

EARTH MAN PARTICIPATES IN HISTORIC BOMBING OF TOKYO

HARLEY WOODS WILL ADDRESS SENIOR CLASS FRIDAY NIGHT

Lieutenant Hite Volunteers For Hazardous Duty

Principal E. J. Moore To Hand Diplomas To 72 Graduates

Rev. Peter Morsch To Offer Invocation At Closing Exercises

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Lifelong Friend Declares Officer An All-Around Capable, Good Fellow

Lieut. Robert L. Hite, son of Mrs. R. P. Hite, Earth, was one of the American airmen who staged the historic raid on Tokyo, April 18, it became known here Wednesday.

Lieutenant Hite graduated from Earth High school in 1938, and attended West Texas State College at Canyon for two years following graduation. In September, 1940, he and Olen Cupp, also of Earth, joined the Air Corps, and he was called to active service immediately. He received his flight training in Stockton and Moffitt Field, California.

He was one of the group who volunteered for a "hazardous, important and interesting" mission before they left the United States, and without knowing just what the mission was. This group manned a squadron of B-25 medium bombers which were especially equipped for the flight, and for the bombing of Tokyo.

Weldon Barton, junior agriculture student at Texas Technological College, and a lifelong friend of Hite, said, "It's not surprising that Lowell was over Tokyo. He was just an all-around good fellow and always ready to go."

Mrs. R. P. Hite, mother of Lieut. Hite, resides a mile east of Earth, but was visiting in Farmington, New Mexico, at the time the message was given out that her son was in the raid. Mr. Hite died of a heart attack last summer.

FFA-FHT Enjoy Skating Party

To climax a successful year the FFA and FHT Chapters enjoyed a joint skating party Monday night, May 18. Sixty boys and girls and guests attended the party and seemed to enjoy the affair even though several received rather severe falls.

Guests at the party included Mr. Jones, Mr. Syms, Miss Slaughter, Miss Callum, all faculty members.

FHT girls attending included Connie Wilson, Wilda Callis, Erna Mae Hill, Bonnie Ruth Dirickson, Wanda Montgomery, Ruth Drager, Rose Mary Harlin, Regina Evans, Roverta Sullivan, Jessie Ray Nix, Verna Ann Hill, Audrey Ray, Murriel Guthrie, Dorothy Shore, Dorothy Brewster, Betty Montgomery, Doris Pearl Gibson, Joy Davis, Nell Renfro, Elsie Matheny, Wanda Strother, Anna Gamble, Eloise Gamble, Zell Renfro, Jannett Peebles, Lois Shore, Modena Hutson, Katherine Wright, Marjory Clare Joplin, Ray Elliott, Leana Ruth Willingham, and Lovene Goolsby.

FFA boys present were John Willingham, Fred Grisham, Kenneth Kenneth Bales, W. K. and Jack Bagwell, Troy Byers, James Young, Foy Bell, Edwin Wheeler, Norbin Taylor, Levi Coble, Claude Pool, Curtis Kloiber, Wayne Jackson, Clarence Birkelback, O. L. Roberts, Stanley Smith, D. H. Brewster, Carrol Wilson, William T. Hale, Billy Jim Evans, and Robert Kloiber.

Miss Stith and Mr. King, Home-making and Agriculture teachers, were sponsors of the group.

Russell P. Barker Is Reported To Be Missing

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Barker of two miles north and one and a half miles east of Spade received a telegram recently to the effect that their son, Russell P. Barker, 22, of the U. S. Marines was missing from the line of action, that according to the records he was performing his duty in the service of his Country in the Manila Bay area when that station capitulated; that no report of his death has been received, and that he may be a prisoner of war; that it might be several months before definite information will be available, and that any report received will be communicated to the parents promptly.

The last communication received by Mr. and Mrs. Barker from their son was on December 24, when a telegram from Manila arrived.

He enlisted in the Marines at Dallas in August, 1939, and was sent to San Diego, where he was stationed for two months, following which he was sent to Shanghai, China.

Mr. and Mrs. Barker have two other sons, Willie of Dallas, and Jack Barker at home.

For The Boys In Camp Watches Rings The Sets Lighters

JACK FARR
Jeweler At Stokes Drug

Advancement Program For 8th Grade Tuesday

The High School Auditorium was filled to capacity Tuesday evening, when the Eighth grade advancement exercises were held.

Rev. Aubrey McAuley, Pastor of um's Chapel Baptist Church, offered the invocation. The program included a song by a mixed chorus; recognition of honor students by Elmer J. Jones, principal of the Central School; and song by a Girls' chorus.

The presentation of Certificates was made by Mr. Jones, and Supt. F. A. Memphill, and the benediction offered by A. A. Mitchell.

Georgia Faye Beckner is Valedictorian and Larue Clark Salutatorian of the class.

Other honor students were: Gledolyn Bates, Doyle Guthrie, Reuben Sullivan and Frances Toews.

Lutheran School Closes Monday Last

Last day of classes of the Lutheran school were held Monday, May 18. However the pupils will report at the school on Friday, May 22, when report cards will be issued. There will also be a rehearsal for the picnic on Friday from 10 a. m. to 3 p. m.

The picnic, to be held Sunday, May 24, out at the Neuenschwander farm, is the final activity of the Lutheran school for the 1941-1942 term. The picnic will begin with an open-air service at 11:45 a. m. During the afternoon a program will be given by the pupils and there will be contests for young and old.

The following were in attendance at Emmanuel Lutheran school during the past term:

Leroy Will, Martin Drager, Mildred Gohlke, Arnold Wutrich, Donald Timian, Helen Synatsch, Mary Helen Hill, Virginia Wutrich, Walter Gene Birkelbach, Clarence Fryer, Mary Louise Brandt, Eugene Hill, Arthur Gohlke, Bobbie Jean Friday, Eldon Gohlke, Edward Gallmeier, Bill Jones, James Gordon Renfro, Bessie Washburn, Carl Pflueger Boriack, Orville Lee Friday, Betty Alice Brandt, Billy Roy Stockinger, Robert Wayne Hill, Emil Lee Birkelbach, Elwood Smith, Douglas Perkins, Bobbie Ruth Stubbs, Erna Jane Jones, Don Howton, Bobby Criswell.

At a recent meeting of the Board of Christian Education the reorganization of the Kindergarten Department was discussed. Plans are underway which should result in better and larger facilities for this department at the opening of the new school term in the fall.

FFA Plan Special Summer Program

The FFA boys will carry on their project program and supervised practice program during the summer months as well as continue with their regular monthly meetings the second Tuesday night of each month.

Other activities will include a summer recreational program and work on the campus around the vocational agricultural department.

R. L. King, vocational agriculture teacher, will supervise the work during the summer months. It is hoped to increase next year's project program over this year's program and each boy do more in the Food for Freedom Program.

Littlefield Gets About Quarter Inch Moisture Wednesday

Moisture measuring .22 of an inch fell over Littlefield and trade territory early Wednesday, according to the rain gauge at the West Texas Cottonoil Mill.

Rain began falling about 2:30 a. m. continuing until about 5 a. m. The rain was believed to be general over the trade territory.

Pioneer Woman Dies At Age Of 94 Years

Mrs. Nancy Julia Yantis, 94, mother of O. K. Yantis of this city, passed away at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Doyle, at Corpus Christi, Texas, Saturday afternoon, May 16, at 4:30 o'clock. She had been confined to her bed three weeks when death came.

Mrs. Yantis was born December 15, 1857, near Comby, Texas, where she was reared and lived until 1879, when she moved to Cook County, Gainsville was their postoffice, to which place 20 miles away, they went for their mail for sometime.

Later Mr. and Mrs. Yantis moved to Doan's Store, where they made their home until 1895, when they located in Dickens County, where they lived for many years. Since about 1910 Mrs. Yantis had made her home in Fort Worth and San Antonio, until about six years ago when she went to Corpus Christi to live with her daughter and son-in-law.

Funeral services were conducted Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock at Corpus Christi; and interment took place immediately following in the Corpus Christi Cemetery.

Surviving Mrs. Yantis, besides her son, O. K. Yantis of Littlefield, were two other sons, W. S. Yantis of El Paso and A. B. Yantis of Solomon Springs, Ark.; and three daughters, Mrs. Doyle of Corpus Christi, and Mrs. George Frederick and Mrs. F. E. Merrell of San Antonio.

Mrs. Yantis has spent considerable time in Littlefield with her son here. She was regarded as a typical Texas pioneer, and in 1935 her son-in-law, George Frederick, who is an artist, painted her picture, which hung in the art gallery at the Texas Centennial at Dallas as a pioneer Texas Mother.

INJURES FOOT

Roy Gattis was unfortunate enough Tuesday morning to break a bone in his left foot when he was changing a casing on his car at his home here. The car slid off the jack onto his foot.

The final exercises for the Littlefield schools will be held Friday evening at 8:45 o'clock in the High School Auditorium when the Commencement exercises for the class of 1942 will be held. Seventy-two students will graduate.

At the Commencement exercises the following program will be held: Processional—Miss Mary Ruth Boles.

Invocation—Rev. Peter Morsch. Reading—Joy Van Dorn. Announcements.

Coronet duet—M. T. Camp and Jim Tom Brittain.

Address—Harley Woods. Special awards—E. J. Moore, Principal of High School.

Vocal Octet—Elementary girls. Issuance of Diplomas—E. J. Moore. Benediction—A. A. Mitchell, minister.

Miss Joy Van Dorn is a student of Pep high school, and won first place in the state declamation contests at Austin this year. She will give the same reading that she gave in these contests.

Mr. Woods, the principal speaker, comes from Lubbock, and should prove a very interesting and practical speaker, for he is a business man of wide experience. He was formerly a professor in West Texas State College at Canyon, and also a former mayor of Lubbock.

This Commencement marks the close of another successful school year, Supt. Hemphill said Wednesday. Report cards were given students living in town on Monday, and will be mailed to students from the rural communities this Friday.

Oil Test Drilling In Hard Formation

Drilling ahead in limestone, the deep wildcat oil test on the J. W. Hopping farm, southeast of Fieldton, had reached a depth of 7135 feet late Wednesday.

Drilling progress has been slow for the past 50 feet because of hard formation necessitating changing the bit with great frequency.

The formation throughout the progress of drilling has run true to the geology on this well.

The contract provides for a depth of 8500 feet, and the well has now reached the stage in which special attention is being given to all details of formation.

Unofficial reports are that there have been showings of oil, but that the depth is being increased with the hope of discovering a high grade product.

BABY UNDERGOES OPERATION

Don Watkins, two and one-half year old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Watkins, underwent an operation for the removal of his tonsils Tuesday at the Plains Hospital and Clinic, Lubbock.

Sergeant Pilot he was assigned to the 118th Fighting Squadron at Halifax, Nova Scotia, but applied for and received a transfer to the United States Air Corps. He left Ottawa Wednesday of last week for San Antonio, and expects to be stationed at Randolph Field.

Mrs. Montgomery, who has been with her husband in Canada, left Ottawa Saturday for Littlefield, and Ottawa Saturday for Littlefield, and Mrs. C. P. Montgomery for a few days.

In an interview with Jerry's father Monday he said his son expected to receive a lieutenant's commission in San Antonio.

At the time of his enlistment he was taking an aeronautical course at A. & M. College.

Marriage 'Funeral'



old r-a-a-g-g-s, old iron!" Going out in their savage drive, Mrs. ... and Wilfred Koslowski, ... Chicago, were among the group doing their bit to help ... the Axis. The youngsters ... old scrap and staged a ... parade about the neighbor...

E. Willingham Winning FFA Boy

Outstanding FFA boys of the ... High School for the past ... selected this week by a ... of students appointed at ... FFA meeting.

Boys were scored on scholar- ... attitude, projects carried, ... practice program, improve- ... and leadership. The most out- ... for the year was John ... Willingham, with 454 points.

A third year vocational agri- ... boy, and the most outstand- ... year vocational agricul- ... boy was Wayne Jackson with ... points.

Way 51 Is Paved In County

Way 51 is now entirely paved ... Lamb county. This was ac- ... with the topping of a ... strip to the Hockley coun- ... which has just been com-

struction of Highway 51 ... Lamb county was started ... soon after Judge Stanley ... took office.

Way 51 is complete, south ... to the Terry county ... north from Levelland for ... of eight miles. Hockley ... is going ahead with the call- ... on the remainder of High- ... through that county.

New Of Local Man Receives Award

Junior Hyatt, nephew of ... Harkey of Littlefield, ... of the seamen who received ... star of honor for work ... the submarine which carried ... of the gold, silver and secur- ... the Philippine Islands ... before the Japanese ... the islands.

Father, a brother of Mrs. ... has been dead since Lawson ... small boy, and his mother ... in Clairmont, Texas.

REFERRED TO MISSOURI

Otis Smith received a tele- ... Saturday from her husband ... her that he had been ... to Camp Crowder, in ... Private Smith was trans- ... Camp Crowder from Fort ... Oklahoma.

Gets Wings At Ottawa, Transfer To U. S. Corps

Montgomery, son of Mr. ... C. P. Montgomery of Hart ... although only 19 years of ... gone places during the past ...

enlisted about a year ago at ... the Canadian Air Corps; ... training at Regina, Sask., ... a far jump from Dallas, ... transferred to Ottawa, ... to his training, which he com- ... and received his Wings in ... While in Ottawa he took ... an air show staged by the ... honor of the Prince of ... Great Britain, Winston ... and met and talked with ...

has over 300 flying hours ... and ...

graduating at Ottawa as a ...

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AUTOMOBILE 'IN TRUST'

"If I am willing to take the chance of wearing out my tires quickly or of driving my car to an early graveyard, isn't that my business?"

There are many people who are asking that question—at least asking it of themselves. They realize that when their tires are gone they probably won't get new ones and that when their cars wear out they will have to get along with a bicycle or on foot. But they are willing to do their own worrying about that and can't see why it is if any concern to the government.

That may seem to be a logical attitude to take—but actually it is dead wrong. The government wants everyone of us to preserve our tires because they offer the greatest potential source of rubber available in our country today. The government wants us to take care of our automobiles because they are one of our greatest means of national transportation.

It may be that the government will eventually have to confiscate our tires or our cars. That fact might tempt some thoughtless people to drive their cars to death, thinking that they are going to lose them anyway, but such an attitude is just as unpatriotic as would be the actions of a young man who ruined his own health in order that he would be rejected by the army.

If we have to give up our cars it would create hardship for some of us—but that hardship wouldn't compare with the sacrifice made by millions of young men who are offering to give their lives, if necessary.

We should think of our cars today as potential aids to the war effort which we are being permitted to hold in trust. We are being trusted to guard this motive power and this supply of rubber, which may be needed later on. But if we demonstrate that we are not preserving them and are wasting them, we will simply be speeding the day when we will no longer be trusted to hold them in our keeping.

In the interest of our country it is essential that the 30,000,000 automobiles we people hold today are kept in

KEEP PULLING THOSE WEEDS

There are probably more gardens planted in the United States this year than at any time in history. The "Victory Garden" idea went over with a bang and seed companies report record sales.

Most of us tackled this garden idea with enthusiasm. We not only wanted to do it because of patriotic aspects, but many of us also anticipated the enjoyment of this type of exercise and the crop of fresh vegetables which a little digging, hoeing and weeding would produce.

Now that the vegetables (and the weeds) in many of our gardens have begun to flourish, some of us have lost our enthusiasm and consider the garden a time-consuming nuisance. We see fresh vegetables in the stores and on the farm stands at low prices and wonder if it is worth all that back-breaking effort to produce a few meals-full of vegetables in our own backyards.

So now it is time to turn on the patriotism. If the enjoyment of the garden is waning, we must remember that the need for the Victory Garden plan is still as great as ever. We must also remember the warning of the Department of Agriculture, when the Victory Garden plan was suggested—the warning, "Don't waste seed."

With the United States pledged to be the bread-basket of the United Nations, it is essential that we produce every ounce of food we can. But if seeds we have planted are let go to waste we are actually depriving hungry people of food they might otherwise have had.

The garden may be a nuisance, but the more food we can produce for ourselves, the more the farmers will be able to send to the people all over the world who are in dire need of it.

So when your back starts aching as you pull at those weeds, remember your garden is a "Victory" garden—and pull some more weeds for victory.

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condition to go to war when they are drafted.

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POISON STATION OPENED

A poison mixing station has been opened for operation at the Burrus Gin at Olton, and farmers in that section who have grasshoppers are asked to go to the station for their poison, according to V. F. Jones, County Agent.

TO PLANT TOMATOES

Anton irrigation farmers will have a large tomato acreage, probably close to 400, according to reports, with a cooperative canning plant in operation to process the crop. Planting already is well under way. There will be 150 acres of Irish potatoes this season, 75 acres of onions and 50 acres of sugar beets.

Free textbooks for Texas public schools were first provided during the administration of Lieut. Gov. William P. Hobby, (1917-1921).

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Austin, April 28.—Bascom Giles, Commissioner of the General Land Office, today announced the awarding to the highest bidder of 363 tracts of School Land which had been advertised for sale on April 8 by the School Land Board.

Commissioner Giles said after studying the numerous bids received that "this was the most successful sale of School Land held in recent years. The Public Free School Fund received the highest average price per acre and also the highest average price per tract that was ever received in the State's history."

Is Bookkeeper In Highway Department

R. A. Brotherton of Olton has taken the place of Ed Thompson as book-keeper on Road District 1-A East—West Road—Highway 278. Mr. Thompson left Littlefield for Dallas about two weeks ago.

Texas' most important products are oil, gas, sulphur, cotton, wool, mohair, wheat, corn, grain sorghums, citrus fruits, truck crops, poultry, livestock, lumber, milk, dairy products and iron ore.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOU—Turn to the Classified Page!

Rev. Donald Harris Occupied Pulpit Sunday Morning

Rev. Donald Harris, former pastor of the Jacksonville, Texas, church, occupied the pulpit at the Littlefield Church Sunday morning.

A feature of the service Sunday morning was the baptism ceremony during which Ken Wilemon, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wilemon, was baptised.

Mrs. Ira Woods presided at the pipe organ, and congregational singing was enjoyed, led by the choir.

Rev. Harris was accompanied by Mrs. Harris, and her mother, Mrs. Kimbrell of Floydada.

Two Local Men On Third Casualty List

The third casualty list, released by the Navy department today included the names of two men from the Littlefield trade territory.

The name of Thomas J. McFarland, private U. S. Marine Corps son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Farland, of near Littlefield; Charley L. Pryor, Jr., of W. Harrah, are included in the casualty list. Both of these had been announced previously.

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Large Number Attend Baccalaureate Sermon

Methodist Church was noted to accommodate the large gathering Sunday evening. Baccalaureate services graduating class of 1942. The church was decorated with spring flowers and the church to carry out of maroon and white. The service was held in the church. The choir sang "Further On, Up the Hill" and "The Church on the Hill".

Spanish, or Commercial Work to state their desires to him before Thursday night when further plans would be made. He then introduced the speaker, Rev. Donald Harris, former pastor of the Littlefield Presbyterian Church, now pastor at Jacksonville, Texas.

Rev. Harris chose for his scripture reading the 15th chapter of St. John, the first to the 14th, and took his text, "A New Formula for Living—'Love One Another,'" from these passages of scripture.

Herman Couser played a violin solo, "The Rosary." He was accompanied on the piano by Miss Maxine Cash.

Rev. Harris carried the theme of "Love One Another" throughout his sermon. He stated that in all the countries of the world today, young men and young women as well as the older people were being taught to hate their neighbor; to hate him so fiercely that they think nothing of machine-gunning women and children they find in the streets of the cities. At the same time, one of the leaders of the great Allied forces, Chiang-Chi-Chek, spends an hour in prayer each day, praying that he will not hate the Japanese for he feels that in this way only will there be a chance of a just peace being written.

"The four greatest enemies of human personality are those four characteristics which are so alive in the world today: hate, fear, self-centeredness, and a feeling of guilt. No person can become truly fine who lets these feelings carry him away. Hate, alone, can do more to pull a person down, than anything else, for it breeds disease. Anyone who is hating something very fierce-

Rocky Ford

Bro. Moore filled his regular appointment Sunday though there were not many at church as quite a few attended the Baccalaureate services at Amherst school.

Mrs. Emanuel, who has been visiting at Frederick, Okla., returned Saturday bringing her daughter, who has been attending Junior College there an dher mother, Mrs. Edwards, to spend the summer here. Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Edwards and Norma took dinner with the Emanuels Sunday.

Miss Billie Marie Roberson spent the week end with Sammie Sue Farley.

Mrs. C. E. Williams was brought home Sunday from the Amherst hospital, having been there several days suffering with strep throat and pneumonia.

Among those visiting Mrs. Williams Sunday afternoon were Miss Eula Barns, and Mesdames Virgie Wallace, L. L. Dunn, and J. A. Roberson.

Bro. Moore and family took dinner in the Floyd Chafin home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Roberson and L. J. Roberson and Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Dunn took dinner with the Misses Barns Sunday.

J. C. Dean is on the sick list this week. Don Prentice visited Lee Paul Hermon Sunday.

Peggy Davis visited her granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Rogers Friday night of last week.

The Progressive Club meets with Mrs. Dillard Bryant today (Tuesday) to do Red Cross work.

There has been quite a bit of fishing going on at the draw. Some even take Sunday to fish.

Folks, you better turn over a new leaf and go to church while you have the opportunity.

JOHN PORCHER, SR., ILL WITH HEART AILMENT

John Porcher, Sr., of 3 1/2 miles northeast of town, who has been ailing for the past several weeks, suffered a severe heart attack Friday night, and though slightly improved has since been confined to his bed.

Mr. Porcher has been suffering from high blood pressure, causing a heart ailment.

Mrs. Curtis Wade, a daughter of San Augustine, Texas, has been here for the past ten days, and her husband arrived Sunday. Another daughter, Mrs. Felix Lewis, also of San Augustine, accompanied Mr. Wade to Littlefield.

ly becomes warped in his ideals and soon begins to have a feeling of sickness in his body as well as his mind. This spreads until he becomes really ill and run down. He urged the young people to control these feelings, and even though they were called to serve their country, to keep human kindness alive in their hearts.

"The only way to treat a fallen foe," he went on, "is to give him equality. Peace treaties which have given the vanquished equality with the victory have drawn the two together instead of making them greater enemies than before. Only when we realize this shall we have a lasting peace."

Rev. Harris concluded by saying, "A new commandment I give unto you—that you love one another even as I have loved you." Christ gave this to his people two thousand years ago, and now I give it to you to follow, for it will always continue to be a new formula for living since very few people truly try to live in this way. Follow this daily and you will find life richer and more worth living."

The Central School Chorus sang again, this time "The Old Rugged Cross," and then Rev. J. H. Sharp pronounced the benediction.

The Hi-Y Club of the local high school was in charge of decorations, with Kattie Jo Carrell as chairman. Assisting her were Jeanette Peoples, LaVerne Collins, Betty Kay Holiday, Billie Kate Higgins, Freda Faye Dodd, who also served as ushers.

Food Kitchen Closes Friday

The food kitchen, sponsored by the Littlefield Rotary Club and W. P. A. for undernourished school

children, closed Friday.

Mrs. Maybelle Pelts has been supervisor of this project, which cared for 75 to 80 children daily.

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Mrs. Charles Faust Complimented Monday At Lovely Shower

One of the most enjoyable parties of the Spring season was the shower complimenting Mrs. Charles Faust given at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Thos. B. Duke, Phelps Ave., Monday afternoon, with Mrs. Duke as hostess, and other members of the Church of Christ Bible Class cooperating.

A profusion of beautiful red and pink roses, Snapdragons and Zenias made more attractive the spacious entertaining rooms.

Following the Bible study, in which Mrs. Clyde Hibun, Mrs. Dee Chapman, Mrs. S. B. Jackson, and Miss Elsie B. Green read papers on the Book of Samuel, a social hour was enjoyed.

Mrs. W. D. T. Storey was in charge of the program, which included a reading by Edgar Guest, rendered by Mrs. Arthur Mueller; and song, "My Little Buckaroo," by Mrs. Fred Weatherford.

The honoree was the recipient of a large array of beautiful gifts, which were presented by Mrs. W. D. T. Storey in a very clever manner.

The refreshment table was laid with lovely lace cloth centered with a large bowl of beautiful Snapdragons.

Miss Josephine Wells and Mrs. Duane Orr presided over the punch bowl and the coffee service, and refreshments were served buffet style.

Besides members of the house party those attending were: Mesdames Bill Steffey, S. A. Foust, A. A. Webb, Raymond Erwin, Ellis Foust, Cloyce Foust, Dee Chapman, George Stagers, Sid Pace, Alvin Mitchell, Grady Simpson, Joe Wells, Bob Bigham, Allan Rhodes, S. B. Jackson, Enloe Smith, S. T. Wright, J. C. Smith, Clyde Hibun, Dee Chapman, S. B. Jackson, and Miss Elsie B. Green.

Those sending gifts, but unable to attend were: Mesdames Sam Rumbach, L. B. Davis, W. J. Aldridge, A. L. Hood and G. W. Falls.

Mrs. Ramage Honored At Shower Friday

Mrs. Kathleen Ramage, formerly Miss Kathleen Brewer, was honored Friday evening with a surprise shower at the home of Mrs. Bill Yeary, with Mrs. Yeary and Mrs. N. V. Wright as hostesses.

Those present were: Mesdames C. E. Turner, James Brooks, L. L. Brawley, Lowell Short, S. T. Wright, E. C. Logan, Tom Matthews, A. H. Lollis, W. H. Roberts and Mike Brewer, Jr.

Those sending gifts but unable to be present were: Mesdames W. H. Rutledge, E. Wallace, W. H. Montgomery, Lillie Tucee, E. A. Bills, Pauline King, Noie Lee Bohot, Bernice Stephens, Duane Bull, Roy Byers, Andy Hawk, Jack Farr, Viola Honea, and Mrs. Mike Brewer, Sr., of Kemp, Texas.

BIRTHS REPORTED BY PAYNE-SHOTWELL

The Payne-Shotwell Hospital reports the following births at that hospital the past week:

To Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Golightly of Littlefield a daughter on Saturday, May 16, named "Sandra Kay," weighing 5 pounds and 8 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hutchinson of Spring Lake a daughter on Monday, May 18, named "Patricia Ann."

Miss Barton To Receive Degree In Home Economics

Miss Frances Barton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Acree Barton, will receive a Bachelor of Science Degree in Home Economics at the annual commencement services, June 1, at the University of Texas.

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Thursday Luncheon Club Entertained By Mrs. M. M. Brittain

Complimenting members of the Thursday Luncheon Club, Mrs. M. M. Brittain entertained with a lovely party at the Brittain residence in the Duggan Addition Thursday afternoon.

The home was a profusion of beautiful garden flowers, including roses, Larkspur, pinks and corn flowers, attractively arranged.

Following the well appointed luncheon, four tables of bridge were in play during the afternoon, at the close of which defense stamps as prizes were awarded to Mrs. Bob Badger and Mrs. Sam Batton, club members, and to Mrs. Oscar Wilemon and Mrs. Otha Key as guests.

Present to enjoy Mrs. Brittain's hospitality were: Mesdames P. W. Walker, Mallory Etter, Dennis Jones, A. R. Hendricks, R. W. Badger, Ed. Fowler, Ivan Fowler, J. H. Barnett, Sam Batton, Quinton Bellomy, Clyde Hibun, L. L. Collins, L. C. Hewitt, R. W. Lewis, C. E. Payne, W. D. Watkins, Wayne Carlisle, C. E. Cooper, W. J. Chesher, A. C. Chesher, W. G. Street, Mancil Hall, J. D. Hagler, Max Wood, Eddie Johnston, Otha Key, Oscar Wilemon, Jack Henry, and Roy Campbell.

Amherst Study Club Stage May Breakfast Saturday Morning

A delightful Amherst social event of the past week was the annual May Breakfast staged by the Study Club at the Amherst Hotel Saturday morning.

The breakfast tables were attractively arranged forming the letter "M", centered with bowls of beautiful roses. Favors were Miniature American Flags.

The theme of the program was "Mexico."

Clarence Whiteside of Lubbock was guest speaker of the occasion, at which about 50 guests attended.

The program also included several piano numbers, and songs.

This being the last meeting of the club for the year, new officers were installed.

Attending from Littlefield were: Mesdames E. B. Luce, C. E. Payne, I. T. Shotwell, Sr., and I. T. Shotwell, Jr.

Mrs. Elmer Lewis Entertains Dessert Club Friday Last

Members of the Friday club were guests of Mrs. Elmer Lewis Friday at 1:30 at the Lewis residence on East Eighth Street, when following the serving of a desert, bridge was enjoyed for the balance of the afternoon.

A centerpiece of Nasturtiums graced the dining table, while beautiful pink roses also made more attractive the entertaining rooms.

Prizes in the games were awarded to Mrs. Ed. Hewitt and Mrs. V. S. Cassel, with the bingo won by Mrs. Herbert Martin.

Present were: Mesdames W. D. T. Storey, Jess Elms, and V. S. Cassel, guests, and Mesdames Ed. Hewitt, Herbert Martin, L. T. Green, J. W. Keithley, and J. A. Price, members.

Eidelweiss Dinner Club Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Barnett

Members of the Eidelweiss club were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Barnett Friday evening at the Barnett residence, where following the dinner, bridge was enjoyed.

High score in the games was won by Mr. and Mrs. T. Wade Potter.

Present for this enjoyable affair were: Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lewis, Mrs. C. E. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Batton, Dr. and Mrs. Max Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wilemon, Mr. and Mrs. Potter, and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Barnett.

A. C. Hendricks Taking Treatment At Baylor Hospital

Mrs. A. C. Hendricks and daughter, Kay, left here for Dallas Friday, where they have taken an apartment, and where they will remain until Mr. Hendricks, who is confined in the Baylor Hospital receiving treatment for his leg injured in a car wreck some time ago, is able to return home.

Mr. Hendricks has been suffering from the leg injury, and went to Dallas to take treatment from a bone specialist. He has been confined in the hospital for over two weeks, and since he may be there some little time longer. Mrs. Hendricks and daughter went to be with him until he completes his treatment.

Kindergarten Pupils Enjoy Train Ride

Students of Mrs. Quinton's Kindergarten school got the thrill of their young lives when they went for a train ride to Sudan Monday afternoon, accompanied by Mrs. Bellomy.

A number of the mothers joined the children at Sudan, and brought them back to Littlefield. Enroute here they all stopped at Amherst and enjoyed a picnic in the Amherst park.

Among the mothers who made the trip were; Mrs. Roy E. Hunt, Mrs. George White, Mrs. Jack Brannen, and Mrs. L. B. Stone.

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Mrs. Dennis Jones Attends Funeral

Mrs. Dennis Jones left noon for Tishomingo, Oklahoma, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Andy Armstrong, who died some time ago at the First Methodist Tishomingo, and burial Sunday.

Mrs. Jones was accompanied by Mrs. F. Jones, who went to Oklahoma City to visit her mother.

Mrs. Dennis Jones returned Littlefield, while Mrs. F. Jones is spending ten days in Oklahoma City.

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BREAK O'DAY IRON

By Reginald Wright Kauffman



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CHAPTER IV SYNOPSIS

Identified as Joseph Slinn is drowned in the Hudson river near Albany, N. Y. Slinn was insured by the Protective Life Insurance company, and beneficiary is a man named B. B. Twombly who lives in Troy. The company's Albany agent, Carlin, identifies the body, and the insurance money is to Twombly. But Jerry Glidden is satisfied. He believes there is something wrong and suspects that Slinn was murdered. Convinced that he is right, he goes to Albany, only to find that Slinn has left for a vacation in Maine. Then goes to Ironburg, a little mining town in Pennsylvania to see an Angela Slinn. She turns out to be an recluse of a woman who lives in a shack near an abandoned mine. Jerry hears the story of the "Break O' Day" mine and of Rose Walker, granddaughter of the owner. Rose runs the store and post office. Jerry has knocked on the door of Angela's shack.



She scowled at him, "Who are you?"

no answer. Jerry knocked again—louder. Still no answer. As the tenant away from home? Jerry didn't get what he called "the feel" of that; he got, rather, the feel of a sinister presence. He rattled at the crazy knob and, simultaneously, kicked the fragile door. "Hi!" he shouted. Nothing stirred inside. Then there came another sound—sound of steps shuffling across floor of hardbeaten earth. Then a husky voice, just such a voice as Angela Slinn was bound to have: "Who's there?" "It was all queer, yet no queerer than what Glidden had already said and been told about the man. He had intended frankness. No doubt, however, to employ it until he was face with its potential obstacle. Angela Slinn showed the mistrust and civilization common to every backside. "Somebody to see you," was Jerry's obvious reply. "Who?" "Now he could hear labored breathing. He answered: "You don't know me, but—" "If I don't know you, I don't want to see you." "It's important." "And if you don't know me, what do you want to see me for?" "If you'll only open up, I'll tell you. You won't regret it." "Another pause. More labored breaths. The householder seemed to be thinking things over, and light seemed to be a hard case. "Aw, come on and open up!" "Well, don't be in such a hurry. It's bolt sticks." "Easy to believe it was rusted. But you should have been in use at a o'clock of a summer morning? Jerry had always heard that country people were early risers . . . " "Good morning." "That door had at last opened. Not far, it was true, but enough to let the sunlight pour over the person who had opened it. Brogan, mother Hubbard, sunniet, his gaze ran up the figure and found it dressed just as last evening. But this time the face was visible. Broad it was, and short nose square chin to low forehead. The cheekbones were prominent, the nose was almost a snout. From the corners of the eyes, the green eyes looked malevolently. Altogether an unpleasant individual. "Jerry experienced one of his dithering hunches: he thought it wise to insert a foot into the doorway. Just want to ask you a couple of questions." "She scowled at him. "Who are you?" "There was about her a savage aura of fang and claw. Exactly the kind of individual to inhabit any kind of place. "Any view of the shack's interior was impossible. It was dark there, and the figure at the entrance beckoned it, anyhow. "My name's Glidden." "New to me. What'd you want?" "Jerry's decision had favored frankness—more or less frankness. Instinctively convinced of something queer about the Slinn-Twombly case, he wanted to find out all he could concerning the dead man, then pursue a similar process regarding the beneficiary. There was aught wrong in the usual insurance application, so Jerry; if there was aught wrong with the death and the beneficiary's part therein, again so much the better for Jerry—and the worse for Twombly. Therefore, direct questions. And yet, Jerry lacked authority. Moreover, this creature before him needed strong suspicions. To hint legal complications to such a creature would, he suddenly realized, be a failure. He welcomed what appeared to be an inspired lie. "You're from Doncaster, aren't you, Miss Slinn?" "That's my business." "Sure it is, but I'd like to know." "Those green eyes narrowed."

"I'm collecting material—" It was a masterly deception!—"for a history of the pioneer families of Doncaster County, and this name of Slinn is on the list of grants made by William Penn. Now, I'd like—" "Those Slinns aren't ours." "But they must be," persisted Jerry glibly. "The name's not a common one; you're living in the county . . ." "Not the same family." "Miss Slinn—" He had a most uncomfortable belief that, paying small attention to what he said, she was looking deep into his mind. "And anyhow, I haven't any interest in family trees." Her short neck had thrown her square head forward. He had a most uncomfortable feeling that, paying small attention to what he said, she was looking deep into his mind. "When people are dead, it's best to let them lie." He somehow brought her back to the surface of things. She looked at him darkly; her voice was hollow. It was as if there came a chill into the summer air, but he mustn't be affected by such stuff. "These Slinns who settled at Doncaster—" "I tell you, they're not my people." She began to shut the door. It encountered, none too politely, his intruding shoe. The lie didn't appear to be so inspired, after all. Could he startle anything out of her? The pressure increased; he must try. "Well, aren't you," he asked, "some connection of the Joseph Slinn who recently was drowned in the Hudson river between Albany and Linlithgo? Ouch!" "One of her brogans had crashed against the shin above his trespassing foot—and the brogans were hobnailed. He drew back the leg involuntarily. He stooped to nurse it. "You get out of here!" "Bang! The door was shut in his face. With amazing ease, its rusty bolt jumped home. "As a liar," he said, "I don't seem to rate quite one out of a possible ten." He looked at the door; the door stared blindly past him and across that stretch of dreary wasteland. He listened; there came no sound from within the shack. "I guess," he reflected, "that there are hundreds of thousands of words in those books Lightner loves and I was fool enough to read. But there's not one piece of advice in the whole six-foot shelf of 'em to tell you what to do when a lady kicks your shins and bolts the door on you." "Knock again? To what purpose? Invent another lie? It was sure not to be believed. However, he did not yet turn back the way that he had come. Instead, he made a circuit of the shack. A wretched kitchen garden, this which flanked the place. Some following cabbages. A few drooping stalks of corn. Still, from such a soil prodigious labor must have been required to produce these most meager results. "So Angela's been here for five years—" "mebbe six" was what friend Hassler said. As far as connection with Albany or Troy goes she might be about as well as he been in the middle of the Sahara. He saw the metal bucket lying on its side. It was plugged with tar. Attached to it was an enormous coil of rope, unusually thick for the size of that utensil. "Where does she get her water from?" "What matter where? For him the sole point of importance was that his morning's work had cut him off from a possible source of information. To be sure, Miss Slinn might have none to give; but quite certainly, if she had, she would not now give it. Pondering, he followed for some yards along what he fancied had once been a continuation of the road that brought him here. It skirted the dense clump of pines he had noticed when emerging upon the

tableland—then, for the ground had given away beside it, ran along the very edge of a suddenly revealed chasm. Here was one border of the tableland, but a border not formed by a hill. Instead, a deep, narrow valley approached it, and, where this met the elevation, the scoops and steamshovels of a past generation had cut profoundly into the elevation's front—cut it, on three sides of a square, to the perpendicular. Bending over, Glidden could see, on upjutting rocks at the base, the planks of a fallen cabin, the rotting remnants of a derrick. Save for those rocks, however, the entire space at the gorge's foot, over an area a quarter-mile square, was flooded by an opaque body of turquoise water. This must be the grave of Phineas Walker's fortune, these the sole remaining relics of Break O' Day Iron Company. Jerry possessed a mind that couldn't remain quiet. Hassler had declared the present summer the country's driest in thirty years—and this lake plainly maintained its topmost level. He had talked nonsense about it; the water was visibly fresh, however colored by its ore deposits; there had to be an inlet and an outlet, too. Jerry's insatiable curiosity worked once more. He descended into the deserted valley. The steep walls rose straight above him, their crests sometimes overhanging the drop. He felt as if he were at the bottom of a giant's well. Or no, not the bottom by a long shot; for in general the walls clove directly on into the green-blue liquid; the sola foothold was supplied by such earth and stones as had fallen from above and found a precarious rest on some rare outcropping at the water's edge. Of course there were no streams discernibly running into or out of this huge pond; wherever these were, they would be under the surface. Jerry trained his eyes in a futile endeavor to look any distance downward. The depth was great, the fall precipitous—that was the extent of his preliminary survey. Should he seek no further? The heat was oppressive in this enclosure. He stripped and dived, if only for a swim. There lay that old derrick. A rock had caught it as it fell, and still held, at a considerable height, its upper end. Jerry climbed. It held him. He poised and, putting all his force into the plunge, dived again. Down he went into those cold recesses—far down. There was a sound as of thunder in his ears, the pressure of mountains upon his chest. Little light could struggle this far he could see nothing. He could feel, though. There came into play another force besides the usual opposition to such progress, and working at a right angle to it. Quiet as the lake seemed in its upper regions, down here a current ruled. It caught him, swung him around—drove him hard toward what he decided was the foundation of that cliff from which he had first seen the ruins of the mine. More thought there was no time for. He was being hurried to some subterranean outlet, to underearth caverns where death would be quick and certain. He hung his body around as far as he could. To make any headway directly against this stream was impossible; his one hope was to fight indirectly across it. The thing seemed alive and implacable. He was wrestling with a Titan bent upon his destruction. His arms ached; for every inch they moved, they had to push away what felt like tons of water. Surely he hadn't but one stroke more left in him . . . Yet he made that frantic stroke and won to momentary safety. The horrid hold that had gripped him snapped. He catapulted to the surface and found himself clawing impatiently the smooth rock of the inner cliff.

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Spade Junior-Senior Banquet Friday Evening

The Spade Junior-Senior banquet will be staged at the High School Gymnasium Friday evening, May 22.

Johnny Swanson, President of the Junior Class, will be toastmaster.

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Jesse B. Gilmer Is Area Director



The new Area Director of the Farm Security Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture, is Jesse B. Gilmer, a native West Texan. He succeeds Wilson Cowen, recently appointed Commissioner to the United States Court of Claims, Washington, D. C.

The Federal agency's rural rehabilitation program over which Gilmer has charge includes all of West Texas, the State of New Mexico, and the Oklahoma Panhandle. The Area office is in Amarillo.

Born in Edwards County, Gilmer attended schools in Texas and New Mexico. An employee of the U. S. Department of Agriculture since 1934, his rise in the department has been phenomenal. He began as a clerk in the Department's land utilization program. He had served as assistant regional director in the Amarillo office since 1938.

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Oscar Hollinsworth and Mrs. Alexander were in Farwell visit Tuesday. Mrs. Roland Wilson were Lee Fite and daughter, Mrs. Whitley of Anton, visited daughter and sister, Mrs. Rolison, here Wednesday. Mrs. Roland Wilson and Betty Ann, spent Sunday friends in Shallowater. Lane and Wallace and Wilson made a business trip to Tuesday. Robert Phillips of Salt City, Utah; Wallace Wilson Walker visited in Amherst.

day for a ten day leave of absence. He has been stationed at Fort Bliss a year.

Mrs. E. M. Davis had as guests in her home Sunday her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Porter and Mrs. Eula Porter of Farwell, Texas; Champ Porter, who is in the Army Service at Key West, Fla., Mr. and Mrs. Dave Mitchell and children of Whitbaral; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Matthews and children of Littlefield; and Mrs. Duane Orr of Corpus Christi, and Mr. and Mrs. George Staggers.

J. A. Carrell is ill at his home here, suffering from an asthmatic attack. His daughter, Iva Dell, arrived from Midland Wednesday afternoon, and his wife, who has been visiting her son, Elton, stationed in the Army at San Bernardino, Calif., was advised of Mr. Carrell's condition and is to arrive sometime this week end. It is thought that he was some better Wednesday, but he is still very ill.

Attend Medical Association Meeting

Dr. I. T. Shotwell, Jr., and Mrs. Shotwell, and Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Shotwell, attended the meeting of the Texas Medical association, which was held at Houston last week. They returned home Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. Shotwell also visited in Galveston and New Orleans.

TAKING ADDITIONAL FLYING INSTRUCTIONS

Joe Walters, Littlefield druggist, is spending a portion of his time in Lubbock, taking additional instruction in aviation. William Beaton, formerly of Matador, and a druggist of long experience, is assisting at the Walter's Drug Store.

—WANTED: Clean Cotton Rags. Bring to Leader Office.



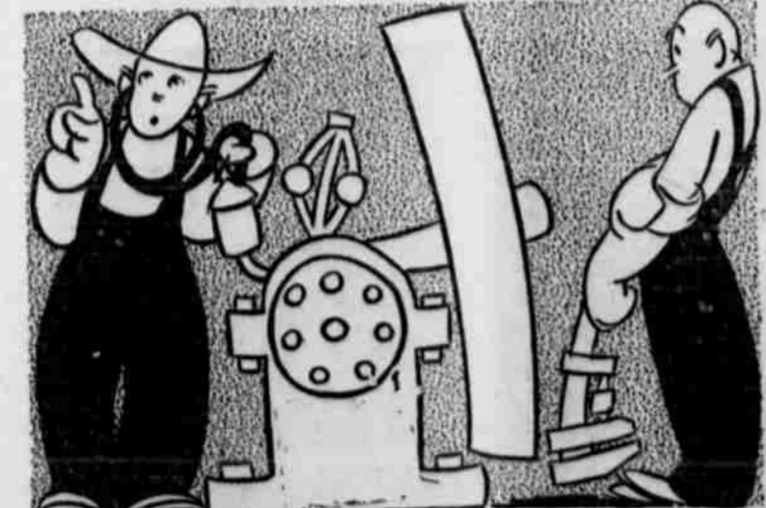
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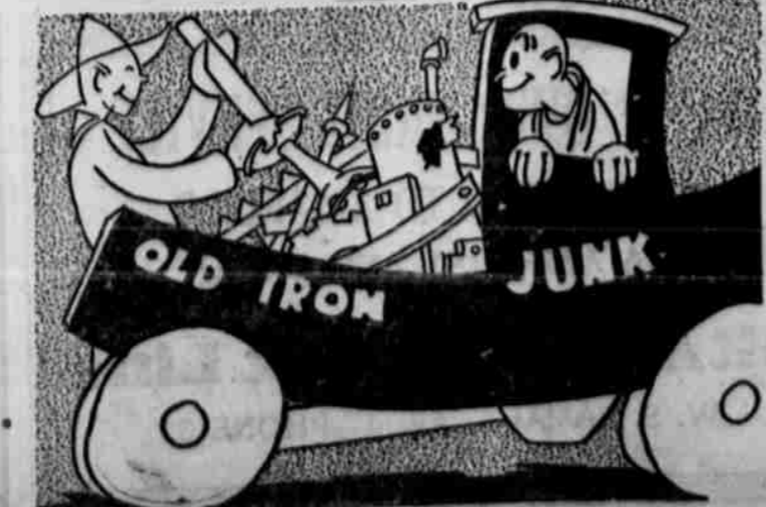


This photo which arrived in New York from London by clipper, shows Adolf Hitler as he tried to cheer up wounded Nazi soldiers. There can be no doubt that the Nazis needed some sort of encouragement to keep them fighting and to bolster their morale for the much talked of "spring offensive," after the many reverses they had experienced in Russia during the winter months. Evidently Der Fuehrer believed a visit from him would do the trick.

Save and Sell for Victory



SAVE all good farm machinery. Make repairs. Order needed new parts. Swap equipment and parts with your neighbors. Keep wartime food production rolling.



SELL your old iron and steel. Get it to your junk dealer right away. Steel mills are working 24 hours a day. They need scrap for every batch of steel.

Littlefield Panthers Getting In Better Shape For Season

The Littlefield Panthers, colored ball team, lost to the Levelland Tigers at Levelland Sunday, 16 to 10. Planning to play at Plainview, Clovis, or Slaton this coming Sunday, the local boys promise to provide a much better game than they played last Sunday. R. L. Babb is manager of the Panthers, and Bill Williams captain. The local nine has played three games this season, two with Littlefield white teams, and lost both of those games.

Miss Batton Honored At Tech College

Miss Nettie Bell Batton of Littlefield was one of 197 women students honored at the 11th annual Women's Recognition service at Texas Technological College May 12. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam H. Batton and was recognized for maintaining a B plus average and making 48 activity points, and for membership in Alpha Psi Omega, honorary dramatics society. Awards are based on excellence in scholarship, leadership and citizenship. Miss Batton is one of seven young women recognized four or more years in the annual service.

Tuesday Luncheon Club Meets With Mrs. V. S. Cassel

Mrs. V. S. Cassel entertained the Tuesday Luncheon Club at her home here last Tuesday. Luncheon was served in the diningroom, which was attractively decorated with roses, cornflowers, honeysuckle, and other garden flowers, and then bridge was enjoyed by the guests. Mrs. H. C. Edmond won high score, with Mrs. Stanley Doss winning second, and Mrs. Herbert Martin winning the bingo prize. The guest list included Mrs. F. O. Boles, Mrs. Stanley Doss, Mrs. Grover Dennis, Mrs. H. C. Edmond, Mrs. Herbert Martin, Mrs. E. J. Moore, Mrs. O. K. Woodall, and Mrs. Hugo Kinkler.

IS HONORED

Mrs. Sam Caskey of Hale Center, who has four sons in the armed services, has been awarded a four-star emblem of honor pin by the Emblem of Honor association of New York, N. Y., a patriotic group of volunteers whose purpose is to honor those who are contributing greatly to the nation's war effort. The four sons are Pvt. Clyde Bedford, Pvt. First Class Amos Caskey, Corp. Milo Caskey and Staff Sgt. F. H. Caskey.

Condition Of Mrs. Roy Clark Improved

Improvement in the condition of Mrs. Roy J. Clark, who is a patient at the Littlefield Hospital, was reported Wednesday. Tuesday her condition was regarded as serious and relatives were notified. Mrs. Clark underwent an operation Friday.

Mrs. Ralph Nelson Recognized At Tech

Mrs. Ralph Nelson, formerly Miss Elizabeth Erle Luce of Littlefield, was one of 197 women students honored at the 11th annual Women's Recognition service at Texas Technological College May 12. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Luce and was recognized for maintaining an A minus average and membership in Alpha Chi. Awards are based on excellence in scholarship, leadership and citizenship.

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Salvation Army Officer Transferred To Pampa Corps

Capt. and Mrs. Frank White, who arrived in Littlefield May 5 from Atlanta, Ga., to take charge of the Salvation Army Corps here, were notified Friday by Headquarters at Dallas, that they would be transferred to Pampa, Texas, and would be farwelling May 24.

Capt. White brought this news to the Leader office Friday, stating that they were both very disappointed and regret leaving Littlefield; that they were getting their work organized nicely, and were receiving splendid cooperation from members of the Army, and the whole city in general.

Capt. White will hold the farwell service on Sunday evening, May 24.

Lieut. Sheppard will take the place of Capt. White as officer in charge here.

Typical 'War Mother'



Mrs. Elizabeth Howell, who has two sons in the armed forces and another soon expected to be inducted. She was awarded the title of "Typical American Mother" by the Girl Scouts of Camden, N. J. She is pictured at her spring fabrication machine in the plant where she works.

Pvt. O. K. Yantis, Jr. Writes A Poem

O. K. Yantis, Jr., who is with the Air Corps of the U. S. Army, is now stationed in Puerto Rico, from which place he writes that he is getting along fine and likes his work.

Pvt. Yantis volunteered January 18, and left Littlefield, January 21 for Fort Sill, Okla., from which place he was in training and sent to Puerto Rico, arriving there April 4.

Believing that the poem, which Pvt. Yantis wrote and sent to his wife here, would be of interest to the many readers of this newspaper, friends of Pvt. and Mrs. Yantis, it is being published here-with:

THE VOLUNTEER'S LAMET

Why didn't I wait to be drafted,
And led to the post by a hand.
Or put in my claim for exemption,
Oh, why did I hold up my hand!

Why didn't I wait to be drafted!
Why didn't I wait for the cheers!
The drafted men get all the credit,
There's nothing left for the volunteer.

There was no one to give me a banquet,
No one to say a kind word.
No newspaper carried my picture,
No pretty girl's heart for me stirred.

When off to the camp I was hustled,
To be trained for more than a year,
In the shuffle I was forgotten,
I was only a volunteer.

Now I stuff green wood in a silly stove,
While freezing to death in my tent.
I've cleaned off a dozen parade grounds,
With the other guys that were sent.

Then along came the noble draftee,
And soon it was all made clear,
That the credit goes to the draftee,
The work to the volunteer.

I've waded in mud to my shoe tops,
In this cold island rain.
I've walked until twilight,
While my feet felt nothing but pain.

Yet my name has not been honored,
For me no one has shed a tear.
To the world I am forgotten,
I am only a volunteer.

I had a dream that I was dead,
And for awhile I lay in state.
When I took myself up yonder,
I knocked on the golden gate.

And I heard St. Peter raving
We've no room for your kind here,
All reserved for the drafted army,
Hell was made for the volunteer.

—Pvt. Yantis



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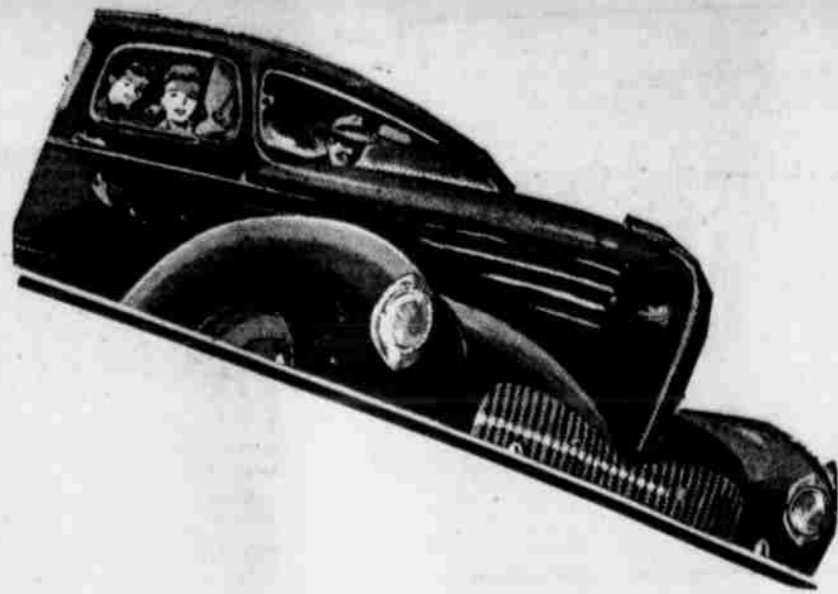
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Old Pals Meet Again



Members of a U. S. army cavalry unit which is being reorganized as a horse-mechanized unit, stop to pay an informal visit to four-footed friends as they pass by en route to maneuvers. Their new mounts are jeeps. These men are members of the 107th mechanized regiment.

STAMFORD COWBOY REUNION JULY 2, 3, 4

STAMFORD, Texas, May 12.—There will be no shortage, rationing, or priorities on entertainment or patriotism when the 13th annual Texas Cowboy Reunion is held here July 2, 3 and 4. In fact, every effort will be put forth to make this year's show even bigger than in past performances. Arena shows, staged twice daily, and breath-taking in their bigness, are only a part of the panorama. Old fashioned dances, held each night of the reunion, furnish relaxation for the real cowboys and ranch hands, as well as the "drugstore cowboys" who enjoy stepping to the tune of "Little Brown Jug," and other square dance and folk dance tunes. Popular bands entertain modern dancers in the sponsors' pavilion nightly.

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FOR SALE—Several good used electric refrigerators. Onstead Furniture, Littlefield. 7-3tc

FOR SALE—Good cotton seed. 85 per cent germination. 3 bu. bags. G. Barnett, Fieldton. 6-3tc

FOR SALE—12-acre improved farm, one mile west of Littlefield metery; also 76 acres adjoining. See Henry G. Essau, Rt. Littlefield. 7-2tp

FOR SALE—Used Lane Bolder irrigation pump. McCormick Pump Co., Highway 7, Just West of Porcher Produce. 7-1tc

FOR SALE—Used Mercury motor, good condition. McCormick Pump Co., Highway 7, Just West of Porcher Produce. 7-1tc

FOR SALE—Hampshire piggy gilts. L. Duke, Anton. 7-2tp

SCRAP IRON WANTED

Look around your place, see what you have, and bring it to us. We will pay you Best Possible Prices.

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FOR SALE—Good Used Piano. Onstead Furniture. 2-1tc

FOR SALE—HALF AND HALF Cotton Seed. Germination test 77 per cent; culled and Ceresaned; 25 bushel. C. B. Pickrell, 3 miles N. 1/4 mile north Fieldton. 5-3t-P

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Extra 1938 Plymouth coupe. Good. A. A. Webb, DeLuxe Barber. 6-1tc

FOR SALE—TRACTORS—We have several used tractors on rubber. It is helpful if any will be available by rubber. Littlefield Truck & Motor Co. 8-1tc

FOR SALE—BATTERIES FOR SALE—They're guaranteed and low in price. Dennis Jones Service Station, Littlefield. 4-tfc

FOR SALE—500 BUSHELS Hy-bred Cotton Seed at \$2.00 per bushel. See H. W. Sowell, 2 miles west of town. 4-tfc

FOR SALE—Pomona pump and 100 ft. fitting. 200 gal. per min. 6 1-4 inch pipe. Complete irrigation. 1113 W. 7th St. 7-3tc

FOR SALE—Pigs. About 20 head and pigs ready to wean. W. H. Montgomery, Fieldton. 8-1tc

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 Kaffir—Hegari—Cane
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FOR SALE—Good A1 McCormick hay baler with motor. W. H. Montgomery, Fieldton. 7-2tp

FOR SALE—Sudan Seed just received Government Germination 95 per cent, purity 99 1/2%. Raised this Sudan in 1939. A. F. Jones, 2 mi. N. E. of Littlefield. 7-tfc

We will pay you cash. McCormick Pump Co., Highway 7, just west of Porcher Produce. 8-tfc

FOR SALE—200 English White Leghorn hens. F. W. Kazmier strain. \$1.00 apiece. 60 per cent production. H. E. Lacy, 3 1/2 mi. north of Spade. 8-1tp

REAL BUY for home or investment. Stucco at 810 East Seventh Street, Littlefield; consider car or livestock in trade; terms. W. M. McFarland, 1305 Twenty-sixth St., Lubbock, Texas. 8-4tc

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NEW TRACTOR TIRES—We have two 11.25x36 Firestone and one 9.00x36 in stock. Also tubes of popular sizes. Littlefield Truck & Tractor Co. 8-1tc

FOR SALE—Good Milk cow. See Mrs. McGee at Replins. 7-2tc

FOR SALE—Young milk cow, fresh soon. M. L. Garrett. See me at Post Office. 7-1tp

HAY MACHINES—We have one new power driven 7 foot mower, one 6 foot horse drawn mower, and one 10 foot rake on hand. Also two hay presses. Littlefield Truck & Tractor Co. 8-1tc

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 BILLFOLD containing money and diamond wedding ring. Finder please keep money. Please return ring as it has great sentimental value.
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WANTED—Two young pigs; must be healthy, good stock. Leave name and address at Leader Office. 8-tfc

WANTED TIRES TO REPAIR—Tubes repaired in any condition. We buy, sell or trade tires. Parker Cash Grocery, West Highway 7, Littlefield. 8-2tp

REWARD
 Reward for return of brown saddle leather coin purse containing money, two keys, including Postoffice key, lost in Postoffice or between Ware's Store and Postoffice. Farrah Beckner at Ware's Store. 7-1tc

FOR RENT—Furnished house. Four rooms. Frigidaire. Water furnished. Deposits paid. Phone 322. 7-1tc

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FOR RENT — Bedroom or light housekeeping room. 508 West 5th St. 8-1tc

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Political Announcements

For County Attorney **ROBT. L. KIRK**

For Tax Assessor-Collector **FRANK CUMMINGS**

For County School Superintendent: **CLAUDE M. COFFER**
J. ERNEST JONES

For Lamb County Sheriff **SAM HUTSON (Re-election)**

For Office of County Clerk: **OTHA F. DENT (Re-election)**

For District Attorney of 64th Judicial District **J. R. (Billy) HALL**
HAROLD M. LaFONT

For Commissioner Precinct No. 3: **C. G. BARNETT**
LON SMITH
W. E. BENTLEY
L. C. GRISSOM
E. C. (Buck) ROSS

For Commissioner Precinct 4: **E. L. YARBROUGH**

For District Judge of 64th Judicial District **HERBERT MARTIN**
JUDGE C. D. RUSSELL (Re-election)

For District Court Clerk: **H. C. HUGULEY**
HERBERT DUNN

For County Treasurer: **MRS. ANN BLYTHE**
MRS. CLARENCE DAVIS (Salina Poteet)

For Justice of the Peace Precinct 4, Lamb County **S. J. FARQUHAR (Re-election)**

For Chief Justice, Court of Civil Appeals: **J. ROSS BELL**

For County Judge: **L. B. (DOCK) HOLT**
STANLEY A. DOSS

REPRESENTS SUDAN CHAPTER
 Miss Meiba Glee Bowman, 13, daughter of R. W. Bowman, freight and passenger agent for Santa Fe Railway at Sudan, represented the Sudan chapter of the Future Homemakers of Texas at the F.H.T. Conference at Dallas recently. At this

With South Plains Men In U. S. Service

J. H. (Dick) Carl, who is now stationed at Pearl Harbor, writes the Leader a letter dated May 13, and received Sunday which was very much appreciated by the Leader, and since it will be of much interest to this newspaper's readers and friends of Mr. Carl, it is being published as follows:
 Pearl Harbor, T. H. May 13, 1942

To The Editor
 Lamb County Leader
 Dear Sir:
 Being one of the many boys from Littlefield which is so well represented in the armed forces of the U. S. and to make it more impressive since I've been in the service, I've had the pleasure of personally meeting some 12 boys from the home town which to me out of the millions that are in the service scattered to the four corners of the world isn't to be considered a coincidence but I feel that it should be a great compliment to the town itself.

I feel that it is a pleasure to be able to write from an island that a few months back seemed such an unimportant speck in the Pacific Ocean which came to the eyes of the world on Dec. 7, 1941.

I have had the pleasure of taking several trips over the island, observing the beauty of nature which would be unbelievable to the people of West Texas if it was possible to put it into words which I won't attempt.

The biggest thing that interests me most is the spirits of the natives of Oahu Island toward the big task of winning the war and the efforts that they all seem to be putting into National Defense itself. I feel confident of the fact that if the people of the U. S. as a whole had the same spirit the simple task that lies ahead would be much easier.

I wish it was possible to be able to mention various things that are being done toward the war effort, however it's best for the world at large that we have such restrictions which really gives the enemy something to think about and in the end lead the nation to a much quicker victory.

Being one of your readers I hope that you will see fit to publish a short note of the thoughts that I've tried to express so that a few of the many friends that I have which would be too numerous to attempt to write will have a word from me.
 Sincerely yours,
 J. H. (Dick) CARL
 Formerly with the REA

*Dorward Yantis, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Yantis, enlisted in the U. S. Navy. Reporting at Lubbock Monday he was sent to Dallas for examination.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Reid of Littlefield are anxious about the welfare of their son, Lloyd, who was believed to be on the Bataan Peninsula when it was captured by the Japs. The last message received from him was a letter dated Feb. 16 and received April 1. In response to a letter written U. S. Senator O'Daniel, a wire was received by Mr. and Mrs. Reid on April 6 from the Senator stating that Lloyd was reported O.K. and on the Bataan. This, of course, was just before the fall of Bataan. No information has been received since.

Staff Sergeant Billy Hugh Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Miller of Morton, after a 15 day furlough, reported to the Army Military school at Midland Monday, and will go from there about May 20 to Miami Beach, Fla., for three months training in an officers candidate school.

The many friends of Payne Wood will be interested in learning that he is now in training at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, and likes his work fine. He left here about a month ago.

conference the Homemakers discussed and planned for the members to participate in family, community and

Private First Class Hollis Gee left Thursday for New Orleans after a five day furlough; here with relatives. Private Gee visited his wife and daughter; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Gee; sister, Mrs. Foster Melton, and other relatives. Private Gee has been in the Army four months.

Joe Wheeler Douglass, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Douglass, enlisted Saturday at Lubbock as a cadet in the Air Corps of the U. S. Army. Joe is a sophomore at Tech College, and will continue his studies until called, which he expects will be between 30 and 60 days.

O. D. Yeager of Lubbock enlisted in the Air Corps of the U. S. Army May 11, and submitted to examinations, passing both mental and physical. He is waiting to be called, which is expected to be between 30 and 50 days.

H. C. Pumphrey, Jr., with the 831st Engineering Division at Hammer Field, Fresno, has been promoted from Corporal to Sergeant, according to a letter received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Pumphrey, here Monday.

Mrs. Frances Lee Tolbert of Tahoka Highway, a former Littlefield resident, left the first of this week to visit her son, Billy Tolbert, who has been transferred from Alaska to an officers training school at Santa Ana, near Los Angeles, Calif.

Private Paul Hyatt, who has been stationed at Fort Lewis, Tacoma, Wash., and was called to the bedside of his mother, Mrs. G. H. Hyatt, at Lamesa, recently when she was stricken by a stroke of paralysis, visited friends in Littlefield Saturday evening. He reports his mother slightly better. However, one side of her body is paralyzed, and she is in a very serious condition.

Lieut. Crawford Bates is assigned to the Heavy Field Artillery Unit at Fort Roberts, near San Francisco, and is attending nine hour classes daily, as reported by friends here.




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Lamb County Graduates of '42!

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We're proud of Lamb county's 1942 graduating classes.

And we extend our best wishes. Good luck to each of you!



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Chicks raised now will be the pullets that are bringing in profits for you this fall and winter. Eggs and poultry for the market are a big, steady source of farm income.

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Feed them Merit Starter and Growing Mash, and later Merit Laying Mash, and watch the profits roll in.



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Every home owner who uses coal is urged to buy next winter's supply immediately. That advice, according to Leon Henderson, Administrator of the Office of Price Administration, "may develop into a now or never appeal to coal users." Transportation facilities are now available, but by fall our railroad and truck lines will be loaded to capacity hauling war materials.

OF LOCAL INTEREST

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Boone left for Roswell, N. M., Thursday morning in response to a message that Mr. Boone's grandmother, Mrs. Littlefield, who is over 90 years of age, is seriously ill. A telephone message notified Mr. Boone.

H. G. Hull, editor of the Sudan News, was a visitor in Littlefield Saturday.

Mrs. Dave Mitchell and three children of Whitharral visited her mother, Mrs. E. M. Davis, Sunday. Miss Nettie Mae Potest of Spade Community was the guest of her

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lewis spent Monday and Tuesday in Amarillo on business.

Miss Thelma Davidson spent the past week end in Lubbock the guest of her sister, and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Nesbitt.

Miss Laverne Hayhurst spent Saturday and Sunday in Amarillo with friends.

Mrs. Ivan Fowler left Saturday for ong Beach, Ga., where she will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Garlington. Mr. Fowler accompanied her to Clovis, where she boarded a train to take a two weeks' vacation.

Miss Marjorie Hilbun spent the past week end at Lubbock the guest of her former roommate at Tech, Miss Wilma Ruth Turner.

Mrs. Ben Lyman and son, Billy, made a trip to Lubbock Saturday, and were accompanied home by Ben, Jr., for the week end. He is a student at Tech College.

E. W. Norris, father of Mrs. Floyd Coffman, who has been confined in the Littlefield Hospital for the past 10 days, is getting along nicely.

Guests in the Floyd Coffman home Thursday and Friday were: Mr. and Mrs. Z. A. Kimbro, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Coffman, aunt and uncle of Mr. Coffman.

Johnnie Jones and Overton Phillips of near Amherst are both now employed at Stokes Drug, busy dishing out cold drinks and ice cream to the patrons of the fountain.

Mrs. Doris Williams had her tonsils removed at the Littlefield Hospital Friday last. She is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Luce spent Saturday in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Nelson were the guests of Mr. Nelson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Nelson, over the past week end. Mrs. Nelson is the former Miss Elizabeth Luce.

Mrs. Cliff Petty of Olton underwent a major operation at the Littlefield Hospital Thursday, and is getting along nicely.

Miss Louise Whitaker, employed by the Lubbock National Bank, spent the past week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Whitaker.

P. J. Moore was a Sunday evening visitor in the home of Mrs. W. R. Alexander.

Guests in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Morris and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Pierce from Friday until Sunday night were Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Watkins and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Nunley of Childress, W. J. Eidson, father of Mrs. H. F. Morris, who had been visiting in the Morris home for the past three weeks, accompanied the Childress folks to that city.

Earl White, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. White of Littlefield, who has been living at Salinas, Calif., is now employed in the ship yards in San Francisco, Calif., as a welder, according to his father here.

Mrs. Ray Frederickson and her mother, Mrs. Reid, of Roundup, and Mrs. Frederickson's sister, Miss Alva Reid of Dallas, visited in the home of Mrs. W. R. Alexander Sunday afternoon.

R. C. Evins, who has been taking a course in defense work at the American Aircraft school, a Government project, including sheet metal work, designing, blue print reading, etc., expects to be graduated Saturday. Mrs. Evins has been living in Dallas while Mr. Evins was taking this course, while their son, Wayne, has been making his home with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Evins.

Wayne Norris and Charles Randall, sons of Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Onstead, left Monday for Graham, Texas, to spend the summer with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Kisinger, on their ranch.

C. O. Stone was in Amarillo Tuesday on business.

The two weeks' old son of Mr. and Mrs. Radney Nichols of Sudan, which was born prematurely May 6, was brought to the Payne-Shotwell hospital May 10, and has been in an incubator at the hospital since. He is reported as getting along nicely. The child's father, who has been stationed at Fort Knox, Ky., is home on leave.

Mrs. Goff, daughter of Mrs. Pearl Goff, was admitted Monday to the Payne-Shotwell Hospital suffering from an infected foot. She is getting along better.

Mrs. W. S. Savage was in Amarillo Tuesday visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Savage.

G. W. Umland of Lubbock, Oliver Equipment Co. representative, spent Monday with the local dealer, Lon Campbell.

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Recommends Cane Instead Of Bran In Hopper Poison

A. F. Wedel of 7 miles southeast of town states that he is using ground cane, instead of bran, which is recommended by the Government, and finds that the cane is just as good, in the mixture used for poisoning grasshoppers.

Mr. Wedel says that he is using this cane with good success. The cane being sweetened, according to Mr. Wedel, eliminates the use of syrup or molasses, and should be mixed with the same amount of water and arsenic as the bran. He also says that he finds it best to let it ferment for 24 to 48 hours before using it.

Mr. Wedel says he has put out this poison mixture, using the ground cane, and that it is killing the hoppers, but that they keep on hatching, and he will have to continue the treatment. Most of the farmers southwest of town are beginning to put out poison to kill the grasshoppers, which are eating the cotton before it gets well up out of the ground.

It is understood that it is more satisfactory for an entire community to put out the poison at the same time. The poison is obtainable at the CCC Camp grounds in the College Addition.

High School Band Render Concert

The Littlefield High School Band staged a concert at the postoffice steps Friday night at 8:30 o'clock, with the Band Director, H. T. Camp, in charge.

This program was featured as their annual spring concert, and about 40 members took part. About ten numbers were played, which were much enjoyed by the public.

—WANTED: Clean Cotton Rags. Bring to Leader Office.

BARS OF SWAN, NEW FLOATING SOAP, DISTRIBUTED TO LITTLEFIELD HOMES

"Littlefield is in for a cleaning"—if any indication can be taken from the number of bars of SWAN soap, the new floating soap developed by the makers of Lux, Lifebuoy, Rinso, and other noted kitchen and bathroom products, which were handed gratis to housewives this week by Lever Brothers advertising crews.

According to W. W. Keturakat, crew manager of the promotion program in Littlefield and vicinity, Swan is the first really new floating soap developed in over 40 years. And in providing a further opportunity for citizens to enjoy Swan in both the kitchen and bath, Lever Brothers advertisers are giving coupons which may be redeemed for an additional cake of Swan at your favorite Littlefield dealers free, with the purchase of one cake.

Enjoy Afternoon In Miss Walker's Room

A number of visitors were guests of Miss Eddythe Walker and Room Mothers in the first grade school room occupied by Miss Walker Friday afternoon. Each of her students invited a friend who would be a student next year, and at 2:30 o'clock orange juice and cookies were served by the Room Mothers to the group.

Mrs. Mancel Hall, Mrs. Bill Paul, Mrs. George White and Mrs. Ray Wade were the hostess room members of the occasion.

Fifteen visitors enjoyed the afternoon.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOU—Turn to the Classified Page!



WE ARE PROUD...

Of All of Lamb County's Graduates—

We're Wishing Them The Best of Luck and Happiness.

Elton Hauk

PHILLIPS "66" STATION

Main St. Littlefield

Congratulations Graduates!

... of Littlefield and All the Many Excellent Schools of Lamb County.

These, indeed, are happy days.

Happy days for you and for your parents who join you in being proud of your grand accomplishment. Yes, and for us, too! Because we're proud of every one of Lamb County's 1942 graduates! Good luck—and success—to you!

HIGGINBOTHAM-BARTLETT CO.

LITTLEFIELD



Your success thus far causes us to feel that you will become even finer men and women. Having completed a great stride in your education in time of war, we feel that you will be stronger and more able to carry your share of the world's burdens.

We are proud of each of you, and we feel that we shall have even more cause to be even prouder in the years to come.

Onstead Furniture Co.



"It's Great To Be An American"

We are proud of these young Americans... the graduates of the fine High Schools of the South Plains. It is a pleasure for us to extend our warmest, most sincere greetings to each of them on this happy occasion. We hope their futures will be filled with success and happiness!

I. C. ENOCHS

DEVELOPERS OF BAILEY AND COCHRAN COUNTY LANDS

Congratulations, GRADUATES!

We salute Lamb County's graduates... the proud seniors of the Littlefield High School and the many other excellent schools of our County!

We are proud of you—each and every one of you!

Yes, and we extend our best wishes. May the best of everything that life can offer be yours!



REPLIN'S

"REAL VALUES"

"...Electricity is too important a public service to encourage or invite curtailment when it is unnecessary..."

J. A. Krug
Chief of the Power Branch of the Materials Division of the War Production Board

When you save rubber or sugar, tin and lead, they accumulate for war production...

BUT...

When you curtail your use of electricity now it is saved so long as sufficient capacity is here to serve you.

Curtaiment now simply means shutting down a power plant.

That's like telling a farmer not to milk his cows so as to save milk!

It is impossible to accurately predict future developments in war production. However, there is at present in this section of the country an ample supply of electricity, not only for war projects, but also for our industries, commercial establishments and homes. This is the result of hard work, careful planning for the future, and sound engineering, under American business management.

If and when a power shortage comes to this section of the country, we will be the first to know about it, and we will cooperate to the fullest in urging our customers to conserve electricity so that additional demands for new war purposes can be met.

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A FIRST CLASS BATTERY AT A REASONABLE PRICE

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HS REPORTED LITTLEFIELD HOSPITAL PAST WEEK

Littlefield Hospital reports
downing births at that insti-
tute the past week:
r. and Mrs. John Wilson a
ohn Wilson, 111", Wednes-
ay 13. Mrs. Wilson is the
Miss Louise Thornton. Mr.
r. Wilson have been living
ok, but are moving to Du-
exas. Mrs. Wilson and son
released from the hospital
ghter was born to Mr. and
ill Tiry of near Littlefield
May 15.

ENIORS GO ON TRIP
Senior Class of Spade High
left Friday on their annual
duido, N. M., returning to
unday.
class staged a comedy
"To Marry" Thursday even-
ing net funds were used for

'Rough Rider'



Assisted by his son, Lieut. John
E. Lehman, Gov. Herbert H. Leh-
man of New York dons the cover-
alls of a tank crewman as he pre-
pares for his rough ride in a lig-
tank at Pine Camp, N. Y. The gov-
ernor enjoys the experience.

Hawaii Is 100% on Its Toes



Hawaii will never be caught napping again. The garrison of the
"Pacific Paradise" would welcome another Jap raid now, for the boys
are ready to dish it out and there are plenty of shelters to protect civilians
from Nippon's murderous bombers. Above is one of the newly completed
shelters. Built sturdily of concrete, the shelters are far below the surface.
That chimney affair at the top of the mound is a ventilator shaft.

Quezon Visits U. S.



President Manuel Quezon of the
Philippine commonwealth is shown
above, after his arrival in San
Francisco from Australia. He was
accompanied by members of his
family and his executive staff.

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Sixth Grade Pupils Enjoy Weiner Roast

In appreciation of the Sixth
grade pupils, taught by A. A. Mit-
chell, having purchased the most
defense stamps of the various rooms
of the Central School, Mr. Mitchell
entertained the students Friday
night with a weiner roast at the
football park.
This outing was enjoyed by about
35 students.

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A Complete Stock of New, Fresh Groceries

We have taken a two-year lease on the building formerly
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Henceforth there will not be a restaurant on this prop-
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We will operate a good grocery store in clean surround-
ings. We will appreciate your business.

Victory Grocery

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For Most Economical
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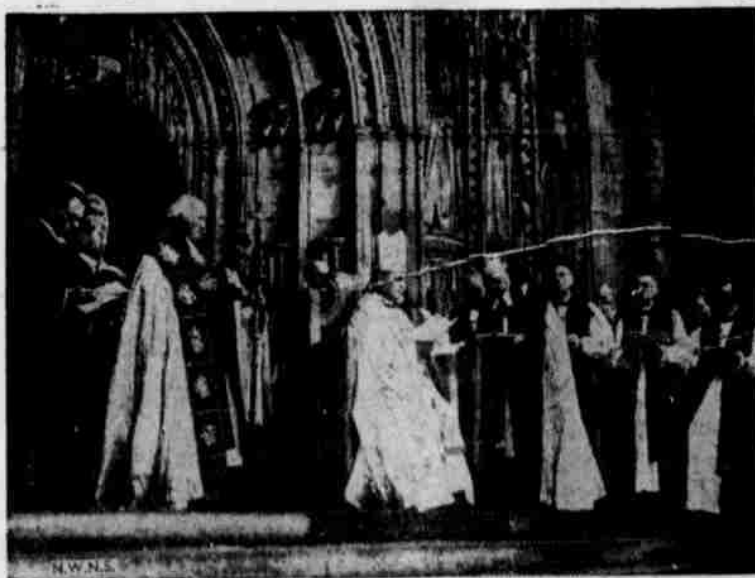
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Anglican Church Gets New Head



In bomb-blasted Canterbury cathedral, with its shattered windows
and sand-bag-protected tombs, Dr. William Temple is pictured as he sat
in St. Augustine's chair for the first time. This scene took place as
Dr. Temple formally became archbishop of Canterbury, succeeding Dr.
Cosmo Gordon Lang as head of the Anglican church. He became the
only man whose father preceded him to the high office.

RELEASED FROM HOSPITAL

Joe Aven and A. L. Henderson
have been released from the Payne-
Shotwell hospital, where they were
confined two days; each of them
suffering from a fractured foot.
When in the act of cutting into the
wall inside the First Methodist
Church building Monday of last
week for the purpose of installing
the new church organ, the scaffold

slid from under them, allowing them
to fall to the floor. Mr. Aven's left
foot was broken, while Mr. Hender-
son suffered a fractured right foot.
Both men have their injured feet
in casts, and are confined to their
homes, though Mr. Aven was down
town Saturday on crutches.

J. C. Miller, organ mechanic, who
came here from portales, is in
charge of the installation of the or-
gan.

Plains Liquefied

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LITTLEFIELD

Lubbock General Clinic Hospital

Formerly Lubbock Sanitarium Clinic

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H. E. Mast, M.D. (Urology)

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Ben B. Hutchinson, M.D.*
E. M. Blake, M.D. (Allergy)

INFANTS AND CHILDREN

M. C. Overton, M.D.
Arthur Jenkins, M.D.

INTERNAL MEDICINE

W. H. Gordon, M.D.*
R. H. McCarty, M.D. (Cardiology)
*In U. S. Army Service

Clifford E. Hunt, Superintendent

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One way you can help to win the
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Congratulations!

SENIORS

And Best Wishes To All of
Lamb County's '42 Graduates!

We join you in being proud of your accomplish-
ment!

We congratulate you, your parents, and your
friends on your successful completion of one of
the most important chapters of your life!
Good luck, Classes of '42!



THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

LITTLEFIELD

Rules Governing Motor Vehicles Explained At Meet

Rules and regulations governing operation of practically all motor vehicles except passenger cars, affecting in one way or another close to 100 per cent of the American people, were explained at Lubbock Saturday in an open meeting by S. J. Cole, field manager of the Motor Transportation division of the Office of Defense Transportation.

Four general orders have been issued by the Office of Defense Transportation Cole told the group. These affect operation of every type of rubber-tired vehicle except passenger cars, from purely local deliveries to trans-continental common carrier freight service. Order No. 3 involves common carriers, order No. 4 contract carriers, order No. 5 over-the-road private carriers, and order No. 6 local deliveries.

Order No. 5—Private Carriers:
This order makes no distinction in commodities handled or in types of trucks involved, with a very few exemptions. Efforts have been made to show no favor or disfavor for any particular traffic. A private carrier is defined broadly as any person or firm operating a truck for hire that is not a common carrier or contract carrier.

Trucks exempted from compliance with this order are: those used exclusively for explosives or dangerous articles, those controlled and operated by farmers in transporting agricultural products from or to farms, those used exclusively in maintenance of public utilities, or for public health and safety, those controlled or operated by the armed forces of the state or nation, and those coming within the definition of "special equipment."

Two primary rules were emphasized as required to be met by all other private carrier trucks: 1. The route used must not be over 10 per cent longer than the most direct practical route. 2. Trucks in operation in over-the-road service (more than 15 miles) must be loaded to capacity at original point and be loaded to not less than 75 per cent capacity on the return trip. Or they may be loaded at origin 75 per cent and 100 per cent capacity on the return. No intermediate point at which a portion of the load had been discharged shall be deemed to be a point of origin. The point at which the last portion of the load was discharged shall be the point of beginning of the return trip. Trucks, however, can move empty from point of final discharge of load to a nearby point where traffic is available for loading, if such traffic cannot be transported by any other carrier under the return load provision.

Order No. 6.—Local delivery:
This order involves all rubber-tired vehicles, drawn by mechanical power or by horses, except a few exemptions. Local delivery is defined to mean delivery within any community, or between contiguous municipalities or communities, or adjacent to or a part of a community, in hauls which do not exceed 15 miles.

The load capacity or return load provisions are not in effect on local deliveries.
Principal provisions are: 1. Not more than one delivery in one day can be made to one person, except special deliveries which are defined as needs by hospitals, the armed forces and deliveries of medicine or other necessary supplies for protection in emergencies of the public health, life and safety. 2. Operators must reduce delivery mileage by 25 per cent compared with the same month of 1941.

This latter provision means total mileage operated, since in the case of a fleet of trucks, some of the vehicles operated, may be taken out of service and those remaining allowed to absorb mileage of those removed.

Trucks in the local delivery classification exempted from compliance are: Construction and maintenance of communications, power and light, gas, water supply, sewage and garbage disposal, and sanitation services; those controlled or operated by the armed forces or state or nation; those controlled and operated for hauling farm supplies to or from farms; those engaged in pickup and delivery service for line-haul motor, rail express, air and water carriers, or for freight forwarders; and those operating by special permit from the ODT.

All others must abide rigidly by the order, Mr. Cole told the group, in spite of real or fancied hardships. He suggested that each industry should work out its own problems, perhaps working out some form of pool delivery, and thus avert possible unfair competition. He warned, however, that these should be submitted to the ODT for approval in order to avert any violation of the anti-trust laws.

The only purpose of the orders, he said, is to conserve tires and equipment. Thus, he said, the local delivery order involves service establishments as well as commodity delivery.

In answer to a question from the floor, "Isn't the private carrier taken off the road?" by order No. 5, Cole remarked that "if it doesn't, it won't accomplish the purpose of cutting down empty-returns by trucks."

Can a bread truck haul bread to a town 30 miles out and return empty, another asked. The answer was No.

Another question brought the answer that if a truck cannot move a full shipment consigned to one place in one load, other trips may be made and considered as one delivery.

It was announced that copies of the above four orders would be available at Chamber of Commerce offices in cities over the South Plains.

Colombia Shows Us



Capt. Roberto Barbour of the Colombian army is ready to drop a projectile in the trench mortar which he and a group of fellow army officers invented. The weapon has been offered the U. S., and this picture was made during the tests carried out at the proving grounds at Aberdeen, Md.

Sees Son First Time



Lieut. John D. Bulkeley, hero of the torpedo boat squadron attack on the Jap navy in the far Pacific, is shown outside of his Sunnyside (New York city) home with his wife Hilda, getting his first look at his new-born son, John D. Jr. Bulkeley and three companions are in the United States—national heroes—after their successful forays against Jap warships.

Baccalaureate Address To Amherst Seniors Sunday

Baccalaureate services for the graduating class of the Amherst High School were conducted at the high school auditorium Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, with Rev. L. S. Jenkins, pastor of the Amherst Baptist Church, delivering the message to the seniors.

The student making the highest average and receiving the distinction of being Valedictorian of the Senior Class was Ader Lina Bench, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Bench, and Vernie Mae Scott is the Salutatorian of the class, having made the second highest grade average.

Attend Meeting Of Lions Club

Mr. and Mrs. Earl F. Wilson attended the District 2T convention, Lions International, which was held at Odessa Sunday, Monday and Tuesday. Mr. Wilson is president of the Littlefield Lions Club. Murray H. Fly of Odessa was elected governor of the district, succeeding H. C. Pender of Lubbock.

Too Late To Classify

FOR SALE—Good, used bicycle. Good rubber. Must sell. See C. S. Chappell at Compress. 8-1tp

FOR RENT—Improved farm for rent for cash 3 miles north of Littlefield. See Joe Pat Hart. 8-1t-p

WANTED—Farm hand and wife to work and live on place. See W. E. Bass. 8-1tc



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CARROTS
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Buy This BIG VALUE
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Salad Dressing—29c
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SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY and SATURDAY AT EDDINS

P & G WHITE NAPHTHA SOAP 6 Bars 25c	CATSUP— KUNER'S—16 OZ. CAN... 10c	Rinso RINSO Large Box 21c
	PINEAPPLE— FRESH—EACH... 23c	
	ORANGES— CALIFORNIA—DOZEN... 15c	

1 GRAPENUT FLAKES, and 1 POST RAISIN BRAN, Both For 19c

Sunny Boy FLOUR 48 Lbs. \$1.79 24 Lbs. 98c	Fresh Tomatoes NO. 1—PINKS LB. 7½c
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BRING IN YOUR SWAN COUPONS WE GLADLY REDEEM THEM
SWAN SOAP LARGE BAR 10c

CRACKERS— GULF—2 LB. BOX... 17½c	Fruit Cocktail— GOLD BAR—9 OZ. CAN... 10c	PEARS— Selina Bartlett, in heavy syrup No. 2½ CAN... 21c
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POTATOES NO. 1 NEW—LB. 5c	Blackeyed Peas Fresh Lb. 7c
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HIGHLAND OATS LARGE BOX—PREMIUM FREE **25c**

FOLGER'S COFFEE LB. 32c	SYRUP— DELTA—GALLON... 55c	Squash 5c
MILK 25c	Grapefruit Juice 19c WHITE SWAN—46 Oz. Can	WHITE OR YELLOW, LB.
	ONIONS— WHITE BERMUDA—LB.... 5c	JELLO 20c
	CUCUMBERS— LB. 5c	3 Assorted Flavors
	Baking Powder— 19c Clabber Girl—25 Oz. Can...	

BACON BOSS BRAND, SLICED, SUGAR CURED, LB. **20c**

CHICKENS, Fresh Dressed Fryers, Lb. 43c

LIVER, Fresh Pig, Lb. 20c | **OLEO, Maybelle, Fresh, Lb. 18½c**

Kraft Cheese American or Velveeta, 2 Lb. Box **55c**