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Legion To Banquet, Plan Fund Drive

Larger Quarters Planned by First National Bank

Officials and members of McDermott post, American Legion, together with committeemen of this and various other communities in the county will feast and talk over their plans for the building fund drive Thursday night of next week in the basement dining room of the Methodist church.

Announcing the plans for the event, Commander W. B. Henry said that plates will be laid for 100 persons and that an enthusiasm-building program is being planned for the banquet.

The meeting on Thursday night will lay complete plans for the fund drive that will open on Monday October 15. A fund of \$16,000 will be the goal.

Construction work and remodeling of the building, using the vault and other space until plans are finished and then a change-around with temporary office spaces for some time.

First Conference Game Tomorrow Night at Ralls

Floydada High school whirlwinds will open their conference games tomorrow night when they will be pitted against the Ralls Jackrabbits at Ralls High school stadium.

Chastened by their successive defeats at the hands of Littlefield high and Petersburg high on two successive week-ends, coach Gresham's squad were still chugging this week, attempting to overcome the jinx of injuries and the handicap of lack of weight and experience.

Band, Pep Squad, Tow. The high school band, which has been organizing and readying at a fast clip to get ready to participate in the ball games, will make the trip to Ralls, it was announced this week by Superintendent Graves.

Weather Hinders Beginning of USO Victory Drive

Workers for the Victory USO War campaign have been organizing themselves ready for the drive, that lasts for the month of October.

County chairman for this drive is E. L. Norman, with Cecil Hagood as publicity chairman. Other men on the Floydada committee are R. E. Fry, gift chairman, and W. G. Collins, Treasurer.

Community leaders are South Plains, Mrs. Menard Field; Fairview, Edell DuBois; Center, Roe Jones; Dougherty, Mrs. C. A. Caffee; Antelope, Claude Ring; Lakeview, Floyd Smith; Pleasant Hill, R. M. Battey; Starkey, Grady Walker; McCoy, James Smith; Harmony, G. L. Snodgrass; Sand Hill, W. R. Dooley; and Blanco, W. C. Cates.

A statement issued by the committee "urges all people of Floyd county to support this drive as earnestly and diligently as they have past campaigns."

The campaign due to open on Monday was headed off by inclement weather.

Perfect Rain Covers Wide Area of Plains

Pct Committees Named to Assist on G. I. Claims

A committee in each Commissioners precinct of the county named by the respective commissioners will be one volunteer agency through which officials and the American Legion will get and keep contact with ex-service men as they are discharged from the armed forces and return home.

Many misconceptions and misunderstandings of the long and involved law called the G. I. Bill of rights are certain to occur, said W. B. Henry, commander of McDermott post, American Legion, who with other officials of the post, conferred with the Commissioners at an informal session last week.

Churchmen Hold Meeting at First Christian Church

Prominent members of the First Christian church in Texas were present in Floydada yesterday for the annual convention of District Two of the Christian Brotherhood.

Leon C. England, district president, presided at the opening session yesterday morning and morning worship was conducted by Mrs. Walter P. Jennings, of Lubbock, following a welcome to the visitors extended by Otto F. Marshall, minister of the church here.

Rains that have fallen exactly right throughout the area—in a 48-hour period last week-end again beginning yesterday morning, have been just what the farm operators of Floyd county wanted.

From one and a quarter inches of rain to two inches or more fell last week on Friday and Saturday, with 1.3 inches, about an average at Floydada.

The weather bureau, failed to materialize but a low of 36 was recorded Friday, marking a record-breaker for September since 1926.

Officers of Country Club Shoot Qualifying Rounds For Tourney That Will Open September 30

Though interest in golf at Floyd County club has been at a low ebb during the war, revival of the game among members has come since most war restrictions have been removed.

A jury in 110th District court for Floyd county Tuesday mid-afternoon returned a verdict of guilty against J. H. Norvell, 63-year-old Floyd county farmer charged by indictment with rape and assessed a sentence of seven years in the penitentiary.

The case was called for trial Monday morning and a jury completed from a venire of 72 men shortly before 5 o'clock the same day. Testimony in Judge Chapman's court was started Tuesday morning.

The indictment was returned in August by the grand jury. Assisting District Attorney Stovall in the case was Harold Lafont, of Plainview, district attorney there. Defense counsel was the firm of Nelson and Brown at Lubbock.

A contract for Petersburg water works will be let on November 1. Bids will be advertised on October 15, allowing 15 days for all bidders to get their bids in before the contract is let.

Work is to begin almost immediately after the contract is let, and it is "hoped everything will move along smoothly and the system will possibly be completed by early spring," the Journal of that city says.

Marshall Formby Makes Brief Trip Home from Army

Lt. Marshall Formby of McAdoo Spur and Plainview, was in Floydada enroute to his parental home at McAdoo for a short time Saturday when he said he was on a hurry-up trip to visit with the homefolks and would return shortly to Fort Jackson, North Carolina.

He had just returned from a long period of service in ETO. He was publisher of the Plainview Tribune when he went into the army and still retains his newspaper interest there. Paul Zimmerman is operating the Tribune in his absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Timmon and son Dale of Dimmitt were in a car accident near Lockney on Monday night. They were brought to the Pits hospital for first aid treatment and remained there from 8 o'clock Monday night to 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, when they were released to go to their home at Dimmitt.

Harmon ambulance service was engaged to take the family to their home. Mr. and Mrs. Timmon were bruised and shaken up but suffered no fractures or broken bones.

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Bad Weather Slows Down Krause Test

Test for oil bearing sands on the H. A. Krause land in southwest Floyd county, recently announced by George P. Livermore, in incorporated, was being fitted up the first of this week and the giant rig was due to spud the well this week, it was understood in Floydada.

In the absence of official information, it was indicated by trucking men that operations are considerably slowed down temporarily due to heavy roads.

Continuing the clean up campaign on delinquent taxes in Floyd county delinquent tax sale from the court house steps conducted Tuesday afternoon by Sheriff Lee Howard, made sales based on around 70 tax suits filed during the past several months.

Comparatively business is mighty slow at the post office in Floydada on overseas Christmas parcels to men in the services. Apparently people are waiting and hoping to learn that their sons, brothers and husbands are coming home before Christmas and that they can hand a Christmas present to them instead of mailing it.

With the deadline for forwarding Christmas parcels, as requested by the army, navy and post office departments, less than two weeks away, those who plan to forward parcels are reminded by Mrs. Barbara H. Smith, postmaster, that (1) that one parcel a week can be mailed without request—in other words, two more parcels before October 15;

Rand Gafford will be new postmaster at Turkey. He was notified recently by letter from Representative Gene Worley that his name had been submitted to the postoffice department for that position and that official appointment will be made shortly. He was chosen from a field of eight applicants.

Today's Market Colored Hens, 4 pounds and up. 18c. Colored Hens, under 4 lbs. and all leghorns, lb. 18c. Cocks, lb. 10c.

Wheat, bu. \$1.50. Milo, \$2.06. Tups, \$14.25. Sows, good, \$13.50.

Alfalfa Hay No. 1 Hay, at the scales, ton. \$19. No. 2 Hay at the scales, ton. \$15. Dehydrated Hay, ton. \$15.

Superphosphate Fertilizer Here This Week for Irrigated Soils

This week Floyd county received its first car load of superphosphate under the Agricultural conservation program. The phosphate was 20% and will be applied to new and old seedings of alfalfa. Farmers receiving the phosphate from the car were: Ben O. Quebe, Lockney; L. J. Welborn, Floydada; Buck Sams, Lockney; C. J. Taylor, Lockney. The 20% superphosphate costs \$1.29 per 100 pound sack. Payment is made through the AAA payments to the amount of \$1.05; the farmer pays only 24c per 100 pounds on delivery.

"It is recommended that at least 200 pounds to the acre be applied," said Ray S. McEntire, Administrative officer, in discussing the fertilizer. "Just how far we can go in improving the quantity and quality is not known. Adjoining counties in the irrigated area are enthusiastic about the results obtained."

"L. L. Jones, Floydada, Texas, applied 300 pounds per acre to old alfalfa and doubled the yield by the second cutting. The alfalfa hay harvested by Mr. Jones was improved in quality as well as in quantity. Buck Sams, Lockney, Texas, has found similar results from application of the phosphate," he continued.

The local AAA organization is particularly interested in delivering more phosphate to the irrigation farms. However, for the present time it must be on a first come, first served basis because the demand exceeds the supply.

Rotary Head Visits Floyd Rotary Clubs

Charles S. Peyton of Cleburne, governor of the 127th district of Rotary International was with the Rotary Club Tuesday night, in his official visit to the club here, at Fellowship hall.

Governor Peyton spoke on "Lasting Peace" and the part that Rotary may play in bringing about the fellowship and good-will throughout the world. Governor Peyton said "If we have a lasting peace, we must learn to live with other people. Rotary stands for Good-will and peace throughout the world, and it is my honest opinion that it is going to have even a greater influence, as we move forward, in helping to make and keep such a peace."

Practically every Rotarian of Floydada club was present to hear the Governor.

After Governor Peyton's message the club held an assembly and conference and a report was given by each officer of the Club.

Mrs. Peyton, wife of the Governor, accompanied him on this visit and after the meeting with the Lockney club Wednesday, the couple were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Willson, Wednesday evening.

The Cleburne civic leader, prior to his official visit with the Floydada and Lockney clubs had spent Monday with the club at Plainview.

City Tax Rendition Rolls Show \$23,443.35 Total Current Year

City Secretary B. K. Barker said the office has been making some collections since October 1. The city will not allow any discount for October, November or December payment such as is being allowed by state, county and school.

Extensions on the tax rolls for tax collections indicate a total of \$23,443.35 levied. Of this amount by far the greater part will go to service bonded debt and maturities \$20,318.47 being earmarked for this account, representing 85 per cent of the total. The other 15 per cent or \$3,124.88, will go into the general fund. This provision meets an agreed arrangement between the city council and representatives of the bondholders.

The city has met all of its bond debt maturities in recent years promptly, and has all of its debt refunded on a basis of lower service charges than was effective during the 1920s, when tax payments were unequal to the task of meeting out-standings as their maturity date arrived.

Deadline Soon on Parcels to Boys Overseas

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(2) that the regulations as to size and weight of parcels this year is the same as last year. The maximum weight is five pounds. Shipping boxes of regulation size can be obtained at most stores in Floydada.

Cannery Will Operate Only 3 Days a Week

Beginning next week the Floyd County Cannery will be open three days a week it has been announced by Mrs. W. C. Sims, supervisor Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday are the days it will be open Mrs. Sims said.

During the month of September 8000 pints of vegetables, fruits, and meats were canned at the cannery. About half of the pints were vegetables and about one fourth each of meats and fruits.

The case of W. C. Plumlee, Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, was due to go to trial this morning in District Court for Floyd County.

The commissioner is charged by indictment with forgery. A jury is due to be chosen from the regular panel of 36 veniremen.

One Lotspeich, Lost on Java, Reported Safe at Calcutta, India

Though his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Lotspeich, of Dougherty had no word from their son since the War department, daily newspaper accounts carried last week credited their son, Grebe, one of a party of American soldiers liberated from a Japanese prison camp and flown out of Java, India.

The Fort Worth Star-Telegram was credited with saying that he was suffering from beriberi due to lack of nutrition and developed heart trouble. Now-

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As A Farm Woman Thinks

(By Nellie Witt Spikes)

Today, Saturday, is cold and wet. September has relented just before she leaves and her tears fell, silent and cold and dreary. Mr. Spikes is reading about a hunting trip that Judge Walker, Owen Crump, Ben Roy and Tillman Reeves made in the mountains of Old Mexico in the fall of 1937. I already have read the manuscript and find Judge Walker gives a concise, interesting detail account of the hunt. We see the campfire with tired happy hunters sitting around telling of the experiences of the day. Walk along with the Judge as he wanders around lost from the others; Bump along the dangerous road where the tires "cut to shreds" and the "battery catches on rocks". Read with renewed interest the history of that state. Yes both Mr. Spikes and I enjoyed the trip.



Wilda is sewing. Margaret Nell is

playing with her dolls. I have been up in the attic to clean out some boxes. You know how it is. All during the year you bundle up things and put them away without going over them, then the day comes that you decide it must be done. I brought down sacks of things and boxes of things. It was too cold away from the fire. I poured all the mess in the floor and started in I picked out the scrap for the quilts which I may never make but always plan to do. Goodness was there ever such pretty print! Yes I made these dresses the year Joe was born. What a cute fat little blue eyed fellow he was, and how long it took me to make the dress for I had spoiled him. That little blue check is from his first pair of rompers, blue as his eyes, the scrap of pink, like his smooth cheek. That little roll of brown was left from a shirt we tried to make for Jeff. The sleeves were always too long and it hung off his shoulders. Wilma looked nice in that blue print, white with daisies.

These scraps of wool and silk what will I do with them? Just put them away again. May want them for something. Wish I had saved all of them during the years and made a silk quilt, a string quilt each color outlined with stitches brier stitch, chain stitch and fancy feather-stitching of all kinds and the big plain silk pieces filled with embroidered roses and flowers and birds. But I never got around to making one.

Well, stick all the quilt scrap back. Some one may want them even if they have been picked over. Patterns, paper patterns, I laugh when I see the ladies proudly wearing them. Guess they looked pretty then, but now, oh my!

This box of old clothes, let me see. I did not intend to crochet a rug this year, but maybe I will. I remember what Julia used to tell about the old underwear and socks as I sort them out. Her mother was visiting and the woman called out to her daughter who was bending over a tub of clothes on the shady side of the house, "Daughter you need not wash them there socks and underwear very good, I only want them for dish-rags, anyway."

And that makes me think of how women used to pride themselves or the whiteness of their wash and talked about a neighbor whose clothes "looked as yellow as the

rising sun." And women vied with one another as to who could get her wash out the earliest.

These faded blue dresses and shirts will look pretty in rugs. Well do I remember the first rug I ever crocheted and how proud I was of it. My neighbor, Mrs. Patterson the first of five good neighbors I have had by that name, taught me how to crochet a rug. Wilson and the twins were very little and their garments were small and mostly blue. The rug was not very large and the strings were very short and had to be tacked often. Every year since then I have made a rug or two. This old worn out mattress cover will be fine. I will dye it different colors.

The day has gone by, the scraps are in the attic again, the old patterns and useless things burned up the strips torn for the rugs and I sit down to think and think of memories not blurred or shadowy but clear-etched, indelible, branded forever on my brain. The pattern of raindrops on the attic roof makes me believe the pitter is of soft little feet that used to run on the pine floor and I have to stop and dry my eyes on the soft old worn things that have the scent of bygone days in their folds.

Was sorry to hear of the burning of Jimmie Rankin's home near Ralls. Another house can be built more furnishings bought. But there are pictures, keepsakes of many kinds and through all the years that cannot be bought. We are very thankful, tho, that no member of this fine family was in the house trapped in the flames.

Mr. Spikes can walk a few steps with the aid of a chair pushed along in front. He is still very weak and shaky and the days will pass into cold winter before he walks much even on crutches, we fear.

And speaking of winter, how did you like the preview? Bet husband hurried putting up the stoves.

For your scrapbook:
Suppose

From War Cry
If all that we say in a single day
With never a word left out,
Were printed each night in clear
black and white—
"Would prove queer reading no
doubt.
And then just suppose, Ere one's
eyes should close,
He must read the day's record
through,
And wouldn't one sigh, And wouldn't
one cry,
A great deal less talking to do.
And I more than think That many
a kink
Would be straightened in life's
tangled thread,
If one-half that we say in a single
day—Were left forever unsaid.

Staff Sgt. Theodore R. Richardson of Dallas took the lock from the gate of Cabanatuan prison on Luzon, freeing 513 American prisoners.

The Home Front

(Edith L. Wilson)

Texas homemakers who have never made summer mince meat from late pears have a treat in store for them.

Fewer recipes issued by the Texas A. and M. College Extension service ever met with greater enthusiasm according to Gwendolyn Jones extension specialist in food preservation. The recipe calls for some sweetening, and either honey or corn syrup can be substituted for sugar. Corn syrup probably would be preferable.

Ripe pears should be used in the mince meat. If homemakers have hard, green pears, these may be wrapped in newspaper and stored in a cool, dark place to mellow. A cool place is especially important otherwise the pears may spoil quickly. Ventilated cellars or pantries would be excellent storage places.

Here is the recipe:
Summer Mince Meat From Pears
7½ pounds pears (peeled and cored); 1 lemon, 1 apple (peel and all); 1 cup grape juice or other fruit juice (not too sweet); 1 tablespoon each ground cinnamon, all spice and cloves; 1 pound seedless raisins; 6 cups sugar or 3 cups honey and 1 cup sugar or 6 cups corn syrup; 1 cup vinegar; 1 teaspoon salt.

Grind pears, lemon and apple. Mix with all other ingredients and boil for two hours. Pack into hot jars. Seal while hot.

Another pear recipe Miss Jones recommends is for pear butter.
Pear butter—Peel and core one

gallon of late ripe pears; put in kettle and add two cups water; boil slowly; when tender put through ricer or colander. To every four cups of pulp add two cups of sugar (1 cup honey and ½ cup sugar may be used or 2½ cups corn syrup). Place on stove again and cook slowly until very thick. Stir to prevent sticking. A few minutes before removing, add juice of one lemon. Pack into hot sterilized jars. Leave no head space. Have lids and rubbers hot. Seal.

Miss Lottie Bell Swepton of Littlefield visited her sister Miss Ann Swepton, and also Mrs. W. M. Houghton recently. Miss Swepton is employed by the Santa Fe company in Littlefield.

Campaigns on Two Fronts; Forwarded Bronze Star Medal

Pfc. Canell Jones of Lockney was among 535 members of the 159th Infantry regiment of Major General Donald Stroh's 106th "Lion" Division who have won bronze service stars for participation in major campaigns in both the Pacific and the European theatres of war. After 26 months in the Aleutian Islands and combat against the Japs, the regiment was returned to the United States for further training, then was shipped to Europe and attached to the 106th Division early in 1945.

The regiment is now stationed near Karlsruhe, in the American occupied zone of the Southern Rhineland.

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Substantial Help New Elevator By Probasco

haven't got any kick coming in the way people are coming in subscribing for preferred stock in the new elevator," said M. J. Probasco, manager of the Probasco Cooperative elevator last week. He is the son of Mrs. Ona G. Mitchell, 608 South Main, Floydada. Before entering the service Sergeant Mitchell was owner of the Mitchell Insulation company in Dallas.

Sergeant Mitchell was captured on his 8th combat mission with the 15th air force and remained a prisoner of war until near the close of hostilities. He will spend approximately two weeks at the redistribution station undergoing records and physical processing in preparation for a discharge or reassignment to duty in this country.

During his stay here, this combat veteran who was assigned to San Antonio upon completion of a 30-day leave at his home, will be duty-free and have at his command all of the many recreational and educational facilities made available to returned airmen by the Personnel Distribution command.

Sgt. Chas. Mitchell Up for Discharge

SAN ANTONIO DISTRICT, AAF-PDC—Sgt. Charles M. Mitchell, of Floydada, Texas, who served 18 months in the European theater of operations as a B-17 gunner has arrived at the San Antonio district AAF Personnel distribution command.

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LeMay Last Rites Held on Thursday

Roger Fenton LeMay of Whittier, California, who died of a heart attack Wednesday September 12 while on duty as Chief fireman, was buried at his home in Whittier, California, Thursday, September 20.

Mr. LeMay was called out on a fire and had been back only a short while when a second call was answered. Mr. LeMay was at the wheel of his truck when the attack came. His words were "Get it, here it is." Someone took over from there.

Mr. LeMay did not respond to respirators or any other device that was applied in an effort to save his life. Some five or six hours were spent in trying to revive the Chief, but all efforts were in vain.

Services were from the White-Emerson company chapel at Whittier September 20, with Rev. Rollin E. Cochran and Chaplain E. C. Spruell officiating. Music was by Katherine Gray, soloist, and Jeanette Cox organist. Resting place is Rose Hill cemetery, Whittier, California.

The widow Mrs. Atokle LeMay and daughter Mrs. Bill Lesson were present for the last rites, but the son Clifford who is in India, in service could not be contacted.

Mr. LeMay and family lived in Floydada some 20 years ago.

R. B. HATLEY HAS RESIGNED DUNCAN FIELD POSITION. COUPLE SPEND VISIT HERE

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hatley of San Antonio were in Floydada last week on a visit with friends here and with Mr. Hatley's parents Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hatley of Dougherty.

Mr. Hatley has been working at Duncan field, San Antonio for some time, but has resigned there. Mrs. Hatley was office manager for several years here of the Western Union.

Mr. and Mrs. Hatley left for a visit with relatives and friends at Sweetwater and Abilene before taking another position.

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IHC Will Begin Series of Radio Programs Sun.

CHICAGO, Illinois. — International Harvester Company offers what may be considered a new concept in radio entertainment in its "Harvest of Stars", which goes on the air over all NBC stations for a half hour broadcast at 200 p. m., Eastern time, Sunday, October 7, and regularly thereafter.

Woven in a dramatic and musically colorful pattern are the people places and events that are America. Raymond Massey will be narrator and actor. Howard Barlow will be conductor of the 70-piece International Harvester orchestra. A choir of 20 mixed voices will lend vocal support.

Massey Flying Home
Taking off by plane from Europe

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GOOD**

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where he has been entertaining our GI's in the leading part in the play "Our Town," Massey will fly home and is scheduled to arrive two days before the "Harvest of Stars" goes on the air.

AT MINERAL WELLS

Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Grundy and granddaughter Beverly Gay went last Thursday to Dumas, Texas, to visit Mr. and Mrs. Billy Grundy and son Bobbie. They returned on Saturday bringing the son and family home with them.

Mrs. Billy Grundy and son Bobbie with J. B. Grundy left Sunday for Mineral Wells for treatment at the Millings Saffarium for two or three weeks. While they are there Billie will remain in Floydada and help Mr. Grundy in the business here.

BACK IN CIVILIAN LIFE

Kenneth E. Poole, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Poole, has received a medical discharge from the United States navy and is back in civilian life again.

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Petersburg Runs Over Winds 12-6

'Twas a rainy night in September when the Whirlwinds met the Buffaloes on Wester field. Whirlwinds kicked off to the Buffaloes. John Ray Tribble put the pigskin 40 yards on the kick-off. Petersburg was in possession of the ball for the first three downs.

In the first, score was made by a pass to Black, who made the touchdown. Kelly Hagood, Whirlwind halfback, blocked the kick. Score 6-0, Petersburg's favor.

The next touchdown was made by the Buffaloes in the third quarter. Kelly of Petersburg, ran around right end for a Buffalo T. D. Mother nature played a favor for the Whirlwinds. The kick was blocked due to a wet ball. Score 12-0.

In the third quarter, Glenn Carmack plunged over center for a Whirlwind touchdown. The kick was blocked by the Buffaloes, making the score 12-6. The fourth quarter was on one side of the fifty and then the other.

THIS WEEK'S PERSONALITY

For this week's personality, I have chosen our other football captain. He plays tackle on our present football team and is one of our best players. At present, however he has a broken arm and isn't doing much playing.

Our personality was born in Tullia Texas. He lived there until 1937 when he really began to get into circulation. He moved to Floydada then to Brownfield, and back to Floydada again. Our town seems to hold some charm.

Our personality plays the coronet in the band this year. He makes excellent grades as well. When asked what food he liked best, he said, "Any kind!" His favorite screen star is June Allyson, and he is very positive about this. He does alright off the screen, too. His current flame lives in Paducah, and I think he has gone with every girl in that town.

I'm sure you know exactly who I am talking about by now. Of course, C. L. Berry, Jr. C. L. is tall has brown hair, and brown eyes. He also has quite a physique, too--

C. L. says that his favorite pastime is loafing around in white coveralls and army shoes, meditating on the latest sports event. He likes to read a lot, too. He declares emphatically that he is absolutely not the least bit lazy. As soon as he finishes high school, he wants to make a bee-line for S. M. U. and be a chemical engineer.

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FHT Is Organized In Three Chapters

The F. H. T. of Floydada High school has been organized into chapters. The officers of Chapter II have already been published. The officers for Chapter I are as follows:

President-Christeen Jones, Vice President-La Verne Fowler, Secretary - Roberta Garrett, Program Chairman-Barbara Landers, Reporter-Jane Frizel, Parliamentarian Dorothy Barton, Year book Chairman-Eureka Kirk, and Social chairman-Perne Stovall.

The officers of Chapter III are as follows: President-Jean Cummings, Vice president, Joy Childress, Secretary-Mona Cummings, Program Chairman-Reva Thomas, Reporter-Mary Louise Childress, Year-book chairman-Jean Waller, and Social chairman-Jennie Chowning.

Many interesting events have been planned for the following year in the clubs.



De Quacker

NOTICE TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

All gossip for my column must be in the can in Mr. Harris' office not any later than Friday noon of each week. Feel free to donate at all times, but do be careful. Someone may be looking! And we are not to be responsible for any bloodshed. The can is to be guarded by the office girls--so, don't get any ideas!!!

This gossip is not meant to offend anybody (we hope). We want your co-operation in writing "good" gossip. Remember-Friday noon of each week is the deadline for all gossip to appear in this Hesperette.

**LONG IS MY TONGUE
 BIG IS MY EYES
 I'M THE GOSSIP REPORTER
 THIS MAY ALL BE LIES!!!**

**I TOLD YOU LOTS
 AND I'LL TELL YOU MORE.
 JUST OPEN YOUR EYES
 AND CLOSE THE DOOR**

Everyone was puzzled the other day by Aris Myrick's reactions after she got a phone call from... (we don't know who). She was so red in the face and she was blushing.

Almarenne Lyles, another dignified senior, is wearing George Tyler's identification bracelet. This is another old romance that still seems to be a flame. Oh, gawrsh--this love seems darling!!

Jackie Brock is so absolutely lonely without Dorothy Greer by his side. She ran off to college as all wise little girls should do and vacated her lover and admirer. We don't hear of any new prospects for Mr. Brock as yet, but the year has just begun.

Squirt Bishop, how many houses do you pass that you've gotta stop when going home from basketball practice? June?? Nancy? How do you ever manage to get home? It must be after dark when you do too! Or am I exaggerating a little?

Ethel, was it Dale Sims or Rex Smitherman you were with at the football game last Friday night? We saw you, but we couldn't tell which you were with, or were you with both of the guys? We know it was cold and everything, but what was the real reason you were in their car?

There was a radiant smile on Delmar Hartley's face Friday night when he saw Mary Ella Maxey appear. The smile faded away as Newton Dale popped up out of nowhere to go with her. Newton Dale shame on you! Can't we have just one romance without you connected???

JEEPEERS, we're wanting to know why Beth Hinson and Sammy Hale have such a grand time in Speech class. Tell us more, tell us more!! Man alive, these Freshmen are really making the headlines this year. Including Bob White and Gladys Roberts. Yippee, oh boy!

Finders keepers, losers weepers how about it Jeanne Battey? Lost Howard Adams or something? And found Jean Warren.

Heaven forbid! D. F. Payne seems to be "CARANOVA" this year the things we hear. Let me tell you what I heard. This Norma June Carpenter is gone wild about him. And D. F. is seen out with La Rue the redhead!! This Gloria Ann Shultz must have lost her technique or something. Boy howdy, this is a predicament spelled with a capital "P". We'll tell you what happens. It sounds good, believe me.

Is he the man you want as is he ain't, Dorothy Barton??? You better make up your mind as we're gettin impatient.

Yoo-hoo-Oran and Doris Vinson we see you have pretty interesting conversation in the halls. Ain't you gonna tell us too?

Is it Myar Nell--N. E. or Myrs Nell Hall--Den Jones? We couldn't tell you which. She seems to like both of them. I'm not saying she's a two-time, but well--

Joyce (Reddy), Joyce.

Gracious me! Who's the boy With you I see???

(He's new here. Has blonde hair wears glasses. It must be the Real thing by the things we are seeing!! Wonder why Hughetta couldn't be found Friday night. Are you wondering too, Dean?

George Reid, what about the conversation with Barbara Moss in 4th period study hall.

What do we hear about Corky and

Band Is Growing; Out for Pep Rally

The band has increased this year. Its new members are Mickey Kennamer, Bob White, Barry Ross, Jimmie Hicks, Mary Eunice Hennessee, Melton Smith, Gladys Roberts, Newton Dale Johnston, Jean Dale Jackson, Joe Dan Bishop, Jeanne Battey and Jackie Brock.

The old members are happy to have these added, since quite a few graduated last year.

The band is wearing the same uniforms as of the last few years with the addition of new cape given the band this year by Mr. Hagood. The band wishes to thank Mr. Hagood for this very welcome gift.

The band was out last Thursday night at the Pep Rally for its first appearance of the year, but from now on it and the director, Rev. Marshall, plan to be present at the football games.

BEAT RALLS

SQUIRT BISHOP SENDING BALLARD TO WASHINGTON

Floydada, Texas, October 4, 1945
 Mr. Harry S. Truman
 President of the U. S.
 Washington, D. C.

My Dear Mr. Truman:
 This is to introduce you to Tom Ballard, a personal friend of mine whom I am sending to Washington to take your place.

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As for appearance, Mr. Ballard has a very diplomatic looking countenance, much more so than you if you will allow us to say so.

Any assistance that you or any of your staff can give us will be greatly appreciated by Mr. Ballard and our entire school.

Yours very truly,
 Squirt Bishop

C. L. BERRY AND GLENN CARMACK BACK TO FOOTBALL

C. L. Berry, captain of the football team, goes back to fight it out with Ralls next Friday night. Berry has been suffering with a broken wrist for the past two weeks. The morale of the players has seemed to be rather low; Berry will raise it we hope, and have a little chatter on the field when they meet the Jackrabbits.

Carmack, who has been nursing a broken thumb and bad knee, will be going again full blast Friday night. Glenn played a little in the Petersburg game.

FFA INITIATES 41 GREEN HANDS; NAME DIST. OFFICERS

September 25 the Floydada Chapter of F. F. A. initiated forty-one boys as Greenhands. After the initiation refreshments were served.

During this meeting an election was held to select two district officers for the Plainview district. Those elected were Earl Edwards as district secretary, and Edward Landers as district 2nd vice president. Billie Joe Sandusky was elected as the area historian in the Lubbock area at this time.

The F. F. A. sweetheart contest will close October 5.

NEW JERSEYS

F. H. S. was proud to see some new green and white on the backs of the football team. I am speaking of the new jerseys, which are solid green with white letters. The old jerseys were white with green letters. These new ones were needed very much, and look as if they can withstand the action they are sure to get this year.

FOOTBALL BOYS SEE SHOW

Friday Coach Gresham showed the football boys a motion picture of the Lockney-Floydada game in 1940. The picture was silent, but coach pointed out the good and bad points. Lockney won that year. After the show, a western was shown which they called "Wild Nell-Pet of the Plains".

Willis? Also Melton and Betty Lou after Fellowship Sunday night? my my, my!!

Junior Carnival Plans Being Made

Preparations are being made for one of the main events of the year. The Junior carnival. Candidates for the queen have been elected in the four classes. The Seniors have elected June Foster; the Juniors Jean Cummings; the Sophomores Willa Bradford; the Freshmen Gladys Roberts. The coronation of the queen will be held after the carnival.

It will be held in the Andrew Ward Gym, October 27, 1945.

Seniors, this carnival is really for us. Let's help the Juniors all we can by voting for our Queen.

SPANISH CLUB BRHM

The Spanish I class organized their club for the coming year Friday. The chosen name for the club is "Pasatiempo" meaning pastime.

The officers are: President, Ruth Elaine Harmon; Vice President La Verne Fowler; Secretary, Mary Maxey; Reporter, Hope McIntosh.

The officers will be in charge of the program for the next meeting. It was also decided that the club meet every two weeks.

FASHION OF THE WEEK

Well, what will they think of next at F. H. S.? Now the girls are wearing bow ties, big plaid shirts and levis rolled up. Boy! do they look cute! Originator, Beth Hinson

CLASSIFIED ADS

WANTED: A pair of long white pants. Please give to Bob White.

WANTED: A handkerchief for Jeanne Battey (sob, sob)

POR SALE: Bottle of Black Panther, also worn out tooth brushes.

WANTED: Good poses from the Senior class. Photographer

WANTED: A knot tied in Jane Frizel's skirt.

WANTED: A hat for Earl Edwards

FAMOUS EXPRESSIONS OF FHS

Margaret Hambright--"You know"

Miss Swepton--"More or less"

Melton Smith--"I presume"

Mr. Harris--"Let me see"

D. F. Payne--"Bull corn"

Jean Cardinal--"Hee-lo keed"

(Believed to be originator)

Lovene Jones--"Golllee"

Leba Jean Gibson--"Good gravy"

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| Scot Tissue, .09 Roll | Everlite MEAL, .30 5-Lb. Bag |

Heinz
Tomato Soup, .12 1/2
 Can

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| Pet or Carnation — Tall Can MILK, .25 3 For | Folger's COFFEE, .29 1-Lb. Jar |
| Harvest Inn Green BEANS, .11 No. 2 | Marshall Pork & Beans, .08 No. 300 Can |

Level
PEAS, .12
 No. 2 Can

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| COCOANUT, .20 1/2-Lb. Pkg. | Calumet — 1-Lb. Can Baking Powder, .20 2 For |
| Extra Standards TOMATOES, .12 No. 2 | Heavy Syrup APRICOTS, .29 No. 2 1/2 Can |

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| Large Size POST BRAN, .14 Box | Quaker Yellow Meal, .09 Box |
| Reg. Post Toasties, .09 Box | Small CRYSTAL Wedding, .11 Box |
| Maxwell House COFFEE, .29 1 Lb. | Sunbrite, .14 3 Cans |

PIGGLY WIGGLY A GOOD PLACE TO TRADE

GLY... Howard's... 33... 30... 22... 33... 10... 30... 2... 29... 08... 20... 29... 12... 4... 2

Howard's Experiences on Ship Related

Howard is in Tokyo, was on a ship in Tokyo September 2, when the... were signed. He is... Department... Seaton had been... in the Netherlands... and New... moved up... Howard wrote his family... Japan on September... on August 17 at... on a C-47 plane. They... Maratori. That is where... were. We stayed over... the Aussies had just about... there... morning we took off for... landed there about 12... the Tacloban Air field... by over there for three... nights. They grounded all... of the Japanese en... came to Manila to see... Arthur about the peace... So we thought we were... Tacloban and would pro... to take a boat out at... not flying anybody out at... were feeling pretty bad... in a casual camp with... other guys... really nice... third day they called our... loaded us on a truck and... soon at the airfield, load... about 12 o'clock. Those... really nice just like rid... coach on a train, only... riding... at Clark field about... afternoon. Clark Field... 60 miles north of Manila... no transportation for us... so he takes off from... and sets us down on... field which is just outside... limits of Manila. That... the Jap envoy had taken... about an hour before we... were the first plane in... Japs had left to go back... stayed in Manila about four... were restricted to the... area all that time, only

getting out when we were on detail that took us out, and that wasn't long at a time, however enough to see how badly the city was torn up. By this time we had realized why the rush of getting us to Manila from Hollandia. They loaded us on the boat about 11 o'clock the fourth night which was Thursday the 23 of August I believe.

Typhoon Changes Plans
After spending the night in harbor Manila Bay, we pulled out about 10 a. m. only to get turned back after about 8 or 10 hours out to sea. The reason for that was the typhoon they were having off Okinawa.

We came back to anchor for 48 hours, after which we pulled out again and were on water for quite some time. On the morning of September 2 after a very rough night we pulled into Tokyo bay. If you kept up with the news you will remember, they announced that at the time General MacArthur was signing the Peace terms there was a convoy of 40 ships coming into the bay not far from where the Battleship Missouri was. On the 23rd ship of that convoy was yours truly, and I was thinking more of my family than of what was going on around us. Our ship was at anchor while the ceremony was taking place. All hands were at battle stations, planes by the hundreds were flying over, a lot of B-29's.

One interesting thing about that was we heard the ceremonies over the ship's radio, and it came to us from Washington, when we were standing only about a mile from the place where it was all taking place.

Best Meal in a Long Time
Well to continue with my story about our trip, on the 2 of September or V-J day we had the best meal that I have had since I have been in the service, chicken with all that goes with it.

We pulled up to dock about 11 a. m. Monday morning and started unloading equipment. We got off about 9:30 that night and had to spend the night on the docks and so not much sleep. This is at Yokohama. That day we moved about two blocks up the street and pitched tents, where we spent the next three days and nights. Our ship was unloaded the night we got off and it pulled away from dock and two large hospital ships pulled in.

The next day they started bringing the boys in from the prison camps over the Island. These boys have a lot of stories to tell, some pretty tough. All nationalities of men.

Prisoners by the Thousands
They process these men on the hospital ships and the ones who are able they are putting on planes for the states, the stretcher cases are staying on the hospital ships.

FLOOR SANDING
Phone 205
Buster Boothe

By the way another hospital ship has pulled in, making 3 now, and they are really busy, the prisoners are coming in by the thousands. Really some happy boys. News reels pictures are being taken of a lot of them. The Red Cross is feeding them about anything they want. They are a bunch of happy men some of them four years in a prison camp with very little to eat and hard work.

They have all kinds of stories; the Japs treated some of them rough and some of them, a few say they didn't have any punishment. They worked for two months for about 90c, and just enough to eat to keep them alive. However the fellows say they had just what the Japs ate.

You Couldn't Believe It
Yokohama is just about one half burned out and I mean completely burned out. It is indescribable. One could never believe it without seeing the destruction. If you can imagine ten or fifteen towns the size of Floydada completely burned to the ground and the ruins of buildings; the size of the courts, house and larger you can kindly get an idea of what it is like.

The Japs aren't giving any trouble at all so far. They are living in anything that can be set up. We were down to the custom building yesterday where General MacArthur has his headquarters. Didn't see him but there was everything there from him down to a private.

The street cars are still running and they are loaded to capacity all the time with people hanging onto the outside and every place they can catch on. The trains are running all the time. They are hauling the prisoners in on the trains and trucks. There isn't any of the business houses doing any business.

Don't guess they have anything to do business with. We went to the Yokohama post office and got the stamps on these envelopes, just for curiosity sake. Some of the guys bought these stamps by the sheets must have been collectors.

In Tokyo—What a Place
Tokyo September 9
So this is Tokyo, the real thing and what a place. More destruction. As far as the town goes it is all town from Yokohama into Tokyo and about one half of it has been burned out.

We pulled in here about 12 noon yesterday, and were the second outfit in here, in fact, it is very hard to find any GI's here that do not belong to this outfit. We are living in a nice school building just about the size of our high school building there. We are so busy now unloading equipment and getting a place to stay that it is hard to find any time off ourselves at all. Maybe we will get straightened out some day and get the mail to coming through. This should be the last place to move before coming back to the states, and I hope that won't be so very much longer.

We have a blackboard in our room here where the kids have made their marks. They sure write funny here. We have been unloading trucks all day, and am a little tired tonight. That was sure some convoy of trucks we came in with yesterday. Trucks of all kinds as far as I could see. Would like to have had a picture of it.

We have one Jap working here as an interpreter and he is going to be in charge of the other Japs they intend to get to do a lot of the work. Supposed to be 200 here tomorrow.

BROTHER EXPECTS DISCHARGE
Miss Edith Wilson, home demonstration agent, spent the week-end in Quannah visiting her brother Woodrow Wilson, who has just arrived from the ETO. He is in artillery anti-aircraft, and was attached to an infantry division in the ETO. He has been overseas since October of 1943, but expects to be discharged at Tyler Separation center on October 17.

Tech Sergeant and Mrs. R. J. Starkey and son, Don, arrived here Sunday from Great Falls, Montana. Sgt. Starkey has gone to Amarillo to receive his discharge from the service after three and a half years with 27 months of active duty overseas. They plan to make their home in Clovis, New Mexico.

Roy Latham, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Latham is expected to arrive home soon from overseas service, having recently received his discharge.

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Methodist Notes, Aiken District

(J. G. Walker, Pastor)
I am sure some missed our writing last week. We left early Monday morning for a visit to New Mexico; and we did not have time to write. We had such joy in visiting children, brothers, other near relatives and old friends. The rain and cold weather might have marred our pleasure had we not been so thankful for the good rain that was so badly needed; so we forgot the handicap, and joined in with the people in Thanksgiving for the blessings from the loving hand of God.

We arrived home Sunday 6:30 p. m. and at 7:30 we attended our Good-Will service at the Baptist church. The purpose of this service was to promote goodwill among the Methodists and Baptists. We are using the Fifth Sundays for this cause; and we are pleased with the results. It is so pleasant to see brethren of different faiths dwell together in unity of the Spirit. Next Fifth Sunday it will be at the Methodist church with the Baptist people as our guests, and their pastor preaching.

Next Sunday we will be at Bellview 9:30 o'clock; back to Aiken 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Just five weeks until the annual conference which meets November 7, at Abilene. Just three more services at Bellview, six more at Aiken and four more at Carr's Chapel.

We are sure we will have a good report; and we want all to have a part in making it. Let's be able to say we did our best.

Earl Switzer Has Bronze Star Medal

Technician Fifth Grade Tyrus Earl Switzer, 78th Cavalary Reconnaissance troop, has been awarded the Bronze Star medal for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy during the period from 11 December 1944 to 20 April 1945 in Germany. Switzer distinguished himself during this period by his consistently outstanding performance as a driver.

On numerous occasions he accompanied the Troop commander on dismounted reconnaissance into enemy-held areas and over unknown roads as a scout and a body guard. Though frequently exposed to enemy small arms fire and artillery fire, he was always ready to perform his duties in a superior manner. His personal courage and devotion to duty are in accordance with the highest military traditions says the citation.

Earl is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Switzer, Route 1, Floydada. He entered the service February 1943, and went overseas in October of 1944. Mrs. Switzer makes her home in Floydada with her mother Mrs. Ola Jester. He wears three major battle stars.

SODDING, SEEDING LAWNS WILL BE CLUB SUBJECT

The Sandhill Home demonstration club held their September 27 meeting in the club room. An interesting program was rendered on Post-war materials, food, material and housing.

The next meeting will be October 10 at the home of Mrs. Lynn Miller. Miss Wilson will give a demonstration on sodding and seeding lawns. The meeting will begin at 2:00. Anyone interested is cordially invited.

The following ladies were present for the last meeting: Mmes. J. V. Greer, Johnnie Carles, Albert Pricer, Ed Holmes, Gene Duvall, Jim Holmes, Eddie King, Jake Brock, W. M. Jeter, W. M. Knight and Lynn Miller.

A. C. CARTHEL FAMILY BUILDING HOME, MOVING TO LOCKNEY TO LIVE
Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Carthel and daughter Gloria Ann left Floydada Friday for their new home in Lockney. Mr. Carthel has been the Phillips 66 wholesale and retail dealer in Lockney for the past three or four months.

They are building a new home there, and will stay with Mrs. Carthel's mother, Mrs. P. S. Byars until the home is ready to occupy.

Drew Cumble, son of Mrs. C. A. Cumble is expected to arrive home this week, after an extended overseas service in the ETO. He is to receive his discharge at Tyler.

Man Who Helped to Free Manila Has a Discharge

Pfc. Horace F. Bishop, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bishop, arrived in Floydada Saturday morning from the separation center at El Paso, having received his discharge after 2 1/2 years overseas service in the ETO, in the 12th Cavalry which played a part in the freeing of the American prisoners in Manila.

Young Bishop wired his parents from San Pedro, California that he would reach El Paso, on Tuesday night of last week, coming from Luzon. Mr. and Mrs. Bishop were in El Paso waiting for their son, and stayed for the three days necessary for his discharge papers to be filled out. He came home with them. Other buddies of his who had gone through the service with him rode to Lubbock to catch their means of transportation on east to their respective homes.

On Tuesday another one of the Bishop sons, Pfc. Fred M., from Buckley Field, Denver, Colorado arrived to visit his brother and parents, also his wife who lives here.

Still another Bishop son, S/Sgt. Howard W., is in service and stationed on Okinawa. He is in the Army Air Corps.

Pvt. Hubert Griffith Freed From Japs

Pvt. Hubert Griffith writes from Calcutta, India, that he has been freed from a Japanese prison camp and hopes to be on the next list to leave for home. Pvt. Griffith had been in a prisoner of war camp for three and a half years, and feels that it is great to be back where life is again—to have good food, cigarettes, cold drinks, bed sheets and no rice to eat, or bamboo to sleep on. Also to see a movie again.

Mrs. Griffith the former Josephine Wells, has been making her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wells of the Lone Star community.

Judge and Mrs. C. L. Lincoln and son Berlon of Brownfield visited Sunday in the home of his mother Mrs. C. F. Lincoln.

Mrs. M. F. Shaw of Amarillo spent this week with her mother Mrs. Kate Collier.

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PROGRAM ON POST WAR MATERIALS AT H. D. CLUB

The Pleasant Valley Home Demonstration club met with Mrs. Wilson Warren. Election of officers for 1946 was held. The program was on post war materials. Mrs. Albert Blossom, Mrs. A. M. Dorsey and Mrs. Robin Byars had parts.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. T. B. Mitchell, John Cox Hammonds, G. D. Russell, Lee Pope Albert Blossom, Lee Bilberry, Ray-

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mond Rucker, Clark Harris, Collins Walker, A. M. Dorsey, and Joe Inman a visitor. Next meeting will be with Mrs. G. D. Russell, October 9.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Lincoln of Temple City, California came Friday for a visit with his mother, Mrs. C. F. Lincoln.

Take Off Ugly Fat With This Home Recipe

Here is an inexpensive home recipe for taking off unguisly weight and help bring back alluring curves and graceful slenderness. Just get from any druggist, four ounces of liquid Barcol Concentrate. Add enough grapefruit juice to make a pint. Then just take two tablespoonful twice a day. Wonderful results may be obtained quickly. Now you may slim down your figure and lose pounds of ugly fat without back breaking exercise or starvation diet. It's easy to make and easy to take. Contains nothing harmful. If the very first bottle doesn't show you the simple, easy way to lose bulky weight and help regain slender, more graceful curves, return the empty bottle and get your money back.

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FOR SALE—Pure Comanche seed wheat. R. B. Gary or phone 903-P-43. 343tp

MY ENTIRE tire and tube repair equipment is for sale. J. N. Gillispie at Gullion's Tire Service. 351tp

FOR SALE—Concrete and driveway gravel, plenty of it. H. S. Ward. 343tp

FOR SALE—Spies piano. Contact E. C. King, 311 W. California street. 342tp

STILL growing and going. Nice healthy fryers, 2 to 3 lbs. at 35c a pound. W. B. Jordan, 327 W. Crockett street. 351tp

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FOR SALE—Table top gas range and 2 butane bottles. Jess Glover 333tp

FOR SALE—15,000 bundles good new kaffircorn and begari. Also 600 bus. Barley \$1.25 per bu. Geo. F. West, 7 miles northeast of South Plains. 342tp

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FOR SALE—1600 bu. certified Red Chief de luxe seed wheat. S. J. Laitta southeast corner square. 301tc

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RESIDENCE PROPERTY
6 room modern stucco, well located on pavement, 75 x 150 lot, nice trees, lawn, etc. \$6300;
5 room modern stucco, 3 blocks from square \$4200;
4 room frame all large rooms, also 2-room frame, same location, gas, water and lights, on pavement ten residence lots \$3000;
4 room, modern stucco, on pavement, nice location, 75 x 150 ft. lot nice back yard, trees, nice lawn. A dandy little home for small family. \$4250;
4 room modern frame, on pavement—all homes in this block are attractive, and well kept, this is a little home you would like to own. \$4000. J. G. WOOD, Bank Bldg. 321tc

MY PLACE for sale in East Floydada—Six room frame house, big barn, chicken house, concrete stock tank, all fenced hogproof, 10 acres sowed in wheat. Also two-room frame house for sale, in good condition, to be moved, and one Norge six-foot refrigerator. H. S. Ward. 352tp

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Five room house on pavement, \$3150.
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Lost and Found

LOST—Brown bilfold, approximately \$17 in money. Reward for return to owner, 612 S. Wall street Harold Dunn. 342tp

LOST—Fender skirt from Buick car, Wednesday, between Petersburg and Floydada. Reward for return to owner, A. P. Horn, Lubbock, 2211-15 St. 351tp

Live Stock

FOR SALE—Weaner pigs. T. R. Noiland. 302tp

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FOR SALE—110 acres land, more or less, 2 1/2 miles east of Charlestown Delta county, Texas. See or write Mrs. D. D. Davis, 322 West Grover street, (General Delivery) Floydada, Texas. 342tp

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160 acres well improved, 1 mile town, 130 acres ready for wheat, a bargain.
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Modern 6 room house, good barn, double garage, 5 lots, real home. \$9250.00.
320 acres under irrigation, 40 acres alfalfa, 6 room modern house, 40 x 36 barn, on REA, 1 mile off paved highway, 7 miles town, \$75.00 per acre, a real farm.
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FOR RENT—Farm to small family live in house with owner, and see after cows. R. W. Thomas, Silverton, Texas. 343tp

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Farm Machinery

FEED MILLS—We now have on hand and for sale JOHN DEERE Combination cutterhead - hammer mills. These mills are fast grinders with a minimum of power. STANSELL-COLLINS CO. 342tc

FOR SALE—43 model AC tractor and equipment, 9 ft. Emerson one-way, International row binder, two row, 1945 Chevrolet pickup. H. L. Dunn, Floydada, Rt. 2. 342tp

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FOR SALE—1938 Model A. John Deere with 4-row lister, and 2 row cultivator, Good shape, 1 mile north of Coze, Texas. P. J. Gaston. 334tp.

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Miscellaneous
STATED meeting of Floydada Lodge No. 712 A. F. & A. M. Saturday night, October 13. Joe Parrish, W. M., M. L. Probasco, secretary. 352tc

Order of the Eastern Star will meet Thursday night, October 11, at 8:30 p. m. 352tc

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To the Sheriff or any Constable of Floyd County, Greeting: H. W. Roberts, administrator of the Estate of A. W. Dunn and N. E. Dunn, deceased, having filed in our County Court his Final Account of the condition of the Estate of said A. W. Dunn and N. E. Dunn, Deceased numbered 2628 on the Probate Docket of County Court of Floyd County, together with an application to be discharged from said administration.

You Are Hereby Comanded, That by publication of this Writ one time and said publication shall be not less than ten days before the return day hereof, in a Newspaper printed in the County of Floyd, State of Texas you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for Final settlement of said Estate, to appear and contest the same if they see proper so to do, on Monday the 15th day of October, A. D. 1945, at Floydada, Texas, when said Account and Application will be acted upon by said Court.

Given Under My hand and seal of said Court, at my office in the City of Floydada, Texas this 2nd day of October, A. D. 1945
(SEAL) Margaret Collier Clerk, County Court Floyd County

I Hereby Certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Original Writ now in my hands.
Lee Howard Sheriff Floyd County 351tc.

DISCHARGED SOLDIER
Among those recently receiving discharges from the service is Pfc. Jesse Wesley Holt, of Lockney, who has served in Central Europe, Northern France, the Rhineland, and Normandy. He wears six battle stars, the American Defense campaign ribbon, and also the Good Conduct badge.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Hilburn moved Wednesday of last week to their new home on East Virginia street.

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Due In New York On Enterprise for Navy Day, Oct. 26

Lieutenant Lon M. Davis, Jr. may be a participant in the New York Navy day celebration October 26.
He is on the carrier "Enterprise" and it is known that this ship is expected to take part in the show that day. Lieutenant Davis has been assigned to a group of night fighters, who were in Hawaii on their way to Tokyo when the Japanese surrendered.
Young Davis has been in the navy for three years, having been an Aviation gunnery officer the entire time. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lon M. Davis, of Floydada.

General Comments Sgt. Theo. B. Wood

His highly valuable service as assistant arament section chief of one of Uncle Sam's mighty bombardment groups has won for T/Sgt. Theo. B. Wood, of Floydada, commendation from General J. V. Crabb who expressed his appreciation for the splendid manner in which the young man has performed his duties.
Sgt. Wood is a son of Mrs. M. A. Wood, who lives in Floydada. In his commendation the general paid tribute to Wood's dutiful work in the following words:
"There have been many times when you have carried out your duties under adverse conditions. Your initiative and determination have aided greatly in establishing and maintaining the excellent record of your organization, the 674th Bombardment Squadron (L), 417 Bombardment Group (L).
"It is through the devotion to duty of such men as yourself that the Fifth Air Force has been able to achieve its repeated successes. You have rendered a great material contribution to the effective prosecution of the war and to our ultimate victory."

Baker News

BAKER, October 1—James Boyd S. le, son of Mrs. J. D. Eaves came home Thursday. He has a 30 day leave.
T. J. Cardinal and Shorty spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. L. West.
Mrs. Hershel Green came home Sunday night from Arlington, Texas as where she had been visiting Mrs. McCay.
Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Ardry spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Gilbreath and family of Aiken. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Dick Schmitz and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Davis.
Mr. and Mrs. Dick Schmitz are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Ardry and family this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hopper and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Bun Hopper and Mary Lou, spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hopper.
Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hart and Mr. and Mrs. Forest Finley of Floydada visited last Sunday in the home of Mrs. G. W. Hart.
We will have the social and forty-two party Friday night. Due to bad weather we did not have it last week.
Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Martin and daughters Betty Gale and Mrs. Richard Walker, also Mrs. J. H. Buchanan, mother of Mrs. Harry Morckel, returned Tuesday from a visit with relatives and friends in Los Angeles, Glendale and Anaheim, California.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Curry were Sunday night supper guests of friends at Aiken. Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Tinnin of the Aiken cafe.

Soldiers at Home From ETO, Visit Collier Family

Mrs. Kate Collier and daughter Margaret were visited over the week-end by Sgt. Fred Bell, and First Lieutenant Paul Teuton; Lockney boys, who are on an extended 15 days furlough from the ETO.
Sgt. Bell's father Walter Bell has been at the Millings Sanatorium in Mineral Wells for treatment for the past two weeks, and is expecting to be able to come home this week-end. Sgt. Bell's wife lives in Phoenix, Arizona, and he came here from Phoenix.
Lt. Teuton has been visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Ed Teuton at Lockney. They are old neighbors and friends of the Collier family.

Lockney Locals

LOCKNEY, Oct. 1—Mr. and Mrs. Troy Ray and baby spent Sunday in Flomot with relatives.
Mrs. Daisy Dodson was here last week visiting with relatives.
Mrs. Elmer Hays and children of Fort Worth has moved back to Lockney.
Mrs. Jack Orr attended the funeral of her father in Oklahoma last week.
Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Carthel of Floydada are having a new house built in West Lockney which they will occupy soon. Mr. Carthel is Phillips 66 wholesale and retail agent for Lockney.
Lee Wofford of Amarillo was here last week visiting with relatives and friends.
Miss Pauline Hays who has been in Fort Worth for some time returned home last week.
CHANGED MEETING PLACE
The Center Home Demonstration Club will meet with Mrs. Walter Sims instead of Mrs. Austin on Monday, it was announced this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Stephens reopened their Cafe on Monday after being closed one week, due to illness in the family.

Burl Holt of Fort Worth has moved to Clifton to go into partnership with his brother-in-law in Radio and electrical appliance work there. The Holt family are former residents of Floydada.
Mrs. Marilyn Fry of Amarillo, daughter of Mr. R. E. Fry visited here on Monday and Tuesday. She is employed in the TWA Air lines in Amarillo.

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Mahon Has Brief Report on Trip Overseas Men

By George Mahon

Note: Here is a brief report of George Mahon's globe-girdling trip forwarded from Washington on a September 30 release date given by the congressman himself.

Recently went on an overseas trip in company with other members of the House Military Appropriations subcommittee and a group of officers representing the Army. There was no opportunity to talk personally with large numbers of Texans overseas, but I thought a brief report to the people might be of interest.

On the evening of August 6 we left Hamilton field, California, and overnight to Hickam field, Hawaii. While in the Pacific ocean zone, we visited army installations at Tarawa, Kwajalein, Santon, Saipan, Pili, New Caledonia, Guadalcanal, Manus, Saipan, Guam, Okinawa, and the Philippines. Our mission took us to many of our supply bases and army camps in Australia, China, India, North Africa and Europe. We had conferences in the major headquarters of our ground forces, collecting firsthand tremendous amount of information which will be of great value in shaping future plans and in reducing war spending. In many of the meetings with the enlisted men were arranged, and they always welcomed the opportunity to see us the lowdown on the situation. Many of them were resentful of War department policies, and they were anxious for Congress to

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

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

Even in far away Australia, I found that we had four hundred thousand tons of supplies and four thousand troops. In the Philippines, we have nearly a million troops and two and one-half million tons of supplies. We have one million tons of supplies in India and one hundred and seventy-two thousand troops. In China we have sixty thousand men and large quantities of supplies. Of course our greatest concentration of men and supplies is in Europe where we have an estimated seven billion dollars' worth of supplies and nearly two million men.

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

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

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

One of the repeated complaints which we heard was from the officers and men of the Air Transport command. They complain that many of them are being kept overseas in order that America may keep possession of certain airports pending the time when our commercial airlines may take over. It is thought that if the ATC moves out our commercial airlines may have a hard time getting in. The big race for post-war commercial aviation is on. We want to see America su-

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preme, but I agree with the men that they should not be kept overseas indefinitely on this basis. Even in Athens, Greece, I found 300 men of our air force running an airport. The sun never sets on the U. S. Armed forces.

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

I do not discount the remarkably good job which our military leadership did in winning the war. Moreover, a good job is now being done in some areas in getting the men enroute home. The program will move faster in the coming weeks. In certain areas, especially in Europe, the men who are awaiting passage home are given opportunities for recreation, schooling, and sight-seeing. But it is home and nothing else that is uppermost in the minds of our men overseas. Fortunately they have many spokesmen here and there will be a much more rapid demobilization than originally announced by the War and Navy departments.

Petersburg Soldier Given Silver Star Posthumously

Silver star has been awarded posthumously to Staff Sergeant Clifton W. Rivers, son of Mr. and

Mahon Party Makes Globe-Girdling Trip

AFWESPAC HQS, Manila, Sept. 7 —(Delayed) Representative George H. Mahon, Democrat 19th District Texas, member of the House committee of War department appropriations, left Manila recently with fellow committee members for Chungking, China, after having completed a three day tour of military installations and activities in the Philippines.

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

Committee chairman is J. Buell Snyder, Dem. Chairman Snyder stated, "We are on a military mission in connection with future army plans and expenditures in the Pacific area."

The committee, which has handled appropriations for the army throughout the war, will spend two days in Chungking, where they will con-

Mrs. Carol Jay of Petersburg, given "for gallantry in action on 4 July 1944, near LaHaye Du Pitts, France. Mrs. Jay received a letter from the War department stating in part that "The decoration will be forwarded to the Commanding General, Eighth Service command, Dallas, Texas, who will select an officer to make the presentation.

fer with Lt. Gen. Wedemeyer, Commander of U. S. Forces in China and Generalissimo Chiang Kai Chek. En-route to London, where a conference with Prime Minister Attlee has been arranged, they will visit Calcutta, Cairo, Moscow, Berlin, Rome, and Paris.

Cpl. Leroy Burns Home From Army

Cpl. Leroy Burns arrived home several days ago from El Paso where he received his discharge from the army after nearly three years of service. He spent the past 18 months in North Africa and Italy. He wears three battle stars and was awarded the Bronze star.

Leroy is getting acquainted with his 18-month old daughter Sherry Le Dale, Mrs. Burns and their daughter have been making their home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Turner while he has been in service. Mr. and Mrs. Burns plan to leave this week for Delano, California where they will visit his parents Mr. and Mrs. John Burns. They are undecided what they will do after then.

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Baptist Women Plan Mission Week Prayer, Offering

The women of the First Baptist Church of Floydada will observe the State Mission week of Prayer and Mary Hill Davis offering beginning Monday afternoon, October 8, at 3:00 o'clock.

The subject of Monday's program is "The Interracial Field in Texas". Mrs. L. A. Doyle will be leader for the program.

The next program will be given on Wednesday evening at 7:30 p. m. A Junior G. A. girl will give the devotional. The Sunbeam band will have a part on the pro-

gram. Special music will be furnished by the Y. W. A. girls and Mrs. G. A. Linder will give "Highlights of Texas Baptist hospitals." The concluding program will be given on Friday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. The subject of this program is Christian education with Mrs. J. A. Patterson as leader.

Garrett's Nephew Wins Silver Star In Luzon Fighting

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Garrett, of Fort Worth, Friday at Camp Wolters were presented with the Silver medal awarded posthumously by their son, Pfc. John F. Garrett, Jr. for his valor in the fighting on Luzon in which he lost his life on February 15, 1945.

A nephew of R. A. Garrett, of Floydada, the young man died mortally wounded by enemy fire while engaging the enemy singly to protect the advance of his platoon. He was killed in the vicinity of Fore McKinley and his remains are buried in U. S. Army Cemetery No. 1 Nasagba, P. I. The War department has notified the family. He was a member of Company G, 187th Glider Infantry for almost two years.

A short time ago the Fort Worth Garretts were here on a visit with R. A. and Mrs. Garrett and their

family. At that time they had been notified of the award to their son and of the intention of the Eighth Service command to present the medal at an early date.

L. E. Tyler Was On USS Colorado As Japs Surrendered

ABOARD THE USS COLORADO IN TOKYO BAY—(delayed) Lawrence E. Tyler, 25, electrician's mate second class, USNR, son of the Rev. and Mrs. N. E. Tyler, Floydada, Texas, steamed into Tokyo bay aboard this ship to support the occupation of Japan.

The Colorado, whose crew had

taken her through ten invasion operations to help bring the final capitulation of Japan, had been near Tokyo before. She sailed with American and British warships into Sagami Bay, 18 miles from Tokyo, to support the first landings of airborne troops at Atsugi airfield. That operation was in preparation for the arrival of General of the Army Douglas MacArthur to make the occupation official.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Daniel and son Don left last Friday at noon for Houston to visit their daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kiser. The Daniel family expect to return this week-end.

Mrs. R. A. Birchfield received a letter from her husband this week telling her he had been stationed at Treasure Island, California.

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