

CHRISTMAS VICTORY PARTY AND BOND RALLY HERE TUESDAY NIGHT

SOUTH PLAINS GRAIN SORGHUM SEEDS TO BE SHIPPED TO RUSSIA

Seed Growers Asked To Contribute To Russian Relief

"Replant The Scorched Earth" Is Slogan For RWR Seed Committee

Definite plans will be completed in the near future for the shipping of a carload of grain sorghum seeds from the South Plains direct to Russia, W. H. Cunningham, of near Littlefield, announced this week.

Mr. Cunningham is president of the State Certified Seed Growers' Association, and he met with a representative of the Russian government in Dallas recently, when plans were made to ship seeds to the stricken country.

The State Department of Agriculture is cooperating with the National Government in the project, Mr. Cunningham said, and President Roosevelt recently appointed a committee to work with seed growers in the various states for the relief to Russia.

This committee has adopted the slogan, "Replant the Scorched Earth," and the Russian representative who visited the States was highly pleased with samples of seeds grown on the high plains, Mr. Cunningham added.

Seeds that are to be shipped include milo, kaffir, hegari, and especially cane and sudan seeds, and will be donations from seed growers, Mr. Cunningham said, but the Russian government has arranged to defray expenses for freight for shipping the seeds.

Tags on the sacks of seed will be printed in the English and Russian languages, stating the name of the donor, and the county and state from which they are shipped.

Anyone wishing to donate seed to "Replant the Scorched Earth" in Russia, is urged to contact Mr. Cunningham or R. L. King, local vocational agriculture teacher. It has been announced that a carload of seeds will be shipped from the South Plains in the very near future.

Littlefield Fire Chief Injured

A transient family narrowly escaped serious injury Wednesday afternoon when the trailer house, hitched to their car, caught fire from a small stove.

A woman and her daughter were riding in the trailer house, while her husband was driving the car. The fire occurred on the Pep highway, just east of the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ware.

The trailer house was demolished by the fire before the local fire department could reach the scene.

Bob Cox, local fire chief, sustained injuries to his right knee and right side, as the local fireman dumped the debris from the trailer house into the bar ditch, to remove it from the highway.

Owners of the car and trailer had been west of here pulling cotton and were enroute home, it was reported.

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Bobbie Taylor Takes Part In French Morocco Invasion

Bobbie Taylor, Radio Specialist, 2nd Class, in the Navy since March 2 this year, has undergone his baptism of fire, according to a letter received from him by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Taylor, residents of this city.

Attached to the Naval Air Corps, Bobbie took part in the invasion of French Morocco, North Africa.

Bobbie was in the combat zone for a week, and spent considerable time in the air as radioman and gunner. As he described it, resistance "was not very strong and consisted chiefly of anti-aircraft fire."

Returning to the United States, Bobbie immediately wired his parents of his safety and whereabouts, and a few days later his letter was received.

Bobbie had lived in Littlefield with his parents since the family moved here about 12 years ago, and is a graduate of the local schools. For two years prior to his enlistment in the Navy, Bobbie had studied radio at home, and was the proud possessor of a Class "A" amateur radio operator's license.

Because of his radio experience, Bobbie was taken into the Navy



BOBBIE TAYLOR

with a specialist's rating and was sent to school for six months for additional training. During this training period he was stationed at Stillwater, Okla., and at Corpus Christi, Texas, being transferred, after completion of his studies, to a Naval base and thence to active duty.

Appointed Tire Inspector

H. B. Hutson, who operates a store and service station at Yellow House Switch, has been appointed an official government tire inspector. This appointment was made by the Lamb County Rationing Board.

Quick Results Received From Leader Ads

It Pays to Advertise in the Lamb County Leader!

In an advertisement published in last week's issue of the Leader, the Graham Furniture Store advertised a "Special Bargain" price on a slightly used New Perfection Oil range.

The Leader, in accordance with our regular program of distribution, went to all subscribers on the rural and star routes early Thursday morning, and Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Fowler, who reside on Route 2, received the paper, read the ad, and immediately came to Littlefield to purchase the stove.

J. H. Graham, owner and operator of the store, reported that Mr. and Mrs. Fowler arrived at his store before noon and the purchase of the stove was soon completed.

THIS IS JUST ONE OF COUNTLESS NUMBERS OF REPORTS RECEIVED BY THE LAMB COUNTY LEADER OF QUICK, EFFECTIVE, AND SATISFACTORY RESULTS OBTAINED THROUGH ADVERTISING IN THE LEADER.

War Bond Rally At Spade Friday Huge Success

Bond Sales Total \$3,132.60; Victory Queen Is Crowned

One of the most enthusiastic affairs to be staged in Lamb County recently was the Bond Rally Friday night at the Spade High School, when a total of \$3,132.60 was raised in the sale of War Bonds and Stamps.

In connection with the bond rally, which was a county and community affair, was a pie and box supper and the crowning of a Victory Queen.

R. L. Davidson, superintendent of the Spade school, reported that the total number of bonds sold in the drive, which lasted two days, was \$2,725.00, and Savings stamps sales totalled \$407.60.

Net proceeds from the pie and box supper totalled \$27.60. The Junior class sponsored the pie and box supper.

Miss Arlean Streety, sophomore candidate, won in a contest and was crowned Victory Queen. Sophomore King was Robert Stokes, and their attendants were June Heard, and James McCoy, other sophomore students.

The sophomores led in the Victory Queen Contest with a count of 77,411 votes. The senior class was second, with 70,541. The Junior class candidate received 60,486 votes, and the Freshman candidate 33,091 votes.

The Senior Queen was Elizabeth Hall and King was Sonny Darby. Their attendants were Clara Ann Anderson and Junior Hood.

The Junior Queen was Tiny Wren and King was J. A. Stubblefield. Their attendants were Jo Ann Stubblefield and Leon Davidson.

The Freshman Queen was Joyce Phillips and the King was O. D. Brown. The attendants were Virginia Streety and Jack Grants.

The Crown Bearer was Harold Byers and the flower girl was Ear-

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Victory Concert To Be Staged Tonight

Mrs. J. D. Armistead, instructor of the Littlefield High School Band, announced Wednesday that the second of a series of eight Victory Concerts would be staged tonight, Thursday, opening at 8 o'clock, at the High School Auditorium.

The Junior High School Chorus, which has been recently organized, will make its first public appearance Thursday night. One hundred students of the Junior High School will take part in the chorus at this Victory Concert.

The program will include the following:

Introductory remarks—Supt. F. A. Hemphill.

Processional for Chorus.

Pledge to Flag.

"Star-Spangled Banner," "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear," "Silent Night," "Hark the Herald Angel Sings," "Ah, Little Town of Bethlehem," "Ah, Come All Ye Faithful," "Joy to the World"—by the Junior Chorus.

"V for Victory," "Sleep of the Infant Jesus," "Jesus Is Born," "Holy Night"—by Senior Chorus.

Solo, "Holy City"—by Miss Regina Evans.

Report on Stamp and Bond sales—Pat Boone, County Chairman.

"Chapel Shrine," "White Christmas," "Desert Song," "Normandie Chimes," "Marching Along"—by Senior Band.

Postmaster W. D. T. Storey and Mr. Boone will be present to handle the bond and stamp sales.

Band Mothers will meet following the program in the Study Hall.

Band Music To Open Patriotic Event At 8 o'Clock At Rio

Ross Bigham, Lubbock, Who Has Seen Foreign Service, To Make Talk

At a meeting of the County and Local War Bond Committee members held at the office of Postmaster W. D. T. Storey in the Post Office building Monday evening, presided over by L. C. Hewitt, local chairman, plans were made for the staging of a Christmas Victory Party and Bond Rally Tuesday, December 22.

This patriotic gathering will be held in the Rio Theatre, located across the street from Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Company, and will open at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening, with several patriotic numbers by the local High School Band, with Mrs. J. D. Armistead as Band Director.

Ross Bigham of Lubbock, who has been in active service in the Solomon Islands, including Guadalcanal, and has been honorably discharged from military service, on account of his health, is expected to be the guest speaker at the Bond Rally Tuesday evening.

It is also expected that others who have been in service overseas will be present Tuesday night.

Also included in the program for the evening will be solos by Charles Signor of the West Texas Cotton Mill; patriotic songs by the entire group; and an old style Country store, at which packages will be given free to visitors at the Victory Party.

Representatives from the First National Bank and local post office will be present at the Rally to handle the selling of Bonds and Stamps.

In an interview with Pat Boone, Chairman of the Lamb County War Bond Committee, he stated that it was hoped to sell \$15,000 worth of bonds and stamps Tuesday night. He said people were responding very well, and that they were going to do their very best to sell as many bonds as possible before the end of the year. The quota for December is \$47,400.

County Officers To Be Sworn In Dec. 31

New County Officers will be sworn in at Olton Thursday, December 31.

I. B. (Dock) Holt will take over the duties of County Judge after serving the County as Tax Assessor-Collector.

H. A. Hysinger of Olton will serve as Commissioner of Precinct No. 1; Sam Cearley as Commissioner of Precinct No. 2; W. E. Bentley of Spade as Commissioner of Precinct No. 3; and Jack Yarbrough of South of Amherst as Commissioner of Precinct No. 4.

Herbert Dunn will be the new District Clerk. Frank Cummings will assume the duties of Tax Assessor-Collector; E. S. Rowe as County Attorney; and J. Ernest Jones as County School Superintendent.

Succeeding themselves in the County offices, and who will continue with their respective duties, are: Otha Dent as County Clerk; Mrs. Ann Blythe as County Treasurer; and Sam Hutson as Sheriff.

FFA-FHT Members, Guests Attend Christmas Party

About 80 members and guests attended the F.F.A. and F.H.T. Christmas party and program Monday night, Dec. 14, which opened at 8 o'clock.

In order to conserve rubber and gasoline each Chapter held their regular meeting preceding the program.

The business meeting of the F.F.A. opened with the opening ceremony, Carroll Wilson acting as President.

Following the opening ceremony, the business meeting was in charge of Norbin Taylor, vice-president.

A report on the Chapter library was given by Estle Willingham, Chairman of the Library Committee.

The motion was made and carried

to hold a Father and Son Banquet in the Spring. A committee composed of Claud Pool, Hubert Gohlke, and Leslie Lichte were appointed to make arrangements.

The meeting was closed with the

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JEWELRY CLOCKS WATCHES

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Marketing Quota Referendum Carries Lamb County

Votes Cast For, With Against, or 77 Per Favoring Program

Place	For	Against
Littlefield	265	41
Spade	59	9
Olton	123	49
Stokes	56	12
Wagon Wheel	22	9
Wagon Wheel	25	6
Wagon Wheel	63	25
Wagon Wheel	28	13
Wagon Wheel	37	18
Wagon Wheel	15	13
Wagon Wheel	33	2
Wagon Wheel	24	8
Wagon Wheel	5	2

Ernest W. Skinner, Was Son Of Mr. Mrs. Of Spring Lake

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McCoy To Have Auction Sale

McCoy is advertising an auction sale for Monday, December 14, at a farm nine miles east of Littlefield, and one mile south and west of Spade school.

An Emergency Receipt Form R-555 Discontinued

The Board of War Price and whose certificates of War Necessity receipt Form R-555, fense Transportation contained emergencies involving life, health and ODT for additional mileage because, property, was discontinued, as originally issued, such certificates did not allow sufficient gasoline for the certificate holder's essential business. This also applies to farmers who have not been issued rations on November 25, when it for their tractors.

KEEP STOCKPILES OF SCRAP GROWING RAPIDLY

Cause For Alarm

The success of many local drives has inevitably resulted in large accumulations of scrap at collection depots in all parts of the country. And these large stockpiles have in turn been the cause of misinformation and apprehension on the part of the general public. In some instances, the size of these piles of scrap created the mistaken impression that the need for scrap was not as urgent as it was represented to be because it was not being moved as fast as it came in. These mistaken ideas must be corrected at once.

As R. K. White, Chief of the WPB General Salvage Section, points out, "community scrap piles can be likened to the corn in a farmer's crib. The fact that this corn is not being fed at the moment is no indication that the farmer grew more corn than he needed. It is simply being held in storage against the day when it will be required by his livestock."

It is essential that the public fully understand the true meaning of the growing scrap piles now springing up all over the country. The purpose of scrap drives is to build up an immense reservoir of easily accessible scrap which the steel mills can draw on throughout the winter months to maintain steel production at capacity. That point cannot be emphasized too often. Finally it must be driven home that dwindling stockpiles, and not growing stockpiles, are cause for alarm.

A woman no longer needs to fly into a temper or feel bad at the sight of a run in her stocking. She can feel useful and patriotic by peeling that stocking and its mate and donating them for use in making smokeless powder bags for the armed services. And from all reports women all over the country are doing just that.

In Denver the Goodwill Industries, Inc., started the ball rolling with the donation of seven bags of stockings, a total of more than 175 pounds of embry gunpowder bags and parachutes.

Twenty members of the West Side Defense Council, New York, tied hundreds of pairs of hose in a daisy chain and walked up Broadway distributing leaflets which urged women to send their discarded hosiery off to war.

The Business and Professional Women's Club in Raleigh, N. C., reported a ton of scrap collected, part of it at a free show sponsored by the club at a local theatre. Proceeds from the sale of metal will go to Chinese relief.

George Ann Wallace Named By Uncle In Marines, Pearl Harbor

Little Miss George Ann Wallace, who was born to Mr. and Mrs. George Wallace of Spring Lake, last Tuesday morning, December 8, at the Payne-Shotwell Hospital, received her name from an uncle, Gordon Poling, of the U. S. Marines in Pearl Harbor, and brother to Mrs. Wallace.

And—George Ann received two lovely little hand-made bibs from another uncle, Carlton Poling of the Seabees, who is somewhere in the vicinity of the Solomon Islands. He sent the bibs, which were made by a Frenchman on New Caledonia Island, before George Ann arrived,

and with the bibs, he sent two boys names. (He just knew his sister and brother-in-law would have another son, as they only have three, Jerry, Andy and Glenn.)

We're sure when Miss George Ann grows up and is a young lady that she will say, "My! My! How those uncles of mine do yet around!"

Another uncle, and brother to the ones in the Pacific area, is Gene Poling of Hobart, Okla., who returned to the United States in 1938 from Spain, where he spent 18 months in a concentration camp, during the reign of Franco. He went to Spain with 200 other students from Oklahoma Colleges in 1936, as he was so bitter against fascist Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace have lived in Lamb county quite a number of years, and Mrs. Wallace was formerly employed as correspondent for

Christmas Necessary Holiday

WPB Chairman Nelson has issued the following statement:

"During this year of war there have been no full holidays in war production. . . . It has been necessary to do this, because of the overwhelming need to turn out munitions and essential equipment in the greatest possible volume without delays or interruption, and the country has recognized this need and has met it.

"Now we come to the Christmas holiday. I believe that this day should be the one exception to the rule which has been observed thus far.

"More than ever before in our lives, I suppose, we need this year to pause from our labors on Christmas Day and think deeply and humbly about the faith by which we live, in order that from the profound promise of this day we may draw the hope and the vision which we must have. On the birthday of the Prince of Peace we can and should rest from the production of the weapons of war. . . .

"After the holiday, we must drive ahead with renewed energy for the increased production job of 1943—a bigger job than we have ever faced before."

The Chicago Heights (Ill.) fats and grease salvage committee collected 1,137 pounds of waste kitchen fats in a one-month campaign, according to Mrs. Edna Graham, field representative of the salvage division, Illinois State Council of Defense.

One hundred shells, deadly souvenirs of the War Between the States, were recently resurrected by Mrs. J. A. Kuriger, Jackson, Miss., and turned over to the local salvage committee. The shells, shown at the St. Louis and San Francisco World Fair Expositions years ago, were buried in Mrs. Kuriger's back yard.

Mrs. Robert Ives of Topeka, Kans., has organized her own crew in collection of metal scrap. With four students to help her, she is trucking scrap from the neighborhood to the school grounds.

In Northern and Central Utah, women who do not have to assist in harvesting crops have been harvesting scrap metal so that the men can devote their entire time in the fields.

As an old paper hanger, Hitler should be interested in the way the American public is plastering things up with Defense Stamps and Bonds.

KENNETH BECKHAM SELLS INTEREST IN DININGROOM

Mrs. B. M. Hughes has purchased the interest of Kenneth Beckham in the Littlefield Hotel Diningroom, and is now sole owner.

Mr. Beckham plans on entering the armed forces in January as a cadet in the air corps. In the meantime he is employed at the Cobb Dept. Store.

Mr. Beckham asked the Leader to express his appreciation and thanks to his friends and others who have given him and Mrs. Hughes their business while they have been operating the Littlefield Hotel Diningroom.

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Gems of Thought

Times of general calamity and confusion have ever been productive of the greatest minds. The purest ore is produced from the hottest furnace, and the brightest thunderbolt from the darkest storm. —Colton.

Blessings are upon the head of the just. —Proverbs 10:6.

Would you be exempt from uneasiness; do nothing you know or even suspect is wrong. —Rules of Life.

Let a man try faithfully, manfully to be right, he will daily grow more and more right. It is at the bottom of the condition on which all men have to cultivate themselves. —Carlyle.

Proceeds Total \$31 From Junior Class Play At Bula

The Junior Class of the Bula High School netted approximately \$31 last Friday night, when they presented a three-act comedy, "Free

Advice," at the school auditorium.

Miss Blanche Wales directed the play, and she announced last week end that she wished to thank all the people of the Bula community in behalf of the junior class, for the fine response given at the play.

The senior class will present a three-act play, "One Delirious Night," next Wednesday night, December 23, at the high school auditorium. Carl Macon, superintendent of the school, is director of the play.

Everyone is urged and invited to attend.

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With South Plains Men In U. S. Service

W. W. Henegar received a letter from her son, Sgt. James Henegar, dated November 29, the first she had heard since the last of September.

James enlisted in the Army two and one-half years ago. He was only 18 years old when he was drafted. He is doing well and his whereabouts is unknown.

T. Pierce of the U. S. Army Air Corps, stationed at Littlefield, Va., has been transferred to Littlefield, Va.

Pierce recently had 72 hours of leave and arrived home Saturday, December 12, leaving again the following Sunday. He is the son of Mrs. V. B. Pierce of Colton, Va. While here a group of relatives spent the day in the home.

Robert Earl Guthrie, who is in the Army Air Corps, stationed at Littlefield, Ore., arrived in Littlefield recently for a visit. His mother, Mrs. Joe Guthrie, has been residing here, left for Oregon. Mrs. Guthrie left her home at Pendleton, Ore. Guthrie is stationed there.

Lilly O. Montgomery of 77 southwest of town was happy

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last week to receive several letters from her son, Sgt. Clyde Montgomery, from somewhere in Africa. She had not heard from him since September. Three letters arrived last week and one letter Monday.

Sgt. Montgomery is believed to be in the Medical Corps. He has been in the Armed Forces since February. In his last letter he stated that he had received her letters but had not received her Christmas gifts. Enclosed in one of his letters was the following poem written by him:

I can't write a thing,
The censor's to blame.
Just say that I am well,
And sign my name.

Can't tell where we sailed from,
Can't mention the date,
Can't say where we are going,
Don't know where we will land.

Can't mention the weather,
Can't say there is rain.
All military secrets must secret remain,

Can't have a flashlight,
To guide me at night;
Can't smoke a cigarette,
Except out of sight.

Can't keep a diary,
For such is a sin;
And can't keep the envelopes
Your letters come in.

Can't say for sure, folks,
What I can write;
So I will call this my letter,
And close with "Goodnight."

Pvt. Mike E. Brewer, who has been at Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, the past four weeks, was transferred last week to Lowry Field, near Denver, Colo., where he will attend school the next three months. He will study in the photographic division of the air corps.

Mrs. Buck Teague and Mrs. Wayne Bryan accompanied Mr.

The Men Who "Keep 'Em Flying"



The men who will "keep 'em flying" for Uncle Sam are the mechanics and service specialists of the Air Force Technical Training Command. Learning by doing, they are being trained by service experts in such centers as Chevrolet's Pratt & Whitney Engine Overhaul School, which occupies an entire building in Detroit. Here every three weeks 150 Air Force mechanics are graduated to swell the ranks of the ground crews that keep America's planes aloft. Soon that number will be doubled, as Chevrolet expands its staff of trained instructors. Above, a typical group of Air Force mechanics in one of the 30 individual workshops in the new school gets the "feel" of the P&W service operations.

Teague to Amarillo Tuesday of last week, where he boarded a train for Camp Forrest, Tennessee, where he has been stationed. Mr. Teague, former manager of the Doggett Grain Company, was home on a ten day leave. On his return to camp he expected to be granted the ranking of Mess Sergeant. Mrs. Teague is managing the grain company in the absence of Mr. Teague in the Armed Forces.

Pvt. Doyle Sewell arrived in Littlefield Monday of last week for a 7-day visit with his wife, and other relatives. He is in the Army Air Corps, and is now stationed at Ogden, Utah. He recently completed training at a specialists' school at Oakland, Calif.

Pvt. Herman T. Roper of the U. S. Army, who is stationed at the present time at Camp Edwards, Mass., is home on a 15 day furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Roper, Route 1, Littlefield.

Cadet Leo Eugene Stubblefield, who has been stationed at Randolph Field, San Antonio, Texas, enroute to an advanced school, in Mission, Texas, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Stubblefield of the Spade community Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

As announced by the Office of Special Services, Tank Destroyer Replacement Training Center, Camp Hood, Texas, Sylvester H. Greener, formerly of Littlefield, has been promoted from the rank of Private to that of Corporal, and is assigned at Camp Hood to the Army's only Tank Destroyer Replacement Training Center.

The motto of this vital branch of the service is "Seek-Strike-Destroy."

Tech. Sgt. Walter Rinn, who is stationed at Luis Obispo, Calif., arrived in Littlefield Friday on a 12-day furlough to visit friends. He also visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rinn, of Stamford, Texas.

Pvt. Billy Qualls from somewhere in New Guinea wrote his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Qualls, recently to the effect that he was enjoying reading the Leader very much, and asked his mother to come to the Lamb County Leader office and thank the management for sending the paper to him. Thank you, Pvt. Qualls—As Pat would say, "We appreciate your appreciation."

Pvt. Qualls has been in the Armed Forces with the Engineers for the past two years. He was stationed at Camp Brownwood last year and spent Christmas Day with his parents, who live 6 1/2 miles north-east of town.

T. A. Hilburn, who is attending Officers Training School in Durham, North Carolina, at the Duke University, will complete his studies in February, and is expected to then visit Littlefield.

This is almost a believe it or not story!

Pvt. Carl Nixon, brother to Roy Nixon and former resident of Littlefield, was inducted into the Army last August and sent to Fort Bliss, near El Paso. He was assigned to the infantry division, and sent from Fort Bliss to Camp Roberts, Calif., where he is now stationed.

Pvt. Claude Nixon, brother to Carl and Roy, was inducted into the Army two weeks ago at Fort Bliss, and was assigned to the infantry. He was then sent direct to Camp Roberts, Calif., and when his brother here received a letter from him last week end, he reported that he was in the same barracks with Pvt. Carl Nixon.

Both of the boys have lived in Portales, N. M., the past several years.

Adding Machine Paper at the Leader Office.

No Change In Tax Rate On Federal Old-Age On Jan 1.

Employers were put on notice today in a statement issued by W. A. Thomas, Collector of Internal Revenue, Second District of Texas, that there will be no change in the tax rate on Federal Old-Age and Survivors Insurance on January 1, 1943, as had been anticipated.

Under the provisions of the Revenue Act of 1942 passed by Congress and signed by the President on October 21, the tax rate remains at 1 per cent on payrolls of employers and 1 per cent on wages paid to employees which must be deducted by the employer and reported to the collector of internal revenue, according to Thomas.

"Offices of the Social Security Board located in different cities in my district have received numerous inquiries regarding the proposed increase which was originally scheduled to double the tax in 1943," said Thomas. "Official notice will be mailed out to all employers in due time announcing the 'freezing' of the old-age and survivors insurance tax for the year of 1943. In the meantime, employers have no cause to worry about an increase. Reports will continue to be made as usual and in the same manner, making certain that each employer reports the account number of each employee and the amount of wages paid each employee."

It was emphasized by the collector of internal revenue that collection of taxes under the Social Security Act is the responsibility of the Bureau of Internal Revenue and not the Social Security Board. All reports should be mailed to the office of the collector in Dallas.

The fellow who used to walk a barbed wire bare-foot with a wildcat under each arm is now married to a little red-haired woman who makes him do the dishes three times a day.

"WAKE ISLAND" AT PALACE THEATRE SAT. MIDNIGHT, CONTINUING THREE DAYS

The ingenuity, resourcefulness and bravery with which American Marines met the attacks of Jap forces by land, sea and air, is re-enacted with compelling realism in "Wake Island," Paramount's film dramatization of the Leathernecks' inspiring stand against the enemy for 14 days.

The clever ruses used to outwit the Japs and stave off invasion for two weeks form part of the story told in "Wake Island," which comes to the Palace Theatre Saturday midnight, continuing through Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, with Brian Donlevy, Robert Preston, Macdonald Carey, Albert Dekker, Walter Abel, Barbara Britton and William Bendix in leading roles. Full credit for the story is given to the Marines, for the picture's credit line reads: "Original Story By the United States Marines."

When the Japs came over on that bright, sunny December morning, they concentrated their attack only on limited areas of Wake Island. When the planes returned to the assault a second time, they rained their bombs down on another area, not previously bombed. It was "checkerboard" bombing, designed to systematically reduce to ruins the entire isle with methodical relentlessness.

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Students Approve All-Purpose Cotton



The popularity of all-purpose cotton is booming on the campus of Texas State College for Women, Denton. Joe Ann Wakefield, freshman, models three cotton outfits designed and constructed by students making a special study of cotton clothing. At left, she wears a hollow cut velvet jacket in honey beige over a brown, green and gold plaid gingham frock. The hat is of dark brown corduroy to match shoes of dark green and brown in the same fabric. Center, she wears slacks and jacket of light beige corduroy with a crew-necked, long-sleeved shirt of knitted cotton jersey. The suit at right is a narrow-wale cotton corduroy and is lined with striped gingham. The hat is a close fitting one made of bias folds of corduroy and trimmed with bias cords tipped with brown wooden beads.

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Approaching Marriage Of Miss Scivally And Sgt. Blackwell Announced

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Scivally of Fieldton announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Marion, to Sgt. Paul W. Blackwell at a seated tea given in the home of her aunt, Mrs. R. A. Sullivan, at Fieldton Tuesday afternoon.

The marriage will take place Sunday, December 20, at the First Baptist Church, Seattle, Washington.

The bride-to-be left here Wednesday by train for Seattle, and is scheduled to arrive Sunday.

The Sullivan home was beautifully decorated in Christmas colors.

Mrs. Sullivan was ably assisted in the serving by Mrs. C. G. Barnett.

Miss Scivally is a graduate of Littlefield High School with the class of 1941.

Sgt. Blackwell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Blackwell of Whitharral. He has been in military service since 1939, and is now stationed at Seattle, where they will make their home for the present.

Guests present were: Mesdames G. R. Adams, Earl Lamb, Lee Marshall, W. R. Marshall, R. A. Reed, M. J. Tomlinson, C. G. Barnett, S. G. Cowan, John Briscoe, Ray Buck, A. H. Scivally, and the hostess, Mrs. R. A. Sullivan.

Those sending gifts, but unable

to be present, were: Mesdames Davis, Wayne Barnett, Jim Pool, Jeanie Williams, Dock Laster, Pool, W. E. Owens and Qualls.

Miss Webb And Pvt. Graham Wed Friday At Wichita Falls

Miss Afena Beth Webb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Webb, and Pvt. Efton Graham, son of Mrs. O. B. Graham, were married at Wichita Falls Friday last.

The ring ceremony was performed Friday night, about 9 o'clock at the home of the officiating minister of the Church of Christ, Jones, Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Graham has returned to Littlefield, and will continue work at Perry Bros., where she has been employed for the past months.

Pvt. Graham attended Littlefield High School. He was employed at the Palace Theatre previous to listing in the Air Corps last summer. He has been stationed at Wichita Falls, where he is taking technical training.



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Miss Audry Ray And Edwin Brown Wed At Farwell Dec. 9

The marriage of Miss Audry Ray and Edwin Brown was solemnized in a beautiful double ring ceremony at 6:30 p. m. Wednesday, December 9, at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Paul H. Tripp at Farwell, Texas. Rev. Tripp, Methodist minister, officiated at the ceremony.

The couple was attended by the bride's mother, Mrs. A. W. Ray, and her uncle, F. Ray, both of Littlefield, and James Blanton of Pampa.

The bride was attired in a lovely light blue dress with black accessories. For "something old" she wore a ring belonging to her grandmother, the late Mrs. J. R. Ray.

She is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Ray, long-time residents of Littlefield, and was a junior student in the local high school.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Brown of the Spade community, and is a graduate of the Spade high school.

The happy couple will leave Friday for a week's stay in San Antonio, after which they will return to reside on a farm near Spade.

A bridal shower complimenting Mr. and Mrs. Brown will be given tonight, Thursday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Minor in Littlefield.

Lamb Connty R. E. A. Personnell Enjoy Dinner And Theatre Party

Members of the office personnell of the Lamb County Electric Coop. and their husbands and wives enjoyed a dinner and Theatre party Wednesday evening, with Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Woodall as host and hostess.

Dinner was served the group at the Batton Hotel, following which they attended the Palace Theatre evening attraction, after which they enjoyed a Christmas Tree and exchange of gifts at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Woodall in the Duggan Addition.

Present were: Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Jeanie Williams, Mrs. Dick Carl, Mrs. Mitchell Sisson, and Mr. and Mrs. Woodall.

Eastern Stars To Enjoy Short Program Tuesday Evening

In place of the usual Christmas party, Eastern Star members Tuesday evening will enjoy a short program, when each member is urged to bring a white gift.

After singing carols the members will join the Victory party and Bond Rally at the Rio Theatre.

Mrs. A. F. Moore Honored At Shower Tuesday Afternoon

Mrs. C. R. Cox and Miss Sydney Yantis were hostesses Tuesday afternoon at a shower at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Clark, honoring Mrs. A. F. Moore, the former Miss Corinne Alexander.

The honoree received a lovely array of gifts.

Those present were: Mesdames Aubrey C. Lloyd, E. Wallace, H. A. Collins, Jack Rowan, M. A. Gamble, M. V. Exum, Abe Becker, E. E. Alexander, Roy Blessing, Bill Clark, Ed. Womack, Charlie Clark and C. E. Cowan.

Those sending gifts but unable to attend were: Mesdames Bill Scalorn, O. K. Yantis, Jr., J. C. Houk, J. L. Cochran, Clay Pumphrey, and Misses Thelma Hukel, Fay Smith and Lucy Robinson.

Just received a large shipment of office supplies at the Leader Office.

Gingham Is Dressy



Wonders are worked with cotton gingham in the hat and glove combination worn by Evelyn Keyes, lovely Columbia pictures player. Two blue and white checked pom-poms are tucked in with red and white ones for the large fluff that is tied to the head by a wide band of gingham. The gloves are red and white checked gingham.

Primary P.T.A. Meets Wednesday

The Primary P.T.A. met Wednesday in the Auditorium of the Central High School.

The devotional was offered by Mrs. Warren Rutledge, followed by a song by Miss Teague's room. The remainder of the program was presented by children in the primary building.

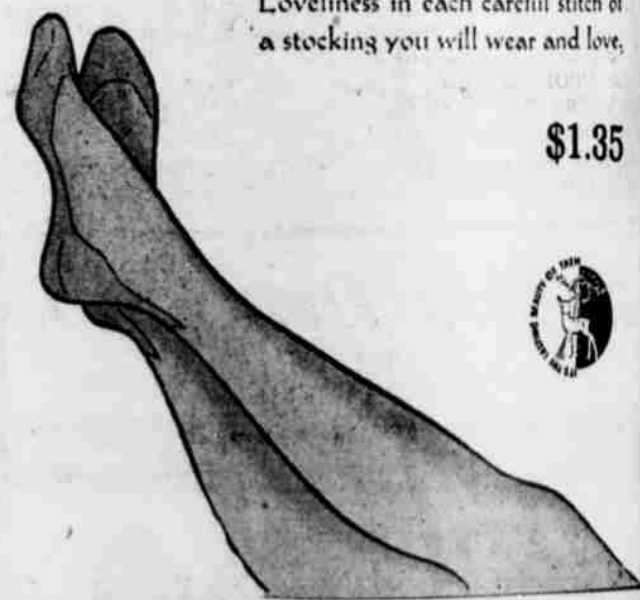
Mrs. Willis Giddens is President of the Primary P.T.A.

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Thursday for the Christmas holidays.

Ellie J. Foust visited Mrs. Foust's sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. ... of Lubbock, reported Oliver Farm Equipment, spent Monday with ... Lon Campbell.

seven year-old daughter Mrs. L. M. Kirby of ... who suffered a serious ... was confined in the ... Hospital 12 days, ... and is now back ... In sliding down ... she ran a large splin- ... stomach. After under- ... operation, and 12 days ... in the hospital, she is ...

W. T. Garnett of ... visited friends in ... today last.

Mrs. A. A. Webb of ... guests Sunday of Mr. ... Hutchins of Spade.

Brook, 3 year old ... and Mrs. E. S. Brown, ... of Littlefield, is ... cough.

head spent Tuesday in ... business.

W. A. Schrier and ... and, of Olton were ... Otto Jones home Sun- ...

student at Baylor ... will arrive home ...

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Thursday, for the Christmas holidays.

Miss Vesta Pearl Jarman, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Nora Jarman, and her sister, Miss Clara Jarman, left Monday for Abilene where she will be employed as nurse in one of the hospitals. She plans to enlist soon in the Army Nursing Corps.

E. J. Newgent is receiving treatment at the Littlefield Hospital this week.

Miss Alma Faye Henry will arrive home Thursday (today) from State Teachers College at Denton to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Henry.

Private Carl Simons, who is stationed at the Lubbock Air Base, and Mrs. Simons were visitors in Littlefield Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Simons were formerly in the cafe business in Littlefield.

Coy and Billie Collins of Kermit, Texas, nephews of Mrs. J. I. Carrell, spent Saturday and Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Carrell.

With South Plains Men In The Service

Jimmie Zed Robinson, Bugler Second Class, in the Navy, has been stationed at San Diego, attending Bugler's school, but was transferred before Thanksgiving to Norfolk, Va.

Pvt. Delbert Ross, so-owner of the Mileur & Ross Hatchery, who has been stationed at Harrisburgh, arrived Tuesday of last week for a few days visit with his wife and other relatives. He was scheduled to be back at Camp on Thursday.

Pvt. Ross was manager of the Mileur & Ross Hatchery before joining the Armed Forces.

McKie Coughran, 18, son of J. Anson Coughran, who is connected with the Naval Aviation base at Corpus Christi, Texas, as Aviation Mechanist's Mate, arrived Tuesday for three or four days' visit with his father. He has been in the Navy eight months. Mr. Coughran is connected with Fields Cleaners.

Mr. Coughran has another son in the service, Jack Coughran, who is with the 5th Cavalry at Fort Bliss. He has been in the Army two years.

COLLEGE HEIGHTS

Those visiting in the home of Mrs. B. B. Ivie recently were her mother, Mrs. P. A. Pitman, and a sister, Mrs. W. J. White and two sons of Big Spring; also another sister, Mrs. J. D. Phillips and family of Odessa.

Mrs. Jewell Nichols, who has been ill since Wednesday, a week ago, now has pneumonia.

C. M. Rice has the flu.

Little Tommie Clay Anders, small son of Clay Anders, has been ill this week. Mr. Anders has been suffering several days from an insect bite on his hand. He is unable to work.

Joe Nell Rice is ill and unable to attend school.

Valencia Anders, who has been ill for the last few weeks, is slowly improving but still confined to her home.

Mrs. Joe Wasson, whose health has been bad for the past three months, is improving.

The Cottage Prayer Meeting was well attended at the Jess Farrell home last Friday night with 28 present. The meeting this Friday night will be in the home of Rev. Jack Powers. Everyone is invited to attend.

Pvt. C. G. Richards, who is now stationed at Camp Campbell, Ky., is well and liking it there better since his wife, Zelma, joined him. She has employment there. Mrs. Richards is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Rice. She is known by the name of "Midget." Since entering the service, Mr. Richards has been placed in command of the truck and track fleet.

Pvt. Harold C. Rice writes home that he is back at Camp Cook, Calif., after spending three months in the desert on maneuvers. He is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Rice, and is well known here, having been employed at the Garland-White Garage for two years before entering the service.

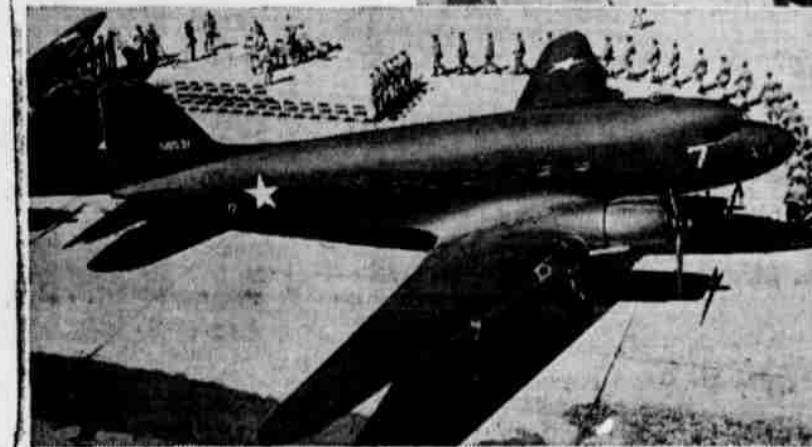
SAFETY PIN REMOVED
The condition of 9 months old Judy Ann Black, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Black of Sudan, Route 1, was considered satisfactory Tuesday by physicians at the Lubbock General Hospital, where a small open safety pin had been re-

Canadian Paratroops Graduate at Fort Benning, Ga.

LATEST example of United States-Canadian co-operation in the all-out war against the Axis was the training at the great U. S. Army paratroop school at Fort Benning of a number of selected Canadian soldiers.

These men, upon their return to Canada, were sent to the big training station at Camp Shilo, Manitoba, where they are forming the nucleus of a Canadian parachute unit. While at Fort Benning the Canadians trained side by side with men of the U. S. Army. The "northerners" were captivated by the charm and hospitality of the Georgia people who turned out on the evening of their graduation to give them a farewell party.

Tragedy marred the stay of the Canadians at Fort Benning when their leader, Major H. D. Proctor,



of Ottawa, was killed during a practice jump. Although the number of serious mishaps at the training school have been extremely low, Major Proctor lost his life in what was described as a freak accident.

Now that the formation of the first parachute unit is well under way, it is expected that the Canadian Army will broaden its training activities in this latest type of warfare.

It was a matter of considerable pride to the Canadians that they were presented the same parachutist insignia as that of the United States Army men who had finished their training. Later, they will be supplied with their own Canadian Army paratroop badge.

In the upper photo, General George P. Howell, head of the paratroop school at Fort Benning, is shown pinning the wings on the tunic of Captain H. A. Fauquier, of Ottawa. The Captain is a brother of the famed R.C.A.F. fighter ace Johnny Fauquier, D.F.C.

In the lower photo, the Canadian paratroopers are shown marching out to the graduation ceremonies, under the wings of a giant U. S. troop transport.

Brother Of C. M. Edwards Passes Away At Ferris

M. Blake, brother of C. M. Edwards of this city, passed away at his home in Ferris, Texas, Monday, Dec. 7, at 5 p. m., after a lingering illness.

Mr. Edwards suffered a stroke early in the summer, and was confined to his home until his death.

He is survived by his wife and six children. Two sons are in service. Also surviving him, besides his brother, C. M. Edwards, is another brother, Will Edwards. His wife is a sister of Mrs. C. M. Edwards.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, December 9, at the First Baptist Church at Ferris.

moved from her esophagus Monday night. The child was taken home Tuesday.

Machinery Rationing To Be Permanent For The Duration

Machinery rationing for Lamb County will be permanent for the duration according to information received by E. C. Clayton, Chairman Lamb County USDA War Board.

This county should receive its permanent rationing schedule within the next few days. Some of the allotments may be small. It will be necessary for the farmers of this county to do everything possible to cooperate by using old machinery and by buying new machinery issued under the allotment plan.

Men are dying for the Four Freedoms. The least we can do here at home is to buy War Bonds—10% for War Bonds, every pay day.

Miss Rebecca Moore Enlists In Woman's Naval Reserve Monday

Miss Rebecca (Becky) Moore passed rigid examinations and was sworn into the Women's Naval Reserve at Dallas Monday, and returned to Littlefield Tuesday to await assignment for basic training.

Miss Moore made application for enlistment in the Women's Naval Reserve the first of December.

She and her sister, Miss Ida Moore, are owners and operators of the Littlefield Beauty Salon, having established the business here almost seven years ago. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Moore of Mexhoma.

She reported that she would probably be assigned to camp about January 15, 1943, and until that time she will continue her duties in the beauty shop.

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Russia's magnificent resistance to the Nazis has lightened the burden which Americans must carry in the fight for freedom. But now the farmers of Russia urgently need VEGETABLE AND FIELD SEEDS for planting new areas to replace millions of acres which have been "scorched or overrun by our common enemy.

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W. H. Cunningham is representative of the War Relief Seed Committee in this area, and farmers and seedmen are urged to contact Mr. Cunningham or R. L. King, local vocational agriculture teacher, in making their contributions of seed or money.

The Russian War Relief will supply special labels and tags for recording donor's name, address, description of seeds, germination data, etc. Let the name of your firm or farm be known in Russia!

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Mrs. W. thinks of every bond she buys in terms of what it can do for her soldier husband out in Australia. "Already," she says, "I've bought Jim a Garand rifle and a gas mask in War Bonds. I feel I'm helping to bring him back safe and sound!"

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WEST TEXAS GAS CO. ASKS USERS TO COOPERATE TO CONSERVE NATURAL GAS

Users of gas furnished by West Texas Gas Company are requested to cooperate in conserving the use of natural gas.

R. F. Hinchey, Vice President and General Manager of West Texas Gas Company, said today the company is preparing to mail an important letter to each of the company's customers, suggesting several ways in which a possible temporary gas shortage may be averted during extremely cold weather.

Mr. Hinchey advised that this step is being taken in cooperation with the Power Branch of the War Production Board and with the American Gas Association, in an effort to avert threatened gas shortages in some areas and to minimize hardships resulting from such shortages as do occur.

"We had no shortages of gas during the recent cold spell," said Mr. Hinchey. "It is difficult to estimate how much gas will be required to serve everyone during extremely cold weather. We hope to be able to supply sufficient gas to take care of our residential and commercial customers."

However, inasmuch as we are not positive that we will be able to do so, we feel that our customers should be advised of the situation, in advance, so that they can learn in what ways they can economize

in the use of gas. In the event of a shortage it should be possible, with the help of all customers, for everyone to have some gas. We earnestly hope that our customers will cooperate wholeheartedly."

"There is plenty of natural gas at our source of supply," said Mr. Hinchey, "but our pipe lines are limited as to the amount of gas they can carry. Under present war conditions we are not allowed to buy steel pipe, equipment or other material to be used in expanding our facilities."

Mr. Hinchey said further that the situation is quite fully and frankly explained in the letter mentioned above, and he urged all gas customers to read the message carefully when received, giving particular attention to the suggestions given on how to economize in the use of gas.

Store Bldg. Owned By W. L. Weatherly Destroyed By Fire

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Weatherly received a message about 2 a. m. Saturday to the effect that their store building in Fleetwood, Okla., burned Friday night, and they left immediately for the scene of the fire.

The building which burned housed a grocery store and the Fleetwood Postoffice.

Mr. Weatherly is manager of the Brooks-Deaton Gin.

Miss Walker Listed In "Who's Who Among Students" At College

Miss Helen Walker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Walker of Olton, who will receive her B. S. degree in June, is among those students who will be listed in the 1942-1943 issue of "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges." The book will be released in January or February.

Miss Walker was graduated from Olton High School with the class of 1939.

HEADACHE IS SUCH A BIG LITTLE THING



ALL SET for a good full day's work when a nagging headache sneaks up on you. You suffer and so does your work.

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Tire Purchase Plan Brings In 8 Million Tires To Government

The Office of Price Administration reported today that approximately 8,000,000 tires had been forwarded to the government by Nov. 28 under the idle tire purchase plan.

About half of all tires turned in are so badly worn or damaged that they cannot be put into shape for resale, the OPA said. The rubber in these will be reclaimed rubber. The rest of the tires either are usable as they are, or can be made so by repairs and recappings.

parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Springer of three miles east of town. The name "Cameron" was named after the child's grandmother, Mrs. T. M. Springer. The telegram also stated that both the boy and his mother were doing fine.

INJURES RIGHT SHOULDER

Mrs. E. A. Bills was unfortunate enough to fall last week off a stool and cracked her right shoulder. She is reported to have been in a closet and on a stool reaching for something when the stool tipped with her, causing her to fall. It will be about six weeks before she can use her right arm, according to reports.

Principalship, that place having been vacant since the election of David Tullis as Superintendent.

Maxey McKnight To Receive Varsity Letter At Texas Tech

Maxey McKnight, sophomore student at Texas Technological College, Lubbock, was awarded a letter for his play on the Texas Tech's 1942 varsity football squad, it was announced Sunday.

McKnight is a son of Mrs. Loreda McKnight of Littlefield, and re-

ceived a letter last year was a freshman.

All lettermen—both varsity freshmen—are to be honored Lubbock Lions Club banquet day night at the Lubbock Athletic department of the "Double T" certificates. Dwain Lyon of Olton, student, will also receive a

The old narrow trails which cars could barely pass with liding are being replaced by did highways on which six cars can collide at the same

SON IS BORN

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Springer of Long Beach, Calif., are the parents of a son, "David Cameron," born Sunday, November 29, in a hospital at Long Beach, according to a telegram received by Mr. Springer's

HAVE FULL FORCE

The faculty of the Anton schools was brought up to full force last week when W. D. Binkley accepted a position as teacher in the high school. Coach Hollingsworth was also elevated to the High School



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Churches

METHODIST CHURCH

Frank York, Pastor
 school at 10 a. m. Mr. R. general superintendent.
 worship at 11 o'clock.
 special music.
 Fellowship at 7 p. m.
 worship at 8 o'clock.
 service singing the old the Church.
 of Education is plan- Christmas program and tree day evening at 8 o'clock.
 the parents of the Church the children, and have evening together.
 is always cordially in- services.

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

Church, H. Gleason, pastor, will Christmas program on night, December 23, at 8 o'clock; which will consist of play entitled "The Miraculous," recitations, spee- and a Christmas tree with all children present will be growing in the Ten Revival which is being by Rev. J. J. Good, evan- Prayer Revival will con- through Sunday night, message being on "Paul and the Philippian

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. A. B. Haynes, D. D., Pastor
 Sunday:
 10 a. m. Sunday school for every age.
 11 a. m. Special Christmas music. The pastor will speak on "The Names of Christ."
 6:30 p. m. At the regular Vespers there will be a Nativity Pageant. The Chorus Choir will be assisted in the music by the Children's Choir. A candlelight procession will place gifts at the manger scene, both white gifts of food and money.
 Monday:
 3:30 p. m. The Woman's Auxil- iary will have a Christmas program and party at the home of Mrs. Ben Porcher.
 Wednesday:
 2 p. m. The Children's Depart- ment of the Sunday school will have a party at the home of Mrs. Fred Gerlach, with the teachers of this department as hostesses. Santa Claus is expected to be there in person.
 8 p. m. The Woman's Auxiliary is sponsoring a play to be given at the Church. The title of the play is, "Christmas Eve—And the Bus Is Late." Characters in the play are Misses Erna Douglas, Dora Jo Cov- ington and Katherine Lewis; Mes- dames Ben Porcher, Oscar Wilemon and Paul Timmons.
 Everyone is invited to worship

EMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH

E. H. Riess, Pastor
 Sunday school and Bible classes at 11:10 next Sunday; a divine ser- vice at 11:45 a. m. The public is cordially invited.
 All Sunday school pupils should make an effort to be present for the rehearsal of the Christmas pro- gram at 10:45 a. m. next Sunday and at 9:40 on Wednesday morning, December 23.
 The Junior and Senior Choirs meet for rehearsal Friday night of this week at 8:30 and 9:15 respectively.
 The Walther League meets next Sunday night at 8:00.
 The Church Council and Steward- ship Committee meets at 3:30 next Sunday afternoon.
 Tune in on the Lutheran Hour every Sunday afternoon at 3 over station KPDA of Amarillo, 1230 kilocycles.

LITTLEFIELD MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

L. J. Powers, Pastor
 The pastor returned and spoke at all services Sunday and will speak at all services this Sunday.
 The meeting that he had been conducting with the Temple Bap- tist Church of Baton Rouge, La., the Capitol City of that State, turned out to be a great success, with 22 coming into the church and a large number coming back to the Lord. This revival concludes his out- side meetings for the year. This with us and to enjoy the fellowship of this Church at the Christmas season.

makes five revival campaigns the Church has had part in besides th pastor's two weeks preaching to the soldiers at Camp Wolters, Mineral Wells, Texas.
 The application for a permit to build a Sunday school annex on the present auditorium has been made, and the work is expected to start around the first of the year.
 We invite everyone to attend any of our services.
 Sunday school 10 a. m.
 Preaching 11 a. m.
 Evening services 8 p. m.
 Our Motto: Visit A Going Church For A Coming Lord.
 Cottage Prayer Meeting will be at the Pastor's home at 414 E. Eighth Street Friday night at 8 o'clock.

Christmas Tree And Party At Janes Church December 24

A Community Christmas Tree will be staged at the Janes Methodist Church Thursday, December 24, at 8 o'clock.
 BAPTIST MISSIONARY OCCUPIES PULPIT AT FIRST BAPTIST
 Rev. Lovell Fonder of Plainview, Baptist Missionary for District 9, occupied the pulpit at the First Baptist Church both morning and evening last Sunday.
 A Lottie Moon program was pre- sented at the morning service.

Methodist Church To Enjoy Christmas Program And Tree

Raymond King, Superintendent of the local Methodist Church Sunday School, is sponsoring a Christmas program and tree at the Church building Wednesday night, Dec. 23.
 The Church will be decorated suggestive of the Christmas season.
 The program will include musical numbers by Miss Ann York at the organ; several numbers on the piano by Mrs. L. K. Whitaker, accompan- ied by Mrs. Roy Wade on the ac- cordian; and readings by Larue Clark and Norman Wade. Musical numbers will also be presented by Misses Polly Lou Potter and Virginia Ruth Whitaker.
 Santa Claus will distribute candies and fruit to the children from a beautifully decorated tree.

Large Turnip Grown By T. V. Walston

They sure do grow big turnips out in the Beck's community!
 Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Walston brought a large turnip to the Leader office Tuesday morning that had grown in their garden. The turnip weighed 7 1/4 pounds, and was at least 20 inches in circumference.
 More than two wagon loads of turnips have been raised by Mr. and Mrs. Walston in their garden this fall, they said.
 Residents of Lamb county the past 12 years, they have a 354-acre farm, and this year have made especially good crops of cotton and feed. They reside three miles north and 11 miles west of Littlefield, and one mile west of Beck's Gin. Their only daughter, Mrs. H. C. Wyatt, and son make their home with Mr. and Mrs. Walston.
 A son, W. H. Walston, reside a mile and a half south of Littlefield. They also have two sons living at Altus, Okla., their former home, and a son at Sherman.

Porter Turner New Minister At Local Church Of Christ

Porter Turner, formerly of Wal- ters, Okla., is now Minister of the local Church of Christ, LFD Drive.
 Bro. Turner arrived about Dec. 1, and has been conducting the Sun- day morning and evening services since that time.
 Buy your office supplies at the Leader Office.

Spade School To Dismiss Friday For Holidays

The Spade school will dismiss Friday afternoon, December 18, for the Christmas holidays, R. L. David- son, superintendent, announced last week end.
 Classes will be resumed Monday, December 28, Mr. Davidson said.

NEWS OF AMHERST

Amherst Study Club Entertain Girl With Christmas Party

of the Amherst Study Club, the Girl Scouts Christmas party Tuesday at the Amherst Hotel.
 The program was presented by the Girl Scouts. Also several were included on the program.
 Gifts were presented to the Study Club, a beautiful Christmas tree. Re- ceived served from the Store, adjoining the
 attending were: Mrs. Tapley, Betty Jo Jeffries, Lindy Duf- foy Cowen, June Acker, Jeanette House, Dorothy J. Thomp- son, Ray Jones, Patsy J. Lenora LaGrange, Betty Sue House, Allene Hilton, Ger- son, Veta Payne, and Duffy. Billy Slaughter Nicholson, junior mem- ber Girl Scouts, also at-

Amherst Ecos. Girls Buy War Stamps

The Amherst Home Economics Club have started buying war stamps. On every club day they bring what money they can to ap- ply on the stamps.
 The plan was started and carried out by the Home Economics II Girls. The name of the Club is Sal- vage Sisters, and they are doing their bit, such as buying stamps and doing Red Cross work to aid the U. S. in the war effort.
 It is hoped to entuse and per- haps get other clubs started doing the same thing. It is also hoped to obtain a refrigerator for the com- ing year for the Home Economics girls department, as it is badly needed.

Dr. Mrs. Birdsong Entertain With Christmas Party

One of the most delightful af- fairs of the Christmas season was the dinner staged at the Amherst Hotel Wednesday night, when Dr. and Mrs. W. S. Birdsong enter- tained with the dinner and bridge.
 The dining room of the hotel was beautifully decorated with sprigs of evergreens and bells, and foursome tables were centered with holly. Plate favors for the men were tiny trees decorated with blue stars, and favors for women were corsages of silver holly.
 Several games of bridge were en- joyed after the dinner, and prizes were War Savings Stamps.
 Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Stagner, Mr. and Mrs. Don Boyles, Mr. and Mrs. Lester LaGrange, Mr. and Mrs. Earl McDaniel, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rogers, Dr. and Mrs. B. O. McDaniel, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Willett, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Duffy, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bayne, Mr. and Mrs. Allen White, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Acker, Mr. and Mrs. Larkin Nix, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Clements, Mr. and Mrs. V. F. Jones, Mrs. C. M. Coffer, Mrs. L. A. Daniel, and the host and host- ess, Dr. and Mrs. Birdsong.

Amherst Hospital News

Gregory Ray, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Ray of Littlefield, underwent a minor operation at the Amherst Hospital Wednesday, December 9.
 A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Black of Amherst, Fri- day, December 11.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Parsons of Littlefield are the parents of a daughter born at the Amherst Hos- pital Saturday, December 12.
 M. M. White of Sudan under- went a major operation at the Am- herst Hospital Sunday, December 13.
 E. C. McDaniel of the Amherst Hospital made a business trip to Lubbock Wednesday of last week.
 Installation of tile and inlaid lin- oleum is being completed this week in the entire hospital building at Amherst, it was reported Wednes- day.
 Eighteen patients' rooms have been completed in the second story of the building, and patrons are oc- cupying the rooms this week. This makes a total of 36 patients rooms in the entire hospital.

V-Mail Stationery at the Leader Office.
 —FOR VICTORY BUY BONDS—

Amherst School To Present Christmas Program Friday

A Christmas program will be staged at the Amherst school Friday morning at 11:30 o'clock, after which all classes will re-assemble in their respective class rooms for in- dividual Christmas trees and ex- changing of gifts.
 Students in the fourth grade will present the Christmas program in the high school auditorium. Mrs. O. S. Beason is fourth grade teacher. Classes will be dismissed at 1 o'clock Friday for the holidays, and school will start again on Monday, December 28.

Recognition Day Service Sunday, Dec. 27, At Amherst

Student Recognition Day service will be held on Sunday, December 27, at the Amherst Methodist Church.
 The service will open at 8:15 o'clock in the evening.
 This program will be in charge of the young people of the Church and college students, who are in Amherst for the holidays.
 All college students of the com- munity and service men are urged to be present.

With Amherst Men In the Armed Forces

Cpl. C. R. Stevens of the Army Air Forces, who is stationed at El- lington Field, Houston, arrived in Amherst Tuesday for a visit with Mrs. Stevens and friends He has a two weeks furlough, and he and Mrs. Stevens plan to visit relatives at Clyde and Abilene next week.
 Cpl. Stevens is the former super- intendent of the Amherst schools.
 Hershel Knox of the U. S. Navy, and an engineer in the Seabees, ar- rived in Amherst Saturday night for a 30-day visit with his wife and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Knox.
 He recently returned from the vic- inity of the Solomon Islands. Mrs. Knox is employed in the Triple A office at Amherst.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Amherst, Texas
 R. H. Campbell, Pastor
 We were sorry that we failed to get any notice in the paper last week, but will try to not fail you in the future.
 As we are entering the Christmas season we should be mindful of what Christmas really means. We should, with all our plans for Christ- mas, not forget that we are not just having a good time, celebrating a festive occasion, but are remember- ing the Birth of our Christ.
 We can give allegiance to Christ and celebrate His birth in no better way than to be especially faithful to His church and its services at this time of the year.
 Too often we make it a time of family gatherings and feasting when we ought to be much in prayer that the principles taught by Christ shall not be forgotten.
 Let us remember all the services of the church.
 Church school 10:15 a. m.
 Morning worship (Theme: "When the Angels Were Gone") 11:30 a. m.
 Youth fellowship 7:30 p. m.
 Evening service (Theme: "Sky- scrapers") 8:15 p. m.
 We were well pleased with the attendance and interest last Sunday. Let us have an increase next Sun- day.

HAVE DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Watley of Amherst are the parents of a new daughter born Monday night at the Payne-Shotwell Hospital. The child weighed 9 lbs 3 oz., and has been named "Ruby Nell."

PERSONALS

Miss Wilma Martin and Miss Cleo- one Martin, teachers in the Amherst school, will spend the Christmas holidays with relatives at Brown- wood.
 Other teachers in the Amherst school who will visit during the holi- days include: Miss Gladys Dyer will go to Murchison, Texas, for a visit with her parents; Mrs. Helen Hunton will visit relatives in Texaco and Clovis, N. M.; Mrs. Opal Elms will visit her parents, Rev. and Mrs. L. S. Jenkins, at Wink; Miss Jodyce Holden will visit her parents at Lub- bock; and Miss Opal Kittrell will visit her parents at Muleshoe.

COUNTY AGENT'S OFFICE TO CLOSE CHRISTMAS DAY

The County Agent's office, Am- herst, will be closed all day on Christmas Day, according to an an- nouncement made Wednesday. The office probably will be open on Saturday, December 26.

FUNERAL FOR INFANT SON MR. MRS. WALSER HELD SATURDAY P. M.

Funeral services for the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Buford Walsor of Sudan were held at Sudan Sat- urday afternoon. The child was born Friday, and was an only child.
 The father is in the Army Air Forces, stationed at the Lubbock Army Flying School. Mrs. Walsor, who is confined to the Amherst Hospital, is reported to be getting along nicely.

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And in serving our country by the purchase of War Bonds and Stamps we serve ourselves . . . not only today, but tomorrow as well. For every \$3 we put into War Bonds comes back to us as \$4 when the Bonds mature . . . to buy the things we want and cannot get today.

WE MUST MAKE OUR QUOTA FOR DECEMBER and show the hundreds of boys from Lamb County who are in the various army camps—yes, on the battlefields right now—that we are not going to let them down!

We've got a long way to go to make our quota . . . to do the part Uncle Sam has asked us to do on the Home Front.

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OF LOCAL INTEREST

Smith was confined to bed for a few days last week suffering from a bad cold and the sick

Mrs. W. W. Brown.
Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Brown will visit friends, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Keiser, near Anton Christmas Day. The son born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Banks Tuesday of last week has been named "Robert Lee." According to his brothers, he will be called "Bobbie" for short.
Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Haynes, Mrs. G. M. Shaw, and Mrs. J. S. Hilliard spent Thursday in Lubbock where

DAILY OVER-NIGHT SERVICE

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Lieutenant-Colonel Sybil Irving, commanding officer of the Australian Women's Army Service, which has become one of the outstanding auxiliaries of the armed forces.

they enjoyed dinner.
Miss Betty Ann Hilliard, employed by the Federal Land Bank at Houston, expects to spend Christmas here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hilliard. She will arrive Christmas Eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hilbun are having some papering and painting done to their newly acquired home, the former Wayne Carlisle residence. Bill Briggs is doing the work.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Rowe, Jr., left for their home at Monahans Saturday after spending two weeks with Mr. Rowe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Rowe.

Mrs. Edwin Fowler and Mrs. W. D. Watkins spent Friday in Lubbock. Mrs. Watkins visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Moxley; and Mrs. Fowler spent the day with her father, O. L. Slaton.

Miss Virginia Walker, student of S. M. U., arrived home Saturday for the Christmas holidays. Her mother met her in Lubbock and accompanied her to Littlefield.

J. C. Hilbun plans as usual to spend Christmas Day with his mother, Mrs. J. M. Hilbun.

Farry Pass, seven year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pass, has been ill since Wednesday of last week with croup.

Pvt. and Mrs. Otis Smith arrived in Littlefield Friday morning from Tampa, Fla. Mrs. Smith will remain here while Pvt. Smith will leave December 21 for Drew Field, near Tampa, where he will receive another assignment. They have been in Tampa the past several months.

Mrs. John Holder, who underwent a major operation recently at the Payne-Shotwell Hospital, is reported to be getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Browning of Pep are parents of a daughter born December 10 at the Payne-Shotwell Hospital. The child has been named Barbara Ann.

Mrs. Alfred Hayhurst, who sustained injuries of her left leg when she fell on the ice Sunday, December 6, was dismissed from the Payne-Shotwell Hospital last Saturday.

James Edwin Shotwell, who is attending Dental college at the Loyola University of the South, New Orleans, La., is expected to arrive home Christmas Day for a week's visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Shotwell, Sr., and other relatives here.

Mrs. Annie Davis returned to her home at Lake Dallas Wednesday of last week after a week's visit with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Graham.

Mrs. Elmer Lewis returned home last Thursday night after several days' visit with her husband, Pvt. Lewis, at Fort Sill, Okla.

Items Of Machinery Announced Released From Frozen List

Removal of a number of items from the list of "frozen" farm machinery has been announced by the Texas USDA War Board.

Included on the list of "thawed-out" machinery were such implements as poultry feeders, cattle stanchions and fittings, butter molds, hand water pumps, hand feed grinders and crushers, hand transplant-

ers, and hand sprayers. All but 13 items in Schedule II of Temporary Rationing Order B were removed from the "frozen" list.

The 13 items still remaining on Schedule II were: one row, one horse corn planters; one row, one horse corn and cotton planters; one row, two horse corn and cotton planters; endgate broadcast seeders; horse and tractor drawn garden planters; walking, one horse steel bottom moldboard plows; walking, one horse, chilled bottom moldboard plows; walking, two horse and larger moldboard plows; stalk cutters; one horse cultivators (all types); one row, walking, two horse cultivators; one row, riding, two horse cultivators; and two row and over, riding, cultivators.

The board declared that distributors and manufacturers may now make or accept transfers of the released items and dealers may replenish their stocks provided they are within any WPB or OPA regulations, or the manufacturing quotas of Conservation Order L-170.

Farmers Will Receive Temporary Transport Rations

Temporary transport rations are in store for owners of farm vehicles whose certificates of war necessity do not provide sufficient gasoline for 30 days essential operation.

Under an adjustment phase of the transportation program, the Texas USDA War Board announced this week that farm vehicle operators should make requests for additional gasoline to local War Price and Rationing Boards where obvious errors have been made in certificates.

The procedure for handling emergency cases was agreed upon by the Department of Agriculture and the Office of Price Administration.

The War Board explained that when allowances are corrected by the local War Price and Rationing Boards, operators will receive motor fuel rations for operation to December 31 and the amount of gasoline used will be deducted later from the total gallons of motor fuel allowed on a corrected certificate of war necessity.

County Farm Transportation committees are scheduled to handle appeal cases from farmers for corrected certificates, the War Board said in explaining that regular ODT appeal forms would be sent to committees as soon as possible.

Temporary rations will take care of emergency cases and give committees sufficient time to consider appeals and make proper recommendations to ODT under regular appeal procedure, the Board pointed out.

Men are dying for the Four Freedoms. The least we can do here at home is to buy War Bonds—10% for War Bonds, every pay day.

Report 27,034 Bales Of Cotton Handled To Dec. 1

As announced by the enumerator,

Mrs. Warren Rutledge, the census report shows that 27,034 bales of cotton were ginned in Lamb County from the crop of 1942 prior to December 1, 1942, as compared with 19,945 bales ginned to Dec. 1, 1941, from the 1941 crop.

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R. E. Hunt, M. D. Surgery, Urology, and Diseases of Women
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Injured When Plane Crashes

Staff Sgt. H. C. Cole of Sudan, a member of the Air Corps and stationed at Spokane, Wash., arrived home Monday on a 30-day leave. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Cole of Sudan; a brother of LeRoy Cole, Texaco agent at Sudan, and a brother of Mrs. L. C. Stewart of Littlefield. Sgt. Cole was employed at Replin's in Littlefield previous to entering the service. He spent Tuesday in Littlefield calling on his numerous friends in this city.

Sgt. Cole's 30-day leave was granted him because of internal injuries received when a flying fortress, on which he was a member of the crew, was damaged in making a landing in a coast storm October 26. Six members of the crew were sent to the hospital for treatment following the crash. Sgt. Cole was released from the hospital just previous to coming home, and will return to duty at the expiration of his leave.

SON BORN TO MR. AND MRS. L. B. STONE

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Stone are the proud parents of a son born Sunday night at the Payne-Shotwell Hospital, weighing 8 pounds and two ounces. He has been named "Terry Samuel." Mrs. Stone and son are getting along fine.

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FOR SALE—New Butane Brooders. See A. W. Ray, at the Plains Liquefied Gas Company. 38-1tc

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Farewell for Maid of Cotton



Lovely Camille McLean Anderson of Memphis, shown handing a souvenir bale of cotton to Douglas Fairbanks Jr., prepares to step down as 1942's Maid of Cotton. Unmarried, southern-born girls between the ages of 18 and 25 are now being invited to enter the contest to select the 1943 Maid of Cotton. The contest closes December 20, at which time applications must be on file with the National Cotton Council at Memphis. Like Miss Anderson, the 1943 Maid of Cotton will receive a 16,000-mile tour of America during which she will call on officials and celebrities as King Cotton's official goodwill ambassador.

Leo Clark Is Attending Radio School In Oregon

Leo A. Clark, a former employee of the Palace Theatre in this city, and who entered the service October 21, has been advanced to a corporal in the Signal Corps; is attending a radio school in Portland, Ore., and is stationed at Vancouver Barracks in Vancouver, Wash.

"Swell place," Leo commented in a telegram to Mrs. Clark, who is continuing to reside in Littlefield in the absence of her husband with the colors.

Leo is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clark.

YOUTH SUFFERS BROKEN BACK IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Boren received a phone message Friday from Mr. Boren's brother, R. P. Boren, of Sweetwater, Texas, to the effect that his son, Ray Edward, aged 14 years, was in a car wreck the Tuesday night previous, and suffered a broken back. The youth was in the automobile of a neighbor, and it was reported that in avoiding a collision with another car the car in which Boren was riding skidded down an embankment 20 feet into a gully. Besides the back injury, exposure caused him to develop double pneumonia.

10% OF INCOME IS OUR QUOTA IN WAR BONDS

Tahoka Schools To Present Jeep Car To Army As Gift

W. T. Hanes, superintendent of Tahoka public schools, announced that the 700 Tahoka students have voted unanimously to pledge for their school the presentation of a \$900 jeep car to the U. S. Army as a Christmas present. In the last scrap drive the students collected 75 tons of scrap iron and rubber. In order to qualify for the Treasury's special certificate of service, students are making a scrap book of written, pictorial and statistical matter to show their part in the war effort.

Mr. Hanes was formerly with the local schools.

FFA-FHT—

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Chapter ceremony, after which the F.F.A. boys adjourned to the auditorium for the following program, with the Homemaking Girls, with Lena Ruth Willingham, F.H.T. President, in charge:

Song—"Jingle Bells," group.
Songs—"White Christmas," "Holy Night," by Roberta Sullivan, Regina Evans, Joyce Vick and Dorothy Timian.
Reading—Rueben Sullivan.
Talk on Christmas—Rev. York.
Songs—Louis Hobbs and Maurice McCarty.

Reading—Connie Wilson.
Accordion Solo—Herbert Gohlke.
Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.
Group led by D. H. Brewster—Group song "Santa Claus is Coming to Town."

After the program the group adjourned to the auditorium for games led by Chaud Pool, Estle Willingham and Fred Grisham.

After the games were played, gifts were exchanged. Later these were returned to be given to the Salvation Army.

Refreshments in sacks were served, consisting of apples, cookies and popcorn balls.

Guests present were: Rev. York, J. E. Jones, and several fathers. Sponsors were: Misses Katie Stith, and Opal Snitker; and R. L. King.

War Bond Rally—

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lean Roberts.

Trumpeter for the crowning of the Queen was Hugh Davidson.

Besides the Crowning of the Queen, a patriotic program was staged by 40 high school boys and girls, who sang several songs, including, "Praise The Lord, and Pass the Ammunition," "Marching Along to Victory," and "Keep the Home Fires Burning."

Pat Boone, chairman of the Lamb County War Bond Committee, made an inspiring address to the group. Bond and stamp sales were under the direction of Mr. Boone and Arbie Joplin, assistant postmaster of Littlefield.

J. Ernest Jones, J. H. Ware and J. A. Price also attended from Littlefield.

Mr. Davidson reported that approximately 300 persons attended the rally, and—in behalf of the Spade school—he expressed his appreciation for the fine attendance and the response in the Bond Drive.

Blank books and ledgers at the Leader Office.

White for Sports



The youthful sports frock worn by Priscilla Lane, 20th Century-Fox film star, is made of white cotton broadcloth. Interesting notes are the pockets and shoulder yoke trim, which are done in blue, green, yellow and red embroidery.

MR. HERRING IS NEW JANITOR AT SPADE SCHOOL

Mr. Herring assumed duties as janitor of the Spade school last week, R. L. Davidson, superintendent, announced. Mr. Herring has been a resident of the Spade community quite a number of years.

Pvt. O. N. Edwards, former janitor at the school, is now in the signal corps of the U. S. army, stationed at Miami Beach, Fla. Mrs. Edwards is in Dallas.

1943 Additions To AAA Program

Texas farmers may substitute essential food crops and warcrops for cotton under the 1943 AAA program.

The additions which were announced at the southern region conference, Memphis, Tenn., where Food for Freedom goals also were explained, draft all cropland for war duty.

Explaining the first addition, B. F. Vance, administrative officer of the AAA in Texas, said that essential food crops over and above the acreage normally planted on a farm

could be substituted acre for cotton in meeting the percent requirement.

Crops already designated essential food crops include grain sorghums, tame hay and certain vegetables.

According to previous substitutions, the only crops which substituted acre for acre in meeting the requirements are peanuts for oil, soybeans for flaxseed, dry beans, sorghum, hemp, castor beans, Sea Island XSP cotton and designated cover crop seeds.

In addition to substituting essential food crops for cotton, the acreage of warcrops also substituted on a per acre basis, Vance explained.

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A. Borrowers Ease Production

hundred twenty-six farm in Lamb County, who are with the Farm Security Administration, have earned Merit from the Federal Government for the patriotic production of needed in the war effort, according to Peques W. Houston and Governor Hayhurst of the County office.

"The small farmer's 'E' excellence." It means that he met and surpassed production for him since Pearl Harbor means also that he has met by careful and ambitious planning by working as he has never before. Original goals set all were difficult. Post-Pearl goals looked almost impossible at the time, but Merit Awards were made them.

"Mr. Houston continues to be grateful to these farmers for the effort they put forth and with their achievements. With food shortages, with railroads too burning by men and munitions to normal food supplies to the depending essentially upon in food for industrial workers and civilian population—our small farmers have produced the goods."

A borrowers in this county increased their production of foods an average of:

- Chickens—19 per cent;
- Heifers—2 per cent;
- Pigs—3 per cent;
- Feed—3 per cent;
- Wool—8 per cent;
- Fruit—0

Uncle Sam Needs More Just Like Her



Lieut. Rose L. Smothers

Lieutenant Rose L. Smothers, Women's Army Auxiliary Corps recruiting officer at the Lubbock Army Recruiting Station, believes in enrolling women in groups instead of singly.

Lieutenant Smothers enrolled the 50 women in the Panhandle Rangerette Platoon and has now started on a second platoon from the South Plains area. The Rangerette Platoon is the first full platoon to be enrolled in the United States.

Until her entry into the service last July, Lieutenant Smothers was commercial teacher in the Drumright, Okla., High School. She has a degree from Central State College in Edmond, Okla., and also has studied at the University of Southern California in Los Angeles. She received her commission in the WAAC last September.

Lieutenant Smothers, together with Lieutenant Virginia F. Williams, has been stationed at the West Texas Recruiting and Induction District Headquarters in Lubbock since October 5.

per cent.

Miss Hayhurst observed that with familiar foods fast disappearing from our grocery shelves, the importance of these increases is dramatic.

"Production by small farmers is gratifying to the government. It justifies the years the Farm Security Administration personnel have spent improving the land, giving supervision to farm and home management, improving rural health, lending operating funds and so forth," she said.

"Not only have our small farmers rallied to the aid of the war effort with great increases in food production, but they are rapidly repaying their loans to the government."

Both Mr. Houston and Miss Hayhurst cited the fact that Farm Security families not only produced more food for national consumption but relieved a severe strain on processing facilities by home canning and storage of dried foods.

Mileage Cases May Be Appealed

Texas farmers will not be put out of business by present mileage-saving regulations.

B. F. Vance, chairman, Texas USDA War Board, announced this week that farmers who have not received sufficient gasoline for normal operations should ask local war price and rationing boards for temporary transport rations.

At the same time temporary rations are asked for, they also should make formal appeal for additional mileage, he said.

Appeals are made through county farm transportation committees who assist farmers in filling out required forms which later will be considered and approved by the Office of Defense Transportation.

The date for obtaining temporary transport rations has been extended to January 31, 1943. Previous deadline date had been set for December 31, 1942.

Under the temporary rationing phase of the program, farmers may receive sufficient gasoline to tide them over until appeals are approved, he said and explained that all temporary allocations later would be deducted from the final amount of mileage allowed under the Certificate of War Necessity.

If Certificates of War Necessity have been applied for and not received and if obvious errors were made on the Certificates when they were issued are other conditions under which temporary transport rations may be received, he said.

Failure of many truck operators to fill out application blanks properly and promptly has been the principal difficulty in issuing Certificates of War Necessity throughout the state, Vance said.

SANTA FE CARLOADINGS FOR WEEK ENDING NOV. 21

Santa Fe System carloadings for the week ending Nov. 21, 1942, were 23,918 compared with 23,006 for the same week in 1941. Cars received from connections totaled 12,869 compared with 8,367 for the same week in 1941. Total cars moved were 36,787 compared with 31,373 for the same week in 1941. Santa Fe handled a total of 35,506 cars in the preceding week of this year.

He Commands



Lieut. General Sydney Fairbairn Rowell, commanding officer of the Australian ground forces in New Guinea, is 47 years old and had a distinguished career with the Australian Light Horse in the First World War, having fought with the Third Regiment of that famous brigade. He saw service in Egypt and Gallipoli.

Industrial Sugar Users To Register For Allotments

Registration of institutional and industrial users of sugar for their January-February allotments began December 15 and will continue through January 5, the Lamb County War Price and Rationing Board announced today.

Institutional users will be allowed 60 per cent of the sugar base established by them—or the same allotment they were permitted during November and December. The industrial user allotment of 70 per cent also is unchanged for January and February from the amount allowed during November and December.

The only exception to the institutional allotment is that for hospitals treating patients suffering from acute illness. Such institutions are allowed 85 per cent of their sugar base, but it is expected that the greater portion will be used for patients, and that doctors, nurses, and hospital employees will be served the same quantity as persons eating in other institutions.

The following communication from

Mark McGee, State Director, Office of Price Administration, Fort Worth, was received by the local Rationing Board Monday:

"Allotments of sugar for institutional users for the January-February period are set at 60 per cent, and allotments for industrial users at 70 per cent. Applications may be received beginning December 15 through January 5, 1943, and Certificates may be used for the purchase of sugar as of the date of their issuance.

"Applicants who apply after January 5, 1943, should be penalized by whatever percentage of the period has elapsed. For example, if application is not made until January 12, 1943, one week would have expired after the deadline date of January 5, 1943; therefore, one week being one-eighth of the eight-week period, the applicant must be charged with one-eighth of the total allotment due for January and February, 1943. This latter procedure must be applied at all subsequent ration periods unless you are otherwise notified."

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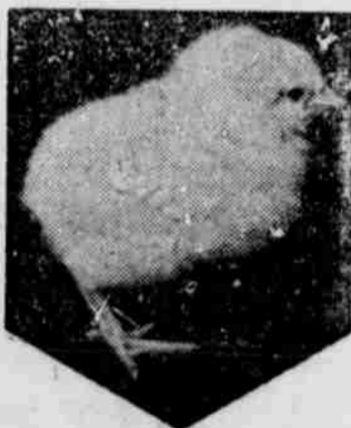
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CLUBS - WOMEN'S INTEREST - SOCIAL EVENTS

Bride-To-Be Honored At Shower At O. K. Woodall Home Thursday

Miss Margaret Coffman was the honoree at a miscellaneous bridal shower and tea at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Woodall in the Duggan Addition Thursday evening from 7 to 9 o'clock.

Hostesses of the occasion were: Mesdames O. K. Woodall, Clint Griffin, Acree Barton, Roy E. Hunt, J. R. Coen, Earl Hobbs and Wm. N. Orr.

The guests were received by Mrs. Woodall, while Miss Marjorie Hilburn presided over the register.

The marriage of Miss Coffman and Lieut. William C. Jenkins will take place Sunday, December 20, at the First Methodist Church, Las Vegas, N. M.

The tea table was laid with white linen cloth, centered with miniature bride and silver candle sticks bearing white candles on either side.

Mrs. Orr and Mrs. Hunt poured tea and were assisted in the dining-room by Mrs. Coen.

Mrs. Roy Wade favored the guests with several numbers on the accordion, much enjoyed by those attending.

The honor guest was the recipient of a beautiful array of useful gifts.

Attending the delightful occasion were: Mesdames L. C. Grissom, Ben Lyman, H. C. Arnold, W. D. T. Storey, L. C. Hewitt, Ruth Griffin, Stacy Hart, Ralph Gray, Roy Wade, Grover Dennis, Stanley Doss, Enloe Smith, Bill Aldridge, Raynes Sparks, Marion Green, Rel Stephens, Leon Stansell, and Misses Lavell, Middleton, Brock, Ruth Pumphrey, and Marjorie Hilburn.

A large number sent gifts who were unable to attend.

Spade 4-H Club Elects Officers

The Spade 4-H club girls met Tuesday, December 9, to elect officers and make peanut butter.

The officers elected were: President, Avinel Johnson; vice president, Elaine Mouser; Secretary-Treasurer, Jo Ann Inklebarger; Reporter, Ruth Young.

Chairmen for the following com-

mittees were also elected: Program—Gale Rickman; Recreation—Janelle Garnett; Finance—Joy LaVerne Durham.

At the meeting, whole-grain products were discussed. The reason for making peanut butter was that peanuts are whole-grain products, and most farmers raise them.

To make peanut butter, shell and parch peanuts, remove red husks; grind through chopper twice; add salt; and add butter or oil if peanut butter is dry.

Mrs. Ivan Fowler Hostess Members Of Luncheon Club

Members of the Luncheon Club were guests of Mrs. Ivan Fowler at the Fowler residence on West First Street Thursday.

Following the luncheon served on foursome tables, bridge provided the diversion for the balance of the afternoon.

Scoring high in the games were: Mrs. I. T. Shotwell, Sr., and Mrs. J. H. Barnett, to whom defense stamps were awarded.

Other members attending were: Mesdames I. T. Shotwell, Jr., Edwin Fowler, M. M. Brittain, Quinton Bellomy, Bob Lewis, L. C. Hewitt, and L. L. Collins. Guests at the bridge-luncheon were: Mrs. Dennis Jones and Mrs. J. O. Garlington.

Twentieth Century Club Guests At Christmas Party

As a courtesy to members of the Twentieth Century Club, Mrs. T. Wade Potter entertained the group at a luncheon and bridge party Wednesday of last week.

The table was laid with white cloth, centered with a large bowl of red Carnations, for the luncheon which was served at the Batton Hotel.

Following the meal the group enjoyed bridge at the Potter residence on East Ninth Street, which was

beautifully decorated suggestive of the Christmas season. The bridge tallys, etc., also featured the Yuletide spirit.

Mrs. C. E. Cooper and Mrs. Otha Key scored high in the games and as awards received defense stamps.

Present for this enjoyable party were: Mesdames Allen Hilburn, Bob Lewis, C. E. Cooper, Otha Key, W. J. Chesher, A. R. Hendricks, P. W. Walker, W. D. Watkins, Ed. Fowler, C. E. Payne, I. T. Shotwell, Sr., and I. T. Shotwell, Jr.

Mrs. Oscar Wilemon Entertains El Martis Bridge Club Recently

Mrs. Oscar Wilemon was hostess to members of the El Martis Club Tuesday of last week, when she entertained with a luncheon at the Batton Hotel.

After the luncheon the group went to Mrs. Wilemon's home on East Eighth Street, where they en-

joyed several games of bridge.

Beautiful red sweetpeas and white stock decorated Mrs. Wilemon's home. During the bridge games, Mrs. S. J. Farquhar scored high, with Mrs. L. C. Hewitt scoring second high.

Those attending were: Mesdames C. E. Cooper, J. H. Barnett, E. S. Rowe, Allen Hilburn, T. Wade Potter, Otha Key, Farquhar, Hewitt, W. G. Street, and the hostess, Mrs. Wilemon.

Geraldine Ball, Sgt. Wozencraft Wed At Lubbock

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Ball of 1924 Sixteenth Street, Lubbock, are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Geraldine, to Sgt. W. T. Wozencraft of Olton, which took place Thursday at 7 o'clock in the evening at the home of the bride's parents with Dr. C. E. Hereford of the First Baptist Church, Lubbock, reading a single ring cere-

mony.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore an aqua alpaca dress with biege accessories and an off-the-face hat with shoulder length veil. Her corsage was pink Talisman roses and she carried a white Bible and blue heirloom handkerchief. "Something borrowed and something old" was a string of pearls belonging to her mother.

The bride's only attendant was her sister, Miss Helen Ball. She wore a gold colored alpaca dress and her flowers were bronze Talisman roses.

Pvt. Ivin L. Wozencraft of Lubbock Army Flying school, brother of the bridegroom, served as best man.

Miss Oletta Zeh played a prelude and the wedding march.

The bride cut the wedding cake which was served at a reception immediately following the ceremony.

Out-of-town guests were the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Wozencraft of Olton, and

Mrs. T. A. Studer of Olton.

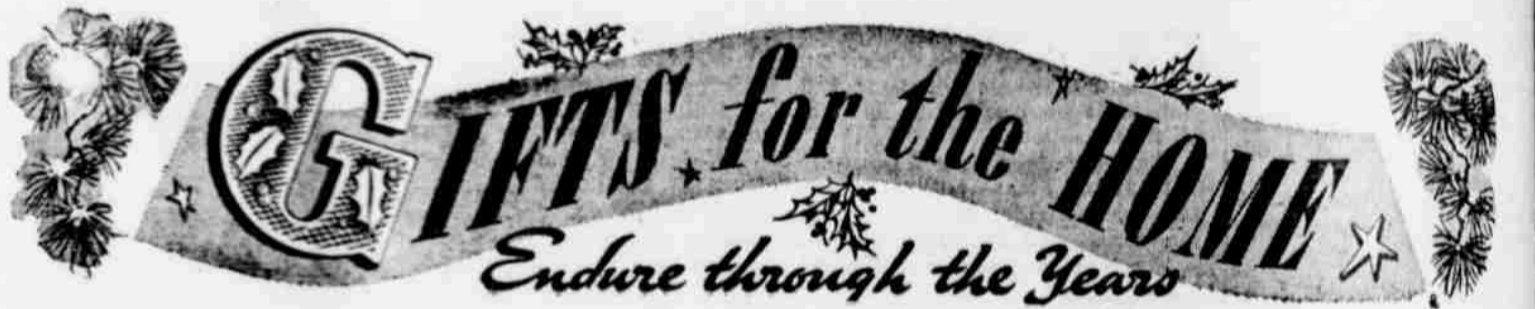
The couple have gone to Carlisle, N. M., to make their home. The bride's traveling costume was a suit with rust accessories.

Mrs. Wozencraft is a graduate of Lubbock High School and Texas Technological College, and Alpha Chi fraternity at College and was honored at Women's Recognition service of her four years at college. She has been employed at SPAP.

Sgt. Wozencraft is a graduate of Olton High School and a Tech student. He enlisted in United States Army Air Corps July, 1941, and is at present stationed at the Carlisle air base.

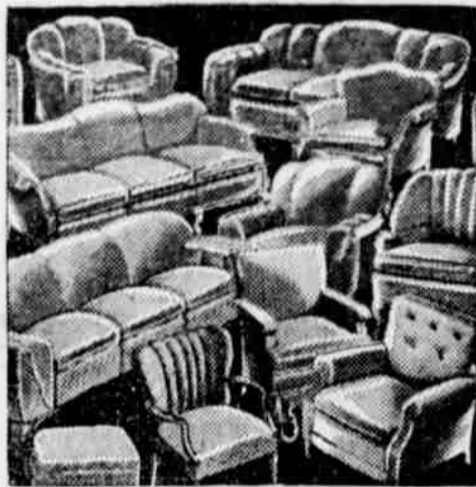
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We wish to thank the people of Hart Camp for the many kind things they have done for us during illness of our little girl, Rebecca M. and Mrs. L. M. King.



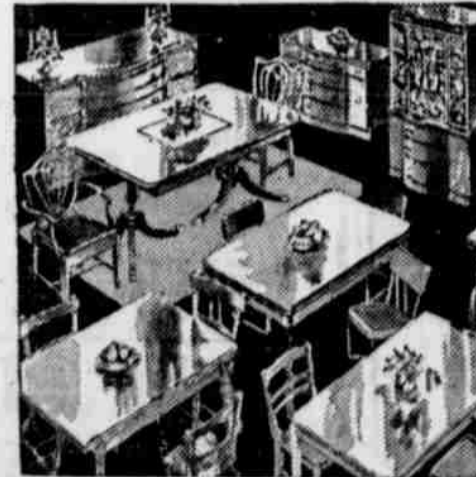
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- Platform Rockers, assorted colors in velour or tapestry \$12.50 to \$28.50
- Occasional Chairs—as low as \$9.50

Furniture That Makes Ideal Gifts

- Kneehole Desks, Unfinished \$7.50 to \$10.25
- Gate-leg Breakfast Tables, Unfinished, round or square \$7.95
- Children's Rockers, Walnut finish \$2.50
- Highchairs—Each \$3.95
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By the Yard... Beautiful patterns in our Brand New Stock.

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- 9 x 12 As Low As \$3.85

NEW KITCHEN CABINETS

Several Styles to Choose From.



New Bedroom Suites

- 4-piece Bedroom Suites, Mahogany finish \$99.50
- Night Stands to Match \$7.95
- 3-piece maple Bedroom Suites for small children \$37.50
- 4-piece Bedroom Suites, Blonde finish \$69.50
- 4-piece Sultan or Lime Oak Bedroom Suite \$84.50
- 4-piece Maple Bedroom Suites \$79.50
- 4-piece Bleached Maple Bedroom Suites \$99.50
- 4-piece Oak Veneer Bedroom Suites \$98.50
- 4-piece Walnut Suites, Post bed \$59.50



- All Staple Cotton Mattresses, 45 lb. \$14.95
- Linters Cotton Mattresses, 45 lb. \$8.95
- Good Used 6-foot General Electric Refrigerator for only \$69.50

Complete Stock of Used Furniture... At Bargain Prices

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LITTLEFIELD

GIFTS
For EVERYONE ON YOUR LIST

Use Our Lay-Away Plan.
A small deposit on any article will hold it until Christmas.

- Crystalware
- Redwing and Roseville Pottery.
- Vases and Bowls
- Wall Plaques
- Smoking Sets
- Oil Paintings
- Candle Sticks
- Electrical Gifts
- Lamps—Mirrors—Pictures
- Gifts at All Prices.

Jones Hardware
"Your Gift Store in Littlefield"

GIFTS for Last Minute Shoppers

Only 7 More Days Until Christmas

Come in today and make your selection from our large array of gifts.

Stokes Drug . . . in Littlefield . . . continues to be your convenient, economical shopping center—and it takes only a minimum consumption of gas to get here!

Let us help you with your gift problems.

STOKES DRUG

The REXALL STORE "In Business For Your Health"

LETTERS to Santa Claus

Sudan, Texas
Dec. 8, 1942

Claus,
I am a girl four years old. I have a very good little girl friend. I want you to bring me a chair, a doll, and a teddy bear. I also want some candy, nuts, and fruit.
Yours truly,
PATTY RUTH GOSDIN

Littlefield, Tex.
Dec. 10, 1942

Claus,
I have a drum, a tricycle, and a football. I also have a bicycle. They also have nuts and fruit.
Yours truly,
ADA CHAMPION

Littlefield, Tex.
Dec. 10

Claus,
I am a boy 3 years old. I have a drum, and a bicycle, and lots of nuts and fruit.
Yours truly,
BOYD LEE CHAMPION

Littlefield, Tex.
Dec. 15, 1942

Claus,
I have a big football, a gun, and a bicycle. I also have a bicycle. I also have a bicycle.
Yours truly,
CHARLES SHIPLEY

Littlefield, Tex.
Dec. 15, 1942

Claus,
I have a big football, a gun, and a bicycle. I also have a bicycle. I also have a bicycle.
Yours truly,
FINIS KIRKPATRICK

Littlefield, Tex.
Dec. 15, 1942

Claus,
I have a big football, a gun, and a bicycle. I also have a bicycle. I also have a bicycle.
Yours truly,
BOBBY GEAN TUCKER

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Yours truly,
BOBBY GEAN TUCKER

Littlefield, Tex.
Dec. 14, 1942

Claus,
I have a big football, a gun, and a bicycle. I also have a bicycle. I also have a bicycle.
Yours truly,
BOBBY GEAN TUCKER

Littlefield, Tex.
Dec. 12, 1942

Claus,
I have a big football, a gun, and a bicycle. I also have a bicycle. I also have a bicycle.
Yours truly,
BOBBY GEAN TUCKER

Littlefield, Tex.
Dec. 12, 1942

Plainview 4-H'er Is State Stock Champ



L. D. Ballard, 17, Plainview, Hale county, Texas, is the 1942 State winner in the annual Thomas E. Wilson meat animal livestock contest, conducted in cooperation with the Extension Service. He receives a 17-jewel gold watch award. Chosen by State Boys' Club Agent L. L. Johnson, the boy's five-year record shows he handled 10 baby heaves, 30 hogs, and 130 sheep. He won \$53 in cash prizes and his sales of meat animals were \$2,606.79, making a total of \$2,984.49. He showed grand champion Hereford calf at both the 1940 and 1941 Plainview Fat Stock Shows. The boy has served as club leader for the past two years. He holds a gold star 4-H award.

Littlefield, Texas
Dec. 15, 1942

Dear Santa,
I am a little boy 9 years old. Daddy is not able to work so I have to help him and Mother. I am trying to be a good boy. Please bring me something nice. I would like a B. B. gun, train or tinker toys, or any thing you will bring me. Be sure and bring some fruit, nuts and candy. Please bring my brothers and sister some presents. My teacher's name is Miss Smith. Please remember her. Hoping to see you Xmas,
ODELL TUCKER.

Littlefield, Texas
Dec. 15, 1942

Dear Santa Claus,
I am trying to be good. I want some oranges, nuts and candy and toys for a Boy. I go to school in Littlefield. My Teacher's name is Mrs. Hulse. Please don't forget to bring her something. Please remember Father and Mother. I have 3 brothers and 1 sister. Please don't forget them. Hoping to see you soon by
BOBBY GEAN TUCKER

Littlefield, Tex.
Dec. 15, 1942

Dear Santa Claus,
I am a little boy. This is my first year to school. My teacher is Miss Moorehead. Don't forget her, and I want lots of toys, but will be glad of anything you bring me. Please don't forget Daddy and Mother, also my little Brother Victor Wayne and little sister Jenette. They are too little to write. Please bring fruit, candy and nuts. We will hang our stockings up and go to bed early so don't pass us up. I hope to see you again this Xmas, so by,
J. C. TUCKER.

Littlefield, Texas
Dec. 12, 1942

Dear Santa,
I have tried to be a good girl. Please bring me a doll and blackboard. I hope you won't forget any little boy or girl.
Your Friend,
CARRIE ANITA IVIE.

4-H Club Reports

The County Home Demonstration Agent of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service, Miss Beatrice McCurdy, wishes to share with the reading public some interesting items from 4-H club reports.

In her report, who said? "We all know this is war time but 4-H club still goes on. I think all girls who do not belong to the 4-H club should be told about the club work and what they can do as a group to win the war. I have been helped in every way how to better care for what I have and to appreciate them."

Answer: Alynne Williams, Amherst, Littlefield Senior 4-H Club. Who said? "During this club year I have tried to live by the Victory Demonstrator's Pledge. It is a good guide to go by."

Answer: Lola Mae Gray, Olton. Who wrote? "In our frame garden we raised fresh vegetables before the open garden began producing and this way we saved much on our grocery bill. A frame garden is the thing to have during early spring and late fall."

Answer: Willie V. Gray, Olton. Who said? "By doing the things the agent has taught us I have helped our country in many ways that I might not have done otherwise."

Who? Jolene Bryant, Olton. Alice Lamb, Fieldton, said, "I have enjoyed this club year most of all because we are in a war and I

feel that I have had a part. After every club meeting I feel that I want to do more and more."

And from Billie Jean Robinson's (Fieldton) story we take this: "4-H Club! Every time I hear that name I get excited and so does everybody in our school. Until this year I thought we couldn't have flowers and a garden but I have found that you can have what you want."

Second Sheets at the Leader Office.

It's common sense to be thrifty. If you save you are thrifty. War Bonds help you to save and help to save America. Buy your ten percent every pay day.

Fatal Accident Is Suffered By Nephew Of Mr. And Mrs. Falls

R. L. Riggle, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. U. Riggle of near Floydada, and nephew of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Falls, was the victim of a fatal accident recently.

Riggle left home Thanksgiving night on horse back to go to Floydada. The next morning he was found about 10 o'clock on the edge of Floydada by someone passing by. He was in an unconscious condition, lying on the ground and had suffered two severe bruises on the back of his neck and a deep gash over the left eye. His spurs and

saddle blanket were missing, but the horse was still at his side, with the saddle hanging under his stomach. He never regained consciousness, but passed away that day.

Funeral services were conducted at Lakeview School House, nine miles south of Floydada, Saturday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, with Rev. Jarrett, pastor of the Baptist Church, Lakeview, officiating, and interment took place in that community cemetery.

Surviving deceased are: his parents; and one brother, Rabeo; and four sisters, Mrs. Raymond Baker, and Misses Meye and Ruth, all of Floydada, and Mrs. Frank Cough of Mayflower, Calif.

—FOR VICTORY BUY BONDS—

DECEMBER 25, 1942, our second Christmas in the World War, will find people less concerned with gifts and remembrances, and more determined to devote their time and energy to the winning of this war.

For many years people have known that electrical appliances are the perfect gifts. However, due to the SCARCITY of these appliances, you should put your money at our country's disposal by buying War Bonds and Stamps. When the war is over and the need for metal is no longer acute, these same BONDS and STAMPS will buy the new and improved appliances that will be on the market.

Help YOUR country now, by buying STAMPS and BONDS! Help yourself after the war by buying labor-saving electrical appliances.

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Cordial Christmas Greetings to all of our friends in the Southwest

IT IS with a feeling of deepest sincerity that we send you our cordial Christmas Greetings.

It is a good custom . . . a wholesome custom . . . a custom which we in America shall forever protect.

And while this Christmas may not be as "Merry" as those in years past, we may still clasp the hands of our friends with a true feeling of brotherly love — and an abiding faith that when the "rumult and the shouting dies" . . . and Victory has crowned our heroes with the laurel wreath, we will again know Christmas as in yesteryears.

Through floods, droughts, boom-times and depressions, war, peace . . . and again war, for the Thirty-seventh Christmas we have been able to supply through home-owned independent retail dealers the health-giving fresh fruits and fresh vegetables that you have been accustomed to enjoy at Christmas-time and every day throughout the year.

And come what may, we renew our pledge to continue this service to our friends in the Southwest for your good health and enjoyment.

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Largest Distributors of Fresh Fruits and Fresh Vegetables in the Southwest

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"CAVALCADE OF CHRISTMAS"

You are invited to listen to our "CAVALCADE OF CHRISTMAS" A prayer for Peace on Earth, offered with the hope that we may all work together for its achievement. . . A beautiful Christmas program written and produced especially for

KEITH'S FRUIT EXPRESS
To be Presented Christmas Morning
8:00-8:30 AM

Thursday, December 17, 1942

War Production Meeting In Lubbock Friday Morning

Session Called To Explain Controlled Materials Program

The Controlled Materials Plan designed to adjust production programs to conform to materials supply, has been completed and is ready to be put into operation.

So far as steel, copper and aluminum are concerned, the plan will gradually replace the existing priorities system, including the Production Requirements Plan.

Arrangements have been made with the War Production Board to hold a general meeting in the West Texas Gas Company Demonstration Room at 920 Main Street in Lubbock, Friday December 18, beginning at 9:30 a. m. for the purpose of explaining how the plan affects manufacturers, warehouses, repair shops, supply houses, and all other suppliers and consumers of critical materials. The program will be conducted by representatives of the War Production Board, using slide films, charts, etc., to illustrate how the new system will work. A question-and-answer period will be held after the explanatory talk.

All persons concerned are strongly urged to attend this vital meeting as the plan must be thoroughly understood as quickly as possible in order that deliveries and production may not be adversely affected by the change.

PUNCHES CLOCK AGAIN...FOR BOY IN JAP PRISON

Retired machinist back in harness puts 20% in War Bonds

OSCAR used to be a first-class machinist. Five years ago he retired to live out the rest of his life on a pension.

The other morning he showed up again at his old plant, which now makes war equipment, and asked for his old job back. When pay day came, he signed up with the Pay-Roll Savings Plan to put 20 percent of his pay in War Bonds.

Seems Oscar's boy was on Bataan.

Can't you spare 10 percent?

With people like Oscar making real sacrifices to help win the war, is it too much for you to put aside as little as 10 percent of your pay for War Bonds? Sign up for at least 10 percent at your place of business today!

On The Home Front

NAVY MAN WINS NEW ORLEANS RENT SUIT

Judgement for \$50 and attorney's fees was awarded by a New Orleans city court judge to Thomas H. Whatley, U. S. Naval Reserve, in a suit filed under the treble-damage clause of OPA's maximum rent regulations. Whatley, a Navy carpenter's mate, contended in his suit against an apartment operator that he had been charged \$7.50 per month over the March rent ceiling for a two-month period.

SPECIFIC CEILINGS SET FOR BEEF WHOLESALERS

Taking the first step in a program designed to assure more equitable distribution of the civilian beef supply, OPA set specific dollars and cents ceiling prices on all beef carcasses and wholesale cuts at the slaughterer and wholesaler level. The new order does not affect retail store prices, which still are controlled at the highest March sales levels by the General Maximum Price Regulation, nor live cattle transactions which are still without direct price control. The new wholesale ceilings are designed to reflect prices for live cattle slightly above the September, 1942, averages.

WPB SETS ASIDE HALF OF 1942 FOOD PACK

About 50 to 55 per cent of the 1942 pack of 31 popular canned fruits, vegetables and juices will be reserved by WPB order for government purchase, to assure the armed forces, lend-lease and other specified government agencies an adequate supply of canned foods in 1943-44. Canners were required this year to set aside about 35 per cent

Wounded Men in Jungle



These three Australian fighters suffered slight wounds while driving the Japanese out of Templeton's Crossing, high in the Owen Stanley Mountains in Papua. They have stopped at a first-aid station set up in a native village. From this point they walked six miles over a narrow trail to a base hospital.

of their pack. In 1944, when most of the 1943 pack will be consumed, civilians will get a maximum of about 33 pounds per capita annually of canned foods, compared with an average consumption of about 46 pounds in the pre-war period, 1935-1939.

DRIED EGGS EXEMPTED FROM PRICE CONTROL

To assure a plentiful supply of dried eggs for the armed forces and lend-lease users, OPA lifted price control from dried whole eggs sold to the U. S. government or any of its agencies during January and February, 1943. Shell, liquid or frozen eggs sold during this period to manufacturers making dried eggs for the government also were exempted from price control.

BICYCLES PROVIDED FOR POSTMEN

So that the Post Office Department and other Federal agencies which lease bicycles for use by their employees may obtain the needed vehicles, OPA ruled that dealers and others may acquire bicycles for lease to government agencies as well as for sale. Previously dealers could acquire stocks for sale only. Federal agencies must secure rationing certificates from their Washington offices.

TIRE INVENTORY RESTRICTIONS LIFTED

Restrictions on the grades of tires which dealers may buy to replenish their inventories were lifted by OPA in an amendment to the rationing regulations. Dealers now are permitted to restock with Grade I, II, or III tires on a Grade I rationing certificate, which previously was good only for a Grade I or II replacement. A Grade II certificate now may be used to stock Grade II or Grade III tires. The limit of 200

placed on the initial Grade III tires a dealer also has been removed.

MEN OVERSEAS CAN SEND GIFTS DUTY FREE

By authority of a bill President Roosevelt signed in the U. S. abroad now may send to their home duty free. These packages sent to service men go duty-free to the office address, the ship or Navy number and the Marine three number.

With South Platte Men In The Service

The Leader is proud a Christmas card from who apparently is at flight school as a pilot tonio.

The card carried the message:

"Wishing all my friends County a very Merry Happy New Year."

Previous to enlisting Corps, Gene was a local Piggly Wiggy Co.

The Leader is also a Christmas greeting Wilson Suson, from Peru which was indeed a many friends will be getting along nicely.

Pvt. Bill B. Walden, Belle Walden of Anton stationed at Pendleton as a member of the U. S. Forces since Oct. 21, was inducted at Lubbock and entered the reception Fort Sill, Okla. He was there to Hill Field, Okla. where he received basic is a graduate of Anton where he was a member ball team three years. ducted he was a section the Santa Fe railroad. He has a brother, Miles division at Fort Knox.

Blank books and led Leader Office.



FARM Auction Sale

Monday, December 21, 1942
Sale Starts at 10:30 A. M.

As I have rented my farm, I will sell at Public Auction at my farm, located nine miles east of Littlefield, or one mile south and one mile west of Spade School:

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| <p>LIVESTOCK</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Jersey Cow, giving three gallons milk, 7 years old. 1 Red Cow, four years old, fresh soon. 1 Roan Cow, three years old, giving two gallons. 1 Jersey Cow, 7 years old, calf by side. A 5-gallon cow. 1 Roan Heifer, two years old. Bred. 1 Red Steer, weighing about 700 Pounds. 1 Red Heifer, weighing about 600 pounds. 1 Jersey Heifer, four months old. 1 Roan Heifer, four months old. <p>HOGS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Meat Hog, weighing 450 pounds. 1 White Sow and eight pigs. 5 White Gilts, weighing from 125 pounds to 175 pounds. <p>CHICKENS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 200 Buff Minorica Hens. 300 Buff Minorica young hens. 25 Buff Minorica Roosters. <p>IMPLEMENTS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Four-Wheel Trailer with new two-bale cotton bed. Has good 600-16 tires. 1 Four-Wheel Trailer, with one bale bed, has 30-3 1/2 tires. 1 Two-Row Slide with knives. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Davis Bradley Walking Buster. 5-Row Cotton Scratchers. 6-Row Sand Checker. <p>FEED</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 50 Bushels or more Good Ear Corn. About 100 pounds Pop Corn shelled. <p>HOUSEHOLD GOODS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Sewing Machine. 1 Philco Radio, Battery Set. 1 Dining Room Suite. 5-Burner Table Top New Perfection Oil Stove, good as new. 1 Studio Couch. 2 High Back Rockers. 1 Platform Rocker. 1 Chifferobe. 1 End Table. 200 Cans Fruits and Vegetables. Dishes, Pans, and many other articles too numerous to mention. <p>MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2 Hog Troughs. Chicken Feeders, Water Fountains. Hoes, Yard Rake, Scoops, Shovels. 5 Five-Gallon Oil Cans. 500 Capacity Chick Brooder, good as new. 5 Gallons Hog Lard, and some lard cans. And Many Other Articles Too Numerous to Mention. |
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Anyone Having Anything To Sell, Bring It To This Sale.

TERMS OF SALE: CASH. No Property To Be Moved Until Settled For.

Ladies of Littlefield Will Serve Lunch.
FREE COFFEE—BRING YOUR CUPS.

L. M. McCOY

OWNER

COL. JACK ROWAN, Auctioneer.
Littlefield

CHARLIE CLARK, Clerk.
Littlefield

REALIZE Your WANTS-BY READING

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FOR SALE TIRES

FOR SALE OR TRADE
We Repair Tires and Tubes
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Reasonable Prices
Satisfaction Guaranteed

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CASH GROCERY**
West Highway 7 Littlefield
19-1tc

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Two labors of land, six miles north of Amherst. Good improvements. \$15 per acre. Lums Chapel Grocery. 35-5tp

FOR SALE—38 model pick-up, fair tires, motor in fair shape. Thousand pound capacity. See Frank Rutherford, Rutherford Grocery, Whitbaral. 36-4tp

FOR SALE—Sow and eight pigs; also several good heifers, bred. See Roy J. Clark at Aldridge Grocery. 37-1tc

FOR SALE—200 AAA White Rock laying pullets. Mrs. Ulyss Dalmont, Phone 152. 37-tfc

FOR SALE—One of best constructed frame residences in Littlefield at corner 7th Street and L.F.D. Drive, one block south from Post Office. Call or write L. W. Jordan, Plainview, Texas. 37-tfc

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR FARM—Improved five acres with good house. See Roy J. Clark at Aldridge Grocery. 37-1tc

FOR SALE—Good Riding Saddle. See Jimmie Singer. Telephone 88. 38-1tc

FOR SALE—Sow and Pigs. See Tom Roper at Monk Singer's Farm. 38-1tc

FOR SALE OR LEASE—Oklahoma Flat Grocery, will sell fixtures and stock at invoice price. B. A. Rhoten. 38-2tp

FOR SALE—13 inch Papac Feed Mill in good condition with belt. J. B. Franks, Fieldton, Texas. 38-2tp

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—1937 Oldsmobile, with fair rubber, at bargain. See A. M. Arnold, one mile east and one mile north Anton. 35-4tp

LAND BARGAINS

If you want to buy land—SEE US.

If you want to sell—
Would appreciate your listing.

Have Real Bargains in Stock Farms and Grass Lands.

Some New Mexico Bargains

Keithley & Co.

FOR SALE—6 ft. Servel Electrolux Refrigerator, 1939 model. See E. S. Brock, 7 miles northeast of Littlefield. 38-1tp

FOR SALE—F-20 Farmall, 39 model, good condition, with two-row equipment. See Frank Rutherford, Rutherford Grocery, Whitbaral. 35-4tp

FOR SALE—160 acre farm, improved, on Blackwater Draw, 1 mile west, 1 1/2 miles south of Hart Camp on REA line, mail route, and school bus route, fine well of water, 13 acres in natural pasture. Can be handled with small amount of cash. Mrs. Lucy Staton, Rt. 1, Littlefield. 36-4tp

FOR SALE—Irrigated half-section, well located, 6 miles north Earth. \$40.00 acre. Carrol M. Jones, Olton, Texas. 37-4tp

WILL TRADE
1936 FORD TUDOR, extra good rubber, on later model car and pay difference. See J. L. Manuel, 1 1/2 miles west of Littlefield Cemetery. 37-2tp

FOR SALE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Chevrolet sedan. Good Hand Furniture.

FOR SALE—Few Good Tools. Ferguson Implements.

FARMS FOR SALE—Wells, Phone 216, Littlefield.

MISCELLANEOUS

FARMERS—I pay more for beef. Top Hogs and No. Roy J. Clark at Aldridge.

A HOME for Elderly people, need room and board. Irvie, West Second Street.

LIBERAL REWARD

Liberal Reward for information. V. C. McBee, P. O. Box 441, Littlefield, black purse case, key, keepsake valued highly office key, lost Thursday.

Tractor Repair Service

MECHANICS EXPERIENCED ALL MAKES OF TRACTORS COMPLETE OVERHAUL

Luke's Tractor

On Spring Lake Road JUST NORTH OF LITTLEFIELD

FARMERS—I pay more for beef. Top Hogs and No. Roy J. Clark at Aldridge.

WANTED

WANTED—100,000 rats for Ray's Killer. Sells for \$1.00. Harmless to cats, rats and mice. Guaranteed. STOKES DRUGS.

WANTED TO BUY—Doggett Grain Co.

WANTED TO RENT—farm for 1943. Would like ing equipment. Owen Staton, Memphis, Texas.

WANTED TO BUY—kitten. See or write J. L. Thompson, Route 2, Littlefield.