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GET YOUR BUNDLES HANDY?

Do you have your bundles handy and an ample supply of water for your live stock assured during a considerable cold spell?

Our highly educated reader, who would be interested in a learned discussion of the atomic bomb, U-235 and U-237, nitrogen chains or some such would be bored by this question. We suggest he should not read further. He'll have his feet up against a good, warm fire when the bad weather hits anyhow and will only know about it by hearsay. But that other reader, away out where the cow lot is going to be froze over and the sucker rod is liable to break when ice welds it to the piping if he is careless—that fellow is going to be interested, or sure wish he had.

We have had such nice weather this fall. Beginning with a season for the wheat that was as deep as it was unexpected, the fall has been almost ideal and here it is away up toward Christmas-time and nothing bad yet. But there are signs that this kind of business is about over with for while. In fact, we wonder if Christmas week is going to be the pretty kind of weather we so often have during that festive time of the year. Will the boys back from the cold of Europe have to wade through the snow as they visit from house to house with the kinfolks? We sure hope the Weatherman puts it off long enough for us to sorter take it easy and enjoy our boys once more.

Also we hope he puts it off long enough for those who are delaying their feed stacking finally to wake up that the job has got to be done and some morning it could be that it would take two tractors to pull a few bundles out of the field for the sookies. Maybe we'll stay lucky—and maybe we won't. We think a lot of bundle owners are riding their luck too hard, however. They are going to sell them in the shock where they stand, or feed out a few shocks at a time and have good weather to do it in—they evidently think. This is a warning from the great religious weekly's entire editorial staff, unanimously adopted formally notifying their reader to get set while the neighbors are doing their land swapping, house buying and indulging in Big Business generally. Cold weather is mean weather and the promise that He would temper the wind doesn't say whether it will be dailer or sharper.

PRICES OF FARM PRODUCTS

It may be quite true—it seems a certainty now—that the government is going to keep a floor under the price of farm products for another two years, so that all a fellow will have to do is plow and sow in the fall, and harvest the next summer to make a good living. However, it could be different. Oft times it happens that when all the folks are agreed that something is going to happen something else again oc-

curs. Remember that Mr. Hoover practically had two cars in every garage a few years back, when a short circuit developed.

And remember that a good to fair dry spell would put most of us on the other side of a bullish market for feed. In fact, it already has a good many people selling off their live stock and marketing their poultry, while the matter of raising hogs is almost a thing of the past in this land of the free (only you go ask the board) and home of the power hitch for four 9-foot plows.

All of which doesn't mean anything particular, except that there never was any more foolish adage than that old one you are beginning to hear again, namely, that the value of a piece of land is what two men can agree on.

AGAINST A HARD SPELL

Taking its firm stand for and against so many things The Hesperian also often is misunderstood when we just elucidate on matters. Thus it might be taken by some that we favor a four-weeks hard spell. Nothing could be further from the truth. We are tooth and nail against it, even if put off until March. We might somewhat favor 10 days or even two weeks of snow and cold, but a sure-enough Thing when Boreas chugs and thumps the warm Gulf forces away back down into equatorial country is one of the kind we have opposed from the beginning.

For this reason we even refuse to predict a five-weeker. Let the signs say what they will. Let the ducks and the prairie life put out their warnings and the weather stay warm and pretty right up to January 1, and we still wouldn't be drawn in on that side.

But no reasonable man can help seeing what he sees. And hang a light in the windmill tower as a warning to his less wary neighbors as it were. Which is why we sidle up to the suggestion about getting in the bundles, heaving somebody out of a few sacks of cake and fixing the windmill so it won't freeze up.

HUMAN NATURE AT WORK

Some considerable criticism is being made of manufacturers and wholesalers who, it is alleged, are withholding goods from the market until the turn of the year so that they can realize a better profit on what they have to sell.

This better profit, according to common report, will be made because the sales will be taxed much less heavily in 1946 than during this year.

While all of us commonly complain of the situation, as for instance in lumber, other building materials, household appliances, automobiles, trucks, etc., it is our idea that not a complainer but would do the same thing under the same condition. In cow language it might be stated this way:

That a cow sold now would cost \$85 out of \$100 in taxes, whereas on January 1 the same animal could be sold at a tax cost of about half that money. Not many cattle owners would be foolish enough to sell a cow for \$5 net profit now when a wait of 30 days or so would net a gain of \$40 or \$50. People are not built that way, and our complaints, therefore, are without point. If you are the kind that would take \$5 profit today instead of \$40 profit in 30 or 40 days then you are justified in your complaint. Otherwise, we doubt if you are entitled to complain a lot. It is just one of those things.

As A Farm Woman Thinks

(By Nellie Witt Spikes)

This is the season of the year when everything begins to freeze up but the human heart which begins to warm and glow at the Christmas season. There is Christmas in the air and mothers and fathers are wrapping up bundles that will bring happiness to little ones at Christmas, and we remember when another bundle of joy was wrapped and put in a manger for the happiness of all peoples. The star was bright that night and the stars in the eyes of Mary were shining. This is a lovely poem called Mary, that is in the December number of the Christian Herald and is from the pen of Louise Hercules.

Mary

When Jesus was a little boy,
I think that Mary knew;
As carefully she washed his hands
The tasks those hands would do.

And as she washed His dusty feet,
So tired after play;
She knew a moment's anguish,
And saw a long highway.

And when He said His evening prayers
With soft and trusting eyes,
I think across her own soft gaze,
A mist of tears would rise.

She loved her other children,
But always she could trace,
Within the face of Jesus
The shadow of God's grace.

She treasured every moment,
When she could feel Him near,
Seeing beyond earth's crosses,
An Easter dawn shine clear!

I have been making some log houses as lumber is so scarce. Well, the logs are only corrugated paper, but the imitation of a log house is pretty good. Cotton dusted with snow sparkle covers the roof, a log chimney is at one end, icicles hang from the eaves and red cellophane paper makes dandy window lights. Of course it is kind of like child's play, but every year before Christmas I find something to play with. A shallow round box will make the well, a limb will be the tall pine at the end of the house and red berries of the coral bush will add color to the green of the bits of cedar bushes. A broken piece of mirror will make a lake. A church with a tall steeple adds interest.

I have made some Indian bonnets for the children. Dyed turkey feathers (chicken feathers would be as good) are sewed on a strip of black velvet. Bright buttons, shiny buckles or anything from the work basket are sewed on, tiny bells from the dime store tinkle as the warrior will dance.

Mother brought me my Christmas present. It is a set of antique English berry dishes. It is beautiful and must be very old. The big bowl is shaped like a platter only deeper. I can imagine the big dish filled with red, red berries on the white cloth of an English dining table. Perhaps there were lords and ladies that ate from the flowered China bowls. Maybe they were only the middle class, the woman proud and happy over the set her husband had been saying for so long. Anyway now it is mine and I hope happy people will eat from the Christmas present my mother so thoughtfully and lovingly gave me.

We have the feed hauled in and

stacked. Mr. Spikes is still mending, the cows are in the stubble field and we are making it fairly well. Friends still come in, letters and cards come and the long, hard time has been made easier. Our son writes, as his dad is better, he will stay and finish a job that he says needs doing and he will be home some day. We had so longed for him to be with us this year at Christmas, but when one has a call for service not finished we say, God bless and help you, dear son.

Don't forget to get some coat hangers, stretch them in a round shed, then tie on cedar branches Red berries, the colored globes used on Christmas trees, red satin bows small pine cones; many things can be used for trimming and you have a wreath to gladden every one who passes or comes to your home.

This column has been mostly about Christmas as it should be as all are planning and thinking about it. It is the best news of all the world, the news of the birthday of Christ.

Floyd County 14 Years Ago

A. J. Polley of this city was appointed District Deputy Grand master of the 98th Masonic district of Texas at the state Grand lodge held last week in Waco.

H. O. Cline, manager of the Magnolia Service station, and C. W. Ginn, wholesale agent, attended a meeting of dealers and representatives of this district of the Magnolia Petroleum company Friday night at the Hilton hotel in Plainview.

C. S. Lowry, 83, pioneer Texan and resident of Floyd county for the past 25 years, succumbed Sunday night of this week to an attack of pneumonia, following an illness of a few days.

Sportsmen from Wichita Falls accompanied by Roy Snodgrass found the birds plentiful Monday near Roaring Springs and bagged their full quota.

Passage of a new city ordinance incorporating the penalty clause for failure of utility companies to comply with provisions setting forth rates not to be exceeded for electrical light, power and heating was effected Tuesday night at the regular meeting of the City council.

Earl Crow is convalescing at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Crow, from a badly sprained right ankle since falling under a disc plow while at work in the field.

The Sand Hill Home Demonstration club met December 2 and gave their Christmas program.

Robert Smith, Jr., of Sterley, who this year placed eighth in the Master dairy contest of the panhandle has entered the contest again for next year. He received a silver medal as an award for placing among the highest 10 in the contest.

Among the enjoyable affairs for the pre-Christmas season was the series of parties given this week by Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Arwine and Mrs. T. P. Collins on West California street.

The Y. W. C. A. girls met Monday night at the home of Mrs. G. N. Shirley. An interesting program was rendered and a lesson was taught from the book, "The Ministry of Women."

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Edwards spent last Sunday at Hereford visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wilson. Plans for the Rotary party in the basement of the First Methodist church set for the evening of December 17, are going forward according to the announcement made by Lon M. Davis, chairman of the program committee of the club. Rotarians, their wives and children will attend.



Extra Standards No. 2 Can
Tomatoes, .10

Maxwellhouse COFFEE, 1-Lb. Jar	.29	Harvest Inn CORN, No. 2 Can	.10
Kraft Seedless RAISINS, 2-Lb. Pkg.	.24	Heinz CATSUP, 14 Oz.	.25

Everlite 25-Lb. Sack
FLOUR, 1.09

Paper Shell PECANS, Lb.	.47	Blue Diamond WALNUTS, Lb.	.45
Libby's Fruit Cocktail, No. 2 1/2 Can	.35	1000 Sheets Per Roll SCOT TISSUE, Roll	.09

Marvene (Good as the Best) 2-Lb. Pkg.
SOAP, .43

Folgers COFFEE, Lb.	.29	Gold Medal Apple Cider, Qt.	.28
Carnation MILK, 3 Large Cans	.25	Marshall Pork & Beans, No. 300 Can	.08
Ma Brown-Apricot PRESERVES, 2 Lb.	.64	Lone Star HONEY, 5 Lb.	\$1.31

Fancy Delicious Box
APPLES, 5.50

Fancy Cranberries, Lb.	.30	CARROTS, Bunch	.09
LETTUCE, Lb.	.12	Tex ORANGES, Lb.	.09

Reg. Size Box
Post Toasties, .09

Van Camps TENDERONI, Box	.09	Post BRAN FLAKES, Lg. Box	.14
CHERRIOATS, Box	.12	GRAPENUTS, Box	.14

MARKET SPECIALS

Brick CHILI, Lb.	.27	All Meat BOLOGNA, Lb.	.27
RIB STEW, Lb.	.18	AA ROAST, Lb.	.28
AA STEAK, Lb.	.40	BACON-Yes, Lb.	.41

PIGGLY WIGGLY A GOOD PLACE TO TRADE

NOTICE

We wish to announce that we will soon open for business at our new location East of Floydada on the Matador Highway.

We will appreciate your coming by to visit us when we open. We have appreciated your patronage in the past and we will do our best to please you in the future.

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Sunday School Yuletide Party

Mrs. C. P. Looper, 320 South ...
 The Christmas party was held at the home of Mrs. C. P. Looper, 320 South ...
 Wednesday December 12 ...
 The rooms were decorated with ...
 A lovely tree was lighted ...
 Christmas dinner was served ...
 A carol, "Silent Night" ...
 Later the group ...
 A beautiful ...
 and a scripture reading of ...
 The chapter of Luke was read ...
 The guests included the Mrs. W. F. ...
 J. E. Horton, W. E. Ander ...
 C. Cates, Clud Patton, C. M. ...
 Roy Patton, Robert Day, C. ...
 E. P. Nelson, C. O. ...
 J. E. Roy, G. R. Strickland, ...
 J. G. Martin Sr., E. F. ...
 Herman Goen and son ...
 Mrs. Clyde Henderson, W. ...
 J. L. Helm, C. O. Pope, C. ...
 W. B. Jordan, Lea Howard, ...
 M. Goen Jr., O. M. Conway, ...
 M. Conway, Pearl Pagan, W. I. ...
 and Mrs. R. L. Fenner ...
 daughter Carolyn Sue and the ...
 Mrs. C. P. Looper.

Mr. and Mrs. Snell Pastor Helpers Hosts

Mr. and Mrs. Will Snell were host and hostess to the Pastors Helpers Sunday school class in an all day meeting at their home December 11. At the noon hour a turkey dinner was served with all the trimmings.

The devotional was given by Mrs. R. M. McCauley and Mrs. Sara W. Walker gave a Christmas story.

In the afternoon program several games were played and gifts were given around the Christmas tree. Those present to enjoy the day included Mesdames E. C. Henry, W. A. Shaw, W. H. Alexander, Betty Colville, E. B. Mayhew, D. D. Shipley, P. M. Felton, A. B. Blount, Lillie Britton, George Dickey, Addie Thagard, A. P. McKinnon, J. E. Laughlin, Bob Henry, Eula Thurman, O. B. Olsen, and R. M. McCauley, members.

Visitors of the day included Mesdames Lena Tyson of Calvert, Texas, V. Andrews, R. F. Kirchner and W. E. Walker of Dallas, O. M. Watson, R. H. Willis, and Rev. Lloyd Jones and the host and hostess.

FAMILY RE-UNION SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Will Snell had a family reunion at their home over the week-end. A turkey dinner was served to those present Sunday afternoon.

In their home were W. J. Snell of the ...
 Mrs. W. B. Jordan, Lea Howard, ...
 M. Goen Jr., O. M. Conway, ...
 M. Conway, Pearl Pagan, W. I. ...
 and Mrs. R. L. Fenner ...
 daughter Carolyn Sue and the ...
 Mrs. C. P. Looper.

Mrs. Ruby Gibb's of Lubbock, was here the latter part of last week guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. ...
 a ...
 and other relatives.

BOBBY GREEN HONORED ON HIS FOURTH BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Greer Christian entertained several friends of her young son, Bobby Greer, last Saturday, December 8, honoring his fourth birthday. The guest arrived at 3:30 and departed at five o'clock. Games were played which were very interesting to small guests, also toys were at their disposal.

Birthday cake and punch was served to the following guests; Randy King, Carolyn and Gary Heath, Carolyn Pyffe, Patricia Hickerson, Pat and Vaughn Ginn; Mrs. Pete Kendrick, and Bobby's grandmother, Mrs. Noel Troutman.

MRS. BURGETT HOSTESS ALATHEAN CLASS MEETING

The Althean S. S. class of the First Baptist church met in the home of Mrs. Burgett last Thursday in their regular monthly meeting. A covered dish lunch was enjoyed at noon.

Mrs. Wright, president of the class was in charge of the business meeting held later in the afternoon. Members present were:

Mrs. W. F. Weatherbee, Mrs. J. L. Copperell, Mrs. C. B. Sims, Mrs. Jennie Bishop, Mrs. W. A. Cates, Mrs. J. T. Snodgrass, Mrs. W. W. Smith, Mrs. Ella Bullard, Mrs. L. H. Newell, Mrs. W. B. Cantrell, Mrs. Ella Pas-hall, Mrs. Morgan Wright, Mrs. A. H. Manning, Mrs. R. N. Burgett.

Visitors were Mrs. W. T. Bronson, Mrs. W. E. Lowrance.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fowler are spending the week-end in Hot Springs, New Mexico, visiting their daughters, Louella and Leola Fowler, who are employed there.

Next Week's Plans Nazarene Church

The people of the Nazarene church are having an all day meeting concluding the revival meeting which has been in progress since December 2, Sunday, December 16 with dinner on the ground. There will be good singing all afternoon.

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The Christmas program will be given at the church Thursday night December 20, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. Christmas carols will be sung by volunteers on Saturday night December 22. Everyone who would like to have carols sung to them please leave light on in their house, the pastor suggests.

Get the Want ad habit.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Watson are the proud parents of a son born November 29. He was named Jerry Lester. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Watson and of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jameson.

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Children and grandchildren were Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McGhee, Billy and Cleavane of Plainview; Mrs. Bruce Whitlock, Bowie, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Johnson, Jan and Mike of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jackson, Judy and Lynn of Floydada; Mr. and Mrs. Horce Marble, Don, Fred, Keith and June, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Marble, Mary Ann and Max, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Cox of Lockney.

Guests were met at the door by the honorees, Mr. and Mrs. Marble and their daughter, Mrs. Jesse Cox. Another daughter, Mrs. Johnnie Johnson presided at the guest book. After registering the guests were invited into the dining room where tea and cake were served from a lace-covered table by Mrs. C. J. McGhee and Mrs. Walt Griffith. The center piece was a three-tiered wedding cake placed on reflector encircled with gold chrysanthemums carrying out the theme of the occasion. Others assisting in the dining room were Mrs. Elmer Jackson, Mrs. Hugh Marble, Mrs. Horce Marble

and Miss Grace Ford. Gold tapers in crystal holders were placed at either side of the reflector.

Grandaughter Sings
Before the cake was cut by the honorees a prayer was said by J. B. Allen a long-time friend of the family. While the cake was being served to the honored guests Cleavane McGhee, a grand-daughter, sang "I Love You Truly."

Mr. Fredrich Lee Marble and Emma Elizabeth Ford were married December 1, 1895 in Collin county, Texas. They moved from Collin county to Lockney 25 years ago and have made this their home since.

Many beautiful gifts were received and displayed throughout the afternoon.

Out-of-town relatives here for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Ford of Farmersville, Texas; Mrs. Martha Ford and Miss Grace Ford of Nevada, Texas; Mrs. Fannie Robinson of Amarillo.

Mrs. Maratha Ford, Miss Grace Ford, W. B. Ford and C. V. Ford were present at their wedding 50 years ago.

About one hundred guests called during the afternoon.

Fairview News

FAIRVIEW, December 10.—The last two days we have really had winter in earnest. Last night was the coldest night of the season. Rev. and Mrs. Jay Chammell of Lockney, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Walls of Starley and Miss Peggy Walls of Lubbock were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Walls.

A large number of the folks in our community have been sick with bad colds and the flu. Many of the pupils have had to be absent from school.

Lane and Nancy Allen are here with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Crabtree.

Mrs. E. W. Walls spent the day Friday with Mrs. Clyde Bagwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Stapleton and sons moved the first of the week to Fairview where they will establish home.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walton Wilson Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Horton, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bagwell and Mr. and Mrs. Trust Austin and children of South Plains, Mrs. W. C. Austin of Floydada and W. J. Hartline.

E. W. Walls is spending several days at Lexington, Oklahoma, on business. He was accompanied by his brother, E. R. Walls of Starley.

HERSEL E. POWELL DRAWS DISCHARGE AT DREW FIELD.

DREW FIELD, Tampa, Fla.—Presentation of his honorable discharge certificate at the Army Air Forces separation station at this field November 29, marked the completion of 45 months of service in the armed forces by Cpl. Hersel E. Powell, Rt. 2, Floydada.

One of more than 23000 men released from service with the AAF to date at this separation station, he served as a Medical Technician.

Living Quarters For Veterans at W. Texas State

CANYON, Texas, Dec. 12.—Veterans of Floyd county will soon find living accommodations available here to permit them to go to college under provisions of the G. I. bill.

West Texas State will move 36 trailer cottages from Amarillo and Barger to the campus and will rent them exclusively to veterans, married and single. A contract for the project has been signed with the Federal Public Housing authority. The units will be ready by the beginning of the spring semester of the college.

Starkey News

STARKEY, Dec. 10.—Mr. and Mrs. Mike Lawrence and family visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Holmes Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Watts spent Sunday in Roaring Springs visiting Mr. Watts' parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Watts.

Mr. and Mrs. Oief Miller and Gene were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Griggs Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stegall went to Lubbock Saturday on a business trip. Mrs. Elford Parrish and children, LaJuna and Leroy, spent Sunday visiting in the Bill Robertson home.

Miss Bobbie Sue Langley spent the week-end in Lubbock visiting Misses Gladys and Dorris Stegall.

DONOVAN SPENCE NOT MARRIED

The Hesperian last week mentioned Donovan Spence's recent return from service in the army. Inadvertently it was said that he is married. Donovan is not a married man.

WYLLIES HAVE A DAUGHTER

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Price Wyllie a baby girl December 10, named Lowana Ann. The baby is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Starley of South Plains, and Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Wylie of Providence and a great-granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Starkey of Cedar Hill. Mr. Wyllie has been recently discharged from the army.

S. S. Class Will Feast Friday Night

The Homemakers Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church will hold a banquet Friday night December 14, at 7 o'clock, in the church basement. This will be a Christmas party for the members of the class and their entire families. About seventy-five are expected to attend.

The Homemakers class recently sent a \$25.00 Christmas present to a former member who with her husband is now in Columbia, South America, as a missionary; Mrs. Uiman Moss. The class voted Sunday morning to give a small gift to each shut-in person in Floydada.

Mrs. Jewel Smalley is president; program chairman is Mrs. Helen Dunlap; decoration committee, Jewel Smalley, Margelene Wright, Willie Mae Rucker; food committee, Josephine Switzer, Mildred Carter, Leona Campbell and Ouida Holder.

Lt. Parrie Dee Acee of Stamford spent last Thursday night with Miss Beatrice Davis. Lt. Acee will receive her discharge in January after three and a half years of service, six months of that time spent in the Philippines near Manila. Lt. Acee was employed here a short time before entering service.

Miss Leba Jean Gibson, a junior in Floydada High school, returned to her classes on Monday after a weeks illness with influenza. Miss Gibson also has a class of piano students at Sand Hill but was unable to meet with them last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Blount and daughters, Kay and Pat, of Dumas visited last week-end with Mr. Blount's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Blount. Other visitors in the home were Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Wofford of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tyler of Amarillo spent from Wednesday until Saturday visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McLean of Sand Hill and Rev. and Mrs. N. E. Tyler of Floydada.

Rev. Arch Gibson has been in Lockney several days this week on business. Rev. and Mrs. Gibson made a business trip to Amarillo Wednesday.

Troy Wellmaker and brother-in-law Frank Simpson left Monday for a short stay at Hot Springs, New Mexico.

Henry Hall and wife and son of Artesia visited Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Hall last week-end.

Miss Melba Louise Watson went a tonsillectomy last Friday at the Ralls hospital.

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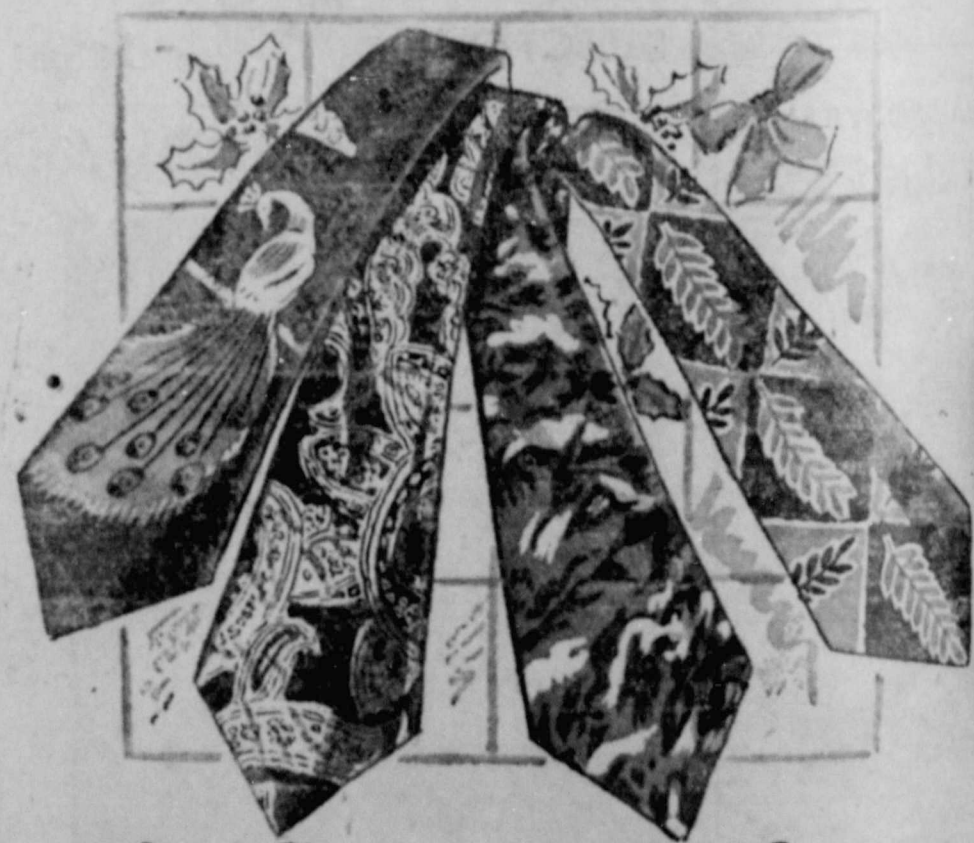


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By George Mahon

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The bill is quite an important one, as it will provide the money for the operation of 23 independent agencies of the government. It will provide for a total expenditure of several billion dollars. By far the largest sum will be for the Veterans administration.

As this is being written, we have just finished a long session with Thomas H. MacDonald, who is head of the Public Roads administration. We will probably provide \$700,000,000 for expenditure in cooperation with the states in the road program of the nation.

One disturbing statement made to the committee during the hearing would be pondered by every American: "The fatalities from traffic accidents in August, 1945, were 27% above those in August, 1944; in September, 1945, fatalities were 43% above those in September, 1944; and fatalities in October, 1945, were 52% above October, 1944. In the prewar period we had as many as 32,000 people killed in traffic accidents in a single year."

It is evident that unless something is done to stop the rising tide of traffic accidents, Americans may have more of their loved ones killed in peace time traffic each year than were lost during a similar period as a result of the war.

FACTS FOR THE VETERAN

State Vocational Rehabilitation (American Red Cross News Service)

(Richard B. was inducted into service, but was discharged after less than six months for a respiratory condition. On a hunting trip following his return home, he was accidentally wounded in the ankle and leg.)

He received emergency hospitalization in a private hospital. A gangrenous condition set in, requiring extensive hospitalization and removal of part of the leg and foot. With the aid of his local Red Cross chapter Richard was transferred to a Veterans Administration hospital because neither he nor his family was able to pay for the treatment needed.

He now has returned home but is unable to follow his former occupation as helper in the shipping department of an industrial firm. This veteran is entitled to Veterans Administration hospitalization for the rest of his life. He is not entitled to an artificial limb or vocational rehabilitation through the Veterans Administration because his disability did not occur as a result of service.

All states have developed vocational rehabilitation programs. Prior to the passage of Public Law No. 117 by the federal government, state funds were sometimes unavailable. This law provides, however, for federal supplementation of funds to the end that adequate programs can be developed on a state level to carry out physical and mental rehabilitation among handicapped residents of each state.

Jones Brothers Get Together In Phillipine Islands

After missing each other by only a few miles in Europe, T/S Dalton Jones and Captain Watson Jones of the U. S. Army sons of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Jones have met since a little more than half way around the world in the Philippines.

This was late in October when Dalton, in Manila for a few hours, learned that Watson was stationed only a few miles away. It was quite a surprise for Watson to look up from his desk to find Dalton standing there. Since that time the boys spent an entire day together on Bataan, according to reports reaching home. They had not met in over two years, missing each other in the states as well as in ETO.

Both the Jones boys went overseas in February to the European Theatre of war. Returning in June both sailed for the Philippines. To state Commerce Commission, General Accounting Office, Civil Service Commission, Federal Trade Commission, and the Bureau of the Budget.

Hearings on a bill of this nature are very extensive, as is evidenced by the fact that our hearings on this bill last year filled a volume of 1324 pages. The best legislative service which a member of Congress can render is in committee. That is where the bills are written and where most of the effective legislative work is actually done.

TECH CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS

LUBBOCK, Dec. 12.—Christmas holidays begin at Texas Technological College Tuesday, Dec. 18, at 6 p. m. and classes are to be resumed Thursday, Jan. 3, at 8 a. m.

As a Sidney, Texas, man stepped out of his truck, he was struck by a passing car and tossed high in the air. Just before his head struck the pavement his pocket caught on the high truck door handle and held him suspended in the air, saving his life.

In the present war, Texas has a higher proportion of her population in the armed forces than any other state. Twelve Navy Admirals including Nimitz, two Marine Corps Generals, the effective legislative work is actually done.

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gather they have served their country eight years, three and five respectively.

Watson is expected to arrive home with a discharge by January 1 since he cabled his parents that he was to sail on the President Polk December 5.

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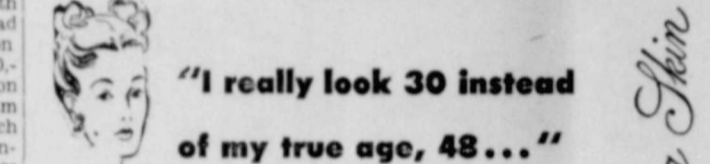
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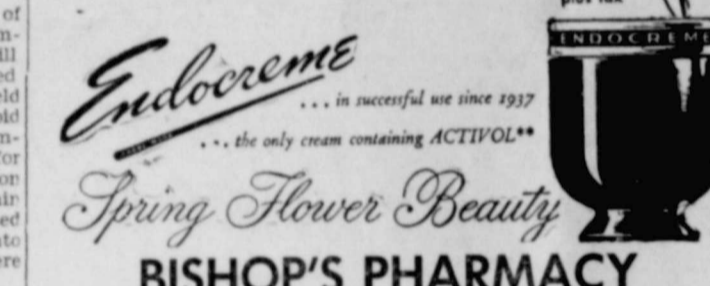
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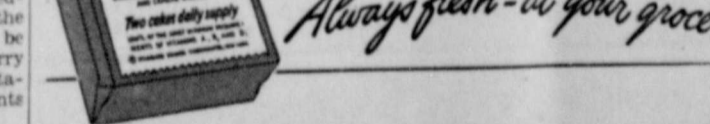
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By GRAHAM HUNTER

Service Men—

(Continued from "1st page")

Intosh, on West Mississippi street. There is a good deal of shooting still going on in various islands around over the Pacific that doesn't get into print, Tommy says.

String of Decorations
One of the most decorated returns recently to visit Floydada is Staff Sergeant H. W. Wilson, of Childress, here on a visit with his mother, Mrs. C. E. Soderstrom last week. He is a 12-year army man and battles and campaigns he was in in the Pacific include Bismarck Archipelago, New Guinea, Luzon, South Philippines. The list of decorations and citations held by him is a long one, namely:

American Defense Service medal Asiatic-Pacific campaign medal with three bronze stars, American Theatre Campaign medal in the Philippines, Liberation ribbon with one bronze star, good conduct medal with two clasps, victory ribbons and four service stars and three overseas bars.

He is one of the army men who is remaining in the service.

Was Seventh Volunteer
Several weeks ago the first volunteer from Floyd county to be processed by the Selective Service board returned home safe and

sound, and last week the seventh also got home.

This seventh volunteer is Travis B. Parr, who got his discharge with a sergeant's rating on November 28 at Fort Sam Houston. Parr had served four years, nine months and 21 days—to be exact—in World War II, and 27 months of that time he was in ETO.

Airon Field Out Dec. 3
Lowry Field, Colo., Dec. 3.—Sgt. Adron L. Field, son of Mr. Menard C. Field, South Plains, Texas was today released from the Army Air forces at AAF Separation center Lowry Field, Colo., after serving in the Army since October, 1942. He served in the ATC evacuating the wounded and he wears one Battle star.

Sgt. Field will return to Floydada, Texas.

BERYLE BISHOP OUT OF NAVY AT BAINBRIDGE, MASS.

BAINBRIDGE, Maryland, Dec.—For wounds received during action on Guam, Pharmacist's Mate 2/c Beryle Bishop received the Purple Heart and now, after 47 months of naval service, he holds an honorable discharge. Bishop was released this week at the Bainbridge Separation center after which he rejoined his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Bishop, at their home at 312 South 2nd street, Floydada.

Overseas for a year and a half he was attached to the 3rd Marine division on Guadalcanal, Bougainville and Guam. Besides the Purple Heart he holds the Asiatic-Pacific and American theatre ribbons.

Bishop was last stationed at the U. S. Naval hospital here.

BOTH WHITELEY BROTHERS HOME NOW AND DISCHARGED

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Whiteley have both of their soldier sons home once more from the wars in foreign countries. They served in far distant areas from each other.

Pfc. Clifford Whiteley came home from Manila and was discharged at Fort Sam on November 23.

Technical Sergeant T. M. Whiteley served in the India campaign. He was discharged last week at Camp Fannin.

Garland Sams received his discharge November 29 at Camp Crowder, Missouri, where he was stationed during his service with the army. He is at his home in Lockney and

BEN G. MORTON HOME

Ben G. Morton, who had been at Mineral Wells for a few weeks taking the baths and resting, returned home the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Moore had visiting in their home the past week Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hatchett and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Russell all of Lone Star, and Mrs. Judge Kellow of Vernon.

Louise Pope of Sand Hill community arrived Sunday from Panama Canal, having recently been discharged from the Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Simpson and family also Mr. and Mrs. Owen Crawford and family all of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Simpson recently.

is now employed at Billington garage there.

Jodie C. Williams was discharged on November 26 at Fort Bliss, Texas, after three and a half years service. He had been awarded the American Theatre ribbon, the Asiatic-Pacific ribbon, the Good Conduct medal and the Victory medal.

Sgt. Thurman L. Reed, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Reed of Lockney, was discharged at Sioux Falls, South Dakota, on November 24 after three years of service, most of that time spent in Europe. He had received the ETO ribbon with six battle stars, the Good Conduct medal, the American Theatre ribbon, and the Victory medal. Thurman was with the Military police.

Pvt. Olan Keeter received his discharge on October 15 from the Army Air corps at MacArthur, California. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Keeter of Lockney and is there visiting his parents and friends. Olan spent 30 months in the Pacific serving with the Air corps in Australia, New Guinea and the Philippines.

Waldo M. Scott was discharged December 5 at Fort Snelling, Minnesota. Scott had seen over three years service, 14 months of which was spent overseas and 10 months of that time in a German prison camp. He holds the ETO ribbon with two battle stars, the American Theatre medal. He was with the 1st Infantry division, most of the time with a mortar section. He is the son of Mrs. Maggie M. Scott of Lockney.

SERVICE MEN DISCHARGED

Service men who have recently visited in Floydada on furloughs and are home on discharges are Robert L. Bradford, Leonard M. Finley, Beryle Bishop, Billy J. McPeak, Sgt. Harvey C. Johnston, all of Floydada and Jodie C. Williams, and Martin W. Anderson both of Lockney.

Recital Planned For Pupils of Mrs. Fagan Next Tuesday Night

Pupils of Mrs. Pearl Fagan will be presented in a recital Tuesday evening, December 18, at 7:30 p. m. in the high school auditorium.

Assisting in the program will be the Junior Choral club, composed of 35 girls of high school under the direction of Mrs. Alvis Chowning and the Floydada High school band, directed by Rev. Otto Marshall.

Piano pupils playing in solo and ensemble are: Billie and Jennie Chowning, Mary Ella Maxey, Joyce Myrick, Carolyn Tye, Charlene Perry, Louise Parrish, Averill Wilkinson, Cora Salisbury, Virginia Hennessee, Nita Marie Patterson, Don Barber, Leba June Gibson, Molly June French, Norma Lou Hamilton.

Ted Lanham, Ann West, Mary Alice Plumlee, Mary Louise Childress, Joy Bunch, Betty Blum, Robert Browning, Billie Frances Sisson, June Powell, Laverne Fowler, Roberta and Edith Payne Garrett, Doris Bollman, Flora Jane Johnson, Billie Newberry, Ruth Elaine Harmow, Howard Adams, Betty Lou Griggs, Oragene Wilson, LaRue Graves, Bobbie Gene Medlen, Martha and Ann Cudd.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

W. M. S. Observes Lottie Moon Week

The Women's Missionary society of the First Baptist church of Floydada under the leadership of Mrs. J. D. McBrien, their president, met each morning the past week in their "Lottie Moon" week of prayer preceding the offering for Foreign missions which was taken at the morning services last Sunday.

The ladies had an attendance of 15 or more each morning from 10 until 11 o'clock. Mrs. George A. Linder, teacher of the Fidelis Maternal Sunday school class, was leader of the service Thursday morning. The goal set for the offering each Christmas is \$500.00. This is a church wide program and is part of the church program all over the Southern Baptist convention.

Mrs. Phil Merry, jr. and her little daughter Linda, left the latter part of last week for Salt Lake City, Utah, where they will join their husband and father to make their home.

Mrs. R. F. Hall and Willis Hall attended the funeral of Dr. E. A. Hancock Saturday at Ranger, Texas. They also visited relatives at Cloce and Breckenridge.

TEST BELOW 4,700 FEET

The oil test on the H. A. Krause land, Section 29, Block K, in southwest Floyd county, by George Livermore and Honolulu Oil company last week was reported drilling below 4,700 feet.

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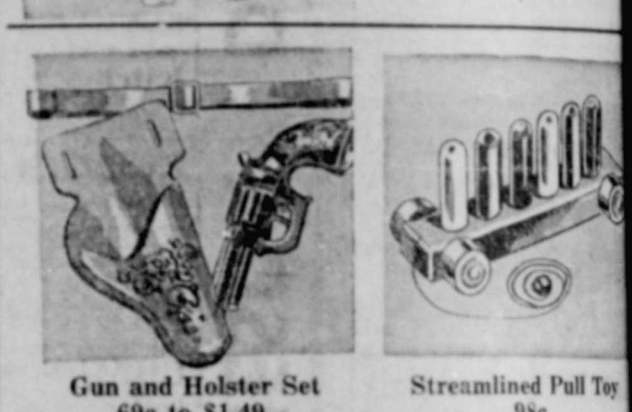
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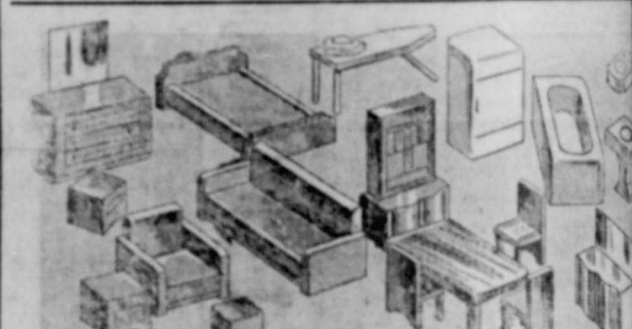
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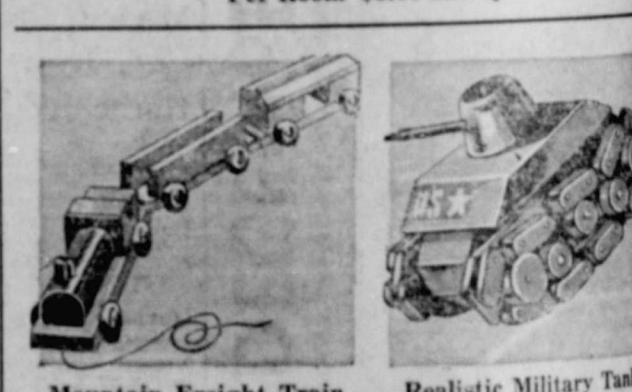
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H. Finley, Jr.,
Writes from Japan

A letter recently received from William H. Finley, Jr., by his wife, Mrs. W. H. Finley, tells of some of his experiences in Japan. The letter is as follows:
I have finally landed in Godo, Japan, near Niigata and have my first hot meal in a long time as well as getting to sleep in my own quarters. We don't know what sheets are here, but this is better than some places I've been to.
We stayed in Yokohama for three weeks, basking in the sun and helping unloading of our ship and helping unloading of other one. We also went to several times. It certainly was a blow up, but it is a very busy town now. The Japanese are so busy on the walks that one can hardly go down them. Everywhere people have little things to sell on the side of the street.

Methodist Church
Plans For Sunday

The "Sin Against Opportunity" is the sermon subject to be discussed by Rev. Lloyd H. Jones, pastor of the Methodist church of Floydada, at the 11 o'clock morning worship service.
At 7 o'clock in the evening the Methodist Youth fellowship, under the leadership of Mrs. C. D. Foote, will present a Christmas program entitled "To Bethlehem" which is a combination of drama and music appropriate to the Christmas season.
Church school convenes at 9:45 a. m.

BROTHER OF MRS. HAMMOND
Returns From ETO SERVICE

Technician Fifth Grade James H. Hammond, brother of Mrs. C. T. (Dot) Hammond, of Floydada, is among the soldiers returned from overseas service. He lives at Post, the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Price. Mr. Hammond met her brother at the station in Lubbock Saturday and had been over-seas three years. The Prices have bought a home about five miles west of Floydada and will move their home here soon.

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According to Captain R. D. Hammond, any ex-service man who did not receive a certificate of service when discharged may do so now with little trouble.
All that is required, says the captain, is to present discharge papers to the recruiting officer, located in the post office. A certificate of service signed by President Truman will be given the ex-service man.

Mr. and Mrs. Mal Jarboe and son Bob returned home last week from Apache, Oklahoma, where they had been for several days on a visit. Mrs. Jarboe was enroute home from Oklahoma and Norman from a visit of two weeks with her brothers and sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Ray, of Amarillo, were here over the weekend, guests of friends here and at Dougherty.

Mrs. George Eudy and son Ben and daughter Thelma spent Tuesday in Plainview on business.

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- Wagon and Team, Each, \$7.50
- COLOGNE, Morning Glory, 25c
- Xmas Wrapped Jergen's Lotion, \$1.00 Size, 59c
- SOAP, Woodbury, Each, 8c
- SHAMPOO, Woodbury's, 50c Size, 23c
- Jergen's Cream, Pdr. Base, 50c Size, 32c
- ANKLETS, Baby Starlets, Pair, 24c
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- DUST PANS, All Metal, Each, 29c
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Edited by Pupils of Floydada High School



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Banquet Honors District Champs

The District Football champs of Floydada High school were honored by a banquet given by the pep squad and band last Friday night.

The banquet was given in the hall of F. H. S. There were five tables with the superintendent and his wife, pep leaders and dates, football captains and dates, and the coach and his wife sitting at the head table. The center pieces were miniature football fields with a player at each end. The meal was served by candlelight.

Myra Nell Hall acted as toastmistress. Marjorie Oden played the professional and Rev. Marshall gave the invocation. Before the banquet was served the football queen, Martha Cudd, was escorted down the aisle by Bill Womack. She was crowned by the captains, C. L. Berry and Melvin Robertson. The toast to the team was given by Myra Nell Hall and the response by Melvin Robertson. Hughetta Smartt sang two solos.

C. L. Berry presented a suit to the coach from the football team. In response Coach Gresham gave an appreciation to the team.

Oragene Willson and La Rue Graves played a piano duet and following this Nanette Bishop presented the 1946-47 pep leaders, La Vell Hall, Valrie Burke, and Nita Patterson.

The last of numbers were two vocal numbers by Melba Smalley Gloria Ann Schultz and Jean Warren. The banquet closed with the school song sung by everyone.

THE STAFF
 Oragene Willson Editor
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Bill. Yes, there will never be another girl as charming or with as much personality as Martha Cudd. To sum it all up, "There will never be another you," Martha.

Little Girl Writes Santa From TSCW

December 3, 1945.

Dear Santa:

I'm a little girl in the first grade at T. S. C. W. I have been a real good little girl this year. Santa, I go to bed at 9:00 every night and always get all my lessons.

Santa, I'm not asking for a diamond ring, convertible, or a fur coat, not even nylon hose; all I want, dear Santa, is that handsome hunk of heartbreak—Billy Morrison.

Please be good to all these other little girls down here and fill Denton with men!

Love,
 Jo Walling.

Typical Teacher

Smile—Miss Osborne;
 Eyes—Mr. Graves;
 Personality—Mrs. Thomas;
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 Neatness—Mrs. Romane;
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 Voice—Mrs. Jones;
 Hands—Mrs. Graves;
 Posture—Coach Gresham;
 Wit—Mr. Harris;
 Feet—Bro. Marshall;
 Legs—Mrs. Mitchell.

ANOTHER SENIOR GROUP ADDED IN HALL OF F. H. S.

The seniors' group pictures came in Monday and once again the pictures in the hall were moved and another one hung.

The study halls were a mad clamor, each senior trying to get every other senior's autograph on the back of his picture.

There is the exchange of pictures again, too, because the re-ordering came in with the group pictures.

ASSEMBLY PROGRAM

Wednesday morning, December 5 the student body was privileged to have a special entertainer for assembly program. Miss Emiline Rogue a dramatic reader from Dallas, presented several numbers which included a story, "Mary Elta Perkins"; the first act of "The Taming of the Shrew"; a monologue, "Mrs. Sypole," and a dramatic reading, "Troubled Waters," all of which were enjoyed and appreciated very much by the students.

Miss Rogue is truly an artist, and we hope she visits us again.

MRS. THOMAS ABSENT DUE TO ILLNESS; MRS. MERRY LEAVES

We are sorry that Mrs. Thomas has been absent due to illness. We hope that she will be with us again soon.

Mrs. Merry has left and the vacancy is being filled by Mrs. Ralph Johnston.

Do you still wake up with a grogh?
 No, dearie, I divorced him.

Hey all! Several "loyal-to-cause" contributions keep a hot trail to the gossip can each and every week. I wish everybody (including the staff!) would give me a little whole week lapses by before you (not counting the censors) read this—so naturally I sometimes smell cause I'm so old. This could be prevented (slightly) if more of the students donated more on Thursday's and Friday's (especially!) but do they? No.

Pleading for more and better (juicier—and give some details) gossip, I remain de guy dat's bound to catch you by and by.

Marjorie is wearing a broad grin this week—could it be because Earl is home from Chicago.

Gene Dale Jackson, did you know Francis Pratt has a crush on you (quite a crush) Well—she dur!

Yawn, yawn, yawn—Sleepy, Christine Jones? So you were last Thursday. Wuz it cause of Wednesday night?

Everytime James Finley turns in his English class a great big smile is on Dorothy Brand's and Thade Lackey's faces any everytime he smiles back.

Is night your favorite time of day? And is Saturday the favorite day of the week? Rose Beard and Clifton Ware seem to agree—Oh yes!

Thing's a cookin' as observed by the watchful eye! Acie Johnson—Helen Robertson.

Syble Russell? (a boy with her

last Thursday night).

D. F. Payne—Hazel Patton (they are going round and round in Speech II)

Perne Stovall—Sam Sandusky.

What's wrong? Marlene and Louis are drifting apart. Boo-hoo. Wasn't love grand?

Do the girls take time about, Charles Hammitt? Wearing your pins! Now, let's see there's Wilma, Ruthie and Billie McCready, etc. What other boys haven't got pins.

Norma and Leonard seem to have fun gliding around in her Ford,

don't they!

Virginia Odam—another lady in distress for the week. Isn't it awful. Her man left her and that's not all. He got married.

Oh Me!

Is this a new romance reviving? (Could be) Bishop and Carmack in the show Thursday night and is there any real significance to what he wrote on Nanette's picture? Better read Dwina!

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Question: What would be the general effect on the country of a steel strike?

Answer: Over 40 percent of all the factory workers in the country earn their living by making steel into useful products for American life. A shut-down of the steel industry would be a disastrous blow to reconversion and would cause a serious loss in both wages and industrial production at a time when they were most needed.

Question: Is it true that the Steelworkers Union has pledged itself not to strike?

Answer: Yes. Every contract which the Union has signed this year with the various steel companies has a clause wherein the Union agrees not to strike during the life of the contract.

Question: Are those contracts still in effect?

Answer: Yes. They were signed in the spring of 1945 to run until October, 1946.

Question: Who signed for the Union?

Answer: Its international officials—Philip Murray, Van Bittner, Clinton Golden and others—and the local Union heads at the various plants.

Question: Is there no "escape clause" by which either side could end the agreements?

Answer: No. The Union demanded a fixed, long-term contract and got it.

Question: Why did they want a long-term contract?

Answer: In the Union's own words before the War Labor Board, "The Union's request for a termination date of October, 1946, is not made capriciously or pressed here for bargaining purposes. It represents the considered view of the Union that only such a term will adequately serve the needs of stability."

Question: Did the recent strike vote violate the contracts?

Answer: No. Only an actual strike would violate them.

Question: Haven't there been strikes already during the life of the contracts?

Answer: Yes. There were 998 strikes in steel plants during the past year alone. They were mostly local strikes which the Union characterizes as "wildcat," but they meant a big loss in production.

Question: Does the end of the war justify changing the contracts?

Answer: No. The bond was sealed on both sides and should be kept whether times be good or bad. The steel companies are continuing to live up to these agreements. If a strike is called, it will be in clear violation of the existing contracts.

A strike in the face of existing contracts would shatter any confidence in the validity of union agreements in the steel industry.

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MILADIES SPECIALTY SHOPPE

Social Events, Clubs

Aileen McIntyre Wed At Hawthorne, Cal. to Lawrence C. Weber

HAWTHORNE, Calif., Dec. 10. — Before a flower banked altar in St. Joseph Catholic church in Hawthorne, California, Miss Aileen C. McIntyre and Lawrence C. Weber, U. S. Navy, were united in marriage in a double ring ceremony on Thanksgiving, November 22 at 11 o'clock.

The bride wore a white satin gown of colonial design with a finger tip veil of lace. She carried with her white prayer book a corsage of white gladiolus with streamers of white ribbon and fern. The bride was given in marriage by Mr. Roberta Baker, a close friend of the family.

The maid of honor, Miss Bobby McIntyre, sister of the bride, wore a blue net and taffeta gown and carried a Colonial nosegay. Best man was Raymond Comeau, U. S. Navy, a cousin of the bride.

Mrs. Weber, daughter of Mrs. Irene Maxwell of Hawthorne, California, is a graduate of Leuginger High school with the class of 1945 and was employed in the Army supply office of the North American Aircraft Industry. Lawrence is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Weber of Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

After a short honeymoon in the West, the couple will be at home in Chicago where Lawrence will report back for duty.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the bride's home. Guests were served champagne and wedding cake.

Mrs. Poole Hostess at Garden Club's Christmas Party

The Floydada Garden club was entertained in the home of Mrs. W. S. Poole of Dougherty with a Christmas party on December 6 at 2:30 p. m.

Mrs. O. M. Watson was in charge of the program. The roll call was answered by "What are you doing for Christmas?" Mrs. E. L. Angus lead the group in "Silent Night", Mrs. Lon Davis read a poem, Mrs. Jim Willson read a story and games were in charge of Mrs. Poole. Exchange of gifts was made during the day.

The color scheme was blue and silver. In the dining room the table was laid with an imported linen table cloth. Silver candlesticks with blue candles were at either end of the table. The plate favors were little boxes of incense wrapped in blue tissue paper and tied with ribbon. Mrs. Jim Willson poured tea and was assisted by Mrs. Angus, Mrs. Watson, Mrs. Davis and Mrs. Poole.

Those present were Mesdames E. L. Angus, B. K. Barker, C. A. Caffee, Jim Cleveland, Lon Davis, E. C. Henry, R. C. Henry, Earl Hogge, J. B. Jenkins, Wilson Kimble, E. J.

Kolback-Chapman Vows Said in Nov. at Bethesda, Maryland

Harold Chapman, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Chapman of Lubbock and Miss Irene Kolback, daughter of Frank Kolback of Pittsburg, Pa. were united in marriage in a double ring ceremony held November 21 in the Little Church in the Wildwoods in Bethesda, Maryland. Rev. Claude Brubaker, pastor of the church performed the ceremony.

The bride wore a pale aqua dress with a corsage of gardenias.

The only attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Carter, Jr. of Washington, D. C., Mrs. Carter was dressed in fuchsia with a violet corsage.

Mr. Chapman received a discharge on November 5 at San Antonio, Texas, with a rank of First Lieutenant. He had served five years in the army and had spent 20 months in Africa.

Mr. and Mrs. Chapman will make their home at 2108 13th street in Lubbock, where Mr. Chapman will be in the real estate business with his father.

Club Makes Plans For Christmas Party

The Blue Bonnet Needle club met Thursday, November 16, with Mrs. W. O. Baker in the regular meeting. The evening was spent doing needle work.

During the recreation period, Mrs. Christian and Mrs. Smith won prizes.

Plans for the club party were completed. The party will be December 20 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Greer Christian. The ladies will honor their husbands with a turkey dinner at that time beginning at 7:30.

Lovely refreshments were served to Mesdames Pete Kendrick, Layton Dorrell, Luther Dorrell, Woodrow Wilson, John E. Smith, Lloyd Murry, John R. Tinnin, Willie B. Eakin, Ernie Widener, Floyd Puma, Pomer Roberts, Greer Christian and the hostess, Mrs. Baker.

MARTHA GIRLS CHRISTMAS PARTY TUESDAY EVENING

The Martha Girls Sunday school class was entertained with a Christmas party Tuesday evening, December 11, at the home of Mrs. P. A. Denison.

A feature of the evening was a talk on "Christmas I spent in China, Manila, and Internment Camp", by Miss Hester West. Gifts and candy were distributed to the guests from a Christmas tree.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames J. B. Bishop, Travis Collins, L. T. Bishop, E. E. Hinson, Lorin Leibfried, J. H. Abbott, Carl Minor, John Finley, Lola C. Gallaway, C. K. Arnold, Earl Hogge, Bob McGuire, A. B. Keim, and Misses Mary McCarty, Effie Mae Cline, Hester West, and a guest Mrs. E. E. Hinson Jr., and Mrs. Denison.

LOCAL STUDENT ASSISTS IN ENTERTAINMENT AT TSCW

Denton, Texas, Dec. 12.—Miss Frances Keim of Floydada assisted in arranging invitations for the tea given by 125 students at Texas State College for women Thursday (Dec. 13) to honor the 25 hostesses of the approved homes in which they live.

Special guests were President and Mrs. L. H. Hubbard and Mrs. Mattie Lloyd Woolen, dean of students. A musical program was furnished during the tea hour.

Miss Keim, a sophomore business major, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Keim.

ROY NELL HAMMOND, NINE HAS A BIRTHDAY PARTY

Roy Nell Hammond was honored with a birthday party Saturday on her ninth birthday at the Hammond home, 202 South White street.

Mrs. Bill Holliday assisted Mrs. Hammond in entertaining for the honoree and her 24 guests. Christmas greenery and red tannies graced the table from which the guests were served cake and cocoa.

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 - 1 Two-row '43 Model Oliver Combine;
 - 1 Float to Level Land;
 - 1 Model D John Deere Tractor, steel;
 - 1 Four-row Go-Devil;
 - 1 '40 Model B John Deere Tractor, bought in 1941, good condition, Model A Equipment;
 - 1 Steel Wheel Wagon, good;
 - 1 Two-Wheel Trailer, good tires;
 - 1 Good Gasoline Pump;
 - 1 Lot of Good Sweeps;
 - 1 Two-Row Sled Go-Devil;
 - 1 Three-Section John Deere Harrow;
 - 1 Montgomery Ward 14-inch Feed Grinder;
 - 1 MTA M & M Farm Tractor, newly overhauled, large size;
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- ### 150 HEAD SHEEP
- 87 Registered Rambouillet Ewes;
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 - 3 Registered Bucks;
 - 12 Feeder Shoats;
 - 1 Fifteen-hundred Lb. Hog Feeder.

- ### LIVE STOCK
- 1 Jersey Milk Cow, 5 years old, fresh and Calf;
 - 1 Brown Cow, 9 years old, four gallons, fresh soon;
 - 1 Fawn Colored Jersey, Fresh soon, 4-gallon;
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- 1 500-chick Butane Brooder;
 - 250 White Leghorn Hens.
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 - 1 Five-Burner Florence Kerosene Cook Stove
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Prospects for 1946

Increased food supply of 11 per cent above the prewar level is the prospect for the average consumer in the United States next year. This will be due to the considerable improvement over the past year in the U. S. Department of Agriculture's estimates, even though the supply of food is expected to be slightly below full consumption for the year as a whole. The improved supply situation, according to the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, "is expected to result in food prices about 5 per cent below the average for 1945."

Supplies of some foods will continue short of demand during the year, but by summing up sugar and some fats and oils, the gap between supply and over-all demand will be narrower in 1946 than in the last two or three years. Shortages in military requirements and in civilians in substantial quantities will also permit an increase in exports to the British Empire in 1945 to 1939 civilians consumption.

sumed 120 pounds of meat on the average. In 1944 this was 150 pounds, and the forecast for 1946 is at the rate of 145 to 155 pounds until next fall, when the supply is likely to be seasonally higher. Egg supplies will be so large that they will meet the full demand at lower prices. Civilians will be able to buy more chickens and turkeys. There will be more butter than in 1945 but perhaps not quite as much as consumers will want. Other dairy products will be ample, including a good cheese supply for most of the year.

Ample is also the word the bureau uses for supplies of grain products and fruits and vegetables—fresh and canned. Apples and rice are the exceptions until the next harvest.

BETSY AND THE FLAG

Suggestions for a world flag are almost sure to come up at an early meeting of the United Nations Organization.

Somebody ought to make it a point to record the name of whoever makes the first one because some authorities contend Betsy Ross never made the first American flag for Gen. Washington.

Heresy. According to Encyclopedia Americana, that story started as late as 1879 when one of Betsy's descendants (she was married three times) declared she had told him about it when he was a child.

However, nobody can deny that Betsy made flags in her home on Arch st., Philadelphia, because the government has record of buying a ship's colors from her on May 29, 1777.

Flag-Maker. Betsy was one of 17 children of Samuel Griscom, who built most of Independence Hall. At

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21 she eloped with John Ross, grandnephew of a signer of the Declaration of Independence; the Quakers disowned her for "marrying out of meeting." After a gun-powder explosion killed her husband she turned to making flags.

She lived to be 84 and was thrice a widow. Over the place in Philadelphia where she was buried in 1838, a flag always floats.—Pathfinder.

PASSING CHANCE FOR HEALTH

Demobilization of the health workers in the armed forces offers "a chance that may never come again" for an up-and-coming rural community to bid for better health. Now, at a time when thousands of doctors, dentists and nurses are getting back to civilian life is a time when a town or county can make an attractive offer to induce trained health workers to decide against the city and in favor of the country as their field of work.

A new U. S. Department of Agriculture bulletin, "Better Health for Rural America," has been prepared by the Department's Inter-bureau Committee on Post-War Programs. In a comprehensive statement on the shortage of doctors in rural agencies the report points out that war intensified the lack of balance between city and country. "Our rural doctors almost everywhere exceeded their quotas in entering the armed services." Even at a bare minimum there should be at least one physician to every 1,500 persons. Yet in hundreds of rural counties, ratios of one physician to 3,000 or 5,000 or even 10,000 have come about.

But demobilization, says the committee, offers "a real possibility for rural communities to get the professional people they need. If they make an appeal." Here is what the committee has to suggest as an appeal that might keep a good doctor from settling in the city and get him into a rural setting where he is needed more.

"A rural community could offer a practitioner an attractive house and an office. The office might best be in a hospital or health center. The community could offer to provide him with technical equipment from war surpluses. It could pay his traveling expenses to get there. It could even guarantee him a certain minimum income for the first year by agreeing to make up from county tax funds, any amount by which his income from private practice might fall short of the guaranteed sum. If a prepayment plan were operating, the chances are that no county funds would have to be used."

The publication recommends formation of community health committees to do active work in improving rural health conditions. Including professional health workers to settle in the country after some such fashion as this, is one of the first jobs such a committee might do.

ANCIENT CHARTER

House-cleaning at the state capitol at Harrisburg, Pa., has disclosed a piece of paper signed by Lt. Gov. John Penn, grandson of the state's founder, William Penn. All but crumbling with age, it has been placed under silk and—they hope—it will be preserved as long as God preserves the commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Tongue-Twister. The paper was a charter issued to a company with a long name—the Philadelphia Contributionship for insuring of Houses from Loss of Fire—in 1768, when Pennsylvania was a British province.

Officials said this was the original charter of the first insurance company in America. Pettered on the Hand-in-hand Company of London, where fire insurance began after the Great Fire of 1666, the company is still in existence.

A suggestion has been made that it cover its own historic charter with fire insurance.—Ex.

ATOMBILE

Crowds gathered in London to see an atom-powered motor car sizzle through the streets.

All they saw sizzling was the vehicle's inventor, 71-year-old Jay Wilson. Angriely he called off the demonstration, charged agents of envious industrialists had sabotaged the car parked outside his office.

The demonstration had been scheduled to convince the fuel ministry as well as the public. Wilson was said to have given rides a week earlier to two members of Parliament.

He said the motive power of the car came from uranium, heavy water and another "secret" ingredient.—Exchange.

A WACKY QUESTION

An unidentified man posed a neat question for American Legion officials in Chicago: Is the husband of a WAC eligible for the Legion Auxiliary?

RAGS AND RICHES

Ray Nelson, unemployed welder, raked through some old rags at the Salvation Army office in New Orleans, found an \$800 diamond.—Ex.

Lipstick is something that merely adds color and flavor to an old pastime.

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EASY MONEY

Trying to raise funds in ways least painful to the folks back home is a perennial headache on Capitol Hill.

A nifty solution was proposed by a member of the Continental Congress in 1775. The first issue of Government currency had just come off the presses. With a wad of crisp new folding money in his pocket, this demagogue told his colleagues:

"Do you think, gentlemen, that I will consent to load my constituents with taxes when we can send to our printer and get a wagonload of money!"—Ex.

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BULK KRAUT Bring your Pail Pound ?

SAUSAGE Pure Pork Per Pound .38

BEEF ROAST per Pound .28

BEEF STEAK per Pound .35

FRANKFURTERS per pound .30

A. F. Sommer—

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and energy. Survivors are his widow, Lucy Specht Sommer, one brother, Charles H. Sommer of St. Louis, Missouri, and one sister, Mrs. H. E. Kleinlecke of Galveston, and several nieces and nephews.

Native of Galveston
A. F. Sommer was born January 6, 1887 at Galveston, where he attended school. He graduated from Purdue university in 1909 with a degree of civil engineer. He worked in the chief engineer's office of the Santa Fe Railway company in 1904-5 in Galveston, worked on the construction of the Q&A&P line in 1909-10, and was appointed engineer of the Quannah line in 1911. He became vice-president and general manager of the railroad in 1915, and had been continuously with the company since his return from the first World War in 1919.

An active civic worker throughout his long residence in Quannah, he was a past president of Quannah Chamber of Commerce.

Among the friends who attended the last rites in Quannah from Floyd county were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jenkins and Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Medien of Floydada.

Victory Bonds—

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tioned in stories relative to the campaign are the following:

Higginbotham-Bartlett company Continental Oil company, West Texas Cotton Oil company, Quannah Cotton Oil company and Piggy-Wiggly.

The county's overall subscriptions are approaching the half-million mark.

Mr. and Mrs. Ham Smith and Mrs. Lloyd Murry made a trip to Lubbock one day last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Conner Oden are the parents of a baby son born December 6 in Floydada hospital. The son was named James Cleveland Oden.

The baby and mother are doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Poore and daughter, Mrs. J. C. Odum and granddaughters Virginia and Mary Ann, spent Sunday and Monday in Amarillo visiting with their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Poore and family, and Miss Odessa Poore.



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Fancy Whole Grain CORN, Can, 17c

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Makes Dishes Glisten Diamond MATCHES, 6 Box Carton, 30c

Fresh Fruits, Dried Fruits, Nuts, Cranberries. How about those special meals thru the Holidays. Better come in and get the goodies to make 'em right.

Captain Howard Views Land Here

Captain Alvin P. Howard, of New Orleans, Louisiana, left the first of this week for his home after spending a week here with W. M. Massie & Brother, agents of the Howard estates for extensive land holdings in Floyd, Briscoe, Hall and Motley counties.

Captain Howard is on terminal leave from the U. S. Army and anticipates early return to civilian status.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Franks, of Krimelung, Colorado, were here last week visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Whiteley. Mmes. Franks and Whiteley are sisters.

ATTEND FUNERAL RITES OF BROTHER AT CLARKSVILLE

W. M. and Murray C. Spears returned home this mid-week from Clarksville, where they attended funeral rites for their brother, Bowman Spears, who died Saturday after a long illness.

Survivors also include a brother Howard Spears and a sister, Mrs. Galen Holland, both of Floydada.

INMANS RETURN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Inman and daughter, Mrs. Harold Sparks, returned home Tuesday from Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, where they had been since Thursday visiting with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Warren, mother of Mrs. Inman and of Wilson Warren, accompanied them to Oklahoma where

she makes her home. She had here for the past month with her son and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Poore and their daughter Miss Jimmie of Lubbock last Friday.

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Waldrof 2 Lb. Golden Paschal FRUIT CAKES, 2.25 CELERY, .25

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Brisket Lb. ROAST, .23 SAUSAGE, .38

Lb. STEAK, .37 CHOPS, .38

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