

# Registration Does Not Obligate Anyone For Services In Armed Forces

With Sunday afternoon from 1 to 6 o'clock being set as Civilian Registration time, it is hoped that every citizen in this county will see fit to register for this important work.

As has been stated before this registration is absolutely apart and different from any other registration. It positively DOES NOT make any person liable for military or any other service. It is strictly a way of letting the civilian authorities in this county know what you can do and would like to do in

case of any emergency within the designated limits of this county. The registration cards go no further than the office of the various civilian heads in this county, namely, A. M. Bennett, Dr. J. C. Lovell, J. W. Sumpter, and Wright

Boyd, who have charge of the Police, Health, Fire Defense and Maintenance work, respectively, in this county. It makes no difference whatsoever if you have registered for the draft or will register for it, because

this Civilian Registration merely signifies your willingness to be of help in case of an emergency in this particular county. Courses of instruction will be given in the different phases of the work such as fire fighting, rescue work, air raid

warden work, health and sanitation, etc., and it will prepare local people for this necessary work if in any way there is an emergency locally. Again we would like to repeat that it positively does not call for military or armed service. The registra-

tion is merely for the benefit of Dawson county and its individual citizens and nothing more. Registration has already begun in several of the school districts, but for the benefit of others, places for registration will be set up in the

various rural school houses and in the court house at Lamesa. So don't forget, be sure and register Sunday afternoon January 25, between the hours of 1 and 6 o'clock. Volunteer workers will be on hand to show how the cards should be filled out.

# DAWSON COUNTY COURIER

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MAY	8.99
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JULY	0.68
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## Committee Makes Plans To Meet County's Quota In Purchase Of Defense Bonds

More than thirty of the Dawson County and neighborhood Defense Bond and Stamp Committee met at the Lamesa Post Office on Monday night at Chairman F. T. McCollum's call and the necessary business for meeting this county's quota was transacted.

Owen C. Taylor was designated Secretary to the Committee. Mr. McCollum announced the quota for Dawson County as received from State Chairman, Hon. Frank Scofield, Austin, as \$541,600 for the current year of 1942, nearly one month of which has elapsed. He mentioned the desire of the fiscal officers of this nation that the war be financed in part by current borrowings through the sale of bonds or stamps that there may be less danger of inflation of our national currency and that there will be a back-log of savings after the war is over that people may not find themselves out on a financial limb at that time.

Responses to the chairman's call for suggestions for carrying out the necessary campaign in Dawson County were numerous. The plans for committee member activity, as mentioned by Mr. O. E. Witte that a quota plan for precincts or other political sub-divisions of the county and then a quota establishment within the designated area and that by Mr. Barkowsky for personal calls upon residents of the particular neighborhoods set the pattern (Continued on Back Page)

## Contracts To Be Let For Work On Highways 15 - 303

The Texas Highway Department announced Saturday that bids will be received at a letting of state road projects January 30 for approximately \$1,852,000 new highway work in 14 counties.

Of prime interest to road enthusiasts of this area was the calling for bids on the unopened portion of Highway 303 between Lamesa and Stanton, and on that portion of Highway 15 in western Fisher county.

The Martin County bid calls for grading, drainage structures and surfacing on Highway 303 on 10 miles from U. S. Highway 80 north one mile and from 3 1/2 miles north of Stanton to Lenora. This is the last unopened portion of this road and when finished will complete the outlet from Lamesa to the southwest.

With paving underway at the present time in both Borden and Scurry Counties, the calling for bids on Highway 15 in western Fisher county will also complete the paving of this important East-west highway. Bids call for asphalt surfacing on 11.5 miles, west of the Scurry County line.

The completion of this highway will save travelers in this section many miles when going to Fort Worth and Dallas, and in turn will make this route the shortest distance between those cities and El Paso.

## Where Admiral Dreamed Of Ships



Far from the lash of ocean waves, Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, new commander-in-chief of the U. S. Pacific fleet, first learned of ships on the "decks" of his grandfather's hotel (above) in Fredericksburg, where he spent his boyhood. Like his grandson, the elder Nimitz was a mariner, but in later years settled on the Texas frontier and operated a hotel he built in the shape of a ship.

## Dawson County Still Lags In Red Cross Drive

Dawson County is still lagging behind in its drive to raise \$3,200 for the American Red Cross War Emergency Relief Fund. At the latest report Thursday afternoon from John Allen, secretary-treasurer of the Dawson County Chapter, \$2,500 had been contributed with a number of the rural communities yet to be heard from.

So far as could be learned, this is the only county in this part of the state that has not raised their Red Cross quota, and chapter officials are hoping that the citizens of the county will soon chip in the other \$700 to put Dawson county over the top.

## To Hold Open House At City Park Sunday

Celebrating the completion of the new buildings in the Lamesa City Park, citizens of this area are invited to an open house to be held at the new Municipal Building, located in the park, Sunday afternoon from 2:00 to 6:00 o'clock. City officials and employees will be hosts for the occasion, and will serve refreshments at the main building. Everyone is invited, and are urged to come out and look the new buildings and parks over.

## Scouts To Gather Paper Saturday

Boy Scouts of Troop 22, of which Joseph N. Spikes is scoutmaster, will make a drive Saturday for all waste and scrap paper that they can find. The Scouts want any kind of paper such as newspapers, magazines, old boxes etc., just so it is clean. Housewives are asked to place the paper in the boxes, and put it out where it can be easily picked up, and the Scouts will be by sometime during the day for it.

Residents of the rural sections having paper they wish to contribute, are asked to please bring it to the Dawson County Fair grounds, where Scouts will be stationed to take care of any that might be brought in.

Alabama has a town named Axis.

## Only 828 Auto Use Tax Stamps Have Been Sold

Clerks at the Lamesa post office report that up until Thursday noon only 828 of the Federal Auto Use Tax Stamps had been sold by them.

With over three thousand cars in this county, they are expecting a big rush between now and February 1, by which time all automobiles must have the stamps on them. Cost of the tax stamp for the balance of this fiscal year, which is until July 1, is \$2.00, and all car owners are asked to bring the proper change with them in order to facilitate a rapid movement. Upon buying a stamp you will receive a card which must be filled out and sent in to the Collector of Internal Revenue, in order that the owner will not be listed as delinquent. Every automobile, truck, pickup, bus, etc., must have one of these stamps and the owner must fill out the card and send it in.

So you car owners had better come on in, as the time is short, and Uncle Sam would like to have his money.

## Work To Start In March On Brownfield Road

County Judge Vernon D. Adcock received word this week that actual work on the last gap in the Brownfield Highway, would start early in March. This will complete that portion of the highway from Punkin Center to the Terry County line.

By the end of the year every State Highway that touches Lamesa will have been completed. The State Highway Department had already announced that contracts would be let January 30th for the final gaps on Highway 15 east, and Highway 303 south, and with the work announced for completion between here and Brownfield, will wind up all roads through this section.

Except for a probable widening of U. S. No. 87 through Dawson County, which is an important military road, Highway work in this county will possibly be at an end until after the war. But Dawson, should be proud of its highway system, as every major outlet from the city is now or will be by the end of the year, completely paved.

## School Children Buy \$695.70 Worth Of Defense Stamps

G. M. Roberts, principal of the Lamesa Elementary School, says that the school children under his supervision are going in for Defense Stamps in a big way.

Wednesday, which is the regular day for the purchase of stamps in the school, saw the children buying \$128.30 worth, which made a grand total since the opening of school after Christmas of \$695.70.

In the Intermediate building, the seventh grade room taught by Mrs. Roy Powell is showing the rest of the rooms how to buy Stamps, with purchases totaling \$105.60 for the year. In the primary building the first grade room taught by Miss Vivian Cook is leading the rest of the rooms with stamp purchases of \$35.30.

## Installs New Tire Vulcanizing Plant

Bernie Holt, Magnolia Petroleum Company consignee, and who also operates the Shook Tire Co., has this week installed a complete and modern tire vulcanizing plant at his station located at the intersection of South First and Dallas Streets.

Earl Wells, well known Lamesa man and experienced in this type of work will have charge of the new department. All those who have tires to repair are urged to read their advertisement in this week's issue of the Courier for further details.

—HELP THE RED CROSS—

## Penny A Plane Sponsors At Marshall



Hardy Adams of Marshall (center) conceived the idea of donating a penny for each enemy plane knocked down by our boys and set forth to organize "A Penny A Plane" clubs. To aid him in this unique undertaking he enlisted the services of Riley Cross (left) and Charles Heartsill (right), Marshall newspaper men. The idea quickly spread over Texas and other states.

## Third Registration Of Men For Military Service To Be Held Monday February 16

The third registration of men for possible military service will be held on February 16, 1942, and will include all men who have attained their 20th birthday on or before December 31, 1941, and have not yet attained their forty-fifth birthday on February 16, 1942, and who have not heretofore been registered.

This group will approximate 60 per cent of the registration of October, 16, 1940, when approximately 2400 men registered in this county. The registration will be held in the county courthouse, Lamesa, with every man in the county registering there. However, men who live outside the county, even though they get their mail through one of the Lamesa routes, should register in their own county.

All men of the above age bracket must register, regardless of whether or not they are citizens of the United States. So regardless of color, nationality, or race, if you are between the ages of 20-44 inclusive, you must register.

Any man now living in this county but whose home is in some other place may register in this county and give their home address, and their card will be mailed to their home county or state and they will belong to the local board they give as their home.

It is requested that all employers see that their employees get to a place to register, which in this county will be the courthouse. All Mexican and other foreign speaking people should bring an interpreter with them when possible.

## Owners Warned About Chickens Being At Large

City officials are this week warning owners of chickens within the city limits that they must keep their chickens up.

With the approach of the spring gardening and flower season, several complaints have already been filed about chickens being allowed to run at large.

City ordinances call for the levy of a \$1.00 fine with each day being considered a separate offense, when the chickens are allowed to run loose. The officials are asking for the cooperation of all parties owning chickens and asking that they please attend to this matter at once so as to not create any more ill feeling and damage to neighbors property.

It is believed that cork can be grown in South Texas. The U. S. has been importing annually ten million dollars worth of cork.

## Work At Migrant Labor Camp Is Progressing

Work at the Lamesa Migratory Farm Labor Camp, about two miles southeast of the city, is progressing at a rapid pace with the advent of warmer weather.

A visit to the site Sunday afternoon revealed the fact that about fifty of the buildings were in the process of erection or practically completed, with foundations being laid for a number of others.

As far as could be estimated, 25 of the single family units had been partially built, with about the same number of the two-family apartment units well under construction. A number of the other buildings such as the recreation building, camp storehouse and others were rapidly taking shape.

A water well has been drilled, gas water and sewerage facilities practically completed, and the whole area has the appearance of a small well planned city.

No member of the contracting firm could be contacted, but it was estimated by a number of persons who were out viewing the camp that it should be finished and ready for occupancy well within the next six months.

Eighty groups of farm people have been organized in Texas for the cooperative buying of supplies.

## WAR FLASHES!!!

(By The Associated Press) Gen. Douglas MacArthur's men, the War Department revealed today, are fighting a huge assault launched by an entire Army group—possibly 300,000 enemy troops—plus heavy reinforcements being rushed to Luzon by the Japanese high command.

The huge Japanese forces are hurling themselves in unrelenting attacks directed particularly against the left and center sections of MacArthur's lines, the War department communique said.

A critical, perhaps decisive battle raged in the Malayan jungles 70 miles north of Singapore today as British, Australian, and imperial Indian troops launched a major counter-offensive to smash the main Japanese invasion armies in the Muar river sector.

Behind the lines, British fliers claimed a heavy toll of Japanese transport columns north of Parti Bulong, destroying many vehicles and machine-gunning troops.

Singapore itself, under almost incessant aerial assault, grimly counted a toll of 394 dead and 725 wounded in yesterday's 100-plane Japanese attack—comparatively surpassing the worst raids on London at the height of the blitz.

A communique said 625 wounded were admitted to hospitals and 100 others treated at first-aid posts.

Russian troops slashed at the rear guard of Adolf Hitler's retreating German armies seven miles west of Moshaisk today, while in London Air Minister Sir Archibald Sinclair declared that the British army now was organizing "the greatest possible striking force for offensive operations."

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## Plans Are Complete For Local Observance Of President's Birthday

## School Enrollment Reaches New Record High

The Lamesa School enrollment continues to reach new figures for the school's history. New pupils received this week, mostly out of county or out of state, raised the total of pupils entering since the first week of the current session to 369 against withdrawals numbering two hundred and fifty.

The gross enrollment that is counting each pupil who has been regularly admitted and assigned to classes, was 1858 on Wednesday morning. The total one year ago was 1761 or 97 lower than the total of this week. The net number of pupils now belonging in school daily is 1608.

## Gerald Mann To Be Speaker At Scout Banquet

Gerald C. Mann, attorney general of Texas, and a former Boy Scout, will be the principal speaker at the Annual Meeting and Banquet of the South Plains Council at Lubbock, February 3, Hotel Lubbock, John A. Broome, chairman, said today.

Mann will speak at the banquet at 7 p. m. Tickets are 85 cents and can be reserved at 410 Myrick Bldg. Lubbock, or through the local town chairman. Officers for 1942 will be elected at this meeting. F. B. Malone is the present president.

At 4 p. m. the annual council meeting will be held for this purpose. At 5 p. m. group sessions will start and break up for the banquet program. Last year 409 persons paid to hear Walter W. Head, national president of the Boy Scouts of America.

Tickets are on sale here at John T. Agee's office and Henry Norris' office.

## Judge Reed Is Accepted In Army

The Courier was informed Wednesday morning by Mrs. Reed that District Judge Louis B. Reed had been formally accepted for active service in the United States Army, and that he was to be temporarily stationed at Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

Judge Reed passed his physical examination without trouble, and was assigned the duties of a Lt.-Colonel, attached to the 7th Training Regiment.

Lt. Col. Reed is taking an intensive course of training which will be continued for four weeks, after which he will probably be assigned to active duty in the field.

## Plans Are Complete For Local Observance Of President's Birthday

Dan Y. Davis, Dawson County Chairman for the Celebration of the President's Birthday, announced today that well over 200 tickets for the various events to be staged, had been sold, and that he estimated close to 300 tickets would be the final tally.

Present plans call for the holding of the annual President's Dance at the new Municipal Building in the City Park, on the night of Tuesday, February 3rd. Music for this occasion is to be furnished by one of the outstanding musical organizations on the South Plains, and a large attendance is anticipated.

Other special events the night of the 3rd, are a domino and 42 party at the Plaza Hotel under the supervision of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Griffith, and a bridge party at the Dal-Paso Hotel under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wallace.

On the night of Friday, February 6, another domino and 42 party will be held at the Williams Hotel, under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Williams.

The original cost of a ticket which is good for any of these events, is only \$1.00, and any person desiring to purchase one and who has not been contacted is asked to get one either from Mr. Davis, Dr. J. M. Harrington, at either of the three hotels, or from Maurice Lamphere at the Green Hut Cafe.

## Barrett Service Station Entered Monday Night

The Ernest Barrett Service Station and Grocery at the intersection of South First and Bryan Streets, was entered by burglars Monday night and a small amount of money, a little over \$200 in fact, was taken from the cash register. Mr. Barrett reports that as far as could be determined, nothing else was missing.

Entry was made by the removal of a window glass on the front side of the station. The burglar removed the putty and nails holding in the glass, and laid it to one side with out breaking it. Apparently an ash-tray was used to take the cash register out from the window, but as the opening was too small, the register was left just under the window on the inside. A light was burning in front of the station during the entire time. The Sheriff's department is on the trail of several suspects and should report an arrest within a few days.

## Tornadoes To Play Next Three Conference Games In Local Gymnasium

Three District 3-AA Conference basketball games in a row at Lamesa form the program for the Lamesa Golden Tornadoes, starting Friday night. Colorado City will furnish the opposition for Friday night this week. San Angelo will visit here on Tuesday night to close the first half of the season's championship play and Abilene will be here for their return game on Friday night, January 30th.

The Golden Tornadoes are now tied with Abilene, Big Spring and San Angelo for district leadership. The Gregg-men were victorious over a hard-playing Midland team Tuesday night in Midland. The game had a two to one appearance throughout, as the Lamesa lads led 10-5 at the end of the first quarter, 18 to 9 at the half, and 25 to 13 at the end of the third quarter.

The final score was Lamesa 38, Midland 19.

This contest was characterized by smooth team work on the part of each team. The Lamesa boys had the advantage of altitude and accuracy and used these qualities to advantage.

The B teams of each school engaged in a preliminary game skirmish with the Lamesa B's taking that game by a count of 33-22.

The three district games in a row on the Lamesa court were scheduled before the conference race opened and successive games both at home and away could not be avoided. The Lamesa team followers will have to be content with seeing three home games during the second half of the district race as the locals are scheduled to be away for four of the seven games to be played.



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WE ARE CRANKS ABOUT GOOD BREEDING. WHETHER IT BE BIRDS OR ANIMALS. THEY ARE NO BETTER THAN THE BLOOD LINES BACK OF THEM.

We think the demand for good chicks will be heavy this season, therefore we advise our friends and customers to get their booking in early for quality high egg production bred chicks.

To you that have good brooders and brooder rooms, get your chicks in February, for March and April will be the rush months, and lots of you will be disappointed, for we cannot produce enough chicks through these months to supply the demand.

To you that need new brooders, get them early, for they may be hard to get.

## BARRON'S ELECTRIC HATCHERY

LAMESA, TEXAS

Mr. and Mrs. Swanson Hurt left Monday for Fort Worth and Dallas where they will buy new Spring merchandise for the store.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Donham and Mr. and Mrs. Millard McDonnell spent Sunday in Midland and Big Spring visiting with friends.

Mrs. Annie Beason and Miss Clara Davis left Saturday for Dallas and Fort Worth where they will buy new Spring merchandise for Baldwin's Dry Goods.

Mrs. Rex White and Mrs. Jimmie Wilson spent Wednesday in Lubbock visiting with friends.

## Income Tax Forms Being Mailed Out

Forms for filing returns of income for 1941 have been sent to persons who filed returns last year. Failure to receive a form, however, does not relieve a taxpayer of his obligation to file his return and pay the tax on time—on or before March 16 if the return is made on the calendar-year basis, as is the case with most individuals.

Forms may be obtained upon request, written or personal, from the offices of collectors and from deputy collectors of internal revenue in the larger cities and towns.

A person should file his return on form 1040, unless his gross income for 1941 does not exceed \$3,000 and consists wholly of salary, wages, or other compensation for personal services, dividends, interest, rent, annuities, or royalties, in which event he may elect to file it on form 1040A, a simplified form on which the tax may be readily ascertained by reference to a table contained in the form.

The return must be filed with the collector of internal revenue for the district in which the taxpayer has his legal residence of principal place of business on or before midnight of March 16, 1942. The tax may be paid in full at the time of filing the return or in four equal installments, due on or before March 16, June 15, September 15, and December 15.

In making out your income tax return read carefully the instructions that accompany the form. If you need more information, it may be obtained at the office of the collector of internal revenue, deputy collector, or an internal revenue agent in charge.

Remember that single persons or married persons not living with husband or wife, who earn as much as \$14.43 a week for the 52 weeks of the year, and married persons living together who have aggregate earnings of as much as \$28.85 a week for the year, are required to file returns.

## Students Can Finish College In 30 Months

Mid-term and June graduates of Texas High Schools today were urged by President T. O. Walton to enter the Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College without delay, in order that they might complete their college education before being subject to selective service call to arms.

Texas A. and M. College begins a new program of higher education, based on year-round study, on January 26. The year will be divided into three 16-week semesters, with one week's holiday between terms and an extra week for Christmas holidays. Under the new plan the equivalent of a 4-year course can be completed in two years and 8 months.

The action was taken by the Board of Directors upon recommendation of the faculty in line with ideas of leading educators on the subject. It was pointed out that the speed-up program also will enable students to study military science and tactics along with other academic work, and many of them will graduate as second lieutenants in the Reserve Officers Training Corps.

"For the past two years the facilities and man power of the Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College have been at the disposal of the Government for National Defense," Dr. Walton said. "For 65 years emphasis has been placed on importance of military training for peace as well as wartime. It is the natural step for us to lead the way to mass production of college-trained soldiers."

"The administrative officers of the college realize the magnitude of this undertaking. We must change the 'going to school habits' of the young manhood of Texas. If this plan is to be a success, mid-term graduates of high schools must enter college immediately, when our new term begins January 26."

"But above all, and by far the most important requirement is that

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The June high school graduate enter college training in June instead of awaiting the fall semester in September.

"Some students may want to enjoy the summer vacation period. Others want to work for the three months before entering college. Parents should realize the gravity of the situation and counsel their sons in these perilous times."

"If the 17-year-old high school graduate enters college this summer and goes to school continuously, he can graduate before reaching the age of selective service. Each year a higher percentage of our A. and M. graduates leave here with R. O. T. C. commissions."

"High school graduates over 17 years of age should enter college without delay, because starting now they may remain in school until graduation, especially those who earn R. O. T. C. contracts."

"The new plan has been inaugurated at A. and M. College to better serve the people of Texas. We feel that to keep our plant facilities in full use throughout the year will enlarge the usefulness of the college and is in line with our policies to give our utmost to the defense of our nation. The nation needs trained men today. Our job at A. and M. is to train men. Our program is to fill our nation's needs as fast as possible."

"After the war there will be a big demand for college trained men. We feel that the time to get that training is now—a complete college education, uninterrupted."

## U. S. Marines In Tahoka

The United States Marine Corps, represented by two recruiting sergeants and a mobile unit, will be at the post office in Tahoka, January 26 and 27, for the purpose of interviewing and examining all applicants for this famous branch of Uncle Sam's fighting forces.

All men who are physically sound and between the ages of 17 and 30, unmarried and with no dependents, can become MARINES, again an honored title in World War II.

All men accepted will be sent at once to San Diego, California, for their initial training and then assigned to a station ashore or ashore, wherever they are best fitted for service in the defense of our United States.

Enlistment may be effected for the duration of the war. Men who have registered for the draft may enlist unless they have been called for induction.

**SAND**      Julia Grayson

We want to remind you that Sunday will be preaching day at New Home Church.

Mrs. Mary Little moved to Lamesa Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Webb and daughters spent the week-end with her mother at Meadow.

Harold Thompson, of Lamesa, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Cleon Payton. Bill Arnett, of Cedar Lake, was also a Sunday guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bruce and children, of Arizona, visited relatives here last week.

Taylor McKinnon, of Wilson Oklahoma, is visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lee and Bob visited in the Cleve Holiday home at Imperial, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Clark and daughters, of Lamesa, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Lee and Doris.

J. O. Webb and E. G. Grayson spent Saturday in Jal, New Mex. M. A. Luther and Stelvin Lee made a business trip to San Angelo Wednesday.

## Production Of Passenger Cars To Be Stopped Entirely First Day Of February

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20 (AP)—W. R. Production Chief Donald M. Nelson in two swift moves tonight ordered production of passenger automobiles and light trucks stopped entirely on Feb. 1, and obtained executive approval of his streamlined reorganization plan for the industrial front.

Nelson put a final end to speculation over the automobile industry's immediate future by clamping down the lid shortly after taking his plans before the production board's first meeting. Later he spent an hour and 15 minutes with President Roosevelt, outlining his reorganization program.

On leaving the White House, he told reporters that Roosevelt had approved a blueprint of the new setup and in response to a question whether it called for reorganization of the entire program, he said: "Not everything, but we are going to streamline for action. I think you will agree when you see it."

He added that the plan would be disclosed at a press conference tomorrow.

It was also reported that Nelson was considering appointment of a single head, to direct the entire industrial conversion effort, including the changeover in the automotive industry.

Such an appointment, many officials here believe, would give proper stature to one of the most important jobs confronting the war production board—shifting civilian industry into armament output on as wide a scale and as rapidly as possible.

The automotive order, stopping production for the military as well as for civilians and exports, applied to the manufacture of all cars and light trucks, with or without tires, and regardless of any contracts entered into by the manufacturers.

Nelson made it clear that "all foreseeable military demands" for light trucks and automobiles would be satisfied from the stock pile of 130,000 new cars which the government recently ordered held in dealers' storage until next year.

Manufacturers who are unable to complete their January production quotas by Feb. 1, will be given an additional ten days in which to shut down assembly lines, Nelson directed, "provided that such continuation does not interfere with conversion of the factory to military production."

The industry's over-all passenger car quota for January was 204,848 units, and the light truck quota 24,169 units.

## Army To Have Important Role In Ring Tourney

"Army" is playing a strong role in plans for the second annual Odessa District Golden Gloves tourney, to be held at Odessa January 26, 27 and 28, according to Bob Nash of the Odessa American.

Tournament officials have announced that men in uniform will be sold general admission seats for half-price. The order applies to soldiers, fliers, sailors and members of the Texas Defense Guard.

Preparations are being made to receive a strong team of boxers from Sloan Field, the giant bombardier school ten miles east of Odessa which is rapidly filling with men.

New men are arriving at the field daily, and will continue to do so until time of the meet. Thus, no team members have been made but officers have indicated the army will be represented by several former champions, including a boxer

Mr. and Mrs. John Wealty, of Three League, spent Sunday in the H. A. Wealty home.

Euell Robinson visited friends in Oklahoma this past week.

## Announcing

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077 in loans during the past eight years. Officers and directors of the association are: Boothe, Sweetwater, president; W. B. Willingham, Rotan, vice-president; O. H. Berry, Sweetwater, secretary-treasurer; Roscoe Holton, Lamesa, director; J. N. York Snyder and U. D. Wulfjen of Colorado City, directors.

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The sport pant that is sweeping the nation. Looks plenty dresy to. See them you will want a pair.

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# WARNING

**Precautions About Handling NATURAL GAS**

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Home demonstration club women, 4-H Club girls and county home demonstration agents of extension district two worked toward the general objective during 1941 of reaching all of the people with information on the right food to eat, how to get it and how to prepare it. This picture shows Mrs. Charley Harmon, home food supply demonstrator of the Amherst, Lamb County, home demonstration club, in her vegetable garden.

### Light Saving Law Passes Amid Joking

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16 (AP) — Wartime daylight saving time legislation which may cause the entire nation to advance clocks one hour to conserve electrical energy for essential production was approved finally by congress Thursday amid quips that it would serve no useful purpose.

With only a few minute's debate, the House sent to President Roosevelt a bill to be effective twenty days after he approves it, requiring that the time governing interstate transportation and all government business be advanced one hour.

Some sponsors contended that no other persons necessarily would be affected, but the consensus was that eventually every persons would be required by circumstance to follow suit.

Opposing the measure, James W. Wadsworth (Rep.), New York, told the House that a correspondent had suggested that the zero mark on thermometers be lowered 20 or 25 degrees so that there will be no zero weather and it will save a lot of clothing and fuel.

Frank H. Buck, (Dem.) of California, arguing that farmers would be inconvenienced, said the legislation would not make "cows give milk any earlier or make the dew get off the grapes any earlier."

But Chairman Clarence F. Lea (Dem.) of California of the interstate commerce committee, said power companies had estimated the legislation would save 736,000,000 kilowatt hours annually, which would be diverted to wartime production. He said, too, that sixteen states now had some form of daylight time.

In the First World War, Congress enacted permanent legislation for a one hour's advancement of the clock from the last Sunday in March until the last Sunday in October. That law later was repealed.

### No Increase In Social Security Tax This Year

Some employers seem to be under the impression that the old-age and survivors' insurance tax rate was scheduled to be increased on Jan. 1, 1942, said Robert M. Mayne, manager of the Big Spring, Texas, field office of the Social Security Board.

"Under the present law," Mayne continued, "the tax rate for the worker is one per cent on each dollar of his wages. The employer pays one per cent on each dollar of his pay roll, making a total of two per cent divided equally between the employer and the wage earner. This rate will continue until 1943 according to the law as it now stands," Mayne stated, "at which time the rate will be increased to two per cent on the employer's pay roll and an equal amount on the wages of the worker. In 1946 the tax rate will be advanced to 2 1/2 per cent and in 1939 to 3 per cent, applying to employer and employee alike," Mayne said.

It was pointed out by Mayne that changes in the Social Security Act by Congress in 1939 removed the 65-year age limit for wage credits and thus made it possible for many workers to continue their employment in covered occupations and build up old-age and survivors insurance benefits. "This feature is particularly attractive at this time," Mayne said, "owing to the fact that many an older person heretofore unemployed and not having sufficient wage credits was unable to qualify for old-age insurance benefits. These workers are now working and receiving credit for their wages and most of them, it is believed, will be able under the present labor supply emergency to continue working until they are able to qualify for benefits," Mayne stated.

Anyone desiring information regarding the filing of claims, securing social security accounts numbers, etc., may call or write to the Big Spring, Texas, Social Security Board Field Office at 116 West Second Street in the Petroleum Building.

### Chaplains Now Needed For Naval Reserve

Now that the United States is at war and the Navy is rapidly expanding, several more chaplains are needed at once in the United States Naval Reserve, it was announced today at headquarters of the Eighth Naval District.

Although the duties of the Navy chaplains are primarily religious, there are additional duties to be performed in connection with the Navy's program for the advancement of mental, moral and physical welfare of the officer and enlisted personnel.

Vacancies exist in the district for Protestant ministers of Methodist, Baptist, Disciples of Christ, Presbyterian and United Brethren denominations, and for Roman Catholic priests.

Chaplains in the Naval Reserve are commissioned lieutenants (junior grade), from the ages of 24 to 34, and may be commissioned lieutenants if in the age bracket from 35 to 44, the maximum age.

Chaplains are eligible for promotion as are other officers and draw the same pay for like rank and service. Lieutenants (junior grade) receive \$2,000 a year as base pay plus allowances for subsistence and quarters if they have dependents.

A candidate for a chaplain must be a citizen of the United States, be a fully ordained clergyman in the church he represents and be in active ministry. He must be nominated and endorsed by the official authorities of his denomination and have completed four years of college work for the Bachelor of Arts degree, or an equivalent academic degree in an accredited institution. In addition the applicant must have completed three years in a Theological Seminary for the Bachelor of Divinity degree, or Doctor of Sacred Theology degree.

Candidates must pass a rigid physical examination and must be physically fit.

Methodist, Baptist, Disciples of Christ, and United Brethren pastors should send their applications to the General Committee on Army and Navy Chaplains, Woodward

### More Than 400 Men Join Navy From North Texas

IN NAVY FROM NORTH TEXAS

More than 400 men were enlisted in the Navy in the North Texas District during the week of January 9, Lieutenant W. B. Cranston, officer in charge, at Dallas, said today.

This district leads all others in the Southern Navy Recruiting Division, composed of the south half of Texas and the states of Alabama, Arkansas, Tennessee and Oklahoma. Recruits were transferred to training stations at San Diego, California, Norfolk, Va., Great Lakes, Ill., New Orleans, La. and Corpus Christi, Texas.

Men may be enlisted as apprentice seamen for training in choice of many trades and receive promotion to higher rank as soon as qualified. Those with practical experience in a trade or profession and furnishing good employment references, may be enlisted with petty officer rating and pay beginning at \$60 a month or more.

Applicants for enlistment should apply in person at recruiting station nearest home. Recruiting stations in North Texas are located at Abilene, Amarillo, Big Spring, Dallas, Fort Worth, Longview, Lubbock, Paris, San Angelo, Waco and Wichita Falls. Age limits are from 17 to 50. Enlistments may be made for duration of war.

Mr. and Mrs. Swanson Hurt are in Dallas this week attending market and buying new spring merchandise for their store here.

Miss Ernestine Gambill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gambill, is visiting with her parents and other friends and relatives here this week. Miss Gambill is a freshman at Tech, Lubbock.

Building, Washington, D. C. Lutherans Synod of Missouri should apply in writing to the Army and Navy Commission, 52 West Washington Blvd., Chicago, Ill. Roman Catholic priests should write to the Most Reverend J. F. O'Hara, C. S. C., D. D., Military Ordinariate, 33 East 51st Street, New York, N. Y.

### Texas Truck Tax Alone Will Pass Million Dollars

After June 30 the Federal Highway Use Tax of \$5 per year will exceed \$1,675,000 annually in Texas on trucks alone, Lynn B. Shaw, General Manager of the Texas Motor Transportation Association, said today.

Shaw estimated that the tax will bring in more than \$775,000 for the remainder of the fiscal year. He said that, of the 335,000 trucks in Texas, one-fourth are owned by farmers, 12,000 by carriers for hire and the remainder by individuals or corporations hauling their own merchandise.

"If America is to become the 'breadbasket' as well as the 'arsenal of democracy,' as called for in present federal planning, horsepower on the farm must still be measured in cylinders and not in draft animals," Shaw warned. He said that an increase in the number of light trucks manufactured for farm use must follow the increased production schedules of farm products, pointing out that 90 per cent of all livestock in the state is hauled to market by truck. More than half of the citrus crop from the Lower Rio Grande Valley was moved by truck last year.

"With Texas as large as it is, and with as wide a diversification of agriculture as it has, there is hardly any season that is peak so far as the movement of farm products is concerned," Shaw said.

### PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Barrett of Stamford are in Lamesa this week, where Mr. Barrett is helping out at Bryant-Link Co., during the absence of the manager, Cecil Speck.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Koger have returned from a visit with friends in Seymour and Henrietta, Oklahoma.

Miss Aleene Graham returned this week from Henrietta, Oklahoma, where she spent the past month visiting with friends and relatives.

Miss Elizabeth Arnett is visiting with friends and relatives in Dallas this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hurt of Midland spent the week end in Lamesa visiting with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McKay, of Austin, are visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. McKay here this week.

Chuck Jacobs, student at Tech, Lubbock, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Jacobs.

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He said that with 3,265 Texas communities upon trucks alone for transportation of vital commodities any drastic curtailment of truck production will bring about a very serious problem.

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WOMAN'S PAGE

Miss Maurine Womack Takes Vows with Wagner Thomas Sunday Evening

Miss Maurine Womack, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Womack, of Lamesa, and Wagner Leslie Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Thomas, were married Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock in a double ring ceremony performed by the Church of Christ minister, Byron Fullerton, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Nalley, at Big Spring.

The bride wore a long fitted coat suit of rose beige with a black hat and veil. Her accessories were black and her corsage was of tea roses. For something old she wore a brooch belonging to Mrs. Charles Morris and something borrowed and blue was a handkerchief belonging to Mrs. Ralph Towler.

POLITICAL Announcements

The following are candidates for office, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary on July 25, 1942

- JUDGE, 106TH JUDICIAL DIST.: Louis B. Reed (Re-election)
FOR COUNTY JUDGE: Vernon D. Adcock (Re-election Second Term)
SHERIFF, DAWSON COUNTY: A. M. (Buck) Bennett (Re-election)
COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT: J. H. Norris (Re-election Second Term)
TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR, DAWSON COUNTY: R. W. (Buster) Herndon (Re-election)
COUNTY CLERK: Howard Humphrey (Re-election Second Term)
FOR COUNTY TREASURER: H. Lambert Duke
D. F. Johnson
J. De Medlin
COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 1: S. C. (Spurgeon) Motley
COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 2: G. C. Aten (Re-election Second Term)
COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 3: J. F. O'Brien (Re-election Second Term)
FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE: D. M. Campbell (Re-election)
J. E. (Joe) Hardesty
PUBLIC WEIGHER, PREC. 1: Mrs. G. W. Wyatt (re-election)

- City Election
FOR MAYOR, CITY OF LAMESA: W. L. Marr (Re-election)
FOR COMMISSIONER, CITY OF LAMESA: Vernon Bryant (Re-election)

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS ENJOYS LUNCHEON AT SIMPSON HOME

Ladies of Mrs. Hardy Morgan's Sunday School class of the Presbyterian Church enjoyed a covered dish luncheon Wednesday at noon at the home of Mrs. R. E. Simpson.

After a delicious luncheon, a short business meeting was held, later the ladies going to the Red Cross Sewing Room for the remainder of the afternoon. Those attending were Mesdames Webb Randle, A. H. Smith, Hardy Morgan, C. E. Ault, David Murray, Dud Boldin, T. F. Vaughn, Henry Stafford, R. E. Simpson, Matt McCall, W. B. Collins, Louis B. Reed, Clyde Adams, J. H. Beal, Walter Barfoot, C. E. Eiland, Joe Alexander, and Miss Erma Sprawls.

"AIDA" IS STUDIED BY LAMESA MUSIC CLUB THURSDAY

The Lamesa Music Club met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Gordon B. McGuire, at 5 o'clock, in their regular meeting.

"Aida," an Italian opera, was studied by the club at this meeting. The following program was given: "Verdi," the Dean of Italian composers, was given by Mrs. T. F. Vaughn. "The Opera" was discussed by Miss Lavenia Estes. Miss Patsy Jo Rountree gave as a piano selection "Polish Dance," by Scharwenke. Concluding the program Mrs. N. H. Price gave a vocal selection "Patria Mia" taken from the opera "Aida" by Verdi.

MRS. A. M. BENNETT HOSTESS TO CLUB TUESDAY AFTERNOON

Mrs. A. M. Bennett entertained for members and guests of the Pioneer Club Tuesday afternoon at her home.

Games of 84 were enjoyed during the afternoon after which a delicious refreshment plate, consisting of a salad, cake and coffee was served to the guests.

Those attending were Mesdames W. V. P. Baker, Joe Barron, N. E. Bartlett, Hardy Morgan, D. S. Day, C. E. Cameron, Lee Billingsley and Dixie Kilgore.

MRS. HERBERT CAUDLE HOSTESS TO BETA SIGMA PHI

Mrs. Herbert Caudle was hostess to members and guests of the Beta Sigma Phi, Tuesday evening at her home.

Miss Myrtle Henderson, president of the sorority, presided over a short business meeting. Miss Ruth Merrick gave the opening ritual. Miss Evelyn Barron, program chairman, was in charge of the program, which was on "Literature." Miss Thelma Quarles gave an interesting talk on "Literature," and Miss Patsy Jo Rountree, guest speaker, gave a review of "Timothy Tyler," by Helen Husled.

The closing ritual given by Miss Myrtle Henderson, closed the meeting. Snacks, cookies and hot tea were served to Misses Jessie Norris, Evelyn Barron, Vivien Cook, Ruth Merrick, Myrtle Henderson, Tammy McCarty, Patsy Jo Rountree, and Mesdames Cannelly Baldwin, Thelma Quarles and the hostess, Mrs. Caudle.

Mr. and Mrs. Floy Barfoot spent the week-end at Spur visiting with friends and relatives.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Kellam last week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Kellam, of Kermit, Joe Kellam, of Los Angeles, California, Mrs. Brooks Boyd and Mrs. Don Compton, Jr., of Wichita Falls, Texas.

Man Is Dean Of Women At Texas School



Women have pushed their way into men's jobs but Dr. Andrew Hunt, associate professor of education and psychology, has turned the tables. He is dean of women at the Texas College of Mines. He is pictured in conference with a group of co-eds.

"American Folk Music" Is Topic For Delphian Meeting Last Tuesday Evening

ORDER OF THE ARROW ENJOYS OUTING AT SANTA FE, N. M.

Members of the Order of the Arrow of the Boy Scouts left here Saturday for Santa Fe, New Mexico, on their annual trip. Winter sports of all kinds were enjoyed while they were in Santa Fe. Those going from Lamesa were: Joe Spikes, Skeet Noret, Tucker Phinizy, Joe L. Kelley, Marvin Standefer, C. G. Eudy, Owen C. Taylor, Jr., Robert Kirk, Charles Privett and O. A. Roberts, Jr.

MRS. JOHN MACKAY LEFT FRIDAY FOR MCCAMEY

Mrs. John Mackay left last Friday for McCamey to join her husband, where they will make their home. Mrs. Mackay will be remembered as Miss Charlotte Barnett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Brad Barnett.

MISS REBA LOIS PARKS HONORED WITH SURPRISE SHOWER

Misses Dorothy Jean Boren and La Verne Park honored Miss Reba Lois Parks with a surprise birthday party on her 14th birthday, Thursday evening, at the home of Miss Dorothy Jean Boren. The serving table was lace-laid, and centered with a birthday cake with tall tapers on either side. Cake, hot chocolate and sandwiches were served to the guests.

MRS. WILLARD TAPLEY HONORED WITH BRIDAL SHOWER

Mrs. Willard Tapley, who was Miss Rena Mae Shearer before her recent marriage, was honored with a bridal shower Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. M. Riley. During the afternoon several games were played, after which the honoree was presented with many beautiful and useful gifts.

Those attending were Mesdames Byron Southard, Roy Truitt, Pete Stricklin, J. A. Lynch, Elmer Miller, Steve Waldrop, Hub Williams, Babe Cox, M. M. Shearer, Walter Dement, P. E. Towns, S. C. Shipley, Willard Tapley, Arthur Stander, Misses Maxine Southard, Denver Truitt, Josie Helen Stricklin, Bernice Clagore, Lorene Tapley, Marie Tapley and the hostesses, Mrs. H. A. Shipp, Mrs. Bill Orson and Mrs. Pete Stricklin.

ST. OLAF CHOIR TO MAKE TOUR

The St. Olaf Choir, of Northfield, Minnesota, with Dr. F. Melius Christensen as conductor and Olaf C. Christensen as associate conductor, plans to give several concerts during the latter part of January and the first part of February.

On January 30 they will be in Dallas with the program being given at the State Fair Auditorium. On February they will be in Denton, Texas, at the main auditorium of the State College and on February 3 they will be in Waco, at the Waco Hall, Baylor University, with all the above programs starting at 8:15.

MT. OLIVE CLUB REPORT

Tuesday, January 20, Miss Mattie Phenix met with the 4-H Club girls of the Mt. Olive Community. A discussion on foods and what one should eat proved to be very interesting. The next meeting will be the "Study of Hand Towels."

Hospital News

- R. L. Cullins was dismissed January 15, after receiving medical treatment.
Mrs. A. J. Taylor was dismissed January 16, after receiving minor surgery.
Mrs. Vera Brown was admitted January 15 for medical treatment at a local hospital.
G. A. Boothe was dismissed January 18 after having received medical treatment.
Lee Brothers was admitted January 16 for medical treatment.
Mary Lou Lindley was admitted January 16 for major surgery.
Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Worrell are the parents of a baby girl, born January 17.
Mrs. Buck Kirksey was admitted January 17 for medical treatment.
Mrs. Otis Harris was admitted January 21 for medical treatment.
Mrs. R. A. Vinzant was a medical patient at a local hospital this week.
Mrs. W. B. Henry underwent minor surgery at a local hospital this week.
Mrs. B. B. Hahn underwent major surgery January 15.
Mrs. H. H. Corbett underwent major surgery January 16.
Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bryant are the parents of a baby boy, born January 19.
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Burleson are the parents of a baby girl born January 20.
Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McKee are the parents of a baby girl born Jan. 21.

Mrs. R. E. Simpson and Homer left Wednesday for Dallas, where they will attend to business.

Durwood Schmidt made a business trip to Lubbock Wednesday.

Associational S. S. Meeting To Be Held Sunday

The First Baptist Church of Lamesa, will be hostess to the Associational Sunday School meeting next Sunday, January 25, at 2:30 p. m. This is the first Associational meeting in the work since it was organized, and the year's work planned in December. All churches are making written detailed reports of their December work and it will all be shown by chart at this meeting.

Brief conferences will allow each department's workers to discuss informally what they have accomplished toward their goals and what they should do next. The program follows:

- Theme: Christ and the Sunday School.
Song, and devotional by Rev. C. J. Hoffman.
Christ and the Sunday School, by Rev. Leon Frazier.
Conferences.
Inspirational address, by Rev. Roy Clayton.
Every pastor, superintendent, general officer and teacher should by all means be present. All others will profit by it.

Norman Hoback, of Tech, Lubbock, is visiting with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hoback, this week.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank Mr. Robert Kirk and express our deep appreciation for the promptness in which he paid the claim on the death of our dear husband and father.

Mrs. F. E. Peterson and family.

CARD OF THANKS

We are indeed thankful and desire to express our deep appreciation to Mr. Robert H. Kirk for his promptness and willingness in paying the claim on the death of our dear daughter and sister, Eunice.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Gaines and family.

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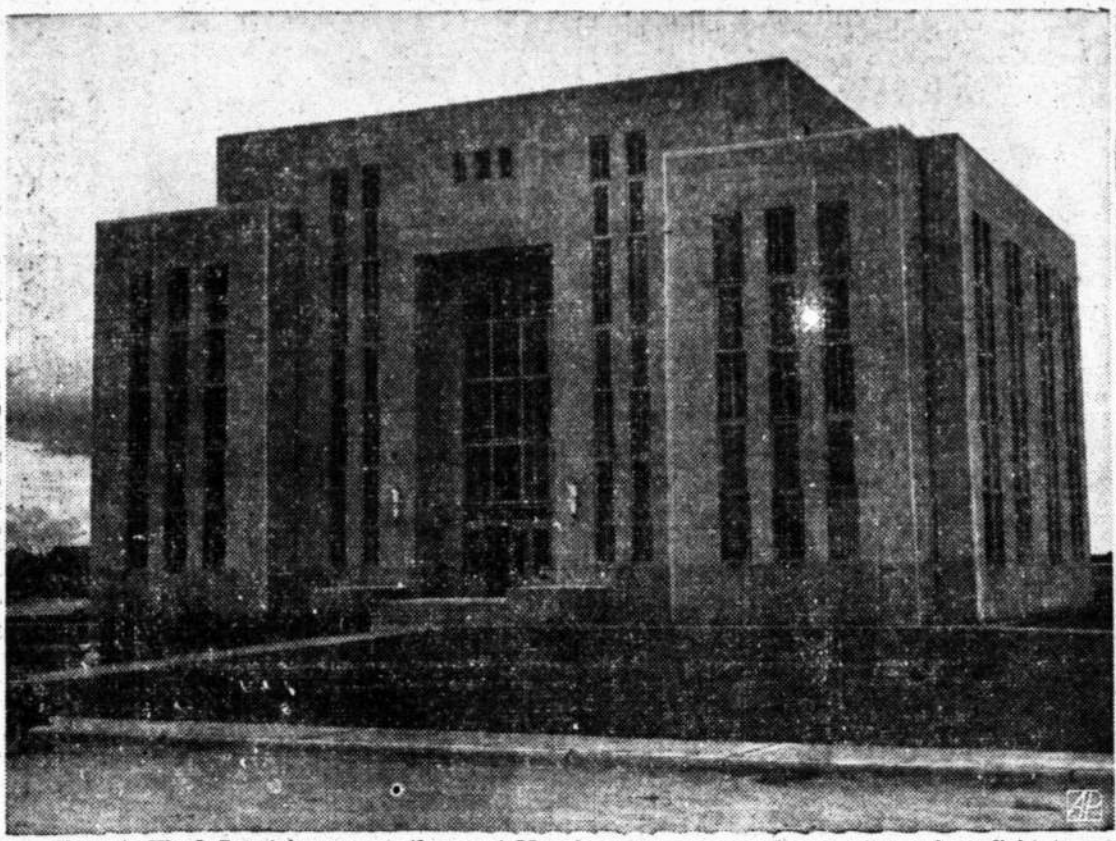
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### New Ward County Courthouse



Above is Ward County's new courthouse at Monahans. It was constructed after a long fight to move the county seat from Barstow.

### Advice Given On Buying Cereals

With food prices on the rise, the Texas homemakers can help keep their families healthy and at the same time serve their pocketbooks well by eating the right food, producing part or all of it, buying food wisely and preparing food correctly and attractively.

According to the Texas Food Standard, Texans' guide to a good daily diet, every person needs one serving of whole grain products and other cereals as desired every day. For the period of a week, one person needs from one-fourth to 1 1/2 pounds of whole grain products and 1 1/2 to 3 pounds of other cereals, and bread.

Here are some tips on buying the cereal products. All are endorsed by Grace I. Neely, Extension Service specialist in food preservation and member of the consumer interest committee of the Texas Home Economics Association, which recently issued a series of leaflets for consumers.

Buy whole grain flour and cereals in amounts which can be used in a short time. Try to buy them freshly ground.

Store flour and meal in a closely covered tin container in a cool place.

Watch the surplus commodity list. Items on it usually are inexpensive.

Store bread in a dry, well-covered, ventilated tin container.

Use cereals that need to be cooked, if income is limited, because cooked cereals are cheaper.

Check weight as well as price on packaged flour and cereals.

### Western Union Employees To Buy Bonds

As a means of aiding National Defense, the Western Union Telegraph Company has inaugurated a convenient plan for its 52,000 employees to purchase United States defense savings bonds. The amount specified by each employee will be deducted from his monthly earnings weekly and deposited in a special bank account. When the required amount has been accumulated, the company will purchase and deliver a defense savings bond, registered in accordance with the directions of the employee. Defense stamps will be placed on sale to the public at Western Union offices in the near future.

A cabbage bought at a market may be expected to contain 60 per cent of its original Vitamin C content. If many of the outside leaves are removed, the homemaker likely loses another 20 per cent.

### Still More Taxes Are Being Talked By Congressmen

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9 (AP) — Congressional leaders talked tonight of a possible \$12,000,000,000 increase in taxes after receiving preliminary Treasury suggestions on how to go about drawing off a quarter of the national income in the fiscal year beginning July 1.

Chairman George (D-Ga.) of the Senate finance committee, one of a group of congressional leaders who met with Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau and his advisors, told reporters that even greater tax increases than were first believed necessary would be required to meet President Roosevelt's budget proposal for \$9,000,000,000 in new revenue.

To raise that amount in the next fiscal year, George said, Congress would have to vote rates high enough to produce at least \$12,000,000,000 in a full year's collections.

This was true, he said, because the collection of many taxes would be delayed until after July 1, 1943, when the fiscal year ends. He pointed out, too, that military production — expected to generate profits from which much of the revenue will come — would not hit its peak until the spring of 1943.

The Treasury's suggestions for new revenue, calculated to boost the nation's tax bill to approximately \$27,000,000,000 in the next fiscal year, apparently revolved largely around proposed increases in present taxes.

Tables shown the legislators were said to have called for unprecedented increases in individual and corporate income taxes, substantial boosts in excise levies and stiffening of excess profits taxation.

The treasury offered no estimates on the amount of money that a general sales tax might raise, despite rising congressional demand for an impost of this nature. Nor, said some of the conferees, did the treasury suggest a withholding tax on payrolls, a possibility which Secretary Morgenthau has mentioned in the past.

Excise tax suggestions were said to have centered largely around increases in the rates on many items now subject to this form of taxation, such as tobacco, whisky and gasoline. One schedule called for an additional \$1,600,000,000 in excise taxes alone.

There was evident disappointment among some of the legislators at the failure of the Treasury experts to suggest new methods of obtaining funds to pay a part of the \$56,000,000,000 war budget.

The upshot of the discussion was said to have been an agreement that the Treasury would continue its search for new sources while the joint congressional committee looked over the mass of data given it.

### Farm Prices Due To Increase During 1942

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16 (AP) — The Bureau of Agricultural Economics said Friday it expected the general level of farm prices in 1942 to rise only about 5 per cent above the apparent present level.

This forecast was based upon known present and prospective factors affecting supply and demand and Government price control operations, likewise both present and prospective. The estimate was made in the bureau's regular report on the economic outlook from the farmers' angle.

A somewhat smaller increase in the level of prices of industrial products was predicted.

Economists said an increase of more than five per cent in the farm price level would have to be reached before any extensive use of price control ceilings would be required.

Only a limited number of farm products are now bringing producers as much as 110 per cent of parity, the minimum price ceiling recommended by the Administration. Many are bringing less than parity. Latest Agriculture Department reports show those averaging 110 per cent of parity or above included rice, cottonseed, cattle, lambs, wool and tobacco. Those bringing less than parity included corn, wheat, cotton, oats, hogs, eggs, chickens, milk and butterfat, and peanuts.

### Dr. Cox Says:

Recommendations to pharmacists concerning the part they can play in National Defense, have been released from the United States office of Civilian Defense, according to Doctor Geo. W. Cox, State Health officer, who is serving as state chairman for Health and Emergency Medical Service.

The office of Civilian Defense urges every pharmacist to register with the Chief of the Emergency Medical Service in his community, indicating what supplies he has available; register with the Transport Office of the local Defense Corps any delivery trucks available for emergency transport; register his pharmacy with his air raid warden, indicating the telephone and refuge facilities he has available.

Every pharmacist should place his services at the disposal of the local Defense Council for distributing literature and information on Civilian Defense; inform himself of the location, and character of protection facilities in his neighborhood, so that he can direct citizens to shelter, warden posts, casualty stations, and first aid and prepare himself to instruct his neighbors.

Large pharmacies should establish a first aid detachment among their employees which can be immediately available as a stretcher team to assist rescue squads. They should be equipped with a stretcher and first aid supplies.

Dr. Cox pointed out that the Office of Civilian Defense urged all pharmacies to keep their stocks of drugs, medical, surgical, and sick-room supplies constantly replenished at all times.

"Already thousands of pharmacists have inquired of this office, how they can best serve in this emergency," Dr. Cox said. "Dean W. F. Gidley, of the University of Texas School of Pharmacy, together with other representatives of the pharmaceutical profession, have indicated that their profession desires to serve in every way that is possible."

### Conservation Achievements Are Listed

Wet weather and scarcity of suitable equipment are cited by M. R. Bentley, agricultural engineer of the A. and M. College Extension Service, as the main problems in getting terracing done in 1941. Regardless, an estimated 788,852 acres of cropland in 214 counties were terraced during the year. Furthermore, 39,838 acres of permanent pasture or range were terraced in 93 counties; 21,940 acres of this terrain in 66

### Farmers Asked To Uphold Quality Of Their Crops

Farmers of Dawson County have been appealed to help along the Nation's war effort by eliminating food waste and by producing only farm crops of unquestioned quality.

The appeal comes from H. C. Darger, coordinator of the National Cream Quality Program, Chicago.

Mr. Darger is immediately concerned with the waste involved in that portion of cream produced on farms which, because of low standard of cleanliness or care in production or handling, or perhaps infrequent marketing, is found on delivery to the creamery to be unfit for manufacturing into butter under the stringent federal food law regulations. Cream thus rejected represents a serious loss to the Nation's nutrition as well as to the farmer's pocketbook. Mr. Darger estimates the loss to American farmers from unfit cream, including seizures of shipments of cream and butter and the loss from price differentials between cream and butter that grade less than first quality, at \$40,000,000 annually. This would indicate a loss to Texas farmers, who produce 1.9 of the nation's butter output, of close to \$760,000 a year, he figures.

According to Mr. Darger, there is no reason why any farmer should produce a poor grade of cream. Everything hinges on the care the cream receives on the farm and the frequency with which it is delivered to the butter-maker. The required sanitary precautions are easy and inexpensive for the average farmer to carry out. He can readily obtain any desired information from the State Agricultural College, or from the cream buyer or creamery with whom he does business. The little trouble involved in producing the best quality of cream, not only makes available the maximum of protective food for the consumer but extra dollars as well, for the farmer exerting this extra care, he said.

Farmers co-operating with the National Cream Quality Program are being asked to sign this pledge and to display a copy of it on their premises:

"I BELIEVE it is my duty and that of everyone connected with the production, handling, and sale of food products, to use every care to insure that such products shall be made from sound, clean ingredients.

"I BELIEVE that the production of unfit milk and cream is an unnecessary, unpatriotic waste of food.

"I BELIEVE that carelessness in the production and handling of milk and cream will conserve butterfat — food that is essential to the well-being of my fellow Americans. This carelessness includes: Washing and scalding my dairy utensils and separator with boiling water after each use; cooling my cream; delivering or shipping my cream often enough to insure its arrival at market in good condition. (Preferably twice a week in winter and three times in summer).

"I HAVE PLEDGED myself to do my part in protecting and conserving American food."

Some timely words of caution on two problems pertaining to the production of cream at this season were issued by Mr. Darger. Do not keep cream on the farm too long even in cold weather, he states. If held too long it is likely to develop old rancid flavors. A cave or cellar may be of the right temperature for holding cream, but if musty it will likely spoil the delicate flavor. Cooking odors and stored vegetables also affect the flavor and cause the resulting butter to be marked down in grade. Freezing cream does not make high-grade butter; the freezing changes the cream so that it results in mealy, oily, undesirable butter. Cream is best kept in a clean, odor-proof place, in a temperature above freezing, and must be protected from freezing on the haul to the market.

Counties were ridged; 84,168 acres in 100 counties were contour furrowed (without dams in furrows); 110,745 acres in 36 counties were contour furrowed (with dams in furrows); and 21,163 acres in 21 counties were chiseled. Other conservation achievements included 115,883 acres of grassland in 77 counties on which water is distributed from spreader dams. County-owned tractor-grader outfits built terraces or ridges on 343,540 acres in 175 counties during the year.

Bentley explains that scarcity of equipment was caused in some degree by contractors transferring their machinery from work on the farms and ranches to defense contracts. Accordingly, it appears that for the next few months, at least, ordinary farm implements such as plows and fresnos will have to be substituted for some of the heavy equipment which has been used for building terraces and other conservation structures. However, the farmers are not unprepared for such an adjustment since many terracing demonstrations in 1940 and 1941 were conducted with farm equipment. Less equipment can do more work if there are more days when it can be used. To make that possible, the agricultural engineer advises planning the cropping system, including strip cropping, so that some terrace construction work may be done whenever time and equipment are available.

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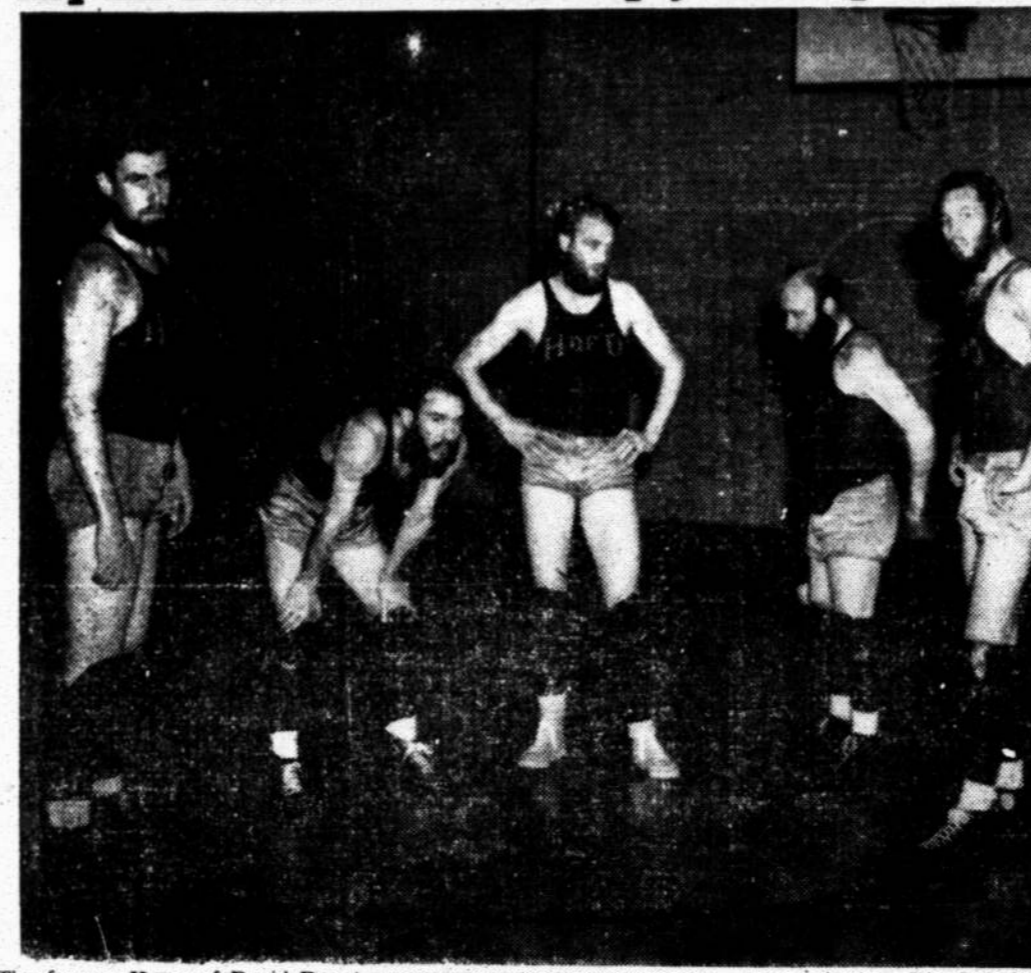
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Mr. and Mrs. Travis Dean and family, of Klondike, Mr. and Mrs. Noble Dean and family, of Flower Grove, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Bruce.

Rev. and Mrs. Gentry spent the week-end with Florey Church.

Verlie Mae and Sandra Sue Lewis spent the week-end visiting with their aunt, Mrs. Sidney Bruce.

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Kentucky has a town named Charlie and Texas has one named Charlie.

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**THEATRE PROGRAM.**

**PALACE**  
ADMISSION 11c and 30c

**Friday**  
JANUARY 23  
LAST DAY TO SEE  
This Grand Picture!  
"Sun Valley Serenade"  
—with—  
Sonja Henie - John Payne

**Saturday Only**  
JANUARY 24

The most talked of picture of the day! It's timely!  
"Burma Convoy"  
Bombed from the air! Shelled from the ground! With the life of a nation as their destination on the BURMA ROAD! See It!  
ALSO - Serial and Comedy

**Sunday - Monday**  
JANUARY 25-26

You'll bail out of your seat laughing  
Bud Abbott - Lou Costello  
—in—  
"Keep 'Em Flying"  
Also - Latest News and Comedy

**MAJESTIC**  
ADMISSION 11c and 22c

**Friday - Saturday**  
JANUARY 23-24

Bill Elliott  
In another Big Western!  
"Lone Star Vigilantes"  
Also - Serial and Comedy

**Sunday - Monday**  
JANUARY 25-26

A big Musical Comedy  
"Swing It Soldier"  
—with—  
Frances Langford - Ken Murray

**TOWER**  
Admission 11c and 22c

**Friday - Saturday**  
JANUARY 23-24

A Big Western and second chapter of "SEA RAIDERS"  
"Stage Coach Buckaroo"  
—with—  
Johnny Mack Brown

**Sunday - Monday**  
JANUARY 25-26

Last year's outstanding picture back again  
"Son Of Kong"

**RURAL CORRESPONDENCE**

**SPARENBERG**  
Sherman Moulton Jr.

J. S. Walton, of Rochester, Texas, visited in the home of his nephew, Ray Anderson and Mrs. Apderson last week.

Mrs. Patton, of Abilene, visited her daughter, Mrs. Marvin Leech, and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Eason, who have been in the grocery business here for the last four weeks, sold their business to C. E. Airhart, the first of the week, the new owner taking immediate charge. Mr. and Mrs. Eason are going to make their home in Lamesa. We regret to lose them from our midst, but we wish for them the best in their new home.

R. D. Blackford, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Blackford, left Tuesday for Fort Sill, Oklahoma, where he will be inducted into the Army.

Misses Sener Bradford and Opai Russell, of Odessa, spent the weekend in the Bradford home here.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Fisher were called to Hereford, Texas, Friday, on receipt of word of the serious illness of Mrs. Fisher's brother, W. F. Gillis. The last report was that he was improving some.

Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Donham were visitors in Big Spring and Midland, Sunday.

Travis Pelham, of Houston, has accepted a position in the Smith and Pelham Store here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones and son, of Knott, visited in the Leech home Sunday.

J. M. Trice Sr. and daughters, Maurine and Wanda, spent last week-end in Dublin visiting with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wilcox were Big Spring visitors Saturday.

E. J. Turner and Frank Railsback spent Tuesday in Lubbock attending to business.

Misses Alene McCrummen and Beth Horn spent Sunday with some friends at Welch.

Mrs. Octavine Riethmayer spent last week-end with friends in Portales, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodie Smith and family, of Klondike, visited, Sunday, with J. D. Smith and family.

**WELCH**  
Hazel Greer - Jeane Smith

Church and Sunday School attendance was good Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Enterkin, of Brownfield, and La Verne Maberry, of Welch, spent last week-end in San Antonio.

Adelia Furner visited La Verne Maberry Wednesday night.

La Verne Blocker spent Tuesday night with Mattie Lou Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Greer, of Lovington, New Mexico, spent the week-end visiting friends and relatives in this community.

A basketball tournament was held at Dawson this last week-end and the Klondike girls won first place. The Dawson girls won second place.

**HANCOCK**  
Jack Meares, Jr.

Mrs. Dee Phillips and Delvin visited Mr. and Mrs. Page Nelson over the week-end.

Brother J. C. Thompson filled his regular appointment Sunday morning and night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Evans are the parents of a baby boy, born on January 12. The young man has been named Billy Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. Manis and children of Klondike, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Evans Sunday.

Everyone is urged to come to Sunday School, Sunday. You are needed. Daisy Nelson has returned from Galveston where she has been visiting with relatives.

**MIDWAY**  
Mrs. W. E. Love

Sunday School attendance was 85 last Sunday. Brother Coffman delivered the sermon both morning and evening.

Miss Marjorie Dean, who is attending Alpine State Teachers College, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Dean, of this community.

The Red Cross Sewing Club met in the home of Mrs. Claude Dean last Wednesday. Sixteen garments were completed. The meeting next week will be on January 28, in the home of Mrs. W. E. Love. Every one come and bring your needles and thimbles.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gibson and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hinson visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Murff Sunday afternoon.

W. C. Lester, Estelle and A. J. Riddle and J. L. Schooler, Charlene Dean and Jewel Hinson made a trip to Brownfield Sunday.

Mrs. Sid Stanfield and Mrs. W. E. Love visited their mother, Mrs. J. P. Gibson, Sunday.

Mrs. Sid Stanfield, Mrs. Roy Love and Mrs. Claude Dean were hostesses at a shower honoring Mrs. Vesper Love last Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Dean. Refreshments of cake and hot chocolate were served to about twenty guests.

**RICHARDSON**  
Mrs. V. W. McGee

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Warren and family spent Sunday with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Weeks.

Mrs. Pauline McGee and daughter Othella spent one day last week with Miss Aggie Williams, of Lamesa.

Ferrell Williams spent one night last week with Dale Blackstock.

Lonnie Bruce returned from a few weeks' visit in the east with relatives and friends.

Mrs. L. F. McGee and children spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McGee.

**SHUMAKE**  
Gladys Whitmire

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Calhoun, of Key, visited Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Collett and family, Sunday.

Several from this community attended the basketball tournament at Dawson last week-end.

Jake Sealy, of Lamesa, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Sealy and family Sunday.

Maxine Gillispie and Nelda Whitmire spent Sunday evening with Martha Jean Houchin.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Whitlow and children visited in this community Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Speck will entertain their son, Louis, with a farewell party Saturday night. Everyone is invited.

**McCARTY**  
Mrs. E. B. Bullard

Mrs. H. P. Baze and children moved to Lubbock last week. J. B. Bostick moved to the place vacated by Mrs. Baze.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Woodward moved south of Lamesa. Mr. Proctor, of Key, bought the place where Mr. Woodward lived.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Green and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Francis went to Lubbock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Moore visited their daughter, Velda Lou, in Lubbock, Sunday. They also visited their son, Garland, in Ropesville.

Mrs. Geneva Baze visited her mother in Lubbock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Pruitt, Jr. and daughter, of Sparenberg, visited in the G. E. Peterson home Sunday.

Mrs. B. B. Bullard and daughters Jo Ann and Merle Jean, visited Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Everheart, Sunday.

Rev. O. P. Clark, district superintendent of the Lubbock district, will preach at McCarty Sunday at the evening hour, after which service quarterly conference will be held. Rev. Crandell will preach at the morning service. Everyone should be on time for the Sunday School.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Brown, of Lubbock, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gus Grawunder this week.

Deward Kirby visited Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Truitt, of Wilman, over the week-end.

We are sorry to lose Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hillman from this community, but we wish them happiness in their new home in the McCarty Community.

**FAIRVIEW**  
Oceglia Mae Gibson

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Weeks spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hendon visited Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hendon, of Lamesa, Sunday.

A large crowd attended the basketball tournament last week-end. The girls won second place.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Tatum received word Sunday of the death of one of his nieces and nephews, at Brady.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Meeks visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Meeks Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Connie O'Brien visited relatives in this community, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Gibson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Gibson.

Mrs. Carl Fisher and Dale visited Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Tatum Sunday evening.

**ACKERLY**  
Jerry Ward

We had good attendance at Sunday School and Church here Sunday at all the churches. Rev. Jackson filled his appointment at Center Point.

Mrs. C. T. Jackson, Misses Opal Vernon and Nell Ponder attended the District League Rally at Roscoe Saturday night and Sunday.

Marie Higgins of Big Spring spent the week end here visiting with her parents.

Mrs. Vernon Munn and son Vernon Jr., of Arizona spent a few days here last week with relatives.

Mrs. Ike Lowe and son of Big Spring visited here with her sister Mrs. Thurman Baum last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Singleton had as their guest their granddaughter Ira Mae of Haskell the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Rudeseal and son, Mrs. Tom Baum and children, and Mrs. Vernon Munn and son left Monday for Arkansas where they will visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hannah.

Several in this community are suffering with mumps and measles. A. D. Singleton Jr., visited in Haskell over the week end with his sister.

The ladies of this community met at the school house last Wednesday evening and sewed for the Red Cross. A large crowd was present.

Jerry Ward has been on the sick list the past week.

La Verne Martin and Nell Ward spent Tuesday night with Nelda Franks.

Mrs. Ward has returned home after spending last week in Lamesa with her daughter, Mrs. Lynn Hendon, who has a 5 1/2 lb baby girl. She has been named Lyneta Kay.

**LOYOLA**  
Mrs. L. M. Wiggins

Mrs. H. H. Corbett is in a Lamesa Hospital where she underwent an operation. She is doing nicely at this writing. We hope for her a speedy recovery.

**THREE LEAGUE**  
Gladys Russell

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wiggins, of Tarzen, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dennis.

We are very glad to have Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Conger, of Lorenzo, Texas, move into our community.

We are sorry to have Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Gregg and family move from our community. They will make their home near Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Husley spent Saturday with Mrs. Cox, of Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Russell and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Amos Painter, of Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Bartlett, of Lorenzo, Texas, spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Conger.

Mrs. Carl Cox spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Husley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McNew and family spent Sunday with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harvis Capps, of Levelland.

**KEY**  
Denver Truitt

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Shipley and family, of Lamesa, attended church with us Sunday. We are glad to have them and also all other visitors.

Charles Gene Miller is on the sick list this week. We all join in and wish him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. I. T. Truitt is on the sick list this week. We all join in wishing her a speedy recovery.

Russell Calhoun, Byron Southard Jr., and Murray Lee Townes left last Monday for Los Angeles, California where they will be employed.

Mrs. Mardis Grant and daughter, Paula, of Lamesa, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Southard and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Schooley and son visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stephens, of Gail, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Banl head and family, recently of Union, have moved into our community. We are all very happy to have them and wish them happiness in their new home.

Mrs. W. T. York, of Lamesa, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dement, Sunday.

Mrs. Ben Tisdale is on the sick list this week but at this writing is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Calcoat and son, Byron Lee, of Forsan, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Schooley Tuesday.

Little Lonnie Calhoun is on the sick list this week. We wish her a speedy recovery.

**MT. OLIVE**  
Dauphin Whitehead

Mrs. Skeet Phelan was called to the bedside of her father, E. Sikes of Mineral Wells, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Benton of Midland visited Mrs. Benton's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Flemming, over the week end.

H. W. Thurman visited Loyd Wiggins Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Phelan and family visited Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Wade and family Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Snow of Lorraine visited Mrs. Snow's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Pitman and family over the week end.

We are proud to welcome Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Woodward to our community. We hope for them much success in their new home.

**CONSERVE TIRES—ENGINE—TRANSMISSION—EVERY VITAL PART**

William Staas made a business trip to Stanton Thursday. The Dragons played their second conference game this week and defeated Courtney, 16-13. They are to play Stanton soon to see who is the best in the district, and of course we are pulling for the Dragons.

Mrs. Herman Bartlett and children, of Long Beach, California, who spent several weeks here visiting with friends and relatives, returned home Sunday.

Olin Nix made a business trip to Dallas Saturday. The ladies of this community met at the school house Thursday to sew for the Red Cross. Quite a lot was accomplished. We invite all the ladies to attend these meetings.

**CONSERVE TIRES—ENGINE—TRANSMISSION—EVERY VITAL PART**

Chevrolet's new "Car Conservation Plan" is designed to help you keep your car serving faithfully for the duration, and invites your cooperation on the following points: (1) Observe the simple, fundamental, thrifty rules of car care, such as keeping tires properly inflated, checking battery, water, oil, etc. (2) Get a simple service "check-up" at your Chevrolet dealer's now, and avoid major troubles later. (3) See your Chevrolet dealer regularly.

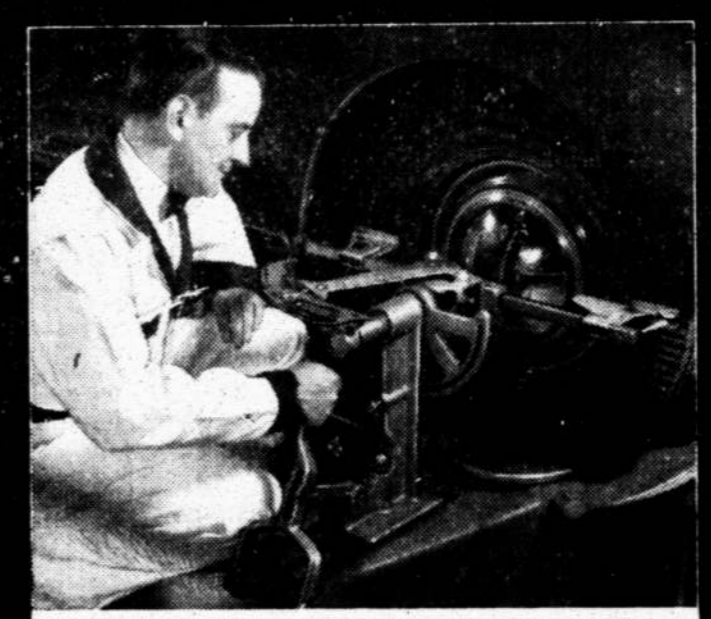
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- 5. MOTOR TUNE-UP (to conserve engine and fuel).
- 6. CARBURETOR AND FUEL PUMP (to save fuel).
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- 8. BODY AND FENDER REPAIR.
- 9. CLUTCH, TRANSMISSION, REAR AXLE.
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DOZEN <b>LEMONS</b> .....	<b>15c</b>
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<b>MUSTARD, Quart</b> .....	<b>10c</b>
<b>OATS, 3-Minute, Large Box</b> .....	<b>19c</b>
<b>BLACK PEPPER, 1 Pound Can</b> .....	<b>22c</b>

24 lb. \$1.05  
48 lb. \$1.89

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<b>BULK SAUSAGE, Pound</b> .....	<b>17½c</b>
<b>JOWLS DRY SALT, Pound</b> .....	<b>12½c</b>
25c SIZE <b>RINSO</b> .....	<b>19c</b>
<b>CHUCK WAGON BEANS, Tall Can</b> .....	<b>7½c</b>
<b>OUR MOTHER'S COCOA, 2 Pounds</b> .....	<b>19c</b>

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Mrs. Ola Tinkler and daughter, Ruth, of Lubbock, and Mary Louise, of Seminole, spent the week-end here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Garland.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward and son, of Morton, spent the week-end here visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Garland. Mrs. Edward is a sister of Judge Garland.

**ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
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S. S. Teachers meet Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.  
Choir rehearses Thursday at 7:00 p. m.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to express our sincere gratitude to everyone who were so kind and nice in the time of sadness and loss of our husband and daddy

Mrs. F. E. Patterson, Fred. Dorothy and Addie Bee.  
Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Halley and son.  
Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Patterson.  
Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Applin.  
W. E. Patterson.  
G. K. Patterson.  
J. H. Patterson.  
Mrs. Laura Little.

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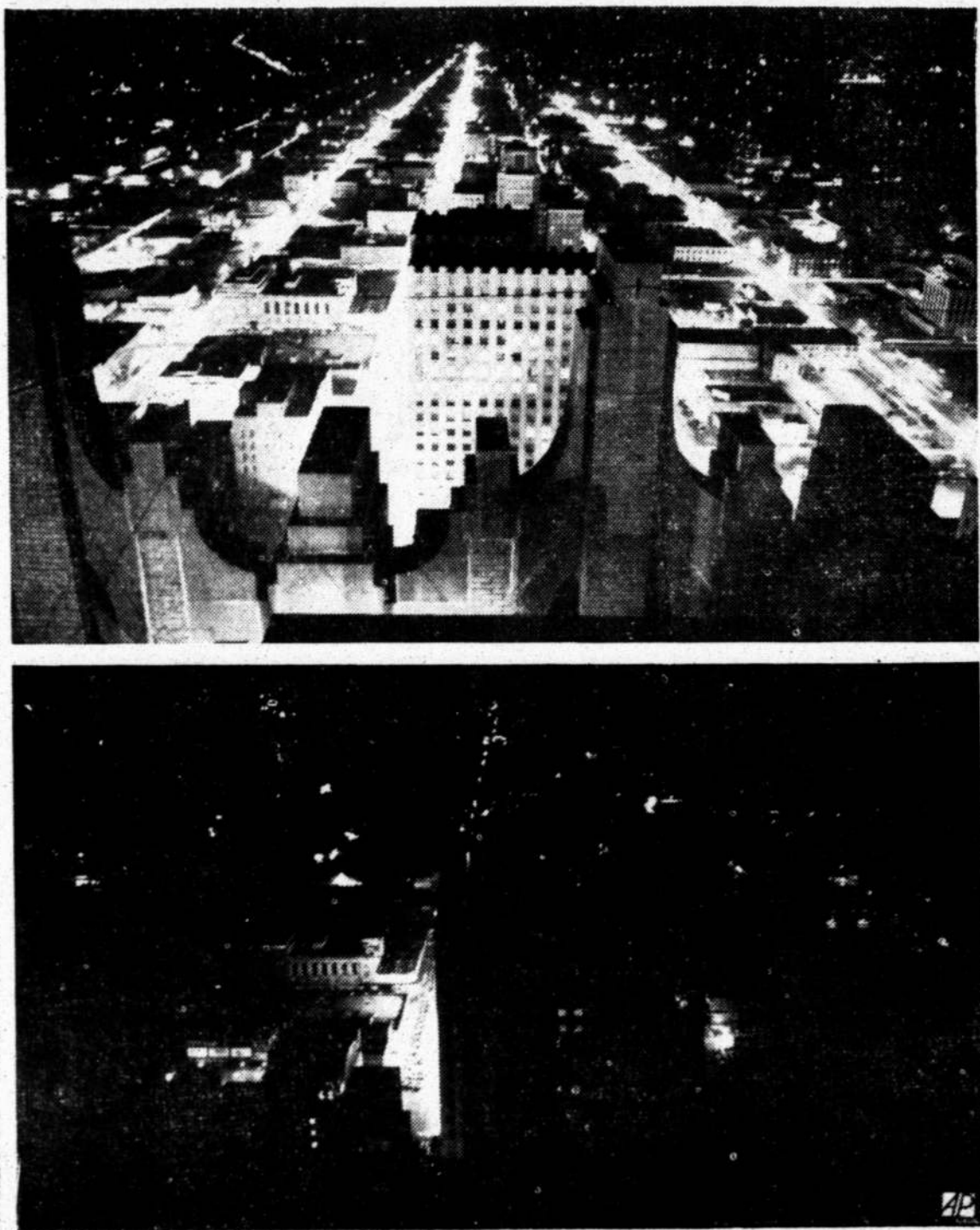
**LOST** White pony, weight about 800 pounds. Strayed from my place week ago - A. B. Carpenter. 4-5 p.

**FOR SALE** Registered Hampshire male hog - Harry Winford, first house west of City Park. 4-5 p.

**FOR SALE** 1200 Chinese elms, 5 to 15 feet high. 13 to 25 cents each - Colton Tunnell at Dyer Hardware and Auto Supply. 4-11 p.

**WANTED** Housekeeper, middle aged woman preferred - See J. W. Small, or leave name at Courier office. 4-7 p.

## As The City Of Houston Blacked Out



The top picture was taken from the tower of the Gulf Building, 36 floors above downtown Houston, one minute before the city began its first test blackout. Two minutes later the city appeared as shown in the lower photo and two minutes after that virtually every one of the spots of light shown in the lower photo had faded into inky darkness. Official observers call it an almost 100 percent eclipse.

## Tornadoes Win Over Midland Tuesday Night

Results of Tuesday night's 3-AA district basketball games left the standings unchanged, with the top four team, Lamesa, Abilene, Big Spring and San Angelo all winning their games to keep in a tie for first place.

Lamesa's Golden Tornadoes doubled the score on the Midland Bulldogs, 38-19, to keep their hold on the top rung, with Don Reeves pacing his mates with 11 points. Every man on the Lamesa team scored.

Abilene managed to nose out Sweetwater 34-31 in a game played at Sweetwater, when they came from behind in the final quarter to mark up the victory.

Big Spring had more trouble with Odessa, as two extra periods were necessary to determine a victor. At the end of the regulation game the score was tied 26-26 and at 31-all at the end of the first overtime period. In the second overtime period, however, Big Spring managed to tally again while Odessa was held scoreless to make the final count read Big Spring 33, Odessa 31. Peppy Blount, Big Spring center was the district's high scorer for the night with 18 points, followed by Cowser of the Odessa club who chalked up 16.

San Angelo was an easy victor over Colorado City, 29-13, in a game played on the Colorado City court.

Standings of the League teams at the close of Tuesday's nights action was as follows:

Team	P	W	L	Pct
LAMESA	5	4	1	.800
Abilene	5	4	1	.800
Big Spring	5	4	1	.800
San Angelo	5	4	1	.800
Odessa	5	2	3	.400
Sweetwater	5	2	3	.400
Sweetwater	5	2	3	.400
Midland	5	0	5	.000
Colorado City	5	0	5	.000

## Home Economists Of This County Organize Monday

Home economists of Dawson County met Monday night in the office of Miss Mattie Phenix, county home demonstration agent, for the purpose of organizing and discussing ways of assisting in National Defense.

The following officers were elected: Chairman, Mrs. Robert Wade, Lamesa; vice chairman, Mrs. Sammie Tate Pitman, homemaking instructor at Union; secretary, Mrs. A. F. Patterson, homemaking instructor at Sparenberg; reporter, Miss Mattie Phenix.

The group discussed a Victory Garden Campaign which will be launched in February. Plans were made to place in the hands of every family in the county information concerning the kinds and varieties of vegetables adapted to this area of the State.

The next regular meeting of the home economists will be held in the home of Miss Phenix, 1303 Garner Street, Lamesa, at 7:30 p. m., Monday night, February 2. All home economists in the county whether actively engaged in teaching or any other phase of home economic work are invited to attend this meeting.

## Clock Moves Up An Hour February 9th

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20. (AP) — President Roosevelt signed the daylight saving bill today and it becomes effective at 2 a. m. on the morning of February 9, for all interstate commerce and Federal government activities.

During Congressional debate it was said that it was assumed the observance of daylight time by moving all clocks ahead one hour, would become general throughout the nation.

The measure will become operative six months after the war ends, unless Congress votes to terminate it before then.

Stephen Early, presidential secretary, said that it had the same objective that the daylight-saving act of the last World War—"greater efficiency in our industrial war effort."

In a report to the President while he was still director general of the office of production management, William S. Knudsen had estimated that there would be a saving of 500,000 kilowatt hours of electricity a year through adoption of the daylight-saving measure.

Congressional action was necessary. Early pointed out, so that there would be a uniform daylight saving system throughout all the states.

President Roosevelt jabbed the pen he used in signing the bill through a square of yellow paper, attached to the legislation, and directed that it be sent to Robert T. S. Applegate, H. L. Spruill, T. E. Temple, D. L. Adcock, O. E. Witte, A. Gillespie, C. A. Hollingsworth, Carl Rountree, R. F. Jackson, F. L. Grissom, Dewey Hogg, H. L. Jeter, Everett Turner, E. Williams, Earl Ponder, and Roy Clayton.

## Committee—

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for thinking and action.

The quota, if and when established for the respective communities, will then become the goal for realization and this plan received the support of the committee members present by a vote of four to one ratio.

It is not planned to have a lot of programs and speaking but it is hoped that the people of Dawson County may meet this emergency without pressure or coaxing.

The Bond Club idea was adopted as a policy. The Bond Club organizers for each community have not been named to complete the list. There must be a regular or monthly purchasing of the bonds if the quotas to be reached and if the benefits of purchasing are to be achieved.

The Club idea is based on the principle of regular purchasing of a bond monthly of a specified amount, i. e., \$25, \$50 or \$75 by five or more persons entering the agreement to do so. This plan is especially advantageous to salaried persons.

Quotas will be set up in the near future by a committee yet to be formed by the Bond Club which is now in effect, and persons interested are urged to organize a club or join one in process of formation.

It was reported by Postmaster Taylor and bankers present that bonds in the different denominations are now available.

The following members of the Defense Savings Committee were present: F. T. McCollum, chairman; Vernon D. Adcock, W. L. Marr, V. Z. Rogers, Owen C. Taylor, Olin Earnest, A. L. Barkovsky, Bill Huse, Otto Reithmeyer, George Cornett, T. S. Applegate, H. L. Spruill, T. E. Temple, D. L. Adcock, O. E. Witte, A. Gillespie, C. A. Hollingsworth, Carl Rountree, R. F. Jackson, F. L. Grissom, Dewey Hogg, H. L. Jeter, Everett Turner, E. Williams, Earl Ponder, and Roy Clayton.

Miss Margurite Cunningham, District Supervisor for County Nurses, spent Tuesday in Lamesa transacting business. Miss Cunningham's headquarters are located at Sweetwater.

Mrs. N. H. Price, Mrs. Hugh Lott and Mrs. Tom Wood spent Tuesday in Lubbock visiting with friends.

## PERSONALS

Miss Tommie Ruth Morris, a student at Tech, Lubbock, is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Morris, here this week.

Mrs. Guy Simpson left Sunday for Fort Worth and Dallas where she will buy new Spring merchandise for Weaver's Specialty Shop.

Mrs. Frank Barkhurst, who has spent the past two weeks in Los Angeles, California, visiting with her son, Clayton, returned home Sunday. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Glenn Barkhurst and daughter, Billie Lea, who will spend several weeks here visiting.

Mrs. A. A. Bradshaw, of San Angelo, spent the week-end here visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Smith.

Frank Love is visiting with relatives and friends at Monahans this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Schmidt and son spent the week end at Graham and Dallas visiting with friends and relatives.

## War Flashes—

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erations on the European Continent.

On the North African front, British troops who had swept more than 300 miles across the Libyan desert in pursuit of Gen. Erwin Rommel's armies, met their first setback in the two-months-old offensive.

## ONE ACT PLAY CONTEST GETS ATTENTION

Enormity of the one-act play contests of the University of Texas Interscholastic League program attracts the attention of a writer in a recent issue of The Atlantic Monthly.

In an article, "Drama at the Crossroads," Norris Houghton, prominent dramatist and playwright, comments on the extent of the contest held each year among Texas high schools.

"Everything in the Lone Star State is on a big scale," he writes. "I was startled to learn that 688 high schools in 1940 competed in a statewide one-act play contest, one of many in various fields conducted by the University Interscholastic League under the leadership of F. L. Winship, director of Speech Activities."

Houghton's article explains how a state winner is selected from the eight best which are brought to Austin from regional try-outs.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Leuenberger and children spent Sunday in Hobbs New Mexico, visiting with friends.

## Children Should Not Be Alarmed With War Talk

In defense of the coming generation, adults should keep their conversation about war calm and reassuring, for undue alarm or pessimism may do much harm to children in the household.

That's a warning from Dosca Hale Extension Service specialist in parent education and child development, who says calm courage in adults will save children from much fear and worry.

"In these perilous times one of the greatest hazards we face is the threat to family life," the specialist says. "So time spent in learning to understand the needs of children under rapidly shifting conditions is time well invested for the protection of our homes and the future security of our nation."

She points out that adults are being called on to spend more and more time outside the home on defense jobs, and to meet this situation children should be shown, that if they take on more home responsibilities they are helping in the Defense Program. There are many other ways in which small children may help. For example, they can save waste paper and help get it delivered to the proper authorities. They can help save light and heat by turning off unnecessary lights and stoves and by reminding others to do so.

Most important of all is the feeling that he is needed and that he, along with all the other people around him, is doing his best in the great Victory Program, the specialist explains.

## PERSONALS

A man wags his tongue and a dog wags his tail, but the dog's wag is always truthful.

First impressions are lasting. Any one who has only been stung once by a hornet will swear to it.

The Navy operates about 30 big hospitals, two hospital ships, and every Navy ship has a "sick bay."

Darrell Meek left Sunday evening for Allen Academy, at Bryan, Texas, for enrollment.

The average person in this country used nearly 25 pounds of cotton each year from 1935 to 1939.

ing this work gives the child—the feeling that he is needed and that he, along with all the other people around him, is doing his best in the great Victory Program, the specialist explains.

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