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tenant j. g. Foster Wat-
s left Sunday for Mel-
e. R. L., after spending a
day leave with his wife
son and other relatives.
Watkins returned with
to spend a few weeks.
Watkins has served the
year in the Aleutians.

Employment of War Veterans is Aided by SSS

C. L. Caviness Named
Committee Man for
Work in This Locality

The Texas Selective Service
has set up its machinery
aiding in the program of
reemployment and rehab-
ilitation of returning war veter-
ans was announced today by
C. L. Caviness, state di-
rector. C. L. Caviness is reem-
ployment committee man for this
locality.

Committee that Selective
Service is charged under the
Selective Training and Service
Act with the responsibility of
aiding in former jobs, or aid-
ing in securing new jobs for, all
men honorably discharged
from the armed forces. General
said that a carefully stud-
ied and organized reemployment
program has been put into oper-
ation in Texas. The program
operates primarily through the
boards under the supervi-
sion of the newly established Re-
employment Division at State Ser-
vice headquarters.

Through the Reemployment
Division at State headquarters the
reemployment committee man
will be furnished with information on
background, training, experi-
ence, military service, handi-
capped and type of discharge of
servicemen returning to the
home area, and he will
make every effort to make per-
sonal contact with the veteran
for the purpose of determining
the assistance of any kind is
needed.

As to his discharge the ser-
viceman will have been informed
of his reemployment rights and
the board to which he is entitled
because of his service in the
armed forces. At his option, he
may have his reemployment
rights handled by the Reem-
ployment committee attached to
the board with which he is
served, or by a Reemploy-
ment committee attached to
another local board if refer-
ence to his home local board
would be inconvenient.

Veterans who want to better
their chances by further training,
or going back to work, or
because of physical handi-
capped, want to learn a new trade,
profession, or who, because of
wounds, injuries or illness, are
unable of working are directed
to appropriate government agen-
cies established for their
benefit.

ANNING REPORTS

Some report shows that 23,
bales of cotton were ginned
in Hall County from the crop of
prior to December 13, as
compared with 44,219 bales for
the crop of 1942, it was an-
nounced today by C. Lee Rush,
special agent for the bureau
of the census.

RATION BOARDS TO BE GUESTS AT MEETING

Appreciation
Meeting January
6 at City Hall

An Appreciation meeting for
members of the Ration Boards
will be held at the City Hall,
Thursday evening, January 6,
at 7:45. All members of all Ra-
tion Boards, including Turkey
and Estelline are to be special
guests. Boards consist of the gas
panel, tire panel, food panel
price panel and community ser-
vice.

Sponsored jointly by the Lions
and Rotary clubs, all business
men are urged to attend the meet-
ing. The defense council, consist-
ing of the county judge and may-
or, are especially asked to attend.

An OPA official from the Lub-
bock office will give the principal
address and County Judge M. O.
Goodpasture will give an "Ap-
preciation to the Boards." Certifi-
cates will be presented to each
member of all boards.

—Buy Bonds—Buy Bombs—

Poultry Schools At Memphis and Salisbury Start

Mrs. Roy L. Guthrie
Will Discuss Various
Phases of Poultry

In helping the poultry produc-
ers in the Salisbury community,
a Rural War Production Train-
ing course on "Producing Poul-
try and Eggs" has been arranged
and will start January 3 at 2
o'clock at the Salisbury school
building.

The course will include man-
agement, feeding, diseases, hous-
ing and disease preventions, and
will be taught by Mrs. Roy L.
Guthrie, local poultry woman.
The course will run for four
weeks made up of lectures, field
trips and demonstrations.

All who have flocks of poultry
in the Salisbury community and
are interested are urged to at-
tend any or all of the meetings.
The course will meet twice a
week, Monday and Thursday af-
ternoon from two until 4:30. Other
meetings have been arranged
for the Friendship, Plaska and
Memphis communities. All per-
sons are asked to watch for no-
tices as to when their respective
communities will have their
courses.

Memphis School

Poultry courses sponsored and
financed by the Federal govern-
ment to help both the large and
small flock owners to produc-
more meat and eggs for 1944 has
been arranged for the town and
community of Memphis.

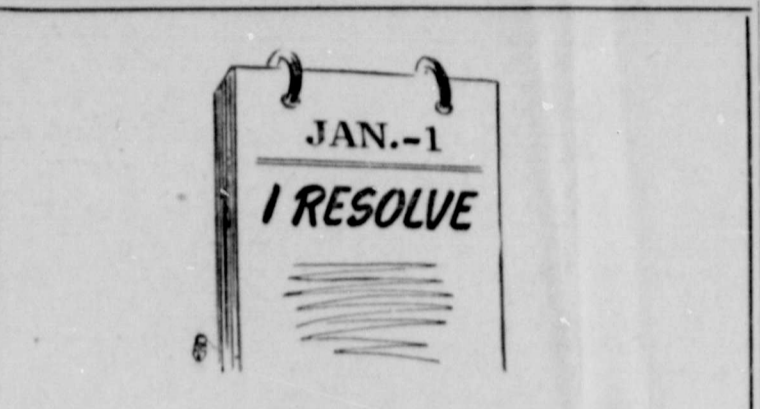
The course will be held at the
Memphis high school vocational
agriculture department and the
first meeting will be Tues-
day evening, January 4, at 7 o'clock.
Tuesday and Friday nights have
been designated for meeting
nights beginning at 7 and lasting
until 9:30 each night.

The course will be taught by
Mrs. Roy L. Guthrie, and all per-
sons interested are urged to at-
tend. Plaska and Friendship
courses will start in the near fu-
ture.

CLAUDE'S COMMENTS

By J. C. W.
COMMENTS—
December 27—Roy Guthrie, J.
W. Durham, Mrs. Bert Jones.
December 28—Kyle Jones.
December 29—Jerry Gilmore
Homer Burlison, Bailey Smith.
December 30—Mrs. Elmer
Fisher, C. E. Gowan.

CONGRATULATIONS—
December 28—Mr. and Mrs.
John J. Woods, wedding anni-
versary.
December 30—Mr. and Mrs. G.
M. Bass, wedding anniversary.
—The Tyranis—
Miss Kay Carlisle spent Christ-
mas in Clarendon with relatives.



To face each day with courage high . . .
To realize the importance of the little
day by day contributions to the
war effort . . .
To cooperate with all special wartime
programs . . .
To buy more War Bonds and Stamps . . .
To accept the curtailment of special
services and the wartime short-
ages without grumbling . . .
For the sake of a better world to come!

One Minus Four Leaves Three...

This issue of The Democrat is
being published by three people,
another printer has been lost to
the armed forces. We hope to
have more help next week, but
even so, we must have the coopera-
tion of every person who writes
or turns in news of any kind.
As a result of this shortage of
help, The Democrat must set a
deadline on some types of stories.

If a society story or church
class report is not in by Tues-
day at noon, we cannot promise
they will be published. If the
event happens during the week-
end, bring it in immediately, or
not wait until Tuesday at noon.
The sooner any kind of news is
in the office, the nearer it will
come to being published.

It takes more than one day to
compose a paper, even with plenty
of help, so please cooperate with
us and get your news in as soon
as possible.

Material which is purely pub-
licity for both local and national
agencies and organizations will
be handled at the sole discretion
of The Democrat. The time when
this publicity reaches this office
may determine whether it will be
published.

So, if your news is left out, it
is not because we didn't want to
publish it—it just didn't get to
this office in time.

E. N. HUDGINS IN FORT WORTH FOR TREATMENT

E. N. Hudgins, who has been in
a local hospital for several weeks,
has gone to the home of his
daughter, Mrs. Lon Webster, in
Fort Worth, for an indefinite stay
for his health.

Mrs. Hudgins and Nath Jr. re-
turned home Tuesday from Fort
Worth after spending Christmas
with him and daughters and their
families.

J. L. HANCOCK IS KILLED IN SOUTH PACIFIC

Grandson of J. P.
Hancock of Lesley
Was in Marines

Pfc. J. L. Hancock, son of W.
L. Hancock of McLean and
grandson of J. P. Hancock of
Lesley, was killed in action in
South Pacific, according to word
received by his parents, Decem-
ber 23.

Pfc. Hancock was 21 years old
and had been in the U. S. Ma-
rines about two years. He was
a nephew of J. L. Hancock, who
lost his life in World War I.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hancock
and family, O. M. Hancock and
son Billy, of Lesley attended the
Memorial Service held for him at
the First Baptist church in Mc-
Lean Sunday, December 26.

Pfc. Hancock is survived by
these relatives of Hall County—
grandfather, J. P. Hancock, these
uncles, George, Isaac, Oliver and
Scott Hancock.

—Buy Bonds—Buy Bombs—

Local Business Houses Changing Hands This Week

The coming of a New Year air-
ways brings changes to many
business houses and there is no
exception this year. Many in Mem-
phis are changing hands.

Jack Boone is taking over ac-
tive management of the Good
Eats Bakery. For about eleven
years, Mr. Boone was local man-
ager of Miller and Miller Motor
Freight, but for the past few
months he has been in the bak-
ery. Lafayette Pounds, former
owner and manager, will retain
an interest in the business, but
Mr. Boone will be manager.

A. B. Hickey has taken over the
laundry formerly operated by A.
W. Piland, located in the rear of
714 Noel St.

Rasco Bros. have bought the
plant and equipment of the North-
cutt Frozen Food Lockers and
will assume active management
next Tuesday. Rascos managed
the lockers during the first part
of this year until a few months
ago when their lease expired.

The C. & M. Grocery stock is
being consolidated with the
South Side Grocery, for the pres-
ent. Roy Coleman and Ira Mc-
Daniel are owners of the C. & M.
Grocery, and J. M. Ferrel has
been conducting the South Side
Grocery.

Until two years ago when Cole-
man and McDaniel leased the
location at 15th and Noel, H. H.
Flowers and Homer Huggins
operated a grocery store in that
location. They announced this
week that they are re-opening
the C. & F. Grocery in the old
location.

Worst Storm of Season Strikes

The worst storm of the winter
and one of the worst in years,
hit the Panhandle Sunday night,
with a four inch snow falling in
Memphis as a low of 12 degrees
was registered, according to J.
J. McMickin, local government
weather observer.

Snow was general over the
Panhandle from north and west
to Canadian extending to Lub-
bock with travel in town, on
county roads and highway
hazardous was the condition
until Tuesday afternoon. Wednes-
day morning, roads were again
frozen over.

Cattlemen could not estimate
the damage to the cattle on the
Plains at this time, but it was re-
ported that the cattle had very
little feed and it was almost im-
possible to get to them.

Trains and buses have been
running late for several weeks
due to heavy loads of mail and
packages for Christmas, and the
snow and ice around and north
of Amarillo are delaying them
further.

All commercial planes in Ama-
rillo were grounded with more
than 200 passengers stranded, the
majority of these passengers were
service men.

Watch Service at Lakeview Friday

There will be a watch night
service at the Baptist Church at
Lakeview, Friday night, begin-
ning at 9:30 and continuing un-
til shortly after 12 o'clock, it was
announced today by Rev. C. C.
Hardaway, pastor of the Lake-
view Methodist church.

The service is a union meeting
of the Baptist and Methodist
churches and the public is invited.
During the first period of the
service, the high school will pre-
sent songs and a talk.

Rev. Winthrop, pastor of the
Baptist church, will have charge
of the services and the message
will be given by Rev. Hardaway.
L. T. Hoggatt will give the devo-
tional.

Four Colored Men Go to Fort Sill

Four colored men left recent-
ly for Fort Sill, following their
induction into the army at Lub-
bock.

Watson Johnson left Decem-
ber 23, and Daniel Steward Wal-
lace, Nolan Richard Coleman and
Ashford A. Hardie Jr. left Decem-
ber 27.

MERRELL'S HAVE GUESTS DURING HOLIDAYS

Dr. and Mrs. M. H. Rhoades
and Mrs. John T. Sims and Mas-
sattie Sims of Clarendon visit-
ed here Christmas day with Mr.
and Mrs. L. B. Merrell and Mr.
and Mrs. J. H. Morris.

A. Baldwins Observe Golden Anniversary

Open House was observed at
the home of Mr. and Mrs. A.
Baldwin, Saturday, December
25, 1943 from 5 p. m. until 9
p. m., in honor of their golden
wedding anniversary.

The golden theme was carried
out in the house decorations. A
Christmas tree decorated with
large gold balls and colored
lights stood at one end of the
living room. The mantle was
banked in Christmas greens and
yellow chrysanthemums. Placed
about the rooms were vases of
flowers sent by friends.

Guests were greeted at the
door by James Byron Baldwin, a
grandson. In the receiving line
with Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin were
their children, Byron Baldwin,
Mrs. T. L. Rouse, Staff Sgt. W.
B. Baldwin, Mrs. J. O. Haynes,
Dr. Alvin Baldwin, Jr., and Dr.
R. E. Baldwin.

Mrs. Byron Baldwin directed
the guests into the dining room.
The lace laid dining table was
centered with Joanna Hill roses
and the embossed wedding cake.
At either side of the cake crystal
candleabra held yellow candles.
Golden fruit punch, mints olives
and cookies were served.

Mrs. R. H. Wherry, Mrs. S. I.
Harrison, Mrs. W. Wilson, and

Mrs. Louie Goffinet alternated at
the punch bowl. Assisting at the
refreshment table were Mrs. Al-
vin Baldwin Jr., Mrs. R. E. Bal-
dwin and Mrs. Jack Baldwin.

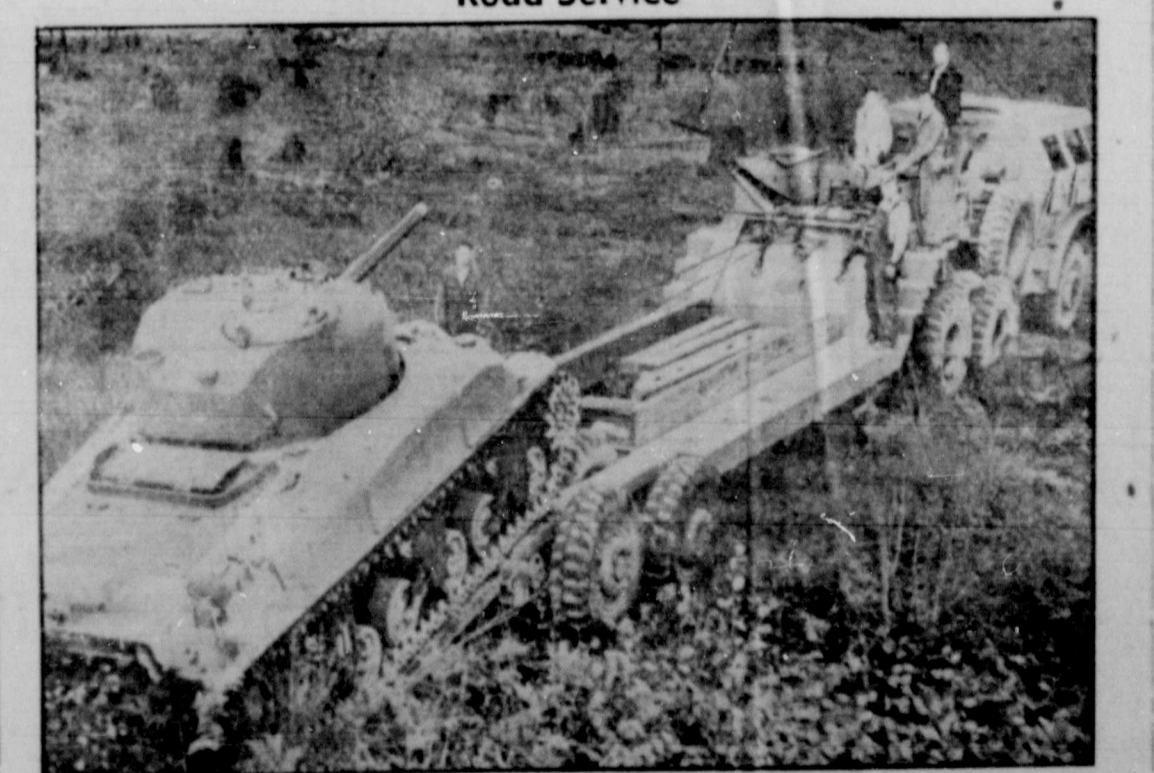
An informal musical program
was given by Mrs. Mac Tarver,
Mrs. C. L. Sloan Jr. and Mrs.
Daisy Irene Haynes.

The guest book, a gift of Mr.
and Mrs. Charles Baldwin of
Lamesa who were attendants at
their wedding, was presided over
by Mrs. W. C. Dickey.

Many guests called to extend
their best wishes.

Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin were
married at Woods, Panola Coun-
ty. They moved to Memphis in
1907 where Mr. Baldwin was en-
gaged in the mercantile business
for 25 years. Mrs. Baldwin, be-
fore her marriage, was Irene
Walker. Her family came from
South Carolina and his parents
were from Alabama.

Out of town members of the
family present were: Staff Sgt.
W. B. Baldwin of Chattanooga,
Tenn., Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Haynes
and daughter, Daisy Irene, of Ty-
ler, Dr. and Mrs. Alvin Baldwin
Jr. and daughter, Patsy, of Dal-
las, Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Baldwin
and children, Linda and Byron
Alvin of Pineville, Louisiana.



This is how the Army takes damaged tanks from the battlefield to an ordnance repair depot. The powerful tractor-drawn trailer—designated M-25—can haul a 30-ton General Sherman or two light tanks.

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SOCIETY

Miss Bettye Fultz and Curtis Harrell Marry Christmas Day

Miss Bettye Frances Fultz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Fultz of Memphis, became the bride of Curtis Harrell, Machinist Mate second class, U. S. Naval Reserve, Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The single ring ceremony was read in the home of Rev. E. L. Yeats, pastor of the First Methodist Church.

The wedding music was played by Mrs. Yeats.

Miss Gloria Scott, the bride's only attendant, wore a blue dress with matching accessories. Her corsage was of pink roses.

Corp. Jim Caviness of Jacksonville, Fla., was best man.

The bride wore a three piece blue wool suit with pink accessories and a corsage of single roses and baby breath. For the traditional "something old" she wore her mother's pearls and for "something blue" she carried a blue handkerchief atop her white Bible. She wore a cameo ring for "something borrowed."

Miss Dortha Fultz, the bride's sister, was the only guest.

Following a reception at the home of the groom's parents, the couple left for a short wedding trip.

Mrs. Harrell is a graduate of Memphis High School with the class of 1942. She attended T C U at Fort Worth.

Harrell graduated from Memphis High School with the class of 1940. He is now spending a 30 day leave here before reporting to Camp Parks, Calif.

Machinist's Mate Harrell has recently returned to the States from the Southwest Pacific where he had been for the past 17 months with the Navy Seabees. Prior to his enlistment in 1942, he was employed with The Memphis Democrat.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Miller of Shamrock visited here during the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. J. A. Merriek.

Christmas Buffet Dinner is Held in Home of Mrs. Dickey

Mrs. W. C. Dickey was hostess Tuesday evening, December 21, for the annual Christmas dinner of the Delphian club.

The buffet dinner was served from a lace covered table with Mrs. B. B. McMillan and Mrs. Clyde Milam at the silver service. The social committee was co-hostesses.

The suggestion of Christmas season was carried out in the decorations. Mrs. J. L. Barnes gave the devotional.

The members presented their gifts to a Bethlehem scene, with Mary and Baby Jesus as the subject of the scene, and gifts were to be given to the Red Cross.

Mrs. Gene Barnett told the Christmas story, "Jingle Bells," a special arrangement, was sung by Mrs. E. E. Singleton, Mrs. Bill Lyon, Mrs. Clyde Milam, with Mrs. Tom Draper at the piano. Mrs. Milam led the group in singing Christmas carols.

Members present were Mesdames A. Anisman, J. L. Barnes, Gene Barnett, Jack Boone, W. C. Dickey, Tom Draper, W. C. Davis, O. R. Saye, Wesley Foster, O. R. Goodall, C. C. Hodges, Bill Kesterson, A. A. Maes, Clyde Milam, Frank Monzingo, B. B. McMillan, J. S. McMurry, E. E. Singleton, Clarence Stroehle, J. W. True, R. H. Wherry, Bill Lyon, and Miss Maud Milam, and guest Mrs. Louie Goffinet, Miss Opal Dell Nuhn of Amarillo, and Sgt. Jacqueline McMurry of Conway Arkk.

Mrs. Bill Johnson returned Sunday from Dimmitt where she has been with her mother, Mrs. Myrtle Crabb, who is ill.

Dr. and Mrs. W. Fitzjarrald of Hollis, Okla., spent Christmas day here with his brother, Dr. J. W. Fitzjarrald and family.

Music Recital is Presented by Pupils Of Mrs. Conley Ward

Mrs. Conley Ward presented her music pupils in two recitals Thursday, December 16 and Tuesday, December 21. The programs were varied, consisting of piano, violin and vocal numbers.

The following pupils appeared on the programs: Yvonne Moore, Sue Lynn Guthrie, Larry McQueen, Sallie Foreman, Patsy Foreman, Edith Compton, Maria Baskerville, Minerva Baskerville, Ila Sue Davis, Clara Jo Hayes, Edith Jo Beckett, La Verne Orr, Jo Ann Hart, Gloria Virginia Howard, Dorothy Jo Jefferies, Darlene Northcutt, Elizabeth Grundy, Anita Johnson, Gereta Gale Graham, Ray Nell Foster, Shirley Dorcas Foster, Margaret Ann Massey, Roy Alvin Massey, Nonalee Ellis, Loretta Morris, Roddy Lynn Patton, Roddy Starangel, Jimmie Bownds, Gladys Bownds, Cleve Mae Tiner, Bobbie Dick Hutcherson, Bobbie Claire Davenport, Patsy Davenport, Peggy Davenport, La Rita Raye Johnson, Laura Mai Hightower, Mary Ruth Anderson, Mary Rachael McCool, Gena Mac Devin, Blanche Sue Dudley, Vanna Fny Sargent.

Speech Arts Pupils Of Mrs. Harrison Presented in Recital

Speech art pupils of Mrs. T. M. Harrison were presented in a twilight recital Sunday, Dec. 19 at the Baptist church.

Decorations in keeping with the season centered around a lighted Christmas tree. A varied program was presented to the audience.

Those appearing on the program were Laura Mai Hightower, Gloria Howard, Laura Ann Thompson, Ima Joyce Evans, Gereta Graham, Margaree Jean Massey, Giva Lois Howe, Jean Foxhall, Bobby Lemons, Sharon Harrison, Charles Draper, Linda Fields, Betty Lemons, Robert Goodall, Deanna Spence, Quida Pearl Massey, Beverly Bowerman, Roddy Bice, Mary Frank Garrett, Ronnie Martin, Barbara Edmondson, Mackie Allen, Duke Friable, Shirley Martin, E. W. Solomon, Betty Goodall, Lois Wines, Johnny Sutterfield, Mary Nell Evans, Rayford Hutcherson, Roy Alvin Massey, Martha Allen, Ellen Leoir, Bobby Carry, and Mrs. Jeff Moore.

Piano Pupils of Mrs. L. B. Madden Are in Christmas Recital

Complimenting their parents, piano pupils of Mrs. L. B. Madden presented a Christmas musicale Monday evening, December 20 at the home of Mrs. Madden.

The following pupils appeared on the program: Nancy Brewer, Reta Jo Hale, Shirley Martin, Shirley Ann Hale, Imoycyn Kutch, Marcia Hawthorne, Mary McColium, Barbara Brewer, Jeanine Moore, Robert Clark, Donna Webb, Diane Meacham, Joanne Adams, Don Monzingo, Lois Wines, Martha Lynn Godfrey, Sue Ann Roberts, Ann Norman and Louise Rogers.

Rural Teachers Have Christmas Social In McMillan Home

The Hall County rural teachers met at the home of Mrs. B. B. McMillan Saturday night, December 18, for their annual Christmas social.

The evening was spent playing 42. In place of exchanging gifts, each teacher brought 50c donation for the Red Cross.

Refreshments of coffee and doughnuts were served to Mary Foreman, county superintendent; Inez Mason, assistant superintendent; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Morris and Loretta, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wheeler and Chester Borders of Plaska; Lorena Miller and Mildred Stark of Pleasant Valley; Mrs. Chester Borders and Mrs. J. W. Bragg of Deep Lake; Nada V. Offholter of Memphis, and Mrs. B. B. McMillan, Alma Bruce of Friendship and Mrs. B. B. McMillan.

Mrs. C. R. Sargent Needle Craft Club Hostess Tuesday

MRS. C. R. SARGENT—14
The Needle Craft club Tuesday evening, December 21, in the home of Mrs. C. R. Sargent for its annual Christmas party.

From a decorated Christmas tree, gifts were exchanged members present.

Lunch plates were served Mesdames J. H. Bownds, Bradley, Bess Crump, R. Cummings, J. M. Ferrel, H. Newman, T. D. Weatherly, Hampton, George Hamm, Carl Wolf, Glen Carlos, and C. Sargent.

The next meeting will be all day meeting at the home Mrs. T. J. Hampton on Tuesday, January 4.

Batson Family Has Reunion Saturday In Gus Rasco Home

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Rasco entertained Saturday at their home with the annual Christmas gathering of the Batson family.

The family gathered in the decorated home and was served a lunch at noon. In the afternoon Santa distributed gifts from the Christmas tree.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Solon Messer and Jack of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Roberts and James Denny of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Webster of Dallas, Johnny Leather, U. S. Navy, of Arlington, Mr. and Mrs. David Hudgins and Don of Lakeview, Mr. and Mrs. Quin Aten and Shirley, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Leathers, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Batson of Lelia Lake, Mrs. Alice Meredith, June and Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Webster, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Roberts, C. L. Caviness of Memphis, Corp. Jim Caviness of Jacksonville, Fla., and Mr. and Mrs. Rasco and Jerry.

Mystic Weaver Club Has Dinner in Fitzjarrald Home

The Mystic Weaver club had their annual Christmas dinner and tree Wednesday evening, December 22, in the home of Mrs. J. W. Fitzjarrald with the social committee in charge.

The Yuletide theme was carried out throughout the reception rooms. Gifts were exchanged from a brilliantly lighted Christmas tree.

The club president, Mrs. Fitzjarrald, introduced the program: "A Christmas Story" was told by Mrs. C. W. Webster. Billie Jean Stroehle read "Joyous Christmas."

Each member gave a cash donation to the Red Cross. Billie Jean Stroehle, dressed as a Red Cross nurse, passed the collection box.

The following members were present: Mesdames S. T. Harrison, R. C. Walker, Brice Webster, Lee Thornton, J. W. True, George Hattenbach, D. A. Grundy, D. A. Neely, C. R. Webster, Bill Kesterson, Seth Palmeyer, Roy R. Fultz, J. H. Read, W. H. Wherry, Myrtis Phelan, A. S. Moss, John Stroehle of Crystal City, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Collins Are Host at Dinner

A Christmas dinner was given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Collins.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Webb of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Allison and family, J. L. Mack David and Nell of Iowa Park, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Collins of Lakeview, Mr. and Mrs. Walters of Louisiana, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Kerlee of Clarendon, Mr. and Mrs. Homey Smith of Lodge, Jim Beasley of Lelia Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Collins and family, Lona Fae, Samuel, Paul and Walter Blufford and Jim Beasley of Lelia Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Orion Green and son Lee Roy of Memphis.

Mrs. Ernest E. Lindsey and daughters, Mary Lou and Ina Ruth, of Lubbock are visiting here during the holidays with her mother, Mrs. R. M. Beckham.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Sims Jr. and daughter Jean of Panama spent the Christmas holidays here with his sisters, Mrs. L. B. Merriell and Mrs. J. H. Morris and families.

Mrs. Clyde Wilkerson Hostess December 21 For Estelline Club

The 1932 Study club of Estelline met in the home of Mrs. Clyde Wilkerson Tuesday, December 21, for a dinner and Christmas tree.

The dining room table was centered with a large bowl of fruit and nuts with a Christmas candle projecting from the center. The smaller tables were each centered with a miniature Christmas tree.

The following program was given by Mrs. Thurman Hutchins. Mrs. Edward Kennedy gave "A Christmas Story." A duet was sung by Mrs. Wilkerson and Mrs. C. L. Sloan Jr. Two songs "Joy to the World" and "Silent Night" were sung by all.

After the program, the Christmas tree was held with the exchange of gifts.

Those present were Mrs. Tom Young, Mrs. Albert Bailey, Mrs. Hulien Clifton, Mrs. Joe Allen Ballard, Mrs. Thurman Hutchins, Mrs. Leon Phillips, Mrs. Lurwood Moorhead, Mrs. Frank Cooper, Mrs. Clyde Wilkerson, Mrs. Ben Jackson, Mrs. Edward Kennedy, Mrs. Walter Wasley, Mrs. Elbert Johnston, and three guests, Mrs. Walter Lalay of Spur, Mrs. C. L. Sloan Jr. and Mrs. Daisy Kennedy.

Don Q. Tarver, student in Kansas State Agricultural college, Manhattan, Kan., came Friday to spend the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Tarver.

WEEK-END SPECIALS

SUGAR, Pure Cane, 5 lbs.	37c, 10 lbs.	73
FLOUR, Amaryllis, 10 lbs.	61c, 25 lbs.	\$1.34
MEAL, Aunt Jemima, white or yellow, 5 lbs.		26c
BAKING POWDER, 25 oz K C		19c
MILK, Pet or Carnation,	5c and 10c cans	
RICE, 2 lb Celc sack		21c
WHITE KARO, pint jars		17c
RAISINS, fresh stock, lb.		17c
COCOA, 8 oz, Hershey's		12c
SHELLED PECANS, 1-2 lb 60c, 1 lb.		\$1.17
MINCE MEAT, lb.		30c
KRAFT DINNER, box		9c
MACARONI or SPAGHETTI, Skinner's, 2 boxes		17c
CAKE FLOUR, Swansdown, box		29c
GINGER BREAD MIX, box		25c
SOAP, Lux or Lifebuoy, 3 bars		23c
SOAP, Swan, med. bars 7c, lg. bars 2 for		23c
BABO CLEANSER, can		12c
SANIFLUSH or Draino, can		20c
CHLOROX, pint bottle		12c
POST BRAN or GRAPE-NUT FLAKES, lg box		15c
OATS, 3 Min., or Quaker, box		12c
OATS, lg box Mother's		32c
TOILET PAPER, Scott Tissue, 3 rolls		23c
TOMATOES, No. 2 cans Concho		12c
CORN, No. 2 cans Primrose		16c
ENGLISH PEAS, No. 2 cans Mission		16c
SOY BEANS, No. 2 cans		10c
TOMATO JUICE, No. 2 cans Kumer's		12c
TURNIPS, bulk, purple top, lb		5c
SPUDS, No. 1 Red or White, 5 lbs		23c
CABBAGE, Texas, lb.		5c
BLACKEYED PEAS, Calif., dry, lb.		10c
LETTUCE, lg heads		14c
CELERY, lg stalks		20c
GRAPEFRUIT, lg Texas, 2 for		11c
LEMONS, Sunkist, dozen		25c
ORANGES, Texas or California, all sizes.		
PECANS, lg thin shell lb		40c
WALNUTS, No. 1 large, lb		45c
CHILI, 1 lb. blocks		32c
CURED HAM, center cuts, lb.		52c
PORK CHOPS, nice, lean, lb		35c
Armour's Treet, can		40c
BACON, sliced, lb.		39c

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SPUDS Red—15 pound Pk. 65c	ORANGES California Pound 10c	APPLES For cooking Pound 10c
PECANS Lg. Soft Shell Pound 40c	WALNUTS No. 1 Diamonds Pound 40c	LEMONS 360 Size—Sunkist Dozen 30c
PECANS Shelled Halves Pound \$1.15	SOAP Lg. Ivory Bar 12c	PRUNES Syrup Packed No. 2 1-2 25c
Lima Beans, Kumer's Green No. 2 can 25c	Sugar Curing Salt, Carey's, 10 pound can 90c	Potted Meat, 5 1-2 oz. can 10c
Armour's Treet, 12 oz. cans 40c	Oleo, Sweet Sixteen, 6 pts. 23c	
Picnic Hams Half or Whole Pound 35c	Chuck Steak Good and Tender—7 pts Pound 25c	Pork Chops Center Cuts Pound 35c

'M' SYSTEM

NEWS about boys in the Service

ings are modern. That is, a large per cent of them. There was where I heard my first air raid siren. It didn't sound so good to me and I was in the heart of the town when it sounded. Tunisia was not such a bad looking town and Bizerte was at one time a pretty town, I guess. Well, guess I had better close. Thanks again for the package. Answer soon.

Pvt. Leon Bullard returned Sunday to Amarillo air field after spending a 12 day furlough here with his wife.

Sgt. Jay Bruce of Camp Howze, Gainesville, visited here during the Christmas holidays with his wife and son.

Capt. Ed Foxhall of Barksdale Field, La., spent the holidays here with his father, F. N. Foxhall. Captain Foxhall is in the Army Air Forces.

Lt. Lewis Foxhall of Camp Benning, Ga., came Wednesday for a visit here with his father, F. N. Foxhall. He is in the Army Air Forces.

Mrs. E. J. Galloway has received this letter from her son, M. Sgt. C. W. Galloway, who is in Italy.

Dearest Mom: Received your letter dated November 12 this afternoon about five o'clock and was glad to get your letter that I have already read through three times and only 7:30. Gee, it's really swell getting your air mail letters. They're so newsy and full of home that it seems as if part of you are sent with them.

No, Mom everything is swell with me, as you can guess we are camped in an olive grove and the things are keeping me awake at nights falling on my tent. Then, too, being on a hillside I can easily slide down to breakfast in the morning. So you can see we have all the comforts of home.

Gosh, but the rain is certainly wet here. More water has flowed past my pup tent the last two weeks than it rains in Hall County in a twelve months period.

Are all those grown up brothers of mine still at home? Every time I get a letter from you, news comes that another has been called into the army and more planning to go. I don't know whether or not I'm loosing track of the times or that I have been away that long. Boys that were just little fellows, overnight are becoming men, carried away into something that is changing the earth's surface and filling the pots of war. Maybe I don't understand everything that is going on. All I know that what I'm doing over here is good enough for me and will do the best I can. After seeing the places I have been, its no wonder that people over here are continually fighting. Yes, fighting not for just a war but their whole lives, a fight for the merest existence.

You can just visit a town here in any of these countries and find tall stately buildings with nothing in them but tapestry and empty air, built for no purpose at all but just to show that the country was making normal progress. Then on an adjoining street long rows of filthy apartment houses are to be seen packed full of wretched human beings, starving, caring not who rules the place, just wondering about trying to stay alive. What will happen to them after the war is over. Surely someone will help them along and find a better way of living. Its so different—life here and in the States.

Imagine a group of men sitting and talking of the things they miss most. Wonder what cake would taste like; a movie tonight would be swell, just lie and sleep the clock around. You'll hear these expressions at any time during the day "What I'm gonna do when I get back." That's why I thank God each day I live on the western side of the Atlantic and not over here.

Love to all, CECIL

Pvt. Richard Ayers of Buckley Field, Denver, Colo., visited here Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Ayers. He is attending an armor school in the Air Forces.

After spending the holidays at Newlin with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. McElrath. Pfc. Wallace McElrath has returned to his duties at Bowman Field, Louisville, Ky. He received his basic training at Sheppard Field and later was transferred to Bowman Field, where he was assigned to the first troop carrier command and given training as a co-pilot and received his glider wings.

Mrs. Grace Greenwood of Hollis, Okla., received word Christmas day that her husband has arrived in San Diego, Calif., for training in the Navy. He left Hollis December 14 for Oklahoma City where he enlisted in the Navy.

Aviation Cadet J. C. Turner has arrived at Texas Tech. Lubbock, for a course of Army Air Forces instruction lasting approximately five months. He received his basic training at Sheppard Field.

Aviation Cadet Evan Roberts came last Thursday for a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Roberts. He is a student in Meteorology at California Tech, Pasadena, Calif.

Corp. Truett Hardage of Charleston, S. C., left Tuesday after a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Hardage.

Pvt. Billy Frank Hardage came Wednesday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Hardage. He is stationed in the Army at Camp Livingston, La.

PLASKA

By MRS. E. E. FOSTER

Mrs. E. J. Galloway returned from San Antonio Monday where she had been visiting friends a few days. Harold Hodges, who has been in a Memphis hospital, was able to come home Tuesday and is still improving.

C. W. Whitfield, who is serving with the Navy, is spending a 30 day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Whitfield. Pvt. Buster Whitfield, who is stationed in Louisiana, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Whitfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Borders went to San Angelo Thursday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Whitfield. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cunningham left Friday for Bowie and Bridgeport where they will visit relatives and friends for a few days.

Frank Cunningham has entered training with the U. S. Navy. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Woods moved Tuesday to a farm east of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wilkes of Hale Center came Tuesday to visit his sister, Mrs. John Murdock and family. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tinner and family went to Dallas Tuesday to spend Christmas with his mother.

Mrs. W. L. Patton and daughter of Amarillo are visiting her father, Bud Clark. Mrs. Lula Mitchell came home Tuesday after visiting several days in Deep Lake community.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bolin and son went to Fort Worth Thursday to spend the holidays.

Don't Wait Until "Pyorrhoea" Strikes Look at your "GUMS," everyone else does. — Are they irritated? Druggists refund money if first bottle of "LETO'S" fails to satisfy.

Love to all, Tarter Pharmacy

Announcing the... RE-OPENING OF THE C & F Grocery At 15th and Noel —We invite all our old customers to trade with us again. We are back in the same location at 15th and Noel streets where we were until two years ago when we leased the building. —Come in and visit with us, whether you buy anything or not

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bray and son James spent the Christmas holidays in Oklahoma with Mr. Bray's mother and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Lamb of Friona visited Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Orr Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilkes and family of Hale Center visited Mrs. Wilkes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Dennis a few days the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Jones and son Keith, Mrs. Katherine Stanfield and Mrs. J. L. Erwin spent the week end at Levelland.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Harwell have been in a hospital in Memphis ill with the flu.

Emmett Harper went to Sadsah Thursday to attend the funeral services of his nephew Buster Harper, who was killed in a car wreck at Rockdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Owen and Mr. and Mrs. Buck Owen and family of Amarillo spent Christmas day with Mrs. G. P. Owen.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Ellis Christmas day were Mrs. Lucille Foster and daughter Zola Lee of Friona, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dutton and Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Myers of Lela Lake and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ellis and family and Mrs. J. T. Ellis.

Mrs. J. E. Murdock and daughter Billie Frances spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Gardenhire.

Mr. and Mrs. Hub Holt and family of Pleasant Valley, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Rea of Indian Creek, J. G. Whitfield, C. W. Whitfield, of the U. S. Navy, Pvt. Buster Whitfield, who is stationed in Louisiana, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Whitfield Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Morris and daughter Loretta spent Christmas day in Memphis with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hignight and son Shelby left Wednesday for Paris for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Crawford and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hall and family spent the week-end visiting at Lockney.

Arthur Gidden Jr. and family of Houston spent the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Gidden.

Those visiting in the J. M. Provence home Saturday were Miss Annie and Ray Nase of Lakeview and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hall and family of Sudan and Betty Jo and Flora May Hall.

Dr. J. M. Orr and family of Houston came Wednesday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Orr.

Those spending Christmas day in the Ed Murdock home were Sgt. Paul Durham and wife of Childress, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Spry and Earl Spry.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyette Hodges spent the past week-end visiting at Hedley with Mrs. Hodges parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kyser.

Mrs. Lou Hale of Memphis spent the holidays with her brother, J. T. Dennis.

Tommy and Danny Dennis spent Sunday night at Carey with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Dennis.

Joanna Davis and Bobbie Willie spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Blufford Burnett of Friendship.

THESE PRICES GOOD FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY ONLY! Rex Jelly, 5 lbs, 5 oz. 61c Pure Honey, 5 lb. can \$1.45 Peaches, gal, 95 pts. 78c Malt Extract 75c Mott's Apple Juice, qt. 27c Coffee, Schillings, 2 lb. glass 66c Instant Postum 50c Pecans, lb. pkg. 50c Hemo, lb. glass 59c Pimentos 13c Orange Marmalade 35c Armour's Treet, 12 oz, 5 pts. 42c

BEWLEY'S BEST FLOUR— 50 lbs. \$2.60 25 lbs. 1.45 BEWLEY'S BISCUIT BAKER— 50 lbs. 2.50 25 lbs. 1.35

FRESH VEGETABLES Lettuce Cabbage Tomatoes Oranges Grapefruit Lemons Men's Wool Gloves \$1.00 Girl's Sweaters \$1.98 Ladies' Hose, 45 guage 82c Heart Shield Bibles \$1.95 Shaving Brushes 35c

GATES TIRES, each \$18.17 Fram Cartridges \$1.00 Spark Plug Pumps \$3.50 Zerone Anti-Freeze, gal. \$1.40 Batteries Charged \$1.00 Red Anchor Egg Mash, 100 lbs. \$4.00 Red Anchor Egg Mash pellets, 100 lbs. \$4.07 K B Egg Mash, 100 lbs. \$3.35 K B Egg Mash Pellets, 100 lbs. \$3.45 Ground Wheat, 100 lbs. \$2.85

MARKET Kraft Dinner 3 for 25c Oleo, Armour's Banner, lb. 25c Bacon, dry salt, No. 1 25c Cheese, grated, 3 pkgs. 25c

COAL Blacksmith \$18.00 Colorado Nut \$10.50 Colorado Lump \$12.00 Prices are per ton on yard

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RED HOT VALUES Coffee, Admiration, lb. 32c Lemons, 360 size, doz. 30c Oranges, dozen 33c GREEN BEANS, lb. 15c Celery, stalk 19c Lettuce, lg heads 15c Turnips and tops, bunch 10c Turnips, purple tops, lb 5c FLOUR, Amaryllis, 10 lb. 59c 25 lbs. \$1.33 Fruit Cocktail, No. 1 can 21c Peaches, No. 2 1-2 can 25c Peas, Mission, No. 2 can 16c Corn, Primrose, No. 2 can 16c Tomatoes, No. 2 can 12c Grapefruit Juice, 46 ozs. 32c Bacon, sliced, lb. 35c Lunch Meat, Assorted, lb. 33c Cured Ham, center slices, lb. 52c Pork or Beef Roast, lb. 32c Oleo Margarine, lb. 25c MILK can 5c Post Toasties, lg. size 14c Post Bran, lg pkg 14c FRESHEST VEGETABLES IN TOWN MEMPHIS GROCERY CO. Telephone 246 O. S. Goodpasture S. Side Square

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Locals and Personals

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Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Gilmore and son Jerry and Mrs. Gene Lindsey visited Christmas day in Turkey with his mother, Mrs. H. Gilmore and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Foxhall of Little Rock, Ark., visited here during the holidays with his father, F. N. Foxhall.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Stilwell and children, Doris, Gayle and Glen, spent the Christmas holidays in Bowie with relatives. Doris returned Sunday and Mr. and Mrs. Stilwell and the other children returned Tuesday from a trip to Dallas.

Miss Jane Tarver, student in Texas University, Austin, came Tuesday of last week to spend the holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Tarver.

Mrs. L. O. Dennis and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Vallance and children of Clarendon visited Christmas day in Hollis, Okla., with Mrs. Dennis' mother, Mrs. W. R. Foster, and her brother, Harmon Foster of Maywood Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Graham and children, Gereta and Ted, visited during the Christmas holidays in Duncan, Okla., with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard returned Tuesday from Abilene where they visited with their daughter, Mrs. A. L. Galley, and their sons, C. R. Kinard and Dwight Kinard of Clinton, Miss. Dwight is in the Naval Reserve and is attending school in Mississippi.

Miss Velma Johnston visited during the holidays in Quannah with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Johnston. Miss Beatrice Dunn returned home with her for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Mied last week-end in Amarillo with their daughter, Mrs. Nelson Combest and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Webb and children visited during the holidays with relatives in Terrell.

Mrs. Mary Bownds left Saturday for Dallas for a visit with her son, Clark Bownds, and family.

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Mrs. Furman Williamson and Mrs. William Lavender visited during the holidays in San Antonio with their husbands, who are aviation cadets stationed there with the Army Air Forces.



Roy Monroe was born December 25 to Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Craighead of Plaska. He weighed 8 pounds and 5 ounces.

A boy was born December 25 to Mr. and Mrs. James Utah Hinson. James Allen weighed 7 pounds and 6 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvan Lee Copeland are the parents of a boy born December 27. He weighed 6 pounds and 4 ounces and was named Jerry Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar H. Griffin of Amarillo are the parents of a boy born December 25.

Captain and Mrs. A. L. Galley of Abilene are the parents of a son, Donald William, born December 27. Mrs. Galley is the former Jerry Kinard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard.

Mrs. Lonnie Edmondson returned Sunday from Amarillo where she visited with her daughter, Mrs. Robert Johnson and husband. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson accompanied her home, but returned Sunday night to Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Martindale of Childress visited here Saturday with his sister, Mrs. John Dennis and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Maddox and son of Anton visited here during the Christmas holidays with his mother, Mrs. T. J. Hampton.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Lindsey visited during the Christmas holidays in Lubbock with their daughter, Mrs. Norman Heath and husband.

Miss Billy Jo Prater, student in T. C. U. Fort Worth, came last week to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Prater.

Mrs. Robert D. Mauck and daughter Barbara Ann and Mr. and Mrs. Gieson visited last week-end in Tyler with Mrs. Mauck's husband, Pvt. Mauck who is stationed at Camp Fannin.

Otey Watkins spent Saturday and Sunday in Hedley with relatives.

Miss Ruth Stice spent the Christmas holidays in Amarillo with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Stice.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Thompson and daughters have moved here from Pampa. He is leaving soon for service in the armed forces.

Miss Bess Ayers of Amarillo visited here during the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Ayers.

Mrs. Leon Randolph left Wednesday of last week for Sulphur Springs for a visit with her father.

Mrs. R. C. Walker spent the holidays in Cleburne with her son, Ingram Walker and family.

Mrs. Ivan Graham and daughter Laddie, Cecile and Frances, of Amarillo spent last week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Moreman.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Bain and son Robert Olin of Clarendon spent Christmas here with his mother, Mrs. Emma Baskerville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Brice Webster returned Monday to Dallas after spending the Christmas holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brice Webster.

Mrs. Bud Crump and daughter Carolyn of Lubbock came Wednesday of last week to spend the Christmas holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Hayes. Private Crump, of Lubbock Army air field, came to spend Christmas day here, but returned to Lubbock Sunday and Mrs. Crump remained for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Goffinet and daughter, Juanella, visited last week-end in Amarillo with her mother, Mrs. D. K. Wilkerson.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Brantley and sons of Austin visited here during the Christmas holidays with relatives.

Mrs. Hugh Crawford and children spent Christmas day in Hedley with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Craver.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Manley of Amarillo spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. H. F. Adcock.

Miss Dorothy Browning of Dallas visited here during the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Browning.

Mrs. Tom Salem and Mrs. L. J. Campbell visited last week-end in Shamrock with relatives.

L. F. Jones, who is employed at Pantex, Amarillo, visited here last week-end with his parents.

Mrs. Elmer Fisher visited during the Christmas holidays in Tyler with her husband, who is stationed at Camp Fannin.

Dean Morgensen, student in Oklahoma University, Norman Okla., visited here during the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Morgensen.

Miss Jane Harris of Amarillo visited here Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Jones spent the Christmas holidays in Midland with her daughter, Mrs. Robert Roark and family.

Miss Faye Rasco of Amarillo visited here last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Rasco.

Mrs. Kedron Ward of Amarillo visited here during the Christmas holidays with her mother, J. A. Merrick, and her daughter Mrs. Billy Thompson.

Miss Jean Crowder of Albany visited here last week-end with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Householder and son Ralph Jr. of Amarillo visited here last week-end with her sister, Mrs. J. S. McMurry.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Emory Barton and son of Denton visited here during the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Webster.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wells of San Angelo came Wednesday of last week for a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Guest.

Classified

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—White faced heifer yearling, D-bar on left side. Strayed some time about first of June. Horns snapped. Bob Roberts. 27-3p

LOST—Key case and keys, with name tag. Reward. Finder return to Democrat office or W. J. Bragg. 1p

LOST—Somewhere on square in Memphis Saturday, cottonseed check. Finder please leave at Democrat office. W. W. Richards. 28-2c

FOR SALE—Two black and walker puppies, boards. See J. A. Smith, ingside addition, Memphis P. O. Box 767.

FOR SALE—10 milk cows cated at Moreman's farm of town.

FOR SALE—2 granaries, iron roof; one 12x24, three partitions, sheet-iron roof, F-20 Farmall with engine, one 1941 Ford DeLuxe, rubber. Billy Salmon, Texas.

FOR SALE—Oliver 70 fully equipped, in good order. C. W. Broome.

FOR SALE—Hegari by Herlie Moreman, Brice.

FOR WATKINS PRODUCT see T. J. Bennett, 1414 Street.

W. H. HAWTHORNE Machine Factory, renovating, new tresses. Will make small automobiles. W. H. Hawthorne, Memphis, Texas.

STATIONERY—Bonnie Brice latest in fancy stationery, plain or printed. Makes nice gifts; especially nice for in service. Order now.

Wanted

WANTED—Going to Bakersville, Calif., Saturday, want three passengers. Eugene McBee, telephone 329M. 1c

WANTED TO BUY—Loan rejection 3-4 inch staple cotton. See W. H. Hill and J. D. Shackle, east side of square, before you sell. 28-3p

WANTED—500,000 rats to kill with Ray's New Improved rat killer. Harmless to anything but rats and mice. Prepared baits and liquids. Guaranteed at Tarver's Drug. 20-26p

Special Notice

IN CASE you need a practical nurse, call Mrs. May Dennis, Camp Alhambra, Cabin 3. 29-2p

FOR RENT—Two or three room apartment. Apply on Sunday at 1521 Montgomery. 1p

SPECIAL NOTICE

I REPAIR all kinds stoves, sewing machines, clocks. See me at Mrs. T. R. Frank's residence, 603 South 6th. Phone 274W. Can do the work at your home. Henry Steele. 26-4p

PERMANENT WAVE, 59¢! Do your own Permanent with Charm-Kurl Kit. Complete equipment, including 40 curlers and shampoo. Easy to do, absolutely harmless. Praised by thousands including Fay McKenzie, glamorous movie star. Money refunded if not satisfied. 25-10p

For Sale

FOR SALE—Shade trees, evergreens, shrubs. If you need anything in the nursery line, place your order now as the stock is limited. N. M. Lindsey, 1320 Montgomery. 4p

WEATHERLY

By COLLEEN WEATHERLY

(Crowded out last week)

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dunn and family of Dumas are home with Mrs. A. J. Weatherly to spend Christmas.

Dorothy Damron and brother Bill January visited her sister at Plaska Sunday.

Mrs. Earl Imel is improving very nicely after her illness.

Mr. and Mrs. John Imel and sons spent Saturday night with W. E. Wellman.

Mrs. A. J. Weatherly and June Lee spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Gardenhire of Lakeview.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Sanders visited in Turkey Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Goldsmith and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Weatherly and son spent Saturday night with Chester Weatherly.

Mr. and Mrs. John Imel and

Big Boy Byars Big and Better Bargain

The House of Wonder On the Square South Side

Over 200 pairs of good used mens and children's boots, shoes that must sell. Also used clothes of all kinds. Not refuse any reasonable amount on anything in stock, which includes stoves and heaters of several kinds. Cooking stoves, Home Comfort range, or coal cook stoves, bedsprings and bedding, pecan roasted peanuts, cheap. All-gallon milk can and luggage, as practically new tent, wringer with tub attached, all good wash tubs, 7-foot ladder, 50 gallon new oil filled with kerosene; high quality gas range. I guarantee patronage given me due to lack of floor space and interested in buying more now. W. W. Byars, 50 South Square, Jimmy Gene Smiley, of Lakeview, for See W. W. Byars, House of Wonders.

Palace

New Years' Eve Prevue Starting at 11:30 p. m.

"MOONLIGHT IN VERMONT"
Gloria Jean, Fay Helm

SATURDAY ONLY—
"The KANSAN"
Richard Dix Jane Wyatt

Saturday Night Prevue Sunday-Monday
"TRUE to LIFE"
Mary Martin, Franchot Tone

TUES.-WED.-THURS.
"WATCH on the RHINE"
Bette Davis, Paul Lukas

BARGAIN DAY
Friday Only, Dec 31
"Calaboose"
Jimmy Rogers Noah Beery Jr.

Ritz

SATURDAY ONLY.
"Stranger from Pecos"
Johnny Mack Brown

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"HERE COMES KELLY"
Joan Woodbury Eddie Quillan

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Mrs. Furman Williamson and Mrs. William Lavender visited during the holidays in San Antonio with their husbands, who are aviation cadets stationed there with the Army Air Forces.

Defense is Pretense without HEALTH

You are hearing much, these days, about National Defense. An important consideration is just this: Health is our first defense. No country is stronger than its citizenry. As individuals, it is your duty to get well and to keep well. How is your health? Consult a reputable Physician, if there's need to do so. And we hope, of course, that we may have the privilege of compounding his prescriptions.

Durham-Jones Pharmacy

RELIABLE PRESCRIPTIONS

HEALTH IS OUR FIRST DEFENSE

No Sale Was Held Tuesday Due to Bad Weather, but Regardless of Weather from Now On

Every Tuesday

A Sale Will Be Held at the Sales Barn

B & M LIVESTOCK COMMISSION CO.

SPECIAL VALUES

—Special values in merchandise, bought either in December or July, attracts our attention if we find quality goods at uniformly low prices.

—We have always believed in a "live and let live" policy of doing business. We believe that it pays the biggest dividends in the long run. We have never lost sight of the fact that some of the biggest dividends come from friendship and good will. We seek those two things along with your trade.

Carbolonium, kills blue bugs and mites, gal.	\$1.50
Lee's Germeozone conditioner for chicks.	.40c
Alfalfa Hay, bale	\$1.00
Egg Mash, 100 lb sack	\$3.25
Finely ground maize heads, 100 lbs.	\$2.25
Morton's plain block salt	.50c
Marathon Auto Oils, 5 quart can	.90c
Native Pecans, nice size, lb.	.30c
Paper shell Pecans, pound	.40c
16 percent Dairy Ration, 100 lbs.	\$3.10

BISHOP GRAIN & COAL CO.

City Rural Delivery Phone 84

Good Will

UNRATON

Dr. Pepper

BUY BONDS TO HASTEN "PEACE ON EARTH"

sons are spending the Christmas holidays in Oklahoma with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Burke.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hill daughters visited in the home Chester Weatherly Friday night.

A 62-Year Record of 2-Way Help

FOR WOMEN suggests you try

CARDU

*See directions on label

Your Home Paper

The Voice of Upper Red River Valley

PLAUME LIV

FOURTH WAR BOND STARTS JANUARY 18

Quota of \$479,000 Assigned to Hall County for Drive

Designed to place more bonds in the hands of plain citizens than ever before...

This total quota of \$479,000, \$4,000 is to be purchased in the county...

Our job in the January 18 drive is to see that every possible one of our fellow-Texans who are yet fighting for victory...

Banks Aid Enlisted Smash Black Market in Gasoline

OPA Says That Theft and Counterfeiting of Gas Coupons is Alarming

The aid of the banks in the black district of OPA is being used in a new nationwide drive to smash the black market...

OPA reported a strong appeal been directed to all banks to assist in the nationwide drive...

Morningside Hotel Destroyed by Fire

Fire of undetermined origin destroyed the hotel in Morning-side addition Friday afternoon...

LAKEVIEW

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Barbara Lee Blanks visited last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Blanks.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey visited in Memphis Sunday.

(Crowded out last Sunday) Mr. and Mrs. Roy and son Don and Mrs. Slim Hinders of Ash Grove visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Oleta visited Sunday. She is in California with her husband in California.

Mrs. J. B. Dure and Faye Whitson visited in Memphis.

Rev. and Mrs. ... and Mrs. Henry ... entertained the teachers Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. ... and daughter ... spent Sunday.

The W.S.C. ... and hot chocolate.

Mrs. Henry ... Mrs. M. L. ... Moore, Mrs. ... Ted Montague Payne, Mrs. ... Jeff Melton, Mrs. G. L. ... Wolf, Mrs. ... Mr. Otho Garde to Davenport, ... Hardaway.

Pat Montague Gladys W. Z. F. Det. ...

Dear Editor: Will try to take a few minutes out before school and let you know my address has changed since I was in the dispensary for three days.

I have been getting the Democrat ever since I have been in the Navy, almost 10 months, and surely do enjoy reading it. I can hardly wait from one issue to the next. Sure hope every boy in the service from Hall County is getting the paper because I know they enjoy reading it as much as I do.

Sincerely, J. B. Richards, S 2/C

Baptists Working On Endowment Fund

All the 28,131 members in the 92 Baptist churches of District 10, embracing 19 Northwest Texas counties, will be given an opportunity to share in raising \$3,000,000 cash for the additional endowment of the 18 Baptist schools and hospitals owned by the Baptist General Convention of Texas...

Included in the other directors associated with Rev. McKenzie are Mrs. T. C. Grundy, Memphis, district president Women's Missionary Union, and Rev. Jeff Moore, pastor of First Baptist church in Memphis.



LT. JOHN T. WARD

Mozelle Harvey of ... and Lt. John T. Ward ... married ... at Langley ... Virginia, by the post ... Lt. Ward is the ... of Mr. and Mrs. C. N. ... residents of the Lakeview community from 1903 ... 1927. He is pilot of a ...

Mr. and Mrs. ... Warren G. Adams, son of ... and Mrs. E. J. Adams, has ... the right to wear the world-famous wings and boots of the United States Army Volunteer aviator.

He made his fifth ... qualifying jump, a night ... al leap identical to actual ... work in Sicily, which completed his four weeks of jump training.

In training at the preflight school of the San Antonio Aviation Cadet center are Eugene M. Farnham, William Howard Lavender, son of Mrs. Mable Lavender, and Temple H. Deaver, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Deaver.

Pvt. Grady P. Fuller, who has been in North Africa since August, is reported to be in Italy now. Private Fuller is in the Med. T. Cadre Co.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Taylor of Eli community recently received word that their son, James E. Taylor, has been promoted to Sargeant from private first class. He has been in active duty overseas over eighteen months.

The following letter was written to The Democrat editor, J. C. Wells, from J. B. Richards, seaman second class of the U. S. Navy.

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That Nagging Backache

May Warn of Disordered Kidney Action Modern life with its hurry and worry, irregular habits, improper eating and drinking—its risk of exposure and infection—throws heavy strain on the work of the kidneys. They are apt to become over-taxed and fail to filter excess acid and other impurities from the life-giving blood. You may suffer nagging backache, headache, dizziness, getting up nights, leg pains, swelling—feel constantly tired, nervous, all sorts of other signs of kidney or bladder disorder are sometimes burning, scanty or too frequent urination. Try Doan's Pills. Doan's help the kidneys to pass off harmful excess body waste. They have had more than half a century of public approval. Are recommended by grateful users everywhere. Ask your neighbor!

DOAN'S PILLS

111 Miles for 50 Cents!



After three years of experiments, John Bowker, left, of Melbourne, Australia, comes out with this solution to the transportation problem. The electric vehicle can go 30 m.p.h., has run continuously for 111 miles. A battery recharge costs 50 cents. Len, John's brother, sits in the seat.

FILE YOUR INCOME TAX RETURN AT EARLIEST DATE, SAYS THOMAS

W. A. Thomas, collector of internal revenue, announced today that he has begun to mail copies of the 1943 individual income and victory tax return to the estimated 64,000 Federal income taxpayers in the second district of Texas.

The collector said, "Although these returns are not required by law to be filed until March 15, I cannot urge too strongly that everyone prepare and file his return as early as possible."

He explained that under the pay-as-you-go system, all current tax payments through withholding from wages or by means of payments on "declaration of estimated tax" are only approximate. Therefore, it is necessary to file a return at the close of the year to determine the exact amount of each person's tax liability and to determine whether he underpaid or overpaid his taxes.

In instances where the current payments were less than the tax payable March 15, remittance of the differences will be necessary at the time of the filing the return. This amount cannot be paid in installments.

Early preparation of returns will be advisable to serve as a guide to the thousands of taxpayers who will have substantial payments to make and need to know how much the taxes will be so they can make advance preparations to pay them.

Dorothee Hagemeyer Dies in Washington

Word has been received here that Dorothee Leonore Hagemeyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hagemeyer, formerly of Memphis, died December 3 in Zillah, Washington.

Miss Hagemeyer lived in Memphis until about five years ago when she moved with her parents to Zillah.

Funeral services were held at the Nazarene church in Zillah December 7 by Rev. T. O. Weatherly. She was 20 years old and was a graduate of the Zillah high school.

Miss Hagemeyer is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hagemeyer of Zillah and her sisters, Mrs. Hazel Liner, Wapato, Wash., Mrs. Viola Menz of Oklahoma, Mrs. Mildred Bales and Mrs. Nelda Daley of Zillah and these brothers, Clifford, Gordon and Arthur of Zillah.

Bobbie Nell Barnett spent Saturday night with Carmor Duren.

I have taken over active management of the

GOOD EATS BAKERY

And, we will continue to give you the same high quality in bread, cookies and pastries, as in the past.

JACK BOONE

Always ask Your Grocer for That

Butter-Nut Bread

TELEPHONE US OR YOUR GROCER FOR YOUR PIE ORDERS

Phone 26 South Side Square

THESE PRICES GOOD FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY ONLY!

- Soy Beans, No. 2 can, 5 pts 11c
Coffee, 2 lb. Glass Jars
Schillings...66c Folgers...75c
Instant Postum, pkg50c
Gingerbread Mix, pkg.....25c
Franks Meat Sauce25c
Pure Sugar Cane Syrup, 1-2 gal. 60c
Hominy Flakes, big pkg.....10c
Chocolate Syrup, gal.....\$2.25
Rex Jelly, 5 lb glass.....61c
Motts Apple Juice, qt.....27c
Gold Bar Salmon, 16 pts.....50c
Armour's Chili, 4 pts.....34c
Raisins, Thompson Seedless, 5 pts, pkg.....25c

BEWLEY'S BEST FLOUR—

- 50 lbs. \$2.60
25 lbs. 1.45

BEWLEY'S BISCUIT BAKER—

- 50 lbs. 2.50
25 lbs. 1.35

FRESH VEGETABLES

- Lettuce Cabbage Tomatoes
Oranges Grapefruit Lemons

MARKET

- BACON, sliced, best grade, lb... 35c
STEAK, Grade A Club, lb..... 35c
SAUSAGE, pure pork, lb..... 35c
LEA & PERRINS SAUCE..... 35c

- Stamped Dresser or Vanity Sets... 29c
Ladies' Hose..... 39c
Hinds with Cream..... 49c
Leather Watch Bands..... 50c
Men's Jackets, water repellant \$5.95

- Spark Plug Pumps..... \$3.00
Spark Plugs..... 60c
Barrel Pumps..... \$9.80
Gates Tires, 6:00x16..... \$18.17
Batteries Charged..... \$1.00

- Whole Wheat, 100 lbs..... \$2.80
Ground Wheat, 100 lbs..... \$2.85
Horse and Mule Feed, 100 lbs. \$3.60
Swine Supplement, 100 lbs..... \$4.25
Poultry Supplement, 100 lbs..... \$4.25

COAL

- Blacksmith..... \$18.00
Colorado Nut..... \$10.50
Colorado Lump..... \$12.00

Prices are per ton on yard

Farmers Union Supply Company

"Meet Your Neighbor Here" PHONE 380-381 MEMPHIS, TEXAS

Happenings—

(Continued from page one)

son, negro—March 25, Sam J. Hamilton appointed to succeed John Deaver as District Attorney, who resigned to enter the Marines—March 31 — Sixty-one men inducted in local unit of Texas State Guard—county exceeds Red Cross quota over \$1000 — 49,382 bales of cotton ginned in 1942. April 8, much needed rain of .70 inch falls—Pvt. John M. Stanley reported prisoner of Japs — April 15, Warden pleads insanity on trial for murder of wife, given 18 years in penitentiary. Jeep parade held to climax school sale of bonds to buy 54 jeeps—April 21, natural gas off several hours due to pipe washing out near Buck Creek — April 22, Charles Leon Duncan reported prisoner of Japs—April 25, Annual Easter Service at City Park, approximately 1500 attend. May 2-9 named revival week by Memphis churches—4-H Club boys enter Cow, Hog and Hen contest sponsored by Sears, Roebuck and Co.—May 6, announcement that no curb service would be given by local drug stores — L. B. Merrell elected Alderman Ward 2, following resignation of H. B. Estes—May 9, rainfall of 2.5 inches. May 11, W. Aubrey Ragan dies following accidental gun shot—May 13, State Water Board sends engineer to make survey of water possibilities — May 21, school activities end — May 27, equipment arrives for

Texas State Guard unit —Ration Book 3 mailed this week. June 6, Estelline schools close —Sgt. Virgil Faust awarded Silver Star—June 10, 8000 packages of cigarettes sent to boys overseas from the county—Victory Council pledges aid in mobilization of Farm Man Power—June 15, Rev. S. F. Martin, pastor of First Baptist church for three and one-half years, resigns —June 16, Memphis Cotton Oil Mill destroyed by fire, estimated loss of \$200,000—Rain, hail and wind destroy crops — June 24, County tops quota during War Loan Drive in April—Old Settlers Reunion set for July 29 at City Park—over 2000 pounds of tin brought to free matinee — Lions club officers installed — Burns are fatal to 14 year old Otho Jones, Jr. — Bill Craft, Billy Hancock, J. C. Widener and Mack Richards awarded Lone Star Farmer degree. July 15, Little decline shown in deposits at mid-year, total of \$2,986,556.98 in three banks of county—July 22, final compliance work on crops started by AAA—July 29, Lt. Dennis Coker of Turkey reported missing in action in Burma. August 2, High of 114 degrees registered—Completion of highway paving on Farm to Market highway—35000 attend Old Settlers Reunion at City Park — Schools to open August 30 — August 12, Jim Hutchins high in rifle practice at 4-H Encampment — August 19, E. A. Deering elected superintendent of Lakeview schools — Temperature drops to 68 degrees — Another shipment of cigarettes sent to

Palm-Hopping the Japs at Madang



Low-flying B-25 bombers nearly skim the palm-tops in a run over the bay at Madang, New Guinea. Smoke haze in the background marks destruction caused to Jap installations at nearby Alex by B-24 bombers in a parallel attack. Smoke puff in middle is enemy ack-ack.

boys overseas — August 26, quota of \$642,300 set for county in Third War Loan Drive —Mrs. Pauline Knight appointed Chief Clerk of local draft board, following resignation of W. J. Bragg — 1943 Cotton Loan rates announced higher —Rural schools opening — Five bales of cotton ginned in county by August 26 —W. T. Hightower elected Alderman to fill unexpired term of N. E. Burk, deceased. September 2, letter received from Rusty Sanders, prisoner of Japs — September 16, Allen C. Grundy appointed county attorney, following resignation of H. D. Stringer, who went to Washington to accept a defense job—Rev. T. T. Posey of Wellington, moves to Memphis and accepts pastorate of First Christian church — Local draft board moved to new quarters — September 23, Anderson-Clayton buys Memphis Oil Mill stock — Rev. Jeff Moore accepts pastorate of First Baptist church, coming here from Claude — People's State Bank opened in Turkey with J. E. Barnhill as president — September 30, two year sentence given Sonny Mason in killing of Red Bishop—Former Memphis boy, S. Sgt. E. G. Christensen killed in action—September 16, Glen Barker of Turkey dies in England — Tests show ample supply of good water near town. October 7, Edward Koeninger awarded the American Farmer degrees—Start of drilling of wild cat oil test on Troy Broome farm —October 14, Harold Romy wins first in Amarillo swine show — Registration for Ration Book Four set for October 21, 22, 23 — United War Chest Drive started October 25—October 28, Jesse Finch, negro, killed in car wreck — Gladys Johnsey appointed county clerk, following resignation of Murray Dial, who moved to Lampasas County —Hammer-slaying of Mrs. Bessie Blair, 39, mother of four, by her divorced husband, Barney Blair —Bank deposits show increase at start of harvest season. November 4, total of \$539,185 reached in Third War Loan — Douglas Wayne Hines, 15 months in draw — Educational fund for building started by Methodist church—November 11, Scrap paper drive gets good start with school children active, total of 57,379 pounds collected—Lodge gin has damage done by fire — Baptist Church has fire with loss of \$200 estimated — November 18, Rev. E. L. Yeats returned to Memphis by conference to serve his fifth year as pastor of the Methodist church—November 25 plans made to erect Hall County Honor Roll by Lions and Rotary clubs — Lt. John Gilreath killed in action in Italy, Novem-

ber 8 L. G. Perkins appointed Justice of the Peace to fill the unexpired term of Joe A. Merrick, deceased. December 2, Jim Hutchins, Estelline 4-H club boy wins State and National honors and cash awards, Lt. Dennis Coker awarded Air Medal. Mrs. Coker presented with medal for her son at Childress Army Air Field—December 9, Names of all ex-students in armed services to be placed on honor roll at Memphis High School—Rayford Harris and J. P. Drake write cards to families that they are prisoners of the Japanese in Moulmein, Burma. First word received from these two boys since November, 1941— Card received from Virgie Ford, Japanese prisoner, with signature in own handwriting — December 16, first direct word from John M. Stanley, Jap prisoner, since December, 1941 —December Corp. Jett R. Fox wounded at Tarawa — Ph. Mate Benjy Estes now in Hawaii after participating in the campaign at Tarawa—December 30, J. L. Hancock, former Memphisian killed in action in South Pacific —worst storm of season strikes as snow and sleet fall—Mr. and Mrs. A. Baldwin observe Golden Wedding anniversary, December 25. —The Tyrants—

Locals and Per

Miss Frankye Johnson, Arkansas left last week for her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnsey. Mr. and Mrs. James and son of Portales, left Wednesday of after spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. George Hammond and Ballew. Mrs. Myrtle Mason and her family left last week for her home here with her mother, Mrs. Franks. Miss Jo Prater, of Fort Worth, left for her home here after spending the holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Franks. Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Franks read their letter to her mother, Mrs. T. R. Franks, who is a student at the University of Oklahoma. The following were present at the Dorcas Society meeting: Mrs. W. E. Johnsey, Mrs. T. R. Franks, Mrs. T. R. Blades, Mrs. E. M. Dennis, Mrs. A. O. Brown, Mrs. Sam Brown, Mrs. M. Taylor, Mrs. Frank Smith, Mrs. Jeff Auddell, Mrs. Vick Shelton, Mrs. W. V. Coursey and daughter Gwendolyn, and Neville Wright and Virginia Smith. Orville Montgomery of Shreveport was a Memphis visitor for the day.

GREETINGS

Folks of Brice, Lesley, Lakeview, Plaska, Estelline, Newlin, Giles and Hedley, I appreciate you all for your cooperation with me in bringing or sending your mattress work to me. I'll lay any job aside and do your mattresses while you wash or go to the show, shop or do any way you want to wait. My work is firstclass and guaranteed 100 percent workmanship. Call me about your work, day or night. Same phone, 365M.

EARL MILLER'S MATTRESS SHOP

West Noel St., across from C & F Grocery, Lakeview road

WEEK-END SPECIALS

- COFFEE, Folgers, 1 lb Jar 33c
SUGAR, Pure Cane, 5 lbs 37c, 10 lbs 73c
FLOUR, Gold Medal, 10 lbs 69c, 25 lbs 1.44
MEAL, Aunt Jemima, 5 lbs 26c
BAKING POWDER, 1 lb Calumet 18c
RICE, 12 oz. pkg 10c
MILK, Pet or Carnation 5c and 10c cans
EGGS, fresh country, dozen 36c
GINGER BREAD MIX, box 25c
CAKE FLOUR, Swansdown, box 29c
COCOA, Hershey's 8 oz box 12c
WHITE KARO, pint bottle 17c
RAISINS, 1 lb sack 17c
PEANUT BUTTER, 1 lb 27c, 24 oz 41c
MINCE MEAT, lb 30c
BITTER CHOCOLATE, bar 20c
SHELLED PECANS, 1-2 lb 60c, 1 lb \$1.17
CATCHUP, Empson's, bottle 14c
SOAP, Camay or Palmolive 3 for 23c
OLD DUTCH CLEANSER, 2 cans 17c
POST BRAN or GRAPE-NUT FLAKES, box 10c
WHEATIES, 2 boxes 23c
GRAPE NUTS, box 15c
TOILET PAPER, Scott Tissue, 3 rolls 23c
ENGLISH PEAS, No. 2 cans Mission 16c
CORN, Whole Grain, can 15c
GREEN BEANS, No. 2 cans Treasure State 14c
SPINACH, No. 2 cans Standard 15c
TOMATOES, No. 2 cans 12c
TOMATO JUICE, No. 2 can Kumer's 12c
GRAPE FRUIT JUICE, 46 oz can 31c
SPUDS, red or white, 5 lbs 23c
NEW POTATOES, Texas, lb 6c
CABBAGE, lb 5c
TURNIPS, bulk, Purple Top, lb 5c
CRANBERRIES, good and sound, qt 40c
GRAPES, California, lb 20c
GRAPEFRUIT, lg, Texas 2 for 11c
LEMONS, nice size, dozen 25c
ENGLISH WALNUTS, lg size 45c
PECANS, lg thinshell, lb 40c
LETTUCE, lg heads 14c
CELERY, lg stalks 20c
CURED HAM, center cuts 52c
BLOCK CHILL, lb 32c
BACON, sliced, first grade, lb 39c

CITY GROCERY & MARKET
Phones 463-160 J. E. ROPER WE DELIVER

These Couples GET LICENSES

- December 2 — Grady Hilton Phillips and Irene May Bennett.
December 4—Donnell Pierce and Ruby Lucile Meadows.
December 11—W. W. Reed and Muriel Voyles.
December 16—Oren Stewart and Joy Nell Ziegler, Roy Crowder and Veda Johnson.
December 18—G. F. Hudson and Dollie Roberts, Douglas Lawrence and Louise Brewer.
December 24—Charley G. Harrell and Bettye Fultz.
December 28—Harry S. King Jr. and Betty King.
December 29—C. L. Jones and Mrs. Allie Meredith.
December 4—Street (colored) and Dorothy Satchel (colored).

Announcement
I Have Bought The Weatherby Feed Store
and will continue to handle a full line of fine feeds.
The continuance of the patronage of old customers is solicited and an invitation to new customers is extended.
FEED and SEED
Omer Hill

APPLES Bulk
MARSH MALL Cream Whip-O-Lin Jar
Cut Beans, No. 1
Tomatoes, No. 1
Raisins, Sun M
Soap, large, Ivory
Soap, laundry
LEMONS 360 size—Sunk
Dozen
Cherioats Regular Size
2 for
Hemo, Borden, Jar
Ovaltine, med. can or an
Picnic Hams, half or whole
Lunch Meat, assorted lb
Oleo, Sweet Sixteen
Cured Slab BACON
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women's organizations are planning to meet at the rooms of their club days.
There is also plenty of yarn. A new ruling has been made by headquarters that we should do well to note. The supervisors have been instructed to give yarn only to those who will promise to complete the garment within two months. The garments are needed quickly and if we find we cannot complete the work as we planned, then we should ask for assistance. There are always others who will be glad to help. Another thing, do not start an other garment with the yarn left over from the first garment. This is important. When you come for more yarn to finish the second garment more than likely it will be impossible to match your yarn. Then all the work and time have been wasted and you feel discouraged. These two orders are special from headquarters and Mrs. B. Webster urges that you remember them.
To all women's organizations and Red Cross Auxiliaries: Please cooperate with your reports. We are so anxious to know what you are doing. Others want to know too. But many times you do not learn of some nice good thing you have done until it is too late to tell it. You may think that it does not matter but when you have done may inspire someone else and thus much more may be accomplished. Call me at anytime, I shall be very glad to know what you have done or are planning to do for Victory.

Mrs. Wrenn Hostess For Dorcas Meeting
The Dorcas Society met in the home of Mrs. J. B. Wrenn for all day meeting.
Mrs. T. R. Franks read Psalm 23 and 24. Mrs. Minnie Taylor led in prayer. One quilt was quilted.
The following were present: Mrs. W. E. Johnsey, Mrs. T. R. Franks, Mrs. T. R. Blades, Mrs. E. M. Dennis, Mrs. A. O. Brown, Mrs. Sam Brown, Mrs. M. Taylor, Mrs. Frank Smith, Mrs. Jeff Auddell, Mrs. Vick Shelton, Mrs. W. V. Coursey and daughter Gwendolyn, and Neville Wright and Virginia Smith.
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From C



Mrs. E. J. M. Sgt. C. is in Italy. Dearest Mom:

I have received the packages and in your letter much good to believe they were gratefully ever. Being that this Christmas year that passed with you. Man and passed. I mean realize some letters. Your letters and read them imagining what Dad are for. Mom, I wish so bad that I

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Creomulsion cause it goes right trouble to help germ laden ph to soothe and 3 fanned bronchi branes. Tell you a bottle of Creom quickly always to have your CREOM for Coughs, Ch



From County M...

Mrs. E. J. Galloway has received this letter from her son, M. Sgt. C. W. Galloway, who is in Italy.

Dearest Mom:

Have received, I believe, the packages you have mentioned in your letters. They arrived in such good condition that I am hard to believe. Thanks a million. They were really swell and I am grateful ever so much to you for them. Being there with you is a privilege. I have only made things worse. This Christmas marks the second year that passed since I last saw you. Many events have come and passed. As I look back, I realize each day how much home means to me.

Your letters are such wonderful pieces of real home that I read them over and over, imagining what each of you are doing and what is going on. You and Dad are the two sweetest parents that ever a boy could wish for. Mom, I want to see everyone so bad that I catch myself sitting...

QUALITY JOB PRINTING

How To Relieve Bronchitis

Creomulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm, and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough or you are to have your money back.

CREOMULSION
for Coughs, Chest Colds, Bronchitis

LAKEVIEW

Mrs. E. Moreland and children visited Sunday in Clarendon with her daughter, Mrs. Gilbert Lane and family.

Tom Isham was taken to a hospital in Memphis Monday suffering from a heart attack.

Vernon Patten and family have moved to Petersburg.

Mrs. Elvin Mathews and children are visiting her parents in Lubbock.

J. H. Boren of Hedley visited his sister, Mrs. Betty Stephens, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moore visited Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Phillips of Eli.

Barbara Lee Blanks of Happy visited last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Blanks.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Martin visited in Memphis Sunday evening.

(Crowded out last week)

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Springer and son Don and Mr. and Mrs. Slim Hinders of Ashtola visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Favors took Mrs. Oleto Brister to Pampa Sunday. She is leaving to join her husband in California.

Mrs. J. B. Duren and Mrs. Faye Whitson visited Thursday in Memphis.

Rev. and Mrs. Hardaway and children visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Deering entertained the Lakeview school teachers Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Montgomery and daughter Fay and Jay Hoggatt spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Stem at Hedley.

The W. S. C. S. had a Christmas tree and program at the parsonage Monday evening. Doughnuts and hot chocolate were served to Mrs. Henry Youngblood of Brice, Mrs. M. L. Smith, Mrs. Henry Moore, Mrs. Dewey Martin, Mrs. Ted Montgomery, Mrs. Troy Payne, Mrs. Punk Payne, Mrs. Jeff Melton, Mrs. A. G. Smith, Mrs. G. L. Richburg, Mrs. W. M. Wolf, Mrs. J. W. Watson, Mrs. Otho Gardenhire, Mrs. D. H. Davenport, Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Hardaway, Miss Opal Richburg, Pat Montgomery, Jay Hoggatt, Gladys Watson.

Z. P. Deering, Mrs. Ruth Cavin and daughter Mary Lynn of Shamrock are visiting his son Ernest Deering and family.

Locals and Personals

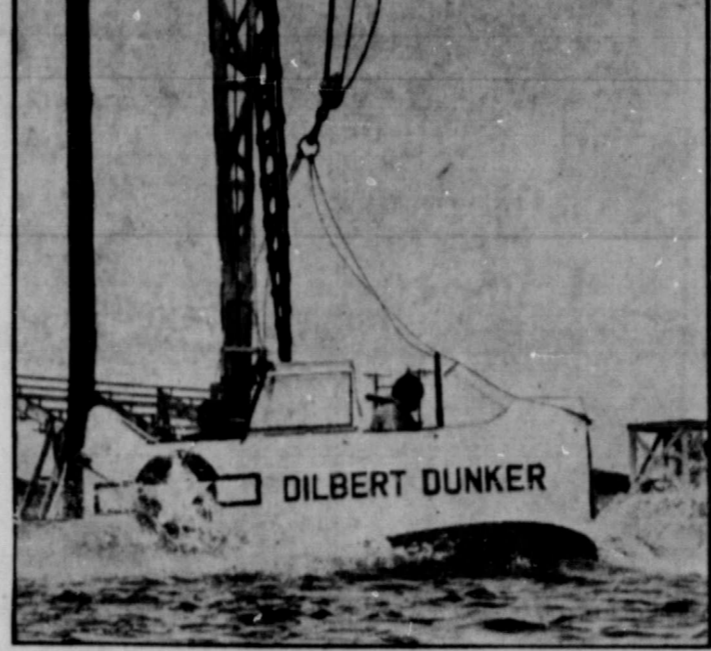
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No. 29, Book 4 - 5 pounds. Expires Jan. 15
- Shoes**
No. 18, Book 1, and Airplane No. 1, Book 3
One pair each - Expires when used
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Palm-Hopping the Japs at Madang



Low-flying B-24 bombers nearly skim the palm-tops in a run over the bay at Madang, New Guinea. Smoke haze in the background marks destruction caused to Jap installations at nearby Ale. by B-24 bombers in a parallel attack. Smoke puff in middle is enemy ack-ack.

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MEAL, Aunt Jemima, 5 lbs 26c
BAKING POWDER, 1 lb Calumet 18c
RICE, 12 oz. pkg 10c
MILK, Pet or Carnation 5c and 10c cans
EGGS, fresh country, dozen 36c
GINGER BREAD MIX, box 25c
CAKE FLOUR, Swansdown, box 29c
COCOA, Hershey's 8 oz box 12c
WHITE KARO, pint bottle 17c
RAISINS, 1 lb sack 17c
PEANUT BUTTER, 1 lb 27c, 24 oz 41c
MINCE MEAT, lb 30c
BITTER CHOCOLATE, bar 20c
SHELLED PECANS, 1-2 lb 60c, 1 lb \$1.17
CATCHUP, Empson's, bottle 14c
SOAP, Camay or Palmolive 3 for 23c
OLD DUTCH CLEANSER, 2 cans 17c
POST BRAN or GRAPE-NUT FLAKES, box 10c
WHEATIES, 2 boxes 23c
GRAPE NUTS, box 15c
TOILET PAPER, Scott Tissue, 3 rolls 23c
ENGLISH PEAS, No. 2 cans Mission 16c
CORN, Whole Grain, can 15c
GREEN BEANS, No. 2 cans Treasure State 14c
SPINACH, No. 2 cans Standard 15c
TOMATOES, No. 2 cans 12c
TOMATO JUICE, No. 2 can Kumer's 12c
GRAPE FRUIT JUICE, 46 oz can 31c
SPUDS, red or white, 5 lbs 23c
NEW POTATOES, Texas, lb 6c
CABBAGE, lb 5c
TURNIPS, bulk, Purple Top, lb 5c
CRANBERRIES, good and sound, qt 40c
GRAPES, California, lb 20c
GRAPEFRUIT, lg. Texas 2 for 11c
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ENGLISH WALNUTS, lg size 45c
PECANS, lg thinshell, lb 40c
LETTUCE, lg heads 14c
CELERY, lg stalks 20c
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BLOCK CHILI, lb 32c
BACON, sliced, first grade, lb 39c

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BRICE

By MRS. D. S. JOHNSON

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Those visiting in the Hilburn Gattis home this week were his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Garris of Brookstone, his brother, Sgt. Hermon Gattis and wife of San Antonio, S. D.

Miss Irtle Davis of Clarendon spent the past week with her sister, Mrs. D. R. Smallwood.

Those visiting in the M. L. Pittman and D. T. Smallwood homes this week were Rev. Lafayette Smallwood and family of Singleville, Kenneth Smallwood of Dallas and Mrs. Ruth Bost of Bryson.

Miss Mary Hardie returned Tuesday to Chicago after spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hardie.

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Mrs. Ruth Ray of Amarillo visited Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Roland Salmon.

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Reappointed Chairman



W. B. Clayton of Houston, Texas, and Washington, D. C., will again lead the Texas celebrations for the benefit of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. The 1944 campaign will be conducted from January 14 to 15 to raise funds for continuing the fight against the dread disease. A great increase of polio cases in 1943 necessitates an intensive campaign with the entire state participating. Mr. Clayton said. All members of the Texas executive committee and all local campaign dignitaries have been requested to meet in 1944. George Waverley Brice of Dallas, has accepted the supervisory chairmanship and will be in charge of the campaign.

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LAKEVIEW

Mrs. E. Moreland and children visited Sunday in Clarendon with her daughter, Mrs. Gilbert Lane and family.

Tom Isham was taken to a hospital in Memphis Monday suffering from a heart attack.

Vernon Patten and family have moved to Petersburg.

Mrs. Elvin Mathews and children are visiting her parents in Lubbock.

J. H. Boren of Hedley visited his sister, Mrs. Berry Stephens, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moore visited Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Phillips of El Paso.

Barbara Lee Blanks of Happy visited last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Blanks.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Martin visited in Memphis Sunday evening.

(Crowded out last week)

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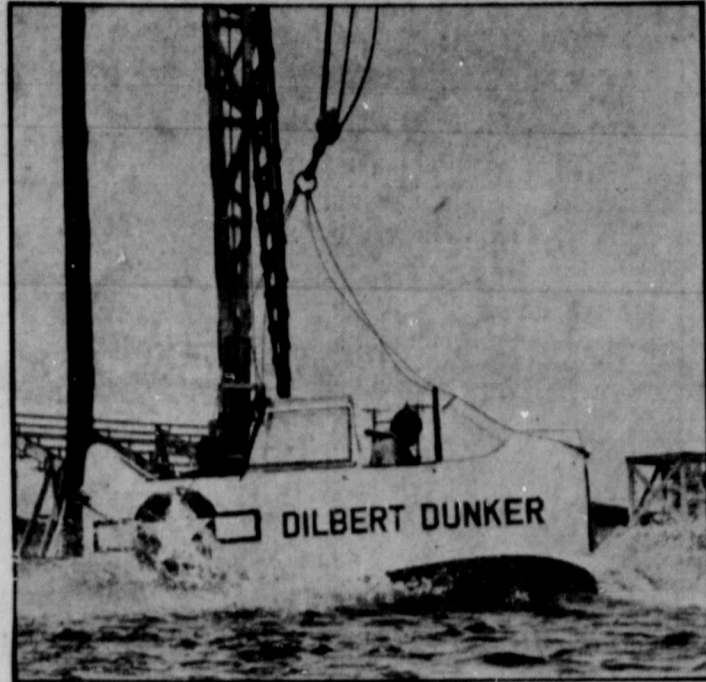
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Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing, or reputation of any person, firm, or corporation, which may appear in the columns of this paper, will be gladly corrected upon due notice of same being given to the editor personally at the office at 517 Main Street, Memphis, Texas.

And So the Chaplain Whispered

As we entered into the New Year hundreds of thousands of the boys in the armed forces are re-affirming their pledge to preserve for us, and to bring liberty to millions of less fortunate of the earth's people. If the necessity arises they stand ready to give their lives.

A New Year's service was held in a Jap-infested South Pacific island so close to the enemy lines that the chaplain's words were barely a whisper.

And our boys knelt in soggy mud . . . their heads bowed, while the chaplain softly whispered a prayer for their safety and victory in the New Year.

And when it was over, they stood up, put their helmets on, snatched up their rifles . . . and started the man hunt that was their daily diet. It isn't a pleasant picture or a pleasant thought. But it's something to remember when YOUR New Year's day was spent safely at home. It's something to remember when you plan to buy something that you can do without . . . and then buy a War Bond instead.

Yes, buy War Bonds throughout 1944. Buy them for your men in service . . . buy them for your family . . . even ask your friends and acquaintances to buy all the War Bonds they can, remind them that they are the world's safest investment.

Buy Bonds—and perhaps next New Year our boys will be back home to worship in their own church.

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ooOoo

Since the first four years are supposed to form a child's character, we can report there'll be no wild man shortage.

Love thy neighbor—especially if he has Victory garden plots that you don't have.

Yesterday is dead—forget it. Tomorrow has not come—don't worry about it. Today is here—use it.

Press Paragraphs

SELECTED FROM THE
DEMOCRAT'S EXCHANGE

It looks as if the railroad men, operating and non-operating, will get the raise in pay to which they are entitled. Their scale of wages harks back to depression pay. They should be allowed a substantial increase. But had they gone on strike at this time, the public would have wished their lot to have been a harder one and felt they deserved nothing.—Quannah Tribune-Chief.

Two youngsters were waiting for The Texan to come off the press Tuesday afternoon. They grabbed the first papers and turned hastily through them. One young fellow threw his down and reached for another. He examined it carefully. Looking up at me he said, "Say, ain't you got no fannies?" When I started to explain that they didn't arrive in time for publication, he didn't wait for complete explanation. Both youngsters threw the papers down in disgust.—Dalhart Texan.

In our opinion plans for the world after the war should be built upon the promise of helping people to help themselves. We do not think it would be wise to impose our scale of living upon other people. Their economy may not be able to support it. We believe it would be better to show them better way of doing things that they might build up by their own efforts and their own processes of producing a better scale of living. To do otherwise would be to cause them to become dissatisfied with their way of living, without the knowledge of how to better their condition. Such a scheme would not be a kindness but a detriment to them.—Foard County News.

Stylists decree shorter skirts this winter. Long range weather forecasters predict a very severe winter—including Old Tack. You can just imagine a bunch of goggled boys freezing to death on the street corners.—Donley County Leader.

They've made up a word that is expressive. It's "crabateur." It bundles up those who gripe and complain about this and that, who mourn the shortage of liquor or gasoline and the incidental annoyances at home during the war, and it brings into hard contrast the lot of the complaining fellow at home and the man out enduring the real hardships along with the danger of war.

And, this label carries the definite and undesirable reminder that grouching and kicking can hurt the nation's welfare at war, and withhold part of the strong and helpful home-front support to those who are fighting and winning the war while still a

He HAS Been Looking Poorly



LEGAL NOTICE

CITATION

STATE OF TEXAS
TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY
CONSTABLE WITHIN THE
STATE OF TEXAS, GREET-
ING:

You are hereby commanded by posting a copy hereof at the Court house door of Hall County, Texas for not less than ten days before the return day hereof, exclusive of the first day of service by so posting, to cite all persons interested in the estate of S. E. Thomason, deceased, and you are commanded to cite L. W. Thomason, Dollie Wallace, Ethel Strygley, M. W. Paschall, Minnie Green, Mamie Robertson, Jessie Wallace, J. I. Thomason, Bertie Gibson, each of whom reside in Hall County, Texas; Vernie Wallace and Hazel Wallace, both of whom reside in Hockley County, Texas; Ike Wallace and Charlie Wallace, both of whom reside in Lamb County, Texas; Dewey Wallace who resides in Dallam County, Texas; Edna Wallace who resides in Deaf Smith County, Texas; Mattie McCrary who resides in Armstrong County, Texas; Richard Wallace who resides in Galveston County, Texas; Vera Kind who resides in Potter County, Texas; George Thomason and Sammie Thomason who reside in Denton County, Texas; W. L. Pirtle and Otho Pirtle who reside in Denton County, Texas; and Seth Lewis who resides in Taylor County, Texas; as heirs at law of

S. E. Thomason, deceased, by delivering to each of them in person a true copy hereof;

And to cite Minnie McBrayer, Minnie Brown, Lora McReynolds, George Lewis, Clyde Lewis, Lloyd Lewis, G. H. Tomason, Florence Farrar, and Seth Thomason, heirs at law of S. E. Thomason, deceased, all and each of whom are nonresidents of this State, and the unknown heirs of each and all of the above parties, by making publication of this citation for one time not less than ten days before the return day, hereof in a newspaper of general circulation published in the County of Hall, State of Texas, and such posting and personal service, and each of them are hereby cited to appear in the County Courthouse thereof on the first Monday after the completion of posting and after such personal service and publication; which is the 17th day of January, 1944, and should they choose to do so, show cause why the application of J. W. Vallance, administrator of the estate of S. E. Thomason, deceased, filed in said Court on the 1st day of January, 1944, Cause No. 879 on the Probate Docket of Hall County, Texas, for authority to sell the following described land, should not be granted, which said application for sale of said real estate described therein will then and there be by such court acted upon. Said land being described as follows:

294 acres of Section No. 7, in Block B, of the J. G. Adair survey, Patent No. 512, Vol. 7, dated September 6th, 1883, and bounded as follows: Beginning at the S. E. corner of Sec. 7, in said block B, J. G. Adair survey; Thence North 1023 varas with its East line; Thence West 1677 varas for the N. W. corner of this tract; Thence South 269 varas past stone mound, being C. L. Benson's S. E. corner at 1023 varas to the South line of said Section 7, and 223 varas East of its S. W. corner; Thence East 1677 varas to the place of beginning.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you before said court on the 17th day of January, 1944, this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Witness Gladys Johnsey, Clerk of the County Court of Hall County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said court at office in the City of Memphis, Hall County, Texas, this 1st day of January, 1944.

GLADYS JOHNSEY,
Clerk of County Court,
Hall County, Texas

Issued this 1st day of January, 1944.
(Seal) GLADYS JOHNSEY,
Clerk of County Court,
Hall County, Texas

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ESTELLINE

By Mrs. Fred Berry

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. King of New Mexico visited her mother, Mrs. Sam Powers last week.

Winfred Rapp, who is stationed at A & M, spent a few days here last week with his parents.

Miss Daisy Holland of Fort Worth visited her parents.

Mrs. Minnie Copeland and daughter, Mrs. Jack Raines of Jackboro visited friends here last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Finis Curtis and children of Willow, Okla., spent the week-end here with relatives.

Buck Richerson and Pinkie Cooper left for the armed services.

Mrs. Lillie Bagwell visited her son in Fort Worth last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bain of Hedley visited in the home of her sisters, Mrs. Tom Wood and Mrs. C. Rapp.

Miss Neta Bess Daniels visited

Real Estate

TRANSACTION

Mattie A. Scott to W. A. section 1, Wm. Ring survey, F. 465, containing 232.65

Beulah Baker, et al, to Hulen, lots 4 and 9, and lots 5 and 8, block 18, key.

Frank Cox to A. F. Ma 1-4 of survey 35, block 4, Me Poitevant survey, containing acres.

Lizzie Baldwin to H. B. lots 5 and 6, block 4, Me First National Bank and State Bank to W. C. Ruge 1-4 of section 73, block 2, P Ry Co. survey.

North Texas Hardware pany to J. C. Young, E. lot 5 and W 10 feet of Block 2, Turkey.

J. A. Brewer, et al, to Rawlins, lots 17 and 18, 74, Memphis.

T. I. Batson to Mary Lee lot 17, block 3, Mornings-dition, Memphis.

Joe Bownds to E. H. Duk tract; part of section 11, 2, T & P Ry Co. survey; tract; part of section 13, 2, T & P Ry Co. survey.

Jessie Pratt to Barney L. lots 15 and 16, block 3, M addition, Memphis.

Bertha Adams Rice to McCoy, lots 16, 17, 18, N Noel's addition, Memphis.

J. M. Dalton to Katherine son Williams, lots 13, 14, and 17, block 29, Memphis.

J. E. Duke to Bettie Franks, first tract; NW section 10, block C-1, L. O man survey; second tract 1-4 of section 5, block 2, Ry Co. survey.

J. O. Fitzjarrald to Wherry, lot 12, block 2, phis.

Jesse B. Russell to R. W. non, 12 acres of land ou 1-4 section 172, D & P S-5.

Mrs. J. H. McHaney to Neeley, lots 1 to 6, block nside addition, Memphis.

Ray McCoy to H. Baldu 5 and 6, block 4, Memph

C. O. Davenport to T. lots 13 and 14, and S 1-15, block 75, Memphis.



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S. Side

PAW, YOU'LL HAVE TO GATHER THE EGGS... I DON'T HAVE ANY HERE FOR YOUR BREAKFAST!

O CAN MA... IT'S ANWFUL ICY OUT THOUGH, MAYBE I BETTER ONLY BRING A COUPLE IN CASE I SLD

I HOPE I GET THEM IN SAFELY... OOPS THERE THEY GO!

WELL, MAYBE I CAN GET THERE WITH THIS ONE... OH, OH, ANOTHER ONE GONE!

DAD, BURN! SOMETHING'S GOTTA BE DONE! THERE I GO AGAIN!

WHY PAW?

IT'S THE ONLY WAY I COULD GET ONE IN WITHOUT BREAKING IT... I'LL HAVE BREAKFAST AS SOON AS SUSIE HERE GETS BUSY!

ELI

By VALDA SMITH

B. C. Stonecipher of Plainville filled his regular appointment Sunday morning and...

Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Phaeton Alexander and daughter Patricia visited relatives at Ashtola Sunday...

Africa. The Mothers club met with Mrs. J. J. Hall Tuesday and quilted her a quilt...

PLASKA

By MRS. E. E. FOSTER

Mrs. Lucile Foster and daughter Zola Lee returned to their home in Friona Thursday after visiting several days with relatives and friends...

Mr. and Mrs. Marchal Owen of Abilene visited his mother, Mrs. G. P. Owen the latter part of last week...

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Provence spent Saturday visiting in the Lakeview community with Miss Annie and Ray Nae...

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Morris and daughter Loretta and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Foster were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Foster Thursday...

Mr. and Mrs. Ira McDaniel of Memphis visited Mr. and Mrs. John Smith Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Pete Williams and daughter, Suvila June and Reba Jean, were Plaska visitors Thursday...

Emmett Harper made a business trip to Shamrock Wednesday...

Mrs. M. M. Shirley of Friona came Wednesday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Collins Craighead and family...

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Shira spent the week-end visiting relatives at Lubbock...

Mrs. Lloyd Jones is visiting at Deport with her father, who is ill...

Mrs. E. J. Galloway and Mrs. Claudine Needham visited Mr. and Mrs. John Smith Sunday afternoon...

Mrs. Paul Durham of Childress spent the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Spry...

Mr. and Mrs. John Sullivan and daughter of Lakeview community visited in the Collins Craighead home Sunday afternoon...

Mary Beth Murdock, Delta and Myrna Joe Boswell visited Loreta Morris Sunday afternoon...

Billie Frances Murdock, Mrs. Ruby Murdock and daughter Jo Kathryn and Christine Chappell visited in the J. H. Murdock home...

W. C. Hignight went to Paris Wednesday and returned Thursday. His wife and son Shelby, who had been visiting there for several days, returned with him...

Mrs. Melbourne Parnell returned to her home in Amarillo Friday after visiting several days with her father, Tom Boswell...

Flying Artillery



"Pistol Packin' Momma," in the form of a North American B-25 Mitchell bomber equipped with a 75 millimeter cannon, is a smash hit in the Southwest Pacific...

Mr. and Mrs. Rea of Indian Creek community visited their son, J. L. Rea and family Sunday...

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hignight and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hall and family visited in the W. L. Crawford home Sunday...

Pvt. Buster Whitfield returned to Camp in Louisiana Sunday after visiting several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Whitfield...

Ira and J. J. McDaniel of Memphis were Plaska visitors Sunday afternoon...

J. H. Foster went to Hamilton Thursday...

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cunningham visited Mrs. Collins Craighead Thursday afternoon...

James Bray left Tuesday for Fort Sill where he will enter training in the armed forces...

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Jones returned Friday after visiting several days at Levelland with their daughter, Mrs. Sam Perkins and family...

Eldon Murdock is ill with the flu...

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bray Sunday were Mrs. J. T. Martin, Ray Martin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Damm and son Jimmy, Neida June Sullivan, Hope and Alfred Chappell...

LIBERTY

By MRS. W. F. HODNETT

Misses Norma and Sybil Wallace, Lorene and Faye Mitchell, visited last Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Chandler of Memphis...

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Watson of Roaring Springs visited in the W. M. Mitchell home...

Elmer Spruill and Pvt. Louis Randal visited in the W. M. Mitchell home last Saturday...

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Wallace of Brice visited in the Kermet Hopper home Sunday...

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Baker and son, T. Sgt. James Baker, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Mitchell and family Wednesday of last week...

Martin Hodnett and W. L. Mitchell spent Friday night with W. M. Jones...

Mrs. Elba Chandler visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Garrison last Saturday...

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Mr. and Mrs. Guy McCleary spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Leon Palmer...

Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Hodnett and family of Amarillo visited last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Yeary...

Mrs. J. O. Watts and children of Washburn visited at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. E. C. Yeary, who has been ill, but is reported recovering from the flu...

Mr. and Mrs. Brown McMurry and son Stanley of Borger left Thursday of last week after a visit here with her mother, Mrs. E. H. Stanford...

Miss Katherine Frances Midam spent last week in Oklahoma City with relatives...

Mrs. Russell McClure returned Tuesday of last week from Rowe where she had been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. McKeynolds...

Mrs. Garold Kunkler returned Sunday from New Orleans, La. where she has been visiting her husband, Pvt. Kunkler...

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FRIENDSHIP

News Letter January 4, 1944

To the Boys in Service:

Si Burnett of Dumas visited in the Indian Creek community Sunday. Mr. Burnett was born in this community but had not visited here in a number of years...

Staff Sgt. John Holcomb left for Fresno, Calif., Tuesday. Mrs. Holcomb and son, John Clifton, remained for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Burnett...

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Durham and Bernice Patterson of Lakeview visited with Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Martin and family Tuesday night...

Gene Stewart visited with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stewart of El, Friday night and Saturday...

Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Morrison moved to Aharillo Saturday. They will be employed at Pantex...

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stewart and daughters, Betty Jean and Bobbie, of El visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stewart Tuesday night and Wednesday...

Alvin Pyeatt returned to his home in Fort Worth Monday after a visit with his mother, Mrs. B. A. Pyeatt. Mr. Pyeatt plans to move his family back to Memphis in the near future...

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Martin, Ronnie and Shirley, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Guy W. Smith and family Friday night...

Mrs. A. O. Srygley says one of her best Christmas presents was the letter she received from her son, Pfc. Clayton Srygley, a Marine somewhere in the South...

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Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Thrash and son Mike and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Manoushagian and daughter Linda of Wichita Falls visited here last week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Pyle...

Pacific. Mrs. Srygley had not heard from Clayton since October 25.

Wylene and Nonnalee Ellis visited in Clarendon Saturday and Sunday with their uncle, Owen Pyeatt.

Winford Brooks writes that he is a ship's cook now and that he has received three campaign bars, with one bronze star and one numeral.

Mrs. C. H. Basham writes, "I need not tell you I hated to leave Friendship as that has been our home for 24 years. We want to thank each one in Friendship Sunday School for the love offering and my prayer is that God will bless each one and keep the Sunday School going."

Keep praying for Victory in '44.

Your Friendship reporter, Vera Smith —Buy bonds—Buy stamps—Call 15 for QUALITY JOB PRINTING

Advertisement for Black-Draught laxative, featuring a bottle image and text: "A best-selling laxative ALL OVER THE SOUTH because it's thrifty and fits most folks needs."

Advertisement for Daily Radio Broadcast: "Wichita Falls, KWFT, 2:30 p. m. Hear DR. E. F. WEBER In his discussions on The Second Coming of Christ"

Advertisement for Omer Hill Feed Store: "We have sold our feed stock to Omer Hill, and it will be known as the OMER HILL FEED STORE. WEATHERBY FEED AND STORAGE"

HANDY POINT CHART FOR PROCESSED FOODS

Point Values of Popular Items, Effective January 2, 1944

Table with columns for food items, weight, and point values. Includes categories like Canned meats, Canned fruits, Canned vegetables, etc.

USE GREEN STAMPS G H J

Table with columns for food items, weight, and point values. Includes categories like Dried fruits, Dried vegetables, etc.

Point values for various food items, including meats, oils, and dairy products.

CONSUMER POINT VALUES FOR MEAT, FATS, FISH AND DAIRY PRODUCTS

No. 10—EFFECTIVE Jan. 2, 1944

Large table listing point values for various food categories: BEEF, VEAL, PORK, FATS, OILS, AND DAIRY PRODUCTS, LAMB-MUTTON, OTHER MEATS, BACON, FISH, SAUSAGE, and BUTTER.

LISTS MOST FOODS RATIONED UNDER THE BROWN-STAMP PROGRAM. FOODS NOT SHOWN ARE CANNED FRUITS, AND SOME TYPES OF SAUSAGES.

Draft-Age Farmers Released for Temporary War Jobs!

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Future Readers



The first baby of the new year reported here by hospitals was Roy Maurice born at 2:25 a. m. January 2 to Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Bevers of Lakeview.

A boy was born January 2 to Pvt. and Mrs. James Curtis. Private Young is stationed at Camp Wheeler, Ga.

Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Howard M. Westover are the parents of a baby born January 4. Staff Sergeant Westover is stationed at the Army Air Base in Columbus,

Ohio. Mrs. Westover is the former Miss Jimmie Fern Bell of Estelline.

Pvt. and Mrs. Melvin Gilcrest of Giles are the parents of a son born December 30. He was named Jerry Milvin.

A girl was born January 4 to Mr. and Mrs. Homer L. Southerland of Brice. She was named Viola May.

Mr. and Mrs. John William Rothwell of Carey are the parents of a boy born January 4.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Mackie of Lefors are the parents of a boy born December 30. He was named Dwight Ashley. Mrs. Mackie was formerly Miss Helen Ruth Thompson.

John Scott was born December 31 to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stroud of San Antonio. He weighed 8 pounds and 1 1/2 ounces and is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Sigler of Devine, formerly of Memphis.

Locals and Personals

Don Q. Tarver left Monday for Manhattan, Kan., after spending the Christmas holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Tarver.

Miss Ruthie Johnson left Tuesday morning for Denton after spending the Christmas holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Johnson. She is a student in T S C W.

Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard left Tuesday for Abilene for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. A. L. Gailley and son, C. R. Kinard and families.

Mrs. R. E. Clark and sons returned Tuesday from McGregor where they spent Christmas with her father, Judge John Freeman.

Mrs. Thomas Kunkler and daughter came Wednesday from Mangum, Okla., for a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Rule.

Miss Marion Ruth Duren left Sunday after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Duren. She is a student in W T S C, Canyon.

Folks in Uniform



"Shouldn't we get flying pay for this?"



A PEASANT WOMAN pauses by the roadside, her bundle of firewood balanced on her head, to point the way for French soldiers completing the liberation of Corsica. Under Axis occupation for three years, Corsica was one of the first occupied territories to taste freedom, when French troops landed on her shores in September, 1943.

Need Any Help, Signor?



An umbrella-protected Italian girl squats down to watch while a British dispatch rider cleans water out of the carburetor of his motorcycle during a torrential downpour in Italy.

NOTICE—Will give away shade trees, honey locust and Chinese elms to anyone digging them up. Mrs. W. C. Dickey. 30-1fc

CHURCHES

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
T. T. POSEY, Pastor
Sunday school, 10:00
Morning worship, 11:10 a. m.
Communion, 11:25 a. m.
Young Peoples' meeting, 6:30 p. m.
WEDNESDAY—
Wednesday evening service 7:30

LAKEVIEW METHODIST CHURCH
C. C. HARDAWAY, Pastor
Sunday School each Sunday at 10:00 a. m.
Preaching first and third Sundays, 11:00 a. m. and evening services.
Services at Brice second Sunday, S. S. at 10:00.
Services at Plaska fourth Sunday, S. S. 10:30.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
SUNDAY—
10:00 a. m. Bible Study
Morning services 11 a. m. Evening services, 7 p. m.
WEDNESDAY—
7:00 p. m. Bible Study.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
John C. Cox, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00
Morning worship 11:00.
Evening service, 8:00.
Wednesday prayer, 8:30.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
J. T. CRAWFORD, Pastor
N. W. THOMAS, S. S. Supt.
Mrs. J. T. Crawford, N. Y. P. S. President
Sunday Bible School, 10:30 a. m.
Morning service, 11:30.
N. Y. P. S., 7:30 p. m.
Evening service, 8:15.
Wednesday Evening, Preyer service, 8:15.

Everyone should attend Sunday school somewhere. You are invited to attend our services.

ELI BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. B. C. Stonecipher, Pastor
Preaching days, 1st and 3rd Sundays of each month.
Sunday School, each Sunday, at 10:30.
Preaching services at 11:30.

We are striving to carry on the Lord's work in the way that would be upbuilding His Kingdom. This can be done only through the attendance and cooperation of all who are His children. Come and worship with us.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Memphis, Texas
Rev. Jeff M. Moore, Pastor
SUNDAY—
9:45 a. m. Sunday school.
11:00 a. m. Morning worship.
7:00 p. m. Training Union.
8:00 p. m. Evening worship.
WEDNESDAY—
7:30 p. m. Teacher's and officer's meeting.
8:15 p. m. Prayer meeting.
8:45 p. m. Choir rehearsal.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
E. L. YEATS, Pastor
Sunday school 10:00.
Morning worship 11:00.
Youth Fellowship 7:00.
Evening worship 8:00.

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Locals and Personals

Miss Wada Webster left Sunday after spending the holidays with her parents. She is a student in W T S C, Canyon.

Miss Jane Hicks left Monday for Denton where she is a student in T S C W. She has been visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. L. M. Hicks.

Billie Frances Montgomery, student in N T S C, Denton, left Thursday of last week after a visit here with her mother, Mrs. Juanita Montgomery.

Clarence Merrick of Alliance Neb., came Tuesday for a visit with Mrs. Joe Merrick.

J. C. McClure returned Tuesday from Floydada where he attended the funeral of his mother, Mrs. Lizzie Sherill.

Miss Gwendolyn Coursey, student in T S C W, Denton, left Monday night, after spending the holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Coursey.

Miss Wynona Caudle left Sunday for Arlington after a visit here during the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Perkins. She is attending N T A C.

Mrs. Clyde Roden and children of Borger visited here last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Mabry.

James Baldwin, student in Baylor University, Waco, left Sunday after a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Baldwin.

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