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How To Raise Sweet Potatoes Is Here Explained

County H-D Agent Gives Some Pointers On Planting, Curing

By FRANCES BRAMMER

As a food sweet potatoes are particularly well balanced. They are high in carbohydrates, reasonably high in protein, contain some fat as well as practically all the essential vitamins. Sweet potatoes can be grown on nearly every Texas farm. At the present time seed potatoes should be selected and bedded to produce plants to set in the field in May.

Use potatoes of normal size, and not small or stringy ones. Do not use potatoes which have black spots on the surface or show evidence of rot. To be sure of high quality, nick each potato with a pocketknife at the stem end to determine if the flesh is a deep salmon color. Potatoes coming from white-fleshed potatoes produce mealy, stringy, potatoes that are not sweet.

All seed sweet potatoes should be soaked for 8 minutes in a solution containing 1 oz. corrosive sublimate (bichloride of mercury) to 8 gallons of water. This corrosive sublimate should be dissolved in a small amount of water in a non-metal container, then added to the amount of water in a wooden container. The potatoes may be placed in crates or sacks for treatment and the solution allowed to drain back into the barrel. After the solution has been used several times it should be replaced.

A bushel of good potatoes will require about 15 square feet of bed space and will produce from 1,500 to 2,000 plants. Six to eight bushels of seed potatoes should be bedded to set and acre. The potatoes may be spread out on a layer of clean sand or sawdust and covered two or three inches deep with the same material. Spread the potatoes in the bed so they will not touch.

Slips are ready to set in the field when they are about six inches long. About a third of the rooted slip should be placed in the soil, and the soil packed firmly around the roots. A spacing of 15 inches between plants should be allowed. Rows three and one-half feet wide and six to nine inches high are recommended. Later in the season with adequate moisture, vine cuttings may be taken and will produce high yields.

WOMEN'S RED CROSS MOTOR CORPS TO BE ORGANIZED IN COUNTY

Purpose: The Motor Corps of the American Red Cross is organized to furnish economical and efficient transportation whenever and wherever it is needed in Red Cross work.

Membership is open to women 20 to 50 years of age who are experienced drivers who already hold drivers' licenses, furnish doctor's certificate of health indicating her fitness of service in the Motor Corps with particular emphasis on good sight and hearing. Must have 30 hours' training in First Aid and 30 hours in motor mechanics. Mechanics course covers tire, gas and electrical trouble.

Your car should be insured with policy containing "Omni-bus clause." You bear the cost of car maintenance and gasoline and give not less than 18 hours' service per year and carry a 6-unit First Aid kit.

If you want to serve in the Motor Corps and can meet the requirements, see Floyd Fox at Gulf Service Station.

SAVE WASTE PAPER! IT IS NEEDED FOR NATIONAL DEFENSE

Bring paper to Waste Paper Depot in old Mission Cleaners building. If you do not have a way to bring paper we will call for it each Wednesday after 4 p. m. Call phone 186.

This is one of the little things that we can do for national defense and if we do the little things the big things will take care of themselves.

We want you to save all waste paper except wallpaper and carbon paper. No bundle is too small to bring. — Waste Paper Committee Women's Defense League.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Following marriage licenses were issued this week by County Clerk Earl Summy:

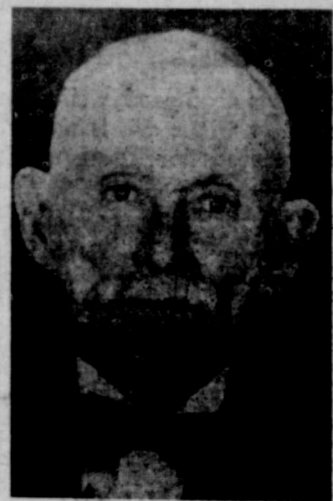
Ned E. Ward and Naoma Hill, Henry Allen Simpson and Ruth Tuberville.

Jot S. Tucker and Willene Wigley.

TO BRADY MEET

Rev. and Mrs. B. A. Myers went to Brady yesterday to attend a two-day session of the District Conference of the Methodist Church.

REV. J. W. KELLEY 91 DIED HERE FRIDAY



REV. J. W. KELLEY

The Rev. J. W. Kelley, who had been an active Methodist minister in Goldthwaite for the past 35 years, and who was 91 years, 5 months and 26 days old, died at his home here last Friday afternoon at 6:30 o'clock, and was buried in the Odd Fellows Cemetery last Saturday afternoon. Funeral services were conducted at the Methodist Church by the Rev. B. A. Myers, pastor.

J. W. Kelley was born Oct. 14, 1850, at Water Valley, Miss., a son of George Washington Kelley and Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Higginbotham Kelley. He moved to Texas at an early age, locating in Bell County. He attended Salado College, and joined the Methodist Texas Conference in 1871, being transferred to the West Texas Conference in 1906, serving actively here for 35 years.

He was married to Lillie Eugenia Thompson on Nov. 5, 1884, at Plantersville, Texas.

Bro. Kelley, one of the best-known and best-liked ministers ever to live in Goldthwaite, is survived by his widow, Mrs. J. W. Kelley; two daughters, Mrs. Joe A. Palmer of Goldthwaite and Mrs. J. C. Darroch of Brownwood; one grandson, Edward Eugene Palmer; one sister, Mrs. Nannie Jones of Harlingen, Texas; and a number of nieces and nephews.

Included among out-of-town people here last Saturday to attend the funeral of Rev. Kelley were:

Mr. and Mrs. F. Waggoner, Pottsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Riley, Hamilton.

Mrs. Williamson, Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hicks, Cameron.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Thompson, Brownwood.

Eugene Thompson, Brownwood.

Larry and Melmoth Stokes III, Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Darroch, Brownwood.

Edward E. Palmer, Georgetown.

4TH REGISTRATION TO BE ON APRIL 27

All men who have attained their forty-fifth birthday on or before Feb. 16, 1942, and have not attained their sixty-fifth birthday on April 27, 1942, will be registered in the fourth registration.

This fourth registration will be held on Monday, April 27, 1942.

Mills County Local Selective Service Board asks for volunteers to act as Registrars. As this work has to be done with volunteers, all who will be willing to help in this registration are asked to bring or send in their names to the Local Board Office in the Court House.

Yours very truly,

Mills County Local Board.
By O. H. SHAW, Clerk.

GOLDTHWAITE WOMAN HEADS PRESS GROUP

(Houston Chronicle)

Fort Worth, April 14.—Mrs. R. M. Thompson of Goldthwaite was elected president of the Texas Women's Press Association at close of a two-day convention here Tuesday.

Other new officers include Mrs. Alex Adams, San Antonio, first vice-president; Miss Laura Lane, College Station, second vice-president, and Mesdames E. M. Shirley, Waco, third vice-president; Ruth Douglas, Denton, secretary; Imogene Radley, El Paso, treasurer; A. H. Douglas, Dallas, auditor; A. B. Lawrence, Houston, poet laureate, and Albert Buchanan, Bryan, retiring president, parliamentarian.

CHILDREN'S WEEK IS APRIL 19 TO 25

Children's Week, April 19 to 25, should focus the attention of the community on prevention of delinquency, according to Mrs. Violet S. Greenhill, chief of the state division of child welfare.

Rehabilitation of young people is enormously expensive compared with the cost of an adequate preventive program, she said. There are now 586 boys in the Gatesville State School and 220 girls in the Gainesville State School for Girls. Too often they return to communities not prepared for their future care and protection, it was pointed out.

"What Texas needs," says Mrs. Greenhill, "is a constructive program for well-established juvenile courts or courts of domestic relations, probation courts, foster homes, case work services to meet every exigency, and more adequate provision for aid to dependent children."

PENSION MEETING AT COMANCHE

An old age pension association has been organized in Comanche County and it is hoped that Mills County will join in with the organization and some of the meetings will be held at Goldthwaite and other points in Mills County. Comanche and Mills Counties make up the 104th Representative District and as contacts will have to be made with the Legislature through the Representative of the district, Mills County would be concerned.

Some of the things the pension organization would work for are: (1) More liberal pensions; (2) against delays in investigation; (3) to oppose any attempt to disfranchise those who are given pensions; (4) to help dependent children and the blind; and especially (5) to work in every legislative body to take off the "ceiling" now imposed on our old people.

Enough money is now being raised for each aged person to receive \$30 if the "ceiling" can be removed. It will be the business of this organization to contact our Senator and Representative, or whoever may be a candidate for these places, and secure their commitments to work for the removal of such "ceiling."

This organization will do its work through an executive committee. It is desired to have a man or a woman from every community in Comanche and Mills Counties to serve on this committee.

This pension organization will meet Saturday, April 18, at 2 p. m., at the district court room in Comanche. It is hoped to have any that may be interested from Mills County.

O. H. MOORE, Sec.

METHODIST NOTICE



REV. R. L. FLOWERS



MRS. R. L. FLOWERS

The above Christian leaders have held meetings all over Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas. Thousands of people owe their conversion to the meetings held by them.

Your pastor wants to commend them to the people of Goldthwaite. He has known them for many years, and knows them to be fine Christian people and pleasing personalities. He is sure that you will like them. They combine visitation evangelism with an eight-days' meeting, and thus seek to enlist every member of the church in the work, and also to reach many who are not now professed followers of Christ. Please, members of the Methodist Church, let us be much in prayer and seek to give these good people a real chance to bring to our town a great blessing.

The meeting begins the 26th of April and closes the 3rd of May.

B. A. MYERS, Pastor.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

E. E. DAWSON, Pastor

"Remember Pearl Harbor." "Remember Bataan." These are days when there is lots to remember. Remember your church, too, in the midst of crowded events. Remember that Sunday School meets at 10 every Sunday morning and that the worship hours are 11:00 and 8:30. We hope to see you next Sunday morning and then again at the evening hour. You will be very welcome, whether citizen or stranger.

And remember that next week is Navy Appreciation Week in Texas and that the citizenry is asked to support the Navy Relief Society that has been maintained through a long term of years by the men of the navy. The purpose of the Society has been to help the families of men serving in the Navy and Coast Guard and Marines. But now that the casualties are beginning to mount the Society as formerly maintained cannot possibly carry on adequately without citizen help. The men who man the ships and fight our battles on the seven seas have a right to know that their dear ones will be cared for in any event.

LT. GEESLIN PROMOTED

Lieut. Elton E. Geeslin has been promoted to the rank of first lieutenant, becoming effective April 1. He was at Camp Bowie until the troops were moved to Florida in February. He is in Co. D, 142nd Infantry, 36th Division. He and his wife, the former Miss Juanita Benningfield, are at Starke, Fla., near Camp Blanding.

TIRE RATIONING BOARD REPORT FOR LAST SATURDAY

The following certificates were issued April 11, 1942, for new tires and tubes and retreaded tires:

Obsolete Tires—Carl E. Greile, Mullin, 2 tires, 2 tubes; H. T. Vaughn, Goldthwaite, 2 tires, 2 tubes; C. L. Elder, 2 tires, 2 tubes; Ralph Rountree, Goldthwaite, 2 tires, 1 tube; T. J. Shipp, Caradan, 1 tire; Ulric W. Martin, Goldthwaite, 2 tires, 2 tubes.

Passenger Tires—O. L. Boyles, Mullin, 1 tire, 1 tube; W. R. Lambert, Goldthwaite, 1 tube; J. B. McCasland, Goldthwaite, 1 tire, 1 tube; Frances Brammer, Goldthwaite, 1 tube.

Truck, Tractor and Bus Tires—Ray Priddy, Mullin, 2 tires, 2 tubes; W. E. Rose, Goldthwaite, 2 tires, 2 tubes; W. G. Milroy, Priddy, 2 tires, 2 tubes; Prairie School, Mr. Doss, Mullin, 2 tires, 2 tubes; A. Arrowood, Goldthwaite, 1 tire, 1 tube; M. E. Ruby, Priddy, 4 tires, 4 tubes.

Retreaded Tires—Mrs. W. L. Smith, Mullin, 1 tire; J. A. Schlee Priddy, 2 tires; Eugene Egger, Ebony, 1 tire; James D. Berry, Goldthwaite, 4 tires; G. L. Walton, Goldthwaite, 1 tire; Luther Ray Rudd, Goldthwaite, 2 tires; Rex Clifton, Star, 4 truck tires; Jack Williams, 1 pass. tire.

COUNTY H-D AGENT TELLS HOW TO GET BY WITH LESS SUGAR

By FRANCES BRAMMER

With the rationing of sugar in the offing, many housewives will have to manage to have enough for the week-end breakfast, dinner and supper. People can get along with less sugar and still have tasty, nutritious meals. Any reduction in food easily can be supplied by increased serving of starchy vegetables, cereals, and dried fruits. People should prepare only the amount of sweetened food needed for each person, and avoid waste by thoroughly stirring sugar in iced tea and coffee.

Fresh fruits, which carry their own sugar, make nutritious desserts and dried fruits are a good source of natural sugar. Honey, cane syrups, molasses, sorghum, and corn and maple syrups make good sugar supplements. Several of these are sources of calcium and iron.

When substituting honey, use approximately the same amount

Gid Scallorn Is Near Death In A Temple Hospital

Lost On Ranch For 3 Nights and 2 Days, Was Found Monday

Uncle Gid Scallorn, 80 years old, was found south of town Monday morning about nine o'clock, in a serious condition, after having wandered about for 3-1-2 miles from home and having been lost for three nights, and two days. He was barefooted when found, and his shoes were located several miles away.

Uncle Gid was last seen last Friday afternoon. He had been living on the Saylor place now owned by Cecil Haney. A number of people hunted for him Sunday and about 25 were hunting Monday morning when he was found by G. D. Walker. He was brought into Goldthwaite and given treatment immediately after being found, and was then rushed to Temple hospital. At the time the Eagle was put to press late yesterday afternoon, he was reported to be still alive but it was thought there was no possible chance for him to survive.

Uncle Gid Scallorn, who was 80 years old and had been living by himself, had been working on ranches in Mills County for a number of years. He was employed on the Ware Ranch at the time the switch was put in and named for Mr. Scallorn.

as the sugar called for in the recipe. But on account of moisture in honey, decrease the liquid normally required by about one fourth cup for each cup of honey used. Usually one eighth to one fourth teaspoon of soda is used for each cup of honey in products that are leavened.

It takes about one and one half times as much sorghum or molasses to give the same sweetness as the sugar the recipe calls for. Add one fourth teaspoonful of soda for each cup of syrup in leavening, and decrease the liquid in the recipe one fourth to third cup for each cup of sorghum in order to equalize moisture in sorghum or molasses.

The temperature for baking should be lowered when honey or molasses is substituted for sugar in a recipe.

Food has become an important implement of war.—Wilson Cowen, Regional Director, Farm Security Administration.

TOMORROW MAY BE TOO LATE

FOR DEFENSE
BUY
UNITED STATES
SAVINGS
BONDS

TOO BUSY
TODAY—I'LL
GET AROUND TO IT
TOMORROW.

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CHEVROLET DEALERS CAR CONSERVATION PLAN ANNOUNCED

In a nation dependent to so great a degree upon private automobile transportation, maximum mileage and complete operating efficiency takes on new importance in a war-time economy, points out Ed Hedner, national director of service for Chevrolet. As all activities vital step up in tempo, with the advent of spring, car owners can do their bit by enlisting in the Car Conservation Plan offered by Chevrolet dealers, Mr. Hedner said.

Winter annually takes a high toll of the motor car. Severe weather conditions, slippery streets and rutted roads, operations that put a strain on all performing parts of the car, particularly upon steering and wheel alignment... these factors must be met and offset if spring and summer driving is to be as economical and efficient as it can and should be.

"Today motorists are concerned not only with an immediate improvement in car performance, but are vitally interested as well in prolonging their car's life. The Car Conservation Plan assures the motorist of both immediate and continued conservation of car life and mileage."

"A thorough steam-cleaning or high-pressure washing of the chassis is one of the first steps advised in a spring tune-up. The chemicals used on city streets to melt snow and ice in time encrust the under parts of the car. Their erosive action, naturally, is dangerous and apt to lead to costly repair bills. A chassis clean-up job will correct this condition."

"Tires should be switched if they have not been in the past 3,000 miles and should be thoroughly checked for nicks and cuts. Repair of those minor damages may mean thousands more miles for the driver who cannot replace his tires. Another 'mileage-insurance policy' is correct wheel alignment. A simple check-up and adjustment may be the means of prolonging tire life many months."

Radiator hose and fan belt will bear checking at this season, also, while brakes, which in winter months are so constantly in use should be inspected by a competent mechanic. Today, gasoline sold to the consumer bears a lower rating than that which was in the past. To prevent this, check and realize full economy. Chevrolet owners have octane selectors rechecked by dealers as a courtesy service."

This spring and summer the emphasis upon conservation of those materials vital to the military demands that every motorist operate his car at peak efficiency. A motor tune-up is advisable to make sure your car is not wasting gas and oil."

"Driving a car that operates economically is more than just good common sense today; it is a patriotic duty and represents another 'contribution to victory' that those behind the lines can make."

I have just received a quantity of Corbated Creosote Base. Base wood preserver and disinfectant. Guarantee to kill blue bugs, lice and all insects.—W. T. Jones Feed Store.

Stoddard Gerald and Sam Saylor of Tarleton made a short visit with homefolks Sunday afternoon.

Air-Maid Nylon Hose.—Hudson Bros.

HASTEN VICTORY BY ADVERTISING, PROFESSOR SAYS

Frank B. Hutchinson, professor of journalism at Rutgers University, has urged in an interview at New Brunswick, N. J., that the federal government turn to advertising to transform a half defense-minded people into a wholly victory-minded nation.

"Advertising," he said, "is arousing, guiding, inspiring the British people to an all-out production effort. This same force is selling victory bonds in Canada at a rate to make us look like a nation floundering to let someone else pay the check."

Professor Hutchinson asserted that advertising had a big job to do in "our drive for victory. Washington must turn draftsmen loose on blueprints for some give - Hitler - hell psychology, some crowd-the-line bond buying action, some eyes-off-the-clock labor, minds-off-the-profits management, and real step-on-the-gas production."

"Advertising which sold us the pleasure of soft living, can sell us the need for hard fighting."

"Washington must turn on the power of advertising," he said. "If not, other half-hearted efforts may not matter."

NABORS CREEK— By MRS. SAM SELF

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Self spent Saturday in town.

We are glad to report that Robbie Smith is back home again from a hospital. We hope he continues to improve.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wrinkle were in town Saturday.

Mrs. Jesse Ivy of Chappell Hill visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Caraway, last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Self had a 42 party last Friday night. There was another 42 party at Mrs. Smith's home Saturday night.

There was an Easter egg hunt at Sam Self's Easter Sunday. After the hunt the children enjoyed popcorn balls. Claud Smith found the prize egg.

Jane Smith is back in school again. Her limb has healed nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Smith and sons from Brownwood were in Goldthwaite Saturday evening. After having some dental work done, they visited her sister, Mrs. Ben Smith, and family.

Mrs. Smith lost two nice pigs last week. They thought green burrs might have caused it.

The nice rain on last Monday was greatly appreciated. Some corn is coming up. Now the truck crops can at least give promise of "victory gardens."

Mr. and Mrs. Williamson were shopping in town Saturday. Also Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Wrinkle.

Mrs. Parker and Mrs. C. T. Wrinkle returned a box of completed garments to the Red Cross Saturday. Let us all do our part in helping this Red Cross work.

Our club will meet at Mrs. Parker's Thursday. Let us remember to get our thimbles and scissors.

We are glad Mr. and Mrs. Jim Caraway were able to be in town Saturday. They went with Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Caraway.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Davenport were attending to business Saturday.

Fire kills skilled workers, endangers morale, halts production, consumes irreplaceable goods.

Mrs. C. L. Stephens

Mrs. Eula Lee Dickson Stephens, long-time resident of Goldthwaite, was buried from the First Baptist Church on last Thursday, April 9, at 4 o'clock. The local pastor conducted the service, which was largely attended. A great profusion of floral offerings was in evidence, tokens of the high esteem in which this good woman was held.

Mrs. Stephens died on Tuesday the 7th at St. Anthony's Hospital in Oklahoma City, Okla. For some months she had been staying with her sons at Wichita Falls and her daughter, Mrs. Fred Martin, at Norman, Okla. For some time she had been in failing health, and a short time before her death was taken to the hospital for a general check up and soon grew worse and the end came.

Mrs. Stephens, nee Dickson, was born November 7, 1871, in Burleson County, Texas. She and Clarence L. Stephens were married on September 9, 1891. Mr. Stephens preceded her in death two years. She was the mother of six children, all of whom live and were present at the funeral. They are: Mrs. Ethel Meador, Mexico; Mrs. Elizabeth Martin, Norman, Okla.; Maurice and Marion Stephens, Wichita Falls; Mrs. Mildred Caldwell, Corpus Christi; and Bill Stephens, San Antonio. There are a number of grandchildren, too. Two brothers also survive Mrs. Stephens and three sisters: Frank Dickson, Hico; R. L. Dickson, Port Worth; Mrs. Noe Davidson, Houston; Misses Alma and Italia Dickson of Hico. Those residing at Hico were unable to attend on account of the impassable roads in the community where they live. All the others were present at the funeral.

Eula Stephens, as her husband so affectionately called her, was a faithful Christian woman from her early girlhood, joining a Baptist church when she was thirteen. For all the years she resided in this community she was very faithful to the church and exceedingly regular in her attendance. Hers was a rich character of many noble graces.

An unusual thing for one to do, she did just prior to her death. She wrote out a biographical sketch of her life, selected the songs to be sung at her funeral and indicated the Scripture passages that she desired read in the service. Then closed with a motherly request that the children should be mentioned. All of her requests were carried out. God rest her beautiful soul while we cherish the memory of one so blessed.

ATTEND FUNERAL OF

MRS. C. L. STEPHENS
Mrs. C. L. Stephens' funeral Thursday, April 9, was attended by relatives and friends: Mr. and Mrs. T. Meador of DeRidder, La.; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin and Miss Jeanette Martin of Norman, Okla.; Mrs. R. L. Updike of Jenks, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Stephens, Mrs. Berta Simon, Mrs. Allen Bryce, and Mrs. Russell, all of Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Rob Dickson, Port Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Will Dickson and Mrs. Elizabeth Criswell of Mart; L. W. Stephens and N. W. Stephens of Waco; Mr. and Mrs. Horace Coldwell of Corpus Christi; Mr. and Mrs. C. L. (Bill) Stephens of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Allen, Johnny Allen, Vergil Jackson, Clyde McAnally and Mr. Cantrell, all of Lometa; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Arvin of Sanderson; Dr. and Mrs. J. N. Arvin, Mrs. Sallie Arvin, Miss Katherine Arvin, Dr. Herbert Arvin, all of Brownwood; and Mrs. Joe Casbeer of Lampasas.

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for Coughs, Chest Colds, Bronchitis

VAST NAVAL OFFICER PROCUREMENT PLAN

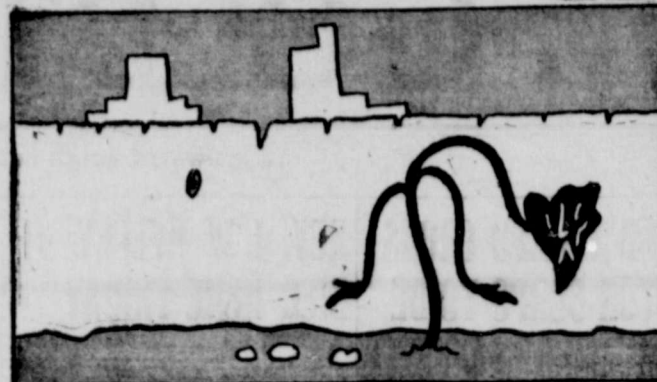
NEW ORLEANS, April 15.—Designed to provide a continuous supply of officer material with a qualified basic education, a whirlwind campaign to acquaint the nation's educators with the Navy's vast procurement plan—under which 80,000 college freshmen and sophomores will be recruited annually in Class V-1—have been launched by Eighth Naval District headquarters.

Five meetings, which have covered all states in the Eighth Naval District, were arranged for the period from April 9 to 16. Invitations were forwarded to colleges to send representatives to the meetings.

Under Class V-1, college freshmen and sophomores will be enlisted as Apprentice Seamen in the United States Naval Reserve. They will be placed in an inactive duty status and allowed to continue their college education at their own expense, at least until the end of their second college year and perhaps until they receive baccalaureate degrees.

Approximately 35,000 of those who are enlisted will be selected each year for further training leading to commissions as Ensigns in the Naval Reserve. Through the V-1 plan the Navy is enabling colleges and universities to do their part in winning the war by giving the preliminary training to officer material that is required to prepare officer candidates for their places in the expanding Two-Ocean Fleet.

Don'ts for gardeners



Don't waste good seed on bad soil

Gardens need good, well-drained soil, not the usual kind of city lots where soil is mostly cinders and rubbish. Places where weeds flourish are promising garden spots.

Participating colleges and universities must submit their curricula to the Navy Department for approval. Certain courses will be required, but no attempt will be made to stereotype the curricula. This V-1 program plan will serve as a great boon for the colleges which have been faced with greatly decreased enrollments due to the war. The Navy places more importance than ever on higher education in war time.

HESS HAS SPECIAL QUOTA TO BE FILLED

Sgt. William J. Hess, Brownwood recruiting sergeant at the Memorial Hall, wishes to announce that we now have a

quota of certain skilled personnel required in a special engineer recruiting requisition for a recruiting period from April 10 to May 20, 1942. Possessing the required qualifications, we wish to secure specialists for the following occupations: Blacksmith, Demolition Man and foreman, railway construction foreman, crane operator, structural steel worker, riggers, tool room keeper, and hoist engineer.

These specialists will be enlisted for the Corps of Engineers, Camp Claiborne, La. All enlistments are to be made in the grade of private. Anyone wishing additional information on the above may call upon Sgt. Hess at his office in the Memorial Hall in Brownwood.

Air-Maid Nylon Hose.—Hudson Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Y. Mitchell spent last Saturday night in Cherokee with Mrs. Mitchell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Witt. Sunday they visited their little grandson Joe Dennis Oliver and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Oliver, at San Saba.

CHICKEN FRIED STEAKS



You've missed a TREAT if you haven't tasted our CHICKEN FRIED STEAKS. But we don't specialize in one dish... we specialize in 'em all... and serve them at VERY modest prices.

We are open every evening until 9:00

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Next Door to Western Auto

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SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY -- APRIL 17 - 18

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Mrs. Tucker's **SHORTENING** . . . 3 Lbs. 58c **HOMINY** . No. 2 1/2 Can . 10c

LAUNDRY SOAP 6 for 25c

Giant White Bars

Monarch **Gellatin Dessert** . . . Pkg. 6c **Jersey Bran Flakes** . 2 15-oz. Pkgs. 25c

CORN FLAKES 2 Reg. Size Pkgs. 15c

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Laying Mash — Starter — Growing Mash — Scratch

FISH Frozen Fillett Pound **32c**
No Bone — No Waste

Dressed Fryers Each **52c**
Home Raised — Pen Fed

LUNCH MEATS--Assorted Lb. 22c

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Nothing left off that is needed — Nothing put on that is unnecessary.

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FRESHMAN REPORT

This week begins the last six weeks this year. Freshman, let's all get to work and pass everything. We still have the time if we will really start working.

We are very sorry to lose our president, Joe Massey, who joined the navy several weeks ago. We wish for him the best of luck as he goes forth to serve his country. Now we are in search of a new president.

CHIT-CHAT

Now that spring is here everybody's bringing flowers to the teachers. . . . Goldthwaite surely walked away with honors at the District meet last Friday. . . . "Personality" books are such a nice way to create enemies. . . . Just a reminder—report cards will come out next week. . . . Doesn't Bobbie O. have the most contagious laughter? . . . These open-aid sandals aren't so hot in rainy weather. . . . We seniors have not given up a senior trip yet. And our annual play is still to come off. . . . The way everybody is cutting off their hair it looks as if there's going to be a hair shortage. . . . What with so many joining the navy and so many more getting married, we're wondering what is to become of Goldthwaite.

PRESENTING:

Take all the adjectives you can think of to describe your ideal—change them to the superlative degree forms and you have the senior girl of the week. Add to it the fact that she excels in every school activity and extra curricular interest she undertakes, and you begin to get an idea of her talents. Editing our school paper, winning first honors in essay writing and debate, and oiling the bearings of all her classes are a few of her daily good deeds. She has been able to maintain a straight report card nearly every school term and gets everybody's vote for the one most likely to succeed. The name—Glenda Oglesby—will be in the reminiscences of senior school days of all the members of the class of 1942. Glenda plans to attend the University of Texas and major in government.

Likes best—Cartoons
Dislikes—Hair oil.
Favorite Song—"I'm Breathless."
Motto—"Put off today what I can do tomorrow."
Secret ambition—To learn to whistle.

Equally outstanding on the boys' side is the very popular, progressive, potential pilot for Uncle Sam, Shirley Mahan. His

oratorical ability, seldom demonstrated in his class work but quite noticeable in study halls and home room periods, reaped its merited award in first place honors he brought back from district meet in declamation last week. The members of the F.F.A. Chapter were, however, not at all surprised as Shirley won the Lone Star Farmer Degree last year and has shown his capacity as spokesman and leader for several years. Shirley expects to attend A. & M. He is another who can succeed in his future and the whole senior class wishes him luck.

Likes Best—An interesting dream.

Favorite Sport—Loafing.

Favorite Song—"I Don't Want To Walk Without You."

Best Friend—People.

Secret Ambition—Win first place in Regional Declamation.

ON THE SHADY SIDE

We have been requested to stress the fact that this column is for amateur snoops only and that professionals, such as doctors, lawyers, journalists, dentists, especially dentists, should not apply their art.

We believe that Louise and Buren are going back to that old romance that they had when they were in the seventh grade; ask them for further information.

Well, Rupert, how does it feel to go after Gladys S. and, while waiting, meet another of her suitors? But you turned him away very nicely.

How Annabell W. clings to McClung. She was seen with this gay young Indian Gap lad last Saturday night.

Tommy and Lucille just fit right into those love scenes in public speaking.

Mary Lou seems to be glad that Dewey K.'s football jacket has an "E" on it standing for Evant, but it could also represent Eckert.

Alvis Stewart has a girl friend but it is some job to find out the "lucky gal's" name.

Clyde, what's this we've been hearing about you and some bright Lometa freshman by the name of Alene Cable? Some couple.

Boy, it sure looks as if Wilma Bea and Cricket prefer blondes. Aren't weenie roasts wunnerful? Ouida and Herbert K. think so and enjoy them thoroughly.

My, my, it took a whole car load of kids to escort Barbara to the district meet last Friday. Some people have all the fun.

Bonds or bondage? Buy U. S. Savings Bonds.

BENTLEY CLEMENTS WRITES THE EAGLE

Mr. and Mrs. Duke Clements, parents of Sgt. Bentley Clements, received a cablegram from him on March 9 stating that he was going to Egypt. Another on March 25 stated that he had been sent to the Middle East. The Eagle received the following letter Monday morning.

England
March 5, 1942
Dear Mrs. Thompson:

I received your Eagle today and was very pleased to read some home-town news.

Since I last wrote the war has taken on quite a new aspect for you over there. I have an unbounded pride in the U. S. A. and I know they won't let us down. The English people treat us very kindly and when we travel about in our Canadian uniforms with the U. S. A. badges on them, kids in the streets will shout, "Good old America" and elderly women will stop and say, "God bless you Americans."

The American uniform, Army, Navy, Marine and Air Force, is very prominent here. It is good to see so many. But still there are practically as many Americans in British uniforms in England as in American uniforms, probably more.

As I predicted in my last letter, I am going East, but where I can't say, or when.

The showdown is due soon and I intend to be in on the kill. I could probably say to many "I told you so", but I'll reserve that until we (the Allies) correct this mistake our fathers made in Versailles.

So for now I am yours,
Sincerely,
SGT. R. B. CLEMENTS.

PACKAGE SENT TO BOTTS ON MIDWAY IS.

A 19-pound package was packed at Farmers and Ranchers store here Tuesday by Mr. Fulton to be sent to Charles H. Botts, who is in the Marine service on Midway Islands. The package contained candy, comic book, a chocolate cake, butter, chewing gum and drinks, and was mailed by Mr. and Mrs. I. N. McGirk and Bill.

The following letter was received by Billy Botts, from his brother, Pvt. C. H. Botts, Midway Islands.

Dear Bill,

First let me say I'm sorry for not answering your letter, the one you mailed Jan. 21. I got it March 29, your birthday. Let me wish you happiness on your 15th birthday, and I want to make you a present of my calf and hope you get a good start with her. Nothing would please me more than to hear you had won blue ribbons on her. Show this to Daddy Mac. I know he'll be glad to help you with her.

Bill, any time you need money for something, write me. I'm making \$36 now, and I'm saving \$31 each month and using \$5. I just wish you could be with me to some of the places I've been.

VOYD LEE DOGGETT WRITES LETTER HOME

The following letter was received here late last week by a friend from Voyd Lee Doggett, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Doggett of Goldthwaite:

Norfolk, Va., April 5.

Hello Nubbin:

How is the squirrel hunting by now? I wish I was there to go hunting with you. Do you still have your dog? Guess you will be glad when school is out.

I am really going to a tough school here. It's an aviation radio school. When I finish I'll be on a big bombing plane. I'm in a squadron that patrols the Atlantic Coast, bombs subs, etc.

Our school is right on the beach of the Atlantic Ocean. There is really a big air base here, with every type of plane. There are four or five crashes a week.

I will start playing baseball here in about a week. They really have some good teams here.

I went into Norfolk. There was a big Marine I had a little trouble with. I chased him about three blocks and he finally caught me. Now I look like this (picture). Notice the black eye but you should have seen the other guy.

I don't know when I'll get to look at a Jap over a machine-gun but when I do I'll clip his ears off and send them to you. We have been out on the machine-gun range this week shooting them. I should have had one to hunt squirrels with. They shoot 1,200 bullets in one minute, which is plenty speedy.

Well, tell all the folks hello, and drop me a line sometime.

Here is my address: Lee Doggett, Flag Unit, Patrol Wings, Atlantic Fleet Aviation Radioman Training Unit, Naval Air Station, Norfolk, Va.

GOLDTHWAITE BOY GETS AIRCRAFT POSITION

Donald S. Oglesby of Goldthwaite, who was employed at the Ranger NYA War Work Center shops, has been hired as a machine helper by the Consolidated Aircraft Corporation at Fort Worth, at 60 cents an hour, according to information received here.

Young Oglesby applied for NYA work through the United States Employment Service, which agency later assisted in placing him with the Fort Worth firm. He was assigned to the Ranger NYA Center, where he obtained work experience in the shops and attended related training classes taught by instructors furnished through the Ranger Public Schools and the State Board of Vocational Education.

Food is a whole arsenal of weapons in this struggle for human freedom.—Secretary of Agriculture Wickard.

The only thing I'm really in need of is some comic books and magazines. I sent a package home Christmas. I'd like to know if it got there. Well, guess I'd better close now, wishing you all the happiness.—Buddy.

The Center Point School Pointer

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Tefertiller.
Assistant Editor—Charles Utzman.

Sports Editor—Lindy Spinks.
Senior Reporter—Lewis Connor.

Intermediate Reporter—Frankie Lee Davee.
Primary Reporter—Loretta Adams.

SENIOR NEWS

We are glad that our room has a hundred per cent today (Monday). We are looking forward to our exams and we hope we make better this month than we did last. We made good last month and most of us made the honor roll. We hope to make it this time.

INTERMEDIATE NEWS

Our room will take most of our tests tomorrow. Our room is working on our notebook work. We are sorry that Willie Perry, Altha Mae Perry and Marie Davee are absent. Marie is absent because she cut her foot on a bone Sunday and was unable to come. We hope they will be back soon. We will have our citizenship club Friday.

GIRLS' 4-H CLUB NEWS

Our 4-H Club met Thursday. We worked on hat racks and scarfs. Some of the girls were absent because of bad weather. We hope Miss Brammer will be with us next time. Our club will meet Thursday week. We hope more will be here then. We will work on our scarfs at the next meeting.

SPORTS NEWS

We have not been playing baseball lately. We have been playing tennis, basketball and croquet. The Center Point outside basketball players went to Mullin and played. We are sorry that they got beat.

BOYS' 4-H CLUB NEWS

The boys' 4-H Club will meet Thursday, April 30. We agreed to make a farm unit (book) in the club. All the members are going to try to raise 25 chickens plus their demonstration. We are sorry that none of our boys got to go to the Fat Stock Show.

PRIMARY NEWS

This is test week again and we all want to make real good grades. This will be our last test before finals.

We have three absent in our room today. They are Beulah Ann Perry, Joyce Truit and Aline Perry.

MESSAGE TO TEXAS 4-H CLUB GIRLS

Here's a message to Texas 4-H Club girls from Miss Onah Jacks, State Club Agent of the Texas Extension Service:

"We all know that Uncle Sam's got a big scrap on his hands these days. Each of us must do his part.

"We must be strong. Strength is the result not of magic but of day by day care. Food is a big factor. Eating the right food is our patriotic duty. Producing food is a big job of 4-H folk.

We must try to understand things that are going on these days. Remember Uncle Sam depends on OUR thinking. You 4-H folks have already pledged yourselves to think clearly—to use your hands to work hard, your hearts to understand and to share, your health for sturdy service. You must think out what your part is—and how you can help others to know theirs.

"During 4-H Club Week and afterward call on your neighbors. Invite people to set your work in your home. Let us help others so that each of us can pledge earnestly:

"As a Victory Demonstrator doing my best to help win the war I will produce food, feed and fiber to assure good health for myself, my family and others.

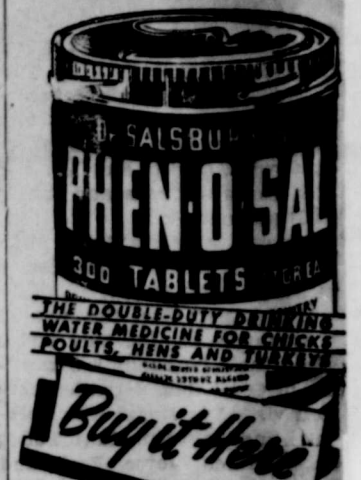
"I will take good care of everything I use—food, clothes, furnishings, equipment, machinery, buildings, livestock and the soil as well as scarce articles such as rubber and metals.

"I will buy carefully anything I must have and I will buy U. S. Defense stamps and bonds with all the money I can.

"I will work hard with my family and neighbors and help people to be cheerful, to have courage and to take part in all war activities."

— For Victory: Buy Bonds —

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HUDSON BROS. DRUGGISTS—

What You Want—
When You Want It

I have just received a quantity of Corbated Creosote Base Base wood preserver and disinfectant. Guarantee to kill blue bugs, lice and all insects.—W. T. Keese Feed Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Duggan spent the week-end in Ennis visiting his mother and other relatives.

Mrs. Will Walton left for Lubbock last Saturday. She spent a week here with her mother, Mrs. L. H. Little, and other relatives.

Air-Maid Nylon Hose.—Hudson Bros.

New Schedule — CREAMER STAGE LINE —

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SOCIETY

Nabors Creek H-D Club Meeting

The Nabors Creek Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. J. R. Parker Thursday, April 9. There were six members and one visitor present.

Our president, Mrs. J. M. Wrinkle, presided over the meeting. Mrs. C. T. Wrinkle called the roll and each answered with "My favorite way of serving potatoes." Mrs. L. C. Williamson, our Council delegate, gave an interesting report of the last Council meeting. Mrs. J. H. Plummer gave a very interesting talk on the history of potatoes, and Mrs. L. C. Williamson on the different ways of serving potatoes. The club also sewed for the Red Cross.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. H. S. Davenport April 30 at 2 p. m. All members be sure and be present and all visitors are welcome.

Those present were Mesdames J. R. Parker, J. M. Wrinkle, C. T. Wrinkle, L. C. Williamson, J. H. Plummer, P. K. Caraway, and H. S. Davenport.

Miss Saylor Honored

The Fellowship Sunday School Class honored Miss Connie Saylor of Goldthwaite and Parker Shaw of Brady with a buffet supper in the home of Mrs. Harold Yarborough. The guests arrived around 8 p. m., and were asked into the dining room. The center piece on the table was a miniature bride and groom with bridal wreath scattered around it. Miss Saylor and Mr. Shaw led the guests around the table to be served. Later everyone had their fortunes told by Miss Love Gatlin. Mrs. Bigham presented the gift from the class to Connie and Parker, which was a lovely pyrex coffee brewer.

Those present were: Connie Saylor, Parker Shaw, Juanette Stinette, Mary Clements, Lilly May Ely, Mr. and Mrs. Sparks Bigham, Love Gatlin, Freda Gersch, Louise Doggett, Lela May Sivells, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Johnson, Myra Johnson, Mrs. H. B. Johnson, and Mrs. Harold Yarborough.

Mrs. Jake Saylor entertained with a reception at her home on Tuesday, April 7, honoring her niece, Miss Connie Saylor. Many nice gifts were received from the ladies present.

Big Valley 4-H Club

The Big Valley girls' 4-H club met Thursday, April 9. Miss Brammer showed them some ways to hem dresser scarfs. Miss Brammer and Mrs. Nickols took the 4-H girls to the poultry and bedroom demonstrators home.

—Reporter.

Air-Maid Nylon Hose.—Hudson Bros.

Annual Conference Of WSCS

The first annual conference of the Woman's Society of Christian Service on Tuesday, April 4, at the University Methodist Church at Austin was attended by Mesdames B. A. Myers, Malcolm Jernigan, Walter Doggett, Fred Reynolds, Bob Steen, and Jim Weatherby.

WSCS Meeting

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met with Mrs. Harry Allen on Monday, April 6. We had a continuation of the study book led by Mrs. Weatherby and Mrs. Jernigan. Mrs. Allen served refreshments to nine members.

The Society met Monday, April 13, with Mrs. T. C. Graves. The worship program was led by Mrs. Blair, and the educational program was led by Mrs. Harry Allen. We were glad to have Mrs. Patterson as a new member. Refreshments were passed to 14 members.

Tefertiller-David

Miss Anna Bell Tefertiller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Tefertiller of Goldthwaite, was married to Sgt. Cecil A. David on April 8, at Jacksonville, Florida.

Mrs. David was a popular young lady of Goldthwaite, having attended school here and graduated from the local high school last year.

Sgt. David is the son of Mr. and Mrs. David of Robstown, and is now in the 144th Inf., Co. G, 36th Division, Camp Blanding.

Mrs. David will remain in Florida for the present. Their many friends wish for them much success and happiness.

Junior Defense Club

The Junior Defense Club met Tuesday. We had a most enjoyable program. It was a battle of the sexes. The boys got 55 points and the girls got 30 points. The four boys received defense stamps and the girls received suckers.

The following committees reported saved or collected: Several rags since last meeting, 5 pounds of aluminum, 600 razor blades. We have started two other committees. Old stamp committee is Georgia Mae Simpson, Ida Mae Smith, and Harold Kausch. Metal tin committee is Charlie Perry, Sealy Reid, and Maxine Singleton.

The treasurer reported 42 cents paid for prizes, and the Defense Club members are supposed to have paid 10 cents each by next meeting. Dues are one cent per meeting.

Best citizens are Barbara Dell Porter, Freddie Wittenburg, and Milton Laughlin.

Program committee for next time is Jerol Vaughan, Bobby Burks and Kathaline Kemp.—Reporter.

EBONY NEWS—

By CLEMENTINE WILMETH BRILEY

Church was well attended Sunday. Our summer meeting has been planned to begin Friday night before the third Sunday in July and continue through the fourth Sunday with Bro. W. M. McFarland of Lubbock doing the preaching.

Good rains have fallen in this section putting plenty of moisture in the ground and filling tanks and water holes. Farmers who didn't get corn planted on account of drouth are putting it in now. Gardens delayed by drouth are being rushed.

It seems that we are to go fruitless this year. "Not enough fruit in the whole orchard to make a pie," is the report we are getting from most home orchards.

S. H. Reeves reports most of the fruit killed in his good-sized commercial orchard. However, Homer Reeves, who also has a commercial orchard, says he has lots of peaches.

Mrs. Nellie Malone, who was reported sick last week, has about recovered. She was able to attend church Sunday, and after church was a guest for dinner at the Briley home where other members of the Wilmeth tribe, including Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wilmeth and Mrs. Edna Dwyer, met for their weekly family get-together.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Egger are making it by themselves now. Mrs. Egger seems to be still improving according to Mrs. Jim Wilmeth, who visited her last Friday and found her talkative and cheerful. Mrs. Egger is up now and able to make the bread. Bob does the rest of the work.

Wood Roberts spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Roberts. We've heard of carrier pigeons but a carrier dog is a subject for a news item. It happened at Ebony Monday. Sport Briley spent the day with Mrs. Edna Dwyer. The phone wire was broken, but she wanted to get a message to her brother, Jim Wilmeth, to get her some maize seed when he went to town Tuesday. She tied a note around Sport's neck and told him to get for home. A phone wire still intact carried the message the rest of the way.

The Home demonstration club will meet with Mrs. Thebert Jones Friday, April 24 at eleven o'clock, at which time Miss Brammer will demonstrate a vegetable dinner.

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—For Victory: Buy Bonds—

The war crisis has drawn University of Texas students closer to the church, pastors in the University community report, citing overflowing pews for every service.

To some 2,000 students, church means more than just Sunday service—for they are making their church the center of their extra-curricular life. They sing in the choir, edit the church paper, prepare and serve light refreshments before Sunday night vespers services, teach Sunday School classes, conduct social service work among underprivileged children or shut-ins, present religious plays, and participate in discussion groups.

This picture shows the All Saints' student choir (Episcopal); University Presbyterian Church students preparing Sunday night supper; Wesleyan Foundation (Methodist) students editing the church paper; and the Baptist Student Council in executive session.



Mullin News

From Mullin Enterprise

C. F. Jeske, popular banker of Priddy, was among our visitors here Monday. You will find the statement of the Priddy bank in this issue of the Enterprise. A splendid showing of this good bank and will bring the total resources of the Mills County banks over \$1,000,000.00.

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Mrs. Gerald Davis sent in the subscription price for the Enterprise to be sent Gerald Davis at Zephyr.

Miss Jewell Carlisle joined the sick list and was missed from business circles for a brief time but is now back on the job.

Scottie and Barbara Ann Vaughn of Goldthwaite Route One have been out of school "entertaining" measles.

C. L. Summy of Velasco spent the week-end with homefolks.

Mrs. Ella Masters has returned home from a ten days' visit with relatives at Brownwood and May.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford E. Lineweaver of Fort Worth were dinner guests of Mrs. C. L. Summy Sunday, and one big trouble they do not stay long enough to see all their old friends.

Roy Crockett is now at Luke Field in Arizona where he is chief cook. A meal of 90 dozen eggs and 150 pounds of steak is about the average.

Friends extend condolence to Mrs. J. H. Neill in the passing of her aunt, Mrs. L. R. Conro, Wednesday in Goldthwaite at her home after a stroke of paralysis.

Roy Lovelace of Mullin attended the funeral of J. A. Clark in Brownwood Thursday.

Victor Williams is enjoying a furlough with his relatives and friends here now.

Miss Geraldine Triplett of Pompey was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. G. Chambers.

Mrs. Jim Jeffers of Longview called to have the Enterprise sent to them at Longview. She and her husband, Jim Jeffers, were both reared near Mullin and Zephyr. Mrs. Jeffers is here visiting her mother, Mrs. W. W. Mosier, and plans to leave Saturday for her home.

R. E. Davis and his son Dennis were week-end guests of homefolks. They are working at Bastrop and Lometa.

Osteen Patterson will be in Dallas April 10 and 11 for an interview with Navy recruiting officers concerning his enlistment in a Navy construction crew subject to overseas duty.

Clayton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Swofford, and was champion essay writer at the district meet last Friday.

Rex Tullos, Jimmie Rex Neill and William Cobb were in an automobile wreck near Brady Monday night. The auto struck the concrete posts near a bridge and caused the wreck, so it is reported. Soldiers picked up the three boys and carried them to a Brownwood hospital, all of them badly shaken. Two of the boys were unconscious, and the auto was badly damaged.

PRAIRIE—

We enjoyed the rain here last week. Everyone is planning to plant their victory gardens.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson spent the latter part of this week in Dallas showing and visiting their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Rose. Miss Agnes Johnson accompanied them to Dallas and visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Redman.

This community was saddened this week by the death of Miss Jewel Baskin. Jewel was a very sweet girl and lived in our community and attended school here and graduated from the Mullin High School in 1930. Sympathy extended to the family.

Miss Emma Nell Smith spent the past week with her grandmother, Mrs. W. C. Johnson.

Mrs. Frances Pierce, Arlis and Glen, Mr. and Mrs. Edytas Hanks and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Bowden and Weldon visited in the Geo. Baskin home Thursday night.

Wilbert Baskin took supper with Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Bowden one night last week. He is to return to California soon.

Mrs. Dorothy Smith and children spent Saturday with Mrs. J. E. Smith.

Robert Smith spent Saturday night and Sunday with Weldon Bowden.

Mrs. Gerald Davis and Miss Ellen Green spent Friday evening with Ellen's grandmother, Mrs. Sam Davis, of Mullin.

Mrs. W. C. Johnson, Miss Agnes Johnson, Wilma Preston, Emma Nell Smith, Mrs. J. E. Smith, James Roy and W. D. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Davis visited Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bowden and Weldon Sunday evening.

Carolyn Moreland spent the night with June Hodges Sunday night.

The other day the Secretary of State of the United States was asked by a senator to justify our giving aid to Russia. His reply was: "The answer to that depends on how anxious a person is to stop and destroy the march of Hitler in his conquest of the world. If he were anxious enough to defeat Hitler, he would not worry about who was helping to defeat him."—Roosevelt Navy Day Speech.

Mrs. J. W. Ratliff is visiting in San Angelo this week.

Roy Oxley returned to Carlsbad yesterday from Houston, Texas, where he went last week to seek enlistment in the naval service. He was sworn in Friday as construction maintenance foreman and is now on inactive duty, awaiting call.

Jack Brazeale of Pompey died Monday and was buried Tuesday at Zephyr.

'VISION FOR VICTORY'

Dr. Sheppard, Chicago Optometrist, has just received several rejected men from the Navy and Air Corps, on account of defective vision. After fitting Glasses and giving Orthoptics Treatment, nearly all of them were accepted in the service. Don't take any chances with your EYES. See the Optometrist that has been giving local citizens satisfaction for 20 years—

DR. FRED R. BAKER, at Saylor Hotel Friday, April 24, only. Yes—SEE BAKER AND SEE BETTER!

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FALL OF BATAAN

(Editorial from Dallas Morning News)

The fall of Bataan, to be followed probably by the fall of Corregidor, brings to the loyalty, courage and fighting spirit of the American people the supreme test that has thus far come out of the tragic Battle of the Pacific. When it can be looked back upon from the vantage point of some future year, probably it will stand out as the supreme test of the entire conflict—a test that the American spirit stood just as it stood after Valley Forge, just as the Texas spirit stood after the fall of the Alamo. Out of such tragedies, such tests of loyalty and patriotism, comes the indomitable will of a free and democratic people to win.

It was inevitable that Bataan should fall. The American people should restrain themselves from an impulse that may come in this sad hour to criticize those in command for failure to reinforce the heroic band while it stood for more than three months against overwhelming odds. Until the fall of Singapore and Java, every ounce of naval and military strength was needed at these points of really greater strategic value than was Bataan. After the fall of these places, Bataan was isolated by 2,000 miles of water, studded by newly-erected Japanese defenses, from American and British bases in Australia. Secretary Stimson's statement that two-thirds of the ships sent to the aid of Bataan were destroyed is testimony to the futility of giving the heroic band sufficient reinforcement to enable it to stand against the ten-to-one odds with which the Japanese finally overwhelmed it.

Bataan has gone down. In the heroic struggle of the men defending it, it has become a shibboleth and a symbol for the inspiration of Americans and their Allies, the democracies of the world. In its fall, it shall become even more so. The American people will not criticize; they will not be discouraged nor will they falter. We still have the gallant MacArthur who has been rescued for further service through the foresight of those in command of our military forces. In the words of Secretary Stimson, "It is only a temporary loss; we shall not stop until we drive out the invaders from the islands." We shall not stop until we drive out the invaders from the wide expanses of the Pacific and China which they have seized by virtue of a long and treacherously planned blitzkrieg. We have the example of the defenders of Bataan to strengthen us in that resolution.

Mistakes Are His Hobby

IT IS A GOOD THING for a man to have a hobbyhorse to ride! There are a tremendous number of interesting hobbies from collecting stamps to whittling. And people seem to be inventing new hobbies every day.

Recently I heard of a man who has made mistakes his hobby. His sparetime he spent in one continuous search for errors, errors in technical explanations, grammatical errors, errors in biographies, errors in manners. I can imagine him looking at everything and everybody with a fishy, suspicious eye! What a futile, negative, uninspiring hobby to have!

How much more stimulating it would be to be looking for the good in people as one's hobby, to dig for the hidden talents in folks. Even in the worst of men there is much that is good. Warden Lawes, of Sing Sing, discovered that a young man who was sentenced to the electric chair for murder had had no educational opportunities but possessed a genius for architectural drawing. To discover a painter, a writer, a poet . . . what an adventure that would be! What finer, more creative hobby could a man have than helping others to grow and realize their possibilities?

—The Silver Lining.

He that can have patience can have what he will.—Franklin

LOOKING BACKWARD

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From Eagle Files April 21, 1917)
Rev. L. L. Hays and wife left Monday for Marlin, where Mrs. Hays will try the efficacy of the water as cure for rheumatism.

F. N. Hubbert and wife visited their son, Grant, at Cherokee College Sunday.

Charley Frizzelle, who has been manager for the West Texas Telephone Co. at Zephyr for some time, has come home for a visit.

Mrs. J. H. Randolph visited friends here last week.—Star News.

J. D. Walton and Miss Lyda Johnson were married at the residence of Rev. D. I. Haralson Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock.

Mrs. C. T. Bowman has been here from Star this week visiting her son, County Attorney Bowman, and wife.

W. H. Linkenhogor went to Austin the first of the week and accompanied his wife and little son home, they having spent several weeks there.

Edward Geeslin, manager of the Light and Ice Company, presented the Eagle with a case of cold drinks a few days ago, which was indeed appreciated. The case contained an assortment of the carbonated drinks manufactured by Mr. Geeslin's company.

Dick Jett and Miss Katie Lee Hammond were united in marriage in Goldthwaite Sunday evening.

Edward Geeslin and family left Tuesday in their car for Hempstead for a visit with Frank Geeslin and family.

Mrs. I. C. Everly represented the Eastern Star in a convention at Coleman this week.

4-H CLUB PLEDGE,
MOTTO AND COLORS

4-H CLUB MOTTO: To make the best better.

4-H CLUB COLORS: Green and white.

4-H CLUB EMBLEM: Four-leaf clover, representing the four "H's"—head, hand, heart, and health.

4-H CLUB PLEDGE: I pledge My head to clearer thinking, My hands to greater service, My heart to truer loyalty and finer sympathy, And my health to efficient living in service to my home, my community, my country, and my God.

TEXAS 4-H CLUB CREED: I believe in boys' and girls' club work because of the opportunity it gives me to become a useful citizen.

I believe in the training of my head because of the power it will give me to think, to plan, and to reason.

I believe in the training of my heart because it will help me to be kind, sympathetic and true.

I believe in the great trinity of club work: the community, the home, and achievement.

I believe in my country, in the state of Texas, and in my responsibility for their development.

To the fulfillment of all these things I am willing to dedicate my service.

FIVE EXAMINATIONS FOR
FEDERAL CIVIL SERVICE

The United States Civil Service has just announced five new examinations for war-time appointments. Inquire for details at the Goldthwaite Post Office:

Junior professional assistant, \$2,000 a year; student nurse, \$288 a year, quarters, subsistence, laundry and medical attention; architect, \$2,000 to \$3,200 a year; junior calculating machine operator, \$1,440 a year; junior stenographer, \$1,440 a year; and junior typist, \$1,260 a year.

CORRESPONDENT MOVES

Alonzo Harris called by the Eagle Office this week and had his subscription to the paper set up for another year. Mr. and Mrs. Harris are leaving this week for Crosby, Texas, where they will make their home. Mrs. Harris has been correspondent from Pecan Wells, and will be greatly missed by the Eagle as well as their friends in Mills County.

State Department
Health Notes

"Every patriotic Texan must depend upon his local defense leader to map the way, and stand ready at all times to go into immediate action at his post of duty, in the event of active hostilities," Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer and State Chairman of Health and Emergency Medical Service, declared today in reporting on the progress of the emergency medical and health service program in Texas.

The emergency medical and hospital program has been made the duty of the professions of medicine, dentistry, and nursing, Dr. Cox said. Already surveys of hospital facilities have been made; plans are perfected for the evacuation of hospitals, and community facilities have been studied for availability of emergency hospitals if the need arises. Doctors, dentists and nurses have been organized into teams with specific assignments for duty in case of disaster. In addition to preparation for dealing with casualties, certain teams have been assigned the responsibility of caring for children and for the mothers with babies born at the time of emergency. Instruments, supplies and equipment have been located and allocation determined.

The response to the nation's appeal for volunteer civilian defense workers has been tremendous. In many communities, Dr. Cox said, registration cards are being examined, and from these volunteers will be made up the stretcher and first aid teams, the drivers of ambulances, and the workers in all other phases of work which must be done.

Out of 254 counties in Texas, 227 have appointed local chairmen of emergency health and medical service. Out of 894 municipal and county government units in the state, 684 have organized their programs, appointed local chairmen, and are under way with their program. "When we realize that these figures mean more than 90 per cent of the population of Texas is now participating in the program of health and emergency medical service protection, these figures cease to be dry statistics. It is extremely interesting to note that out of 44 areas reported on February 7, there are 2,321 physicians, dentists, nurses, nurses' aides, orderlies and others taking part in the emergency medical service program. On this basis," Dr. Cox said, "it is estimated that when our civilian defense registration is completed, there will be approximately 85,000 persons engaged in this work."

In praising the hospitals for their co-operation, Doctor Cox said that they set a remarkable example of a unified, patriotic spirit. There has been no single instance reported to the State Coordinator of any hospital not giving full support to the local health and emergency medical service program.

"The civilian defense program of emergency health and medical care is well under way and functioning efficiently in all parts of the state," Doctor Cox stated, "but this fact remains, and should be remembered by all, that it is no national office, no regional office, no state office, that gets the job done. It is the local office which eventually must do the work of protecting our citizens. The continued and absolutely essential success of this program is dependent upon the wisdom and leadership of local chairmen of health and emergency medical service and the participation of all Texas' citizens," Doctor Cox declared.

"My advice to every loyal citizen of Texas is to enroll in the local office of civilian defense, train himself to fulfill a definite function in defense work, and keep always in mind that now is the time to prepare and be ready for any emergency."

Uncontrolled fire is an economic waste any time; it is a crime today when continuity of production is so vital to the present emergency.

Preventing ordinary accidental fires is just as serious as fires from bombing raids.

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LESSON

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

Lesson for April 19

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GROWING TENSION WITH
FALSE LEADERS

LESSON TEXT—Luke 11:37-48, 52-54.
GOLDEN TEXT—He that is not with me is against me; and he that gathereth not with me scattereth.—Luke 11:23.

Opposition to Christ and to Christian teaching has come down through the centuries practically unchanged. Hence, we find in Christ's dealings with the enemies of His day helpful indication of what may be done in our time.

It is sad to note that the chief opposition came from those who professed to be religious leaders. It is expected that the world, the flesh, and the devil should fight God's truth, but one might expect better of those who profess His name. The difficulty is that there is only profession, with no real life.

I. Hypocrisy Unmasked (vv. 37-44).

The Pharisees professed great interest in the observance of religious laws, but their concern was for the outward appearance, while God judges the heart. First we note a false profession of cleanliness. Christ came to the Pharisees' table with clean hands, but He had not observed all their ceremonial washings. When rebuked He struck home with terrific force at the heart of the whole matter (v. 39); namely, that inward filthiness of heart which often makes folk meticulous about outward cleansing. This leads to a substitution of technical observance of the letter of the law that ignores love and judgment (v. 42), which are so precious to God. There can be a dead, dry, and technical orthodoxy which entirely misses the point.

But worst of all is the covering up of spiritual death (v. 44). Sometimes we speak of those who are "dead and don't know it," and that may actually be true spiritually. There may be death within and yet a brave and sometimes self-deluding outward show of life.

II. Theological Deadness Condemned (vv. 45-52).

The lawyers of that day were those learned in the Mosaic law, hence were really the teachers of theology and ethics. They came under the rebuke of Christ as He pronounced three "woes" upon them.

First, they were guilty of heaping upon others burdensome requirements which they did not themselves keep, and which they did not help the people to keep. There are such teachers today who set up standards they do not themselves observe, a sort of signpost pointing the right way, while they are not themselves going that way. Then there are those who present high ethical standards without the spiritual dynamic needed to live up to them. To tell a man to be good without telling him of the Saviour who can make him good is mockery. Then, those of Christ's day were condemned for hating God's witnesses. They were willing to build sepulchers for the dead prophets (killed by their fathers), but were not willing to hear the living prophets.

How true to life that is! The very ones who hate and hinder those who are preaching God's Word, speak and sing smoothly of the faith of our fathers, and claim as their own the witness of a past day. Christ also pointed out that while professing to interpret the law they obscured its meaning. They threw away the key to knowledge so that neither they nor their people could learn—and yet they continued to teach. Have not the false teachers of our day done likewise? They deny the integrity and authority of the only infallible Word—the Bible; they reject the deity of our Saviour, Christ, and yet they talk about being Christians and preachers of the truth. Woe be unto them in the day of God's judgment and wrath!

III. Enmity Intensified (vv. 53, 54).

The scribes and Pharisees had two approaches: they sought vehemently to provoke Him to overspeak, and they craftily laid in wait for Him. The writer of these notes has seen both methods at work in our day. Liberals, or modernists as they are called, profess for the most part to a suave courtesy which makes them speak smoothly and gently about the conservative and orthodox believer or teacher; but if one only has eyes to see, there is often the strong and cruel hand of iron hidden under the velvet glove.

Whatever may be the approach, be assured of this—every effort to reveal false teaching in its true light, or to deal with hypocrisy in spiritual things will bring intensified opposition. Christ took it—we too can take it in His name and for His sake.

Praise the Lord

I will greatly praise the Lord with my mouth; yea, I will praise him among the multitude. For he shall stand at the right hand of the poor, to save him from those who condemn his soul.—Psalm 109:30-31.

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TREASURER'S REPORT

IN THE MATTER OF COUNTY FINANCES IN THE HANDS OF MRS. W. L. BURKS, TREASURER OF MILLS COUNTY, TEXAS.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT, MILLS COUNTY, TEXAS, IN REGULAR SESSION, APRIL TERM, 1942.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, as County Commissioners within and for said Mills County, and the Hon. R. J. Gerald, County Judge of said Mills County, constituting the entire Commissioners' Court of said County, and each one of us, do hereby certify that on the 13th day of April, A. D. 1942, at a regular term of our said Court, we have compared and examined the report of Mrs. W. L. Burks, Treasurer of said County, for the period beginning on the 1st day of January, A. D. 1942, and ending on the 31st day of March, A. D. 1942, and finding the same correct have caused an order to be entered upon the minutes of the Commissioners' Court of said County, stating the approval of said Treasurer's Report by our said Court, which said order recites separately the amount received and paid out of each fund by said County Treasurer since his last report to this Court, and for and during the time covered by his present report, and the balance of each fund remaining in said Treasurer's hands on the said 31st day of March, A. D. 1942, and have ordered the proper credits to be made in the accounts of the said County Treasurer, in accordance with said order as required by Articles 1636-1637, Chapter 1, Title 34 of the Revised Statutes of Texas, 1925.

And we, and each of us, further certify that we have actually and fully inspected and counted all the actual cash and assets in hands of the said Treasurer belonging to Mills County at the close of the examination of said Treasurer's Report, on this 31st day of March, A. D. 1942, and find the same to be as follows, to-wit:

JURY FUND

Dr.	Cr.
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 31st day of December, 1941	7,883.52
To amount received since said date	1,792.87
By amount disbursed since said date	745.40
By amount to balance	8,930.99
TOTAL	\$9,676.39 \$9,676.39

Balance to credit of said Jury Fund as actually counted by us on the 1st day of April, 1942, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 1st day of April, 1942, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of—\$8,930.99.

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND

Dr.	Cr.
Balance on hand	8,357.49
To amt. rec'd.	8,433.63
By amt. disbursed	7,002.50
By amt. to bal.	9,788.62
TOTAL	\$16,791.12 \$16,791.12

Balance to credit of said Road and Bridge Fund as actually counted by us on the 1st day of

April, 1942, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 1st day of April, 1942, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of—\$9,788.62.

GENERAL FUND

Dr.	Cr.
Balance on hand	5,758.25
To amt. rec'd.	5,226.57
By amt. disbursed	2,586.61
By amt. to bal.	8,398.61
TOTAL	\$10,985.22 \$10,985.22

Balance to credit of said General Fund as actually counted by us on the 1st day of April, 1942, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 1st day of April, 1942, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of—\$8,398.61.

COURT HOUSE FUND

Dr.	Cr.
Balance on hand	6,919.08
To amt. rec'd.	2,689.37
By amt. disbursed	394.41
By amt. to bal.	9,214.04
TOTAL	\$9,608.45 \$9,608.45

Balance to credit of said Court House Fund as actually counted by us on the 1st day of April, 1942, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 1st day of April, 1942, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of—\$9,214.04.

LATERAL FUND

Dr.	Cr.
Balance on hand	2,641.94
To amt. rec'd.	
By amt. disbursed	1,017.43
By amt. to bal.	1,624.51
TOTAL	\$2,641.94 \$2,641.94

Balance to credit of said Lateral Fund as actually counted by us on the 1st day of April, 1942, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 1st day of April, 1942, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of—\$1,624.51.

HIGHWAY NO. 16 FUND

Dr.	Cr.
Balance on hand	70.20
To amt. rec'd.	
By amt. disbursed	
By amt. to bal.	70.20
TOTAL	\$70.20 \$70.20

Balance to credit of said Highway No. 16 Fund as actually counted by us on the 1st day of April, 1942, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer on the date of the filing of his report on the 1st day of April, 1942, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of—\$70.20.

COURT HOUSE SINKING FUND

Dr.	Cr.
Balance on hand	2,647.65
To amt. rec'd.	896.40
By amt. disbursed	
By amt. to bal.	3,544.05
TOTAL	\$3,544.05 \$3,544.05

Balance to credit of said Court House Sinking Fund as actually counted by us on the 1st day of April, 1942, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 1st day of April, 1942, and the balance

between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of—\$3,544.05.

No. 7 R & B SINKING FUND

Dr.	Cr.
Balance on hand	3,107.67
To amt. rec'd.	179.23
By amt. disbursed	
By amt. to bal.	3,286.90
TOTAL	\$3,286.90 \$3,286.90

Balance to credit of said No. 7 R. & B. Sinking Fund as actually counted by us on the 1st day of April, 1942, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 1st day of April, 1942, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of—\$3,286.90.

ROAD DIST. NO. 1 FUND

Dr.	Cr.
Balance on hand	2,800.67
To amt. rec'd.	243.65
By amt. disbursed	
By amt. to bal.	3,044.32
TOTAL	\$3,044.32 \$3,044.32

Balance to credit of said Road Dist. No. 1 Fund as actually counted by us on the 1st day of April, 1942, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 1st day of April, 1942, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of—\$3,044.32.

BAYOU BRIDGE FUND

Dr.	Cr.
Balance on hand	772.40
To amt. rec'd.	179.23
By amt. disbursed	
By amt. to bal.	951.63
TOTAL	\$951.63 \$951.63

Balance to credit of said Bayou Bridge Fund as actually counted by us on the 1st day of April, 1942, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 1st day of April, 1942, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of—\$951.63.

ROAD MACHINE FUND

Dr.	Cr.
Balance on hand	1,490.53
To amt. rec'd.	179.23
By amt. disbursed	
By amt. to bal.	1,669.76
TOTAL	\$1,669.76 \$1,669.76

Balance to credit of said Road Machine Fund as actually counted by us on the 1st day of April, 1942, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 1st day of April, 1942, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of—\$1,669.76.

SPECIAL R & B FUND

Dr.	Cr.
Balance on hand	2,141.45
To amt. rec'd.	179.23
By amt. disbursed	
By amt. to bal.	2,320.68
TOTAL	\$2,320.68 \$2,320.68

Balance to credit of said Special R. and B. Fund as actually counted by us on the 1st day of April, 1942, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 1st day of April, 1942, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of—\$2,320.68.

RECAPITULATION

Amount	
Balance to credit on this day of:	
Jury Fund	\$8,930.99
Road and Bridge Fund	9,788.62
General Fund	8,398.61
Court House Fund	9,214.04
Lateral Road Fund	1,624.51
Highway No. 16 Fund	70.20
Ct. House Sinking Fund	3,544.05
Special R. and B. Fund	2,320.68
No. 7 R. and B. Fund	3,286.90
Road Dist. No. 1 Fund	3,044.32
Bayou Bridge Fund	951.63
Road Machine Fund	1,669.76

ASSETS

In addition to the actual cash as above, we find the following assets belonging to the said County, and to the credit of the following funds, which is also in the possession and custody of the said Treasurer, to-wit:

Fund, Hico Ind. S. D. Bonds,	\$1,000;
Court House Sinking Fund, U. S. Govt. bonds,	\$370;
total,	\$1,370.00.

BONDED INDEBTEDNESS

The bonded indebtedness of the said County we find to be as follows, to-wit:

Mills County Court House	
Refunding	\$15,000.00
Mills County Road District	
No. 1	14,000.00
Road and Bridge	
Warrants	13,600.00
TOTAL	\$42,600.00

WITNESS OUR HANDS, officially, this 13th day of April, A. D. 1942.

R. J. GERALD,
County Judge.

J. Y. TULLOS,
Commissioner Precinct No. 1.

J. A. HAMILTON,
Commissioner Precinct No. 2.

W. L. BARKER,
Commissioner Precinct No. 3.

J. G. EGGER,
Commissioner Precinct No. 4.

Sworn to and Subscribed before me, by R. J. Gerald, County Judge, and J. Y. Tullus and J. A. Hamilton and W. L. Barker and J. G. Egger, County Commissioners of said Mills County, each respectively, on this, the 13th day of April, A. D. 1942.

W. E. SUMMY,
(Seal) County Clerk, Mills Co.

SCALLORN—

By MRS. ORA BLACK

Another rain which fell Sunday night, added to the one of last Sunday night, gives us a fine season for further planting.

We farmers and farmerettes were never quite so busy as now realizing the fact that we must do all we can for defense. Neyer in all our lives have we seen diversifying put over in a greater way. More cows, more hogs, more chickens, more gardens and with good prospects for an abundance of fruit. Wonder why we grouch so much?

Over the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Kuykendall were their daughter, Mrs. Bob Sims and Mr. Sims of Brownwood.

Guests in our home from Friday until Monday were Mr. and Mrs. C. Mosely of Ballinger.

Mrs. Terrell Casbeer has been spending a few days in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Huffstutler. Others calling in the home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Boning of Lometa, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Johnson and Grandmother Laughlin, Terrell Casbeer and daughter, LaDelle.

The ladies of our community are continuing the Red Cross sewing. We have completed 65 girls dresses these last 2 weeks. At present we have fifty on hand to be made.

A recent bride, Mrs. Karcher O'Bannon was given a shower Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Pharo Chadwick. Present for the occasion were Mesdames Frank Eckert, W. Stevenson, Homer Eckert, T. C. Casbeer, Frank Hines and Greta Sue, Ora Black, Arlie O'Bannon, Vernon O'Bannon, the honoree, Mrs. O'Bannon, and the hostess. After the presentation of the gifts a delicious plate was served to the guests.

Alton Forehand passed away at his home Monday afternoon after a lingering illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Henry and children and Mrs. W. Henry spent Sunday in Lampasas with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon O'Bannon and mother visited Monday in the Wayne Henry home.

Miss Greta Sue Hines spent Monday night with Miss Brammer, and the two young ladies went from there to Bald Tuesday to a H-D Club meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hines and Greta Sue were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Ashley of Goldthwaite.

Mrs. Homer Eckert and Mrs. Dutch Smith visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Dee Jones.

Mrs. Cora Ford and son, Sherwood, shopped in town Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hines and Greta Sue spent Monday in Santa Anna visiting their daughter, Mrs. John Allen Todd and family.

Call Mrs. Harvey for an appointment for your beauty work. Phone 240.

Guests in the Frank Bowman home Friday evening were James Williamson and daughters, Imogene and Patricia, of Star and his son Keith Williamson of Florida.

Air-Maid Nylon and Silk Hose. New Spring Shades. — Hudson Bros.

NEIGHBORING NEWS

ITEMS FROM LOCAL PAPERS OF TOWNS MENTIONED

Hamilton—

Owing to interference of fresh water from a big vein struck by drills last week, B-D-K Oil Company's Anderson No. 1 test drilling 18 miles north of Hamilton in the Fairy community, made little depth until Friday, when the markers sought were encountered at 755 feet.

Operations were suspended for investigation of the hole, which appeared highly satisfactory in indications of production of pay oil in a deep test. Heavy rains during the first days of the week checked procedure until Thursday when the contractor, Virgil Wagley returned to Hamilton and with experts from the company's organization will make all tests required before announcement is made as to whether this hole will be put down to the necessary depth, or whether a new shallow test will be drilled on the block.

Rains the first of the week forestalled any resumption of drilling or tests at the Wallace No. 1 Roberson, located on the former ranch of L. E. Pierson in the Energy country 9 miles west of Hamilton.

Promoters are expecting sharp activities in leasing and contracting for tests in the south Hamilton County area within the next few days.

On Thursday morning of this week, the sun broke through the misty cloud banks to shine on a rain soaked Hamilton County. The rain fell in showers with little electrical disturbances and no high winds. Up to date the cold wave has only slightly touched this section of Texas.

Hamilton's best loved man, "Uncle Clint" Conner has translated to a temple immortal. Advanced in years, frail in body and often sick, but sweet in spirit, patient and considerate in all of his associations at home and with people outside, it was no surprise but a great and universal sorrow that followed the spreading message early Wednesday morning, April 8, that he had passed away in the night.—County News.

San Saba—

Dr. J. M. Johnson, Jr., the youngest son of Atty. and Mrs. J. Mitch Johnson, was here last week briefly visiting homefolk. Dr. Johnson left Friday from Fort Worth by plane for San Francisco and from there goes to the naval base hospital at Pearl Harbor.

Breaking a drouth that has held San Saba county to a maximum of slightly in excess of one inch of rain since January 1st, the county was visited with a most welcome rain Monday varying in amount from one-fourth of an inch to 1 1/2 inches.

Preston Watson, coach at Richland Springs and son of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Watson of San Saba, has resigned his position at Richland and has enlisted in the navy service at Dallas. He will be a physical education instructor for the navy under the Gene Tunney program.

The Church of Christ is indeed fortunate in securing the services of Cled E. Wallace to do the preaching for the revival meetings which are scheduled to begin Thursday night, April 16, and will continue through Sunday, the 26th. Mr. Wallace is one of the outstanding evangelists of the brotherhood. His lessons will be straight-forward, sound gospel sermons. The public is urged to attend all of the services.—News.

Comanche—

A total of 37 votes were polled in Comanche in the two recent elections, 14 having been cast in the Comanche Independent School trustee election Saturday and 23 in the City election Tuesday.

F. R. Seyforth, 37, Abilene was instantly killed early Tuesday morning near Sipe Springs, 18 miles northwest of Comanche when the private plane he was piloting crashed.

Robert Henry Hyatt, 52, resident of the Proctor community for the past 16 years, died at his home at that place Tuesday April 7 following a year's illness. Comanche has been designated as one of the points where

the county school superintendents and superintendents of independent school districts with more than 500 scholars have been notified by State Superintendent L. A. Woods to attend the nearest of 23 regional meetings at which operation of Sugar-rationing registration will be explained. The county superintendents will be responsible for conveying the information to the officials of the smaller schools.—Chief.

CENTER POINT—

By MRS. JEWEL SPINKS

We are rejoicing over the big rains we have had this week. It was worth a million dollars to the farmers. Every one will be busy now.

There was a large crowd at the chili supper on Friday night. There was also a ball game between Mullin and Center Point. Mullin won by two scores.

On Saturday evening Doyle Wright and Miss Joyce Vann of Blanket and Charles Dee Wright and Miss Sarah Jane Yeager of Pecan Wells were married in a double wedding ceremony at the home of Rev. Vann of Mullin. Best wishes are extended.

We are sorry to hear that J. C. Wesson is a victim of pneumonia at the home of his grandmother in town. His mother is staying and nursing him. Mrs. Willard Mosier, Mrs. O. E. Rice and Mrs. G. L. Spinks visited him awhile Sunday.

The people of this community were made sad at the news of the death of Oscar Kelcy of Mullin. He was buried at Williams Ranch Tuesday. Condolence is extended to his loved ones.

Grady Hancock visited his sister, Mrs. Garland Spinks, Tuesday. He left Wednesday for the Army.

Rev. and Mrs. Smith from Goldthwaite were Sunday visitors of Rev. and Mrs. Verne French.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Wright took supper with Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Spinks Wednesday night. Elva Vines visited homefolks over the week end.

I have just received a quantity of Corbated Creosote Base. Base wood preserver and disinfectant. Guarantee to kill blue bugs, lice and all insects.—W. T. Keese Feed Store.

Don'ts for gardeners



Don't do what you can't finish

Don't plant a garden, count the work involved even before you start. Abandoned gardens of seed, fertilizer, tools, insecticides, and labor.

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FOR LARGER YIELDS treat your wheat, oats, and barley seed with new improved Cereson. Get it at HUDSON BROS.

FOR RENT—Two rooms furnished or unfurnished. See JOHN FULTON. 4-10-2tp

TOMATO PLANTS—Ready for sale by the 15th at Piggy Wiggle and Farmers and Ranchers in Goldthwaite and Kimmon's Cafe and Market at Mullin. 4-10-2tp

FOR SALE—Four good work horses, disc harrow, section harrow, cultivator, planter, pony disc, Dodge pickup and two good farms.—Dr. B. C. COLVIN, Goldthwaite, Texas. 4-10-2tc

4-ROOM HOUSE and 3-room apartment to rent; both on Fisher Street.—NAT McGRIRK. 4-17-1tp

FOR SALE—Pure bred and blood tested Buff Monarca roosters. They are beauties. MRS. WILFORD GRAY. 4-17-1tp

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NEW phenothiazine Drench for sheep and goats. HUDSON BROS., Druggists. 3-28-1tc

FOR RENT—Adults, a 2-room unfurnished apartment. Practically new. Convenient to town. Call the EAGLE. 2-13-1f

BABY CHICKS—Our truck will be in Goldthwaite every Tuesday and Friday at 12:50 p. m. at Chapman's Feed Store with a selective stock of Finest Quality Baby Chicks.—BURDICK & BURDICK, Coleman, Texas. 2-27-1tc

FOR FERTILIZERS for all crops contact Joe Key. Phone 1613-F2. Produce More Peanuts. FERTILIZE. 4-17-2tp

FOR SALE—Thirty-nine head of registered Delaine ewes; eighteen have lambs. SAM HENRY RAHL. 2-17-2tc

LOST—Plain gold-rimmed glasses in a greyish-green case. Please leave at Eagle Office. 2-17-1tp

WILL PASTURE goats; plenty of water and good pasture. See J. N. CROOK. 4-17-1tp

FOR RENT—3 rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Apply to Mrs. J. W. KELLEY. 4-17-1tc

FOR SALE—Good 2-year-old Jersey milk cow.—F. C. FOX. 4-17-1tc

REAL ESTATE—I am listing and selling all kinds of Real Estate. Have state real estate dealer's license. Will appreciate talking over Real Estate problems with you.—ARTHUR CLINE, P. O. Box 222. 2-20-1tc

FIELD SEED FOR SALE—Maize, sweet hegarl, red top cane and sedan, at \$2 per cwt. All put up before any rain. Write or call RICHARD MESECKE, Miles, Texas. 4-10-3tp

FOR SALE—Registered C-type Delaine Bucks.—F. C. FOX. 4-17-1tc

FOR SALE—One cultivator, bedding plow, and planter. May be seen at Will Berry's place. 4-17-1tp

DUN STALLION, well bred, white mane and tail, for service on old Joe Curtis place on Colorado River. Fee, \$10, \$5 down and \$5 when colt comes.—I. G. PORTWOOD. 4-10-8tp

HIGH GOAL, my Registered Thoroughbred Stallion, will make the present season at my place 4 miles southwest of Goldthwaite on Bull's Creek road; fee \$10 to insure living colt. Will use all care but not responsible should accidents occur.—ALBERT J. TULLY. 4-17-4tp

PLEASANT GROVE

By EDITH COVINGTON

Crops that were planted have begun to come up after the very nice rain last week.

Miss Irene Baber spent Saturday night with a friend at Payne Gap.

Mrs. L. B. Covington and Lynn visited her mother near Star during the week end.

Frank Dumas and family of Lampasas spent Sunday with W. B. Wilkey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Charley Berry spent Sunday with relatives and friends at Liberty Hill.

Pete Miles and family visited his mother at Star Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brit Berry and son spent Sunday with relatives at Moline.

Ima V. Covington visited Lula and Jewel Wilkey Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. David Watters and DeAlva Virden spent Sunday in the Ray Berry home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Covington visited his mother Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Berry and Miss Lora Berry spent Sunday with Will Berry and family.

W. F. Virden and wife visited Mr. and Mrs. Cagle Sunday afternoon.

Clark Miller and wife spent Sunday afternoon with Chas. Miller and wife.

CARD OF THANKS

Mere words are so futile as a means of expressing to our dear friends of Goldthwaite the feeling we have in our hearts for you. No other people could have done and said the things in such a way as would make our deep suffering easier to bear.

Two years and four days ago when our dear father was laid to rest you were so helpful and comforting and, then, again we came to you and you did not fail us.

How we thank each and every one and want you to know what a happy memory it will be in looking back upon the two saddest occasions in our lives.

May God's richest blessings fall as abundantly upon you when your time comes to bear a great sorrow.—The C. L. Stephens Children.



POLITICAL Announcements

The Eagle is authorized to make the following announcements, subject to the Democratic Primary Election July 25, 1942:

No announcement inserted unless cash accompanies same. Announcements inserted in the order in which fees are paid at this office.

For Congress, 21st Congressional District:
 O. C. FISHER
 Of San Angelo, Texas.
 HARRY KNOX
 Of Brownwood, Texas.

For State Senator:
 PENROSE B. METCALFE
 Of San Angelo, Texas.
 (Re-election)

For Chief Justice Austin Court of Civil Appeals:
 E. F. SMITH
 Of Austin, Texas.

For State Representative, 104th District:
 FRANK HOWINGTON.
 Of Comanche, Texas.
 (Re-election)

For County Judge:
 R. J. GERALD.
 (Re-election)
 JOHN PATTERSON.

For County and District Clerk:
 EARL SUMMY.
 (Re-election)

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector:
 J. HERN HARRIS.
 (Re-election)
 WILEY L. MAHAN.
 WILLIAM B. HUGGINS.
 OMAR C. WEATHERBY.

For County Treasurer:
 MRS. W. L. BURKS.
 (Re-election)

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:
 JESS Y. TULLOS.
 (Re-election)

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2:
 J. A. HAMILTON.
 (Re-election)

For Commissioner Precinct No. 3:
 I. McCURRY
 W. L. BARKER
 (Re-election)

For Commissioner Precinct No. 4:
 L. A. (Loyt) ROBERTS.
 JAMES NICKOLS.
 ARTHUR WILCOX.
 T. D. HINESLY.
 CECIL EGGER.

For Justice of Peace, Precinct One:
 JIM RAHL.
 (Re-election)
 E. A. OBENHAUS

I MAY BE WRONG, BUT

Governor Stevenson is dead right that some of the young men should be left on the home front to relieve the labor shortage, especially on the farms and ranches. Farmers and ranchmen are asked to produce more and AAA and County Agents are holding meetings in an effort to step up production while the army is taking the help from the farms and ranches. The governor suggests that farm and ranch boys be furloughed to help with the crops. And as usual Coke is right.

In the face of the labor shortage congress is debating on appropriations for CCC, NYA and WPA. The CCC bureau is calling for 300,000 Texas youths while Texas farmers are asking the government to pay for 1941 crops wasted for want of labor for harvesting. Why not discontinue the CCC, NYA and WPA for the duration and fifty years thereafter? It is high time we stopped these social experiments. Relief is much abused, too. Many persons able to work are accepting relief. Stop it. We are in a war and war is HELL. The war emergency should not be used to continue useless bureaus and to make people who have no appetite for work wards of the government.

And Henry Ford has given Charles Disgrace Lindbergh a job. But what has become of Senator "Buckling" Wheeler and Senator Bennett "Champing" Clark? Now would be a good time for Britain to win the "last battle." Remember Bataan and don't forget Pearl Harbor.

SAPP HEAD.

There are no "rookie" dollars. Send yours to the front! Buy U. S. Defense Savings Bonds and Stamps!

—For Victory: Buy Bonds—

TEXAS NYA SHOPS ARE OPEN TO GIRLS

AUSTIN, April 15.—NYA's War Work Center in Waco will open in April for 64 young women who will obtain experience in radio, sheet metal, machine shop, and production sewing work, according to J. C. Kellam, state NYA administrator. Later assignments to the Waco NYA Center will bring the total number of girls employed to 200.

After preliminary work experience and related training in Waco the girls who qualify will be transferred to the Corpus Christi NYA War Work Center for further experience pointing toward employment by the Civil Service Commission at the Corpus Christi Naval Air Station shops.

These young women will be referred to the NYA War Work Center by the United States Employment Service. While assigned to the Center they also will attend classes in related information and training taught by instructors furnished through the Waco Public Schools and the State Board for Vocational Education.

The girls will live in dormitories at the Center adjacent to the shops, and each one will receive \$30 per month from which the cost of food, housing, medical attention, and laundry will be deducted, leaving approximately \$11 a month for personal use.

CHAPPELL HILL

By MRS. J. N. CROOK

The nice rains we are having are being appreciated by everyone.

Albert Crawford sent several nice fat hogs to the Fort Worth market this week.

Mrs. Tom Stephens' parents visited her over the week-end from Snyder.

P. Bufe and family visited in the Fritz Tiemann home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stone Shipman spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Karnes.

Miss Pearl Crawford and her mother visited in the Evans home Sunday.

We are glad to report J. E. Evans, who has been suffering with a broken collar bone, is improving fast and able to be out visiting again.

Mrs. C. M. Bramblett visited Mrs. J. E. Evans last Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Jess Ivy is getting a few hundred baby chicks this week.

W. S. Cunningham has been home for the past week or two, after spending a pleasant winter with his daughter, Mrs. Bill Roberts, in Houston. He says he's glad to be back and continues to think "There's no place like home."

R. J. Melvin and Lee Tiemann visited Charles Crook last Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Crook and Charles attended church at Trigger Mountain Sunday and enjoyed a good dinner and spent the afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Oden.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Crook were Brownwood visitors one day last week.

Mrs. Orville Evans visited her sisters Monday afternoon while Orville and his father were visiting in Mullin.

After a few days of sunshine now farmers will be busy planting.

The Eagle has a lot of things in it we all enjoy reading, but right now I think the letters from the boys in service are looked forward to and enjoyed the most of all.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to express our appreciation to our friends and neighbors who ministered to us and gave us their sympathy during the illness and death of our dear mother. We will always cherish each kind word and deed. May God's richest blessing be with you in an hour when you need Him most is our prayer.

The Conno Children.

James Burns of Dallas visited his wife at Ranger who has been in a hospital for several weeks for treatment. She is now recuperating at the home of her aunt. Mr. Burns also visited in Goldthwaite Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Burns.

MELBA THEATRE NEWS

Special attention of the public is called to the double feature program on Saturday night. The picture "THREE SONS O' GUNS" is a timely story of a widowed mother and her 3 sons whom the present draft makes quite a few changes in their lives. If you enjoy a good comedy, don't miss "THREE SONS O' GUNS." We also have a good action picture in "APACHE KID," featuring Don (Red) Barry. Saturday night is a show night. Invite somebody to come with you.

Is there anybody who does not like Mickey Rooney and Judy Garland? For 20 years Mickey Rooney has been entertaining the American Public and he is now one of America's outstanding actors. No better musical show has ever been shown at the Melba Theatre than "BABES ON BROADWAY." Mickey's take-off of Carmen Miranda is worth the admission price. Good songs, good comedy, a great cast is the reason why "BABES ON BROADWAY" is called the "FASTEST MUSICAL SHOW ON EARTH." The very best in pictures can be seen at The Melba on Saturday Prevue, Sunday, Monday. Watch these dates for the SHOW YOU HAVE BEEN WANTING TO SEE.

Do you know what Bargain Night means at The Melba? Formerly we paid one of our customers to help us advertise. NOW WE DIVIDE THAT ADVERTISING MONEY WITH EVERY PATRON THAT ATTENDS THE SHOW ON TUESDAY OR WEDNESDAY NIGHTS. We are doing that by a special bargain price of 17 cents for all adults and 6 cents for children 6 to 13 years. We like it better than paying all the money to one person. It means that the whole family—rich and poor alike—can now afford to see at least one good show every week. Good shows, Fox Movietone News and 20 minutes of short features or comedies are used to make up this two-hour program. Next Tuesday and Wednesday you can see "HENRY ALDRICH FOR PRESIDENT." We recommend it to you.

CHARLIE CHAPLIN'S "THE GREAT DICTATOR" COMING APRIL 25-26-27.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this method of thanking our friends for all their kind words that were said to us during the death of our beloved husband and father. We also wish to thank you for the beautiful floral offering, and pray God's richest blessings upon each and every one of you. Mrs. J. W. Kelley. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Darroch. Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Palmer. Edward E. Palmer.

MELBA THEATRE

GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS

Thurs.—Fri. Sat. Matinee—
 "SMALL TOWN DEB"
 Jane Withers

SATURDAY NIGHT—
 "THREE SONS O' GUNS"

—AND—
 "APACHE KID"

Sat. Prevue, Sunday-Monday—
 "BABES ON BROADWAY"
 Mickey Rooney—Judy Garland

Bargain Night—
 "HENRY ALDRICH FOR PRESIDENT"

Coming—April 25-26 and 27—
 Charlie Chaplin's
 "THE GREAT DICTATOR"

Schultz Faulkner of Texas University was in Goldthwaite Thursday and Friday of last week. Ninety per cent of all fires can be prevented.

LIBERTY LIMERICKS



There was a young farmer named John,
 Who said to himself—
 "Well, I swan!
 Defense Bonds get bigger
 In value I figger
 While helping our Victory on."

Get a bumper yield on your savings by investing them in U. S. Defense Bonds and Stamps for Victory. Get one today!

BRIM GROCERY -- April 17-18

CABBAGE—Make Kraut while it's cheap—5 Lbs. 4c
 LETTUCE—Firm Krisp Heads—3 for 10c
 SPUDS—Nice Ones—8 Pounds 22c
 CARROTS—They are good for your eyes—3 bunches 10c
 LEMONS—Large and Juicy—Dozen 14c
 LIPTON'S TEA—(Glasses Free)—BUY NOW!

Gold Chain FLOUR
 Unconditionally Guaranteed
 48 Lbs. \$1.93
 24 Lbs. \$1.03

SUGAR
 Imperial Cane
 5 Lbs. (Limit) 31c
 Armour's Pure
 LARD, 4 Lbs. 64c

CALUMET—Full Pound Size 19c
 SODA—Arm & Hammer—Regular 10c Size—2 for 15c
 GRAPEFRUIT JUICE—Giant 46-oz. Can 16c
 TOMATO JUICE—3 Tall Cans 22c
 FURNITURE POLISH—Large Bottle 22c
 LIGHT HOUSE CLEANSER—3 Cans 12c
 WET MOPS—Each 24c
 BRILLO—Scouring Pads—Box of 4 10c

MARKET SPECIAL

PORK SAUSAGE—2 Lbs. 35c
 GROUND VEAL MEAT—2 35c
 STEW MEAT—2 Lbs. 31c
 SLICED BACON—Lb. 28c
 BACON FOR BROILING—15c
 BOLOGNA—2 Lbs. 25c

HOME OWNED AND HOME RAISED

Brownwood Veterinary Clinic

DR. J. B. ADAMS

(Veterinarian)

Ft. Worth Highway

Brownwood

Phone 3113

The SNAPSHOT GUILD

BACKLIGHTING



Backlighting gives the very pleasing halo about this little girl's head. You can get similar effects in your pictures if you watch the light.

LIGHTING is, and always has been, of the greatest importance in picture-making—so today let's consider the subject of backlighting. There are several reasons why every photographer should frequently use backlighting in his picture-making.

First, it's an excellent means of dramatizing any subject.

Second, it's one of the primary methods of adding variety and extra interest to any snapshot collection.

And, on the third count, it's one of the most effective tricks I know of producing out-of-the-ordinary pictures.

All right, now what are the practical aspects of backlighting? In other words, how can it be made to work for you in your picture-making, rather than against you?

Well, remember this: composing

a backlit picture will be no more difficult than composing any other snapshot if you let your inherent good taste guide you.

Exposure, however, is somewhat different for backlit subjects than for "normal" subjects. If—as in many cases—you want a sort of silhouette effect, then the secret lies in a very short exposure. But, if you should want a good deal of detail in the shadows, then you've got to give at least 100 per cent extra exposure—twice as much as normal.

However, don't worry too much about technicalities. Remember to shade the lens from the sun and compose simply, but in any event try making pictures when the light is coming from behind your subject. You'll find its one certain way to get dramatic, interesting pictures.

John van Outlander