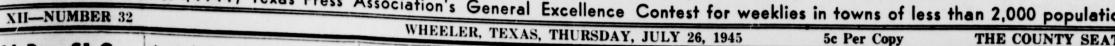
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Josiah Smith Honored On Seventy-ninth Birthday Mr. Josiah Smith was honored on

Of Ship Being Sunk Marion Verl McRae, S1|C, grandson of O. D. Richardson of the Locust July 22, by a family reunion and dinson of O. D. Alchards lost his life as a ner at his home on Sweetwater Creek result of enemy action on May 4, while in the service of his country. McRae, 20 years old, was on the to the following: Mr. Smith, Mrs. McRae, 20 years out, was on the Abba Buttoroff Smith, Wirs. USS Luce, which was sunk off the hores of Okinawa during the heat honoree, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Smith, the battle to take that island from the Japanese.

Soon after the sinking of the ship, Mr. Richardson was notified that his andson was missing in action. A onth later, notice came that he was still missing. July 15, a telegram from Vice Admiral Randall Jacobs, Chief of Naval Personnel, advised facts available lead to the conclu- son Smith and son, David Wayne, of ion there is no hope for his survi-

Seaman First Class McRae was born December 24, 1925, at the Rich- ren. ardson home in the Locust Grove Miss Mary Richardson, passed away singing and in enjoying music played allowing the birth of the child, and by Mrs. Rex McKay and Miss Mabel he was reared by his grandfather. Volunteering for service in November, 1943, he took his Naval training at San Francisco and Seattle Washington. After being home on leave in March, 1944, he left for overseas

service Verl was a nephew of Albert and Everett Richardson, also of the Lojust Grove community.

Drilling Started At New Deep Oil Test

son wildcat, scheduled for a deep ities, it was announced today by Col. oil test 7 miles south and 1 mile east James A. De Marco, commanding of Wheeler, has started drilling after officer, who extended the "open the completion of the 129 foot der- house" invitation. rick and setting of power equipment. The program of events has been Yesterday the service pipe had been arranged to mark the 38th anniverconcreted in at a depth of 500 feet sary of the establishment in 1907 of and the crew was waiting for a 72 the aeronautical division of the office hour period for the concrete to set of the chief signal officer. before resuming operations.

last week is the Pendleton and visitors will be sure to find of inter-Vaughn No. 4 McDowell, 1320 feet est. A B-25 Mitchell bomber will be from north and east lines of section on display and sightseers may in-29. block 23, HQGN survey.

Completed last week was the Pen- structed ramp. dleton & Vaughn No. 2 McDowell, 1500 gallons of acid.

Mrs. Bertha Lewis

his seventy-ninth birthday Sunday, north of Wheeler. An excellent dinner was served in the early afternoon Mabel Alice, and R. J. of Mobeetie; Mr. and Mrs. Rex McKay and son, Billy, of Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. Allen Smith, Peggy Marie, and Albert Aldous of Shamrock; Mr. and Mrs. Evert Smith and son, Ronnie, of Shamrock; Mr. and Mrs. Sherman

Smith, Richard Lee, Jerry, and Sharon Beth, of Wheeler; and Mrs. Vin Mobeetie. Those present included four of Mr. Smith's children, six grandchildren, and four great grandchild-

Before the gathering broke up ommunity. His mother, the former those who wished spent some time in Alice Smith.

Pampa Army Air Field To Hold "Open House" Next Wednesday P. M.

Pampa Army Air Field, Pampa, Texas, (Special) - Elaborate celebrations of Army Air Force Day will be held at Pampa Army Air Field Wednesday afternoon, August 1, when residents of the Panhandle will have the opportunity to inspect the air The Sinclair-Prairie No. 1 Hender- base and see a myriad of AAF activ-

Tentative plans indicate that the spect the plane from a specially con-

All parts of the installation, includsection 50, block 23, HQGN survey, ing the link trainer department, the resignation, C. M. Puckett of Odell ed to have brought very good prices. has been in the army three and one one month. He entered service in drilled to 1827 feet. Pay of 4.6 mil- cadet detachment and production was employed but died a few days lion cubic feet of gas was from 1668 line maintenance, will be open for later following an operation. Last to 1742 feet after treatment with inspection and experienced guides will week H. H. Risinger of Dodson acbe on hand to point out items of in- cepted the superintendency of the terest and to answer questions.

Formation flying with 48 planes, nade up of eight elements with six scarce and the Dodson board prompt-bas been listed by the War Depart-has been listed by the War Depart-has been listed by the War Departmade up of eight elements with six

Chinese Combat Command, U. S. Army-Technician Fourth Grade John B. Cook of Wheeler, serving with a veterinary detachment of the Chinese Combat Command, is shown loading a pack animal assisted by two Chinese soldiers.

Americans of the CCC, under Maj. Gen. R. B. McClure, Palo Alto, Calif.; work very closely with the Chinese armies, divisions and smaller units under Gen. Ho Ying-Chin, supreme commander of the Chinese Army, in the war against Japan's great continental military power in China.

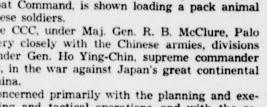
This liaison is concerned primarily with the planning and execution of field training and tactical operations, and with the receipt, distribution and assignment of American equipment and supplies for Chinese military units.

Believe It Or Not! Wheeler Is Without A School Superintendent

Do you have a friend who has a brother-in-law whose cousin's wife knows of a good school superinten-

three since Superintendent Jesse Dver tendered his resignation a few the Kellerville school system for the irons, wool rugs, linoleum rugs, artipast few years, was first employed, cles of clothing and some furniture. but after being ill for several months

in the spring his doctors advised him school and his wife was to teach in



dent looking for a good job. If you community auction sale to be held do, contact a member of the local at the local gin yard Saturday, Aug.

school board for Wheeler needs to 4. He asks that anyone having items employ a superintendent as quickly they would like to add to this list friends here this week. as possible. The board has employed to be advertised in The Times next week to see either him or list the items at The Times office. Merchan-

F. M. Shawver, who has been head of as cooking utensils, dishes, electric this week.

The sale last Saturday afternoon

Pfc. Clint Westmoreland is Reported Wounded



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Sgt. Harry Garrison, son of Mrs. Inez Kennedy, arrived Friday for a two weeks visit. Sgt. Garrison, who has been with the Marines since May 1942, serving overseas the past twenty-two months, received a leg wound while fighting on Okinawa. He will leave here August 8 to report back to Mare Island Hospital in California.

Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Charles L Wimberly and baby came Sunday night from Harvard, Nebraska, to visit his sister, Mrs. Lee Guthrie. Col. Wimberly left Tuesday for Pyote, Texas where he will be stationed at a B-29 air base. Mrs. Wimberly and baby remained in Wheeler.

Pearl Harbor, T. H. - Nerve center of the far flung aviation supply system in the Pacific area is the Naval Aviation Supply Depot here. This important activity, like a super mail order establishment, serves the wide-spread island bases, aviation supply ships, and mighty carriers.

Engaged in vital task of supplying aviation forces now striking at Japan is Murle Scales, Storekeeper second class, USNR, of Wheeler, who has been attached to this activity for two months. Her duties here involve management of a cafeteria.

Before entering the naval service in December 1943, Scales was a county home demonstration agent of Wheeler County.

Scales has been overseas for two Auctioneer Shelby Pettit states months, and prior to her transfer that several items have already been here she was stationed at Naval Air listed with him for the next regular Technical Training Center, Gainesville, Georgia.

Sgt. Nick Stedman is visiting

Cpl. Glen Render, who has just returned to the States after two and months ago but most everything in dise already listed to be sold includes one-half years in the southwest Paci-Another new location announced day will be packed with events which the book has happened since then. a considerable amount of items such fic war zone, is visiting friends here

Griffin, came home Monday after

points. He wears four battle stars and two arrows on his campaign ribbons. His wife and baby, who have been Alanreed. Marine Private First Class Clint R. residing in Amarillo, are here with

August 15 Deadline For **Reporting Soil Building Practices Under AAA**

THE COUNTY SEAT NEWSPAPER

All soil building practices carried out up to August 1, 1945 must be reported before August 15 if payment is desired, according to V. B. Hardcastle, administrative officer, Wheeler County ACA.

These reports will be taken by community committeemen in their respective communities on dates as shown below. Each community committeeman is a certifying officer for his community and must approve the report of each producer in his local-

Only soil building practices completed by August 1 need be reported on the set dates. These practices are terracing, construction of earthen dams digging wells, contour farming and listing, seeding small grains on the contour, green manure cover

crop, strip cropping not on contour, deep furrow plowing, sodding bermuda grass and summer fallow.

It is essential that farmers make their report on the set dates to their representative as he is more familiar with their farm and ranch and in better position to assist in reporting practices and earning maximum payment.

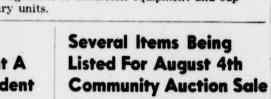
Schedule of community meetings, time 9:00 a. m.:

Bethel school house, Monday, July 30; Lela school house, Thursday, Friday, August 2, 3; Kelton school house, Tuesday, August 7; Briscoe school house, Friday, August 10; Shamrock Chamber of Commerce, Wednesday, August 1; Twitty school house, Monday, August 6; Mobeetie school house, Wednesday, Thursday, August 8, 9; Allison school house, Monday, August 13; Wheeler at county AAA office, Tuesday and Wednesday, August 14, and 15.

Pvt. Carrol E. Holmes Killed In Luzon Action

Pvt. Carrol Eugene Holmes, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Holmes of southwest Wheeler county, was killed in action on Luzon May 25, the War Cpl. Jeff Griffin, son of Mrs. A. B. Department has notified his family. Serving with a communications was well attended and the several serving the past two years in the unit of the 43rd Infantry Division, to try a different altitude. Upon his items of merchandise sold are report- Pacific war zone. Cpl. Griffin, who Pvt. Holmes had been overseas only half years, has received a discharge July, 1944, and trained at Camp under the point system with 117 Robinson, Ark., and Fort Ord. Calif. Pvt. Holmes was married to the former Miss Edith Earthman of

Besides the widow and the parents the western part of Wheeler County, MSgt. Gene Tucker, son-in-law of survivors include two brothers, Bill Mrs. Griffin, who has been with the Holmes, veteran of World War I, Clint is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Marines on the Pacific islands the and SSgt. Duane Holmes, who is Clarence Westmoreland of Twitty. past 18 months, has also been given somewhere in the Pacific; and two a discharge under the point system sisters. Mrs. A. L. Farren of near that he received a shoulder wound and arrived here Monday with his McLean and Wilma Holmes of Ama-Pvt. Holmes was a 1941 graduate of McLean High School and was em-Pfc. and Mrs. Ted Clay are visitployed at the Consolidated Gas Coming in the John Conner home this pany compressor station west of Shamrock before entering service.



Passes Away Friday

Funeral services were held Sunday evening from the Methodist church for Mrs. Bertha Johnson Lewis, 53, who passed away here Friday morning. Although in ill health for several years she was thought to be improving and her sudden death came as a shock to friends and relatives. Mrs. Lewis, born in Iowa Park, Texas, came to Wheeler county in 1921. She same building houses the Pampa was married to John Lewis in the Army Air Field's Hall of Fame. summer of 1925. She taught in the Shamrock, Kelton, Wheeler, Silver- day will be a demonstration of ton, Texas and Eloy, Arizona schools. ground - to - plane communication Rev. H. H. Hunt, assisted by Rev. which visitors will hear through a on a 44 hour work week. P. D. Fullingim, officiated. Pall bear- public address system tied in with ers were Lonnie Lee, Harold Nash, the control tower. Ira Passons, D. O. Beene, Geo. Porter and Harry Wofford. Mesdames A. B. Crump, Bill Ford, J. I. Malloy, D. with all military personnel partici-0. Beene, Floyd Pennington, Bill pating, Col. DeMarco said. Black, Geo. Porter and Alfred Bryant were flower bearers. Interment was ed with the Liberty Bus Co., Pampa, in the Wheeler cemetery with Hunt so that half-hour service will be given Funeral Home in charge.

John Lewis, three brothers, Earl Johnson of Groom, Texas, Frank made, but it was indicated that a Johnson of California, Austin John- typical education and information son of Iowa Park, two sisters, Mrs. E. F. Gantt of Hooker, Okla., Mrs. W. A. Mathis of Overton, Texas and many other items of interest will be several nephews and nieces.

Negro Admits Recent Shamrock Burglary

Ed Williams of Quanah, ex-convict who served a pen sentence after being convicted for burglary in Wheeler County in 1933, was recently appre- Council will meet next Saturday, hended at Quanah and July 18th ad- July 28, in the District Court Room mitted the recent burglary of the at 2:30 p.m. trial after which he is to be returned tion Agent. to Wheeler to answer charges.

Legion Plans To Elect Officers August 2nd

night, next Thursday at 9 o'clock at Mr. Wood pointed out that those wholesome potentialities, there exists that adequate money would be conthe Legion Hut.

all ex-service men. Refreshments will be served follow-

ing the business session.

feature of the day.

meet has also been planned and a Wheeler needs a superintendent. baseball game will be a feature of the afternoon's activities.

Of interest to many of the visitors will be the new War Information Room, which will be formally opened, following recent renovations. The One of the biggest features of the

Visitors also will have an oppor- day afternoon in order that produc- Marine Lieutenant, and the caption tunity to see a formal military review

Arrangements have been completto and from the air base at a special

She is survived by her husband, rate of 25 cents per round trip. night. Complete plans have not been program will go on in the post theatre during the afternoon and that on the program, copies of which will be printed and distributed to all visi-

Home Demonstration Council To Meet July 28

tors

The Home Demonstration Club

Jack Kersh home in Shamrock and "This council meeting will be used to Hardeman County offenses of simi- primarily as a 'check-up' to see how lar nature. The admission of the many projects and goals already have thefts was before Hardeman County been met and how many remain to officials and local sheriff Jess Swink. be worked on in 1945," states Mrs. Williams is being held at Quanah for Zeman, County Home Demonstrabe removed from the alleys, much has of cure? been done in clearing objectional

August 1st Is Final Transfer Date

August 1 is the deadline for school conditions such as limitations in re- ness man and every other citizen in-The annual election of officers for transfers, A. C. Wood, acting county of none sapitary nit toilets, if locatthe local post of the American Legion superintendent, reminded parents of pens, sanitary pit toilets, if locat-will be held. ed in the city limits, etc.

the Legion Hut. All soldiers home on furlough are specially invited to attend the wholesome potentialities, there exists specially invited to attend thousand souls, conditions that are and residence owners who do not for certain painting to be done in the especially invited to attend the meet-ing as are all will go elsewhere to attend and will go elsewhere to attend and and residence owners who do not interior of the court become in the July 24. ing as are all Legion members and school must be transferred as well deplorable. Citizens have become have more money at present than all ex-service are less regarding the keeping of they have had in years. as all others who plan to enroll in careless regarding the keeping of they have had in years. some school outside their own dis- live stock in town, certain alleys are Why wait? -Let's do somethingtrict.

planes in each element, will be a ly decided to raise their school head's ment as wounded in action in the salary six hundred bucks per year Southwest Pacific area. An enlisted men's track and field if he would stay with them. Result-

AAA Office To Close

At Noon On Saturdays The Wheeler County AAA office

will be closed Saturday afternoon of each week, effective July 28. In at San Diego, California. keeping with federal regulations affecting all other government agen-Dairy production drafts issued each

week will be placed in the mail Friers will receive draft without delay.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Puckett and children went to Sayre, Oklahoma Salina, California, who had been a sister. visiting in their home since Friday

The Marine has notified his parents

but that it was slight and that he his wife who has been living in rillo. expected to be out of the hospital Pampa. and back in service soon.

The Twitty youth has been in service about one year and trained

He fought the Japs at Okinawa and while there received publicity cies, the AAA offices have been put through a picture released in newspapers throughout the United States. The picture showed Clint, who is small in stature, along with a big for them."

Mrs. Alla Mae McCrohan left Tues-Sunday to take Sgt. Carl Puckett of day for Amarillo where she will visit

Times Want-Ads Get Results!

CITY OF WHEELER NEEDS TO CONDUCT GENERAL CLEAN-UP CAMPAIGN - An Editorial for last year were 35 cents, 18 cents Mrs. Murl McMurty and sons, Bill

Wheeler has one of the most mod-

ern and adequate water systems for many cases filth of fly-breeding na- which the 1945 rate will be levied is Mrs. Sam McMurty of Shamrock; a town its size in the state. It has ture, in some cases out-door toilets \$4,084,993,824, an increase of \$52,- Mrs. Frank Wofford of Shamrock just as modern sewage disposal sys- are no more fly-proof than if their 000,000.

tem. Its natural setting, with a large four walls did not exist. Even we Each division of the new rate is number of trees and shrubbery, is of the business section have allowed the maximum permitted by law and Ruth Vaughn of Shamrock; Harry not favored by many towns of the paper and trash to collect in front the constitution. The general fund Wofford, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Ken-Panhandle area. During the past few of our buildings and are failing to rate of 35 cents is necessary to meet

in the down town area is a project away from our doors. of which any town could justly be Will we wait until a polio or ty- necessary to meet the \$30 per capiproud. Plans are under way now for phoid scare invades the town? Are ta scholastic apportionment set by

the construction of several feet of we all working so many hours that the state board of education for next sidewalk. Recently, new residences we cannot take a little time off to year. The per capita is an increase of July 21. have been erected, many others re- correct certain conditions that every- \$5 over this years. The confederate Mr. and Mrs. Narville Arganbright modeled and re-decorated as have one knows should be corrected? Are veterans' pension fund tax rate is are the parents of a daughter born several of the business houses. With we so dumb as to not realize that an set by statute which leaves the board July 22.

about a \$3,000,000 balance. The local Chamber of Commerce

ly piled for pick-up. City ordinances ing a city-wide clean-up campaign, and the school rate is estimated to of a son born July 23.

PAINTERS INTERESTED IN COURT HOUSE PROJECT MAY

Geo. Hefley states that all those in-terested may obtain specifications at Gloria Henderson

his office.

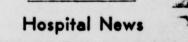
Ben Wofford Family Enjoys Reunion Here

The automatic tax board has set The Ben Wofford children enjoyed the state property tax rate for 1945 a family reunion held at the beautiread: "No Jap too big or too little at 72 cents per \$100 valuation, an ful new Wofford home here last week increase of 15 cents over last year's end. Members of the family and guests present included: Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wofford, Jr., and son, Bill Ben,

Taxes under the new rate are payof Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Peyton The new rate breaks down on the Wofford of San Diego; W. O. Frank basis of 35 cents per \$100 valuation O. Wofford and Mrs. Frank O. Woffor general fund support, 35 cents ford of Drumright, Okla., Sgt. Harry for the available school fund and L. Garrison, USMC., Mare Island two cents for the confederate veter- Hospital, Mare Island, Calif., Misses Alleyne Pittman and Minnie Cather-Rates in the respective categories ine Morse of Shamrock; Mr. and and Bob, of Stillwater, Okla.; Mr.

> and daughter, Miss Guyenne Wofford of Washington, D. C.; Miss Margaret

endy and Ben Wofford, Sr.



Bonnie Rae Tilley, appendectomy,

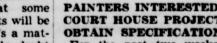
parents of a son born July 22.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Callan of trash and junk where it was proper- has discussed the possibilities of stag- ated to produce \$12,875,964 next year Sweetwater, Okla., are the parents

Mrs. Charles May, treatment, July 24. Hillory Warren, Allison, treatment,

July 24. Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Thomas, Sweet-

Marion Patterson, Amarillo, ton



arrangements made for the trash to ounce of prevention is worth a pound no alternative, although the fund has Pvt. and Mrs. J. V. Ruff are the

ans' pension fund.

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and two cents.

State Property Tax

Rate Is Increased

able beginning October 1.

The new assessed valuation upon and Mrs. W. M. McMurty, Mr. and

months the paving of the wide streets use proper means of keeping flies general fund obligations for next year. The 35-cent school tax rate is

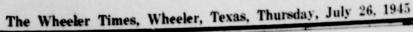
The general revenue rate is calcul-

have been passed to govern sanitary of some means of getting every busi- yield \$12,155,583.

OBTAIN SPECIFICATIONS

For the past two weeks a legal

littered with weeds, trash and in NOW!



Dive-Bomber in

action against

the Japanese in

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get the time Grandpa's old sow wonlered off down on the creek and a big catfish swallered her. But she was a purty tuff old sow and mancopy of his advertisement here. I'll aged to work her feet through that catfish and walked out of the creek with him. Grandpa went out to feed and when he saw that catfish a walkng around a grunting and a squeelng he liked to swallowed his uppers. You know today my mind got on the Panhandle and I just got to liv-

> so I am going to dedicate my poem o 'em. When the summer winds start blowing

And there's little signs of rain, All the feed stuff is a burning, With small chance of making grain.

ing over some of their troubles-and

All the plans they made last winter.

That new car they planned to buy Seems so far away at present But they surely made a try.

Then dark clouds begin to gather, And it seems they are to stay. As the gentle rains start falling Crops are made for them that day

cruel war on China, the Chinese have had to hang on doggedly. The constant, sometimes almost hopeless question was: How long can China stand the strain?

Now, with new armament, with victory lost, that they would like to any additional territory, merely as rapidly increasing allied assistance, give up, to have peace. But, in order territory. They do want their govern- with Japan's cities under destructive to live they are forced to fight to the ment to retain such of the islands bombing night and day, China is already winning an ever widening you consider their hopeless life, the nitely be useful for airfields and as front. Her armies at least are on bastions for defense. It will be nectheir march to victory. Probably no before the enemy by smiling is ridic- essary to possess some other islands, one, not even an informed Chinese, ulous. They are not happy about the not actually needed for these can guess what it means along the purposes, in order to prevent dirt roads, over the mountains, up unity among the nations, who are op- tionists in the Senate are now contheir being occupied by nations whose the muddy rivers, wherever the elec- posed to the Axis movement, will cer- vinced that America must take its tric word passes that the issue of tainly lead to another war. It is just place at the peace table, or the next

"How long" is now asked of Japan, tion in 1918-19. We withdrew from not of China. -Amarillo Times international affairs, and were hit

Take it from young Jimmy Thomp- the world has ever experienced. We the man who has had to hoof it due son, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Thomp- do not want to see the same thing to no automobile tire replacements. son, a plain .22 shell can be just as dangerous as the traditional "unloaded gun"-that is, if the shell has recently been rescued from a fire. and a delayed action explosion occurs while the shell is in your hands. That was the accident that happened

as well that we remember our posi- generation will suffer another war.

-Canyon News



"pink eye" losses A 5-gram ugh to treat 30 to 40 cases-\$1.00. For sale by-CITY DRUG STORE

Whether you fly 'em . . . or make the fuel that flies 'em ... you learn something! NOTIC

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The boys who have been filling Tojo's fleet as full of holes as an old tin can will have some interesting stories to tell when they get home.

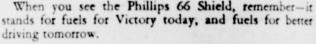
And Phillips is going to have some interesting things to tell you (and show you) too!

Because a big part of our job the last five years has been to produce the 100-octane Aviation Fuel that has kept the big boys over Berlin and Tokio. And it hasn't always been an easy job.

In some ways it has involved almost as many trials and tribulations as a pilot goes through before he wins his wings. We've built vast new laboratories and staffed them with the wisest and most experienced scientists we could find. We've built new plants and introduced new processes. In short, we've gone "all out"with every bit of brains and brawn we have-to give our fliers every ounce of precious 100-octane fuel that could be produced!

The result - today Phillips is one of the very biggest producers of 100. octane Aviation Fuel in the country! That's a mighty important fact -and one of which we're very proud.

> And it's a significant fact, too-for every man and woman who plans to drive a car after the war. Because you can bet your bottom dollar that all the experience, all the know-how, all the scientific knowledge we've gained in becoming one of the largest producers of 100-octane gasoline-will be packed into the Phillips 66 Gasoline which powers your post-war car!



American knows that the lack of happen again. Most of the rank isola-

TORY...Buy U.S. War Bonds and Stamps



by the bloodiest and most costly war The unconquerable sole, is that of



Times Want-Ads Get Results!

Briffings Pink Eye" Powder



SUBSCRIPTION RATES In Wheeler County____\$1.50 a Year Outside Wheeler County \$2.00 a Year

Entered as second-class matter Dec. 18, 1933, at the postoffice at Wheeler, Texas, under Act of March 3, 1879.

THURSDAY, JULY 26, 1945

Jap Morale

It has long been regarded as the one.' duty of each Japanese, to smile. He Any time a solicitor of "adverfound this to be a Jap custom of tising" cannot spend as much as a long standing, and no matter what nickel in town, we don't care for his station, he must muster up a some. Maybe it could be said that smile even if it is only just to be The News is entitled to buy "dopolite. Living in Japan today has put nation advertising" as well as any a damper on the smile and so the one, and we will gladly do so when radio puts out programs to advocate the donation goes to a worthy cause. smiling, to appear cheerful and thus The merchant who distributes the not allowing the enemy to detect any "advertising" will get a break that unhappiness among the Japanese is far in excess of the others. And people. With the already slim diet on the other hand, The News could reduced further by 20%, the diffi- furnish "folders" for a fraction of culty in smiling is apparent. Japan- the sum accumulated by selling ads ese don't have heavy meals in norm- to everyone. al times. Clothing is rationed and coal for fuel is taken away entirely, for civilian use. Amusement houses are almost all closed. Travel is out Truman meant that it would waive for the private individual for any its claim to the mandated islands journey over 60 miles and he has to in the Pacific, he was taking an unget an official priority for even that. Every worker, every citizen is now under government order, which force interest. He may not have intended can move him any place at any time, that his words apply to the Pacific There are no rest periods in industry islands formerly under Japanese and all males from 12 to 60 have to work, females from 12 to 40. Women likely to place that construction on are preparing to fight when invasion what he said. comes. It is understood from returnees, that the Japanese people are like the Germans when they too were de- any more colonies, in the accepted finitely sure the end was coming and sense of the term. They do not want bitter and disasterous end. When won by American valor as will defiday to day struggle, just to keep face situation, in any way.

Towards Death

We seem to head for death with ters must be not only realistic, but faster post-war autos. Having held to even hard-boiled. So far from being our 35-mile speed, removing the lim- inconsistent with the hopes for a lastitation will probably result in an un- ing peace, the American attitude supprecedented race, making us wish a ports and furthers those hopes. car couldn't go so fast. The pictures of some of the new cars for the future might relieve our minds, when

we see they have wider and stronger in the words of Dr. Wei Tao-Ming. bumpers. Maybe it means better pro- the Chinese ambassador to the Unittection to motorists in the car con-struction. This is what the manufac-"The question now is not how long

interests might conflict with our own. The American policy in such mat victory has been determined. -Wichita Falls Record-News There is the drum beat of destiny

not pay for a copy of The News.

Then she said. "Oh, in that case I

don't want the paper. I sold an ad to

a customer who said I could get a

just go back and have him write

If, in saying that this country does

not want any territory, President

realistic stand, and one out of keep-

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The American people do not want

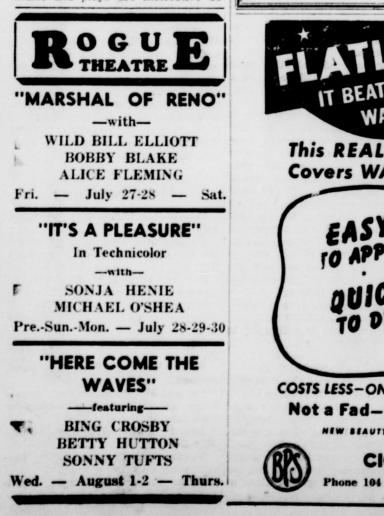
-McLean New

won't help returning boys to keep to will she collapse." a slower-for-safety program when through most of seven years since terms of speed and sudden death.

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The Finer Things

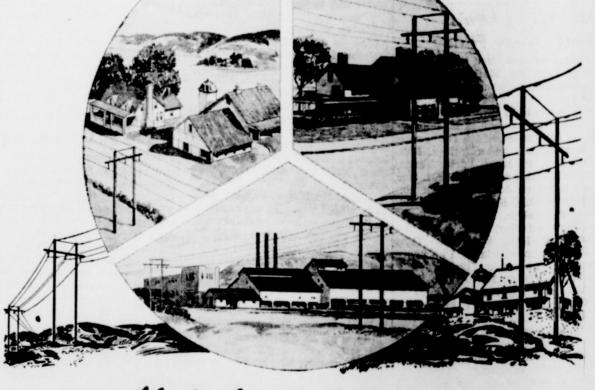
discoveries in medical science, but arts. Such is the way of war. war does not seem to promote the artistic urge, the arts seem to suffer and the expression in painting, poetry, composing, drama and writing all appear to stand still. The fact is that the highest level for such of these arts comes from not grim terror of battle, but is inspired from a peaceful contemplation of those things war affects. Many of our critice judge the best books written on the war theme, are not written during war but afterwards when there is time for reflection. This doesn't mean that some poems, some books, music and plays are ineffective be-



China can stand the strain. It is how to Jimmy and yesterday morning the planes at such high rates of speed much can Japan take and how soon bullet was removed from his hand. -Hereford Brand

Senator Tom Connally is in the the "incident" of the Marco Polo eye of America. He successfully guidhowever, we can't see the folly in bridge with which Japan opened its ed the San Francisco Charter through the touchy Senate Foreign autos, as he thinks of safer bumpers cause they have come during war, Affairs Committee. The Charter will will hold us in check by thinking in but the young who express talent in be before the Senate next week. Acthese lines, on the whole, have to cording to all polls taken of the Senkeep to the subject of staying alive ate, the Charter will be adopted withthat tomorrow, when peace comes, out much trouble. America does not War leads to many advances and they can display their worth in the know whether the Charter will prohibit another war, but every sane





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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR THE year, provided that before the Com-RE-ALLOCATION OF COUNTY TAXES

THE STATE OF TEXAS OUNTY OF WHEELER To the Resident Qualified Property raxpaying Voters of Wheeler County,

TAKE NOTICE that an election n order duly entered by the Comsioners Court on the 20 day of 1945, which is as follows:

On this the 20 day of July, 1945, the Commissioners Court of Wheeler ounty, Texas, convened in special hereof in the Courthouse at Wheeler, Texas, with the following members position; and the Court, to-wit:

G. W. Hefley, County Judge, Lloyd Anglin, Commissioner Precinct No. 1, Mason, Commissioner Precinct Tom Montgomery, Commisioner Precinct No. 3, H. B. Sims. mmissioner Precinct No. 4, being present, and, among other proceedngs had by the Court were the fol-

owing ssioner Montgomery introuced an order and moved its adop- OF WHEELER COUNTY, TEXAS: on. The motion was seconded by That a special election be held in arrying with it the adoption of the 1945, which is not less than thirty prevailed by the following (30) days from the date of adoption rder,

AYES: Commissioners All. NOES: Commissioners None. The order is as follows:

WHEREAS, at the general election in said County and who have duly d throughout the State of Texas rendered the same for taxation, for November 7, 1944, the qualified their action thereupon: lectors of the State, voting on the oposition, approved the amendment Wheeler County, Texas, be author-Texas Constitution, which amend- for a period of six (6) years from rs Court in any county may re-al- taxes as follows: ocate the county tax levies author- Not exceeding Fifty Cents (50c)

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zed in said Section 9 of Article 8, on the \$100.00 valuation, in any one changing the rates provided for year, for County purposes;



any of the purposes authorized in said Section by either increasing or (35c) on the \$100.00 valuation, in any Not exceeding Thirty-five Cents decreasing the same, but in no event one year, for roads and bridges; shall the total of such taxes exceed (First published in The Wheeler Eighty (80c) Cents on the one hun-on the \$100.00 valuation, in any one year, to supplement the jury fund of missioners Court may make such rethe County; and

allocations and changes in such levies Not exceeding five Cents (05c) the same shall be submitted to the on the \$100.00 valuation, in any one qualified property taxpaying voters year, for the erection of public buildof such county at a general or specings and other permanent improveial election; and in event such rements.'

allocations and changes are approved In the event that the annual levy by a majority of the qualified pro- of a tax not exceeding fifteen (15c) TAKE held on the 25 day of August, perty taxpaying voters of any such cents on the one hundred dollars' will be held on the zo day of heights, in obedience to county, such re-allocations and valuation for the further maintenance changes shall remain in force and ef- of the public roads of said County fect for a period of six (6) years has heretofore been, or shall herefrom the date of the election at after be, authorized by a majority which same shall have been approv- of the qualified property taxpaying ed, unless the same again shall have voters of the County, voting at an been changed by a majority of the election held for that purpose, nothing county, at the regular meeting place qualified property taxpaying voters herein shall be construed as rescindof such county, voting on the pro- ing or in any manner affecting the power and authority of the Commissioners Court to levy and to continue

WHEREAS, the Commissioners Court of Wheeler County, Texas, to levy said tax. deems it advisable and to the best The said election shall be held un-

interest of said County to re-allocate der the provisions of the Constituthe county taxes authorized to be tion and laws of the State of Texas, levied annually by Section 9, Article particularly amended Section 9, of 8, of the Constitution, by changing Article 8, of the Constitution, and the rates in respect to certain county Section 3a, Article 6, of the Constitaxes as herein provided; tution, and all persons who are legal-

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED ly qualified voters of said County, BY THE COMMISSIONERS COURT and who are resident property taxpayers who own taxable property in said County and who have duly rencommissioner Anglin. The motion, said County on the 25 day of August, dered the same for taxation, shall be entitled to vote at said election. The ballots for said election shall of this order, at which election the have written or printed thereon the following proposition shall be submit- following:

ted to the qualified property taxpay-"FOR RE-ALLOCATION OF ing voters, who own taxable property COUNTY TAXES.

"AGAINST RE-ALLOCATION OF COUNTY TAXES.

Each voter shall mark out with "Shall the Commissioners Court of black ink or black pencil one of the Section 9, of Article 8, of the ized to levy and collect in each year other as indicating his or her vote. above expressions, thus leaving the exas construction the Commission- the date of said election, county officers of said election shall be res-The polling places and presiding pectively as follows:

> Precinct Voting Presiding No Place Officer Mobeetie Austin Caldwell Briscoe T. A. Treadwell Wheeler Lee Guthrie (Legion Hall) W. S. Farmer Allison Stanley Ben Trout (Wheeler Court House) Gordon Stiles McBee Porter J. A. Welch L. L. McCombs Gracey (Kellerville) W. J. Chilton Jr. Heald 10 Robert Terry Lela 11 Center J. W. Henderson H. P. Mundy Shamrock 12 13 Benonine J. E. Mitchell W. A. Lankford 14 Ramsdell Elmo Riley 15 Locust Kelton L. W. Davidson W. A. Jolly Twitty Hubert Bentley 18 Magic City Bethel T. L. Daniel 19 Paul Macina 20Pakan Henry Holmes 21 Shamrock The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws of the State regulating general elections. A copy of this order, signed by the County Judge of said County, and certified to by the County Clerk of



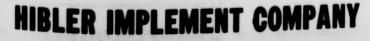
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Notice of said election shall be given by posting a copy of this order at the top of which shall appear the "NOTICE OF ELECTION words FOR RE-ALLOCATION OF COUN-TY TAXES." at the Courthouse door of said County, and in each of the election precincts of said County for thirty (30) days prior to the election, which notices shall be posted by the Sheriff or a constable, who shall make return on a copy of such notice, how and when he executed the same. Notice of said election shall also be given by publication thereof in a newspaper published in Wheeler County, once each week for three consecutive weeks, the date of first publication being not less than twenty-one (21) full days prior to the date of said election. ADOPTED AND APPROVED, this

said County shall serve as proper and

sufficient notice of said election.

the 20th day of July, 1945. G. W. Hefley

County Judge Lloyd Anglin Commissioner Precinct No. 1 W. E. Mason

Commissioner Precinct No. 2 Tom Montgomery Commissioner Precinct No. 3

H. S. Sims Commissioner Precinct No. 4

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF WHEELER I, the undersigned authority, Clerk

of the County Court and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners Court of said County, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of an order passed by said Commissioners Court on the 20th day of July, 1945, and of the minutes pertaining to its adoption, as said order appears of record in Vol. 7, Page 420, of the Minutes of said Court.

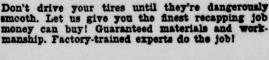
WITNESS MY HAND and the seal of the Commissioners Court, this the 20th day of July, 1945. Harry Wofford, (Seal)

Clerk of the County Court and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners Court of Wheeler County, Texas

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MOBEETIE HAPPENINGS

By Times Reporter

Mrs. Ruby Ward and son visited in Amarillo Wednesday.

Rev. Hugh Hunt, pastor of the and he continued by plane to San Wheeler Methodist church, presided Francisco, California, where he is at prayer meeting at the Methodist stationed. H. A. 1|C Rhoades had Church in Mobeetie Wednesday night.

George Arthur Wright, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Wright, who has been overseas, is back in the States and is home on a furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lee visited in the Geo. B. Dunn home last Sunday.

Callers in the Doug Sims home last Sunday included Mr. and Mrs. Albert Scribner and children, Mrs. W. A. Scribner and Irvine, Flight Officer Wayne Kantz, Mr. and Mrs. Al Sims, Mrs. Susie Rucker and Mr. and Mrs. Grant Beck.

Mrs. Ruth Beck and children of Dumas spent last week with Mr. and ren Williams home in Pampa a few Mrs. Doug Sims.

Betty Ruth Brewer spent the week end in Pampa with Maurita Laman, returned Monday after visiting the Leroy Patton was home this week past week with her parents in Mineral Wells. on a three day leave.

SSgt. Edward Johnson has been moved from Germany to Austria. He Pampa visited in the J. G. Gaberiel expects to be home by Christmas.

the States and will probably be home ed in the Foy Farmer home Monday by the fifteenth of August. He is get- afternoon. ting a discharge from the army.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Waller of children and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Lawton, Oklahoma visited in the Reynolds visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank homes of Mr. and Mrs. Wes Johnson Mote Sunday. and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Hooker and family over the week end and while diate boys are attending the encamphere bought the J. P. Keeton place ment at Shamrock this week. north of Mobeetie. Mrs. Waller is Mrs. Wes Johnson's sister.

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. folks last Thursday night. and Mrs. S. H. Hooker last Friday were Cpl. Kenneth Walker, TiSgt. O. pa visited her last Sunday. C. Walker, Ollie Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Eubanks and daughter, moved to the J. A. Bryant home Jewel, of Stinnett, Mrs. Jim Hen- south west of Wheeler. derson and daughter, Virginia, Mrs. Raymond Hooker and daughter. Martha Kay, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon her. Hooker and daughters.

Calvin Hogan is home on a 10-day ors from Friona over the week end. furlough.

Miami visited last week in the home from Clinton after spending a week of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley in the Tirey Hardin home. Beck.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Ruff and fam- Farmer last week. ily visited his parents in Pampa Monday Mrs. Bill Dart was in Canadian day

Friday. Mr. and Mrs. John Dunn spent Monday that her father was ill. She

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sitton went to Mrs. C. B. Tinsley.

Mrs. Fred Sims and daughter, Kay, Sims and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dunn and Mr. in Pampa Sunday.

Mrs. Ed Ratliff and son, Troy, of Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Tyson and San Matis, California, returned to daughter, Annett, visited in the Paul

ice cream supper for several young Mrs. Tracy Willis' mother of Pam-Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Reynolds have

Mrs. Ernest Abbott's mother from Amarillo spent the week end with

Bill Duncan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Woodrow Trusty and son of Wade Duncan, returned Tuesday

> Mrs. A. B. Meek visited Mrs. Foy Mr. and Mrs. Claud Parker visit-

ed in the Byron Simpson home Sun-Mrs. Cross Hogan received word

Tuesday and Wednesday in Amarillo. plans to visit him this week.

Amarillo Monday to visit Mr. and ed in the W. M. Reynolds home last Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Smith of Olton of Dimmitt came Monday to spend spent Monday night with their daughthe week with Mr. and Mrs. R. A. ter, Mrs. Fern Hancock, in the home of Mrs. Audrey Alexander.

Rev. Clay, pastor of the Church of and Mrs. Ernest Lee of Wheeler were God, has returned from a week's visit at Weatherford.

OLDHAN SCENE The hor Idham ene of ration randson. Oklaho It and M Ronny, of and Mrs. City, Mo. dau Mary Ani Lt. Old a B-17 in cently re being a I is now or Cpl. Se Infantry final weel and is bei C. W. B HONOR Mr. an Sr., of G ner giver their Rhoades, the State past nine Those A. 1 C a ren, Ken Lou, of (lie Rhoad Mr. and en of . of Pamp Bellevue and chi Charlie Mrs. Na Mobeetie Kelton. Mobeetie nolds ar the host Reeves callers. SERVI AT BA A gro met Ji church meeting sent. Th was a E D. Fulli Mrs. Ge ganizati inating the sele Those bert Re Allen, F ton Nat Vanpoo Bryant, and Re Mrs. Bradstr ladies (At n ing off service w Mr ented The

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their home Monday after spending Jeffus home Monday the past two weeks in the John Dunn home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Matthews were shopping in Pampa Saturday after- Lee Gales and baby spent Sunday noon

E. E. Johnston attended to business in Shamrock Monday.

Mrs. John Dunn and Mrs. E. E. Johnston were in Wheeler Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Waters and sons, Bill and Paul, of Lubbock spent the past week; relatives of Forestthe week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. burg were called to her bedside. E. E. Johnston and relatives in E. T. Cox, wife and daughter, Mrs.

Wheeler.

WHEELER

Paul Murphy, of Richmond, Califor-Mesdames John Dunn, H. E. Matt- nia visited his sister, Mrs. Eva Myers hews, H. L. Flanagan, E. E. Johnston last week. Mr. Cox is a son of Aaron and G. L. Key attended a coffee Cox, who operated a wagon yard in honoring Mrs. G. L. Key in the home Wheeler in its early days. They were of Mrs. Ollie Beene in Wheeler Fri- enroute to Oklahoma to make their home

day morning. Mrs. Willard Godwin accompanied

Mrs. Travis Patterson to Groom, Times Want-Ads get results!

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OLDHAM HOME IS SCENE OF REUNION

The home of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. in Oklahoma, was present. They were Worth. Lt. and Mrs. W. J. Oldham and son,

daughters, Tommy Lou and Air Line. Mary Ann, of Amarillo.

Lt. Oldham, who served as pilot of B-17 in the Eighth Air Forces, recently returned from overseas after cently returned for three months and Wheeler, became the bride of Pfc. sponsors are acting as judges. They hostess. Infantry Division was in combat the

final weeks of the war with Germany J. M. Hawes. and is being redeployed.

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C. W. RHOADES, H. A. 1 C, IS HONORED WITH DINNER Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Strawbridge, latter a sister of the bride. Sr., of Gageby were hosts at a dinsr. of Gageby Thursday honoring Wheeler high school the past year, a group of friends last Thursday evetheir son - in - law, Cleo Wilson and Pfc. Gipson attended Kelton a group of friends last Thursday eve-their son - in - law, Cleo Wilson and Pfc. Gipson attended Kelton ning when she entertained with a Rhoades, H. A. 1|C, who returned to high school before entering the servthe States July 3 after spending the ice. He recently returned from Gerpast nine months in the West Paci- many after serving eleven months

Those enjoying the dinner were H. the 104th Infantry Division. A 1C and Mrs. Rhoades and child-1 ren, Kenneth, Linda Sue and Wanda Houston August 9 and Mrs. Gipson Lou, of Gageby, Mr. and Mrs. Char- plans to join him later. lie Rhoades and children of Bellevue. Mr. and Mrs. Dal Jackson and child-

of Pampa, Mrs. Dorothy Liggest of Frankie Gene Havenhill was hon-Mrs. Nate Evans and children of years of age. Mobeetie, Mrs. Ida Mae Calcote of As the little guests arrived they Kelton, Mrs. Loreane Lawrence of were given crepe paper hats which

callers.

SERVICE MEN'S WIVES MEET

A group of service men's wives Douthit, Jerry and Sherry Moore. met July 17 in the Baptist Billie Sue Douthit, Sue Sides, Jan church basement for their second Pitcock and Ruby Lee Dillard. meeting with twelve members pre- Mothers and guests included Mesthe selection of officers.

Those present were Mesdames Ro- honoree, Frankie Gene Havenhill. bert Reynolds, Totsy Conner, Roscoe Allen, Ed Trimble, Laverna Ruff, Alton Nations, Herbert Whitener, Alvie DONALD HARDCASTLE IS Vanpool, Audrey Downs, Webb, Faye HONORED WITH PARTY Bryant, Alma Trayler, George Porter | Mrs. Verne Hardcastle entertained and Rev. Fullingim.

Bradstreet were in charge of the seventh birthday. ladies children.

GAINES-FOOSHEE

Miss Violet Neta Gaines and Garland Fooshee were united in marriage Miss Ruth Barr was hostess at a The home of Mr. and May was the last Wednesday afternoon in a double dinner-bridge party given in her of with Mrs. Gordon Whitener Demonstration club met Tuesday afscene of a very pleasant and mappy read in the Baptist home Monday evening for the mem-homecoming last week when the church in Shamrock. The bride wore a navy blue suit with black acces-complete family group of three gen-omplete family group of one sories. The couple was attended by Merle Norman, P. H. Forrester V. Monday afternoon for a missionary program in Royal Service. Mrs. Bob when a demonstration of cottage Rodgers was in charge of the pro-cheese making was given by the erations, whith the Mortan Rhoton, who was Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hays of Ft. J. Zeman, W. W. Meek, Alvie Van-

Mr. and Mrs. Fooshee attended the berta Ferguson and the hostess. Lt. and Mis. Foosnee attended the Ronny, of San Diego, California, Cpl. local school last year. They are at Ronny, of San P. Settles of Kansas home in Ft. Worth where Mr. Foo-and Mrs. W. P. Settles of Kansas home in Ft. Worth where Mr. Foo-ANNOUNCEMENT and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Rhoton shee is employed at the American

CRAFTON-GIPSON

Neal D. Gipson, son of Rev. and Mrs. are Mrs. E. R. Blocker, Mrs. Harris cpl. Settles, serving in the 86th Lee Gipson of Twitty, in a ceremony A. D'Spain, Mrs. A. G. Brown and performed in Borger, July 14, by Rev. Mrs. R. C. Carter. One 4-H member

dress of white, and a corsage of red be August 8th and 9th carnations. The couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Alba Wofford, the

Mrs. Gipson was a student of

Pfc. Gipson reports to Fort Sam

LITTLE GENE HAVENHILL ren of Jacksboro, Mrs. Opal Peden HONORED RECENTLY

Bellevue, Mrs. Willard Strawbridge ored recently with a birthday party the book of Ephesians. Mrs. J. M. and children; Ireane, Melba and given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glover is leader of the study. Mrs. Charlie Strawbridge, Jr., Mr. and Roy Bailey. The honoree was three Elizabeth Wren played and sang a

positions. Mobeetie, Mr. and Mrs. Denver Rey- were of white, teal, pink and blue. Ollie Hubbard, H. H. Hunt, Mary nolds and children of Gageby and This was the color scheme carried Johnson, D. E. Holt, Ernest Lee, C. the host and hostess. Ebb and Edd out for the decorations. Games were C. Robison, Lloyd Davidson, J. M. Reeves of Briscoe were afternoon played and enjoyed by all, then re- Porter, Miss Beulah Hubbard, Mrs. freshments of cake and ice cream Glover and Mrs. Wren. were served.

Small guests included Marylnn Kay AT BAPTIST CHURCH TUESDAY Jones, Larry Bailey, Peggy Lou MOVIE CHATTER

Flags were given as favors.

Mrs. Bill Black and Mrs. Tom ing her son, Donald Lee, on his production to the screen at the

Those attending included: Morris you will be delightfully pleased with At next Tuesday evening's meet- Allen Pillers, Bennie Brown, Inez It's a Pleasure which stars Sonja ing officers will be elected and all Row, Jerrell and Cherrie Welch and Henie and Michael O'Shea. If you rvice men's wives are urged to be Edwina Brown of Twitty, Phyllis Kay have ever seen Miss Henie on ice

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MISS BARR ENTERTAINS **BUSINESS WOMEN'S CLUB**

pool, Misses Leona Crossland, Ro- Jack Guynes.

from each club will receive an award The bride wore a street length at the annual encampment which will

> MISS HEFLEY IS HOSTESS AT PICNIC THURSDAY

picnic supper at her home. Girls enjoying the picnic were Naomi Merritt. overseas with the Timberwolves of Helen Farmer, Mary Alice Waters, Betty Hix and the hostess.

W. S. C. S. BEGINS NEW BIBLE STUDY MONDAY

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met at the Methodist church at 3:30 o'clock Monday afternoon for the first lesson of a new Bible study, special number, one of her own com-

(By a Rogue)

Marshal Of Reno

Wild Bill Elliott and Gabby Hayes sent. The program for the evening dames Arnold Jones, Percy Farmer, will be at the Rogue Theatre Fridaywas a Bible study taught by Rev. P. Paul Luttrell, Kenneth Douthit, El- Saturday, July 27-28, in a rip-snort-D. Fullingim. Following the study mer Luttrell, Homer Pitcock, J. C. ing western picture called Marshal of Mrs. George Porter discussed the or- Moore, Jr., S. C. Havenhill, Misses Reno. This will be the first time we ganization's constitution and a nom- Edna Farmer and Viola Havenhill have had Gabby with the Red Ryder, inating committee was appointed for and the hostesses, Mrs. Roy Bailey, Wild Bill Eliott, so we are suggesting and Mrs. Grady Havenhill, also the that you come out and get acquainted with this new cowboy. We are sure that you will enjoy Gabby as you have always done in the past.

It's A Pleasure

Prevue - Sunday - Monday, July 28with a party Friday afternoon honor- 29-30, brings another Technicolor Rogue. And we can assure you that

W. M. S. MEETS WITH MRS.

P. D. Fullingim, Gordon Stiles, and man.

C. R. Flynt, A. C. Wood, Geo. Por- members, Mesdames Cecil Clark, J. All Wheeler County 4-H club girls are urged to write a story of their alub work and and it to their A. Whitener, Minnie Farmer, R. L. H. Watts, Jess Crowder and the tess, Mrs. Lee, were present. The club plans to have regular club work and send it to their McClain, J. M. Burgess, Alvie Van- meetings twice monthly in the club sponsor or to the Assistant Home pool, Cecil Martin, Raymond Sayre, room in the basement of the court Miss Louise Crafton, daughter of Demonstration Agent. These stories W. L. Williams, P. D. Fullingim, Gor-house. The next meeting will be held Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Crafton of must be in by August 1st. Four 4-H don Stiles, Bob Rodgers and the at 2:30 p. m. August 1.

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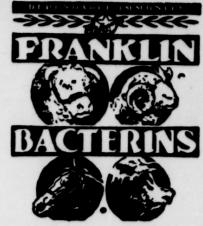
WHEELER H. D. GROUP

gram and was assisted by Mesdames Home Demonstration agent, Mrs. Ze-

Two guests, Mrs. Morgan Bowman Those attending included Mesdames and Mrs. Clarence Robison and four

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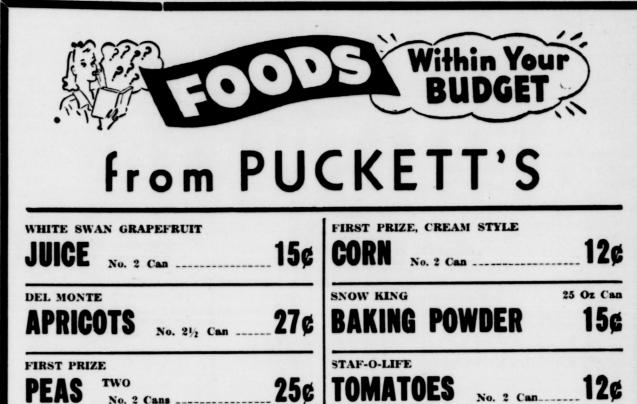
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A missionary program, led Puckett, Margaret Lee Gaines, Don by Mrs. Alton Nations, will be pre- and Jerry Dison, Patsy and Waun- idea as to what kind of picture to sented. The Sunday School class for this Lonelle and Shari Gale Lee, Nancy by the great outdoors, while the story

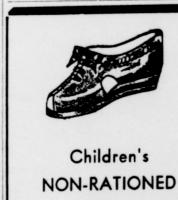
group meets each Sunday morning Lee, Robert Denson, Ada and Katie is laid against a tuneful background at ten o'clock. The teacher, Mrs. Alvie Pierce, William and Nancy Whitener, of gorgeous girls and fast moving Vanpool, extends a cordial welcome Yvonne Greenhouse, Jo Ann and comedy. It's just the kind of picture to all service men's wives who are Donald Hardcastle. Janet Russ sent that Prevue audiences go for in a not already attending some class. a gift.



skates you will have a pretty good etta Burgess, Annette Hutchinson, expect. The photography is enhanced big way.

Here Come The Waves

Here Come the Waves stars Bing Crosby, Betty Hutton and Sonny Tufts. We do not think you need any coaxing in order to come out to see this one. The playdate is Wednesday-Thursday, August 1-2 at the Rogue. Will we be seeing you, or are you going to be stubborn and miss a perfectly swell show? Your friends will all be talking about the picture and you will just have to admit that you were a chump and stayed away,--or will you?



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The Wheeler Times, Wheeler, Texas, Thursday, July 26, 1945

Worley Writes Of

Europe's Reaction

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To President's Death

By Eugene Worley

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Floyd Pennington was a business visitor in Ft. Worth and Dallas the first of the week.

J. M. Newsom and son, Gene, of Bisbee, Arizona and Mr. and Mrs. Guy E. Slover and daughter of Merinca, Arizona are visiting their sister, Mrs. J. M. Lawrence, and Mr. Lawrence this week.

Friday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Pennington were S. J. Johnston of Ft. Worth and Urias Johnston of San Pedro, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. McKennis of Walsh, Colo., Lt. and Mrs. Clark Benham and son were Sunday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Holt

Mr. and Mrs. Racey Moore and Sondra of Grady, New Mexico visited Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Lancaster and enroute to Tulsa, Okla.

Mrs. Cordie Gill and daughter, Louise, and granddaughter, Jackie, of

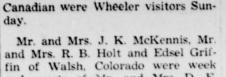
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end guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Holt and Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Holt.

Miss Lillie McClain, Bobby Rodgers and Bill Robertson went to Oklahome City Tuesday. They plan to return today.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Lancaster and children returned Friday from Tulsa Oklahoma where they visited CM3 c C. R. Lancaster who has just returned from 30 months service in the Pacific

were Shamrock visitors Monday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Donham and Mrs.

Annie Moore of Oakland, California, Mrs. Minnie Donham of Marysville, California, Mr. and Mrs. John Donchildren Friday afternoon. They were ham of Kilgore, Texas were Friday evening guests in the Mrs. R. L. Mc-Clain home.

afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Holt made a first of the week. Mrs. A. H. Asbery and children of

Amarillo are spending the week in the M. O. McKay home.

In case of fire call one of the following numbers: 35, 177, 123, or 133.

> other, in Germany. On everyone's lips was the query Who is this fellow Truman?" "What is his background?" "Will he see the world problems as Roosevelt did and vill he follow the same policies?"

Needless to say, there was deep concern for several weeks after Truman assumed the killing duties of the highest office in the United States and even the world, for that matter. However, after Truman's first address to Congress this feeling of fear and uncertainty began to diminish. His subsequent quick and positive acts in endorsing the San Francisco Peace Parley, the Reciprocal Trade Agreement, Bretton Woods, his unconditional surrender insistence, and other positive positions on world wide questions had completely eliminated the "What - does - this fellow - Truman - stand - for ?" wonder of many nations in the world. And has definitely added to the stature and prestige of the United States. The next test of Truman as an individual and as President of one of the greatest powers history has ever known, comes at his conference with Stalin and Churchill.

Most everyone in Washington believes the former farm boy from the "Show-me" State, who has surrounded himself with sound, learned and practical men, will emerge from the LEGAL NOTICE

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NOTICE OF ELECTION

The death of the late President Pursuant to the Election Proclammost universal sorrow. Our convoy Texas, notice is hereby given that a month per person from State funds was four days out on the Atlantic SPECIAL ELECTION will be held on when the news of the President's Saturday, the Twenty-fifth Day of lars (\$20) per month; giving the Legdeath was picked up by short wave August, 1945 at the various voting islature the power to set up a system radio. Immediately a deep gloom per- places throughout Wheeler County, vaded the entire ship, from the high- Texas for the purpose of voting for est ranking officer aboard to the low- or against the adoption of four proest. One soldier was heard to remark, posed amendments to the Constitu-"Roosevelt dies but fellows like Hit- tion of the State of Texas as follows: ler live." This, of course, was before 1. Proposing an Amendment to

Robert and Margaret Ann Holt the Battle of Berlin, where Hitler Article VI of the Constitution of was supposed to have perished lead- Texas, providing that any person in ing his men in defense of the Ger- the armed forces of the United States, or the Armed Force Reserve

Memorial services for FDR were of the United States, or of any branch held abroad ship during some of the or component part thereof, or of the roughest weather old timers said they United States Maritime Service, or had ever seen. Every ship in the con- the United States Merchant Marine, voy was rolling and pitching with or who has been a member of same many decks washed by high smash- within eighteen months prior to the ing waves. Such weather reminded us holding of any election in this state Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Sayre and of the grim realities and extreme ur- authorized by law, and is otherwise son were Borger visitors Saturday gency of the economic and political a qualified voter, shall not be requirwaves through which the American ed to pay, or to hold a receipt for the ship of state is passing and must pass. payment of, a poll tax in order to All flags of the Allied nations vote at any such election, if same is business trip to Breckenridge the were at half mast in London. From held while the United States is at taxi driver to the Prime Minister war or within a certain stated time

ample evidence of sorrow and con- thereafter. cern was written on all faces. The 2 Proposing an Amendment to the French people reflected the same Constitution of Texas providing for sense of personal loss and the same continuous salary per diem of all was true of most of the Italians. And members of the Legislature during in Greece and Palestine, Roosevelt's their tenure of office.

death was mourned. But I saw no 3. Proposing an Amendment to the trace of concern, one way or the Constitution of Texas providing for a

Fat-Salvage Bee To Aid in Licking National Fat Shortage

It's been ages since we had an old-fashioned "bee" in these parts, but just as we've always nitched in to help a neighbor, so must we pitch in for our country. To help make hundreds of battlefield and home-front es-sentials, more used fats are needed than are on hand. City folks are trying to make up the deficit of over 1,200,000,000 pounds. But their fats aren't enough.

Women in small cities, towns women in since must also save every drop of fat. Not just big amounts. But scraps off plates, meat trimmings. Melt them down once a week. Your butches will give you up to 4¢ and 2 red points a pound. If you have any difficulty, call Home Demonstration or County Agent. Approved by WFA and OPA Paid for by Industry.

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to set up a system of payments to Supreme Court of nine members. 4. Proposing an Amendment to the needy children under sixteen 4. Proposing an exact of the Leg- years of age; providing for the model of the second Constitution of Texas giving a system penditure of funds from the redentistance to Government: limiting the redention of the of payments of old age assistance to Government; limiting the tot eler of payments of our five (65) years of amount which may be expended to 2 to those above sixty-five (65) years of such assistance out of Sended to those above sixty monthly payments such assistance out of State fundage; provided that mount one person and providing conditions as to the from State funds to any one person dence within the State is to the from State funds to any based on dence within the State in order may be in valid amounts based on become eligible to reach order The death of the late President Pursuant to the Election Process may be in the maximum payment per become eligible to receive assistance in order need, that the maximum payment per become eligible to receive assistance of the maximum payment per become eligible to receive assistance of the maximum payment per become eligible to receive assistance of the maximum payment per become eligible to receive assistance of the maximum payment per become eligible to receive assistance of the maximum payment per become eligible to receive assistance of the maximum payment per become eligible to receive assistance of the maximum payment per become eligible to receive assistance of the maximum payment per become eligible to receive assistance of the maximum payment per become eligible to receive assistance of the maximum payment per become eligible to receive assistance of the maximum payment per become eligible to receive assistance of the maximum payment per become eligible to receive assistance of the maximum payment per become eligible to receive assistance of the maximum payment per become eligible to receive assistance of the maximum payment per become eligible to receive assistance of the maximum payment per become eligible to receive assistance of the maximum payment per become eligible to receive assistance of the maximum payment per become eligible to receive assistance of the maximum payment per become eligible to receive assistance of the maximum payment per become eligible to receive assistance of the maximum payment per become eligible to receive assistance of the maximum payment per become eligible to receive assistance of the maximum payment per become eligible to receive assistance of the maximum payment per become eligible to receive assistance of the maximum payment per become eligible to receive assistance of the maximum payment per become eligible to receive assistance of the maximum payment per become eligible to receive assistance of the maximum payment per become eligible to receive assistance of the G. W. Hefley, County Judg Wheeler County, Texas shall not be more than Twenty Dol-

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Greenhouse and of payments for the needy blind per- Miss Dorothy Greenhouse visited M. sons over twenty-one (21) years of and Mrs. Lester Hathaway in Ma age; giving the Legislature the power beetie Sunday.

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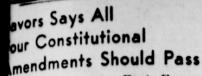
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State Representative Ennis Favors Pampa, declared today that all ur Constitutional Amendments subitted to the people in a State wide ection on August 25th this year ould pass and that he knew of no rious opposition to any of them, at admitted there was very little inrest in the election. He said the IRST Amendment on the ballot peritted members of the Armed Foror, ex-members honorably disharged 18 months or less, to vote all elections for the duration of war and 18 months thereafter hout the payment of any poll tax; SECOND provided for a continusalary of all members of the egislature during their term of ofe; the THIRD provided for a Nine dge Supreme Court of Texas; and e FOURTH increased pensions for needy old people from \$30.00 to 0.00 per month, including both ate and Federal funds. Surely he id, only a few people at the outside ould object to allowing members, ex-members of the Armed forces ate under the conditions of the First Amendment and that because the overnor vetoed the conditions of the First Amendment and that because Governor vetoed the Statutory Il, it did not mean that he had any objection to the Constitutional Amendment. As to continuous pay for members of the Legislature, he said that every body agreed that aproximately \$600.00 per year was not ugh pay for a member of the Legislature, and that \$3,600.00 per year would attract bigger and better nen to offer for the office and result n fewer and more sensible laws. He nsisted that we now have a Nine udge Supreme Court and that only ree wrote the opinions, and said his Amendment would permit all Nine Judges to participate in opinons. Favors said naturally it would ake more money to pay \$40.00 pensions to the needy old people but that no additional State taxes would be required and that he presumed if this Amendment should pass, the next Legislature would transfer more money from the Clearance Fund to the Old Age Assistance Fund, and that if the Amendment failed, the next Legislature would not be so liberal with the old people and probably would reduce appropriations for pensions.

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By BOYCE HOUSE

J. E. Crews of San Antonio has working there. written a poem entitled "The Call of Texas:

We sons of Texas hear her call Wherever we may roam; Her diamond studded skies at night Are beacon lights of home, For well we love our native state Where brooks and rivers flow, And honor all the pioneers Who came so long ago.

No matter where our journey leads, No matter where we stray, We always hear that constant call in Modesto, California. From Texas, far away, And long for snow-white cotton fields

Where darkies work and sing-To hear the song of mockingbirds, At midnight, clearly ring.

The scenes of childhood call to us, Where simpler things abound, Where cabins nestle in the woods, With stillness all around; We hear an old red rooster crow In melchancholy tone, Which tells as plain as spoken

words. "The folks are not at home."

We boast of lofty skylines in Our cities, that is true,

But the scenes that really call to us.

Sure folks as me and you. Are old, adobe ranch houses, Low, rambling, plain and strange, And cowboys rounding up great herds

Of cattle on the range.

The sight of some old mission wall, Beside a crystal stream, The crumbling ruins of old forts. Are monuments of dream; And live oaks veiled in Spanish moss

Beside a still lagoon, Cast their enchanting silhouettes Against the southern moon.

Ah, long her hills have sheltered us Within her proud domain, Where sunset sheds its mellow glow Across the rolling plain. Her wondrous beauty and her charm

Can never half be told, Nor painter's brush, nor poet's

song. The picture half unfold. The Wheeler Times, Wheeler, Texas, Thursday, July 26, 1945 In case of fire call one of the fol- and South basement stairways; LOCAL NEWS ITEMS lowing numbers: 35, 177, 123, or 133. Thence, all hallways and corridors on

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NOTICE OF LETTING OF CON-TRACT FOR CERTAIN COURT HOUSE PAINTING:

Notice is hereby given that at the next regular meeting of the Commis- work and wainscoating to be repair-

rillo Friday and Saturday. competitive bidding, the nature of which work will be as follows, to-wit:

Mrs. Joe Tilley and Bonnie Rae Painting hallways and corridors, were Amarillo visitors Friday.

Mrs. A. B. Leonard and daughter, Mrs. Albert Newman, of Mobeetie, left Wednesday to visit a son and brother, Sgt. Dinzel D. Leonard, who has recently undergone a major operation in Hammond General Hospital

Mrs. Bill Perrin and daughters of

ters of Pampa visited in the Bill

Black home Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Black returned home with them

and visited in Lefors and Groom, re-

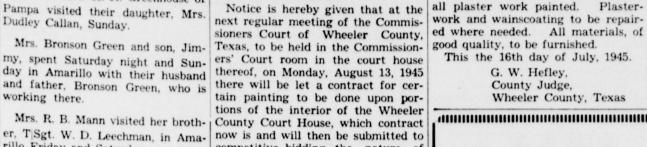
Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Greenhouse of

turning home Saturday.

Dudley Callan, Sunday.

Jesse Dyer of Anthony, New Mexico was a Wheeler visitor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Waters and sons, Paul and Bill, were week end visitors in the C. P. Waters home. Lloyd Johnson of Perryton spent the week end in Wheeler.



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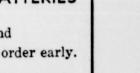
County Judge,

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