

## Reginald Harlan Missing In Action

Reginald A. Harlan, 23, of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Harlan, 14 miles southeast of Littlefield, pilot of the P-38 Fighter plane, who has been stationed in Burma, is reported missing in action.

Parents received a telegram from the War Department Saturday in effect that he was missing over Burma since November 20. Inasmuch as the family had received a letter from Lieut. Harlan on November 24 they wired the Department, Washington, to effect, and Sunday received a telegram stating he was missing after the 27th of November.

Harlan had only been in service a short time. He was in August last on a furlough, left for overseas duty on October 11.

Harlan is a graduate of 1938 class of Littlefield High School, in which he was Valedictorian of his class. He was always considered an outstanding student in the local high school, and the University, which he attended. He received his commission and awarded his wings at Williams, Chandler, Ariz., on July 27.

Geraldine Harlan, employed at the First National Bank here, is sister of Lieut. Harlan.

## Entertain School Board Dec. 6

Members of the Littlefield School Board and their wives were guests of the Homemaking Department of local schools at a dinner and program Monday evening, Dec. 6, 8 o'clock, which is an annual event.

The program included several features by the Homemaking Girls; by Miss Roberta Sullivan and Gwendolyn Bales. Numbers were "Holy Night," "White Christmas," and "Believe Me If All My Endearing Young Charms." Katie Stith and Mrs. Floyd will bear the charge of the program. Present were: Roy Hutson, Mrs. L. C. Hewitt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lehman, Mr. and Mrs. Truman, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Arman, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Arman, Miss Lucille Cushman, and Mrs. Purris Williams. Following the dinner the ladies had a social hour, while the men had a school board meeting.

## Industrial Users Must Re-Register

Between December 15, 1943, and January 5, 1944, all industrial users of rationed foods will be asked to register with their local War Relocation Boards, J. Doyle, district rationing executive, announced. This registration will be on the new form R-1200, a consolidation of the former form R-310, the production form R-1308, and the form R-1605.

The purpose of this re-registration is to combine the allocations of all rationed foods on one form rather than the three forms heretofore used. This will permit uniform application of the Regulations to all users of rationed foods. It also permits the issuance of all rationed foods at one time instead of at three times as has been the case, Settle.

This initial re-registration will be granted for three months at a time on all rationed foods. This will eliminate trips to the rationing executive point at different dates, and enable the industrial user to purchase and use of rationed foods on a uniform basis. Industrial users include, for example, such people as bakers, dairymen, candy manufacturers, confectionery manufacturers, and others who use rationed foods in the preparation of other rationed and unrationed products. A baker, for example, explained, would use rationed flour, sugar, and shortening. He would be given one allotment of all these commodities for three months. Any petitions for relief on one rationed commodity could be made applicable to all his corresponding needs for rationed commodities. The change of policy is in line with the announced intention to consolidate its regulations wherever possible, Settle said.

# DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD GOES TO LAMB COUNTY AGENT

## SALVATION ARMY LAUNCH THEIR DONATION PROGRAM THIS WEEK

### Kettle And Nickel Board To Be Used By Local Corps

**Christmas Tree Party For Kiddies And Few Baskets To Be Provided**

The Salvation Army annual donation program to carry on their work here got underway this week, and will continue until Christmas.

Capt. Ivor J. Williams, in charge of the Littlefield and Plainview Corps, stated Saturday that they would depend this year on free will donations in the Kettle and the nickel board. He said there would be no canvassing, but that a few letters of solicitation for funds would be sent out.

Inasmuch as there is believed to be no unemployment this year, and less need to be taken care of, Capt. Williams stated that the Salvation Army funds raised this year would be used for post war development work in Littlefield. He said that a few baskets, as many as needed after investigation of each case, would be sent; a Christmas Tree would be held for the kiddies as in other years, and all funds raised over and above this would be sent and retained in Dallas Salvation Army Headquarters to be used for post war development in Littlefield.

Capt. Williams explained that following the war, if there is a depression, which would ordinarily be expected, people will need help, and the local Salvation Army would then, under the new plan, have funds to draw from as it is needed. All Salvation Army Corps in Texas are carrying out this program, Capt. Williams said, adding that at a Salvation Army State conference at Mineral Wells recently it was decided that this was the best plan under the circumstances.

The Christmas Tree party for the kiddies will be held next week, and the local Corps is endeavoring to get the loan of a 16 M-M sound and film picture for presentation that evening, and candy, fruit and nuts will be distributed to the children.

All those wishing to contribute to the Salvation Army War effort in Littlefield is asked to please use the kettle or mail direct to Salvation Army here.

This Christmas effort must not be confused with the annual financial campaign, which will be staged in February or March by the local Citizens Advisory Board, for the functioning of the local Corps.

This week pamphlets portraying the work being done by the Salvation Army in foreign countries are being distributed in Littlefield.

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## Flight Officer Walter T. Dyer Awarded Silver Wings

Flight Officer Walter T. Dyer, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Dyer of Spade Community, was graduated and awarded his Silver Wings at the Army Airfield, Frederick, Okla., Sunday, December 5, according to an announcement just received from the Army Air Forces Training Company, Randolph Field, Texas.

Flight Officer Dyer was graduated as a Bomber pilot.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Dyer, the flyer's parents, and his sister, Miss Patty Ruth Dyer, went to Frederick and attended the graduation ceremony.

The flyer has been in the service almost two years. He had taken training at Randolph Field, San Antonio; Waco and Enid, Okla., before being transferred to Frederick for advanced training.

He graduated with the 1937 class of Spade High School.

Flight Officer Dyer accompanied his parents and sister, Miss Patty Ruth Dyer, back to Spade Community from Frederick. Enroute here they stopped at Dallas, and were joined by their daughter and sister, Mrs. James Hammett, and her little daughter, Carolyn, who came home with them for a visit. Flight Officer Dyer will remain home until after the Christmas holidays.

Climaxing a year of peak production of fighting airmen, the eleven advanced pilot schools of the central unit of the Army Air Forces Training Command on December 5 awarded silver wings to thousands of new fighter and bomber pilots.

Even as the graduates were prepared to new assignments prepar-



Flight Officer Walter T. Dyer

tory to entering active operations against the Axis, the training stations were beginning work with a new group of advanced flying students who will form the first graduating class of 1944 early in January.

Fighter pilot stations participating in the December 5 graduation ceremonies are those at Moore Field in Mission, Eagle Pass, and Foster and Aloe Fields at Victoria, all in Texas. Potential bomber pilots were graduated at Brooks, Lubbock, Ellington, Pampa and Blackland Fields in Texas and at Altus and Frederick in Oklahoma.

## Red Cross Offer Varied Service

Mrs. L. M. Brandon, Executive Secretary of Lamb County Red Cross Chapter, asked the Leader to urge on the public the necessity, in case of an emergency, in connection with the calling home of service men, to first contact the local Red Cross office; and that this procedure would save about 24 hours time.

Mrs. Brandon stated that even though the serviceman receives the telegram, the Military Authorities will not grant an emergency furlough until it is investigated by the Red Cross.

From Dec. 1 until 14, 55 cases had been handled by the local Red Cross.

Results were apparently obtained by this organization in the case of Mrs. Sophia Willis, who had not heard from her son, Cpl. Lynn Brandt Willis, since Sept. 8, 1942. After a considerable effort on the part of the local Red Cross, this office received a letter Tuesday to the effect that the Field Director had contacted one of this service man's Superior Officers, and he advised that he talked to Cpl. Lynn Brandt Willis in North Africa, and that he said he had recently written his mother two letters.

The Washington office of Red Cross also advised that Willis had been promoted from Private to Corporal; and gave the proper address of this service man.

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## Com'nder Bellomy Home From Hawaii

Commander Ray Bellomy of the U. S. Coast Guard, and son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bellomy of this city, who has been stationed in Hawaii for over two years, and 15 years in the Service, arrived home Sunday.

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## Mrs. J. F. Winston Critically Ill

Mrs. J. F. Winston, 63, of Brownfield, mother of E. L. Winston, is critically ill in the Treadway-Daniel Hospital in that city, suffering from a paralytic stroke suffered Friday, when her entire left side was affected. Also a blood clot at the elbow on her right arm rendered that arm dead, which would necessarily have to be amputated if Mrs. Winston survives the attack.

The children have all been called to Brownfield. Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Winston have been going back and forth to Brownfield continually, and left Wednesday night for Mr. Winston's mother's bedside. A son, J. C. Winston, is with the Seabees in the South Pacific, and the Red Cross are endeavoring to secure an emergency furlough for him.

Mrs. Winston, Sr., only left here Tuesday afternoon of last week after remaining in the Winston home here while Mrs. Winston and daughter, Katherine, went to Chandler, Ariz., to attend graduation exercises when Lieut. Winston was awarded his wings.

Mrs. Homer Sewell is confined in the Payne-Shotwell Hospital suffering from flu.

## Cong. Geo. Mahon Praises Newspapers

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**Only 10 Agents Selected In State So Recognized**

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V. F. Jones, Lamb County Agent, has been selected as one of the ten County Agents of Texas to receive the Distinguished Service Award presented by the National County Agents Association this year.

To be selected to receive this award, a man must have had ten or more years of successful experience as a County Agent, and be nominated by his fellow workers who recognize and respect his ability and leadership.

When only ten are selected from the entire state of Texas to receive this award, it is felt that to be included as one of these ten is a real honor, and Mr. Jones is to be highly congratulated on receiving this national recognition he so well deserved.

## Snow And Sleet Fall Over Area

Snow and sleet fell over Littlefield and area the past week, bringing much needed moisture, followed by the new low temperature for this season.

The rain which fell all day Thursday turned to sleet and snow late that day, and by Friday morning a thin sheath of ice covered the streets of this city, making walking and driving rather difficult.

Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock the thermometer reached the lowest for this season at 17 degrees above zero. The total precipitation for the past week end, badly needed by this area to enable farmers to get their land worked, was measured at 1.14 inches.

The moisture was reported general over the entire trade area, but some sections reported heavier sleet.

The thermometer readings for the past week were: Thursday, low 28, high 48; Friday, low 27, high 32; Saturday, low 23, high 48; Sunday, low 32, high 48; Monday, low 30, high 42; Tuesday, low 30 and high 32; Wednesday, low 17 and high 32.

## Receives Aerial Gunner's Wings

Av-C. Ben R. Myers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben R. Myers of Rt. 1, Littlefield, was graduated this week from the Flexible Gunnery School, Army Airfield, Harlingen, Texas, and was awarded his Aerial Gunner's Wings. He qualified as an expert aerial triggerman after six weeks of intensive training of aerial gunnery warfare.

He went to Harlingen and was awarded his Aerial Gunner's wings after pre-flight training at one of the Army Air Forces Training Command bombardier schools. Now, a qualified sharpshooter who has learned how to "double in lead," he will go to an advanced bombardier school to complete his training, win a second lieutenant's commission and another pair of wings.

At that time he will become a fully qualified member of an aerial combat team, ready to serve either in the bombardier's seat or to man the guns that are the bomber's protection.

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In case of errors or omissions in local or other advertisements, the publisher does not hold himself liable for damage further than the amount received by him for such advertisement.

### Issuing Service Buttons—

An honorable service button to be worn on civilian clothes has been authorized for men and women separated under honorable conditions from active duty in the Navy, Marine Corps and Coast Guard.

The design is the same as that authorized by the War Department for those honorably discharged from the Army, thus standardizing the emblem for all persons honorably separated from the armed forces.

The button will be issued without cost to both officer and enlisted personnel separated from the service under honorable conditions since September 9, 1939. Former Naval personnel may apply for the emblem in person at any Naval Training Station, Receiving Station, or Hospital, or in writing to the Bureau of Naval Personnel, Navy Department, Washington, D. C. Those who served in the Marine Corps may apply at any Marine Corps procurement office or write to the Commandant, U. S. Marine Corps, Washington, D. C. Former Coast Guard personnel may call for the buttons at District Coast Guard offices or write to Coast Guard Headquarters, Washington, D. C. They are available for distribution now.

Former enlisted personnel must present or forward their discharges as evidence of their eligibility to receive this award. The discharge will in all cases be returned together with the honorable service button. In the case of officers the original and one certified copy of the orders placing them on an inactive status are required.

Those being honorably discharged or separated

### Pure Poppycock—

We are told that it will be necessary for government regulations to continue for years following the close of the war. This is pure poppycock, advocated for New Dealers who want to continue their jobs. Remember how quickly this nation changed from a peace-time to a war-time basis? Manufacturing plants were soon converted and were turning out war machines in short order. The machinery for these goods was not destroyed, but set aside awaiting the return of peace. When peace comes we are told that 53 million war workers will be thrown out of jobs and will be seeking new jobs; in addition 12 million or more service men and women will be released for civilian jobs. With this vast army of workmen available, manufacturers will soon be able to swing back into production. It will not be long after peace is declared that the markets will be swamped with goods of all kinds—provided the people have any money with which to buy. There are many in Washington who hope to tax away all of the surplus that the people have so that they cannot buy after the war. That would be a fine way to start another depression so that governmental control of our everyday life would be assured.

—Canyon News.

from the service in the future will receive the honorable service button at the time of their separation.

The small grains must not be harvested for grain, Wells said.

The farmer may earn payment for both limited and unlimited practices. The latter practices are considered by the federal government as essential to war production. They are terracing, digging or drainage ditches, pasture mowing, elimination of prickly pear, cactus, mesquite, cedar and underbrush and construction of tanks or dams.

Wells said an adequate price support program is indicated but said this phase has not been announced.

### Is Graduated From Armament School Monday

Pvt. James Alton Moore, son of J. L. Moore of Route 1, Littlefield, was graduated from the Lowry Field, Colorado, Army Air Forces Technical Training School Monday, taking an armament training course.

Pvt. Moore was inducted into the service at Lubbock, was sent to Fort Sill, and later to Keesley Field for basic training, after which he was transferred to Lowry Field, Colo.

The Army Air Forces Training Command's Department of Armament at Lowry Field, Colo., was established to teach the operation and maintenance of the technical equipment used on bombing planes. Students are taught the principles of operation, disassembly and assembly of the guns used, practical care and cleaning for the maintenance and preservation of equipment. Safety rules and instructions are supplemented by training films designed to emphasize the important features. Instructions on the proper handling of electrical armament controls, explosives, aerial bombs and torpedoes, and bombs are supplemented by similar films.



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3 LARGE CANS	
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Sunshine Krispy—2 Lb. Box 30c—1 Lb. Box	
<b>WHEATIES—</b>	<b>10c</b>
LARGE BOX	
<b>CORN FLAKES—</b>	<b>8c</b>
KELLOGG'S—Reg. 10c Size—PKG.	
<b>LARD—Sno-White—</b>	<b>65c</b>
4 LB. CARTON	

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FOR CANNING	
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PER 100	
No. 3 Cans	<b>\$3.75</b>
PER 100	

<b>BLACKEYED PEAS</b>	<b>5c</b>
WHITE SWAN—9 OZ. CAN	

<b>KC Baking Powder</b>	<b>19c</b>	<b>TOMATOES—</b>	<b>11c</b>
25 OZ. CAN		NO. 2 CAN—18 Points	
		<b> RIPPLE WHEAT—</b>	<b>10c</b>
		PKG.	
		<b> OATMEAL—</b>	<b>10c</b>
		SMALL PKG.	
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### Federal 1944 Farm Program Non-Profit

The federal government's 1944 farm program will offer no profit to the farmer in benefit payments.

While he is to be paid for carrying out recommended practices, the sum he receives will be only enough to bear compliance expenses, according to Walter Y. Wells, Lubbock County Triple-A administrator.

"With the lid off production, emphasis is on conservation and improvement of farm and pasture land, prevention of erosion and saving and utilization of water," Wells said.

Many of the payment rates, he said, have been hiked to off-set partly the increased costs of labor and seed.

Payments will be made on limited and unlimited practices.

The limited practices are to be carried out according to the allowance set-up for the individual farm, he explained. These allowances are 75 cents for each acre of cropland, \$1.50 for each acre of commercial orchards, \$1 for each acre of commercial vegetables normally grown on a farm and six cents for each acre of pasture or range land on the farm.

Two new practices have been added to the limited list. Wells said payment will be made for establishing a "satisfactory" cover of rye grass or small grains, exclusive of wheat seeded this autumn, and for harvesting of legume and grass seeds.

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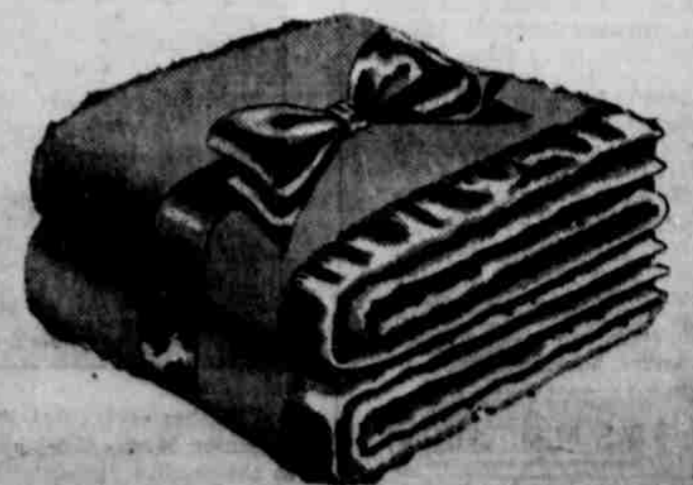
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# NEWS OF AMHERST

## "The Pick of the Plains"

### Belmonte Williams Writes Father From Jap Prison

E. S. Williams, formerly of near Amherst, but recently of Long Beach, Calif., Tuesday received a second letter from their son, Henry Belmont Williams, 23, Pharmacist's Mate, Third Class, of the U. S. Navy, from the Prison Camp Hirohata, Japan.

The letter said:

"Dear Daddy and All:

"Once again I am permitted to write you a few lines. I am still in good health and hope you are the same. I've started working since I last wrote you.—The past two months have been very wet, making work disagreeable. Jessie, I received your letter of June 22—this March.

"Your letter and others have meant so much to me. I anxiously await more and please send photographs. If your outlook on the future is as bright as mine, we have no real worries. I ever look forward to the day when we will be together again. If I only knew how near or far the day of our meeting is, this life would be much easier. Do not worry about my safety for I am still well cared for. I hope to see you soon. Until I do, may the best of health and happiness be yours and may God be with us all. Give Sherry my love and May God bless you.

"Your loving son,  
"BALMONTE."

In February, 1942, Mr. Williams at Amherst received official notification from the Navy that his son, Henry Belmont Williams, was

among a list of 94 Texans deemed likely to be war prisoners of the Japanese.

Williams was at the Island of Guam when the Pacific Islands were attacked by the Japanese December 7, 1941. He enlisted in the Navy in March, 1940, and had been stationed on the Island of Guam since May, 1941. Prior to that time he was on the Mare Island, near San Francisco, Calif.

According to a statement of one of the prisoners in Japan, they were captured Dec. 12, 1941, and sailed for Japan January 10, 1942.

The above is the second letter Mr. Williams has received from his son.



HENRY BELMONT WILLIAMS

### With Amherst Men In The Armed Forces

Pvt. Billie Qualls, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Qualls, formerly of near Amherst, but now of Sudan, who has been in the Service 2 1/2 years, and in foreign service about 18 months, with an Engineering Corps, is now confined in a Memphis, Tenn., Army Hospital, suffering from "Athlete's Foot" on both hands, developed while in New Guinea. He arrived in San Francisco about three weeks ago, and has since been confined to the hospital. However, his trouble is better, and he is expected to arrive home about December 22. His last visit home was Christmas, 1941.

Pvt. Billie Qualls and R. W. Stanfield of Littlefield went overseas together, and were still together when

Pvt. Billie Qualls left for the United States. Stanfield is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Stanfield of northeast of town.

H. W. Qualls, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Qualls, Sr., of Sudan, formerly of near Amherst, of the Petroleum Engineering Corps of the U. S. Army, stationed at Camp Claiborne, La., arrived Saturday afternoon on a 14 day furlough. He was accompanied by his wife and children, who have been making their home in Roswell, N. M. They returned to Littlefield Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Qualls and daughter, Henrietta, and Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Qualls and two children of Fieldton spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Qualls, Sr.

The balance of the family are: Carr Qualls and his sister, Mrs. Louis Farr, both of California, who may visit here Christmas Day; and Hilan, Bonnie Jo and Von Edward, all at home, who hope to enjoy a family reunion in the H. W. Qualls home during the Christmas holidays.

Egt. Craven Tarleton, who is stationed in Italy with Cpl. Herbert Cowan, a son of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Cowan of 13 miles northeast of Amherst, had the pleasure of sharing

with Cpl. Herbert Cowan a Christmas box from the Cowan home, and in appreciation of the good things contained in the box, wrote Mr. and Mrs. Cowan of near Amherst, as follows:

"Italy, Nov. 15

"Dear Friend,

"Well, I guess you are wondering whether you know me or not. No, you don't. I have never had the pleasure of meeting you all. But I have learned to know you all through your son, Herbert. Yes, I am with him somewhere in Italy. He speaks of you all often. He is a swell lad and there is not a fellow in our group who dislikes him. We all work together.

Well, Mrs. Cowan, I guess everything really looks good in Texas now. Well, I was just speaking of that. I first started my Army life out there. My home is in the East. I am from North Carolina. But I sorta love Texas. I like the people there. Everybody is so kind and wants to help in every respect, and that goes a long way with me. I am sorry I have never met you all after knowing Herbert. I am sure I would enjoy meeting you all.

"Well, Mrs. Cowan, don't worry

### Methodist Youth Fellowship To Meet At Amherst Dec. 18-19

about him. He's doing O.K. He and I and all the other boys are expecting to come home before so long. My, that will be a great day then. Well, Mrs. Cowan, I wish to thank you for the candy you sent Herbert. He gave me some and we sure had a time and enjoyed it lots. Just don't forget to write him. It keeps him in good heart too. Well, I must stop for now. If there is anything you wish to ask me about, just write me and I will try to answer any question I can.

"Well, this is no letter. I will try to do better next time. I am in a hurry and if you find time I would love to hear from you all. So, as the sun sinks in the west and goes out of sight, I must say so long until some time later.

"Just A Friend  
"With Your Son,  
"CRAVEN."

The Plainview District meeting of the Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet at the Amherst Methodist Church on Dec. 18-19. All the annual Conference Officers of Northwest Texas Annual Conference as well as all the District officers plan to attend.

The National President of the organization will probably be present. A banquet will be given on Saturday evening, and a pageant by Amherst young people.

The Plainview District Superintendent, Rev. W. C. Hinds of Pinedale, will bring the message Sunday morning.

### Amherst Personals

Mrs. Roger Willet was released from the Hospital Monday night after spending several days there with the flu.

Minnie Lee Williams, 14, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Williams of Spade Community, confined in the Payne-Shotwell Hospital suffering from ulcerated stomach, is slightly improved. Her brother, Pvt. Raymond L. Williams, who has been stationed at Camp Stone, Calif., received an emergency furlough, the Red Cross efforts, and is now at home with his sister and family.

"Uncle George" Rogers left Sunday for Snyder to visit his son during the Christmas holidays.

**MR., MRS. T. E. SPEAR SELL FARM TO AUSS BASS RECENTLY**

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Spear of five miles northwest of Amherst have sold their farm to Auss Bass, also Amherst, and left Wednesday Cyprus, Calif., where Mr. Spear will be employed in defense work.


Mr. and Mrs. Bass will move the property.

Mr. and Mrs. Spear have a Ben Thomas Spear, Seaman 1-C of the U. S. Navy, located "somewhere in the South Pacific." He has been in the service about a year.

**MRS. KEPLINGER VERY ILL**

Mrs. Clara Keplinger is very ill with pneumonia at her home at Amherst. Her son, Pvt. O. D. Keplinger, of Camp Swift, Texas, has been summoned to her bedside.

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TUESDAY And WEDNESDAY <b>"THE GREAT DICTATOR"</b> CHARLEY CHAPLIN	THURSDAY <b>"HI DIDDLE DIDDLE"</b> ADOLPH MENJOU—MARTHA SCOTT ALSO NEWS	

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**SPADE SCHOOL NEWS**

Because of the snow storm, the Spade buses did not run on Thursday and Friday last. Only a few pupils were at school on Thursday and Friday morning. School dismissed on Friday morning at 11:00. Most of the pupils were in school again on Monday morning.

Erman Gray, "The One Man Band," will present a matinee musical program at 1:30 Thursday. The program is sponsored by the Senior class. The admission is 11 cents to all.

The seventh and eighth grades enjoyed a Christmas party at the Gym Wednesday night, Dec. 15. Gifts were exchanged and refreshments served. Mrs. McQuatters sponsors the 8th grade and Mrs. Davidson the seventh. The members of the 8th grade are: Wayne Burns, Howard Cook, Dan Heard, Wesley Herring, Lamoine Howerton, Charles Mills, Leroy Snow, Ward Parker, Lamerlas Berryman, Joyce Johnson, Honnie Patterson, Macqueline Ratliff, Agnes Sladek, La Venia Stubblefield, Wanda Streety, and Bonnie Kennedy.

The members of the Seventh grade are: Sedell Black, Richard Bundick, Billie Jolley, Darrell Lacy, Bobbie Mills, Walter Pond, Tom Richards, John Deryl Srygley, Don Streety, Fred Swanson, Gordon Timms, James Moore, James Snow, Janelle Garnett, Jeanine Heard, Edwina Inklebarger, Ruth Kesey, Mary Roberts, Colleen Savage, Anita Sladek, Betty Thompson, Alma Wallace, Bertie Walls, Louise Wilson, Mary Young, Pauline Jones, Nina P. McKeown, Evelyn Streety, and Floyd Kennedy.

The Freshman Class will have a Christmas party in the gym Thursday night, Dec. 16. The sponsor is Miss Mattie Lee Seago. The members of the Freshman class are: Doyle Black, Hugh Davidson, R. H. Elliott, Dalton Hammock, Gwynn Heard, Ernest Swanson, Joy Laverne Durham, Rowena Emmons, Billie Jo Goodman, Alwana Heard, Jo Ann Inklebarger, Elsie Mouser, and Billie Joyce Roberson.

The senior class and their sponsor, Mrs. Robbie Wright, visited the Art Studio in Lubbock on Wednesday, December 8, where they had photographs made. All members of the class were present. Those expecting to graduate next spring are: J. R. Chamberlain, Leon Davidson, Floyd Heard, Kenneth Heard, J. A. Stubblefield, Darrell Whitfield, Jane Bundick, Susue Belle Green, Betty McCurry, Edith Mouser, Chattie Mae Savage, Joan Stubblefield, Blenna Thompson, Peggy Tyler, Mae Beth

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WE THANK YOU

Words cannot express our thanks and appreciation to the people of Littlefield and Lamb County for the many kindnesses extended during the illness, and at the death of our dearly loved husband, father and brother, Dr. Thomas B. Duke. We are truly grateful for your thoughtfulness and kindly acts, as well as the many expressions of sympathy, which helped us over our path of sorrow.

Also, for the beautiful floral offering we are indeed grateful. Everyone was so exceedingly considerate, loyal and kind that we would be ungrateful if we did not thank the people of this entire area. May God bless each and every one of you.

- Mrs. Thos. B. Duke. Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Duke. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Duke. Ensign and Mrs. Carson Glass. Mr. and Mrs. Emery Glass. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Watson. Mr. and Mrs. Will Duke. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Duke.

Office Supplies of all kinds at Leader Office.

With South Plains Men In The Armed Forces

Lieut. Willard G. (Bill) Street, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Street, is now stationed somewhere in New Guinea.

Lieut. Street, who is with the Postal Division, states he likes the country pretty well.

Clint Griffin, who has been ill all week with flu, was confined to the Littlefield Hospital Monday and Tuesday, and has since been at home.

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I love you, Santa. JOYCE. I am 8 years old.

Dear Santa, I want a ball and bat, and if you can I would like to have a football, a model airplane and a pistol. And I want four funnybooks. And a Army set. And a cowboy hat. And I want a Army shirt. And I hope that you have a good time giving toys to other children.

I love you, Santa. LEONARD. Six Years Old. And a color book and crayons. And some candy and fruit.

Dear Santa, I want a rubber ball. I want an Raggedyann doll. I want a cowboy hat. And I want some little dominoes. And a pistol. And a color book and crayons. And some candy and fruit.

I hope you have a good time giving toys to the other children. I love you, Santa, JAMES LOWELL SHORT. I will be 3 years old Christmas Eve.

Dear Santa Claus, I have been a pretty good girl. Please bring me a doll, set of dishes, and a ring. Yours truly, PATRICIA ANN SMITH.

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### F.F.A. Meeting Held Tuesday

The F.F.A. Boys met Tuesday, December 14, 1943, at 7:45 in the F.F.A. building. After the opening ceremony the president, Norbin Taylor, opened the meeting with an election of an officer called the Prophet. This is a new office in the chapter. Coy Evans was elected and his duties are to see that the students stand by the Bible, to keep the "order of profanity."

Next a songleader was elected, who is Junior Tisdale.

The president and members of

the chapter decided to draw names for Christmas gifts. John Estle Willingham, an area officer, told of his trip to Canyon which he attended Dec. 3.

On this trip he visited the college and attended a school of instruction bringing back to his chapter some of the duties such as electing a Prophet and Merchant and to pay more attention to the constitution and by-laws.

They also discussed improvement on Poultry and livestock raising. The boys who attended this meeting were also served 8 o'clock dinner by the Homemaking girls.

After the local F.F.A. meeting a very interesting program was presented.

presented. Coy Evans is program chairman. Maurice McCarty, Lewis Hobbs and Junior Tisdale gave several musical numbers.

Rev. Frank York gave a very interesting talk on the "Spirit of Giving." Junior Tisdale led the group in singing, and refreshments of doughnuts and oranges were served to all who were present.

### PERSONALS

W. P. Houston will report December 23 at the Lubbock Induction center to enter military service.

Mrs. Payton Harrell was ill and confined to her home with flu over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Rowe, Jr., and daughter, Sharon, left Sunday for their home at Artesia, N. M. Mrs. Rowhead been here several weeks nursing Dr. Thos. B. Duke.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Rowe, Jr., and Mrs. E. S. Rowe, Sr., visited Mrs. Rowe's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Carlisle, in their home near Lubbock Saturday.

E. C. Rodgers left Sunday for Dallas on a business trip, to buy furniture for the Rodgers Furniture Company.

Polly Lou Potter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Wade Potter, was released from the Payne-Shotwell Hospital Sunday, after being confined since Thursday suffering from a stomach ailment. She is better again.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Garnett of Spade Community at St. Mary's Hospital, Lubbock, Thursday morning. He weighed 7 pounds, and was named Delton Louis. The baby was born on the 19th birthday of Mrs. Garnett.

Miss Margaret Hogg of Ingleside, Texas, arrived Monday for a few

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## Receives 3 Cards From Son In Jap Prison Camp

Mrs. Bessie Lakey was much excited Saturday to receive three cards from her son, Pfc. Webster C. (Sport) Lakey, 23, from Japanese Prison Camp No. 10-C, where he has been interned since the spring of 1942. The date on each card was in the Japanese language. On one card the message stated that he was interned in Prison Camp 10-C, that his health was good; that he hoped his mother was well; and "please give my best regards to grandmother." On the second card appeared much the same message as the first one; but the third card received by Mrs. Lakey bore the following personal message: "My only thoughts are of the sweetest girl in all the world, her mother, and all the rest of her kids, and my little niece. Don't worry about me because the dear Lord has me by the hand. My only prayers are that I will meet again." Pfc. Lakey enlisted in the Service in November, 1938; was in the Philippine Islands, and stationed at Nichols Field, near Manila, when the Japanese attacked Pearl Harbor. His mother had not heard anything from her son from December 1941 until May, 1942, when he was reported by the War Department as missing in action in the Philippine

Islands." He was believed to have been in the Bataan or Corregidor conflicts. In June, 1943, he was pronounced by the War Department as a Prisoner of the Japanese; and in July, 1943, Mrs. Lakey received the first communication from Pfc. Lakey, stating he was interned in the Japanese Prison Camp No. 10-C, and sending his regards to the family. Mrs. Lakey heard nothing more until she received the three cards arriving Saturday, which she believes came on the Gripsholm.

Mrs. Lakey has two other sons in the service: A-C James R. Lakey, 21, is taking advanced aviation cadet training at Luke Field, Ariz. He expects to get his pilot wings about February 8. He has been in the service since March, 1941, and hopes to receive his wings to pilot the P-38 fast fighter plane.

The other son in the service is Pfc. Gerald Lakey of the Air Corps, member of the office personnel at Lubbock Army Airfield. He has been in the service over a year.



Keep on Backing the Attack with your purchases of WAR BONDS. Give War Bonds for Christmas.

MY COTS

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**Tuesday, December 14**  
**Sale Starts at 10:30**

As I have sold my farm, I will sell at Public Auction

9:30 a. m., Sunday School. Classes for all ages.  
10:00 a. m. Christmas Worship Service. The theme is "A Marvelous Special Christmas music by choir."  
8:00 p. m. Vespers. "Now when was Born" will be the subject of a reading, with the Nativity and Christmas music.  
Monday: 3:30 p. m. The Woman's Society will have their monthly meeting with Mrs. G. M.

Friday: 7:30 p. m. Christmas carolling, starting from the Church. All who will be invited to join in this singing of carols over the city.

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### F.F.A. Meeting Held Tuesday

The F.F.A. Boys met Tuesday, December 14, 1943, at 7:45 in the F.F.A. building. After the opening ceremony the president, Norbin Taylor, opened the meeting with an election of an officer called the Prophet. This is a new office in the chapter. Coy Evans was elected and his duties are to see that the students stand by the Bible, to keep the "order of profanity." Next a songleader was elected, who is Junior Tisdale. The president and members of

the chapter decided to draw names for Christmas gifts. John Estle Willingham, an area officer, told of his trip to Canyon which he attended Dec. 3. On this trip he visited the college and attended a school of instruction bringing back to his chapter some of the duties such as electing a Prophet and Merchant and to pay more attention to the constitution and by-laws. They also discussed improvement on Poultry and livestock raising. The boys who attended this meeting were also served 8 o'clock dinner by the Homemaking girls. After the local F.F.A. meeting a very interesting program was presented. Coy Evans is program chairman. Maurice McCarty, Lewis Hobbs and Junior Tisdale gave several musical numbers. Rev. Frank York gave a very interesting talk on the "Spirit of Giving." Junior Tisdale led the group in singing, and refreshments of doughnuts and oranges were served to all who were present.

### PERSONALS

W. P. Houston will report December 23 at the Lubbock Induction center to enter military service. Mrs. Payton Harrell was ill and confined to her home with flu over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Rowe, Jr., and daughter, Sharon, left Sunday for their home at Artesia, N. M. Mrs. Rowhad been here several weeks nursing Dr. Thos. B. Duke. Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Rowe, Jr., and Mrs. E. S. Rowe, Sr., visited Mrs. Rowe's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Carlisle, in their home near Lubbock Saturday. E. C. Rodgers left Sunday for Dallas on a business trip, to buy furniture for the Rodgers Furniture Company. Polly Lou Potter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Wade Potter, was released from the Payne-Shotwell Hospital Sunday, after being confined since Thursday suffering from a stomach ailment. She is better again. A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Garnett of Spade Community at St. Mary's Hospital, Lubbock, Thursday morning. He weighed 7 pounds, and was named Delton Louis. The baby was born on the 19th birthday of Mrs. Garnett. Miss Margaret Hogg of Ingleside, Texas, arrived Monday for a few

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days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Carrell, Sunday. Harlan and family. Coy Collins of Kermit visited his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Miss Iva Dell Carrell of Midland will spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Carrell.

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The Smith home in Lubbock, Texas, is vacant now, all three members being in the fighting service. Helen Smith (above) who was manager of a Western Union office in Lubbock, is a Woman Marine. Her father, Carl Smith, and her brother, Lieutenant Leon Smith, are overseas. Pvt. Helen is in "boot training" at the famed Marine base, Camp Lejeune, N. C.

Jodye Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Jones, and Bobbie Foust, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Foust, students of the State University, Austin, will spend Christmas holidays here. They are due to leave for

W. H. Madden returned Friday from Temple, where he went through the Clinic at Scott-White Hospital. On returning to Littlefield he developed flu, and was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital Monday, where he is showing slight improvement.

Second Sheets at the Leader Office.

### Report 44,972 Bales Of Cotton Ginned To Dec. 1

There were 44,972 bales of cotton ginned in Lamb county the crop of 1943 prior to December 1, as compared with 27,034 ginned to December 1, 1942.

### America's Aircraft Industry "Keeps 'em Flying"



Mass deliveries of warplanes for Democracy's defense . . . this is the answer of the American Aircraft industry to the call of "Keep 'em Flying!" Each day, from coast to coast, the planes roll off factory assembly lines and take to the air in ever-growing numbers.

### Cong. Geo. Mahon—

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called to mind the part being played by the local newspapers. Through what better way can the people know of the various war programs and bond drives? It is the local paper that furnishes the free advertising, urges the people to greater effort, and proudly reports that the old home town and county have gone over the top again!

"Through what better way can the people learn of the things they need and want to know—news about babies that are born, the marriages, school programs, church programs, war programs, the glory that some local boy has won for our country in some far away battle zone; or it may be the story that he is missing in action or has given his life.

"So, when I say I appreciate your

paper I mean it. Also, let me add, 'Merry Christmas.' The adjournment date of Congress is uncertain and travel conditions are so bad we may spend Christmas in Washington but our hearts will be in West Texas.

"Cordially,

"GEORGE MAHON."

OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOU—  
Turn to the Classified Page!

**FREE OVENGLASS  
PIE PLATES and  
CUSTARD CUPS**

RIGHT NOW WITH  
**Robin Hood Flour**

WANT ADS GET RESULTS

### Commander Bellomy—

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besides Commander Bellomy, Mrs. Bellomy and their children, Bruce, 16, and Joyce, 12, were: Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bellomy and grand-daughter, Anne Q., and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ford of Lubbock.

Commander Bellomy has been transferred to San Francisco from Honolulu, and will take over his new duties at that city January 9. His family will move to San Francisco as soon as he can find suitable living quarters.

—WANTED: Clean Cotton Rags at the Leader Office.

### CON-D-MENTAL

For Healthy Hogs and Chickens, Worms, Kills Insects, Rouse, Sore-heads, Prevents Disease.

EGGS — MORE EGGS  
**RATLIFF & MAULDIN  
FRUIT & FEED STORE**

Littlefield, Texas  
Wholesale and Retail  
CON-D-MENTAL  
More Dealers Wanted

# CLOSE OUT SALE

STARTING TODAY  
(THURSDAY)

Between Now and January 1, 1944, I will clear out my entire stock of Hardware and Furniture at Wholesale Prices—All or any part—and move to my farm in East Texas.

**BARGAINS ON EVERY ITEM—**

**DON'T PAY ANY ATTENTION TO TAGS!**

**Act Quickly—This Stock Won't Last Long At These Prices.**

## Whaley's Hardware & Furniture

Next Door to Hattie's Shop  
LITTLEFIELD, TEXAS

SAY "Merry Christmas" with these **GIFTS**

## Time Is Flying

ONLY A FEW MORE DAYS TO COMPLETE YOUR LIST. HERE ARE GIFT SUGGESTIONS—

### for HER—

- Lingerie
- Robes
- Dresses
- House Slippers
- Sweaters
- Fascinators
- Costume Jewelry
- Gloves
- Blouses

### for HIM—

- Pajamas
- Shirts
- Suits
- Scarfs
- Ties
- Handkerchiefs
- Leather Jackets
- House Slippers
- Belt Sets

### for THE HOME—

- Blankets
- Bedspreads
- Table Linen
- Towel Sets
- Small Throw Rugs
- Bridge Linen Sets
- Down Comforts



The gift every woman loves . . . We have them in all the newest shades. Wispy Sheer but durable — A practical gift she'll love to get.



Men want robes! They want them because they make swell gifts, the kind of gifts men like to get. You'll find a complete array of all kinds of robes here.

**GLOVES**  
A Handsome Gift!



# COBB'S DEPT. STORE



## Receives 3 Cards From on In Jap Prison Camp

Mrs. Bessie Lakey was much excited Saturday to receive three cards from her son, Pfc. Webster C. Lakey, 23, from Japanese Prison Camp No. 10-C, where he has been interned since spring of 1942.

The date on each card was in the Japanese language. On one card the message stated that he was interned in Prison Camp 10-C, that his health was good; that he hoped his mother would; and "please give my best regards to grandmother." On the second card appeared much the same message as the first one; but the third card received by Mrs. Lakey bore the following personal message: "My only thoughts are of the sweetest girl in all the world, her mother, and all the rest of her kids, and my niece. Don't worry about me because the dear Lord has me by the hand. My only prayers are that we will meet again."

Pfc. Lakey enlisted in the Service in November, 1938; was in the Philippine Islands, and stationed at Nichols Field, near Manila, when the Japanese attacked Pearl Harbor. His mother had not heard anything from her son from December 1941 until May, 1942, when he was reported by the War Department as missing in action in the Philippine

Islands." He was believed to have been in the Bataan or Corregidor conflicts. In June, 1943, he was pronounced by the War Department as a Prisoner of the Japanese; and in July, 1943, Mrs. Lakey received the first communication from Pfc. Lakey, stating he was interned in the Japanese Prison Camp No. 10-C, and sending his regards to the family. Mrs. Lakey heard nothing more until she received the three cards arriving Saturday, which she believes came on the Gridsholm.

Mrs. Lakey has two other sons in the service: A-C James R. Lakey, 21, is taking advanced aviation cadet training at Luke Field, Ariz. He expects to get his pilot wings about February 8. He has been in the service since March, 1941, and hopes to receive his wings to pilot the P-38 fast fighter plane.

The other son in the service is Pfc. Gerald Lakey of the Air Corps, member of the office personnel at Lubbock Army Airfield. He has been in the service over a year.

**Keep on Backing the Attack with your purchases of WAR BONDS. Give War Bonds for Christmas.**

## Farm Sale To Be Staged At H. R. Fisher Farm Tuesday, Dec. 21

H. R. Fisher of Rocky Ford Community is staging a farm sale Tuesday, Dec. 21, at which he will sell a number of fine cows, calves, chickens, farm implements and household furniture.

Col. Jack Rowan, Auctioneer, will cry the sale, and Charlie Clark will act as Clerk.

Mr. and Mrs. Fisher have lived in the Rocky Ford Community since 1924, and have a host of friends who regret to see them leave.

Mr. Fisher stated Monday that he and Mrs. Fisher were going to Hot Springs, Ark., and have a rest, and that probably they would later return to this area.

## New Order May Defer Fathers

Selective Service headquarters Saturday ordered draft boards to delay the calling of pre-Pearl Harbor fathers as long as possible, and set out on a quest for more young single men and perhaps, 4-F's, to serve in the nation's armed forces.

Lieut. Col. Francis V. Keesling, liaison officer of the selective service system, reported a plan was

under discussion under which no draft registrant under 22 years of age would be granted deferment because of his job—except in cases where the law makes such deferments mandatory.

WANTED—CLEAN COTTON RAGS At Leader Office.

# FARM AUCTION SALE

**Tuesday, December 21, 1943**  
**Sale Starts at 10:30 A. M.**

As I have sold my farm, I will sell at Public Auction at my place 11 miles north of Littlefield over Highway 51 and 3-4 of a mile west of the highway, or 4 miles east and 5 miles north of Amherst, the following described property:

### CATTLE

- 1 Yellow Jersey Cow, 7 yrs. old, fresh in March.
- 1 Blue Jersey Cow, 6 yrs. old, fresh in March.
- 2 Two-year-old Jersey Cows giving milk.
- 1 Jersey Bull 18 months old, subject to registration.
- 2 Jersey Heifer Calves.
- 1 Two-year-old Durham Cow, calf by side, giving 3 gals. milk.
- 1 Two-year-old Yellow Cow, giving 3 gals. milk, calf by side.
- 1 Springer Heifer.

### FARM MACHINERY

- 2 Two-Row Iron Sleds.
- 1 Two-Row Wood Sled.
- 1 Three-Row Sled.
- 1 Two-Row Cotton Sled.
- 1 Walking Breaking Plow.
- 1 Two-Row Iron Stalk Cutter—a good one.
- 1 Four-Wheel Trailer.
- 1 Lot of Good Fence Posts.
- 1 Lot of 8 Ft. Corral Posts.
- 1 Lot of Good Barbed Wire.
- 4 Fifty-Ft. Rolls of 6 Ft. Pailings.
- Some Scrap Lumber.

### CHICKENS

- 300 White Leghorn Hens and Pullets
- 1 Coal Brooder.
- 4 Baby Chix Water Fountains.
- 4 Galvanized Feeders.
- 2 Twelve-Ft. Hen Feeders.

- 2 Three-Ft. Hen Feeders.
- 2 Chicken Troughs.
- 1 230 Egg Buckeye Incubator.

### HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

- 1 Upright Star Piano, a good one.
- 1 Library Table.
- 1 Iron Bed.
- 2 Rockers.
- 3 Linoleum Rugs.
- Dishes.
- Milk Crock.
- 2 Table Chairs.
- 1 Coal Cook Stove.
- 1 Four-Cap Bachelor Heater.

### MISCELLANEOUS

- Some Canned Fruit.
- 1 Can Sealer.
- 1 Ten-Gal. Cream Can—good as new.
- Empty Jars.
- 1 Wash Kettle.
- 1 Water Separator.
- 1 Good Keen Kutter Lawn Mower.
- 2 50-Ft. Garden Hose, good condition.
- 1 Post Hole Digger.
- Wire Stretchers.
- 1 Good Iron Wheel Barrow.
- 1 Oil Barrel.
- Shovels, Forks, Rakes, Hoes, and Many Other Articles Too Numerous To Mention.

### FEED

- 300 Bundles Hegari.
- 80 Bushels of Corn.

**TERMS OF SALE: CASH. No Property To Be Moved Until Settled For.**  
Lunch Will Be Served By The Ladies of Rocky Ford Community Church.  
**FREE COFFEE AT NOON—BRING YOUR CUPS.**

# H. R. FISHER

OWNER

CHARLIE CLARK, Clerk  
Littlefield, Texas

COL. JACK ROWAN, Auctioneer  
Littlefield, Texas

You'll Be Thrilled  
With The  
**BIG VALUES In**  
Christmas Foods  
At **JEFFRIES**



ENGLISH—  
**WALNUTS .. 49c** LB.

SOFT SHELL—  
**PECANS ..... 55c** LB.

**ONIONS, Lb. .... 7c**

**SPUDS, No. 1, Lb. ... 5c**

**LEMONS, Doz. ... 35c**

**CELERY**  
STALK  
**19c**

**TURNIPS**  
and **TOPS**  
Bunch **9c**

**CARROTS**  
Bunch **9c**

**ORANGES, Doz. .. 33c**

**APPLES, Lb. .... 11c**

**BANANAS, Lb. ... 12c**

FRESH—  
**COCOANUTS .... 29c** EACH

**CORN, can ..... 13c**

**Green Beans, can.. 13c**

**Mission Peas, can.. 17c**

MARCHINO—  
**CHERRIES ..... 10c** BOTTLE

**CRANBERRIES 40c**

EATMOR—LB.

SEEDLESS—  
**RAISINS ..... 17c** LB.

TENDERIZED—  
**PRUNES ..... 20c** 1 LB. BOX

POST  
**Bran Flakes**  
Pkg. .. **11c**

**Grapenut**  
**Flakes**  
Pkg. .. **11c**

**PEP**  
Pkg. .. **11c**

**WEINERS, Lb. .... 29c**

**ROAST, Chuck, Lb. .... 28c**

**HAMS, Picnic, Lb. .... 32c**

**BOLOGNA 12½c**

LB.

# JEFFRIES

With South Plains Men In The Armed Forces

William W. Madden, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Madden of Littlefield, was recently appointed a Naval Aviation Cadet and was transferred to the Naval Air Training Center, Pensacola, Fla., for intermediate flight training.

Prior to entering the Naval service, he received his B. S. degree from Texas Technological College.

Upon completion of the intensive course at the "Annapolis of the Air" Cadet Madden will receive his Navy "Wings of Gold" with the designation of Naval Aviator, and will be commissioned an Ensign in the Naval Reserve or a Second Lieutenant in the Marine Corps Reserve.

Mrs. Bob Smith talked to her son, Granville Smith, Seaman First Class, Saturday morning, from Norfolk Navy Hospital, at Portsmouth, where he has been confined for a rest. Granville stated that he was getting along fine, and might get a leave and come home for Christmas.

Seaman Smith has been in the service almost two years, and was overseas 14 months.

Sgt. Ralph Nelson, accompanied by Mrs. Nelson arrived Wednesday of last week on a 15 day furlough. Sgt. Nelson was scheduled to report back to Kingman Army Airfield, Arizona, yesterday, while Mrs. Nelson will remain with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Luce, for a while. Enroute here Sgt. and Mrs. Nelson spent some time with his

parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Nelson, at Amarillo.

Lieut. Othell Dunnagin, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Dunnagin, has recently been transferred from Walla Walla, Wash., to Avon Park, Fla., Airfield, where he is an instructor in Bombardiering of combat crews. He has been in the service for nearly two years. He doesn't expect to get home for the holidays.

An Eighth AFF Bomber Command Station, England.—The promotion of 27-year-old Joseph W. Turner, assistant operations officer, from first lieutenant to captain has been announced at this Eighth Air Force Flying Postress base, Capt. Turner has had 13 missions against Germany including Emden, Bremen, LaPallice, Poix-Abbeville, and Wilhelmshaven. For wounds received in the raid on Lorient, Turner has been awarded the Purple Heart. He also has the Air Medal with two Oak Leaf clusters. An aerial photographer in civilian life, Turner entered the Army for flight training in April, 1941. He graduated from Roswell Field, N. M., in November of 1942. Husband of the former Miss Pauline Lukeman of Springfield, Ill., he is the son of Mrs. J. Wheeler Turner of Meadow, Texas.

COLORED ACCEPTED FOR SERVICE

The following colored registrants were accepted for service:

- Robert Townsend, Army; Willie Baker Carson, Navy; Tommy Roy Wattle, Army; Leroy Simpson, Army; George Rodrick Evans, Army; Howard Aberham Brown, Army; Lilton Brown, Army.

The present with a future—WAR BONDS for CHRISTMAS. Keep on Backing the Attack.

—FOR VICTORY BUY BONDS—

Rationing Calendar Dec. 17 to Dec. 24

SUGAR—Stamp No. 29 of War Ration Book IV became good November 1 for five lbs. and will be valid through January 15, 1944. Nos. 15 and 16 in Book I for canning, which expired on October 31, if still unused by consumer may be taken to local War Price and Rationing Board and used in making application for sugar certificates.

MEATS AND FATS: Book III, brown stamps L, M, N and P are valid and Q will become valid December 19, all will expire midnight January 1, 1944. R will become valid on December 26 and will be good through January 29.

PROCESSED FOODS: Book IV, green stamps A, B and C valid through December 20. Green stamps D, E and F, which became valid on Dec. 1, will be good through Jan. 20, 1944.

SHOES—In addition to Stamp No. 18 in Book I valid indefinitely for one pair of shoes, Stamp No. 1 on airplane sheet of Book III is also valid indefinitely. Consumers will be notified 30 days in advance of the expiration date of either the No. 18 Stamp or the No. 1 airplane stamp.

GASOLINE: (Endorse coupons on front.) "A" coupons, 3 gals. each with the No. 9 coupons expiring January 21, 1944. In B-2 and C-2 books issued effective Dec. 1 the coupons nationally have a value of 5 gals. each. Other B and C coupons, including B-1 and C-1, still outstanding will retain their two-gallon value. "R" and "T," five gals. each; "D," one and one-half gals. each; and "E," one gal. each.

NEXT TIRE INSPECTION DATES: A, March 31, 1944; B, Feb. 29, 1944; C, Feb. 29, 1944; and T, every six months or every 5000 miles, whichever comes first.

TIRES, INNER TUBES: Certificates from local boards required for all new tires, used car and truck tires, all new inner tubes. NO CERTIFICATES are required for passenger car and truck tire recaps, used tractor and implement tires, and used inner tubes.

OTHER RATIONING — Certificates from local board required for new cars, domestic cooking and heating stoves, bicycles, typewriters, some types of rubber footwear.

Return To Their Homes Following Dr. Duke Funeral

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Duke and their son, Tommy, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Watson, all of Dallas, left Friday after spending since the Saturday previous here. Mrs. Watson is a sister of the late Dr. Thos. B. Duke, and Robert Duke a son.

Mrs. C. A. Watson was very ill with Colitis and was confined to her bed most of the time she was here, but was sufficiently better to make the trip home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Duke and daughter, Jimmie Joe, returned home Friday to Sundown, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Glass returned to their home at Austin Thursday night.

Ensign and Mrs. Carson Glass will remain a few days here. Ensign Glass is expecting a call into Service.

FOR GIFTS of DISTINCTION—Moderately Priced

SHOP WALTERS

We Can Solve Your Last Minute Gift Problems.

People Who Know Trade At

WALTERS

PHONE 12

PHONE 313

New Plastic Tokens To Go Into Effect

According to Howard R. Gholson, District OPA Director, general public approval is expected to result from the use of the new plastic tokens to be put into use by OPA early in 1944.

The tokens are being put into use to make the purchasing and selling of rationed foods more convenient for the consumer and merchant alike, Mr. Gholson said. The tokens will be blue and red, slightly larger than a nickel, and will be inscribed to designate the foods for which they are good. Each token will have a value of 1 point, and will be used by consumers as change for ration stamps, he said.

When the tokens are put into use the red and blue stamps will be valued at 10 points each, under the present plans. A consumer buying

rationed canned or processed foods, or foods under the meat-fats program will tear from the ration book one or more stamps, according to the amount purchased, receiving tokens in change. As an example of how this will work, if a housewife buys a pound can of peas valued at 16 points, she will give the retailer two blue stamps worth ten points each, receiving four ration tokens in change. The tokens can be used anytime to buy more items.

With the use of tokens, expectations are that War Ration Book IV will last at least three times as long as previous books. This will save labor, paper and printing costs, Gholson said.

Office Supplies of all kinds at Leader Office.

CAN VITAMINS CHANGE GRAY HAIR?

According to Good Housekeeping tests with Calcium Pantothenate on gray hair. Age—did not seem to affect results. The earliest response occurred in a 50 year old; the latest in a 23 year old. Color—began to appear near the roots of the hair. The color may not appear all over the head at the same time. Symmetrical areas, perhaps on the temples or the back of the head, color will spread to other parts of the head. Time—varied from 1 month to 6 months. Results—88% of those tested had positive evidence of a return of some hair color. Now thousands use GRAYVITA, which contains 10 mgm. of Calcium Pantothenate (the tested amount) PLUS 450 U.S.P. units of B-12. GRAYVITA, 30 day supply, \$1.50. 100 tabs. \$4.00. Phone, write.

THE NEW AND MODERN LITTLEFIELD HOSPITAL & CLINIC

PRIVATE PHONE EXCHANGE 301-302

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- T. B. DUKE, M. D. Diagnosis, Internal Medicine and Obstetrics; J. R. COEN, M. D. Medicine and Surgery; WM. N. ORR, D. D. S. Dentistry; FLOYD COFFMAN Superintendent and Director X-Ray and Laboratory; MRS. HELEN LAIR R. N. Superintendent of Nurses; MISS LUCILLE WHITE, R. N. Night Supervisor

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THE OLD RELIABLE

If you need a good laxative or cathartic to relieve headache, biliousness, or that lazy tired feeling when due to temporary constipation, ask for and be sure you get

HERBINE

STOKES DRUG STORE Littlefield, Texas

FREE OVENGLASS PIE PLATES and CUSTARD CUPS RIGHT NOW WITH Robin Hood Flour

NOTICE

Due to shortage of help and war conditions, and to permit the management and shop personnel a much needed rest, the

GERLACH BATTERY & ELECTRIC SHOP WILL BE CLOSED

FROM SATURDAY NIGHT, DEC. 18

UNTIL MONDAY MORNING, DEC. 27

Your cooperation will be appreciated.

GERLACH BATTERY & ELECTRIC

FRED GERLACH, Owner LITTLEFIELD

GIVE YOUR CAR THIS

WINTER PROTECTION

NOW!

This is no year to take a chance of having your car ruined by cold weather! Better let your Veedol Dealer put it in condition for SAFE winter operation.

He'll clean out worn, dirty oils and greases and replace them with fresh, cold-proof Veedol lubricants. Your car will start easier and run better. Every moving part will be safeguarded by the famous Veedol "film of protection."

Veedol Motor Oil is the world's toughest crude—100% Pennsylvania—super-refined to give super protection to your motor. See your Veedol dealer NOW.

Look for the Veedol Sign



Winter Grade VEEDOL MOTOR OIL

Free Flowing for SAFE, EASY Starting

McCormick Bros.

Petroleum Products Wholesale and Retail Phone 153

Gifts for the Home Endure through the Years

USE OUR LAY-AWAY PLAN

BUY NOW—While Our Large Stock Offers Complete Selection. EASY TERMS STILL AVAILABLE AT EITHER OF OUR STORES—We have assembled hundreds of Gift Suggestions to aid you in your Christmas shopping—and merchandise—new and used arriving weekly.

Here Are A Few Suggestions

STORE NO. 2 in NEW LOCATION

Of Much Appreciated Gifts for the Home—

- LIVINGROOM SUITES, BEDROOM SUITES With SPRINGS, DINETTE And BREAKFAST SUITES, CHAIRS And ROCKERS, MATTRESSES, OIL Or GAS HEATERS And RANGES, LAMPS, PICTURES, MIRRORS, CHINAWARE, OVENWARE, IRONING BOARDS, RUGS OF ALL SIZES Including Small Throw Rugs, CASSEROLES, VASES, CARVING SETS, CUTLERY, LINOLEUM RUGS OR BY THE YARD, AND MANY OTHER ITEMS.

In order to secure sufficient space for our large stock of furniture and furnishings at our Store No. 2, we have moved the stock from the Carden Building to the location formerly occupied by the Howton Tire Company, on Highway 84, at the Water Tower, where we will be permanently located and better able to serve you.

COME BY—CHOOSE YOUR GIFTS NOW—When We Have a Large Selection. You May Not Get What You Want Later.

JUST ARRIVED—BUILDING MATERIALS Including Tileboard, Felt Roofing, Windows and Window Screens.

Some of the Hard-To-Get Items You Will Find At Our Stores:

- SEWING NEEDLES, SEWING MACHINE NEEDLES, BELTS, SHUTTLES AND OTHER PARTS, KNIVES, FORKS, SPOONS, BUTCHER KNIVES AND CARVING SETS, GOLD SEAL UTILITY MATS, DISHES, DISHPANS, BUCKETS, ENAMELWARE, ROASTERS, STONWARE, Consisting of JARS, CROCKS, CHURNS, MIXING BOWLS, SLOP JARS, OVENWARE, GAS HOSE, RADIANTS FOR GAS HEATERS, HACK SAW BLADES, RUGS.

Robison's Furniture Stores

LITTLEFIELD

STORE NO. 1 (Same Location) West Fourth Street—One Block West of First National Bank.

STORE NO. 2 In Former Location of HOWTON TIRE CO. On Highway 84—At Water Tower.

SEE US FIRST—MORE THAN JUST A FURNITURE STORE.

### Message Boosts Hopes For "Lost Battalion"

The Sunday Avalanche-Journal contained the following: "Bolstering further the hope of safety of relatives in 'the lost battalion' was a card received Thursday by Dr. J. P. Lattimore, Lubbock physician, from his son, Lieut. James Lattimore, who is held by the Japanese as a prisoner of war near Moulmein, Burma.

The card, printed in crude Japanese typography, and signed by the prisoner is without doubt a 'form' communication. Nevertheless, it raised the spirits of Dr. Lattimore, who said it gave the most information he had received from his son since young Lattimore and most of the other members of the 131st field artillery were captured by the Japs in Java in early 1942. He had received two previous cards, one August 28 and the other Sept. 7.

"The card said: 'I am still in P.O.W. camp near Moulmein, Burma. There are 20,000 prisoners, being Australian, Dutch, English and American. There are several camps of two to three thousand prisoners who work at settled labour daily. We are quartered in very plain huts. The climate is good. Our life is easier with regard to food, medicine and clothes. The Japanese commander sincerely endeavors to treat prisoners kindly. Officers' salaries are based on those paid to Japanese officers of the same rank (10.83 rupees, or \$4.98 in American money, Dr. Lattimore said) and every prisoner who performs labour or duty is given daily wages from 25 to 45 cents, according to rank and work.

"Canteens are established where we can buy extra food and smokes. By courtesy of the Japanese commander we conduct concerts at the camps, and a limited number go to a picture show about once a month. Love to all, James.'

"Earlier last week Mrs. Blucher Tharp of Amarillo, wife of the commanding officer of the battalion, announced receipt of a card from her husband which stated in part, 'all officers and men okay . . . I am with friends.' Col. Tharp sent the card from Camp No. 5, Moulmein, Burma."

**C. L. Harris Seeks Office In Congress**  
C. L. Harris, Lubbock attorney, Saturday announced his candidacy for the Democratic congressional nomination in the 26-county, 19th Texas district, subject to the elections of 1944.

Next year's campaign will be Harris' second for the office. In 1940, then a resident of Spur, Harris ran second to the incumbent, George Mahon, of Colorado City, now serving his fifth term, in a three-man race. Mahon has not formally announced his candidacy for re-election, but is expected to do so.

Harris, who moved to Lubbock in 1941, and has since resided here, is the six-county 118th district, serving two terms in that capacity and retiring to make the congressional race. He is president of the Young Democrats of Texas and has been active in state political affairs for a number of years.

### Salvation Army Delegation Goes To Plainview Sunday

A delegation from Littlefield attended an all-day United Soldiers Salvation Army meeting in Plainview Sunday.

Attending from here were: Capt. and Mrs. Ivor Williams, Mrs. Edna Washke, and daughter, Irene, and Maj. Florence Faulkner.

A United Company meeting was held at the Plainview Hall at 9:45 a. m., followed by a United Holiness Service at 11 a. m., and a luncheon at the Hotel Hilton, at 1 p. m.

Leaders at the luncheon were: Maj. Florence Faulkner and Capt. Ivor J. Williams. The luncheon was followed by an open air meeting; and at 4:15 p. m. a local officers meeting was held at the Hilton Hotel with Capt. Williams as chairman.

### GASOLINE 'T' COUPONS TO BE ISSUED IN STRIPS

To aid in enforcement of gasoline rationing, "T" coupons issued for use in 1944 by commercial vehicles and taxis will be in strips rather than in book form and each coupon will be serially numbered, J. Doyle Settle, district rationing executive, announced recently.

The action also provides that car owners themselves rather than ration boards or automobile registration officials must note new license numbers on their ration books and tire inspection records.

The "T" strips, similar to strips of motion picture tickets, are to be used for use beginning January 1, 1944, in a new identification folder containing on the front all of the information (such as name of operator, make of car, etc.) previously noted on the cover of the "T" book. In addition, local boards will mark on the folder the range of serial numbers of the ration coupons enclosed within. This folder must be kept with the coupons.

Present "TT" coupons issued to taxis and commercial vehicles for use during the last quarter of this year became invalid for use by consumers after December 31, 1943, Settle said.

Under the new plan of issuing "T" coupons in strips, only coupons within the range of serial numbers written on the outside of the folder may be used by operators of commercial vehicles and taxis in obtaining gasoline. Thus it will be a relatively simple matter to detect and trace the illegal acquisition and use of such coupons. For example, station attendants may now check any "T" coupon given up in exchange for gasoline to see whether it comes within the correct range of serial numbers issued to the operator of the vehicle. With "T" coupons issued in strips, local boards can hand out the exact number of coupons required instead of "tailoring" or tearing out excess coupons from the ration books containing fixed numbers of coupons. The advantage of this method of issuance, Settle said, include:

1. Elimination of the opportunity for theft or misuse of these loose coupons.
  2. Saving of the paper formerly wasted in destroying loose stamps.
- Concerning its second action that motorists shall note their new license numbers in place of the old, OPA explained that many states have indicated they will issue new automobile license plates next year, with the result that many numbers will be changed.

### W. B. SANDEFER VISITS HERE

W. B. Sandefer of Stamford, Tex., who has been reading the Leader for the past 10 years, since he purchased a farm five miles southeast of this city that many years ago, arrived here Thursday. E. F. Dolle has been living on the Sandefer farm and working it. This place contains one half labor of land, and a two-room house, etc. Mr. Sandefer is planning considerable improvements, including two additional rooms to the house, and a bath, and some barns and out-buildings. REA is on the property. He plans to work the place himself, and plans to return to this area about January 1.

Mr. Sandifer paid the Leader office a pleasant visit, and renewed his subscription.

He has two sons in the Service. Cpl. Tyson Sandefer is in the Infantry, and is stationed in Alaska. He has been in the service 2 1/2 years and in Alaska nearly two years. He is an auditor in the office of his company. His wife is employed by Sears-Roebuck at Los Angeles.

Pfc. Billy Sandefer has been in the service 17 months, is with the Air Forces stationed at Bryan, Texas. He went in as a ground cadet, but was transferred to mail clerk work.

### Spade Seniors To Present Play

The Spade High School Seniors will present their play, "Man or Mouse," Friday evening, December 17, at 8 o'clock in the school gymnasium. Admission will be 22 cents for children and 44 cents for adults.

The public is promised a good evening of entertainment, and well worth the admission price.

but was transferred to mail clerk work.

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### HOME LAUNDRY

Mr. and Mrs. John Boren

# TIRE SHORTAGE PREDICTED FOR 1944

The curtain of false optimism is down. In all its bare nakedness is revealed the fact that there will be a shortage of many millions of tires in 1944. Production cannot hope to keep up with the demand of the armed forces and essential civilian driving. Meanwhile thousands of tire casings are being ruined by neglect or carelessness—casings which cannot be replaced, once they are worn beyond repair.

## Forget Optimism—Look at FACTS!

Too many automobile owners have lived in the land of dreams as regards to new tires which may be available in 1944. Don't be deluded as to what you might expect. Be guided by the major thought that the tires you now have must last you through 1944. They must be carefully nursed during the emergency—receive more careful attention than ever before—by tire experts who will tell you the plain facts—and know how to make your tires last.

### These Things You MUST Do—

Drive carefully. Drive under 35 miles per hour. Don't slap on your brakes and cause skidding. Don't bump over curbs. At the first sign of damage to your tire, bring it to your tire expert for careful examination and have the repair made immediately. When it is time for a recap, have it done rather than continue driving until the all-important rubber has worn to the fabric.

### We'll Do Our Part—If You Do Your Share

We are anxious to keep you driving. Millions of men and women depend on automobiles to get them to work. Farmers and industries depend on tires. If you do your share in watching the tires you own we'll do our best to preserve them for you.

### You Can't Drive On False Hopes—Let Us Keep You Rolling—It's Our Job and Duty

**DON'T WAIT!** Smooth Tires Need Recapping NOW!

Don't take a chance of ruining your good casings. If they are smooth, have them recapped the new, modern O.K. way. They will look like new and give longer service.

# OK Rubber Welding & TIRE SHOP

LITTLEFIELD

## Announcing the Re-Opening MONDAY, DECEMBER 6 Of The Colbert Mattress Co.

With a nice selection of good quality mattresses for sale, and a large variety of ticking, cotton, etc., for the renovating or making new mattresses.

In our factory we turn out only first class work, and can offer prompt service in any size mattress you may need.

WE EXPECT A SHIPMENT OF BOX SPRINGS IN THE NEAR FUTURE, and Since They Are Hard To Get, Suggest You Order Your Box Spring Mattress Now.

W. T. DRURY, well known over this area, who has had considerable experience along this line, is now manager of the Colbert Mattress Company. He invites his many friends to visit him in his new location.

THE COLBERT MATTRESS COMPANY IS A GOVERNMENT INSPECTED AND APPROVED MATTRESS FACTORY.

BRING US YOUR OLD MATTRESSES. WE CAN MAKE THEM LIKE NEW AT LOW COST.

We are unable to pick up and deliver due to the tire and gasoline rationing, but will appreciate your business, and render you the best service possible.

# Colbert Mattress Company

CHESTER COLBERT, Owner

LITTLEFIELD PHONE 261-J

**With South Plains Men In The Armed Forces**

Pfc. Robert Lee Sutton, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sutton of 1 1/2 miles northeast of Littlefield, has returned to Camp Claiborne, La., after a 13 day furlough, which he spent with his parents. While he was here, Mrs. Sutton received word that her aunt, Mrs. Cora Williamson, was very ill, and Mr. and Mrs. Sutton and family accompanied their son, Pfc. Sutton, as far as Dallas en route to his station. They all visited his uncle, C. D. Gleason, and family at Vickery, Texas, and Mrs. Sutton's aunt, who was very ill. Mrs. Williamson. Her condition is now somewhat improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Sutton have another son in service, Pfc. James W. Sutton, who is "somewhere in England, and from whom they had not heard for sometime until Monday last, when they received two letters from him, in which he said he was confined in a hospital close to London; that he would be there for a few days, and if he didn't get better, they would operate on him. Since he said his side had been bothering him, Mrs. Sutton thought possibly it might be appendicitis that was bothering him. He is in the Air Corps, in the Engineering Division.

Pfc. Sutton said he was getting the Leader and enjoyed it so much. Anxious about not hearing from their son overseas since Oct. 30, Mr. and Mrs. Sutton had recently sent him two cablegrams.

Cpl. James Zachary of the Radio Division of the Air Forces, and stationed at San Marcos, arrived Sunday on a 10 day furlough. Cpl. Zachary was accompanied by his wife. He has recently been transferred from Pampa to San Marcos, Texas.

Cpl. James Zachary's brother, Pfc. Billie Zachary, is with the Marines, in a Tank Division, and is stationed

on New Caledonia. Pfc. Billie Zachary recently sent his mother Thanksgiving Greetings on a white sheet, apparently mimeographed with artistic drawings, on the front of which was Thanksgiving Greetings—From the South Pacific Daily News. On the other side of the sheet was the December calendar with Christmas decorations, and a Christmas Message—"Merry Christmas from the South Pacific Daily News." It is indeed a work of art. He also sent his mother a copy of the Tank Battalion's Thanksgiving menu, which included turkey and all the trimmings.

Pfc. Billie Zachary is now a cook in the Tank Division.

Pvt. Jess Wright, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Wright, Sr., of Dimmitt, Texas, has been promoted recently to the rank of Corporal. Cpl. Jess Wright is a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ferguson of Littlefield. He is stationed at Maryanna, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wilson received a letter this week from their son, Cpl. R. P. Wilson. He has been transferred from North Africa to Italy, and likes the country much better. His mother said Cpl. Wilson reported he was sure glad to get away from North Africa.

Sgt. Harvey Reese, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reese of Littlefield, who is stationed at Amarillo, as an aerial engineer of the Air Corps, and who has been home since Dec. 3, is returning to his air base Friday.

Troy Davis, Seaman 1-C, of the Seabees Construction Battalion, who has been in the service 16 months, and overseas 13 1/2 months, arrived home Saturday last to visit his mother, Mrs. E. M. Davis, and other relatives.

Seaman Davis has been stationed in the Aleutian Islands, including Dutch Harbor. He arrived at Seat-

tle, Wash., Dec. 4, reaching Littlefield Saturday, and will report to Camp Parks, Calif., about Jan. 1.

Pvt. James Graham with the ground crew of the Air Forces, stationed in North Carolina, who has been home visiting his wife and children at Lubbock, and here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Graham, and other relatives, returned Monday to his station. He was granted a 15 day emergency furlough on account of his daughter, Darlene, suffering injury from an automobile accident recently. The child, except for nervousness, has recovered nicely.

**Lt. W. A. Moeller Is Awarded Wings**

Lieut. Walter A. Moeller of Muleshoe, and brother of Mrs. J. G. Singer of Littlefield, was granted the commission of Second Lieutenant, and awarded his wings at Williams Field, Chandler, Ariz., Sunday, December 5.

Lieut. Moeller will pilot the P-38 Fighter plane. He arrived at his home at Muleshoe Monday of last week.

Celebrating Lieut. Moeller's homecoming, a family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Singer here Sunday.

Besides Lieut. Moeller, Mrs. Moeller, and his son, Wally, of Muleshoe; also present Sunday in the Singer home were: Mr. and Mrs. Eric F. Moeller and son, Rickie, of Wheeling, West Va., brother and sister-in-law of Mrs. Singer, who had been visiting here since Dec. 2; Mrs. Anna S. Moeller, mother of Mrs. Singer, of Muleshoe; and another sister of Mrs. Singer, Mrs. Hertha Walker of Muleshoe.

Lieut. Moeller was on a seven-day furlough, and left Tuesday to report at Salinas, Calif.



**What Are You Doing About the Empty Chair?**

THIS YEAR, on Christmas, almost everyone is thinking of an empty chair.

Perhaps the one in your house is empty for the first time. Or perhaps this is the second Christmas. Perhaps it will go on being empty always.

It will not be a happy Christmas for many. But it should be a Christmas of hope—hope that you can make stronger.

You know that even though the tide has turned now, and we've begun to win this war—our soldiers cannot come home until it is won. And you

know the sooner it is won—the more soldiers will come home.

What are you doing about those empty chairs on Christmas?

There is something you can do—something vitally important that everyone in America can do this year.

You can buy War Bonds for Christmas presents—War Bonds for every empty chair in your house—War Bonds for every person who hopes those chairs will not remain empty too long.

This should be a War Bond Christmas. Isn't that the most important kind of a Christmas for you?

**FOR PEACE ON EARTH—BUY WAR BONDS**

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**PIGGLY WIGGLY APPLES 11 1/2c**

DELICIOUS—All Sizes—LB. ....

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**Folger's 33c COFFEE—LB. ....**

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- PILLSBURY—Pancake Flour .. 30c
- KELLOGG'S—BRAN FLAKES.. 14c
- LIBBY'S—BEETS ..... 12c
- PURPLE—PRUNES ..... 54c
- LIBBY'S—Pineapple Juice.. 16c

**CALIFORNIA— Raisins 4 Lb. Bag 52c 2 Lb. Bag 26c**

- DRIED—PRUNES ..... 14c
- KRISPY—CRACKERS .... 35c
- HI HO—CRACKERS .... 22c
- EVERLITE—MEAL ..... 49c
- EVERLITE—FLOUR ..... 58c
- KC—Baking Powder.. 35c

**OATS 26c All Mothers—With Premium—PKG. ....**

- SCOTT—TOWELS ..... 25c
- Peanut Butter .. 45c
- AERO—WAX ..... 23c
- SHREDDED—RALSTON ..... 12c
- RAISIN BRAN .. 11c
- INDIVIDUAL—CHEERIOATS ..... 5c

**HAMS 35c Halves or Whole—LB. ....**

- GRADE A—SLICED BACON.. 41c
- TREET ..... 37c
- HAMBURGER Or—CHILI MEAT ... 30c
- PICNIC—HAMS ..... 30c

**OLEO 25c ALLSWEET—LB. ....**

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**PIGGLY WIGGLY**

# CLUBS - WOMEN'S INTEREST - SOCIAL EVENTS

## Maner Honored On Birthday "42" Party Saturday Night

Doss Maner of six miles of Littlefield entertained with in honor of her husband's birthday Saturday night, Dec. 11. Home was beautifully decorated suggestive of the Yuletide

giving a number of games of "42." Monya Hauk and Maner sang "Happy Birthday," and presented the gifts Maner.

Refreshments of chicken sandwich, potato chips and pickles, cake and coffee were served and Mrs. Ott Baisden; Mr. Fred J. Newsom and daughter Joyce; Mr. and Mrs. Pat and Mrs. E. B. Luce; Mrs. Elton Hauk and Mrs. and Mrs. Loyd Sewell; Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Woodall, and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Maner.

## Emmogene McGowen And Sgt. HERRIN WED

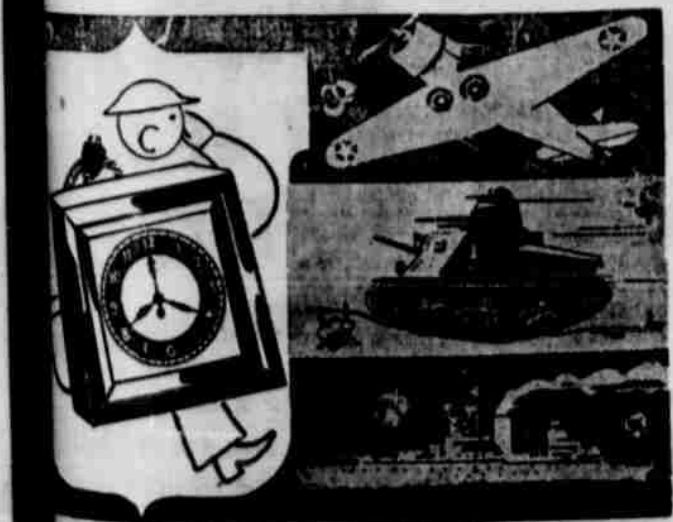
Emmogene McGowen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McGowen, and Alden Herrin, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Herrin, were married Saturday, December 3, at Littlefield. C. Frank York, pastor of the Methodist Church of Littlefield officiating.

Bride is a graduate of Anton

## NOTICE

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Lamb County Leader



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## Miss Jo Laverne Tidrow And Pvt. Dennis Cary Wed

Miss Jo Laverne Tidrow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Tidrow, of 1 1/2 miles south of town, became the bride of Pvt. Dennis O. Cary, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Cary, who is stationed at Pittsburg, Calif., at Reno, Nev. Saturday last.

The beautiful ring ceremony was performed at 9:20 a. m. Dec. 11.

The bride was dressed in a blue suit with black accessories.

Pvt. and Mrs. Cary are both former students of Littlefield High School. He has been stationed at Camp Abbott, Ore., and recently transferred to Pittsburg, Calif.

They have a host of friends who wish them much happiness.

## Miss Carra Lou Stone To Present Pupils In Recital

Miss Carra Lou Stone will present her pupils in a general recital Sunday, December 19, at 3:30 p. m. in the Methodist Church Auditorium.

Those to appear on the program are: Delores Wall, Ben Ellis Porcher, Norma Kay Moss, Leland Stone, Clarabeth Theford, Minyon Theford, Clifford Hopping, Monya Hauk, Gary Pass, Joyce Short, Ronnie Bates, Charlotte Ann Doss, Don Graham, Billy June Chesher, Polly Lou Potter, Dorothy Yarbrough, Kay Hendricks, Mary Jane Coen, Edwina Schovajsa, Jo Ann Schovajsa, Katherine Lewis, Elizabeth Schovajsa, Johnnie Muriel Evans, Mary Louise May, Billy Marie Hopping, Georgia Lou Smith, and La Vern Williams.

All interested friends are cordially invited to attend.

## MRS. CLARA DAVIS SUFFERS BROKEN ARM

Mrs. Clara Davis, employed in the piece goods department at Ware's Department Store, was unfortunate enough as to fall on the steps of the local postoffice Friday morning, and suffer a fracture of her right arm.

Mrs. Davis, whose home is at Cleveland, Texas, had been employed at Ware's since December 1. She left for home Monday to remain until her arm is better.

Mrs. Davis had been making her home in the Cooper Apartments.

Jarold Jones, who is taking an officers training course at the Southwestern University at Lafayette, La., is expecting to spend Christmas Day at home.

Song—"There's a Star-Spangled Banner";

Presentation of Flags—Mrs. J. D. Dodgen and Mrs. A. B. Haynes;

Song—"You're A Grand Old Flag";

Toast to Flag—Miss Hendrix;

Poem—Mrs. H. W. Wiseman;

Christmas Story—Mrs. Pat Boone;

Christmas Carols by the entire group.

Gifts were exchanged between the members; and a nice selection of white gifts were received, which will be distributed for Christmas to underprivileged colored people.

—FOR VICTORY BUY BONDS—

## Floye Morris Is Honored At Farewell Party Recently

Floye Morris was the honor at a farewell party at the home of his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Pierce, Tuesday evening, of last week.

The home was decorated in red, white and blue, to match the beautifully decorated cake, which was served with punch, sandwiches and coffee to the guests.

Games of "42" and Dominoes were enjoyed.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Floye Morris and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bass, Mr. and Mrs. Leo White, Jess L. Inman, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Steffey, Billie Hall, Miss Valerie Williams, Bentz Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. George Mealer, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Morris, and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Pierce.

Floye Morris left Wednesday of last week for the Army, and is stationed at Fort Sill, Okla.

## Eastern Stars Enjoy Christmas Party Friday

Members of the local Chapter of the Order of Eastern Star enjoyed their annual Christmas party Friday evening, when about 35 were present.

Mrs. Dewey Hulse was in charge of the program, assisted by Mrs. A. B. Haynes and Mrs. J. D. Dodgen.

The hall was beautiful with Christmas decorations.

Mrs. G. M. Shaw, Worthy Matron, presided, and the following program was presented.

Presentation of the "Human Flag" in which those taking part were: Ellen Massingill, Olga Ancinec, Joan Gillispie, Jean Jones, and Louise Hollar;

Statue of Liberty—Glenda Hulse;

## UNDERGOES OPERATION

Mrs. Pauline Maddox was operated on at the Payne-Shotwell Hospital Tuesday morning for acute appendicitis.

On account of her serious condition her brothers, Sgt. Leslie Waters of Ft. Riley, Kans., and Pvt. Lonnie Waters at Chapman College, Los Angeles, were summoned home.

Following the operation, hospital reports indicated she was getting along satisfactorily.

## Mrs. L. K. Whitaker was ill Monday


with flu, and absent from his duties as manager of the local Ciero-Smith Lumber Company office.

Garry Rodgers, year old son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Rodgers of Littlefield, took very ill Sunday night suffering from Tonsillitis. He is, however, reported a little better.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Cox and son, Bill, plan to spend Christmas in Lubbock with Mrs. Cox' mother, Mrs. C. S. Mast.

Mmm . . . . .!

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**FRUIT CAKES**  
For Christmas



You haven't tasted fruit cake till you've had ours. They're full to overflowing with candied citron, orange peel, pineapple and all the wonderful tasting fruits you get at holiday time. You won't have to worry about there being any leftovers, but if there are, these cakes will stay tasty and good for a long, long time.

You'll want a fruit cake for Christmas. Let us take your order now for one or more. Don't be bothered with having to buy all the ingredients yourself. Let us take the job for you.

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Littlefield, Texas



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**SPECIAL Announcement**

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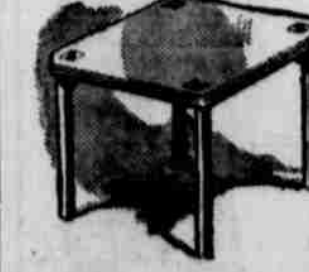
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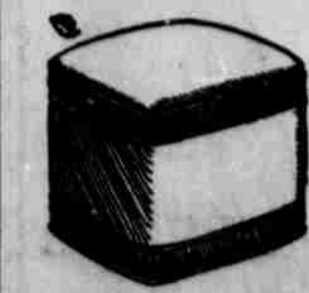
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PHONE 157

WHOLESALE And RETAIL

### With South Plains Men In U. S. Service

Mr. and Mrs. John Boren received a letter recently from their son, J. W. Boren, Seaman Second Class, who has been stationed at San Diego, Calif., to the effect that he had been transferred to Roosevelt Base, on an island, with his address as San Pedro, Calif.

Dub Rains, Seaman Second Class, has finished his training in boot camp at San Diego. He has been transferred to Memphis, Tenn., where he is attending radio school.

Troy Davis, a member of the Seabees, arrived home Saturday on a 30-day leave. His mother, Mrs. E. M. Davis, received a telegram from Troy Tuesday morning of last week sent from Camp Parks, Calif., stat-

ing that he would soon be home. This will be Troy's first leave since he entered the service 17 months ago. He has been stationed in Alaska.

Master Sgt. Wayne D. Duffy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Duffy of Littlefield, is a flight chief of a crew in the Eighth Air Forces bomber command stationed somewhere in England. Sgt. Duffy is one of the key men of ground crews whose work helps keep the Flying Fortress blasting away at Nazi Europe these days. Sgt. Duffy's plane is the "Slo-Jo," and bears the drawing of a turtle on the side of the nose alongside the name. Markings on the ship show that it had downed three Nazi planes when a recent picture was taken.

Pfc. Roy Lee Grisham, son of E. E. Grisham, of 7 miles west of Littlefield, in the Chemical Department of the Air Corps, has been confined in a Military Hospital at Macon, Ga., undergoing a nose operation, and is expected to be out in a few days, and to come home on a furlough for Christmas. He is expected to arrive sometime this week.

His sister, Miss Dorothy Grisham, who is employed as boonkeeper at the Lubbock General Hospital, will also spend Christmas with the family.

Miss Hazel Grisham, who is a student at Tech, though she will be employed a portion of the holidays at Lubbock, will also spend several days with her father, E. E. Grisham, and brother and sisters.

David Storey, who is connected with the Army Field Artillery, and taking an Army Specialized Training course at the Lehigh University, Bethlehem, Pa., expects to get home for Christmas Day.

Inasmuch as his furlough will only be for seven days, and it takes so

long to come and return to his station, Postmaster and Mrs. W. D. T. Storey, his parents, will meet him in Amarillo, and it is hoped he will be able to at least spend a part of Christmas Day in Littlefield.

The many friends of Gene Cawthon will be interested to learn that the publisher of the Leader received a nice Christmas card with a message Monday from the above young man, who is now Cpl. Lantis Eugene Cawthon, of the Medical Detachment, Station Hospital, Fort Fisher, U. S. Army, N. C.

Gene said he had been in the Army 14 months, asked us to write, stating he would very much like to hear from Littlefield.

His full address is: Cpl. L. E. Cawthon, ASN; 18197922, Med. Det. Stn. Hospital, Ft. Fisher, U. S. Army, N. C.

The Leader was pleased to receive a letter from Aviation Cadet Ollan C. Lee recently, in which he said he had been transferred from Elon College, North Carolina, training to pre-flight at Maxwell Field, Alabama, where he will be established for nine weeks in pilot pre-flight training.

He also asked that the address on his Leader be changed, adding, "I enjoy your Leader quite a lot. It's a big link between the past and present, or the old and the new life." Thanks to A-C Lee.

The Leader was proud to receive Saturday a V-Mail Greeting Christmas card, with a Yuletide design hand drawn, and very beautifully done, from Sgt. E. D. Parker, dated Nov. 11, from Italy.

On one side of the message was the Stars and Stripes, Holly, etc., and on the other side the Star—underneath which was the message—very appropriately drawn—"Italy

#### THE MESSAGE

Peace and Earth

Proclaimed nearly two thousand years ago in the Cherished hope of our struggling World Today.

Years have not changed the Spirit of Christmas. . . . Time cannot dim its golden Message of Peace on Earth to men of Good Will.

Many Good Tidings Bring You Great Joy this Christmas-tide.

Love and Greetings to All You People at Home. "E. D. PARKER."

Mr. and Mrs. Morley B. Drake of the Lamb County Leader were indeed pleased to receive Saturday a V-Mail Greeting card from M-Sgt. Thomas E. Lowe, who is stationed "Somewhere in England," which bore the U. E. Eagle, the holly decorations, and conveyed the message, "Season's Greetings From Great Britain."

We are very appreciative of M-Sgt. Lowe's thoughtfulness in sending this greeting.

Aviation Cadet Howard D. Walthall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur T. Walthall, of Olton, a graduate of Olton High School, of the 1940 class, and an outstanding football player, has completed elementary flight training at Victory Field, Vernon, Texas. Mrs. Walthall is the former Miss Henrietta Kennedy of Olton.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Waters of Whitharral have three sons in the service.

S-Sgt. Jim Waters, 34, of the Air Corps, connected with the ground crew, is located "somewhere in England." He has been overseas several months.

Pvt. Lonnie Waters, 19, "Linesman," of the Signal Corps, who has been in the service a year, is now stationed at San Diego.

Sgt. Lester Waters, 23, who has been in the service three years, but on account of ear trouble, has been kept in non-combat service in the States. He is doing M. P. duty at Fort Riley, Kans., previous to which he was stationed at Fort Ringo, El Paso.

According to his father, S-Sgt. Jim Waters, in a recent letter said that he thought that he would be coming home in six or seven months. Mr. Waters said he didn't know

whether his son believed the war would be over in that time, or whether he expected to get a furlough home.

T-Sgt. Cecil Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hall, who is with the Ordnance Department of the Air Corps, stationed at Myrtle Beach, South Carolina, accompanied by Mrs. Hall, left Sunday after spending since Thursday here visiting relatives and friends.

Sgt. Barty Johnson arrived home last week for a visit with his family and friends. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Johnson of Field-ton. He is stationed at Camp Haan, Riverside, Calif., and does office work for D.E.M.L.

He will return to California December 18.

Pvt. Rollie T. Dyer, 21, son of Mrs. B. R. Dyer of Route 2, Littlefield, has arrived at the Infantry Replacement Training Center, Camp Roberts, Calif., for basic training. Before enlistment in the service, Pvt. Dyer was employed by the North American Aviation Inc.

T-Cpl. Ralph W. Turner, who was on Maneuvers in Louisiana with an Artillery Division since the beginning of August until November 20, has been transferred from Camp Claiborne to Camp Howze, Texas.

T-Cpl. Turner, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Turner of Littlefield, arrived home Saturday, November 27, for a 13 days visit with his parents and wife. Mrs. Turner is the former Miss Audrey Ham.

T-Cpl. Turner has been in service since July, 1942. He was scheduled to report to Camp Howze Thursday.

Paul Lair, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Lair of five miles northwest of Littlefield, who is Chief Water Tender of the Navy, and served on the same ship 11 years, spent from November 11 until Wednesday of last week with his parents. This was his first visit back here in three years.

Lair also visited his sister, Mrs. J. B. Stephens, at Pampa, Texas. Lair has been in the South Pacific on the Trenton Cruiser, but

expects to be assigned to one new battleships.

Sgt. Beas Lair, sister of Paul Lair, who enlisted in the War in February, 1943, is in the Revision of the Air Force. She is stationed at the Airbase at Columbus, Ohio, but has been in training service two months. She ever, was scheduled to return to an airbase at Columbus December 15.

Before going into recruiting service Sgt. Lair was sent to a flying school.

Sgt. Lair, in her recruiting besides interviewing prospective recruits, also made talks at broadcasting over the radio.

### Lubbock General Hospital Clinic

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### OF LOCAL INTEREST

...man was able to be up and around Saturday, after being ill last week with the flu. Mrs. Melvin Tomison are his parents at Paducah, Tex. reported to be entering the Dec. 28.

...was born to Mr. and Mrs. ... Cox of Sudan at the Payne-Shotwell Hospital Tuesday, Dec. 7. He has been named ...

...F. Jones, who has been ... list, is much improved. ... was born to Mr. and Mrs. ... Hernandez of Littlefield at the Payne-Shotwell Hospital, December 3, weighing ... ounces. She has been ...

...Sevier was ill and confined to her home last week with ... She is reported much ... Mrs. R. A. Jilek of Spade

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Community are the parents of a son, "Hal Rogers" Jilek, born at the Payne-Shotwell Hospital Friday, December 10, weighing 7 pounds, 15 ounces.

Joe Wells was ill with flu and confined to his home Friday and Saturday last.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Campbell of Baileyboro are the parents of a son born at the Payne-Shotwell Hospital Wednesday, December 8, weighing 7 1/2 pounds. He has been named "Tharon Eugene."

Mrs. W. W. Brown, who had been visiting in Kansas, returned home Tuesday morning of last week, and has since been ill with flu. She is reported better this week.

Mrs. V. S. Cassel spent Saturday in Lubbock.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. G. McGrew of Anton Wednesday, December 8, at the Payne-Shotwell Hospital. He weighed 9 pounds and was named "Ira Thomas."

Mrs. J. H. White and daughter, Mrs. Wm. Fulton, and children, Bill and Velma, left Saturday for Globe, Ariz., where they plan to spend the next three months. Enroute they visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur White at Las Cruces, N. M.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Adolphus H. Jungman of Pep at the Littlefield Hospital December 6. He has been named "Billy Witt."

Mrs. A. C. Chesher was admitted Saturday to the Littlefield Hospital with a bad cold.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Ryals of Spade have moved to four miles southeast of Lubbock, where they have pur-

chased a chicken farm, and will raise chickens. They moved last week.

Mrs. I. T. Shotwell, Sr., and Mrs. C. E. Payne left Wednesday of last week for Dallas, returning home Saturday night.

N. W. Drake of DeKalb, Texas, arrived in Littlefield recently, and is looking for a farm location. He had two sons, Debs and Deroy Drake, also living here.

Mrs. J. D. Hagler, who underwent a major operation and has been confined to the Payne-Shotwell Hospital for the past ten days, was released and went home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Luce and Sgt. and Mrs. Ralph Nelson spent Friday in Lubbock.

Misses Elizabeth Hargrove, Frances Barton and Jean Bain spent the past week end at Floydada.

Lieut. Sherrill Edwards and Mrs. Edwards are planning to spend Christmas Day with Mrs. Edwards' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hilliard. Lieut. Edwards has been stationed at Jackson, Miss., but expects to be transferred.

Terry M. Wells of Anton was readmitted to the Payne-Shotwell Hospital Friday last.

Mrs. Robert Taylor returned to Littlefield last week after spending sometime with her husband in California. He has been transferred.

Minnie Lee Williams, 14, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Williams of Spade Community, who has been seriously ill at the Payne-Shotwell Hospital, is slowly improving. She has been given several blood transfusions, and is now a little better.

F. L. Simmons, formerly of Bula, but recently of San Diego, Calif., is visiting his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Simmons, at Bula. He arrived Wednesday of last week, and will stay two weeks.

Mrs. W. A. Beale of Sudan was admitted to the Payne-Shotwell Hospital Saturday for treatment.

Mrs. O. G. Lunsford was admitted to the Payne-Shotwell Hospital Saturday for treatment.

#### TRUETT C. BOLES INITIATED INTO COLLEGE SOCIETY

Truett Claude Boles of Littlefield, junior arts and sciences student at Texas Technological College, Lubbock, was initiated into Alpha Chi, national scholarship society, Tuesday afternoon. The society is made up of the upper 10 per cent of the junior and senior classes in all divisions of the college.

Minimum grade average for eligible juniors this year is 2.45 and for seniors, 2.48. These figures indicate a decided increase in scholastic standing for members over the minimum requirements of past years, states Prof. R. A. Mills, faculty sponsor.

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#### Medicine Company Receives Army-Navy "E" Award

The Chattanooga Medicine Company—and its food division, Patten Food Products—was the recipient of the Army-Navy "E" award, the nation's highest production award, in an impressive ceremony held recently at the Lookout Junior High School at Chattanooga, Tenn. High ranking officers from both the Army and the Navy were present with the management and employees of the company.

The "E" award is granted by the Army and Navy for "high achievement in producing materials needed for war." These materials from The Chattanooga Medicine Company are drugs and, from the Patten Food Products, "K" rations.

Col. Royal K. Stacey, Commanding officer of The St. Louis Medical Depot, represented the Army and delivered the "E" flag in a presentation address. Mr. Lupton Patten, president of The Chattanooga Medicine Company and Patten Food Products, spoke in behalf of the company and with Mrs. Margaret Jackson, representing the employees, accepted the "E" flag. Mrs. Jackson is a gold star mother of this war. In a brief ceremony the "E" flag was raised by a Color Guard consisting of men from Air Cadet Corps of the University of Chattanooga and from the United States Navy.

Lieut. Julius McMakin, resident inspector of Navy material in Chattanooga, gave the "E" pin presentation address to the employees. William H. Oldis, oldest employee in point of service (43 years), accepted the pins in behalf of all the workers. At this point, Lieut. Frank Manuel, a soldier wounded in the North African campaign, pinned the "E" pins on the six employee representatives on the platform. Dr. Alexander Guerry, Vice Chancellor of the University of the South, acted as Master of Ceremonies.

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