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SIDE ISSUES

BY HENRY G. VERMILLION

The time of year when New Year's resolutions...

Eastland are the lowest they have been in his memory...

What the people who want places to live are going to do in 1946, I don't profess to know...

If you aren't aware of the acute housing shortage, ask at the utility offices, at the Chamber of Commerce...

I hope very much that Eastland County farmers and ranchers will continue to make money during 1946...

Johnny Kilgore of the Creamery says that Eastland doesn't especially need a whole lot more dairy farmers...

Of course, we've been shipping milk out all the time, too. But that is more or less beside the point.

My own belief is that the farmers here need more co-operation, and a lot of it, Co-operation among themselves, I mean.

I think we have a good county agent in J. M. Cooper, who I hear has bought a home here, and a good AAA man in Emmett Powell...

And the county fair. There has been a lot written, a lot more said, and perhaps a lot less done about this project.

Perhaps we'll have a county fair in 1946, I certainly hope so. All it will take will be a whole lot of doing.

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Names of 67 More Released Veterans Compiled Here

Names of 67 more Eastland County veterans with honorable discharges, compiled by Hollis E. Bennett...

The list: Ellis M. Slaughter, Eastland; Clyde W. Porter, Gorman; Carl Hollis Peoples, Eastland...

Floyd Thurman, Cisco; George Pershing Goss, Rising Star; Earl Clinton Tabor, Cisco; Roger Smith, Rising Star...

Darwin LaFayette Miller, Eastland; Carrol W. Stansrell, Nimrod; Murray Allen Peterson, Ranger; Clarence Sidney Turner, Jr., Cisco...

Billy Pat Owen, Eastland; Emory Clifford Meroney, Olden; Claude Elvis Wheeler, Ranger; Homer Holland Kirk, Gorman...

Capt., Mrs. Frost Here For Holidays

Capt. and Mrs. Cyrus B. Frost, Jr., were to arrive Monday for a holiday visit with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus B. Frost and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil T. Seaberry.

Mrs. Frost Jr., the former Nancy Seaberry, graduated with honors from Ohio State University Dec. 20. She majored in English...

Miss Jeanne Crossley, student of John Tarleton College, Stephenville, and Elaine, student of N.T.S.T.C., at Denton, arrived Thursday to spend the holidays here with their parents Judge and Mrs. Lewis Crossley.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Bennett are spending Christmas Day with Mrs. Bennett's parents in Anson.

First Veteran To Apply For Training Under County Program Wants To Be Cook

The first applicant for training under the new county-wide veterans' vocational training program came in Friday to M. D. Fox...

The veteran wanted training to be a cook.

He had learned the GI style of cooking in the Army (no comments, please, from the rest of you veterans) and he felt he could brush up some on civilian foods and tastes and come out a finished product.

Fox said the veteran will be placed in a cafe, if possible, and also will be given other instruction if necessary. That is the way the program works.

Other veterans who are interested in the program were asked to contact Fox in his office on the second floor of the Sinclair Prairie Building.



from the Court House

MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following couples were licensed to wed last week: John Truman Sims to Joy Lynn Jones, Eastland.

Rufus Heagler to Ethel Reynolds, Cisco. J. Nelson Williams to Betty Joan Pippet, Cisco. Bernard M. Campbell to Mary Muri Simmons, Carbon.

SUITS FILED Nona L. Sanders v. Estes W. Sanders, divorce. Pearl Hafele v. Edgar Hafele, divorce.

ORDERS AND JUDGMENTS M. J. Schultz v. W. A. Schultz judgment. Louise Beggs v. John W. Beggs, judgment. Veda Johnston v. Luther E. Johnston, order.

Tire Dealers Expect Rush Wednesday

The end of tire rationing, to be in effect actually next Wednesday since Tuesday will be observed generally as a holiday, will find most Eastland tire dealers with a good supply of casings...

They expect a tire-hungry public to stage a rush act for the tires they have waited for so long, and most dealers plan a first come first served policy...

One dealer said he expected his tire stocks to be exhausted before noon, or as quickly as he can get the tires sold out.

GARRETT BROTHERS, SISTERS MEET

Miss Virginia Garrett, student of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, is here visiting friends and relatives. She was met here by her sister, Katherine, who is employed with the Civil Aeronautics Authority at Alice.

Mr. and Mrs. John Norton had as holiday guests their children, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Norton of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Weatherford and children of Breckenridge, and Mr. and Mrs. Norton and children of Greensboro, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Jobe and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mason were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie King and little daughter of Fort Worth are the holiday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Walters.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Kelley and daughter, Carolyn, of Austin, were visiting friends here Sunday en route to Abilene to spend Christmas with Mrs. Kelleys' father and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins have as holiday guests their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Beyette and little daughters of Fort Worth.

Miss Dorothy Lou Johnson, student of T.C.U., is spending the holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Johnson.

Students attending the University of Texas at Austin and spending the holidays here are Katherine Cornelius, Ellen Geue, Kathleen Co-ile, and Billy Kenny.

ABOUT MEN IN THE SERVICE

Cecil L. Sylvester, MoMM 2-c, whose wife is Mrs. Trophie R. Sylvester, 215 East Sadosa Street, was on board the U.S.S. Hunter Liggett, bringing men back from the Pacific, and which was to dock at San Francisco about Dec. 20...

Wid P. Crawford, Navy V-5 student at Southwestern University, Georgetown, has arrived home to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Crawford, 507 South Mulberry Street.

Crawford is a 1944 graduate of Eastland High School, where he was an athlete. He is a company leader in the Naval detachment at Southwestern.

E. M. Threatt, Jr., Yoeman, 1-c, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Threatt of Eastland, is home on 30-day leave after service in the Pacific.

He will report for duty at Galveston Jan. 16. He has been assigned to duty in the Navys' personnel separation setup.

Four Eastland men are among Naval personnel recently discharged at the U. S. Naval Personnel Separation Center at Norman, Okla., according to releases from the center.

Edwin Ray Morton, M 1-c of 600 West Commerce Street, served 23 months overseas in the Pacific Theater, with last service with the 110th Construction Battalion on Tinian in the Marianas.

Shelba Hampton Harton, S 1-c, served 30 months overseas in the Pacific. His last duty was at N.A.T.T.C. at Norman.

Sidney Boyd Harton, S 1-c, also served 30 months in the Pacific. His address is Route 1, Eastland.

Bob Newton Howell, Q.M. 2-c, who gave his address as Walnut and Valley Streets, Eastland, served 48 months overseas in both theaters of war, with his last duty aboard the U.S.S. Trego in Japan.

Cpl. Ben W. Clyatt, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Clyatt, has returned home with his discharge received at San Antonio last week.

Corporal Clyatt was in the Army three years, including two years spent overseas. He served with the First Photo Reconnaissance Squadron.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Bains, who sold the store, said their plans are uncertain. McMillan, a cabinet maker by trade, said he intends to handle only new furniture in the store...

County Allocated \$71,225 In Farm Help Program

There has been allocated to Eastland County \$71,225.00 to be used as assistance to farmers in carrying out needed conservation practices during the 1946 program year.

The Eastland county ACA committee, assisted by members of the community committees and other agricultural workers have selected the practices considered as most needed in this county, for which assistance will be available.

The practices selected are as follows: Construction of standard and spreader terraces; construction of diversion terraces; construction of earthen dams and reservoirs...

Since there has been allotted a certain amount of funds it is necessary that an accurate account be maintained throughout the program year as to the amount being earned, therefore it is necessary for each producer that expects assistance in carrying out one of these practices to secure prior approval from the county ACA committee.

The county committee recently elected by the farmers of Eastland County to administer the program during the 1946 program year are:

Chairman, James D. Guy, Carbon; Vice-Chairman, Elmer E. Blackwell, Rt. 1, Ranger; Regular member, Ben O. Speegle, Rt. 4, Cisco; first alternate, Doss Alexander, Pioneer; second alternate, Melvin M. Parmer, Rt. 1, Cisco.

Community "A", Desdemona: Lonnie E. Clark, Desdemona; Robert E. Ryan, Rt. 3, Gorman; Willie H. Jacobs, Rt. 3, Gorman.

Community "B", Ranger, C. F. Jones, Strawn; Charlie E. Hathcock, Rt. 2, Ranger; Jessie C. Belyue, Rt. 1, Ranger.

Community "C", Staff, John W. Love, Rt. 1, Ranger; George F. Bennett, Rt. 1 Eastland; Floyd S. Crawley Rt. 2, Eastland.

Community "D", Gorman, Chris C. Underwood, Rt. 2, Gorman; George C. Snyder, Gorman; Junior R. Files, Rt. 2, Gorman.

Community "E", Morton Valley, Dee F. Williamson, Ranger; Wm. J. Davis, Ranger; Evert T. Boyd, Ranger.

Community "F", Flatwood, Will A. Dolberry, Rt. 1, Eastland; James S. Woods, Rt. 2, Eastland; Herman C. Jordan, Rt. 1, Eastland.

Community "G", Carbon, Willard L. Trimble, Rt. 2, Carbon; Robert Holloway, Rt. 1, Carbon; Coda A. McDaniel, Rt. 2, Gorman.

Community "I", Pleasant Hill, Henry G. Hines, Rt. 1, Carbon; Billy Bacon, Rt. 2, Cisco; Wayne D. Thurman, Rt. 2, Cisco.

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News From . . . CARBON

By Special Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Puett, Miss Anna Puett of Plainview visited relatives and friends here Saturday and Sunday en route to South Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Burns of San Diego came in Saturday for a visit with his sister, Mrs. J. Z. Phillips and family.

Harry Lyn Weaver, of the Navy, came in Thursday to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Weaver. He reports back to San Diego.

Miss Blanche Yarbrough who is teaching in Odessa is spending the Christmas holidays with her father, E. R. Yarbrough and Mrs. Yarbrough.

Billie Carter of Levelland came in Saturday to spend Christmas with his mother, Mrs. M. M. Carter.

Hayden Greer of Gorman was in Carbon Saturday.

Mrs. Marion Hagler, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Clark and brother S-Sgt. Frank Clark returned home Friday. She was accompanied by her parents, who plan to spend the holidays with her and her husband in Eagle Pass.

Rev. and Mrs. Glen Wilson and small daughter, of Abilene came in Wednesday and are living in the Baptist parsonage during the Christmas holidays. They plan to move here at the close of the semester.

Autry Burrow who has been working in Brownwood since his discharge from the Army, has been home the past ten days in bed with a severe case of flu.

M. C. Tucker left Saturday to spend Christmas with his children in San Angelo.

S-Sgt. Frank Clark returned to San Diego Thursday after a 30-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Clark.

Bill Parten who has recently been discharged from the Navy is visiting relatives in Ballinger.

Elmer (Short) McDaniel, who has been in the Pacific the past three years arrived home Monday. He has received his discharge. He and his wife and small son will live on the Eastland-Carbon highway. J. L. McDaniel discharged veteran of the M.T.O. met his brother at San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Butler have a letter from their son, Pfc. Wayne Butler who is stationed in Korea that they are suffering from the intense cold.

Willard O'Brien of Dallas is spending the Christmas holidays with his mother Mrs. H. V. O'Brien and sisters, Mesdames John Edwards and H. L. Thompson and families.

Maurice Sherrill, who recently received his discharge from the ETO and arrived home, was in Dallas Friday and Saturday on business.

Miss Jean Poe of Ardmore, Okla., is spending Christmas holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie, Poe.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Vaughan of Sundown and son James Frank of Laredo came in Saturday to spend Christmas holidays with Mr. and

Mrs. Ben Stephenson. Miss Martha Blanche Gray of Fort Worth is spending the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. Gray.

Miss Elaine Reese of San Antonio, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Reese.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Clark and Patsy of Sundown visited Mrs. A. M. Claborn Saturday.

Mrs. R. K. Justice has received a letter from Mrs. Oran Justice stating her husband is in a hospital in El Paso suffering from a crushed hip received when his car was overturned when one of the tires blew out. Oran is a son of Mrs. Justice.

Students home from colleges for the holidays season are Bettie Hastings of John Tarleton; Olga Underwood of NTSCW, Denton; S. L. Craighead, Truet Guy, of Ranger Junior College; Walda Lee Fields, Inez Wood, Ruby Lee Rice, Dwayne Jackson, Wayne Eaves and sister of Cisco, and Jack Stubblefield of A. & M.

Truett Guy left Sunday for Lubbock to spend the holidays with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Payne and family are spending the Christmas holidays in Littlefield, with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Phillips and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Lucas, of Flint, Mich., Mr. and Mrs. Ben Adkins and daughter, Ida Beth, of Merkel, visited Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Sherrill.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McGaha and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Hale and family left Thursday for Clifton, Ariz., to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Buel McGaha.

Ray Morgan has received his discharge and has arrived home and is with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Morgan.

Shirley Tonn, who has been in the Navy in the Pacific, arrived home Friday night. He has received his discharge and will spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Tonn.

Mrs. Tom Ireland of Dallas is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Overton Stone.

Miss Neta Wiggs left this week to spend Christmas with her parents in Commerce. Miss Wiggs is home economics teacher here.

Sgt. Gene Guy from the AAF in Greenville, Miss., came in Saturday to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Guy.

Mrs. Annie May Payne and children of Fort Worth came in Saturday to spend Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Hallie Seastrunk.

Lt. and Mrs. Sam Stone of the Laredo Air Field, visited his parents Saturday. After the Laredo field is closed, he will report to Columbus, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. Arliss Pierce of Brownwood spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pierce, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Corbet near Breckenridge, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Weaver Saturday.

Mrs. Charlene Irvin, of Oklahoma City and Jack Jordan of Great Falls, Mont., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Jordan during the Christmas holidays.

Jack Whitesides of Sipe Springs was in Carbon Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Speer and children of Port Neches spent Christmas with his mother, Mrs. W. W. Speer, and her mother, Mrs. W. J. Hinez. Mrs. Speer Sr., accompanied them home for a visit.

William Allen of Amarillo came in Saturday to spend the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Martin received a call from their son, Mack Martin that he had arrived safely

from the sea, and would be home for Christmas. Mack has been with the Eighth Air Force in England for more than 2 years. Mr. and Mrs. Martin expect all of their children home for the holidays, except Dean, who is still in Japan.

MR. AND MRS. C. J. WILLIAMS HAVE DINNER FOR SON, BOB

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Williams had their relatives and friends, Dec. 2 for Christmas dinner in honor of their son, Robert Belmont, Jr., EM 3-c, who was home on a 30-day furlough.

The house was decorated in holiday splendor. The table was laid in holiday motifs. A large Christmas tree was the center of attraction. There were many friends called during the afternoon. Robert received many beautiful and useful gifts.

He has been in the service for more than three years, and has been on the Submarine "Kraken" since she was launched in Wisconsin and commissioned Sept. 8, 1944. They made four war patrols during 11 months of sea duty. These patrols took the boat into the South China Sea, Gulf of Siam, Sunda Strait and Java Sea.

The officers and crew of the "Kraken" have received several awards and citations in recognition of the outstanding duties performed while on patrol.

Belmont returned to the "Kraken" several days ago.

News From . . . STAFF

By Special Correspondent

The farmers have been on a stand-still with their farm work for the past two weeks on the account of so much cold weather. However, they have had plenty of work to do anyway, feeding their stock and killing hogs and making fresh pork sausage and keeping the fires burning.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard were in Eastland Monday on business.

Mrs. Dallas Frost is ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. Lillian Wright. We hope she will soon be able to be out again.

Jasper Phelps had business in Eastland last Monday.

Mrs. M. O. Hazard visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. White of Eastland last Tuesday.

Mrs. Maurice Hazard and Donald accompanied by Mrs. Hazard's mother, Mrs. R. A. Parker, were Ranger visitors last Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brumlow were Eastland visitors last Wednesday.

Word has reached this community that Albert Seay of Eastland is seriously ill with pneumonia in the General Hospital in Ranger. Mr. Seay was a resident of this community for several years before moving to Eastland, and has many friends here who wish for him a speedy recovery.

SIGNS PAINT AND NEON WORK QUALITY SIGNS AT LOW PRICES W. T. COLLETT Phone 432 In PAT'S RADIATOR SHOP

Miss Cathreen Canet who is employed in Eastland, spent the week end with her aunts, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Canet.

Mrs. Bessie Bennett shopped in Eastland Saturday.

E. N. Jones accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. La Merle Miller were shopping in Eastland Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Crawley visited in Eastland last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Canet and children were Eastland visitors Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Wright and Jerry of Kermit are guests of Mr. Wright's mother, Mrs. Lillian Wright. They expect to return to their home after the holidays and Mrs. Lillian Wright will accompany them home for an extended visit. Mrs. Dallas Frost and family will occupy Mrs. Wright's home while she is away.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard were Ranger visitors last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Fox and small daughter, Elizabeth were shopping in Eastland Saturday afternoon.

We are glad to report that Louise Canet is able to be out again after having an attack of the flu for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. White of Eastland were guests Thursday afternoon of their daughter, Mrs. O. T. Hazard.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard were guests Saturday afternoon of his sister, Mrs. Pearl Bourland of Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne White and daughter, Betty Jean, were the dinner guests Sunday of Mrs. White's mother, Mrs. Mark Williamson in Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Little and sons, Bobbie, Jimmie and Charles, were shopping in Eastland Saturday.

Miss June Bennett, who is a student in John Tarleton College, is home to spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Bessie Bennett.

Miss Ima Little, who is employed in Eastland, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Little.

Mrs. Lillian Wright was in Eastland Saturday afternoon to do some Christmas shopping.

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News From . . . OLDEN

By Special Correspondent

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Butler for Christmas and the holidays are Mr. and Mrs. Lanham Butler and daughter, Lana Lou, and Reta of Peoria, Ariz, also their daughter Miss Jackie Butler of HSU of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Weatherall has their children spending Christmas with them. They are Mr. and Mrs. Troy Edwards and children of Abilene; Mrs. Stella Knife and husband; Mr. and Mrs. Preston Weatherall of Amarillo.

All the J. L. Whisenant children and grandchildren are here for Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Traylor and daughter, Meredith of Borger; Mrs. Dan Barnhill of Austin; Miss Mable Whisenant of Pasadena, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Williams of Big Spring; Mrs. Jessie Simmons; Mrs. Wendell Hickerson and children; Mr. and Mrs. Jay Duncan and children; and Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Whisenant and children of Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. Cozart of Ranger have purchased and moved into the J. R. Thomas place, formally occupied by Mrs. Jewel Smithers and family.

Mrs. Mary Ford, who has been ill for several months passed away Wednesday of last week here at her home. She had resided in Olden two years and was a member of the Methodist Church. Funeral services were held last Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Dudley, Texas. She is survived by five sons, four daughters, 23 grandchildren, and ten great-grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Hull and daughter, of Talco, spent Christmas here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hull.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ward Robertson and child, of Ranger, and Mr. and Mrs. William Holder and children of Fort Worth spent Christmas here in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Vermillion.

T-Sgt. Doyle Squires visited his grandmother here, Mrs. Mary A. Wright, en route to his home in Rochelle, from Dallas, where he had been visiting in the home of his aunt, Mrs. Cardie Carey and Mrs. Roxi Stewart. He also visited his uncle Young Wright and wife in Arlington, and Raymond Wright and family also of Arlington.

Mrs. Elmer Walden has been very ill at her home the past week, with the flu, but is much better and able to be up.

Pvt. Elzie Earl Patterson is expected home for Christmas.

Miss Maxine James, nurse in the Ranger General Hospital, spent Christmas here with her parents.

Byrd O. James, S 1-c R.M., arrived Saturday from Camp Wallace, to spend Christmas with his family, and visit relatives in Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. Willoughby and daughter of Fort Worth spent Christmas here with her mother, Mrs. Nettie Ferguson.

Cpl. Bobbie Cogburn has arrived home from Camp Fannin, where he received his discharge, having served in the ETO about three years.

J. T. Daffern has been quite ill at his home here with double pneumonia.

Capt. and Mrs. James P. Snodgrass and son Jack, left Christmas morning for Coleman to spend Christmas with his parents, brother and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Ferguson of

Wichita Falls spent Christmas with their parents, Mrs. Nelson and Eulard Sharp. Jim Hammett has returned from Lamesa.

E. J. Allen is some better writing, his children were visiting last week. Odie Allen, and Mrs. Mertie Allen, and Mrs. Mertie Allen.

Dave Vermillion is much better at this time.

Elmer Walden has returned from Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Fisher's daughter, Dee Ann, and her father and mother, Worth spent Christmas the home of Mrs. Fishers Mrs. W. P. Edwards.

Mrs. Hugh Carlton was on business last week.

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OUR WISH FOR 1946 Friendship Oh, the world is wide, And the world is grand, And there is little or nothing new But the sweetest thing, is the grip of the hand of the friend that are tried and true. The PULLMAN Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pullman

Best Wishes For the NEW YEAR Our wish for 1946: . . . that our hopes for you of today will be realized tomorrow and on all the succeeding tomorrows of the year that lies ahead. Health . . . Happiness Prosperity To you . . . and you . . . and you ALTMAN'S STYLE SHOP EASTLAND CREAMERY J. P. KILGORE

Welcome 1946 Around the corner of the street Who can say what waits for us? -James Whitcomb Riley. And who can say what the New Year 1946 will bring? All we can do, of course, is hope for the best, and our hopes are for you, dear people of this community. It is in full appreciation of all the fine things you have done for us that we send you these Happy New Year greetings. LANIER FOOD STORE MR. AND MRS. J. R. LANIER

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Way Division Down On State Cars

It was announced by the Vehicle Division of the Highway Department that Louisiana has issued to its Motor Vehicle Offices not to sell 1946 plates to anyone other than the state of Louisiana. This was taken as a result of requests by Texas and other border Louisiana states had been affected by the issuance of plates to residents of these states in various present time in various states, enforcement of conducting extensive

U. OF T. PLACES STUDENTS IN INDUSTRIAL JOBS

The University of Texas College of Business Administration conducts a Placement Service for students majoring in business, and each year between 75 and 100 students are placed in satisfactory jobs. Mrs. Olivia Reed, secretary reports. Manufacturing, industrial, and business firms in Texas and elsewhere call on the Service for capable students.

Campaigns directed against motor vehicle owners operating illegally has notified such motor vehicle owners operating with Louisiana plates that the state of Louisiana will not issue 1946 plates to them and that it is intended to continue the campaign until the end of the present Texas registration period which is March 31, 1946: It was again emphasized that persons operating illegally with out-of-state license plates may save themselves the expense of a fine by voluntarily re-registering at this time.

Periodical Tells How Texas Gained Back From France

AUSTIN.—How Texas was recovered from France between 1719-1723 is recounted in the current issue of the Southwestern Historical Quarterly, published at the University of Texas by the State Historical Association.

Dr. C. W. Hackett, professor of Latin-American history, relates the story of the Marquis de San Miguel de Aguayo, and his expedition which he took into the interior of Texas in 1722. A photograph of the map drawn especially for the Aguayo expedition by one Don Juan Walker illustrates the story. Don Juan Walker was a first assistant to the Marquis, and accompanied the expedition. His original map is now in the Mexican national archives.

Also in the current issue is a sketch on David G. Burnet, first governor of Texas, written by Miss Dorothy Louise Fields, tutor in government at the University, and a story of the Mormon migration into Texas as told by C. Stanley Banks of San Antonio.

Miss Llerena Friend, Wichita Falls High School teacher, writes of contemporary newspaper accounts of the annexation of Texas; Herbert Davenport of Brownsville gives an account of early steamboating on the Rio Grande, and Miss Julia Kathryn Garrett, Paschal High School, Fort Worth, continues her story of Dr. John Sibley and the Louisiana-Texas frontier.

Dr. C. F. Arrowood professor of the philosophy and history of education at the University, writes on the election of Jefferson Davis to the presidency of Texas A. & M. College.

50 PER CENT OF VETS AT U. OF T. ARE MARRIED

Nearly 50 per cent of the 2,213 veterans now enrolled at the University of Texas are married and the percentage of married veterans is increasing with each term, records of the registrar reflect.

Ultra-High Radio Wave Research On

AUSTIN.—A research project in ultra-high frequency radio waves is now being conducted by the University of Texas for the Office of Research and Inventions of the Navy Department, Dr. E. W. Hamlin, director of the project, has announced.

Dr. Hamlin is professor of electrical engineering, and is directing the \$162,000 project with a staff of 20 radio engineers, meteorologists, and technicians.

The number of research workers on the radio project is expected to increase to 40 within the next two

TEACHERS TO STUDY AT UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS

American school teachers of Spanish will have an opportunity to study at the University of Texas Field School next summer, in months, Dr. Hamlin said. Studies of the Electrical Research Laboratory, as it is to be known, are aimed at facilitating the use of ultra-short-wave-lengths and advancing knowledge gained during the war on this subject.

This radio project is the second research project being undertaken by the University for the Navy. The Defense Research Laboratory set up in September, is developing special missiles for the Navy's Bureau of Ordnance.



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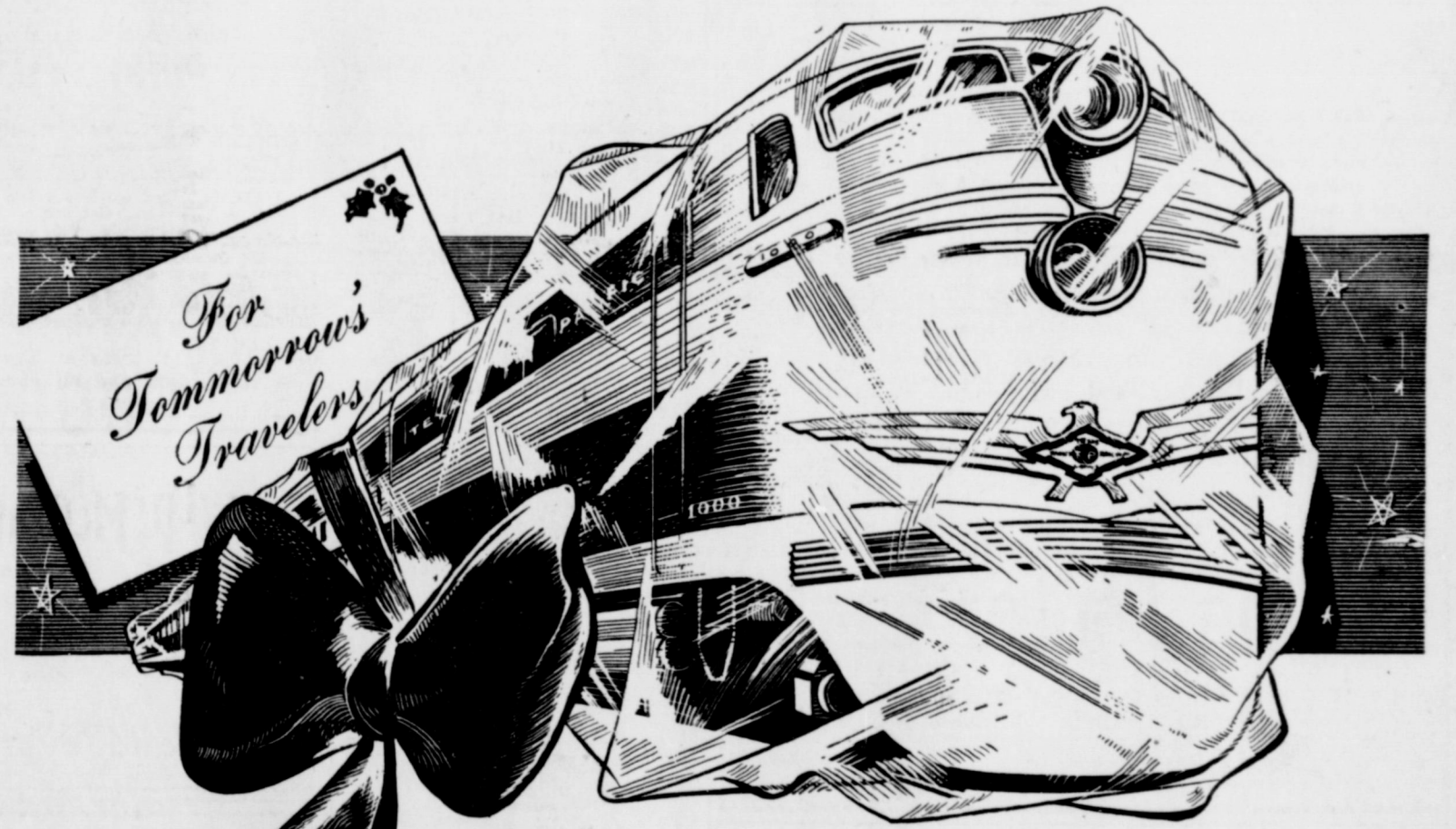
BEST WISHES for the COMING YEAR

★ Step aside, 1946, and let's peer into the future for a moment. We see, for certain, a much more hopeful year than was 1945—a year of promise and of destiny. We believe you see this, too.

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DALLAS, TEXAS

Texas A. and M. Development Fund Being Promoted

COLLEGE STATION. — Formation of the Texas A. & M. College Development Fund to make available immediately the means by which the institution may expand its research and educational service facilities to become the outstanding institution of its kind in the nation, was announced today by A. F. Mitchell, Corsicana capitalist and chairman of the newly organized group. A graduate of Texas A. & M. College in the class of 1909, Mitchell pointed out, "when this institution furnished more trained officer personnel than any other college in the nation, with over 17,000 of her sons in the service and over 13,000 of them commissioned officers.

"With the increasing emphasis on technical and scientific skills in warfare, the A. & M. College is peculiarly suited to the needs of national military competence, since it combines scientific and technical training with military training in the largest men's school in the world.

"The first major joint project of the A. & M. College and its Association of Former Students, the Development Fund program is looked upon as one of the most important steps in the history of this institution. It was set up by parallel action of the boards of directors of the college and the association and is governed by a board representing both bodies."

In addition to Mitchell, who represents the former students, members of the Development Fund board include Gibb Gilchrist, president of the college; H. Dick Winters, Brady, president of the former students; E. E. McQuillen, executive secretary of former students; Rufus R. Peeples, Tehuana member of the college board of directors; Henry Reese III, Gonzalez publisher, member of the college board; Prof. F. W. Hensel, faculty representative.

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"The development fund will serve as a central agency for the study of college needs and for the development of programs and projects to meet those needs," Shuffler said. "With the college administration and the former students in close cooperation, the development fund will project a long-range program for the growth and improvement of the college. In addition, the fund will encourage, promote and solicit gifts, endowments and bequests for the fulfillment of these programs."

from friends of the institution. "Need for such an acceleration of the development program at Texas A. & M. was highlighted during the war," Mitchell pointed out, "when this institution furnished more trained officer personnel than any other college in the nation, with over 17,000 of her sons in the service and over 13,000 of them commissioned officers.

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Veterans Return To N.S.T.C. Squad

DENTON. — After fighting all over the globe as members of the armed services, nine former North Texas State College students have now returned to do their fighting for the Eagle basketball team.

The veterans have shed their service uniforms for good, and are reluctant to raise the question of the superiority of each service in which they served. They are working together, and so far, that spirit has produced the first top-flight

basketball team at North Texas State in three years.

Former fighters for Uncle Sam, and now serving their alma mater on the cage courts are Ted Koonce of Fort Worth, a veteran of 31 bombing missions in the European theater; John Lee Brown of Throckmorton; Wayne Bonner of Mart who saw service in Italy, France, Germany and Norway; Dick Schiebel, Dallas, Air Corps pilot; Bill Martin of Denton, transport pilot; Walter Harpool of Denton, Air Corps vet; Claxton Rayzor of Denton, Naval Air Corps; Bud Hopkins of Krum, Purple Heart winner; and Bob Woodall of Bowie, also receiver of the Purple Heart.

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NEW YEAR Greetings 1946

VICTORY does not only apply to nations at war. We can win victories over ourselves, too, and over the problems which lay in our path.

As 1946 sweeps in upon us we wish for each of you an unbroken series of victories over any and all circumstances that may tend to retard your progress towards every individual's cherished goals — health and happiness. Good luck to you every step of the way!

King Motor Co.

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HAPPY NEW YEAR

Spirit of 1946

THE spirit of 1946 is Progress. So let us all determine right now to do everything a little bit better than last year, to take advantage of every available opportunity for improvement, and in this way assure for ourselves a happier community of happier homes.

As for ourselves, we will leave no stone unturned to give you still better values and a still higher grade of service in the year to come.

And so, wishing you all a very Happy New Year, we join with you in giving a royal welcome to 1946.

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This year we will celebrate New Year happy in the knowledge that one more year has been added to our long record of service to the people of this community.

Tooting our own horn a bit, you say? Well, yes, if you insist, but we just wanted to remind you.

Have a good time, enjoy the holiday to the utmost, and—a very Happy New Year to you!

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OUR HEARTIEST GOOD WISHES TO YOU . . .

and every member of your family this New Year of 1946. Everything you want most dearly is our New Year wish for you . . .

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1946 Greetings

ARTHER'S Trading Post

"But Mr. Johnson next door got a telephone!"

IF YOU ARE WAITING for a telephone but the telephone man stops at your neighbor's house, most likely your neighbor has been waiting longer than you have. If that's not the reason, it's probably because:

He has just moved from somewhere else in the city and had his telephone service moved, or . . .

There may be serious illness in the family and a telephone is necessary during the emergency, or . . .

Your neighbor may be a returned veteran needing a telephone to re-establish him in civilian life, or . . .

A telephone in his home may be necessary to the health and welfare of the community.

With these necessary precautions, those waiting served in the order which we received the application. In some neighborhoods, of course, shall be able to catch more quickly than in others. But, as telephone plans constructed, our aim is to see that everyone gets service in proper turn.

We're putting in phones as fast as we can. And whether your turn service comes in the future, or not for several months, you can be sure we're looking forward the day when the telephone man will knock at your door and say: "I'm here to put in your telephone."

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By **GRAHAM HUNTER**

Christmas Pageant at Church Sunday School

Sunday School children of the Methodist Church presented a Christmas pageant at the church Sunday night under the direction of Mrs. F. L. Drago.

John Wesley Ford gave the entire program, followed by the entire group singing "Silent Night."

Beginners presented the offering for Waco Childrens Home. The large Christmas pageant featured Christmas carols, songs and plays. Mrs. Ed Willman, assisted by Mrs. J. C. Whatley and Mrs. F. L. Drago.

Primary Department sang songs and gave a Christmas play. The refreshment table was arranged by Mrs. F. L. Drago, assisted by Mesdames W. W. Smith, Homer Smith, Jim U. Johnson and Max Johnson.

Junior Department presented a Nativity Pageant under the direction of Mrs. H. G. Vermillion, assisted by Mesdames Hubert C. W. Geue, and Bobby Geue.

Children taking parts were Mary Merrill; Joseph, Jim Ed Stephens; Herman Haslam; Justice, Eddie Haynes; James, John Whatley; Eileen Vaughan, Margaret Hamner, Carolyn Geue, Mary Gay Poe Shirley Highley Haynes; wise men, Vermillion, Rodney Stephen, James.

Entire division marched in parade to drop fruit into a basket delivered to the church. Each child received a gift from the tree.

Friday Club Has Dinner

Friday Afternoon Club had annual Christmas dinner at the club Friday night. Mrs. W. B. Pickens and her husband were their hosts.

Room was decorated with colorful lights. Small tables with evergreen and candles were arranged around a large table, seating the guests and the speakers. The dinner was centered by a Christmas tree. Mrs. W. B. Pickens, hostess, and introduced Mrs. Conner, who welcomed the guests.

Delicious plate of turkey and fruit salad, peas, and jelly were followed by coffee and Christmas carols.

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Scale Runners Club Has Yule Program

The Scale Runners Juvenile Music Club met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Graham Thursday afternoon with their son Buster, as host, and Judith Ann Brannon as co-hostess.

The program opened with ensemble singing of Christmas carols. Lou Ann Carbell gave a reading and Heidi Throne played "Dream of Love," on the piano. Delores Warden, Lonnie Young, and Alice Joyce Cushman also played piano solos. Herby Weaver told the Christmas story and Buster Graham played "Valse" on the piano.

Gifts were exchanged from the gaily decked Christmas tree. The refreshment table carried out the Christmas motif, and was served to Kay Burkett, Lou Ann Carbell, Pauline Cogburn, Alice Joyce Cushman, Helen Ruth Flowers, Maxine Harbin, Ann Terrell, Heidi Throne, Billy Vessels, Delores Warden, Judith Ann Brannon Benny Cogburn, Herby Weaver, Milton Jones, Loinne Young, and Buster Graham. Mrs. A. F. Taylor, counsellor, and Mrs. Brannon assisted Mrs. Graham. Ten youngsters were absent with the flu.

with Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins at the piano.

Each member was called up to tell of her Christmas "Best Remembered" Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins reviewed "The Gauntlet" by James Street. Those attending were Messrs and Mesdames Jack Ammer, Fred Brown, Dan Childress, Earl Conner, Turner Collie, Jack Frost, C. W. Geue, Ben Hamner, James Horton, Hubert Jones, W. W. Linkenhogger, W. D. Maddrey, Arther Murrell, B. W. Patterson, Joseph M. Perkins, Grady Pipkin, W. B. Pickens, W. S. Poe, R. E. Sikes and Mesdames Dixie Williamson, Frank Lovett and F. M. Kenney.

The committee in charge of arrangements included Mesdames W. B. Pickens, Ben Hamner, W. W. Linkenhogger, Dixie Williamson, Turner Collie, E. Roy Townsend, W. A. Wiegand, and Frank Lovett.

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Directory Compiled Of Manufacturers Throughout Texas

AUSTIN.—Fulfilling a demand from Texas industries that there be a complete, up-to-date source of information regarding Texas manufacturers, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research is now compiling a new Directory of Texas Manufacturers.

Approximately 800 orders have already been received for the directory, according to a report from Mrs. Clara H. Lewis, editorial assistant. The directory will be distributed not only throughout Texas, but also to every state in the Union, Latin-America, and other foreign countries.

"The directory affords the most direct and effective form of advertising for all Texas-made goods and is supplied without expense to the manufacturers," Mrs. Lewis said.

Material for the book is being obtained through questionnaires being sent to the manufacturing firms, and to chambers of commerce.

"Because time is a factor of utmost importance, we are especially anxious for every manufacturer to fill out our questionnaire about his business, and return it to the bureau immediately," she added.

Included in the directory will be such specific information about each firm as the name, location of home office, name of chief executive, date of establishment, approximate number of employees, and approximate area of distribution of the product of each plant.

A section will also be given over to the products, listed under the name of the product, and with trade names included.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Parker have as guests for the holidays, their daughter and husband Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lisman, from Midland, and Miss Laverne Downtain of Fort Worth.

Health Inventory Urged As Good Idea As New Year Begins

AUSTIN.—Dr. George W. Cox, State Health Officer, stated today that he believed it would be a worthwhile idea for every Texan to take a health inventory at the beginning of the New Year.

"In the true spirit of new year, we should give some thought to the mistakes we have made during the past year, and a great deal of thought to planning some way of improving our health conditions during the coming year," Dr. Cox said.

"The American people are very fortunate. We have scientific knowledge of communicable diseases; we have already made important

conquests in the warfare against infectious diseases; as a people we still cherish the methods of reasoning as the best means of adjusting human difference. We have material wealth to make knowledge work; we have capable leaders in the sciences of life processes that see great opportunities for public good in health measures that unite effectively the resources of medicine, education, finance, and government. We are probably the most realistic and practical of all people.

We should be capable of even a more vital national economy, and nothing can be of greater help to our country at this time than the conservation and promotion of good health," Dr. Cox asserted.

according to Dr. Cox, is confident that with national health being stressed as one of our nations most important problems, 1946 will see great strides made in the upbuilding of public health on a national scale.



1946 WELCOME

NEW YEAR'S IS MORE THAN A DAY!

It is the spirit of men and women who throw off the impediments of yesterday and determine to make a better start for today.

As we enter the year 1946 we raise a toast to our many good friends, with the hope that each succeeding day may bring you closer to coveted goals.

Happy New Year to you!

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Again we say Happy New Year to our friends and patrons. May 1946 bring you more health, happiness and prosperity than you have ever before enjoyed.

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NOTICE

We wish to announce the sale of the Bains Furniture Store to L. L. McMillan of Orange, Texas.

The business will continue to operate on the same terms as in the past.

We wish to thank the people of Eastland for business, friendship, and co-operation, and to wish you all a very happy New Year.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Bains

HAPPIEST NEW YEAR 1946

We have been in our present location and in the automobile business only a short while, but we are happy to offer our best wishes for a happy and prosperous year for you.

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Beethoven Club Has Christmas Party

The Beethoven Music club met in the home of the counselor, Mrs. A. F. Taylor, for a Christmas party. The group sang Christmas carols, grouped around the large gay Christmas tree. Jessie Whaley played "Skating Party" on the piano.

A report on the district convention was given by Donald Kinnaid, Jr., Veda Sneed played "Tumbleweed," and Joyce Marie Pearson sang "Indian Love Call."

The Christmas story was told by Milton Herring. Donald Kinnaid, Jr., played "March Militaire" and "Glissando" on the piano. Margie June Poe played "Twinkle Toes."

Gifts were exchanged from the Christmas tree, and a refreshment plate carrying out the Christmas motif was served to Margie June Poe, Joyce Pearson, Katherine Sue Cooper, Gerald Wingate, G. W. Mc-Bee, Dorothy Throne, Janelle Patterson, Milton Herring, Earnest Ray Sneed, Virginia Spence, Veda Muri Sneed, Betty Allison, Donald Kinnaid, Jr., Nelson Allison, Evelyn Ward, Percy Lee and Jessie Whaley. Mrs. Taylor was assisted by her daughter, Mrs. J. P. Kilgore.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert McGlamery of Austin, and daughter, Dorothy, visited friends here Sunday.

SIDE ISSUES . . .

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town. They have seen it good before here, and then they have seen it bad for a long time—very bad.

Such people, in broadcasting the belief that because the town once was nearly on the rocks, it must inevitably be thrown back on them when the tide of prosperity leaves the country, do the town an injustice.

Shakespeare wrote that in the affairs of men there is a tide which, taken at the flood, leads on to fortune. A town can be like that, too. It is up to the men and women who live in and around it. Eastland has everything it takes except possibly the men and women with brains and imagination and just the right amount of initiative and daring. That's up to us to prove.

Farm Help . . .

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Community "L," Scranton, Jesse D. Pittman, Rt. 4, Cisco; Travis Farmer, Cisco; Lee W. Starr, Rt. 4, Cisco.

Community "M," Cook, Herman H. Harrelson, Nimrod; David J. Perkins, Rising Star; L. C. Richter, Nimrod.

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