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## LOCAL PLANS MADE FOR WAR LOAN DRIVE

A meeting of the Houston County War Savings Staff was held Tuesday night at the Perry school to make plans for conducting the 2nd War Loan Drive. E. P. Newhard, staff chmn., presided and outlined the plan for this county.

Capt. Arthur Cheatham of Atlanta, state director, and Dr. W. G. Lee of Macon, district chmn., spoke on the objectives of the drive and announced Houston's quota as \$139,500.

Capt. Cheatham stated that Houston county had bought \$130,600 in War Bonds during the past ten months, thus surpassing its \$80,900 quota.

The organization chart of Houston county volunteers for the 2nd War Loan Drive, as prepared by Mr. Newhard, is as follows:

E. P. Newhard and C. E. Andrew, co-chairmen.

Executive committee: S. A. Nunn, W. E. Beckham, J. A. Beddingfield, J. N. Buff, G. C. Nunn, A. C. Pritchett, and E. P. Staples.

Publicity—Mrs. J. L. Hodges, Mrs. W. K. Whipple, and Rhett Milam.

Census and Returns—Mrs. J. M. Gooden and Mrs. Mayo Davis, co-chmn., Mrs. W. E. Beckham, Mrs. W. C. Talton, Mrs. Clifford Grimes, Mrs. A. M. Anderson Jr., and Mrs. Bill Walden.

Indicator—W. V. Tuggle and C. E. McLendon.

Booth—Mrs. E. W. T aylor, Mrs. A. C. Cobb, Mrs. C. P. Gray, and Mrs. B. H. Andrew Jr. Sales Directors—Mrs. G. C. Nunn, Women's Group; F. M. Houser, Men's Group; W. T. Middlebrooks, Rural Areas.

Associate Directors—Mrs. L. H. Gilbert, Mrs. L. M. Paul Jr., Mrs. G. E. Jordan, Women; Mayo Davis, O. A. King, Max Moore, Men; R. F. Scarborough, C. B. Watson, Floyd Tabor, A. L. Sasser, A. R. Talton, C. E. Pyles, J. E. Eason, W. B. Hodge, rural; Mrs. Cater Rogers, women war workers.

Colored People—W. F. Ragin and A. D. Redmond, men; Helen Martin and Ruby Tharpe, women's group.

Perry has been divided into areas for sales purposes, as follows: No. 1 & No. 2, men's group; No. 3 & No. 4, women's group.

The men met Wednesday noon and the women Wednesday night to plan for the canvass of Perry in the sale of war bonds.

## U. D. C. MAKES PLANS FOR MEMORIAL DAY

Plans for Confederate Memorial Day, April 26, were made Tuesday, April 6, at the meeting of the Sgt. Clinton C. Duncan chapter, U. D. C., at the home of Mrs. G. S. Riley.

Judge A. M. Anderson will be the speaker at exercises to be held Monday, April 26, at the Perry school auditorium.

Committees for the occasion were appointed by Mrs. H. T. Gilbert, president, as follows:

Program—Mrs. H. P. Dobbins, Mrs. F. M. Greene, Miss Norine Swanson.

Stage—Mrs. G. E. Jordan, Mrs. E. W. T aylor.

Monument—Mrs. W. F. Norwood, Mrs. C. C. Pierce, Mrs. J. F. Bonner.

Flags—Mrs. E. F. Barfield, Mrs. C. E. Brunson.

Graves of veterans in Evergreen cemetery are to be decorated by the same committees.

The U. D. C. program last week consisted of a reading, "Lee's Surrender," Mrs. Jordan; and a poem, "Silver Poplars and Scarlet Thread" by Grace Noel Crowell, Mrs. Gilbert.

## BAPTIST ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday School, 10:15 a. m. Morning Worship Service 11:30. Evening Worship 7:30 p. m. Prayer Service Wednesday night, 7:30 o'clock.

The public is cordially invited to all services.

J. A. Ivey, Pastor.

## EASTER SERVICES AT METHODIST CHURCH

Pre-Easter services will be held at the Perry Methodist church next week, April 18-25. The following Scriptures are given by the pastor, Rev. J. E. Sampley, for help in preparing for the services each day:

Sunday, 11:30 a. m., John 11:12-1; 9-12. 8:00 p. m. Matt. 21:1-9; Mark 11:1-10; Luke 19:35-38; John 12:12-19.

Monday 8:00 p. m. Matt. 21:18, 19; Mark 11:12-14, 15-18; Luke 19:45-48. John 12:20-50.

Tuesday 8:00 p. m. Matt. 21:19-32; 22:15-46; 23:1-39. 24:1-51; 26:1-5; Mark 11:19-33; 12:1-40; 13:1-37; 14:1, 2. Luke 21:37, 38; 21:1, 4, 5-36; 20:1-47; 21:5-36; 22:1, 2.

Wednesday 8:00 p. m. Matt. 26:6-16; Mark 14:3-11; John 12:2-8; Luke 22:3-6.

Thursday 8:00 p. m. Matt. 26:17-35. Mark 14:12-31; Luke 22:7-38; John 13:1-38. John 14:17 chapters.

Friday 8:00 p. m. Matt. 26:36-57; 27:32-61; Mark 14:32-52; 14:53-15:19-47; Luke 22:39-54; 23:25-56; John 18:1, 12-19:42.

Saturday Matt. 27:62-66. Luke 23:56.

Sunday Matt. 28:2-4.

Special music will be rendered by the choir at the evening services. A Junior choir will be organized.

Every one is cordially invited to these services.

## Statement Made By Pace On Peanut Crop

Final arrangements have been made with regard to the 1943 peanut crop and I think the farmers should know the details at once.

"1. Last year the Department provided a two-price program for peanuts, that is, one price for quota peanuts, grown on allotted acreage, and another and much lower price for excess peanuts, grown on excess or unallotted acreage. That proved very unsatisfactory. The program for this year abolishes this two-price system and instead there will be paid the same price for all peanuts of the same type and grade, whether grown on allotted or excess acreage.

"2. Last December the Secretary of Agriculture authorized a support price for this year of \$125.00 per ton average. In February we persuaded him to raise the price to \$129.00 average. That meant about \$132.00 for Spanish and \$122.00 for runners. A short time later the Secretary announced an incentive payment program, under which he proposed to make to peanut producers a special payment per acre for peanuts produced in excess of 90 per cent of their quota. This proposal was not approved by Congress. I then asked the Secretary to increase the guaranteed price of peanuts by an amount equal to what the incentive payments would have been. He hesitated about doing so, but today Mr. Davis, the new Food Administrator, has agreed to do so and has announced an increased support price of \$140.00 per ton average for Spanish and \$130.00 for runners.

"3. Last year the farmers received only \$82.00 per ton for their excess or oil peanuts. Later G. F. A., acting for the Secretary, sold some of these peanuts for edible purposes at quota prices. Also some of these excess peanuts are now being sold for seed at around \$130.00 per ton. I insisted that the profit from these sales should be set aside in a special fund and paid to the producers of excess peanuts. This was agreed to and today Commodity Credit Corporation will announce a special payment of \$10.00 per ton for each ton of excess peanuts sold from the 1942 crop. Other profits from these transactions are expected and it is hoped that they will be sufficient to make at least a second payment of a similar amount.

This all means:

a. That this year no marketing cards will be required in order for the farmer to sell his peanuts;

b. That this year there will be no difference between quota and excess peanuts. They will sell for the same price.

c. That the average price for



## MAYOR URGES CO-OPERATION IN 2ND WAR LOAN CAMPAIGN

As Mayor of Perry I ask my fellow citizens to join to the full extent of your financial ability in the Treasury Department's Second War Loan Campaign which opens April 12.

I feel sure that when the final returns are in, our community will stand high among cities and towns of our size and resources in the country for our accomplishments in this great patriotic drive.

The Government is asking the people of this country to lend 13 billion dollars to help prosecute this war. All of us know how vital this money is in our common cause. We have sent our fathers, sons, brothers and friends off to fight. We must provide the money to put the finest weapons and other munitions in their hands so that they can end this war as quickly as possible.

The Second War Loan Campaign is more than a mere transfer of our money to the Government for a period at good interest rates. It is a demonstration of our will to victory and our desire to back up our men on the fighting lines. The Treasury Department has recognized this basic patriotic aspect of the Second War Loan Campaign by offering a series of securities designed for every pocketbook.

There are the familiar War Bonds, tax certificates, and other long term and short term securities. Democracy never has given a finer example of its strength than in this forthcoming Second War Loan Appeal. Working man and business man, professional man and industrialist, housewife and war worker—all may send their dollars off to fight alongside our troops.

If there was ever a time when we should as a community sound a patriotic note in public undertaking it is in this campaign.

Let us all take to our hearts the theme of this campaign: "They Give Their Lives. You Lend Your Money."

S. A. NUNN, Mayor.

Spanish will be \$140.00 per ton. Number One Spanish should bring at least \$145.00 per ton.

d. That the average price of runners will be \$130.00 per ton.

e. That the Commodity Credit Corporation will probably buy the entire crop and then use it for food or oil and meal as war conditions require.

f. That within a short time each farmer who produced any excess or oil peanuts last year will receive a check for \$10.00 per ton for each ton he sold.

Every farmer wants to help win the war. He can help very

## C. E. ANDREW AND E. P. NEWHARD SUPERVISE WAR LOAN DRIVE

The latter half of April will see America in the biggest sales campaign this country has ever known, for any purpose whatever, when the Treasury Department of the United States goes to the people with the Second War Loan, to raise \$13,000,000,000 nationally for carrying on the nation's worldwide offensive.

This titanic sales effort on War Savings Bonds will reach every county and town in the whole United States and is jointly being supervised by C. E. Andrew, president, Perry Loan & Savings Bank, chairman of the Victory Fund Committee in Houston county, and E. P. Newhard, chairman of the county War Savings Staff. This campaign is a cooperative effort under general direction of the United States Treasury War Finance Committee.

"From now on until this war is won," said Mr. Andrew, "America must be on the offensive. In ever-increasing numbers, your sons, brothers, husbands must go into actual battle—and they are going to need more and more support from you."

"In the next few weeks, practically every person in our country will be visited by one of the thousands of volunteers who are contributing their time and effort to this drive, which began on April 12. The people who can, must make up their minds right now that they are going to march right down to the nearest bank, post office or any other place where they can buy War Bonds—and do their duty. For our country's sake, for our own sake, we've got to invest every cent we possibly can," said Mr. Newhard.

From Washington, Secretary of the Treasury Henry Morgenthau, Jr., has stressed the vital importance of this financing effort and urged every American to put idle dollars to work by buying the type of war security best suited to him.

## CARD OF THANKS

We appreciate the expressions of sympathy shown us during our recent bereavement.

The Tounsley Family.

much by planting his full quota of peanuts, and ten per cent more if possible. I know it will be hard to do, but these are not easy times. Lets back our boys in the battle lines.

Stephen Pace, M. C. Third District.

## TIN CANS AVAILABLE FOR HOUSTON CANNERY

Several people have inquired as to whether or not tin cans will be available for the present canning season. We have gotten in a carload of cans which have been stored without cost at Davis Warehouse. These cans are available for those who plan to can for home consumption, whether they can at the local canning plant or not. To ascertain how many cans will be needed we are putting 30,000 on sale immediately. This will leave a reserve for anyone not able to get cans now. As soon as these are purchased we will try to get another carload. The price will be 2½¢ each for the No. 2 cans and 3½¢ each for No. 3 cans. The No. 2 is a pint size and the No. 3, a quart size. The cans are packed in cartons of 100 so the least amount to be sold any person now will be 100.

A nominal charge of about ½¢ per can will be charged extra for the use of the local canning plant to defray actual expenses. No profit is to be made from the cans nor the canning plant.

To get the cans see L. C. Walker, Vocational Agricultural teacher, who will give you an order to get them from Davis Warehouse. Please see me as soon as possible so we will know how many cans will be needed and we can get them.

L. C. Walker.

## TIGERS NOW LEADING SOFTBALL LEAGUE

Behind the excellent pitching of Jack Wilson, and with tight defensive play, the Tigers handed the powerful Panthers a 6-1 licking which enabled them to take over the league lead with a record of two wins and no defeats.

In the first game Sunday afternoon, the Bulldogs squeezed out an 11-6 victory over the luckless Bears by scoring 6 runs in a wild 8th inning.

Thus the standings read:

	G.	W.	L.	Pct.
Tigers	2	2	0	1.000
Panthers	2	1	1	.500
Bulldogs	2	1	1	.500
Bears	2	0	2	.000

## FRANK TOUNSLEY DIES

Funeral services for Frank C. Tounsley Jr., 34, who died at his home here after an extended illness, were held at the residence Wednesday, April 7. Rev. J. A. Ivey and Rev. J. E. Sampley officiated. Burial was in Evergreen cemetery here.

Mr. Tounsley was a native of Cleveland, Ohio, but had made his home in Perry two years.

Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tounsley; one sister, Mrs. Sadie Barge, of Berea, Ohio; one brother, Samuel J. Tounsley, of Cleveland; one aunt, Mrs. Sadie Donbrana, of Twinsboro, Ohio, and several nieces and nephews.

Palbearers were: C. E. Brunson, John L. Hodges, E. P. Staples, R. A. Anderson, J. S. Rainey, and Dr. A. G. Hendrick.

## CENTERVILLE NEWS

Mrs. W. H. Rape is spending some time in Miami Springs, Fla. with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Storey.

Mrs. C. L. Holt is recuperating from a tonsil operation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McEachting and children, Jeanine and Jerry, spent several days in Albany recently.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thomas of Jacksonville, Fla. spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Stembidge, and other relatives.

Friends of Mr. R. F. Scarborough will be glad to know he is able to be out again after an attack of flu.

Mrs. J. D. Stembidge Jr. of Macon spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Stembidge Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Griffin of Macon spent Sunday p. m. in Centerville.

Miss Ann Moody of Atlanta is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Duke and family.

## RED CROSS WAR FUND TOTALS \$2,700 HERE

\$2,701.67 was raised by Houston county citizens in the Red Cross War Fund Drive which was headed by G. W. Rhodes.

The contributions by communities are as follows: Perry—\$1,251.76, Elko—\$129, Centerville—\$60, Heard—\$28.50, Henderson—\$23, Bonaire—\$25, Kathleen, \$6.50.

The Sorosis club conducted the drive in Perry. W. T. Middlebrooks was in charge of the Rural section. Miss Caroline Braswell secured Elko's contribution.

The white schools raised \$402.55, itemized as follows: Perry—\$355, Bonaire—\$26.30, Grovania—\$8.50, Henderson—\$9.25, Elko \$3.50. County Supt. F. M. Greene directed the drive in the county schools and E. P. Staples in the Perry school.

Roxy Theatre raised \$40.95 from its attendants and the county Grand Jury, \$10 from members serving on this body for the first time.

Penn-Dixie employees contributed \$500 from a special fund they maintain.

## Colored People

The colored people donated \$224.41. \$185.11 of this was given by the colored school children. Perry Training School raised \$103.83 and the other schools, \$81.28. Principal A. D. Redmond and Supervisor Helen Martin conducted the drive among the colored people.

The donations by colored schools are as follows:

King's Chapel school, teachers Alberta B. Mitchell and M. Saunders, \$11.40.

Mt. Nebo, Annis Jones and Trudie Little \$8.50.

McInnis, Ruby Ladd and Cornelia Thomas, \$8.00.

Mt. Zion 14th, Susie Knight, S. Tharpe and Julia M. Davis, \$6.25.

Davis Hill, Mattie Cobb Williams and Eugenia Pettigrew, \$6.00.

Davis Chapel, Ethel Bynum, \$5.25.

Henderson, Sarah Duckett and Minnie Felder, \$5.01.

Green Grove, Mary Lawson and Rhuthalph Johnson Young, \$5.00.

Grovania, Addie Hampton and Minnie Lee Thomas, \$3.41.

Mt. Zion 10th, Sarah McCray and Magnolia Childs, \$3.00.

Dunbar, Lillie McClinton, \$2.43.

Jerusalem, Lula Mae Giles and Aleen Wooten, \$2.35.

Elberta, Isom Stephens and Dorothy C. Lyons, \$2.00.

Oakridge, Sidney Hicks, \$1.07.

Smithville, Willie Bell Thomas, \$1.00.

Oak Grove, Leila Pate Williams, \$1.20.

Sandy Run, Lois Wooten, \$1.00.

Elko, Edith Clemons and Elberta West, \$.81.

Mt. Olive, Mattie Cochran and Mildred Dixon, will report later.

Hayneville, Sarah Pearl Wise and Lillie Bivins, \$5.60.

Piney Wood, Evvie McCormick, \$1.00.

Union Grove, Ethel Thomas, \$1.00.

Piney Grove, no money raised, no report. Elizabeth Bryant, Darlena Chapman and Bertha Evans.

Laidler Springs will report later.

Sand Bed will report later.

**Perry Training School**

1st Grade, L. J. Redmond, Sponsor, \$11.31; 2nd, O. E. Hunter, \$6.05; 3rd, R. L. Tharpe, \$5; 4th, C. V. Troup, \$8.12; 5th, L. Brown, \$9; 6th, G. D. Moore, \$10.15; 7th, R. Glenn, \$6.02; 8th, E. Q. Brown, \$7.76; 9th, B. C. Brown, \$5.2; 10th, M. E. Lawrence, \$11.10; 11th, A. D. Redmond, \$22.10.

## NOTICE

The office of the Houston county Rationing Board will be open from 8:15 a. m. to 6 p. m. and open to the public from 9:15 a. m. to 5 p. m. The office will be closed during the noon hour, 12 to 1 p. m. every day except Wednesday when it will close at 12:30 p. m. for the afternoon. During the summer months, the office will be closed on Wednesday p. m.