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Coleman Co. Schools To Open Sept. 3

All the schools of Coleman County, with the exception of Glen Cove, will open the 1945-46 session on September 3rd. Glen Cove will open on September 17.

Everything is being put in readiness for the opening. Many of the school buses have been reconditioned and new tires purchased if needed. Several of the school plants have been redecorated throughout, and practically all the class rooms have been given a thorough going over; the desks and furniture freshly varnished; blackboards reslated; etc.

Preliminary meetings will be held on August 29 and September 1. On August 29 there will be a superintendent's meeting at the office of the county superintendent at 5:00 p. m. Then on Saturday morning, September 1, at 10:00 a. m., there will be a county wide faculty meeting in the assembly room of the Agriculture Building in Coleman for all principals and teachers in schools that do not have superintendents. The superintendents of the county will hold faculty meetings at their respective buildings.

Most of the schools are ready to open with a complete and competent faculty. The Coleman County Schools and their 1945-46 faculties are as follows:

Silver Valley: Mrs. Patsy Pulham, Miss Myrtle McGregor; Glen Cove: Two teachers to be elected yet; Burkett: Supt. W. R. Chambers, A. I. Edwards, Mrs. Winnie McQueen, Mrs. Ralph McNeel, Mrs. Verda Brown, F. B. Porter, Mrs. Yvette Bowden, and one other teacher to be selected; Cross Roads: Mrs. Mary Kemp, Miss Rosemary Duggins, Mrs. Agee Edgerton; Liberty: Mrs. M. W. Powers; Cleveland: Mrs. John W. Taylor; Shields: Mrs. Willie C. Gilbreath, Mrs. Audrey Holt; Mukewater: Mrs. Jess York; Leedy: Mrs. Lucille Oakes.

Leaday: Mrs. Annie Ruth Fletcher, Mrs. Dorothy Vickers; Whon: H. W. Schulze, Mrs. Jewell Schulze; Echo: Miss Charlotte Edwards; Loss Creek: C. R. Steele, Mrs. Gladys Snodgrass; Talpa: Supt. Glynn Mitchell, A. T. Hedgpeth, Mrs. Wilma Trammell, Mrs. Thora Kerby, Mrs. Floyd Thompson, Mrs. Alberta E. Grounds, and one other teacher to be selected; Novice: Supt. H. D. Adams, Mrs. Maurine Burroughs, Miss Alta Lee Kerbow, Miss Doris Newman, Mrs. Gladys Batson, Mrs. Sallie Gray, Mrs. Sarah Nowlin; Goldsboro: Mrs. Q. P. Burroughs; Trickham: Mrs. J. H. Martin; Buffalo: Supt. J. A. Harris, Miss Thelma Casey, Mrs. J. A. Harris, C. R. Lowe, Mrs. C. R. Lowe, and one teacher to be selected; Mozelle: Supt. D. H. Grounds, B. D. Murff, Mrs. Madeline Jo Veal, S. J. Burleson, Mrs. Adele Adams, Mrs. Jewell McMinn, Miss Bobbie Haynes, Mrs. R. D. Kirkpatrick, Miss Lucy Lee Pullen, Miss Dora Kirkpatrick, Evered H. Veal, Miss Ester Slate, Mrs. Onnie B. Edens, Mrs. Opal Couch, Mrs. S. J. Burleson, Mrs. Essie McGregor; Centennial: Supt. R. D. Holt, A. T. Hedgpeth, Mrs. R. D. Holt, Mrs. Agnes Keese, Mrs. Ora Gafford, Mrs. Ola G. LeMay, Mrs. Vernon Close, and one other teacher to be selected; Rockwood: M. B. Williams, and one teacher to be selected.

Santa Anna Boy Works On Atomic Bomb

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mills received a letter from their younger son, Eddie Vaughan, last week, stating that, since the news had been released by the newspapers and radio about the atomic bomb he could tell them what he had been doing in the science and engineering department of the home plant of the General Electric at Schenectady, New York. Eddie Vaughan stated that he had just served sixteen months working on the atomic bomb.

He is a graduate of the Santa Anna High School and also a graduate of Texas Tech at Lubbock, graduating from the Technological school on May 31, 1943. He was immediately ordered to the Schenectady plant of the General Electric and reported for duty the 14th of June. Eddie Vaughan further states that, he still has three more months work on the further completion of the recently made famous atomic bomb.

American Legion To Hold Meeting

Friday night, August 24, at 8:30 o'clock the American Legion will meet in the Service Cafe. All members are urged to be there. If you know anyone who has been discharged from the Army, Navy or any military service bring them with you. We want every discharged veteran from this part of the county to be there. Dinner will be served at 8:30, free to all members and discharged men.

The meeting is especially for the recently discharged men so come and bring some of them with you. If you are a veteran and none of the Legion contacts you, come anyway. You are welcome and we want you there.

Is Your Subscription Out?

The last month we have been doing our utmost to get our mailing list up to date. If your subscription has expired and you want the paper to continue coming to you, you must come in to see us or drop us a line with a check or money order or some means to let us know that you want the paper. The first of September all names on our mailing list, that are delinquent, will be removed.

This is the last notice that you will receive. Our mailing list must be brought up to date.

Monday Last Day For Waste Paper

The waste paper drive is just about over. The truck will be here to gather waste paper Monday afternoon. If you have any paper that you want to donate to the Red Cross be sure to have it at the News office before that time.

After this drive is over we will not be able to take care of the waste paper any longer. So be sure to get it in on time.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Eubanks are the proud parents of a 9 lb. 7 oz. daughter, Mary Virginia, born August 14.



Released by U. S. War Department, Bureau of Public Relations.

DID THE "IMPOSSIBLE"— Upon the shoulders of Major General Leslie R. Groves rested the tremendous task of directing the atomic bomb project. The West Point graduate of the class of 1918 for three years labored on one of the world's greatest scientific and engineering achievements. In all this—a venture in which the pressure of time was forever a factor—he had at his command the vast funds and resources of the United States, the most brilliant scientific minds available in this country and the best talent in all lines of endeavor needed for the success of the project, but it was he who juggled the pieces and fitted them into their proper places.

Lions Club Closes Very Active Year

The Club is now off to the races with a new set of officers and committees for another year of progress.

Officers are: Neal Oakes, president; Hardy Blue, secretary; O. L. Cheaney, treasurer; Rex Golston, 1st vice president; W. R. Mulroy, 2nd vice president; Emzy L. Brown, 3rd vice president; William Stiles, Lion Tamer; F. C. Williams, Tail Twister. Directors: W. B. Griffin, B. T. Vinson, J. G. Williamson, J. W. Riley and E. R. Purdy.

Committees: Attendance: W. R. Mulroy, F. C. Williams, Garland N. Powell; Constitution and By-Laws: F. C. Woodward; Convention: George M. Johnson, Loyd Burris, W. B. Griffin; Finance: O. L. Cheaney; Lion Education: J. D. F. Williams, D. D. Byrne, Rex Golston; Membership: W. R. Brown, Bill Stiles, D. H. Moore; Program: W. B. Griffin; Publicity: J. J. Gregg, Hardy Blue, Neal Oakes; Military Affairs: J. G. Williamson, L. V. Stockard, Roy Voss; Greeter Comm.: Lovell Richardson, B. A. Parker, J. L. Harris; Food: T. J. McCaughan, E. R. Purdy, Arthur Talley; Boys and Girls Work: J. W. Burgett, M. D. Pinkerton, D. H. Williams; Citizenship and Patriotism: Ben Yarborough, J. W. Parker, S. H. Collier; Civic Improvement: George Johnson, Clinton Lowe, Edd Bartlett; Community Betterment: Emzy Brown, C. E. Kingsbery, Tom Stewardson; Education: D. D. Byrne, Sam Skiles, J. W. Burgett; Safety: B. B. Unsell; J. L. Standard, Arlie Welch; Health and Welfare: D. A. Gardner, J. W. Riley, A. M. Turner, Norman Hosch; Sight Cons. and Blind: Rex Golston, O. A. Etheredge, D. A. Gardner; Lions Carnival: Arlie Welch, W. B. Griffin, O. L. Cheaney, George Johnson, Neal Oakes.

Jack Gregg Is Promoted In Rank

In a letter received from our son, Jack Gregg, with the Inspector General Department, located in India, informs us that he has been advanced from the rank of Captain to that of Major. The Major indicates in his letter that he is now more than likely stuck in his present location for months to come.

A letter from Burton Gregg, the younger son, dated August 12th, on Okinawa, stated the message of the Japanese surrender had just been received but was waiting for confirmation. He was praying for an immediate acceptance and an opportunity to return home where he could be reunited with his wife and make the acquaintance of his baby daughter, whom he has never been privileged to see.

Schools Will Open September 3rd

The Santa Anna Schools will open the 1945-46 session Monday, Sept. 3rd. There are two vacancies to be filled, a band director and a coach. Every effort is being made to secure teachers for these positions, but due to lack of finances, it is a difficult task. A faculty list will be published as soon as all vacancies are filled.

The Ward school pupils will assemble in the study hall at 9:30 Sept. 3rd when all announcements will be made.

The seniors in high school will register Monday morning, Sept. 3rd, the juniors in the afternoon, the sophomores Tuesday morning, Sept. 4th and the freshmen in the afternoon.

Assembly in the auditorium Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock. The public is invited.

Lt. Mills Sends German Flag Home

Lt. W. C. (Curry) Mills, with the American Army in Germany, sent a large 6x11 feet size German flag, with the swastika and iron cross plainly woven in, to his wife and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mills.

The flag is at present displayed on the east wall of the Santa Anna News office, for show purposes only, and has been attracting considerable attention.

Lt. Mills has sent a number of war items home, including guns and other such things, which are being kept at the Mills home.

L. A. Welch Moves To New Location

L. A. Welch and his helpers have been taxed to the limit the past two weeks moving and getting set up in their new quarters, fronting on main street. His announcement elsewhere in this paper tells another story. Read it and get further information.

NOTICE

This bank will be closed all day Saturday, August 25th, the same being election day throughout the state. Please take notice and be governed accordingly. Santa Anna National Bank

Lions Club Carnival Saturday Night, September 29th

The Lions Club set Saturday night, September 29th, for the Second Annual Carnival, sponsored by the Club.

The general committee to put the carnival over is L. A. Welch, Neal Oakes, W. B. Griffin, O. L. Cheaney and Geo. M. Johnson. Several other committees for various phases of the work incidental to the conduct and proper functioning of the carnival affairs have been appointed, and their names will appear later.

We feel that it would not be out of place to mention some of the things the proceeds of the 1944 carnival were spent for, just in order to let the public know that the proceeds were spent for worthy and needy causes.

At the beginning of the 1944-45 term the Club had 68 members. It was decided to conduct a carnival for the purposes of raising funds that were very much needed for community welfare, and the 1944 event went over in a big way, supplementing our checking account by several hundred dollars.

Following are some of the things the money has been used for:

Paid a Boy Scout's expenses to the National Boy Scout camp at Philmont Ranch in New Mexico.

Purchased and mailed to soldiers from these parts in overseas service 260 Christmas boxes.

Donated \$25 cash to each of the five nurses and student nurses who lost their clothing and other possessions in the fire that destroyed the Nurses Home at the Sealy Hospital.

Procured the services of a reputable Optometrist to have the eyes examined and vision tested for all the school children in the eastern part of the county. About 1,000 patients were examined, with several hundred revealing defective vision. To the parents or guardians of each subject, recommendations were made, and those who were not financially able to purchase glasses for their children, the Club paid for such glasses, to the number of several. This procedure alone was worth what the carnival cost.

Sponsored and organized a new Lions Club at Bangs with a charter membership of 45 members.

Donated \$10 to the Crippled Childrens Fund.

Raised and donated \$100 to the March of Dimes fund to treat victims with polio and to fight the spread of the disease.

Sponsored the drive for used clothing for the distressed peoples of Europe, who were suffering the deprivation caused by the ravages of war.

Donated \$180 for the purchase of equipment for the defense shop to make it possible for a full time instructor.

Contributed to the Youths Delinquency drive for the improvement of the teenage children over the state.

Sponsored a Girl Scout organization.

Financed a delegation of seven delegates to the District Convention of Lions International in San Antonio.

Sponsored a general clean up campaign for Santa Anna and the community.

Sponsored two War Loan (Continued on Page 2)

LIONS CARNIVAL

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Drives.

Sponsored the American Red Cross Drive, the United War Chest Drive and responded to several other appeals for aid and help of worthy and needy causes, including the sending of several thousands of cigarettes to the men in the fighting forces overseas.

If this is not enough to justify your donations to the Lions Club, what would it take?

Several committees will be out with advertising matter soon, advertising the 1945 carnival attractions and soliciting funds to keep the good work up. Remember, when you contribute to the proceeds of the Lions carnival, you are not making a donation, but making an investment in a good cause.

The year closed with a membership of 73.

Brothers Meet In Pacific

A letter received by Mr. W. E. Campbell a few days ago from his son, Calvin, states that he and Marshall have met somewhere in the Pacific. The following is an excerpt of the letter.

Aug. 10, 1945

Dear Mom and Dad.

Well, here is something that can be put in the news. Two brothers went into the service about three years ago, one going into the Navy, one going into the Army, saying to one another that we would meet somewhere in Japan. Well, that has just about come true. Three years is a long time for us to be in the Pacific, and not meet up before, but it's a big place. Boy was we happy to see each other. Marshall looked for me all day yesterday. Last night about 8 o'clock C. F. Campbell's name was called over the loud speaker. I got down there as fast as I could, walked up and caught a soldier going through a card file, looking for something. I thought he looked like the boy I had been looking for so long; he had his back to me and the light was very bad, but I walked up and stuck a flashlight in his back and said, "Stick 'em up, Mat!" I was really glad to see him. We stayed up until 12 o'clock, went to mid-night chow. I have the day off so we are putting in the day talking.

Marshall looks swell. I believe they have been feeding him good. I told him that he must be eating with the Navy.

Marshall also stated in the same letter that Calvin looked well also, and that they were having quite a time together.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bruce and Evelyn and Barbara returned Thursday from a week's camping on North Llano near Junction. Margaret Bruce, who is in college in San Antonio, joined them there for the weekend.

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Final Rites For Mrs. Clinton Lowe

Funeral services were held at the U. S. A. Presbyterian Church Sunday at 6 p. m. for Mrs. Clinton Lowe.

Hallie Gertrude Barker was born November 29, 1881 in Walker County, Texas and died in the local hospital August 18, 1945, at the age of 63 years, 8 months and 20 days. She was married to Clinton Lowe October 30, 1901. To this union four children were born, one dying in infancy.

Surviving Mrs. Lowe are her husband, Mr. Clinton Lowe; the three children, A. E. Lowe of Jacksonville, Texas; C. R. Lowe of Santa Anna, Mrs. R. W. Balke of Big Lake, Texas; a brother, O. C. Barker of Alvarado, Texas; a sister, Mrs. R. C. Lowe of Haskell, Texas; also two half brothers and one half sister, Paul Barker of Alice, Texas, Nickson Barker in the Armed Forces in Germany and Miss Ruby Lee Barker of San Antonio. There are also five grandchildren, Mary Ann Lowe, Nancy Jane Lowe, Bonnie Gene Balke, Rodney Worth Balke and Linda Lou Balke.

Mrs. Lowe was united with the Presbyterian Church at an early age, and has taken an active interest in church affairs at all times.

She was interested in education and has served her community as President of the Parent Teachers Association, and as a member of the School Board.

She has also served on the Hospital Board at the Sealy Hospital, and at the time of her death was President of the Cemetery Association.

She was a member of the Self Culture Club, and of the Presbyterian Missionary Society.

Pallbearers were S. A. Boardman, Neal Oakes, O. L. Cheaney, Walter Holt, Emzy Brown and Jess Howard.

Flower girls, under the direction of Mrs. Charley Bruce, Mrs. Calvin Campbell and Mrs. S. A. Boardman, were Alice Anna Guthrie, Joyce Hunter, Vernetta Stephenson, Wanda Henderson, Evelyn Bruce, Artie Jean King, Betty Ann McCaughan, Dorothy Seals.

Reverend M. L. Womack and Dr. Ben H. Moore officiated. The funeral was under the direction of Hesch Brothers.

Miss Doris Belle Turner is at home now after being employed by Consolidated in Fort Worth for the last two years. She took a two weeks vacation, visiting in Paducah and Lubbock before returning here. She plans to go to school in Lubbock this fall.

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BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES

Services last Sunday were blessed with other additions. Four were baptized following the evening service. The evening service on the lawn was attended by a good audience, as was also the morning service. We invite everyone interested to attend these services.

If the weather permits there will be services on the church lawn from next Wednesday night over the following Sunday night as a climax to the pastors anniversary with the church. This will climax six years of service with the church as pastor. We urge everyone to keep these services in mind.

S. R. Smith, pastor.

Mrs. Kathryn Lee spent several days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Williamson. She has gone to Eden to spend a few days with her husbands parents, before reporting back to work Saturday in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chamberlin of San Angelo visited in the T. M. Hays home Sunday.

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Victory Dance Camp Bowie Field House Sat. Night

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Camp Bowie Special Services and the Brownwood USO's are sponsoring the social event, offering the young ladies an opportunity to greet the servicemen who have just returned from overseas and to celebrate the victory just won.

Dress will be informal and refreshments will be served.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Griffin and party have returned from their vacation spent on Brownwood lake. Bill said that the vacation sure did him good, he gained 6 pounds while there.

ANNUAL BROTHERHOOD JUBILEE

The Sixteenth District Annual Brotherhood Jubilee will meet at the Walton Park, Lake Brownwood, next Monday and Tuesday August 27 and 28, for their annual program.

The program outlined promises to be interesting and all members are urged to attend.

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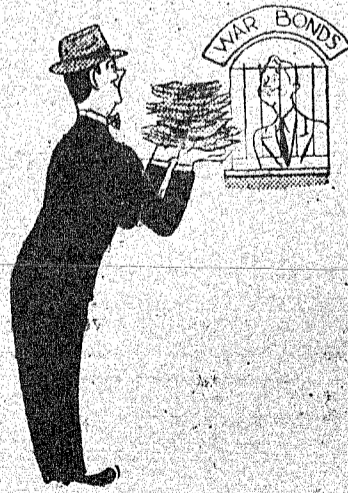
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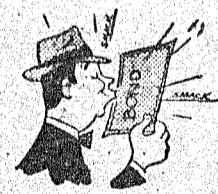
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J. Frank Dobie Tells Story Of Chester Evans

J. Frank Dobie of Austin, who recently returned from a year as Visiting Professor of American History at Cambridge University and who has been a professor of English at the University of Texas, has an article called A Boy and His Horse in the September issue of Esquire. It's a story told to him by seventy-eight year-old Chester Evans, editor and proprietor of the weekly newspaper at Lebo, Kansas... a story about Evans' boyhood and his horse Prince, and the hazards of blizzards, fire, and hostile Indians that they faced together.

Evans bought the horse in 1874, near his home in Iowa, for eighteen dollars. Having always wanted to be a cowboy, Evans took advantage of his ill health and talked his father into letting him go west. On April 11, 1878, Prince and Evans started for the Farnsworth Ranch on Cheyenne Creek sixty-eight miles northwest of Dodge City, to visit an uncle, according to the Esquire article. He started in company with a man driving a team of big sorrel horses to a wagon... then on with a government horse buyer as far as Fort Riley... then with a troop of cavalry to Dodge City, where his uncle picked him up. The twelve-year old boy and his horse Prince were put to work riding the line, and Prince got to be as good a roping horse as a cowboy ever swung a loop from.

In the fall, rumors floated up from the south that Chief Dull Knife was stirring the Cheyennes in the Indian Territory. Evans and Prince were elected to carry word to Fort Monument on Smoky Hill eighteen miles away. Fifteen Cheyennes spotted them and headed out at full speed to cut them off. Prince outran the fast Indian ponies, but not with out being twice wounded by arrows... Evans got an arrow-head in his leg, and three other arrows clipped him.

The pair's next experience noted by Dobie in his Esquire article took place in the Spring of 1880... they were caught in a raging prairie fire that was racing faster than the wind. They outran it... and finally crossed a plowed fireguard to safety.

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FOR SALE—Three 4-year-old Corredale bucks. See Preston Arthur on R. C. Gay farm at Liberty. 4p.

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Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Day of Kaufman and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thate of Comanche were shaking hands with friends here Wednesday. Mr. Day was a jeweler here for several years with the Phillips Drug Store, and was actively identified with the business and civic interest of the city. He is now an Optometrist and owns his combined jewelry and optical business in Kaufman, where he has made good in business and is well established. The Days two sons, Robert and George, are both in the army. Mr. and Mrs. Thate lived in Santa Anna about twelve years while Mr. Thate owned and operated the Piggly Wiggly Store and have a large circle of friends in Santa Anna and vicinity.

Mrs. Ethel Davis is back on the job after a 3-weeks vacation.

Mrs. J. W. Key of Colorado City is here visiting her daughter and family, Mrs. W. R. Mulroy.

Mrs. Jack Woodward is attending the Bloyse Camp Meeting in the Big Ben country this week.

Mr. Jack Woodward was in Austin over the weekend to hear Sen. Tom Connally speak.

Mr. and Mrs. Finis Bryan, Joseph S. Bell and Miss Hannah Marr of Brownwood spent Wednesday with Mrs. Georgia Wagner.

Sam H. Collier was in Dallas on business the first of the week.

Mrs. Glenda Riddle and son, Bill of Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Williamson over the weekend.

Bobby Hewlett has returned from several weeks in Ft. Stockton where he visited relatives.

Pfc. Lorin D. Brooks, grandson of Mrs. W. L. Baugh, is on Oahu, Hawaii. He is doing fine and if there are any boys from Santa Anna there he would like to look them up. Delbert is in the 880th Gun Btry.

Lt. and Mrs. Vernon Oakes were in San Antonio Monday. Lt. Oakes went on to Goldsboro, N. C. for further orders. Mrs. Oakes was accompanied home by her brother, Garland Arrant.

The big blizzard of '86 in which thirty-eight men died, just about put an end to both Evans and Prince. They were caught out in it, miles from anyplace, and lost. Several times Evans tried to rest in the snow... each time Prince pawed at him until he was back on his feet or in the saddle. There was no shelter, no canyons, no breaks, just plains of snow and ice. But on the second day Prince led his owner to a ranchhouse where they thawed out, got something to eat, and waited until the storm broke.

Prince was trapped and injured in a shed that collapsed, and died at the age of thirty-eight. He was, Dobie quotes Evans in his Esquire article, a companion and friend during his whole life. No man could have had a more congenial companion or a truer friend.

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Gold Star 4-H Club Girls Hold Annual Tour

The annual 4-H Club Girls Gold Star tour was held August 17. In order for a 4-H Club Girl to participate in this contest, she must have been in 4-H Club work for three years, and have conducted a successful demonstration in Clothing, Home Improvement, Food Production, Food Preservation, and Food Preparation.

The Girls homes were visited by a group of judges of the Home Demonstration Council. The judges making the tour August 17, were Mrs. R. R. Foster, chairman of Education Committee, Mrs. R. S. Adian, Chairman of Sponsors Committee, and Cleo Belle Biggs, of the Brown Ranch 4-H Club, who was the Gold Star Girl for 1944. Miss Jewell Hipp, CHDA, accompanied the judges and directed the tour. The group visited the homes of the girls who entered the Gold Star contest and judged the Home Improvement work, the Canned Products canned by the girls, and the Clothing they made. A majority of the articles of clothing and linens judged were made of flour or feed sacks. Such articles included dresses, skirts, hats, pinafores, bags, purses, luncheon cloths, napkins pillow cases, and cup towels. The girls also showed their Food Production demonstrations which included calves and poultry.

Wannell McClellan, age 12, of Gouldbusk 4-H Club, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. McClellan, was chosen as the Gold Star Girl for 1945 for Coleman County, as having the most outstanding work for a three year period. Second place in the Gold Star contest went to Leta Pearl Horne, age 12, of Valera 4-H

Club, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Horne. Honorable mention was given Beulah Fae Seale, age 12, of Cross Roads 4-H Club, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Seale.

A Gold Star Pin from the Texas A and M College will be awarded to Wannell McClellan; the pin to be sent to the Home Demonstration Agent of Coleman County, Miss Jewell Hipp,

to be awarded at a special county wide meeting to be arranged by the Home Demonstration Council at which time the other 4-H Club Girls will also be honored.

Refreshments were prepared and served by the club girls of various clubs in homes which were visited.

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Trickham News

By Mrs. Beula Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Filmore Stearns brought their daughter and infant son, Jackie Ray, home from the Memorial Hospital in Brownwood last Tuesday. Both mother and babe doing well.

Eugene James had his tonsils removed at a hospital in Brownwood last week.

Mrs. Ed Stearns and children visited Mrs. Paul Tackett one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Wagner and children and Beula Kingston attended the revival meeting at Whon Saturday night.

Visitors at church Sunday were Miss Vernetta Stephenson of Santa Anna, Miss Billie Brown Miss Pearl Ford, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Mustain and family all of Brownwood, Miss Mary V. Burney and little Marjorie Burney of San Marcos, Mrs. Tavy Marie Stacy Hiedbrier, Pfc. Floyd Goodgion, Mrs. Avery Stewart and father, Mr. Ed McClatchey of Mt. View, and Mattie Lancaster.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Fellers plan to move to the Willie Fiveash farm next week.

Rev. Burgett filled his regular appointment here Sunday and was a dinner guest with Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Martin and visited in the John Featherston home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Gordon Stearns visited Mrs. Kingston Saturday.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Emma Wells Sunday were Fred Shields and family of Santa Anna, Dave Shield and family, Calvin and family, S. M. Fellers and family, Zay Shirley and family and Pfc. Edward Lenard and family. Edward is home on a 10 day leave.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Laughlin, Hazel and Joy Dean Holland visited Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Stearns, Doris and Jackie Ray Sunday.

Mrs. Earl McQueen and son, Delbert and Mrs. Virgil Lancaster spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haynes and family. Mrs. McQueen is the former Miss Winnie Cathey.

A family get together of the Lewis Burney's was held at their home Sunday, and too, this was Mr. L. E. Page's 87th birthday. Those present were L. E. Page and wife, J. L. Burney and family from Pueblo, Colo. Jessie Burney and family and Mary V. of San Marcos, Willie Evans, Wiley McClatchey and family, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Newman and Ora Alice, Mrs. Viola Mays of Santa Anna and Mrs. Woods.

R. A. Baker and Mrs. Hemphill visited in the Filmore Stearns home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Whitley visited relatives in Graham last week.

I have just heard of the death of our old time friend and neighbor, Mrs. Daisy Johnson Byars, sister of the deceased John Johnson. Her mother still lives and is up in her nineties; having outlived all of her children. Sorry I have no further details of Daisy's death.

Pvt. Paul Tackett came in last Friday from Camp Hood. After his leave expires he will report to Fort Ord, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Stearns

visited Doris and Jackie Ray Laughlin last Wednesday.

Mrs. Billie Fay Proler, who has been here sometime with her mother, Mrs. Nan Roberts, left Sunday to join her husband who is stationed in California.

Mrs. Buford R. Craig and children of San Diego, Calif. visited here last week with her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Craig. She was enroute to Norfolk, Va. where her husband is a Naval instructor in refrigeration.

Mr. Will Simmons and daughter spent Sunday with Mrs. Charlie Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Boenicke and Mrs. Shield went to Brady Sunday to visit Mrs. Albert Shield, who is in the Brady hospital. Mrs. Shield fell one day last week at her home 6 miles from Brownwood and broke her leg. She was resting very well. Her husband is a nephew of the late C. F. Shield. They visit here quite often and always attend church when they come. We hope for her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Walter Stacy and Tavy Marie spent Sunday with Mrs. Howell Martip, Minola and Laverne.

Mrs. Colvin and Annie Lou Vaughn were brief visitors with Mrs. Kingston Sunday.

County H. D. Agent, Miss Jewell Hipp, was dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Boenicke last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Haynes honored their son, Lyndon, daughter, Virginia, his father Elmer Haynes, her mother, Mrs. Albert Dean, his aunt, Miss Pearl Ford, nephew, Jerry Haynes with an ice cream supper Saturday night. Families of all these mentioned were present and also Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Haynes, Nancy Jo and Peggy Ford and Mattie Lancaster. Peggy Ford spent Saturday night with Nancy Jo Haynes.

Clesby Leon Stearns, son of Mr. and Mrs. Odell Stearns left Monday for induction in the army. His parents honored him with a dinner Sunday. Those present besides the family were his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Stearns, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Stearns, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Stearns and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Haynes and Nancy Jo, Helen, Patsy and Nelda Richardson.

Miss Delma Martin of Brownwood is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Conley and Mrs. Ralph Conley of Santa Anna visited Mr. and Mrs. Homer Goodgion Sunday.

Vada Talley has returned from San Saba where she visited her sister.

Mrs. Jess York received a wire from her stepson, Jesse Earl York, saying he was in the states. We all are proud that Jesse Earl will soon be home.

Whon News

Mrs. Tom Rutherford

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Schulze were Mr. and Mrs. George Keating, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Keating and children, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Keating and children all from Comanche; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rutherford, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Grant and sons from Rockwood, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Fiveash and son, Sgt. Vernon Fiveash and Mr. and Mrs. Buster Wynn and boys.

Mrs. J. Nora Black and son, Sammie Jack were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Turney last Friday. They visited with Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Holmes in the afternoon and ate supper.

Pvt. and Mrs. Edward Leonard and children spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shields.

Cpl. Leon Carter spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carter. Cpl. Carter is in the hospital at Camp Swift, near Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ruther-

ford and daughters, Alpha and Mrs. Wagie Montgomery spent last Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cooper of Coleman. Sorry Tom Cooper is sick; truly wish for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Smith and children arrived here last Tuesday from Iraan. I. O. has to enter service Aug 29. Mrs. Smith plans to make her home here.

Mrs. Bud Smith and girls from Brownwood spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Martin and son from Brownwood were here also. Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Martin spent Saturday night and Sunday on the river.

Mrs. Elzie Jones and daughter who has been visiting her mother at San Angelo returned home Thursday.

Several from Rockwood and Trickham communities have attended the revival in progress here. We always welcome other visitors. The meeting will close Sunday night.

Rev. Dillard of Coleman arrived here Monday to attend the meeting this week.

Several from our community attended the auction sale at Curtiss Field last Wednesday. Mr. Schulze purchased some seats for the school auditorium, which everyone should be proud.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Black of Brownwood spent Saturday night with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carter.

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Etoil Cozart were Mr. and Mrs. Tucker and family of near Trickham and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cozart.

Our sympathy is extended to Wesley Tennyson in the loss of his brother, Milford of San Angelo, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bengé were shopping in Coleman Saturday.

Mrs. Dovie Duvall and son of Robert Lee spent the weekend with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Baker and son, Sonny Baker is suffering from an infected toe.

Mrs. Henry Smith's brothers, Tommie and Richard White of Mexico visited her Sunday.

Pfc. Eugene Talley from Camp Hood was greeting friends at Whon Saturday night.

Mrs. Kate Holmes and Tommie Sue are visiting in Santa Anna.

Rockwood News

(Mrs. Ray Caldwell)

The weather continues hot and dry and the combines are still busy.

Jim Martin and girls of Brownwood spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes.

Miss Dorothy Smith of Bangs spent Monday night and Tuesday with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Straughan.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Russ and children of San Angelo spent Saturday night and Sunday with her grandmother, Mrs. Velma Box. Mrs. Box returned home with them, for a visit with them and her sons, Clyde and Arthur and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Ashmore of Santa Anna visited Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Wm. Ashmore and Aunt Rosa and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Steward.

Boss Estes, who is a patient in the Brady hospital, is improving.

Mrs. Herman Estes accompanied her mother, Mrs. Lucy Shamblin back to her home in Fort Worth last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pearson and baby son of Ft. Worth are visiting her mother, Mrs. J. W. Wise and other relatives.

Miss Claudia Wise of Fort Worth spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Wise.

Mr and Mrs. Robert Ritchie and children of Odessa visited this past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Baugh.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith and children of San Saba spent Sun-

day with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bostick.

Mr. and Mrs. Keating and their two sons and their families of Comanche spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rutherford.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mitchell Box announce the arrival of twin girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Avenger of Bernardino, Calif. visited with Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Williams last Monday.

Mrs. E. D. Black was in Fort Worth this past weekend to meet her husband, Radarman E. D. (Scoot) Black of the USN. Scoot has been in Pearl Harbor in school for the past nine months.

Miss Lois Moore of Santa Anna spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rutherford spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Schultz of Whon.

Miss Bettie Sue Ashmore of Fort Stockton is visiting her cousin, Miss Artie Jean King.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lovelady and Mrs. Kate Woods honored Howard Lee Lovelady with a birthday party on the river last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Moore had as their guests this past week her sister, Mrs. Henry Machen of Odom, Texas and Miss Lizzie Fowler of Coleman.

P. L. Wise of Ft. Worth spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. J. W. Wise and other relatives.

Believe It Or Not!

Answering the question asked in last week's issue of the News: How old was Jacob when he left home to go in search of a bride for himself, also to escape the wrath of his brother Esau? According to the Bible he was 77 years young. When he went down into Egypt he told Pharaoh that he was 130 years old (Gen. 47:9). That was the end of the second year of the famine (see Gen. 45:6). As Joseph was 30 years old when he became Prime Minister of Egypt (Gen. 41:46), and now that the seven good years had passed, and two years of the famine, he was 39, which made Jacob 91 when Joseph was born. Then according to Gen. 30:22-27 Jacob had finished his fourteen years of service to his uncle in payment for his two wives, when Joseph was born, and 14 from 91 leaves 77 years, which was Jacob's age when he left home.

Mrs. A. L. Oder was awarded the Bible last Sunday evening for giving Jacob's correct age.

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NEWS OF OUR MEN and WOMEN IN UNIFORM

S-Sgt. Clarence Watson is home on a 30 day furlough from the European Theater. He served seven months overseas. During that time he was in France, Belgium, Germany and Austria. He wears the Army of Occupation ribbon and the European Theater Ribbon with two battle stars on it. He was in the 7th Army, under Gen. Patch, and in the 919th Ordnance Heavy Auto Maintenance Co. He and his wife were here visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Vanderford. He has to report to Fort Sam Houston Sept. 9 and from there goes to South Carolina.

Teddy James Wristen, son of Dan Wristen, came in last week. He has just been discharged from the army. He was a member of the 36th Division and served with them all the time they were overseas. He has the European Theater Ribbon with five battle stars, Bronze Star and the Combat Infantry Badge. He spent almost 30 months of the five years he was in the army, overseas.

Pfc. Clifford Hagar came in last week for a 30 day furlough here with his wife and parents. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hagar of this city. He is a member of the 10th Mountain Division that fought in the mountains of Italy and Austria. He has been in the army 26 months, 8 months of that time overseas in the European Theater. He has the Bronze Star and the E.T.O. Ribbon with two stars. The citation for his Bronze Star follows:

Clifford W. Hagar, 38515100, Private First Class, Field Artillery, 605th Field Artillery Battalion, United States Army. For meritorious service in combat during the period 20 April 1945, near Ost, Italy. During an essential and important artillery action against the enemy, Private First Class Hagar became a vital link in a communication chain, operating a radio as relay station permitting his battalion fire direction center to maintain contact with its gun batteries and observers. The sector in which he operated had been bypassed of enemy and was under intermittent fire from hostile artillery. Throughout the night, Private First Class Hagar diligently kept his vigil as radio operator and as a result vital communications were maintained without interruption. The success of the operation depended entirely on the radio operators and their faithful relaying of fire data to gun positions. In this capacity Private First Class Hagar served with distinction, courage, and high devotion to duty, earning him lofty praise and commendation. Entered the military service from Santa Anna, Texas.

By Command of Major General Hays.

Vernon Hagar, Boatsmate 2-c from Corpus Christi is here on a 15 day leave. Vernon is on a crash boat that works down in the Gulf and around Aransas Pass.

Twentieth Air Force Headquarters, Guam—For the part they played in the historic series of five low level incendiary attacks on Japan during an all out offensive, Corporal Lonni Knutson, Santa Anna, Texas, and hundreds of other enlisted men at B-29 bases in the Marianas have been commended by the Commanding General of the Twentieth Air Force.

He is a member of the ground echelons supporting the almost daily Superfort assaults against the Japanese mainland.

"Your determination, skill and courage have delivered a stunning blow to the Empire of the

Rising Sun" the General said. "Combat crews and the hard-working maintenance and staff people are to be heartily commended for their accomplishments in these historic operations."

Throughout the period of sustained bombing attacks, Corporal Knutson and the ground staff worked night and day, virtually without rest, to keep the Army bombers in the air and striking at the enemy.

His wife, Wilma Faye, lives in Santa Anna.

Joseph S. Bell, Chief Torpedo Man, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Bell of Brownwood, formerly of Rockwood, returned recently for a 30 day leave, after spending 22 months in the South Pacific.

William D. Ashmore, M 2-c, U. S. Coast Guard, is here on a 30 day rehabilitation leave. He has served in the Atlantic Ocean for about 2 months, the Aleutians for about 4 months and about a year and a half in the South Pacific, being in most of the Naval battles from Buna in New Guinea to Manila in the Philippines. He wears the Asiatic Pacific Campaign Ribbon with 5 battle stars and the Navy 3-year Conduct Medal and the Philippine Liberation Ribbon.

S-Sgt. Bill McCrary of Camp Swift, Texas is here on furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam McCrary.

Many Home Boys Returning From War Fronts

It is a real pleasure to see so many of our boys returning from the war fronts. Already, before the Japs started folding up, due to the collapse of Germany, a large number had arrived, some on furlough and others wearing the little bronze discharge button. Apparently, the discharge button will replace the uniform with most of the soldiers soon.

It certainly looks good to see these boys back home. We have tried to keep up with them by geography, letters and otherwise, to the ends of the earth, so to speak, prayed for them and wished for their return for many months, yes, years to us, and now it is real gratifying to see so many of them walking the streets, shaking hands with loved ones and friends, many of them looking fine.

A great opportunity confronts the people on the home front to help these returning men from the army reestablish themselves and get down to starting life over again. Lets not overlook an opportunity give them a lift back to normal life.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

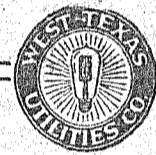
There are two Vacation Bible Schools going this week at the First Baptist Church. Many of our boys and girls are attending. The church school will close next Wednesday morning with graduating exercises at 11 a.m.

Our Mexican children are having a school in the Annex with good attendance and interest. They will have their closing exercises Friday night of this week. You are invited to attend this public service at 8:30 p. m. Friday night.

MOVED!

FOR the past two weeks we have been in the process of moving our garage equipment to our new and permanent location, across the street south of the Parker Auto Supply Store, therefore, we have been closed to all automobile repair work. As soon as we can get our machinery installed and equipment arranged we will again be ready to service your cars, AND WILL BE GLAD TO SHARE YOUR BUSINESS

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VACATION TIME?



A PATRIOTIC VACATION AT HOME

Wartime travel has convinced most West Texans that the only place to get a real vacation is at home. Creeks and lakes in this vicinity are full of fish and some of us are learning for the first time the beauties of our own immediate outdoors. A few days out in the country doesn't disrupt the household as it did some years ago. You don't have to throw out all the food in the house. Now folks just leave their electric refrigerator on "medium" and when they get back—day or night—cold and inviting foods await them.

Servicemen need every bit of traveling space available for the next ninety days, and by your staying at home this summer a little extra room will be left for these returning heroes.

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Bible School 10 A. M. Geo. P. Richardson, Supt.
Communion and preaching service 11 A. M.
Ernest H. Wylle, Pastor.

Cumberland Presbyterian Church
Sunday School at 10:00 a.m.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening 9:00 p.m.
Preaching Services first and second Sunday evenings. Fourth Sunday morning and evening.
J. W. Burgett, pastor.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Church School 10:00 a.m., Mr. Hardy Blue, Supt.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship, 7:00 P. M.
Evening Worship Services, 8:30 P. M.
"I was glad when they said unto me,
Let us go into the house of the Lord."
J. D. F. Williams, pastor

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Sunday School 10 a.m. J. T. Oakes, Supt.
Preaching service 11 a.m. on first, third and fifth Sundays by Rev. Ben H. Moore, pastor.
Auxiliary meets on Mondays following second and fourth Sundays.
Choir practice Sunday afternoons 5:00 o'clock, Gale Collier, director.

First Baptist Church
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Preaching services 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 7:30 p. m.
Evening Worship 8:30 p. m.
Prayer Service 8:30 P. M.
S. R. Smith, pastor.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evangelistic Service 8:30 p.m.
Thursday Bible Study 8:30 p.m.
Saturday Night Evangelistic Service.
You are cordially invited to attend.
Velma L. Davis, pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hill and daughters, Martha and Marjorie of Seymour visited Mrs. Roy Richardson first of this week.

Oscar Hill of Fort Worth was here Saturday on a short visit.

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FARM NEWS

1946 AAA PROGRAM APPROVED

The County Committee has received approval for fall seeded cover crop practices, which will be paid for by the AAA during the 1946 year. All small grain, except wheat will qualify for payment used as a cover crop seeded this fall. A payment of \$6.05 per hundred for Austrian winter peas seeded, provided of course that a satisfactory coverage is obtained from planting these peas, will be made. The farm allowance for 1946 is \$2.00 for each acre of cropland in the farm, plus \$2.00 for each acre of non-cropland in commercial orchard on the farm, plus .20c for all other non-cropland in the farm.

Prior approval must be obtained from the County Committee for any practice paid for by the AAA.

Any AAA Practice not completed by August 1st may be reported at the AAA office after the practice is completed and prior to January 16, 1946.

Any producer who has not filed for Dairy Production Payment for the period of April, May, and June must file an application sometime during this month. The County Committee has approved 500 applications for the above period for producers in this county, amounting to \$14,136.83.

Any producer selling sheep and lambs to slaughterers should file the receipts in the AAA office. When detail instructions are received for paying the subsidy, applications for payment will be signed and sight drafts will be issued.

Capt. Robert I. Bowen writes the following to the AAA office in regard to All-risk Wheat Insurance:

"We surely want to take advantage of this insurance, and I wish to make application now." Robert has always taken advantage of the Insurance and other programs offered by and through the AAA.

Producers desiring 1946 All-risk Wheat Crop Insurance must file an application not later than September 1st of this year.


Mr. D. L. Davis is visiting his sister, Mrs. S. F. Farris in Rising Star.

Mrs. Earl Polk returned to Ft. Worth last Thursday after a visit here with her mother, Mrs. Mattie Harper.

Bro. C. H. Richards is leaving Friday morning for Anton, Texas where he will attend a Primitive Baptist Association meeting and will also attend a reunion of all his brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob White and children of McCamey are visiting with Mrs. White's mother, Mrs. H. M. Smith.

Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Womack and Earnest Lee returned to their home in Ferris after a weeks visit in our town. Misses Novelle McClellan and Patricia Davis returned with them and will be guests in the Womack home over the weekend.

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Sugar Scarcity, Problem War's End Does Not Solve

Today the United States has the least sugar she's had since the last war. Our sugar reserves probably can't be rebuilt until 1947, according to information received by Miss Jewell Hipp, CHDA.

As you probably know—only about one-fourth of our sugar is grown in the 48 states. So when the war started our sugar troubles began, too. Not only the United States, but our allies were cut off from sugar in the Pacific areas—except Hawaii. And likely many more months will pass before most of the Pacific producers will ship sugar to us again—even from the Philippines.

In the meantime, our allies who were formerly dependent on home grown sugar and on sugar from the Pacific have had to obtain some of their sugar from the Caribbean area—that means less sugar for the United States. With less sugar to buy on the world market and more people to buy it, our national supplies have gradually dwindled.

In the face of that, we used 450,000 tons more sugar for home canning purposes last summer than we actually needed for the food we put up. With the money to buy it and the appetites to eat it, we probably used some of that canning sugar for cookies, lemonade and the like.

Now we have practically no reserve stocks of sugar to fall back on. Unfortunately Cuba has suffered from the worst drought in 87 years—The sugar crop in Cuba was 900,000 tons short of expectations.

Fortunately, more sugar beets were planted in the United States this year—but not

enough to balance other shortages and we can't expect much improvement in supply for many months. Therefore, continue to use sugar substitutes such as syrup, honey, and molasses, and use sugar carefully in order to make it last until stocks of sugar have been built up again, Miss Hipp advises.

Mrs. Kate Roberts of Hico is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. W. Kingsbery.

Pvt. Myron Pratt left Sunday to visit with his parents in Indiana. He has been visiting Maxine Conley here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Oakes, Sr. had the pleasure of having all their children with them Sunday except J. T., Jr. who is with the Coast Guard. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Otto Wojtek of Robert Lee, Mrs. Era McClellan of El Paso, Lt. and Mrs. Chas. Konze of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McClellan, Mr. and Mrs. Lenton Oakes, Lt. and Mrs. Vernon Oakes and Fred Oakes of Santa Anna.

Mrs. I. Williamson has returned from Anniston, Miss., where she went to visit her son, Bill. He returned with her and is now on a furlough here.

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For most of us, the years ahead are bright with promise. But for others of us—and, ironically enough, their part in bringing victory was a major one—the years to come must bear a different look.

In America today are hundreds of thousands of injured men. Men with neatly pinned-up sleeves and trousers. Blinded men. Men with clever iron hooks instead of hands. Worst of all, men with hurt and darkened minds.

These men need our help. Helping them will cost a great deal of money. We can help them best by buying Victory Bonds.

Far away from America today are millions of Americans. As we would be, they're on fire to get back—to their wives, to the children some of them have never seen, to their jobs.

These men need our help. Helping them will cost a great deal of money. And we can help them best by buying Victory Bonds.

This is our day of triumph. But it's theirs too—the injured men, the men who are still far away.

Let's not forget them, in our just rejoicing. And the one way we can help most to care for our wounded . . . to bring our veterans home . . . to give them a fresh start in the country they fought for . . . to care for the families of those who died before the victory was won . . . is simply this:

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Santa Anna Gas Company

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Weddings

Burgett-Laws

Miss Anna Mae Burgett and Pfc. Clarence Laws were married Monday, August 20th, in the home of the bride's parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Burgett. Rev. Burgett read the single ring ceremony. Miss Mary Lela Woodward and the bride's immediate family were present.

The bride was dressed in a tailored white dress, with black accessories. She wore a corsage made of rosebuds and tube roses.

Mrs. Laws is the eldest daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Burgett, and has been in school at North Texas State Teachers College in Denton since last January. She is to receive a B. S. degree from that school on August 23. For two and one-half years prior to her entrance in N.T.S.T.C., Mrs. Laws taught the primary grades in the Glen Cove school.

Pfc. Laws is the son of Mrs. J. B. Laws of Glen Cove. He has been in the army for the past three and one-half years, spending 27 months of this time in Alaska. He is now in the Medical Detachment stationed at Harmon General Hospital in Longview, Texas.

At present the couple will make their home in Longview. Mrs. Laws plans to teach in Judson Grove school, located seven miles north of Longview, this coming school term.

Wardlow-Carpenter

The home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Bullock of Santa Anna, formerly of Lubbock, was the scene of the marriage of Miss Gwendolyn Wardlow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Holder of Camden, Ark., and Roy Carpenter of Lubbock, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Carpenter of Wicks, Ark. A double ring ceremony was read by Rev. Brady Slate before an improvised altar of greenery, asters, gladioli and roses.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a navy blue dress with aqua accessories and wore a shoulder corsage of gardenias. For something old she wore a necklace, which belonged to her mother. For something borrowed, an aqua silk handkerchief.

Miss Jean Garrett of Eldorado, Arkansas was maid of honor, and wore a black dress with fuchsia accessories and a shoulder corsage of red rose buds.

The bride was employed, as secretary at the Naval Ordnance Plant, Camden, Arkansas. The bridegroom is an attorney at law in Lubbock.

The couple will be at home at 2104 29th St., Lubbock, after a wedding trip to Mexico City.

A reception was held following the ceremony. The table was laid with an ivory satin damask cloth and white asters formed the centerpiece. Miss Jean Garrett presided at the punch bowl and Mrs. Leonard Shell of Lubbock, served the wedding cake. Others present were Rev. J. H. Taylor of Gouldbusk and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Chap Eeds went to Temple last Tuesday where Mr. Eeds underwent major surgery in a hospital there. At last report he was doing nicely and they will return home in a few days.

Friends Entertain Womack Family

Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Womack and Ernest Lee were honored with a lawn party on the lawn of the J. Frank Turner home Monday evening when Mr. and Mrs. Turner and Mrs. Jasper McClellan were hosts.

A large circle of chairs and decorations of flowers and ferns formed the space for the games and singing. Miss Blanche Boyd gave a reading, "The Returned Soldier." Calice Jane Overby, Novelle McClellan and Patricia Davis led the crowd in a group of hymns, and Joan and Carol McClellan sang a duet, and the guests joined in contests.

The refreshment table was on the floodlighted lawn also and was centered with an arrangement of flowers and fern. Punch and homemade cookies were served.

Present besides the hosts and honorees were Mrs. Fred Turner, Mrs. Kingsbery, Mr. and Mrs. Will Mills and grandson, Bill, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Kelley, Mrs. J. W. Riley and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Whetstone, Mrs. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Davis and Don and Patricia, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Vinson, Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Blue, Lee Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Harris, Mr. and Mrs. J. Turner Oakes, Mrs. Keefer and children, Calice Jane Overby, Miss Blanche Boyd, Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Burgett, Elaine and La Juana, Miss Lonella Taylor, Miss Mary Lela Woodward, Novelle, Frances, Joan and Carol McClellan, Mrs. Vera Shield and daughter, Mrs. Annette Clark and baby.

Personals

Pvt and Mrs. Herbert Seaman of Beaumont are visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hays Dixon. Pvt. Staman has recently returned from the European Theater of War.

Mrs. H. E. Jackson of Brownwood, Mrs. M. L. Graves of Bangs and daughter, Miss Myrtice Graves of Brownwood visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mills Sunday.

Mrs. Lolette Wylie and baby spent last week in Abilene visiting her sister, Miss Glynda Myrl Gober.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brandon and children are visiting friends and relatives here and will visit his brother in Merkel before returning to their home in Stephenville.

Mrs. Ruby Freeland of Brownwood and her mother, Mrs. L. I. Fletcher of Bangs were business visitors in Santa Anna Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chick Watson from Irving were here over the weekend visiting in the Vanderford home and their host of friends here in Santa Anna. Mrs. Stella King from San Angelo, a sister of Chicks, was here visiting while they were here.

It has been reported to us that our good friend, Miss Emma Bowers, who very efficiently acted as secretary at the Sealy Hospital for the past several years, and left here recently for Temple, has married and moved to California, but we do not have the correct data. Will some one furnish us with the data if you have it?

Evelyn Bruce Honors Visitor At Luncheon

Honoring her guest, Miss Anne Bannowsky of Junction, Evelyn Bruce entertained with a luncheon Friday at her home.

Others present were Wanda Henderson, Alice Ann Guthrie, Joyce Hunter, Artie Jean King, Jane Munn of Eldorado, Elaine Burgett and Barbara Bruce.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Priddy and family and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Boggus spent Monday evening on the Boggus farm and had a picnic there.

Miss Katherine Manley returned home Tuesday night from Dallas, where she has been employed at Love Field for the past few years.

Mrs. Ray Fuller and son, and Mrs. Harvey Herrington and children returned to their home in Salado Sunday after a few days visit in the home of their cousin, Mrs. W. L. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McCandless and family have returned to Eunice, N. M. after a 10 day visit with relatives and friends here and at Coleman.

Rev. and Mrs. Henry Jongerma of Ulyssis, Kan. returned to their home Thursday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Gwendolyn Walker, who is to spend a weeks visit there.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Walder of Corono, N. M. are here visiting his father.

Mrs. Cecil Grumbles and children of San Saba are here visiting her mother, Mrs. C. M. Carpenter this week.

Mrs. Charlie Warren of Bakerfield, Calif. is here visiting her sister, Mrs. C. M. Carpenter, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Carpenter and family are here visiting this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Carpenter.

Miss Juanell Hull is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. A. T. Hull, this week.

Mrs. Martha Belle Thompson has recently taken over the Phillips Beauty Shop. The former operator, Mrs. J. W. Cannon, has moved to Temple.

Miss Marjorie Taylor is spending her vacation this week visiting her mother in Clovis, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lovelady and family were visitors in Abilene over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Sparks Whetstone were here on a short visit last week.

Ernest Wright, Jr. spent the weekend in Bangs with Tommy Petty.

Mrs. Lee Boardman is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. S. Tinkle, in Tulsa, Okla. this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde, Bartlett and family of Merkel were visiting relatives and friends here over the weekend.

Visitors in the Hardy Blue home over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Allen and daughter, Margo, of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Allen of Blanket, Mr. and Mrs. Elmon Kerby and daughter, Helen Sue of Tuscola.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Blue, John Hardy and Betty Ruth Henderson and daughter, Ora Beth left Wednesday for Hot Springs, Ark. to visit Betty Ruth's husband, who is in the convalescent hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Copeland and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Copeland spent the first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. J. Fry at Lohn.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther McCrary are the proud parents of a baby boy, born Thursday and named Billy Don.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Harris and Mrs. Sarah J. Cook spent Sunday on Mrs. Cook's farm in Blanket.

Leo Scott went to Fort Worth Tuesday on business.

Mr. Howard Kingsbery made a business trip to Dallas Monday.

Potatoes Idaho Russett Fancy U.S. No. 1 Pound 5c

Carrots California Bunch 8c

Spinach Hearts Delight Point Free No. 2 size can 17c

C.H.B. CATSUP Made from fancy ripe tomatoes POINT FREE Bottle 19c

Milk Borden's 2 large cans 19c

GRAPES Thomson Seedless, good and sweet. Pound 17c

SKINNER'S Raisin Bran Cereal and Fruit 2 boxes only 25c

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