their hours of work.

As Bataan Fought on to the Bitter End



These photos of the heroic defenders of Bataan, whose long and gallant defense is an epic of courage seldom matched in the annals of war, were taken shortly before the peninsula fell into Jap hands. At left, Brig. Gen. M. S. Lough, Col. H. Browne and Capt. J. Salice as they planned the fight in their sector. Upper right: Courageous to the last, generous even to an enemy, Yanks are shown as they gave aid to a dying Jap. Below: U. S. fighters as they ducked shrapnel fire somewhere on Bataan.

Keep 'Em Rolling and Keep 'Em Flying



Upper picture shows how, on the final assembly lines, the army's new medium tanks get their turrets and guns in a war production plant in the Cleveland area, where they keep 'em rolling as part of Uncle Sam's answer to Hiro-Hitler. Below is shown a view of mass production at the Beech Aircraft company plant in Wichita, Kan., where trainers for the army air corps are in the final stage of assembly.

Supplying Strategic Australian Base



A focal point of the war, Darwin, Australia, strategic base on the northern rim of the "continent down under," is being supplied for defense or offense. Australian soldiers are shown unloading stores at Darwin. They have named their depot "Paddy's market."

Russ Medical Corps Aids Wounded Red



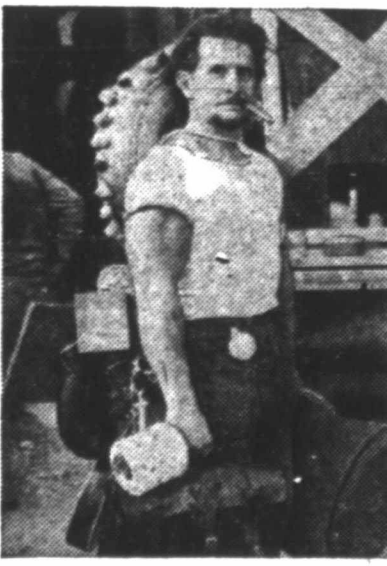
Men and women in white, members of the Red Russian army medical corps, are shown in a dressing station on the front pumping blood into the veins of a sorely wounded soldier. The blood used is from a blood bank, a system now in world-wide use which was inaugurated in Russia.—Sovphoto.

Kin of Kai-shek



Pearl and Tsi Sun have every reason to form a V-for-Victory with their skills at an Idaho winter resort. They are grandchildren of Sun Yat-sen, founder of the Chinese republic. Their uncle is Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek, and their father is Dr. Sun Fo, leader of the Chinese legislature.

Canal Zone Alien



"Otto," No. 1 man of the German faction in the Canal Zone, whose clownlike appearance was deceiving. He is about to be evacuated to the U. S., where he will be of less "nuisance value."

Washington Digest

Total War Effort Demands End of Political Bickering

American Industry Now Rolling at Speed Which Means Victory for Allies; Defeat Can Only Come at Home.

By BAUKHAGE

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As the time grows shorter and the critical moment approaches when the Axis poises itself for a knockout blow, there is one battle which the enemy is steadily losing. The battle of France, the battle of Crete, the battle of the Netherlands Indies are all deep scars on the Allied escutcheon. But at last, despite endless delays, the selfishness and the bickering, we have begun to win the battle of America.

In the laboratory, on the drawing board and now finally in the machine shop and on the drill field America is forging the weapons and the organization which will win.

That statement is based on the confidential reports of the performance of American rifles, cannon, planes, tanks and ships tested in actual warfare.

We are still behind the enemy in some weapons. Some special artillery units of the Germans are superior. We have not reached the perfection in training of paratroops. We have not mastered the Japanese art of infiltration. We have not been able to work out the synchronization of air forces with other forces as the Germans have done on the sea. But wherever our separate units have been in action there is high praise for both performance of personnel and material. Where we have perfected that unity we have been highly successful.

American big bombers lead the world. With the comparatively few now in action they have put out of commission 60 Japanese ships and destroyed as many enemy airplanes.

The United States was far behind in aircraft carriers when the war began. But we can build them faster than Japan can. We are building them now. We are turning out "eyes of the navy." Our navy after Pearl Harbor was constantly shadowed by Japanese reconnaissance planes which have been in the air steadily.

Torpedo Boats

We are building an under-water surface and air combination which will probably decide the war in the Pacific. Our fast patrol torpedo boats have an enviable record in the Philippines; our new destroyers are tough skinned. The Kearney reached port after being almost cut in two with torpedoes. Our new merchant ships are tough, too. The sinkings along the Atlantic coast have been limited to ancient tankers; the only new tanker the subs were able to catch and hit got into port under her own power.

General MacArthur reports that the new Garand rifle and the new carbines which have been substituted for the .45 revolvers give our mobile troops superior fire power. Our light machine guns are at least equal to anything the Axis has produced.

Our field artillery has been remade.

Our light tanks have proved themselves against Europe's best in the same class; our medium tanks are being improved in the light of experience and army men believe our armored units soon will dominate in that field.

We have the men. We now have trained men to train other men and as the Axis draws on its reserves of manpower our own army swells. We are winning the battle of America before it is begun and unless the whole structure of the Allies is destroyed before we can get the ships, we will be able to carry that battle into the enemy's country.

That is the optimistic side of the picture. The other side is the confusion on the home front. Like France we are still battling each other. We still are afraid of losing our own privileges and our own profits, group is fighting against group instead of uniting against a common enemy.

Although we have gradually abolished business as usual, we have not been able to abolish politics as usual. Until we do we will not have a total war effort, and without a total war effort we cannot wage a total war to victory.

—Buy Defense Bonds— Golden Silence

In all Washington taxicabs there are signs, placed there by order of

the Public Utilities commission, which read: "Don't kill Americans by loose talk."

You know Washington has—or did have until the tire restriction started—one of the most remarkable taxi systems in the world. You can ride miles for 30 cents. There are no meters. The cabs are all sedans, no partition between driver and passengers and the drivers are very sociable.

That is one reason for the signs. Not that the drivers are spies but they frequently repeat what they hear.

The day the signs appeared I asked a driver if he had noticed any difference in the conduct of his passengers.

"Oh," he said, "it makes some of the brass hats whisper some, that's all."

I talked to a colored driver who had quite a contribution on the subject. He may have been biased for he talked like a man who was a trained personal servant. He said this:

"Careless talk is what gave the Japs the jump on us in this war. You see when an American got real rich the first thing he did was to hire a Jap butler. A lot of those butlers turned out to be captains and generals and admirals. They heard a lot of careless talk and they learned a lot of important secrets."

The opinion may have been inspired by professional jealousy, but I imagine the driver was not far wrong.

—Buy Defense Bonds— War Program As Propaganda

The President's gargantuan war program proved to be just what he probably intended it—not merely a prescription for eventual victory in arms for the united nations, but a powerful propaganda weapon.

We Americans don't quite realize in what high esteem our ability to make things is held abroad. I was told by officials recently returned from Europe that the thing about America's war effort (before Pearl Harbor) which most impressed Europeans was the statement by Henry Ford that he could produce a thousand planes a day.

Why? Because the name Ford means more around the world in terms of concrete experience than the name of perhaps any other living man. Almost everybody has seen a Ford.

The second thing that most impressed Europeans (which occurred since Pearl Harbor) was the news that American pleasure car factories were to be turned over 100 per cent to defense.

Why? Because few towns in Europe are unfamiliar with the name of some branch factory of an American automobile manufacturer.

Polter-Geist

Did you ever hear of a poltergeist?

It is a strange kind of ghost that breaks dishes, rattles pans, upsets tables and chairs. There are plenty of records of their behavior.

Well, one visited me the other day. While I was shaving I heard a crash. I thought the dog had got loose, jumped up on the dresser and knocked off the alarm clock. But I looked at the kitchen door. It was closed. The dog couldn't open it. I went into my bedroom. Sure enough the clock was sitting at a weird angle on the dresser. I picked it up. The key that sets the alarm was bent almost flat. When I tried to straighten it, it broke off. Now who could have done that but a poltergeist?

Twine—and Japs

Farmers who get binder twine must sign a statement that they will use the twine for handling farm products only. Sisal products were cut off by the war in the Far East.

And the Japs have got hold of some of the best—Manila hemp. Rope made from Manila hemp is especially valuable to sailors because it is like a certain well-advertised soap. It floats.

There is, however, one satisfaction about having the Japs get hold of that rope: perhaps if we give them enough they'll hang themselves.

BRIEFS . . . by Baukhage

One of the men most feared by congress is Jesse Jones. He is a powerful political figure and he holds many purse-strings.

Now that the Day Care Nurseries are being started for war-working mothers, we'll probably pay the baby's cost several times over the way we do on our hats with the cost of checking them.

A listener writes me she heard the tinkle of her 3½ year old grandson's toy telephone and then his very businesslike voice say: "Hello, Baukhage talking? Well, about this war—I don't advise it."

The British National Federation of Women's Institutes thanks America for gifts of "seeds, fertilizers, and hand-sealing machines."

SHE LOVED A SPY

by SYLVIA TAYLOR

THE STORY SO FAR: Joan Leland occupies a secretarial position in a night club and falls in love with the handsome proprietor, Karl Miller. Her sister, Sybil, suspects Karl's motives and is not mollified when he also gets her a new position. Paul Sherman, club manager, warns Joan about Karl but she defends him to both Paul and Sybil. Delivering a mysterious message for Karl to a tramp steamer, she finds Paul secretly following her. He rescues her from Eric Strom, Karl's partner, when Eric tries to kiss her. Karl shoots and kills Eric in Joan's presence, and threatens to blame her if she calls the police. He admits he is German, and part of a spy ring. To her surprise, Paul backs him up. At her home that night, Paul enters through the window and reveals himself as Paul O'Malley of the FBI. Knowing her fingerprints were on the gun Karl made her pick up, he had to side with him temporarily, he explained, as this work was more important than their lives. Joan is shocked by the revelation that Karl also has a wife in Germany. Sybil disappears. Now continue with the story.

CHAPTER X

One-thirty and still Sybil had not come home. What had she meant by that note saying "something terrible had happened?"

"She never trusted Karl," Joan spoke fearfully.

Paul was looking out of the window. "He's not there now. What ever happened to Sybil had nothing to do with Karl personally. He hasn't been out of sight all evening. Of course there are plenty of others working with him."

"Karl said that everyone at the Club Elite was involved. Is that true?"

"I'm afraid so. Karl is too clever to take any chances."

"But what does he actually do?" Paul thrust his hands into his pockets and stared at the fire. "I'm not sure of all his activities and I have no proof, but he is suspected of transferring plans of bombing planes and munition plants to other foreign agents. He's working with someone else, of course."

"Remember that freighter Karl took me to and later sent me to with a package?"

"Maybe establishing refueling bases for submarines."

"No, he's not," Joan cried.

"No. Probably in the South Atlantic. I don't know yet."

Joan sighed. "I always wanted adventure but I certainly didn't expect it to take this form."

"I'm sorry you got in so deep," Paul told her very seriously.

"It's my own fault. You tried to warn me, so did Sybil . . ."

Their eyes met. Two o'clock and Sybil was still out.

"I'm going," Paul said, rising, "and you'd better get some sleep. I'll be for you at one-thirty. Karl's orders, you know. He smiled grimly. "It's fortunate for both of us."

"I'm not going to bed until Sybil comes," Joan insisted.

"Oh, yes you are! You need your sleep. Tomorrow is going to be a tough day. You've got to be clicking on all cylinders. Both our lives are at stake. You can't afford to make a slip. If Karl ever finds out, we'll end up just like Eric."

"Don't say that! Oh Paul, I've been such a fool. I loved him . . ."

He patted her shoulder. "We all make mistakes," he said comfortingly.

When he had gone she tried to obey his instructions. She went to bed and tried to sleep. But the grandfather's clock had chimed three, then three-thirty before she slept, a fitful doze. It was a little after six when she awoke.

"Sybil!" she called hysterically, but there was no reply. Her sister's bed was untouched.

Joan got up, shivering in the cold of the December morning. She went into the kitchen and made a pot of coffee. What had happened to Sybil?

"I've got to keep my head," she thought desperately, pouring the coffee with shaking hands. "But I feel so helpless."

At one-thirty Paul arrived and took Joan to the Club Elite.

"Now remember," he said as he parked the car, "we're not friends. Ignore me. And watch your step."

"I'll do my best," Joan said grimly.

But it was not easy to walk into this office, to see Karl sitting at his desk with the familiar red carnation in his buttonhole, the same smile that had once endeared him to her. With shaking hands she removed her hat and coat and sat down at her desk.

"Paul tells me you have decided to be sensible," Karl commented.

"What else can I do?" She paused for a moment, then burst out, "What have you done to my sister?"

Karl regarded her with apparent surprise. "Sister? What do you mean?"

"She didn't come home all night. Karl Miller shrugged and smiled.

"What makes you think I had anything to do with it? I have no interest in your sister."

"You know what I mean . . ."

"Let us get on with our work," Karl said. Joan managed to control her resentment, and obeyed.

The afternoon finally dragged to a conclusion. At six Paul Sherman appeared and he and Karl had a short conversation in German, after which Karl left.

"I'm taking you to dinner," Paul said, "Karl's orders."



Joan laid the dazzling emerald before Karl without speaking and Karl put it in his pocket as if it had been a slip of paper.

Without a word Joan got her coat and they left the club.

Safe in a small restaurant, she asked, "What about Sybil? Have you heard anything?"

"Not a word. And I can't ask Karl. It's too much of a chance."

"But we have to do something," Joan pleaded.

"Wait until tomorrow and see what happens."

Paul smiled grimly. "It amuses me the way Karl trusts me. Even the most clever criminals make one fatal mistake. This is his."

"You really think he trusts you now?"

"Yes. And since he does, he is sure to reveal something."

"And all this trouble started because I wouldn't take Sybil's advice."

As Joan picked up her purse she remembered the ring Karl had given her. It was in his velvet box in her purse where she had placed it this morning. She had completely forgotten to return it. Karl did not seem to care particularly whether she did or not.

"It's probably stolen anyway," Joan thought bitterly as Paul took her back to the club.

Joan laid the dazzling emerald before Karl without speaking and Karl put it in his pocket as if it had been a slip of paper.

Joan wanted to scream, to pour out her anger. But she suspected that it would only amuse him.

Karl actually seemed to think that she would return to their former relationship. "You loved me yesterday," he reminded her. "What is so different?"

"You can force me to work for you—that's all!" Joan told him, her green eyes blazing. Had she ever loved this cruel, conceited man?

An hour later Paul Sherman appeared again and said something to Karl in his own language. Joan noticed that Paul did not look at her, but she felt a personal importance in those guttural words even though she could not understand them.

Karl smiled as he turned to her but there was warning in his eyes.

"There are two officers here to see you, Joan. I believe they have news of your sister."

"The police!" In an instant Joan was on her feet.

"Something about Sybil," Karl repeated calmly, but his eyes warned her not to make a false move.

Joan risked a glance at Paul. It seemed to her that he shook his head ever so slightly. He was trying to tell her not to take any chances.

"All right," Karl snapped. "Show them in."

When the door opened as he left, Joan could hear the music and laughter from the front of the club. Christmas gayety! How could these people laugh and be merry? How could they be so unaware of the drama that went on in that back office?

"Watch your step," Karl advised.

"If you say anything, you will be the loser, I warn you. I will not hesitate to use all the cards I hold. Shall we put it that way?"

Her green eyes filled with tears. "Don't worry! Sybil is all I'm thinking about now."

Paul returned with two officers. "Sorry to bother you, Mr. Miller."

"Not at all," Karl replied graciously.

"Tell me," Joan cried, "is it something about my sister? What's happened to her?"

"We're not sure it's your sister, Miss Leland. We want you to come down to headquarters and identify the clothes."

"Clothes? You mean . . . oh, no!" Her voice rose to a scream.

"Take it easy now," the officer advised. "We're not sure."

"Tell me," Joan begged. "Where did you find them?"

"A woman's garments were found on the Golden Gate Bridge—a coat, shoes and a handbag with a letter addressed to your sister. Apparently it was suicide."

"Suicide? Sybil would never do a thing like that!"

"Maybe she didn't. Maybe she just wants you to think so. But we called up her employer, Mrs. Murdock, and she said she hadn't shown up for work."

Joan's eyes were upon Karl. "You had something to do with this," her eyes accused.

For one moment she was tempted to pour out the whole story of the spy ring, to scream her accusations, but Paul was at her side now, grasping her firmly by the arm, and the pressure told her to be silent.

Karl was saying, "I'm terribly sorry, Joan. You may go with the officers. Paul will go with you and see that you get home safely."

"Thanks!" Joan flung the word into his expressionless face.

All the way to headquarters Joan prayed that all this might be a mistake—that those clothes found on the Golden Gate Bridge were not Sybil's. It could not be Sybil! Her sister had said she would "be back soon." Was that indicative of suicide? But when she was faced with the coat, shoes and handbag she knew there was no mistake.

"Yes. These are my sister's," she told them tonelessly.

There was a sympathetic silence as an officer removed the clothes and letter.

"Do you know of any reason why your sister should have done this?"

"No," Joan wanted to cry but the tears would not come. A great pain welled up inside her. Sybil! Sybil was all she had in the world! She felt the floor swaying beneath her. She clung to the table.

"Poor kid!" Paul was saying as he helped her into a chair. Someone else brought a glass of water.

"It's almost impossible to recover a body from that part of the bay," one of the men was saying. "Of course we'll do all we can but the tide is so strong . . ."

"Stop it!" Joan screamed. "I tell you my sister didn't kill herself! I know she didn't!" She was speaking incoherently now.

The officers leaned closer. "Just what do you mean, Miss Leland?"

Paul came to the rescue. "Miss Leland is hysterical. It's only natural. This has been a terrible shock, of course. Probably a good night's sleep will fix her up. Why not let me take her home? She's had enough for one night."

"Sure," the officer said sympathetically. "Go ahead."

Paul led the trembling figure down the cold marble hall and into the street. Joan could not have stood without his support.

"Why didn't you let me take her?" She asked over and over.

"Paul, you know Karl had something to do with this."

"We can't prove it," he reminded her kindly. "Our only chance to convict Karl of this, or anything else, is to be seemingly unsuspecting."

They were driving home now, through the wet streets of San Francisco. Wreaths shone from the windows of homes and apartments. Small Christmas trees sparkled. Next week—Christmas.

"Oh, Paul, I can't stand it!"

"Listen, honey," he said tenderly. "I don't think Sybil committed suicide."

"Then you think Karl is behind it?"

"I wouldn't be surprised."

"But where is Sybil? Has he . . .?"

"As a matter of fact," Paul said thoughtfully, "I think Sybil is alive. Now this is pure theory, understand, but I think Karl is trying to put a scare into you. He's probably taken Sybil away somewhere, but I don't think he's really harmed her. He doesn't want to take that much of a chance. He wants her as a hostage."

"You mean," Joan said slowly, "that Karl will someday tell me that Sybil is alive and threaten her life if I don't do as he asks?"

"That's the way I have it figured."

"As long as Sybil is alive, that's all that matters. Surely we can find out if we go on with Karl and he isn't suspicious."

"Good girl," Paul approved as they drove up before her apartment.

"If we work together, I think we can beat Karl Miller at his own game. He's bound to make a slip and when he does we'll have all the evidence, not only about Sybil but his other activities. You'll stick it out, Joan?"

(TO BE CONTINUED)

My Week

by Eleanor Roosevelt

WASHINGTON.—It is curious how one can live near people one wants very much to see and still see them rarely. I finally succeeded in having Secretary and Mrs. Morgenthau here to dinner. I have been trying to see Mrs. Morgenthau ever since I returned from the West. Our only other guest was Judge Robert Marx of Cincinnati, Ohio.

After dinner we had a newsreel and a movie called "On the Shores of Tripoli," a picture about the marine corps. We were, therefore, able to induce the President to stay and see it. It proved to be a good picture and very entertaining, but I don't know whether we were wise to beguile the President away from his work, because I found him still at his desk at one o'clock this morning.

We have left spring weather behind us in Washington and are right in the middle of summer. Our flowering bushes are too beautiful for words. Someone remarked to me this morning that the weather was so lovely one could not be annoyed with anyone. I am not sure that this is my feeling. The effect on me of these first warm days is so completely relaxing that I think I am too lazy to take much action of any kind, but that doesn't imply a completely kindly attitude toward the world in general.

I put the top of my car down and went to meet the train at noon. Unless I have something which really must be done, I don't feel that tires or gas should be used. But, since trains have to be met, I enjoyed the drive and had a nice chat with some soldiers, who came up to my car when I parked near the station. They asked for autographs and told me they were on their way to receive training. One boy told me he had just come in and hoped that he could do a good job.

The usual crowds of school children were in the station, but this year there have been far fewer than usual in Washington. Some of them have written me that they had given up their trips to buy Defense Stamps and Bonds. Others probably found it impossible to find any place to lay their heads.

Dr. Herbert V. Evatt, attorney general and minister of state for external affairs of Australia and Mrs. Evatt came to lunch, accompanied by Mrs. Felix Frankfurter. I enjoyed very much talking to them. It always seems to me that the Australians have a point of view very much akin to our democratic aspirations.

After a very pleasant party last night, which was given by some young friends, we drove around the Basin and along the river to get a glimpse of the cherry blossoms. I know nothing lovelier than the reflection of the light in the river. The quiet and peace seem to take one out of this world of turmoil for a few minutes at least.

I listened to a news commentator this morning who gave such a gloomy picture of the future and of the leaders in every field in this country, that I wonder whether the effect would not be to discourage people.

Just to give the gentleman a ray of hope as to the good intentions of some people, I would like to draw his attention to an item in the newspaper wires on April 7: "The Executive Board of the United Automobile Workers' proposed today a legal unit of \$25,000 a year on family and individual incomes for the war's duration, in return for which union workers would accept non-negotiable Defense Bonds in lieu of all overtime pay for more than 40 hours a week."

The gentleman said that there was no selfishness left in any of us. I am not going to contend that this suggestion is entirely unselfish, but at least it is a constructive suggestion showing that someone is doing some thinking.

WARTIME ADJUSTMENTS

HYDE PARK.—Yesterday morning, we visited some of our neighbors. All families lead uncertain lives these days. They are constantly trying to adjust to new conditions. One of our neighbors depends on a gas station and a small lunch room with guest rooms above to make her living. In winter she weaves very beautiful homespun material, which she sells to established customers and passing motorists in summer.

Another neighbor, whose husband had retired from the navy, had to see him return to active duty some six months ago. She heard from him the other day from the West coast after a long cruise. Now she is preparing, if he should be there more than a few days at any time, to take the long trip with her daughter for a glimpse of him.

I have not been over yet to see one of our neighbors whose boy was on a destroyer last autumn. I am most anxious to get news of him. Another boy I am interested in, is the son of one of the other men, who works for the President.

I read a charming story last night about a little brother who tried to follow his big brother into the army. It reminded me of a little boy who came to see me here last autumn to talk over his brother's enlistment. He looked so worried that I felt quite sure that the first break in any large family was never easy for the youth.

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If you have any leftover meat and gravy, why not make a pastry roll? Spread the meat, mixed in with the gravy, on biscuit dough, roll it and fit it in a greased loaf pan or baking dish. Bake about 30 minutes and serve warm with a vegetable sauce.

J. Fuller Pep
By JERRY LINK

Uncle Jed always used to say, "Things'd be a whole lot pleasanter if folks would just live so's they'd never be ashamed to sell the family parrot to the town gossip."

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- Sanskrit is the ancient sacred and literary language of what country?
- What is called the first law of nature?
- For what sentence of four words is the word "good-by" a contraction or abbreviation of?
- Is Alaska larger in area than Texas?
- What does "pettifogger" mean?
- What is the difference between astrology and astronomy?
- How do pearls range in size?
- Wreckage of a ship or its cargo found floating is called what?

The Answers

- Far off.
- India.
- Self-preservation.
- God be with ye.
- Yes, Alaska, 590,884 square miles; Texas, 265,986 square miles.
- A lawyer who practices in petty cases.
- Astrology is the art pursued of foretelling or forecasting the future of mankind by reference to the influence supposed to be exerted by the stars. Astronomy is the study of the heavenly bodies.
- Pearls range in size from the tiny "dust" specimens which weigh less than one-twenty-fifth of a grain up to the giant paragon which have been known to weigh as much as 337 grains, or about 8,500 times more.
- Flotsam.

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The Seniors

J. C. Gross was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gross on August 15, 1924. He is 5 feet, 10 inches tall and weighs 140 pounds. He has brown hair and blue eyes and some freckles.

J. C. started to school here and has been a member of our class ever since the start.

J. C. has acquired the nickname of "Mokey."

"Mokey" likes to play tennis. He is a member of the Spanish club and has been for three years.

Some of his favorites are: dish, ice cream; day, Sunday; movie, Louisiana Purchase; actor, Tyrone Power; actress, Alice Fay; sport, indoor ball.

He dislikes going to school. His worries will soon be over.

Mokey has decided what he will do after graduation as he has no ambition. Good luck,

Mokey.

We hope you have enjoyed this column in the Mastiff. This is the last one of our Seniors. As Editor of the Mastiff I wish to thank Aileen Hallmark for writing these for our school paper, for it has been some job.

Senior Flashes--

The Senior year is all this week so we will try to fill in this space. Hope she will be back soon.

Well, our play is over with and everyone is still alive, ever Mrs. Isen. We hope that it was a success. We wish to thank everyone that had a part or anything to do to help us put on the play. Now that it is over with we, the Seniors are looking forward to the banquet Friday night. We all know that we will have a wonderful time.

We have two more weeks of school, some are sad, some are happy and some just in between. But we are looking forward to get the "sheepskins" as some refer to them.

The Seniors all had a sad face on the last part of the week for our well-liked co-sponsor is going

to be at Colorado next year. As bad as we hate to see him go, we all wish him the very best of luck that can come his way. We are glad that we won't be here next year for it wouldn't seem like the same school without Mr. Williams.

The Seniors are looking forward to the long hope for trip that we may not get to take yet, but we are still hoping.

Tuesday we are going to have our teeth examined, we will probably find a new Carlsbad Cavern.

Well that is all for this week but we will be back next week so look us up.

Junior Flashes--

Hi everyone. The Juniors are really working this week. Our banquet is Friday night and all over school you see Juniors working or in a hurry. We expect to really have a nice banquet.

We really enjoyed the Senior play last Friday night. It was really good seniors.

Well it won't be long now until school is out. Most of them will be glad when school is out, but some of the Juniors don't want it to be out because next year is our Senior year and school will really be out for us. It doesn't

seem real.

See all you Juniors and Seniors at the banquet.

Freshman News--

Hello there! Yes, it's us again. Well we decided to have another chat this week.

We want to tell the Seniors how we enjoyed their play Friday. It was swell.

The freshmen don't have much news this week, so we will leave it with you until next week. See you next week.

Mrs. R. W. Brooks of Breckenridge, who has been visiting relatives here, returned home Monday.

Will Rogers' Humorous Story

By WILL ROGERS

[A guy don't know anything about fixing a car, he ain't got much business driving one. But



some fellows have to drive and yet ain't got time to learn what makes the car go. Well, there was a case of this kind where a fellow named Monty was driving an inexpensive kind of a car. It got so the engine knocked, and his wife says, "Monty, the noise of that engine knocking drives me wild. Can't you do anything about it?"

"I'll see," he says. So while she was eating lunch he went out and hammered and tinkered, and when they were going down the road again a few miles, he says, "Say Ethel, you don't catch that knock so distinctly now as you did, do you?"

"No," she says, "I can't say I exactly notice it so much. You're getting to be quite a mechanic. How did you fix it?"

"Fix it? Well, I didn't exactly fix it, but I loosened the two fenders and the right front door a little."

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Bring on that Jap



Bugga Brigadier is a snappy little wire-haired pup whose master, Edward E. Williams of Dallas, is serving with the fighting fleet. Bugga would dearly love to bite a Jap and would give part of his daily hamburger meat for Navy Relief. The pup's plea for the worthy cause was answered by his mistress, Mrs. Williams, with a contribution sent to Gerald C. Mann, Austin, State chairman of the Navy Relief Society.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Mitchell County News is authorized to announce the candidacy of the following people for office in Mitchell County, District and State offices, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July.

For County Judge:
W. W. PORTER (re-election)
A. F. KING

For County Clerk:
BASIL HUDSON
J. M. HERRINGTON (re-election)

For Tax Assessor-Collector:
BRUCE HART (re-election)

For County Attorney:
B. N. CARTER (re-election)

For County Superintendent:
ROY DAVIS COLES (re-election)

For County Treasurer:
ESTHER GRUBBS (re-election)

For Sheriff:
J. N. (Nick) NARRELL
J. B. PRITCHETT
JACK DELANEY
ALBERT L. YOUNG

For District Attorney:
TRUETT BARBER (re-election)

For District Clerk:
J. H. BALLARD (re-election)

For Commissioner Precinct 4:
S. O. (Doc) GIVENS (re-election)
CLYDE SMITH
J. D. YARBROUGH
MOODY RICHARDSON

For Public Weigher, Precinct 5:
LESTER RICHBURG
TOM RAY

For Representative 117th Dist.
CHARLIE A. JONES
Of Fisher County

Acid Indigestion

What many doctors do for it
When excess stomach acid causes gas, sour stomach or heartburn, doctors prescribe the fastest-acting medicine known for symptomatic relief—medicines like those in Bell's and Tablets. Try Bell's and yourself at first sign of distress. They neutralize acid, relieve gas, and bring comfort very quickly—yet are not a laxative! Only 25c. at drug stores. If your very first trial doesn't prove Bell's and better, return bottle to us and get double your money back.

FEEL PEPPY! RELIEVE THAT AWFUL BACKACHE

DUE TO FATIGUE AND EXPOSURE
Feel like stepping out again by relieving that backache (due to fatigue and exposure). Just rub on some En-ar-co and instantly it begins its four-fold work of helping soothe that back. Pleasant. Only 60c. at your druggist. National Remedy Co., New York City.

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DENTIST
X-RAY
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Colorado City, Texas
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Quality Watch Repairs
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At prices you can afford to pay.
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On "Certain Days" of the Month
Do functional monthly disturbances make you nervous, restless, highstrung, cranky and blue—at such times?
Then try famous Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It's made especially for women to help relieve monthly cramps, backache and nervousness—due to this cause. And in such a sensible way! With nature's own beneficial roots and herbs. No harmful opiates.
Taken regularly thruout the month—Lydia Pinkham's Compound helps build up resistance against such symptoms. Thousands upon thousands of girls and women have reported benefit. Follow label directions. Worth trying!

Want To Buy or Sell Anything?
CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING
Will Do The Job.

If you have a pair of mules or horses, a cow, poultry, an old plow or anything you do not need place a classified ad in The Mitchell County News if you want to sell or trade. A classified ad gets the job done.

Classified advertising is cheap. The first insertion is 25 cents if it is less than 25 words and subsequent insertion at one cent per insertion.

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APPLICATION FOR WAR RATION BOOK (To be filled in by Registrant only)

IMPORTANT.—A separate application must be made for each and every member of a Family Unit (see instructions to Registrant) must be made by one, and only one, adult member of such Family Unit.

Local Board No. _____ County _____ State _____

Application made at _____ NAME OF SCHOOL, BUILDING OR OTHER ADDRESS _____

Date _____ 1942 Book One No. _____

1. NAME, ADDRESS, AND DESCRIPTION of person to whom the book is to be issued:

LAST NAME _____ FIRST NAME _____ MIDDLE NAME _____

STREET NO. OR P. O. BOX NO. _____ STREET OR R. F. D. _____ CITY OR TOWN _____

COUNTY _____ STATE _____

Height _____ in _____ Weight _____ lbs. Color of Eyes _____ Color of Hair _____ Age _____ yrs. Sex (Male ☐ Female ☐

2. (a) If the person named above is a member of a Family Unit, state the following:

(1) Number of persons in Family Unit, including the person named above _____

(2) The person named above is my— ☐ SELF ☐ FATHER ☐ MOTHER ☐ HUSBAND ☐ WIFE ☐ SON ☐ DAUGHTER ☐ EXCEPTION _____

(3) Total amount of white and brown sugar in any form which is owned by the Family Unit or its members _____ lbs.

(b) If the person named above is NOT a member of a Family Unit, state the total amount of white and brown sugar in any form which is owned by the person named above _____ lbs.

3. Number of War Ration Stamps to be removed from War Ration Book One (upon the basis of information stated above): IF "WAGE" "WAGE" "WAGE" _____

O.P.A. Form No. R-301

I hereby make application to the Office of Price Administration, an agency of the United States Government, for the issuance to the person whose name, address, and description are set forth above, of War Ration Book One and all War Ration Books hereafter issued for which the person named above becomes eligible under Rationing Regulations. I hereby certify that I have authority to make this application on behalf of the person named above, that no other application for a War Ration Book has been made by or on behalf of such person, and that the statements made above are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Section 35 (A) of the United States Criminal Code makes it a criminal offense, punishable by a maximum of ten years' imprisonment, \$10,000 fine, or both, to make a false statement or representation to any Department or Agency of the United States as to any matter within the jurisdiction of any Department or Agency of the United States.

(This space reserved for later entries by Local Board or Applicant)
The undersigned hereby certifies to the Office of Price Administration that he received the following War Ration Book on the dates indicated below or on the back hereof, and that each receipt he retains the truth of the statements in the foregoing application.

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Here is a facsimile of the application for War Ration Book No. 1 which will be filled out for every person in Loraine and Mitchell County during the National Registration Period, May 4, 5, 6, and 7. Registration of individuals and members of families will be by school teachers and their helpers in the elementary schools. All members of family units may be registered by any one member over 18 years old. Individuals who are not

members of a family unit must register in person. One of the applications must be filled out for each member of the family and each individual, and each will be issued a War Ration Book.

Applicants for books are urged by the Office of Price Administration to study carefully the application above, and have the correct answers when they register.

If the questions are answered promptly OPA estimates it will

only take four minutes to fill out each form.

Applicants should come prepared with a list of the members of their families, giving the exact name of each; an exact description of each member of the family unit, giving the height, weight, color of eyes, color of hair, age and sex of each one.

The person who registers for the Family Unit must state his or her exact relationship to each member of it.

It is necessary to know to the pound just how much sugar is in the possession of the household. The amount of sugar will be divided by the number of people in the Family Unit and stamps will be torn out by the registrar for all sugar in excess of two pounds per person. If more than four stamps have to be removed, issuance of the book will be withheld until later.

4-H CLUB WORK

4-H Club work in most counties of Texas has been going on for a number of years. Mitchell county has had 4-H clubs ever since the county agents first started serving the county. Many men in the county were in 4-H work under the supervision of Mitchell County's first agent, W. A. Dulin. These men have had boys in club work and perhaps some of them are sons of former 4-H club boys.

These men have had boys in club work and perhaps some of them are sons of former 4-H club boys. There have been several outstanding boys in club work in past years, most of the boys received recognition for their services in some form or other.

Wiley Holley, now living in the Rogers community, received a trip through southwest Texas and as far down as the Mexican border in 1939. Wiley also received a medal given by Thomas E. Wilson for his work in calf and hog feeding. Garland Strain received the California trip for doing the outstanding work his last year as a member. Glyn Hamilton received award given by Thomas E. Wilson for his work with hogs and calves last year. Glyn received a gift from Sears-Roebuck in an essay contest that has produced some outstanding pigs, two of which were given first and second places in the heavy weight barrow division during the show. He also showed the grand champion gilt at Lorraine at the FFA and 4-H show recently held there. Glyn has furnished some fine breeding stock from this sow.

His Dad reports that the pigs that have been on feed with Glyn's have not done near as well as those from the Sears sow. There are now sixteen boys in the county who earned their start in breeding gilts from the Sears contest and all the gilts that have farrowed to date have some extra nice Duroc pigs. These boys are making some money from their gilts and while prices are at the present levels they are sure to make nice profits from their animals.

There were fifty four boys signed up for club work in the county during the past year. These boys in the most cases completed their 4-H program for the year. It is planned to visit all schools in the county and those boys who are ten years of age or over are eligible for Club work and may have as their demonstration calves, pigs, chickens, dairy heifers and cows or any kind of field crops. The whole idea is to work with boys and their parents in getting them set up in some way in order for the boy to have something of his own to teach him how and the value of keeping records of his work in order that he may know just what it costs to grow a calf hog, chickens, crops, etc. In many cases boys in the past merely had a claim on a cross bred calf, pig or crops and when the crops were sold Dad usually received all the money which in most cases proved very disappointing to the boys.

The agent is anxious to help all boys possible in their work and is ready to answer questions at all times relative to the boys work.

There has been a number of girls who want to feed calves for the show next year under 4-H club program; there is no program of that kind where girls are eligible to show against boys in State Fairs and other shows. However

if there is enough interest among girls of the county there possibly can be provisions made for Mitchell county. This is only a possibility and not a sure thing as yet. It all depends on the interest shown by girls of the county. It would be very interesting to see girls in competition with the boys in our county show.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Shewbert and children of Sweetwater visited with friends here Tuesday afternoon. Rev. Shewbert attended the bean feed at the Methodist Church Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Miles and family visited Mr. Miles' brother in Midland Sunday.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

Transfers in Real Estate

F. P. Roney to Lee H. Lavender, SW 1/4 Sec. 59, Blk. 26, T&P Ry. Co. surveys, \$7,160.; L. H. Lavender et ux to F. P. Roney, N 1/4 Lot 5 and NW 1/4 Lot 6, Subdiv. Lots 1 and 3 in Blk. 10 Marshall Ad. No. 1 Colorado, \$200; Sheriff of Mitchell County to Texas Bitulthic Co., Lot 12, Blk. 34 Colorado, \$300; C. B. Jordan to Mrs. Mary E. Tiller, 100 ft. by 120 ft. out of Lot 30, Blk. 4 W. & M. Ad. to Colorado, \$400; T. M. Marsh, Crd. to M. A. Morgan, N. 59 ft. of W 140 ft. Lot 3, Blk. 86, Colorado, \$300; Tom M. Marsh et ux to M. A. Morgan, N. 59 ft. of W 140 ft. Lot 3, Blk. 86 Colorado, \$10 and other considerations; J. F. Sullivan et ux to J. L. Jones et al, Tracts 1, 2, and part of Tract 7, A. W. Crawford Subdiv. of J. P. Smith Survey, containing 492.7 acres, \$2,000 and other considerations; Frank Lupton et ux to Corine C. Morgan, 5 1/2 Lot 1 and 5 1/2 of E 1-2 Lot 2 Blk. 133 Colorado, \$10 and other considerations; Methodist church _____

Let the church and those who are to make reports to the Quarterly conference note please that due to some mistakes and changes in the visitations of the District Superintendent, he has had considerations; A. L. Geer et ux to E. E. Smith, W 1/2 Lots 7, 8 and 9 Blk. 188 Colorado, \$4,100; Harvey A. Phillips et al to J. M. Pickens, E 100 ft. of S. 100 ft. Lot 4, Blk. 86, Colorado, \$1760; N. E. Stewart et ux to E. H. Wright, SW 1/4 Sec. 19, Blk. 27, T&P Ry. Co. surveys, \$10 and other considerations.

Marriage License Issued

Marshall Bruce, Jr. and Miss Mertie Marie Hawkins, Lorraine; Glen Robert Robinson and Miss Mary Elmira Brown, Hackberry, La.; Leman Creason and Miss Leona Bunten, Abilene; James Thomas Orr and Miss Mary Belle Brennan, Colorado City; W. T. Bann and Miss Dorothy Alice Phillips, Sterling City.

COTTON QUIZ



ANS. COTTON GLASS, MANUFACTURED FROM COTTON UNTERS IS A NON-BREAKABLE TRANSPARENT MATERIAL USED EXTENSIVELY IN CONSTRUCTION OF AIRCRAFTS



"Buckle down—to work for Uncle Sam"

BEFORE washing a garment, remove breakable buttons and buckles. Pearl buttons or jeweled buckles haven't the stamina to face washing machines or hard scrubbing. Broken or missing buttons can ruin a costume, or, if unmatchable, necessitate the purchase of a new set.



Then put the money saved into U. S. SAVINGS STAMPS—to help button up Hitler! Every pay check should be budgeted to include generous help for Uncle Sam.

Keep 'Em Running

Replace Worn Plugs Now

Engine Efficiency is Impaired with worn, pitted or corroded Plugs.

We still have a limited stock of Boots, Cold Patch, Garden Hose, and our stock is good on Mufflers, Pipes, Ignition for car or tractor. Plenty of Oil Filter Cartridges for car or tractor.

REPAIR YOUR CAR AND TRACTOR NOW WHILE PARTS ARE NOT TIED UP

Tartt Auto Supply

To The Voters Precinct 5

This advertisement is to let the voters know that if I am elected as Weigher I have two promises to make:

One is that I will serve the voters by always being on the job. The second one is that I intend to fixup the public scales for they haven't been used for some time and there is lots of complaint about it.

So, if you people want the scales fixed to weigh on elect

LESTER RICHBURG

FOR YOUR NEXT WEIGHER

Methodist Church

Let the church and those who are to make reports to the Quarterly conference note please that due to some mistakes and changes in the visitations of the District Superintendent, he has had to change his date for our conference from the morning hour here next Sunday to the night hour. The Quarterly conference will be next Sunday night, after services instead of the afternoon as was decided last Sunday.

The pastor will be in his place Sunday and the Church school opens at 10:30. Church at 11:30. Leagues at 8 and church with the Elder preaching at 8:45.

Some of the people are paying on the Benevolences each Sunday and we hope that others, if possible, may do this.

We are calling to your minds the meeting of the District conference next week at Nolan on Tuesday and Wednesday. If you cannot attend only one day, go Wednesday but go one day if possible.

An appeal comes from the editorial column of the New York World Telegram, "Wake up A-

merica, it is Late." And states that we are all seeking too much rather than giving to the cause of the war. That France had the "gimmies" too much in her thinking and attitude until Paris was endangered then they went frantic after it was too late. And that we may too have the same fate of France if we do not change our thinking and wants. This is no time for partisanship or sectionalism but an all out for each one in his niche and work.

True we may have bombed the Japs but conditions are still different to any many of us have ever seen. We are in receipt of a statement from a forty-five year old institution in the midwest asking its sales force to use their white letterheads sparingly and they are not able to get the white paper any more that is in their old letterheads. This is a firm with millions of dollars of high class business and they stress the use of best materials. Yet we noticed some time ago some of the larger paper mills are badly congested with this collected paper returned to mills for reprocessing. But let all save all they can.

Vital in Peace—Crucial in War... Gas shoulders arms for Victory!

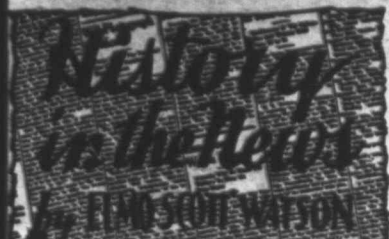
TO ARM AND EQUIP our fighting men on land, on sea and in the air—GAS long ago assumed its vital role in production for war. Because it is industry's fastest fuel... quick-heating... clean... flexible... and accurately controllable—GAS is the preferred fuel in scores of industrial processes requiring high-speed precision heat. Throughout the nation as factories speed up the building of guns, tanks, ships, planes, bombs, shells and countless other implements of war—GAS concentrates on the job of meeting the special requirements of wartime production.

and on the home front GAS continues its brilliant, prestige-building record

PREPAREDNESS IN THE KITCHEN is second only to preparedness in the factories and on the war fronts. In these days when meal-planning, food economy and vitamin-saving cooking methods are so important—GAS meets the rigid specifications of wartime meal preparation.



LONE STAR GAS SYSTEM



Historic Leg

ACCORDING to a recent press dispatch from Washington, an old building in the navy yard there has a human leg entombed in its cornerstone! The leg once belonged to a gallant young officer in the Union army who figured in a sensational "atrocity story" during the War Between the States.

Ulric Dahlgren was his name and he was born in Bucks county, Pa., just a hundred years ago. The son of Admiral John A. Dahlgren of the United States navy, 19-year-old Ulric left his uncle's law office in Philadelphia at the outbreak of the war to accept a captain's commission in the army. Assigned to duty with Gen. Franz Sigel's forces, the young captain was placed in command of a battery of heavy guns and howitzers, furnished by his father, which repelled an attack on Harper's Ferry by "Stonewall" Jackson.

Later Dahlgren served on the staffs of Generals Burnside, Fremont, Hooker and Pope and so distinguished himself at Fredericksburg, at Chancellorsville and at the second battle of Bull Run as to win rapid promotions until he was a colonel by the time he was 21. He also fought heroically at Gettysburg and a short time later, during a skirmish at Hagerstown, was so seriously wounded as to require three amputations on one leg. After his leg was cut off, his father requested that it be interred in the cornerstone of a building that was about to be erected at the navy yard in Washington and this request was honored.

Dahlgren recuperated aboard one of his father's ships and in February, 1864, he reported for duty with the cavalry corps of General Meade's army. He was equipped with an artificial leg but he carried a crutch strapped on his saddle for use when he dismounted. Soon afterwards he was given command of a picked force of 300 men, a part of the army of Gen. Judson Kilpatrick, who was assigned the task of making a raid on Richmond to liberate the Union prisoners at Belle Isle, south of the Confederate capital.



Ulric Dahlgren

Partly due to the treachery of a guide, Dahlgren's force was ambushed by Confederate cavalry and home guards and the young colonel and 31 of his men instantly killed. A day or two later Richmond newspapers began screaming the news that documents, found on the body of "Ulric the Hun," revealed his orders to assassinate President Jefferson Davis and members of the Confederate cabinet, set fire to the city and commit all sorts of outrages against its citizens.

Historical scholarship of recent years has established the fact that these documents were forgeries, but at the time many high Confederate officials believed that they were genuine and this "atrocity story" created a sensation in the North as well as the South. Dahlgren was buried on a farm near Richmond but after the war his father had the body removed to Laurel Hill in Philadelphia.

Dahlgren was one of the most daring officers in the Union army. At one time he dashed into Fredericksburg with a single company of the Third Indiana cavalry, drove out a large force of Confederate cavalry, held the town for several hours and then returned safely with 11 prisoners. At Chancellorsville he held up the Confederate advance by a desperate charge and at the second battle of Bull Run, as chief of artillery under Sigel, he fought off "Stonewall" Jackson's attacks long enough to enable the disorganized Federal forces to throw up entrenchments from which they could not be dislodged.

"Ulric" Dahlgren was the youngest colonel in the army, a tall, slim lad looking rather like Lindbergh except for a tawny goatee," writes one historian. "Even as an invader he charmed all he met on the raid against Richmond. The officers who were his prisoners said he was most civil, sharing his food and his flask with them. He was most agreeable and charming, very fair-haired and young looking, with manners as soft as a cat," another reported to the Examiner in Richmond and all agreed on his superb composure under the strain of the raid."



Household Hints

by Lynn Chambers



Menu Inspiration—Strawberries in Season

(See Recipes Below)

Strawberry Doings

Once again this red, bright berry is coming into its own, as strawberries dot the markets in this spring unto summer season. For the lilt that it gives to foods in which you use it, for the harmony with which it combines with other foods, and for its own natural goodness, the strawberry rates a column by itself.

Honey Strawberry Jelly.
2½ cups strawberry juice
1 cup honey
2½ cups sugar
1 package dry pectin

Crush strawberries and drain through jelly bag without cooking. Measure juice, add pectin and place over hottest fire. Bring to a full rolling boil. Add honey and sugar and again bring to a full boil. Continue boiling for ¼ minute. Remove from fire, skim, pour into sterilized jelly glasses and seal.

You will be allowed extra sugar for canning in spite of the sugar rationing, so do not be concerned over the amount of sugar called for in this recipe.

Strawberry Marmalade.
(Makes 12 6-ounce glasses)
1 quart strawberries
2 oranges
2 lemons
¾ cup water
7 cups sugar
½ bottle fruit pectin

Remove peel from oranges and lemons and cut off white membrane. Put peels through a food chopper. Add water and bring to boiling. Cover and simmer 10 minutes. Add orange and lemon pulp and juice. Simmer 20 minutes. Add crushed strawberries. You should have 4 cups of fruit. To this add the sugar. Bring to a boil, and boil 5 minutes. Remove from heat, stir in pectin. Let stand 5 minutes. Skim. Seal in hot sterilized glasses.

If you want to ride the crest of popularity with family or guests, then arm yourself with a few strawberries, a bit of sugar, an egg beater, and old faithful, the refrigerator, and in no time at all you will have a perfect dessert for lunch or dinner or afternoon refreshment.

Lynn Says:

Honey Hints: With increased use of honey in prospect you will want to learn to use it most economically. Honey is different chemically from sugar so follow all amounts given in recipes carefully for best results. They have been tested to give you the necessary correctness in cooking.

To measure honey, use a greased or a moist cup so it will pour out readily to the last drop. A greasing brush is an economical way to grease the cup. In measuring spoonfuls of honey, dip the spoon first into cooking oil, melted butter or liquid fat before dipping in honey.

Keep liquid honey in a warm place, about 75 degrees or over. Avoid damp places of storage. Comb honey is better kept at room temperature rather than in the refrigerator.

To liquefy honey that has granulated, place in a bowl of warm water, just warm enough for a hand, and leave in until all crystals have dissolved.

Cakes made with honey taste different from cakes made with sugar and seem less light and fluffy when baked. But the cakes will be moist, flavorful, and nice textured if you let them stand from a day to three days to age properly.

Place honey jar in warm water for about 10 minutes before using.



Lesson for April 26

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WAYSIDE CONVERSATIONS

LESSON TEXT—Luke 13:23-35.
GOLDEN TEXT—And whosoever doth not bear his cross, and come after me, cannot be my disciple.—Luke 14:27.

Learning by talking with Christ as they walked from place to place—such was the training for service which the disciples received. That was the greatest school this world has ever known, for while it had no great buildings, no beautiful campus, no learned faculty, it had the Son of God Himself as preceptor and teacher. With all due regard for our fine colleges and seminaries, we say this is still the outstanding need of Christian workers—to walk and talk with Christ.

On the day of which our lesson speaks the subject considered was how to be saved, and who should be saved. Several trends of thought emerged, but all pointed in the one direction of a diligent following of God's plan. In order to be saved, we learn, a man must

I. Make an Earnest Effort (vv. 22-34).

The question regarding how many were saved received no direct answer for our Lord wished to direct attention to the far more important question—Are you saved? Get that settled and the other matter will care for itself.

Here some who assume that it is an easy thing to be saved will receive a surprise, for our Lord says (v. 24) that it is something one must "agonize" over, for so may the word "strive" be translated. The door into eternal life is so narrow that no man can pass through it with his sins—they must be taken away. Seeking is not enough (v. 24), one must "strive" to enter in.

II. Enter While the Door is Open (vv. 25-30).

The door stands open for all who will, to come in. (What a friendly thing is an open door!) But men idly ignore it, or definitely reject its opportunity. Or they seek it, but do not strive to enter in, and all at once it is closed. Then in a frenzy they seek to enter, but it is too late. What an appalling thing—to be eternally too late!

Note their claims of acquaintance with the Lord (v. 26). One is reminded of those who think they are Christians because father or mother belonged to the church, or because they attend an occasional church supper or listen to a sermon by radio. Unless we know Him personally as our Saviour, He will have to say to us, "Depart from me, ye workers of iniquity" (v. 27). Let us make that matter very clear to those to whom we minister, lest they be eternally lost.

III. Follow the Fearless Christ (vv. 31-33).

To know the high and unwavering character of one's leader is to go forward with real confidence. What about the Captain of our salvation? Here we find Him facing the indirect threat of a powerful and wicked earthly ruler, in perfect calmness, with the very voice of eternity upon Him.

Christ, conscious of His divine mission and with determination to do the Father's will (Heb. 10:7), knew no fear of man. As we are in His holy will as Christian men and women, we too "may boldly say, The Lord is my helper, and I will not fear what man shall do unto me" (Heb. 13:6).

Consider the rebuke to Herod (v. 32). There is probably no place in Scripture where our Lord spoke with such stinging contempt of any man. It is almost as though the black cloud of eternal judgment already had settled around the head of this man who was so sly and crafty that the tenderhearted Jesus called him a "fox." One wonders of how many He would have to say the same in this our day of supreme and malicious wickedness.

We find one more vitally important thought here. Our Lord offers Himself. He calls sinners to repentance, but they must

IV. Respond to His Invitation (vv. 34, 35).

To fail to accept His proffered love is to be left desolate. To reject Him as Saviour (either by neglect or by definite act) is inevitably to bring judgment. To the Jews this meant loss of their national home—their leading city, but to us it means the loss of our eternal souls.

"There is terrible suggestiveness in the two statements in verse 34, 'I would.' 'Ye would not.' The whole secret of Jerusalem's desolation and destruction is found in the words, 'Ye would not.' The whole secret of the loss of the individual soul is found in the words, 'Ye will not' (John 5:40)" (John W. Bradbury).

This lesson presses home to the individual reader the question, Are you saved? What is your answer? It also affords the Sunday school teacher an excellent opportunity to seek to lead the members of the class to a definite decision for Christ. The Sunday school is a good place to give an invitation



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Mr. and Mrs. Lanthus Brame of Grand Prairie visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brame over the week end.

Boy Linder, who is working in Lubbock, visited his family over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. William Martin visited Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Burdine in Midland Sunday. In the afternoon they, with Mr. and Mrs. Burdine, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jiggs Allbright and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Innams in Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Taylor and Mrs. Annie Taylor attended the annual Engineers Show at Texas Tech, Lubbock, Saturday. They visited Douglas while there.

Little Westbrook of Snyder visited his father who is ill, Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Johnson, Mrs. Bruce Johnson, Mrs. Joe Bennett and Mrs. Thomas Riden visited in Abilene Monday.

Mrs. George Hutchins, her sister, Mrs. Jettie Stewart, Mrs. George Corse and Mrs. Stanton Hutchins visited relatives in Lubbock Friday.

Mrs. Sewell Harrell of Graham is visiting Mrs. Dennis Cranfill for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Richburg and family of Wastella visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Palmer, Sunday.

Arthur Thruston visited his mother in Nacogdoches last week. She returned home with him for a few days visit.

Out of town visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Mayes Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Claud Neely of Seagraves, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mayes and Jackie of San Antonio, Mrs. Albert Williford and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Mayes, Willa Fae and Mike of Roscoe.

Mrs. Johnnie Frazier of Anson visited her father, A. E. Jarratt, and other relatives here this week.

Mrs. Arthur Thruston visited her aunt, Mrs. G. L. Clark, in Tuscola over the week end.

Mrs. H. A. Polnac and Mrs. Frank Simmons attended the Mission Study Institute of Mitchell-Scurry Association in Roscoe Monday. Mrs. R. L. Brown of College Station, who is State Mission Study Chairman, and has recently returned from Cuba was principal speaker.

Fred Weldon and Bobbie Faulkner of Big Spring visited Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Baker over the week end.

Page Henderson, Alvie Bennett and J. J. Land were business visitors in Merkel Friday.

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On one occasion an emotional Italian tenor had just concluded a



engagement at the Lyric Theatre in London. Following his final concert the tenor gave a sort of farewell party to the friends he had made while in England. The affair began at the theatre and culminated at a fashionable cafe. Tree, who had become very fond of the temperamental little Italian, was among those present.

Tree tried to escape, though, when the host insisted on kissing everyone goodbye. But luck was against him. After the singer had saluted his manager, his accompanist, the members of his supporting company, and everyone else in sight, he insisted that Tree should accompany him to his hotel. The hour was now A. M. and what from excitement, affection and wine, the Italian was in a highly exhilarated state. As he reached the sidewalk he disentangled himself from Tree's supporting grasp, then, about Tree's neck and implanted a moist and resounding kiss about Tree's lips, then fell into a waiting cab and in broken English, made the driver take him to the Lyric Theatre.

The perplexed cabbie turned to Tree.

"Vot' th' blinkin' idea n' yekin' this cove to the theatre at this time o' mornin', guv'nor?" he asked.

"At an' rate," said Tree, "I would suggest that you take him there. I'm not quite sure, but I rather imagine he has just remembered that he forgot to kiss the night-watchman."

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Classified Ads

Mrs. Alice Petty from East Texas is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Preston and other relatives here for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jabos Hall and little son of Snyder visited relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Spikes and children of Snyder, and Mr. and Mrs. Burr Brown of Coahoma visited in the home of Mrs. J. E. Spikes Sunday.

The condition of Mrs. H. E. Kelley of Silver, who is in the Johnson Hospital, is reported improved.

Those visiting Mrs. H. E. Kelley, who is in the hospital here, were her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Terry and two daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Alexandra of Houston, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dillinger of Hobbs, New Mexico.

Mrs. Russell Cope and Mary Frances, Mrs. Alfred Richey, and Aileen Hallmark visited in Abilene Tuesday.

Mrs. S. E. Brown, Mrs. Glen Kelley, Irene Brown and Bessie Hendrick visited in Abilene Tuesday.

Mrs. F. J. Piguet and daughter, Mrs. Herbie Willson and baby, who have been visiting in the home of Mrs. Piguet's brother, T. J. Green, the past two weeks have returned to their home in LaJolla, California.

Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Thornhill Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Riden, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Preston attended church in Colorado City last Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hall Jr. were business visitors in Big Spring Tuesday.

Mrs. Melvin Blair visited her sister in Colorado City Monday.

The interior of the William Martin barber shop has been redecorated the past week. Walls and ceiling have been painted white and the appearance of his building has been greatly improved.

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Mrs. J. J. Land and Mrs. Earnest Hall visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stanley in Sweetwater Friday.

J. L. Bird spent from Saturday until Tuesday in Ackerley visiting relatives.

C. M. Black returned this week from Portales, and Albuquerque, New Mexico, where he has been visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hallmark and Louise and Wanda Richey visited Milton Hallmark who is in camp at San Antonio, from Friday until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burkett of Sweetwater visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Crosby Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Fritchett of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Collier were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Beaty are the proud parents of a baby boy born April 20.

Mrs. Gordon Richards returned to Chulia Vista, California, Monday after several days visit here with relatives.

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Charlie Coley had his tonsils and adenoids removed April 21.

Gordon Richards left Monday night for Camp Blahding, Florida, after a ten day furlough here with relatives.

Loree Cranfill visited Doris Mahoney at Hardin-Simmons in Abilene last week end.

Mrs. Carl Price and daughter visited relatives in Sweetwater Sunday.

Joe Bill Scrivner left Saturday for Muleshoe where he will visit friends for a few days.

Mrs. Bill Lemons returned home Sunday from Lubbock where she had visited relatives the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Carter of Abilene visited Sunday in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Bryant left Sunday for Marlin where they will spend several days in the interest of their health.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Armstrong of Colorado City visited in the Boyd Richey home Sunday.

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