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LOCALS

Guest in Goodwine Home

Clyde Goodwine and his sisters, Misses Lola and Floy Goodwine were happily surprised last Sunday when their cousin, Capt. Clarence Goyer, and his wife and their son, Lt. Robert Goyer, and a friend, called at their home for a short visit.

Capt. Goyer, a veteran of World War I, is now a member of the armed forces of World War II, is stationed at Tucson, Ariz. His son Lt. Goyer, has been on duty in the Pacific, and is home on leave. The family and the friend were on their way to visit at their old home, near Kokomo, Ind., and stopped for this short visit with their cousins, the Goodwines. Capt. Goyer's father was a brother of Mrs. Goodwine.

Miss Ruth Bolton, of Clovis spent the week end here visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gee and family.

Miss Reba Jenkins, a teacher in Clovis, visited Miss Ila Lewis of this city during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Spring spent the week end, in the mountains in New Mexico.

Miss Edna Taylor returned Friday after visiting relatives Edna during the past two weeks.

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purchased from E. V. Rushing, Monday, to a man from Memphis. The new owner plans to install a complete dry goods and ladies and gents furnishing goods in the building. He hopes to have the store open before the holidays.

Franklin Lillard, who has been in the Armed Services for the past six years and has been almost exclusively in overseas service, has received his permanent discharge from the Service and arrived at home here the first of the week. He is a son of Mrs. Carrie Lillard.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Bayless, at Memorial Hospital at Clovis, Saturday, Sept. 1, a daughter, Mrs. Bayless was formerly Miss Virginia Guver.

Rev. and Mrs. Clayton Day are visiting their parents in East Texas, this week. Rev. Day is pastor of the local Baptist Church.

Mrs. R. H. Kinsey is spending two weeks in Hot Springs, N. M.

Pvt. Charles Weis of Camp Maxey is home visiting his parents this week.

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Atomic Bombs Are Still Being Made



This is one of the tightly guarded factories at Oak Ridge, Tenn., where the atomic bomb was developed—and is still being made, President Truman said. This is one of the eight plants of the Clinton Engineer Works, a government reservation covering 59,000 acres.



Three men who played major roles in developing the atomic bomb: Dr. Vannevar Bush, left, Director of the Office of Scientific Research; Dr. Niels Bohr, Danish physicist and Nobel Prize winner for atomic research; Maj.-Gen. Leslie R. Groves, Army officer in charge of the Atomic Bomb Project.

Schools Open On Sept. 10th

The Friona school year will get underway, Monday, Sept. 10, with a General Assembly, to which the public is invited.

At this writing the school faculty is not complete, but the school will open as planned, and every effort is being made to have a completed faculty for the opening of the school.

The school buses will run for the first time, Monday morning and will be at the school building in time for the assembly program, at ten o'clock. Plans now call for the students to be here all day, Monday. Other announcements will be made at that time concerning the school year.

School Cafeteria Open

The school is authorized to announce that the school cafeteria will be open and ready to serve meals at the noon hour, Monday, the first day of school.

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C. A. Turner to Run White's Auto Store Here

Mention has previously been made in the columns of the Star of the purchase of the E. V. Rushing property here on Main Street, by C. A. Turner and of the building of a warehouse in the rear of the present building.

According to announcement this week, the building will house the White's Auto Store of Friona, with C. A. Turner as owner and manager.

Mr. Turner hopes to be able to open his store to the public patronage at a very early date, and his advertisement in this issue of the Star will give the readers more facts concerning the business.

Mr. Turner, however, has stated that he will stock his store with all kinds of home and auto equipment, and that there will be few, if any, things needed in the modern equipment and furnishing of the home that he will not carry in stock, including furniture, light fixtures, refrigerators, sewing machines, draperies and hundreds of other articles.

The proprietor of the new business has been engaged at farming on his large farm southwest of Friona, where he has been unusually successful in his agricultural pursuits, but prefers the mercantile business to farm life.

Wilson Move To Enochs Pastorate

Dear Uncle John: After two and a half years at Sundown, we are leaving. Moving to Enochs tomorrow. Since coming to Sundown we have 250 additions to the church. Have added ten new Sunday School rooms to the building. Have rebuilt pastor's home. Have witnessed the spiritual growth of the church in general, but Mrs. Wilson and I both want to get out of this gas. The Lord surely has opened the way so we go to Enochs. Just change my address to Enochs, and right soon I will drop in on you and have a long chat. Yours quite sincerely, Joe Wilson.

Despite the best of intentions and exercises of intelligence, a man sometimes gets mixed up in a bridge game with three women.

Rain Needs Vary Over Territory

During the past ten days the farmers of this locality have been busy both early and late, preparing their wheat and land sowing it to wheat, to the extent that the bulk of the seedling in the Friona territory has been done, and in many fields the new crop has come up nicely.

Those who have their land all prepared and those who have the crop planted will welcome another good rain, in order that the planted grain may get up and get a good start for good winter pasturage. Others who have been hindered from getting their land in readiness, state that a rain now would ruin their prospect for a crop, as the volunteer wheat and other vegetation is growing so rapidly, that before they could plow again after another rain, this vegetation would be so high that the plows would not cover it.

Ed Truelock Buys Lloyd Produce

The Produce business on Sixth Street, that has been operated for the past several months by Fred Lloyd under the firm name of Lloyd's Produce, was purchased last week by Ed Truelock.

Mr. Truelock, who has been farming south of town for the past several years, recently sold his farm and will devote his attention to merchandising. He has been a successful farmer and is well and favorably known in the Friona territory, and will appreciate a portion of the produce business of the territory.

GIRL SCOUT NEWS

The Girl Scouts met Saturday afternoon at four o'clock, at the Club House.

The meeting was called to order by Murna Welch. The roll was called and the minutes were read, and the Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Yvonne Wilkins passed her Tenderfoot test, and Lunell McFarland and Joyce Miller finished their Weaving Badge, and all began work on their First Class Badges.

We decided to work on the Scout Hut at our next meeting. We adjourned with "laps" and the Girl Scout prayer. Scribe, Joyce Miller

O. B. Ginn Resigns Job As Supt.; Holmes Takes Position

Bronze Star to Wm. T. Johnson

WITH THE FIFTH ARMY, ITALY—Pfc. William T. Johnson of Friona, Tex., recently was awarded the Bronze Star Medal for meritorious service in combat in Italy. He served with the Fifth Army in Company "I", 349th "Krautkiller" Regiment, 88th "Blue Devil" Division. His father, William H. Johnson, lives on Route 1, Friona.

BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

The letter to be sent to the associational meeting at Canyon, was read in the business meeting, Sunday. The church had an enrollment of 324, with an average attendance of 154 each Sunday. Messengers were elected to attend the associational meeting.

After preaching services, Sunday evening, we were pleased to have the Methodist Church observe baptizing with us.

We did not quite reach our goal of 200, last Sunday, but we must keep trying until we do reach it.

Rev. and Mrs. Day will be out of town Sunday; but Mr. Messenger plans to secure a preacher, so come on to Sunday school at 10:30; Preaching 11:45, B. T. U. 8:30, and prayer meeting, Wednesday evening.

Friday evening the Y. W. A. girls enjoyed a wonderful swim in Seaman's tank. We came back to the church lawn for sandwiches and punch.

The Y. W. A. girls met Tuesday at Mrs. Hardesty's for a business meeting. Reports from the committees were given then, and we elected officers:—President, Mildred Collier; vice-president, Helen Taylor; secretary, Yvonne White; treasurer, Lila Roberson; reporter, Gladys Lacey; song leader, Betty Loper; pianist, Wanda Roberson; assistant pianist, Gertrude Euler, and program chairman, Jeanne Turner.

Our next meeting is Sept. 19, at the church. We will have our installation service and we invite everyone to come to this meeting to see some of the work we do.

Congregational Church News

Services will be held at the regular church hour, Sunday morning, 12:00 noon. There will be a short business meeting following the services.

Before you get disturbed over the increase in divorces, consider the fact for the great majority marriage is a completely new and different experience.

At a called meeting of the Friona Independent School Board, Thursday night, Aug. 30, O. B. Ginn, superintendent of the Friona schools resigned his post, and C. D. Holmes, a former grade school principal, has taken over the position as superintendent.

Mr. Holmes has been serving in the U. S. Coast Guard for the past three years. By the G. I. Bill of Rights, Mr. Holmes is entitled to his job back. Superintendent Ginn, in resigning stated that he had no ill will toward any one and extended his gratitude to the school board and the community, as a whole. Mr. Ginn has served the school for five years, two years as grade school principal and three years as superintendent.

During their service here, Mr. and Mrs. Ginn have won large numbers of friends, who deeply regret to see them leave our school and community. Mr. Ginn asks that the people of Friona extend to Mr. Holmes the same faithful support and co-operation that they have given him. He further states that, as yet, no arrangements have been made for future employment, but that he will probably not be in school work for the current year.

Mrs. James Grayson Former Resident, Dies at Sweetwater

The following from a clipping from a Sweetwater paper was handed to the Star by Mrs. M. C. Osborn. The deceased mentioned therein formerly, with her late husband, lived in the Friona community a few miles west of town, and will be remembered by many of our citizens. She was the mother of Mrs. U. B. Wheeler, formerly of this community, but now of Bovina.

Mrs. James H. Grayson, 84, pioneer resident of Shilo community, in Jones county, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Tom Green, at Sweetwater, Aug. 22. She had been critically ill for a month.

She was born Dec. 9, 1861, in Herd County, Ga. She married the late Mr. Grayson Aug. 21, 1884, in Bell County and shortly afterward moved to West Texas. Mr. Grayson died in 1937.

Seven of ten children survive her, including Mrs. Green, Sweetwater; Mrs. U. B. Wheeler, Bovina; Mrs. C. W. Seago, Merkel; W. R. Grayson, Hobbs, N. M.; H. R. Merkel; F. T. Lamessa; and E. H. of Monument, N. M.

Grows Salted Celery



After eight years of experimenting, Nick Engel, above, Wood County, Wisconsin, truck gardener, says he is growing salted celery. He adds 1000 pounds of salt to the soil of his field at planting time, he says, and the salt dissolves as the plants draw water.



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Trade of Clothes For Bike Is Police Puzzler

According to the screwball clues in the case, officers are looking for an unclad woman on a bicycle; but clues can lie, says Sheriff J. O. Newell after his investigation of the strange case of the missing bicycle—and the clothes which turned up on the lawn, in the Owen Stagner garage and in a bulging suitcase in the road about a block from the Stagner home in east Herford.

Stagner found a woman's coat in his yard yesterday morning when he went to work, and upon going into his garage he found the complete wardrobe to go with the coat—a dress, underwear and shoes. Thoroughly mystified, he then discovered that his son's bicycle was missing—and he then called in Sheriff Newell.

The pair traced the bicycle to a point about a block east of the Stagner house, where the bike tracks came to a halt beside a suitcase containing more clothes for the woman bike rider. In addition to clothes, the collection contained cosmetics, hairpins and other accessories which Sheriff Newell believes rules out the possi-

titles of the clothes having been used by a man. A check reveals that no prisoners are missing from the local P. O. W. Camp.

A letter in the suitcase was dated Sept. 2 and was written to a girl in Michigan. It mentioned California locations and opens the possibility that the bag might have fallen or been stolen from a car enroute from California.

But this still leaves unexplained the matter of the trade of clothes for the bicycle.

For the record, Sheriff Newell submits the information that the bike is an old one, with knee action wheels, some wire repairs on the handlebars and a broken rear fender.

Judging from the evidence of the clothes, the woman is small but has fairly big feet. Also, judging from the evidence she hates to walk and will discard a complete layout of clothing for some makeshift transportation.

Westway
By MRS. MERLIN KAUL

There were 54 present at Sunday School Sunday. Visitors included Mrs. Will Jasper and daughter, Jenelle of Stinnett, Mrs. H. D. Robbins and Marcia of Friona, Lt. and Mrs. Wayne Little of Pyote.

Officers elected for the coming year include Joe Landers, superintendent; Merlin Kaul, assistant; Carl Schroeder, secretary-treasurer, Mrs. T. B. Cox, pianist; Helen Jo Wilson, song leader.

Teachers include Mrs. Merlin Kaul, Mrs. A. C. Pierce, Adult; Joe Landers, Mrs. Leland McMurray, Young People, Mrs. R. L. Wilson, Mrs. W. C. Chisum, Intermediate, Mrs. Clarence Morrison, Merlin Kaul, Juniors, Mrs. T. B. Cox, Mrs. Glen Williams, primary.

School opened Tuesday with enrollment. Mrs. Cawthon Bryant of Herford is principal and will teach the intermediate grades; Miss Marcia Robbins of Friona will teach the primary grades.

Mrs. Wallace Payne will cook at the cafeteria and Harold Head and Eugene Fangman will drive the buses.

Lt. and Mrs. Wayne Little spent the week end here in the home of his mother, Mrs. Grace Little.



FOLKS in Uniform



"I'm glad you like my cooking enough to pass me, sir. One can do a lot with horse meat, can't one?"

Mr. and Mrs. Ulys Pierce and family of Herford were visitors Sunday in the A. C. Pierce home.

Mrs. Guy Lawrence and daughters of Herford were visitors in the R. M. Gunn home Sunday.

Mrs. Winnie Jeffords of Dallas is a guest in the home of her sister, Mrs. Manuel Hawks.

Jim Walker left last week for Oklahoma where he entered A & M College. He has recently been discharged from the army.

Mrs. M. S. Roe was hostess Friday night at a chicken fry which honored the birthdays of her husband and son Monty.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jones of Childress, Mrs. Winnie Jeffords of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Crump and Sydney Maxfield of Herford, and the families of Manuel Hawks, Earl Scott, Elmer Combs, Don Combs, Alton Biggers, Paul Rudd, Grady Wilson, Hughes Millard, M. S. Roe and Pitman.

Mrs. Ida Hartman and her mother, Mrs. Catherine Schulz of Herford were visitors in the Merlin Kaul home Sunday afternoon.

The Earl Scott family moved last week from Clinton Jackson's place on 25 Mile Avenue to the Corbett place.

Earl Scott and Hubert O'Connor drilled an irrigation well on Alton Fraser's farm last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Wilson, Donald, Larry and Norma Sue and L. T. Hawks visited Mrs. Wilson's brother John Johnson and wife and her mother, Mrs. M. F. Johnson in Amarillo Sunday. They also attended the rodeo.

Mrs. Buren Sowell, David and Margaret returned to Herford this week for the opening of school after spending the past three weeks here at the farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Turner and children of Boise City, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Francis Turner and family of Dumas were guests last week in the Tom Winkler home. The ladies are sisters of Mrs. Winkler.

Cadet Wm. Talevich of Amarillo Air Field spent the week end in the J. A. Roe home.

Mrs. J. R. Sowell of Anaheim, Calif., was a guest last week of her sister, Mrs. J. A. Roe and family.

A dinner at the J. A. Roe home last Sunday honored Hugh K. Roe and Mrs. J. R. Sowell and Miss Maxine Roe all here from California. Others present besides the honor guests were Mrs. James Edmonson of Herford, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Williams of Littlefield, Cadet Wm. Talevich of Amarillo, the M. S. Roe family, Mrs. Vina Edmonson and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Roe.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller and family of Canyon were visitors Wednesday in the home of her brother Carl Schroeder.

Guests in the Norman Livesay home last week included Mr. and Mrs. Bill Crumm of Dimmitt for the week end, Mr. and Mrs. George Horst and Betty, and Mr. and Mrs. John Eckart and daughters of Weatherford, Okla., on Wednesday and Thursday and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hooten and baby of Dumas on Monday.

Just because she's always up in the air and harping about something doesn't make her an angel.

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FOR SALE: One Van Brunt 16-10 drill. In good condition. One 10-foot Angel one-way. Jim Barnett, Black, Texas. 8-1tp

FOR SALE: One 9-foot I H C one-way plow. One Dempster drill. One 3-year old saddle pony. Gentle. See Ed Truelock, Friona. 8-1tc

PEACHES—I will be in Friona on Thursday, September 13, with a truck load of good peaches for sale. Bring your containers. Charley Pythian. 8-1tc

FOR SALE: One Model "D" John Deere tractor. In good condition and new rubber. M. C. Denton. 8-2tp

LOST OR STRAYED One blue Jersey cow, with "L" branded on right shoulder, and one ear bobbed. Please notify Russell Loflin, Friona. 8-1tp

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FOR SALE—One Van Brunt 10-16 grain drill in good condition. 5 miles north and 1-2 mile west of Friona. A. W. Anthony. 6-3tc

ALFALFA HAY for SALE, \$22.50 per ton, on my farm, 7 miles east and 2 miles north of Muleshoe, Texas. Sign on Hi-way, or call Jones Gro. & Mkt., Olton, Texas. Jones Gro. & Mkt., Carroll M. Jones. 6-1fc

FOR SALE—One power-life for F-20 Farmall. Parmer County Implement Co. 6-1fc

WANTED to Buy a child's tricycle for two and a half year old child. See Glenn Reeve, Friona. 6-1fc

FOR SALE: One steel 100-lb. ice box. One 36-model Chevrolet Coach. One Angel 1-way plow. One John Deere Van Brunt wheat drill, with packers. All in good going condition. L. D. Knight, 5 miles east of Bovina and 3 miles west of Hub. 7-2tp

District O.P.A. Office Closes On Sept. 29th

September 29 is the official closing date for the Lubbock District OPA Office, when functions of the office are divided between the Fort Worth and San Antonio offices, Earl E. Kerr, director of the Lubbock office, has announced.

Seven counties—El Paso, Hudspeth, Brewster, Presidio, Jeff Davis, Culberson and Pecos—will be transferred to the San Antonio District. The remaining 64 counties will be transferred to the Fort Worth district.

Operations of local War Price and Rationing Boards and Area Rent Offices will not be affected by the change other than to come under the supervision of the Fort Worth and San Antonio offices.

Messenger

MRS. J. N. MESSENGER

This community received five inches of rain during the month of August besides several light showers. Last Friday it misted and showered almost all day.

Mrs. Mae Abbott came up from Fort Hancock for a few weeks visit. She stayed overnight with her mother, Mrs. J. N. Messenger and took her to Clovis to have her eyes tested and for a short visit with her other daughter.

Mrs. Eva L. Houlette of Clovis spent several days with her mother last week. Her younger daughter, Helen, came home with her grandmother for a few days before school starts.

Several farmers are through drilling wheat in this community others are still plowing. The wheat that was drilled week before last is showing green across the fields.

Ration Reminder

SUGAR—Stamp 36 worth 5lbs. thru Aug. 31. Stamp 38, valid Sept. 1, remains good through Dec. 31.

SHOES—Airplane stamps, 1, 2, 3 and 4 good indefinitely.

MEATS AND FATS — In Book 4, red V-2 thru K1 good for 10 points each. V-2 thru Z-2 expire Aug. 31. L-1 thru Q-1, valid Sept. 1.

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One in Hospital As Result of Gas Explosion

H. L. Barker of Columbus, Ohio, is in Deaf Smith County Hospital suffering from third degree burns on the back and right arm as the result of an accident which occurred one mile west of Dawn on Highway 60 Tuesday night at about 8 o'clock.

Barker, his wife and four children were enroute from Phoenix, Ariz., to Columbus; and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Barker, were in another car in the party. The accident occurred when the younger Mr. Barker attempted to prime his father's car, after it had vaporized. A backfire is believed to have ignited the gasoline, setting Barker's clothes on fire. His father was burned on the hands when he attempted to put out the flames.

A Hereford woman picked up the group and took them in to Hereford, where both of the injured men received treatment. The older man was later able to be moved to the A. R. Rogers home, where the rest of the family are staying at present.

Mrs. Barker reported this morning that her husband was making a fairly satisfactory recovery from his serious burns.

The boy next door whose dad wouldn't trust him to drive around the block in their \$500 automobile is now piloting a \$500,000 bomber and responsible for the lives of 14 others.

Back in 1880 is was considered an insult to receive a typed letter. The recipient's attitude was "I can read writing."

Farm Sale Announcement Made by Canyon Man

Announcement of a farm sale to be held by Jesse A. Rogers at his place four miles west and two miles north of Canyon is contained in a sale bill printed on page 10 of this week's Brand.

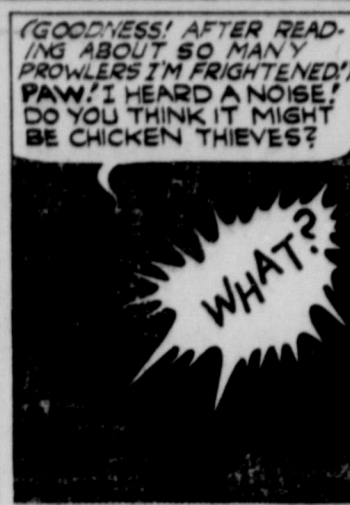
The sale will be held Saturday, Sept. 8, beginning at 12 o'clock noon and lunch will be served on the grounds. Livestock form the feature offerings at the sale with a large herd of registered Herefords and 36 head of registered Hampshire sheep leading the sale list. The owner will also sell some machinery and miscellaneous farm equipment. Lloyd Otten and Jack Coulter are auctioneers for the sale.

Red Cross Work Goes on Despite Hostilities End

The end of hostilities with Japan will mean no let-up in local Red Cross activities, it was pointed out this week by E. C. Eubanks, chairman of the Deaf Smith County Red Cross chapter, who urged all volunteers to continue at the job.

"The nature of some of our activities will change," he said, "but there is still much important work to do."

According to Basil O'Connor, national chairman of Red Cross, the organization still faces world-wide tasks. Says O'Connor: "We must continue to serve our armed forces overseas for as long as the need exists, and Red Cross services to hospitalized servicemen and veterans will actually increase. Our chapters must be prepared for all emergencies, such as



Labor-Management Peace Leaders



Four leaders who are participating in President Truman's plans for a labor-management "peace" conference this month: William Green, left, A. F. of L. president; Eric Johnston, U. S. Chamber of Commerce, president; Philip Murray, C. I. O. president; Ira Mosher, National Association of Manufacturers president. They are shown at the White House.

Close Has Agency For Famous DDT

BY PAT FLYNN

Harold Close, owner of the Close Drug Store, signed a contract this week in which he became the distributor's agent for DDDT, the fabulous insecticide which contains 5.6 per cent of the miraculous DDT.

Only this week was the first car load of the revolutionary insect spray brought to the Panhandle. The Craig Distributing Co., Amarillo, has announced a manufacturing plant will be established there as quickly as a site and equipment can be obtained. Mr. Close was the first exclusive agent given a territory for the insecticide, according to field representative Roger McLaughlin.

DDT, according to U. S. Army officers is probably the best discovery for mankind to come out of World War II. It was first discovered in 1874 by a German scientist but promptly forgotten. Later the J. R. Geigy Co. of Switzerland used the same formula as a housefly killer but war conditions prevented its formula reaching America. However 100 pounds of the Swiss formula was brought here and scientists immediately launched a campaign to determine its ingredients. They learned it was a chemical long known but long forgotten—dichloro-diphenyl-trichloroethane. What it did to islands and war zones of pests is now history.

DDDT is a copyrighted and patented insecticide containing six-tenths per cent more DDT than the Army experiments. While apparently slow in killing insects no fly, bug or other insect can come in contact with the mixture without causing death. It is one of the most lasting preventives obtainable. Experiments show that one application lasts as long as 619 days and still deals out death to insects. It is claimed only two sprayings each year are necessary for lasting results.

The Close Drug Store now has DDDT in pints and gallon jugs. There is also a gallon container of stock spray which cattlemen are ordering by the case.

Husband-and-Wife Team Champs



Mr. and Mrs. William Issetts of Kenosha, Wis., are winners of the husband-and-wife team title of the Grand American Trapshooting Championships at Dayton, O. He broke 189 clay targets out of 200; she got 181.

disaster, and must build up and strengthen their peacetime programs."

Concerning activities of the local chapter, Eubanks points to a number of fields in which local programs will expand.

"The Red Cross is one of several agencies authorized by the government to deal with veteran's needs for hospitalization, pensions and other legal benefits. Assistance to families of veterans, as well as those of servicemen, will also claim a large share of Red Cross effort."

"Local sewing rooms will continue to have quotas of hospital supplies," Eubanks stated, urging that volunteers in this work stay on the job.

Instruction in nutrition, first aid, water safety, accident prevention and home nursing offer other outlets of service that are extremely important to

Seventy Farms Insured Under Federal Program

With more than 90 applications received, Deaf Smith County is expected to hold a high place in the district in the record of crop insurance sold through the local AAA office.

The applications on file represent 70 farms, now covered by Federal wheat crop insurance, according to F. G. Collier of the local AAA.

Approximately 90 percent of the applications were insured for 75 percent coverage, Collier said.

It was but natural that "The Jersey Bounce" would be followed by the "Milk Cow Blues."

local and national welfare, according to Eubanks' statement.

Hardwick to Clovis; Brother Takes Show Here

C. F. Hardwick, for several years operator of the Star and Texas Theatres in Hereford, announced this week that he and his family will move to Clovis soon.

Mr. Hardwick's brother, Frances, will take over management of the local theatres and is expected to assume his new business duties within the near future.

The perfect man doesn't drink or smoke or swear; doesn't borrow from his friends; and doesn't steal; doesn't make love to all the girls and overlord the men. In fact, the perfect man doesn't exist.

Too many people who won't stop at anything are behind the steering wheels of automobiles.

Doctors are so busy nowadays that lots of people get well before the date of the appointment arrives.

Breathes there a man with soul so dead, who's never ever turned his head—and sed—"Hmm, not bad!"

Next time misfortune strikes, remember that the dog who lost his tail has one consolation. He holds no fear of tin cans.

Judging from the amount of liquor seen in the dry states there must be a lot of snakes thereabouts.

If you keep your promises and pay your bills as due, you're just as good a financial risk as the millionaire.

The tone of a bachelor's voice sounds good when it has a ring in it.

Everybody's willing to give a man a boost when he gets to the top.

It takes a woman longer to dress than a man because she has to slow down for the curves.

Forget the sorrows of the past and be glad for the pleasures of today.

Before you decide to go around with a married woman, be sure you can go two rounds with her husband.

Never regard a man as a failure until he flops at something he likes.

Don't throw your tongue into high gear until you get your brain in motion.

We've often wondered if laundry owners didn't have a button-collecting hobby.

A lie may not have legs to stand on, but it sure has wings to fly.

Read Our Want Ad Page!

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We thought merchandise of this type would be several more months coming through. It is scarce and the quantities are limited in some lines — but here are a few of the "Scarce Items" which we now have in stock. Come Early and BE SURE! Always shop Carl McCaslin's for your needs.

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Some Household Appliances At 1942 Price -- OPA

Chester Bowles has told consumers that household washing machines, irons and aluminum kitchenware will be back in the stores this fall at 1942 prices, OPA has announced.

The Office of Economic Stabilization approved extension of the price program for consumer durable goods to the entire re-conversion. In outline, the program is to grant increases at the production level to compensate for cost increases since 1941, when necessary to assure maximum production. Wholesalers and retailers, not the consumer, will absorb a substantial amount of these increases where their margins reasonably permit them to do this.

Price Administrator Bowles told housewives this is what they can expect in the durable goods field during the next few months.

The output of household washing machines should reach pre-war levels this fall and shoppers should be able to find them in the stores in quantity

by the end of the year. The picture is pretty much the same for aluminum kitchen ware. Of course, shoppers should remember that washing machines and cooking utensils have been out of stock for some time and probably will be bought up very quickly.

Production of irons will come along more slowly.

SPB Offers Army Trucks For Sale to Farmers

A total of 430 Army trucks is being made available to Texas farmers and farm cooperatives by the Federal Surplus Property Board, according to a message from Senator Tom Connally received here this week.

Farmers may make application for purchase of these trucks through the local AAA office and the trucks will then be issued on certificate to local dealers, according to Connally's letter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stark, returned the first of the week from a ten-day visit with their son, Seaman Wayne B. Jr., at Georgetown, where he is now stationed at a Navy training school. They were accompanied by Miss Dorothy Sue Cummings. Wayne came home with them for a short visit.

Thankful China



Probably no other Allied nationals are as thankful over defeat of Japan as the Chinese, for theirs was a decade of war and brutal invasion. This scene of surrender being celebrated in the streets of Chungking typifies China's immense relief.

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Slaughter Quota Increases Promise Better Meat Supply

A substantial increase in class 2 (non-federally inspected) slaughter percentages for cattle, calves and hogs for quota periods beginning on or after August 26, has been announced by the District Office of Price Administration.

The slaughter percentage for cattle was increased from last month's 100 percent to 125 percent; the percentage for calves from 75 percent to 100 percent; and for hogs, from 50 percent to 65 percent.

The slaughter percentage for sheep and lambs remains unchanged at 110 percent.

Class 2 slaughterers apply the percentages to their quota bases to determine the live weight of each species they may slaughter during a quota period. This increases in slaughter percentages was made to provide for the slaughter of more livestock by non-federally inspected slaughterers.

Arthur Manderscheid and wife of Oklahoma City, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Manderscheid, on route 2. He is their oldest son. Tom Manderscheid, of Twiat, Wash., a brother of Mr. Manderscheid, was also here and spent several days with his brother and family. This was the first time the brothers had met in several years.

Jap Souvenirs Represent 12-Hour Rifle Duel

A rifle and dagger taken from a high ranking Jap officer by Paul Frye of the U. S. Marine Corps, are on display this week in the Brand's show window.

Frye, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Frye of Dawn, is home on furlough after taking part in seven major campaigns in the Pacific, including the battle of Okinawa, where he saw Lt. General Simon B. Buckner shot down. Frye, who aided in removing General Buckner from the line of fire after he was wounded, states that a lieutenant, a colonel and a captain were shot down at the same time.

The rifle now on display is Frye's prize battle souvenir, representing a 12-hour exchange of rifle fire with the Jap officer in a battle over a foxhole.

Right now young Frye is devoting himself to his mother's cooking and figures that he will regain most of the 71 lbs. which he lost during his battle experience.

Divorces are getting so common nowadays that the men are beginning to believe that all the women want to do is borrow the names for awhile.

Offered Trial Job?



Supreme Court Justice Owen J. Roberts, 70, retired, has refused an "international assignment" offered by President Truman, but the President said he hoped the refusal was not final. Capital onlookers believe the assignment was as U. S. member of a court to try major war criminals.

School Bells Back On Pre-War Schedule

School time this year will be from nine to four o'clock, it was announced this week by Supt. Chester Strickland, who states that it is the hope of the administration that this schedule will fit into the working hours of the business and professional people of the community.

Anticipating an early return to Central Standard Time, Mr. Strickland said that when this change takes effect, the school hours will still be nine to four.

Because of the crowded conditions at Central School, there will be two lunch periods, Mr. Strickland stated, adding that these periods will be arranged so as to cause as little confusion as possible.

Responsibility makes some people grow; and others swell.

The skin the woman loves to touch is sable.

Draft Office to Close All Day Saturday

The Selective Service Office hereafter will be closed all day Saturday, it was announced today by Board Chairman Frank Givan. The change is in line with a new policy putting all Federal offices on a 40-hour week.

The local board is now going forward with the work of putting all men over 26 years of age in a deferred classification. Men in the 18-26 age group will continue to be used to answer draft calls until further action on the entire question of the draft is taken by Congress.

The atomic bomb poses a new problem—that of having enough of the enemy left to surrender.

The prize crack of the week comes from an Arkansas farmer who has been fighting crab grass all his life. He declares that when crab grass is pulled up by the roots, piled on top of a flat stone and dried for weeks and then burned, it will take root and flourish wherever it touches the ground.

After all, horse sense is just stable thinking.

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Miss Gertrude Short, Marries Curtis Murphree in Home Ceremony

Miss Gertrude Short, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Short of Friona became the bride of Curtis W. Murphree in a double ring ceremony performed by Rev. Clayton Day. Bouquets of roses, gladioli and other seasonal flowers formed the decorations at the home of the bride's parents, where the ceremony was held on Thursday, August 30 at high noon.

The bride was attended by Miss Doris Moody and Miss Thelma Mae Boggess and Wilburn Carlton served as best man.

The bride wore an aqua blue dress with white accessories. Her corsage was a yellow orchid. She wore the traditional something old and something new. Miss Thelma Mae Boggess wore a fuchsia dress with white accessories and Miss Doris Moody wore a navy blue dress with white accessories. Their corsages were pink carnations.

Mrs. Short wore a black dress trimmed in white. Her corsage was pink carnations.

Mrs. L. M. Crow, aunt of the groom wore a blue dress. Her corsage was pink carnations. After the ceremony a reception was held in the home of the bride's parents. The table was centered with a wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom.

The bride is a graduate of Friona High School and for the past year has been employed at the Friona State Bank.

The bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Murphree of Comanche, Tex. He is a graduate of the Comanche High School and has recently been discharged after having served three years in the Army. A year of which was spent overseas.

The couple left soon after the wedding for a visit with the groom's parents and a trip to the mountains after which they will return to Friona.

Our daughter is always ready for a swim, but complains that washing dishes ruins her hands.

Some wives wake up the husband when he talks in his sleep, begrudging him even those few words.

Ace Pitcher Back



Bob Feller, back with the Cleveland Indians after 44 months in the Navy, dons his uniform at Cleveland Stadium to go into action in the final pennant stretch.

Another Mix



Remember Tom Mix? Well, here's the cowboy star's daughter, Thomasina, one of Hollywood's newer bit players.

This modern world has reached the point where a switch regulates everything but the children.

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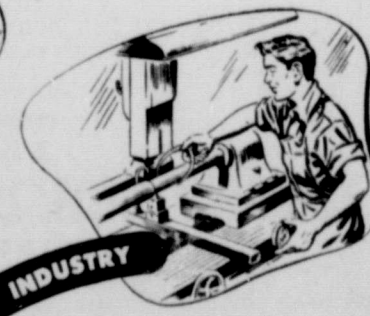
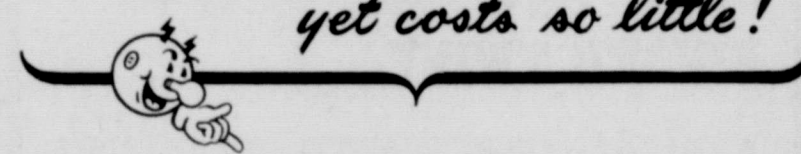
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PERSON

Steve Saunders spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. He is a brother of M

Mrs. W. E. Fallwell, last week visiting near Abernathy, returned Sunday.

Miss Thelma Mae accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Ed Boggs to Abilene Monday enrolled in A. C. C.

Mrs. Walter Reith been here visiting her Mr. and Mrs. Ed Boggs the past week. She here by her husband afternoon and on Monday returned to Okla where he is station

Mrs. F. P. Brookfield of this city, but no hart, was in Friona afternoon calling on her Friona friends, at the Star office minutes visit. She Mr. Brookfield has poor health for the past weeks and is still under the care.

Mrs. Reta Agee daughter who have living in Missouri and Coast country of Texas past three months home the early part week.

Work of installing ment for the building Friona Locker Comp been progressing fast during the past two appearances indicate business will be in full within the very near

Three thousand me have been printed at office for the use of cafeteria and were in for use on opening day

Mr. and Mrs. W. returned Sunday from visit in Arkansas. Smith's relatives. Mr. bookkeeper for the Wheat growers, Inc.

Mrs. Ida M. Poland is visiting her sister Roy Slagle.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton and two daughters of visited in the Lee home week end.

Misses Willie Ellen and Lyce Trimble of Bited Miss Johnie Hick day.

Mrs. Pearl Kinsley home Monday from two weeks at Hot Springs.

Miss Lucile Solomon to Fort Worth to attend C. this term.

Miss Carolyn Lange to Lubbock last week, her college work at T sister, Miss Doris Annken her place, assisting her in the lumber office.

Miss Jean Crawford week for Norman, Oklahoma for her second year in the University of C

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