

## Doughboys Palsy Walsy With Algerians



U. S. doughboys get along fine with the natives in whatever remote part of the world the fortunes of war have carried them. This snapshot shows a group of United States soldiers entertaining several natives in Algeria, North Africa. They are shown passing out smokes to their new friends.

## Only 14 Cases On January Court Docket

Only fourteen cases are listed on the docket for the January term of district court which will convene in Farwell on Monday the 11th, with District Judge James W. Witherspoon of Hereford on the bench.

Title to trespass and divorce suits predominate on the docket, with three damage suits and one bill of discovery being scheduled.

The complete docket follows: Oscar Pope vs. Homer McKenzie, damages.

C. C. Jennings vs. E. J. Reiser, damages.

Marion Doud Rumsey vs. Clarence Churchman et al, TTT.

Pitt K. Babcock et ux vs. Clyde Seamonds, damages.

Agnes Hart Pickart et al, vs. Geo. W. Hart, et al, TTT.

W. J. Thompson vs. C. E. Waddell, TTT.

Joe Ed Crawford vs. Nola Esta Crawford, divorce.

Mary Elnor Gaines vs. Herbert Leslie Gaines, Sr., divorce.

Sloan H. Osborn vs. Fred W. Brown et al, TTT.

M. O. Sims vs. Addie Sims, divorce.

Floyd Milstead vs. Cleta Fay Milstead, divorce.

W. S. McDaniel vs. Louisa A. McDaniel, divorce.

Shamrock Oil & Gas Corp. vs. Chester Sheets, bill of discovery.

No Petit Jury Called

District Clerk D. K. Roberts announced that no first week petit jury would be called, and that the second week petit panel would likely be drawn next week. The grand jurors have been previously called.

## Colorful Figure Has Retired From Duty

Bob Kyker, one of the Twin City's most colorful figures for nearly forty years, retired from active business the latter part of last week when he sold his barber shop to Fred Henry of Bovina, who took charge immediately.

Kyker came to Texico—before there was any Farwell—early in 1905, after following the cow camps from Oklahoma to New Mexico before the turn of the century. In describing his advent into the barber business Kyker says, "I rode up in front of a saloon in Texico in 1905, hitched up my pony and walked into a barber shop with a pint of whiskey in one boot leg and a six-shooter in the other.

"I asked for a job, not knowing any more about the barber profession than I do now . . . and I've been at it ever since."

Will Remain in Farwell

Asked about his plans for the future, Kyker said that he planned to remain in Farwell, "probably the rest of my life". He went on to explain that Mrs. Kyker had been in ill health for the past three years and that he would devote most of his time to caring for her, helping out at the shop he formerly owned when necessary.

Mr. Henry comes here from Bovina, where he has been associated with Geo. Trimble in the town's only barber shop for the past 14 years. He and his wife moved here the first of the week, and have taken up residence in the Ike McCuan residence.

Nearly 200 fairs and festivals are held annually in Texas.

## Even A Dog Has Some Intelligence . . .

Chas. Crume, janitor of the Parker county courthouse, owes a T-bone steak to his shaggy canine, who displayed a certain amount of intelligence when that of his master failed to function.

According to Charley's own admission, he absent-mindedly locked both doors of his automobile—without possessing a door key. Even all the windows were closed, and he faced the problem of breaking out a window to regain use of the car.

Charley went off to see if he could locate a key that would solve the problem. When he returned, much to his amazement, the dog that had been locked inside the car had tripped the latch and was awaiting his master's return to open the door.

## 21 Selectees Slated For Induction Jan. 13

Mrs. Bessie Lee Henneman, clerk of the local draft board, today announced the names of 21 selectees who will be used to fill the January call for Parker County under terms of the Selective Service regulations. Quite a number of the registrants are married men with no children, and single boys make up the rest of the quota.

The men have been ordered to report at the office of the local board in Farwell at 4 p. m. on the afternoon of Jan. 13. They will be issued transportation to the induction and reception center at Lubbock, where they will take their final type examination before actually being inducted into the Army.

This is the heaviest call the local board has had in recent months, board members stated. Only ten were inducted from here in December and none were sent during November.

Slated to report for the January call are: \*John Roy Watkins, Bryan Wilson Smith, Veron Leon Billingsley, Marion William Adams, Claude Jackson Dyer, Ralph Hempton Palmatier, Bob Allen Knight, Carl McCully, J. D. Cox, Haskell O. Trigg, Jess Gordon Mooney, Melford Woodrow Stowers, Alfred Fredrick Allison, Barney Floyd Woods, Hardy Winbourn Hardage, Asa Herman Noack, Olen Eura Brady, Charles Richard Bobst, \*Benny William Mann, Franklin Rufus Hartsfield, J. Foster Watkins.

\*Transferred to other local boards for induction.

## BUNK HOUSE BURNS

A Santa Fe bunk house in the local railroad yards was completely destroyed by fire this morning. Seven workmen who were engaged with the extra gang here in laying new tracks lost their personal belongings in the fire.

One occupant of the bunk house explained that the occupants had built a fire in the stove in the car and had allowed the fire to die down before going for coal. When he returned the boxcar was "smoking all over". He said that all any of the boys saved was the clothing they had on at the time.

# Hope For Farwell Flyer Abandoned

## Tax Payments Reach New High Mark

Tax payments for the year 1942 have already exceeded all previous high marks in Parker county at this time of the year, in the opinion of attaches at the collector's office this week.

"Payments are exceptionally good for this time of the year," Deputy J. C. Wilkison reported, and went on to say that it was his opinion a higher percentage of payments had already come in that ever before to this period.

He said that most of the large land owners had taken advantage of the discount on state taxes during the final three months of 1942 and that rather than using the split-payment method, most payments had been made in full.

Current taxes will become delinquent on Feb. 1, Deputy Wilkison pointed out, after which time unpaid taxes will begin to draw interest, with 1 per cent being added each month so long as the taxes remain delinquent. On July 1 an additional penalty of 8 per cent will be added to the unpaid taxes, he said.

## Assess By Mail

In order to save gasoline, tires and clerical hire, the tax assessor's office is trying a new experiment this year in gathering the Parker county renditions for the year 1943.

Assessments will be taken by mail rather than by the old method of having a clerk drive out to personally interview every taxpayer in the entire county. Special forms for the work have been printed up and are being mailed property owners this week. Before the form is mailed from the assessor's office, real estate listings are entered, and all the property owner is required to do is fill in the personal property listings, sign the form and return it to the office of the collector. A stamped, self-addressed envelope is being enclosed for the return.

"We have tried to simplify the form just as much as possible," Wilkison explained, "so that it will not be necessary for any property owner to be compelled to make an unnecessary trip to the courthouse."

In the list of taxable personal property appear only eight items, viz: horses and mules; cattle, sheep and goats; hogs; automobiles, trucks and pickups; combines, tractors and separators. The owner is not required to list the value of any of these items, only the number on hand on Jan. 1, 1943. The value will be determined by the Commissioners Court, he explained.

## Farwell Soldier Is Now Jap Prisoner

S-Sgt. Tom Atkins, 34, has been reported officially as a prisoner of the Japanese Army, it was learned here the latter part of the week.

Information to that effect was received by his mother, Mrs. W. E. Atkins at Clarksville, Tex., last week and was relayed here by letter from Mrs. Atkins to his brother and sister, Harmon and Myrtle Atkins of this city.

The information stated that Tom was being held as a prisoner at Tia Wan Camp.

Previously, Sgt. Atkins had been reported as "missing in action" and it was generally presumed that he had been killed. He was with the 200th New Mexico National Guard unit, made up principally of New Mexico lads, and was located on Bataan, P. I. when it was captured by the Jap forces.

Sgt. Atkins was mustered into the Army at Clovis where he was employed at the time war was declared. Before going to Clovis, some three years ago, he was employed as a mechanic in local garages, and is well known here.

## Brother Is Killed In Asiatic Action

George Lindop of Farwell received notice last Wednesday of the death of his brother, Pvt. J. C. Lindop, who was reported killed in action in the Asiatic area on December 25.

Pvt. Lindop was formerly an employee of the Fox Drug in Clovis and was well known by a number of people in this section.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindop returned the first of the week from Childress, where memorial services were held in the First Methodist Church on Sunday, Rev. Orion W. Carter officiating.

## Special Meeting of Red Cross Is Called

County Chairman W. H. Graham today issued a call for a special meeting of the American Red Cross to be held at the Chamber of Commerce building in Bovina on the evening of Monday, Jan. 11.

The meeting is called for 8 o'clock in the evening.

The occasion of the special meeting, Chairman Graham explained, is to meet with F. Leo Durkee, field representative of the American Red Cross, who will be here from St. Louis, Mo., to meet with Red Cross workers of this county.

In making the announcement, Graham said that while the meeting would be of particular interest to county Red Cross workers, a general invitation to the public was being issued.

"Since the coming War Fund campaign will mean the greatest fundraising effort the Red Cross has ever put forth it is imperative that we have a representative group from the entire county present to hear Mr. Durkee," the county chairman stated.

## 19 Youths Are Signed In 6th Registration

Officials of the Parker County Selective Service Board today released the names of the 18-year-old youths, 19 in number, who have registered at the office of the local board up to January 1, under the terms of the amended Selective Service regulations.

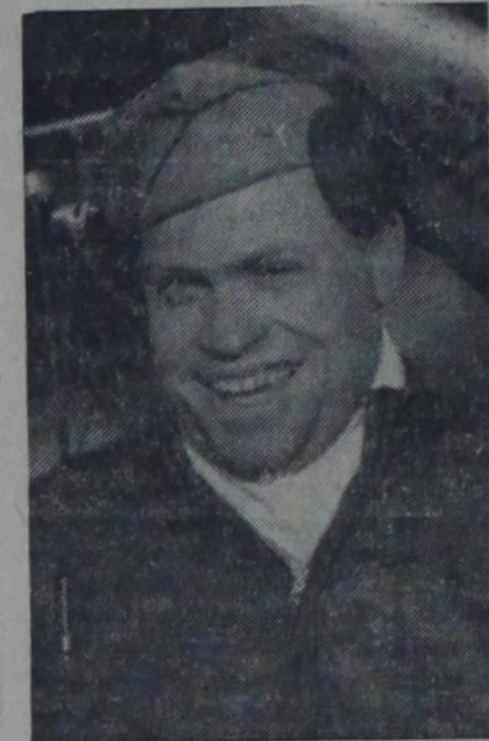
As yet no order numbers have been assigned to these registrants, Mrs. Bessie Lee Henneman, clerk of the local board, explained, adding that such numbers will be determined by the birthdays of registrants. A few days will be allowed to lapse before order numbers are assigned in order that Parker county lads who may have registered away from home may be reported here.

Those registering up to January 1 include: Carol Glee Swackhammer, Carl John Hoffman, Raymond Lee Magness, Calvin Eddie Young, Jess Herbert Pipkin, Duke Madison Baker, Charles Fred Holland, Everett Louis Gee, Walter William Schueler, Aubert Leroy Wilson, Tracy Eldon Page, Aubry Lee Renner, Robert Rundell, Ambrose Junior Hamm, Everett Arlander Piland, Horace Lloyd Gober, Carl Enoch Deaton, Howard Reagan Looney and Howard Louis Loveless.

## SERVICE MAN MOVES HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Dorrough moved into the Triplett duplex in Texico on Tuesday, coming here from Muleshoe, where he has been located the past few months.

Mr. Dorrough is being located here by the Southwestern Public Service company as service man. The Dorroughs originally lived at Plainview, where he was connected with the company, before being transferred to Muleshoe.



LT. J. R. CALDWELL, Jr., who with his cousin, S-Sgt. Maxwell M. Caldwell, has been missing since they took off from Roswell, headed for Williams Field, Ariz., on Dec. 26.

## Carter Re-elected As Farwell School Head

Supt. J. T. Carter, who has been superintendent of the Farwell school for the past three years, was reelected for a period of two years at the regular meeting of the Farwell school board on Monday evening.

He is now serving as head of the school under a two year contract. His first contract was for a single year.

The school board also elected Mrs. Dorothy McKay of Clovis to succeed Craig Lynn as history and mathematics instructor in high school. Prof. Lynn has tendered his resignation to become effective on Jan. 15.

Mrs. J. T. Carter continues to substitute for Mrs. Clyde Barton, who was called to Albuquerque some weeks ago by the illness of her husband.

## SEMESTER ENDS

Students at the Texico school were going through semester exams this week as a prelude to the closing of the first semester of the 1942-43 term, Supt. B. A. Rogers stated.

The Farwell school, which opened a week later last fall, will have its semester examinations next week, according to Supt. J. T. Carter.

## DRAFT BOARD MEETS

The Parker County Selective Service board was in session here Friday afternoon, during which time routine matters, principally classification, were taken up. Classification of 83 registrants was determined by the board as follows: 1-A, 16; 1-C, 7; 2-B, 1; 2-C, 16; 3-B, 9; 3-C, 31; 4-A, 1; 4-F, 1.

While the search for the missing plane that is believed to have carried two flyers to their death continues, all hope of finding Second Lt. James R. Caldwell, Jr., and his cousin S-Sgt. Maxwell M. Caldwell alive has been abandoned.

The search for the missing plane has continued since it disappeared on the morning of December 26, after taking off from Roswell, N. M., headed for Williams Field, Ariz. Occupants had been found.

to early Wednesday morning not the slightest trace of either plane or many planes in search.

Col. B. A. Briget, commanding officer at Williams Field, in a letter to the parents of Lt. Caldwell, received here early this week, said 160 planes had spent four days combing the vast regions of western New Mexico and eastern Arizona "with negative results." He added that the intensive search had been abandoned after one plane had been lost and two flyers narrowly escaped.

"However," Col. Briget added, "all planes flying over the area have been instructed to be on the lookout and no effort will be spared to investigate any and all reports."

## Returning to Base

Lt. Caldwell and S-Sgt. Caldwell were returning to their base at Williams Field on the morning of Dec. 26, after spending Christmas Day in the Caldwell home 10 miles north-east of Farwell. They left Roswell at 9 a. m. and no trace of them has been found since that time. Reports that a plane was forced down in the Organ Pass southeast of Las Cruces could not be verified by searchers. It was pointed out in this connection that this plane could not have been the one flown by the Caldwell boys, since it was seen on Sunday and the Caldwell plane was lost Saturday.

Bedford Caldwell, A. B. Wilkerson and G. T. Watkins left here Wednesday of last week to join in the search for the missing plane. They investigated every rumor but no progress had been reported up to Wednesday morning. No one has been contacted who saw the ill-fated plane after it cleared the Roswell field.

Bedford Caldwell and Mr. Wilkerson proceeded to Williams Field and Mr. Watkins returned home after spending three days in the Hot Springs, N. M., region, the base for searching operations.

The personal effects at Williams Field of the two lost flyers were claimed by Bedford Caldwell and will be returned to their parents.

Lt. Caldwell is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Caldwell, well-known Parker county farmers, who live four miles south of Bovina. Sgt. Caldwell's home was in San Antonio, Texas, where he lived with his mother before enlisting.

## Condition Of Local Bank Mounts Higher

The financial condition of the Security State Bank of this city continues to mount, as revealed by the financial statement of the bank issued as of Dec. 31, 1941.

The deposits have increased from \$449,693.47 on June 30, 1942, to \$787,236.60 during the six-months period while the loans have been reduced during the same period from \$197,438.76 to \$144,412.64.

There are more than 160 public and college libraries in Texas.

# Quota Of Farm Machinery Given

Farmer county's official quota of new machinery for farm purposes has been received, following a breakdown of state quotas, according to John G. McFarland, chairman of the county farm machinery ration committee.

The chairman also pointed out that no quotas have been set for such equipment as domestic water systems, irrigation equipment and farm fencing and the committee may issue certificates of purchase without regard to a quota. Farmers making application for equipment included in these three groups have only to file an application and furnish a statement giving the name and address of dealer having the equipment on hand.

McFarland pointed out that applications for farm machinery which will be needed in the near future should be made before January 20. Forms are obtainable at implement dealers, or at the county ACA office in Farwell.

However, the chairman requests farmers not to make application unless they deem it absolutely necessary to replace present machinery. Farmers who believe that they will have to have some new equipment to help produce food and fiber necessary for the war effort are urged to make applications immediately.

McFarland stressed the fact that purchase certificates would not be issued on any farm machinery and equipment in excess of quotas, and

only applications for machinery necessary in the near future are acceptable currently.

On January 20, the county machinery rationing committee will meet to consider applications.

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Following is the official quota for the county:

Row planters (corn and cotton)—one-horse single row, 2; tractor drawn, 5.  
Listers, with and without planting attachments, 10.

- Grain drills, 1.
- Moldboard plows—walking, one horse, 2; tractor drawn or mounted, 4.
- Disk plows, tractor drawn, 1.
- One-ways, disk plows or tillers, 4.
- Harrows—Spike tooth 8; spring tooth, 2; disk, 5.
- Cultivators—one-horse, 1. tractor drawn, 18.
- Tractors wheel type 4.
- Dairy equipment—milk machines, 1. separators, 6; milk coolers, 1.
- Farm wagons, 4.
- Soil pulverizers and packers 1.
- Feed cutters, 1.
- Feed grinders—hammer mills, 6; Burr type, 1.
- Farm elevators, 1.
- Engines: 1 to 10 horsepower, 1.
- Mowers—tractor, 6.
- Combines—6 ft. and less, 4; over 6 ft., 1.
- Corn binders, 1.
- Ensilage cutters, 1.
- Corn shellers, power 1.

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OKLAHOMA LANE

Those spending New Year's with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Vincent were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Smith and Miss Frances Smith of Seattle, Wash.; L. D. Rothwell of Childress, and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Summers and family of Farwell.

Pvt. Dana Jenkins of Philadelphia, Pa., is visiting relatives here. Visitors in the J. R. Caldwell home include Cadet Ewing Caldwell and wife, and Cadet Tom Caldwell and wife all of Lubbock; Mrs. Bedford Caldwell and sons of Brownfield; Mrs. Charles Caldwell and son of Ardmore, Okla., and Mrs. Mary Taylor of Rotan, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lindop returned this week from Childress where they visited his mother, Mrs. Hettie Lindop. The elder Mrs. Lindop has received word that her youngest son, Jay, died on Christmas Day in China as a result of injuries received in battle. Jay had many friends in this community. He was employed by the Fox Drug in Clovis before entering the service.

The Thursday Club was entertained with a "42" party in the F. E. Kepley home Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Turner Paine as host and hostess. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Mose Glasscock, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Sudderth and son, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lindop, Mr. and Mrs. Oris Hubbell and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Vincent. Mrs. Glasscock won high score and Oris Hubbell was low.

Ernest Foster Jr., is on the sick list this week. Ross Woolard has returned here after spending the holidays with his parents in Sherman, Tex.

BOVINA NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Wilford visited in the Homer Martin home, Sunday evening.

Mrs. Buck McCuan visited her husband in Amarillo the past weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Charles and Wilbur Charles went to Wichita, Kansas, last Friday to attend the funeral of their son and brother, Harry L. Charles, who died of a heart attack.

Alvin Gaines is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hart are the proud parents of a baby girl, born on Monday.

Mrs. Aubrey Rhodes visited her husband in Amarillo Saturday.

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Some 4-F Registrants To Be Reclassified

No longer may men who have a positive blood test and are classified as 4-F with the draft board be excused from military service, it was announced this morning by Mrs. Bessie Lee Henneman, clerk of the Parmer County Board.

An order from the State Selective Service system has advised that all future calls may include 10 per cent of the total number as 4-F men due to positive blood tests.

These men, Mrs. Henneman explained, will not be quartered with other men in the army but will be ordered to one of the Army's rehabilitation camps for treatment and future use.

This order, following a previous one of a few months ago in which 4-F men so classified due to bad court records were declared acceptable for service, met instant approval with the local board. "Many people wonder why certain men are not in service and question the draft board in not calling them for duty," the clerk said. "The draft board can not make public the contents of a man's file and perhaps this will explain why many men, apparently of draft status, have not been inducted."

She said heretofore there had been cases where draftees would inform the board they could not induct them as they had a positive blood test record or a court record. "These men can be called in the future, as our government prepares to rehabilitate them for society and their individual health," she said.

TIRE BOARD REPORT

The following report on authorization of tire, tube and retread certificates has been released by the Parmer Ration Board, following its meeting of Dec. 30:

- O. G. Turner, two grade 3 passenger tires.
- Roy White, one truck tire.
- B. K. Greeson, one truck tire.
- J. W. Beatty, one truck tire.
- W. L. Venable, one grade 1 pickup tire.
- Marion Doshier, two grade 2 passenger tires.
- O. L. Parker, one pickup tire.
- William T. Gray, one passenger tube.
- E. M. Deaton, one truck tire one tube.
- Mrs. Dee Brown, one grade 2 passenger tire.
- Sherman E. Taylor, one grade 2 passenger tire.
- Mrs. Owen Broyles, one truck tire.
- Dave Galloway, one grade 1 pickup tire.
- E. C. Brown, one pickup tire.
- Jimmie Ivy, one grade 2 passenger tire.
- J. D. McMillan, two recap passenger tires.
- R. L. Douglas, one truck tire.
- Virgil Martin, one grade 2 passenger tire.
- G. L. Kimbrough, one passenger tube.
- A. G. White, one pickup tire.
- J. T. Jones, one pickup tire.
- R. E. Cruzan, one grade 2 passenger tire.
- Tony Wallace, one grade 2 passenger tire.
- T. H. Haney, one pickup tire.
- O. B. Ginn, one recap passenger tire.
- J. F. Miller, one recap passenger tire.
- A. H. Hill, one recap passenger tire.
- H. H. Weis, one recap passenger tire.
- Clarence Day, three recap pickup tires.
- C. A. Regan, one recap passenger tire.
- R. F. Jones, one grade 3 passenger tire.
- D. P. Mann, two grade 2 passenger tires.
- V. M. Ferguson, two recap passenger tires.
- Wilbur Charles, one grade 1 passenger tire.
- Rouel Barron, one grade 2 passenger tire.
- Harry Jesko, one recap passenger tire.
- John Lilly, two grade 2 passenger tires, two tubes.

- Charles A. Ross, one pickup tire, one tube.
- Karl Gast, one recap passenger tire.
- A. G. Schlabs, one pickup tire.
- A. O. Ford, one recap passenger tire.
- H. H. Weis, one grade 2 passenger tire.
- A. H. Hadley, two grade 3 passenger tires.
- Roscoe Ivie, one recap passenger tire.
- Claude Health, two recap truck tires.
- Archie Green, one grade 3 passenger tire.
- C. L. Vestal, one grade 1 passenger tire.
- Herman Schueler, one pickup tire.
- Clarence Ashcraft, one recap passenger tire.
- M. A. Crum, one grade 2 passenger tire.
- D. O. Robason, one trailer tube.
- Tony Wallace, one grade 1 passenger tire, one tube.

Filling Stations May Hike Gasoline Prices

Gasoline service station operators may now correct their retail prices so they can realize a gross margin of three cents per gallon, John Armstrong, chairman of the Parmer Ration Board, has announced.

"Where an operator of a retail service station selling gasoline adjusts his prices in this manner, however, he is required to file a statement with the local board," Armstrong pointed out. This report must set forth the station's delivered cost, maximum selling price per gallon before a margin adjustment was made, and the new maximum selling price.

"Each time a service station operator's delivered cost changes and he increases or decreases the maximum selling prices he must refile this information with the board," the chairman said.

How Long War Is Going To Last Up To Unions

America, England, Shackled By Labor

By ROGER W. BABSON  
Baltimore, Md. (Copyright, 1942, Publishers Financial Bureau)—At the risk of being condemned by Washington as an "arm-chair strategist," I wish to say a word on how to shorten the war. I'll take for my text Ecclesiastes 3:1-8 inclusive: **What Dictator Byrnes Must Do**  
Labor unions, like most everything else, have their usefulness. Labor leaders are as patriotic as financial leaders. For every bad labor actor, whom Pegler names from Main Street, I can name a bad financial actor from Wall Street. No one group is today free from blame. But, just as the Interstate Commerce Commission has checked bad railroad presidents and the Securities and Exchange Commission is now checking banking, utility and fire insurance dictators, so James F. Byrnes should crack down upon labor leaders.



FOR SALE—Superflex oil heater, in good shape. Loyd A. Cain, Farwell. 8-3tp

WANTED TO BUY—Small house, wired for electricity. R. E. Cruzan. Lazbuddy. 8-1tp

LOST—Young Hereford springing heifer branded 7H on left hip, strayed from pasture in Lazbuddy community. Please notify Mrs. Sam Aldridge, Farwell. 8-1tp

MEN WANTED—Santa Fe wants 40 or 50 extra gang laborers in building double track. Please report to agent in Texico. 6-3tc

bor leaders. The United Nations never will win this war until labor leaders are rationed as other present non-essentials. The recent Republican victories indicate that this latter will now be done.

England Should Take the Lead

Let's look at the record: if France had held out, World War II would now have been won without the loss of an American boy. Yet, it was the labor unions of France which caused her downfall. If England were not controlled by labor unions, no Germans or Italians would today be in Africa. We are probably justified in giving out 18- and 19-year-old boys to help England; but England should help herself by curbing labor unions.

Another thought: Our labor unions should help the submerged foreign labor by striving to eliminate the colonial system which Wendell Willkie is so vigorously denouncing. This would hasten world peace. Besides, if the poor people of India, Persia and the Dutch East Indies were free to sell their oil, rubber and minerals to any nation, then Hitler, Mussolini and Tojo would be unable to hold their armies longer. Their only logical complaint would be answered, and this also would help us win the war.

Axis Free from Labor Handicaps

The simple truth is that England and America, shackled by labor unions and bamboozled by labor leaders, are trying to lick Germany, Japan and Italy, which are entirely free from these handicaps. Of course we will win, sometime, but it will not be until England and America suspend the labor unions "for the duration" and reorganize the colonial system.

Of course I will be flooded with letters from paid labor union officials as to reasons why they should not be interfered with. Other persons will write me telling how certain bankers, fire insurance officials and industrialists are abusing their powers. I am not now disputing or arguing with such people. I am even willing to agree in advance to their claims. I am now discussing only one question, namely: "How long will the war last?"

War Can End in 1944

The war will last until the labor leaders turn over their unions to the government the same as employers, colleges and others are turning over their property and hard-won privileges. Concurrently with the elimination of the colonial system, if labor unions in England and America would now voluntarily suspend for the duration, as Rear Admiral Emory S. Land urges, World War II could be over sometime next year, at least, as far as Europe is concerned, although it may take 1944 to crush Japan. Otherwise, with the present wrangling between governments, colonials and labor leaders it may take ten years to lick Hitler and Tojo.

Of course, collective bargaining is sound and, in ordinary times, should be defended. Today, however, we are at war—fighting for our very existence. This is a total war—for all except colonial barons organized labor leaders and cowardly bureaucrats who are afraid of both. To such, the big "V" which we see appear to stand for "votes" rather than for "victory." Let every mother who has a boy in the armed forces give three cheers for Rear Admiral Land.

Speaks With Authority

In conclusion, let me humbly add that I speak with some authority on this subject. During World War I, I was an assistant to the Secretary of Labor in Washington. Under Mr.

Felix Frankfurter, now Supreme Court Justice, I worked very closely with President Woodrow Wilson and finally was appointed to congress, Director General of Information and Education, for several years. I was secretary of the Society to Eliminate Economic Causes of War. Therefore, I ask readers to give this message very careful consideration.

May Be Trained In Bomber Maintenance

AMARILLO ARMY AIR FIELD—Women in West Texas and Oklahoma now have the opportunity of teaching soldiers to keep Uncle Sam's giants of the air, the magnificent Flying Fortresses, in fighting condition.

The United States Army not only is recruiting women to act as instructors in bomber maintenance, but is training them, at full pay, to become instructors. A successful applicant becomes a junior instructor at a salary of \$2,000 a year.

Any woman, whether she has worked before or not, can qualify if she has completed high school and has attended college for one or more years. Even educational requirements can be waived in the event the applicant has exceptional qualifying experience.

Teaching experience is helpful, but not required. In lieu of a year in college, a woman may have had a year of technical experience in aircraft mechanics, automobile mechanics or aircraft engine mechanics; a bachelor of science degree in electrical, aircraft or civil engineering; a bachelor's degree in trade and industrial education or vocational education; a Civil Aeronautics Administration airplane mechanic's or airplane engine mechanic's license.

An applicant must be at least 20 years of age. There is no maximum age limit. If a woman has no speech defects or impediments, if she has normal hearing without hearing aids, and if she has no physical defects great enough to interfere with an 8-hour teaching day or the ability to move about freely, she will not be barred from consideration.

Men, too, will be accepted as instructors, but only if they are classified under Selective Service in 4-F, or in 3-A and have dependents. Most of the 1,200 vacancies at Amarillo Field, however, will be filled by appointment of women.

Each successful applicant will undergo a training period of from three

to six months, at the end of which she will be qualified to teach one phase of the maintenance of a Flying Fortress. She will work on one of three shifts from 12:00 midnight to 7:45 a. m., from 8:00 a. m. to 3:45 p. m., or from 4:00 p. m. to 11:45 p. m. The shifts are rotated so that no individual is required to work at night all the time.

Training will be at Amarillo Field where dormitory facilities for single or married persons without families will soon be available.

Information about instructor positions may be obtained immediately from Lieut. Thomas A. Otto, Employment Officer, Amarillo Army Air Field, Amarillo, Tex.

SANTA FE CARLOADINGS

The Santa Fe System carloadings for the week ending January 2, 1943, were 16,848 compared with 17,874 for the same week in 1942. Cars received from connections totaled 10,888 compared with 7,072 for the same week in 1942. Total cars moved were 27,736 compared with 24,946 for the same week in 1942. Santa Fe handled a total of 29,475 cars in the preceding week in 1942.

A private herb garden is maintained at the University of Texas, so that pharmacy students and professors may grow plants for experimental use.

GET THE MOST FROM YOUR FLOCK

Keep your poultry up to topnotch production by feeding them with a balanced diet—it will pay big returns while prices are high.

- El Rancho Egg Mash, cwt. \$3.10
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- Merit Egg Mash, cwt. \$3.00
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POULTRY PRICES: Light Hens 18c Heavy Hens 21c

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Farwell, Texas.

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If You Need a Suit or Overcoat, Our Advice Is to Get It NOW!

Come In and Leave Your Order at Once!

Every indication points to the inability to get new tailor-made suits and overcoats after the present supply of patterns has been used up by the tailors.

Right now you can make a selection from a fairly complete line of samples . . . and our advice is to place your order NOW!

WE HAVE ALREADY BEEN INFORMED THAT THERE WILL LIKELY BE NO SPRING AND SUMMER SAMPLES!

## City Cleaners

Farwell, Texas.

# We Have—

- Some Lumber—rough
- Some Fence Posts
- Several sows with pigs
- Seed Barley
- Seed Rye

## Henderson Grain & Seed Company

Farwell, Texas.

### TAKE THE LONG LOOK . . .

Your present car is going to have to last you for the duration. You'd better take the best of care for it by keeping it in perfect mechanical condition.

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Phone 3941

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF

## Security State Bank

FARWELL, TEXAS.

At the Close of Business, Dec. 31, 1942

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	\$144,412.64	Capital Stock	\$ 25,000.00
Commodity Credit, grain loans	248,008.70	Surplus	30,000.00
Commodity Credit, cotton loans	77,807.02	Undivided Profits	3,283.85
Bills of Exchange, cotton	2,944.17	Dividends Unpaid	325.00
Bonds and Warrants	99,914.87	Deposits	787,236.60
Banking House and Fixtures	5,800.00		
Overdrafts	739.76		
Cash and Sight Exchange	266,218.29		
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$845,845.45</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$845,845.45</b>

The above Statement is correct.

DAVID HARRISON, Cashier

Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation

# Local Happenings

## Christmas Eve Nuptials For Cain-McElroy

The Christmas Eve wedding of Miss Linnette Cain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Cain of Canyon and Aviation Cadet James McElroy, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. McElroy of Farwell, has been announced locally.

The double ring ceremony was performed by candle light in the chapel at Mather Field, Calif., with Rev. R. H. Bathwell chaplain, officiating.

"O Promise Me" and Schubert's "Serenade" were played by the organist before the ceremony the bride entering to the strains of "Lohengrin." "A Perfect Day" formed the musical background for the rites, and Mendelssohn's "Wedding March" was played at the close.

Attending the couple were Aviation Cadet Arthur F. Magennis and Aviation Cadet Edward McKelvey.

Mrs. McElroy is a graduate of West Texas State, Canyon, where she was a member of Alpha Psi Omega dramatic fraternity and Delta Zeta Chi sorority. She taught at Farwell and at Panhandle prior to her marriage.

Cadet McElroy is well known here, having been active in sports during his Farwell high school career. He served a short term in the Navy after graduation and was enrolled at Texas Tech in Lubbock before entering the Air Force, where he is training in navigation.

The couple is at home at 1315 23rd St., Sacramento, Calif.

## Wesley Bible Class Meets Tuesday

The Wesley Bible Class of the Methodist Church held a regular meeting on Tuesday afternoon, members and visitors gathering in the home of Mrs. Anne H. Overstreet.

Mrs. A. D. Smith had charge of the afternoon program, with the devotional prayer being led by the pastor, Rev. Paul H. Tripp. During the business meeting, the yearbook came under discussion and the group voted to turn the birthday box to the WSCS of the church.

Refreshments of pudding and tea were served to Rev. and Mrs. Paul H. Tripp and Mrs. Effie Johnson, guests, and to the following members: Mmes. G. E. Campbell, O. B. Pipkin, B. E. Nobles, Minnie Leftwich, A. D. Smith, J. H. Nabors, Roy B. Ezell, G. W. Atchley, Lena Yoder, J. H. Barger and the hostess.

Ray Ford, former local business man who is now working at Amarillo, was here on business last Saturday. Ford indicated to some friends that he might return to Farwell and enter the produce business.

Miss Elsie Cunningham home demonstration agent, has returned to her office after a vacation of some ten days.

Mrs. Woodrow Lovelace returned the past Thursday from Enid Okla., where she had spent three weeks with Pvt. Lovelace. Over the weekend, she was a visitor in the home of her parents near Friona.

Mrs. W. A. Kessie spent the weekend with friends in Hereford.

Victory Book Drive To Be Held Here

Announcement has been received here from the AWVS by Miss Elsie Cunningham to the effect that from Jan. 5 through March 5 a "Victory Book" campaign for service camps will be conducted.

Miss Cunningham stated that although definite plans had not been made in Parmer county as yet, she expected to contact club members of various groups with the view of getting the women "in" on the drive.

"More and better books" is the slogan of the drive, and all persons who have material on hand which would be of value to boys in camps are asked to get it together now and watch for definite announcement of collection points.

Mrs. Eddie Thomas left on Monday for her home in Los Angeles, Calif., after having spent the past two weeks here as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kyker.

Rex Kyker, of Abilene Christian College, returned to Abilene on Friday following a holiday visit here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Marty Ezell and daughter of Muleshoe, visited relatives in Farwell during the weekend.

## Installation Service Is Held On Sunday

The morning worship hour at the Methodist Church, Sunday, was devoted to the installation of officers for the Woman's Society of Christian Service and the Wesleyan Guild, with Rev. Paul H. Tripp in charge.

For the Guild, Miss Jennie Lee London was noted as president, Mrs. Frances King as secretary and Mrs. J. T. Carter as study superintendent. Officials of the WSCS to be recognized were Mrs. B. A. Rogers, president; Mrs. Roy B. Ezell, vice president; Mrs. Anne Overstreet, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Paul Tripp, recording secretary; Mrs. W. H. Graham, treasurer; Mrs. W. B. Hill, mission study; Mrs. O. B. Pipkin, superintendent of supplies; Mrs. B. N. Graham, superintendent of literature; Mrs. A. D. Smith, superintendent social service, and Mrs. W. Vinyard, superintendent young people's work.

Miss Eunice Graham left last week for Raton, N. M., to resume her teaching duties. She was a holiday visitor in the B. N. Graham home.

K. K. Runnels, pioneer ranchman southwest of town, was in Tuesday laying in a supply of provisions and exchanging yarns with friends.

Bill Larson spent Christmas holidays with his two sisters, who live in Tucumcari.

Mrs. Louis Calhoun of Clovis spent several days last week visiting in the home of Mrs. A. D. Smith in Farwell.

Mrs. Icy V. Bond of Tatum and Miss Dorinda Bond of Amarillo returned to teaching duties in their respective cities Sunday, after having visited during the holiday season with relatives here.

Herbert Williams, who attends West Texas State at Canyon, spent the holidays with relatives in Farwell.

Missse Wilma Louise Snider and Flora Lee Williams have returned to Lubbock to resume school work at Texas Tech.

ST. JOHN'S EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH

Lariat, Texas  
Rudolph Weiser, Pastor  
First Sunday after Epiphany  
Sunday School and Bible Class at 10:45 a. m.  
Divine Service at 11:30 a. m.  
Instruction Class meets at 2:30.  
Sunday School Teachers meet at the parsonage on Thursday night.

"These words, which I command thee this day shall be in thine heart and thou shalt teach them diligently unto thy children." Deut. 6:6-7a.

Parmer WAAC Quota Announced By Office

Sgt. Harvey M. Gist, recruiter in charge of the Plainview office, this week announces that the WAAC quota for Parmer county is four enlistees, "This quota," he said, "must and will be filled."

Already a number of Parmer County women have gone into service in the Woman's Auxiliary Army Corps and it is expected that a number will make application in the near future.

To qualify for enrollment, regardless of race, creed or color, the recruiting officer says, an applicant needs only to be strong intelligent, a citizen and between 21 and 44 inclusive. Married women are acceptable providing they have no children under 14 years dependent on them.

Club Women To Study Red Cross Nutrition

A series of official Red Cross nutrition lessons will be started in the January meetings of Parmer county home demonstration clubs, according to Miss Elsie Cunningham, demonstrator, with the course to continue through the first six months of the current year.

Each month when the agent meets with the clubs, a lesson on nutrition will be given. These meetings are not limited to home demonstration women, Miss Cunningham stressed, adding that all women in the community were cordially invited.

January meeting places for the clubs are Live at Home, with Mrs. Vivian Talbot; Hub, with Mrs. Leo McLellan; Bovina, club room, Victory, with Mrs. Clarence Day; Rhea,

## NEWS FROM OUR BOYS IN CAMPS



### MOVED TO ILLINOIS

Pvt. Woodrow Lovelace, who has been located in Enid, Oklahoma, at the air base has been transferred to Rantoul, Illinois, according to word received here by Mrs. Lovelace. "Wood" writes that "it's plenty cold" at his new location.

### BACK TO POSTS

Two Farwell soldiers who have been visiting with relatives here for the past several days have returned to duty. S-Sgt. Carthon Phillips left Monday to report to the Air Base at Pocatello, Ida., and Sgt. John Austin Graham has departed for his post at Brooks Field, San Antonio.

### CAMPBELL IN AFRICA

Mr. and Mrs. Ott Campbell of the Oklahoma Lane community have received word that their son, J. D., is now in Africa. He is in the medical corps. In a recent letter to the folks J. D. described seeing a "native planting oats, using a donkey and an ox for his team."

### SENDS CABLEGRAM

S-Sgt. Edmund Middick, brother of Mrs. Bess Hennehan, sent her a New Year greeting by cablegram last Saturday. He is believed to be located in the South Seas, although no confirmation as to his location has been received here.

### HERE ON BUSINESS

Pvt. Dee Brown, who is stationed at Camp Bowie, was here on a brief furlough the latter part of the week, attending some business matters.

### NO RAIN

Pvt. Cortez Billington, who was inducted here some several weeks ago, writes from his new location at Fort Stockton, Calif., that he has not "seen a drop of rain" since leaving Farwell. Cortez has just been moved from Cheyenne, Wyo., to the California camp.

### HALF THROUGH TRAINING

Air Cadet Kenneth Grissom, who is located at the Naval Air Station near Dallas, writes this week that he is "half through" training at that particular station. Kenneth goes on to say that the station is now one of the three naval air stations in the United States, is no longer a reserve but a main base that will get all transport traffic.

He closes with "I am taking up acrobatics now. Like it fine if we could get liberty, we fly seven days a week. Dallas is so close, yet so far."

### IN NEW CALEDONIA

Word has been received here that Tulon White, who is now with the Sea-Bees (construction unit of the Navy), is located in New Caledonia. Tulon left the States last summer after undergoing training at Norfolk, Va.

### MAY GO OVERSEAS

Sgt. Champ Porter, brother of John Porter of this city, who has been stationed at Key West, Fla. the past several months, writes his brother that indications point to an overseas voyage for him in the near future.

school building, Lakeview, school building, The Parmerton club has not announced its meeting place.

Effectiveness of circuit breakers and other electrical equipment is tested by electrical "knockout punches" from two 500-ton generators in the Westinghouse high power lab at East Pittsburgh, Pa. "Blows" administered in the tests may have a destructive force equal to 75,000 lightning strokes.



Are you entitled to wear a target label button?  
You can ONLY if you are investing at least ten percent of your income in War Bonds to do your part on the home front toward winning the War.

The target label button is a badge of patriotism, a badge of honor. You should feel proud to display it. The buttons are obtainable at your plant management, at the office of your local War Bond chairman, or at your Payroll Savings Window where you authorize your ten percent payroll deductions.

Enlist in the ten percent War Bond army and do your part to win the War.

U. S. Treasury Department

## WPA Aid to Lunch Room Will Be Cut

Supt. B. A. Rogers said today that WPA aid to the Texico school lunch room project would be discontinued "during the middle of February" and added that "it's up to the patrons whether or not the lunch room continues to operate".

Going further, the superintendent said, "If patrons are willing to pay a price for meals which will permit continuance of the project, the faculty and school board will do everything possible to cooperate".

At present, only one WPA worker is engaged at the lunch room, the two helpers being paid out of funds taken in during operation.

Meals have been given school children at a very nominal rate, thanks to the Surplus Commodities Corporation and the WPA, but Supt. Rogers pointed out that the prices would have to be advanced if the cafeteria is to be put on a self-supporting basis.

A meeting of the Community Club, which acts as sponsor for the lunch room, is to be held soon and a decision on the fate of the project will likely be made at that time.

there'll probably be a few more dates to redline on the calendar before the month is out.

Important Dates To Remember in January

If you are one of those unfortunate people—like us—who can't remember dates in spite of repeated warnings, maybe you'd better get a calendar and mark the ones below, dates which will undoubtedly be of utmost importance to you during the current month.

On Monday of this week, January 4, the second coffee stamp, No. 27 in your ration book, became valid and will be good for the purchase of one pound of coffee through this month and including February 8, an entire period of five weeks.

January 26 is the final date merchants will issue sugar for the No. 10 stamp in the book.

The first eight coupons in your "A" gas ration books expire on January 21—and the last eight will have to carry you through March 21. January 15 is the last day to make application for a No. 1 ration book, just in case you don't have one now.

All motor vehicle operators must have the tires on their vehicles inspected at an official station by January 31. After this initial inspection, "A" card holders should have a repeat every quarter, while holders of all other types of books must have a checkup every 60 days.

At present this seems to be the lineup, but don't get discouraged—

Another kind of intelligence test is what we do with our leisure.

## SAVE ON YOUR CIGARETTES

Wings and Similar Brands

12c, or 2 for 23c  
Carton \$1.10

Other Popular Brands

15c, or 2 for 28c  
Carton \$1.35

RED PHARMACY

## Doctor Cautions That Influenza Is On Rise

High tension living weakens body resistance, sudden changes in temperature bring on colds, and neglected colds may put you flat of your back with a vicious onslaught of the First World War plague—influenza.

So reports Dr. V. Scott Johnson, local practicing physician, who said today that currently "there are more colds and sore throats—and they're harder to handle—than anything I've ever experienced before".

Cautions the general public to beware of the seeming innocence of the common cold, Dr. Johnson urged all civilians to take precautionary measures when attacked by a cold—stay inside, eat lightly, sleep as much as possible, and see a doctor if the cold fails to improve. "But" he added emphatically "Don't take up time of busy doctors unless you really need medical attention."

All figures compiled by the American Medical Association point to the fact that influenza is becoming alarmingly prevalent over the country, and those who are old enough can remember the horrifying number of people who met their deaths from the epidemic of 1918.

# NOTICE

THE SOUTHWESTERN PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY is locating Mr. Gerald Dorough in Farwell and Texico for the service and maintenance work of this area. Mr. Dorough may be contacted through his residence phone, No. 2211, or through Mr. LeRoy Faville, collector for the above company for Farwell and Texico.

We hope, by having Mr. Dorough located here, to be able to give more prompt attention to our service problems, thereby rendering a better service to our many customers and friends who have so graciously and patiently endured with us the hardships of being served from a distance as has been the case since Mr. Ezell left Farwell and Texico for a better position.

Southwestern PUBLIC SERVICE Company

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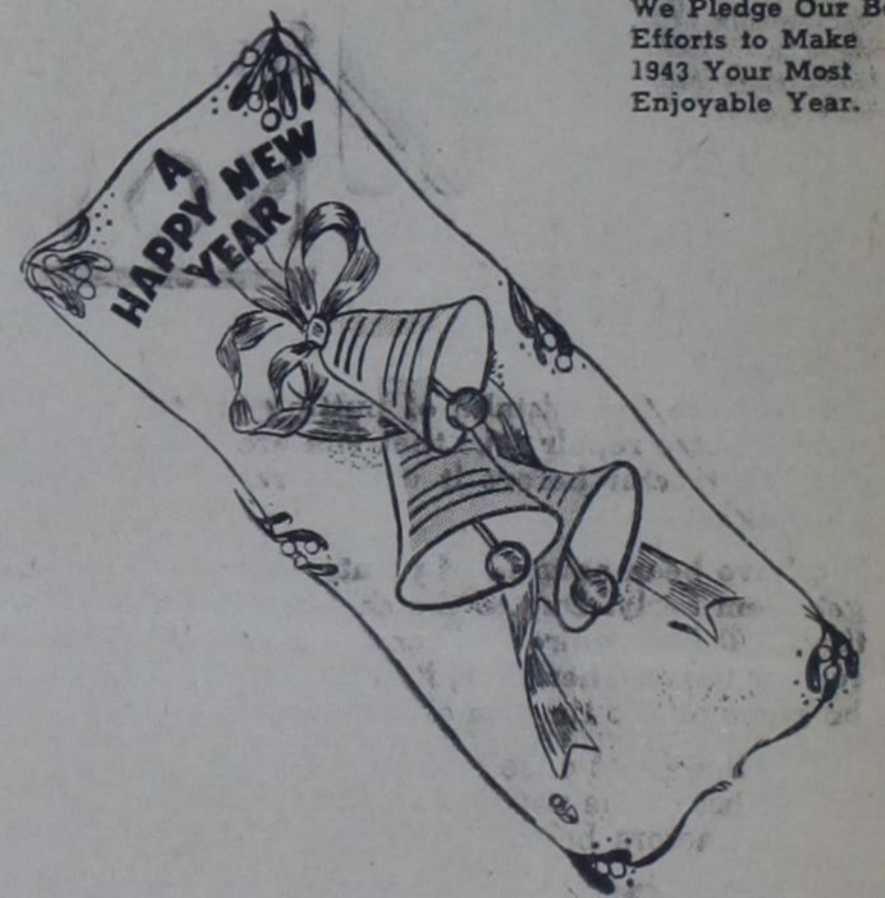
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# A Promising Year Ahead

We Pledge Our Best Efforts to Make 1943 Your Most Enjoyable Year.



It looks like a promising year ahead from where we stand, especially here in America, where the ideal of democracy still exists in spite of the efforts of dictators to overthrow this ideal.

To you, our friends and neighbors, who value good living with thrift, we say . . .

HAPPY NEW YEAR . . . ONE AND ALL!

The beginning of a New Year is a time to express our appreciation for the loyal patronage in the year just ended . . . and to express the hope that our relations in the year to come will be still more pleasant and successful.

# Kemp Lumber Co.

Roy W. Bobst, Mgr.

Farwell, Texas

## Automobiles Wanted

Will pay cash for slick 1940 and 1941 Ford cars with good tires or with no tires

WASHING — GREASING — TIRE REPAIR  
Quick Service

# Sikes Motor Company

Phone 2361 FORD DEALERS Farwell, Texas

### Cotton Insurance Is Now Available

John B. Martin, administrative officer of the Parmer County ACA, announces that 1943 cotton crop insurance application forms have just been received and the local office will begin accepting applications for such insurance within the next few days.

A notice of the insurable yield per acre and the premium rate for each cotton farm in the county will be mailed individual farmers immediately. Upon receipt of the notice, farmers are urged to consider seriously the advisability of insuring their 1943 cotton crop.

According to Martin, under the 1942 program, Parmer farmers paid in a total premium of 90,593 pounds of cotton, and indemnity payments amounted to 337,742 pounds with a few partial losses remaining to be tabulated. Martin urges all cotton farmers who do not understand the program to contact the local AAA office for full explanation.

### Canned Food Next On Rationing List

In February, when point rationing goes into effect over the nation, new goods will be added to the list, including canned, bottled and frozen fruits, vegetables and juices, dried fruits and soups.

Although the announcement that point rationing will "begin in February" has been made by highups, Chairman John Armstrong of the Parmer county board said today that

his office has received no information, blanks and other paraphernalia which will be necessary before the new ration program gets underway.

"However," he said "we have been definitely told that we would get information and supplies in sufficient time to allow us to study it and know thoroughly how the program will work, in order that the board may answer questions."

To date, the following specific information on canned food has been released:

Rationing will be preceded by a short freeze so that retailers can stock up and make ready, and during that period every individual will be issued War Ration Book No. 2.

**Home Canned Food Exempt**

All rationed food except that canned at home will have to be declared by the applicant before a ration book is issued, and stamps will be deducted for excess stocks. Home canned foods, it was stressed, are exempt.

A list of canned foods which will be rationed is soon to be issued and will be made available to the general public.

**January 15 Deadline**

Officials warned that no issuance of No. 2 books will be made unless the applicant can produce his No. 1 book and application for such must be made at ration offices not later than Jan. 15.

Local support of public schools in Texas is derived primarily from an ad valorem tax on general property.

The total value of Texas public school property is estimated as nearly \$3,000,000,000.



## Get Your Tractor Ready for Spring Work NOW!

Don't make the mistake of putting off till the last minute those repair jobs that you are going to need on your tractor before it will be ready for Spring plowing!

We have been assured of plenty of parts if we will get them early. Due to the shortage of labor, more time will be required to complete jobs now than in former times. Therefore, it is imperative that we be given ample time on all repair jobs.

See us at once and let us make out a list of the parts you will need on your tractors before Spring work begins.

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## NEWS from YOUR COUNTY EXTENSION AGENTS TEXAS EXTENSION SERVICE



**FOOD FOR VICTORY**

**By Garlon A. Harper**  
County Agricultural Agent  
Texas A. & M. Extension Service

The farmer's part in this all-out war is a large one. Without the necessary food and fiber the war cannot be successfully fought and won by the allies. So, for this reason, it is up to the American farmer to find out what his farm can produce which is most needed in winning the war. This is the reason why January 12 has been designated as Farm Mobilization Day.

On January 12, farmers all over the nation will start taking inventory of their production capacities and start learning about what they can produce on their own lands which is most needed. This will be done by filling out farm plan sheets on every farm in America. On this farm will be listed all the important information which is needed to know just exactly what the farm can do in the 1943 food production battle. On this plan sheet will also be listed any handicaps which the farm may have in getting this food and fiber produced. Such handicaps will be then known to all governmental agencies and help will be given in solving them wherever possible.

The responsibility of getting these plans completed has been delegated to the county USDA War Boards. In the communities and neighborhoods of the county, AAA committeemen will have the responsibility of seeing each individual farmer. They will be assisted in this by county agricultural Victory Leaders.

Here is the important thing for individual farmers to think about: **Be ready to fill out your farm plan sheet promptly, attend meetings called for this purpose, and remember that your neighbors who help you are donating their time and effort to help you and the war effort.**

Now is a good time to start thinking about what we, as farmers, can do in 1943 to help win the war. Let's not let it be said that Parmer County farmers did not do their part in 1943. **GET YOUR FARM PLAN SHEET FILLED OUT PROMPTLY AND CORRECTLY.**

### Okla. Lane-Muleshoe Cagers Have Games

Three cage games were staged at Oklahoma Lane the past weekend when Muleshoe visited there, the visitors dropping two and taking one of the encounters.

Scoring was fairly even through the senior boys' match, which the Oklahoma Lane team finally won, 19-22. Henry Young topped scoring honors with 7 points.

Alma Lee, blonde forward of the entertaining team, slugged in 21 points to let Oklahoma Lane more than double the Muleshoe tally in the girls contest. Final count was 33-16.

An independent boys' game between the two was held as a finale of the evening and was exceptionally close, never more than three points separating the tallies. Muleshoe finally took the game, 19-17.

Supt. H. D. Bentley, in reporting the games, paid high praise to the sportsmanship exhibited by all participants in the evening's games.

### Farwell Takes Fast Game Over Texico

A home game of considerable interest was played the past Friday night, when the senior boys' squads of Texico and Farwell staged a fast cage game before a good crowd.

With the score always tight, Farwell finally outpointed the Texico players by seven points, the final score at 30-23.

Clarence Summers hit the basket for top scoring honors on the winner's side, having a count of nine at the conclusion of the game, while Billy White of Texico led his team by racking up seven points.

In a grade school game played as the preliminary of the evening, the Texico boys easily walked off with honors, trimming Farwell 22-6.

**SUPTS. TO AUSTIN**

All of the Parmer county school superintendents, in company with County Judge Lee Thompson, left here Tuesday by auto for Austin, where they will attend the annual meeting of the school superintendents of Texas.

Those making the trip include Judge Thompson, W. O. Cherry of Bovina, O. B. Ginn of Friona, H. D. Bentley of Oklahoma Lane, R. E. Everett of Lazbuddy and J. T. Carter of Farwell.

Educators of national repute are scheduled to address the annual convention this year, which is considered one of the most important meetings in recent year due to the various war programs that are affecting the schools of the nation.

### GOLD DISCOVERED AT PARMERTON

**By Elsie Cunningham**  
Home Demo. Agent  
Extension Service, Texas A. & M.

If you invested \$2.24 and were able to cash in your investment for \$62.20 six months later, you would be trying to buy more shares in the business, wouldn't you? You would probably announce to your best friends that you had discovered a gold mine, wouldn't you?

Well, one home demonstration club women found a profit making scheme of this kind right here in Parmer County last year, and I am going to tell you about it.

No, really, I'm not kidding you—or starting to advertise a trick corn cure. I'm presenting a perfectly reasonable plan—a plan which may possibly mean health and happiness for you and your family.

Up in Parmerton a profitable demonstration was operated by Mrs. John Bengers who served as food demonstrator for the home demonstration club in 1942.

According to her household records, Mrs. Bengers spent \$2.24 for garden seed and had a stock of canned and cured vegetables in her pantry at the end of the season that was conservatively valued at \$62.20.

A gold mine indeed. And with the prospects of rationing of meats, fats, canned vegetables and fruits, this demonstration takes on even greater significance.

As a result of this demonstration the Bengers are looking forward to many healthful and interesting meals even after rationing goes into effect. In the pantry Mrs. Bengers has 300 quarts of vegetables, 70 quarts of fruits, 70 containers of jam and jelly and several jars of pickles and relishes. In the storage mound she has 300 lbs. of cured vegetables, such as carrots, turnips, onions and the like.

In addition to gardening, Mrs. Bengers raised a nice flock of AAA Rhode Island Reds from which she kept 233 pullets and put 100 fryers in the freezer locker and served many fried chicken dinners during the summer. The Bengers also have sufficient cured meat to supply the family table.

Hard work? Well, of course, Mrs. Bengers did do quite careful planning and worked constantly "on the home front" to accomplish these things and we must, also, give Mr. Bengers credit for a lot of assistance. We consider such tasks as repairing gates and fences, building brooder houses, butchering, etc. the man's share "on the home front" and Mr. Bengers won his blue ribbon as a helper.

Don't have any space for a garden, you say. Well, Mrs. Bengers didn't have a garden spot either but she converted the spot formerly used as a flower garden into a Victory garden. Of course, Mrs. Bengers missed her lovely flowers in 1942 but she missed the three Bengers lads—Ira, Noah and Johnnie—even more; and this was one of the things she could do on the home front to hasten victory and their return.

The Bengers not only produced food at home in order to relieve already heavily taxed transportation facilities and sent their boys off to help Uncle Sam, but also did their bit by turning in scrap iron, buying bonds and stamps and helping with Red Cross work.

This is just one of the interesting stories about Parmer County folks that we have planned to write. Watch for the story about Mrs. C. L. Calaway next week.

Buy war bonds and stamps today! Ever time you buy a bond you knock a Jap across the pond.

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### January 12 Is Farm Mobilization Day

Designation of January 12 as "Farm Mobilization Day" has been announced, and according to County Agent Garlon A. Harper and FSA supervisor Earl L. Fine, this means that "the agricultural resources of the country are to be placed on the same basis as industry and the armed forces in an effort to contribute everything possible to the nation's war effort."

Plans for a county-wide sign-up to increase production of all farm products have been announced by the County USDA War Board, the sign-up to start around Jan. 19 and be completed by Jan. 31. A farm plan and work sheet will be used to determine what individual farms can be expected to produce.

"It is hoped," agricultural workers said today, "that every farmer will realize the importance of obtaining this information and the importance of the program and will go into action to accomplish this sign-up as soon as possible."

**Purpose of Sign-up**

The purpose of the sign-up, it was pointed out, is to obtain a blue print of the production capacity of American farms and to study handicaps which must be overcome to obtain maximum production. Farm plan sheets will furnish intended acreages and the number of animals on the farms during 1943.

Taking the whole program into consideration before expecting farmers to increase production, officials announce that farm plan sheets will be reviewed by the War Board to determine the needs of individual farms for maximum production.

This will include need for new machinery, possible repair of equipment on hand, need for labor, credit, seed and other services or materials. The various agricultural agencies in

the county will assist, insofar as possible, in obtaining necessary materials and supplying the services needed for all-out production.

**War Board Responsible**

Responsibility of carrying out the sign-up promptly and correctly is placed on the county War Board; however, individual AAA committeemen will be charged with securing farm plan sign-ups in their communities and neighborhoods.

In order that the plan sheets may be made out correctly, meetings will be held in all communities to assist farmers with this work, dates to be announced later.

### FARWELL GIN TO CLOSE FOR SEASON SATURDAY

The Farwell cotton gin will close for the season after the yards have been cleared on Saturday of this week, E. M. Deaton, manager, announced today.

Deaton said that there remained only a few more bales in the Farwell section and that expense of maintaining a crew here longer was too high for the amount of ginning to be done.

He said further that the Lariat gin would continue in operation "so long as there is a bale left to gin". To date the Farwell gin has handled 500 bales this season, and the Lariat plant has ginned 800 bales.

Deaton estimated that there might be as many as 300 bales of ungathered cotton in the area. He said that practically all cotton being brought in now had been sledged, and that ginning had been slowed down by this class of cotton.

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