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Great Record Made 7th War Bond Sales

Floyd county's final, official record in the Seventh War Loan bond drive was 140 per cent of its E bond quota and 250 per cent of its overall quota.

E bond quota \$210,000, E bond sales \$292,540;
Overall quota \$100,000, overall sales \$781,895.50.

These figures from the State campaign Nathan E. Adams were given J. M. Willson, county chairman of the U. S. Treasury War Finance committee of Floyd county last week-end for the period of the drive ending July 7.

These figures for Floyd county put it in the upper bracket of counties of the state, the tremendous over-subscription due in considerable measure to the generally excellent wheat crop harvested during the late weeks of the campaign. The totals for this county compare with the state's record of 101.5 per cent sales in E bonds and 178 per cent overall sales.

"The people of Floyd county really did themselves proud," said Mr. Willson in releasing the figures for the campaign. "We had subscriptions from a good many citizens who had not gone in for the war bonds except very lightly in previous campaigns."

The chairman credited good team work of all the school district committees for the unusual record of the county. The citizenship responded readily when they were aroused to the need, he said.

Can't Agree, Stevens Jury Discharged

The county court jury of six men didn't agree on a verdict last night in the trial of R. D. Stevens, truck driver, charged by complaint of highway officers with illegal parking without flares and being parked without flares on the highway.

The jury reported their disagreement late Thursday after the case was given them shortly after noon. They were released Friday morning at 10 o'clock by Judge Grimes.

Richard A. Hobbs Lost His Life on Prison Ship

Mr. Creed Parrish received word today that her brother, Pfc. Richard A. Hobbs, USMC, had lost his life on the prison ship that was on October 24, 1944, in the Manila sea.

Parrish's mother, Mrs. J. A. Hobbs of Erie, Oklahoma, received the news from Washington, D. C. She read as follows:

"I deeply regret to inform you that your son, Pfc. Richard A. Hobbs, USMC, lost his life on the prison ship that was on October 24, 1944, when the ship was being removed from the Philippines to Japan was sunk. He is carried on the rolls of the Marine corps as having been killed in action in performance of his duty and service of his country. I accept my heartfelt sympathy. Signed, A. A. Vandergrift, USMC commandant of Marine Corps."

Mr. Richard Hobbs joined the Marine Corps in October of 1940 and left for the Philippines on January 14, 1942. There he fought his country until he was taken prisoner at Manila about May 5, 1942. He was in Military Prison No. 4.

Mr. Parrish and sons, Claud and Mrs. Parrish's sister, Miss B. Hobbs of Lubbock, left Saturday for Erie, Oklahoma to be with their mother and other relatives. They returned Monday morning.

The new shoe ration stamp to be valid August 1, 1945, will be Airplane Stamp No. 4 in War Ration Book No. 3, the District Office of Price Administration announced today. Airplane Stamps No. 1, 2 and 3 are good indefinitely.

The last stamp was validated November 1, 1944. OPA pointed out that the intervals between validation of stamps depend on the available supply of shoes.

Mr. D. (Demp) Fuqua writes that the picture he had of himself on V-E day returning to a pencil and heavy cement and boys in a lumber yard at home faded a lot. In fact it has faded for the time.

Of nearly a score of air corps squadrons stationed in England his is the one that will be a part of the Army of Occupation in Germany. Truman is a sergeant in the 4888 Central Postal Directory.

He hears that his outfit will pull up stakes and fly to their new station. His most recent letter was to be hoped to have his last look at England soon. He thinks the little life is a good place to be, and he hears that new quarters will be up around Lake Constance, one of the most beautiful lakes in all of Europe.

Early Finish Dougherty 28 Work Expected

Hope and expectation that the State Highway department will now finish the Dougherty spur, known officially as Highway F & M 28, at an early date, was expressed this week by county Judge W. E. Grimes.

The road-way has been in all-weather usable condition since early last winter, but the final seal coat has not been put on. Formerly accepting easements for road building, it developed that deeds to all right-of-way would be required before the state permanently assumed charge of roads. This held up the job of construction and put the county on the spot to obtain title to the land before work would be resumed.

The last deed, a Kentucky ownership, was received and filed with the county clerk and the State Highway department notified last week, Judge Grimes said.

Carl McAdams In Contingent At Manila

Captain Carl McAdams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl McAdams, of Lockney, is among the Texans in the first contingent of American troops to reach Manila in redeployment from the European War theatre. According to Sam Kinch of the Star-Telegram, reporting on the spot the nemesis of war, rain, fell in a steady stream as the 4,275 veterans of Africa, Sicily and Italy boarded trains for replacement camps near Manila.

Captain McAdams' family had not heard of or from him in eight weeks and were beginning to get quite anxious, Mrs. McAdams said. Capt. McAdams is in the gasoline service supply, with 27 months in the Mediterranean.

Sgt. Calvin Hill Returns to U. S.

Sgt. Calvin Hill, 8th AAF, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hill of Floydada is back home once more after two years overseas. He was stationed in England where he was a member of the ground forces of the army air corps.

He was checked out at San Antonio last week and reached home Thursday to spend a 30-day rest period with his parents and friends. He will report for duty at Sioux Falls, in South Dakota after his stay here.

SAYS OKINAWA MOSQUITOES BETTER THAN HOME VARIETY

Pvt. James A. (Buck) Norvell, a member of a Marine contingent on Okinawa, who has been resting since the hard campaign to subjugate that island, writes home under a July date that rain has not fallen there in several days and that the sun certainly is bearing down.

Buck assures the family that the Floyd County mosquitoes are little fellows compared with the Okinawa variety. A couple of them can carry a soldier off, if he doesn't watch, Buck declares.

TWIN-ENGINE PILOT HOME AFTER 10 MONTHS IN ITALY

Lt. Austin Meriwether is home visiting his mother in Lockney on a 30-day furlough after completing 47 bombing missions from a base in Italy where he was stationed for 10 months.

Lt. Meriwether flew an A-20 twin-engine attack bomber with the 12th Air Force in Italy doing mostly night missions. He holds the Air medal with two oak leaf clusters, and the European Theater ribbon with two campaign stars.

Fleet Byars' Mother, 100 Years Old, Honored by Relatives And Friends at Kirkland Tex., Home

LOCKNEY, July.—Mrs. Fleet Byars and children, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Carthel and daughter, Gloria, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Carthel and children, Gary and Pleeta, spent Sunday, July 8, at Kirkland where they celebrated the 100th birthday of Mrs. Byars' mother-in-law, Mrs. Harold Byars, the mother of the late Fleet Byars.

Mrs. Byars is the oldest living resident of Childress County and is still active and can read large print. Her hobby is making hooked rugs and she has completed more than 50 in the last few years, and has given them as gifts to her children and grandchildren. She also gives one to every girl in the community that gets married.

Lived Through Four Wars
War and its horrors are nothing new to Mrs. Byars as she has lived through four and hopes to see the day of victory over Japan. Born in Alabama in 1845, Mrs. Byars has lived through the Mexican War, Civil War, and had close relatives fighting in both of them. She also has several grandsons in the current war and one who was killed in action.



Resting following a strenuous OCS course as an infantry officer candidate, Rex R. Brown has been visiting home folks here and at Afton for the past several days. He was commissioned at Fort Benning, Georgia.

J. E. Eubank Died Sunday At Lubbock

James E. Eubank, 67, for 30 years a resident of Floydada, died of a heart attack in West Texas hospital Sunday evening at 7:55. Ill for two years and in the hospital for several weeks, Mr. Eubank was thought by members of the family to be past a crisis in his condition.

The body was returned home Sunday night and funeral rites were held from the First Methodist church Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. Phil H. Gates, pastor of the church, officiated. B. K. Barker, W. H. Hilton, Robert McGuire, A. L. Rice, Cleo Stephens and Homer Steen served as pallbearers. Interment was made in Floydada cemetery.

A pioneer cafe operator, Mr. Eubank moved to Floydada with his family in 1918 and was in business practically continuously throughout his residence here. He was born at Whitney, Texas on April 2, 1878, and was reared there. Married on November 28, 1900, to Miss Josie Cox, he is survived by this wife one daughter, Mrs. C. Y. Carter, of West-laco, and four sons, Roy of Littlefield, Robert of Clovis, J. O. of Amarillo, and Delbert of Liberal, Kansas; also by one brother, Carl, of Dallas, and three sisters, Mrs. Joe Hicks, Mrs. W. R. Johnson and Mrs. Evelyn Allen, of Lubbock. There are 13 grandchildren in the family.

Of the immediate family all the children, the brother and two of the sisters were present for the last rites. Mrs. Hicks was too ill to attend.

Among the out-of-county relatives here for the last rites were Vernon Eubank of Childress, George Nowlin of Waco, nephews, Mrs. Robert Eubank, of Whitney, a niece, and Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Drennan of Vernon. Mr. Drennan is an aviation student at Fredrick Army Air field.

HOMER JEAN HOWARD GETS ENSIGN COMMISSION

Homer Jean Howard, graduate of Lockney High school with the class of 1943 and former Longhorn center, graduated from the U. S. Naval Reserve Midshipmen's University of Notre Dame.

He was one of approximately 730 men graduated as Ensigns, USNR, after having successfully completed four months of training as midshipmen.

LELON FIELDS SPENDS 23 MONTHS IN THE ALEUTIANS

Sgt. Lelon Fields is home from the army after receiving his discharge on the point system. Sgt. Fields spent 23 months in the Aleutian islands and has one battle star.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fields who live north of Floydada.

Today's Market

Colored hens, 4 pounds and up...	24c
Colored Hens, under 4 lbs.	24c
and all leghorns, lb.	24c
Cocks, lb.	15c
Cream	47c
Butterfat, No. 1 lb.	47c
Butterfat, No. 2 not wanted	
Eggs	
Eggs, per dozen, candled, No. 1	33c
Hides	
Free from holes	10c
No. 1 Hides lb.	10c
No. 2 Hides lb.	6c
Grain	
Wheat, bu.	\$1.45
Hogs	
Top, good	\$13.25
Sows, good	\$13.50
Alfalfa Hay	
(alfalfa mill quotation)	
No. 1 Hay, at the scales, ton	\$23
No. 2 Hay at the scales, ton	\$19
Dehydrated Hay, ton	\$15

Big Acreage Forage Feed Being Planted

National Farm Safety Week July 22-29; Safety Check-Up Sought In Every Farm Home of Nation

A farm safety check-up by every farm family in the nation is the goal of National Farm Safety Week, as proclaimed by President Truman for July 22-29.

Calling attention to the fact that the skill and labor of America's farmers is a vital factor in winning the war, President Truman said: "I request all persons and organizations concerned with agricultural and farm life to do everything in their power to educate farm people in the proper precautions by which they may eliminate farm hazards... and I further urge that farm people everywhere observe National Farm Safety Week by making safety checks in their homes and on their farms."

Approved by Officials
Following President Truman's proclamation, agricultural leaders throughout the nation endorsed the second observance of National Farm Safety week, which was inaugurated in 1944 by the National Safety Council.

Secretary of Agriculture Wickard said: "The success attained by the nation-wide observance of Farm Safety week last year has been gratifying. Agencies of the Department will again lend all possible assistance."

War Food Administrator Marvin Jones said: "It is imperative that both manpower and property losses due to farm accidents be materially reduced. The results obtained through observance of National Farm Safety Week in 1944 clearly demonstrates that this is an effective means of minimizing such losses."

Farm Leaders Approve
Among farm leaders who have pledged their cooperation in the are Edward S. O'Neal, president of the American Farm Bureau federation; James G. Patton, president of National Farmer's union; and A. S. Goss, master of the National Grange.

"President Truman's suggestion that farm people make a safety check in their homes and on their farms, if followed, will be the greatest single step that can be taken toward reducing accidents on farms," Maynard H. Coe, director of the Farm Division of the National Safety Council, said.

Fails and Bad Driving
Mr. Coe suggested that individuals and organizations center their attention on the following: (See SAFETY WEEK, back page)

Air Medal
Awarded To
Lieut. Ramsey

Among the South Plains heroes honored in an all post review and parade at Lubbock Army Air field last Saturday afternoon was 2nd Lt. Ray E. Ramsey, B-29 pilot who is missing in action.

The entire military personnel of the field stood in formal tribute as Col. Howell M. Estes, jr., commanding officer of LAAF, presented the awards.

The air medal for Lt. Ramsey was presented to his wife, Mrs. Dorothy Z. Ramsey, Route 4, Floydada, Texas, the citation reciting that Lt. Ramsey had made four low-level attacks on the Japanese homeland between March 9 and March 19, 1945.

According to information the family has the lieutenant was piloting the lead plane in at least one of these attacks. He had flown 11 missions over Japan before being reported missing in action.

Other members of the family of Lt. Ramsey, including his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Ramsey, were present for the ceremonies at the award for the native Floyd county boy.

Harvey L. Howard Given Discharge

Sgt. Harvey Lee Howard, of the U. S. Army Air corps, has been given his discharge and after a visit in Vermont for several days with relatives of his wife, will be back in Texas around August 1, he advised his parents, Sheriff and Mrs. Lee Howard, last Friday.

He returned from England on the Queen Mary Tuesday. On Thursday he had his discharge. Before going with the 8th Air force as a radio man and gunner he served several months in the patrol of North and South American waters while the submarine menace was at its peak.

Harvey Lee was in his third year at Texas Tech when he was called up for duty. He hopes to return to school at the opening of the long term in September, and continue until he gets his degree.

Plains and Panhandle farmers in general and Floyd county operators in particular are planting the face of the earth in forage feeds this week, with ideal ground moisture and climatic conditions promising a fine stand of late feeds, which has more than an even chance of ma- turing into an excellent crop this fall.

A good many dry-planted crops are already up and off to a good start, but these are in the minority, a still smaller minority being those crops which were got in early and are now in the boot.

Some Are Summer Fallowing
While some summer fallowing against fall wheat planting is going to be done, the rush to get forage feed in the ground will see thousands of acres of feed more than an average crop year. Fortunately, the price of the feed is underwritten and the big crop, if it comes to pass as predicted, will not have to be gathered at a loss. There will be a fair to good market also for bundles should early frost catch the crop before the grain is matured. In limited areas the ground is too wet to plow or plant, but what tractors are not going with lister-planters behind them are pulling stubble breaking discs.

Rain Here 3.33 Inches
July rainfall at Floydada has been 3.33 inches. Another good rain should fall in the month to assure maximum growth of the feed crop, say the farm operators. Some areas of the county, notably around Lone Star, Aiken and Irick, have had probably 10 inches of rain in all. Lakes are practically full in some other sections also.

Temperatures Mildly Hot
Temperatures of the month have been hot but not scorching. Last Friday the maximum of the month was recorded at 96 degrees. Yesterday's maximum was 92 degrees.

Alfalfa of the second cutting from the irrigated fields of the county had begun to move in considerable volume this week. Some fields have been caught by the rains and damaged, but the major part of the crop will go to market in excellent condition.

Cotton statistics have not been gathered in sufficient detail as yet to say how many acres in the county has reacted to mid-July in good growing condition. It is a fact, however, that the acreage will be the lowest in 36 years or more and that few gins will be needed this fall to handle the crop here.

Free Balloons Might Drift to This Area

Not probable but altogether possible free balloons, released by the Japanese in the stratosphere to drift into the United States and do whatever damage they can wherever they may light, may strike in the South Plains area of Texas, T. P. Collins, commander of Company G, Texas State Guard, warns people of this area.

The free balloons have been found in small numbers in various parts of the northwest and according to the drift of the winds should begin to make their appearance further south as the season progresses.

Little or no damage has occurred today, the War department minimizing the damage inflicted so far. Principal danger is in the curiosity of people who see them fall and decide to take them apart to see what makes the wheels go round, said Captain Collins. And he warns against this possibility.

Just leave the balloons alone and notify the local authorities who in turn will notify the War department and the balloons will be neutralized by experts, he said.

Test is Below 5,100 Feet

Alexander No. 1, Cooper survey, in southeast Floyd county, oil test of Geo. P. Livermore, Inc., was down below 5,100 feet and continuing to drill last week-end, according to reports.

No recent drilling report was available at this office this morning on the progress of Weise No. 1 of the same exploration company in northwest Crosby county.

SGT. RANDALL IRWIN HOME FROM OVERSEAS CAMPAIGN

T. Sgt. and Mrs. Randall Irwin spent the first of the week in the home of Sgt. Irwin's family, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Irwin. Wednesday they left for Lubbock to visit with Mrs. Irwin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hope.

Sgt. Irwin is just home from overseas.

Patton Family Reported on Road To Recovery Following Accident

Four members of the C. O. Patton family, of Goose Creek, Texas, who survived a highway crash in early June when the family car was demolished by a grocery truck at a highway intersection, are now on the road to recovery. So reports Mrs. Lonnie Patton, who with Mr. Patton was in Floydada for a short time this week enroute to their home at Carlsbad, New Mexico. They visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Queen here, they being the parents of Mr. C. O. Patton.

The baby girl of the family was killed in the crash and the little boy returned to Floydada for in-

terment. The father, C. O., is in a cast with a broken neck, the mother has a broken pelvis, the four-year-old boy, Wm. Carroll, is in a cast with a shattered leg and jawbone fracture. The youngest boy, George Travis, 2, which had a skull fracture and severe cuts on one arm is in the care of Mrs. Lonnie Patton. The little boy was with the family while they were here.

The Patton family are all at home now. They were hospitalized for five weeks. It will be several months before the injured Mrs. Patton can walk again.

There is no such thing as an automatic transfer and parents of guardians must make personal application for transfer of students from one district to another to get the transfer recognized by the State Department of Education.

Furthermore the transfer must be made not later than July 31.

This is the rule that County Superintendent Clarence Guffee is required to follow as to transfers in all age groups, he warns Floyd county parents and guardians. Only a few days are left in which to comply with this formality of the law.

Shurbet Filly 2nd Place in Quarter Show

Dutch Girl, a 13-month-old filly raised and shown by J. B. Shurbet of Floydada at the Stamford Cowboys' reunion horse show, was placed second in competition with quarter horse fillies of the breed from four states.

Daughter of Chubby, famous quarter horse and of Dutch Lady, a five-year-old belonging to Mr. Shurbet, Dutch Girl is an outstanding individual. A little mare from Wichita Falls placed first.

Mr. Shurbet has been raising horses for a number of years and six years ago began specializing in quarterbred animals.

Saw Forty Days Combat Service

Sgt. Ray Switzer accompanied by his wife of Amarillo is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Switzer. Ray arrived in the states July 5 from Germany where he had been the past six months. He saw 40 days of combat with a tank battalion.

He reports back to Camp Swift, Texas after his 30-day furlough spent here. He wears the good conduct ribbon and the ETO ribbon with two battle stars.

No Automatic Transfer For Scholastics

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HELP YOUR FARM MAN

There are a good many items of food your grocer cannot furnish you on short notice. He gets a limited quantity and he can sell only what he gets. This is common knowledge and people for the most part have gone along with their grocers in a very fine way. Occasionally it doesn't work out that way but in practically all instances it does.

However, there is one way that customers can help that they may not, in fact often do not, think of.

The food man doesn't have enough stock in which to deliver the goods you buy. He needs large sacks such as you see, or have been discarding. The paper shortage with him is a real thing. Whether or not the customer believes him when he says it, if he doesn't have a sack he doesn't have a sack, and he has to substitute sundry kinds of boxes, if any, or let the customer carry the items out as is. If you have a sack or sacks of considerable size remember to do yourself and the grocer a favor by bringing it or them along the next time you shop.

TOO EARLY TO SAY

It is too early as yet to say what effect the leveling off of freight rates will have on the southwest. All the time we have maintained, as have many others, that more equitable freight rates would result in decentralization of manufacturing industry in the United States which would surely be beneficial to Texas communities. At least communities in this state could have a talking point to begin with in seeking new industries. Formerly the freight rate handicap was too much to burlie except in some rare instances. Getting factories and prime industries even to consider a small city in Texas in the same manner as Pennsylvania towns would be considered just has not been done.

For the reason that the final result of the order of the Interstate Commerce commission will not be known immediately it is too early to say that the victory of the Southwest was really a victory. And even if it were an out and out win, new industry would not begin pouring in overnight. There are some straws in the wind, however. For instance, the Santa Fe has out a new booklet "New industrial sites in the west and southwest," and towns and cities are priming for a campaign to take advantage of the decentralization anticipated.

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As A Farm Woman Thinks

(By Nellie Winn Spikes)

Did rain, didn't it? The water swooshed down from our steep roof and splashed on the ground right outside my window and I thought how nice it would be to stick my feet under the drip. The lightning cut like sharp knives, the thunder shook the earth, but we were happy, the rain was falling. The smell of freshly turned ground, the green grass, the new leaves on the trees, things coming up everywhere for it is spring, only the calendar is wrong.

Now once upon a time the farmer's wife and children went to the stack lot and broke off good bread.

COMMODITY RATES

We know about as much about freight rates and terms used by freight rate makers as a hog does about a side saddle, to use an expression from the street. If we understand the matter some "commodity" rates are not affected. How many and what they are, if not included, we do not know.

But the saving in freight rates and the eventual value to the freight carriers in encouraging traffic will be beneficial, mutually, to the people of the country and to the railroads.

Meanwhile, it may be assumed that the ruling will be somewhat disposing to old bread in the freight traffic low sell business. The rule goes against the ordinary procedure which has been followed since reorganization of the railroads started half a century ago.

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce and organization formed by that body to carry on the fight for more equity in freight rates from our standpoint, calls the decision of the commission a "partial victory."

NOT ENOUGH LUMBER

If a person is inclined to have high blood pressure and be at the same time of the turn to get indignant about things in general, having the woes of the world on his mind, there are now and will be more and more things to make his temperature rise higher and higher. Things have been topsy turvy for 15 years and now the world will be upset more and more.

One of things that on its face is all wrong and about which lumbermen are seeing red is the way the lumber business is having to be handled under the laws and presidential orders now in effect over the land.

While local lumbermen beg for lumber and do without principally, buyers from England under Lend-Lease have been in America in the lumber milling areas and they have been buying right and left at prices which are illegal for one of our nationals to sell a retailer in America. When the lumber mill does not want to sell the Englishmen but preferred to take care of his regular customers, the mill immediately has a chance to sell out at a good profit.

But, one might say, the lumber is going to England to build homes for people who are homeless. That would be all right if correct, say the lumbermen. The fact is, they say, the lumber is not going to England at all but to South Africa (and under Lend Lease) where there is much more lumber on great rivers than is available in America. One day in the future we likely will have to go to some such distant source for lumber to build American homes, when our own supply of lumber is exhausted. Meanwhile all American lumbermen can do about it is to fume.

of maize and kaffir and beget, piled them on a sheet and whipped out the grain, the mother having to do most of the whipping of the grain and threatening to do the same to the children. Then the grain was emptied into a tub, water carried and the bad grain and chaff floated out with many wastings and pourings. Then the water was carefully drained off and the wet seed spread evenly on a wagon sheet in the sun and wind so the farmer would not have to stop the planting. Now—and this part reads like the end of a fairy tale—the farmer takes the dressed up family to town, goes round to the feed store where white sacks of grain seed are loaded in the car and he is ready for planting.

I bought a leather duster. Now, home demonstration agents please look the other way. I know it is more sanitary to dust with a rag moistened with some good polish, but I am in a hurry, there is lots to do, the dirt is always moving in, anyway. I grab the leather duster, presto, the first has gone. I care not where so it leaves where it has been.

Wouldn't you feel pleased to get a letter from busy New York City telling you how nice the Floyd county Hesperian is to a new delighted reader? And how the reader knows the people she never saw by reading about them? And how peaceful our country seems to busy New Yorkers? And wouldn't you feel a warm glow of happiness that the writer of the letter put in some special praise for the writer of this column? Miss Adel Wing, of Tonkers, New York.

14 Years Ago Floyd County

(News items taken from files of the Floyd County Hesperian published 14 years ago.)

(Issue of July 18, 1931)
"Fun palace for everybody" is the promise made by Roy L. Sandgrain, commander of McDermott Post American Legion, for all ex-service men and all women eligible for membership in the Ladies auxiliary of the Legion when they stage a picnic Monday night at the Day crossing on Blackton canyon.

E. S. Randerson, local agent for the Gulf Refining company, Saturday of last week completed organization with J. N. and J. E. Oulfin for the ownership and management of Oulfin's Super Service station on East California and Wall streets. The Tri-State Mercantile agency, with E. C. Henry as manager, opened offices in the Bradshaw building last week and is getting lined up to do a general collecting and adjusting business for mercantile establishments.

Sheriff J. M. Wright left the first of the week for Houston, Texas where he is in attendance at the convention of the State Sheriff's and Marshall's association this mid-week.

Cecil D. Gilts, manager for the past year and a half of Stone Department store, Inc., formerly C. E. Stone Co., Wednesday tendered his resignation effective immediately. His successor has not been named. Friends and relatives met Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wright, 615 South Wall street to honor Mr. Wright with a surprise birthday dinner. Ice cream was served in the afternoon.

Mrs. W. P. Dally and Mrs. R. C. Henry were joint hostesses last Sunday with a 12 o'clock dinner honoring Mrs. L. M. Kinsler of Altus, Oklahoma, and Mrs. E. J. Morehead and daughters Dorothy Jane and Marjorie Sue.

Floyd county fourteen years ago: Issue of July 18, 1931: Floyd county will furnish under the first selection draft a total of sixty-six men to the colors.
A Ford belonging to Herbert S. Sparks and driven by Jim McNeely with Roy McKinley as mechanic, won second money in the fifty three-mile event of the auto races at Tulsa Tuesday. The running time was fifteen minutes.

and the price of a year's subscription and when she visits this country, which we hope she will do, she will know all about us.

Thanks to you, Mr. Allen, for the nice compliment the other day.

Some very beautiful, satisfying sights and sounds while going about the country. A white fence at Lockney that looks like a piece of white lace in front of green trees. A beautiful green lawn with a walk bordered with petunias this side of Rock. A white house in Floydada getting a new green roof. A thick growth of young elm trees in the south of Lubbock. A truck load of red and yellow peaches smelling better than perfume and tasting better than they smell, the sound of a cement mixer shaking up gravel and cement for walks. Brother Beauchamp singing a hymn of praise over the radio. Jackie's and Kermit's twin babies growing and doing so well, watching a mother's face as she tells you her son will soon be home from overseas. So many pleasant sounds and scenes for the week and many more not included.

The children have been playing with some loaded capsules that jump around like the jumping Mexican beans. I am taking some vitamins in capsules. The other day I showed Cary how pretty and blue they were, put them in my mouth and swallowed. Cary cried out, "Oh, Grandmother you have swallowed a jumping bean."

The beans and black-eyed peas planted before the rain are pushing the dirt out of the way with their bent backs and coming right on through. The dahlias delighted in the rain and coolness and hung heavy with bloom. Tomatoes look the will and many are gone. Squash bugs have found the squash vines, oh well, one does not want to eat squash the whole summer long. The whole garden will have to be plowed again and I see that trap grass has sprung up in many places. I did not even notice when it was so dry. It is good not to have to move the long heavy hose around so much.

Several fine weekly newspapers from counties around come to my desk and I like to read them all. But many the past week have contained notices of death of many. For all loved ones left to grieve, I reprint the lovely poem.

The Folded Page
Up in the quiet old attic, as the raindrops pattered down,
As I sat thinking over a school-book-dusty, worn and brown—
I came in a leaf that was folded,
and marked in a childish hand,
"The teacher says to leave this

now. "He tried to understand."
What was so hard? I wondered,
I opened it with a smile.

Only to read, at the problem's end we learned "why" after a while.

My tears fell thick as the rain-drops, then, up in the attic cold.

As I thought of leaves that are "folded down" till the days of our life are told.

One was folded there with a tender hand to the sound of summer rain.

When the dust of years he thick above, will we open this page again?

And can we write with a steady hand, and on our lips a smile.

At least our Teacher told us "why" and we learned it after a while.

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Our Country Needs Still More Used Fats...And We're the Folks to Save them!



IN between the good news about the war these days, careful readers of the paper will see grave words about a serious national shortage that has a direct bearing on military and civilian production schedules.

Our domestic supplies of fats and oils will be approximately one and one-half billion pounds less than last year. Yet thousands of tons of fats are still needed to help make countless essentials for the battle- and home-fronts.

While country people have been doing an even better job of saving fats than the city folks, we must remember that, because of the meat situation, we are in a better position to save. That's why we can't afford to miss a trick.

So, let's save not only the big amounts from frying and roasting, but also meat trimmings, plate scraps, and scrapings. Melt them down once a week and add the liquid fat to the salvage can. Skim soups and gravies. Scrape every pan. Every drop is important.

When your salvage can is full, take it to your butcher, and get 2 red points and up to 4¢ for each pound. If you have any difficulty, call your County Agent or Home Demonstration Agent.

100,000,000 More Pounds of Used Fats Are Needed This Year!
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At Jones Super Red and White Store, we spend a lot of time "Keeping House." We want you to be proud of the Food Market where you shop and certain that the Foods are Wholesome and Nutritious. That's another good reason for trading at the Red and White in Floydada.

Many Customers Market their Eggs here Regularly. Bring us yours, too, for the Best Market.

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Red and White 1-Lb. Glass COFFEE	29c
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Well Pleased with Her Efforts

Certainly she is well pleased with herself. Why shouldn't she be? She has just canned enough vegetables from her Victory Garden to last her family until next year's crop.

You will feel better too, if you do your part in helping to conserve our food supply by canning from your Victory Garden.

WEST TEXAS GAS COMPANY

Three-Hour Rest Helps Navy Men In the War Zone

ABOARD AN AIRCRAFT CARRIER IN THE PACIFIC—Chas. P. Cox, aviation machinist's mate, second class, of Floydada, Texas, is back at the business of fighting Japs after a recent three-hour rest period on one of the Navy's "recreation islands" in this war zone. The "recreation islands" have been set up on tiny atolls to give Navy men a few hours to relax between battles. The crewmen of this carrier visited the island in small parties and had a chance to put their feet on solid ground for a few hours. They were taken on a tour of abandoned, thatched native huts. Recreation and refreshments included cans of beer and soft drinks, a ball game, horseshoe-pitching, boxing, swimming and sun bathing. The sailors also had a chance to mingle with crewmen of other ships in the area, swapping sea stories and talking about mutual acquaintances.

DR. AND MRS. PITTS TAKE REST TRIP TO CALIFORNIA

Dr. and Mrs. Donald H. Pitts are in California on their vacation this week visiting with Dr. Pitt's sister in North Hollywood and also visiting in San Francisco. Dr. and Mrs. Pitts left Friday and planned to be gone for about 10 days.

Half Minute Interviews

R. B. McCravy: "The rain sure is mixing good with this dehydrated ground."

LT. AND MRS. BURWELL HERE FROM HOBBS, N. MEX.

Lt. and Mrs. J. D. Burwell of Hobbs, New Mexico, are here with Mrs. Burwell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Shaw.

Mrs. Shaw has been ill for the past few weeks and was taken to the West Texas hospital at Lubbock Sunday where she is reported by her husband as doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Willson and daughter, Louise Willson, left Sunday for Colorado Springs, Colorado, after receiving word that Mr. Willson's mother, Mrs. D. M. Willson, was ill.

Miss Mary Lee Thacker, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Thacker, who is attending summer school at Baylor university, was home Thursday and Friday visiting with her parents and friends.

Mrs. Floyd Simpson and sons left Monday for Stockton, California, after visiting the past few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Looper.

Lightning Jolts Kills Seven Cows

The M. J. McNeill's, three miles north of Floydada, were mighty proud to see last week's fine rains, but they paid a rather heavy price in cattle to the general electric storm that came along with it. About sundown on Friday after a heavy stroke of lightning they found seven of their grown cows dead with their heads across a pasture fence. About 20 feet down the fence they found a wire burned in two and a stove blasted into pieces. Lightning almost has to be the explanation, although they didn't actually see it happen. Five of the cows were whitefaced animals. Before their loss they had 30 head of cattle on their stockfarm.

Mrs. G. W. Brown and son, Allen of Portland, Oregon, are here for a visit with Mrs. Brown's father, W. Stephens and family. Mr. Brown was here for a short time last week and this, leaving Wednesday. The family are planning to take up their residence in Los Angeles. Mrs. Brown is the former Bonnara Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Owens, of Plainview, visited Sunday here the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Berry. Mrs. Owens is a cousin of Mrs. Berry and a sister of the late Dan Hubbard, one-time resident of Floydada.

Miss Lajuana Leibfried, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lorin Leibfried, who has been attending summer school at Texas tech, arrived home Monday to spend the rest of the summer with her parents before starting back to school in September.

Mrs. Roy Sparkman, formerly of this county now of Brownfield, in company with her daughters, Norene and Barbara, are here this week, guests in the home of Mrs. Sparkman's sister, Mrs. C. L. Berry.

Mrs. W. J. Berry of Commerce, and daughter, Mrs. Lou Cannaday of Willsboro, spent one night this week here as guests of the C. L. Berry family.

Mrs. S. Y. Carter and daughter, Mrs. Henry Compton, of Abilene are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glad Snodgrass. They were here to attend the funeral of J. E. Eubank.

Dr. and Mrs. George Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ginn and sons, Vaughn and Pat, left last Friday for a 10-day rest in the mountains of Colorado.

Miss Dorothy Tye returned home Sunday from Sweetwater where she had been visiting with Lt. and Mrs. Herschell Hinson.

Cpl. Richard L. Penner left Wednesday to return to Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Arkansas, where he is stationed with the army.

The boss just made me manager of his doughnut factory. Congratulations! Are you in charge of every thing? Yes, the hole works.

All Right, Home Town Ropers, Set to Laugh

A column writer for the Albuquerque, New Mexico, Tribune reports that Pete Shurbet, former Floydada and Lockney drug store cowboy and Floyd county live stock farmer, now living at Roy, New Mexico, has broken into the win column in calf roping.

"The Pony Express" reporter of that news paper reports as below, and Pete drops a note suggesting that we might want to print it for the benefit of the boys at home. "The boys at home will get a good laugh out of this," he says.

Something we have been expecting to happen did happen up at Roy the other day.

They had a roping contest on a Sunday afternoon and all the best ranch hands for miles around were there.

The man who won the contest was an amateur, Pete Shurbet, referred to by the Roy Record as a "sort of a drugstore cowboy when he came here from Texas a couple of years ago."

There is always room for suspicion that a "drugstore cowboy" from Texas may have had a little fetching up out on a ranch. Maybe that's what Pete Shurbet had. Anyway, he's wearing the calftopping crown and it's up to the ranch hands in the Roy country to go out and get themselves a reputation.

BLINDED DOUGHBOYS

Blinded doughboys at Valley Forge General hospital, Phoenixville, Pa., are enjoying Saturday night parties arranged by American Red Cross workers stationed at the hospital. Dancing is part of the weekly event, and the blind are learning that they still can participate in normal recreation. American Red Cross workers have also organized a weekly roller-skating party for blind patients, who have responded enthusiastically to this event.

First Farmer—Quite a wind we had last night.

Second farmer—Yes t'was.

First Farmer—Was your barn damaged much by the cyclone?

Second Farmer—Don't know. Ain't found it yet!

Britain's Royal Air Force dropped an estimated 200 tons of paper (propaganda leaflets) monthly on Germany, the low countries and France during World War II.

Gas Co. Shows Appreciation of Loyal Employees

LUBBOCK, July—Two Floydada employees of West Texas Gas company have been honored by their company through the presentation of handsome service pins. R. H. Leslie, Manager of the Floydada district, and Ruth Collins, general clerk in the Floydada office, both received 15-year pins.

The emblems, of blue and gold, bear in the center the "Blue Flame" symbolizing Natural Gas service, encircled by the name of the company and number of years served. With

each pin came a letter of appreciation thanking the employee for his or her loyalty and interest in the progress of the company.

Throughout the area it serves, West Texas Gas company presented the service pins to 66 employees having a total combined service record of 945 years.

An amiable old man was trying to win the friendship of the small daughter of the house.

"I'll give you a nickle for a kiss," he said.

"No, thank you," she replied sweetly. "I can make more money taking castor oil."

First Motorist: "I love the beauties of the countryside."

Second Motorist: "So do I. Sometimes I give 'em a lift."

Miss Geneva Marr is in Swear gen, Texas visiting with her pare for an indefinite time.

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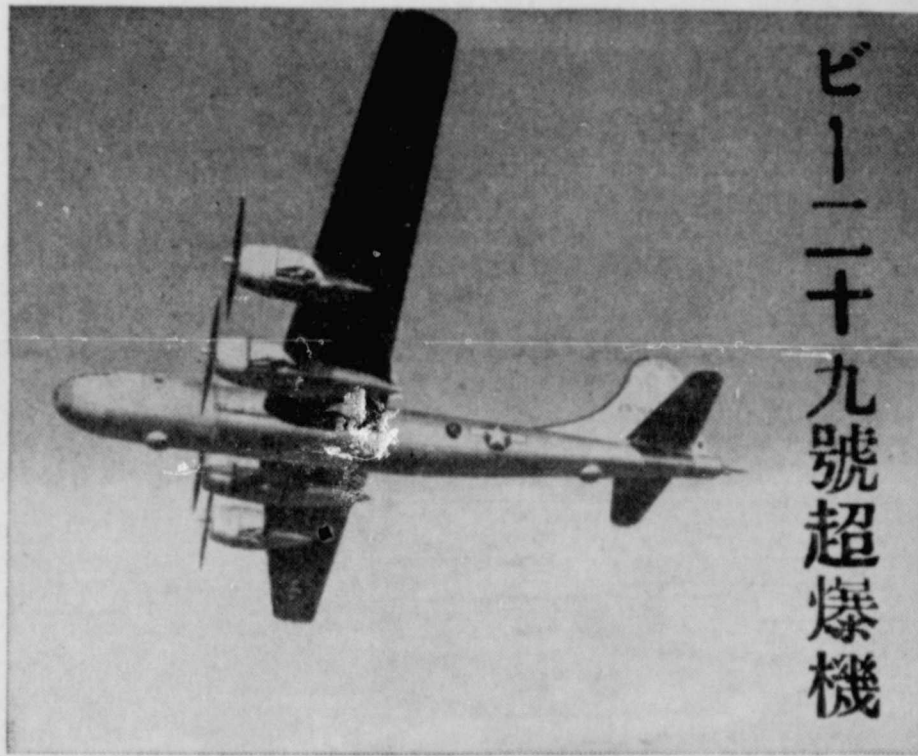
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TOKYO KNEW ABOUT THE B-29 BEFORE YOU DID

Captured evidence reveals that the Japs knew the story six months before most Americans knew it existed



In far-away Burma, early in 1944—long before the B-29 became front-page news at home—long before our own forces in China and in India were notified to expect this great super-bomber—came news of its existence—uncomfortably accurate technical description—positive facts as to proposed bases... from the JAPS. It was all in an official bulletin of the Japanese Army found among the papers captured in a Jap stronghold in Burma.

This was not information obtained by the enemy through air reconnaissance or the capture of prisoners or official documents in combat—it was a leak of supersecret information right out of this country, transmitted directly to the High Command in Tokyo.

What did Tokyo do with this information? What action did they take?

What did it mean to our Chinese allies and our own troops? It is significant that shortly after they obtained this information the Japs mounted a new offensive in China and set out to capture the specially constructed air fields built by hand by the Chinese people for the heavy B-29s. Months of laborious, back-breaking labor of thousands of Chinese workers were sacrificed by demolition in a heart-breaking few hours in the retreat before the onslaught of the attacking Japanese. Stores of precious gasoline—parts—and other scarce hard-to-get stores flown at great risk over the famous "Hump" were put to the torch. A terrific set-back—an almost unendurable discouragement.

We must keep our secrets. The best way is to keep quiet.

AS WE CLOSE IN FOR THE KNOCKOUT—

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- PALACE and RITZ THEATRES
- R. M. BATTY

- GEO. M. FINKNER
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- KING'S 5, 10, and 25c STORE
- KING'S GROCERY & MARKET
- FLOYD COUNTY TRACTOR COMPANY
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- CONSUMERS FUEL ASSOCIATION
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Our entire organization of nearly a thousand men and women salute our fellow-employees who are in America's armed forces.

Although they are away—they are still part of us, and we look forward to their return, following a Victorious peace.

We at home pledge to these men and women in the U. S. Service our unstinted aid in every activity to help win the war. We sincerely dedicate all of our Company's equipment, manpower and experience to help bring about the quickest Victory possible. The electric power needs of the war production industries in the territory we serve must be met, and they are being met, quickly and completely, by our Company.

Winning the WAR comes first!

CLASSIFIED ADS

For Sale

UNITY of Elberta beach at Ocean Texas Coast or contact the Levee Community club, DeLeon, Tex. 242tc.

SALE - 26 body, 26 motor vintage motor. Four new tires a grade, spare third grade. 422c. around Ring, Lockney, Route 1, Tex. 242tc.

SALE - 4880 bepard bundles, of grain. Tarrant Lewis, Allen, Tex. 242tc.

SALE - Electric granite-finish and bowl Maytag washer. Pre-war size and three tubs. One pump jack and gasoline motor. Mrs. John L. West. 232tc.

Wanted

ANTED - PIANO Tuning and repairs. See or write Travis Burgett, Floydada. 242tc.

KEY 12 1/2 cents pound for cotton. Bishop Motor Co. 242tc.

ANTED - To swap good pickup for model car. Phone 2861 A. J. Olson. 242tc.

ANTED - Someone to plow 100 acre wheat land. Located five miles north Floydada. John E. Shipley. 232tc.

ANTED - To buy good country land. Western Bakery. 232tc.

ANTED - A steamer trunk. N. Latham. Phone 2225P. 242tc.

AUTO LOANS

Trucks - Tractors - Furniture Southwestern Investment Co. Phone 236. 242tc.

ATTORNEY representing and new addresses made to order. Phone 21 F. E. Lester Burgett. 232tc.

Farm Machinery

OR SALE - Model L Case wheel tractor with rubber on front hubs and steel back wheels. Would suit. See J. A. or Cecil Baxter. 242tc.

OR SALE - Model F Case Combines, wood chaps. James Taylor, Whitehall, Tex. 232tc.

OR SALE - F-30 Farmall, full equipment, also several good saddle horses. J. K. West, South Plains. 232tc.

OR SALE - Good regular Farmall with a high back loader and planter and a late style cultivator. M. J. McNeill, two miles north airport. Phone 902-F-11. 232tc.

OR SALE - F-14 Farmall in condition and good rubber. Mrs. Otto Warren, Rt. 1. 242tc.

OR SALE - John Deere tractor and John Deere size-hub set way. C. J. Hillman, 229 W. Virginia. 242tc.

Houses for Sale

OR SALE - Five room house and two acres of ground, out buildings, electric lights, located just out of city limits southwest part of Floydada. F. E. McCarty. 242tc.

NICE modern well located seven room residence, north the country in Attock. Good half section land owned 4 1/2 miles Floydada. \$27.50 per acre. See us for other bargains. Warren & Tuttle, Room 216 Bishop Bldg. 232tc.

A REAL home, 6-room house and breakfast room, built, built, covered, lot 75 x 250 feet, shade trees, half block from pavement. \$4,200. Warren & Tuttle, Room 216, Bishop Building. 232tc.

ROOMS FOR SALE - Five room frame, 75 x 130 ft. lot, east front, close in. \$2900. Six room frame, close in on three lots. \$2750. Five room modern frame, 75 x 130 ft. lot, on pavement. \$4900. Four room modern frame, good new bed, chicken house, located on pavement. Immediate possession. \$1800. J. G. Wood, Bank Bldg. 192tc.

FOR SALE - Four room stone, good garage, garden spot, half block from pavement on West Ky. See E. M. Engdahl, 254 W. Ky. 232tc.

Five room house on pavement. \$1800. 100 acres, 121 in cultivation, see well for irrigation, price \$27.50 per acre. 5-room house and 18 lots \$3900. 1 lot for sale. Warren & Tuttle, office Room 216, Bishop Bldg. 232tc.

Miscellaneous

WANTED - To buy good country land. Western Bakery. 232tc.

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Land For Sale

FOR SALE - 24 1/2 acres of land one mile east of the Pleasant Hill school house. Small house, good well and mill, shade trees around the house. Price \$40.00 per acre. Tom W. Deen, 205 North Main St., Floydada, Texas. 242tc.

2 1/2 acres well improved, two miles town. Section of land, summer fallowed, ready for wheat, well located, priced right.

Let your property with Warren & Tuttle. See us for bargains. Warren & Tuttle, Room 216 Bishop Bldg. 242tc.

LAND FOR SALE

In order to settle the E. E. Thomas Estate, I have the following lands for sale:

1. 360 acres in Hall County, 20 miles West of Memphis, 2 miles off paved highway.

2. 200 acres in Dentley and Hall Counties, 2 miles North of Memphis on paved highway.

3. 220 acres in Floyd County, about 2 miles Northwest of Floydada, about 1 mile off the Silverton-Floydada paved highway.

4. 180 acres in Lamb and Heckler Counties, 5 miles Southeast of Littlefield, about 2 miles off the Littlefield and Littlefield paved highway.

If interested in any or all of the above tracts of land, write or contact J. W. Vallance, Memphis, Texas. 242tc.

I would appreciate your listing with me for sale, your ranches, town property, farms, or any thing that you might have for sale.

Tom W. Deen, Licensed Real Estate Dealer, 205 North Main Street, Floydada, Texas. 232tc.

FOR SALE - 160 acres choice land, good improvements. One Model B IHC tractor with planter and cultivator. One good regular Farmall on rubber with IHC and cultivator. C. A. Johnson, 8 miles west of Silverton. 232tc.

100 ACRES well-improved farm in heart of irrigation district; modern five-room stone house, newly painted inside and out. Butane, two wells, windmill and pump. Warren & Tuttle, office Room 216 Bishop Bldg. 232tc.

FLOYD COUNTY FARMS FOR SALE - 200 acres well improved. REA. 3/4 mile from school, 235 acres cultivation. \$50.00 acre. 6 cash payment, balance convenient terms. 640-Acre two good well improvements well located. Price \$22.50 acre. 640-B-Acre good improvements, located on pavement. \$30.00 acre. 620-Acre, two ordinary sets improvements, located close in on pavement. \$23.50 acre. 240-Acre, improved 4 miles of Lockney, \$45.00 per acre. 200-Acre improved, REA, in irrigation belt, price \$30.00 acre. Three well located improved 160 acre farms in irrigation belt at \$60.00 acre. J. G. Wood, Bank Bldg. 192tc.

FOR SALE - 140 Acres on Highway 4 miles of town worth the money. Warren & Tuttle, Room 216, Bishop Building. 232tc.

MONEY TO LOAN - On Farms and Ranches. Extra LOW Interest. No expense to borrower for inspections or Agents Commission. See R. E. Fry. 482tc.

Live Stock

GOOD milk cow for sale. See N. R. Austin at Wilson's Lumber yard. 242tc.

WEANER pigs for sale. Call 922-P. E. C. King. 232tc.

STRAYED - To my place between January 1 and January 25 aged Hereford cow branded connected SH O on left shoulder and double string V on left hip and a slash mark on right hip, ear marks under left ear, swallow fork left. Owner pay for ad and feed and get the cow. R. I. Bennett. 232tc.

STRAYED - To my place four miles north of Buckley last February pale white face steer, small crop in ear. J. V. Nelson. 232tc.

Help Wanted

WANTED - Someone to plow 240 acres stubble land four miles east of Fairview. E. E. Wimberly. 242tc.

BE INDEPENDENT. Sell Rawleigh products in South Crosby county. Good nearby route open. Write today. Rawleigh's Dept. TXG-259-1, Memphis, Tenn. 242tc.

Lost and Found

LOST - In Floydada, one brown beagle, small size 3-2. Return to Hesperian office. 242tc.

FOUND - One liver and white, one black and white female dog. F. M. Dougherty. 242tc.

For Rent

OFFICE Rooms for rent. J. E. Burgett. 242tc.

FOR RENT - Three rooms. Mrs. R. F. Graves, 1212 Street. 232tc.

GRASS LEASE - One section rested grass, 220 acres summer tilled wheat land, 150 acres thick Johnson grass suitable for hay or grazing. House, REA, possession now. Wells and tanks, plenty of rainfall here and this is a mighty good grazing deal. South News, Turkey, Texas. 242tc.

Congress Adds More Funds for Buying of Farms

Service men of Floyd county returning from military duty and interested in establishing themselves on family type farms may apply at the Farm Security Administration office for a government loan covering full cost of land and improvements, according to William E. Spears, Jr., FSA supervisor. A limited number of such loans may be made in this county as a result of a new \$20,000,000 appropriation Congress has voted FSA for a farm ownership program for veterans.

For 1946-48 Congress voted FSA more than three times as much money as it did the last fiscal year for loans to farmers under provision of the Handhead-Jones Tenant Purchase act. The agency will have \$50,000,000 as against fifteen thousand for last year. One-half of this has been set up as a program specifically for ex-soldiers.

Veterans will have the same terms as other farmers. Loans may run for 40 years and bear three per cent interest. Only those who are unable to obtain adequate financing through other sources are eligible for an FSA loan.

Applicants are invited to visit the FSA office at Floydada after locating the farms they want to buy. Each farm is appraised in line with the actual value based on its long-time earning capacity. The FSA committee of local farmers determines the eligibility of applicants. Richard M. Bates, John A. Lloyd, and Robert W. Smith, Jr. comprise the committee in this county.

Many veterans will find it desirable to work several years as tenants before becoming landowners. Mr. Spears declared, "Under the rural rehabilitation program FSA is able to make operating loans for purchase of equipment, livestock, feed, fertilizer, seed and minor improvements."

\$25,000,000 has been appropriated for the regular farm ownership program. The date FSA has assisted more than 2,000 Texas farmers to become landowners. Taking advantage of the variable payment plan which enables the borrower to make large repayments in good years, hundreds of these farmers are three to five years ahead of schedule on repayments.

M. E. JOHNSTON FAMILY TOGETHER AT PARENTS HOME Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Johnston had all their children at home with them last week. They were: Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Johnston and family of Temple, Tex. and Mrs. E. E. Shepherd and family of Fairfield; Mrs. J. A. McKinney and sons of Clovis, New Mexico; Mrs. T. W. Bailey of Clovis, New Mexico; Mrs. Beaton Howard and daughter of Floydada, and Captain R. C. Johnston of Biggs Field, Texas.

Three sons-in-law were unable to be present at the family gathering.

RECKLESS ROOFING Judge: What's this man charged with, officer? Cop: Careless walking, yer honor. He bumped into a trunk and bent both fenders and the radiator.

SOUNDS RIGHT Passenger: Why did they build this station so far out of town? Station agent: So it would be near the railroad.

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Come in and look our prices over and save on your next grocery bill.

We don't have just a few things on special, but on everything in stock.

Buy Here and Save Money for your vacation and war bonds.

We pay market prices for Eggs.

Thank You, Call Again

TIGLS-DUCKLING DRIED EGGS MAY BE POST-WAR SWAN

Dried eggs, now regarded disparagingly by overseas G. I. may make friends more readily in post-war households as a result of storage research. Under unfavorable storage conditions—such as the high temperatures encountered in many war theatres—the quality of dried eggs drops rapidly. But scientific tests conducted recently by food research specialists of the U. S. Department of Agriculture show that good quality spray-dried whole eggs stored for as much as a year at cool temperatures compare favorably with fresh eggs in flavor and cooking qualities.

With proper storage methods, dried eggs may prove as useful a supplement to shell eggs as dried milk has to fresh—offering the advantage of compact storage and helping to equalize prices during the year by preserving the spring surplus for the winter months.

In the laboratories of the Bureau of Human Nutrition and Home Economics, scrambled eggs, baked casseroles, popovers, mayonaisse and foundation cake made with dried eggs were compared with these same foods prepared with fresh shell eggs in order to check characteristic functions of eggs in cooking—from flavor to baking qualities.

The temperature at which dried egg is stored is extremely important in the saving of flavor and cooking quality. The specialists found. Stored at temperatures below 60 degrees F., dried whole egg retained its original quality characteristic for a year. Scrambled eggs made of the year-old dried egg were tender and creamy and cakes were no different from those made with shell eggs.

After being stored for less than one month at 60 degrees F. and above, however, dried eggs produced scrambled eggs that were dry, grainy and brownish, and soft watery casseroles. On the other hand, dried eggs stored at high temperatures showed up more slowly in cake because of the many old ingredients.

WELL QUALIFIED

Private Jones had volunteered for a special job and was being interviewed for a special job and was being interviewed by the colonel.

Have you the firmness of character that enables a man to do his duty in the face of ingratitude, criticism and ridicule? Sure, said Jones. I was a cook all through the last war.

An Irish gentleman lying on his deathbed, was questioned by his inconsolable prospective widow. "Poor Mike," said she, "is there anything that would make ye comfortable? Anything ye ask for I'll get for ye."

"Please, Bridget," he responded, "I think I'd like a wee taste of the ham I smelt a-bolling in the kitchen."

"Arrah, go on," responded Bridget. "Devil a bit of that ham ye'll get. 'Tis for the wake."

She: Did I show you the place I hurt my hip? He: Er-no-o. She: Okay, let's drive around that way.

The largest motor in the world is 44 feet long, 16 feet wide, and 23 feet high. It has sufficient power to lift a four-stack destroyer weighing 1,250 tons, at the rate of 200 feet a minute.

FAKX LOANS FOR VETERANS

Two hundred twenty World War II veterans got approval from the Veterans Administration by June 1 for loans to buy farms or farming equipment under the G. I. Bill of Rights.

U. S. Department of Agriculture agencies administering this program say some veterans are already making a good farm income, though most of them are only now getting started.

One veteran who got a G. I. loan is Dale Whinnery of Eau Claire, Wis., whose milk checks are now averaging \$200 a month. With this income, plus returns on his sales, he expects to pay \$1000 yearly to the bank that loaned him \$3000.

Whinnery has a headstart on many of the veterans who are now returning to farms, because he got the second farm loan to be made anywhere under the G. I. Bill.

Another Wisconsin veteran, Kersten Vold of Vernon County, has a \$4,000 loan from a local bank to cover the cost of a 100-acre farm. Vold, who served two years in the army, got one of the first GI loans made for the purchase of real estate in the Midwest.

In Pennsylvania, Troy Roberts of Kennel Square, the father of an infantryman killed in Germany and himself a veteran of the present war, got the first of these loans made in the Eastern States. Before the elder Roberts was inducted into the Army he was a farm laborer. Now he is making a living for his wife and three teen-age children by operating a 50-acre farm on a share basis with its owner.

These veterans will pay no more than a per cent interest on their loans, with the Veterans Administration paying the interest for the first year on the part of the loan that carries a government guaranty under the G. I. Bill of Rights. The government has tried to make it easier for World War II veterans to get farm credit by guaranteeing to lenders the repayment of 50 percent, but not more than \$2000, of the sum they lend to veterans for certain farm purposes.

The loans are made by regular credit agencies, such as banks, or by individuals. Interested veterans should apply to lenders. If a lender is willing to make a loan, he will also assist the veteran in applying for a loan guaranty from the government. The Farm Security Administration's County Committees plus a local veteran-businessman, are reviewing applications to safeguard, insofar as possible, the veteran, the lender and the government from poor investments.

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Social Events, Clubs

Emma Louise Smith, Capt. Johnston Wed

Miss Emma Louise Smith, daughter of Mrs. Lon V. Smith, became the bride of Captain Ralph Clovis Johnston, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Johnston, Floydada, on the morning of July 12, at the home of the bride's mother, on South Wall street.



"Because" and "At Dawning" were sung by Mrs. Floyd Simpson of Jackson, California, accompanied by Mrs. Clement McDonald who played "Always" during the ceremony. Reverend Ernest K. Shepherd, brother-in-law of the groom, read the marriage vows before an altar of greenery, white gladioli and roses.

Miss Edith Wilson was maid of honor and Mrs. Tucker Teutsch of Dallas was bridesmatron. They carried bouquets of Jo Anna Hill roses. Mr. J. Rex Johnston, brother of the groom, was best man and usher was Sgt. Glimmer Denison.

The bride, given in marriage by her uncle, Dr. George V. Smith, wore a brown wool suit with matching accessories. Gardenias and a show-

er of Stephanotis fell from her white Bible. At the reception after the double ring ceremony, the table was centered with seasonal flowers flanked

by crystal candelabra holding white tapers. Mrs. H. F. Hawkins presided at the wedding cake and Mrs. D. R. Preston poured coffee, assisted by Mrs. George V. Smith and Mrs. Wilson Connell. Mrs. Guy Ginn presided at the bride's book.

After a trip to New Mexico, the couple will be at home at 3009 Hamilton street, El Paso, Texas. The bride is a graduate of Baylor University. Captain Johnston, a graduate of Texas Tech, spent thirteen months in the Pacific with the Army Air Force. He wears the Air Medal, Distinguished Flying cross, Silver Star, and a Presidential Unit citation. He is stationed at Biggs field as Operations and Training inspector in the B-29 Combat Crew Training school.

Out-of-town guests included Reverend and Mrs. Ernest K. Shepherd, David, James and John Paul Shepherd of Fairfield, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Johnston and son, Joe, of Temple; Mrs. Thurmon Battey, Mrs. Jack McKinney and two sons of Clovis, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. M. M. Gentry of Lubbock; Mrs. A. B. Edwards of Henrietta; Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Hawkins of Wichita Falls; Mrs. D. R. Preston of Elcetra; Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Connell, Bettie and Connie Connell of Snyder, Tex.

White gladioli, purple iris and palms decorated the altar from which the service was performed. Pfc. Dorothy Matthews, organist, played "O. Promise Me," "Because," "I Love You Truly" and the traditional wedding marches. Candles were lighted by Miss Marian Meacham, cousin of the bride.

The bride, given in marriage by her step father, wore an orchid dress with black accessories. She carried an orchid on a white Bible which was a gift from her grandmother, Mrs. F. F. Henry. For something old, she wore a single strand of pearls belonging to the mother of the bridegroom; for something blue, she carried a blue handkerchief; and for something borrowed, she wore Miss Christina Eller's ear screws.

Miss Cope is Attendant. Miss Betty Cope, maid of honor, wore a light blue dress with white accessories and a corsage of gardenias. Chester Gosden served as best man. For a wedding trip to New Mexico the bride wore a chartreuse suit with a watermelon color blouse and brown accessories. She had an orchid corsage.

Lt. Brunson will report August 7 to San Antonio for reassignment. He has been a B-24 pilot with the 15th Air force for the past eight months. He is a former student of Texas Technological college where he was a member of Kemas social club. The bride is a junior at Tech and is a member of DFD social club.

Out of town wedding guests were Mrs. J. R. Meacham and Marian of Quanah and Mrs. Henry of Roaring Springs. Mr. and Mrs. Gene Aylesworth, of Dumas, visited last week here with Mrs. Aylesworth's parents, Judge and Mrs. W. E. Grimes, returning home Friday.

Walker-Nall Wedding At Plainview July 8

PLAINVIEW, July 14—The marriage of Miss Nora Lucille Walker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Walker of this city, and Lt. Hall Everett Nall of Amarillo and took place July 8 in the home of the bride's parents with Dr. L. B. Reavis, pastor of the Baptist church reading a double ring ceremony.

An altar of greenery was accented with tall baskets of white gladioli and cathedral tapers were placed at either side.

Kline Nall sang "Because" and "I Love You Truly," preceding the ceremony and was accompanied by his sister, Miss Mary Annie Nall of Amarillo, who continued with the traditional march.

Sister, Brother Are Attendants. Mrs. Leighton Maggard of Lockney was matron of honor and the bride's sisters, Misses Lennie and Winnie Walker, were bridesmaids. Lt. Carl Nall of Columbus, Ga., was his brother's best man.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white lace gown with skirt extending into a train, a fingertip veil of bridal illusion held in place with a crown of orange blossoms and she carried a bouquet of yellow roses.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held for the families and close friends. The bride's sister, Miss Helen Walker, presided at the bride's book.

The couple left for New Mexico to spend two weeks. Mrs. Nall, yeoman 3-c in the WAVES, is stationed at Oakland, California. Lt. Nall is stationed with the U. S. Army medical corps at Bruns General hospital, Santa Fe. He returned from the CBI theater in December, 1944, after serving two and a half years overseas.

Out-of-town guests included the Kline Nalls and their daughter.

Rehearsal Dinner Wednes. Compliment to Wedding Party

Complimenting members of the Smith - Johnston wedding party Wednesday evening of last week, Mrs. Lon V. Smith entertained with a rehearsal dinner at her home 1002 South Wall street.

A three-course dinner was served to the bride and bridegroom-elect, Emma Louise Smith and Captain Ralph C. Johnston, and Rev. and Mrs. Ernest K. Shepherd of Fairfield, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Johnston, Sgt. and Mrs. Glimmer Denison, Miss Edith Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Clement McDonald, Mrs. Floyd Simpson, Dr. and Mrs. G. V. Smith, Mrs. A. B. Edwards Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Hawkins of Wichita Falls and Mrs. D. R. Preston of Elcetra.

Mrs. George Smith Garden Club Hostess

The Floydada Garden club met July 13 in the home of Mrs. Guy Ginn with Mrs. George Smith as hostess. The program subject was "Tribute to Flowers."

Mrs. E. L. Angus was leader and was assisted by Mrs. E. C. Henry who gave some interesting garden notes, Mrs. George C. Marshall who gave "Flowers in Centerpiece," and Mrs. L. C. McDonald with an interesting paper on "Etiquette in Flowers."

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Jeff Weilborn July 27.

Mr. and Mrs. Faye Maxey and daughter Linda made a trip to Farwell, New Mexico, the first of the week after their daughters, Mary Ellen and Ruth who have been visiting with Mrs. Maxey's parents for several weeks.

To read without reflecting, is like eating without digesting—Burke.

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Bishop's Pharmacy

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Rudy of Lubbock were in town Tuesday to attend the annual barbecue at the Country Club. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lon M. Davis.

W. C. Trowbridge 81c, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Trowbridge, who has been visiting with his parents for the past 15 days, left Tuesday for Dallas, Texas, where he will be reassigned in the navy.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Roberts and Gladys are at Stovall Wells near Graham where they have been for the past week taking baths. They are expected home the first of next week.

FAMOUS QUOTATIONS
There are three faithful friends: an old wife, an old dog, and ready money.—Franklin.
Give me the liberty to know, to think, to believe, and to utter freely, according to conscience, above all other liberties.—Milton.
Neither great poverty nor great riches will listen to reason.—Fielding.
The moment our democracy ceases to respect God, it will cease to respect your value as an individual. The moment it ceases to respect your right as an individual, it ceases to be a democracy.—Thomas J. Curran.

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Hunger, Cold His Main Impression of Nazi Prison

After Private Hoyt Red, an artilleryman with the First army, got home on June second from a German prison, he hit the ground laughing for a job while he was taking his 60-day leave from Uncle Sam's army, and he has been a busy man ever since.

The first job he got was in the harvest field and he has been hauling since that job played out. Due to report back for duty at Hot Springs, Arkansas, on August 3, he is getting in all the licks he can and the time is passing swiftly for him.

Cold, Hungry Marches
Cold and hunger are Hoyt's two principal recollections of the bitter time following his capture on December 20. His outfit had been ordered to hold out in their positions as long as they could, which is what they did. When they ran out of ammunition their officers gave up after several hectic and uncomfortable hours of being shot at with nothing to shoot back with. A retreat of eight kilometers would have kept the battalion from being captured but that wasn't in the picture. It was at Bastogne they were captured.

There followed a nine-day march on three days German rations, with the cold below zero. By the 28th of April when he was released Pvt. Red had lost 36 pounds of weight but otherwise his health was unimpaired. His most uncomfortable two and a half hours of the whole period of captivity was when he stood out in the cold in his shirt sleeves for two and a half hours while he was being questioned for information on the American positions, and strength, he said. The snow was about half way to the knees in depth and to make him a bit more uncomfortable and anxious to talk he was snowballed while the questioning went on. "I didn't tell them anything," he said.

Released at Timka
Red's release by the American forces was at Camp 10-C, along with about 1,800 other Americans, west of Timka. One of the American prisoners was killed by Jerry shelling just before their release.

His old outfit is now in Czechoslovakia. Red has seen five years of service.

SOLDIER FRIEND CHECKS UP ON WHEREABOUTS OF PVT. BILLY JOE CANTRELL

Mrs. Eddie Cantrell received a letter from a soldier boy that had been with her son, Pvt. Billy Joe Cantrell, through training and until they got overseas who in his letter said that after getting overseas he had been moved to a different division from Billy Joe and had not heard from him since.

He had run across Mrs. Cantrell's address and wanted to see if Billy was all right and where he is now. The soldier was Pvt. Edward Aguilard, who was at that time in the La Garde General Hospital, New Orleans, La.

Billy Joe has an APO post office number out of New York City.

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M. L. Solomon, west side jeweler, has been named official watch inspector for trainmen of the Quannah route, it was announced last week.

A recently-installed master clock at the Solomon jewelry is synchronized once daily from the Naval Observatory time at Washington, D. C.

Mail Specialist E. L. Teague, USNR, of San Francisco, in company with Mrs. Teague and their daughter, are in Texas this week for a visit with relatives while he is on furlough and Mrs. Teague on vacation. Here they visited until Tuesday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Teague, leaving on that date for Runnels county to spend a few days with her kinsmen before returning to California.

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Side Lights From Washington

(By George Mahon)
In the early days of the war nearly all combat airplanes were covered with camouflage paint. The practice has now been abandoned on most planes. The B-29's which are used in bombing Japan carry no camouflage. The camouflage would add weight and wind resistance and reduce the speed of the plane by eight miles per hour. Pilots prefer the extra speed.

It is hard to devise a camouflage that is suitable for all types of weather condition; the natural aluminum is about as good as any, especially for daytime flying.

James Byrnes, new secretary of state, and Fred Vinson, soon to become secretary of the treasury, are former members of congress and are sure to understand the Congressional viewpoint and know how to get along with Congress in matters of foreign policy and in tax matters—problems with which they will deal as members of the cabinet.

The Fair employment practices committee the so-called FEPC, is rapidly becoming the number one source of discord, bitterness, and disunity in Congress. Certain elements in Congress are trying to force passage of a bill which would make the FEPC permanent, continuing it after the war and giving it extraordinary power to compel employment without regard to race or color and without consideration of the wishes of employers or employees.

I join with those who take the position that the present FEPC should be abolished and the permanent bill defeated, feeling that such a committee endangers our freedom, creates unnecessary frictions, and bids fair to produce an intolerable racial situation. Despite our efforts to the contrary, however, continuation of the FEPC is temporarily blocked, but the end of the controversy is not in sight.

The House of Representatives has agreed to recess for several weeks, and I plan to be back in the district within a few days. My office in the federal building in Lubbock will be open, but I hope to spend the greater portion of my time visiting among the people of the district, informing myself of local conditions and seeking to be of service wherever possible.

HESTER WEST ATTENDS MISSIONARY CONFERENCE, VISITS FRIENDS IN EAST

Miss Hester West who returned home in late June from a months visit in various parts of the United States, had been to New York to attend a conference of the Philippine missionaries of the Methodist church which lasted six days.

From New York City, Miss West went to South Carolina and Georgia to visit with friends and on to Alabama to visit with relatives, and then to Dallas where she visited with friends before returning to her parent's home in Floydada.

SELL SHARP HOME PLACE

W. H. (Bill) Sharp and daughter, Lajuana Jo, left for Vallejo, California, Monday after visiting with friends in Floydada for the past month. While they were here they sold their home place, located on Virginia street to Robert Day.

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CLUB DELEGATE REPORTS ON LUBBOCK SHORT COURSE

The Home Builders club met Friday, July 3, with Mrs. T. J. Heard, Mrs. Raymond Williams was in the chair. Roll call was answered with a canning safety hint.

Mrs. Williams, club delegate to Lubbock Short course, gave a very interesting lecture. Miss Wilson gave the demonstration on canning peaches. Miss Hill gave a talk about how to treat service men and their wives.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Raymond Williams, W. L. Morgan, N. G. Jackson, Charlie Smart, J. R. Terry, Clyde Parr, O. G. Mayfield, Waiding, T. J. Heard, Elbert Parks, F. F. Fuqua, C. A. Cumble, P. F. Bertrand, Carol Westfall, W. A. Cates, J. A. Lloyd, Weldon Cumble and Miss Lois Wilson and Miss Hill.

The club will meet Friday July 27 with Mrs. N. G. Jackson.

HIS RECORDS ARE LOST

Tom N. Emert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Emert, who was with a tank destroyer battalion that operated with whatever army needed it worst from the boundary of Germany until V-E day, is now with the Army of occupation.

By a queer quirk of circumstances the records of Pfc. Tom N. have been lost, otherwise he might be headed homeward, since he has enough points if they were recorded to be released from service.

MRS. BEEDY IS HOSTESS TO SOUTH PLAINS CLUB

The South Plains Home Demonstration club met July 11 with Mrs. Bill Beedy. Mrs. J. B. Smitherman led the recreational period.

Refreshments of angel food cake and ice cream were served to Mesdames J. B. Smitherman, Harry Hartman, H. L. Marble, June Marble, Walton Eugene Wilson and the hostess, Mrs. Beedy.

The next meeting will be July 25 with Mrs. Harry Hartman.

Pfc. Blassingame Helps Keep C-47 Planes in the Air

A NINTH AIR FORCE SERVICE COMMAND UNIT, ENGLAND: C-47 transport planes, the "work-horses" of World War II, are operating the supply and passenger airlines for continental Europe. With rail and motor transport temporarily at a stand-still due to Ninth Air Force bombings of strategic rail and road centers, the importance of the C-47s for overland transportation is accentuated.

One of the men helping in the transportation program of the 31st Air Transport group, 302nd wing is Pfc. Melvin Blassingame, of Floydada, Texas.

Pfc. Blassingame, graduate of the Floydada high school, has helped to pioneer European air travel since the invasion more than a year passed. Today, as an aircraft mechanic, he is responsible for squadron maintenance and repairs for the C-47 transport plane used by his group.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lon Blassingame, Route No. 5, Floydada. His wife, formerly Miss Leta Barnes, lives in Rusk, Texas.

EXPRESSION OF THANKS

We wish to express our deep appreciation for the many expressions of sympathy, the many beautiful flowers and for the neighborly acts of kindness.

Our prayer is that everyone of you may receive these blessings of friendship in your hour of need.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Helms and family.

Miss Erma Fulkerson of Amarillo is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Fulkerson, this week. She spent last week vacationing in Denver, Colorado, before coming here.

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Swan's Down CAKE FLOUR,	Pkg. .28	QUAKER OATS,
KELLOGG'S CORN FLAKES,	3 For .23	QUAKER MALT-O-MEAL,
SKINNER'S RAISIN BRAN,	Pkg. .10	QUAKER MEAL,
Fresh Pinks		Lb. .19
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Health Dept. Clarifies Rules Maternity Care

Austin, Texas, July 19—A serviceman's wife may apply for maternity care and care for her baby, under the emergency maternity and infant care program, even after her husband has been honorably discharged, promoted, or demoted, provided she was pregnant during the period when he was in one of the four pay grades of the services or was serving as an aviation cadet. On the same basis, she may apply if her husband and father is a prisoner of war, missing in action, or dead. This clarification as to who is entitled to care under the Government's emergency maternity and infant care program was made today by Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. The State Department of Health administers the program in Texas.

Heretofore the application for care had to be made while the serviceman was in one of the eligible grades. Now all that is required to establish eligibility is proof that the wife was pregnant while he was in one of the eligible grades. The baby in these cases is also eligible for full care during his first year of life. Similarly, if the father of an infant whose mother did not receive care under the program was in one of the eligible grades at any time during the infant's year of life, the infant's eligibility for care under the program is established.

The greatest effort of the new program, which is retroactive to January 1, 1945, will be in bringing in the care of discharged servicemen under the program for the full year in which the infant is entitled to



State Institutions cannot support formal religion because church and state are separated, but President J. A. Hill, of West Texas State Teachers college believes the 646 ex-students of WTSC from Floyd county and other people of the area will support a gift program for the construction of the above chapel estimated to cost \$50,000. An active campaign for gifts will be carried on, he announces.

The new regulation also clears up a matter about which some confusion has existed, that is whether widows and their infants are eligible. Under this interpretation they are without question eligible.

The procedures to be followed in establishing eligibility is simple. The wife has only to show her physician or other authorized person assisting her in filling out the application form an envelope or V-mail letter from her husband, her allowance card or other official communication dated at a time when he was in one of the eligible grades. If she does not have such evidence, the State Health Department can make inquiry of the appropriate armed service.

Clarification of this matter by Congress brings the whole undertaking in line with the spirit of the law," Dr. Cox said. "The important matter is to get care to these women and their babies, not the fine points of when the application was made. Surely all can see the justice of taking care of these men's wives and babies."

SIGHT OF AN OLD FRIEND GREETES TWO FLOYDADA BOYS AT SAN DIEGO NAVY BASE

D. I. Bolding, Jr., and Macyl Boteler apprentice seamen stationed in San Diego, California, recently received word to go to the visiting room as there was someone to see them. The boys were very bewildered as to who it could be, but upon entering the room they saw their old school chum, Pete Malphurs, also an apprentice seaman, who a few years back had moved to Arizona.

The boys had a swell time swapping stories of the past years and were glad to meet again. D. I. wrote in a recent letter home.

PVT. AND MRS. WINFRED PAYNE HOME FOR SHORT STAY

Pvt. and Mrs. Winfred Payne and baby son are home this week from Camp Fannin visiting their folks, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Payne of Dougherty and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Smith of Campbell.

Pvt. Payne entered the service February 26, 1945 and received his training at Camp Fannin, after a 10 day furlough he will report to Camp Rucker, Alabama.

Mrs. Payne and son have been living in Tyler.

VISITS AT HOME ENROUTE TO NEW ARMY STATION

Pvt. James W. Switzer left Monday for Ft. Ord, California, after delay enroute visit of 10 days here with his wife and three children and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Switzer.

Pvt. Switzer has just finished his 17 weeks training at Camp Wolters, Texas.

Mrs. Evelyn Osborne of Texarkana and Mrs. M. O. Lemons of Buena Park, California, and daughter, Betty Jean, who has been making her home near Center, are visiting this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Boteler.

Mrs. E. A. Thomas left the first of last week for Bremerton, Washington, to join her husband, who is in the navy stationed there.

Mrs. M. C. Young left this week for Waco where she will spend a few weeks visiting with relatives and friends.

Canning Peaches Without Sugar

COLLEGE STATION, July—Sugar helps canned fruit to hold its shape, color and flavor, but it is not necessary to keep fruits from spoiling, says Mrs. Winifred J. Leverenz, specialist in food preservation of A. and M. college Extension Service. With present sugar shortages, canning operation by packing the raw materials to conserve the large surplus of peaches this summer, and will add many cans of fruit to the pantry shelves and to next winter's menus.

To can without sugar, use boiling water or strained fruit juice made from the softer peaches. Wash then peel and remove seed from firm peaches. Complete the canning operation by packing the ripe peaches into a clean jar or can. Bring fruit juice or water to a boil and pour over the packed fruit. Leave 1-2 inch headspace. Steam before sealing: pints, 10 minutes; quarts, 15 minutes; half gallons, 20 minutes. Press down, and refill if necessary. Wipe off rim of jar and seal according to type of container being used. Process in a water bath after water starts boiling: pints and quarts, 15 minutes; half gallons, 25 minutes.

Another method to can without sugar is to drop the firm fruit into the fruit juice. Bring to a boil. Pack into boiling hot clean jars. Process in a boiling water bath, 15 minutes for pints and quarts, and 25 minutes for half gallons.

If a small amount of sugar is available, the general wartime rule is to add one cup of sugar to two quarts of fruit. One cup of sugar syrup usually covers 1 quart of fruit when it is well packed. A thin syrup, one cup sugar to three cups juice or water, is also desirable from a nutrition standpoint.

Corn syrup or corn sugar may be substituted for part or all of the sugar. One cup sugar and two cups corn syrup to 6 cups water makes a desirable syrup. If corn syrup is to replace all of the sugar, use 1-2 to 3-4 cup syrup and one cup water. Honey may be substituted for a small part of the sugar, but it affects the flavor of the fruit more than corn syrup. It is good with canned figs and with fruit pickles. Never use saccharin in canning, as it becomes bitter when heated.

Misses Joy and Hope McIntosh, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. McIntosh, arrived home Tuesday from Paris and other points in South Texas where they have been for the past month visiting with Mrs. McIntosh's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Lowery at Paris and with Mr. McIntosh's mother, Mrs. E. McIntosh of Austin, and other relatives.

Dr. and Mrs. Wilson Kimble are visiting in Jacksonville, Texas, with their daughter and her husband, Dr. and Mrs. Don Harris.

Clarence Snodgrass arrived Monday from Houston, Texas, to visit with his mother, Mrs. C. Snodgrass.

HAROLD BERRY RETURNING TO OKMULGEE HOSPITAL

Pfc. Harold L. Berry, recently back in the states from the Pacific war with wounds sustained in the battles for Luzon, left this morning returning to Glennan General hospital at Okmulgee, Oklahoma, after a 30-day visit at home with his wife and son and other relatives.

Mrs. A. P. McKinnon has had visiting in her home her children, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McKinnon of El Paso who left for Amarillo to finish out their vacation, and Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Kirchner of Dallas who have gone on to Denver, Colorado.

Misses Peggy Jo and Nanette Bishop, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bishop, left Sunday for Colorado Springs, Colorado, to visit with relatives.

Mrs. R. C. Wakefield and son, Bobby Clint, of Bryan, Texas, arrived last Thursday and are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stovall.

Methodist Notes, Aiken District

Belview was at it's best Sunday. Crowd on time, and singing good and best of attention. We had a nice crowd waiting when we arrived back at Aiken. We had a fine service.

We met the Young people at 8:30 and were very pleased with the response. A nice program was organized for the young people. Those present seemed to be intent on the promotion of the Fellowship.

We are discussing next Sunday evening "Our Defense Program" which is already arranged and in the hands of the speakers. This organization is for the juniors, intermediates and seniors. Come each Sunday evening at 8:30 p. m.

A nice crowd was present at 9:00 p. m. to hear a returned missionary from Africa (Miss Armstrong). Her subject for the hour was Hospitalization, and other aids for Leppers. Next Sunday you will find us at Carr's Chapel. Three weeks from that time the Revival will begin there. Let us all be ready. Round up your work, if possible; do what is needed to be done and let the other run until after the revival.

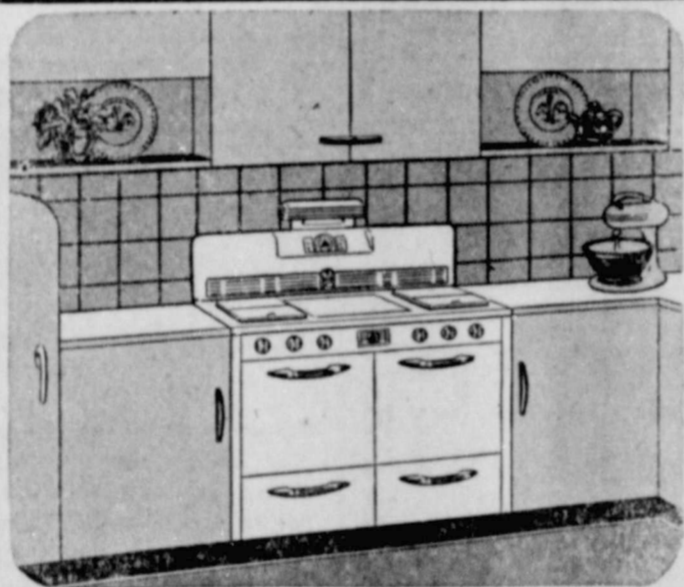
There will be a good will service at the Methodist church Sunday, July 29, Rev. Roy, Baptist pastor will preach.

MRS. HINSON UNDERGOES OPERATION AT SWEETWATER

Mrs. Herschell Hinson underwent an appendectomy at the Sweetwater hospital last Friday in Sweetwater. Her father Baird Bishop and Mrs. E. E. Hinson went to Sweetwater Saturday and came back Sunday reporting that she was doing as well as could be expected.

Lt. Hinson is stationed at the Sweetwater Army Air Field and Mrs. Hinson has been living in Sweetwater.

Pvt. Raymond Parrish has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Omer Parrish on a 15-day furlough from the army. He leaves today to report at Camp Maxey, Texas.



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CITY OF FLOYDADA

Moving Plants to Texas Really A Possibility

The recent report of the U. S. Department of Commerce, pointing out that "there is not a village or hamlet in the entire South too small for a small processing plant," has added enthusiasm to the efforts of Texas bankers who are launching an advertising campaign to induce manufacturing plants to locate in Texas towns.

Realizing that Texas has more opportunity to gain from the decentralization of national manufacturing than any other state in the Union, banks in all parts of Texas are joining this cooperative advertising campaign. Advertisements will appear in national publications read by manufacturing executives throughout the North and East.

Inquiries, as a result of this advertising, will be received and forwarded to all cooperating banks by the Bankers digest, a Texas bank newspaper.

Already some advertising has been done, the publisher of Bankers Digest states, and among the most recent inquiries from manufacturers interested in moving their plants to Texas towns are two that employ 100 and 200 people respectively. These inquiries have been forwarded to the participating banks for their further follow up.

Crash Kills Howard Merry

L. Howard E. Merry, son of Phil Merry formerly of Floydada now of Tacoma, Washington, was killed in a plane crash last night near Tacoma. The young flyer had been visiting his father and left a few minutes before the crash. He was alone in a pursuit plane and details of the accident were not available here this morning.

Mrs. Phil Merry, jr., left today to meet her husband, F-O Merry, in Amarillo and the couple will go to Tacoma to attend the funeral of their brother.

L. Merry was a graduate of Floydada High school with the class of 1941. He had been stationed at Foster Field, Victoria, Texas before making the trip to Tacoma.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. F. P. Merry of San Diego, California, his father, F. P. Merry of Tacoma, Washington, one brother, F-O Phil Merry, jr., of Drew Field, Florida, and three uncles, Howard Merry of Jackson, Mississippi, Edward Merry of Demopolis, Alabama, and Henry Merry of Salt Lake City, Utah. Funeral arrangements had not been made this morning.

Kenneth Rimmer Hit Brenner Pass and Vienna Area

Kenneth Rimmer, second lieutenant Army Air corps, who left the states as a flight officer eight months ago while a bombardier of a B-17 crew, has returned home and is taking a rest in the states before reporting for further assignment at Fort Sam Houston.

He and his wife, the former Vera Carter, and children have been here the past several days visiting in the home of Mrs. Rimmer's father, J. T. Carter at Starkey.

Return home by the Floyd county flier, was made by stages through Africa, South America and the southwest coast of the United States, a very interesting trip, Lt. Rimmer said.

He was based at Taranito on the Adriatic sea while in combat and made 15 missions over targets at Brenner Pass and Vienna principally. His first promotion came on April 18, and another one due soon was "just his hard luck" that he didn't get to stay and receive.

Kenneth's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Rimmer, were in Texas from Stockton, California, to be with their son and visit relatives in this area, during the past two weeks.

Lt. Rimmer eligible for discharge on points when his record catches up with him and it is possible he will ask for discharge when he reports back to the base at Fort Sam.

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West Bound

Leaving Floydada 3:20 a. m., 9:55 a. m., and 5 p. m., making direct connections at Lubbock for all points North, West and South.

Northeast Bound 2:20 p. m.

To Silverton, Quitaque, Memphis, Childress.

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Hospital Trip Next Thursday To Amherst

The hospital trip of Floyd county people, probably a hundred persons if weather and other conditions are right to view the Amherst co-operative hospital and learn how it is financed and is being operated, will be made on Thursday of next week.

Several people from all sections of the county indicated interest and will make the trip, said Ed Holmes, who has been giving some time to the plan and is urging that a similar institution be built in this county.

"We want a carload of fellows from every community in the county to make the trip," said Mr. Holmes. "We will go out to see how they operate, how they get started, how many families it takes to get a real hospital with good doctors and more medical care for the average farmer."

The trip was originally planned for July 18 but the general rain and the resulting busy-ness on the farms resulted in the decision to postpone the trip to next Thursday.

Safety Week—

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lack on falls, which occur in the farm home more frequently than any other type of accident, on burns, which usually rank about second in importance, on educating farm workers in the proper handling of farm machinery, animals and firearms.

Mr. Coe said that the importance of safe driving should be emphasized because figures show that highway accidents annually kill thousands of farm residents.

"There are many other types of accidents which contribute to farm losses in time, material, and manpower," Mr. Coe said, "but a safety check-up during National Farm Safety Week will pave the way for the elimination of hazards that in themselves are the greatest drain on farm manpower."

MRS. BETHEL RETURNS HOME FROM RITES FOR UNCLE

Mrs. W. H. Bethel returned home Friday from Fannin County where she attended the funeral of an uncle, J. B. Smith, 90 years of age, Tuesday at Hall.

Mr. Smith was also an uncle of Joe Smith of Campbell in this county, and a brother of the late P. M. Smith.

He is survived by five sons and three daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Frank Smith, of Childress, accompanied by their daughter, Joy Carolyn, left Monday returning home after a visit in the home of Mrs. Smith's brother, Judge W. E. Grimes and Mrs. Grimes. The Smiths also visited in Lubbock with the Grover Mitchell family while on the plains.

Ruby Lee Handley Funeral Set For 3 o'clock Today

Funeral services will be held in First Methodist church of Lockney this afternoon for Ruby Lee Handley, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Handley, who died yesterday morning in Enoc, Oklahoma. The family had been visiting with friends and relatives in Tulsa, Oklahoma, and were enroute home when the daughter became ill. Cerebral hemorrhage was the cause of the girl's death.

Ruby Lee was born in Floydada and moved with her family at an early age to Lockney. She was a junior in the high school there the past year. Besides her parents, she is survived by three sisters, Mrs. Otha Gaskin of Lubbock, Mrs. Clara Oetz of Lamesa, and Mrs. Doc Durham of Lockney, and one brother, Joe Handley, also of Lockney.

The funeral service will be conducted at 3 o'clock by Rev. Oscar Bruce with Elder Jarrett assisting. Interment will be made in the Lockney cemetery under the direction of the Crager Funeral home.

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Ginger Ale, Large Bottle.	23c
Grapefruit Juice, 46-oz. Can.	29c
Borden's HEMO, Jar.	53c
Jams — Jellies	
White Swan MILK, 2 Large Cans.	19c
Pork - Beans No. 2 Can.	15c
Whole FIGS, No. 2 1/2 In Syrup	35c
Krispy Crackers, 1-Lb. Box.	19c
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VINEGAR Quart Fruit Jar.	.10
MUSTARD Quart Fruit Jar.	.10
CHEESE Longhorn, Pound.	.38
BEEF ROAST Pound.	.28
BEEF STEAK Pound.	.35

SOLDIER TWIN BROTHERS VISIT BROTHER HERE AFTER RETURN FROM EUROPE

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Barber had visiting in their home over last week-end Mr. Barber's twin brothers Sgt. Joe Ralph Barber and Sgt. James Ray Barber of Weatherford, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Barber and Don accompanied them home Sunday for a few days visit.

W. M. P. HINTON TRANSFER TO BLYTHEVILLE AAF

BLYTHEVILLE ARMY AIR FIELD, Blytheville, Arkansas—Sgt. William P. Hinton a native of Floydada, Texas was recently transferred to Blytheville Army Air field, a combat crew training station of the First Troop carrier command.

At present he is assigned as airplane mechanic.

IN MARITIME TRAINING

SHEEPSHEAD BAY, N. Y.—The following men from Floydada, Texas are now in training for service with the merchant fleet at the U. S. Maritime Service Training Station, Sheepshead Bay, New York.

The men are Glenn D. Gearhart, 18, and Clarence L. Roberts, 18.

Pvt. J. W. Permenter is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Permenter, on a delay enroute to Ft. Ord, California.

Rotary Assembly Attended by Four Local Rotarians

Sectional district assembly of Rotary presidents and secretaries held at Amarillo last week was attended by four local club members—J. M. Willson, S. W. Ross, H. G. Barber and H. M. McDonald. Willson was on the program for discussions of the International service phase of club work this year, Ross is secretary of the club, Barber is president.

District Governor Chas. S. Payton of Cleburn, and M. W. Lamour, of Graham, past governor of the district, were in Floydada last Thursday night, guests of J. M. Willson, and several local Rotarians visited with them while they were enroute home from the Amarillo meeting.

SILVER CITY VISITOR

Miss Mary Jackson of Silver City, New Mexico, is home on a two weeks vacation visiting with Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Hall and other relatives and friends.

Mary graduated from Floydada High school with the class of 1944 and since that time has been employed in Silver City.

COUNTRY CLUB PICNIC

Floydada Country club's annual picnic Tuesday night of this week drew a large number of the club's membership and numerous visitors who enjoyed swimming parties, ball climbing and other outing together with a barbecue dinner of beef and mutton.

Lon M. Davis was general chairman of the picnic and barbecue committee which staged a really good barbecue feed, members report.

MARRIAGE RECORD

Marriage licenses were issued by County Clerk, Margaret Collier, the past week to:

Morris O. George and Ellen M. Brock, July 13, and Billy Hinkle and Margaret Frances Whitaker, July 14.

Sgt. and Mrs. R. C. Patton of Lubbock were here the first of the week visiting with Sgt. Patton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Patton, and Mrs. Patton's mother, Mrs. E. G. McRoberts. They returned to Lubbock, where Sgt. Patton is stationed, Wednesday.

THE WHOLE TRUTH

Perhaps you will like this answer to the inquiry: "What does an efficiency expert do?"

"Well, if a woman did it, she would call it nagging."

Pvt. Nit: What's a parade? Corp Wit: Two medical officers.



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