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## District Farm Meet To Be Held In Colorado City

Local, state and national problems of vital concern to agriculture at this time will be discussed at a district Farm Bureau meeting to be held in Colorado City, Monday afternoon, October 19.

A large number of farmers from Dawson and surrounding counties are expected to attend.

The farm labor situation, price ceilings, transportation difficulties, and many other problems and issues confronting farmers will be considered.

Principal speaker will be J. Walter Hammond, president of the Texas Farm Bureau Federation, who was in Washington during the recent battle over price control legislation in Congress. Mr. Hammond will give a first hand report on that fight, and also discuss other issues coming up now that will affect the welfare of every man, woman and child on every farm in America. A round table discussion of farm problems of this immediate area will follow the talks.

The Number 1 job on the American farm today is producing the food and fiber needed to win the war, Mr. Hammond points out.

"To do the best job possible we must all work together — meet at a council table and plan a course of action that will get results."

Every farmer interested in agriculture's and his country's welfare is invited to attend this meeting, which will start at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon in the Courthouse at Colorado City.

### TO ATTEND OFFICERS TRAINING SCHOOL

O. C. McBride, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. McBride, who for the past several months has been stationed at Olympia, Washington, spent Thursday here visiting with his parents and friends.

Mr. McBride was en route to Ft. Knox, Ky., where he will attend Officers Training School.

### OLD TIMER HERE

J. H. Nunn, of Odessa was a visitor in Lamesa last Thursday. Mr. Nunn is a former resident of Dawson County, having resided here when the county was first organized. He reports that he is considering moving back to this county.

—BUY WAR BONDS AND STAMPS—

## Subscribers Are Asked To Check Expiration Dates

Courier readers are asked to watch their expiration dates on their subscriptions in order that they not miss a single issue of their home town newspaper.

In other words, if the numbers following your name on your paper read 11-42, that means that your subscription will expire on November 1, 1942, and that unless you renew your subscription will be stopped at that time.

The subscription price of the Courier is now \$2.00 per year in Dawson, Martin, Gaines, Borden and Lynn Counties, \$1.25 for six months, or \$3.00 for two years. The subscription price outside this territory is \$3.00 per year.

## Child Dies After Attack



Lucy Rivers Maynard (left), eight-year-old daughter of County Judge and Mrs. C. B. Maynard of Bastrop, died about 12 hours after she was found badly beaten in a ravine. The child, shown here with her sister, Mary, disappeared while on her way home from school. Camp Swift Army officials are holding for military "grand jury" action Private George S. Knapp of St. Paul Minn., who was arrested by Austin police a short time before the child died.

## Big Spring Steers Will Meet Tornadoes Here Friday Nite

The Big Spring High School Steers will be in Lamesa next Friday night for the annual tussle between these two old time school rivals. The Steers have some edge on the locals for this year's record by playing Lubbock a close score and making a better showing against Odessa. Their passing attack is reputed to be outstanding in quality.

The Golden Tornadoes have improved in their passing but need to improve in catching passes. Reeves is recognized as one of the top pass throws of the district. Big Spring players are of such size that Lamesa will likely resort to the open style of playing though Mr. Cloyd has made no announcements as to the preparation of a special nature in mind for his boys for playing the Steers.

Lamesa fans have opportunity to witness three more home games. The first of these is with Big Spring, Friday night. The second is that with the powerful Sweetwater Mustangs on October 30th and the last with Midland on Armistice day, November 11th.

Odessa and San Angelo are leading the district race at this time with two victories each. Abilene and Sweetwater are next in line, with Big Spring for the third position and Midland, Colorado City are in

## Miss Vivian Cook Left Friday For WAVE Service

Miss Vivian Cook, teacher in the Lamesa Public Schools for the past two years, is the second Lamesa girl to join the Waves, Womens Auxiliary Volunteer Emergency Service of the United States Navy. Miss Cook resigned her position here last Friday, and left for her home in Colorado City, and from there will go to Bloomington, Ind., for her final physical examination and training.

Miss Cook, and her sister, Miss Lenorah Cook, English teacher in the Colorado City High School, were sworn in on October 1, in Dallas. They both received their call last Friday.

the cellar with Lamesa as company with two district losses each. The Lamesa boys want a victory this week to enter the district win column and so do the Steers from Howard County. Football rivalries are such to indicate a hard played game on McCollum Field this week.

## Local Schools Report 98,975 Pounds Scrap Collected In "Junior Ranger" Campaign

### F H A Officials Hold Meet With Local Builders

A meeting of Lamesa lumbermen, plumbers, contractors and utility managers was held last Friday morning with Federal Housing Officials in the interest of building new FHA houses in Lamesa.

Federal Housing officials who attended the meeting were J. A. Raley, Jr., of Lubbock, valuator in charge of the Lubbock Service Office of the FHA, Willard L. Lowry of Fort Worth, Architectural Examiner Priorities Division FHA, and Chas. A. Wolfen of the FHA, Amarillo.

Lamesa has been approved as a Defense Area, and has been given an allotment of 30 houses, to be constructed through FHA by private builders. According to Federal Housing Agency Officials these houses can be constructed only if the local lumbermen can furnish the materials, and at present the lumber yards do not have adequate stocks. Local lumbermen are working on this matter, and if they can secure the materials, the houses can be built in the very near future.

### President Will Speak Tonight

President Roosevelt will make his previously announced speech tonight, Monday at 9 a. m., central wartime, and will speak for about half an hour, the Associated Press announced.

The president stated to the press on last Tuesday that he would probably talk on many subjects, which he had been thinking about himself and which had been suggested to him.

## Fire Destroys Co-Op Gin House; 100 Bales Cotton

A match in cotton that was being unloaded at the Lamesa Co-Op Gin last Friday afternoon is believed to have been the cause of a fire which destroyed the Gins cotton house and approximately one-hundred bales of seed cotton. The cotton estimated to be valued at \$1250.00 a bale and the cotton house \$3,000, was all covered by insurance.

Eye witnesses to the fire stated that the cotton became full of smoke all at once, indicating that a match probably was ignited, as the cotton was being put in the house. The gin plant was not damaged.

Farmers are asked to be careful of loose matches dropped in cotton and to warn pickers of the danger of matches in cotton.

Archie McCurry, who is in the Navy and is stationed at San Diego, California, spent the week end here visiting with friends.

Sgt. Jack Lewis of Fort Bliss is visiting here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Lewis and other relatives and friends.

Lamesa school children have collected 49 1-2 tons of scrap metal or 98,973 pounds in their "Junior Ranger" scrap campaign which was started last Monday morning, according to a recent check made by school officials.

The Lamesa Elementary school pupils are away in front with their collections, to Monday morning they had to their credit 78,830 pounds of scrap metal. The high school reported their collections at 20,143 pounds. This amount is an average of 78 pounds per pupil in the elementary school and approximately 40 pounds per pupil in the high school.

Children of the Lamesa Elementary School are performing feats little short of miracles. They are now converting rusty, unsightly, useless scrap iron into gilt-edged government bonds — investments in American Freedom. There are very few pupils who have not caught the spirit of the movement. In every room and every grade, all ages and sizes, there is evidence of feverish activity.

The object of such activity is, briefly stated, "Scrap." Metals, rubber, tinfoil and other items in demand by Uncle Sam. Many tons of metal have been reported sold during the past week and the hidden secrets in the minds of many children is the knowledge of more hidden treasures to be dug up and brought into circulation during the coming week. After it had been thought that all rubber had been collected, Room 31 collected from some unknown source more than a hundred pounds of rubber of all descriptions. Other rooms have begun collections which are steadily growing.

Concurrent with the all-out scrap drive comes the best week of stamp and bond sales of the year. The total for all grades being \$308.20. During the four weeks in which children have participated in Stamp and Bond purchases the total has amounted to \$904.70. Room 8 of the Primary Building took the lead last week with a total of \$23.70. This is a second grade section taught by Mrs. Holder.

Thus, pupils of the Elementary School have in a sense gone to war (Continued on Back Page)

## Cooperating In Bond Ads For This Month

A list containing the names of firms and individuals, who are cooperating in the Treasury Departments War Bond and Stamp program, will be published in this space each issue of the Courier.

A special series of advertisements, encouraging the sale of War Bonds and Stamps, has been prepared by the Treasury Department and will be offered for sale by the Courier each week.

The following list includes those who have purchased War Bond and Stamp advertising this month:

McDonald Gin Co.  
Lamesa National Bank  
Lamesa Creamery  
Clark-McDonald Drug  
First National Bank  
Cicero Smith Lumber Co.

## Miss Melfin Norris Honored With Miscellaneous Shower Thursday Evening

As a courtesy to Miss Melfin Norris, bride-elect of Lieut. Joe Harrell, Mesdames C. Baldwin, Jap Baldwin, Caryl Baldwin, D. S. Day, Henry Norris, and Lee Billingsley

entertained Thursday evening at the Lamesa Country Club with a miscellaneous shower.

The club house was most attractively decorated with large bowls of roses, dahlias and other fall flowers.

As the guests arrived they were greeted by the receiving line which was composed of Miss Jessie Norris, Mrs. Jap Baldwin, the honoree and Mrs. Will Norris, mother of the bride-elect. During the evening the bride's book was presided over by Miss Tamzy McCarty.

Assisting the guests to the dining room were Miss Evelyn Barron, and Miss Elwanda Gilbert. The serving table was laid with a lace cloth and centered with an arrangement of dahlias with four tall white tapers in crystal holders on either side, which lighted the table. Presiding at the silver service was Miss Juanita Fleniken, assisted by Miss Van Clark.

During the evening Mrs. Matt McCall played several piano selections. Mrs. N. H. Price sang "The World Is Waiting for the Sunrise" and "Indian Love Call," accompanied at the piano by Mrs. McCall. Miss Billie Sue White read "I" for a bride, after which the honoree was presented with the many lovely and useful gifts.

The guest list included Misses Peggy Robertson, Agnes McLendon, Della Mae Wood, Billie Sue White, Clara Davis, Joe Evelyn Davis, Frances Compton, Doris Dabney, Leta Merle Koeninger, Jerry Smart, Nell Frances Simpson, Annie Bell Sellers and Mesdames Owen Taylor, George Gable, Ann Beasom, B. B. Bratcher, Jr., A. G. Barnard, M. H. Crawford, W. K. Jordan, A. G. Gray, N. E. Bartlett, S. J. Jordan, A. H. Smith, J. D. Willson.

Walter Lawrence, S. P. White, Joe Barron, Jessie Davis, F. R. Mitchell, Harry Taylor, Porter Gilbert, John Cason, W. H. Derestine, John Middleton, Bertha Mitchell, Dan Corley, J. E. Barron, Sam C. Jenkins, J. M. Harrington, Bill Harrington, Milton Smart, M. C. Lindsey, S. R. Simpson, R. R. Sellers and Jo Hall.

### LAMESA LADY INITIATED AT LUBBOCK MEETING

Mrs. Doyle Wilson of Lamesa was initiated into the Pythian Sister Temple at a service conducted by the Lubbock Chapter, Thursday night at the Knights of Pythias hall in Lubbock.

Others from Lamesa attending the service were Messrs. and Mesdames, R. F. Clement, Jack Mitchell, Earl Goen, J. T. Agee, Mrs. Fred Rainey, and Mrs. Howard Humphries.

Spiced tea and cookies were served to thirty persons.

### MISS JESSIE NORRIS HOSTESS TO GAMMA ALPHA CHAPTER

Miss Jessie Norris was hostess to the Gamma Alpha Chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi sorority Friday evening at the Model meeting for pledges.

The meeting was opened with the group giving the opening ritual. Evelyn Barron, president, presided at the meeting at which time Miss Van Clark was appointed social chairman of the sorority. Miss Myrtle Henderson was appointed chairman of the first project which is to be a social project.

Miss Jessie Norris was program leader and was assisted on the program by Myrtle Henderson and Tamzy McCarty.

Pledges attending were Leta Merle Koeninger, Juanita Fleniken, Elwanda Gilbert, and Fern Tombs.

Members attending were Edna Bedwell, Evelyn Barron, Myrtle Henderson, Tamzy McCarty, Mrs. Rupert Austin and the hostess Jessie Norris.

Pvt. Richard Skinner of Roswell, New Mexico, spent the week end here visiting with relatives.

Lee Dunn of San Diego, California, is visiting here this week with relatives and friends.

## Texans Buying Million Dollars A Day In Bonds

A MILLION DOLLARS A DAY!

Frank Scofield, War Bond Administrator for the State of Texas, is truly shouting those words today.

TEXAS AND TEXANS HAVE DONE IT AGAIN, just as Frank Scofield has said they would.

The quota for the month of September for the State of Texas was \$27,250,000.00. Texans for the month of September for the State of Texas bought \$30,571,090.25 in War Bonds.

Thus, you can see, Frank Scofield has two good reasons to swell with pride over the accomplishments of his native Texas. The quota figure has been exceeded by \$3,321,090.25, and his words "WE ARE GOING

TO SELL A MILLION DOLLARS A DAY IN TEXAS" have come true.

Texas and the Nation have in the past nine months been given very heavy quotas. Every Texan has known from the beginning that it was going to take money in ever increasing figures to win this war, and each man, woman, and child in our great state have started the adjustment which was necessary in their own individual budgets to help Texas do its share. Frank Scofield has maintained wherever he has gone, in Washington, throughout the Nation, and in every corner of the State, that Texas would always be found on the front line. And

**SAND**  
Julia Grayson

We want to invite you to all the services Sunday as Bro. Burns will be here and preach.

C. K. Smith and E. G. Grayson made a business trip to Seminole and Seagraves Thursday.

Mrs. M. M. Rushin visited Mrs. W. R. Randolph a few days last week.

Little Norma Jean and Wanda June Jones spent the week with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jones.

Mrs. L. V. Payton has returned

that is where Texas is today in the sale of War Bonds.

Renewed activity was noted during the month of September by theatres, schools, churches, women's organizations, farmers — and especially in regard to the Payroll Deduction Plan.

Our fighting men need never feel a battle was lost because the people back home did not do their part in providing the necessary combat equipment.

Native Texans on the fighting fronts can be mighty proud of native Texans on the home front.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Leuenberger spent Sunday in Lubbock visiting with friends.

Miss Maynette Moore of Midland spent the week end here visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Moore.

home from a three weeks visit with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clive Owen of Amarillo.

**CANDY is a cherished gift of most women. Give Whitman's Fine Candy and you can't go wrong.**

**BOONE DRUG STORE**

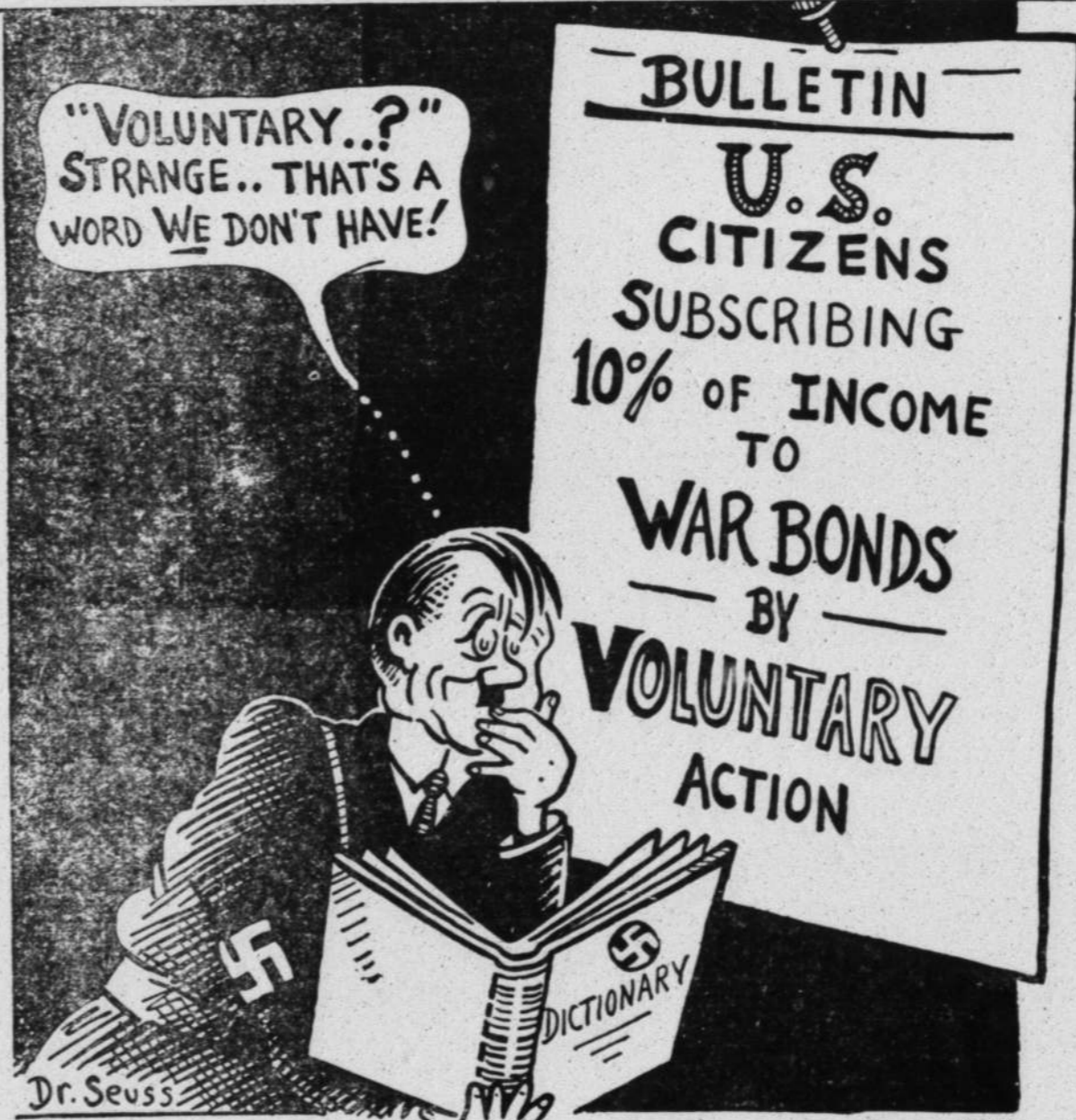
## STOVES

If you are going to need one. Better get it NOW. We have Camp Stoves, Gas and Oil Ranges, Oil and Gas Heaters, Gasoline Heaters and Cook Stoves. NOW at Price Savings.

**Dyer Hardware & Auto Supply**

"Where Your Money Buys More"

## "IT'S AN AMERICAN WORD" ★ Cartoon by Dr. Seuss



and meeting its quota is an American habit!



To help win this War, to help provide the fighting equipment and the fighting men America needs, every American has a job to do.

That job includes saving at least 10% of his income in War Bonds. Your quota, too, is 10%—10¢ out of every dollar you make, 10¢ out of every dollar's worth of pro-

duce you grow and sell.

Start saving in War Bonds today. Get them regularly, not the least you can but the most you can, remembering that they're the finest, safest investment in the world, guaranteed both as to principal and interest by the United States Government.

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## THEATRE PROGRAM...

### PALACE

ADMISSION 11c and 30c

Tues. - Wednesday  
OCTOBER 13 and 14

A picture that is as timely as today—

### "Half Way To Shanghai"

with  
IRENE HERVEY and  
KENT TAYLOR

Also News and Comedy

Thursday - Friday  
OCTOBER 15 and 16

The Biggest Tarzan Picture of them ALL... Action... Romance... Adventure.

### "Tarzan's New York Adventure"

with  
JOHNNY WEISSMULLER  
and MAUREEN O'SULLIVAN

Also News and Comedy

### MAJESTIC

ADMISSION 11c and 22c

Tues. - Wednesday  
OCTOBER 13 and 14

A spine chiller

### "Mexican Spitfire Sees A Ghost"

with  
LUPE VELEZ and  
LEON ERROL

Thursday Only  
OCTOBER 15th

### "War Dogs"

### TOWER

Admission 11c and 22c

Tues. - Wednesday  
and Thursday

OCTOBER 13-14-15

A picture every one wants to see again. It is more timely today than ever...

### "International Squadron"

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## BEHIND THE WAR NEWS

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON  
Wide World War Analyst  
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1942

A growing impression that the crux of the fighting in Russia is shifting from Stalingrad to the Soviet counter attack in the Don-Volga corridor finds its most specific support to date in a broadcast relayed from London and credited, of all places, to Rome.

It told of Russian bridgeheads established on the west bank of the Don. If that is true, the Nazi "barrier" position across the 40 mile Don-Volga corridor, vital to the siege of Stalingrad, is in grave jeopardy. It could be turned from the west, thus exposing Nazi supply routes across the Don bend, far in the rear of Stalingrad siege lines, to Red raiding.

### Subject To Suspicion

Italian reports from the Russian front are subject to suspicion.

However, it certainly reflects something less than chagrin in Russia. And it is within the region of possibility that it is Italian troops which are bearing the brunt of the Russian relief attack at the west end of the Don-Volga corridor. In effect, Italian reports of Soviet advances there sound like urgent demands for the shifting of Nazi shock forces from the Stalingrad attack to back up wavering Axis lines on the Don.

And that is exactly what Moscow says is happening. Reserves which the Nazis intended to throw into the stalled Stalingrad drive, including picked first line units, are being moved, it says, to the northwest front due to intensifying Soviet pressure against the corridor barrier. If that is true, it must result soon in a lessening of the non-stop German attack on Stalingrad.

The very nature of the attack on Stalingrad indicates that Italian or other Axis forces have long ago been withdrawn from the main front for duty on the flanks.

### Report Highly Important

That Rome report of Russian crossings of the Don to accentuate the dangers facing the Nazi left flank in the Stalingrad bulge is therefore, highly important. It

means that the Nazi corridor protection is aflame with aggressive Russian action virtually throughout its whole length. The Nazi high command cannot long ignore the danger in which it stands of being caught out in the open by another Russian winter.

A shift of front to meet the Soviet flanking threat in the corridor inevitably must force upon Hitler the bitter prospect of admitting failure and a retreat to winter lines before the snow falls.

Verdun was the Kaiser's high winter mark in the first World War. Stalingrad may be Hitler's in this greater conflict.

### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1942

The Berlin radio forecasts of abandonment of the attempt to take Stalingrad by storm are all the more that the Volga city's occupation iterated assurance to his people significant because of Hitler's reworded "concluded."

That was the nubbin of his long harangue of September 30. He was at pains to explain the urgent necessity of taking Stalingrad for purely military reasons. The Volga must be cut, he said, adding:

"The aim was to make for a district between the Don and the Volga, at Stalingrad. It was chosen exclusively because it is strategically an important place. And you can be of the firm conviction that no human being shall ever push us away from that spot."

### Hints At Retreat

Yet Berlin now strongly hints at a retreat from Stalingrad to a winter line on the Don. Moscow notes as yet no abatement in the fury of frontal attacks, but something is brewing in Nazi lines that needed advance explanation to the German public.

The suggestion from Berlin that big gun fire and dive-bombers can force surrender or evacuation of Stalingrad, is ridiculous. That Volga stronghold sitting atop a river bluff is too big a target. It just can't be done and Nazi general know it.

Occupation could come only at the point of the bayonet. Stalingrad can neither be surrounded and starved out, due to its river position, nor gunned and bombed into submission. The reported change in Nazi tactics therefore means something else.

### Tacit Admission Of Failure

The obvious first impression is that it is a tacit admission from Berlin that the siege has been a failure.

A Moscow report that Nazi forces are seeking to overrun the Kalmuck region south of Stalingrad and west of the Volga may offer a clue to the alternative forced upon Hitler. That is wild, inhospitable country, a mixture of deserts and swamps and filled with tribesmen of open daring and skill at guerrilla warfare. The Germans have mostly shunned it up to now.

Yet if Stalingrad can not be taken, the Nazis must seek some other position on the west bank of the Volga to anchor a winter front, or fall back into the Don bend or even into the Donets basin.

### Unhappy Substitute

It would be an unhappy substitute to Hitler and his troops for Stalingrad. While Volga traffic could be cut off from other west bank positions, nowhere except at Stalingrad is there potential winter housing for any substantial number of troops.

Hitler made the strategic importance of Stalingrad his excuse to his people for the German bloodshed in the attempt to storm it. If he has now been overruled by his generals to stop heavy personnel losses and to avert another winter disaster, it might be the beginning of the end of his Nazi dictatorship.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this method of expressing our thanks to our many friends and neighbors for their kind words and deeds during the illness and death of our mother, Mrs. J. W. Russell.

Especially do we wish to thank Dr. Price and the nurses who were so kind.

May God bless each of you in your hour of need.

Children of Mrs. J. W. Russell.

Mrs. Rose King of Ronak is visiting here in the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. King.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Barrett and daughter of Brownfield spent the week end here visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Barrett.

Norris Sellers of the Lubbock Flying School spent the week end here visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Sellers.

Mrs. Quinton Collins and Mrs. J. F. Aycock spent Sunday in Brownfield visiting with relatives.

Billy Bob Braswell of Lubbock spent the week end here visiting with relatives and friends.

Miss Janice Slaughter of Big Spring spent Sunday in Lamesa visiting with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Heffernan.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Nix of Semi-Lex Cowden of Wichita Falls spent the week end here visiting with his wife.

Spent Monday in Lamesa visiting with friends and attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex White and son and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Wilson of Lubbock spent Sunday here visiting with friends.

George Ryan, who volunteered into the U. S. Army this past week was inducted at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, and has been stationed at Lubbock. Mr. Ryan spent the week end here visiting with his wife.

## Flying Chaplain



First Lieut. John J. Glennon, Catholic chaplain at Foster Field, Texas, uses an airplane to get him to near-by Matagorda Island where he says Sunday mass for Catholic men at an aerial gunnery base. Before commissioned a chaplain, he served as assistant pastor of St. Alphonse's Church in St. Louis.



WINNING  
the WAR  
 *Begins*   
on the farm

IT'S TRUE . . .



that no planes roar down upon your home... no shells plow up your fields... no armies trample your crops and fields. Yet in this war, victory begins on your farm—by producing more Food for Freedom—and by saving more in War Bonds and Stamps.

Here indeed is an opportunity every American will welcome. For by saving your money, you help save for yourself as well as your country. What's more, your money invested in War Bonds helps keep down

the prices of the things you buy; helps make the money you spend go further—now. By putting your money into War Bonds and keeping it up regularly, month after month, you will be sure of having the money when you can use it best. And if you need the money, you can get it back anytime after 60 days from issue date of the Bond. Don't delay—your "fighting dollars" are needed now. Make Every Market Day "Bond Day"—Invest At Least 10%.

NOTE—Now You Can Buy War Bonds Through Your Rural Postman!



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## Boys 18 and 19 Years Old May Enter Branch Of Service They Desire

An intensive recruiting campaign to enlist men 18 and 19 years old, both white and colored, will be initiated at once. In addition to Infantry, Cavalry, Coast and Field Artillery, Engineers, Signal Corps, Air Corps, (except that no colored enlistments for Air Corps will be accomplished due to shortage of housing facilities), and Armored Force, they may now be enlisted directly for Quartermaster, Ordnance, Chemical Warfare, Medical Corps, and Corps of Military Police. Applicants will be assured of assignment to branch of selection regardless of any previously established quotas.

All unnecessary red tape in enlistment procedure will be eliminated. One original only and no copies of written consent will be signed by parents or guardian. Notarization of parents or guardians signatures will not be required. Provisions that enlistment must be accomplished within thirty days of date of written consent is rescinded. Signatures on written consents will be accepted in good faith without requiring witnesses or other verification unless definite doubt exists. Letters of recommendations and police reports will not be required.

After entering the military service men of 18 and over will have the opportunity of applying to enter Officer Candidate School and if successful may be commissioned.

Experience and training for the men of the lower age group which will be gained during the present training program will be helpful in preparing them for better pay, higher ratings, and better jobs.

Applicants may enlist at any camp, post or station. Second Lieutenant Charles J. Schuehle, 28th Army Air Forces Glider Training Detachment, Lamesa Field, Lamesa, Texas, is in charge of local enlistments.

## New Program Plans Announced For Coming Year

Full wartime production from all available cropland highlights the 1943 farm program, according to preliminary plans.

Present plans now shaping up provide that at least 90 per cent of the special allotment crops, such as wheat, cotton, rice, potatoes and peanuts, must be planted before full AAA payments may be earned. Fred Rennels, Assistant Administrative Officer of the Triple-A in Texas, announced.

In clarifying the 90 per cent provision, Rennels explained that approved war crops in excess of the acreage normally grown may be substituted acre for acre in meeting requirements for special allotment crops.

Wheat farmers also may substitute certain feed grain crops, in excess of the normal acreage, as well as war crops, the AAA official explained, but added that this provision would not apply to cotton, rice, potato and peanut allotments.

Since this year's bumper wheat crop, plus carryover, has resulted in a two-year supply which taxes storage and transportation facilities, wheat growers are being encouraged by the USDA to shift from wheat to other more urgently needed in the war program and accounts for the substitution of feed grains for wheat, Rennels pointed out.

Feed grain crops which may be substituted for wheat in any Texas county where wheat allotments have been established are grain sorghums, oats and barley.

War crops already designated for 1943 include soybeans for beans, flaxseed, dry beans, certain legume cover crop seeds, sugar crops, Sea Island and SxP cotton, hemp, peanuts for oil and castor beans, and others probably will be added later, Rennels said.

The Benedictines were the first monks to introduce monastic life into western Europe.

## Judges and Com's Ass'n Pledge Aid To Needy Persons

The West Texas County Judges' and Commissioners' Association went on record last week in its state convention at Big Spring as favoring curtailment of all non-essential activities and retention of government relief for those citizens unable to help themselves. The resolution passed by the convention in part: "Wherefore we further pledge that we shall zealously administer the funds of our County governments with the utmost frugality and endorse all efforts of the Federal and State Governments directed to this end still preserving those functions essential to the needs of our people and fundamental in maintaining our Democratic government, —of which our Commander-in-Chief has given us this directive when he said, 'I would ask no one to defend a democracy which in turn would not defend everyone in the nation against want and privation. The strength of this nation shall not be diluted by the failure

## Noel Coward Helps Stage U. S. Troop Show Aboard

LONDON (AP) — Noel Coward helped to stage the first full-dress theatrical show featuring United States soldiers in Britain.

The play was his "Private Lives," and Coward himself directed the cast through one of the final rehearsals.

The performance, in the old London Casino in Soho which now is the Queensberry All Services club, was attended by more than 1,800 allied service men and women and London civil defense workers. Nearly 400 were American soldiers.

Ceiling prices set by the government prevent anyone from making undue profits from salvage materials. When you sell your scrap, invest your returns in war stamps and bonds.

of the government to protect the economic well being of all citizens."

"And, whereas, private and governmental employment problem in our counties, do realize that it has not and will not assist the disabled the blind, the widowed mothers with dependent children and the aged, and to all these we reaffirm our support of the Federal, State and local programs for their assistance as long as their need shall continue."

## JINGLET

by Al Posen



U. S. Treasury Department.

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## Workers Wanted By Government In Many Branches

The United States Civil Service Commission continues to seek Inspectors of Ship Construction and Rate Clerks, and announces new examinations for Senior Bookkeeping Machine Operator and Press Assistant. To recruit urgently needed ship inspectors, the Commission has amended Announcement 82. Under liberalized requirements, men with 4 to 6 years of appropriate electrical, mechanical, or shipbuilding experience, but without inspectional experience, may qualify for assignment to the Navy Department as Senior Inspectors, \$2,600 a year. Inspectors, \$2,300 a year, and Associate Inspectors, \$2,000 a year. No written test is given. There are no specific educational requirements, although engineering courses from recognized colleges and suitable war training courses may be substituted for part of the required experience.

Because of the continuing demand for Freight and Passenger Rate Clerks, at \$2,300 and \$2,600 a year, the Commission is permitting applicants to substitute resident courses in transportation from traffic schools for part of the 3-year experience requirement. Titherto, only

courses from recognized colleges were acceptable. There is no written test.

Prospects of a stepped-up Treasury tax program have caused the Civil Service Commission to re-announce an examination for Senior Bookkeeping Machine Operator, \$1,620 a year. Operators of typewriter-style bookkeeping machines who have had 1 year of suitable experience and can pass the general test may be rated eligible for numerous positions in Washington, D. C., and elsewhere. Particularly needed are Elliott Fisher flat-bed and Burroughs bookkeeping - typewriting machine operators.

Press Assistants are needed in the Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C., and interested applicants should file with the Commission's Office not later than October 12. Press Assistants get 84 cents an hour, and may be promoted to cylinder pressmen when vacancies occur. There is no written test; applicants with 1 year of appropriate experience may qualify.

There is no maximum age limit for any of these positions. Except in the case of Press Assistant, applications will be received until the needs of the service have been met, and must be filed with the Washington office of the Civil Service Commission. Applications are not desired from war workers unless higher skills would be utilized in a change of position. In keeping with War Manpower Commission policy, individuals engaged in production and maintenance occupations in non-ferrous metal mining and processing, and in lumbering industries in Arizona, California, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Texas, Utah, Washington, and Wyoming, cannot be appointed in the Federal Government unless a certificate of separation from the U. S. Employment Service has been obtained by the Civil Service Commission.

Full information as to requirements, and application forms, may be obtained from Wright Boyd, Secretary of the Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners at the post office or customhouse in this city, or from the Secretary of the Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners at first and second class post offices.

### She's Too Alert During Raid Alarm

PORT WASHINGTON, L. I. (AP) —When air raid signals sounded here the other night, one mother got busy. She whisked her children to the basement. She unlatched the front door so the air raid warden would have easy access if necessary. She filled pails with water. She was so busy she failed to hear the all clear signal 5 minutes after the alarm. So for two hours she and her children sat in the basement, listening to trucks and things that sounded suspiciously like approaching planes. It was nearly 5 a. m. when she got back to bed.

## See Queenie, The War Bond Sales Elephant



The War Bond and Stamps Sales Elephant, who has sold more bonds and stamps than any elephant in the country, who is 75 years old, has ridden hundreds of thousands of children and never hurt one.

## Farmers Facing Transportation Shortages

Farm products must be kept moving to market and for that reason USDA War Boards likely will play a vital role in all future farm transportation activities. B. F. Vance, chairman, Texas USDA War Board, predicted this week.

At the present time, attention is focused on gasoline rationing, tires for farm trucks, tractors and implements, and Certificates of War Necessity for farm trucks and trailers.

Already underway are negotiations between the USDA, the Office of Defense Transportation, and the Office of Price Administration to define clearly the duties of USDA War Boards in current transportation problems.

Discussion includes the place of War Boards in: (1) assisting farmers in filling out Certificates of War Necessity which go into effect on farm trucks and trailers November 15; (2) certifying to local OPA War Price and Rationing Boards farmers' gasoline needs for tractors, engines and other non-highway usage, as well as farm passenger cars hauling farm products; (3) certifying farmers' participation

in local pooling arrangements as one condition to get tires, tubes and recaps for trucks and other vehicles; (4) certifying for tires, tubes and recaps for tractors and other farm implements.

"Keeping a steady flow of farm products moving from the farm to market is one of the biggest jobs

we have yet faced and it's one in which we cannot fail," Vance said.

He urged county USDA War Boards to take the initiative in enlisting the cooperation of farm vehicle owners in developing transportation conservation plans for their communities.

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FOR SALE OR TRADE: 4 room house, 2 acres of land, well improved at Sparenberg. See Sherman Moulton, Arvana. 78-81 pd.

FOR SALE: Two good saddles, also Saxophone. Inquire at 909 North 3rd street. 78-79 p

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FOR SALE: Two Farmall Tractors, good rubber, one 8 foot Broadcast Binder, good rubber, power take off. George Lightfoot, Route 2 O'Donnell 77-80 pd

FOR SALE: Extra good 1938 Plymouth coach, 6 good wheels, castings and tubes — J. T. Little, Weaver's Dress Shop. 76-79 p

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FOR SALE: 220 acres all in cultivation, some cash, terms on balance. Reason for selling, boy in Army. M. C. Kidd, Rt. 2. 70 tfc.

FOR SALE: 6 gallon oil cans, Barney McKinney. 74 tfc.

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FOR SALE: 100 head of Bucks, located at my ranch 16 miles east of Lamesa. Charlie Canoa. 72-79 pd.

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FOR SALE: 12 foot Baldwin Combine — W. Harper Feed Mill. 71 tfc

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## FOR RENT

FOR RENT: Bedroom, private entrance and private shower. J. R. Leuenberger, 912 South First Street. 79-80 c

FOR RENT: Furnished bed rooms. Mrs. Lela Houser. 409 North Main Street. 78 tfc.

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## Lost and Found

STRAYED: To my place about two weeks ago a sorrel mare mule, weight about 1100 pounds. Pink Scott, one mile west of Hyman Switch. 79-80 pd

LOST: Ladies Elgin, yellow gold wrist watch with narrow leather band. Reward. Phone 153-J —Mrs. Karl Cayton. 78 tfc.

LOST: About September 14, piano truck rollers. Finder return to 909 North 3rd Street and receive reward. 78-79 p

## Miscellaneous

FOR TRADE: Poland China for meat hog. J. E. Towns, 1209 South 1st Street. 79-80 pd.

BARGAIN Rates on Dallas News: Daily and Sunday \$7.95 year. Daily only \$6.75 year. Daily and Sunday \$2.15 for 3 months. Daily only \$1.80 for 3 months. Offer good for limited time. Bill Warren Agent, Phone 70. 74 tfc.

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WANT TO BUY 15 or 20 pigs and 4 or 5 piggy sows — T. L. Butts. 2 miles east of Lamesa. 79-80 p  
WANTED: Married man, age 22 wants work. Experience in service station and grocery clerk, also furniture repair. Member of Naval Reserve. See Warren Higgins, care G. D. Miller, Pride. 79-80 pd.

WANTED: New or good used electric iron. Call 515-J. Mrs. J. M. Barrett. 79-80 pd.

WANTED: Good used Singer Sewing Machine. See Mrs. J. R. Farley at Bryant-Link Co. 79-80 pd.

WET WASH: 35c, 50c and 70c, dried 1c pound. Thomas Laundry.

WANTED TO BUY: A strong, reasonably new bedroom suite — J. T. Oates, 212 South Travis. 76 tfc

WANTED: Woman for General house work. Room, board and salary. Phone 106. 74 tfc.

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WANTED: To buy good saddle horse. Tom McBrayer, Five Mile Community. 72 tfc.

WANTED TO RENT: Four or five room modern house, furnished or unfurnished. Dewey's Bargain Center. 78-79 chg.

WANTED: Good bicycle — Jo' Marie Chumley, 909 North 3rd Street. 78-79 p

WANTED: 3 men to drive tractors and operate binders. Frank Hogg, Rt. A, Union Community 72 tfc.

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## Cupid Gets 'Kirk of San Saba' The 'Why' Makes The Difference To American People



Cupid did with one shot what the Japanese failed to do with many—downed 'Kirk of San Saba' of Flying Tigre renown. Blue-eyed Norva Cate and Matthew W. Kuykendall, late of the AVG, (above at Austin, Texas), announced they were married after a four-year courtship which started on a blind date.

## Abilene Eagles Beat Lamesa Tornados 34-0 Last Friday

The Abilene High School Eagles were too tough for the Lamesa Golden Tornados last Friday night in the Eagle lair. Lamesa yielded two touchdowns in the first quarter and then settled down somewhat to make the Eagles work harder for their scores in each remaining quarter. Lamesa players shattered the passing and running offense of the Eagles on numerous occasions and had some scoring opportunities earned the hard way but failed by pass interceptions or other mishaps such as slipping in side-stepping or running over a team member, etc. to run up any tallies. The spunk and scrapping of the smaller team was enough to cause the Eagle fans to be proud of their victory and the student celebration after the game was similar to that for many ending in championships.

Reeves thrilled the stands with some excellent passing from tricky formations, but the receivers were not right for hanging onto his heaves which severely handicapped the Golden Tornados in ground gaining. The Abilene line and secondary stopped the lighter Tornado backs with few gains. The Lamesa team pulled a screen pass for their longest gain with "Pud" Roberts carrying 25 yards to the Abilene fifteen. A pass interception stopped that rally. The game ended with Abilene having made five touchdowns and kicking four goals for extra points, the total being 34 to nothing.

## Workers Can Be Trained At Big Spring School

W. R. Dawes, director of the Federal School for training aircraft workers and ship welders, at Big Spring, was a visitor in Lamesa last Friday in the interest of securing men and women to attend his school.

Mr. Dawes reports that both women and men are eligible to take the courses in ship welding, but women are especially wanted for the course in aircraft sheet metal work. The courses are free, the welders course takes five weeks to complete and the aircraft courses three and one-half weeks. The courses in the welding work are given for twenty-four hours a day and the aircraft for six hours. This enables a student to

## Citizens Warned Stay Clear Of Bombing Areas

Colonel Sam L. Ellis, Commandant of the Army Air Forces Bombardier School at Big Spring, warns all citizens of Lamesa and surrounding towns within a radius of 100 miles of Big Spring to keep away from all bombing ranges. According to a report from Lt. Col. John W. White, Director of Training at the school, bombing activities will begin on Monday, October 12th.

Cadet bombardiers will be engaged in intensive bombing practice, and there will be both day and night missions. Warning signs will be posted around all target areas at a distance of a half mile apart. These signs can be readily identified by their large red letters against a white background. When you see this warning sign—KEEP AWAY FROM THE BOMBING RANGE! And do not under any circumstances pick up any bomb or ammunition parts. This is extremely dangerous.

Bombing ranges are scattered throughout many different areas. The small target ranges are comprised of from one to four sections of land, and the large ones run to about five and a half sections.

daughter of Brooks Field, San Antonio spent the week end here visiting with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McDaniels of Abilene, spent the week end here visiting with relatives. Mr. McDaniels is stationed at Camp Berkeley.

Cpl. Glenn Cope of Fort Bliss, is visiting with relatives and friends here this week.

have a job while completing the courses.

Women between the ages of 18 and 45 are eligible and men of any age. Men now with a 1-A draft rating can take the course and can use it to their advantage when they enter the armed forces.

After completing these courses a worker is eligible to receive as base pay \$1.20 an hour in the shipyards, and from \$38 to \$40 per week to start in the aircraft industry.

takes two and a half times as much leather as a pair of civilian oxfords, consumers are being urged to make last year's shoes wear as long as possible.

Miss Bryant says the 200,000 patriotic rural Texans who have signed Victory Demonstrators pledge cards are ready and willing to make these war-time adjustments. But it's only fair that they should know why they must "Eat it up; wear it out; make it do; and do without."

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Briley of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Meares and daughter, Mrs. Noble Wood of Tahoka, spent the week end here visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Wood.

Bill Harrington of the Lubbock Flying School spent the week end here visiting with his wife, and his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Harrington.

Mary Ellen Tarter spent the week end in Lubbock visiting with friends.

Lloyd Bucklew of Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, spent the week end here visiting with his wife.

Paul Morgan of Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, spent the week end here visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Morgan.

Pvt. J. D. Campbell of Camp Swift, spent the week end here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Moreland.

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CHAPLAINS



The Chaplains unit of the U. S. Citizens Defense Corps has been established in an administrative order issued by James M. Landis, Director of the U. S. Office of Civilian Defense. This is not one of the protective services but is classed as a related service.

The insignia for the new unit follows that in use by the U. S. armed forces with the addition of the traditional OCD background.

The insignia for the Christian Chaplain is the Latin Cross in red, in a white triangle in a circular field of blue. The insignia for the Jewish Chaplain consists of the six-pointed star centered above "Tables of the Law" in silhouette in red, within a white triangle in a circular field of blue.

Chaplains will administer to the religious and spiritual needs of persons suffering from the effects of air raids or other disaster. They will be appointed by the local authorities upon complying with usual requirements for membership in the U. S. Citizens Defense Corps, except no special training courses are prescribed.



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## Union School Students Are Bringing In Scrap Metals

Students of Union School are literally "getting in the scrap" as the nationwide scrap metal drive gets underway.

Organization of the school campaign was outlined last Tuesday at a general assembly. In the elementary school, rooms are working as units under the supervision of the home room teachers. Functioning of the drive in high school has been placed under the supervision of the vocational agriculture and home-making departments.

The homemaking committee is composed of Mary Ola Dunsworth, Betty Jo O'Neal, Frankie Mae Freeman, and Betty Sue Peterson. Committee for the aggie students is Dale Blackstock, J. D. Borland, and Harley Moore.

These committees have asked that every student of the school bring at least one piece of metal of some kind every morning on the school bus throughout the campaign, so that each may at least bring in the equivalent of his own weight by the end of the week. Each is also to be held responsible for the collection into a central pile of all scrap at his own home and getting his parents to transport it to Lamesa, where it is at all possible. He is also responsible for seeing that all is gathered from vacant and neighboring premises which are not represented by pupils in school.

All parents and other residents of the district are asked to cooperate with the students fully in collecting and transporting their own scrap to Lamesa. All those who do not have a way of getting material to town are asked to notify some student so that lists may be compiled and the school may provide a means of transporting it later.

Student committees have issued a challenge to all other consolidated schools of the county to bring in the most scrap per capita.

## Lock Expert To Give Program At High School Wed.

Lockman, escape artist and expert in locks, who is the second in a series of six programs for the school year, will appear at the high school auditorium Wednesday morning at eleven o'clock.

He is an expert in the chain type of escapes and will escape from chains and locks bound upon himself by a committee from the audience.

O. B. Kile of Dallas is visiting here this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Lybrand.

## Dr. J. C. Loveless Speaker At Rotary Club Last Friday

The Lamesa Rotary Club held their regular meeting last Friday at noon at the Plaza Hotel with Dr. J. C. Loveless as the main speaker.

Dr. Loveless used as his subject, "Youth." He told of the great responsibility upon the adults of this and all the communities which make up the nation, to carry on the business and professional affairs and daily living in accord with Christian ideals. His address was listened to carefully and he received many expressions of commendation from the members.

A special number on the program was given by two Lamesa High School girls, Misses Tankersley and Tolbert, who were dressed in Spanish costumes and sang several Spanish songs. They were greatly enjoyed by the club.

Oll D. Harris, who volunteered into the U. S. Army this past week and was inducted at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, has been stationed at Lubbock, where he will receive his training. Mr. Harris spent the week end here visiting with his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. James V. Piper and son of Houston are visiting here this week with Mr. and Mrs. F. P. King.

Mrs. Jess Slaughter of Gail spent Sunday here visiting with relatives and friends.

Sgt. Thomas Crow of Vancouver, Washington, spent several days here visiting with friends this past week. Sgt. Crow is with the Military Police and was on his return trip to Washington after taking prisoners to Tennessee, Virginia and Florida.

Mrs. Bill Martin of El Paso, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Heffernan.

## Scrap—

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## DeWitt MACKENZIE returns to the WAR ZONES



DeWitt Mackenzie, who has made so many trips to Europe he has lost count, is back in the war zones to write history on the spot. During the next critical weeks, the famous war analyst will cable his daily interpretative column, "The War Today" and special articles to this and hundreds of other Associated Press newspapers. It will be important reading for millions, routine assignment for Mackenzie who has been covering Europe and Europe's wars for more than 25 years. Probably no other American writer has a wider acquaintance abroad. He has traveled extensively not only in Europe but in the Orient and in the Western Hemisphere reporting the world's big news.

The first time Mackenzie went to Europe in 1916 he found himself mistaken for a Sinn Feiner and barely escaped execution during Ireland's Bloody Easter Week Rebellion. He served with British Headquarters in France in the last war, saw fighting in Egypt, covered the British occupation of the Rhine and spent months in India. He reported the Versailles Peace Conference and was on hand at Munich and when Hitler made triumphal entry into Sudetenland. Mackenzie was chief of the foreign service of The Associated Press when he began his foreign affairs column in 1936. His audience at home and abroad has grown to the greatest of any daily newspaper columnist. And Mackenzie, always a good reporter, still is on the move!

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