

Make Plea For Programs For Army Airfields

The all-day regular monthly meeting of the Camp & Hospital Council for the South Plains Army Airfield Tuesday last was attended by Miss Virginia Walker, Camp & Hospital Chairman for Lamb county; Mrs. R. Brotherton, and Mrs. L. M. Bran, executive secretary for Lamb county Chapter of Red Cross, all of Littlefield.

A G. I. dinner in the Enlisted Men's mess hall with the servicemen was served at noon, following which they attended a Red Cross meeting in the WAAC day room.

Various reports on high seas program and Christmas gifts to McKinley Hospital, and to the hospitals at the airfields in Lubbock were given.

Six counties were represented at the meeting, including Terry, Crosby, Hale, Floyd, Lubbock and Lamb county.

The Field Representative of Field Directors out of St. Louis was in attendance and made a talk. Lieut. Cowling, Special Service Officer of South Plains Army Airfield, also addressed the meeting, as also did WAC Lieutenant Eddy. Following the session Boston Cream Pie and coffee were served in the WAAC mess hall.

At the meeting a plea was made for entertaining programs to be presented to the servicemen at both the Lubbock Army Airfield, and the South Plains Army Airfield.

Wins Gold Star Award



An outstanding leader in 4-H club work is Grace Mason, who has been a club member of the Elton Intermediate 4-H club for four years. She is the winner of the Gold Star Award of Lamb county for 1944. Miss Mason has served as clothing demonstrator for the past year. She has kept her Victory garden growing and assisted her mother in canning and otherwise conserve the family's food supply of vegetables and fruits during the year.

W. H. Cunningham Elected President Texas Seed Assn.

Is First Time This Honor Conferred On A South Plains Man

W. H. Cunningham of two miles northwest of Littlefield, was elected president of the Texas Seed Breeders' association, which embodies Cotton Seed Breeders, Hybrid Corn and Sorghums, Small Grains, and others licensed to produce State registered or certified seed in Texas, at a meeting held Friday and Saturday in the Jefferson Hotel, Dallas.

Mr. Cunningham has previously served as vice-president of the association, and also on the board of directors. This is the first time that anyone from the South Plains has been elected to the presidency.

Mr. Cunningham is the oldest established grain sorghum grower in the State, and is believed to be the greatest grower of Certified Grain Sorghums in Texas.

At the meeting at Dallas last week a association observed its 25th anniversary.

Mr. Lankart of Waco was elected vice-president; and Dr. E. P. Hurst, head of the Department of Genetics at the A. & M. College, and chairman of the State Seed and Plant Board, was re-elected Secretary for the 25th consecutive year. A cash donation of \$155 was made by the membership, and presented to him at the meeting as a gift of appreciation for 25 years faithful work.

Mr. Cunningham reports there are 70 firms and individuals holding licenses to produce State registered and certified seed in Texas, comprising a total of over 126,000 acres.

High School P-TA to Meet Today

The High School P-TA meeting will be held Thursday (today) at 8:30 p. m. in the High school Auditorium, when a talent program will be presented by the Eighth Grade pupils.

A meeting of the Primary P-TA will be held Wednesday, January 4, at 8:00 p. m. Parents are asked to take note of the change of time. First grade parents will have charge of the program, which will be on observation.

Harry L. Smith, 80, Passes Away Friday At Local Hospital

Remains Left Here By Train Wednesday For Burial In-Iowa

Harry L. Smith, 80, one of the early pioneers of this area, passed away at a local hospital as the result of a heart ailment, Friday night at 7:30 o'clock, after being in ill health for several years. He had been a patient in the hospital for about 10 days.

Funeral services were conducted at the Chapel in Hammons Funeral Home Sunday afternoon, January 14, at 3 o'clock, with Rev. C. Frank York, pastor of the First Methodist church of this city, officiating. The remains, accompanied by the widow, and daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Darnell, left Wednesday morning by train for Riverside, Iowa, where the Masonic Lodge will have charge of the service at the grave, and where burial is expected to take place Saturday.

Mr. Smith was born at Riverside, Iowa, April 27, 1864. He was united in marriage with Miss Laura Younkin, near Riverside, in Johnson County, Iowa, September 25, 1888. To this union were born a son, who died in infancy, and a daughter, Mrs. Tom Darnell, of South Bend, Indiana, who with her husband came here on learning of her father's death.

For many years Mr. Smith and his family made their home in Iowa City, and Des Moines, Iowa, moving to Texas in 1910, and to Littlefield in 1913, where he had continued to make his home. He came to Littlefield to sell land, and was connected in the sale of farms and real estate with the late Senator A. P. Duggan for a number of years. He also farmed on Oklahoma Avenue a number of years, which farm he owned at his death. He and Mrs. Smith moved from the farm into town to live about two years ago.

Deceased was a member of the Methodist Church, and had been a member of the Masonic Lodge for 50 years.

Surviving are his widow, and his daughter, Mrs. Darnell.

Last Rites Thursday For Mrs. "Pete" Taack

Funeral services for Mrs. Rachel Vonteeze Taack, 32, wife of W. D. (Pete) Taack of near Bull Lake, were held Thursday evening, January 11, at 5 o'clock, at the First Methodist Church, Littlefield, with Rev. C. Frank York, pastor, officiating.

Mrs. Taack passed away Monday, January 8, at 5:30 p. m. at a local hospital, following the birth of a daughter, who has been named "Kathryn Bell," and who has survived her mother.

Mrs. Taack was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Brown.

Burial, in charge of Hammons Funeral Home, took place in the Littlefield Cemetery.

Mrs. Taack was born April 21, 1912, as Rachel Vonteeze Brown. She was married to W. D. (Pete) Taack on October 13, 1943.

She is survived by her husband, little daughter, Kathryn Bell; and two daughters and a son by a previous marriage, all of whom made their home with their mother and step-father. They are: Jack, Edith and Johnny White.

Mrs. Taack is also survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Brown, and three sisters, Mrs. E. P. Lobb, Mrs. W. F. Turner, and Mrs. C. P. Crouch.

WILDCATS LOSE TO MORTON

The Morton boys trounced the Wildcats in a fast game at Morton Tuesday to the tune of 18 to 13. The girls also lost 11 to 18.

Both high school teams are entered in the Amherst tournament this week.

INTEREST RUNS HIGH IN LOCAL OIL DEVELOPMENT

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Fire Destroys Texan Theatre Building At Sudan Saturday

All 75 Patrons Escape From Show Building Unharmcd

Plans Underway To Rebuild Texan Theatre After Rio Design

A fire, which might have been costly in lives as well as property, took place at Sudan Saturday afternoon about 2:20 o'clock when the Texan Theatre building burned to the ground.

This is reported to be the third time that the Sudan theatre owned by the Chesher interests, and operated by W. G. Chesher, has been lost by fire. In a tragic fire, about seven years ago, the former Mrs. W. G. Chesher lost her life in the blaze.

The theatre had only been opened a short time Saturday afternoon when the fire took place. There were approximately 75 people in the theatre, who all got out safely. The fire is reported to have broke out in the operating room of the theatre. The operator is said to have had a break in the film, and it caught fire. He is reported to have jerked the top magazine open, and it immediately exploded. In attempting to throw the reel outside he suffered slight burns on his hands and face, but after receiving first aid at a Sudan doctor's office, he is said to be going about as usual.

The Texan Theatre building loss is reported at about \$12,000. Although the blaze did not destroy the buildings adjacent, the Glass Drug Store housed in the structure next door suffered considerable loss through smoke, heat and water, as also did the grocery store also adjacent to the other buildings.

Plans are already underway to rebuild the Texan Theatre building at Sudan, which will be designed after the same plan as the Rio Theatre in Littlefield.

R. C. Lloyd, of the Palace Theatre here, will be in charge of the installation of equipment, etc., at the new Theatre.

Clarence A. Mouser Drowned At Sea

A telegram from the War Department was received Tuesday of last week to the effect that Clarence Andrew Mouser, 19, Coxswain in U. S. Navy, reported missing, was drowned at sea; and that his body was recovered, and he was buried on an American-owned island in the South Pacific. The telegram was received by Mrs. Delbert Mouser, at Spade, and forwarded to Charles Henry Mouser, father of the deceased serviceman, at Hollis, Okla.

Seaman Mouser had been in the service between three and four years. He has four brothers in the service. Their mother died when Seaman Mouser was an infant.

He was a cousin of Ben Mouser, also in the service.

FOR VICTORY--BUY BONDS

Stanolind Well On Sewell Tract Has Good Oil Showing

Well Likely To Be Completed As Producer In Very Near Future

Interest continues high in the growing oil development in the Littlefield trade area.

The latest development, around which interest is running high, and which is next to importance to the Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 Jackson, which is Lamb County's Discovery Well, is the wildcat being drilled by the Stanolind Oil & Gas Company on Homer Sewell tract in the Yellowhouse pool, approximately 15 miles south and west of Littlefield and about four miles over the line in Hockley County.

This well is down to between 4600 and 4700 feet with a good showing of oil. It is reported that it will likely be completed as a producer in the very near future.

In an interview with a local operator Tuesday, he stated that the strong odor of gas coming from this well, which you can detect many miles from the well, would indicate that there is production at this location.

This well is creating considerable interest. If it turns out to be a good producer, it will cause considerable development in that area, is the opinion of oil operators, as the Stanolind Oil Company own plenty of leases, and will likely put down several offsets.

An electrical survey was run on the well Sunday, and workmen are going to set casing and standardize soon.

It is also the opinion of oil men that the Stanolind Oil & Gas Company will start another well in that area within a week.

The Humble Oil & Refining Company is now drilling an offset to the Jackson No. 1, Lamb County's Discovery Well, on the J. R. Tucker place a mile east of the present well. The derrick has been built, and a rig has been moved there from the Levelland section to drill the Humble Tucker No. 1. This well will be watched with interest, as it is the first offset to the Jackson No. 1, which has been completed as a producer, located 2 1/2 miles north-east of Anton, and 15 miles east of Littlefield.

It is the opinion of operators that following the completion of these Humble oil wells, and those being drilled by the Hunt Oil Company of Dallas, the Hunt No. 1 E. J. Foust, four miles due north of the Humble discovery well, and the Hunt No. 1 A. A. Snitker, the northeast extension for the southeast Lamb county discovery, both in Lamb county, that this will force several offsets to be drilled.

Show Appreciation To Oil Well Crew

Anton businessmen and other citizens have raised enough money to buy a suit of clothes for each member of the crew who finished and brought in Jackson No. 1 producing oil well, in appreciation for their efforts.

Those who have been presented \$50 with which to buy a suit are J. B. Shields, J. P. Jackson, R. A. Hipps, James Putty and W. Thiboud.

Thiboud declined the offer of a suit, but divided the money he received equally among the several churches of Anton as a gift from him.

The Jackson No. 1 well was given the official railroad commission test recently. The well made 342 barrels on the official test and the oil was said to be of about .32 gravity.

T-Cpl. O. T. Vincent Seriously Wounded

T-Cpl. O. T. Vincent, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Harp, and husband of the former Miss Wilma Dean Harp, of Littlefield, has recently been wounded twice in the Western front area.

He was wounded in action November 18 in Germany, and was awarded the Purple Heart. He was wounded in the shoulder, and was a patient in a hospital three weeks, following which he joined his regiment. He is an Engineer with the armoured force in the Second Army. Last Thursday his wife, who makes her home here, received a telegram from the War Department stating her husband was wounded seriously December 25 in Belgium.

She also received two letters from him, in which he explained that he was wounded in the chest and back when an anti-tank shell exploded inside the tank in Belgium, during the big push back by the Germans. T-Cpl. Vincent explained that he was the only one to get out of the tank alive. He is a patient in a hospital in France, and stated that he was now able to sit up, and was getting along alright.

Olen E. Cupp Is Promoted To Major

AN AIR TRANSPORT COMMAND BASE IN ENGLAND--Promotion of Captain Olen E. Cupp, son of Lloyd Harvey Cupp, Earth, Texas, to the grade of Major in the U. S. Army Air Forces, has been announced by the Headquarters of Brigadier General Earl S. Hoag, Commanding General of the European Division, USAAF Air Transport Command.

Major Cupp received his commission January 9, 1942. He has served in the British Isles with the European Division of the USAAF Air Transport Command for the past 11 months and is Director of Operations at this ATC Base.

Major Cupp's organization is the trans-Atlantic aerial supply line between the United States and Europe which operates hundreds of cargo and passenger planes monthly carrying important passengers, vital war cargo, the all-important soldiers' mail and returning the wounded soldiers to the United States.

Major Cupp is a recent recipient of the D.F.C. for piloting an unarmed transport plane over the dangerous "hump" as a member of the India-China Division of ATC. Before entering the service, Major Cupp attended the Teachers Technological college at Lubbock, Texas, where he received his degree in 1941.

Maj. Cupp is a graduate of Spring Lake High school, with the 1936 class. He "bunked" with Col. Julian Joplin, brother of Arbie Joplin, and formerly of Littlefield, in India in 1942. He was selected as co-pilot on first trip over the "hump" Himalaya Mountains from India to China in 1942.

New Trial Sought For Second Time In Thomas Case

Jury At Lamesa Returns Verdict Of Guilty In Hunt Slaying

Formal plans to save Jim Thomas from the electric chair were being implemented late Friday by the 50-year-old convict's defense counsel, who filed a new trial motion with 106th District Judge J. E. Garland at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon.

A jury last reported at 11:45 o'clock Friday said by its verdict that Thomas was guilty of the Oct. 26, 1943, slaying of Dr. Roy E. Hunt, 36, of Littlefield, and recommended the death penalty.

A 64th district jury at Plainview had returned a similar verdict Aug. 30, 1944, after deliberating two hours, 40 minutes. That conviction was set aside after a subsequent hearing had developed there was misconduct in the jury room, and 64th District Judge C. D. Russell on his own motion changed venue to Dawson county, outside his district.

Thomas' counsel, declining to disclose the convict's whereabouts, said Thomas nevertheless would be in this section several days, inasmuch as he would institute appeal action were Judge Garland to decide adversely on the new trial motion. The new trial motion "almost certainly will be controverted by the State," it was expected.

The defense likewise declined to reverse context of the motion filed Friday, but told newsmen "no new testimony material to the case has been discovered--but the defense feels there have been material errors calculated to injure the rights of the defendant."

The bill of exceptions that would be filed to the court of criminal appeals with the transcript and statement of fact in the four-day trial should the case be appealed "would be lengthy, but there would be nothing sensational in any of it," it was said.

Counsel declined to speculate on Judge Garland's eventual ruling on the motion, or "guess at when he will make his decision."

It did allow its anonymous statement, however, that its bill of exception, if appeal is made, would seek to show that the court's allowing of Jo Ann Hunt, 6-year-old daughter of the late Dr. and Mrs. Hunt, to testify was a reversible error.

Jo Ann, who was 6 when the bodies of her parents were found lashed together in their bedroom, had been ruled incompetent to testify at the Plainview trial.

It was contended by the defense at that time that she was too immature to realize the sanctity of a court oath.

The child wept at one stage of her brief interrogation at Lamesa and, visibly distraught, was led from the courtroom. Spectators and some members of the jury were openly affected.

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Rosie Dernel, about 3, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Antone Dernel of Pep, was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital Friday for medical treatment.

W. D. Chapman Gets Free Trip To District Woodman Convention

W. D. (Dee) Chapman, fieldman for the Woodman of the World Life Insurance Society, in recognition of his having sold the most insurance of any Woodman fieldman in this district, has been awarded a free trip to San Antonio, with all expenses paid, to attend the District Convention of the organization, which convenes Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, January 23, 24 and 25, at the Plaza Hotel, in that city.

A splendid program is being planned for the above three days, including a luncheon at the War Memorial Hospital, a tour of that hospital and farm.

With South Plains Men In The Armed Forces

Cpl. Alva E. Smith, son of Mrs. D. T. Smith of Morton, was graduated last week from the Army Air Forces Central Instructors school at Laredo Army Air Field, Laredo, Texas, a member of the AAF Training Command. He is now fully qualified to become an instructor at one of the nation's seven aerial gunnery schools. He was prepared for his instructing duties by completing a comprehensive six weeks course in the most modern methods of instruction on aerial gunnery.

S-Sgt. J. T. Renfro, son of C. O. Renfro of Littlefield, is back home for a visit after serving for 30 months with the Fifth Army in the European theatre of operations.

RANDOLPH FIELD—Fred Underwood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arch S. Underwood, Lubbock, last week received wings and appointment as flight officer in the Army Air Forces in presentation ceremonies at Randolph Field. The former veteran civilian pilot completed a special single and twin-engine course at this AAF Training Command field, and now awaits orders for assignment with the Air Transport Command.

Sgt. James Whisenhunt of Sudan is home on a convalescent furlough. He was scheduled to leave again for his base Saturday, but received a 20 day extension.

Sgt. Whisenhunt has been in the service sometime, and served overseas. He was badly wounded in Italy, and has been a patient in McCloskey Hospital. He secured a 20 day extension of his furlough here in order to see a brother he had not seen for two years, who has also been overseas with the Navy.

Nelson L. Reinsch, RDM 1-C, of Anton, was granted a ten day extension of his leave. He is stationed at San Diego.

Lieut. Elvis Erwin visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Roach of Anton last week. Lieut. Erwin has been back he stated. He was recently injured in the United States about 10 days, in a bomber crash in the China-Burma theatre, being the only member of the crew that was not killed. Lieut. Erwin, is just "Elvis" to the

people who have lived in Anton sometime. He was reared in Anton and graduated from the Anton schools. He was one of the star athletes of the school, as he was in Tech where he went after his graduation. But it was his happy and pleasant disposition with an ever ready smile that made him a favorite with the entire community. And so we are all glad to see his face back in town.

ANTON BASKETBALL TEAMS NOSE OUT LITTLEFIELD CLUBS

The Anton basketball teams nosed out the Littlefield clubs twice Wednesday night, January 10, at Anton, the girls winning the opener 22-19, and the boys nosing out a 24-20 win in the finale.

Lois Mae Turkett paced the Anton girls, and Billy Woods topped the scoring for the boys. The Anton girls have been beaten but two times this season, one of these a conference game week before last with Whitharral.

Hear From Son In German Prison Camp

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McCain of Bula, formerly of Littlefield, received a letter Thursday, written in September, from their son, T-Sgt. Earl F. McCain, from the German Prison Camp, Stalag No. 17-B, located in Austria, in which he stated his health was still good, and he was treated O.K., and to tell everybody at home "hello."

T-Sgt. McCain was taken prisoner April 24; was with the Eighth Air Force as an aerial Engineer Top Turret Gunner on a B-17 Flying Fortress. He entered the service two years ago last November, and went overseas February 29, 1944. He was graduated from the Fieldton High school with the 1939 class.

SEVERELY BURNED

Nora Jean Flowers, eight-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Flowers of route 2, Littlefield, was severely burned Saturday afternoon when her clothing was ignited by a gasoline blowtorch which was being used to burn weeds near her home. Attendants at St. Mary's Hospital, Lubbock, stated Tuesday her condition was fair.

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CLUBS - WOMEN'S INTEREST - SOCIAL EVENTS

Miss Verna Mae Scott and Julian Ian Wed Recently

Miss Verna Mae Scott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rae Scott, of Littlefield, became the bride of Julian Ian, formerly of this city, but of Brownfield, at Clovis Tuesday, January 9.

The single ring ceremony was performed by the minister of the church of Christ, Clovis, at his home 8 o'clock that evening.

The bride was attractive in a black crepe dress, and carried a leather Bible topped with carnations.

She was attended by Miss Jeanne Reed, of Littlefield, who wore a blue wool dress with black accessories. Her corsage was of pink carnations.

Attending the groom was Bob H. Dyer of Littlefield. The bride wore "something old," the bride wore a strand of pearls belonging to Miss Jeanne Reed. For "something borrowed," she carried the Bible, also belonging to Miss Reed. For "something blue" she wore a lovely pin, which belonged to Mrs. Doris Williams.

The bride is a graduate of the class of Amherst High school. She attended Draughan's Business College, Lubbock, and for the past year has been employed by the Littlefield Theatre as bookkeeper and cashier.

The groom attended Littlefield High school. After being in the service for two years, he was given a medical discharge. He was also employed by the Littlefield Theatre, until recently. He is assistant manager of the Littlefield Theatre at Brownfield.

The young couple plan to make their home at Brownfield, but Mrs. Ian will remain here until suitable housing can be secured for them.

Lt. Bess Lair and Parents Here

Lt. Bess Lair, C.W.T., on the USS Albatross, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Lair, last week. He flew by plane from the West Coast to Lubbock, where his parents met him. Lt. Bess Lair came up to Camp Swift, also to visit with his parents both left Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Payne Wood of Lubbock visited relatives here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Strawn Honored On 40th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Strawn of Spade were honored on their 40th wedding anniversary Sunday, January 7, at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Galen Williams at Levelland.

Following dinner, games of "42" and dominoes were enjoyed by all. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dodson and son of Spade; Mr.

Mrs. Alpha McCarty Hostess H. D. Club Thursday Last

The Lum's Chapel Home Demonstration Club met Thursday, January 11, with Mrs. Alpha McCarty, for an all day quilting.

Members decided to serve the members of the REA at their annual meeting on Monday, February 5, in the rear of the REA building.

Mrs. T. K. Holmes was elected reporter upon resignation of Mrs. W. M. Pierce.

It was decided to have an all day quilting each Thursday that the Demonstrator does not meet with the club. Next quilting will be on Thursday, January 18, in the home of Mrs. R. E. Watson.

On Thursday, January 25, the club will meet in the home of R. L. Tisdale with Mrs. Swanner as co-hostess.

Those who enjoyed the quilting and delicious luncheon were: Mesdames E. C. Purvis, Ott Baisden, R. E. Watson, J. H. Hodges, Hub Spraberry, W. B. Sandefer, Doss Maner, J. K. Holmes, W. M. Pierce, Floyd Brown, and the hostess, Mrs. Alpha McCarty.

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H. D. Club Install 1945 Officers

The Valley View Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Harris Stephens January 12 with 26 ladies present.

The following new officers were installed and took over their new duties:

Mrs. Harris Stephens, president; Mrs. A. B. Roberts, vice-president; Mrs. A. Grey, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. E. G. Oliver, reporter; and Mrs. G. E. Lyle, council member.

The agent, Miss Fannie Brown Eaton, met with the group and gave an interesting talk on "Keeping Records."

The social chairman then took charge and a going-away shower was given in honor of Mrs. Doyle Gilley and Mrs. Mildred Ivy.

Delicious refreshments were served to: Mesdames Warren Tipton, Johnnie Miller, Johnnie Sparks, Neoma Blair, Bertha Millican, Hollis Townsend, R. R. Dyer, G. E. Lyle, A. Grey, Ted Grey, W. S. Anderson, Lee Thornton, Vernon Cox, Ray Denny, Martin Farmer, H. H. Hale, Wanda Strother, George Gilley, Noah Gilley, Lawrence Dowell, and E. G. Oliver; and Misses Fannie Brown Eaton, Florence Gilley, Christine Stephens and the honorees, Mrs. Doyle Gilley and Mrs. Mildred Ivy.

Seaman And Mrs. Jimmie Zed Robinson Honored

Mrs. George Kirk entertained Thursday night at a miscellaneous shower and tea complimenting the newlyweds, Jimmie Zed Robinson, Ptr. 3-C, and Mrs. Robinson, at the Kirk home on Phelps Avenue.

Miss Grace Venell Clark registered the guests. Mrs. Roy Blessing presided at the punch bowl, and assisting in the

diningroom were: Mrs. O. K. Yantis, Jr., and Mrs. George Kirk.

Seaman and Mrs. Robinson were the recipients of a lovely array of gifts, which were much appreciated.

Seaman Robinson left Monday for Jacksonville, Fla., for re-assignment. Mrs. Robinson will remain here for the present.

Bernadine Thedford Celebrates Fifth Birthday With Party

Bernadine Thedford celebrated her fifth birthday Saturday, January 13, with a party at the home of her Grandmother Kemp on East Eighth Street.

Games were enjoyed by all, following which the present were opened. Pictures were taken of the group of children.

Chocolate and birthday cake were served to: Marilyn Black, Genelle Sedgewick, Frances Brown, Virgie Ann Stuteville, Finetta Jane Packwood, Claudette Renfro, Georgeann Walker, Eva Wynell Thedford, Karlyn Hulise, Marvin Ray Tiny, Jack Terry, Bobby Brown, James Stuteville, Olen Neal Walker, Hilton Hemphill, Edwin Thedford, Mrs. Raymond Terry, Mrs. R. J. Stuteville, Mrs. C. E. Kemp, Mrs. Nathan Thedford, and the honoree, Bernadine Thedford.

Mrs. Floyd Dyer Hostess To Yellow House H. D. Club

The Yellow House H. D. Club met with Mrs. Floyd Dyer on January 9, 1945.

Plans were finished for the new year and an interesting lesson given on dahlia culture.

Refreshments of cookies and fruit were served to: Mesdames Tom Ham, Bill Jones, Audrie Turner, Lillie Ham, Fred Duffey and two visitors, Mesdames Leo and Hurl Duffey, and the hostess, Mrs. Floyd Dyer.

Next meeting will be held January 23 at the home of Mrs. Fred Duffey with a lesson on planning a landscape.

Miss Charlene Wallace And Jack Chaney Wed At Olton

Miss Charlene Marie Wallace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wallace, of College Heights, became the bride of Jack Chaney of Fieldton Friday, January 5, about 8 p. m., at Olton.

The bride was attractive in a soldier blue suit with black accessories.

She is a graduate of the Littlefield High school with the class of

Miss Westmoreland And Sgt. Waters Wed At Clovis Jan. 8

Mrs. Bertha Westmoreland of 7 1/2 miles south of Littlefield announces the marriage of her daughter, Miss othello, to Stg. Lester Waters, son of B. W. Waters.

The couple were married in Clovis, N. M., in First Baptist Church by Rev. J. T. Barbee.

They were attended by Mrs. L. L. Bryant of Littlefield.

The bride wore a blue velvet suit with tan accessories. For "something old" she wore her grandmother's ring; "something borrowed" was a diamond from Mrs. O. L. Baisden.

After a short honeymoon trip to Carlsbad, N. M., the couple will be at home at Ft. Riley, Kans., where Sgt. Waters is stationed.

Special Services Sunday At First Baptist Church

The Volunteer Band of Wayland Baptist College will be in charge of the services Sunday morning at the First Baptist Church. A large group of students will come for the service furnishing the special music and bringing the message of the hour. We anticipate a good service.

The Volunteer Band is composed of a group of students in the college who are especially interested in religious work. Most of those composing the band have dedicated their lives to special religious work. Many have surrendered to go as Foreign Missionaries. Each week end they visit some church in this area and render a religious service. We are happy to have them come to Littlefield. The public is cordially invited to attend.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the friends and neighbors who have helped and comforted us through the illness, and at the death of our beloved husband and father. May God's richest blessings be with you all.

Mrs. H. L. Smith.
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Darnell.

1944; and has many friends in and around Littlefield. She has been employed here since completing her high school work.
Mr. Chaney is a farmer of the Fieldton Community.

Churches

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
C. Frank York, Pastor
Sunday School at 10 a. m. Mr. Fred Miller, general superintendent. Morning Worship at 11 o'clock. Evening Worship at 7 o'clock. McMurry Chanters January 28 at 11 o'clock. Don't miss them.
Rev. W. C. Hinds will hold the quarterly of this year January 28 at 2:30 p. m.
Cordial welcome to all who will worship with us.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Lee Hemphill, Pastor
Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.
Training Union, 7:00 p. m.
Evening Worship, 8:00 p. m.
Prayer Service, 3 p. m. Wednesday.

Last Sunday was a great day with over 300 in Sunday school and an offering of over \$1,200. Much of the offering was for missions. There were eight additions to the Church with four coming for baptism. The public is cordially invited to attend and those of Baptist faith are sincerely urged to affiliate with us.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Elder are the proud parents of a 9 1/4 pound baby daughter born at Payne-Shotwell Hospital January 7. She has been named "Margaret Laquita."

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BY _____

J. W. B. Hale and Daughter Mrs. Mary Smith

We have purchased the Bowen Grocery from Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bowen, who have owned and operated the business for the past six years.

In assuming ownership and operation of the business, we bespeak a continuation of the fine patronage which Mr. and Mrs. Bowen have enjoyed from the people of Littlefield and Territory. And, too, we invite the business of other residents of this city and section, believing that we can render them satisfactory service.

We have lived in Littlefield and section for many years, and know a large number of people. But we would like to make many new friends.

Come In! We'll Be Glad to See You!

**J. W. B. Hale
Mary Smith**

In selling our business to Mr. Hale and his daughter, Mrs. Smith, we wish to gratefully acknowledge the fine volume of patronage we have enjoyed from the people of Littlefield and Territory. You have been exceedingly kind to us.

In turning over our business to Mr. Hale and Mrs. Smith, we want you to know that the six years that we have been in business in Littlefield have been happy years. . . your friendship has been deeply appreciated . . . and we will always remember you with the kindest recollections.

We will continue to reside in Littlefield . . . among the friends we value so highly.

We bespeak for Mr. Hale and Mrs. Smith all the good things we have enjoyed.

Thank-You, Folks!
Jim and Mrs. Bowen

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With South Plains Men In the Armed Forces

Harold Pollard, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Pollard of Enochs, who is with the anti-aircraft Coast Guard Artillery, with the First Army, has been ill in a hospital in Belgium with pneumonia, according to a letter recently received by his parents.

He has been in service since September, 1943, and overseas since September.

Another son, Lloyd Pollard, was inducted December 5. He is married and has one son two years old, and is stationed at Camp Roberts, Calif. He is with the Paratroopers. His wife and son left recently for California to join her husband.

T-Sgt. Carvin L. Carpenter serving with the Signal Corps in Dutch East Indies, writes his parents that his gang are busy, but find time for a good "ole" ballgame occasionally, but that it rains so much there they have a hard time keeping the court dry enough to play on. He said he saw his first air raid there.

SIXTH ARMY GROUP, France—Baptism of fire is an experience few soldiers ever forget—and the men of the 398th Infantry Regiment of the 100th (Century) Division have special reason never to forget theirs. For they went into action for the first time in one of the toughest sectors of the long Sixth Army Group front in Eastern France.

The enemy held prepared positions in dense forests. Their dugouts were deep, covered with logs, and well camouflaged. Their artillery was placed on the mountainous heights that rose above the forest level. Tank traps, booby-traps, and land mines—many of the latter ingeniously fitted with trip-wires—blocked the narrow routes and paths through the forest.

Still, against military obstacles

like these, against a fanatic enemy, and in weather conditions that included rain and snow and ankle-deep mud, the 398th proceeded without delay to help take Baccarat, to cross the swift, flooded Meurthe River, and to press the Nazis further back toward the Rhine.

The 398th Infantry, with other units of the Century Division, was activated at Fort Jackson, S. C., in November, 1942, participated in maneuvers in Tennessee, and later moved to Fort Bragg, N. C., for training in coordination of Infantry with tanks, artillery and air force.

It proved that it learned its lessons well, for in the drive on Raon l'Etape, a strategic town on the 7th Army front, the regiment skillfully out-maneuvered the Nazis' prepared defenses and took the high ground which surrounds the town and commands a stretch of open terrain to the east—in the direction of the Rhine.

Members of this regiment include Pfc. Shelton D. Oringderff.

Littlefield Girls Defeat Muleshoe

The Littlefield basketball girls met the Muleshoe girls in the local high school gym Friday night, January 12, at 8 o'clock.

The Littlefield girls scored over Muleshoe girls 25 to 10.

Muleshoe girls played a good clean game. One of their main forwards tried too many long shots that failed to tally.

All visitors seemed to enjoy the game. The Wildcats have made a good start in basketball this season. Let's back 'em.

The Littlefield lineup:

Forwards and points made were: Imogene Harlin—16; Allyne Williams—4, and Mary Jo Simmons—5. Guards were: Nadine Fields, Juretta Simmons and Deloris Elliott.

Mother Of Mrs. W. J. Chesher Passes Away

Mrs. W. O. Stogner of Oklahoma City, mother of Mrs. W. J. Chesher, passed away Monday night, according to message received by Mr. Chesher here late Monday.

Mrs. Chesher and daughter, Billy June, and her sister, Mrs. Charlie Lyne, of Dallas, were at their mother's bedside when she died, having gone to Oklahoma City several days previous.

Mr. Chesher, accompanied by Mr. Lyne, left Monday for Oklahoma City.

Details as to funeral arrangements were not available.

Farmer Union To Meet January 25

The January meeting of the Lum's Chapel Farmer Union will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Smiley on Thursday night, January 25, at 8 o'clock. Every farm family is invited to attend the meeting.

Election of officers will be held. The State Secretary, Frank Overturn, is expected to be present.

J. W. B. Hale And Daughter Purchase Bowen Grocery

J. W. B. Hale and daughter, Mrs. Mary Smith, have purchased the Bowen Grocery from Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bowen, and have taken charge of the business. This business is located on Ninth street, just west of Highway 51.

Mr. Hale and Mrs. Smith have been residents of the Littlefield section since 1927, coming to this territory from Altus, Okla. Mr. Hale owned and operated farms in this section for many years. Mrs. Smith has had considerable business experience.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowen came to the Littlefield section eight years ago from Lawton, Okla. They farmed for two years, then purchased the business which they have just sold to Mr. Hale and Mrs. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowen will continue to make their home in Littlefield.

S-Sgt. S. H. Lewis Awarded Bronze Star

WITH THE 2ND INFANTRY DIVISION—Staff Sergeant Seth H. Lewis, 22, husband of Mrs. Clyda Fern Lewis of Earth, Texas, has been awarded the Bronze Star Medal for exceptionally meritorious achievement against the enemy in France and Germany. He has been in the Army for four years.

W. L. TAYLOR NAMED POSTMASTER FOR CITY OF MORTON

W. L. Taylor has been named Postmaster for Morton, Texas, his name being among the nominations sent by the president to the Senate recently for postmasterships in Texas.



From a transport in New Guinea American members of hospital units are carrying medicine and instruments provided by War Bond dollars.

How many will they succor; how many dead will they find? How many will never return? We do not know but we do know our daily conduct can make an earlier end of the war.

Give your dollars action: Buy More War Bonds.

L. C. Gosdin To Have Sale January 22

L. C. Gosdin of eight miles north of Olton, who has farmed in that locality for the past 16 years, has rented his farm to C. L. Jackson of Sudan, and is moving to Lubbock about February 1.

Mr. Gosdin is putting on a farm sale at his place January 22, and will then move to Lubbock.

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With South Plains Men In The Service

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Sandefer of five miles southeast of town heard from their son, Pfc. Billy Sandefer, last week, after not having received a letter for two months. He is fine and stationed somewhere in India. He is in the Air Corps and doing MP duty. He said the country was beautiful.

Cpl. T. E. Sandefer, another son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Sandefer, after serving 33 months in Alaska, returned to the States in November last, and is stationed at San Francisco. He is an auditor for radio network.

Doyle Elliott, Apprentice Seaman of the Navy, stationed at San Diego, and son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Elliott, of north of Blackwater Draw, has been ill and a patient in the Naval Hospital since January 3. He is reported better.

Seaman Elliott has been in the service six weeks.

Francis Hurt, Yeoman 2-C, will leave Thursday for Melbourne, Fla., after spending sometime here with his wife, who has been ill. He is stationed at the Naval Air Station at Melbourne.

Pvt. David S. Anderson, who spent 22 months overseas, returned to the States about three months ago, and has until recently been stationed at Frisco, Calif., re-distribution center. The Boeing Aircraft Company of Wichita, Kans., with whom he was employed on blueprint work previous to entering the service, applied for Pvt. Anderson's discharge, which was granted, and he has received his discharge, and returned to work at the Wichita, Kans., plant. His wife and daughter, who have been making their home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Haney, at Muleshoe, Texas, will move to Wichita, Kans., as soon as they can secure living quarters.

Pvt. Anderson has been in the ground crew of the Air Corps for three years.

Anderson was reported to have assisted on the blue prints from which the B-29 was made.

Pvt. Johnnie Waters, stationed at Scott Field, Ill., near St. Louis, arrived home Wednesday night of last week to visit his father, Johnny Waters at Whitharral. He has been in the service 11 months.

S-Sgt. Waldo Drake, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Drake of Spring Lake, is with the Quartermaster Corps in England.

His parents received a letter Monday to the effect that he was O.K.; they had had a bad storm, so he said, the night before, the wind blew hard, and it rained all night. He said he thought their tea would blow over, but it didn't. He also said he hadn't heard from home in about three weeks. In a previous letter he stated he had received 12 packages.

Pfc. J. C. Stovall, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stovall, Sr., of Littlefield, was with the 42nd Armoured Division in Germany, when his parents last heard from him.

Pfc. Stovall has been overseas over two years. He left with the second group to leave from Plainview for the service. He went through the North African invasion, served in Italy, Sicily, and went into France and then to Germany. He is with a Technician group which repairs tanks.

15TH AAF IN ITALY:

Due to the bravery and skill of Technical Sergeant Ralph D. Madera, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elma A. Madera, 1408 West 8th St., Plainview, Tex., a Fifteenth Air Force Liberator bomber was able to make its home base after being almost torn in half by flak over Blechhammer, Germany.

T-Sgt. Ralph D. Madera is a brother of the former Miss Laverne Madera, and a nephew of Mrs. J. O. Connell of this city. He visited in Littlefield many times.

As the bomber flew over the huge oil installations in eastern Germany, a murderous barrage of flak was thrown up by the multitude of guns defending the target, three bursts hitting the plane in the waist. Madera, aerial engineer and gunner, quickly sized up the damage—waist compartment a shambles—controls, hydraulic system, interphone, oxygen system, all shot partially or completely. Making his way to the tail gunners position, he found the top of the turret blown off and the gunner in a semi-conscious state due to lack of oxygen.

"I brought him a portable oxygen bottle," said Madera, "and then went around to check the rest of the plane. There was very little I could do—everything was shot up for keeps, but I managed to splice a few cables and make other emergency repairs that were sufficient to get us back to our base. By this time I was rather dizzy but managed to get back to the waist where the nose gunner grabbed an oxygen bottle and revived me."

Holder of the Air Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster, Madera is a former resident of Hale Center, Texas, and graduated from the Cotton Center High school. He enlisted in August 1942 and arrived overseas in August of last year.

The Leader was pleased to receive the following nice V-letter from Cpl. Arthur V. Wood, from "somewhere in the Dutch East Indies," dated Dec. 26 as follows:

"Dear Mr. and Mrs. Drake:

"Remember the time you asked me to write you anytime I wanted. Well, I'd just like for you to know my new address for I haven't been receiving any papers since I left

Maxton. It sure does get lonesome not being able to talk to anyone from your home town—a paper would be worth a lot over here.

"We had a very nice trip over, but such long days, and so many of them. We had a lot of fun, too, enroute the "Shell-Backs" initiated the "Pollywogs" as we passed the equator. What they didn't do to us couldn't be thought of. Surprisingly, as it seems, the nights are wonderfully cool here, but the days are very hot. It isn't as bad as Maxton, nevertheless, you should see these natives. They are very friendly and willing to help the G.I.'s in any way they can. The younger set can talk rather plain English, but the older are more or less set in their native ways. About our Christmas, we had a very nice dinner, and the candle-light service was just like you would expect in a thatched but very nice chapel—very beautiful, indeed, that is one thing the fellows go in for here—church.

"I bet Littlefield is really booming now at Christmas-time. How I'd love to be there!

"Yours sincerely,
"A. V. WOOD."

Okla. Ave. H. D. Club Elects Officers For Year

The Oklahoma Avenue H. D. Club met Friday, January 12, in the home of Mrs. L. B. Davis, one mile east of Littlefield.

The following persons were installed as officers for 1945: Mrs. E. E. Huggins, president; Mrs. Fred Lichte, vice-president; Mrs. V. E. Kelly, secretary; Mrs. J. M. Griffin, treasurer; Mrs. L. B. Davis, council member; Mrs. C. M. Huggins, reporter.


Committees were appointed for the new year.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames L. L. Harlan, J. M. Whittington, J. M. Griffin, E. C. Ross, Rex Matthews, E. E. Huggins, C. E. Jones, C. C. Solesbee, M. M. Dubose, Clem Dubose, M. J. Mills, Leslie Mills, Jim Gibson, Fred Lichte, C. G. Clark, C. M. Huggins, Willis Fox, C. H. Messer, J. R. Turner, V. E. Kelly.

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Returns From California Trip

Bill Adkins returned Wednesday from California after a two weeks' trip with his sister, Mrs. R. P. Adkins, and his brother, G. L. Adkins, also the parents of Mrs. Adkins. Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wynn. Captain George D. Adkins, another brother, made the trip. He recently returned from India. Bill Adkins served 25 months overseas and is wearing the Presidential Citation and five stars in his campaign ribbon. He will be remembered here as he has visited here several times in the past.

Adkins reports a nice visit home as he likes Texas lots better than California and was glad to get home.

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Restrictions Cited On School Bus Use

School buses may not be used to transport students to athletic games, state or county fairs, or similar events, the Office of Defense Transportation said recently.

Commenting on an increasing number of requests for permission to use school buses for such purposes, all of which have been denied, Nettles F. Nelson, District Manager of the ODT, called attention to the ODT's Order 10-A, on policy governing school bus services, as follows:

"The use of school buses for school transportation during the emergency shall be limited to the transportation of students, teachers and other school employees enroute between their home and places of regular daily instruction. School buses shall not be used for the transportation of any group to any special event except as otherwise provided in regulations of the Office of Defense Transportation, nor for the transportation of pupils to and from home for the noon lunch. School buses shall not be used for the personal transportation of the owner, operator, or any other persons."

Capt. and Mrs. L. L. Collins Arrive Here For Visit

Capt. L. L. Collins, who has been stationed with the Headquarters Division in New York City, accompanied by Mrs. Collins, arrived in Littlefield Tuesday, where they will spend the next few weeks.

Capt. Collins is making a trip to El Paso on Military business but will return here.

Capt. and Mrs. Collins are making their headquarters at the Cooper Apartments.

Fund Raising Appeal Opened

The 1945 fund-raising appeal of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, in celebration of the President's birthday, is being opened officially throughout Texas this week with establishment of State headquarters in Dallas. Appointment of leaders in every county to direct the local campaigns will get underway immediately.

The appeal will attain its intensive period from January 14 to 31, with Texas people joining in balls, bazars, benefit concerts, sports contests, the March of Dimes and other events to raise funds for waging the war against infantile paralysis.

In 1944 America sustained the second worst epidemic of infantile paralysis ever to hit the nation. More than 18,000 people were stricken and many of the victims will require prolonged medical care and treatment, it is reported. Funds from this year's celebrations will help continue treatment for children in every community crippled by the disease, and will finance national research looking toward eventual eradication of the dread affliction.

Pvt. Elmer G. Phillips who has been training at Camp Roberts, Calif., arrived Christmas Day for a few days visit with his wife and daughter who are making their home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Taylor at Olton.

Doyle Elliott, Apprentice Seaman of the Navy, stationed at San Diego, and son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Elliott, of north of Blackwater Draw, has been ill and a patient in the Naval Hospital since January 3. He is reported better.

Seaman Elliott has been in the service six weeks.

FAMOUS DISCOVERY acts fast on the kidneys

— to ease painful bladder irritation caused by excess acidity in the urine

Thousands are thanking DR. KILMER'S SWAMP ROOT for helping them to remove the cause of needless "getting up at nights." For this pure herbal medicine, originally created by a practicing physician, acts quickly to increase the flow of urine... helps relieve backache, run-down feeling, uncomfortable symptoms of bladder irritation. SWAMP ROOT is a scientific preparation. A combination of carefully blended herbs, roots, vegetables, balsams. Absolutely reliable. Habit-forming when you use Dr. Kilmer's medicine. Just good ingredients that act fast to bring you new comfort!

Send for free, prepaid sample TODAY! One thousand of others you'll be glad that you did. Send name and address to Department C, Kilmer & Co., Inc., Box 1284, Stamford, Conn. Offer limited. Send at once. All druggists sell Swamp Root.

War Bond Dollars Are **DOUBLE DUTY DOLLARS**

Three Teachers Resign From Littlefield Schools

Mrs. James Snyder, teacher of social studies in Central school; Mrs. Bob Lewis, teacher of language arts in the Central school; and Miss Evelyn Mueller, third grade teacher have resigned from the Littlefield schools.

Miss June Wren, former teacher here and graduate of Texas Tech, will replace Miss Mueller. Mrs. Hugh McKinly, graduate of Mary Hardin-Baylor, will replace Mrs. Lewis. Mrs. Snyder's place has not been filled.

Locals Down Muleshoe In Two Games Friday

Boys and girls of Littlefield won two games of basketball from Muleshoe in the local gym last Friday night. The boys won 20 to 3. The girls won 24 to 10. This was the first conference game for the Wildcats and they started off the belated season in fine style.

PEP SQUAD-FOOTBALL BANQUET THURSDAY NIGHT

The annual Pep Squad Banquet for the football team will be held Thursday night in the Methodist church. Lettermen will be announced. Howard Lynch, football coach at Amarillo, will be the main speaker.

FOR VICTORY—BUY BONDS

Receives Letter Of Appreciation

The Leader is in receipt of the following letter of appreciation from the Treasury Department, Washington:

"The Sixth War Loan was the most successful sales promotional program ever known in the history of the world—War Bond sales totaled \$21,621,000,000.

"Your outstanding support, with sponsored War Bond advertising was a major factor in the success of the drive. All America should give thanks to you, to your newspaper and your sponsoring advertisers. The Treasury is most sincerely appreciative of the job you are doing.

"These War Bond drives continue to demonstrate again and again the powerful force of newspaper advertising. The greater the sale of War Bonds in your community, the greater will be your financial backlog to help absorb any post-war reverses for your people and your local merchants.

"Just as the fighting must go on until final victory, so must the war financing program continue. A maximum amount of sponsored War Bond advertising, on a consistent week after week basis, is most essential to this vital program.

"If we can be of any assistance in helping you build up your regular sponsored War Bond advertising lineage, please do not hesitate to let us know.

"Secretary Morgenthau, Ted Gam-

.. Be Prepared For Emergency

Accidents and sickness strike quickly and unexpectedly . . . they should counteracted with the same lightning speed. We can supply all your needs

People Who Know Trade At **WALTERS**

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ble, Frank Tripp and Tom Lane all join me in expressing the most sincere thanks of the treasury for the excellent support your newspaper and your sponsoring advertisers have given this vital war financing effort.

"Sincerely yours,
"S. GEORGE LITTLE
"Special Consultant,
"War Finance Division."

Demonstration Given At Martin Farm

On Monday, January 1, a demonstration was given at the O. D. Martin farm, route 1, Sudan, by G. K. Bullock, Jr., assistant county agricultural agent, on the "Control of Cattle Grub."

The cattle grub is prevalent on many farms and should be treated. Bulletins and other information on the control of this insect can be obtained from the county agricultural agent's office in Amherst.

The Martin poultry flock was also culled by Mr. Bullock, and improved practices were recommended where needed. The Martin flock is far above the average farm flock in quality, but almost any farm flock can be improved and at the same time profits increased by eliminating the birds which do not make any profit and those that are diseased.

Practices recommended by the agricultural agents can save any farm family about 80 per cent of the work of caring for the farm poultry.

WHY "GET UP" AT NIGHTS?

It's not necessary. Raise the pH of the fluid in your bladder with CITROS. Reduces the urge of irregular elimination. Get rid of backache, burning, bearing-down pains. CITROS will do the job safely, relieves back pains quickly, soreness in the back vanishes. \$1.00 at your drug-gist. For sale by

STOKES DRUG STORE

flock. Bulletins and information care of poultry can also be obtained at the agricultural agents

Too Late To Cl

FARM FOR CASH RENT, Singer, Phone 88-J, Littlefield

FOR SALE—F-20 Tractor planter; 2-row cultivator; Semmacker, 1/2 north, one of Pep.

WANT TO RENT 350 more of good improved in good reference. Apply County Leader, Littlefield.

FOR SALE—Late Model Complete 4-row equipment shape. Roy Tasack, Week Gin, 3 miles west of Littlefield



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HERE ARE ONLY A FEW OF THE ITEMS CARRIED AT THE LEADER OFFICE

- BOXED BOND PAPER
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- ENVELOPES
- ANNOUNCEMENT CARDS
- FILES
- FOLDERS
- INDEXES
- FILE BOARDS
- KRAFT PAPER
- SIGN BRUSHES

- SIGN COLORS
- TYPEWRITER RIBBONS
- TYPEWRITER AND PENCIL CARBON
- LEDGERS
- LEDGER SHEETS
- INKS OF VARIOUS KINDS
- PENCILS OF ALL KINDS Including Full Line of Venus
- MANUSCRIPT COVERS
- SALES PADS
- ADDING MACHINE PAPER
- BOUND BLANK BOOKS
- COLUMNAR PADS

- STATEMENT PADS
- TAGS
- PARCEL POST LABELS
- STAMP PADS
- STAMP PAD INKS
- PEN NIBS
- MUSCILAGE
- PASTE
- RECEIPT BOOKS
- ORDER BOOKS
- SCRATCH PADS
- INVOICE PADS
- CARDBOARD

Lamb County Leader

and Mrs. Ellis Whitaker of Whitaker operates a farm and ranch in N. M., spent the past week near Farley. Also visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. Whitaker home was Mrs. Crawford Mrs. L. K. Whitaker, here. Mr. Bates of Lubbock.

Green Feed Vital As Part Of Poultry Ration

According to Lem Weaver, county agricultural agent, green feed, or its equivalent, is one of the most vital parts of the poultry ration.

Research workers are agreed that six of the known vitamins are essential in a poultry ration to meet the bird's requirements. Vitamin A is the one most likely to be deficient on the average poultry ration. It is sometimes called the growth and anti-infection vitamin. Lack of Vitamin A in the poultry ration will lower the resistance of the birds and make them subject to diseases.

Fresh green feeds seems to be the most economical source of Vitamin A for poultry although sometimes biologically tested cod-liver oil, certain root crops, and dried greens are used to advantage. Yellow corn is also fairly rich in this vitamin.

The green feeds most commonly used are alfalfa, barley, oats, wheat, lettuce, swiss chard, sudan grass, kale and Johnson grass.

In all cases fresh green feeds should be used before they reach the hard, woody stage. As an example, barley, oats or sudan grass should be planted in plots separated from the poultry yard and cut with a mower or grazed when they reach a height of four or five inches. If the green feeds are finely chopped, then placed in wooden or earthenware containers and covered with water, the freshness can be maintained for a long period of time.

Five to six pounds of fresh green feed should be given daily to each 100 mature birds.

CATTLE CEILING EXPECTED TO AID HOUSEWIFE

The Directive of Economic Stabilization Director Fred M. Vinson to place ceiling prices on live cattle should be a boon to housewives and dealers in helping them to get their

fair share of all grades of beef at fair prices, Price Administrator Chester Bowles declares. "Live cattle represented the only important food commodity that was not under ceiling prices," he said. "As prices of better grade animals rose and beef ceiling prices held stable, a large percentage of good and choice grades of cattle went to a minority of slaughterers selling meat above ceiling prices. Legitimate slaughterers and ordinary butcher shops got less than their usual share of quality beef. Our entire program of meat price control was in danger of a breakdown . . . price controls on meat have now been strengthened at the starting point—live cattle." As a citation of the value of price controls Bowles pointed out that in this war the price of round steak at the meat market has risen only 11 1/2 per cent whereas in the World War in the same length of time the price advanced over 50 per cent.

Adding Machine Paper at the Leader Office.

Second Sheets at the Leader Office.

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INSURE your future—
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THE WORLD'S Safest INVESTMENT
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Farm Implement Sale

On account of my boys going to the Army, I will sell at Public Auction my entire herd of cattle, and farm machinery, at my ranch, 1 mile east and 2 miles south of Baileyboro, or 9 miles north and 3 west of Enochs, or 21 miles south and 3 west of Muleshoe, Texas, on—

TUESDAY, JANUARY 23
SALE STARTS AT 10:30 A. M.

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HUGS TIGHT TO SLIPPERY ROADS
GOOD YEAR
Extra-Mileage Recapping

Stop sliding . . . start stopping in time! Let Goodyear Extra-Mileage Recapping give your skidding, tread-bare tires deep, long-lasting treads.

Our experts use top quality Goodyear Grade A Truck Type Camelback and exclusive Goodyear developed methods to produce low-cost recapping. For a lot of extra miles at little cost, come in today and get recapping before your tire goes dead. No certificate needed.

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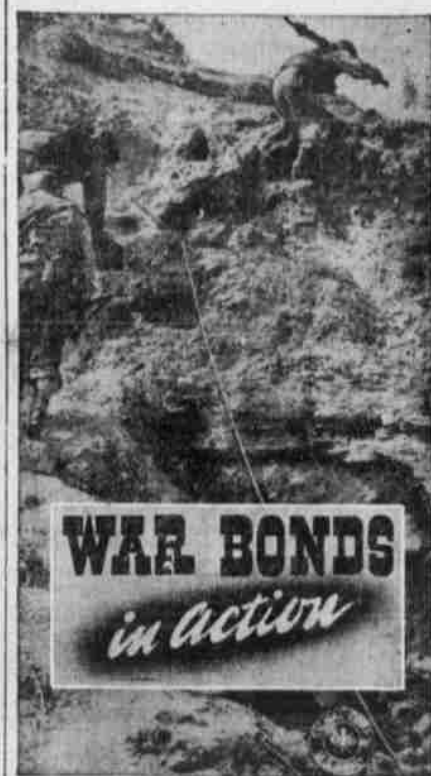
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Get the facts and you'll get a Goodyear. For big, safe, sound, new Goodyear tires give you extra safety, extra service for more miles and months. Superior in body, in tread . . . in performance.



Over the top in Italy! One more ridge, one more mile on the road to Berlin.

As in victorious military campaigns, people on the home front must sacrifice to provide all the sinews of war. One of these is the regular purchase of War Bonds. U. S. Treasury Department

3 Years . . .

In Market Business—

1 YEAR . . .

In Grocery and Market Business

IN LITTLEFIELD

IN BEGINNING OUR FOURTH YEAR in business in Littlefield we are appreciative of every courtesy and favor extended us by our continually enlarging clientele.

Due to wartime conditions creating many shortages we have not been able to supply your every desire, but we keenly appreciate your understanding and cooperation.

Because of your faithful patronage—and our being fully appreciative of same—we herewith renew our pledge to you to supply your every desire for highest quality merchandise at the lowest possible price for the ENSUING 52 WEEKS. We make this pledge fully believing that without doubt OUR CUSTOMERS ARE THE VERY FINEST PEOPLE ON EARTH.

Loin, T-Bone and Club—	LB.	HENS	LB.
STEAK	38¢	42¢	
ROUND STEAK ..	LB.	PURE—	LB.
40¢		PORK SAUSAGE ..	34¢
ALL MEAT—	LB.	HOT TAMALES ..	DOZ.
HAMBURGER ...	23¢	60¢	
SQUARE—	LB.	BACK BONES ...	LB.
BOLOGNA	19¢	10¢	

ALL OF OUR MEATS ARE FRESH AND GRADE "AA"

YOU WILL FIND A WIDE VARIETY OF CANNED GOODS AND FRESH VEGETABLES ALSO IN OUR STORE FROM WHICH TO MAKE YOUR SELECTION.

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Cpl. Robt. B. Phillips Wears 2 Gold Bars

As reported from an Eighth Air Force Service Command Station in England, Corporal Robert B. Phillips, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Phillips of Amherst, Texas, is now wearing two gold bars on the left sleeve of his tunic denoting completion of one year of service in the European Theatre of Operations. Serving with the Air Corps Supply section at this strategic air depot, he aids in expediting the distribution of vital aircraft parts to the flight-line mechanics who repair battle-damaged fighter planes of the Eighth Air Force.

Corporal Phillips entered the service in January, 1941, and received basic training at Fort Sill, Okla. Later he served at the Army Air Base in Salt Lake City, Utah; Walla Walla, Wash.; and Redman, Ore., before being transferred overseas in December, 1943.

Prior to joining the Armed Forces Corporal Phillips assisted his father with the operation of the family farm.

Chosen For Service On Invasion Vessel

(Special to Lamb County Leader) Ralph W. Strother, a resident of Littlefield, whose wife resides on Rural Route 1, has been chosen by the Navy for duty aboard an LSM (landing ship, medium), the newest and most advanced design in hard-hitting invasion vessels.

Now stationed at the Amphibious Training Base in Little Creek, Virginia, Strother is preparing for duty in the Pacific on one of the new fast tank carriers.

The vessel on which Strother will

serve was especially developed for landing war machines and equipment onto Pacific Islands, and LSMs passed their first test in actual combat when they helped land General MacArthur's Army on the shores of Leyte. Under the cover of heavy warships and their own curtains of anti-aircraft fire, the fast and powerful LSMs hit the Jap-held beaches and lowered their landing ramps for their cargoes of tanks and trucks to swarm ashore.

Strother was engaged in farming before he joined the Navy in June of last year.

He graduated from Littlefield High school in 1943, and is the son of W. W. Strother of Littlefield.

Lieut. Heathman Flies Over Berlin

After not hearing from their son, Lieut. Charles E. Heathman, for about a month, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Heathman received a cablegram Friday, dated the day previous, stating he was well and happy.

Lieut. Heathman is piloting a Mustang single engine fighter plane, a P-51, with the Eighth Air Force. His wife received a clipping from the Stars and Stripes from England recently, in which it was reported that Lieut. Heathman's group flew over Berlin on December 5.

Mrs. Heathman is making her home here with her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Heathman, in Lieut. Heathman's absence.

Earl Smith Gets Commission

Earl Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Smith of Olton, recently received his silver wings when he graduated as a 2nd Lieutenant from the Advanced Two-Engine Pilot School, at Pecos Army Air Field, it was announced by Col. Henry B. Fisher, Commanding Officer.

The new pilot, a former resident of Olton, completed a course in training in twin-engine aircraft. He was assigned to Pecos from Merced, California.

Farmers Are Urged To Raise More Sows

Texas farmers with adequate feed supplies are being asked by WFA to keep additional sows suitable for farrowing next spring to help meet the spring pig goal, Dan L. Boyd,

WFA's District Representative, has announced.

Present support prices of \$12.50 per hundredweight, Chicago basis, for good to choice butcher hogs weighing 200 to 270 pounds also has been extended to March 1, 1946, he said.

Calling on all hog producers in the nation to cooperate, War Food Administrator Marvin Jones said, "The continued high level of demand for meat for war needs to make it imperative that hog producers meet the goal of 57,500,000 spring pigs." He expressed concern over a pig crop next spring smaller than last spring, adding, "The feed grain supplies available will feed more hogs than would be produced from next spring's pig crop according to present indications."

The number of sows farrowing must be increased by about 11 per cent over number now planned to reach the goal.

LEGAL NOTICE

ELECTION NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS)
COUNTY OF LAMB)
CITY OF SUDAN)

TO THE RESIDENT, QUALIFIED PROPERTY TAXPAYING VOTERS OF THE CITY OF SUDAN, TEXAS:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held in the City of Sudan, Texas, on the 24th day of January, 1945, on the proposition and at the place more particularly set forth in the election order adopted by the City Commission on the 4th day of December, 1944, which is as follows:

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Sudan, Texas, deems it advisable and to the best interest of said City to submit to the resident qualified property taxpayers voters of said City the proposition of the issuance of \$35,000.00 of bonds of said City for the purpose of constructing and equipping a City Hall in and for said City; now,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF SUDAN, TEXAS:

That an election be held in the City of Sudan, Texas, on the 24th day of January, 1945, at which election the following proposition shall be submitted to the resident, qualified property taxpayers voters of said City, who own taxable property in said City, and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, for their action thereupon:

"Shall the City Commission of the City of Sudan, Texas, be authorized

to issue the bonds of the City of Sudan, in the sum of \$35,000.00, payable serially not to exceed 25 years from their date, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed three and one-half (3½%) per cent per annum, and to levy a tax sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and create a sinking fund sufficient to redeem them at maturity, for the purpose of constructing and equipping a City Hall in and for said City, as authorized by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Texas."

The said election shall be held at the City Hall Building in said City of Sudan, Texas, and the following named persons are hereby appointed managers thereof, to-wit:

Clyde W. Robertson, Presiding Judge

W. W. Carpenter, Associate Judge

Mrs. Vestus Patterson, Clerk

Mrs. J. B. Foster, Clerk

The said election shall be held under the provisions of the Constitution and Laws of the State of Texas, and only qualified voters, who own taxable property in said City, and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be allowed to vote.

The ballots for said election shall have written or printed thereon the following:

"FOR THE ISSUANCE OF THE BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF."

"AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF THE BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF."

Each voter shall mark out with black ink or black pencil one of the above expressions, thus leaving the other as indicating his vote.

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws

of the State of Texas regulating general elections.

A copy of this resolution and order signed by the Mayor of the City of Sudan, Texas, and attested by the City Secretary of said City, shall serve as proper notice of said election.

The Mayor is authorized and directed to cause said notice of the election to be posted at three public places within said City, one of which shall be at the City Hall, and one at the place designated for holding the election, for at least fifteen (15) FULL days prior to the date of said election.

The Mayor is further authorized and directed to have said notice of election published in some newspaper of general circulation published in said City, and which notice shall be published on the same day in each of two (2) consecutive weeks, the date of the first publication be-

ing not less than (14)

prior to the date of the

PASSED AND APPROVED

the 4th day of December,

J. H. VINCENT

Mayor, City of Sudan

ATTEST:

JUANITA BONDS

City Secretary

(Published in Leader Jan. 19, 1945)

OPENS OFFICE AT

L. E. Silcott of Olton

the opening of an office in

State Bank building, who

handle real estate, insurance

investments. Mr. Silcott

recently was cashier of

State Bank.

Plan to attend the Annual

Membership Meeting of the

Electric Cooperative on

February 5, at Littlefield

Lubbock General Hospital Clinic

- GENERAL SURGERY
 - J. T. Krueger, M. D., F. A. C. S.
 - J. H. Stiles, M. D., F. A. C. S. (Ortho)
 - H. E. Mast, M. D. (Urology)*
 - EYE, EAR, NOSE & THROAT
 - J. T. Hutchinson, M. D.
 - Ben B. Hutchinson, M. D.*
 - E. M. Blake, M. D. (Allergy)
 - INFANTS AND CHILDREN
 - M. C. Overton, M. D.
 - Arthur Jenkins, M. D.
 - OBSTETRICS
 - O. R. Hand, M. D.
 - INTERNAL MEDICINE
 - W. H. Gordon, M. D.*
 - R. H. McCarty, M. D. (Card)
 - GENERAL MEDICINE
 - J. P. Lattimore, M. D.
 - G. S. Smith, M. D.*
 - J. D. Donaldson, M. D.*
 - X-RAY AND LABORATORY
 - A. G. Barsh, M. D.
 - RESIDENT PHYSICIAN
 - Wayne Reeser, M. D.*
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- PATHOLOGICAL LABORATORY, X-RAY and RADIOLOGY
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For the Convenience of the Tax Payers of Lamb County I Will Be at the Following Places on Dates Set Out Below:

BECK'S GIN—(Ted Walker's Store) .. Jan. 18

EARTH—(Parrish Hardware) Jan. 19-20

LITTLEFIELD—(City Hall) Jan. 25-26-27

This is the last month to pay taxes without paying a penalty and also the last month to pay your poll tax and be allowed to vote. (Poll Taxes will still have to be paid after Jan. 31st but it will not entitle the holder to vote, it must have been paid before midnight of January 31st.)

FRANK CUMMINGS

Assessor-Collector, Lamb County

OLTON, TEXAS

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Try Alka-Seltzer for Headache, "Morning After" Aching Muscles, Acid Indigestion, Flu, Cough, Prompt, effective. 30¢ and 60¢.

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High Vitamin potency at low cost—ONE-A-DAY Vitamin Tablets. A and D tablets in the yellow box—E-Complex tablets in the grey box.

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Don't take chances with old smooth tires. Play safe... have them re-capped the OK way—right here in Littlefield. Retreading also makes them like new tires, and secures many, many more miles of service for you.



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To Take Care Of Your FARM TRACTOR NEEDS

Complete Line of Tractor Oils and Greases

Re-Liners for Rear Tractor Tires

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LITTLEFIELD

Wholesale and
Retail
PHONE 153

PERSONALS

Myrtle Jones, 17 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones of Ballro, Texas, was admitted to the Payne-Shotwell Hospital Monday of week suffering from diphtheria. Reported as getting along as well as can be expected.

Mrs. Beaumont Elder of Center are the parents of a daughter born Sunday, January 7, weighing 9 pounds 8 ounces. The baby has been named "Marquita." Mother and daughter were released and have been home.

FALSE TEETH

That Loosen Need Not Embarrass

Many wearers of false teeth have had real embarrassment because plates dropped, slipped or wobbled at just the wrong time. Do not let a fear of this happening to you, sprinkle a little FASTEETH, alkaline (non-acid) powder, on your plates. Holds false teeth more firmly, so they feel more comfortable. Does not sour. Checks "plate" (denture breath). Get FASTEETH at any drug store.



Keep Your Poultry Healthy Thriving and Growing
—By Feeding—
SUNRAY FEEDS

COMPLETE LINE OF

Sunray Poultry and Dairy Feeds

SUNRAY LAYING MASH \$ 3.25
18% Protein, in good quality
Print Bags, variety of colors.
100 LB. BAG

SUNRAY DAIRY FEED \$ 3.25
18% Protein
PER 100 LBS.

CUSTOM GRINDING—We have plenty of help, and can give you prompt service.

NOTICE TO TRUCKERS....

Special Prices on Truck Loads, and Truck Load Lots of sacked whole maize, ground maize, ground hegarri bundles, ground ear corn and other feeds.

GREEN'S FEED & SEED STORE
FORMERLY CREAMER'S FEED & SEED
LITTLEFIELD, TEXAS

Mrs. J. C. Green of Bula was doing business in Littlefield Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Gray of Olton are the parents of a daughter born Thursday at the Payne-Shotwell Hospital. She has been named "Evonne Jaunice." The child at birth weighed 7 pounds, 15 ounces. The father is in the Army and overseas.

W. M. McCurry of Spade was called to Tishimingo, Okla., Friday because of the death of his sister.

Pfc. Otis M. Lee has been transferred from the Air Corps, New Rock, Calif., to the Infantry at Paris, Texas. He has been in the service two years, and stationed at New Rock during that time.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dodi of Shallowater at the Payne-Shotwell Hospital Tuesday, January 9, weighing 10 pounds 14 ounces. He has been named "Lynn Jay." Mother and son were released Friday.

W. D. Chitwood, father of Mrs. Bill Clayton, who makes his home in the Clayton home at Spring Lake, left Thursday to visit his son, Floyd Chitwood, at Pampa, Texas, a few days.

Mrs. J. H. Graham was in Lubbock on business Friday.

A. D. Green made a trip to Slaton on business Friday.

Mrs. W. H. Dreadin of Littlefield was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital Monday, January 8, for X-ray and medical treatment. She was much improved and dismissed Friday last.

J. E. Brannen left Saturday for Hot Springs, N. M., to take baths for rheumatism.

Mrs. J. H. Vincent of Sudan has been a patient at the Littlefield Hospital since Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. W. D. Chapman returned Friday from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Allverson, at Levelland. She had been gone since Tuesday of last week.

Ronald Birch, aged 11 months, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Birch of Anton, was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital for treatment Tuesday, January 9, for abscess under the arm. Much improved he was taken home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Woodall left Sunday for San Antonio, Texas, where Mr. Woodall attended the Texas Power Reserve meeting at the Gunter Hotel, which convened Monday through Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Woodall are expected to return today or tomorrow.

R. B. Kyzer of Bula, suffering from a bad cold, was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital Friday for treatment.

Miss Orea Garrett left recently on a three weeks' vacation trip. She will visit her aunts, Mrs. M. A. Singleton, and Mrs. G. I. Vick and family of San Angelo, Texas, also her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Conger at their ranch near Hamilton, Texas.

Wayland Barnett, 12 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Barnett, of Littlefield, had his tonsils taken out Saturday at the Payne-Shotwell Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Brandt of east of town are the parents of a daughter born Sunday, January 7, weighing 7 pounds, 4 ounces, and named "Verna Jane."



WAR BONDS
in action

More and more our armies are landing our fighting troops by parachute, disrupting enemy lines, enemy communications, but paying a heavy price in casualties.

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U. S. Treasury Department

Mrs. J. E. Worley of Elida, N. M., arrived the middle of last week to visit Mr. and Mrs. Otto Jones. Mrs. Worley is a sister of Mrs. Jones.

Mr. Otto Jones of Jones Hardware left Sunday night for Dallas on business, returning to Littlefield Wednesday.

Mrs. Bonnie Lamb of Fieldton visited her mother, Mrs. Julia Hollis, and her sister, Mrs. Nona McLaughlin, over the week end. She also went on to Elk City, Okla., and visited her brother and sister there.

Mrs. J. B. Vermilion has three sons in service, and all went overseas in one week.

Miss Mary Carter recently took part in an assembly program sponsored by the speech department at West Texas State College, Canyon, Texas. Miss Carter is a senior at the college and is majoring in speech. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Carter of Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf B. Carpenter and two young daughters of Lamesa visited his parents and other relatives here Sunday.

Rip Elms Arrives In States; To Have 30 Days Leave

Rip Elms, Jr., Fireman 2-C, who has been overseas about 10 months, called Sunday night by telephone from Birmingham, Wash. His leave starts February 9, and will last 30 days, and he expects to come home to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Elms of 10 miles west of Littlefield, and friends.

Elms left the States February 14, 1944, and has been seeing action "somewhere in the Pacific."

Mrs. W. E. Dennis, mother of Mrs. Earl McDaniel, returned to Mississippi after visiting several weeks in Amherst, she was accompanied as far as Amarillo by Mr. and Mrs. E. C. McDaniel and daughter, where Mrs. Dennis boarded the train for Mississippi.

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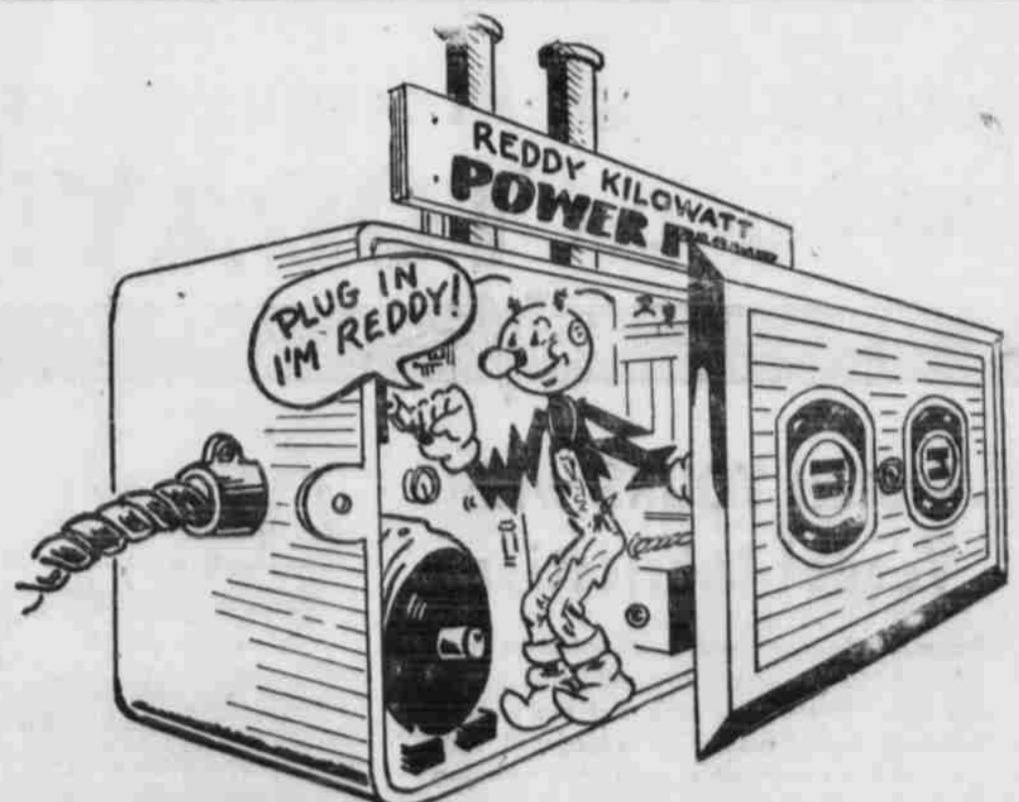
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Are We Failing in Our Duty?

The War Production Board states that Texas is failing, not in the sacrifices of the lives of our native sons, but failing in not providing those sons a better chance to survive. This Board adds that the scarcest thing in America—the very sinew of every war and peace machine, is "metal" which has no substitute.

Quoting from the bulletin just received from the War Production Board, Austin:

"Any time a Texas Boy goes into battle without a syrette, is wounded and dies, he had just thirty chances out of a hundred of dying because of his wounds, BUT he had seventy chances out of a hundred of dying of shock. That shock is not necessary. That pain is not necessary. Any Texas housewife in three minutes could have saved that boy from shock and pain by properly preparing just two tin cans, because the pure tin in two tin cans will make the tiny tin tube to hold the morphine to kill pain and shock. Only the pure tin off tin cans is used for syrettes. Texas mothers will give their diamonds to save their boys, but only a small percentage will give the pure tin from their lowly tin cans. Remember a tiny tin tube of

morphine kills shock and pain; shock and pain kill Texas Boys."

Another thing urgently requested by the War Production is rags, scrap paper, and in this connection the Leader is in receipt of the following bulletin:

"Ask Mothers to please save rags—all sorts of rags. Rags are used in the tons of maps used in every theatre of war; rags are used in roofing the shelter over your boy; rags are used to keep the guns clean and in working order; rags (66% of all wiping rags) are used to keep the giant engines and machines of our Navy in a spotless condition. Dirty machinery fails; our Navy does not fail. . . Sell your rags to a paper or junk dealer."

In regard to salvaging paper—the State Salvage Manager states that the Texas paper salvage has fallen off—way off. He states that it is our job, Texas, and that as long as the boys at the front fighting our battles are not alibing, we should get the salvage job done and that any alibi is a saboteur of action. Just what can be done about it?

Lt. Carpenter, A.N.C. Spends Holidays in United States

Lt. Mary Lee Carpenter, A.N.C., who is on the U.S.S. Comfort, a large white hospital ship, sent out from Los Angeles last June, and cruises in South and Central Pacific Ocean, was able to spend the holidays in the U. S., according to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Carpenter, living near here.

Mary Lee did not get to visit in Littlefield, but did take a plane trip to Macon, Ga., where she visited her husband, Capt. Andy Soltys, stationed there.

Her ship bringing patients in to the States arrived in Los Angeles December 23 and their leave was extended over January 4. Mary Lee visited in Littlefield last March, but had not seen her husband in more than a year.

The U.S.S. Comfort is sometimes called "Lady in White," with great Red Crosses, a combination hospital, ambulance ship, crewed by the Navy,

Amherst Personals

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Duffy have visiting with them Mr. Duffy's father who will spend a few days with the Duffys before going on to California where he will spend the winter.

Miss Mary Jane Bradley and Ollie Mae Rice were Levelland visitors Sunday.

Lieut. James Harding of the Lubbock Army Air Field spent the week end visiting in the home of A. A. Blair.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester LaGrange were visitors and shoppers in Amarillo Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lem Weaver spent the week end visiting friends and relatives in Silverton, Texas.

Mrs. Berry Baker visited her daughter, Billy Jean, in Amarillo over the week end.

Mr. L. E. (Pete) Vaughn made a business trip to El Paso over the past week.

Staffed by the Army, the Comfort has wards with more than 700 beds, laboratories, etc. This ship had a part in the Philippine invasion.

Homemaking Girls Entertain Mothers

During the holidays the Homemaking Club of Amherst High school gave a tea honoring their mothers in the Home Economics Cottage at Amherst High school.

The club officers, dressed formal, were in the receiving line, and met the guests at the door. They were: June Lanier, president; Billie Sue Priddy, vice-president; Billie Marie Roberson, secretary; Betty Sue House, reporter; Hazel Carrico, Earlene Lamb, Ruby Fay Chafin and Sammie Sue Farley assisted in serving. Mrs. Robert Shipp, Jr., is the teacher.

Mary Louise May and Mrs. J. L. Carpenter played piano selections during the evening.

As the mothers arrived, they were presented corsages by their daughters.

Eighty-nine guests called during the evening.

Misses Janelle Mote and Doris Vaughn spent Saturday visiting Miss Mote's relatives in Hart Camp.

News Of Amherst

Annual Basketball Tourney Get Underway January 18

Anton Defeats Amherst Friday In Double Header

Turkett, Woods Are High Scorers With 17 Points Each

The second half of the round robin began Friday night at Amherst when the Anton Bulldogs defeated the Amherst Bulldogs in a double-header. The girls' team was defeated 33 to 16 and the boys' team was defeated 28 to 24.

Anton took the lead in high scoring for the evening with Bill Woods of the boys scoring 17 points and Lois Turkett of the girls also scoring 17 points. A. B. Enloe of Amherst was close with a total of 14 points. Janelle Mote led the Amherst girls with a total of 13 points.

The Anton team had a little hard luck when Doris Blessingley, high scorer of the team, was eliminated last week because she had not lived in Anton long enough to play. The team misses Doris and her points very much.

Starting lineup for the Anton girls was:

Pos.—Name— Points
F—Lois Turkett 17
F—Stephenson 6
F—Hall 10
G—Matthews.
G—Brown.
G—Lewis.

For the Amherst Girls:

Pos.—Name— Points
F—Janelle Mote 13
F—Robbie Lanier 2
F—Doris Vaughn 1
G—Betty House.
G—Mary Bradley.
G—Patsy Clements.

Starting lineup for Anton boys:

Pos.—Name— Points
F—A. B. Enloe 14
C—Woods 17
G—Rutherford.

Miss Joyce Davis Is Bride Of Monard M. Lance

In a candlelight ceremony performed at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening, January 9, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Davis, grandparents of the bride, Miss Joyce Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Davis of Olton, became the bride of Mr. Monard M. Lance, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Lance of Sudan.

Morgan Sturgess, minister of the Church of Christ of Spring Lake, officiated with a double ring service.

The couple were married under an archway decorated with trailing ivy and banked with fern and tall white baskets of red and white carnations. White candles in three branched candelabra were used on either side.

Preceding the ceremony, Mrs. Ray Riley, aunt of the bride, sang "I Love You Truly," accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Sid Hargrove, another aunt. The traditional wedding march was used.

Miss Elfa Lou Aiken of Amherst,

Receives Large Box Of Gifts From Son In South Pacific

Mrs. W. C. Zachary received a box from her son, Cpl. Billy Zachary of the Marines, who is stationed in the Pacific, containing a Japanese flag, a Japanese hope chest or box, with Japanese writing on top of it; two Japanese ditty bags with pictures and Japanese writing on them; a wool sweater used mostly in winter by Japanese; a very small Japanese watch and a Japanese flag, which was taken on Saipan by Cpl. Zachary, and the flag was riddled with holes where shells had gone through. Mrs. Zachary received a letter from Billy Monday stating that he had just got through baking a cherry pie. Billy also stated there was a good place to sleep and lots of good food.

Monday afternoon Mrs. Zachary had as a guest in her home Pfc. Jerry Miller, who had been stationed on Saipan with Billy, and had been with Billy three afternoons before he sailed back to the States.

About two months ago Mrs. Zachary received two Japanese blankets from Billy, which he had taken from the enemy on Saipan. These blankets have blood soaked in them so much that it won't come out. Mrs. Zachary has another son in service, Sgt. James Zachary, who is stationed at the San Marcos Army Air Field, San Marcos, Texas. Mrs. Zachary received a 10x12 tinted picture of Cpl. Zachary last week, which he had made in the Pacific.

G—Hart 2
F—Colbert 9
F—Belcher.

Starting lineup for Amherst boys:
Pos.—Name— Points
C—K. Carey.
G—Babr Enloe.
G—Bill Jenkins 1
F—A. B. Enloe 14
F—Buddy King 4
F—B. White (substitute) 2

The annual Amherst tournament will get Thursday night, January 18, will continue through January 21, with semi-finals and finals off Saturday, January 19. The brackets of the teams participating, with

Thursday Night
Littlefield vs. Muleshoe,
Amherst vs. Pettit

Friday Afternoon
Whitharral vs. Bula
Anton vs. Spade

Friday Night
Sudan vs. Spring Lake
Shallowater vs. Sp. Lk.

Quarter Finals
Saturday Morning
Quarter Finals

Saturday Afternoon
Girls Semi-Finals
Boys Semi-Finals

Saturday Night
Girls Finals
Boys Finals

Mr. Stephens announced there would be sandwiches, drinks at the ball games, there would be season tickets at the school house and \$1.40 and this entitles him to the games.

Homemaking Girls Activities In Amherst High School

The Homemaking I Club up of all freshmen girls, led to sew. They have their first dress, and are working with their work, and feel can now make a three-piece dress.

The girls who prepared were: Reta Blume, Jean Wards, Betty Britt, Virginia Edwards, Louise M. Thompson, Maxine Johnson, Robertson, Viola Wagner, Lynn Blessing.

The boys present were: Enloe, Johnnie Lee Feagle, White, Horace White, Charles O. J. Goodin, James Porter, Bynum, Billie Rhoten, Bill Vaughn, John Lide, Preston J. W. Tomes.

Special guests were: Mrs. Kornegay, sophomore sponsor, Blair and Jane Jordan.

Besides doing Red Cross and a dozen other things, year homemaking girls served a formal dinner to some of the guests.

The girls who planned the meal were: Sammie Sue Betty Sue House, Billie Merson, June Lanier, Billie Mady, Ruby Fay Chafin, Hazel Carrico, Lamb, and Hazel Carrico.

Their guests were: Mr. C. R. Stevens, Mrs. Opal J. L. Carpenter, Mrs. W. Ren, and Mrs. Robert Ship, homemaking teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. D. Abernathy, Texas, visitors and relatives in Amherst week end.

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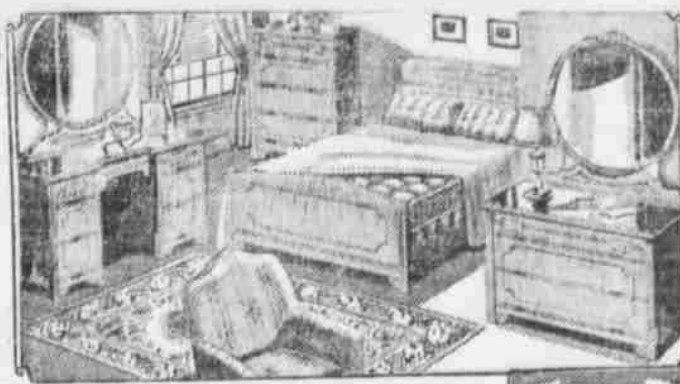
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Occasional Chairs and Rockers.

Mirrors — Lamps (Floor and Table)

DESKS — THROW RUGS

BEDROOM SUITES



Chaney In es In Training ronx, N. Y.

Chaney, who is a seaman class in the Waves and training school at the Bronx, N. Y., wrote her mother following interesting letter:

Dear Mom:
The Navy gets better every day. I sure did have a big time at the end. Saturday we went to St. Patrick's Cathedral. It is the most beautiful church in the world. We saw the George Washington Bridge, it is the biggest one seen and it goes across the Hudson River. I saw a lot of different things. We saw the Jamaica Inn, famous because George Washington slept there. We saw Grant's tomb and it is really pretty. We went to the Biltmore Hotel and they have a lot of service women. They had free cookies, candy and cosmetics for us to fix our hair. They were really nice to us. I told us what but to take to the prettiest part of New York. We rode on a two-story bus. We saw a top and could see every-

good view of New York, and we saw soldiers and sailors from all over the world and they were all different nationalities. The people here in New York are wonderful to service people. They can get free tickets to any Broadway play or anything else we want to go to. There are beautiful canteens here. I would like to stay here about a month longer if I could get every week end off. We went to Times Square and Broadway. It is really interesting just to walk down the street. About 7:00 there was so many people on the street that you couldn't move. You sure could get lost easy, but we asked every cop on the corner where to go, and they would show us and grin.

"Oh yes, we haven't learned how to tell all of the Navy officers yet, so we saluted everybody that had on a uniform with gold braids and gold buttons, even if it was a cop or a bell boy. They sure would laugh at us when we would make a mistake and salute the wrong ones, but they would always salute us back.

"I am sending you a picture we had made. It is just a cheap one, but that is all the time we have had to have any at all made. Anything in the picture that reminds you of a bar is purely fictitious. They sure did have fun pretending. We ate dinner at Jack Dempsey's restaurant. It is famous all over the world. It is really pretty and they have an orchestra that plays while you eat. A girl came around and took our picture while we were ordering our meal. I am not going to send it home, because I am afraid it will get bent and torn, so I will show it to you when I come home. I am sending you a card that they gave us at the restaurant.

"Well, I could rattle on and on, but got to close. Write to me real soon.

"I love you lots, Doris."

WANTED—CLEAN COTTON RAGS
At Leader Office.

Farm Census Underway Monday

Monday morning 17 enumerators set out on their task of interviewing farmers in eight counties of this area for the 1945 census of agriculture. This is the fourteenth national farm census, the first being conducted in 1840, more than a century ago.

Questions being asked concern 1944 crops, amount, value, acres, livestock, tractors, labor hired, tenure, and many other vital questions. The law requiring these reports make them confidential.

These enumerators had just completed a three-day school in the agriculture building at Texas Technological college and were prepared for the task.

Census takers and the counties they represent are as follows: Mary Charline Williams, Lamb Co.; James H. Robbins, Ethel M. Redwine, Joseph R. Shipp, Grace D. Allen, Goldie Wallace and Omer R. Sullivan, Lubbock county; Ruth Noble, J. Russell Noble, Randolph N. Moses and Willie R. Dunlap, Crosby county; Edwin C. Grimm and Mrs. Era B. Woodruff, Hockley county; William Ray Carter, Bailey county; Olive

Deets Cardwell, Garza county; Russell Murphy McSwain, Yoakum county; William Bierman, Cochran county.

Registration For Spring Semester

Registration for the spring semester at Texas Technological College, Lubbock, will be held Wednesday and Thursday, January 24 and 25. Final examinations for the fall semester are being held January 15 to 20, Monday through Saturday. Classes for the new semester begin January 26, and late registration fees are required after January 29. February 2 is the last day a student may register in the second semester.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Cox spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Sanders, at Sweetwater, Okla., and his mother, Mrs. T. A. Cox, at Grimes, Okla. Misses Oleta and Laveta Smart of Sweetwater accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Cox back to Littlefield and visited her a week.

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- 1 2-Row Cultivator for M or H tractor.
- 1 12-hole IHC wheat drill in good condition.
- 1 3-section harrow.
- 3 2-row Slides.
- 1 IHC Row Binder in A-1 condition
- 1 1-row IHC Wheat Drill.
- 1 1-row Horse Cultivator.
- 1 Disc Harrow.
- 1 Good Bundle Wagon.
- 1 4-wheel trailer, good tires.
- 1 2-wheel trailer.
- 1 No. 10 IHC Feed Grinder Belt in good condition.
- 1 Good 10-inch Walking Plow.
- Several Oil Barrels.
- 1 Irrigation Ditcher.

LIVESTOCK

- 10 Head Feeder Shoats from 75 to 100 Lbs.
- Several Good Hog Troughs.
- 1 Hog Feeder.
- 50 Hens.
- 11 Guineas.
- 1 Mare with colt.
- 1 Good set of Leather Harness.
- Several Tugs and Bridles.

Other Items Too Numerous to Mention.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

- 1 Deluxe Refrigerator.
- 1 Iron Bedstead and Springs.
- 1 Chifferobe with mirror.
- 1 Library Table.
- 1 Sewing Machine.
- 4 Cane Bottom Chairs.
- 1 Day Bed and Mattress.
- 1 New Perfection 5 Burner Cook Stove.
- 1 New Oil Heater.
- 1 Coal Range Cook Stove in good condition.
- 1 Good Daisey Churn.
- 1 6-Qt. Ice Cream Freezer.
- Dishes and Cooking Utensils.
- 1 McCormick-Deering Cream Separator.
- 1 3-Gallon Cream Can.
- Milk Buckets and Jars.
- 1 20-Gal. Wash Pot.
- Canned Fruits, Vegetables and Meats.
- 14 Gallons Lard.
- Home Cured Pork.

OTHER ITEMS

- About 200 Good Fence Posts.
- 200 Lbs. Barbed Wire.
- 100 Ft. 1 1/4-in. Pipe.
- 2 Rows Poultry Netting.
- 1500 Used Bricks.
- 8 Sacks Cement.
- 150 Egg Incubator.
- 1 Brooder.
- 1 6-Volt Fence Charger with battery

Anyone Having Items To Sell Are Welcome To Bring Them to This Sale

TERMS OF SALE: CASH. Nothing To Be Moved Until Settled For.

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RATION REMINDERS
MEATS, FATS—Red stamps Q5 through X5 good indefinitely. No new stamps until January 28.

PROCESSED FOODS—Blue stamps X5 through Z5, A2 through G2 good indefinitely. No new blue stamps will be validated until February 1.

SUGAR—Sugar stamp 34 good for five pounds indefinitely. No new stamp until February 1.

SHOES—Airplane stamps 1, 2 and 3 in book three good indefinitely.

"MILEAGE RATIONING RECORDS" NEEDED

All operators of passenger cars with basic "A" rations must have "Mileage Rationing Records" to be eligible to apply for any other gasoline rations, the Office of Price Administration points out. Without this important record no motorist may be issued a "B" or "C" supplemental ration. In the recent re-registration of the nation's 23,000,000 basic "A" ration holders, each registrant

was issued one of the mileage record forms. The form replaces the old tire rationing record, on which was kept a list of issued gasoline rations. In cases where a motorist was not issued a mileage rationing record or had his lost or destroyed, he should immediately apply to his local board for a duplicate, OPA states.

WOOL TROUSERS, FLANNEL SHIRTS SET ASIDE

A substantial number of the output of wool trousers and flannel shirts has been set aside for military contracts during the next 90 days. The War Production Board advises. This action has been brought about by increased and urgent army needs for trousers and shirts. They affect 75 per cent of the industry's output of wool trousers and 45 per cent of shirts.

V-MAIL USE URGED BY ARMY AND NAVY

The Army and Navy are asking all civilians to make greater use of V-mail in writing to service men this year as a direct help in conserving critically needed transport space and as a means to providing fighting men with more frequent and faster communication from home. Great stress is placed by military officials on the value to soldiers and sailors of frequent letters, which is more possible by the use of V-mail. The fact that there are more men over-



"Bombs Away!" These bombs are leaving an American "fortress," somewhere over Jap installations. The bombs we make today will be dropping on German cities, Japanese islands in a very short time. The home front must fashion them and pay for them with War Bonds. U. S. Treasury Department

seas disallows of the consistent sending of regular mail by airplane and this type of mail is frequently held up for lack of space, the military authorities say. The V-mail filming process assures correspondents of privacy of contents, military postal officials point out.

BONDS FOR ELECTRICITY

During the first five years of peace the Rural Electrification Administration expects to extend its power lines to 3,500,000 country homes including nearly every farmstead not now electrified. Today approximately 43 per cent of the farm homes are on the high lines.

But to enjoy and profit by the magic of electricity the REA estimates that these farms and other rural homes must invest \$4,500,000,000 in wiring, plumbing, electrical appliances and equipment. That averages more than \$1,200 per farm. Many farms should spend much more.

So that farmers will have the funds to invest in electricity's "Working Tools" REA is urging them to buy War Bonds now. They point out that a War Bond investment today will "speed the victory and hurry the time when material and labor will be available to construct rural lines. At the same time war bonds will assure the farmer's ability to make the necessary investment in electrical equipment when the time comes to do it."

REA says, "Farmers who have already experienced the help and comfort of electricity will want to increase their investment in electrical equipment and appliances." It is estimated that added investment in electrical equipment by farms already on the power lines will total \$2,500,000,000. "For this purpose," REA adds, "Many farmers have been earmarking war bonds bought from the extra income which electricity is already making possible for them."



Madden & Wright Drug Co.



A sprig of green on the Mediterranean front; today it's camouflage for an American machine gun nest. To win quicker our soldiers must have munitions and materiel, more. To provide them all of us must buy more and more War Bonds. U. S. Treasury Department

WAR BONDS ARE THE BEST INVESTMENT

LIEUT. HEDGES GRADUATES FROM OFFICER CLASS
Marine Lieutenant Willis T. Hedges, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hedges of Olton, has been graduated from the Officer Candidate

Class, Marine Corps School, at Quantico, Virginia. Lieut. Hedges is a former student of Louisiana Polytechnic Institute, Ruston, La., where he majored in Agriculture. He is a graduate of Olton High school. He enlisted in the U. S. Marine Corps on November 2, 1942 and was promoted to Officer Candidate Class 1 in 1944, from Camp Lejeune, North Carolina, where he was

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