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## Rockets Vie With Lefors For Top Place

This week may decide the District 3-A champions.

That's the verdict of a Rocket eleven and their boosters as they get ready to tangle with the crafty Lefors Pirates. The game will be played Friday night, October 16, at Lefors, and will hold the spotlight among the Class A games of the Panhandle.

"Those boys are plenty tough," those who have scouted their games report. "They know what it is all about and they go from first to last just as cool-headed as you please."

The Pirates have not lost a game this year. Nor did they lose one last year, although ineligibility practically took the district crown from their hands.

Last Friday they defeated the strong McLean Tigers 20 to 7 on the Tigers' field, and apparently had little difficulty in doing it.

The Pirates have already disposed of their hardest conference games, and that is why boosters of both teams believe their tilt with the Rockets will decide who wears the district crown this year.

That's the kind of team the Rockets will face.

This is the calibre of players the Pirates will be up against.

Following practice Tuesday evening, Coach Duncan reported that his own boys were plenty good. They go through their plays with plenty of zip, coordination and cooperation, and their eyes are open as to what is ahead for them.

Not only is Coach Duncan training his four backfield regulars, Melton, Kendrick, Thompson and Covey, for equal skill at ground gains and passing attacks, but he is fitting out his substitutes to step into the shoes of the regulars, if necessary and work smoothly and efficiently.

Power and force are the aims of the linemen and from all indications they are mighty close to their goal.

Other than this, Coach Duncan isn't saying too much about his charges, who already this season have chalked up victories against Paducah, Childress and Lakeview. They dropped a close decision to the powerful Phillips Blackhawks two weeks ago.

The game will begin at 8:30 p. m.

All persons going to the game who have room in their cars for one or more boys are requested to contact Supt. Logan Cummings, Coach Duncan or Mickey Kendrick.

## Rubber Footwear Rationed Only

To clear up some reported confusion, the OPA has announced that the only types of footwear rationed are men's rubber boots and rubber workshoes.

Leather footwear is not affected in any way.

Only six types of rubber footwear are being rationed, and these are ordinarily worn only by workmen. Sailors on ocean-going vessels may purchase rubber footwear from their ships' slop-chests without ration certificates.

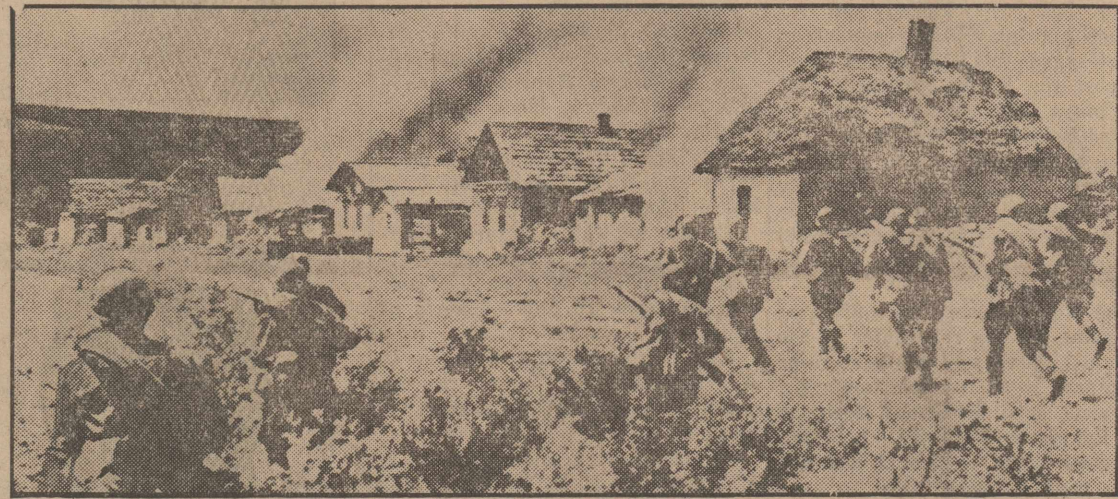
## Victory Dance Saturday To Pay For War Bonds

A Victory Dance, sponsored by the Frank King Post of the American Legion, Saturday night, October 17, will be the first entertainment held at the new Community Building.

Proceeds from this dance will go to buy War Bonds. These will be used to assist those men now in service who may in later years need help.

In charge of the plans are members of the entertainment committee, including Joe Thompson, Lee Gragg, Lee O'Neil, and Bill Maddox.

"There'll be all kinds of dancing, with a good orchestra to provide the music. So no matter what kind of dancing you like—square



SMOKING AND GUNNING THE NAZIS OUT

Red army infantrymen, heedless of enemy fire, rush to surround a burning building in one of their villages, which was occupied by the Nazis (top photo). The Russians are re-capturing many villages, and long lines of captured Nazi soldiers are being marched away under watchful armed guards (bottom photo). Nazis are gaining ground in Russia, but only at terrific cost in men and equipment.

## Sept. Bond Quota Exceeded

### Draft Reclassification Explained By Board

#### Save Your Tin Cans

Housewives of Collingsworth County are to have a definite and vital part in furnishing valuable tin and steel for the government's scrap metal campaign, Ben Hurst, county salvage chairman, announced Monday evening.

This will come through the saving of every tin can emptied by them in the course of preparing meals for their families.

"The collection of tin cans isn't starting in the county yet, but the saving of them should," Mr. Hurst declared. "I can't give you the date that the drive will start, but I do want to urge that every used tin can from now until the war is over is saved, and that none of them reach the city dump ground."

Certain directions must be followed in saving the cans. Both ends are to be cut out, the cans washed, then mashed flat and the can and lids placed in some dry place where they can be kept. Mr. Hurst stressed the necessity of keeping the cans dry, since rust will destroy the valuable tin coating which is badly needed.

"Even though you do eat lots of canned food, you'll find that

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In order that men of this county may more fully understand their status under the selective service registration, the Draft Board has issued the following statement.

Re-classification is under way. The local board, probably realizes after having talked with hundreds of registrants from day to day, more about your problems than you suspect. You have the full sympathy of the board, yet the duty of the board must be performed.

To save you and the local board time, and to save you disappointment, you are cautioned not to call on the members of the board to "talk" about your case, or problems. This is a waste of your time, and the board's time which is all taken up in necessary work (and at no "pay" other than your good will, or your criticism.)

You are requested to read and bear in mind the following, in the event you have something for the board to consider: (In no other way can your request get any consideration whatever)

1. When you receive a notice that you are to be re-classified, and if there is something you wish the board to consider, go before a Notary Public, or other official who can take your sworn statement, prepare it in writing, and file with J. M. Strong, the board clerk on second floor of the courthouse, or mail to him, setting forth the exact facts you want considered. If you just must "talk" to the board, do it this way:

After you get a form 57-Notice of Classification, you, the REGISTRANT ONLY, can file a written request to meet the board in person, in official session at a date the board may set, if it deems it worthwhile, and discuss in person your case. No other person is permitted to be present whatever.

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### Large Barn Near Quail Destroyed By Fire Sunday

The large barn on the Lawrence Brislin farm one mile north of Quail School was destroyed by fire late Sunday evening, October 11. A considerable amount of feed was also destroyed, reports stated. This barn, one of the largest in that section of the county, had stood for a number of years. It was remodeled only this year.

Collingsworth County not only raised its September War Bond Quota, but exceeded it by approximately 6 per cent, R. D. Wiley, county chairman, announced late last week. The total sales were in the amount of \$28,302.80, while the quota was \$26,900.

It was at first believed that the county would fail to reach this last figure, but late reports showed this was not the case.

"I wish to congratulate you and the good citizens of your county for the wonderful response that they have given this program to support the boys on the battle front 100 per cent," Frank Schofield, War Bond Administrator for Texas, wrote Mr. Wiley.

The state as a whole, as well as this county, passed its assigned quota for September. Approximately 12 per cent more bonds were bought than the \$27,250,000

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### Gin Workers Are Treated After Recent Accident

Three employees of county gin plants have received treatment for painful but not serious injuries within the last few days, reports from attending physicians show.

Harlis McMahan, who came here recently from Clarendon to work at the Lutie Gin, was painfully burned last week when natural gas in the engine room ignited as

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## Langford On Draft Board; Strong Named As Clerk

### Scrap Drive Continues For One More Week

The county has one more week to get in its scrap iron in the nation-wide campaign, Ben Hurst, county chairman, announced Wednesday, as he urged every man, woman, and child to "clean up the county."

"The end of the campaign doesn't mean that we should stop our efforts, but the fact that it does end next week means that we should redouble our efforts during those remaining days," he commented.

Between ten and fifteen tons of scrap was sold here by county residents during the last week. Added to this, however, two schools turned in their collection—54,000 pounds from Wellington and 14,000 pounds from Quail. Figures of the amount collected by the other schools were not available.

Altogether, this county has made available more than 335 tons of scrap metal for use by the government in its war effort.

Of interest to the boys and girls of the county, who have helped so loyally with the scrap drive, was the announcement by Mr. Hurst that these students, the Junior Rangers, will get to name a Liberty Ship.

All Junior Rangers are invited to submit directly to L. R. Woods, State Superintendent of Education, Austin, names which they would like to give the ship. In order to be considered, these names must reach Mr. Woods' office by October 31. All names submitted are to be limited to the names of distinguished former (not now living) citizens of Texas.

The final selection of the name will be made by Dr. John W. Studebaker, United States Commissioner of Education, Washington, D. C.

From the salvage records of the schools the Texas Committee will choose the three schools in the state that have collected the three largest amounts by weight respectively.

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### Air Recruiter Here Thursday

A representative party from the South Plains Flying School, Lubbock, comprised of Captain Smith and Staff Sgt. Billy D. Eldredge will be in Wellington Thursday afternoon, October 14, at 2 o'clock. These men will enlist those interested in becoming mechanics with the Air School in Lubbock. Due to a shortage of skilled mechanics from the usual source the War Department has given the school authority to recruit and enlist men from the ages of 18 to 50 inclusive for training. Men eligible are those not already given notice from their local draft boards.

## Fire Department Observes 25th Anniversary Monday

The twenty-fifth anniversary of the founding of the Wellington Volunteer Fire Department was observed Monday night, October 12 by members of that group.

The anniversary passed without fanfare for the department. The group met for the general election of officers, and for the 24th time named Bura Handley as their fire chief. After the election, Mr. Handley spoke briefly of the history of the department and of the services it has rendered the people of Wellington.

Other officers elected Monday were C. R. Leggett, first assistant chief; W. E. McDonald, second assistant chief; R. E. Leggett, president; V. H. Lindsey, secretary; W. E. Maddox, captain of hose company No. 1; Glenn Brickley, captain of hose company No.

2; Dr. C. B. Jones, physician; Rev. Hubert Thomson, chaplain; and Phil Handley, mascot. This is the first year that the department has named a chaplain.

In tracing the history of the department, Mr. Handley reminded the members that the city's first fire truck was a two-wheel cart which was either pushed by hand or hitched on behind a car. Only 1,000 feet of fire hose was included in the equipment.

The first alarm was a bell that hung in the vestibule of the fire station, and was rung by the first member of the department to arrive at the building after a fire had been reported.

The first fire station was an old wooden building located approximately where the Wellington Leader now stands. The first fire



24 YEARS SERVICE

Bura Handley was elected chief of the Wellington Fire Department for the 24th consecutive year at the election meeting Monday night.

### Fall Term Of District Court Opens Nov. 16

The fall session of district court will open in Wellington Monday, November 16, with Judge A. S. Moss of Memphis presiding, J. McBroom, district clerk, announced this week.

Present indications are that the court will face another light docket. To date, 18 civil cases have been filed. Nine are divorce suits and six are suits on notes or debt.

Three civil cases and 23 tax suits were held over from the last term of court. No new tax suits have been filed, Mr. McBroom said.

The jury list for this term of court was also announced.

"The announcement of these names is not a summons to appear for jury service," Mr. McBroom said. "Your summons will be a written notice from Sheriff Paul Bell."

The jury list includes the following:

Grand Jurors: W. S. White, J. A. Coleman, A. Y. Bell, U. E. Kelly, Tom Caldwell, E. M. Trew, L. E. Savage, G. R. Lewis, E. H. Yarbrough, I. E. Emmert, H. A. Wynn, C. R. Preuit, E. C. Crawley, T. C. Crabtree, R. M. Bourland, and Tom Caldwell.

Petit Jurors, second week: Eddie Smith, F. P. Purky, P. C. Cummings, G. T. Stephens, Hayden Williams, M. A. Barton, Frank Gulley, E. F. White, Wallace O'Rear, Dan Henard, Woodrow Byrd, Leon Huckaby, E. F. Bartlett, J. C. Ford, George B. Groves, Ernest Nipper, Chas. L. Graves, George Scott, Cecil Isbell, Buster Hughes, Kelly Pigg, E. M. Hunter, M. C. Cleveland, C. E. Caldwell,

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J. V. Langford of Wellington has been named to the County Draft Board, to take the place of Lee C. O'Neil, who resigned recently, Judge L. E. Gribble and Clark Anderson, other members of the board, were notified Saturday.

At the same time J. M. Strong was approved as clerk of the Board. He replaces Ross Wilkerson, who resigned to take over the management of a local gin.

Mr. Strong has been in the Draft Board office for several weeks, while Mr. Langford took over his duties Saturday evening.

Both men have sons in the armed services.

Mr. Langford is a former sheriff of this county, having served from 1921 to 1925. He is also a former member of the city council. He has lived in this county for more than 35 years, and not only knows large numbers of the county residents, but he also is well acquainted with the problems this county faces under a war-time set up.

For a number of years he has served as manager of the Traders Compress.

Mr. Strong is also a long-time resident of Wellington. Widely experienced in office management, he was formerly employed in a local bank. He was in charge of the Trades Day Association here, and at the time he became clerk of the Draft Board he was bookkeeper at the West Texas Gin.

In these capacities Mr. Strong has become acquainted with many people throughout this county.

### Quail Ends Junior Red Cross Drive

Children of the county are already Red Cross minded! B. W. Beaird, county superintendent, believes this is a fact or else the Quail School could not have completed its Junior Red Cross drive two weeks ahead of the opening date.

Every student in the school is a member of the Junior Red Cross, Noah Cunningham, Quail superintendent, said.

The official Junior Red Cross Drive, of which Mr. Beaird is the chairman, will open November 15 and continue until November 15.

A total of 630 boys and girls took part in the Quail drive, and their contributions amounted to \$21.55. This is the second consecutive year that the Quail school has had every child enrolled in the Junior Red Cross.

### Teachers Exams This Week End

All persons planning to take examinations for second class teachers certificates were reminded today by B. W. Beaird, county superintendent, that these tests will be given Friday and Saturday, October 16 and 17.

Each person taking the exam should bring his own theme paper and pencil or fountain pen. The examinations will begin at 9 a. m. Friday and continue to Saturday evening.

They will be given at the Wellington High School building.

Persons taking this examination must be at least 18 years of age and a high school graduate.

### County Man Kills Bobcat With Pickup

Bobcats generally stay in the brakes and canons in this county, and but seldom are seen in the more thickly settled parts, but Ed Howell not only found one in a public road, but ran it down and ran over it with his pickup.

Mr. Howell reports that the bobcat was killed north of Salt Fork river. It jumped out of a pasture, ran down the road ahead of his pickup and stayed there until he was able to run over it.

The cat was estimated at about two thirds grown and weighed 20 pounds.

As proof, Mr. Howell brought the dead cat to town to show his friends.

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# Rockets Open Conference Schedule With 30-0 Win

Opening their conference schedule, the Wellington Skyrockets defeated the Lakeview Eagles 30 to 0 on the Eagle Field Friday night.

The Rockets scored once in the first quarter, once in the second, twice in the third and once in the fourth.

Scoring was started when quarterback Melton stepped a few inches to the goal line in the middle of the first period. On the second score, Thompson, Rocket fullback, intercepted a Lakeview pass on the Eagles' 20-yard line and was over the goal line before his surprised opponents could stop him.

Kendrick accounted for the next two touchdowns on a long pass from Melton and a 10-yard run. Melton made his second touchdown on a 50-yard run, after he had caught the ball on a Lakeview fumble.

Although they stuck to their game till the last whistle, the plucky Eagles were unable to batter down the Rocket line or to elude their tacklers. Several times, however, they got in 20 and 25 yard runs to brighten the game.

## First Quarter

The ball went into play on the Eagles 25 yard line after the kickoff. Three tries by Burnett and Wiley were stopped by the effective tackles of Kendrick and Benson for only a 5 yard gain. On the next play, Scott blocked Burnett's attempted punt and Kendrick recovered on the 47 yard line.

With the ball in their possession, the Rockets did not relinquish it until they had crossed the goal line. Taking their gains where they could find them—around end, through center, or over tackle, Melton and Thompson took the Rockets down to within inches of the goal line. Two tries were stopped by Ragan and Story of the Eagles, but on the third, Melton took a brief sprint around right end and crossed the line. The try for the extra point failed.

I. V. Merrill, taking Melton's kickoff on his own ten yard line, zig-zagged back up the field with such elusiveness that he reached the 50 yard marker before he was finally pulled down by Scott. Here their gaining campaign stopped. On the second down, Roy threw Bownds for a 10 yard loss, another try failed and a crooked punt, sent from their own 45, went out of bounds on Wellington's 39 yard line.

Melton handed the ball off to Thompson, who went over left tackle for four yards as the quarter ended.

## Second Quarter

The quarter opened with neither team making substantial gain, until Melton took a punt on his own 20-yard line and reached the 41-yard marker before Burnett pulled him down. Melton and Covey picked up a first down and a few extra yards, but on fourth down, Melton punted and the ball went out of bounds on the 10-yard line. Attempting to get out of their



## BOND-SELLING BLITZ BUGGY

You never can tell what you'll run into on Broadway. Latest wartime addition to that fabulous thoroughfare is a tank. But fortunately for auto drivers and pedestrians alike, it's just an immobile wooden "mock-up" from which members of the AWY's sell War Bonds and Stamps at the 48th Street corner.

tight quarters, Merrill sent a long pass unfield. Thompson slipped in, grabbed the pass and took the ball back 20 yards for the touchdown.

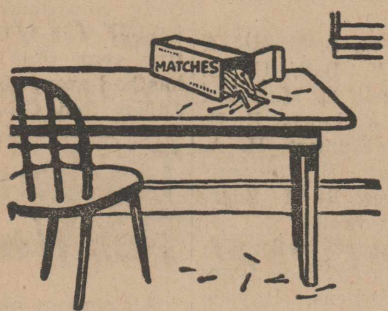
Stiffening their offensive drive, Lakeview picked up two first downs. Merrill took the ball and behind effective blocking went 22 yards before he was downed by Forbis.

A five-yard penalty for offsidess was gained back on the next play, and a first down was soon picked up. The Eagles got no farther, however, as Forbis and Kendrick pulled Merrill down after a gain of only 2 yards. The Rockets took over on downs, and three passes fell incomplete as the half ended.

## Third Quarter

After playing the ball in mid-field for a short time, Melton received a punt and returned it back to his 35-yard line. He, Kendrick and Covey took the ball to mid-field. On the next play, Melton took the ball, passed it to Kendrick

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down a clear field for the third touchdown.

Lakeview failed to gain after the kickoff, and Ragan punted to Melton, who returned from his 20-yard line to his 40, and again opened the Rocket march goalward. After a 5-yard loss, Melton passed to Kendrick for 40 yards and a few minutes later to Williams for a long gain. With the Rockets now deep in Eagle territory, Melton again passed to Kendrick, who then ran the remaining 10 yards for the touchdown a few minutes before the quarter ended.

## Fourth Quarter

The ball was kicked out of bounds and play was resumed on the 45-yard line. Merrill's fumble cost the Eagles 10 yards, but two plays later the ball went up to mid-field when Wellington was given a 15-yard penalty for unnecessary roughness. Lakeview again fumbled, Melton caught the ball and before Eagle tackles could stop him, ran 50 yards for the final touchdown.

The Rockets were in control of the game for the remainder of the quarter. After several short gains Thompson went over left tackle for 25 yards, setting the ball down on the Lakeview 20-yard line. Melton went down to the 11 but two plays that followed were no good and the ball went over on downs.

After three tries that were no good, Ragan took the ball from Merrill and plunged 25 yards through the center of the line as the game ended.

| Starting lineup: |                  |
|------------------|------------------|
| Wellington       | Pos. Lakeview    |
| Brewer           | le Sanderson     |
| Williams         | lt Perkins       |
| Benson           | lg Neal          |
| Roy              | c Story          |
| Sisk             | rg Hancock       |
| Sachse           | rt Sheppard      |
| Scott            | re Ragan         |
| Melton           | qb L. Merrill    |
| Kendrick         | rh Bownds        |
| Covey            | lh Burnett       |
| Thompson         | fb I. V. Merrill |

If you spend a dollar in your home town, you have some hopes of getting it back; if you don't, you just spend a dollar.

## Real Estate Transactions

A. T. Smith and wife quitclaim deed to F. C. LeDerer—lots 13 and 14, block 96, Wellington.

J. L. Walker and wife to Olan W. Alexander—lots 21, 22, 23, 24, block 199, Wellington.

Alice M. Brickey to Bernice Brickey Schoenrock and Sammie Alice Brickey—lots 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, and 24, block 123, Wellington.

J. C. Phipps and wife to D. H. Handley, J. L. Langley and F. M. Neely, deacons of the Lone Pilgrim Primitive Baptist Church—lots 3, 4, and 5, block 31, Wellington.

City State Bank to J. B. Castleberry and A. J. Peters—lots 3, 4, and 5, block 234, Wellington.

Estate of Sallie Monroe Yarbrough to E. H. Yarbrough—section 2, block 11; 98.6 acres of section 99, block 10 and 9.6 acres of section 3, block 11.

E. C. Blevins and wife to C. A. Amerson—70 acres of the southwest one-fourth of section 75, block 21.

W. H. Blevins and wife and J. E. Blevins to E. C. Blevins—27.63 acres of the west one-half of section 51, block 21.

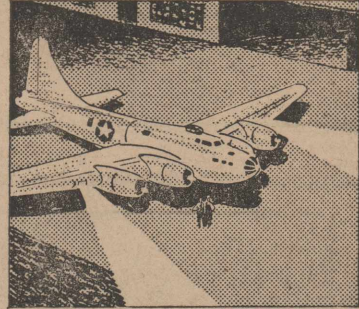
Ed. T. Wilson, J. Frank Wilson, Tom Wilson and wife, and May Beth Allen and husband and E. G. Allen, right-of-way deed to the State Highway Commission—a strip amounting to 16.59 acres in section 43, block 21.

P. E. Starr, right-of-way deed to the State of Texas through the State Highway Commission—a strip of land amounting to 16.3 acres in section 49, block 21.

Although metal toys may no longer be produced, the toys that are manufactured out of wood, cardboard and other less critical materials will be brightly colored. Restrictions on use of certain pigments and oils in paint for toys have been lifted by WPB.

## Wings of Victory

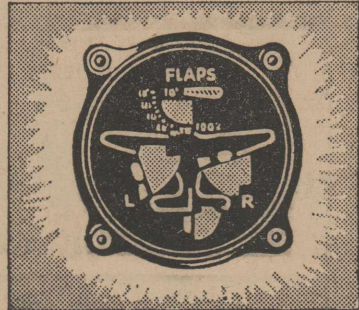
Electricity helps make America's war planes some of the world's most deadly weapons. Here are a few of the ways in which G-E equipment serves in the air.



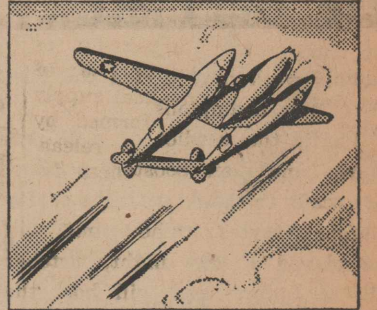
1. Lamps are the eyes of the plane at night, ranging in size from cockpit lamps no larger than a pea to landing lamps of more than half-a-million candlepower.



2. Radio combines the voice and the ears of the plane, allowing communication between the pilot and his squadron, and the ground and sea forces.



3. Instruments are the sensitive brain that relays messages to the pilot from all parts of the ship and helps him to control the plane in its flight.



4. Superchargers are the lungs of the plane, pumping extra oxygen to the carburetors, giving our planes the altitude so necessary to modern warfare.

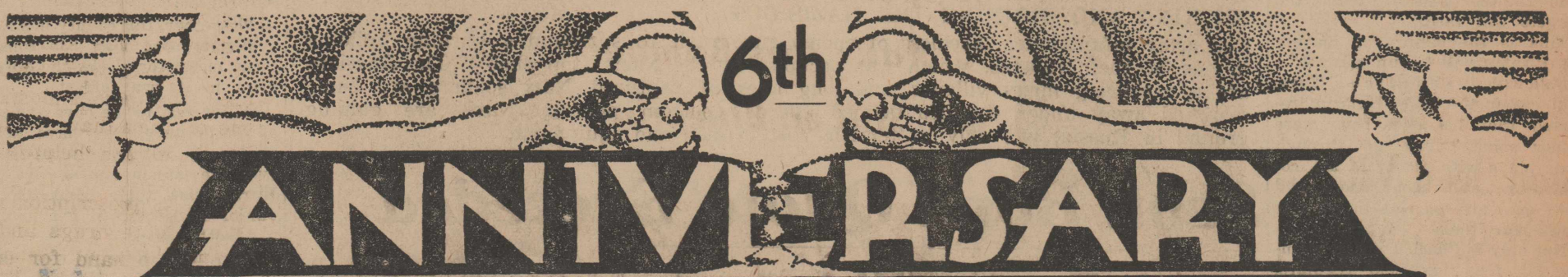
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On this, our 6th Anniversary in Wellington, we invite you to come by and inspect our store — built and designed to serve you in sickness and in health.

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## American Legion Votes Support To Pharmacy Corps

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — The American Legion, long a potent force in Washington, has thrown its support to the Pharmacy Corps bills, H. R. 7432 and S. 2690.

A resolution requesting passage by Congress of this legislation was unanimously adopted by the Legion's national convention held here recently.

Originating with its national defense committee, the Legion's resolution asks "that a Pharmacy Corps be organized in the Army to provide an adequately trained and educated personnel for the compounding and dispensing of medicines and the taking over of many duties in the medical supply service now being performed by medical officers, thereby releasing many doctors for medical duties."

This support from the Legion is significant and particularly timely in the face of opposition to the bills by Secretary of War Henry L. Stimson, (Drug Topics, Sept. 23.) Mr. Stimson's views, it was felt, were merely those of the War Department which has frowned on giving pharmacy army recognition.

The Legion's action stems from recollection of the treatment given pharmacists in World War I. Pharmacy is entitled to the same recognition given other professional groups, the Legion holds.

"The men of World War I realize more than any other group the necessity for trained pharmacists in order that the soldier of today may have the same type of treatment required by civilians," said Dr. W. J. Danforth, secretary of the Texas Pharmaceutical Association. Dr. Danforth long has been prominent in Legion activities in Texas.

The Legion's pledge of assistance gives impetus to the Congressional contact work which drugists all over the country are carrying out at the request of national, state and local association officials.—Drug Topics, Oct. 5.

## Good Seed Vital To War Effort

AUSTIN.—"A seed dealer who sells untested and untagged seed is endangering our most vital war production, that of food and fiber," Commissioner of Agriculture J. E. McDonald said today, and reminded dealers they could avoid this at no cost to themselves by having their seed tested free at the State Seed Laboratory in Austin or Lubbock.

"Before the war, dealers who sold untested seed were breaking the state law which required that each container of field seed bear an official Texas seed tag showing germination and purity," Linden Jones, chief of the Seed Laboratory Division, said. "Now, with our food production every day becoming a more serious problem, gambling the productivity of a farm and of the farmers' labor on unsafe seed shows lack of patriotism."

Farmers, too, must realize their responsibility in seeing that their seed is tested, the official stated. Formerly it was merely good business to help insure a crop by buying tested seed. But now it is the patriotic duty of every farmer, he said.

There is never a month in Texas when seed is not being planted in some section, Jones stated. "Therefore, the seed business is one of the largest in Texas. We need the cooperation of every dealer and farmer in the state to be sure seed planted in Texas produce crops to feed our fighting men and allies."

Stone for the present state capitol of Texas was produced in a quarry at Granite Mountain near Marble Falls in Burnet County.

The mineral resources of Texas are preponderantly fuel—oil, natural gas, natural gasoline, lignite and coal.

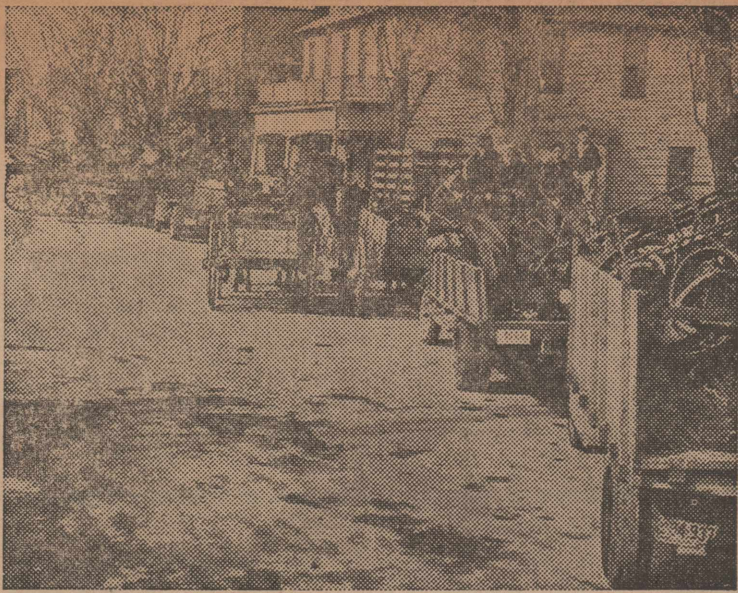


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## BOMBS COME FROM BARNS

These farmers lined up on Main Street in St. Peter, Mo. with wagonloads of scrap iron found in the barns and gullies of their farms, are doing their part in helping to smash the Japs and the Axis. The junk will be used to make tanks, ships, planes and the fighting weapons needed for Victory.

## Tree Insects Can Be Controlled

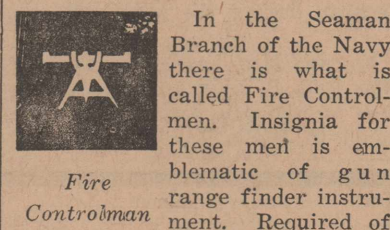
The black bugs that have been damaging locust and mesquite trees in this section have been identified by G. S. Dowell, vocational teacher at Quail, as the long horned borer.

These bugs, approximately three-fourths of an inch in length, may be controlled by spraying the trees with paris green, arsenate of lime, arsenate of lead, or calcium arsen-

ate solutions.

While many of the smaller limbs are cut completely off by the bugs, Mr. Dowell stated that often dead limbs are seen in the tops of trees without the owner ever realizing that such an insect as the borer is causing the damage.

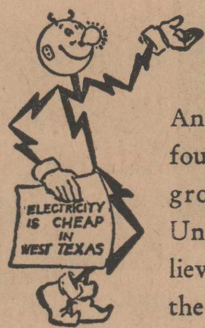
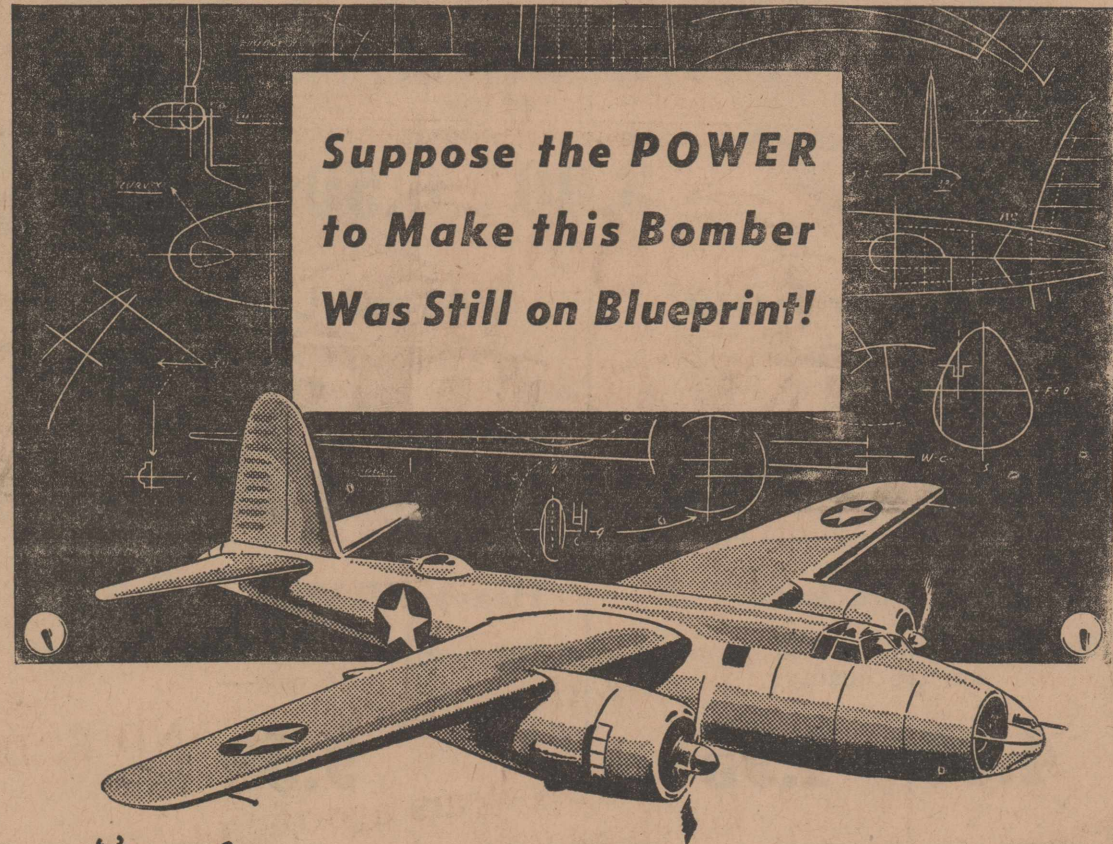
Boats can now be sent full speed astern without either reversing the engines or shifting gears. A reversible pitch propeller has been developed by the industrial research laboratories of one company.



In the Seaman Branch of the Navy there is what is called Fire Controlmen. Insignia for these men is emblematic of gun range finder instrument. Required of them is knowledge of optical instruments similar to microscope or telescope. When you meet a sailor with this symbol (illustrated) on his sleeve, you know he has, or is learning, technical ability with gunsights. There are seven ratings in this group, ranging from Fire Controlman-repairman, 3rd Class to Chief Fire Controlman. These sailors, even though their title may seem to imply it, are not a ship's fire department. They are concerned only with turning out a neat job of gunfire.

A. C. and D. C. electricity, optical making and vacuum behavior are a few things dealt with by these boys.

One 25c Stamp will pay for A CLIP OF BULLETS (8 Bullets per clip for Garand at 2.9c each). In the end, it's the business talk from thousands of rifles which determines who holds a given piece of ground.



Another world war is being fought... a war between a group of countries (the United Nations) which believe in certain liberties for the individual and the institutions he has created, and a group of countries (the Axis) which do not believe in such liberties.

Meanwhile, a war is being waged within our own borders... an economic and political revolution, with those who believe in perpetuating free enterprise and opportunity on one side and those who favor political control and operation of productive resources on the other.

Bureaus exist within our government today that are completely dissociated from the war effort, methodically doing things to discourage free enterprise... constantly forcing the individual out of business through government subsidized projects.

This means only one thing in the end, if allowed to expand unchecked: the inauguration of government in business, or the socialized state—in plain English, the Nazified German system—at a time when the nation is fighting a second world war to prevent that very system from engulfing our American ways which have been contrary to that doctrine.

From the first blueprint to the finished bomber, electric power is speeding the production lines that are vital to the fight to preserve the American way of living. Uncle Sam has a tremendous power advantage, you know, because he commands the greatest supply in the world.

That advantage didn't just happen. Over 90 percent of this country's electric power was built up by free enterprise... business management under public regulation.

The electric industry was ready, with the power on hand, when war began. There was no delay waiting to get power out of the blueprint stage after Pearl Harbor.

This industry grew out of the American system of free enterprise... employed more and more people, served more and more people—at lower and lower price.

Today the average West Texas home enjoys about twice or three times as much electric service as it did 10 or 15 years ago—for the same money.

It's been accomplished under the American system of free enterprise wherein any man or woman is free to create a business that fills a particular need in this or any other community, just so long as they give the best possible service at the lowest possible cost to the most people and contribute their share of taxes for the support of democratic government!

He is a man who has won from the state a franchise to carry on a business that is largely professional. He is intrusted with the grave responsibility of dispensing drugs, chemicals and poisons.

**To you who believe that YOUR Boy, Husband, or Loved Ones SHOULD have the SAME SERVICE from a HEALTH standpoint as required by CIVILIANS we URGE that YOU write or wire your CONGRESSMAN and SENATOR NOW to VOTE for the passage of PHARMACY CORPS BILLS, H. R. 7432 and S. 2690 which the AMERICAN LEGION voted to SUPPORT at THEIR NATIONAL CONVENTION.**

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# Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allison and children, Dorothy and Billy, of Clovis, N. M., visited last week with her mother, Mrs. H. C. Fike, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Allison.

Bill Goforth of Amarillo underwent a major operation in St. Joseph's Hospital Monday. His condition is regarded as serious.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brewer and family of Memphis have moved to Wellington. They were formerly of this city before living in Memphis.

Miss Katherine Boverie returned Saturday from a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Clement Hendricks, and family of near Roswell, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Vaughan and children of Borger spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Floyd Henry, and family and other relatives in the county.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Coker and small son of near Pampa visited with friends and relatives here during the week end.

Mrs. Howard Rankin and two children and Mrs. Aubrey Duke of Amarillo spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Yarbrough of Rolla, and with friends and relatives in Wellington.

The condition of Mrs. A. R. Pepper, who is receiving treatment in St. Joseph's Hospital, is reported as improving.

Mrs. T. M. Wyrick of Parnell spent last Saturday and Sunday visiting with Mrs. W. L. Scarberry.

Mrs. Aubrey Stuckey of Wichita Falls visited with her sister, Mrs. Iva Richards and family last week end.

Mrs. Earl Smith returned to her home last Tuesday from Clovis, New Mexico, where she attended the wedding of her niece, Katie Burdine, to Sgt. Eldridge Rhoads.

Mrs. Lowell Wells of Amarillo visited her mother, Mrs. G. N. Scruggs, during the week end.

Mrs. Andrew Adcock visited her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Adcock, and son, Jimmie Dwain, in Amarillo Sunday.

Everett Free of Shamrock was a visitor in Wellington Sunday.

Miss Neva Clay visited friends in Childress last week.

Mrs. John Starr and Mrs. John Holton are visiting Mrs. Holton's husband in San Diego, Calif. Mr. Holton is in service at the U. S. Naval Training Station of that city.

Mrs. Andrew Adcock made a business trip to Childress last week.

George Keller, who is employed at the Ritz and Texan Theatres, had the end of his left forefinger cut off when it was caught in a motion picture projector Saturday night.

Ralph Lewis of Wilcox, Calif., is visiting his brothers, Gene and Ernest Lewis, this week.

Mrs. Cleo Templeton spent the week end in Amarillo.

Mrs. L. D. Jeffers spent the week end with her husband who is stationed at Sheppard Field.

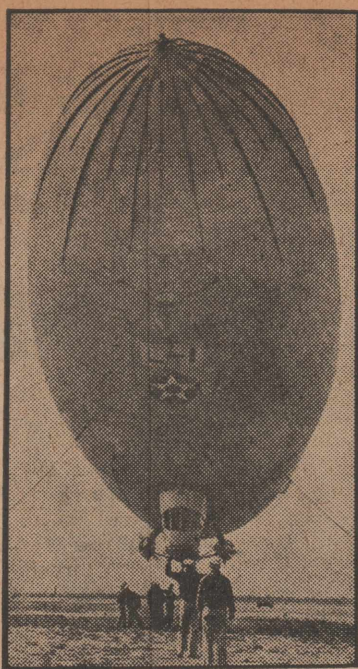
Miss Larlu Hays is visiting her sister, Miss Mary Frances Hays, in Amarillo this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Spears and Bob, Jr., visited Will T. Dukes and family in Memphis Sunday.

Miss Argen Hix left during the week end for Canadian, where she was recently appointed county home demonstration agent. She has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hix.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ezell left last week for Fort Worth to visit. After a few days, Mr. Ezell is going to Austin, where he will do research work on his thesis for his master's degree.

Mrs. E. W. Jones returned home Tuesday from Dallas, where she has been visiting with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Elmer Knox Jones, and her granddaughter, Janet Ann.



## WATCHDOG

Blimps have proven an effective weapon against submarines, and the Navy is expanding its Lakehurst Naval Air Station to train cadets for the job of manning them. One of the big ships is shown taking off on a training flight.

Mrs. Argie Jones of Wichita Falls spent the week end with her father, Ed Blain, and other relatives.

J. G. Nisbett of Dumas was a business visitor in this county Tuesday. He formerly lived at Dodson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hall and daughters, Mrs. Vera Robinson and Mrs. Ora Stafford and children returned Tuesday from a trip to El Paso to visit their son and brother, Leo Hall, who is stationed at Fort Bliss.

L. O. Ruby accompanied his father-in-law, J. B. Barger, on his return home to Stuart, Okla., after a few days visit here.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Owen and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Massey represented Wellington at the Oklahoma-Texas district singing in Vernon Sunday.

Mrs. Louis Madden of Mangum visited Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Graham and family Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. S. W. Hopkins of Hollis visited Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cochran during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Wooldridge, Miss Dela B. Burt and Mrs. J. L. Burt visited Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Gould in Hollis Sunday.

Buddy Forbis was a visitor in Childress Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Saied and sons, V. C. and Mack, Jr., made the trip to Fort Worth and Dallas this week to visit relatives and attend to business.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon White of Hollis visited Mr. and Mrs. Pete White and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Starkey and sons, Doolen and Garry, of Conway visited Mr. Starkey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Starkey, Sunday.

Lieut. and Mrs. Ramond Rallard of Lubbock were visitors here during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Abernethy motored to Hollis to spend the week end with friends.

Jno. Stovall of Canadian and Jake Tartar of Wheeler were in Wellington this week. Both are former Wellington men and are engaged as county agents in their respective counties.

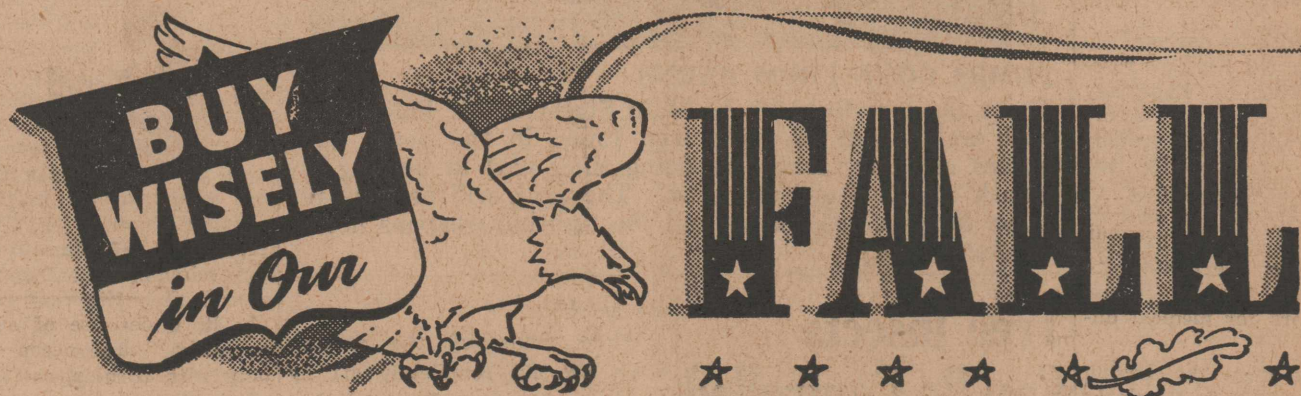
Mrs. Cad Duke of Amarillo spent the week end with relatives and friends in Wellington.

Mrs. A. B. Green and children of Antioch, Calif., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Roberson.

Mrs. Glenn Husband and daughter, Linda, of Los Angeles are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Sparlin.

Mrs. Buster Hughes visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Parker, of Mangum this week.

E. E. Langford and daughter, Mrs. J. B. Smith of Mesa, Ariz., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Langford, Sunday.



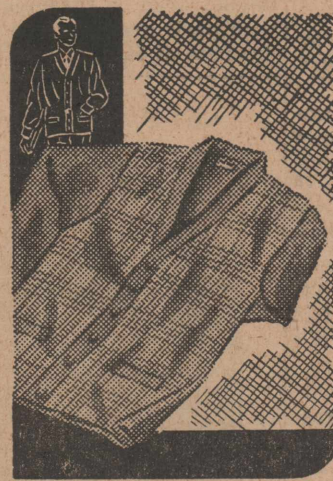
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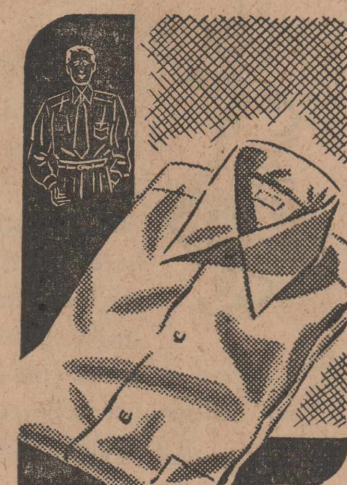
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| <b>PINTO BEANS</b>         | 10 Pounds                 | <b>55c</b>    |
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| <b>PURE PORK SAUSAGE</b>   | Pound                     | <b>29c</b>    |
| <b>BOLOGNA</b>             | Large Size Per Pound      | <b>15c</b>    |
| <b>FRESH HAM</b>           | Sliced, Per Pound         | <b>35c</b>    |
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| <b>TOMATO JUICE</b>        | 46 oz. Can                | <b>23c</b>    |
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## Deck's DIDACTICS

—By Deskins Wells

Congratulations to Paul Cornwell for the part he played in selling war bonds in September. There is no question but what the drive he sponsored by the local theatres had quite a bit to do in enabling this county to go over its quota by 6 per cent. With the crops like they are there is no reason why this county could not make it an increase of 100 per cent over the quota in October.

I read in last week's Paducah Post that 500 cotton pickers moved there in one day last week and either got jobs or moved on to some other county. The Post says that the best picking is winding up in southern counties and more are expected to follow.

Who said that the town children would not pick cotton? The Leader has taken a bunch of pictures and sent them to the engraver. We hope they get back in time to run in this paper. If they do not, they will be in the paper next week. Virginia Robey spent a day out taking the pictures and she says that it is all you need to convince you that the children here in Wellington can and will pick cotton.

Miss Loeva Pierce advanced an interesting thought. She says those children are not primarily interested in how much they make. They think that each pound they pull is doing something to the Nazis and the Japs. Therefore they fight a cotton row like fire. Her opinion is that the intense competition over who pulled the most has a patriotic foundation.

Perhaps she is right. From the scrap drive I am of the opinion that the youngsters have something on their elders in genuine patriotism—the sort that burns with a clear flame.

My mother tells me that in other years the colored folks made a lot of noise on Saturday nights. She could hear them a half a mile away. But this year she says there is silence in the flats. She is wondering if the darkies don't have a sense of the war load that is on all the nation and are doing their best to do their part.

I believe that she is right about the patriotism of the darkies as she calls them in her old fashioned way. But I have another notion about their silence. It may be that they are too tired to let out any noise. Sound and music are part of them. I suspect that they will let it out a few weeks from now. But that does not mean that I don't agree with my mother when she says that darkies sense things. They know that a war is on and you can depend on them to do their part. The answer of the colored registrant who wrote his draft board: "Is ready when youse ready" is typical. In fact all the Negroes are ready. Just assign them some patriotic job to do not as domestic servants but as the part their section of the community should do and see what kind of a response you get.

A lot of new pickers were drifting into the county Tuesday. There will be more in the days to come.

One wise acre remarked that he heard that one Amarillo defense outfit was intending to protest to Washington about the wages that are being paid to cotton pickers in some of the counties to the southeast. They claimed, so he said, that the cotton picker prices were draining men from their essential industry.

Congratulations to G. S. Dowell on the splendid exhibits of the Quail Future Farmers. It amounted to a fair in



Cpl. Truman O. Bradstreet John C. Edmondson J. C. Breeden  
Rendering valuable service to their home county and to the U. S. Army are these three men, now stationed at widely separated points. Cpl. Truman O. Bradstreet, at left, is with the Quartermaster Corps, and stationed at Camp Edwards, Mass. John C. Edmondson, center, is serving in California, while J. C. Breeden, right, is serving somewhere outside the United States, having sailed some months ago from Seattle.

itself. Outside of the window space, nothing was donated. That is something different. But there was something good in seeing all that food and feed that was produced in this war year. Just the sight of it does something to people at any time. It is more significant in a time of war. This county is producing food and fiber—that is what those exhibits say.

Would some of you wives like to help your husbands? Would some of you fathers like to help your daughters who are clerks in the stores? Then for gosh sakes do a little more of your trading in the middle of the week. You will get much better service. The merchants are swamped on Saturday afternoon and night. Furthermore, keep your car off the square Saturday. Observing little things like this will help a lot.

It is interesting to talk to the grocerymen. One butcher said he had about 200 people come in and call for salt pork and bacon that he was not able to supply. Should we get excited over such a condition? What are we hollering about? Isn't too much salt pork in proportion to the rest of our diet one of the causes of ill health? Or is it? Why don't we cure some pork ourselves? Just because hogs on the hoof are so high that you had rather sell them than butcher them for your own use is no reason for letting out a yelp about the fact that you can't buy your favorite sort of packer cured bacon every time you want it. Fundamentally, there is something unsound in a farmer thinking that he has to send to Chicago or Kansas City to get his bacon cured for him. When you think that, you are no longer thinking as a farmer. You are thinking of yourself as a specialized industrialist. And that is what many of you have become. In the old sense you are no more farmers than I am sitting here pounding on this typewriter. Yeah, you are agricultural industrialists now. But, my friends, and I have a deep affection for about 97 per cent of you as individuals—I suspect that you will be called upon to become farmers in the real sense of the word before the war is over.

### Nadine Lindsey Buried Wed.

Nadine Lindsey, the day-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Lindsey of San Angelo died Tuesday evening, October 13, in a local hospital.

She was born here Monday, Oct. 12.

Funeral services were conducted at the Wellington cemetery Wednesday morning at 10 a. m., with Rev. Hadley A. Hall of the Church of the Nazarene in charge.

Surviving are the parents, a brother, Leon Lindsey, and these grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Lindsey and Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Gray.

The Kelso Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

### Legion Social Thursday Night

The American Legion and Auxiliary Unit will hold their regular social Thursday night, October 15, at 8 o'clock, it was announced by Clark Anderson, post commander.

Families attending are asked to bring a covered dish.

All members of these two groups are urged to be present.

### Homemaking Teacher Resigns

Mrs. Fred Bourland, homemaking teacher at the Quail School for the last two years, has resigned that place and will leave in the near future for California.

Mr. Bourland, who is enlisted in the United States Navy, is stationed on the west coast and Mrs. Bourland plans to make her home in California.

### LETTERS FROM MEN IN SERVICE

(Editor's Note: The following letter was written by Paul Coe to his grandmother, Mrs. J. C. Hampton.)

Miami, Florida  
October 4, 1942

Dear Grandmother:

Well, I just discovered that I missed your birthday and didn't send you a telegram or anything. I'll take this opportunity to wish you the best of everything. As you have probably noticed by the loud stationery I am in Florida. They sent me here for a month's pre-operation training before I am sent to San Diego. I hope to get my 15 days leave then and I can come home for a few days.

Mother and Daddy met me in San Antonio on the way here and I had a very enjoyable visit with them. Mary Jo works nights now so we were together a long time.

How is everything with you? I hope that you are still improving and that you can come to Lubbock when I get off. I plan to stop on the way and see Aunt Alice in Dallas. I just wrote Humpy and Bette today. I received such a nice letter from them although it has been quite some time ago.

Grandmother, you would like Florida weather. It is warm and the sun shines all the time. Our base is landscaped and it has green grass all over it.

As an officer we enjoy lots of privileges that we didn't have as a cadet and naturally we get more pay. It seems nice to finally achieve something I have been working so hard for. My best friend was killed a week before I left Corpus on a training hop. He felt that the one thing to do was to try to get the Japs. I know that he felt as I do; that if any

time his life would help defeat the Axis he would have gladly given it and asked for nothing in return. I just pray that the opportunity presents itself for me to even the score.

Grandmother, I have to stop now since it is about time for dinner but I will write again soon and I hope you are feeling fine as this letter reaches you.

Love,

Paul Coe.

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Air Apter. Tr. Command  
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the best feed we know of to make hens give lots of eggs. We think they've got a fine chance to win because they're such good, well-developed birds—and they're so well-fed. Drop in and see 'em. Any time.



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### Uniforms Not Needed

Workers in the surgical dressing department of the Red Cross are not required to wear uniforms to do the work. The only requirements are to wear a wash dress and covering for your hair. Finger nail polish is barred, and hair covering is essential.

Volunteer workers who have been staying away from the rooms because of not having a uniform are urged to come. Your services are needed.

### Tobacco Sacks Wanted

Tobacco sacks are wanted by the Red Cross workers to use in filling the kit bags for the soldiers. Bull Durham sacks or similar ones can be used to place in the kit bags to put sewing equipment in. All those who have sacks available please save them and bring them to the Red Cross rooms.

### Aberdeen W.S.C.S. Studies Christian Leadership

The Methodist W.S.C.S. met at the Aberdeen Church on Monday, October 12, with Miss Leota Ammons in charge. Miss Ammons gave the devotional and Mrs. John Calcote gave an interesting talk on "Christian Leadership Among Women in Latin America."

Two chapters from the "Christian Imperative" was reviewed by Miss Ammons.

The following present were Miss Ammons, Mrs. Calcote and Mrs. M. T. Fletcher.

### Vermell Scott Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Scott are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Vermell, to Cecil Davidson, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Davidson of Dumas and student of West Texas State College in Canyon.

Miss Scott is a home economics major and will receive her Smith-Hughes certificate at West Texas State in the spring.

Mr. Davidson will receive a B. S. degree in chemistry in January. He is a member of Pi Beta Gamma and Type-High fraternities at the college.

The wedding is expected to take place after graduation.

### B-PW Club Gives To Red Cross Kit Bag Drive

The Business & Professional Women's Club met at their regular meeting Tuesday, October 13, in the Pullman Cafe. Miss Katherine Boverie was in charge of the program and Mrs. Cleo Templeton

gave an interesting discussion on W.P.A. work. The group sang several patriotic songs. It was voted that the club donate \$25.00 to the Red Cross for the filling of kit bags for the soldiers.

Those attending the meeting were: Mmes. Jewell Richards, Clay Sullivan, Marguerite McCampbell, Templeton, Misses Katherine Boverie, Viola Hudson, Mary Johnson, Bonnie Willis, Hattie D. Wells, Rose Erisman, Bula Bess Bell, Bessie Rainer, Margaret Shields, Dora E. McClaskey, and Mmes. Mary Gooch, Chillicothe, and Caudia Bengt, guests.

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### TOMATO JUICE 9c

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14 oz. can

### CHICKEN NOODLE SOUP 10c

Large

can

### Wheaties 10c

8 oz. pkg.

### SALAD DRESSING 25c

Full

quart

### LYE 25c

IGA, high test

3 cans for

### SALT 7c

Two

5c packages

### Tomatoes 10c

No. 2 can

### SWEET MILK 10c

fresh pasteurized

per quart

### SODA 5c

IGA

1 lb. box

### Shortening 69c

SPRY—3 lb. can

### SOAP 23c

Crystal White,

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### Steve Owens

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Wellington, Texas

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### Is Your Scrap Ready?

You are urged to take your junk to some junk dealer and sell it, but if you can't haul it yourself arrangements have been made to have it hauled in—

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IF YOU LIVE IN THE COUNTY

Phone 27



## Vocational Ag Students Exhibits Year's Work

"Our exhibits did everything we intended for them to," G. S. Dowell, who with Mrs. Fred Bourland, was in charge of the exhibit of Future Farmer and Future Homemaker work exhibited by Quail students in Wellington Friday and Saturday, October 9 and 10.

These exhibits took the place of participation in a county or community fair, and were shown in display windows of a large group of Wellington merchants.

"The students felt that they should somehow show the public the high type of work they are doing, and to further keep in mind the necessity of superior food production in time of war. After hearing the comments of the county people who saw these exhibits we believe we have accomplished our purpose," Mr. Dowell explained.

Under the direction of Mrs. Bourland, vocational homemaking teacher, Future homemakers installed two windows with typical displays of their work. No prizes were given in this division.

Future Farmers, however, provided their own money for prizes, asked the business men for not one cent, but only that they donate sufficient window space to show the products.

Winning first place for the best booth were Troy and Roy Cass. The second prize went to Harold White, Alvie Clay and Alvin White, while the third prize was awarded to Charles Little and Clyde Emmert.

The same requirements were made in installing these booths that are made in county fairs. Fifteen varieties of vegetables and field products were exhibited in each.

Boys bringing in the largest number of creditable exhibits also received prizes. These included first, C. H. Jones; second, Roy Cass; third, Troy Cass; fourth, Melvin Breeden.

Judges were Truman Jones of the Farm Security Administration and R. E. Byrom of the AAA office.

## Shelterbelt Work Is Continued

FORT WORTH. — Shelterbelt plantings of adapted trees and shrubs, designed to help control soil erosion by wind and afford protection to farm buildings and livestock, will be made in many communities of West Texas and Western Oklahoma next spring by the Soil Conservation Service and cooperating soil conservation districts and farmers, according to a recent announcement by Louis P. Merrill, regional conservator of the SCS at Fort Worth.

In some sections, outside of conservation districts, the Soil Conservation Service will furnish trees from existing nursery stock to replace trees that have died from causes beyond human control. Trees for such replantings will be furnished, however, only where the shelterbelts have received proper care and cultivation, it was emphasized. Trees will be furnished to plant new shelterbelts, outside of soil conservation districts, where plans and agreements had been developed by the U. S. Forest Service and cooperators previous to July 1.

It was estimated by the conservator that approximately one million trees and shrubs will be furnished by the SCS for all shelterbelt plantings next spring. Some 25 species of trees and shrubs adapted to plains conditions will be available.

In 1940 Texas produced 3,000 tons of grapes.

## GOOD NEWS!

You Can Now Have Your Eyes Tested and Glasses Fitted by



DR. M. Z. KING

Registered Optometrist  
Office at Jay Day's  
Jewelry Store  
Every Wednesday  
in  
HOLLIS, OKLA.

## No New Stoves; Check Your Old

AUSTIN. — Because the purchase of some types of new stoves is now limited by government order, Marvin Hall, State Fire Insurance Commissioner, declares it is more important than ever to carefully check stoves and heating equipment before they are placed in use for winter.

"Our used stoves can't be replaced," he said, "and this will require us to get the best service possible out of what we have until the war is over. Fire losses in other years—times when used stoves could be replaced with new ones—have always shown an increase at this season.

"This can be charged to carelessness and hurried installation of stoves at the beginning of fall. It is more important than ever for us to see that our heating equipment is in good condition and will not cause a destructive fire."

To more strongly fortify the "home-front" against fire, Hall recommended:

Carefully check chimneys and flues for holes through which sparks may escape, especially in the attic and at the roof line; clean thoroughly to prevent flue fires. Examine stoves and old pipes for rust holes and loose joints.

Set stoves and furnaces a safe distance from combustible walls and ceilings or protect with shields of asbestos, metal over asbestos or metal separated from combustible surface by an air space.

If metal pipes pass through walls or ceilings protect the woodwork with a ventilated thimble. Use metal mats under stoves.

Ash cans should be of metal and kept covered. Do not place cans near wooden fences, walls or other combustible materials.

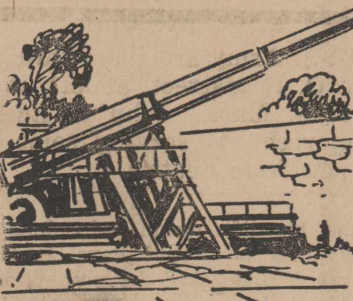
Place screens in front of all open fires. Be sure that window curtains and other combustible household furnishings will not become ignited by keeping them a safe distance from the stove or fire.

Before connecting gas heaters see that all burners are clean and adjusted for the correct mixture of air and gas. Avoid the use of rubber hose connections; use metal connections instead. Never use matches when hunting gas leaks. To detect gas leaks use soapy water and small bubbles will form at the point where gas is escaping.

Livestock raising was the white man's first industry in Texas.

## What You Buy With WAR BONDS

The sixteen-inch coast gun is the most powerful of all American guns and costs about \$2,000,000 each. It will throw a shell weighing up to a ton many miles. The Coast Guard also has an eight-inch mobile railway gun which will hurl a heavy projectile about 18 miles.



For defense of our homes, the Coast Guard needs many of these powerful weapons. You can do your part to help pay for them by investing at least ten per cent of your income in War Bonds and Stamps every payday.

## Community Clubs Postpone Meeting

The Rolla and Houselog community clubs will not meet on their regular dates, due to the excessive amount of work farmers are doing, H. E. Owens, sponsor, announced Monday. The meetings had been planned for the third Thursday and Friday nights of this month.

The new meeting dates will be the third Thursday and Friday of November, he stated.

Truth is a good thing, but you should be careful how you handle it.

So Many Girls Know all about  
**CARDUI**  
Have YOU tried its 2-way help?  
\*See Directions on Label



## NO DINNER

Herman, feathered mascot of the Blue Forces on Second Army maneuvers in Tennessee, needs an armed guard as he walks into the Army kitchen. His friends make sure he won't be a cooked goose.

## Black Infant Buried Sunday

Funeral rites for Johnnie Fay Black, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Black, were conducted at the Wellington cemetery Sunday morning, October 11, by Rev. Hadley A. Hall of the Church of the Nazarene.

The child was born Saturday evening.

Surviving are the parents and these grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hall and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Black of Wellington.

More than 60 per cent of the area of the Southern States is forest land, upon which pine trees are the predominant tree species.

Copper for 4,187 rounds of .50 caliber cartridges is contained in the typical household bronze door hinge, check, and door stop.



## Congratulations Collingsworth!

THIS COUNTY  
EXCEEDED ITS  
SEPTEMBER QUOTA  
OF WAR BONDS  
BY 6 %

## Let's make October another Banner Month!

It is with pride that this bank congratulates the People of Collingsworth County on buying more than their quota of War Bonds in September.

Let's go over the top in a big way in October. With abundant crops and good prices for pork, poultry and cream there is no reason why we can't do the job. Ochiltree County has already raised more than its quota for the entire year of 1942.

Why not complete our year's quota in the next few weeks? It is the safest investment you can make.

**First National Bank**

## RING

By TOMMIE BILL LENTZ

Rev. Shannon of Turkey preached an interesting sermon here Sunday before last, both morning and night.

Young people elected new officers for their Young People's Meeting. Everyone is urged to come every night and take part and help us in this work.

The young people of the community went to the home of Mary Allen Sunday after church for dinner and to spend the afternoon. Those present were Florence, Joe, Clarence and Elveda Ledbetter, Dan Simmons, Marie Peters, Leon and Tommie Bill Lentz, Finis Dobbins, Frances Arne Mote, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Allen and family and Bill Lentz.

Bill Lentz and Bill Allen visited near Swearingen Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Harris and Joyce visited Mr. and Mrs. Orbie Hartman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Riddle and sons of Northfield visited in the community Saturday and Sunday.

We regret losing Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Peters and Marie, who are moving from this community to Wellington to make their home.

The Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday in the home of Mary Frankie McGinnis. Members held a round table discussion and shell-peas during the afternoon. Present were Mrs. Nell Allen, Mrs. Frances Mote, Miss Tommie Bill Lentz and the hostess, Mrs. Frankie McGinnis.

Mr. and Mrs. Orbie Hartman and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Harris

visited Mr. and Mrs. Louis Youree Sunday afternoon.

Joe Ledbetter returned home Saturday after visiting in Greenville for the past few weeks.

Timmie Bill, Leon and Bill Lentz visited in Vernon with relatives over the week end.

There was a party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Mote Friday night. Those present were Marie Peters, Florence, Clarence and Elveda Ledbetter, Mary Allen, Dan Simmons, Tommie Bill Lentz, Finis Dobbins, Leon and Bill Lentz, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Allen and family, and Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Mote and family.

## Two Prisoners To Penitentiary

Two men under sentence to the penitentiary from this county were taken to the state prison at Huntsville Thursday by Sheriff Paul Bell.

The men were Tron Ford, under a five-year sentence on a statutory charge, and J. C. Baker, sentenced to two years on a swindling charge, Sheriff Bell said.

This left only two men in the county jail, and one of those was scheduled to be released Thursday.

When a pretty girl tries to treat a bashful fellow white, he turns red.

Notice To Hog and Poultry Feeders

About two months ago I ordered a trial shipment of Semi-Solid Buttermilk and it has been tried by several of the large feeders and their results have proved beyond a doubt that Vitamized Semi-Solid Buttermilk is a profitable feed for sows and pigs, fattening hogs and all kinds of poultry. Get a trial order and increase production with less feed.

Yours respectfully,

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REV. J. R. LAWSON, Owner & Manager



## What to be scared of at 00 miles an hour

YOU need no cop but your Conscience to set your speed limit at 35 or under. It's better for your country and your car. But best of all... for your engine's life... is to double-cross Wear at 00 miles an hour.

While you decide gingerly to "let her in" after starting up cold... while the speedometer still is motionless... you risk grinding metal particles out of your engine. Or you can take steps against that by having your engine OIL-PLATED now, with your correct Conoco Nth motor oil for Winter.

OIL-PLATING is a sleek lining of lubricant that's skin-fitted to inner engine surfaces by an added modern synthetic in Conoco Nth motor oil — patented. OIL-PLATING can inter-join so closely with the metal it protects that it isn't all quickly draining down to the crankcase. That's why OIL-PLATING can wait up for you—clear up to its topmost point in your engine—all day, all night, all week... all the while you use Nth oil.

Sooner than you're dressed in the morning—sooner than you've locked up

or clocked out at night—your Conoco Nth motor oil will already have your engine OIL-PLATED. Let any oil down in the crankcase below try getting up on the job that fast! Talk about "Safety First"... OIL-PLATING means safety ahead of time! Change now to Winter OIL-PLATING. Your Mileage Merchant's Conoco station knows your seasonal grade of Conoco Nth. Continental Oil Co.

JOIN Elect yourself to the ONCE-A-WEEK CLUB FREE at Your Mileage Merchant's Conoco station. Choose your own regular day to drive in and have him check your tires, oil, radiator and battery. His systematic expert attention means trouble-prevention. He'll report to you in advance on lubrication and anything that he finds you need for the duration of your car.

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## Parsons Drug Co. Observes 6th Anniversary

Parsons Drug Co. is observing its sixth anniversary in Wellington this week. In preparing for this event, Mr. Parsons took occasion to review the progress and development of the store during this time, and particularly the improvements that have been made during the last year.

"You will recall the small stock of merchandise with which we started. We've added to it until our building is full. In fact, when new merchandise come in, we have to look around to see where to put it," Mr. Parsons commented.

Mr. Parsons called attention to the many departments of the store. In addition to the complete drug department and the fountain department, the traditional equipment of drug stores, there is to be found a complete cosmetic department, where preparations have been assembled to meet the needs of every customer.

A gift department begun several years ago, has become one of the outstanding features. Fine crystal and flat silver have a prominent place. Recently, a line of imported English chinaware, now difficult to obtain, has been added, providing a line that is generally found only in city stores.

Diamond rings, watches, and other fine jewelry are an outstanding part of the store.

Mr. Parsons, who is a registered pharmacist, has had a number of years experience in the drug business, although he is still one of the town's youngest business men.

Much care has been taken in training the personnel of the store. Now employed there are Mrs. Neil Braboy, Miss Oneta Graham, Miss Della Faye Coleman, and Chas. Jones, Jr.

"It gives every person in the store a great deal of pleasure to be able to observe this sixth anniversary. Our store has been built on the service that we are able to render you. That will continue to be the prime factor in our development," the owner stated.

Eleven 25c Stamps will pay for one STEEL HELMET. For protection against shrapnel fragments, every soldier needs a steel helmet with its padded inner liner.

## The Leader Needs Pictures Of Men In Armed Service

Does The Wellington Leader have a picture of your son who is in the Armed Service?

If we haven't, we'd like to get one. The Leader already has a large number of these pictures, but there are still many, many more men whose pictures we do not have.

Their friends and your friends will be happy to see their picture in their home town paper at some time in the near future.

There's just a few things to observe, though. The Leader can't promise to return these pictures, so we'd prefer not to take the only one you have of your son in service. If you have a print made, a small gloss finish picture will be fine. Kodak pictures don't turn out very well in a newspaper engraving.

But anyway, we want your son's picture.

## "Some Guy Got My Shoes"

## Abra Man Pearl Harbor Witness To Jap Attack

By Gene Ezzell, U. S. Navy

I have been asked to tell some of my experiences in the war. There's very little a service man can say without giving away Naval information.

I have been in the Navy about two years, was stationed in Pearl Harbor when the little brown guys struck on Dec. 7. Saw the first bomb burst and recognized the rising sun on the planes about the same time.

I'll never forgive the Japs for two things: they gyped me out of a swim at Wikiki Beach, and a light fingered guy stole my shoes some time during the scrap. Being Sunday, our liberty would have started at zero nine hundred (nine o'clock to civilians) and I had visions of a cool swim and a cross-section of a baby beef at a cafe in Honolulu. The little monkeys hit us—hard—at zero seven fifty-five (7:55 a. m.) and that is where my shoes came in, or went out.

The weather permitting, all weather decks are scrubbed in the morning watch, or the period between reveille and breakfast. No self respecting sailor is ever seen with his shoes on while scrubbing down, so all hands stow their shoes at the topside gear locker while scrubbing down.

The bugle sounded chow call, and I went to breakfast in my birthday shoes, went back topside for a smoke and saw the planes

coming.

Soon as we thought the attack was over, I went after my shoes, but some gooney bird had gone South with 'em, and believe me, if ever I see a Jap with a pair of feet the size of mine he is going to lose his shoes. I suppose the guy who got my shoes had the "straight dope" on rubber heels being rationed.

I have seen a lot of water slide under the keel since Pearl Harbor, and I would like to tell the readers of The Leader more about what the Navy has done and is doing now, but regulations forbid it.

I was sent to the Naval hospital at Mare Island, Calif., in July—have been taking the rest cure—and I was lucky enough to get 21 days leave, beginning Sept. 21. Am going back to duty sometime this month, but I have no idea what ship I'll get or where I'll be sent. Kinda keeps a fellow guessing if he is handed a suit of long wool underwear and is told to get a tropical haircut at the same time.

We fellows in the service appreciate the scrap iron drive you people are putting on to help in the war. We need a lot of it and this time it is going to Japan the right way—by plane and gun muzzle in-

stead of on a Jap freighter. So long, folks—see you after the war.

MARELLA

By MRS. PRESTON GILBRETH

Rev. Vernon Jones filled his regular appointment Sunday and delivered a splendid sermon on war.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Scott of Tulsa visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ogletree, Thursday. He is employed in an aircraft plant.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Depauw and son of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Depauw and daughter of Quail visited with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Depauw Sunday.

F. Gilbreth visited with Preston Gilbreth and family Sunday.

We regret that Lawrence Brislin lost his big barn Sunday night by fire. Some livestock and feed also burned.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Claunch and Frank took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. King and family Sunday.

Kenneth King and wife from the Bourland Ranch spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. King.

Cotton is open and some cotton is being pulled, but we are needing pickers very badly. We hope to see pickers coming in soon.

Gene Farmer and wife visited his relatives here last week end. He is stationed at Sheppard Field.

## Sept. Bond -

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assigned quota.

"We did some good work during September, but I want to sincerely urge that in the fall months ahead each person continue very actively in the buying of bonds and stamps to the extent that we will pass the quotas for the remainder of this year," Mr. Wiley said.

Twenty 25c Stamps will pay for one AVIATION FIRST AID KIT. Five hundred bullets recently riddled an American plane—and still she brought her crew safely home.

Twelve 25c Stamps will pay for one COMPASS. The compass your stamps buy may keep a scouting party from wandering by mistake into the enemy lines.

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## WANT AD INFORMATION

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Give us your want ad over the telephone. They are reasonable in cost and get fast results. The Leader maintains a complete classification for the convenience of readers and advertisers.

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Reasonable Price: 1938 Ford Tudor Sedan, with heater and radio. Upholstering good. Tires in reasonably good shape. In good running order. Body finish good. See City State Bank. 14-3-c

FOR SALE—Maytag washing machine at a bargain. Call 438R or see A. S. Wood. 14-1-p

FARM FOR SALE—80 acres, 4½ miles south of town. Write W. D. Forbes, Sudan, Texas. 14-3-p

FOR SALE—Breakfast suit, kitchen cabinet, 2 linoleum rugs, baby bed and buggy. Personality Beauty Shop. 14-1-p

FOR SALE—Registered Jersey Bull, 2½ years old \$125.00. See Marvin Clubb. 14-2-p

80 ACRE FARM For Sale. 1 mile south of Wellington. Mary K. Quante, c/o Sam Turner, Shamrock, route 3. 13-8-p

FOR SALE—A good section of land, two hundred eighty-six acres in cultivation. Good water, and four room house. One-half mile to school bus and daily mail. Seven miles southeast of McLean, Texas. The best buy in the Panhandle. H. E. Franks. 12-4-p

FOR SALE—Wheat drill. \$25. Also one mule. \$25. Will do to gather feed with. C. W. Roberts. 12-4-p

## LOST

LOST—White-faced steer, weighing about 600 pounds, 1 horn gone. Notify Warrick Feed Store. 14-1-c

## MISCELLANEOUS

TIME To Set Out Evergreen, Fruit Trees and Shrubs of all kinds. We have them at reasonable prices. See J. B. Starkey. 13-tfc

MEALS served at Mrs. J. O. Wood's boarding house. Board and rooms available. Dinner served at 12 o'clock. 13-2-c

EYES TESTED—I am able to fit glasses again at my residence in Wellington. Dr. J. H. Loving. 12-4-c

SEE Lewis Cotton for high quality monuments and markers of Granite and Marble. 11th and Bowie. P. O. Box 607 12-4-c

## WANTED

WANTED—Breaking plows for Ford Tractor. P. E. Keenan, Shamrock, Dozier Route. 14-2-p

WANTED TO BUY—Child's or Man's bicycle. Howard Hackler, Wellington Motor Co. 14-1-p

WANTED—100,000 rats to kill with Ray's Rat Killer. Sells for 50c and \$1.00. Harmless to anything but rats and mice. Guaranteed at Pruden Drug. 10-16-p

I AM shipping hogs from Wellington every Tuesday and Wednesday. Will pay you highest possible price for your hogs. Harley Kern phone 411. 32-tfc

WE ARE Paying Top Prices for scrap iron, steel and motor cast. See us before you sell Eads Produce. 10-tfc

## NOTICE

**100F**  
Meets each Thursday Night, 9:00 P. M.  
J. R. Lawson, Noble Grand  
Fred Kersten, Secretary

Stated meeting of Wellington Lodge No. 763 A F & A M second Thursday each month at 8:30 p. m.  
Members urged to attend. Visitors welcome.  
WILBUR LEVEQUE, W. M.  
FRANK ANDERSON, Sec'y.

Who's New In Collingsworth

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Edwards are the parents of a son born Monday, October 5.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. West announce the birth of a son on Wednesday, October 7. The baby weighed eight and one-half pounds and has been named Walter Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Patchell of Quail are the parents of a baby girl. The baby was born Sunday, October 11, and weighed eight and one-half pounds. She has been named Renee Monteen.

Trees are the most suitable crop for about 25 per cent of the land area of the United States. Actually, however, trees are growing on about 33 per cent of this country's total acreage.

There is a very narrow margin between keeping your chin up and sticking your neck out. People who arrive with the greatest fanfare usually leave earliest.

## Substitute Jar Tops Available

Although zinc jar tops, like so many other metal items, will soon disappear, housewives can convert to war standards with little trouble.

An excellent substitute for the zinc top, fixture of home canning since pioneer days, is available in

a porcelain closure with a steel rim.

Prohibition of the use of zinc enclosures for jars and bottles was effective October 10 under WPB order. This will save more than 35,000 tons of brass badly needed for ammunition.

One newly-developed machine at a bomber plant performs 10 boring operations simultaneously, cuts a day's work to two hours, saves \$1,000 per plane.



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**YAMS** No. 1 East Texas — PECK **45c** BUSHEL **1.60**

**CABBAGE** Pound **3c** **APPLES** Peck **49c**

**CRANBERRIES** Quart **21c**

**CORN FLAKES** Campbell's—3 FOR **25c** **WHEATIES** Package **10c**

**ORANGES** Dozen **15c**

**FLOUR** Vallance 48 lb. Sack **\$1.69**  
Special 24 lb. Sack **85c**

**FRESH LIVER** Beef or Pork Pound **25c**

**PURE PORK SAUSAGE** Pound **27c**

**KRAFT DINNER** Package **9c** **SOAP, P & G** or Crystal White—6 BARS **25c**

**COFFEE** White Swan LB. **34c** 3 LBS. **98c**

**CREAM STYLE CORN** No. 2 Cans **10c**

**PICKLES** Sour or Dill Quart **19c**

**SYRUP** Staley's Golden 10 Pound Can **75c**

**MATCHES** Diamond—Six box carton **29c** **SALMON** Pink, Tail Can **23c**

**SALAD DRESSING** Challenger Quart **23c**

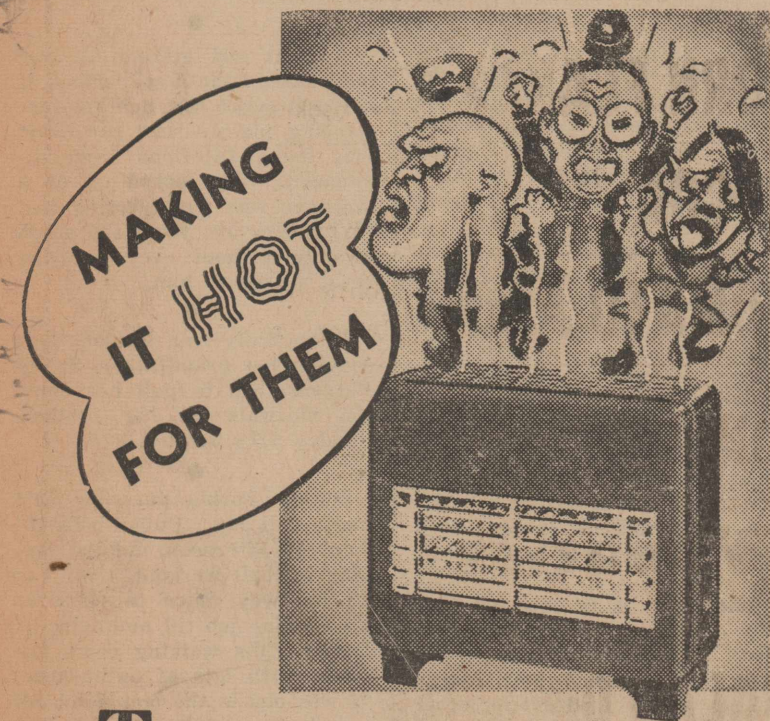
**OATS** White Swan, SMALL SIZE **10c** 3 POUNDS **25c**

**PANCAKE FLOUR** 50 Ounce package **20c**

**BINDER TWINE** Per Ball **93c**  
6 BALL BALE **\$5.50**

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**THE METALS** that used to go into gas heating equipment are going to war in the form of guns, bombs, tanks, planes. They are "making it hot" for the Axis.

★ Fortunately, however, your Dealer still has a supply of late models available. If you are in need of a heater, see your Dealer's stock and ask him if you are qualified to buy.

★ If you own heating equipment, take the best possible care of it, for it may have to last for the duration. Have your Plumber-Dealer inspect it, make necessary repairs and install it before winter begins.

★ Because of shortage of man-power and tires, it is important to have this work done NOW, and avoid the usual last-minute rush.

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## Editorial

Congressman Roy O. Woodruff, Republican, of Michigan, undertook in a speech Thursday to fix upon the president the blame for the confusion that attends the war effort in Washington. He was replying to the president's recent assertion that congress is far behind the remainder of the country in its war thinking. Among the facts he cited in defense of congress was that the president has been voted all the money and authority for which he has asked.

No observer of the scene at Washington would deny that Mr. Roosevelt has made mistakes in his administration of the war effort. There have been enormous blunders—the rubber situation is perhaps the most conspicuous example—and there has been lost motion. But the big difference between Mr. Roosevelt's mistakes and those of congress is in the spirit in which each has acted. The fact that has put congress in a bad light before the people of this country is that its members have thought more of the November election than of winning the war. They have yielded to pressure groups, they have played petty politics, they have displayed neither courage nor earnestness in war legislation. The country does not acquit Mr. Roosevelt of responsibility for much that has gone wrong; but it knows that he has displayed a far better spirit, a far higher purpose, than congress has manifested.—Wichita Daily Times.

Boys in the Army are asked to fill out questionnaires concerning their views of Army life. Practically all will vote, no doubt, for tougher top sergeants and longer hikes.

The population of France seems to be equally divided between Nazi hostages and Nazi stooges.

Congressmen are worried about the fate of little businessmen because they suddenly realize that the nation's small business is really big business.

The voice of Adolph is still sweet to ears which are unaccustomed to music.

And the Japs, they don't know whether they are striking or being stricken.

## OTHER EDITORS SAY--

### • No Need For Tramps

There are still some tramps on the road. There are still some men who come to Quanah and strike houses for the housewife to feel them. At the present time there is no excuse for any man being hungry. There is less excuse for any man being without a job. When the hobo calls at the back door, the officers should be called and that individual investigated. Officers in every town in the state are considering the possibility of taking all tramps off highways for investigation. The man who is hungry and has no job nowadays certainly needs investigation.—Quanah Tribune-Chief.

### • Farms To Let?

Will there be farms going a-begging for renters next year. Is it possible that the shortage of farm labor is going to be so pronounced and the effects of gasoline rationing going to be so severe that a man will be afraid to commit himself to making a crop, even at good prices? Some such may happen. Consider that the labor of a thousand of the ablest men of the county has been drained off into other types of work and that men who are left are not equal to the occasion and you have something to think about. Also what about a man who has been trying to handle a bunch of cows and hogs, feeding them and market either cream and swine or calves and swine, and farm all at the same time. Will he get the job done by himself? No need to answer. We are going to find out from actual experience in the year of 1943.—Homer Steen in The Floyd County Hesperian.

### • We Are Not Complacent

Every few days some commentator, some columnist or some high official in Washington will assert that the "people are too complacent," that they need to wake up, that this is total war, that we must realize we are just beginning to fight.

This newspaper disagrees with those statements 100 per cent. The people are NOT complacent, they are awake, they realize the danger, of the Nation, and are willing and anxious to do something about it.

The people, in fact, are far ahead of our elected leaders whose responsibility it is to prosecute the war. The sooner they realize it, from the lowest official to the president, the faster the war will progress.—Lloyd Glover of the Pharr Press.

### • The Useful Useless Tail

You remember the fox who got his tail cut off by carelessly getting it caught in a trap, and he argued all the other foxes should cut off their useless tails . . . those Eastern Yankees feel the same way about gasoline. They never gave a thought to the fact that out here in these wide open spaces it is nothing for a man to drive twenty miles just to buy a loaf of bread and five pounds of coffee. Our world out here is larger than theirs, and it will take more of the plentiful gasoline to carry on daily work, and we hope allowance will be made on this basis.—W. C. Stewart in The Electra Star.

The WAAC's are proving to be good soldiers as well as good housekeepers. They now aim guns instead of rolling pins.

Our forces at Guadalcanal are outnumbered 10 to 1, but the Marines are still shouting "Send us more Japs."

## I Give You Texas

—By BOYCE HOUSE

Abraham Lincoln grew up in an era of story-telling; it was an art, story-telling was, in an age when there was very little of the theatre and very few books, declared Carl Sandburg, America's greatest living writer, who wrote the monumental life of Lincoln. (This columnist heard Sandburg lecture in Denton a while back.)

The laughter of Lincoln, said Sandburg, ranged from the lively stable variety at one end to ironies at the other—a bitter, twisted laughter.

After the second Battle of Bull Run, Lincoln was telling one joke after another. When someone in the group remonstrated, the President exclaimed, "My God, man! Don't you see if I didn't laugh, I'd have to cry."

Sandburg gave the impression of one who knew Lincoln personally, intimately deeply—as indeed he does; though, of course, the poet-biographer never saw his hero. Honey phrases and human incidents enlivened the discourse, as when the speaker told of the Lincoln-Douglas debates and Douglas' effort to confuse terms, which caused the gaunt rail-splitter to remark, "Judge Douglas would have you think that a horse chestnut is the same as a chestnut horse."

Then there was the time that a woman, weighing 118 pounds, visited the White House, and Lincoln greeted Harriet Beecher Stowe, (author of 'Uncle Tom's Cabin') with:

"So you're the little woman who started this great war" and during the conversation, the President remarked, in the language of his boyhood, "I like a wood fire; we always had one to home."

One of the best of Sandburg's Lincoln stories was the one about a citizen of Springfield who had known Abe there and who visited the White House. He asked his host, "How does it feel to be President?" Lincoln answered, "I'm like the man who was tarred and feathered, then ridden on a rail, and he said, 'If it wasn't for the honor, I'd just as soon walk.'"

Sandburg compared the burdens and responsibilities of the Presidency for Lincoln and for Franklin D. Roosevelt, adding that he had given the above story to Roosevelt and the President countered with one about the colored preacher and the colored deacon:

The preacher said, "De wicked am going to burn."

"Amen, brudder, amen," said the deacon.

"De wicked am gwine to burn in hell-fire."

"Amen, you is right."

"Yes, de wicked am gwine to burn in everlastin' fire."

"Oh, no, brudder," exclaimed the deacon, "not everlastin' fire—de human constitution can't stand everlastin' fire!"

## BRIEF TOPICS

Marble is found throughout limestone areas in Texas, a large amount of which is adaptable to inferior and exterior construction purposes. Much of the limestone and marble of Texas is of rare beauty.

Waste kitchen fats make glycerine, which is the propelling force for bombs and bullets. Save your waste kitchen fats and help fire the guns.

In most instances fire could have been prevented, or at least the destruction reduced, if adequate precautions had been taken in time.

A great variety and volume of limestone, marble, sandstone, granite, basalt and other sedimentary and igneous stones are found in many regions of Texas.

There are not nearly so many complaints about the weather as there would be if the government regulated it.

In 1940, Texas had 85 per cent of the Angora goats in the United States and produced 86 per cent of the nation's mohair.

The United States steel industry thus far in 1942 has turned out 49,719,071 net tons of ingots and steel for castings, which is within 2 per cent of production in the whole of 1917, the peak year in World War I.

When work in U. S. Forest Service nurseries was discontinued in the Texas Panhandle, 96,000 young trees were distributed among 11 counties. Hansford County alone received 7,000 for 30 windbreaks.

## TICKLERS . . . . . By Hayes



"We don't have a chance since he got that portable radio."

## On The Home Front

Food, shelter, clothing and transportation represent the Home Front essentials while most of everything else goes to war. And of the four essentials certain maximums will have to suffice for civilians.

During the last week while points concerning some of the maximums were being worked out, interest in all of the essentials except clothing was high.

FOOD—All civilians are asked to "share the meat" by going on a volunteer 2½ pounds per person per week ration pending enforced rationing about next February. Although price control now has been extended to all but about 10 per cent of the average food basket, certain adjustments in prices are being made to eliminate inequities.

SHELTER—Nationwide rent control was ordered. Areas already designated will have enforced control as soon as the Office of Price Control can take necessary steps. Control in all other areas will be possible on and after December 5.

TRANSPORTATION — The Office of Defense Transportation and the OPA announced that the national policy for mileage-gasoline rationing will be to keep cars rolling by saving every tire mile possible for essential use to help the war effort.

The voluntary "share the meat" ration will not be entirely simple if each person is honest with himself and his country. The ration does not apply to light meat eaters, infants, invalids, and old people. But those who have been averaging more than the ration must eat larger quantities of foods with nourishment values similar to the "red meats"—fruits, cereals, dry beans, soybeans, peas, peanuts, milk and cheese, poultry, fish, eggs and the like. Meat bones, included in the ration quota, will go more than ever into soup stocks and there will be servings of such things as kidneys, brains and hearts, which are not on the ration list, more often.

Farmers who slaughter their own meats and butchers who handle them are obligated to keep the same rations as the rest. In addition to meat conserva-

tion, housewives are urged to store up foods for the coming year while farms and home gardens are still yielding fruits, tomatoes, cabbages, and a wide assortment of root crops. Jars, shelves and storage bins should be filled up with home grown and home canned products to supplement the nation's limited commercial supply.

Through another form of rationing, controls over coffee were tightened during the week with the quota delivery system extended to all restaurants and retailers, most of whom were not previously subject to restriction. Sales and use will be subject to percentage allotments.

As for the changing price control picture, the OPA announced a new alternative pricing formula which food stores and wholesalers may use to determine their ceiling prices if they are being "squeezed" by their March highest prices. Housewives will observe effects of the new formula in two ways—first, slightly higher prices—a cent or two for the most part—for the affected foodstuffs in those stores which have been squeezed severely under the March ceiling; and second, the reappearance on the shelves of these same stores of many brands and products that have been in scant supply or missing entirely.

The regulation, effective Oct. 15, applies only to the following groups of foods—breakfast cereals, canned fish, cooking and salad oils, sugar, canned vegetables, coffee, rice, hydrogenated shortening, other shortening, dried fruits, and lard. Wholesalers must complete their adjustment period progresses and additional stores restock at higher net wholesale prices retail price advances will be in greater evidence.

However, it is expected that the majority of distributors—both wholesale and retail—will continue to find their March prices on the food groups other than lard and dried fruits more attractive on most items and will retain them. The new ceilings are optional on all the food groups listed except lard and dried fruits. The new formula must be used for the latter two.

## I Saw

—By VIRGINIA ROBEY

Betty Evelyn Curry doing her best to control her black and white dog, which was supposed to be following her quietly on a leash, but who was certainly trying to work up a fight with another dog sitting on the sidewalk. . . . George Richards saying that the Bonds bought with the money from the Victory Dance at Cross Roads goes for the benefit of all Collingsworth County men in service who might need it, and not just those from Cross Roads.

Heard: That Misses Effie and Zeffie Childress, Mrs. Alda Wynn and Mrs. Bobbie Burch, all teachers in Wellington, joined their students and went out to pick cotton the day after school turned out. No report on the results.

Mrs. H. E. Lindley who was looking after the picking in two fields, riding horseback in order to keep up with what was going on in both places. One of those who volunteered to hire school children if the schools dismissed, she had about 20 of them in one field.

Mrs. Ervin Brewer saying that all summer her husband refused a vacation, saying he wanted it in the fall. The vacation is here, and they're spending it picking cotton. "I tell folks that this is our nice trip to the mountains," she says.

Jamie Thomson, the seven-year-old son of Rev. and Mrs. Hubert Thomson, picked hard and fast for two days. The third day it wasn't any fun, so after he'd weighed up nine pounds in his sack, he quit the whole thing and came home.

J. E. Cooper rocking his tiny daughter to sleep down at the studio one day. . . . Mrs. John Vaughan, here for the wedding of her brother, A. J. Fires and Helen Maxwell, going with her father, Chester Fires on some errands.

Curtis Marchbanks, Doug Johnson, Billy Matthews and Ocie Raper putting a gun in their car and driving off to hunt something. Rabbits maybe.

A local girl getting an air-mail letter from a soldier out of her post office box, and her face showing plainly that her heart was doing flip-flops from excitement. She looked up at a stranger who was meeting her. "Why, how are you," she asked happily without ever realizing she'd spoken to him.

Little Sally Ann Parsons persuading her grandfather, Sandy Parsons, Sr., to pull her down the sidewalk on her brother, Sanddy III's scooter.

Buddy Forbis guessing he'd had a full day. Pulled bolts till 3 in the afternoon, did the regular football workout, then was on his way down to work at his regular job till midnight. . . . Dewey Ellis walking down the street with lots of enthusiasm. "I was out in the boll patch all morning, and I haven't felt better in a long time."

## Odd Bits Of News

An angler said to a friend: "Yes, the fish I caught was too small to fool with, so I got a couple of men to help me throw it back into the water."

There was either oil production or active leasing and drilling in all but three counties in Texas in 1940.

There were 228 dairy products factories in operation in Texas during 1939, making products valued at more than \$27,000,000.

A railroad locomotive, quickly parked outside a war plant's fence and connected to the factory's team lines, supplied power and saved precious time recently when split boiler tubes threatened to stop production.

## TEST YOUR I. Q.

Since Pearl Harbor, the Hawaiian Islands have been much in the news. Can you answer these questions about them?

1. How many Hawaiian Islands are there?
2. How many are inhabited?
3. They are known as the \_\_\_\_\_ of the Pacific.
4. What famous active volcano is located there?
5. What is the capital of Hawaii?

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## The Spirit Of '42



## JINGLET . . . . . by Al Posen



U. S. Treasury Department.

—Courtesy CHICAGO TRIBUNE SYNDICATE





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So when you say "10 percent," we say "That's the stuff! That's our target here at home! Let's go! We'll hit the bull's-eye every month!"

So count us in and count up the War Bonds we buy to show our money is on the right side. And if the War or Navy Department could paint "Collingsworth County" on a bomb bound for Tokyo or Berlin, we'd be mighty proud. They would know Collingsworth is in there fighting! Attacking! Winning!

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# Society News

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The Wellington Leader

Thursday, Oct. 15, 1942

## Katye Burdine Weds Sgt. Rhodes At Clovis, N. M.

Miss Katye Burdine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Burdine of Melrose, became the bride of Sgt. Eldridge Rhodes, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Rhodes of Woodland, Calif., Friday night at eight o'clock. The ceremony was read in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Burgett, 1100 Merriweather street, with the Rev. E. J. Speegle officiating. Miss Johnye Burdine, sister of the bride, and Sgt. Clifford Buck were the attendants.

The bride was attired in a street length dress of blue velvet trimmed in white lace and carried a white satin Bible with white gardenias. Mrs. Burdine, the mother and the bridesmaid wore corsages of red roses. Misses Cleo Droke and Johnna Droke sang "Because I Love You" and "I Love You Truly" before the ceremony. Miss Anna Jean Smoke, pianist, played the wedding march. The bride was given in marriage by her father. A reception was held in the library of the high school following the wedding. Mrs. R. M. Dolan presided at the punch bowl and Miss Johnye Burdine at the guest book.

The decorated two-tiered cake was cut by the bride. Mrs. Earl Smith of Wellington assisted in serving the wedding cake. Sgt. and Mrs. Rhodes left Saturday for Woodland, Calif., for a visit with the groom's parents. Sgt. Rhodes will return to Albuquerque where he is stationed with the glider school, and Mrs. Rhodes will return to her duties with the A.A.A. office at Melrose.

## LILLIE

By MRS. G. D. THOMAS

Cotton pulling seems to be the order of the day in Lillie community. The gin has been humming all week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baber and Mr. and Mrs. Chares Baber and son of Houston spent the past week in the O. R. Spears home. Mr. and Mrs. R. Feemster visited in the Ora Cowell home at Quail Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Graham visited in the Arthur Roberson home at Quail Sunday. Mrs. James Martin and daughter left Monday for their home in San Diego, Calif., after visiting relatives in this community.

Mrs. S. E. Brown returned home from Hereford Wednesday. She has been visiting in the Ethel Ward home.

Miss Letha Lowe, who is teaching at Fieldton, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lowe.

We are glad to report Mrs. Beatrice Jenkins is better at this writing, although she is still in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barbee of Las Cruces, New Mexico, moved here last week. He is employed at the Lillie Gin.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pritchard and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pritchard and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barbee visited in the Lonzo Cartwright home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Horton and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carreker were Sunday guests in the Dude Bruce home.

## LOCO

By MILDRED RAY

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith of Chantute Field, Ill., visited friends in Loco. Mr. Smith is a mathematics instructor at the Army Airfield at that place.

Clifton Brewer of Pampa was visiting friends in Loco Sunday. Mrs. Cecil Lockhart and family visited in McQueen, Okla., Sunday.

The Loco Club will meet with Mrs. Oscar Daugherty Friday afternoon.

The small daughter of Mrs. W. W. Hagerman received severe burns when she was standing in front of a stove Sunday morning.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Sasser during the week end were their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hite, and son, Jessie Lee of Wichita Falls; also a daughter, Mrs. J. W. Rockett, and daughter Evelyn, of Dallas, and Mrs. Sasser's mother, Mrs. Jess Willard, of Hereford. These relatives comprised four generations in the Sasser home.

## Personal

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Clark and daughter, Sandra, of Dallas were week end visitors in Wellington.

Mrs. S. A. Brown returned last week after a visit in New Mexico. Archie Roberts spent several days in McLean last week.

Mrs. C. C. Ralls and Mrs. Julia Muse visited A. J. Laycock in Shamrock Sunday.

Robert McWhirter and daughter, Rosemary, of Los Angeles visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McWhirter, this week.

Mrs. Orval Clark and son, Gary, of Fort Wood, Arthur Ellis and daughter, Jerry Ann, and Miss Mary Clark of Wichita Falls visited Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Clark and family last week.

Mrs. Jack Van Bebber of Lubbock spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Baldwin, and other relatives.

Mrs. Roland Bryan returned recently from an extended visit with her mother, Mrs. T. E. Kizer, of San Diego. Mrs. Bryan also visited her brother and other relatives in California.

Misses Marie Rainey and Nell Ponder of Samnorwood spent the week end with Miss Wanda June Craven.

Mrs. S. F. Hughes returned last week from a visit with relatives in Miami, Arizona.

## Rebekahs To Have Tacky Party Monday Night

Mrs. Morgan Tucker, reporter of the Rebekahs, announced a tacky party and picnic supper for the next meeting of the membership on Monday, October 19. The meeting will begin at 8:30 o'clock at the I.O.O.F. hall. Mrs. C. A. Dennis, Noble Grand, will be in charge of the program.

All members are invited to be present and bring a picnic lunch.

## ROUNDUP

By THELMA W. JOHNSON

Miss Florence Johnson was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Fletcher of Aberdeen Monday.

June Raper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Raper has been ill with an infected tooth. Her condition is not regarded as much improved.

Mrs. Della Purdy spent Tuesday with Mrs. Thressa A. Johnson.

A. O. Sweat of Mineral Wells is spending several weeks with his daughter, Mrs. Chesley Boykin and family of this community. Mr. Sweat formerly lived in this county.

Misses Dorothy and Vergie Raper spent Sunday evening with Miss Lee Ada Webb.

Cleve Marchbanks spent Sunday evening with Bob Johnson.

Billie Matthews, Curtis Marchbanks, and Doug Johnson were dinner guests of Ocie and T. C. Raper, Jr., Sunday.

Curtis Marchbanks spent Saturday night with Billie Matthews.

The Roundup Sunday School has been changed from afternoon to morning. The services will start at 11 o'clock next Sunday. We invite everyone to attend.

## Mrs. H. Combs New Member Book Club

Mrs. J. F. Johnson, president of the Book Club, presided Tuesday afternoon at a call meeting of the group in the county library. The session was called to elect a new member to take the place of Mrs. Frank Campbell. Mrs. Herschel Combs was elected to fill Mrs. Campbell's vacancy.

The quarterly social meeting will be held the last of October with the following hostesses: Mrs. Jones Singley, Mrs. J. B. Stevenson, Mrs. T. J. Way, Mrs. Deskins Wells, Miss Bonnie Willis and Miss Hattie D. Wells. At this time new books will be circulated for the year. Each of the twenty-four members will enter a new book for circulation, which will supply each one with a new book twice a month.

## Scavenger Hunt Entertains Sub Deb Club

The Sub Deb Club entertained Monday evening for their dates with a scavenger hunt. The couples met at the home of Mildred Walker and received instructions. The group hunted for everything from soap wrapper to different colors of button and sewing thread.

When the time was up Miss Pollyanna O'Neil and Junior Melton brought in the nearest complete collection of required articles. They were awarded prizes of candy bars for their effort.

Refreshments were served at the J. L. Walker home to the following: Allene Raburn, Pollyanna O'Neil, Pearl Ball, Mary Lou Williams, Dorothy Jane Riggs, Mary Olga Kennedy, Louise Ward, Faye Moore, Junior Melton, Charles Roberts, "Curly" Brewer and the hostess, Mildred Walker.

## DOZIER

By MRS. ROY BILLINGSLEY

The warm sunshine of last week sure opened the cotton. Everyone is busy in their fields.

Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Voyles and baby and John and Rhea Cunningham, who are former residents of Dozier, returned to their homes in California after a week's visit here with Mrs. Voyles and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Blackie Sechrist and little daughter are here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sechrist and other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Sechrist live in California.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Willoughby and baby and Mrs. Merrick visited Saturday night and Sunday at Cheyenne, Okla., with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Nig Clark and children of McLean were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clark.

Ben Francis returned to an Army Camp in Georgia Tuesday.

Second Lieutenant Robert Caperton, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Caperton, was here Thursday for a few hours visit. He was on his way to New Orleans, La., for his new assignment.

Miss Dorris Clay visited Saturday night and Sunday with Margaret Billingsley.

Misses Lottie and Dolly Clay spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Truman Bradstreet and Billy Bradstreet.

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## J. H. McNabb Family Holds Reunion Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McNabb were hosts Sunday, October 11, at a family reunion in their home. The occasion was also to celebrate the birthday of their granddaughter, Velma Bunch of Miller Grove, Texas.

Six of their seven children were present. They were Lee McNabb of Emory; Mrs. F. Branch, Mrs. W. F. Bunch of Miller Grove; Mrs. J. H. Havron, Mrs. Lewis Tingle and Mrs. Royce Campbell of Wellington. One daughter, Mrs. H. K. Matney of Pleasant Grove, Arkansas, was unable to attend.

The following grandchildren were present: Velma Bunch, Miller Grove; Vernia Jo Havron, Norma Jean Havron, Rondell Glen Havron, and Roy Dean Havron. Three great-grandchildren present were

## Mrs. Stella Mattox Hostess To W. M. U. Circle 2

Circle No. 2 of the W. M. U. of the Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Stella Mattox Monday afternoon. The business session was under the leadership of the president, Mrs. C. C. Bishop.

Mrs. J. W. Harper led the Bible lesson for the afternoon. Refreshments were served to Mmes. T. E. Benge, C. C. Bishop, Lee Fortenberry, J. W. Harper, L. A. Moore, J. C. Whisenant and Mrs. Mattox.

Billy Ray Branch, Donald Lee Branch and Novell Branch.

Other relatives and friends present were Mrs. J. L. Branch, Lewis Tingle, J. H. Havron, Royce Campbell, Mrs. Sherman Branch, Mrs. Iva Crossland, Mrs. Lee Campbell, Joe Havron of Rush Springs, Oklahoma.

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## Home Ceremony Unites Helen Maxwell And A. J. Fires

Miss Helen Maxwell, daughter of Mrs. Lola Maxwell, became the bride of A. J. Fires, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Fires in a beautiful home ceremony Sunday morning, October 11, at 9 o'clock. The Rev. E. J. Norman officiated in the home of the groom's parents.

An archway entwined in ivy and blue morning glories framed the improvised altar. Floor baskets filled with white cosmos and morning glories were arranged around the floor candelabra on either side of the archway. The fireplace in the background was decorated with candles and a bowl of pink and blue feverfew.

The bride entered with the groom. Her wedding dress was of white satin fashioned with a torso length waist and gathered skirt. The sweetheart neckline was edged in white net rushing and tiny covered buttons trimmed the blouse. The long fitted sleeves ended in a point over the wrist. Her fingertip veil of net was caught with a halo embroidered in seed pearls. She carried a shower bouquet of white chrysanthemums, sweetpeas and tube roses.

The bride's sister, Miss Glennis Maxwell, was maid of honor and Reese Norman served as best man. Miss Billie Lee Burton of Goodwell, Oklahoma, and Conrad Melton lighted the candles.

## Wedding Music

Mrs. Frank Anderson played the wedding music. She accompanied Miss Jean Anderson who sang "I Love Thee." Mrs. Anderson played "To a Wild Rose" throughout the ceremony.

The bride attended Wellington High School graduating in the class of 1941. Since her graduation she has been employed at Parsons Drug Co. and The Ritz Theatre.

The groom is the grandson of the late Judge A. J. Fires of Childress. He attended school in Wellington, graduating in the class of 1940, after which he attended Texas Tech one year and is now engaged in the ranching business with his father.

## Wedding Reception

Immediately following the wedding a reception was held for the wedding guests. The bride and groom cut the first piece of wedding cake. Mrs. John Vaughan, sister of the groom, served the cake and Mrs. Paul Cornwell served punch.

The table was centered with an arrangement of sweetpeas in a blue bowl flanked by pink candles. Crystal appointments and napkins, printed in gold with the bride's and groom's names and

## Mrs. Eula Longino And R. M. Stone Wed October 10

Mrs. Eula Longino of Midland was married to R. M. Stone of Amarillo on Saturday, October 10, at 4 o'clock p. m. at the First Baptist Church in Plainview. The Rev. Loyd Reavis read the ceremony.

Mrs. Stone, a former Wellington resident, has made her home away from here for the past five years. She is a daughter of the late Judge P. W. Myers, and a sister of Mrs. Howard Riggs and Mrs. H. M. Longino.

Mr. Stone is a mechanical engineer. Mr. and Mrs. Stone are making their home at the Hilton Hotel in Plainview temporarily.

Mrs. Stone's daughter, Mrs. Raymond Wilson and Mr. Wilson of Happy were present for the wedding.

wedding date, added to the beauty of the service. The tiered cake was decorated in white rosebuds and doves. It was topped with a miniature bride and groom in an archway of lilies of the valley.

After the reception the couple left for a wedding trip in South Texas. For her going away dress, the bride wore a salute blue velvet trimmed in brown dyed squirrel. Her accessories were brown and she wore a shoulder corsage of chrysanthemums and tube roses.

The following attended the wedding and reception: Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Harper, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Watts, Mrs. Lola Maxwell, Kenneth, Dean and Freddie Maxwell, Austin O'Neil, Jr., Peggy and Patty Cornwell, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cornwell, Mr. and Mrs. Fleet Pruden, Denzil Bevers, Chama, New Mexico, O. D. Holton, Chama, New Mexico, Pete Molton, Glenis Maxwell, Billie Lou Burton, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Campbell, Frankie Sue Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Miller, Childress, Mrs. J. A. Leslie, Childress, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hunter, Della Fae Coleman, Claudine Melton, Pearl Ball, Reece Norman, Jimmie Holder, Charles Hajek, George Keller, Jean Anderson, Mrs. Frank Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Campbell, Tommy Ann Campbell, Henry Leslie, Childress, Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Johnson, Walter Johnson, Mrs. John Vaughan, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Ward, Rev. E. J. Norman and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Fires, hosts.



# LETTERS FROM MEN IN SERVICE

(The letter below was written to M. P. Watkins of Wellington by Elton Abel, who is now stationed in England with the U. S. Air Forces.)

Dear Fatty:

Just a word to let you know that I am now in England, feeling fine, and not the least bit homesick.

The people here are very friendly and there are lots of things of interest to see whenever I have a pass, therefore I am enjoying myself very much.

I am very sorry I haven't written to you much sooner, but I have moved about a great deal in the past few weeks and really haven't had time to write. I think of you real often and shall always remember you as a very dear friend.

I sincerely hope you are feeling well, and that all your business transactions, etc., are coming along just as you would like for them to.

After first arriving here I had a jolly hard time learning the value of different kinds of British money, but I have learned enough by now that I would be pretty hard to figure out of a shilling, which incidentally equals about 20 cents in American money.

Because of strict censoring there isn't a great deal I can write about, therefore please excuse this very short letter. I will write to you more often in the future and keep you posted on how I am getting along.

Give my regards to all my friends in dear old Wellington, and tell them we will all hurry home as soon as we lick Jerry again. Cheerio.

Your pal,

Lightning.

P. S.—Tell Pat and Harold I said hello and that if they could find time to write me a few lines I would certainly enjoy hearing from them. Tell Lon and family I said hello and give my best regards to your wife.

Fort Riley, Kansas

October 3, 1942

Mr. Deskins Wells

Wellington, Texas

Dear Sir:

I received my first copy of The Wellington Leader today, and was sure glad to get it. I want to thank Dr. Jones for making it possible for me to get it. I assure him his kindness and thoughtfulness shall always be remembered.

The Army is not like I had it figured at all. I thought it was going to be plenty tough, but it isn't that way at all. Some things are a little hard to take but you find that anywhere you go.

I enjoy my small part that I am doing for my country and wish I could do more.

There are three things that a soldier looks forward to, they are payday, chow, and mail call. But I believe mail call is the greatest of the three and you would if you could see the boys when it is called.

The best of luck to everyone.

Sincerely yours,

Pvt. Cecil W. Cummings  
Tr. B. 2nd Sq. CRTC  
Fort Riley, Kansas  
Bldg. 2052, U. S. Army

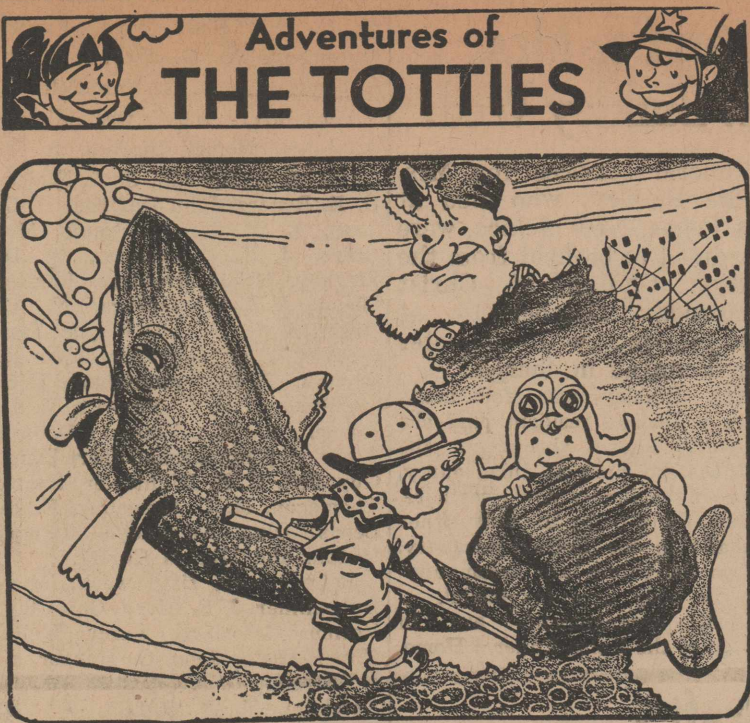
(Editor's note: Following is a V-Mail letter received from J. K. Porter by his parents, Eld. and Mrs. E. L. Porter.)

Somewhere in England

September 13, 1942

Dear Mamma and Everybody:

I have several letters on the way to you but this one is likely to get there first. I am doing alright here, getting plenty to eat and working most of the time. I got a pass the other day and went to London and saw several places of interest, including the King's palace. I spent the night there



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

The Totties all then stepped in-side the whale's mouth, when 'twas opened wide.  
Wee Doty clung to Goldy's hand  
While Duncy shouted, "This is grand."

"Gee, are they really safe and sound?"  
Asked Scouty, as he looked around.  
Said Shrimpy, "That's the safest way  
To take you out so you can play."

Then Coppy asked, "Well, how are we  
To reach the playground of the sea.  
Upon a turtle we could go,  
But turtles always seem so slow."

Just then wee Windy heard a splash  
And loudly shouted, "What's that crash?"  
"Don't worry, lad. It's just a shark,"  
Said Shrimpy, "It is frightened, Hark!"

Soon Scouty cried, "It's tail is caught  
Between the rocks. I think we ought  
To move the monstrous rocks apart.  
That really would be kind and smart."

"You bet it would," said Shrimpy.  
"Gee,  
You lads are kind as you can be."  
The Totties pushed and panted.  
They  
Were bound to move the rocks away.

NEXT WEEK: Coppy, Scouty, and Windy get a thrilling ride.

in a hotel for service men run by the Red Cross. They really treated me good while I was there. I have been getting your and Melvin's letters regularly. If it is possible send me several pairs of shorts.

I made Private First Class last week.  
Give my regards to my friends, especially the boys at the Leader office, and tell them I am O. K.  
Yours,  
Jakie

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

TO: DOROTHY FAYE TUCKER RAINNEY

Greeting:  
You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this citation, the same being Monday the 23 day of November, A. D. 1942, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Collingsworth County, at the Court House in Wellington, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 25 day of September, 1942. The file number of said suit being No. 2281.

The names of the parties in said suit are;

Thomas Hunter Rainney as plaintiff;

and Dorothy Faye Tuckey Rainney as defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit:

Divorce and custody of minor child, on the grounds of cruelty, date of marriage July 8, 1939, date of separation September 1, 1941, no property rights involved.

Issued this 8 day of October, 1942.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Wellington, Texas, this 8 day of

October, A. D. 1942.

J. McBROOME

Clerk District Court, Collingsworth County, Texas.

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: H. G. BATTY, GREETING:

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Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 12th day of October, 1942.

The file number of said suit being No. 2287.

The names of the parties in said suit are: Irene Beatty as Plaintiff, and H. G. Beatty as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: suit for divorce on grounds of cruel treatment, quieting of title to Lots 15 and 16 in Block No. 59 in Borer, Hutchinson County, Texas, as against defendant, and for general

relief.

Issued this 12th day of October, 1942.

J. McBROOME

Clerk District Court, Collingsworth County, Texas.

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TO: MYRTLE ROGERS GREETING:

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Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 4th day of September, 1942. The file number of said suit being No. 2278.

The names of the parties in said suit are: Henry Blake Rogers as Plaintiff, and Myrtle Rogers as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: Suit for divorce on grounds of cruel treatment, and for custody of minor child, Donald Ray Rogers, and general relief.

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mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: American Type Founders, Dallas, Texas.

4. That the two paragraphs next above, giving the names of the owners, stockholders, and security holders, if any, contain not only the list of stockholders and security holders as they appear upon the books of the company but also, in cases where the stockholder or security holder appears upon the books of the company as trustee or in any other fiduciary relation, the name of the person or corporation for whom such trustee is acting, is given; also that the said two paragraphs contain statements embracing affiant's full knowledge and belief as to the circumstances and conditions under which stockholders and security holders who do not appear upon the books of the company as trustees, hold stock and securities in a capacity other than that of a bona fide owner; and that said affiant has no reason to believe that any other person, association, or corporation has any interest direct or indirect in the said stock, bonds, or other securities than as so stated by him.

H. DESKINS WELLS

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 10th day of Oct., 1942.

(Seal) F. E. ANDERSON

(My commission expires 6-1-1943)

NOTICE OF ROAD BOND

CANCELLATION ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF COLLINGSWORTH

TO THE Resident Qualified Electors of Collingsworth County, Texas, Who Own Taxable Property in Said County, And Who Have Duly Rendered The Same For Taxation:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held on the 3rd day of November, 1942, in Collingsworth County, Texas, to determine whether or not \$500,000.00 of road bonds that were voted by the proposition taxing voters of Collingsworth County, Texas, on December 28th, 1940, shall be cancelled, said bonds were voted for the purpose of the construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, designated as State Highways, within and for said Collingsworth County, Texas, and in obedience to an election order entered by the Commissioners' Court of Collingsworth County, Texas, on the 18th day of September, 1942, which said order is as follows to-wit:

ORDER OF CANCELLATION

ROAD BOND ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF COLLINGSWORTH

ON THIS, the 18th day of September, 1942, the Commissioners' Court of Collingsworth County, Texas, convened in regular session, at the regular meeting place thereof in the Courthouse of Wellington, Texas, the following members of said Court to-wit:

C. C. Bishop, County Judge, presiding, and,

N. C. Tension, Commissioner, Precinct No. 1,

Jason Young, Commissioner, Precinct No. 2,

C. E. Strong, Commissioner,

Precinct No. 3, and

W. A. Anthony, Commissioner, Precinct No. 4.

And, those opposed to the proposition, shall have written or printed upon their ballots, the words: AGAINST THE CANCELLATION OF THE \$500,000.00 WORTH OF ROAD BONDS.

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4. The polling places and presiding Officers of said election shall be, respectively as follows:

Wellington, South Box, Voting Precinct No. 1, A. N. Wiseman, Presiding Judge.

Wellington, North Box, Voting Precinct No. 1, J. E. Jones, Presiding Judge.

Aberdeen, Voting Precinct No. 2, J. I. Ammons, Presiding Judge.

Buck Creek, Voting Precinct No. 3, Ren Hartman, Presiding Judge.

Samnorwood, Voting Precinct No. 4, Cecil Brown, Presiding Judge.

Quail, Voting Precinct No. 5, Z. J. Neely, Presiding Judge.

Pleasant Mound, Precinct No. 6, L. G. Waldrop, Presiding Judge.

Dodson, Precinct No. 7, Gilbert Hunt, Presiding Judge.

Dozier, Precinct No. 8, W. H. Riley, Presiding Judge.

Abra, Precinct No. 9, W. M. Laycock, Presiding Judge.

Swearingen, Precinct No. 10, W. A. Anthony, Presiding Judge.

Ring, Precinct No. 11, E. M.

Grigsby, Presiding Judge.

Lutie, Precinct No. 12, Jack Lowry, Presiding Judge.

Lone Mound, Precinct No. 13, Frank Stafford, Presiding Judge.

Shinnery, Precinct No. 14, E. H. Yarbrough, Presiding Judge.

Nicholson, Precinct No. 15, E. W. Holland, Presiding Judge.

Rolla, Precinct No. 16, E. M. Trew, Presiding Judge.

Lillie, Precinct No. 17, Vernon Jones, Presiding Judge.

China Grove, Precinct No. 18, H. E. Hill, Presiding Judge.

5. The County Clerk of Collingsworth County, Texas, is hereby authorized and directed to cause notice of said election to be published once each week for three consecutive weeks, in some newspaper of general circulation that has been continuously and regularly published for more than one year previous to the date of this order in Collingsworth County, Texas, and, in addition thereto, by posting notices of such election at four public places in Collingsworth County, Texas, one of which shall be at the Courthouse door of said County, for three consecutive weeks prior to said election.

6. A copy of this order, signed by the County Judge of Collingsworth County, Texas, and certified to by the County Clerk of said County, shall serve as a proper notice of said election.





## News

— from the —

### Army Navy Air Force Marines Coast Guard

Roy Ennis Parker, son of Mrs. Tot Parker of 1407 Bowie, Wellington, has been selected for training as a Naval Aviation cadet and will be ordered to active duty shortly. He graduated from the Wellington High School in 1937.

Both Cadet Parker and his mother are at Borge at present, where he is employed.

When ordered to active duty, he will report to the U. S. Navy Pre-Flight School, University of Georgia, Athens, Ga., for three months physical conditioning, instruction in naval essentials, military drill and ground school subjects. After completing this course he will be sent to one of the Navy's numerous reserve bases for primary flight training.

Pvt. Eldean Jeffers is now stationed at Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, where he is training as a mechanic.

Captain Raymond W. Laycock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Laycock of Collingsworth County, Texas, and himself a former resident of the county, was this week commended by high ranking officials for outstanding leadership and handling of communication troops during the 1942 Louisiana maneuvers, and was recommended for promotion to Major after fulfilling the time requirement in his present grade of Captain. The commendation was, according to the officials, the result of the excellent status of training exhibited by the men of Captain Laycock's command and the highly satisfactory manner of maintaining communication by wire and radio between the various units of his regiment under the most difficult conditions.

Captain Laycock, a graduate of Shamrock High School and Texas A. & M. College entered the army as a second lieutenant upon leaving A. & M. in June, 1940, and was later commissioned into the Regular Army. He was made a First lieutenant in 1941 and a Captain in 1942 and is, at his present age of 23, one of the youngest captains in the service. He last visited his parents, who live in the northern part of the county, at Christmas of 1941.

Frank Reynolds, who is in the ordnance department of the Air Forces, has been transferred from Charleston, S. C., to a point about 100 miles inland from Charleston, he has written his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Reynolds of Fresno.

Almus Kizer, former resident of the Aberdeen community, has entered Army service in Co. D, Bks. 327, Sec. 1930, Presidio, at Monterey, Calif. Kizer is a brother of Mrs. Rolan Bryan of Aberdeen.

C. L. Blandford, who volunteered about a month ago for service in the United States Coast Guard Reserve, is now stationed at New Orleans for his boat training. "I like fine, but it's sure not like home," he wrote Elder and Mrs. R. L. Porter recently.

Pvt. Bobo Castleberry who is now at the reception center at Fort Sill, Okla., was in Wellington over the week end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Castleberry.

Reece Norman of Wellington has been appointed an Aviation Cadet of the United States Army Air Forces, it was announced this week by Major W. W. McCollum of the induction station at Lubbock. Norman is the son of Elder and Mrs. E. J. Norman. He is a graduate of Wellington High School and attended Hardin Simmons University.

Staff Sgt. Minor K. Wood of El Paso, Texas, and son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Wells of Wellington, Texas, has recently been transferred from Fort Bliss to Fort Belvoir, Virginia, where he will be stationed in Officers' Candidate School. He is in the Eighth Cavalry Division and for the past 18 months has been stationed at Fort Bliss, Texas. The past two

months, however, have been spent on army maneuvers near Leesville, La. Upon graduation from this school, Sgt. Wood will receive his commission as a second lieutenant in the United States Army in the Engineer Corps.

Sgt. Wood was accompanied to Virginia by Mrs. Wood, who will be better remembered in Wellington as Louise Wells, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Wells. For the time being she will make her home in Washington, D. C., with her brother, W. Hall Wells, of that city.

L. B. McNeil of Wellington has volunteered for service in the United States Navy, it was announced Tuesday morning from the recruiting station in Amarillo, where he enlisted.

Lieut. J. V. Langford, son of E. E. Langford, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Langford of Wellington, has graduated and received his wings. He is now commissioned a lieutenant and will be stationed at Warrensburg, Mo., where he will be a transport troop carrier command at Seabair air-base.

Lieut. Langford, E. E. Langford and Mrs. J. B. Smith spent the week end in Wellington with relatives after attending graduation exercises at Victoria.

Air minded is the phrase that describes the Parker boys, for three of the sons of Mrs. Tot Parker are serving in the aviation division of some branch of service.

Tech. Sgt. Raymond Parker is with the Army Air Forces. He is stationed at Victoria Field, Victoria, Texas.

Bill Parker is a flyer for the Marines. He entered this branch after having served with the Royal Canadian Air Force in Western Canada.

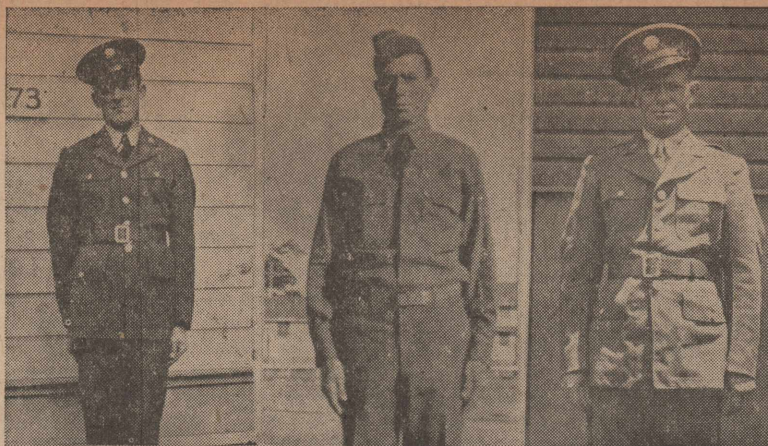
Roy Ennis (R. E.) Parker, the third son, was only recently selected as a Naval Aviation cadet. He expects to be called for active duty in January.

Leon Maples, 17-year-old grandson of Mrs. R. E. Cooley joined the Navy on October 1. He was enlisted at Lubbock. He is at present stationed at Great Lakes, Ill., and is reported to be pleased with his work there.

Pvt. Grady Finley was in town during the week end to visit his wife and other relatives. He is beginning his fourth month in the army and is stationed at Camp Gruber with the Quartermaster detachment.

Twenty-two years old and a "proud pop" is Pvt. Luther Edwards of Fort Ord, Calif. Here in attendance at the bedside of his wife (who is doing well) and new son, Thomas Eldred, Pvt. Edwards gives the appearance of a soldier who has fared well. He is somewhat heavier than he was when he lived in this city. Pvt. Edwards plans to return next week to his station where he is doing guard duty with the M. P.

Buford Young, son of Mr. and



Raymond Terry Wilmer Holloway F. E. Moore  
Lloyd P. Washam Lt. J. V. Langford Henry B. Rogers  
These six men are rendering loyal service in many parts of the world, and they are typical of hundreds of others who have gone from this county. In the top row, from left to right, are Raymond Terry, stationed in Alaska; Wilmer Holloway, serving in California; and F. E. Moore, of Camp Haan, California. Bottom row, Lloyd P. Washam, a machine gunner at Fort Shafter, Hawaii; Lt. J. V. Langford of Springfield, Mo., and Henry Blake Rogers of Camp Barkeley. Lt. Langford has just received his wings with the Air Force and visited here this week.

Mrs. Jason Young of Lutie, is home. Young has seen action with the Navy at high sea, in Pearl Harbor and other hot spots on the map. Power to you, Buford.

Talmadge Murray, of the Navy is visiting his parents this week. Murray has a petty officer's rating and is in service at Great Lakes, Ill.

Andy Langford, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Langford, as a volunteer to the Army, was recently given an appointment as radio operator at Camp Kearns, Utah. Pvt. Langford was inducted at Camp Wolters.

Cadet William (Billy) Lewis of Sheppard Field spent several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Lewis, near Dodson last week.

## Fire Department - Scrap Drive -

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from the destruction of school buildings and gins, to grass fires and false alarms. At the former, the entire department has a number of times stayed all night fighting the blaze and to be sure that all the fire had been put out.

But this, they pointed out, is just a part of their job, and they'll continue doing it as long as they are members of the department.

Present members of the department are J. D. Aaron, Jack Atkinson, Glenn Brickey, Wendel Brewer, Wayne Cudd, Lewis Cotton, B. O. Handley, Phil Handley, Cloyd Harris, Buster Hughes, Floyd Henry, Dr. C. B. Jones, Elmer Jones, Harley Kern, C. R. Leggett, R. E. Leggett, Jake Leach, V. H. Lindsey, W. E. McDonald, W. E. Mad-dox, Alton Wilkins, O. B. Raburn, J. T. Slay, and Rev. Hubert Thomson.

## Answers To TEST YOUR I. Q.

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1. Twenty.
2. Nine.
3. Crossroads.
4. Maura Loa.
5. Honolulu.

## Save Your -

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your collection of tin won't grow as fast as you might think, and this is why we are urging that every can be kept.

"This is war, and we must realize that our willingness to co-operate fully and completely in the salvage program may mean the difference between victory and defeat," he said.

## Fire Department - Scrap Drive -

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tively per pupil. The principal of each of these schools will then have the pupils select the boy or girl in the school who has been most helpful in the scrap campaign. These three children, one from each school, together with the principal of the winning school will be sent to christen the Liberty Ship.

A bowlegged man can always be thankful he wasn't born a girl.

## Rites For Mrs. M. Binkley Wed.

Funeral services for Mrs. Mollie Binkley, who died at Las Vegas, New Mexico, were scheduled to be held from the Dodson Church of Christ Wednesday, October 14, at 4:00 p. m., with Minister Van Bonneau in charge.

Mrs. Binkley was for many years a Dodson resident, and she is widely known throughout the southeastern part of this county. None of the family now lives here.

Burial will be by the side of her husband in the Dodson cemetery.

Two daughters are accompanying the body here for burial.

Local arrangements are in charge of the Kelso Funeral Home.

## Draft -

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2. When you receive a Notice of Class 1-A, if you do, add 22 days to the date of that Card notice. You could be inducted at the end of that 22 days, but you might not be needed then, and would be called later. After induction, you have 14 days to close up your final arrangements.

If you need advice, call upon the Advisory Board Member of your choice, but not the local board. The Advisory Board will assist you if possible.

The local board will sincerely appreciate your cooperation in this important matter. It has no time to "talk" about your case, unless previously arranged as mentioned above; and it will save your time and considerable disappointment.

Your Classification is subject to appeal, if you have a real basis of appeal, if you file your Appeal within 10 days after you receive Form 57-Notice of Classification.

CLARK ANDERSON  
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J. V. LANGFORD  
Local Board.

## Fall Term -

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Bert Weaver, R. E. Webb, Robert Posey, Roy Thomason, Tom Berry, J. C. Hartman, Ozell Byrd, Tom Sweat, H. B. Willoughby, Woodrow Wood, and C. E. Roberts.

Petit jurors, third week: Ike Rogers, C. G. Garrison, Floyd Nipper, J. E. Walker, A. N. Wiseman, Bill Whitley, W. C. Harwell, D. F. Lacy, Jess Deger, Lloyd Graham, Robert Baxter, Roy Horn, W. R. Franks, W. R. Newton, Clyde Brown, I. O. Ruby, Leon Roberts, J. T. Slay, E. O. Richards, J. G. Peters, A. J. Peters, F. A. Hatch, Guy Beasley, G. H. Brewer, Lee Fortenberry, Frank Hajek, J. C. Mayhugh, J. W. Neeley, J. E. Forbis, R. R. Hightower,

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M. C. Hill, Fred Boyd, Ernest Nunneley, W. M. Davis, W. B. LeVeque, and G. E. Van Pelt.

Petit jurors, fourth week. Harry A. Jones, Homer Ingram, A. T. Lewis, I. E. Sparlin, S. A. Welch, O. E. Rogers, John Daffron, D. C. Lacy, E. F. Jones, Travis McGuire, J. L. Alexander, O. D. Starkey, Heber Brantley, Barney Glenn, J. P. Cummings, N. C. Beam, A. R. Nelson, Wayne Yarbrough, W. E. Reynolds, Jesse R. Grogan, T. R. Cunningham, Robert Strong, W. C. Barnett, F. L. White, S. E. Voyles, Dodson James, Guy Bumpass, Gilbert Hunt, Guy Bell, C. E. Hightower, Frank Thomason, M. C. Cornelius, E. N. Lewis, Olan Alexander, Eugene Martin and Merlyn Carter.

Petit jurors, fifth week: Mith Dukeminier, J. B. Floyd, Guy Clay, Vernon Crossland, Percy Wells, Elmer Hiett, John C. Harper, J. M. Strong, G. T. Austin, Wilton Ketchum, M. P. Ruffin, W. O. Wood, R. B. Young, Donald Curry, W. H. Moody, Orville Couch, Fred Yarbrough, Claud Whitfield, C. M. Aaron, Gus Gooch, H. C. Conway, J. A. Clark, R. S. Hudson, L. L. Hamons, C. E. Winters, Enis Schaded, C. E. Strong, James Doneghey, Velman Warrick, Fred Braxton, O. F. Conner, W. M.

Laycock, J. W. Sechrist, B. M. Denley, Carl T. Amerson and D. R. Shanks.

## Gin Workers -

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he was cleaning the engine. Clint Seymour, Lillie Gin worker, received an injured left foot Wednesday, October 7 while adjusting a belt on the machinery. The accident occurred when a board on which he was standing broke, allowing him to fall about 12 feet. Although no bones in the foot were broken, the injury will require several weeks to heal.

Clyde Roberts, employed at the Watkins Gin, received a serious eye burn Sunday morning when melted rabbit splashed from a container into his face while he was working on machinery in the gin. It is believed the sight of his eye will not be affected, the attending physician reports.

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DEL MONTE—2 Pound Jar 66¢

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BRIGHT & EARLY—1 lb. Bag 27¢

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BROOM—Painted handle 35¢

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