

Pvt. Thomas J. McFarland Liberated

Parents Receive Glad Tidings Thursday Night

Receive Letter from Him Saturday; Now Enroute to States

Tom J. McFarland, 28, a son of the Japs since the House was down on Feb. 28, 1942, has been liberated and is enroute to his home here.

Glad tidings were received by cablegram from the war department to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. McFarland of Oklahoma, Thursday evening. The message, which arrived after the Western Union office closed, was from Lubbock. Deputy Chief of Staff Hopping notified Miss Dell McFarland, sister of the prisoner, at the Palace Theater, Lubbock, and she went to the office and received the message. Accompanied by Mrs. E. L. McFarland, Miss Katherine Winston and Miss Allan Winston Miss McFarland rushed home to convey the news to her parents, who were expected to learn that after three and four months of terrible suffering their son was still alive and liberated. The family celebrated the news of the night and there was much sleeping done, according to reports.

McFarland, who had been ill for three days, was much better right away and got up Friday morning. McFarland has been in the hospital for four years and four months. He was taken prisoner by the Japs in the Philippines. His parents had only received farm cards, the last one dated Oct. 1944, and received here in Lubbock, 1945.

A cablegram received Thursday night follows:

"I am pleased to inform you of the liberation from Japanese custody of your son, Private Thomas J. McFarland, USMC, on 14 Sept. His condition is reported as good. Further details will be furnished you promptly when available. He sends the following message: Safe and well. Love soon."

"A. A. VANDEGRIFT, Major, USMC, Commandant of the Marine Corps."

Mr. and Mrs. McFarland were made happy Saturday when



Thomas J. McFarland

they received a letter from Pvt. McFarland, dated Sept. 15, one day after being liberated, and written aboard an aircraft carrier in the China sea, and enroute to Manila and home. This was the first letter that his parents had received from him since he had been taken prisoner. They are now looking for a message from him advising when he will land in the states.

Pvt. McFarland was believed to have been in Camp Fuheuka, Japan.

TOM ASKS POP TO SPOT HIM SOME GOOD COWS

Sept. 15, 1945

Hello Kids: Remember me? I'm the guy that belongs to Uncle Sam's fightin' devils. And, through the grace of God, a strong constitution, good breeding and a couple of little bombs, I am at this moment sitting on the flight deck of a big aircraft carrier in the China sea, under a moon so bright, I am writing this letter. AND, MY GOD, I'M HEADED FOR HOME.

Tomorrow we board B-29s for Manila, and I shall write again from there. Do not try to contact me yet, unless you know more than I, for we are still a little in the fog. I'm hoping to see Don (his cousin), for I hear the New Mexico is on Okinawa with 30 other battleships. Your Marine, TOM.

Out here that means something, but unfortunately I am a member not a participant.

P. S.: Start spotting me some good cows, Pop.

UNITED WAR CHEST DRIVE TO GET UNDERWAY MON.

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Pfc. Johnnie Lippard Is Expected Home This Week

Pfc. Johnnie Lippard, a prisoner of the Japs since the fall of Corregidor on May 6, 1942, and in the service over six years, is enroute home.

Pfc. Lippard enlisted in the Marines in August, 1939, and was in the Philippines when war was declared. He served in the Philippines until the fall of Corregidor and was taken prisoner. In the summer of 1943 he was moved to Camp Hotoe at Manchuko, China, and in May, 1944, to Osaka, Japan, and was at Osaka when released on Sept. 8. A cablegram received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lippard, on Sept. 11, last, reported Pfc. Lippard's release as follows:

"Pleased to inform you of the liberation from Japanese custody of your son, Private First Class John Bryan Lippard, USMC. He is reported to be on board an American vessel Sept. 8, 1945. Further details will be furnished you promptly when received. You may send Marine Corps headquarters a twenty-five word message for him. Every effort will be made to deliver this message before his return to the United States."

"A. A. VANDEGRIFT, General, USMC, Commandant of the Marine Corps."

Following the cablegram the family received a letter from Lippard from Guam dated Sept. 12 to the



Pfc. Johnnie Lippard

effect that he landed that day, and was going to a naval hospital for a checkup; that he was on the Ozark ship, anxious to get home, and to "stand by to take on a boarder." Later they received a telegram from him dated Sept. 15, stating he was feeling fine and would be home soon.

Friday last Mr. and Mrs. Lippard received a second cablegram from Johnnie from Pearl Harbor, dated

Sept. 27, in which he said he was leaving that day and would arrive in San Francisco Oct. 2. The family are looking for him home this weekend.

In the six long years Pfc. Johnnie Lippard has been in the service and a prisoner he never enjoyed a furlough and had not been home from the time he left for service.

The Lippard family have received five cards from him from prisoner camps.

Mr. and Mrs. Lippard have three other sons in the service.

Cpl. Calvin Lippard of the Marines was stationed for some time on Guam, but is believed now to be in Japan.

Pfc. Edward Lippard, a resident of Craig, Colo., is with the engineers and is enroute home from Germany, possibly for discharge.

Chief Warrant Officer D. D. Lippard is stationed on Trinidad island, South America.

Mr. and Mrs. Lippard received a second letter from Johnnie Sunday, written before he arrived at Pearl Harbor, in which he said he was "near enough Pearl Harbor to hear the swish of the grass skirts and the sound of the guitar."

He said he still couldn't believe he was coming home, but to sit tight till he got here. He said he was on the USS Ozark and that he was expecting to dock at San Francisco Oct. 2.

T. Wade Potter Is Elected Chairman For Lamb County

Littlefield's School District to Raise \$3,100; Lamb County \$9,300

Gov. Coke Stevenson, honorary president of the United War Chest of Texas, has designated the month of October as National War Fund month in Texas in the final victory campaign to raise funds in support of armed forces and for the humanitarian services of the affiliated agencies of the National War Fund.

T. Wade Potter, local attorney, has been named Lamb County chairman in the United War Chest drive with a quota of \$9,300, while Bill Morris has been elected chairman for the Littlefield Independent school district with a quota of \$3,100.

The campaign opens Monday morning in Littlefield, and plans have been made for business men of the city to canvass for funds to meet the above quota. The group will meet in the office of the Littlefield National Farm Land office at 9 a. m. Monday.

The canvass will also be conducted through the schools by the students and teachers and contributions made in this manner.

Ladies of the churches will cooperate in the drive by working the residential sections.

Thomas Sentence Is Reversed

Because of insufficiency of evidence, the court of criminal appeals Wednesday reversed the conviction and death sentence of Jim Thomas, 51-year-old cowboy, in the slaying of Dr. Roy E. Hunt of Littlefield.

Thomas, then on parole, was arrested Oct. 27, 1943, a day after the bodies of Dr. and Mrs. Hunt were found mutilated and bound in bed at their residence. Thomas was tried only in the death of Dr. Hunt.

A prior conviction, obtained at Plainview, had been reversed by the high court because of a jury irregularity. In his second trial, at Lamesa, Thomas was again convicted and given the death sentence.

Reversal of the conviction means that Thomas can be retried in district court, if the state chooses. The high court ruling did not dismiss the prosecution as it does in some reversal cases.

Building to Be Erected Here for New Auto Concern

Structure to House Local Chrysler and Plymouth Dealership

Architectural plans are complete for the erection of a modern brick building, 100x140 feet, in an L-shape at the corner of West Fifth and XIT drive, for the Lavender Motor Company.



W. E. Lavender

Chrysler and Plymouth automobiles, with W. E. Lavender as general manager.

Work will start in the near future on the erection of the building, which is expected to be completed in 60 or 90 days.

Lavender has been in the automobile business in Lubbock for 17 years, most of that time in executive positions, and for several years selling Chrysler and Plymouth products.

Plans Underway To Erect Food Locker Building

Paul J. Cato of Lamesa and formerly of Comanche County, and Louis Atterbury, resident of Lamesa for 17 years, are planning to erect a building to accommodate approximately 600 lockers with 400 lockers as a starting point for the storage of food. The building will be a one-story structure and will have complete locker facilities.

Legion Makes Plans For Coming Year

Last Monday night a gathering of 30 veterans, both World War I and II, met at the Legion Hut in a regular meeting of the local post. This number included a nice representation of both war groups.

Numerous plans are in the making which will reflect real activity for the new year, just started, and under the recently elected officers. Some committees have been appointed and others will be appointed with the "go ahead sign" to get organized and put into execution as soon as possible their prescribed programs for the new calendar year.

The program committee for the year has the following members: Bill Morris, chairman; O. K. Woodall and Art Mueller, with two more to be added. A general system of programs for each meeting is being worked out where one member of the committee will have the full responsibility of a program each meeting night.

The membership committee named is Marion Phillips, chairman; Julius Timian and Art Mueller. Memberships have been written and the campaign is about to get underway. Last year's total was 120 paid members. This year it should far exceed this number, since many of the boys who are returning are aligning themselves with the Legion organization.

Plans for next meeting night, which will be the 15th of October, call for a joint meeting with the

New Building for Phelps Avenue

Work will get underway within the next ten days in the erection of a 50x125 brick and tile building for Dr. Ira Woods and Dr. Wm. N. Orr on their lots adjacent to and just north of the Southern Auto Store. Joe Wells has the contract for the structure, which will be a one-story building.

A quantity of brick and other material is already on the ground ready to start the work.

In an interview with Dr. Orr, he stated that he did not know who would occupy the building, that it had not been leased.

Wildcats Play Olton Friday

Head Coach J. Fikes and Assistant Mummie will lead their Wildcats out of town this week to invade the Olton Mustang corral. They clash at 7:30 (CST) under lights.

Not much is known about the strength of the Olton club. Their game with Lockney was washed out last week. The Wildcats are still on their scoring spree. Even the rain and low temperature did not stop them last week as they crushed Morton, 46 to 0, in the opening conference game. They are probably the highest scoring team in the state, so far this season.

The Olton game will be the second conference game for the Wildcats and the first for Olton.

Mrs. J. G. Jones of Mangum, Okla., is visiting in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Jones of 2 1/2 miles east of town and Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Jones of Littlefield.

Pat Boone Attends Five State Meeting At Dallas Friday

Lamb County's Quota to Be Assigned Within the Next Ten Days

Pat Boone, Lamb County chairman of War Finance Committee, attended a five state war finance meeting at Dallas Friday in an all-day session, which convened in the Crystal ballroom of the Baker Hotel.

There were 20 officials of the War Finance Committee present from Washington, D. C., including Ted R. Gamble, national director, and Robert W. Coyne, assistant national director, who were the principal speakers.

In reporting this meeting Mr. Boone stated that he was surprised to learn that all of these men are serving on a salary basis of \$1,000 per year, which proves that there are real patriots at home as well as on the foreign fields.

At this meeting the following explicit, definite and transparent reasons were given for the Victory loan drive, which opens Monday, Oct. 29, and closes Dec. 8:

- (1) To pay the bills for munitions and materials already delivered and used.
 - (2) To pay the expense of bringing our boys and girls home.
 - (3) To provide for our service men and women their mustering out pay, which is estimated to be in excess of two billion dollars.
 - (4) To provide benefits for eight million or more veterans who will be discharged by next July.
 - (5) To pay the cost of guarding Germany and Japan.
 - (6) To keep the lid on price inflation and to preserve and promote many other things so necessary for our American way of life.
- The aftermath of war carries grave responsibilities that must not

Belmont Williams Is Liberated

Mrs. J. D. Thomas of Morton, formerly of Amherst, on Saturday last received the first news of her brother, Henry Belmont Williams, Pfc. Williams, in the form of a seven page letter from him, his first uncensored message in almost four years.

Williams was one of the first prisoners to be taken by the Japs. He was liberated from Hirohito Sub Camp of the Osaka Prison Group on Sept. 9, when a recovery team of the Eighth army arrived. By 6 o'clock that evening he was on a train bound for Yokohama.

Williams and 31 other men were flown to Guam on the 12th of September. By the date his letter was written he had passed all physical checkups and was awaiting transportation home.

Melvin Ross, who has been working in the shipyards at Los Angeles, Cal., returned to Littlefield recently, and is employed at Jeffries Grocery & Market, taking over his new duties Monday.

MEAD'S BAKERY IS HOST AT BANQUET; ENTERTAINS GROCERS OF COUNTY

Mead's Bakery were hosts at a banquet at the First Methodist Church, Littlefield, Thursday night.

On this occasion they had as their guests grocers of Littlefield and Lamb County, other business men, representatives of the press and employees of the baking concern at various points in which they operate.

Ed Corcoran, sales executive, was chairman, and numerous brief talks were made by members of the Mead organization and their guests.

ROY E. DOW HOME ON FURLOUGH

Roy E. Dow is spending a three week's visit in Littlefield before going to Los Angeles, Calif., after completion of service in the U. S. army.

Released with the rating of master sergeant, termination took place through the separation center, Ft. Bliss, Texas, Sept. 22.

Roy E. first entered service on March 9, 1940, and received basic training at Columbia, S. C., a period covering five years, seven months, 13 months of which were spent overseas with the transportation corps, aboard ships in the Pacific. He wears four bronze stars for the New Guinea, Saipan, southern Philippine and northern Luzon campaigns.

Aboard the USS General Anderson, he reached the states by way of New York and reported to Ft. Hamilton for a three weeks' assignment previous to his coming to Texas and discharge at El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Dowell of Roton spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bennett.

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Should Register Firearms

In behalf of public safety, Joseph D. Nunan, Jr., Commissioner of Internal Revenue, today appealed to all members and veterans of the armed forces and their families to register and safeguard all machine guns and similar automatic weapons which have been brought into the country as war trophies.

Calling attention to the mandatory provisions of the National Firearms Act of 1934, and the regulations promulgated thereunder, Commissioner Nunan said:

"We have hesitated to do anything to hinder service families in the enjoyment of their richly-earned trophies of war. However, our attention has been called to several instances in recent months where criminals have stolen or otherwise acquired war trophy guns and have used the weapons for criminal purposes. I am issuing these cautions for the safety both of service families and the public at large.

"Under the law, registration must be made at once by every possessor of any firearms of the automatic type, such as machine pistols, machine guns, sub-machine guns, or any type gun from which a number of shots or bullets may be discharged with one continuous pull of the trigger. I urge all servicemen, veterans and their families having any such guns to communicate at once—in person, by telephone, or mail—with the

nearest office of any Investigator in Charge, Alcohol Tax Unit, Bureau of Internal Revenue, or to write to me in Washington. A representative of the bureau will call and assist them with the registration without charge.

"At the same time, I urge possessors of these weapons to accept the assistance of the bureau representative in rendering them permanently inoperative. This will not affect the souvenir value of the weapons, but will prevent accidents and keep them out of the hands of the criminal element.

"Furthermore, as long as the weapon is serviceable, the law requires payment of the \$200 tax upon each sale, exchange, gift, or other transfer of the firearm. If the gun is made permanently inoperative, it may be transferred as a war trophy without payment of the \$200 tax by filing of Form 5 (Firearms) with the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, Washington, D. C.

"I earnestly hope that service families will understand that these cautions are being issued for their protection—protection not only against the consequences of possessing deadly weapons, but also protection against violation of the National Firearms Act which provides penalties up to five years in prison and a \$2,000 fine for each violation. Careful compliance with this law will, on the other hand, permit safe enjoyment of war trophies of the type mentioned."

Details of Pvt Camp's Death Received Here

Mrs. Carroll Blackwell last week received from her mother, Mrs. Nancy Camp, of Yuma, Ariz., information relative to the death of her brother, Pvt. Ford Camp, 23, who passed away as a result of drowning in France July 24, 1945, when the army vehicle in which he was riding crushed through the guard rail of a bridge and plunged into a canal. Mrs. Camp received two letters forwarded by her mother, written to her by the War Department, which also stated that his body was personally accompanied to a military cemetery, where he was buried with proper ceremony; that he was buried at St. Andre cemetery, Grave No. 15, Block J, Row No. 1, and that his personal effects had been carefully gathered up and would be sent home.

The War Department further stated that Pvt. Camp was on an official mission at the time of his death and wrote a very complimentary letter regarding the deceased serviceman.

Pvt. Camp was with the 1051st Engineers had been in the service three years and had been overseas almost the entire period. He had seen service in Italy, France and Germany, and was then sent back to France.

The Camp family moved from Littlefield to Yuma, Ariz., in 1940 and Pvt. Camp enlisted from that city.

Mrs. Walter Williams Honoree at Bridal Shower Recently

Mrs. Walter (Tubby) Williams was the honoree at a lovely miscellaneous bridal shower Thursday evening Sept. 20 at the home of Mrs. Otis Baker with Mrs. Otis Baker and Mrs. Roy Byers Jr. as hostesses.

The house was decorated throughout with beautiful fresh cut fall flowers. An interesting program was enjoyed by all. The readings "The Packed Suitcase" was given by Mrs. George Kirk, and "What the Bridegroom Wore" by Mrs. Ted Puckett and Mrs. Roy Wade played several selections throughout the evening.

The refreshment table was laid with a lovely lace tablecloth from which, following the displaying of the large array of beautiful gifts, refreshments of punch, sandwiches and angel cake were served to the following guests:

Mesdames H. E. Nix, Ted Puckett, Andy Houk, Jeff Perkins, O. C.

AWAITS DISCHARGE

Mrs. Hugh Rice and son, Larry, left for El Paso, Tex., Thursday, Sept. 20, to meet her husband, who has landed and was awaiting a discharge.

Rice has been in service two years and overseas 11 months. He served for some time with the Seventh Army in an ammunition ordnance company. He arrived in El Paso Tuesday of last week.

Burns, Vernon Houk, Kenneth Houk, George Kirk, Roy Wade, J. L. Drake, Gene Williams, Roy Byers Jr. and Otis Baker.

Those sending gifts but unable to attend were: Mesdames A. D. Green, M. M. Williams, W. E. Heathman, Marjorie Williams, Robert McNeely, Ollie Robins, Roy Byers, W. L. Walraven, Mrs. Hood, J. D. Baker and Ford Bishop.

Enrollment in the University of Texas for the fall term is 63,875, exactly the same number enrolled in 1944, the office of the registrar reports. Of this number, 3,443 new students who registered Sept. 3,526 are carried over from the previous year; 679 are naval trainees.

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Cpl. Mitchell Sisson Is Expected Home

Cpl. Mitchell Sisson, son of Mrs. T. J. Sisson of two miles northwest of Littlefield, is expected home soon.

Cpl. Sisson, who has been with the Second Armored Division, but has recently been transferred to the Fifth Armored Division, is expecting to get home soon. He went through the North Africa invasion, into Sicily, England, France, Belgium and Holland.

Cpl. Sisson is wearing seven battle stars, the Good Conduct medal, European Theatre ribbon and the Combat Infantry ribbon. He has been in the service since May, 1942, and overseas since December of that year.

Mrs. Sisson is employed as secretary at the REA office here.

Cpl. Sisson has three brothers in the service.

Pfc. John Sisson arrived recently from Italy. He was attached to an infantry division. He was overseas 14 months and in service two years.

He is here on a 30-day furlough following which he will go to Fort Sam Houston for reassignment.

Cpl. Wilson Sisson wrote his mother recently from Germany not to write him any more, that he was on his way home. He has been with an ordnance company in Germany. He has been in service 41 months and overseas 22 months.

Pvt. Lawson Sisson is now stationed in Luxembourg. He has been in the service about 31 months and overseas 18 months. He has seen action in France and Germany.

Sgt. and Mrs. Vaughn Attaway are the proud parents of another son, Pat, who made his appearance at the Littlefield Hospital Sept. 14. They are both doing fine and expect to go home this week. Sgt. Attaway is on Luzon at the present time, but has been assigned to the occupational force in the lower part of Japan. He is with the 25th Division of the Sixth Army.

Lieut. and Mrs. Horace A. Dow of

Tyler, Texas, were guests of Bert Dow and daughters recently. Lieut. Dow has only recently returned to the states after having been liber-

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AIR FORCE WESTERN PACIFIC HEADQUARTERS, Manila — Representative Geo. H. Mahon, Democrat, 19th district, Texas, members of the House Committee of War Department Appropriations, left Manila recently with fellow committee members for Chungking, China, after having completed a three day tour of military installations and activities in the Philippines.

The tour included a thorough inspection of the Manila area, a trip to Corregidor and an examination of the facilities for handling replacements and personnel recovered from Japanese internment.

Members of the committee are Congressmen J. Buell Snyder, democrat, Pa., committee chairman; Albert J. Engel, republican, Mich.; Wilia F. Norrell, democrat, Ark.; Joseph E. Hendricks, democrat, Fla.; Francis H. Case, republican, S. D., and Harve Tibbot, republican, Pa.

Chairman Snyder stated, "We are on a military mission in connection

Amherst Legion Auxiliary Meet Saturday Last

Amherst American Legion Auxiliary met Saturday, Sept. 22, at 8 p. m., with a social meeting, following which delicious ice cream and cake were served.

With a large crowd present the auxiliary meets each second and fourth Saturday at 8 p. m.

It is urged that each member remember these dates and be present. The group had as guests Saturday Dr. and Mrs. Slemmons.

with future army plans and expenditures in the Pacific area."

The committee, which has handled appropriations for the army throughout the war, will spend two days in Chungking, where they will confer with Lt. Gen. Wedemeyer, commander of U. S. forces in China, and Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Chek. Enroute to London, where a conference with Prime Minister Atlee has been arranged, they will visit Calcutta, Cairo, Moscow, Berlin, Rome and Paris.

H. D. Council to Elect Officers Wednesday, Oct. 24

The Home Demonstration Council met in regular session Wednesday, Sept. 19, in the Amherst Hotel, with Mrs. H. L. Phelps, council chairman, presiding.

Officers for the coming year were discussed.

The next council meeting will be held Wednesday, Oct. 24, when new officers will be elected.

All council delegates are urged to attend and visitors are welcome.

The council voted to make a change in the regular meeting date, and this date has been changed from the third Wednesday of each month, starting with the October meeting.

The dahlia show, which was to be sponsored by Home Demonstration clubs, was voted to be called off because of dry and windy weather.

Wolfe Shaw returned last week from a buying trip to St. Louis and Kansas City. He had been gone 10 days.

Yellowhouse H. D. Club Meets at G. G. Wilson Home

The Yellowhouse Home Demonstration Club met on Sept. 11 at the home of Mrs. G. G. Wilson. For opening exercise all joined in singing "America," and "Juanita," which was sang in Spanish by Mrs. Bill Jones.

After discussing future activities, refreshments of Pepsi-Cola, cookies and candy were served to the following: Mesdames Fred Duffy, Bill Jones, Jim Bow, W. O. Jones, Joe Rietman, J. B. Haire, Lester Couch, J. D. Lee and the hostess, Mrs. G. G. Wilson.

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In signing the Jap surrender document, Admiral Chester W. Nimitz played a dual role; he signed for Texas and the United States.

Mrs. Jay Warner Honored at Bridal Shower Thursday

The Needle Club honored Mrs. Jay Warner, formerly Miss Fay Lightsey, with a bridal shower in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Bagwell, a mile west and 2 1/2 miles south of Littlefield, Thursday afternoon.

Several interesting games were played and roll call was answered by verses from the 17th chapter of Matthews.

After the gifts were opened refreshments of ice cream, cake and punch were served to the following: Mesdames A. C. Rogers, Amos Sedgewick, Earl Taylor, Don Brewster, O. F. Bryce, J. C. Montgomery, Melvin Thedford, J. C. Bryce, Perkins, Roy Syfrett, Joyce Davis, Pinron Winters, Glenn Young, Charlie Grace Albert Locke, W. E. Bass, Carl Locke, Jay Warner and the hostess.

Mrs. Amos Swart is to be hostess to the club on Oct. 11.

Mrs. Lester Couch Hostess to H. D. Club

The Yellowhouse Home Demonstration Club met on Sept. 25 at the home of Mrs. Lester Couch.

For opening exercise all present sang "America" and Mrs. Jim Bow read a poem entitled "A Negroes Prayer." Roll call was answered by "a favorite hobby," which proved to be very interesting.

As the lesson was on outdoor liv-

ing rooms, Mrs. Bill Jones exhibited some miniature furniture and Mrs. Lester Couch read an article on "Play Equipment for the Home" and then all members and Miss Crippen made a lawn chair.

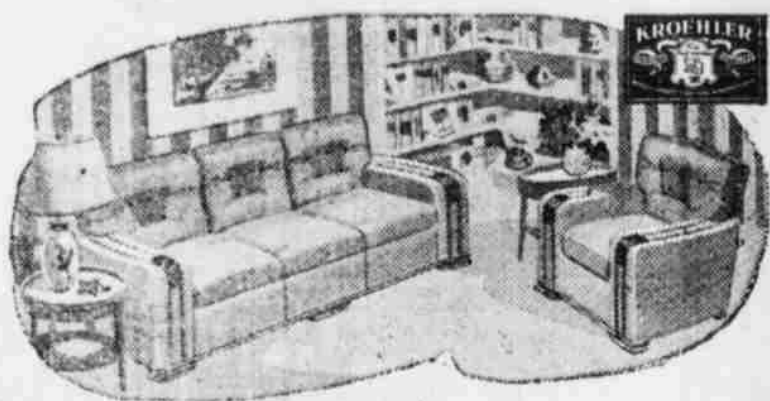
Refreshments of punch, fudge squares and cookies were served to the following: Mesdames Joe Rietman, J. B. Haire, Fred Duffy, Henry

Ham, Jim Bow, Bill Jones, G. Wilson, Miss Vera Crippen and hostess, Mrs. Lester Couch.

The new meeting time has been set for 2:30 and all members are urged to bring their canning, sewing and any kind of improvement projects to the next meeting. The next meeting will be at the home of J. D. Lee on Oct. 9.

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LOST—Glasses at school, with gold frame, one nose rest off. Roy Gene Roberson, Littlefield. Please notify Mrs. Brown at school. 28-1t-p

LOST—Bunch of keys, likely in post office; had car tag number DZ-7923. Please leave at Boston Food Store. 28-1t-p

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Lum's Chapel Baptist Church Holds Revival

The Lum's Chapel Baptist church began a revival last Sunday with a great spirit manifest. God is wonderfully blessing in each service. We welcome everyone to attend the two weeks' meeting which got underway Sunday, Sept. 30, and will continue through Oct. 14.

Assembly of God Church Opens Revival Meeting

The Assembly of God church began a revival meeting last Sunday night with Evangelist Rev. Earl Walden of Brownfield, Texas. Every one is cordially invited by the pastor, Rev. Scott F. Mitchell, to attend this meeting. Rev. Walden is a very interesting speaker and also an accomplished musician. His music on the electrical guitar and the singing is an outstanding feature of each service.

The church is located two blocks west and one block north of city water tower. Service each evening at 7:30. Revival will continue through October 14.

Mrs. J. W. Carter Hostess to H. D. Club Thursday

The Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. J. W. Carter Thursday, Sept. 27, with Mrs. J. T. Brown as co-hostess.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. O. L. Baisden. Mrs. J. W. Carter led in prayer. Several games were played. A lawn chair was made and sold for \$2.50, the cost of the material. Miss Vara Crippen gave the demonstration and everyone was interested and plan to make several chairs.

Refreshments of angel food cake and punch were served to the following:

Mesdames Burl Rogers, Maudine Bryant, Jack James, A. L. McCarty, Alpha McCarty, Hub Spraberry, Annie Cater, O. L. Baisden, Edgar Purvis and the hostess and co-hostess, Mrs. J. W. Carter and Mrs. J. T. Brown.

The next meeting will be at Mrs. Hug Spraberry's on Oct. 11.

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Annie's Cafe Is Reopened for Business Friday

Annie's Cafe has been remodeled and redecorated throughout and was reopened for business Friday.

The cafe was closed for several months, during which time the owners, Mr. and Mrs. Payton Harrell, had a well earned rest and carried out the improvement program.

They wish to thank their customers for the nice business always favored them, and invite all their former patrons to return and eat with them.

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LT. R. E. McQUATTERS RECEIVES DISCHARGE

Lieut. Roy B. McQuatters, a member of the air corps, has received his discharge after four years in the service.

A son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. McQuatters, he entered the service as a private when he enlisted in 1941 just after the Pearl Harbor attack. He was promoted to staff sergeant and then took cadet training and received his wings Dec. 23, 1944.

As an enlisted man he was an instructor in airplane mechanics at Chanute Field, Ill. Since he received his wings he has been flying B-24s and B-29s and was last stationed at Maxwell Field, Ala. He received his discharge this week. With his wife and daughter, Mar-

SGT. & MRS. ZACHARY HAVE NEW SON

A son was born to Sgt. and Mrs. James Zachary at the Littlefield Hospital Monday, Sept. 24, weighing 8 lbs. 4 oz. He has been named James Daniel, Jr.

Sgt. and Mrs. Zachary have been making their home at San Marcos, Texas, where Sgt. Zachary is stationed. Mrs. Zachary, however, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Sid Pace, two miles north of Littlefield, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Zachary, the past six weeks.

Sgt. Zachary arrived home the first of last week on a 17-day furlough.

His wife, Mrs. Sue, he is visiting his parents, arriving Saturday night.

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**G. W. Steffey
Takes Part in
Surrender Ceremony**

G. W. Steffey, storekeeper, aviation, first class, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Steffey of five miles northeast of town, on the USS West Virginia, which took part in the surrender ceremony in Tokyo Bay, wrote his wife recently that he expected to dock at San Francisco Oct. 14 or 15, and will receive his discharge. Mrs. Steffey has been making her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Roberts, in her husband's absence.

Steffey also enclosed a letter to the Leader, which will be of much interest to this newspaper's readers, and which is as follows:

USS WEST VIRGINIA
Tokyo Bay, 2 Sept., 1945

"Dear Editor:
"As the censorship regulations have been eased off to a certain extent, I'll try to give you a little scoop on what I have been doing this past year. I am a storekeeper, aviation, first class, serving in the navy for the past 42 months. During this time I have been overseas 28 months.

"Take a look at this address! Just about a year ago when we were leaving the states, this being the second trip for me, if any of us had made the statement the West Virginia would be here in 12 months time she would have been the world's greatest fool in the eyes of his shipmates. Yet this is what happened! The successful year which will terminate in the ceremonies which are taking place aboard Admiral Halsey's flagship, USS Missouri, today

with General MacArthur and a group of Jap dignitaries taking a major part in the signing has been helped no end by the great showing of the West Virginia in all of that ship's actions. Considering that the grand old veteran that was given up as lost by a great many naval officials after the sneak attack at Pearl Harbor took part in every engagement for the past year it is safe to assume that she had a most splendid record throughout the campaign.

"When the West Virginia left the states after gunnery practice it was made up of a crew of mostly new men. There were some veterans of Dec. 7, 1941. These oldtimers gave the crew an even balance. At all gunnery tests there were some kinks to be ironed out and this was done in a very short time. Proof of this can be attested by results, and this is the final test.

"After leaving the states we made the usual stop at Pearl Harbor. I have gone into great lengths describing my disappointment there and so I will not repeat any of that. I spent 16 months here raising the West Virginia.

"Our next stop was Manus in the Admiralty Islands. During this I crossed the equator and underwent the initiation when you cross it. A great time was in store with me! Most of the men aboard were "pollywogs" as non-crossers are called but the "shellbacks" or veterans who had gone over made up for their lack of numbers by the vehemence their actions showed. We had King Neptune, Davy Jones and all the things that go with this tradition of the navy. After sampling the various royal dentists, barber, etc., you can imagine how I looked when the "dunking" came along! You might think so but the worst was not over by any means. Here, after emerging from the makeshift pool, we had a gauntlet of about 30 men to run. These shellbacks were armed with a strap or something similar they could use to paddle our posterior. I wouldn't have missed it for the world but I ate my meals for quite a while from a standing position.

"After this brief tomfoolery we headed for the Philippines, Leyte, to be exact. We led the way in for that invasion. During this action we downed our first plane. The action was bitter. Finally we secured with a possibility of getting some rest. This was not to be. The Jap fleet figured on a surprise attack but our force was not taken off balance. Nothing the Japs could do would surprise us. Not after Pearl Harbor! As a result we were prepared for this at Surigao Straits. It is called the second battle of the Phil-

ippines now but it will never be anything but Surigao Straits to any of the participants.

"When the Japs steamed into the trap the West Virginia was at the head of the line of battleships. We were the first to open fire and we threw salvo after salvo into the enemy ships. During the battle we were officially credited with the sinking of a Jap battleship. In our first weeks of action we had performed nobly.

"Our next stop was Espiritu Santo down in the New Hebrides group. We enjoyed some good swimming and the two beers meted out to us on those liberties. The prevalent language down there is French. Our main duties there were the replenishing of supplies and the rest and recreation necessary for the maintenance of morale. I would have much rather have visited Australia but had to be satisfied merely being in the same area.

"Following these battles we supported the landings at Mindoro. For the major part our duties there consisted of patrol work. This did not prevent us from the terrific air attacks the Japs threw at the ships. It was evident the Jap was beginning to see the handwriting on the wall. It was here we ran into our first meetings with the suicide bombers of the Nips.

"The next action on our list was Lingayen Gulf. This was the big push insofar as the Philippines were concerned. The Japs had said we would never be successful on Luzon. They were to be proven wrong! A noted authority wrote this was fine for the Nipponese in the Far East and a lot of us hoped he was right. It actually was the securing of the most strategic islands in the Pacific for our activities against the enemy in his own territory.

"Upon the securing of the Philippines we were scheduled for a rest period but this was not to be. Our withdrawal to a rear area lasted a little more than 20 hours, all of which was taken up by the loading of stores, about 300 tons in that short time. This meant we brought the material aboard and stuck it below, finishing the job while we were underway for Iwo Jima. Now we were meeting the Japs on their home field! This was bloody fighting. For such a small island, eight square miles, the casualty list was staggering! The loss of life, while not to be commended, had to be. The Japs used Iwo for a lookout base for our movements, etc., and had to be eliminated from the spot. The cost was great but the end was justified.

"After this we moved even closer to the heart of the Japanese empire,

Okinawa, 350 miles from Tokyo! Air attacks here were tremendous. We were under constant attack. The Japs realized they could not lose this island without serious results to them. Everything in their power was used against us. We were at air defense practically all the time. Their "kamikaze" tactics were repulsed but not without a large amount of casualties. This could not be helped. Finally we secured Okinawa. Now we were within calling distance of Hirohito. If needed we could run ferry planes on the Jap empire. This we did.

"Our next step was withdrawing to the rear. It was very odd that Leyte was considered thusly. Only six months previously it was a hub for us. Now we were spending liberties on Samar, the next island to Leyte. Here we ran into the Filipinos selling their trinkets. They had booths for their wares. It reminded me somewhat of the carnivals back in the states. I picked up some souvenirs. You know about them.

"By this time Admiral Halsey's boys were doing a grand job on Japan proper, setting them up for the final kill. The West Virginia got orders to proceed to Okinawa. It was here that we got our news of the false surrender. There was a lot of celebrating on the beach, but it was premature. In the next few days, however, the news of surrender was true.

"Now, we started for Japan, our goal for the past year. We were met by a Jap destroyer and escorted into Sagami Bay, southeast of Tokyo Bay. We passed right off the island of Oshima but their guns were silent. It is logical to assume they were still ready for action. We were set for anything the Nips could do. Their sneak tricks would never again come close to the near disastrous Pearl Harbor attack. Here we had our first glimpse of Fujiyama, the mountain god of the Japs. It is snow-capped and is held in high reverence by them.

"A few days later we got a Japanese pilot aboard to slip us through the channel from Sagami Bay to Tokyo Bay. The Jap spoke little English and was of little use to the skipper of the West Virginia. We can see the outskirts of Yokohama from the ship where we are laying at anchor out in the bay. This is a great industrial area. The cities of Tokyo and Yokohama in the 20 miles have a population of approximately 12 million. With the naked eye you can see their maze of plants and the Yokasuka navy yard, one of the largest here.

"Our main thought now is our return to civilian life and to those we love. We are proud to have served our country. Another pride to us is the fact we served on the West Virginia. The ship shot down 14 planes. Since her arrival in the Pacific she has fired over 3,000 16-inch projectiles; 30,000 secondary battery rounds and more than 200,000 smaller projectiles for a total of 5,500 tons. In the past year the West Virginia has traveled 63,000 nautical miles. It has been a splendid record for a splendid ship.

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"G. W. STEFFEY,
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**Lt. Chas. Heathman
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Lt. Charles E. Heathman, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Heathman, in a telephone conversation Tuesday morning from the separation center at San Antonio, informed his family that he would be home about Friday.

Lt. Heathman arrived in Boston Thursday night on the Ambrose E. Burnside from 11 months overseas as a Mustang fighter pilot. Mrs. Heathman and 7 months old son, whom his father has not seen, have been making their home with Lt. Heathman's parents here.

The British maintained a flying training school at Terrell, Texas, for four years.

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John J. Ray, 100 years old, of Fort Worth, is believed to be the oldest living member of the Masonic lodge in the United States.

Wildcats to Play Ballinger Nov 2

The Wildcats will meet one of the perennial giants of Texas Class A football when they journey to Ballinger on Nov. 2. The Ballinger club has played in regional playoffs each of the last four years — winning the regional championship three times in a row— 1941, 1942 and 1943. They are reported to have their best team ever this year. They have played two games, defeating Loraine 100 to 0 and losing to AA Abilene, 13 to 0. The game will be at night.

Mrs. E. E. Huggins Hostess to Okla. Ave. H. D. Club

Mrs. E. E. Huggins was hostess to the Oklahoma Avenue H. D. Club which met Friday, Sept. 29. Due to inclement weather there were only six members present. Miss Crippen, county home demonstration agent, demonstrated the making of a lawn chair. A very practical chair can be made for \$2.50, which will withstand many years of use. Those attending were: Mesdames M. M. Dubose, Clem Dubose, J. M. Griffin, O. G. Lichte, C. M. Huggins, Miss Crippen and Mrs. Ben Crawford, a visitor. Refreshments of hot cocoa and cookies were served by the hostess.

Is Unofficially Reported Found

Lt. Henry J. Koke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Will Koke of Rt. 2, Littlefield, who was recently reported missing in action by the war department, has been unofficially reported found.

Mr. and Mrs. Koke stated Monday that a friend of Lt. Koke, S. B. Collins of the navy, who has arrived home after being a patient in a naval hospital in California, reported that it was recorded on a bulletin at the hospital that Lt. Koke and two other servicemen had been located on a small island.

This is the only information the family have received since a telegram arrived just previous to the Jap surrender that Lt. Koke was missing in action.

Lt. Koke, a VII Fighter Command P-51 pilot, had been operating over Iwo Jima and the home islands of Japan. He is credited with shooting down two Japanese aircraft over the Japanese empire on May 29 while escorting 21 bomber command superfortresses on a Yokohama strike. Many times decorated, he was recently awarded the Silver Star for his part in repulsing a banzai attack on a seventh fighter command area in Iwo Jima.

He also received credit for destroying three planes and a 100-foot boat on Kagamiyama airfield, Honshu, on June 9, last. He was among the VII Fighter Command "Sun Setters" to fly the first escort mission for 21 bomber command superfortresses on April 7, making his sixth mission over the Japanese empire.

Lieut. Koke was also awarded the second Oak Leaf Cluster to the air medal recently. The presentation was made by Brig. Gen. Ernest M. Moore, commanding general of the 7th Fighter Command, based on Iwo Jima. The award was given for Lt. Koke's destroying a Jap aircraft over the homeland. His wife, Mrs. Dora Koke, lives at Lubbock.

SENDS WAR RELIEF FOOD

According to W. G. Sanderson, agricultural teacher of Spring Lake school, requests are being made by the state director of vocational agriculture that Future Farmer chapters which have canning centers gather and process food for the war relief, which is a national organization for the distribution of food to the needy in the overrun countries.

The Spring Lake FFA chapter has gathered and with the cooperation of the Home Making Girls of Spring Lake school, processed 526 No. 2 cans of vegetables, which were sent Saturday to the area concentration point at Lubbock. These were processed at the Spring Lake community canning center.

Spring Lake P.-T. A. and the Baptist and Methodist Women's organizations financed the cans.

Central P.-T. A. To Meet Oct. 10

The Central P.-T. A. will meet Wednesday, Oct. 10, at 3 o'clock at the High School Auditorium. An interesting program has been planned. Mrs. Jack Farr, membership chairman, is urging that everyone join the P.-T. A. before that date, so that the prizes can be announced.

There will be three prizes awarded for the rooms winning in the membership contest. First prize is \$3.00; second prize, \$2.00 and third prize \$1.00.

Homecoming Enjoyed At Hairston Home

A homecoming dinner was given in honor of Elvin Hairston, who was last week discharged from the army, in the home of his parents, Mr. and

Mrs. L. N. Hairston of Hart Camp. Elvin was in the service 40 months and overseas 32. He served in North Africa, Sicily and Italy. He is a graduate of the Spade High School of the class of 1940.

Those who attended the dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Freeman of Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. John Wims, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Keese and son, Mrs. Donny Williams and son,

all of Lubbock; Mr. Carl McGuire of Fort Worth, Miss Cressie Garnett of Littlefield, Mrs. Wayne Kirley and Mr. and Mrs. Hairston all of Hart Camp. Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Finney and Mrs. Clyde Woods and boys dropped in after dinner for a while.

Every one enjoyed the day and several pictures were taken in the afternoon.

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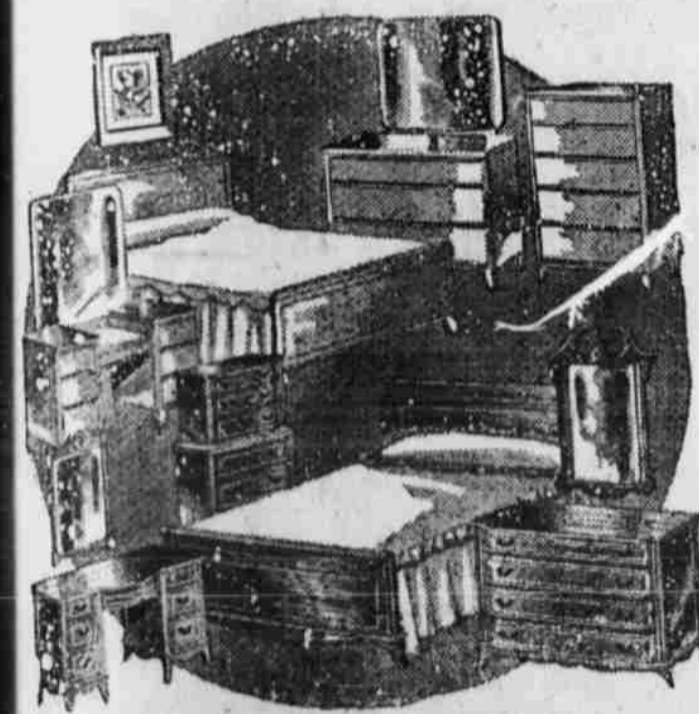
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The new owners come to Littlefield highly recommended, and we bespeak for them the same fine spirit of cooperation and friendship that you have extended us as owners of the B. & B.

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With South Plains Men In The Armed Forces

Sgt. Lloyd Chapman, who has been stationed at Camp Pendleton, Calif., has been sent back overseas.

Sgt. Chapman, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dee Chapman, has already served overseas on two occasions, the first time over three years and the second time 27 months.

Cpl. Leroy Walden, 26, formerly of Anton, is serving with the air forces in the Pacific as a radar mechanic. Son of Mrs. Belle Walden of Anton, the corporal is now stationed at Tinian. His wife, the former Frances Williams, and small daughter, Glenna Faye, are making their home in Lubbock, where Mrs. Walden is employed at Lubbock Army Air field. Two brothers in the army are Cpl. Bill Walden, stationed in England, and Cpl. Miles Walden, stationed in Germany.

Master Sergeant Brooks B. Lewis has been liberated from a Tokyo prison camp and will return to the states soon, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Lewis, of Olton, have been notified. He was returned to military control Sept. 9, the War Department message said.

Sgt. Lewis was working at the Veterans Hospital at Albuquerque and joined the New Mexico National Guard, going to the Philippines with the 200th Coast Artillery, which was a New Mexico guard unit.

He was with Gen. Wainwright's group which was captured when Corregidor fell in May, 1942. His liberation was the first word his parents had received from their son since Nov. 12, 1944, when a card came from him from the Tokyo camp.

SAN ANTONIO DISTRICT, AAF, FDC—Sgt. Arlon L. Wheeler, of Rt. 2, Littlefield, Texas, who served 27 months in the European theatre of operations as a glider maintenance man, has arrived at the San Antonio district, AAF Personnel Distribution Command.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Unice W. Wheeler, Rt. 2, Littlefield, Texas.

Sgt. Wheeler wears the Distinguished Unit Citation with oak leaf clusters, Good Conduct Medal, European Theatre of Operations ribbon with seven battle stars.

He will spend approximately two weeks at the redistribution station undergoing records and physical processing in preparation for a discharge or reassignment to duty in this country.

During his stay here, this combat veteran, who was assigned to San Antonio upon completion of a 30-

day furlough at his home, will be duty free and have at his command all of the many recreational and educational facilities made available to returned airmen by the Personnel Distribution Command.

ABOARD THE USS WEST VIRGINIA—George W. Steffey, storekeeper, first class, USNR, Littlefield, Texas, serves aboard this famous old battleship, which went safely through many months of campaigning in the Pacific, then suffered her first combat casualties on the day of the Okinawa invasion when she was struck by a Japanese suicide plane.

Four crewmen were killed and 22 others were wounded by the plane crash.

The plane was in a formation of four aircraft that flew over the Okinawa transport anchorage at dusk, 12 hours after the first U. S. troops had gone ashore. One plane was shot down by the West Virginia's gunners, but another penetrated the anti-aircraft fire, reached a position above the big ship and came down in an almost vertical dive.

ON THE LIGHT CRUISER SAN DIEGO IN TOKYO BAY (Delayed)—Arthur H. Price, coswin, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Price, 314 North Decatur street, Montgomery, Ala., who took part with this ship in many of the Pacific operations, was at his battle station in Japanese waters when announcement of the Japanese capitulation was broadcast. His ship was among those that then entered Tokyo Bay for the first stages of the occupation.

A number of crewmen on the San Diego were commended by the commanding officer for their work during the ship's strenuous 60-day operating period from March to May.

MAXWELL FIELD, Ala.—Second Lieut. Roy B. McQuatters, Jr., of Littlefield, Texas, is currently enrolled in the B-29 transition flying school at Maxwell Field, Ala., as a Superfortress co-pilot, second in command of the three man team which handles the flying controls of the giant heavy bombers.

B-29 co-pilots are selected from the top ranks of men who have completed training in B-17s or B-24s. The co-pilot takes a six week course, during which he trains with the B-29 "command crew," made up of pilot, co-pilot and flight engineer. It requires three men to handle the flying functions of the complex aerial battleship. After graduation the "command crew" is slated for advanced combat training with additional crew members and then goes into combat as a unit.

1945—TEXAS TECH FOOTBALL SCHEDULE—1945

Date	Opponent	Place
*September 29	Texas A & M	San Antonio, Texas
October 6	Texas University	Austin, Texas
*October 13	Tulsa University	Lubbock, Texas
*October 20	Baylor	Lubbock, Texas
*October 27	West Texas State	Lubbock, Texas
November 3	Rice	Houston, Texas
November 10	T. C. U.	Lubbock, Texas
November 17	Oklahoma A & M	Oklahoma City, Okla.
November 24	New Mexico University	Albuquerque, N. M.

* Night games.
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PERSONALS

I. D. Onstead spent last week at Dallas and Fort Worth on a buying trip to procure merchandise for Onstead's Furniture.

Edward Gaston, S2c, who has been home on a 15-day leave from San Diego, Cal., and son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gaston, left recently to return to his station.

Sgt. John Zohn, who has been serving overseas with the infantry, has arrived home wearing three battle stars and the Purple Heart.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Smith returned to Littlefield recently from Los Angeles, Cal., where they have been for the past 2½ years. Mr. Smith has been employed in the shipyards at San Pedro, Cal. Accompanying Mr. and Mrs. Smith to Littlefield

from Los Angeles were Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Ross and Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Burleson. Mr. and Mrs. Burleson are visiting his grandmother, Mrs. S. A. Burleson here.

Mrs. J. H. Lyda, who suffered severe burns on her arms, face and neck from steam from a pressure cooker about two weeks ago, is reported to be improving at her home here. She failed to tighten the lid on her pressure cooker and when she attempted to take the lid off the steam burned her badly.

Mrs. Homer H. Parks of Lawton, Okla., formerly Miss Wilma DeYoung of Littlefield, has returned home after spending a few days with Mrs. O. K. Yantis Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Sandefer have

sold their farm property five miles southeast of Littlefield to U. S. Trammel of Spade, and have purchased a farm of 150 acres and modern six-room home one mile east of Lockney and moved to their new home Sept. 5. They plan to irrigate the farm. Their daughter, Miss Rose Sandefer, will remain in Littlefield, and is making her home in the Cooper Apartments.

Mrs. Clovis Poteet and Miss Bernice George of Olton spent a recent week end with Mrs. Stacy Hart.

Charles Chapman, who enlisted in the Marines recently, is now at San Diego, Cal., in boot camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Boone returned recently from Pagosa Springs, Colo.,

where they have spent two weeks visiting Mrs. Boone's sister, Mrs. S. Pomeroy. Mrs. Pomeroy was formerly Miss Doris Hopping.

W. T. Jones of Marble Falls, Texas, is visiting his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Quinton Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kincaid of Alvoord, Texas, left recently after spending nearly two weeks with Mrs. Kincaid's sister, Mrs. W. H. Kincaid.

Harram Bean of Los Angeles, Cal., arrived recently to visit his brother J. P. Bean and family. He left Friday for Elida, N. M., to visit relatives there.



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APPOINTED BOARD MEMBER ... Pres. William M. Whyburn of Texas Technological College has been appointed a member of the board of directors of the Texas Centennial of Statehood Commission by Gov. Coke R. Stevenson, who also serves as governor of the body.

WHY PAY MORE? ... Charm-Kurl SUPREME COLD WAVE HOME KIT ... PERRY BROTHERS STOKES DRUG STORE

Football Schedule Of Dist. No. 5-A

- October 5 Morton at Spring Lake. Brownfield at Levelland. Littlefield at Olton. Sudan at Muleshoe. October 12 Meadow at Morton. Levelland at Littlefield. Muleshoe at Olton. Sudan at Dimmitt. October 19 Sudan at Morton. Muleshoe at Levelland. Littlefield at Hereford. October 26 Olton at Levelland. Littlefield at Muleshoe. Lubbock Cowhands at Sudan. November 2 Olton at Morton. Levelland at Sudan. November 9 Levelland at Morton. Muleshoe at Spring Lake. Littlefield at Sudan. November 16 Morton at Muleshoe. Lubbock B at Littlefield. November 22 Levelland at Monahans. Olton at Sudan. Conference games.

Girls make up 40 per cent of the enrollment in the University of Texas College of Pharmacy, Dean W. F. Gidley has announced. At present there are 51 girls enrolled out of 121 students. In pre-war days, enrollment of girls was only 11 per cent of the total enrollment.

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SO, YOU DON'T LIKE TEXAS!

By VIRGINIA SPENCER

Editor's Note—So You Don't Like Texas appeared in our July, 1944, issue. The story squared so accurately with the experience of so many transplanted Texans that we were swamped with requests for additional copies. Many publications as well as individuals have asked permission to reprint it. These requests continue in such volume as to amount to a "Command Performance" for its re-appearance—and we are happy to oblige.

This is your first trip to Texas, you have been here a few weeks and you are more than ready to go home. Texans are all right, but you just cannot get along with them. The facts are, they get in your hair, and you are annoyed because you let them.

You have been taught that if a thing needs to be done, then do it right now. Texans are a little different. They reason that if you wait until tomorrow or next week or next year, maybe you will not have to do it. It usually works out that way, especially if there is somebody like you around all fired up to do it right now. Which is all right with Texas.

A native Texan would rather sit down and talk it over than get the job done. He likes to talk, and after he has told you his family history, he sits back expectantly, eager to hear you tell yours. If you fail to reciprocate, you are not friendly and, therefore, queer. After patient prodding, if he still gets no results, he diagnoses your case. You are just a damn Yankee, which means that you hail from somewhere north of Red River. Lots of furriners from up north are real folks once you get to know them; but they are all a little standoffish at first.

To you, the furriner from up north (which may mean that you are from Kentucky or California), Texans seems nose. It isn't that you have anything to hide, but you wonder why anyone should be interested in things which are none of his business. There is only one way you can ruffle him? You will make him fighting mad if you persist in it. That one thing is to try to change him, to teach him to become like you. He does not want to be like you. He confidently expects to live to put flowers on the graves of people like you, and he usually does. He reasons that if you don't like this country, you can go back where you came from. And sure enough, you do!

Or maybe you don't. Possibly circumstances detain you a while longer, an unwilling guest in friendly Texas. What happens? Do you continue trying to change Mr. and Mrs. Texas into a perfect composite of Messrs. and Mesdames Massachusetts, Maine, Michigan and Montana? No, you realize you might as well try to change the miles of grassy plains into a range of snow-capped peaks.

So you admit, a bit grimly perhaps, that Texans are Texans, and that is that. And since you cannot change them, you must make the necessary adjustments to get along with them. But how? The answer is simple. Be yourself and allow them to be themselves. Do your job as it should be done when it should be done, and let their jobs go undone unless that interferes with your own work. In that instance, you may prod the native gently, and if he does not respond, then do your job and his too. He will smile tolerantly and think you are a sap.

And you? In time, you will be his boss. He may resent it for a day or an hour, but no longer. After all, if you want to work yourself to an early grave for the sake of a few extra dollars or a little added glory—well, it's a free country. As his boss, you will realize that you cannot drive him. You cannot even lead him without slowing down, and that would be fatal to anyone geared as high as you. So you leave him somewhere behind. And when you go, he will give you a surprise party with presents. You are so deeply touched that you are embarrassed, and to hide your feelings you are brusque. But your Texas friends do not hold that

F. R. Jones Family Enjoy Family Reunion At Lubbock.

The family of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Jones enjoyed a family reunion in Mckenzie Park, Lubbock, Sunday Sept. 16.

Attending were: Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Payne Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones, Mrs. K. Houk, Mrs. Ellis Harlan and daughter, Mrs. Lamar Harlan, all of Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Jones and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Grace, Amos Shockley, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Shockley and son, David.

Pvt. and Mrs. Travis Jones, Sudan; Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Snowden, Post; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Robertson, Mrs. L. L. Manley, Long Beach, C. I.; Mrs. Leo Jones and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hampton and Mrs. E. J. Jones of Goree; Mr. and Mrs. Braxton Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Hendrick and Mrs. Tommie Ruth Lutz, Slaton; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Peterson, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bartlett, Southland; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Rhodes, Wilson; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bartley, Tahoka. A large number of friends also gathered with them in the afternoon.

MORE STUDENTS REGISTER

Twenty-five per cent more students have registered for the fall semester at Texas Technological College than for the corresponding period last year. About 2,500 have completed registration with a number of ex-service men still to enroll, according to W. P. Clement, registrar.

against you because they have learned from experience that you are a square shootin' guy, even though you have never learned to let your hair down.

With your drive, your success in Texas is assured. At the height of that success, you take a trip back home. You rush out to see old friends, to give them the glad hand. The first fellow you meet seems a bit cold, not half as glad to see you as you are to see him. It could not be that he is jealous of your success. No, impossible. He must be worried about something. Perhaps you were not sufficiently interested in him and his business. Should you look him up again, ask some friendly questions. You meet other friends, and they are all alike, lacking in warmth and friendliness. None of them have done as well as you, doubtless due to the stiff competition in that country. But they should not resent your success. No, jealousy was not the answer. But what?

Disappointed in your vacation, you return to Texas, and feel a glow at the prospect of getting back into the old harness. Your Texas friends and acquaintances welcome you back, give you the glad hand; they say they missed you, ask interested questions, hope you had a nice trip. You are grateful for their interest, flattered by their warm welcome.

Alone you ponder. What was the matter with the old friends back home? Don't you know? They are the way you used to be. You are a Texan now!

The Leader is indebted to Mrs. Cecil B. McCoy of Spade for sending in the above item "So You Don't Like Texas."

Your careful driving may save a child's life.

ANNOUNCING— That GEORGE LIGON of Enochs, Texas has purchased the GENE WILLIAMS PHILLIPS 66 SERVICE STATION including lease and equipment and has taken possession. LEE TIRES — BATTERIES — PHILLIPS 66 PRODUCTS The new Phillips 66 Gasoline is here—A GREAT NEW GASOLINE— Try it today— It gives more power—more mileage—more anti-knock and more instant starts. We are adding new lines, including fan belts, battery cables, etc. GEORGE LIGON operating under the name of LIGON'S PHILLIPS 66 SERVICE STATION (Formerly Gene Williams Phillips 66 Service Station) LITTLEFIELD



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Area Gets Good General Rains And Some Hail

From .75 to Four Inches Fall Over Entire Littlefield District

During the past week end Littlefield and the South Plains experienced the lowest temperatures for the season and, according to pioneers here, the lowest for September in 31 years.

Rain, accompanied by marrow-chilling winds, pattered down over the area Thursday, Thursday night, Friday, Friday night and Saturday night, bringing the precipitation for this area from three-quarters of an inch to as much as four inches. This moisture broke a drouth of several months duration.

According to the gauge at the West Texas Cottonoil mill, Littlefield received .72 of an inch Thursday, Friday .79 of an inch, and Saturday and Sunday .38 of an inch, making the total rainfall for the week end 1.89 inches.

Some rain fell again Tuesday night and, starting in early Wednesday morning, continued all day, adding an additional half inch of moisture for the Littlefield area, or a total of 2.39 inches for the past week.

The rain was declared to be general over the area, with hail in some sections. In Lum's Chapel community five inches of rain was reported to have fallen in two hours Thursday. A strip of two miles wide from Oklahoma Avenue extending to Hart Camp, received considerable hail, which is said to have damaged the crop 30 per cent. Including the moisture from the hail this community received about four inches of moisture. Among the farmers whose crops were damaged were: Less and H. J. Barker, Buck Ross, Pate Harlan and Alvin Bagwell. Hail also fell south of town spotted all the way from here to Levelland, it is reported.

Good general rains are said to have fallen over the entire South Plains area.

The lowest temperature was recorded at 9 p. m. Friday when it registered 36 degrees and continued that low temperature until Saturday noon.

The readings for the week were:

	Low	High
Thursday	64	84
Friday	36	42
Saturday	36	40
Sunday	40	64
Monday	46	70
Tuesday	52	64
Wednesday	52	55

Pat Boone Attends Five State Meeting

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be shirked and in facing this task every American's help is needed. It is estimated that government expenses in connection with our army, navy and air corps will be reduced very little this year, perhaps only 10 or 15 per cent, due to the expense of transporting men home from overseas and to providing of mustering out benefits. Many millions of dollars will be required for the care of the wounded that they may be prepared to live a normal life as soon as possible. War contract termination costs will involve several billion dollars. This must be met before orderly reconversion can take place. Reconversion means jobs.

The eleven billion dollar Victory loan quota includes a four billion dollar goal for individual Americans.

Lamb County's quota, according to Mr. Boone, will be assigned within the next 10 days.

Commenting on this Mr. Boone said: "Our quota will be a just quota."

"This county has done a magnificent job through the preceding seven war loan drives. Again, the call comes to all of us as true red blooded Americans to put our shoulders to the wheel and help finish the task which has been given us here at home to do.

"The Victory loan drive will be the last and we will not be called upon any more to put on a loan drive for our government. We have also been assured that the war bonds will not be frozen; that is to say, that any time that you want to cash them, after you have held them the proper length of time, they are as liquid as currency.

"We must not fall our boys who have made so many sacrifices for us in this war. Many have suffered, fought, bled and died on foreign fields that the ideals of our American democracy might live. Let us too contribute our part that life in America may not be changed."

In 1830 all elections in Texas were held on Sunday.

German U-boats sunk 33 ships in the Gulf of Mexico in 1942 and 1943.

At the peak of the tropical hurricane Port Lavaca, Texas, reported wind velocity at 155 miles per



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Patterson, who has been in government defense work at Long Beach, Cal., for the past three years, returned to Littlefield Sunday on a visit to his relatives. He will leave for Long Beach. He is now employed by the Richfield Refining Co. Mrs. Patterson is working for Douglas Aircraft.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Houk, Mrs. E. D. Houk and Mrs. Kenneth Houk spent Sunday in Clovis visiting Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Houk.

F-O Joe Walters arrived home Thursday night from Dallas enroute to El Paso for further instructions. He left here Monday.

Sgt. Cephas Glover Arrives Home

Sgt. Cephas Glover returned home Friday from Oakland, Calif., where he received a discharge after 3 1/2 years in the service.

Sgt. Glover came from Oakland, Calif., but had previously been stationed at Medford, Ore., where Mrs. Glover also made her home for the past several weeks.

Sgt. Glover was overseas 31 months in Burma with the engineers and has been in the states since April 29. He received his discharge Wednesday of last week. During the time he was in the service he also spent four months at Churchill, Manitoba, Canada, on the Hudson Bay, where an airport was constructed.

Mr and Mrs. Replin Talk to Son Henry By Phone in England

Mr. and Mrs. S. Replin, who make their home at Denver, Colo., had the profound pleasure of talking over the phone to their son, Henry Replin, in England recently. He is with the 101st Airborne Division, quartermaster corps, and has been in combat service in Luxembourg, France, Germany and Belgium. They were much thrilled to talk to him at such long distance. He stated he expected to be home in 60 days.

First Sergeant Joe Replin is in Cherbourg, France, and expects to be home this month. He is with a labor service group and hopes to receive a discharge.

Henry is reported to have met his brother Joe in Paris about a month ago and to have spent three days with him, which was the first time they had seen each other since they left the states.

LAMB COUNTY LEADER

The South Plains Greatest Weekly Newspaper

Littlefield, Texas, Thursday, October 4, 1945

C. W. Grant Sells Sinclair Service Station on Highway

A deal was completed last week whereby C. W. Grant sold to W. B. Oldham, formerly of Paducah, Texas, the lease, equipment and supplies of the Sinclair Service Station, on highway east of town. Mr. Oldham took possession Monday.

Mr. Oldham was formerly in the service station business at Paducah, but for the past three years has been in government defense.

"China Friendship Day" to Be Observed By Church Women

Plans for the celebration of China Friendship Day Oct. 10 are moving swiftly on the national level, with virtually all the governors of the 48 states and the United States territories having accepted designation to the national committee headed by Charles Edison, national United China Relief chairman. The governors will act as honorary chairmen in their respective states and many of them have already indicated that they will issue proclamations on China Friendship Day, which will be the 34th anniversary of the founding of the Republic of China under the leadership of the immortal Dr. Sun-Yat-Sen.

In addition, mayors of all the principal communities of the United States are being asked to take part in local celebrations. Among the activities being projected are meetings and dinners at which China programs will be held; special radio broadcasts; exhibits at libraries, museums and schools; special programs at school assemblies and by Boy and Girl Scouts.

In our own city of Littlefield the Council of Church Women are joining other like bodies over the nation in this celebration by having a Chinese tea at the home of Mrs. Frank Rogers. A Chinese program is being arranged by the local committee. The offering received at this tea will all be sent to the United China Relief work. Those wishing to share in this project are cordially invited to attend this tea at 3:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Alexander and young son were business visitors in Littlefield Tuesday. Mr. Alexander formerly owned Alexander's Grocery here and has recently owned and operated a grocery at Muleshoe, which he recently disposed of.

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Geo. Mahon Reports On Overseas Trip

Congressman George Mahon makes the following report on his trip overseas:

"I recently went on an overseas mission in company with members of the House Military Appropriations sub-committee and a group of officers representing the army. There was no opportunity to talk personally with large numbers of Texans overseas, but I thought a brief report to the people might be of interest.

"On the evening of August 16th we left Hamilton Field, California, and flew overnight to Hickam Field, Hawaii. While in the Pacific ocean area, we visited army installations at Tarawa, Kwajalein, Canton, Samoa, Fiji, New Caledonia, Guadalcanal, Manus, Saipan, Guam, Okinawa and the Philippines. Our mission also took us to many of our

supply bases and army camps in Australia, China, India, North Africa and Europe. We had conferences in all the major headquarters of our armed forces, collecting at first hand a tremendous amount of information which will be of great value in shaping future plans and in reducing war spending. In many of the areas, meetings with the enlisted men were arranged, and they always welcomed the opportunity to give us the lowdown on the situation. Many of them were resentful of War Department policies, and they were anxious for Congress to know the truth as they saw it.

"Our people at home cannot realize just how anxious the men of our armed forces are to get home. They could face the bullets of the enemy, but they are in no mood to spend one unnecessary hour overseas. They do not think the army is getting them home as fast as possible. In our conferences with General Eisenhower and numerous other overseas commanders, we pulled no punches in urging speedier demobilization. We knew the attitude of the soldiers and the sentiments of their families at home.

"Shipping is one of the limiting factors, but the shipping situation is rapidly improving. Staff officers complained that they could not walk off and leave the vast quantities of government property and supplies which they have on hand. Undoubtedly, the speed of disposition of surplus supplies abroad has a very direct bearing on when the men will come home.

"Even in far away Australia, I found that we had 400,000 tons of supplies and 4,000 troops. In the Philippines, we have nearly a million troops and two and one-half

million tons of supplies. We have one million tons of supplies in India and 172,000 troops. In China we have 60,000 men and large quantities of supplies. Of course, our greatest concentration of men and supplies is in Europe where we have an estimated seven billion dollars worth of supplies and nearly two million men.

"We are losing property in certain quarters of the world by reason of theft by the native population. A lot of the property is in open storage and is rapidly deteriorating.

"Our committee is making a report to the president and to General Marshall of our findings, along with certain recommendations which we hope may prove helpful in disposing of our supplies and getting our men home faster.

"On a large map of the world in one of the headquarters overseas, we observed that the United States had been labelled as "Uncle Sugar." America must realize that her resources are not inexhaustible. We have a difficult road ahead if we are to conserve our resources and reap the full benefits of our victory in the war.

"One of the repeated complaints which we heard was from the officers and men of the Air Transport Command. They complain that many of them are being kept overseas in order that America may keep possession of certain airports pending the time when our commercial airlines may take over. It is thought that if the ATC moves out, our commercial airlines may have a hard time getting in. The big race for post-war commercial aviation is on. We want to see America supreme, but I agree with the men that they should not be kept overseas indefinitely on this basis. Even in Athens, Greece, I found 300 men of our air forces running an airport. The sun never sets on the U. S. armed forces.

"One of the great factors in the unhappiness of our men abroad is the fact that in many areas there is little to do. The men are very busy in the ports and loading zones, but many thousands of our men have practically nothing to do but wait.

"I do not discount the remarkably good job which our military leadership did in winning the war. Moreover, a good job is not being done in some areas in getting the men enroute home. The program will move faster in the coming weeks. In certain areas, especially in Europe, the men who are awaiting passage home are given opportunities for recreation, schooling and sightseeing. But it is home and nothing else that is uppermost in the minds of our men overseas. Fortunately, they

Is Recovering From Wounds

DE WITT GENERAL HOSPITAL —Pfc. James R. Workman, whose wife, Florence Workman, lives in Apherst, Texas, is recovering from wounds received in Germany at De Witt General Hospital, Auburn, Cal. Shrapnel from a mortar shell struck him in both legs during fighting in Luxembourg Jan. 20.

Overseas for 18 months, he served with the 37th Engineer Amphibious Battalion and the Second Infantry regiment of the Fifth Infantry Division. He holds the European Theater of Operations ribbon with one star for the Rhineland campaign, the Purple Heart, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Good Conduct Medal and the Distinguished Unit Citation. The 37th Engineers were cited for distinguished service during the landing on Normandy.

Before entering the army in October, 1942, he was an independent trucker, operating out of Amherst.

Cpl. Billy Zachary, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Zachary, wrote his parents from Hawaii that he was on his way home.

In Dallas, La Reunion Homes, Mustang Village and Texas Courts house 2,681 families.

have many spokesmen here, and there will be a much more rapid demobilization than originally announced by the war and navy departments.

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Bartee Haile Is Enroute Home

Star Haile received a cablegram Friday from his son, Bartee Haile, Y1c, of the USS Ammen, a destroyer, stating he was in Manila and on his way home.

Haile has been in the service three years part of which was spent overseas. He has 47½ points and expects to receive a discharge.

He had written his father a couple of letters from Nagasaki, Kyushu. Haile is the father of a son born Friday, Sept. 14, at a Dallas hospital, and named Bartee, Jr.

He plans on taking advantage of the G. I. program and go to college.

Sudan Wins Over Seminole Friday

Sudan chalked up a minor upset Friday afternoon at Sudan by taking an 8 to 6 grid tussle over Seminole's highly rated squad in a game played in intermittent rain and sleet.

Seminole found itself in a hole early in the first quarter and was forced to give up a safety to the charging Sudan forwards.

Then both clubs see-sawed back and forth over the wet grid until the third period when Sudan's offense suddenly exploded. Fullback Jim Eddins passed to Joe Price, right end, who lateralled to Wayman Bellar, quarterback, who scampered the remaining few yards to tally, the play netting 40 yards in all.

In the final period Seminole finally managed to chalk up six points when the wet ball slipped from the hands of a Sudan back on a punt and rolled behind the Sudan goal where it was smothered by several Seminole men.

ENROLLS IN COLLEGE

ABILENE, Texas—Chattie Mae Savage, graduate of Spade High School, has enrolled as a sophomore student in Abilene Christian College, Abilene, Texas.

Chattie Mae is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Savage, Littlefield, Texas, and plans to major in the field of business.

Built in 1682, Yaleta near El Paso, is the oldest city in Texas.

Anton Defeats Amherst, 13 to 0

Two long runs spotlighted play Friday afternoon as Anton defeated Amherst, 13 to 0, in a steady rain which fell throughout the tussle.

Fullback Bill Wood for the Anton Bulldogs, set off the scoring with a 65-yard gallop early in the first quarter, then plunged for the extra point. Quarterback Eddie Hart intercepted an Amherst pass late in the game and dashed 55 yards for the second Anton tally. Amherst drove to the one in the third. Vernon Reed, Corky Spradley and Alton Lee Stone were line standouts for the winners, Buddy King starring at fullback for the losers.

Lieut. J. E. White Arrives Home

Lieut. J. E. White Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. White of Earth, arrived home Monday of last week for about two weeks' furlough prior to reporting to Camp Crowder, Mo.

He has been in the National Guard since he reached 18, joining when a student at Canyon. About six months later war was declared and he entered the signal corps; served overseas one year and was in Germany V-E Day and was on the way to the Philippines on V-J day.

Both White and Lieut. Robert Hite were students at Spring Lake high and Canyon and renewed old friendships until Hite left to report to San Antonio recently.

ELZIE FEAGLEY ARRIVES IN STATES

Elzie O. Feagley, MoM3c, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Feagley of 11 miles northeast of Amherst, landed Saturday in San Francisco, Cal., from Pearl Harbor, where he has been stationed in the postal department. He has been overseas 19 months and in the service 21 months. He is now on a 30-day leave and expected home soon.

Anton Man Is Liberated

Claude Thomas, Sr., of Anton, received a cablegram from his son recently, dated Sept. 24, from Manila, stating he was in good health and would be home in ten days.

Thomas was one of the famous Lost Battalion and was taken at Java. He has just been liberated.

EXPECTED HOME

Sgt. Marshall Allred, serving with the 10th Air Corps, stationed in Calcutta, India, is expected home soon. Sgt. Allred has served almost 17 months overseas and has three battle stars to his credit. He has seen action in China, Burma and India.

While in Burma he did photographic work on both the Burma Road and Lido Road. He is with the 10th Combat Camera Unit and has had much reconnaissance flying. He was attached to a fighter plane unit for some time. Recently he sent several rolls of film to his wife which he had taken in India and China.

He has been in service almost three years and is eligible for discharge under the point system. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Allred of San Pablo, Calif., formerly of Littlefield. His wife and twin daughters, Gaye and Faye, are making their home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fowler of Gardena, Calif., formerly of Spader. Mrs. Allred is employed at naval drydocks, Terminal Island, Calif., doing clerical work. Mr. Fowler is operator of a service station in Gardena.

The Alamo was so named because of the cottonwood trees which grew around it in the early days.

Two Additional Locations Made In Anton Field

In the Southeast Lamb County Anton area Humble Oil & Refining Company has reported locations for two more outposts to production.

Humble No. 2, J. R. Leftwich, will be 660 feet from west and 1,980 feet from north lines of section 32, block 1, R. M. Thompson Survey.

Humble No. 1, J. R. Weise, is to be 660 feet from the south and west lines of the southeast quarter of section 33, block 1, Thompson Survey.

Both are to be drilled to the lower Permian pay around 6,000 feet.

Humble No. 1 Arnold, in northwest quarter of section 120, block A, Thompson survey, was rigging up cable tools to drill out cement on casing, and then drill ahead from the current total depth of 5,637 feet, in dolomite.

Humble No. 1 Bagwell, in labor 25, league 673, State Capital Lands survey, three and one-half miles southwest of Littlefield, plugged back from total depth reached of 9,162 feet, in hard lime.

A cable tool unit was rigged and the hole bailed dry. Top of the cement was found at 4,141 feet, on casing which had been set at 4,185 feet.

This section at 4,089-4,119 feet, was perforated with a total of 88 shots, and it swabbed dry. Operator then treated the perforated section with 3,000 gallons of acid and was swabbing to test. A small amount of oil and considerable salt water had been recovered at last report.

Humble No. 1 Campbell, in extreme northeast Hockley county, and in northwest quarter of section 116, block A, R. M. Thompson survey, and one mile south of closest production in the Anton pool, had drilled to 5,595 feet and was fishing.

RECEIVES DISCHARGE

Grover O. Howell, CSK, of Littlefield, received an honorable discharge from the United States Navy at the navy separation center at Sampson, New York, under the navy point system.

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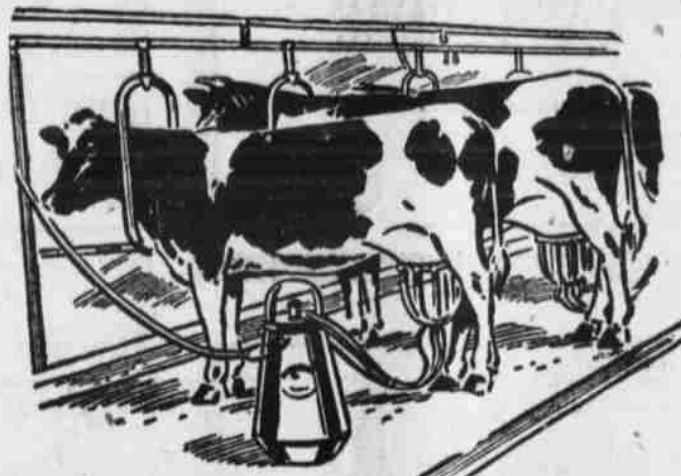
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"Get Rid of Surplus Cotton," Says Mahon

The United States should take advantage of its world position right now, Rep. Mahon, Democrat, Texas, suggested to President Truman Monday, to get rid of some 6,000,000 bales of surplus cotton.

One of the group of congressmen who went to the White House to report on their recent tour of American bases around the globe, the Texan also submitted his proposal for disposing of the surplus fiber now held in American warehouses.

"We have the ships to carry the cotton," he said later in an interview. "We have control of the ports and warehouses in many parts of the world and there is an urgent need in those countries for cotton, so why shouldn't we do something about it. Six months from now might be too late."

The president expressed interest in the proposal, Mahon said, adding that upon Secretary James Byrnes' return from London he would take it up in greater detail with the state department chief.

Meanwhile, the Texan made public a copy of a letter he addressed to Foreign Economics Administrator Leo T. Crowley on the subject.

"The free countries of the world should be encouraged to buy or bargain for this cotton, and in areas where we are extending direct aid, the use of this surplus cotton should be fully explored," he wrote Crowley.

"Defeated Germany and Japan must not be permitted to revive war industries, but they undoubtedly will be encouraged to produce their own food and provide their own clothing. It would be a great shame if we should fail to take advantage of the opportunity which we now have for the disposition of our large stocks of surplus cotton."

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S/Sgt. M. B. Edwards Leaves October 14 For Fort Bliss, Tex.

S-Sgt. M. B. Edwards, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Edwards, of 1 1/2 miles southeast of town, who arrived home Aug. 28 on a 30-day furlough, will leave Oct. 14 for Fort Bliss and expects to get a discharge.

Sgt. Edwards is wearing the Purple Heart with oak leaf cluster, spearhead for making invasion, five battle stars and Combat Infantry badge. He was a paratrooper and was wounded twice.

Sgt. Edwards served with five armies, the Fifth Army in Italy, the Seventh in southern France, the Ninth in Belgium, the First in Germany and with the First Allied Airborne army.

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