



the Armed Service

Norris Fulfer left Monday for El Paso, Texas, for assignment. He has been on a 30 day furlough from his post at Fort Sam Houston, Texas. Fulfer and other relatives of Mrs. **Leroy Nelson** visited over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Amick of Flomot, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson of Matador.

James E. Edmondson of is visiting here this week his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edmondson.

Thelmer O. Osborn and **Delmer N. Osborn**, sons of and Mrs. S. P. Osborn of Spring Springs, are stationed at Westburg, Missouri, in Sqd. S. A. A. F. according to information furnished the post.

PAUL NEWSOM

General Agent
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Paducah, Texas

Pfc. Leonard Crowell writes from Germany to say that he had received two copies of the Tribune, and enjoyed them. He said, in part, "It's snowing here now. About six inches of snow on the ground and it's still coming down. I am in the mortars, and with the 3rd Army with the 90th Division, so you might know about where I am. I hope there is not another boy who has to come over here."

Dear Ben and Friends:
Here are a few lines to let you know that Mule and I are still O.K. We are still receiving the paper and enjoy reading it as much as ever.

I haven't seen Mule in several days as we are on different fields right now.
We have seen a lot of country since we left good Matador. I still haven't found anything to ride except army trucks, but it won't take us long to catch up on our horse back riding once we get home.

Thanks again for the paper. We'll be seeing you.
Adios,
Horse and Mule
(Warren and Stephens)
Set, Myron C. Bethard writes to advise a change in address and says, "I am writing to let you

know that Eugenia and I appreciate the Tribune very much and want to take this time to thank you and the people that make it possible for us to receive it. We enjoy everyone of them." Mrs. Bethard is the former Eugenia Tison. The change in address was to: Sgt. Myron G. Bethard, Sqd. T, 326 A. A. F. P. O. Box 831 MacDill Field, Tampa 8, Florida.

A. P. O. number in S/Sgt. David Campbell's address, was changed recently. His mail goes in care of the Postmaster, San Francisco.

W. H. Godfrey, A. R. M. 2/c, has transferred from Hartford N. C. to Memphis, Tenn. N. A. T. C.

A page was made this week in the address of Cecil B. Pipkin, S 1/c, whose mail goes in care of Fleet Postmaster, San Francisco.

May 17, 1945
Mariana Islands

Dear Ben:
I guess you thought I wasn't going to write you a letter. I guess I have neglected it, but we have been putting all out over here. I have been getting a few papers, but lately they have been missing me and I sure have been missing them. I appreciate getting the paper Ben, and am thankful for all you are doing for the boys in the Armed Forces, and for what the people of Matley County are doing. Tell them all hello for me and to keep the good work up. I haven't met any of the boys from home yet, but I hope to soon.

Your friend,
Pfc. Jimmie C. VanDyke

DALLAS, TEXAS, May 31-(Special to the Tribune) David Vandell, Jr. Seaman First Class, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Vandell of Matador, has recently completed Aviation Ordnance training at the Naval Air Technical Training Center, Norman, Oklahoma. He will now be transferred to a naval unit afloat or to another shore station for further instruction and work.

Seaman Vandell enlisted in the Navy on October 15, 1944.

Pvt. Joe Hall was a member of a tank battalion of the famed 78th Lightning Division which played a major part in eliminating the Ruhr Pocket where one entire German Army Group was trapped according to a release from the division's headquarters.

Beginning on the 6th of April, the division pressed over the Sieg River to begin operations. They broke through defenses along the north bank of the river, and in eleven days advanced more than 50 miles against the enemy. 120 towns and villages were captured, with 47,581 prisoners, including 7 General Officers.

In commending the division, Major General E. P. Parker Jr. declared, "There is no finer group of fighting men in the world. I am - and America will always be - proud and grateful to you."

Norman Merle Pitts left Wednesday to report for training in the Army Air Corps at Fort Sam Houston, having volunteered for service in October.

T/5 **Francis Gunter**, who has been home for a 30-day furlough, left Saturday for Santa Anna, California for hospitalization before re-assignment. He has served 35 months in the southwest Pacific.

Flight Officer Bert Schweitzer of Randolph Field, Texas, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Schweitzer, over the week-end.

H. J. R. No. 11
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION
proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas so as to provide for continuous salary per diem of all members of the Legislature during their tenure of office.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
Section 1. That Section 24 of Article 111 of the Constitution of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

"Section 24. Members of the Legislature shall receive from the public Treasury a per diem of Ten Dollars (\$10) per day during their tenure of office. In addition to the per diem the members of each House shall be entitled to mileage in going to and coming from the seat of government, which mileage shall not exceed Two Dollars and Fifty Cents (\$2.50) for each twenty five (25) miles, the distance to be computed by the nearest and most direct route of travel by land, regardless of railways or water routes; and the Comptroller of the State shall prepare and preserve a table of distances to each county seat, now or hereafter to be established; and by such table the mileage of each member shall be paid; but no member shall be entitled to mileage for any extra session that may be called within one day after the adjournment of any regular or called session."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State on the fourth Saturday in August, A. D. 1945, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment providing for continuous salary per diem of all members of the Legislature during their tenure of office" and
"Against the Constitutional Amendment providing for continuous salary per diem of all members of the Legislature during their tenure of office."

Each voter shall mark out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed Amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Sec. 4. The provisions of this Constitutional Amendment shall be self-enacting, and if a majority of votes at said election shall be cast for same, the Governor shall, within thirty (30) days after said election, issue a proclamation declaring this Amendment to be a part of the Constitution of Texas, To Publish May 24, 31, June 7, '44

Miss Aylene Dees Becomes Bride of Pfc. David Taylor

In a ceremony read in the Baptist parsonage by Rev. H. G. Verner, Saturday evening, May 26 at 9:20, Miss Aylene Dees became



Mrs. David Taylor

the bride of Pfc. David M. Taylor. The bride was attired in a white lace dress, with white accessories, and for travel, changed to a brown summer suit. Following the ceremony, they left for a short wedding trip to visit Pfc. Taylor's parents and friends at Commerce and Greenville.

Mrs. Taylor is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Dees. The family came to Texas several years ago, from Wallace, Arkansas and moved to Matador from Floyd County, last year. Mrs. Taylor was one of the high-ranking students of the senior class which graduated from Matador High School this month.

Pfc. Taylor has been stationed at Childress Army Air Field the past two years, and on maneuver duty at West 6 field, west of Matador.

Flomot News

(By Mrs. L. B. Turner)

Mr. and Mrs. Odie Crowell and son Max, of Torrence, California, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Crowell this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Jones and family of Portales, New Mexico, spent the week-end visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garrett and family of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. Audric Morris and family of Kress spent Sunday visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Jones and daughter, Mrs. Leldon Bynum, were visiting in Matador Monday.

Mrs. Clare Marler of Clovis, New Mexico, visited relatives here over the week-end.

Odie Crowell and his father, Leonard Crowell, visited in Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Barton and daughter, Betty Jo, Bron Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Barton made a fishing trip to Buchanan Lake over the week-end. Before returning home they will visit in Fort Worth and Dallas.

Mrs. Joe Thomas and son, who

have been with their husband and father, stationed in Florida, are visiting with relatives here.

Mrs. Lem Brock returned home Friday after a two weeks visit with relatives in Killeen and Temple. Her nephew, Mike Croft, of Killeen returned home with her for a visit.

Mrs. Lottie Gilbert and children, who have been with their husband and father, stationed at Tyler, are visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. Howard Standefer and daughter of Fort Worth, arrived Saturday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Webb.

Mrs. Thula Wedeman left Tuesday for a visit with relatives in Fort Worth.

STANLEY GRANT HONORED WITH BIRTHDAY PARTY

A birthday party was given for Stanley Grant on his seventh birthday, May 16. Many friends and schoolmates attended.

After a number of games were played refreshments of cake and punch were served to the following: Barbara Dye, Fayrene Robbins, Georgia Richard, James Ray Smith, Bobbie Don Lewis, Norma Jean Red, Carolyn Brooks, DeLores Roberts, Buddie Moore, Bobbie Gambles, S. N. Davis, David Earl Osborn, Miller Marshall, Mary Lee Grant, Wanda Beth Webb, Helen Webb, Velma Grant, Linda Ray Thompson, Marjorie Nell Webb, and Gena Lee and Gena Vee Harmon, of Roaring Springs.

Roaring Springs Girl Is Married

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Franklin of Roaring Springs, are announcing the marriage of their youngest daughter, Gene, to I. C. Fudge, S 1/c of the U. S. Navy, in a ceremony performed May 12, in Martinez, California.

The bride is a charming young woman with a host of friends in the community where she was born and reared. She graduated from Roaring Springs High School in 1943.

The bridegroom is the son of I. C. Fudge Sr., of Hamlin, and is stationed in Port Chicago, California.

Mrs. Ware Fogerson and children, and Mrs. Florence Fogerson of Silverton, spent the week-end here visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Day.

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LOCALS
Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Clements of Childress were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Clements.
Miss Frances Seigler, student at Texas State College for Women, Denton, spent this week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eldred Seigler, before returning to resume her studies during summer semester.
Miss Alla Mae Fulfer has returned home from Whitharral, where she has been teaching the past year. She is spending the summer vacation with her mother, Mrs. W. M. Fulfer.
Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Shelton and children, Wayne and Evelyn, visited friends in Plainview Sunday. Evelyn remained to visit for several days this week.

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Recruits Still In Demand By WAC

Eligible women in the Matador area, who desire to enlist in the Women's Army Corps, will have an opportunity for an interview with representatives of that branch of the service who will be at Lubbock each month.

Sgt. Helene Kwraczyk and Sgt. Mable Day will be in Lubbock Friday, June 8, through June 12 and 4 days each month thereafter. They may be contacted at Hilton Hotel, Lt. Helen Wade, Commanding Officer of the unit has announced.

Women between the ages of 20 and 50 having had at least two years of high school, no dependent children under the age of 14 years, are urged to contact the recruiting team or call or write 106 Federal Building, Fort Worth.

The need for additional members of the Women's Army Corps still exists, although the war in Europe has ended and demobilization has begun. The demand is great in fields of administrative and hospital work, replacements are always necessary and additional numbers will be required in all branches of the Army, it was pointed out.

S. J. R. No. 8 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas providing for a Supreme Court of nine members; prescribing their qualifications; and providing for their election, tenure of office and compensation.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 2 of article 5 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as hereafter to read as follows:

"Article 5, Section 2. The Supreme Court shall consist of a Chief Justice and eight Associate Justices, any five of whom shall constitute a quorum, and the concurrence of five shall be necessary to a decision of a case; provided, that when the business of the court may require, the court may sit in sections as designated by the court to hear argument of causes and to consider applications for writs of error or other preliminary matters. No person shall be eligible to the office of Chief Justice or Associate Justice of the Supreme Court unless he be, at the time of his election, a citizen of the United States and of this state, and unless he shall have attained the age of thirty-five years, and shall have been a practicing lawyer, or a lawyer and judge of a court of record together at least ten years. Said Justices shall be elected (three of them each two years) by the qualified voters of the state at a general election; shall hold their offices six years, or until their successors are elected and qualified, and shall each receive such compensation as shall be provided by law. In case of a vacancy in the office of any Justice of the Supreme Court, the Governor shall fill the vacancy until the next general election for state officers, and at such general election the vacancy for the unexpired term shall be filled by election by the qualified voters of the state. The Justices of the Supreme Court who may be in office at the time this amendment takes effect shall continue



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EASTERN STAR HAS CALLED MEETING FOR INITIATION

A called meeting of the Eastern Star was held Monday night, May 21, for initiation ceremonies and to honor the members who have joined the order during the administration of Mrs. Maggie Hamilton, Worthy Matron for the past two years.

Table decorations, vases of roses and other cut flowers, were arranged by Mrs. Faye Clements and Mrs. Pearl Stanley. A delicious refreshment plate consisting of chicken salad sandwiches, potato chips, olives, coffee and cocoa was served by a refreshment committee composed of Mesdames Wilna Hobbs, Jewel Reeves, Laverne Doss, Opal Craven, Lisa Price, Edith Sanders, Myrtle Skaggs and Earlene Vauv's.

In the ceremony of welcoming new members who were honor guests, Mrs. Margaret Whitworth, Mrs. Opal Pipkin and Mrs. Ollie Pitts assisted the Worthy Matron. Those honored on this occasion were: Mesdames Laverne Doss, Faye Clements, Irene Traweck, Edith Sanders, Jewel Reeves, Grace Campbell, Bernice Knight, Ina Price, Connie Ross Browning, Sueleker Stapleton, Hattie Tee Tomlinson, Raulita Kifer, Ruby McWilliams, Winifred Darsey, Mary Thomas and Messrs. T. E. Long, Pat Sheridan, Vernon Doss, Buford Hobbs, F. Z. Martin, Elbert Reeves, D. E. Pitts, W. N. Pipkin and Dr. Albert Traweck Jr. Each was presented with a small gift from the Worthy Matron.

Other members present were G. E. Hamilton, Allie Cox, Rachel Patton, Margaret Springer, Cora Craven, Jewel Harp, Hettie Patton, Cyndia Watson, Virginia Willie, Vinie Keltz, Lucy Ford, Bess McWilliams, Minnie Martin, Mary Meason, Ethel Sheridan, Velma Moore and one out-of-town guest, Mrs. Frances Craven of Bartlesville, Oklahoma.

Next meeting of the chapter will be Installation of Officers, on June 7.

Tea Honors Officers
On Thursday afternoon, May 17, officers and their pre-terms of the chapter were entertained at a formal tea in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Hamilton.

Table decorations were cut roses, and a mirror under the punch bowl. The table was laid with a lace cloth. Misses Ann Harp and Billie Frank Skaggs presided at the table serving cheese and butter sandwiches, cookies, olives, decorated mints and punch.

Those present were: Mesdames Allie Cox, Ruby McWilliams, Edith Sanders, Margaret Springer, Ollie Pitts, Jewel Harp, Opal Pipkin, Hettie Patton, Winifred Darsey, Cyndia Watson, Virginia Willie, Grace Campbell, Vivian Jacobs, Vinie Keltz, Irene Traweck, Bess McWilliams and Miss Rachel Patton and Messrs. W. F. Jacobs, W. N. Pipkin, and Henry Pipkin.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 7

proposing an amendment to Article 6 of the Constitution of Texas providing that any person in the armed forces of the United States, or the Armed Force Reserve of the United States, or of any branch or component part thereof, or the United States Maritime Service, or the United States Merchant Marine, or who has been a member of same within eighteen months prior to the holding of any election in this state authorized by law, and is otherwise a qualified voter, shall not be required to pay, or to hold a receipt for the payment of, a poll tax in order to vote at any such election, if same is held while the United States is at war or within a certain stated time thereafter, providing that members of the regular Army, Navy, or Marine Corps of the United States shall not be permitted to vote, providing that other members of the armed forces shall be entitled to vote under certain conditions, providing the form of the ballot for voting on said proposed amendment; fixing the time for holding an election; directing the

Governor to issue the necessary proclamations; and making an appropriation.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. There shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State of Texas the matter of amending Article 6 of the Constitution of Texas, by adding thereto a new section which will modify the present restrictions concerning voting. This new section shall be inserted between Section 2 and Section 3 of said Article 6, and shall be known as Section 2a, and shall read as follows:

"Section 2a. Nothing in this Constitution shall be construed to require any person, who at the time of the holding of an election hereinafter referred to, or who, within eighteen months immediately prior to the time of holding any such election, was a member of the armed forces of the United States or of the Armed Force Reserve of the United States, or any branch or component part of such armed forces or Armed Force Reserve, or the United States Maritime Service or the United States Merchant Marine, and who is otherwise a qualified voter under the laws and Constitution of this state, to pay a poll tax or to hold a receipt for any poll tax assessed against him, as a condition precedent to his right to vote in any election held under the authority of the laws of this state, during the time the United States is engaged in fighting a war, or within one year after the close of the calendar year in which said war is terminated.


"Provided, however, that the foregoing provisions of this section do not confer the right to vote upon any person who is a member of the regular establishment of the United States Army, Navy, or Marine Corps; and provided further, that all persons in the armed forces of the United States, or the component branches thereof, not members of the regular establishment of the United States Army, Navy, or Marine Corps, are hereby declared not to be disqualified from voting by reason of any provision of sub-section 'Fifth' of Section 1, of this Article."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state on August 25, 1945, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the following:

"For the amendment to Article 6 of the Constitution of Texas, providing that any person in the armed forces of the United States, or the Armed Force Reserve of the United States, or of any branch or component part thereof, or of the United States Maritime Service, or the United States Merchant Marine, or who has been a member of same within eighteen months prior to the holding of any election in this state authorized by law, and is otherwise a qualified voter, shall not be required to pay, or to hold a receipt for the payment of, a poll tax in order to vote at any such election, if same is held while the United States is at war or within a certain stated time thereafter."

Those opposed to such amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the following:

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Methodist W. S. C. S. Has Meeting

At a meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service, held Tuesday evening of last week, at the home of Mrs. Harry Willett, an interesting program was given with "Sancity of Christian Homes," with Mrs. G. E. Hamilton as leader.

Participating in the program was a group of girls, in costume representing different nationalities. These included Dorothy Watson, Betty Price, Mary Janice Wilkinson and Frances Schweitzer, who sang two quartets; June Black, who gave "Christian family life in Africa;" Dorothy Stanfield and Billy Frank Skaggs, who sang, "Swing Low, Sweet Chariot;" Mickey Roberts, who gave a talk on "Christian family life in China;" and Jolene Bloodworth, on Christian family life in Latin America." Betty Price also spoke on "The Christian home in America," and Frances Schweitzer on "Christian family life in India." Also on the program was Mrs. Bill Pipkin, who spoke on the subject, "Wom-

men's task for today." Members of the society were: Mesdames Hamilton, W. M. Graham, Bill Patton, Moore, H. H. Schweitzer, son, A. J. Daffern, H. M. Joe Bloodworth, U. L. E. Hamilton, F. F. Callahan, Ford, J. H. Whitworth, Tudor, and Ola Williams, visitor, Mrs. Virginia . . . Refreshments were on the conclusion of the program.

LOCALS

Miss Frances Bauck visited last week in Amarillo with friends. She was accompanied by Mrs. John Floydada.

Miss Rachel Patton of Dallas the past week.

Mrs. W. T. Boggs of Amarillo spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clements.

Miss Ernie Boggs of Amarillo visited her parents, Mr. J. L. Boggs, here, over the end.

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H. J. R. No. 13 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, amending Sections 51a, 51b, 51c, and 51d of Article 3 so that same shall consist of one section to be known as Section 51a, providing that the Legislature shall have the power to provide assistance to and provide for the payment of same to actual bona fide citizens of Texas who are aged sixty-five (65) years, needy blind persons over the age of twenty-one (21) years, and needy children under the age of sixteen (16) years; providing for the acceptance of financial aid from the Government of the United States for such assistance; providing that payments of such assistance from State funds shall never exceed either the payments from Federal funds or a total of more than Thirty-five Million Dollars (\$35,000,000) per year; providing for the necessary election, form of ballot, proclamation, and publication, and making an appropriation to defray the necessary expenses of proclamation, publication, and holding the election.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Sections 51a, 51b, 51c, and 51d of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended and the same are hereby amended so that the same shall hereafter consist of one section to be numbered 51a, which shall read as follows:

"Sec. 51a. The Legislature shall have the power by general laws to provide, subject to limitations and restrictions herein contained, and such other limitations, restrictions and regulations as may be by the Legislature be deemed expedient for assistance to, and for the payment of assistance to:

"(1) Needy aged persons who are actual bona fide citizens of Texas and who are over the age of sixty-five (65) years; provided that no such assistance shall be paid to any inmate of any State supported institution, while such inmate, or to any person who shall not have actually resided in Texas for at least five (5) years during the nine (9) years immediately preceding the application for such assistance and continuously for one (1) year immediately preceding such application; provided that the maximum payment per month from State funds shall not be more than Twenty Dollars (\$20) per month.

"(2) Needy blind persons who are actual bona fide citizens of Texas and are over the age of twenty-one (21) years; provided that no such assistance shall be paid to any inmate of any State supported institution, while such inmate, or to any person who shall not have actually resided in Texas for at least five (5) years during the nine (9) years immediately preceding the application for such assistance and continuously for one (1) year immediately preceding such application.

"(3) Needy children who are actual bona fide citizens of Texas and are under the age of sixteen (16) years; provided that no such assistance shall be paid on account of any child over one (1) year old who has not continuously resided in Texas for one (1) year immediately preceding the application for such assistance, or on account of any child under the age of one (1) year whose mother has not continuously resided in Texas for one (1) year immediately preceding such application.

"The Legislature shall have the authority to accept from the Federal Government of the United States such financial aid for the assistance of the needy aged, needy blind, and needy children, as such Government may offer not inconsistent with restrictions herein set forth; provided however that the amount of such assistance out of State funds to each person assisted shall never exceed the amount so expended out of Federal Funds; and, provided further that the total amount of money to be expended out of the State funds for such assistance to the needy aged, needy blind, and needy children shall not exceed the sum of Thirty-five Million Dollars (\$35,000,000) per year.

"Should the Legislature enact enabling laws and provide an appropriation hereto in anticipation of the adoption of this amendment, such Acts shall not be invalid by reason of their anticipatory character.

"Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of Texas at a special election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the 25th day of August, 1945, at which election there shall be printed on such ballot the following clause:

"For the amendment to the Constitution giving the Legislature the power to set up a system of payments of old age assistance to those above sixty-five (65) years of age; provided that monthly payments from State funds to any one person may be in valid amounts based on need, that the maximum payment per month per person from State funds shall not be more than Twenty Dollars (\$20) per month; giving the Legislature the power to set up a system of payments for the needy blind persons over twenty-one (21) years of age; giving the Legislature the power to set up a system of payments to needy children under sixteen (16) years of age; providing for the expenditure of funds from the Federal Government, limiting the total amount which may be expended for such assistance out of State funds; and providing conditions as to residence within the State in order to become eligible to receive assistance."

"Against the amendment to the Constitution giving the Legislature the power to set up a system of payments of old age assistance to those above sixty-five (65) years of age; provided that

monthly payments from State funds to any one person may be in valid amounts based on need, that the maximum payment per month per person from State funds shall not be more than Twenty Dollars (\$20) per month; giving the Legislature the power to set up a system of payments for the needy blind persons over twenty-one (21) years of age; giving the Legislature the power to set up a system of payments to needy children under sixteen (16) years of age; providing for the expenditure of funds from the Federal Government; limiting the total amount which may be expended for such assistance out of State funds; and providing conditions as to residence within the State in order to become eligible to receive assistance."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published and held as required by the Constitution and the Laws of the State of Texas.

R. A. M. CHAPTER ELECTS OFFICERS

At a regular meeting of Royal Arch Chapter and Council held Monday night, May 28, in the Masonic hall, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: R. A. M. Chapter No. 283: W. P. D. E. Pitts; King, L. A. Stearns; Scribe, W. L. McWilliams; Treasurer, R. F. Thornton; Secretary, J. R. Whitworth.

Royal and S. M. No. 218: T. H. M., H. K. Ford; T. H. Deputy M., R. F. Thornton; P. C. of W., Dr. J. G. Ketchersid; Treasurer, Elmer Stearns; Recorder, J. R. Whitworth.

The Chapter and Council reported a fine year's work, with a total membership of 103 at the close of the year. Henry Pittin was presented a suit of clothes in appreciation for his excellent work as chef for the past few years.

Installation of the new officers will be held Monday, June 25.

RETURNS FROM DUNCAN

Mrs. W. Y. Higgins has returned home from Duncan, Oklahoma where she visited her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Davis. Mr. Davis is in a serious condition following a recent heart attack which has confined him to his bed for six weeks.

Ronnie and Mack Davis accompanied their grandmother for an indefinite visit in her home.

Mrs. R. L. Sorrels and young son, Denny, of Los Angeles, California, arrived in Matador Saturday for a visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Wagley and other relatives. She accompanied Mrs. Herman Wag-

ley on her return trip from California, where she had been with her husband, who was recently stationed at Camp Parks.

New Recruits To Don Uniforms

Several new recruits left Monday morning for Dallas, for induction into the armed forces and to don uniforms of various branches of service.

List of those who left, according to Mrs. Edith Sanders, clerk in the Selective Service office included the following: Horace R. (Skeet) Jameson, 10,480; Joe Wendell Jacobs, 10,467; James Lowell Webb, 10,471; Orville Washington Jr., 10,486; Welcom M. Armstrong, 314.

Two others registered in this county, were also recently inducted, being Robert Darrell Pritchett, 404 - V, who volunteered and was inducted into the U. S. Marine Corps on May 9, at Dallas, and Robert Calvin Cudd, 155, who was inducted May 8, at Bismarck, North Dakota.

WANT ADS

FOR SALE: Northern Star Cotton Seed Staple 1-1/16 ginned from the seed. Matador Haver & Furn. Co.

LOST: Brown leather billfold, Saturday night near 11 o'clock May 12, in the vicinity of Bob's Oil Well. Contained registration papers, driver's license, and other important papers in addition to large amount of currency and checks. Reward of \$250.00 for return of billfold and all contents. W. M. Dyer, Floydada, Texas

FOR SALE: One wood or coal range; 1 Bath tub; 1 Wheat drill; 1 Godevil, complete; Located at the Roy Lipham station, east of Lud Harris Filling

Station, on Paducah Highway. Mrs. C. E. Soderstrom, 114 Jettie St. Floydada. p21

FOR SALE: One F-20 Tractor. Can be seen at the Matador Hardware. W. E. Burlison.

FOR SALE: One Allis Chalmers 6 ft. combine, 1937 model. See P. Y. Springer. p11

Roaring Springs NEWS

By Mrs. J. D. Mitchell

MRS. TARDY HONORED Mrs. Lois Smith entertained Friday evening with a surprise birthday dinner in the hotel dining room, honoring Mrs. Carl Tardy on her birthday.

A long table was beautifully decorated with bowls of roses, and places were set for the following: Mesdames E. E. Moss, Joyce Smith, M. S. Thacker, Maggie Keahy, M. D. Freeman, J. M. Cavitt, H. T. Robbins, J. D. Green, M. L. Hoyle, W. P. Cooper, J. D. Mitchell, L. M. Miller, C. W. Giesecke, W. E. Bowen, Miss Juanita Smith, Mrs. Tardy and Mrs. Smith.

Mrs. K. Jones of Lubbock visited and attended business interests here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Martin and family of Afton were visiting here Monday.

Marion Alice Mitchell, student in Texas State College for Women, at Denton, is at home for a week's visit.

Charlene Giesecke is home from West Texas State College, Canyon, for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Giesecke.

Joe Jimmy Keahy is visiting his mother, Mrs. Maggie Keahy, after attending Texas Tech, Lubbock, the past term.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Simpson went to Lubbock Tuesday to meet their son, Captain Fred G. Simpson Jr., who arrived home after spending more than a year in the South Pacific.

LOCAL ITEMS

Mrs. Beuna Hodges of Plainview visited here Sunday and was accompanied home by Mrs. Edna Patton, for a week's visit.

Mrs. C. E. Mize and daughters, Eddie Jean and Mrs. Phil Green of Coleman, formerly of Matador, visited friends here this week.

Miss Sue Lawrence, recently of Dimmitt, arrived here Tuesday and will visit her parents at Flo-mot before going to Lubbock, where she will be employed.

Edwina Ross of Crowell, is visiting this week with Mr. and Mrs. John Liseiby.

John Houston Irwin is visiting his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Montgomery of Ft. Sumner, New Mexico.

Frank Hallford, Clyde Gilbert and A. B. Simpson left this week for Stovall Wells, for treatment. They will also engage in fishing while in that locality.

Fred Cecil Irwin returned home from Crowell, where he has been visiting his aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ross.

Mrs. Jake Morrison of Lorenzo, is visiting here this week with her mother, Mrs. Nita B. Pitts.

J. L. Woodruff is visiting in Shamrock this week at the bedside of his sister, Mrs. George Miller, who is ill.

Mrs. Elvis Lebow and daughter, Wanda Jean of Clovis, New Mexico, visited here Saturday with Mrs. Lebow's mother, Mrs. Doug Meador and family. Wanda Jean remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John MacKenzie of Denver, Colorado, were visitors here this week at Matador ranch headquarters, as guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Reilly.

Mrs. Ed Jameson and sons, Bill and Bob have returned home from a week's visit in New Mexico where they visited relatives and friends in Carlsbad and Artesia.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Bird and children, Daisy and Charles of Littlefield, formerly of Bird's

ranch, were Matador Wednesday.

Mrs. Maurice Reilly and daughter, Suzanne, were accompanied to Clovis, N. M., last week by Mrs. M. J. Reilly, and joined Lt. Reilly in making a home in Clovis while he is stationed there. Mr. M. J. Reilly went to Clovis over the weekend to accompany his wife and Mrs. A. L. Yargrough of Oklahoma, visited in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and H. M. Wagley last week.

SWIM...

something to eat, and if we would have been shot.

"The only water we had was hot water in the mess and at night.

"We finally reached Stalingrad near Fallingb., and at the end of that time most of us were in the hospital. Aspiren told me about the only medicine they gave us. I was there before being liberated by British Second Army."

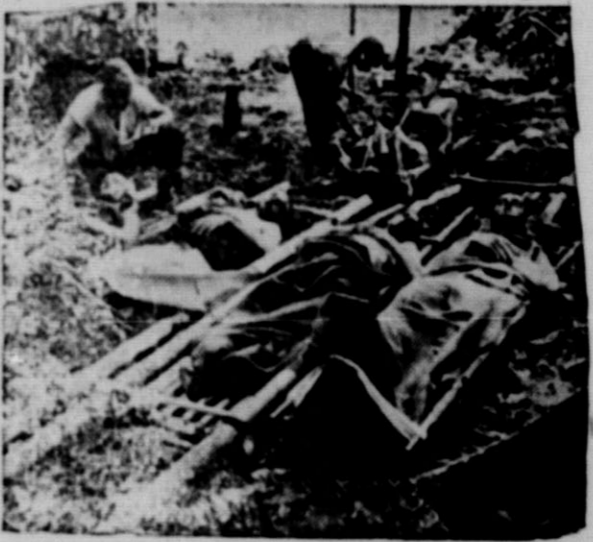
Liberated April 16 Sgt. Swim was reported from his base in England, 29, 1944, and was liberated 16, 1945. He was flown to Paris. He embarked for from La Havre and upon arrival in the states, was sent to Sam Houston.

At the conclusion of a 90-day furlough, he will go to Miami Beach, Florida, for his thoughts.

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Let's Listen To The Dead



Let's Learn From The Living



The whispers of the dead echo from the foreign battlefields, a vibrant plea that America stand united behind the Mighty Seventh War Loan. Those who return hear the call, and with their stronger voice, are telling America the importance of the Mighty 7th. Let's learn from them the meaning of a war bond drive. Ask them about the 6th war loan that was being sponsored while they fought in that land of ready-death! Ask them, and then buy a bond!

Advertisement for Matador Drug featuring a bird illustration and the slogan 'Sing A Song Of BEAUTY!'. It lists various cosmetic products and prices: Lucien LeLong Trifling (Powder \$1, Rouge \$1, Lipstick \$1, Body Powder \$1.50, Cologne \$2.50), Yankee Clover Colonial Dames (Perfume \$1, Cologne \$1), and Just 50c. The store is located at KENNETH JEFFERS, Mgr.

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