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## Ceremony In Capital City Unites Mary Lou Whitley, Lt. C. Hubbert

In St. John's Church on Washington D. C.'s Lafayette Square, Miss Mary Lou Whitley, Commerce, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Sam H. Whitley, became the bride June 12 of Lt. Cecil F. Hubbert of Washington, D. C.

The Rev. Howard A. Johnson read the ring ceremony before an improvised altar fashioned with large baskets of white gladioli, and accented with two harmonizing candelabra. The wedding took place at 8:30 p. m., and was attended by friends of the bridal couple, eight states being represented.

Lohengrin's wedding march was played by the church organist, who also furnished other nuptial selections during the ceremony.

The couple was attended by Heneritta Healy and Allen Denny, both of Washington.

The bride was attired for the occasion in a white gaberdine summer suit, fashioned with crocheted pockets, harmonizing with her Kelly green and brown accessories.

Immediately following the ceremony, the couple was honored at a dinner given by friends.

The bride is a graduate of East Texas State, where she was a member of the Kalir Klub. She received her M. A. degree from Peabody College in Nashville, Tenn., and was, prior to her marriage employed in Fort Worth.

Lt. Hubbert graduated from Southern Methodist University and studied law at Cumberland University, and later was a prominent Fort Worth attorney. He is now stationed in the Publications Division of the Adjutant General's Office in Washington, with his headquarters located in the Pentagon building.

The couple is now at home at 1906 North Kirkwood Road, Arlington, Virginia.

## B. S. U. Sketches Plans For Summer

The greater BSU council met Tuesday night with Ouida Barnes presiding.

The subject of having Morning Watch on Monday, Wednesday and Friday near the college hearth was discussed.

Each member volunteered to take the responsibility of big brother or sister to a freshman on the campus in guiding them through the summer. Plans were outlined by each department for the summer.

Edwin Low, ex-student now attending Baylor Medical College, was a guest.

## Texas' First Bale Brings \$1,250

HOUSTON, Texas, June 19.—The first bale of cotton for the 1943-44 season was sold at auction Saturday on the floor of the Houston Cotton Exchange with Anderson, Clayton & Company being the successful bidders.

Grown by Herman Wilde in Willacy County, the bale was ginned by the Lasara Co-operative Gin Company at Lasara and was rushed to Houston.

The bale weighed 585 pounds and brought \$1,250 to the growers. It graded strict low middling inch and one thirty-second staple.

Visit ET's museum.



Meeting for the last function of the summer, the Dames Club entertained on June 8th with an informal party in the Whitley Gym honoring Mary Lou Whitley, who was recently married in Washington. Pictured above, standing, are Miss Whitley, and Mrs. Vernon Hughes, president-elect of the organization; seated, Mrs. H. D. Phillips, retiring president, and Mrs. Whitley, mother of the honoree.

## Ann Smith Pvt. Malcom Harper Announce Plans

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Ann Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Smith of Randolph, to Pvt. Malcom Harper, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Harper, 1611 Campbell street, Commerce.

Miss Smith is now a junior student of East Texas State, and plans to receive her degree in June of next year.

Pvt. Harper was a 1940 graduate of East Texas State, where he was prominent in college sports, being a member of the basketball team, and a tennis letterman. He served also as president of Sigma Tau Delta, national English society. He is now stationed at Camp McCoy, Wisconsin.

## Browning, McNatt Vows To Be Taken At Camp Wallace

Of interest to East Texas State students is the recent announcement of the engagement and approaching marriage of Elizabeth Browning and J. B. McNatt, popular ex-students.

The wedding will take place on July 10 in the chapel of Camp Wallace, with the father of the bride-elect officiating. Mrs. Clinton C. Dillion of Dallas, sister of the bride-elect, will attend as matron of honor.

Miss Browning, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. T. H. Browning of Mt. Vernon, attended East Texas State during the past fall and spring semesters, and was a music major and an active member of the college choir and musical circles.

Pvt. McNatt is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. McNatt of Greenville and is now stationed at Camp Wallace in Mineral Wells. During his attendance at East Texas State, he was a member of the Paragon Club, being elected to serve as its president for the next year, and was a member of the Army Reserve.

## The Wright Boys

Three of the Wright boys, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wright, are in service and one of them, Bill Wright, has the distinction of being awarded the "Distinguished Flying Cross," which was pinned on him by Mr. Eddie Rick-enbacker.

Bill is in the Aviation branch of the Army and has been located in India for the last ten months. He has participated in thirty-one combats and had the misfortune to lose his entire crew on one flight, but succeeded in taking his ship back safely to his base. The big bomber was considerably the worse for wear and tear but it reached its base, and Bill was in it. Bill is First Lieutenant on a big bomber which he pilots himself.

He has been in service about two years and indicates he hopes to get home on leave sometime this summer if all goes well.

James Wright is in the Army, stationed for the last sixteen months at Camp Haan, California. He is Mess Sergeant over eight kitchens supplying food to the fighting forces and is inspector over the eight kitchens. James hasn't been home since he was inducted into the Army, but he feels that he may get leave this summer to visit his folks.

Cleo Wright is an instructor at Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, Texas.

## Sgt. Charles H. Turner

Sgt. Charles H. Turner, son of Mrs. Vivian Turner, has returned to duty in the Quarters master's Dept., at Hamilton Field, California, after a fifteen day leave in which he visited his mother at Commerce.

Sgt. Turner has been stationed at Hamilton Field for the past eighteen months, and is well pleased with his assignment.

—For Victory: Buy Bonds—

entanglements provide a stunning climax to this super-melodrama. A brilliant cast, headed by Donlevy, Miss Lee, and Brennan, and two of Hollywood's most capable directors, are primarily responsible for this movie's emerging a sensational hit!

Miss Mary Nelson will be admitted free to the Palace Theatre to see "Hangmen Also Die," if she will present this statement at the box office.



Pictured above is a scene from the announcement tea and reception given June 1 by Dr. and Mrs. Sam H. Whitley, honoring their daughter, Mary Lou. Reading left to right are Dr. J. E. Franklin, Mrs. John Windell, Mrs. C. H. Thurman, Mrs. Will Hill Acker, Dr. C. H. Thurman, Mrs. Leonard Carlton, Bess Rix, and Frank Morgan.

## THUMBNAILED SKETCHES of COEDS, PROFS

FRANCES E. POTTS Advisor and friend to over 200 girls is Frances E. Potts, director of West Dormitory. Her understanding of the problems confronting the co-ed has won her the respect and admiration of every dormite.

She has a mania for fish and boasts an interesting collection of miniature china and crystal statues of them.

This dynamic personality could not be summed up in a few words, but those who have had the opportunity to be closely associated with her will profit from her wisdom long after their days at East Texas.

## KATHRYN SPENCER

Our vote for one of the most likeable girls on the campus goes to Kathryn Spencer from Sulphur Springs.

Her pleasant disposition is equalled only by the outburst of dimples that accompanies her smile.

An ardent record collector, Kathryn has over 100 selections. Her taste varies from Harry James to Bach.

A keen sense of humor and cheerfulness combine to create the personality this Les Choistes possesses. Kathryn is one person that should be put on top of the list of "People I Should Know."

Every man has a right to be conceited until he is successful.

## Society Notes THE EAST TEXAN

FRIDAY, JUNE 25, 1943.

### Club For Co-eds And Service Men Proposed

There are two to three hundred girls on the EITSC campus who not only have little organized recreation to occupy their leisure hours but little masculine companionship with whom to enjoy such potential recreation as there is.

Why not organize a club of these college girls, secure adequate chaperones for club events such as picnics, dances, baseball games, charge a small fee for membership? Then let a committee select service men from Camp Maxey or Majors Field to be admitted as members also. A club house or headquarters for the organization could be rented.

Any one who has an idea about what organization in town would sponsor such a club or who has had experience on other campuses in coping with this problem please drop by The East Texan office and see me. Or call 418.

This applies to those who would like to be a member of such a club or who are interested in organizing one.

LOLA GAMMILL ANDREE.

Single wretchedness is not a good substitute for single blessedness.

### Maxine Price, Pvt. Cargile Wed

Before the chapel altar backgrounded with stately fern and baskets of pink and white gladioli and accented with tall white candelabra, Miss Maxine Price, daughter of Mrs. C. M. Price of Greenville, became the bride Saturday afternoon of Pfc. William Cargile of Majors Field, and a son of Mrs. Vera Fisher Cargile of Cincinnati, Ohio.

Chaplain Ralph C. Hogan officiated at the double ring ceremony which was read in the Major's Field Post Chapel.

Wedding music included "I Love You Truly," "Because," and "At Dawning," played by William Dalenberg as violin solos, with Louis Kohnop at the organ, playing also the traditional wedding marches.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, C. M. Price, Jr., wore a linen lace dress fashioned with an elongated bodice, pleated skirt, and tiny puffed sleeves, and harmonizing accessories. Her flowers were white gardenias and white gladioli.

Mrs. Scott Leinart, sister of the bride, attended as matron of honor in a navy sheer outfit with white accessories. Her flowers were pink gladioli. Andrew Veres attended the groom as best man.

Immediately following the ceremony, the bridal couple and attendants were entertained at a dinner in the Century Room of the Adolphus Hotel in Dallas.

The bride attended the Greenville Schools and East Texas State. For the past few years she has been employed with the Paris Grocer Company of Greenville.

The groom attended Miami University, Oxford, Ohio, and studied at the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music, and is now a member of the Majors Field band and orchestra.

The couple will be at home at 1230 Walnut street, Greenville.

## Cecil Vickers

Cecil Vickers, youngest son of Mrs. J. A. Vickers, and an employe of the Cotton Belt railway company, volunteered a few weeks ago for service in the Army of the United States, and after induction and qualification test he was sent to New Orleans and placed in the railway shop D. N., and is becoming adjusted nicely.

A soldier from the North once said he loved the slow southern drawl because you ask a southern girl for a kiss and before she can say now it's too late.

The new army rifle weighs 8.69 pounds. After it has been carried a few hours, the decimal point drops out.

In any controversy the instant we feel anger we have already ceased striving for truth, and have begun striving for ourselves.

The smallest actual good is better than the most magnificent promise at impossibilities.

## Connie Gullion Becomes Bride Of Chief Petty Officer Lee Little

### Devotion, Recreation Education at Retreat

Twelve hundred Baptists from all over the world attended the Baptist Student Retreat at Ridgecrest, N. C. last week. Of those, 157 were from Texas and seven from ET. The seven were Miss Mary Alyce Scott, Ouida Barnes, Wilburn Fry, Opal Manley, Prof. C. O. Mitchell, Billy Stokes and Charles Priester.

Bible classes, laboratory, international relations and mission groups, Maximum Christianity Seminars, and other educational programs for the purpose of religious progress were attended by students at the retreat. Extra curricular activities included hiking in the mountains surrounding the encampment, swimming, glee clubs, dramatics and various other sports.

### Christian Church Missionary Society

The Hunt County Missionary Society of the First Christian church, met in Commerce, at the First Christian church, Tuesday, June 15. Christian churches of Greenville and Lone Oak were well represented.

The morning session was a business meeting, presided over by the president, Mrs. Dowell, of Lone Oak. Mrs. H. H. J. Fling conducted a very inspirational devotional service. Mrs. G. McCallan led a discussion on Latin America.

At noon a lovely luncheon was served.

At the afternoon session Mrs. N. D. Dyer sang, "The Lord Is My Light," by Allitsen. New officers for the coming year were installed. Mrs. Walter Taylor gave a review of "The Robe," by Loyd Douglas.

The meeting closed with the Missionary benediction.

The secret of being miserable is having the time to bother about whether you are happy or not.—Bernard Shaw.

Sign on an old jalopy in Detroit: "Don't take this to the scrap pile. I'm still driving it."

The marriage of Miss Connie Gullion, former ETSTC student, of Fullbright, to Chief Petty Officer Lee Little, 1942 graduate of ETSTC, of Kemp, took place Saturday evening, June 12, at 7:00 o'clock at the Naval Operating Base Chapel, Norfolk, Virginia. The ceremony was solemnized by Chaplain P. L. Mitchell. The altar of the chapel was arranged with white snapdragons and the wedding music was played by the chapel organist.

The bride wore a two-piece rose dress with white and navy accessories and a corsage of white carnations. Mrs. Paul Armstrong was maid of honor. She wore a navy dress with red accessories and her flowers were red roses.

Mr. Little had as his best man, Paul Armstrong, Chief Petty Officer of Ft. Wayne, Indiana.

Mrs. Little is a graduate of Fullbright high school and attended East Texas State. Mr. Little is a graduate of Kemp high school and ET. While in ET he was active in athletic activities. The couple will make their home in Norfolk, Va.

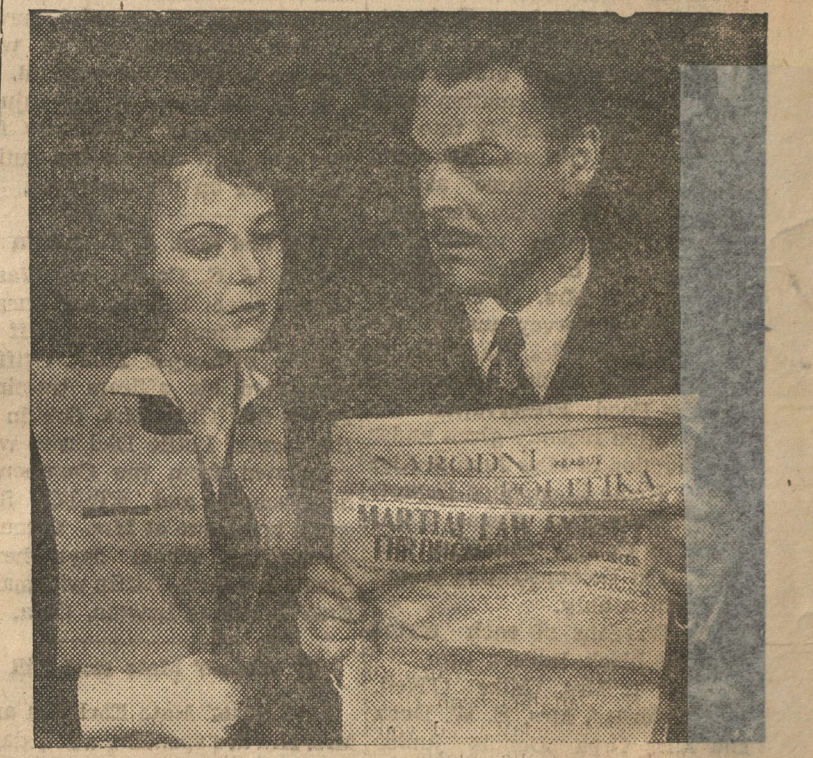
## Miss Etta Frances Faires Weds Today

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Faires and children of Gilmer were Tuesday guests of her sister, Mrs. Mack Creamer. Earl, former cashier of the First National Bank, Commerce, is now with the Farmers and Merchants National Bank at Gilmer, and is taking his vacation this week.

Today, they are in Dallas to attend the marriage of Miss Etta Frances Faires to Mr. Jimmy Trexler, formerly of Dallas, but now with the naval research laboratory, at Washington, D. C.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Faires, who formerly lived at Commerce. Etta Frances was born at Commerce, and has innumerable friends here who wish her happiness with her Prince.

Said Private Hargrove's Sergeant upon hearing of the author's transfer, "The Lord giveth and the Lord taketh away." "Blessed be the name of the Lord."



Brian Donlevy and Anna Lee co-star in Arnold Pressburger's "Hangmen Also Die," a thrilling, romantic adventure full of suspense and breath-taking action which is slated for its local premiere Sunday and Monday at the Palace Theatre.



Henry Aldrich in a new role and he loves it! He's the center of attraction in his new Paramount comedy, "Henry Aldrich Gets Glamour," which comes to the Palace Theatre Tuesday, with Jimmy Lydon as Henry, and Charles Smith, John Lital, Olive Blakeney, Diana Lynn, Frances Gifford and Vaughan Glaser. Above, Frances Gifford and Diana Lynn on either side of the glamour boy, Gall Russell and Ann Rooney looking down on him.

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education has been arranged in the windows of the Chamber of Commerce room and in the grocery stores. Miss Bobbie Finch and Mrs. J. A. Adams have directed this work.

3. Miss Bessie Wynn, Miss Veneta Onley and Miss Bobbie Finch found the cafes most cooperative in the display of food posters, copies of the Texas Food Standard, and leaflets and posters from the Office of Defense and Welfare Service. Mimeographed material, prepared by Miss Fynn and the Public School Home Economics classes was sent into the homes through the Parent Teacher Associations. Display of Victory Food Specials were featured by many of the grocery stores with the posters sent from national headquarters.

4. Under the direction of the Foods Demonstration Committee of which Mrs. C. B. Barclay is chairman, the following demonstrations were given:

Whole Grain Cereals, by the Municipal Nutrition Committee.

Beans as a Meat Substitute, College Class under the direction of Miss Juanita Rice.

Variety Meats, by the Delphian Club.

Peanuts by the Junior Culture Club.

Eggs and Cheese, by the Psychology Club.

Assisting these groups, the Lone Star Gas Company granted the use of its room, Harrison and Taylor the use of its window, Knight-Chaney loaned furniture and the Palace Theatre, the Commerce Journal and the East Texan publicized the time and place.

Each group preparing the demonstration reported that had no one come to the demonstration it had gotten so much out of the preparation that it had been most worthwhile for each to have had the experience of its own demonstration.

5. When the Share-the-meat-for-victory Campaign was initiated by the government the Civilian Defense Council was asked to initiate the Campaign in Commerce. This work was assigned the Municipal Nutrition Committee. For this work another sub-committee was organized on the block-leader plan of Civilian Defense. The town was divided into six sectors each with a senior warden who in turn had junior wardens. These then asked residents in each block or designated groups of blocks to serve with her in this and any other emergency in which information needed to be gotten quickly into the hands of the citizens. This committee has had three assignments: the Share-the-Meat-for-Victory campaign under the chairmanship of Mrs. Lawson Biggers and Mrs. C. D. Gant, the housing survey under the leadership of Miss Mary Booth, and the distribution of leaflets for the Food Preservation Demonstration recently given under the direction of Miss Juanita Rice of the Home Economics Department of the East Texas State Teachers College and Mrs. Dillon, Home Demonstration Agent for Hunt county.

The Wardens of each sector and the block leaders are:

Sector 1: Mrs. Mike O'Neil, senior warden, Mrs. E. W. Duck and Miss Orpa Dennis junior wardens. Block leaders: Miss Maudie Webster, Mrs. L. E. Fuller, Miss Margaret McGill, Mrs. Forrest Sheely, Sr., Mrs. Curtis L. Anders, Mrs. George O'Neal, Mrs. C. C. Apperson, Mrs. Mark Harrison, Mrs. D. D. Dillingham, Miss Lea Davis, Mrs. J. M. Eastland, Mrs. N. D. Henderson, Mrs. T. H. McNeal, Mrs. John Shumate, Miss Eusbibia Lutz.

Sector 2: Mrs. T. T. Broun, senior warden, Miss Anna Maxwell and Mrs. C. B. Barclay junior wardens. Block leaders: Mrs. A. S. Blankenship, Mrs. E. H. Watson, Mrs. N. D. Henderson, Jr., Mrs. Carl Deonier, Mrs. E. R. Alexander, Mrs. H. D. Phillips, Mrs. R. L. Jones, Mrs. Roy Clark, Mrs. E. M. Shepherd, Mrs. Frank Morgan, Mrs. George W. Kibler, Mrs. C. P. Bickley, Mrs. A. J. Harper, Mrs. C. M. Lutz, Mrs. H. H. J. Fling, Mrs. Claude V. Hall, Mrs. Gussie Hall, Mrs. Dennis Vinzant.

Sector 3: Mrs. Truitt Patrick, senior warden, Mrs. Rose Monday and Mrs. Weldon Kibler, junior wardens. Block leaders: Mrs. Lee Marshall, Mrs. W. C. Condon, Mrs. Y. C. Myers, Mrs. W. R. Harrison, Mrs. R. L. Rogers, Mrs. C. H. Comer, Mrs. Grady Gibson, Mrs. V. M. McDonald, Mrs. M. C. Wilson.

Sector 4: Mrs. J. A. Adams, senior warden, Miss Ethel Janes, and Mrs. Erskine Wheeler, junior wardens. Block leaders: Mrs. Carson Gaylor, Mrs. Gertrude Galyon.

Sector 5: Mrs. D. M. Newton, senior warden. Block leaders: Mrs. C. W. Ferguson, Mrs. Marjorie Henzie, Mrs. John Jones, Mrs. Frank Pritchard.

## Odd Fellows Met In Dallas

The I.O.O.F. Grand Lodge Committee on the State of the Order held an important session at I.O.O.F. Temple in Dallas Sunday, and by invitation met jointly with the board of trustees in a session where official action definitely went on record as refusing to sell the I.O.O.F. Home at Corsicana to the State of Texas for the sum of \$150,000, a bid offered through legislative action earlier this year.

The Grand Lodge upon recommendation of the committee on the State of the Order, had named the board of trustees as a committee to handle the matter of selling the home to the State. The action turning down the offer indicates that Texas Odd Fellows believe the home is worth much more than the stipulated price of \$150,000. Plans had been under way, it was believed, for the Federal government to use this site for location of WAAC training division, but that plan was abandoned, the trustee chairman said.

Meeting with the trustees as advisers were four Grand Lodge officers, Grand Master Claude J. Carter, San Antonio; Grand Warden Sherman C. Reed, Dallas; Grand Secretary S. M. Williams, Dallas; and Grand Treasurer H. H. Lummis-Ennis.

District Deputy Grand Master Ralph Patman, member of the Grand Lodge committee on the State of the Order, attended both the committee meeting and the joint meeting of the committee and trustees.

Patman also was present Saturday night when District 35-A held a meeting in the I.O.O.F. Temple, at which time approximately 25 candidates received the second degree.

The next meeting of the Committee on the State of the Order was officially set for October 10, with a tentative plan for an in-between session at Corsicana, when the Secretaries and Scribes hold their convention in August.

The chairman appointed a committee to study and make recommendations on the question of raising the age limit of children for the home. Mr. Patman was named as one of the committee men.

**McKENNA'S MISFORTUNE**  
"Bernie" McKenna, ex-ed of the East Texan, this week met her Waterloo in a flight of stairs. She escaped with a sprained ankle.

News hound McKenna says that of all the stepped heads she ever wrote or all the steep stories that hit the front page of the East Texan last year, that these steps beat them all.

All this happened as McKenna was just recuperating from a nine month struggle with the paper, too. She had just settled to a peaceful life among the biology bugs. She will graduate in August from all the strain and stress of life at ET, she hopes.

**Curtis Travis**  
Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Travis have been notified that their son, Curtis, is in a naval hospital at Norfolk, Virginia, as a result of injuries sustained while his ship was at sea on maneuver practice.

**Herman Jeffcoat**  
Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Jeffcoat were made happy this week by the arrival of their son, Herman, who has been with the naval forces in the Aleutian theatre of war for several months and in the Navy since before Pearl Harbor.

**Ensign James Bledsoe**  
James Bledsoe, son of Prof. J. M. Bledsoe, has been commissioned a Navy Ensign, and will be assigned to duty at New Orleans. He completed the course in midshipman school recently at Columbia University, and will report for duty after a short leave to visit homefolks.

## HOW TO KEEP YOUR FOOD BILL DOWN

**CUT THE OPA LIST OF TOP LEGAL PRICES FROM YOUR NEWSPAPER**

**TAKE THE PRICE LIST WITH YOU WHEN YOU SHOP**

**COMPARE PRICES IN THE STORE WITH THOSE ON YOUR LIST. RETAILERS MUST DISPLAY PRICES.**

**IF WRONG PRICES ARE DISPLAYED OR IF NO PRICES ARE DISPLAYED, WRITE YOUR RATIONING BOARD.**

**IF YOU ARE OVERCHARGED, GET ITEMIZED SALES SLIP AND MAIL IT TO YOUR LOCAL RATIONING BOARD.**

**CHECK THESE POINTS**  
Everytime you shop

**1 DO YOU HAVE YOUR OPA PRICE LIST?**

**2 ARE PRICES DISPLAYED IN THE STORE?**

**3 ARE DISPLAYED PRICES SAME AS OR LOWER THAN YOUR LIST?**

**4 ARE YOU CHARGED MORE THAN LEGAL PRICES?**

**CLIP THIS OUT AS A REMINDER**

**War Times: Girl Operates Movie Projector**  
Amazing things happen in war time—even in Commerce! For the second time in the history of Commerce Moving Pictures, a feminine projectionist has been employed by the Palace Theatre.

Not only is it a novelty to have a member of the fairer sex operate the controls of the projection machine, but to have one so young and so fascinating is still a greater novelty. This number one freak of the moving picture industry is, by name, Mildred Franklin, a junior student of the Training School, and daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Franklin.

While you, as a member of the movie audience, gasp at the scenes of the film before you, you do not realize that the thrill might be even greater if you could step behind the scenes and witness this unusual sight; a young brunette is seen—or perhaps it is the costume (or lack of costume) she wears—efficiently and with the greatest of ease operating those two huge mysterious-looking machines, making change-overs, threading the films, controlling the records, and sound controls.

Beginning her practices in March, she was aided by such enthusiastic instructors as Bob Stone, "Rusty" Groover, and Eddie Deaton, and on June 4 made her solo performance.

Having mastered the techniques used in projection, Mildred has found it necessary to be prepared for any special emergency, such as that when the

current was broken because of an electrical storm.

Manager Doug Mitchell has

**Carl Hathaway**  
Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hathaway have returned from a visit with their son, Carl, in Nashville, Tenn. Carl has been in the service since February and is now taking a college training course for pre-flight at George Peabody College.

**Ensign Ross Johnson**  
Ensign Ross Johnson from somewhere in the Pacific writes that he still feels he will be furloughed home about August. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Johnson, Sr. Ensign Johnson has been with the naval forces since November 1941 and for the last nine months has been flying a big Catalina Patrol Bomber.

**J. Bueol Johnson**  
J. Bueol Johnson is now back at Majors Field, working in the quartermasters department after a major operation in May, which kept him in the hospital for several weeks.

**James Lumpkin**  
James Lumpkin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lumpkin, was recently one of five selected from a class of 20 for submarine duty. James was one of two who passed the physical test and as preferred selectees are now receiving advanced training for Diesel engines. Upon completion of this course James will have conferred upon him the rating, "Machinist Mate (F.C.). He has been in training at San Diego, Calif., the past six months, having enlisted with the navy. He is a graduate of the Commerce high school, a real man's man, and just the type you would expect to take a vessel down to the bottom of the deep, then safely push her nose up through tons of water for another breath of fresh air.

**Zoot Soot Battle**  
Danny Hudgins who is visiting his father, J. M. Hudgins, at Los Angeles, Calif., sent his mother some interesting news accounts of the "zoot suiter-marine-navy battle royal" down there last week. The Los Angeles paper carried action pictures of the melee, showing some of the participants in bedraggled array, what once apparently were fashionable clothes hanging in strands, or pieces, indication of a stiff setto, with no holds barred.

**Don't Neglect Your Appearance**  
WE WILL CUT YOUR HAIR THE WAY YOU WANT IT.  
West Side Barber Shop  
Air Conditioned Dick Hunter, Prop.

**Town And Farm**  
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**WAR EXPENDITURES UP**  
War expenditures by the U. S. during May amounted to \$7 billion, 373 million, a one per cent increase over April. The daily rate of war expenditures averaged \$283,600,000 in May compared with \$280,400,000 in April.

**MORE FOREST FIRES IN '42**  
Forest fires last year burned over a total of 31,854,124 acres of United States woodlands, compared with 26,404,385 acres in 1941. The total number of fires in the first war year was 208,218, an increase of 8,516 over 1941.

Maximum prices on stockings that contain yarn composed of silk twisted with rayon or cotton yarns have been fixed by OPA to allow for varying costs based on the gauge of the hose. Retail prices range from 79 cents for the coarse gauges (33 and lower) to \$1.25 for the finer gauges (51 and higher).

**"A" BOOK RENEWALS**  
Application forms for renewal of basic "A" gasoline rations are being distributed this week, the OPA region office announced. The forms will be available at gasoline stations and other convenient locations to be announced by local War Price and Rationing Boards. After completing the portion of the form set off by heavy borders, the applicant is to mail it to his local board, along with his current tire inspection record and the back cover of his present "A" book. Renewal books will be mailed to car owners before July 21, the date on which current A coupons expire.

**Joe Grady Brookshire**  
Joe Grady Brookshire, former Commerce school student but now serving with the U. S. Marines, stationed at Riverside, Calif., will appear in a forthcoming movie production, "Guadalcanal Diary." This production has not been released, but it is known that "Guadalcanal Diary" is being filmed, and that Joe's company of Marines forms the bulk of U. S. sailors in the cinema. Joe Grady is a graduate of Commerce high school, the son of Mrs. Elizabeth Brookshire.

**Here From Washington**  
A. C. Barnett, of the F. B. I. at Washington, D. C., paid a friendly visit to the Journal staff Monday afternoon. He also visited members of the College faculty, renewing friendships of others days when he was a student at ETSTC.

**Ensign Britzy Draper**  
Britzy Draper has received his commission as Ensign after completing a course in midshipman school at Columbia University, New York, and is now on leave before taking up his assignment at Miami, Florida. He came in Friday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Draper.

**FOR YOUR**  
**Electric Service**  
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**Texas Power & Light Co.**

**PALACE**  
WEEK OF HITS!!!  
SUNDAY - MONDAY  
June 27-28

**TRULY THRILLING and THRILLINGLY TRUE!**  
**HANGMEN ALSO DIE**  
Presented by Arnold Pressburger  
Starring **BRIAN DONLEVY**  
Walter Brennan  
Anna Lee  
Produced and Directed by Fritz Lang

—Also—  
**DONALD TIRE TROUBLE**  
LATEST NEWS

**TUESDAY**  
Bargain Day  
June 29

**"HENRY ALDRICH GETS GLAMOUR"**  
A Paramount Picture with **JIMMY LYDON**  
As Henry Aldrich  
CHARLES SMITH-JOHN LITTEL  
OLIVE BLAKENEY

—Added—  
**AMERICAN BATTLE OF BEAUTIES**  
PORTRAIT OF A GENIUS

**WEDNESDAY - THURSDAY**  
June 30 - July 1  
**FLYNN-SHERIDAN**

**EDGE OF DARKNESS**  
WALTER HUSTON - NANCY GOLEMAN  
JUDITH ANDERSON - RUTH GORDON  
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