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We are happy to be in Friona as the pastor of the Methodist Church and invite all to all the services of our church. You will find a hearty welcome waiting you.

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Applications for Farm Program Payments Being Submitted by AAA Office

Of the approximately 1,200 applications for payment under the 1943 farm program received at the Deaf Smith County AAA office, 400 are now ready for submission, an announcement from the office revealed this week. The remainder of the applications are in the process of being made up; though there are a few farms on which no performance report has as yet been received.

Moisture Varies From Two To Three Inches in County

Two Families Return From Rio Grande Valley

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Fallwell and Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Crow, who left a few weeks ago for the Rio Grande Valley where they had planned to spend the winter, returned to Friona last

On arriving in the Valley and stopping at Weslaco, it seems that they failed to find weather, labor and social conditions to their liking, and after a few weeks of vacationing and having done all the fishing they cared for, they decided to return to Friona.

Prior to their leaving for the valley, Mr. Fallwell had been operating a "used parts", blacksmithing and storage business for the past few years—and Mr. Crow had been operating a produce and ice market. It has not been learned whether they will re-open their respective lines of business here this winter or not.

Eva Settle Receives Civilian Award

Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Settle, who live a few miles west of Friona, have received word that their daughter, Miss Eva Settle, who has been employed for the past year or more with the War Department at Washington, D. C., has been signally honored by the War Engineering Corps and has been awarded a badge in recognition of faithful, efficient and distinguished service.

The award was made as a part of a program presented by that branch of the War Department in which Miss Settle works. It is the first time in history that civilians have ever received such badges of recognition from the U. S. Government.

This mark of honor for service is something that cannot be bought, but must be earned.

Three-Act Play Presented Tonight At Midway School

"Fingerprints," a three-act comedy, will be presented tonight at 8:30 o'clock at the Midway school, and people of the Friona territory are cordially invited to attend and enjoy a hilarious evening as Hosey Hawks, a fingerprint "defective," solves his first big case.

Admission will be 15 cents and 25 cents.

Included in the cast are the following: Hosey Hawks — Hob Coffman. Ned Thorndyke, part owner of Thorndyke Ranch — Jack Bewley. Jimmy Lee, his partner — Anthony Jesko. Roger Whitney, Jr., a rich city aleck — Jack Bruns. Pamina Thorndyke, daughter of Ned — Mary F. Bracken. Paulette Whitney sister of

The rain which began falling here shortly after nightfall on Wednesday of last week continued almost incessantly and gradually grew heavier throughout the night, and Thursday morning, when it gradually changed to sleet and later became mixed with fine snow, and continued until about three or four inches of the moisture had covered the already well wetted ground, and produced an abundance of moisture which is variously estimated at from two to three inches.

This fall of moisture seems to have covered the entire Panhandle, and especially all of Parmer County, and has put an end to the drought that has prevailed for about a year with only occasional falls of an inch or slightly more, which visited the region in spots throughout the year.

The coming of this last moisture is believed by local farmers to have rescued the 1944 wheat crop from a threatened total loss, and has given promise of a possible bountiful crop. So speak our farmers, and they have a perfect right to such optimism. At any rate, the growing wheat crop should not suffer for moisture until well into the spring.

Reports are heard of many farmers of the locality, having still considerable acreages, which they had planned to plant to wheat, one of them having about 700 acres that he had not planted owing to the continued drought during the regular planting season, but will plant yet, should the wet spell be followed by enough favorable weather to permit him to complete planting, should this favorable weather occur, it is more than evident that the present acreage for the Friona territory will be largely increased and perhaps doubled.

Local farmers are also feeling hopeful that the present moisture will enable them to get an early start with their spring planting of oats, barley, sorghums grains, soy beans and cotton.

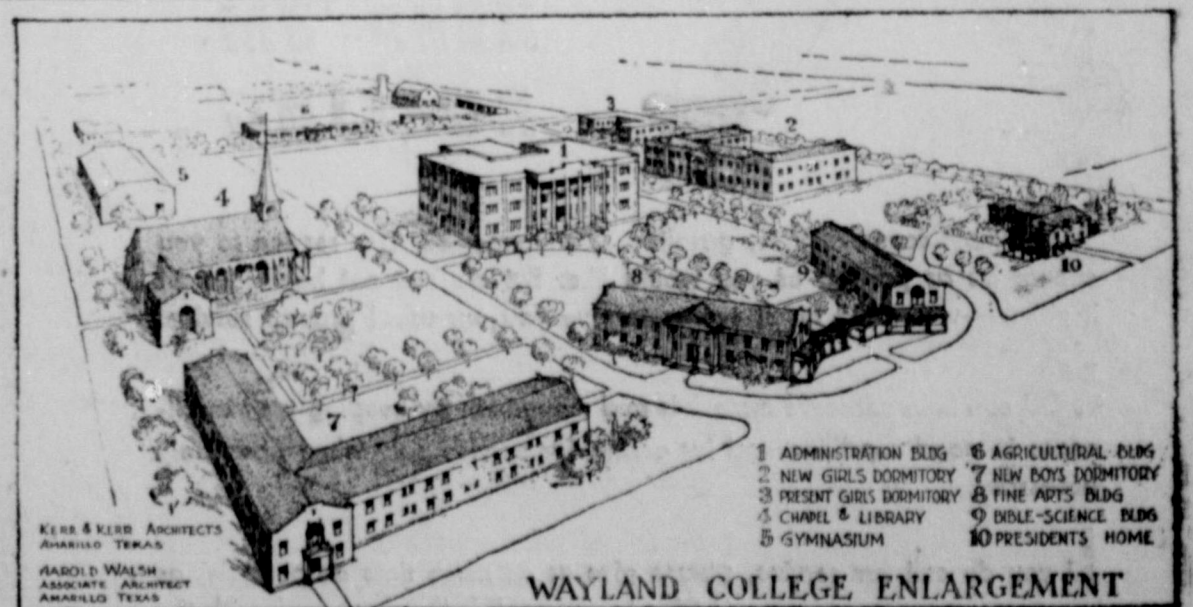
RETURNED TO HOSPITAL

Mrs. Jack Jasper, who was returned to her home here on Wednesday of last week, after having had an appendectomy at the Deaf Smith County Hospital, suffered a relapse and it was found necessary to return her to the hospital on Sunday afternoon for further treatment there.

Reports of her condition received here on Wednesday, were not too encouraging, stating that she had made very little, if any improvement.

Roger — Mrs. A. L. Hobbs. Mrs. Roger Whitney, Sr. — Mrs. G. E. Redwine. Miss Amelia Thorndyke, Ned's sister — Marjorie Bracken. Mignon Macare, French maid — Anita Bewley. Porcelain Purdy colored cook — Mrs. Jack Bewley.

Try a Want Ad!



WAYLAND COLLEGE ENLARGEMENT

The college anticipates extensive courses in agriculture to provide a long felt need. Facilities are being provided to make this possible. The library will be built in connection with the chapel building. The present administration building will be reconditioned and used for English, Language, Social Science and other departments. The Enlargement Movement is headed by Dr. John W. Cobb, dean of the college.

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STUDENTS

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BUY MORE WAR BONDS
AND STAMPS!

GRADE SCHOOL NEWS

Christmas is coming soon. Each school room is being decorated for the holiday season. The seventh grade and class have completed some articles to be used as Christmas gifts. The boys made checker boards and the girls made stuffed toys.

On Thursday of last week every person, except one, in Mrs. Terry's room made 100 on spelling. Their work was put on display and we are in hopes this week every child will have a perfect paper.

The fourth grade are working especially hard on arithmetic at this time. They are striving to be accurate in all of their work and gain speed at the same time. The girls and boys are having a contest and the girls are ahead but at almost any time the boys are likely to catch up with them.

The choral program was under the direction of Miss McCall. We thoroughly enjoyed the music given by the tonette band and the Grade School band.

There are just two weeks left in the first term of school. We are urging that each pupil put forth his very best effort in his work in order that his average will be as high as possible. Mid-term examinations will be given on Dec. 20, 21 and 22.

Officers were elected in the Fifth Grade Class recently. They are: President—Kendall Schlenker. Vice-President—Betty Jean Hadley. Secretary and Treasurer—Ruby Shaffer. Reporter—Vera Ann Jones.

Industrial Users Register for All Rationed Foods

Between Dec. 15, 1943 and Jan. 5, 1944, all industrial users of rationed foods will be asked to re-register with their local War Price and Rationing Boards, J. Doyle Settle, district rationing executive, announced today. This registration will be made on a new form, which is a consolidation of the former sugar form, the processed foods form and the meats form.

The purpose of this re-registration is to combine the allocations of all rationed foods on one form rather than on the three forms heretofore used. This will permit uniform application of the regulations to all industrial users of rationed foods. It will permit the issuance of all allocations of rationed foods at one time instead of at three times as heretofore has been the case, Settle said.

After this initial re-registration between Dec. 15 and Jan. 5, allocations will be granted for three months at a time on all rationed foods, the rationing executive pointed out. This will eliminate trips to the board at different dates, and will enable the industrial user to plan his purchases and use of rationed foods on a uniform basis.

Industrial users include, for example, such people as bakers, dairies, bottlers, candy manufacturers, pharmaceutical manufacturers and a host of others who use rationed foods in the preparation of other products both rationed and unrationed. Settle declared a baker, for example, he explained, would use sugar, processed foods, and fats and oils, which fall under the Meat program. He would be given one allotment of all of these commodities each three months.

Varied Excuses for Poor Attendance

The number of absences and tardies have increased somewhat since the beginning of school. In some cases the reason for these absences or tardies has been unpreventable, yet many could have been prevented.

A few of the excuses given Miss McFarland for absences are as follows:

1. Went shopping. 2. Illness. 3. Had company. 4. Had to work. 5. Missed the bus. 6. Brother home from service. 7. Went to church. 8. Stayed home for Thanksgiving.

Excuse for being tardy are as follows:

1. Over slept. 2. Clock was wrong. 3. Bus was late. 4. Ran errand for family. 5. Just didn't start in time. 6. Illness. 7. Had to work.

Students, it is very necessary that we attend school every day possible. Being present every day not only helps you to do better work, and the teachers to instruct, but the school attendance record as well.

Student Council Plans To Honor Service Men

The Student Council had their regular meeting Nov. 29, 1943. Jean Crawford, the president, presiding. Jean showed the council the honor roll scrolls on which they will write the names of the boys who are in the service from Friona High School. The service flag has not yet

arrived, but it's expected to be here soon. Out of the money which the play, they have paid for some Student Council made from their song books which they gave to the school. They also want to buy a microphone for the school auditorium. A committee was appointed to get further information on the possibility of buying a microphone before further action.

A committee was appointed to select Christmas Cards for the former boys and teachers from Friona High School who are in the service.

Christmas plans are being made for the High School program which will be Dec. 22, unless the date is changed.

Just Two Years Ago

Two years ago last Tuesday the war began. It seems like only a short while ago, but if we stop and think we realize that many things have happened since that time. Some things were good and some of them were discouraging. There are so many things going on now that we can hardly keep up with them all. And while all these things are going on, boys are losing their lives, boys who used to be our next door neighbors, some whom we only knew; but still we miss them terribly. We are living in such a rush that we don't comprehend the meaning of some of the so-called minor things of the war. That date two years ago means a lot to us, as the incidents that have happened since then will affect us for the rest of our lives.

Since the beginning of the war we have come in contact with more soldiers and other service men. The sight of a soldier is very common and when someone says, "Oh, he's just a soldier," it simply means that that person does not have a close relative or close friend in the service or he wouldn't say such a thing. If it were not for that soldier someone might be guarding all of us with guns. That soldier is a protector of this country. A Country in which it is a privilege to live.

To commemorate Pearl Harbor Day we should buy more bonds. Another real aid to the war is to write a friend or relative in the service. You may be writing to them now but be sure that they get news from home often.

F. H. T. Presents Gift To Sponsor

Wednesday, Dec. 1, the F. H. T. Club held their regular meeting in the homemaking department.

Each member of the club drew an F. B. A. boy's name. The boys whose names were drawn will be presented gifts on the night the F. F. A. and F. H. T. Clubs have their annual Christmas party. The date of this party was decided to be on Dec. 17.

Mrs. Barnard formerly Miss Stappford, was presented with two beautiful candlestick holders as a wedding gift by the F. H. T. Club members. They were the color of gold which is her favorite color.

Dorothy Scott gave some suggestions on how to be a good hostess if you should have guests over the Christmas holidays or give a party. Some of the points she brought out were:

1. Try to be a popular hostess in a crowd.

2. Remember shy guests.

3. Draw the guests together that have something in common with one another.

4. Plan party or plan for the occasion ahead of time.

5. Do not over do yourself or try to outdress anyone so as to attract attention.

Vivian Weis gave an interesting talk on Christmas. Afterwards a short discussion was held.

Where Dirt Collects

Why does Ray Ford pick one in the talking table when it told her she was going to be an old maid. She asked it again to make sure and it had changed its "mind." She is going to marry in three years. (By the way, she seems to be losing her faith in it!)

What's the matter with our dignified seniors? They seemed to have turned hobo last Tuesday night.

Loris Jean and Ouida went to Clovis Wednesday, you know. That accounts for the following: "Perhaps you'd better fetch the manager," snapped Loris Jean to the sales girl. "No doubt he'll have more sense than you seem to possess."

"He certainly has," came the quick reply. "He went out as you came in."

Jimmy must be military minded. She hates to wear a hat, (and why not? She has such lovely hair) she hates to get up in the morning, (don't we all) and she dislikes to go shopping because "she has to wait on the clerks for them to wait on her."

Like everyone else in a war conscious world, Miss Garmon thinks that something should be done about the manpower shortage in some areas.

Her ambition is to fly a P38 but doesn't think she will ever realize it because an elevator "scared her to death."

Long Talent List for New F.H.S. Teacher

Miss Garmon has three pet

Speech Class After "Dat 'Ol Dabil" Stage Fright

During the last week the speech class, taught by Miss B. Garmon, has been studying and practicing public speaking. Each of the 23 students chose one topic sentence from a given group and composed a 5 minute talk which he delivered to his fellow classmates. Three of these Classmates had been selected to be judges, and they judged on paper the speaker's manner of delivery as well as the content of his speech. The class has enjoyed listening to the original, witty and serious thoughts portrayed in these speeches.

Miss Garmon reports that her speech students are getting over their stage fright and improving in their ability to make and deliver speeches; she mentions in particular Malcolm, Billy Jo and Truell Wayne.

Get \$4 for \$3 out of your CHRISTMAS savings — invest in WAR BONDS. Keep on BACKING THE ATTACK.

ed. He was talking about bromine being soluble in alcohol anyway.

We hear Johnny Roberts went over to a neighbor's house and said, "I want to borrow a horse."

"How long?" he was asked. "The longest you've got. There be five of us a-going."

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'Let's See, What'll I Get for--?'



Mrs. Frank Bockwinkel invites Corp. Howard Dale, Pvt. Tommie Curry, and Pvt. Joe Farrar to avail themselves of the shopping aid for service men established by the Navy Mothers' Club at St. Louis, Mo. The ladies say more than a hundred soldiers a day drop in and ask for help.

Folks in Uniform



"It's not quite G. I. what you have on your uniform, is it, Mr. Carter?"

Summerfield
MRS. GUY WALSER
Sunday School and church were attended by 90 persons. Several visitors were present and some members that have not been present for a long time. The G. A. girls met at the church Sunday afternoon with five members and their sponsor, Mrs. B. E. Roberson present. The R. A. boys also met Sunday afternoon at the church. There were six members present. The new part of the church building is almost complete. They are working on the basement now.
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cross and family of Amarillo visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Noland Sunday night.
Marvel Upton of Ft. Worth visited in the Ross Royce home Saturday night.
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SUGAR Stamp 29 in Book 4 valid Nov. 1, good for 5 lbs. through Jan. 15, 1944.
SHOES—Stamp No. 18 (1 pair) has been extended indefinitely. Stamp 1 on airplane sheet in Book 3 becomes valid Nov. 1.
PROCESSED FOODS
Green stamps A, B and C in Book 4 become valid Nov. 1 and expire Dec. 20. D, E and F expire Jan. 20.
MEATS AND FATS
Brown stamps G, H, J, & K now valid, expire Dec. 4. L becomes valid Nov. 21, expires Jan. 1, 1944. M and N now valid; and P, valid, Dec. 12, expire Jan. 1, 1944.
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Elvin Wilson is staying at the Bud Hopson home at Hereford and working for Bud while the family is all ill with flu.

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CHRISTMAS SERVICES

Sunday evening at 8 o'clock a Christmas program will be presented at the Methodist Church. This will be a program of Scriptures and songs of the Birth of Christ. The pastor, Edgar A. Irvine, will preach a Christmas sermon, Sunday at the noon service.

On Christmas eve Santa Claus will visit the Methodist Church and will preside over the Christmas tree that shall be had on that evening.

We are happy to be in Friona as the pastor of the Methodist Church and invite all to all the services of our church. You will find a hearty welcome waiting you.

Edgar A. Irvine, pastor.

Applications for Farm Program Payments Being Submitted by AAA Office

Of the approximately 1,200 applications for payment under the 1943 farm program received at the Deaf Smith County AAA office, 400 are now ready for submission, an announcement from the office revealed this week. The remainder of the applications are in the process of being made up; though there are a few farms on which no performance report has as yet been received.

Moisture Varies From Two To Three Inches in County

Two Families Return From Rio Grande Valley

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Fallwell and Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Crow, who left a few weeks ago for the Rio Grande Valley where they had planned to spend the winter, returned to Friona last

On arriving in the Valley and stopping at Weslaco, it seems that they failed to find weather, labor and social conditions to their liking, and after a few weeks of vacationing and having done all the fishing they cared for, they decided to return to Friona.

Prior to their leaving for the valley, Mr. Fallwell had been operating a "used parts", blacksmithing and storage business for the past few years—and Mr. Crow had been operating a produce and ice market. It has not been learned whether they will re-open their respective lines of business here this winter or not.

Eva Settle Receives Civilian Award

Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Settle, who live a few miles west of Friona, have received word that their daughter, Miss Eva Settle, who has been employed for the past year or more with the War Department at Washington, D. C., has been signally honored by the War Engineering Corps and has been awarded a badge in recognition of faithful, efficient and distinguished service.

The award was made as a part of a program presented by that branch of the War Department in which Miss Settle works. It is the first time in history that civilians have ever received such badges of recognition from the U. S. Government.

This mark of honor for service is something that cannot be bought, but must be earned.

Three-Act Play Presented Tonite At Midway School

"Fingerprints," a three-act comedy, will be presented tonite at 8:30 o'clock at the Midway school, and people of the Friona territory are cordially invited to attend and enjoy a hilarious evening as Hoosey Hawks, a fingerprint "defective," solves his first big case.

Admission will be 15 cents and 25 cents.

Included in the cast are the following: Hoosey Hawks — Hob Coffman. Ned Thorndyke, part owner of Thorndyke Ranch — Jack Bewley. Jimmy Lee, his partner — Anthony Jesko. Roger Whitney, Jr., a rich city aleck — Jack Bruns. Pamela Thorndyke, daughter of Ned — Mary F. Bracken. Paulette Whitney sister of

The rain which began falling here shortly after nightfall on Wednesday of last week continued almost incessantly and gradually grew heavier throughout the night, and Thursday morning, when it gradually changed to sleet and later became mixed with fine snow, and continued until about three or four inches of the moisture had covered the already well wetted ground, and produced an abundance of moisture which is variously estimated at from two to three inches.

This fall of moisture seems to have covered the entire Panhandle, and especially all of Parmer County, and has put an end to the drought that has prevailed for about a year with only occasional falls of an inch or slightly more, which visited the region in spots throughout the year.

The coming of this last moisture is believed by local farmers to have rescued the 1944 wheat crop from a threatened total loss, and has given promise of a possible bountiful crop. So speak our farmers, and they have a perfect right to such optimism. At any rate, the growing wheat crop should not suffer for moisture until well into the spring.

Reports are heard of many farmers of the locality, having still considerable acreages, which they had planned to plant to wheat, one of them having about 700 acres that he had not planted owing to the continued drought during the regular planting season, but will plant yet, should the wet spell be followed by enough favorable weather to permit him to complete planting, should this favorable weather occur, it is more than evident that the present acreage for the Friona territory will be largely increased and perhaps doubled.

Local farmers are also feeling hopeful that the present moisture will enable them to get an early start with their spring planting of oats, barley, sorghums grains, soy beans and cotton.

RETURNED TO HOSPITAL

Mrs. Jack Jasper, who was returned to her home here on Wednesday of last week, after having had an appendectomy at the Deaf Smith County Hospital, suffered a relapse and it was found necessary to return her to the hospital on Sunday afternoon for further treatment there.

Reports of her condition received here on Wednesday, were not too encouraging, stating that she had made very little, if any improvement.

Roger — Mrs. A. L. Hobbs. Mrs. Roger Whitney, Sr. — Mrs. G. E. Redwine. Miss Amelia Thorndyke, Ned's sister — Marjorie Bracken. Mignon Macare, French maid — Anita Bewley. Porcelain Purdy colored cook — Mrs. Jack Bewley.

Try a Want Ad!



WAYLAND COLLEGE ENLARGEMENT

THE PROPOSED expansion program of Wayland college of Plainview, Tex., is clearly portrayed in the architect's drawing. The over-all project calls for an expenditure of approximately \$750,000. This will provide adequate housing and equipment to accommodate more than twice the present enrollment. The new dormitories are to be modern in every detail and each will care for about 125 students. The present dormitory for girls will be remodeled throughout to provide light housekeeping facilities.

The college anticipates extensive courses in agriculture to provide a long felt need. Facilities are being provided to make this possible. The library will be built in connection with the chapel building. The present administration building will be reconditioned and used for English, Language, Social Science and other departments. The Enlargement Movement is headed by Dr. John W. Cobb, dean of the college.

TICKLERS by HAYES



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Strictly Fresh

THE RAF night bombings of Berlin are a further argument in favor of daylight precision operations. The British and American embassies have been hit.

In trying to explain away the blasting of the "bombproof" Reich capital, Propaganda Minister Goebbels learns he has bitten off more than he can eschew.

They say we're going to have the driest Christmas since Prohibition. Santa Claus, therefore, may look forward to staggering under only one load.

The Allies apparently aren't missing a bet in the South Pacific when it comes to utilizing the fat of the land. It is reported that even Santa Claus' sleigh is equipped with native runners.

SONS In the Service

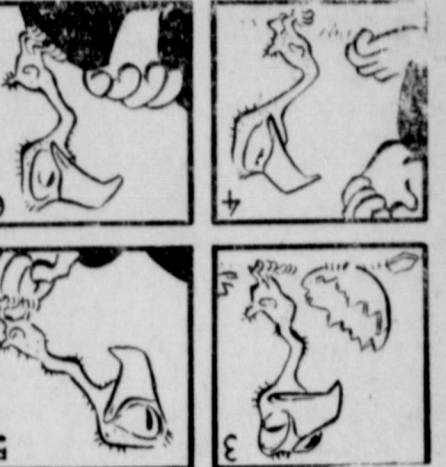
Australia, Dec. 5, 1943.

Dear Mr. White:
Just a few lines to let you know that I am still getting along in this war-torn world. Just received two copies of the Star—the first in five months. My aunt said she paid for another year's subscription, and I have changed address since then, so I thought I'd write you of my change. Well, sometimes it's been pretty rough here. Especially when I was in New Guinea. Of the country I have seen—and I've seen plenty—there's no place like Texas. How did the school football team do this year? I sure would like to have been there playing for good old F. H. S., but this is impossible. I imagine it's quite cold there now, isn't it? It's getting pretty hot here. I think you're doing a great favor for the boys with the paper, and I want to thank you for all of the trouble you have gone to. As we say over here—"That's Fair Dinkum." Just keep up the good work.

Always,
Merlin.
Pvt. Carol Swackhammer sends the following interesting letter from somewhere out in the American Desert.
Camp Haan, Calif., Dec. 10, 1943.
Dear Uncle John:
I am almost ashamed to write, as I have waited so long. I am sorry I didn't get to stop in and see you while I was home,

but I had quite a few people to see and it seemed like no time to see them. I have changed address since I wrote to you last. I am in Battery D, now instead of Headquarters. I have been getting the Star regular and you don't know how much it helps a guy out. I am taking still more "desert training", and I still think Texas has California beat in every way. Do you know of any Friona boys close to Riverside? I have been out here seven months and I haven't seen a single person from Friona anywhere close to California. Thanks again for the Star. A friend,
Pvt. Carol G. Swackhammer.
No, Carol, I do not know of any of the other Friona boys who are close to where you are. There are a few at Camp Beale, but that may be a long way from you.—U. J.

Here we have a number of very pretty Christmas Greeting cards, some with short messages added. One from Guy Latta, now located at Camp Bowie, Texas, contains a short letter.
12-9-43
Dear Uncle John:
Will add a note to inform you of a change in address. We are still at Bowie, but I am sure we will move before another mailing date for the Star arrives, so Will appreciate it if you will send it to the new address. I should write you a good, long letter, Uncle John, but I am the "very sorriest" you can imagine, when it



comes up correspondence. Thanks a lot and the best of regards.

Sgt. Guy Latta.
And another card, "Greetings of the Season, and the best of all good wishes for the New Year."

A flying sailor,
J. L. Weis, Av-Cadet.
And a lovely greeting from Lt. and Mrs. Gordon E. Shackelford, at San Antonio, Texas.

And another from Kenneth R. Durstine, MoMMI-e, at Little Creek, Va., which says: "Just to let you know the season has brought a very happy thought of you, Sincerely, Kenneth."

And Av-S Aubrey Cannon, who is now way up in North Dakota, says it's cold up there.
Grand Forks, N. D., Dec. 9, 1943.

Dear Uncle John:
At last I have found time to write and tell you about my new post. I am really far north now and it is plenty cold. I am

about 60 miles from the border of Canada. I don't have time to turn around here. I am in cadet training, and it is plenty strict to what I have been used to, but I am making out, I hope. I will be in school up here for three months. During that time I will do some flying, and then from here I will go to Santa Ana, Calif., for further training, which should last about three months, and then I hope to land down in Texas to finish my training. The country of North Dakota sure reminds me of home, 'cause for one reason, it is flat and you see a long way, which, in Colorado, you can't. It has been down to 4 below zero here, but they say, in January and February it will get to 40 below, but everything I do is in doors and it won't bother me. I have been in the hospital for the past two weeks, undergoing an operation and I am getting along fine. I received my first paper today since I have been up here, and I was sure glad to get them. Say, Uncle John, I wish you would send me the address of

Lloyd Mingus. I suppose I had better drop anchor for now, and I will close hoping all you good people at home, the happiest X-mas and the best for the New Year to come, and God bless you all.
Sincerely,
Cadet Aubrey Cannon.

A lovely Christmas greeting card and a letter has been received at the Star office from Pvt. Virgil Weis. His letter follows.—U. J.
Camp Maxey, Tex., Dec. 13, 1943.

Dear Mr. White:
It has been sometime since I have written you, so I thought it time to write again. That's the hardest job of a soldier, I think. But they do love to hear from home and their friends;

and what you are doing for the boys in the service is very much appreciated. Being in a camp and training, there isn't any news—it is just the same thing every day. And getting the home paper like the Friona Star, helps a soldier's morale. I have been getting the Star every week, and I sure appreciate getting it, too; because it has all the news, and one can read the column, "Sons in Service," and find out where the other boys are and what they are doing. I want to thank you many times for sending me the Star every week, and I also want to thank the good friends who have sent me Christmas cards. Some day I hope we can repay it to our friends. So, I will close, by hoping you and
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The wind did blow its chilling blast
And the sleet and snow fell thick and fast;
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2. What are the measurements of a board foot?
3. What is the meaning of the name Transvaal, and to what does it allude?
4. What is Eleanor Roosevelt's first name?
5. What is the Roman numeral for 1000?

ANSWERS TO Test Your I. Q.

1. Ten.
2. One foot by one foot by one inch.
3. Transvaal means beyond the Vaal, a river in South Africa. The Transvaal is a province.
4. Anna.
5. M.

LETTERS TO SANTA CLAUS

Dear Santa:
How are you? I am all right. I want a big piano. I want a pair of skates, too. I made A's on my report. Please come on Christmas Eve. Love,
Patsy Jane Reed.

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a machine gun so I can shoot the Japs, and I would like an Army tank, some nuts, candy and fruit.
Your friend,
Jerry Lloyd.

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a wood drill rifle, torpedo boat. If you have a bomber plane, please leave one under my tree. I am a good little boy seven years old.
Your friend,
Jimmie Dixon

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl six years old. I want a doll, a doll buggy and a set of dishes. Please remember all the little boys and girls. Your friend,
Jerry Norwood.

Dear Santa Claus:
We are so far away from Friona that we thought we'd better tell you where to come to see us.

My name is Joe, and I want a drum and a big fuzzy dog. My name is Eugenia Rae, and I want a doll and some dishes. We both want a blackboard, some chalk, a rocking chair and a big story book. Be sure to remember all our friends in Friona and all the other good kids everywhere. We like California fine. It's fun to go down to the beach and play in the sand. Our address is 821 Orange Ave., Long Beach, Calif.

Love,
Joel Randolph and
Eugenia Rae Landrum.
Friona, Texas,
Dec. 14, 1943.

Dear Santa:
I want a belt. I want an airplane set. I want a magnifying set if you can get it. I want a baseball bat. Please bring Mother and Daddy something.
Your friend,
M. C. Osborn.

Friona, Texas,
Dec. 5, 1943.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy 7 years old. I am in the second grade at school. I want a football, a wagon and some kind of game to play indoors. Please remember all little boys and girls.
Jimmy Norwood.

Dear Santa:
I want a pair of skates and a little lamp. I want an ironing board, 30 inches high.
Love,
Roberta Lea Reed.

Friona, Dec. 14, 1943.
Dear Santa: I ask my parents every morning if today is Christmas, I am so eager for you to get here. I want a doll with real hair, a tea set, and some doll house furniture, fruit and candy. Don't forget my twin brothers and all the other little boys and girls. I am your four-year-old friend,
Sylvia Smith.

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a doll buggy, some fruit and candy. Bring mother a new car and Daddy will take another snow.
Joy Valene Baxter.

SONS IN SERVICE

all the good people around Friona are feeling fine for the holidays that are coming, and I wish you all a merry Christmas and a joyful New Year.
Thank you all,
Pvt. Virgil H. Weis.

Sheppard Field, Tex.,
Dec. 13, 1943.

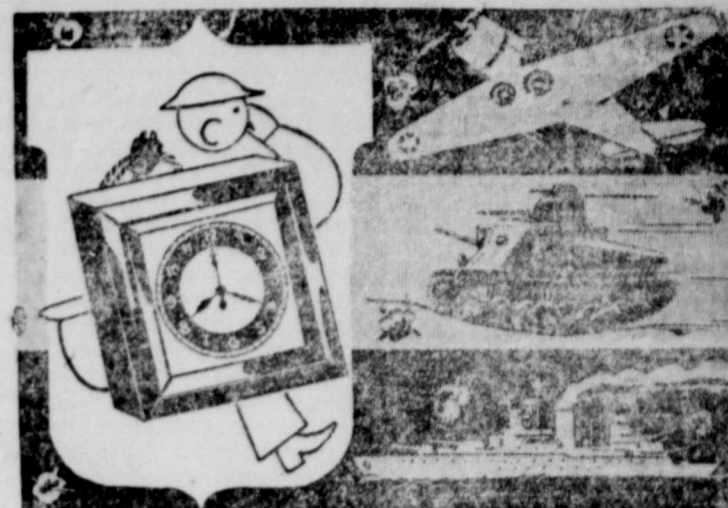
Dear Uncle John:
I am sending my address for the Star. Will be here for two or three months. We will be processed here for cadets and then sent to school. Will appreciate receiving the Star at this address.

Thanks,
Pvt. Wilton E. Lillard.
Wilton was home two weeks ago on furlough, and favored

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the Star office with a much-appreciated visit. He seemed to be enthusiastic about his army life and interested in his efforts to become a better soldier. His talk was indeed interesting.—Uncle John.

A pretty card bearing the Constitution of the United States in miniature, from Pvt. Leon J. Bell, at Camp Ellis, Seabees, and located near Oak-



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Greetings

CHRISTMAS AND FRIENDS

... GO HAND IN HAND

All too often we take our friends for granted. We are aware of the fact that every day sees some evidence of the friendships of the people whom we strive to serve and too frequently we neglect acknowledging these kindnesses.

But at Christmas, when we pause in the busy whirl of everyday routine things, we become conscious of our shortcomings, and wish to convey this message our heartfelt thanks for the good things that have come our way.

To you, our friends, we wish you a Happy Christmas and a New Year of Health and Prosperity.

This Sincere Greeting from Your County Officials:

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County Judge

DAVID MOSELEY
County Commissioner, Pct. 1

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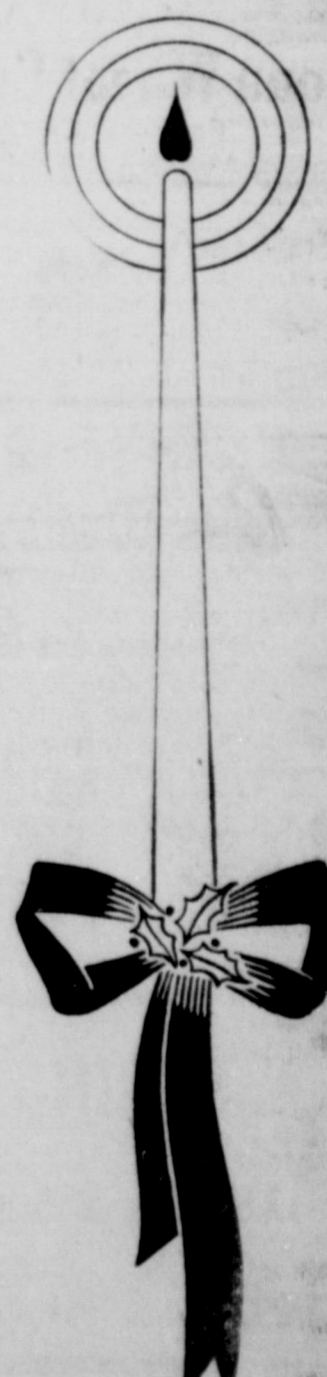
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The Chieftain

BUY MORE WAR BONDS AND STAMPS!

Chiefs Take Longhorns In Close Match

For the second game of the year, the Chiefs won an evenly matched game from the Lazbuddy quintet Friday night by a score of 27-20. The Longhorns took the lead in the beginning minutes but soon lost it. The score stayed close all the time and at the half the score was 14-10.

Surging forward right after the half, Lazbuddy tied the score, making it 14-14. Then the Chiefs got on the beam and turned on the power. They kept the lead for the rest of the game. Climaxing the game were the beautiful long shots made by Barnes of Lazbuddy. Matthews and Barnes were leading scorers for Lazbuddy while Treider and Reid took scoring honors for Friona.

The "B" squad also began clicking and took their opponents by a score of 26-16. Lacewell, Chieftain forward, was top scorer of this game with 14 points.

Jr. Red Cross Has Sewing Session

The Jr. Red Cross Club met in their usual meeting Tuesday Dec. 7. The meeting was called to order by the president, and the secretary called the roll and read the minutes of the last meeting. We received some pencils and each member checked out as many pencils as she thought she could sell. The rest of the meeting was spent sewing the afghans together and cutting quilt blocks for our friendship quilt. Each girl is to make at least three blocks and embroider her name on each block. Each of the girls think it is a lot of fun making a quilt and afghan.

PLAINVIEW MEETING

Mrs. Ocoee Warden and Lora Mae McFarland attended a meeting of Delta Kappa Gamma in Plainview Saturday December 4. A luncheon was held at the First Christian Church followed by a program. The speaker for the occasion was Dr. Reavis of Plainview. Her subject was "The Teacher's Part in Training for a Democracy."

SCHOOL TO CONTINUE DESPITE WEATHER

Supt. Ginn states that school will continue regardless of weather. He says that as long as there are 50 percent of the students present, it pays to have school.

Opening Game Gives Chiefs Easy Victory

Beginning their basketball season, the Friona Chiefs played the Bovina Mustangs in a lopsided game Tuesday night, with the final score being 58-12. The Chiefs began scoring early in the game and continued scoring steadily until the end of the game. Fast breaking resulted in many crisp shots. At half time the score was 26-7. All the Chiefs played a good game. Stark was probably the center of the play as he took the ball on the rebound most of the time. Starting for the Chiefs were Stark and Buchanan as guards, Roden as center, and Reid and Treider at the forward positions. Leading the scoring were Roden and Treider. Roden scored ten points and Treider scored 32.

Following the main string game was a "B" string match. The Mustangs copped this game by a margin of three points. This proved to be the most exciting game of the evening with the score being 24-21 in favor of the Mustangs. The scoring in this game ran fairly even throughout the game. There seemed to be little difference between the two Bovina teams. The Friona second string could not perform to the best of their ability as they had a strenuous workout the evening prior to the game.

Where Dirt Collects

Miss Popham seems to have the power of Superman—she even breaks keys off in locks.

Truell Wayne has his attractive moments—doesn't he Jennie Iven?

After assigning several pages to be read in Speech Class, Miss B. Garman heard the tearing of paper to several minutes—to which she announced that they were not to tear out the pages they didn't want to read.

Patsy and Shirley have discovered at play practice that some embarrassing situations can arise when you get your tongue twisted.

If Bobby Lee and Ouida don't hurry back to school they are going to wish the yhad. Loris Jean and Bob Jones seem to find interesting things to talk about.

Johney Dean seems to be "super" to W. C. Reid's way of thinking. Good taste we'd say.

Asking Bob Jones whether anything was happening down at the boys end of the hall, he said, "I don't know, I'm always at the other end of the hall."

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PERSONALITY PARADE Eighth Grade

The Superman of Friona High you may see in the hall is Tommy Brown. He has attained the wise old age of 13 years. He is 4 ft. 10 in. tall and weighs 100 lbs.—well, almost! He is one of the best liked boys in school, and in spite of his large size, he is not a bully, for he never hurts the smaller children, such as Ray Murphy and Junior Day. Laying all jokes aside Tommy is a good sport—to prove it, when he reads this he will laugh the heartiest.

Freshman

R. B. Miller was born, to the sorrow of mankind, on the lovely day of Sept. 10, 1929. His ambitious mind has settled on the art of farming, as many already know. We hate to insult the members of the opposite sex but Eva Lou Jones is his idea of a dream walking. In case anyone wants to slug him, he lives two blocks southwest of school, in a white house.

Sophomore

On the fateful day of Dec. 27, 1927, a bump was raised on this earth's surface. That bump is still here, La Vern Dukes. She's very fond of reading and radioing. She belongs to the Press Club and F. H. T. Club. Following her age-old ambition she wants to become a beauty operator, but will teach as a last resort.

Junior

Leroy Johnson increased the population of this world in the month December, 16th day, year 1927. Friendliness and brains go together in this personality, only nobody cares about the latter. Leroy thoroughly enjoys Life, Look, and Country Gentlemen, or is it women? His ambition is in the field of agriculture. He spends his leisure in the movies or radioing. Leroy plans to go to Texas Tech College when he finishes High School.

Senior

In case you don't know her name it's Loretta Johnson. Her career began Dec. 29, 1925. Her only problem is overcoming her self-consciousness. She is fond of writing and applies her talents in the Press Club. She is fond of Mysteries and Comedies and spends her leisure time reading. For the past two months she has combined her talents against Miss B. Garman's law and order in the library. Nevertheless we wish her success.

Grade School In Mood for Xmas

The first grade pupils have a miniature Christmas tree. Posters picturing Santa and the tree decorate the bulletin board.

The second grade room has been decorated for Christmas by a realistic Bethlehem scene. The children have been coming to school very clean lately because they want their Christmas stockings to hang above the fireplace—dirty children get their stockings burned.

Mrs. Bengler's pupils have decorated their windows with candles and bells. Scenes of Santa doing his work cover the bulletin boards.

The third grade room has a pleasing scene of Bethlehem picturing the wise men and shepherds. Santa and the Christmas trees are popular in this room, and bells and trees decorate the front board.

The fourth grade pupils have made their own roping and hung it with icicles. They also have a beautifully decorated tree.

The fifth grade pupils have drawn posters of holly and snowmen and used them for some of their Christmas decorations.

Mrs. Johnson's room has made red and green roping, and have made some candles for decorating purposes.

Mrs. Smith's pupils have made candles and roping. They also have a decorated Christmas tree.

The seventh grade students have made a Bethlehem scene, picturing the shepherds and the star.

The upstairs hall has a "Peace on Earth" poster worthy of praise. The downstairs hall has an expressive poster decorated with candles. A manger and Santa scenes also decorate the hall. Candles burn on the trophy case as a symbol for the Christmas spirit of a free nation.

Chiefs Meet WT and Canyon High

Avenging a bad defeat in football by the Chiefs, the Calves of West Texas Training School took the Chiefs 21-18, in a tight basketball game on Tuesday, Dec. 7, in the Burton Gym in Canyon. The score stayed very low as both teams had a tight defense.

The Calves always kept a small margin but the Chiefs were very close behind most of the time. At the end of the first quarter, the score was 4-5 with the Calves in the lead. They still had the lead at the end of the half with the count being 10-7. The Calves reached the height of their scoring rally in the third quarter and only looped in four points in the last quarter. The Chiefs hustled the ball in the last quarter and were within two points of their opponents for several minutes.

This was the first encounter of the season for the Calves who are coached by Morris, a former Friona teacher.

Every member of the Chieftain quintet scored in the game. Roden sank two field goals, Treider hooped in two field goals and two free shots, Reid made five free shots, Buchanan dropped in one field goal, and Weis made a free shot.

The second string game was chalked up by the Calves as they ran over the Chiefs by a score of 15-3. The game was the Calves' from the very beginning. The Chief's scoring consisted of free shots, being made by three men—Lacewell, Renner and Warren.

Canyon High Takes Chiefs

Remaining in Canyon after playing WT High, the Chiefs played the Canyon Eagles in the Canyon gym several hours later, but did not have the stamina to last any longer than one half. The Chiefs stole the game for the first half and had the score at 14-8 in their favor. In the third quarter the Eagles began flying and had their score within one point of the Chiefs, 19-18. The Eagles then held their opponents to three points in the last quarter while they sacked up nine.

Everyone on the Chieftain team again had a part in the scoring as Roden and Treider each made six points, Buchanan made four and Weis and Reid each made two points.

The second string game turned out likewise, with the Eagles being the underdogs for the first half. Following the half the Eagles ran away with the game as the final score was 38-20. The Chiefs were in the lead at the half 15-10, but were unable to hold it. Lacewell led the Chiefs' scoring with ten points.

FHT Club Studies Holiday Decorations

Wednesday, December 8, the F. H. T. Club met in the home-making department.

A very interesting program was given with Jean Crawford acting as program chairman.

Mary Lou Allmon gave them some helpful hints on how to decorate your home, gift boxes and a Christmas tree. Some of the ways she gave were:

1. To take a last year Christmas card, cut the name off and write on the inside the name of the sender and the name of the person for whom the gift is intended. Paste this on the paper that you wrapped the gift in and make two attractive bows on it. Plain white wrapping paper makes the gift attractive with this dress on it.
 2. You could paint gourds and tie them on the packages.
 3. You could make three attractive bows out of the paper ribbon and tie on the package.
 4. Painted pine burs tied on the package also look attractive.
- Lila Robason gave some hints on how to make attractive center pieces. Some of the best ones were:
1. Take large candles and small candles and place on a tin tray with cotton around the bottom to look like snow. The candles can be set up to make any design you wish to make. Turn all the lights out and then light the candles.

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Chiefs Drop 2 Games to Clovis

The Friona Chieftains suffered their first defeat of the season in Clovis Saturday night when the Wildcats upset them 37-25. The Wildcats got off to a flying start by scoring 11 points in the first quarter while the Chiefs were held to two lone points. In the second quarter the Chiefs recuperated and ran their score up to ten. The half time score was 23-10 still in favor of Clovis. The Chiefs performed best in the third quarter by scoring 11 points to the Wildcats five points. For a good while the Chiefs were only six points behind. During the last quarter the Wildcats began another scoring spree and ran their score on up to 37, thus making the final count 37-25.

Gunnels looped in 21 points for Clovis while Treider of Friona was close behind with 17 points. For Friona, Roden scored three points and Reid and Johnson each tallied two points. Weis and Norwaad did a remarkable job as guards and recivered the ball off the backboard many times despite the fact that the opponents were all several inches taller.

The "B" squad courted "lady misfortune" also in the game preceding the main string game. Lacewell again proved to be a hotshot by scoring eight of the Chiefs ten points. The final score of this game was 10-15. Playing on the second string were White, L. Johnson, J. Baxter, and Renner.

The Friona boys are now being put through the paces and are preparing for the Canyon tournament, Dec. 17-18.

Seventh Grade Party

Thirty six members of the seventh grade met in the grade school gym Friday night, Dec. 3, for a party. After much laughter and fun from playing several old-fashioned games, refreshments were served to the class, their room mothers, teachers, and a few visitors. Everyone had such a grand evening we are looking forward to a similar event in the near future.

Storm Takes Nick In School Attendance

Thursday and Friday the attendance in the whole school was exceptionally low because of the rain and sleet. Buses were unable to make their routes except on the highway. In high school 41 pupils attended Thursday, and Friday there were 55.

Students are urged to come to school if possible even when the weather is bad. The work done by the classes will be profitable even though there are only a few present. That is a good time to get more individual help.

In general the attendance in high school has been better lately. Tardies have been fewer. It is hoped that all students will strive to be on time each day.

High School Will Go Caroling

About fifty students are practicing carols twice a week. Members of this chorus will go caroling Monday night, Dec. 21. The plans are to go on wagons if they can be obtained.

Summerfield MRS. GUY WALSER

Our community received about three inches of moisture this last week. It started raining Wednesday night and then Thursday morning the rain turned to sleet which fell all day Thursday. The school buses could not run as the roads were bad. The weather is still unsettled. The buses were unable to run Monday morning at the time of this writing.

Several from school were absent this past week on account of sickness. Several other people

were on the sick list too.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Clark and family, who have been living in the L. L. Cannon small house have moved northwest of Hereford. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Coker, who have been living northeast of Hereford have moved to the Cannon house.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Staats and family were recently visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Atchley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lookingbill have sold their place Southwest of Summerfield. They will have their farm sale Dec. 21. They have bought the Rice place from Mrs. Edna Jett at Hereford.

Miss Billee Rae Johnson is up now after undergoing an operation several weeks ago at Hereford.

Roy A. Kelly of Oklahoma and Mrs. Minnie Wood of Hereford were married Dec. 6 at the Summerfield Baptist Church with Rev. M. D. Rexrode pastor officiating. Mr. Kelly is a brother of Mrs. J. L. Lookingbill. Mrs. Kelly is the sister of J. L. Lookingbill. Those attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lookingbill and Cecil Lookingbill. Mr. and Mrs. Kelly will make their home in Hereford.

Mrs. O. B. Sumner, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Holland of Greenville and her sister at Dallas returned home last week. Her niece, Sue Nell Sumner, returned home with her for a visit.

Sgt. Clarence Stewart of Liberal, Kan., recently spent the week end in the H. G. Behrends home. Sgt. Stewart formerly

lived here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Streun were recently business visitors in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ky Lawrence recently returned from Hot Springs, N. M.

Guyeth Bogle left Sunday morning for Lubbock where he will be inducted into the service. His wife, the former Billie Lance, will stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lance.

The annual Christmas tree will be at the Church on Christmas Eve. There will be a program also. The Study course that was to be held Friday was postponed on account of the weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Jenkins of Albuquerque N. M., have moved south of Summerfield on the Ralph Roden place.



Want Ads

FOR SALE: Good, new large size coal heater and pipe. Worth \$75.00 on market. Will sell at \$25.00. J. R. Silvertooth. 21-2tc

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