

## School Band Campaign In High Gear

The band membership campaign is picking up momentum, and a goodly number have acquired instruments and are now working in both Junior high and High school. Proper instrumentation is a hard thing to have in a well regulated band, but in a beginning organization it is non-existent. Therefore Mr. Horn lists a few of the weaker spots in both bands, hoping to uncover some such players. At least two more basses in each band, three flutes in each, three French horns in the Junior band, two baritones in each band, three trombones in each, and several clarinets in the Senior band. Five saxophones could be used in the Junior band as well as two drums.

Mr. Horn inspected the Lubbock bands last Wednesday and found them having instrument troubles too. With new instruments becoming available next spring prospects are good for as many more beginners as are now in band. Some few instruments are being brought to Mr. Horn to be sold so if you are in the market for one, contact him at the earliest date.

Mr. Horn will attend the annual meeting of band directors of Regions 1, 2 and 8 to be held Dec. 14 and 15 at Lubbock. It is the first meeting since the start of the war, and will pertain to plans for the spring music festivals and band clinics.

## Notice—Veterans Benefits Looked After

House Bill No. 1004 enacted by the State Legislature of Texas in 1939 and amended in 1943 which has included World War I and II honorable discharge veterans and/or dependents are entitled to a certified copy of any recorded instrument that will assist him or them in the procurement of a claim against the Veterans Administration shall be made to Veterans or their dependents without cost to them. Every honorably discharged veteran should have in his file a certified copy of his discharge from the Service, his birth certificate, a birth certificate of his dependents or all of his minor children, and a certified copy of his marriage license. Every Veterans County Service officer can procure for you the above instruments without cost to you. Please contact your County Service officer and permit him to give you his services.

Every honorably discharged veteran of any war who has been awarded a pension and who is continuing his National Service life insurance should contact his County Service officer and fill out form No. 887 which gives authorization to the Veterans Administration to deduct your monthly premiums from your benefit payments.

Your local County Service officer has available all necessary forms for changing the mode of payments of your National Service life insurance, for change of beneficiary or the change of plans of insurance. When paying your premiums contact your service officer and he will send in your premiums for you to the Veterans Administration, Sub-collection Division, Washington, 25, D. C., without any cost to you.

All honorably discharged veteran's should have their honorable discharges recorded at once in the county clerk's office of the county in which the veteran resides and the veteran should request a certified copy of his honorable discharge and file the certified copy with his county service officer for uses in filing for benefits that he may be entitled to in the future.

Your local County Service officer is located at 605 West Main, Covey building, Brownfield, Texas, 2nd is open from 8:30 until 5:00 each week day.

## Safety Council Getting Active

The Brownfield Safety Council met last Friday evening, with Frank Jordan presiding, and set in motion plans to procure road signs approaching the city's schools. They were tendered assistance on the signs by the Lions club, and the local American Legion.

They also invited the city and county officers to meet with them tonight at the city hall, at which time they expect to procure more coordinated and stricter enforcement of the traffic laws.

Their main objectives, however, are to safeguard the school children from increasing traffic hazards.

## Do You Want To Be A Goodfellow?

There are still a great many underprivileged children in Brownfield. For the past several years the Lions and Rotary Clubs have been raising a fund to buy Santa Claus packages for these children.

But, everyone does not belong to the clubs mentioned above, yet some would like to have a part and share in donating to such a fund. J. O. Gillham, president of the Brownfield State Bank asked the Herald this week to start such a collection, and the bank agreed to a donation. The Herald is also in on this collection. Time is mighty short, but Mr. Gillham and the writer thought if we could get a few extra dollars from Goodfellows, this could be turned in to the pot collected by the clubs, so there would be no duplication of the work. So, let's go. All collections acknowledged next week. Give what you wish—but give something. Following are collections this week:

Brownfield State Bank	\$10.00
Herald	5.00
Piggly Wiggly	5.00
Roger Curry	1.00
Deryl Walker	1.00
Edith Stricklin	2.00
Marion Ferguson	1.00
John Middleton	1.00
	\$26.00

## Wellman Basketball Tournament Starts

The first games of the Wellman Invitational Tournament were played last night, December 12, 1945. To start the tournament off, the Wellman girls basketball team beat the Union girls team 20 to 19. The game was a toss up, until in the last quarter when Wellman went out in front, and held the lead the rest of the game.

The second game was between the Union boys team and the Plains boys team. Union won the game by a score of 29 to 10.

The final game of the night was played between the Wellman junior girls team and the New Home senior girls team. New Home won the game by a score of 35 to 7.

The high point man of the Plains-Union game was Herring of Union, with 11 points. The high-point girl was Clarke of Wellman and Shepherd of Union, with 10 points each. The high-point girl of the New Home-Wellman juniors' game was Parr of New Home, with 18 points.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lyon visited Mrs. P. C. Goza and children in Seminole, Sunday.

Wiley H. Brown, MM1/c, Box 223, Brownfield, was released from the Navy December 7th, according to information received from Naval personnel separation center at Shoemaker, California.

Thursday and Friday of last week, Rev. R. N. Huckabee and Rev. J. N. Hester attended the district retreat for ministers of the Lubbock area which was held at the Asbury Methodist church in Lubbock. The pastors were asked to dedicate themselves for more effective work in the Crusade for Christ.

## War Drive Chairman Gillham Makes Statement

Out of the 252 counties in the State, Terry County is in the last ten counties in percentage of our E board quota raised. This is a disgrace and certainly we cannot be proud. We have only raised about 16 percent of our quota. We have the balance of the month of December to raise this quota. We are having a picture show and rally on the 18th at the Rialto Theatre.

We realize that we have had a short crop, but still we can do better than we have done so far. Let us all put our shoulders to the wheel and make a special effort during these remaining days of the campaign, for we certainly don't want Terry county to be the lowest percentage county in the state.

Go to your bank or the post-office today and buy all the bonds you can, for the need is still great. We must have money to get our boys home, and we must take care of the sick and disabled and we must feed and care for the thousands who will have to stay in occupation armies for many years to come. Let's finish the job.

## Butler New Manager Of St. Clair Store

Mr. J. L. Butler, a pleasing young man from Oklahoma, has been made manager of the local St. Clair Variety store. The Herald welcomes Mr. Butler, wife and four children to Brownfield. That is, as soon as they are able to get housing here.

Mr. Butler is just out of the army in which he spent 22 months. He had four years of experience in a variety store prior to the war.

## District Contest Of Future Farmers

There was a district contest for Future Farmers, Thursday, December 13th, at Brownfield. Schools attending this contest here were: Brownfield, Plains, Meadow, Seminole and Loop. The two contests held were Junior Chapter conduction. The teams from Brownfield were as follows:

Junior Chapter conduction: President, J. W. Parrish; Secretary, Tommie Riggs; Treasurer, Billy Bond; Reporter, Maurice Martin; Adviser, Alton Martin; Sentinel, Bobby Wade; Conductor, Kenneth Cornebie; 1st Green Hand, Eugene Smith; 2nd Green Hand, Curtis Bingham.

Senior Chapter conduction—President, Alfred Bond; Secretary, Douglas King; Treasurer, L. G. Chambliss; Reporter, Waymon Todd; Sentinel, Curtis Chambliss; Adviser, D. A. Key; Conductor, Billy Green; 1st Green Hand, William Clements; 2nd Green Hand, Leroy Jeter.

In these contests the official ceremonies of the Future Farmers and a Parliamentary procedure drill are demonstrated.

Mr. and Mrs. K. M. Marshall of Silverton and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stevenson and children, of Abilene, spent the weekend with Mrs. Ruth Auburg. They left Monday morning to make their homes in Woodlake, Calif. While they were Mrs. Auburg had her Christmas dinner for them.

J. E. Thurman and family have received word that their son, Pvt. William E., has arrived safely in Japan. Friends of William may obtain his address directly from the Thurmans, or the Herald office, as there is no longer any restrictions on giving service men's addresses.

County Judge Winston and the commissioners returned last week from a three-day convention of the State Association of County Judges and Commissioners, at Ft. Worth. They report much important county affairs were discussed.

## Bowman To Show Oldsmobile Saturday

It will be here tomorrow—that shiny new Oldsmobile that you have been waiting to see. But in view of the fact that no show rooms are available at present, the car may be seen just across the street from the Rialto Theatre, in front of the Go're Fashion Shop. Don't fail to see this upstanding new 1946 Olds.

As stated once or twice in these columns, the new Oldsmobile home, when building material can be had, will stand at the corner of 4th and Broadway, on the site of the old Geo. W. Neill residence, which was recently moved to make room for this modern, 90x140 building, erected for the automobile business.

James Bowman, who is just out of the army, stated that ex-service men it appears are not allowed priority on business building material, and that he and his dad would just have to wait their turn.

## U. S. Supreme Court Rules Against Community Property

The Supreme court of the United States early this week held that the entire community estate was subject to inheritance tax, upon death of either spouse. Texas' community property law, inherited from the old Spanish law and zealously kept in force since, proclaims all property acquired after marriage to be jointly owned by husband and wife in 50-50 shares, and hence on death of one, the other inherits only that one half interest, as he or she already owns the other half. But Chief Justice Stone, writing the opinion, holds that the surviving spouse receives such exclusive possession and control over the whole estate, as to render it all subject to inheritance tax.

It is not clear whether this means where deceased left no children, as Texas law passes title of the deceased's half interest direct to the children. This case reverses two U. S. District court decisions, one each from Louisiana and Texas.

Community property states, perhaps unfair to other states, have also held some slight advantage by making separate income tax returns, this too has been attacked by U. S. Treasury department.

## Commissioners Complain About Road Dumping

The County Commissioners in session Monday expressed concern over increased dumpings of garbage, trash and bottles in the barrow pits of the roads near town. This apparently comes from the city.

Much of it, while offensive and unsightly, becomes dangerous to tires. They expect to file criminal complaints soon on several suspects, and on all hereafter found to be doing this.

## PVT. IRA E. SEATON ON WAY HOME

After 29 months overseas, Private Ira E. Seaton, son of J. U. Seaton, Route 4, Brownfield, is on his way back to the United States for discharge. He was last on duty with the 35th General Hospital at Base M in northern Luzon.

In the Army since September, 1942, he has served in Australia, New Guinea, and the Philippines. He wears the Asiatic-Pacific theater ribbon, the Philippine Liberation ribbon, the Victory and Good Conduct Medals, and has two battle stars.

Harold and Patsy Paden, of Lubbock, visited their brother, Cline Paden, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Blair went to Lubbock Tuesday to meet their son, Willard, who is in the merchant marines.

## Joe Rogers Languished In Jap Prisons

Recently Cpl. Joe Rogers, 26, of this city, gave out an interview while visiting a relative at Grand Saline, Texas, which adds to the horror stories we have been hearing from time to time, of how American and other allied prisoners have been mistreated and starved in filthy Jap prisons. It seems that our military officers have not forgotten, for they are giving Jap and German war lords the limit.

After training at Fort Ord, Calif., Joe was sent to the southwest Pacific with his command. After fighting the Japs through the early part of 1942 with obsolete and insufficient armament he and others were forced to surrender on May 7th of that year. They were shifted from one to another prison camp.

Finally they were loaded in holds of stinking transports like cattle and started for Japan. Many died on the way, and Joe stated that American subs attacked the convoy, and sank a tanker just behind them. They were allowed no water, except what they caught from rains that ran from the deck to the holds.

After reaching Japan, they were driven like slaves, and lived on a soup of spoiled fish and potato vines. His weight dropped from 150, which he now weighs, to 85 pounds. He and others were liberated by our invasion forces on September 10th, 1945.

## What Would John L. Lewis Say?

Marlin, Texas  
December 11, 1945

Mr. Jack Stricklin

Dear Friend:

Yes sir we are enjoying that Terry County Herald, it's a real letter from home. I always enjoy the Herald, but when one is away from home that is one time you really appreciate your home paper. But looking out the window here this AM, one would think he was on the balleys, house tops white with snow, and we get all kinds of weather reports as to the weather on the plains.

Jack I took note of what you had to say in the Herald about making it out to the ranch at meal time. Fine, we are going to remember that, and I will tell you what we generally tell our friends on such occasions. We will treat you in so many ways you will be sure to like some of them, and I am sure you will enjoy seeing the changes, and the prosperous growth old Yoakum has made, as well as Terry, since you and I both got our first sand bath in west Texas. If you remember I went to work on the old U—Ranch for the Honorable John W. Gordon, May 14, 1902.

That was when we worked all day for 83 1/3 cents, and often took five and three quarter hours standing guard around a restless herd at night, to hold our job. But boy would such as that give our friend John L. a pain?

Guess I had better ring off and go see if the water is still hot.

Your friend,  
E. P. Stanford

O. D. Green and family of Meadow, are moving to Monahans.

Mrs. Geo. E. Tierman renewed recently. The Herald has gone into the Tierman home since it began publication at Gomez 42 years ago.

Mrs. Irvin Rambo boosted their Herald up a notch or two the past week. She now has it up to Sept. 1949: She doesn't seem fear a suspension of this old sheet.

Lt. R. A. Springer of the navy is here visiting his wife, who resides with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Paschal in the Johnson community. He and his father-in-law called on the Herald, Tuesday

## Part of Airport Land To Be Sold Tomorrow

The west half of section 50, 326 acres, a part of the city-county airport 4 miles east of town, is to be sold tomorrow. The county and city owning it jointly for technical reasons have to make separate sales, it will most likely go to the same purchaser. The city receives sealed bids, while the county sells its half interest at public auction.

This does not mean abandonment of the port, but that a better one will be had and maintained with the money derived from the sale. The port now comprises an entire section.

## Basket Ball Season To Open Soon

Superintendent T. A. McCollum and Principal W. M. Vernon attended an athletic convention held at Plainview, last Monday, in which schedules were arranged to basket ball for District 1-AA.

Brownfield, Lubbock and Plainview composes south half of the district, while Amarillo, Pampa and Borger take the north half, and the winner of each half plays the other in the final.

The schedule is so arranged that each team plays two games at home and two away. Brownfield's first game is to be January 11th at Lubbock.

Football schedules for next season were also set.

## Two Ex-Service Men Open Body Shop

The Herald welcomes to our city, Messrs J. E. Atkins and L. L. Campbell, both of Abilene. Both are ex-service men just out of the army. By the way, Brownfield is getting a full share of young ex-service men from Abilene, a great little city. Whose's been telling 'em about Brownfield and old Terry down there?

Just the same, they heard, they came, and they finally found a place for their body and fender business, nine block west of the courthouse on the Plains highway. These men have had several years of experience in repairing bent and smashed bodies, as well as repainting them.

Remember these men with your next job.

## County Court Holds Busy Session

Terry county court with Judge H. R. Winston presiding, tried two civil cases before a jury Wednesday and Thursday. Three criminal cases were up, one as far as empanelling the jury, when the State and defense, compromised and pleas of guilty entered, and fines of twenty-five dollars and cost assessed. A juvenile case was continued to next term.

Attorneys C. L. Harris of Lubbock, and Lawrence Barber of Seagraves, were in attendance.

## How Ed Discovered His Santa Claus

J. U. Seaton and Ed Thompson of the Harmony community dropped in one day this week just to ooze up some of our heat at the office, and being near Christmas, the subject finally drifted to Santa Claus. Ed 'lowed as how:

"When a sizable lad, a bunch of us Thompson kids were sleeping the 'front room,' Christmas Eve night. We had dozed, but all at once were awakened with a big crash. Santa Claus had turned over Ma's big crock churn on the hearth, and it had broken. When she got in there with a lamp, milk and cream and standing all over the hearth."

Many the time we have sat by that old fire place in Johnson county that Ed spoke of. And we could imagine just what 'Uncle' Needham (Need) Thompson said when he turned that churn over. He did not cuss, but 'he had a whale of a good byword, 'By Ned.'

## Some Lovely Show Windows To Be Seen Here

The first peaceful Christmas in four long years is here, and you can be the judge of whether or not the merchants are adapting themselves to the occasion by just strolling around, resting your peepers on the many lovely windows to be seen in our little city. It would seem that there is a real artist at every store, who has gone all out to excel.

The Herald suggests that you take time out some day or night before Christmas to view these windows. Take the wife and kids—all will enjoy the stroll, some crisp winter night, and the walk will do you good in a physical as well as a morale building way.

For the past three Christmas holidays, we have been more concerned with the long list of casualties coming in, many of them boys that we had known for years; sons, husbands and sweethearts of our dear friends. This kept any feeling of the Christmas spirit at low ebb. Then last Christmas we had that horrifying battle of the Bulge, when it appeared the Germans were going to break through, and at least prolong the war for another year in Europe.

But those boys from the good old USA were not the pushover the Krauts figured, and although it was Christmas, they fought back like demons, and soon had the Nazis rolling back again. This year, the Krauts and Japrats have both layed down their arms. They are no longer killing and wounding our boys, and while many white crosses will glow through the Christmas season on foreign soil, the lads under them have done their work well. They have saved you and me from a fate worse than slavery—God, please comfort their families.

We are now again a free people. We can go where we wish. Let's all show our gratitude as true citizens.

## Veterans To Be Goats Again?

The movement begun in Houston to give veterans priority on the purchase of lots on which taxes are delinquent is a generous gesture, but is may backfire on some unsuspecting veteran.

Under present Texas law, the deed which a city or county gives on property it has taken over for delinquent taxes is little more than a quit-claim deed. This deed merely gives him all the title which the city or county may have obtained. A lot of "ifs" are attached before the veteran can be perfectly sure that the lot is really his.

For instance, if the delinquent tax suit failed to cite one heir it is invalid. And if it failed to give just the proper amount of notice, the veterans' deed is subject to attack.

City, county and school district tax assessors and collectors attempted to get a bill through the last session of the Legislature to make the subject of delinquent tax suits out of the courts and allow sales to the high bidder after due notice. But the Legislature didn't pass the bill, which is in use in many states with modern tax procedure, and Texans who buy tax-delinquent property are still in line for a suit.

Reports reaching here this week are that the public schools at Lubbock and Seagraves are greatly affected with flu absentees. There is quite a lot of cases in Brownfield.

W. H. Hare also heard about the scarcity of newsprint, and hastened in to renew. Said his sailor boy was on the west coast this week but had to make another round trip to the Philippines before he gets home. Well, we don't look for him Christmas.



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There is a divergence of views among the loan of more than four billion dollars to Great Britain, but most writers are of the opinion that a square and fair loan to both parties is necessary to the prosperity of both nations, as well perhaps colonies and other small countries.

We are often inclined to criticize our British cousins for keeping all territory her troops occupy, and it seems we are just on the point of poking in our nose where it does not belong. And we have reference to a committee of US-British experts that are to decide whether or not Jews shall be allowed to share with Arabs the settlement of the Holy Land, so called. From this distance it appears to this "kintry" editor that we are going into a deal where angels fear to tread.

Texas Christian U. students voted the a-bomb the biggest news of 1945, and perhaps years to come pre or post-war. Ten other events were mentioned in order, among them the death of President Roosevelt, second in order.

It seems that the Young Democratic party of Texas wants to judge who is and who is not a democrat. In fact that bunch took over at Fort Worth in a big way and branded men undemocratic who have been voting the ticket since before a lot of such as Jack Carter was dry behind the ears.

Strange is the position many people on the Pacific coast have taken in regard to Japanese-American soldiers, many of whom have signally distinguished themselves in this war on both sides of the oceans. We have been hearing for years that the people out there were very critical of the south and its attitude toward the negro. But no southerner worthy the name wants to run the negro out of his own home and appropriate it himself.

doctored by uplifters, want race mixtures. But a few northern people think we should do that whether it is desirable or not. They do not have a word of condemnation of the Jew who has persistently kept his race pure for more than 4 thousand years by refusing to intermarry with other whites or blacks. Yet some of these people out on the west coast are worse race-baiters in their attitude toward the Japanese-American by far than southerners are toward their negro neighbors, or the much talked animosity of Texans toward their neighbors south of the border. He that lives in glass houses should not cast stones.

Rural Electric Plan Is Threatened

Members of boards of Texas rural electric cooperatives learned from Congressman Bob Poage of Waco this week that the whole program of rural electrification is threatened by a powerful private-utility lobby in Washington.

Poage spoke to a conference of managers and board members of the co-ops which make up the Texas Power Reserve Cooperative, and his warning was followed by strong resolutions asking Congress for action on the new Rural Electrification Administration appropriation.

The Waco Congressman made it clear that he was opposed to putting the private utilities out of business. He said that competition between private companies and rural co-ops is the only thing which will bring rural electricity down within reach of all the farmers.

The co-op representatives discussed their postwar plans, which include electrification of thousands of Texas farms. Poage said the utility company representatives are telling Congress that the REA program is complete.

"But we know that it isn't until every farm in America is supplied with cheap power," he added.

Some women are a sight to behold; others a sight to be held.

Our daughter's boy friends have a lot of shortcomings, but it is their long stayings that we object to most.

We don't mind the daughter's boy friends staying so late, but we do wish they wouldn't take the morning paper with them when they leave.

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Col. Hary In Charge Of Recruiting District

Lieutenant Colonel Robert L. Hardy has assumed command of the West Texas U. S. Army Recruiting District with headquarters in Lubbock, Texas. This district includes seventy-seven (77) counties in West Texas and the Panhandle.



LT. COL. R. L. HARDY

Colonel Hardy has served overseas in the Southwest Pacific for over three years, arriving in that theater prior to the fall of the Philippines and remaining to see the return of its possession to the U. S. Forces before he was evacuated to the United States as a hospitalized patient. Upon his return to the United States, he was hospitalized at the Ashburn General Hospital, McKinney, Texas, for seven months before being returned to active duty.

Colonel Hardy is not a newcomer to the Recruiting Service, having been on recruiting duty in Oklahoma from 1939 to 1941 during which time that district set several fine records in recruiting activities.

In outlining the plans and activities of the recruiting program, Colonel Hardy placed special emphasis on the importance of securing the cooperation and support of the newspapers, radio stations, postmasters, American Legion Posts, F. W. Posts, and civic organizations, stating that "had it not been for the outstanding support rendered the Recruiting Service by these organizations from 1939 to December 7, 1941, we could never have raised the well trained force that was available for our nation's use on Pearl Harbor Day of 1941."

Colonel Hardy wishes to express his thanks to the people of West Texas for their splendid support of the Army Recruiting Service in the past and looks forward to successful recruiting activities in this area.

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Take A Victory Bond—It's Free

By Bruce Barton

I have heard people sigh at word of the Victory Loan Campaign, and say, "I suppose I have to buy another bond. But I don't see how I can afford it."

This is just like saying, "I suppose I really ought to start saving money, but it's an awfully expensive thing to do!"

The fact is, of course, that you don't buy bonds. As W. B. Bachman, a Detroit writer, forcefully pointed out the other day, the speakers on the radio and the poster artists and the advertising writers have been using the wrong word for four long years. They have been asking the public to do something that is impossible. You can't spend money on bonds. You simply take them. They cost you nothing. My E bonds are nothing but certificates showing that the Barton family has made a deposit in the U. S. Treasury instead of in a bank or a cookie jar. When we take an E bond, we transfer a bank deposit to the safest depository in the world—the U. S. Treasury. We put in noninterest notes and we get an interest-bearing note as our deposit slip.

To take a bond—note that word "take"—is still a patriotic act. That alone is inducement enough for any American. Just as your money in the bank pays for loans and investments and all the bank's manifold activities, so your money in the U. S. Treasury helps to care for the wounded, to end war contracts, to maintain armies of occupation, to bring home returning fighters, to prevent inflation. Your bonds brought about the mighty atomic blasts that put a period to this war. Your bonds today are returning flesh to the bones of those who survived wounds or prisoncamp torture—of Wainwright, of Boyington, of unknown thousands of our men who played their own gallant parts in the total defeat of our enemies.

I remember reading the typical experience of George Lott, whose two arms were shredded by a mortar on the Lorraine front. From his battalion aid station Lott was transported 4500 miles in easy stages, by ambulance, train and plane. He passed through three field dressing stations and five hospitals in France and England before being returned to the United States for final treatment and recovery. Your bonds paid for the care of all the George Lotts of this war.

And yet you can count on getting back \$4 for every \$3 you put in!

So get bonds today—get them regularly—and hold onto them. That is about as close as you are likely to come in this life to having your cake and eating it too.

Editor's Note: The above fine editorial was published by permission of Nov. issue of Readers Digest.

Travis Group Scores State Textbook Case

Austin, Dec. 6—A delegation from the Travis County League of Active Democrats, headed by Moody Boatright will appear before the board of education meeting here Monday to contend that L. V. Ulrey of Galveston is not suited to pass on the merit of state textbooks.

Ulrey, secretary and advisor to Maco Stewart of Galveston, member of the board of education, recently indicated to a textbook publisher that a proposed book "Our Good Neighbor in Soviet Russia," would not meet with the board's approval.

The publisher withdrew the book from consideration.

Stewart said he had not read the book himself since he did not have the time, but relied upon Ulrey's judgment.

TEXAN OFFERED JOB IN JAP POLICE SET-UP

Austin, Dec. 10—Aides of Col. Homer Garrison, director of the state department of public safety, said today he has been offered a key post in the reorganization of Japan's police force, on the staff of General MacArthur.

They said he had received the offer in a letter from Maj. Gen. J. H. Hilldring, director of the civil affairs division of the war department in Washington. The letter noted that Garrison had been recommended by the international association of chiefs of police.

MORE UNRRA FUNDS APPROVED BY HOUSE

Washington, Dec. 6—The House today approved another \$1,350,000,000 for UNRRA with a provision that President Truman try to get American newsmen admitted freely to countries receiving aid.

The vote was 327 to 39. Rep. Herter (R-Mass.) said he sponsored the amendment because White Russia and the Ukraine soon would be receiving aid from UNRRA and whether American reporters will be permitted there presents a "serious problem."

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TO: J. C. Casey and wife Ara B. Casey and the unknown heirs of the said J. C. Casey and Ara B. Casey; Lawrence Blake and wife Zela Blake and the unknown heirs of the said Lawrence Blake and Zela Blake; A. M. Searcy and wife Mrs. A. M. Searcy and the unknown heirs of the said A. M. Searcy and Mrs. A. M. Searcy; C. W. Hill and wife Mrs. C. W. Hill and the unknown heirs of the said C. W. Hill and Mrs. C. W. Hill, A. M. Searchy Mrs. A. M. Searchy and the unknown heirs of the said A. M. Searchy and Mrs. A. M. Searchy; J. L. Davis and wife Mrs. J. L. Davis and the unknown heirs of J. L. Davis and Mrs. J. L. Davis, Lawrence Davis and wife Mrs. Lawrence Davis and the unknown heirs of the said Lawrence Davis and Mrs. Lawrence Davis. Jim Harris and wife Mrs. Jim Harris and the unknown heirs of the said Jim Harris and wife Mrs. Jim Harris. E. P. Williams and wife Mrs. E. P. Williams and the unknown heirs of the said E. P. Williams and Mrs. E. P. Williams. Fred Yaws and wife Sudie Mae Yaws and the unknown heirs of the said Fred Yaws and Mrs. Sudie Mae Yaws and J. R. Cone, and, GREETING:

You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 31st day of December, A. D., 1945, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Terry County, at the Court House in Brownfield, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 17 day of November, 1945. The file number of said suit being No. 3122.

The names of the parties in said suit are: N. E. Townsend as Plaintiff, and those hereinbefore named and to whom this Citation is directed are the Defendants and all of the Defendants.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: Action of Trespass to Try Title. Plaintiff alleging that on September 1, 1945 he was lawfully seized and possessed of the following

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described land and premises holding and claiming the same in fee simple, to-wit: The South Half and the Northwest Fourth Section 2, Block C-38, Terry County, Texas. That on said date the defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected the plaintiff therefrom and unlawfully withheld possession thereof.

Praying judgment for title and possession and writ of restitution, general and special relief.

Issued this the 17th day of November A. D., 1945. Given under my had and seal of said Court, at office in Brownfield, Texas, this the 17th day of November A. D., 1945.

ELDORA A. WHITE, Clerk District Court Terry County, Texas 20c

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: WALLACE JOHN MEE GREETING: You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's First Amended petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 31st day of December, A. D., 1945, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Terry County, at the Court House in Brownfield, Texas.

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Said plaintiff's First Amended petition was filed on the 1st day of November, 1945. The file number of said suit being No. 3113.

The names of the parties in said suit are: Beverly Mee as Plaintiff, and Wallace John Mee as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: Divorce. Plaintiff alleging that she has resided in Texas for one year and Terry County Six months prior to filing suit. That the Defendant has been convicted by General Court Martial and given a three year sentence in a Federal Institution and that he has not been pardoned.

Prayer for divorce. Issued this the 17th day of November A. D., 1945.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Brownfield, Texas, this the 17th day of November A. D., 1945.

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Texas And Annexation

THE SLAVERY ISSUE OBSTRUCTS ANNEXATION (Ninth in the series of articles by Dr. Eugene C. Barker, Professor of American History, The University of Texas). It seems likely now that abolitionist sentiment was the chief obstacle to annexation rather than opposition to territorial expansion.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Brown will be in Eldorado, Texas for the next three months where Mr. Brown is helping with the drilling of an oil well. Cpl. and Mrs. W. D. Waggoner, of Winters, spent the weekend as guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Hamilton.

Free States of the Union." The signers admitted that slavery was not the only question involved in annexation, but they insisted that it was the most important issue, and declared that the object of the South was "to add new weight to her end of the lever."

The legislatures of Alabama, Mississippi, Tennessee, and other southern states adopted resolutions arguing the right of the United States to annex Texas and declaring annexation necessary in order to prevent England from gaining control of the province and using it as a base from which to work against slavery in the United States.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gene Gunn were in Oklahoma City on business this week.

Rev. and Mrs. Avery Rogers of Victoria were here the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Curry spent the weekend in Rule, visiting his mother, Mrs. J. F. Curry.

Mr. and Mrs. George Beaty left Tuesday for Emmet, Ark., where they will re-open the grocery business they were in before Mr. Beaty enlisted in the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Szydoski and Tech Sgt. James Szydoski spent the weekend in El Paso. They attended the El Paso-Odessa football game while there.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Hudgens, of Stephenville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Graves, Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Brown and children spent the weekend in Artesia as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Craig.

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### GI Quiz Department

Q. If a person is in vocational training on the job and the employer pays him for any part of his service, will the trainee still receive the increased date of pension referred to in a previous article.

A. The Administrator is authorized to reduce the pension of such person to an amount considered equitable and just but not below the amount of pension or retirement pay to which he would be entitled for service connected disability if not following a course of vocational rehabilitation.

Q. Is a person following a course of Vocational Rehabilitation entitled to a vacation during that period?

A. Yes, a leave of absence may be granted but not in excess of 30 days in any consecutive months.

Q. Will the increased pension be reduced during the leave of absence referred to in the preceding question?

A. No, the pension will be considered as pursuing his course of vocational rehabilitation while on authorized leave of absence and will be paid accordingly.

Are women members of the armed forces eligible for a course in vocational rehabilitation?

A. Yes, inasmuch as Public Law 110, Seventy-eighth Congress made them a part of the Army of the United States.

Q. Who is entitled to the Loan Guaranty provisions of Public 346, 78th Congress, commonly known as the "GI Bill"?

A. Any person with 90 days active service who served on or after September 16, 1940, and prior to the end of the war or was discharged for service incurred or aggravated disability regardless of the term of active service is entitled to Loan Guaranty under the "GI Bill."

Q. Will the so-called "Blue Discharge" or its equivalent bar a World War II veteran from benefits under the "GI Bill of Rights?"

A. No, a World War II veteran is basically entitled to benefits under the "GI Bill of Rights."

Q. Must all active service be after September 16, 1940, to qualify for the Loan Guaranty Provisions?

A. The veteran and eligible potential lender must make application for eligibility on Form 1800. This form when completed, is sent to the Finance Officer, Regional Office of the Veterans Administration, Waco, Texas, together with the original copy of discharge. Upon examination of pertinent records, the veterans eligibility is determined.

Q. Is a photostatic copy of a veteran's discharge acceptable in establishing the basic entitlement to benefits under the "GI Bill of Rights?"

A. Yes, but the copy, photostatic or otherwise, must be certified by a notary public or other official authorized to administer oaths.

**O'DANIEL IS FAVORED IN EVICTION CASE**

Washington, Dec. 8 — Senator O'Daniel (D-Tex) is a little nearer today to occupancy of the 40-room apartment building he has purchased to remodel into a home.

A municipal court jury returned a verdict for the senator in an eviction action he brought against W. W. Brauer, one of three tenants still living in the building.

Brauer had contended that O'Daniel had not brought the eviction suit in good faith but intended to rent rooms to tenants of his choosing. O'Daniel testified he wanted the apartment house solely for use of his family.

Lubbock— Use of the Shirley analyzer, an English machine designed for laboratory study of trash in cotton, is discussed by George W. Pfeifferberger, of the Chicopee cotton research located at Texas Tech, in a current issue of Textile World.

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### LETTERS TO ... SANTA CLAUS

Brownfield, Texas  
December 10, 1945

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a doll, dishes, telephone and fruit, nuts, and candy. Don't forget Johnnie.

With love,  
Wanda Joyce Herring

Brownfield, Texas  
December 6, 1945

Dear Santa,  
I am a little girl three years old. I have been good all the year. Will you please bring me a doll with hair, doll high chair, doll dishes, rub-board, tub to wash my doll dresses with, an iron and iron board, and some apples, oranges, candy and nuts.

With love,  
Gloria Sue Miller

Tokio, Texas  
December 10, 1945

Dearest Jolly Friend,  
Just two more weeks to Christmas so I am sending my list. I have been a sweet girl so I want a new doll, a wooden tub, a rub-board, and table and chairs and bed clothes for my doll bed. Also fruit, nuts and candy. Santa, I have a baby brother since you were here last year. He is four months old and his name is Olan Hugh. Bring him a teddy bear, wooden beads and lots of baby playthings. Be sure to visit all other children. Oh yes, I want a little piano if you can spare it.

I love you,  
Lilith Kay Smith

Brownfield, Texas  
December 10, 1945

Dear Santa Claus,  
I have tried to be good. Please bring me a toy farm, a gun and a truck. Remember all the little boys and girls.

Your little friend,  
Claude Wallace Lee

Brownfield, Texas  
December 5, 1945

Dear Santa,  
I am a little girl five years old. I am in the kindergarten. My teacher says I've been good. Please bring me a bride doll, a nurse set, fruits, nuts and candy.

Thank you,  
Edna Frances Green

Brownfield, Texas  
December 2, 1945

Dear Santa,  
I am a little girl four years old. I have been a nice little girl. Please bring me a xylophone, a doll house and furniture, and two tiny dolls. Please bring my little baby sister a cuddly little animal. My sister's name is Sydna Willis. And please don't forget my Momi and Daddy.

I love you,  
Reba Gail Willis

Brownfield, Texas  
December 10, 1945

Dear Santa Claus,  
Please bring me a kewpie doll, negro doll, telephone, xylophone, dishes, books, blocks and fruits, nuts, and candy. But most of all please let Billie Boy come home from the navy.

Love,  
Judy E. Moore

### Wellman Teams Union Trims

The Union boys basketball team beat the Wellman "Wildcats" last Thursday night, December 6. Union jumped to a big lead in the first half, with a score of 19 to 6. In the last half the Wildcats outplayed the Union team by scoring 6 points to Union's 3. The final score was Union 22, and Wellman 12. The high-point man for Wellman was Welcher with 7 points. The referee was Mr. Neely.

The girls team was also beaten by Union last Thursday night. The first quarter was a toss-up between the two teams, but in the second quarter the Union girls pulled out in front. They were able to retain their lead the rest of the game. The leading scorer for Wellman was Clarke, with 8 points, and for Union it was

Brownfield, Texas  
December 10, 1945

Dear Santa Claus,  
Please bring me a bicycle, doll, fruit, nuts and candy. Don't forget little Eddie Joe.

Love,  
Patty N. Wood

Brownfield, Texas  
December 10, 1945

Dear Santa,  
I have been a good little girl. Please bring me a doll, dishes and telephone, and fruits, nuts and candy. Don't forget Johnnie.

With love,  
Peggy Doris Herring

Brownfield, Texas  
December 10, 1945

The following personnel from the Brownfield area have today been honorably discharged from the United States Navy at the Naval Personnel Separation Center in Shoemaker, California: Phillip R. Cates, Jr., MoMM2/c, Box 408, Brownfield, Texas.

Dorothy Boran of San Antonio spent the weekend as a guest in the E. N. Eicke home.

Mesdames Jim Renfro and Clarence Hester and son, of Meadow, were in Brownfield Tuesday, shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Bost and Linda Mae were in Lubbock shopping, Monday.

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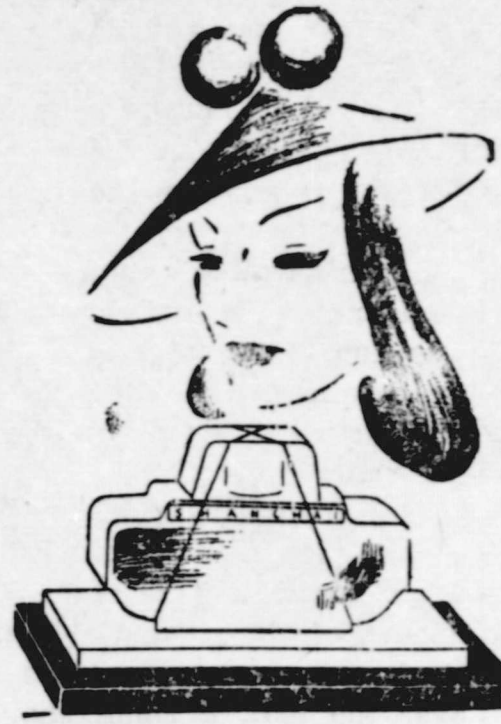
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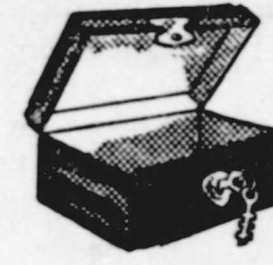
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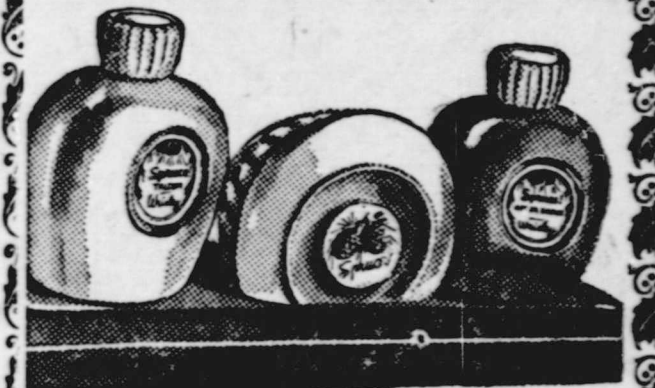
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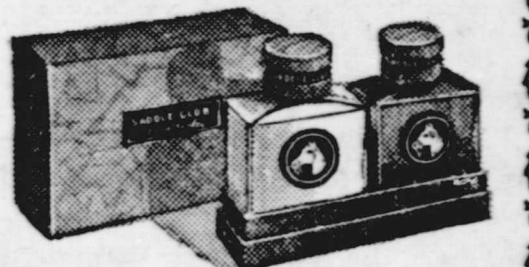
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### LA FIESTA CLUB

Mrs. Frances Hailey entertained the La Fiesta club with bridge, Wednesday evening at her home. Mrs. Cotton-Neely won high, Mrs. Ralph Ferguson, low, Mrs. Kenneth Hill, traveling and Mrs. Terry Redford and Miss Billy Margaret Johnson won in the games of Bingo. Names were drawn for the exchange of gifts at the Christmas party next week.

A salad plate was served to Mesdames Redford, Neely, Ferguson, Hill, Slim Schellinger, Wayne Brown, Helen Mangum and Miss Billy Margaret Johnson.

### IDEAL CLUB

Mrs. Dick Myers was hostess to the Ideal club Wednesday afternoon, with two tables of bridge. High, second high and Bingo prizes were awarded at the conclusion of the games.

A salad plate was served to Mesdames Slick Collins, Joe McGowan, O. L. Peterman, Reagan Peeler, A. A. Sawyer, Preston Figley, C. F. Simes, and Glen Akers.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Hill and children spent the weekend in Big Spring visiting with relatives.

### ADULT DEPT. OF BAPTIST CHURCH HAVE CHRISTMAS PARTY

The adult department of the Baptist church enjoyed a Christmas party in the recreation rooms of the church, Tuesday evening. A beautifully decorated Christmas tree dominated the scene. The exchange of gifts, which were toys for children, furnished a lot of merriment and will also bring a lot of underprivileged children happiness, as they were left there to be given out Christmas eve to those needing them. Mesdames R. D. Shewmake and George Tullian kept everyone in a lively mood with the many games and contests they had planned.

Doughnuts, coffee and hot chocolate were served to a large gathering.

### WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON BRIDGE CLUB

Members and guests of the Wednesday afternoon Bridge club spent an enjoyable afternoon at the home of Mrs. Slim Schellinger, Wednesday of this week. When scores were tallied Mrs. Ted Hardy received high, Mrs. Frank Szydoski, travelling and Mrs. T. H. McIlroy won in Bingo. A salad plate was served to Mesdames Sue Christopher, Crawford Burrows, J. E. Mathews, Ted Hardy, Frank Szydoski, Kyle Graves and T. H. McIlroy.

C. L. Graham, 71, of Ralls, father of Mrs. W. M. Stinnett of Brownfield, died last Tuesday while visiting another daughter at Gunter, Texas. Burial at Old Emma, original county seat of Crosby county.

W. F. Snitker of Plains, handed in the where-with-all, to keep the Herald headed his way another year.

Mrs. James L. Kincaid, of Ft. Worth was here last week as a guest in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Myers.

### HARMONY HD CLUB MET WITH MRS. GILL

December 6th the Harmony Home Demonstration club met with Mrs. Gill with ten members present. The house was called to order by our president, Mrs. Paul Gracey. Roll call was answered with a favorite Bible scripture.

Program: Christmas party planned and to be at Mrs. Bartley's, Dec. 18th, at night. Everyone come and bring a present for your husband also.

(Delayed)

Harmony H. D. club met in the home of Mrs. Paul Gracey in November, with 13 members and Miss Reast present. Miss Reast gave a demonstration on reseating chairs.

Refreshments were served to Miss Reast and the members.

### PLAINS NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Posey of Lubbock spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Robertson.

Mrs. Curtis Jackson is in the hospital in Brownfield recovering with the flu. She is reported doing nicely.

Seamon Jodie McDonnell left Saturday for California after a 15-day furlough here with his mother, Mrs. S. McDonnell. Mrs. Naomi McCargo and Mrs. Till W. Read were shopping in Lubbock Wednesday.

Several from here attended the football game Friday at Littlefield. The game was between Littlefield and Denver City.

Mrs. Warner Hayhurst and children visited in Lubbock Wednesday night and Thursday.

Mrs. W. H. Hague and John Hague have returned home after a visit in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Copeland of Oklahoma visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Copeland, last week.

Several are sick with the flu and colds this week. Duggy Turner of Sweetwater

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford L. Horn had as their dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Neighbors, of Hobbs.

Dee D. Savage of Rt. 1, city at the Matigan Hospital Center, Ft. Lewis, Washington, has been promoted to Technician, 5th grade.

Noah Bell, prominent pioneer farmer of the Needmore community is convalescing at the local hospital, from a week's illness.

spent last week here with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rushing.

Congressman George Mahon came through with the price of another year of good reading, this week. Says he appreciates the news he gets from his district through the papers.

Mr. R. E. Stinks, of Quinland, Texas, visited his mother, Mrs. A. L. Stinks, one day last week.

### FUTURE FARMERS ENTERTAIN HOME EC GIRLS

The Future Farmers invited the Home Economic girls to a picture show and refreshments Monday night at the gym. There were two pictures, "A Stitch In Time,"

which showed the different accidents which happen on many farms and how to prevent them. It was a very good show on farm safety. "Farm Inconvenience" was a picture on the many inconven-

iences and how they may be improved. About one hundred boys and girls attended this meeting. Apples and doughnuts were served as refreshments.

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Letters To . . .

... Santa Claus

Meadow, Texas  
December 11, 1945  
Dear Santa Claus,  
I am a little girl almost seven years old and in the second grade, and I like school very much. Please bring me a doll, ironing board, tea set and some fruit, nuts and candy. Please remember the other boys and girls.

Your little friend,  
Mary Louise Riley  
Brownfield, Texas  
December 12, 1945

Dear Santa Claus,  
I've tried very hard to be a good little girl. Please bring me a rocker, doll bed, doctor's set and dishes. Please remember my sister too. She wants some books. We both want lots of fruit, nuts and candy. We have our Christmas tree all ready for you. Please remember all the other little boys and girls.

With love,  
Larae Jean Hewett  
Seagraves, Texas  
December 11, 1945

Dear Santa Claus,  
Please bring me a truck or tractor, tinker toys and a bow and arrow, candy and nuts. Please remember the boys and girls and mother and father.

Dan Shulz  
Brownfield, Texas  
December 11, 1945

Dear Santa Claus,  
I am a little girl four years old. Please bring me a little ironing board and iron, a doll, a dust pan, a bracelet and some other toys. Also bring me some nuts, fruit and candy. Don't forget my little sister, Frances Lanelle, she wants a rattle and toys, too.

Love,  
Sue Dell and Frances Jones  
Brownfield, Texas  
December 11, 1945

Dear Santa Claus,  
I have tried to be a good girl this year and I would like for Christmas, an iron and ironing board, a bracelet, a doll, and some other toys, too. Also some nuts, fruits and candy. Don't forget my two little sisters, also mother and daddy.

Love,  
Joyce Simmons  
Brownfield, Texas  
December 11, 1945

Dear Santa,  
I have tried to be good. I want a telephone, doll, story books and a wagon. I want lots of candy, nuts, and fruit. But most of all I want my brother to come home.

With love, your little friend,  
Shelby Ann Thompson  
Brownfield, Texas  
December 11, 1945

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a doll and a doll stroller and a set of dishes. Please remember my brother and sisters and all the other little boys and girls.

Barbara Jean Pollard

New Vets To Share Legion

Chicago, Ill.—By electing two World War II combat veterans as national vice commanders for 1946, The American Legion has made good its promise to the millions of returning fighting men and women of full partnership in its \$100,000,000 organization.

Not only did the 27th national convention give recognition to the Legion's growing World War II membership by elevating two of its new young members to national offices, but it also adopted a resolution calling on all its posts, districts and departments to place their young veterans in positions of leadership and responsibility in the organization as rapidly as possible.

The two World War II veterans chosen as national vice commanders are:

Captain Fred P. LaBoon of Chickasha, Oklahoma, hero of the Bataan death march, and still serving in the army.

H. Dudley Swim of Twin Falls, Idaho, Pacific navy veteran who also had the honor of being the first World War II state commander.

John L. Lewis has his scalping knife out for CIO. AFL is giving silent support while management is becoming quite vocal in its approval of Lewis' tactics. It is figured by both management and labor that CIO must be whipped. This faction of labor has become altogether too active in its participation in political and economic affairs of the nation. Since Lewis is willing to take the lead in this fight, both management and labor are willing for him to spearhead the attack. We shall see just how successful the bulldog determination is against the politically wise Sidney Hillman, who stands high in political circles in Washington.

—Canyon News.

GIANT BOND ISSUE IS APPROVED AT DALLAS

Dallas, Dec. 8—Dallas voters today approved a \$40,000,000 bond issue providing for a 10-year program of public and school improvements.

The issues carried by a margin of five votes to three. Five thousand votes out of a possible 125,000 were cast.

A bold and loud-spoken woman entered the meat market. "How many turkeys have you got?" she inquired of the butcher.

"Eight, Madam," the man replied courteously.

"Tender?"

"Some are tender, and some not so tender," was the frank reply.

"I keep boarders," said the new customer. "Pick out the four toughest turkeys you've got."

The butcher very gladly complied with the request, and said in his politest tones, "These are the tough ones, ma'am."

Upon which the customer coolly put her hand on the remaining four, and said, "I'll take these!"

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Sugar Ration To Be Held At Five Pounds

Washington, Dec. 6—Individual sugar rations will continue to be five pounds in four months from January through April but housewives may find it harder to get sugar in January and February, OPA announced today.

With validation of a new sugar stamp, number 39, on January 1, OPA expects a shortage which will be most noticeable on the east coast.

Sugar allotments to industrial users generally will be at the same levels for the first quarter of 1946 as at present, the OPA statement said.

Shipments of new crops of Caribbean sugar are not expected in substantial volume until March 1, according to the Agriculture department. OPA said that this meant that only about one-half of the allotments made for the first quarter would be available during January or February.

Cooking With Gas: An airman had to take to his parachute owing to engine trouble. On his way through space he met an old lady floating up.

"Hey!" he shouted. "Have you noticed a Spitfire going down?"

"No," replied the old lady. "Have you seen a gas stove going up?"

New Process Killing Off Coyotes In Texas

Fort Worth, Dec. 6—Little Red Riding Hood would be safe today in northern Tarrant county.

Joe B. Lindsey, district agent of the U. S. Department of the Interior, reported that a government trapper, R. L. Buster, has killed 21 wolves in the northern part of Tarrant county in the last two months.

Buster's wolf - trapping success—one animal every three days—was due to use of a new device, the coyote getter.

Lindsey explained how the coyote getter works:

"It's a small cyanide gun, staked into the ground. Scent bait and fur is placed on the end sticking up out of the ground. When the wolf or coyote closes his jaws over the bait, a small shell explodes sending the cyanide into the animal's throat. Goodbye, Mr. Wolf."

Lindsey said that during the last fiscal year 19,220 bobcats, coyotes, wolves and one mountain lion were trapped and killed in Texas. Of that total, 1,960 were killed by use of the coyote getter.

Farmers in more than 2,500 communities in the South have found that the one-variety cotton improvement program pays.

WELL NOURISHED CHILD ENJOYS LIFE

Austin—Discussing the food requirements of a child enjoying maximum health, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, has stressed the importance of a well-rounded diet and stated that a healthy and well-nourished child enjoys life because he is physically fit.

Emphasizing the importance to health of an adequate and well-balanced diet, Dr. Cox stated further that when a child is in good health, his appetite is good, elimination is regular and sleep is sound and untroubled.

"A child's appearance can usually help parents to judge the state of his nutrition. A well-nourished child has good skin color and there is a moderate padding of fat over the bones and muscles of the arms, legs and body. Muscles are well developed and strong. Teeth are good and the gums are firm and light pink," Dr. Cox said.

The State Health Officer stated that a finicky appetite or a tired feeling after a little exertion indicates possible malnutrition and the child should see the family physician. Poor appetite can also mean the beginning of an illness and possible that the child does not require as much food as he is being urged to eat.

Marion T. Bowers, 67 of Lorenzo, brother of R. L. Bowers of this city, died Wednesday in a Lubbock hospital. Burial today at Lorenzo.

Small, thin ears may be a sign of weak character; but large, thick ones are a sure sign of a weak defense.

Then there is the tightwad who gave his little daughter a dime, if she wouldn't eat any supper; took the dime away from her while she slept; and refused her any breakfast because she lost it.

The only time we ever won an argument with the wife was the time she had her mouth full of bobby pins. That, of course, must have been a long time ago.

Judging from the appearance of some men they ought to stand a little closer to the razor when they shave.

Required as a diet for the pre-school child and those of school age, Dr. Cox included milk, fruit, vegetables, eggs, meat, fish or cheese, cereal and bread and added that cod liver oil and other vitamin preparations are important in winter and early spring but should be prescribed by the family physician.

The A. L. Bruce Here On A Visit

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bruce have moved from Rusk, Texas, back to Lubbock, where they lived prior to the war. While her husband was in the service, she made her home with her folks, and taught in the Rusk schools. She formerly taught here and at Lubbock. They were visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Bruce and family.

Mr. Bruce, who was practically reared here, was a petty officer in the Seabees, and spent 15 months of his service in Ireland, England, Scotland and France. Came back to the states for two months, and thence to the Panama Canal zone, and Pacific area for five months.

Mr. Bruce seemed to be glad to get out of the service, and follow a peaceful life again.

The 1,182 frozen food locker plants built during the past year brought the total to 6,464. There were only 2,870 such plants in operation in 1940.

No farmer will have "money to burn" if fires take his profits.

Why do they call it the fire whistle when it's really blowing for water?

# WILL THERE BE A STEEL STRIKE?

Not if the CIO abides by its pledged word, given only last spring.

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

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

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

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

**Question:** Are those contracts still in effect?

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

**Question:** Who signed for the Union?

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

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

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

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

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

**Question:** Did the recent strike vote violate the contracts?

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

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

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

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

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

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

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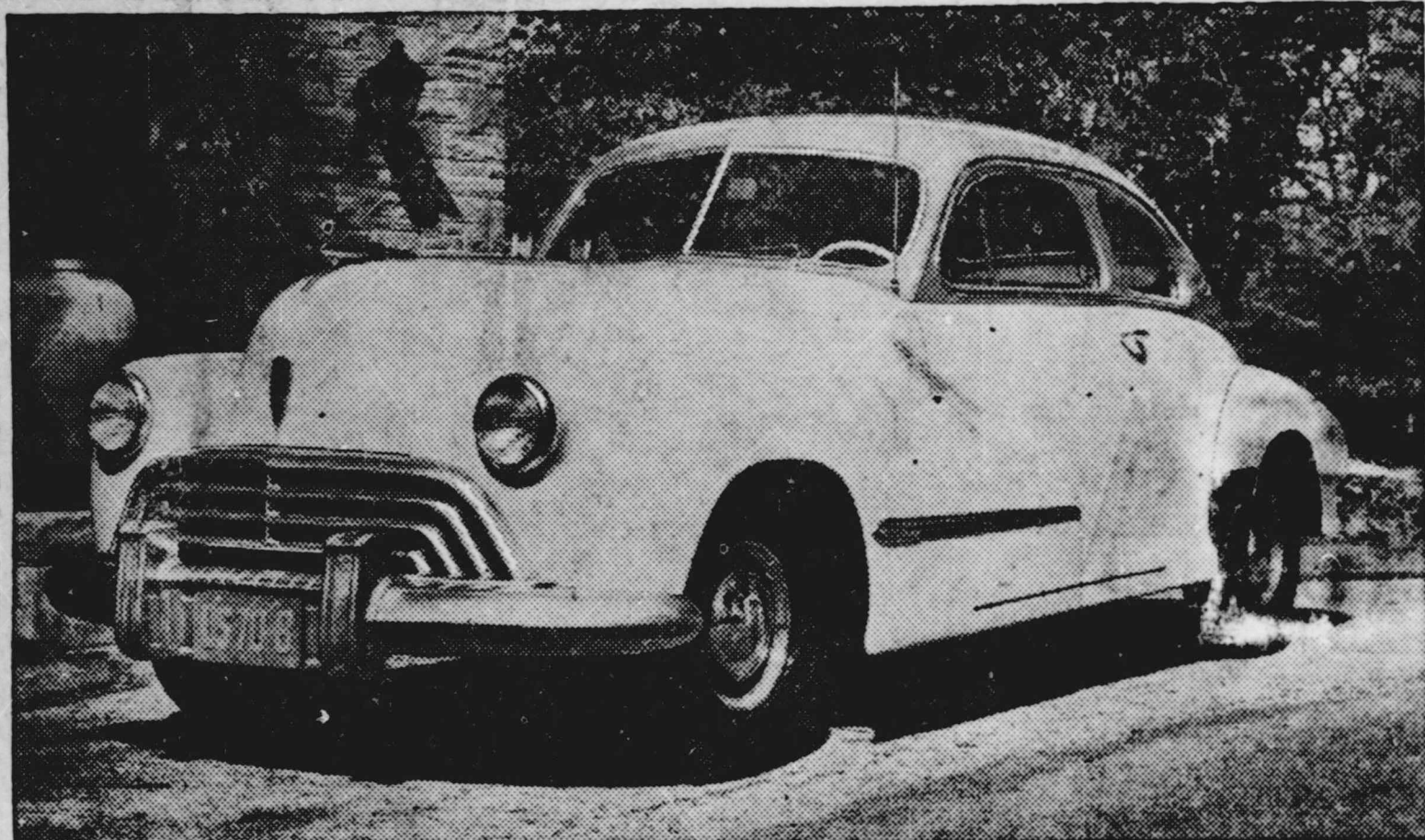
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### OPA Says No Extra Sugar For Christmas

Fort Worth, Dec. 8—There will be no extra sugar for Christmas. Max McCullough, assistant National OPA administrator, said today the supply picture would not permit the OPA to validate a new sugar stamp on Dec. 15, two weeks in advance of the date the next stamp is due. McCullough said OPA had been under pressure to authorize validation of the stamp early for Christmas baking but had decided against the move.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Bright of Gendale, Calif., are visiting Mrs. Bright's parents in Lubbock. Willard formerly owned the Gaines County News at Seagraves, but has been in war work for the past three years. He was a caller at the Herald office, Wednesday.

The members of the Adult dept. of the Baptist church and the many friends of Mrs. Berta Chambliss gave her a housewarming last week. She is the proud owner of a new home given her by her son on his return from the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Graves entertained with a dinner and two tables of bridge, Tuesday evening at their home. Guests were: Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Davis and Earl, Dr. and Mrs. T. H. McIlroy and Diana Ruth, and Mr. and Mrs. Slim Schellinger.

Aluminum once intended for airplane construction will soon be available for roofing. Some is already being moved through the Consumers Cooperatives Association, Amarillo.

Even if it's late—she'd rather wait for this

## LANE Christmas Gift

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## KNIGHT FURNITURE

Mrs. John Butler and children, who have been living in Blackwell, Okla., are here at the Motor Inn. Mr. Butler is the new manager of St. Clair's store.

Mesdames E. M. Royer, W. L. Auvenshine and Tom Adams, and Harold Tharp were at Seminole, Friday night for the basket ball game between Brownfield and Seminole.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Yandel and Wade, who recently moved to Lubbock, decided they liked Brownfield much better, so they moved back last week.

She said she didn't want to see his face again, so he got up and turned out the light.

The average Texas milch cow is worth \$68.00.

We're always kind to insects and never overlook an opportunity to pat a mosquito on the back.

## Help them get home for Christmas

Make only essential trips during the holidays

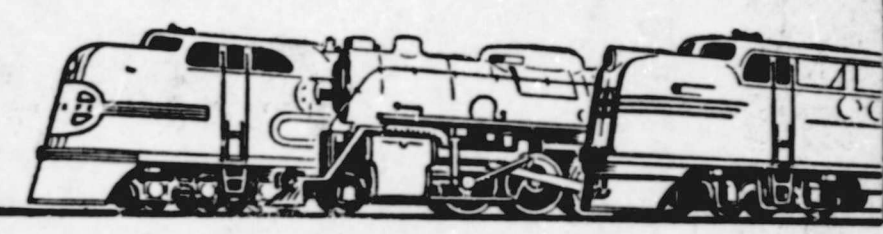


528,000 home-bound members of our victorious forces will reach West Coast ports this month

The biggest gift that thousands and thousands of the men and women in our fighting forces could get is a chance to spend the Christmas holidays with the folks at home. But getting them home is far more than a matter of discharge papers or a holiday leave—there's the problem of getting them to wherever home is. Tens of thousands are now in California ports waiting to get home. The Army and Navy tell us that better than a half million service personnel will be returning in December. That means 17,000, on the average, must be taken care of each day.

Our trains are already overcrowded. We don't want to disappoint a single soldier, sailor, marine, coast guardsman, Wac, Wave or Spar we can possibly find space for. So won't you help us to do our share in playing Santa Claus to them by postponing your trip until after the holidays—unless it has to be made. You'll get—we'll bet—a little glow out of knowing that you're making it possible for somebody in the service to be home. So again we ask, in all friendliness, won't you postpone your trip until we can serve you in the traditional Santa Fe manner.

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**Social Events of the Week**

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**JUANDA RUTH TURNER AND J. E. SMITH UNITED IN MARRIAGE**



Miss Juanda Ruth Turner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Turner and J. E. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse S. Smith were united in marriage, Sunday afternoon at four o'clock in the First Baptist church.

The double ring ceremony was read by Rev. Avery Rogers, of Victoria, a former pastor of the Brownfield church. The service was performed before a double arch of white cathedral candles in candelabra flanked by tall urns of white gladioli and fern. A large arrangement of white gladioli and fern formed the background. Pews were marked with white

satin bows and flowers. Miss Joyce Dungan lighted the candles as Miss Glynda Ross played "Always." Preceding the ceremony, Miss Marilyn Claiborne, of Lubbock, sang "Because." Roses of Picardy was played during the service by Miss Ross, who also played the traditional wedding marches.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a dress of ivory duchesse satin, designed with leg-of-mutton sleeves sweetheart neckline and shirred bodice. She carried a showered arm bouquet of white roses, white narcissus and a white orchid. Her fingertip veil

of bridal illusion fell from a heart shaped halo which was trimmed with orange blossoms. For something old, and something borrowed, the bride wore a pin belonging to Mrs. Sidney Claiborne, that had been worn in three generations of weddings. A blue satin bow pinned to the hem of her slip furnished something blue. The bridesmaids placed a lucky sixpence in her slipper. A strand of pearls, her gift from the bridegroom, was her only ornament.

Miss Billye Lackey, maid of honor, wore a dress of limelight net with a matching halo and mits. Her gown was fashioned with a full skirt, fitted bodice with scalloped bertha yoke and elbow sleeves. She carried a bouquet of Talisman roses.

Misses Jean Knight and Christine McDuffie, bridesmaids, and Miss Dungan wore identical dresses of turquoise net, styled with full gathered skirts, shirred bodices, yokes outlined with double rouching and elbow sleeves. Their colonial bouquets were of yellow rosebuds.

Alfred Gore was best man and Sammy Jones and Oral Greenfield were ushers.

At the reception which was given in the Turner home, the bride's table was covered with a Madeira cloth and decorated with white flowers, candles and a three tiered wedding cake. Before dressing for traveling the bride tossed her bridal bouquet which was caught by Miss Jean Knight.

Mother of the bride wore a black crepe afternoon dress with a pink carnation corsage. The bridegroom's mother wore a black crepe afternoon dress with a red carnation corsage.

After a wedding trip to Santa Fe, N. M., the couple will be at home in Brownfield. For Travel, the bride wore a three-piece grey wool suit with tuxedo trim of natural silver muskrat.

The bride attended Baylor university and Texas Technological college where she was a pledge of Sans Souci social club. The bridegroom attended John Tarleton college and Tech and was discharged from the Navy in November after serving three years and nine months.

Wedding guests were from Abilene, Lubbock, Plainview, Victoria and Jacksboro.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Auburg, of Turkey, Texas, are here for Mrs. Auburg to undergo surgery in the hospital here.

**ALPHA OMEGA CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. HAMILTON**

Mrs. Jack Hamilton was hostess, Tuesday afternoon, when she entertained members of the Alpha Omega club. Before the program, all present answered roll call with an interesting fact about their assigned subject.

Mrs. Jake Gore, as program chairman, introduced the following and their subjects, Mrs. W. L. Auvenshine, "Internal Europe;" Mrs. N. L. Mason, "Pan American Relations;" Mrs. Jack Ellis, "American-Chinese Relations;" and Mrs. Lee Brownfield, "The Importance of the United Nations Charter."

Pineapple upside down cake and coffee was served to Mesdames N. L. Mason, W. L. Auvenshine, Walter Hord, Bill McKinney, Jake Gore, P. R. Cates, Sam Teague, Lee Brownfield, Grady Goodpasture, V. L. Patterson, Arlie Lowmyer, Clarence Lackey, Jack Ellis, Homer Newman, Finis Carter, Truett Flache and Tommy Hicks.

**W. M. U. MEETS IN CIRCLES**

The Woman's Missionary Union of the Baptist church met in circles Monday afternoon. The Bagby Circle met at the home of Mrs. Ame Flache with Mrs. D. L. Patton teaching the mission study from the book, "Missions in Chile." Six members were present.

The Lucille Reagan circle met at the home of Mrs. Henry Holmes with Miss Lola Dunham teaching the lesson. Eight members were present.

The Lottie Moon circle met at the home of Mrs. W. H. Collins with Mrs. W. E. Pool teaching a lesson on Civil-Social Life, taken from the book, "Topical Studies of the Bible."

Those present were: Mesdames K. W. Howell, J. W. Nelson, R. M. Moorhead, H. B. Grant, C. E. Ross, W. L. Bandy, B. L. McPherson and W. E. Pool.

**PHI BETA CRAESUS CLUB**

Members of the Phi Beta Craesus club met at the home of Gloria Swan, Tuesday afternoon to complete plans for their presentation which will be held Friday night. A Christmas party which will be held at the home of Dixie Redford, Tuesday afternoon, was also planned.

A sandwich plate, cake and hot chocolate was served to Dorothy Nell Brownlee, Elizabeth Anthony, Jean Craig, Hazel Vernon, Dolores Gillham, Judy Griffin, Jane Weir, Marion Wingerd, Dixie Redford, Diana Mellroy, Glenna Winston, Gwennette Glover, and Eleanor Miller.

The wife doesn't pick our clothes. Just the pockets.

**SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY GIVEN MRS. TRUETT FLACHE**

Mrs. A. A. Sawyer complimented her daughter, Mrs. Truett Flache, with a surprise birthday party, Sunday evening. Games of Tripoli furnished diversion for the guests. A lovely array of gifts were presented the honoree in remembrance of the occasion.

Birthday cake and coffee were served to Mesdames Sam Teague, Cotton Neely, Terry Redford, Curly Edwards, Sawyer Graham, Blue Graham, Bruce Zorns and Miss Jo Pete May.

**FIDELIS MATRON'S CLASS HAVE CHRISTMAS PARTY**

The Fedelis Matron's Sunday School class of the Baptist church held their Christmas party at the home of Mrs. E. C. Davis, Thursday evening of last week. Various games and contests were enjoyed and Christmas gifts were exchanged.

Fruit cake and spiced tea was served to Mesdames Nelson, Floyd, Teague, Wartes, Sexton, Greenfield and Rev. Mrs. A. A. Brian.

**PLEASURE CLUB**

Mrs. E. L. Sturges entertained the Pleasure club with three tables of bridge at her home Thursday night of last week. Mrs. Preston Figley was given high score prize and Mrs. Bill Gore, second high. Mrs. Lee Brownfield won in the game of Bingo.

A salad plate was served to Mesdames Lal Copeland, Walter Hord, Ike Bailey, Bill Gore, Lee Brownfield, Orb Stice, Preston Figley, C. C. Primm, Jack McLaughlin, N. L. Mason, Clyde McLaughlin and Miss Gertrude Jones.

**NIGHT BRIDGE CLUB**

Members of the Night Bridge club enjoyed an evening of bridge in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Peterman, Saturday evening of last week. At the conclusion of the games Mr. Joe McGowan was awarded high score for men and Mrs. Peterman for the women.

A refreshment plate was served to Messers and Mesdames Bob Bowers, Joe McGowan, Al Muldrow, John O'Dell and Harlan Glen.

**W. S. C. S.**

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church met Monday afternoon in Fellowship Hall for their monthly Outlook program. The meeting began with a prayer by Mrs. N. T. House. A business session followed in which the quarterly reports of officers were read.

The program which was on "The Church's Gift to Us" was opened with a prayer and the reading of the scriptures which was Luke 4:16-19. The group then sang, "The Church's One Foundation." Mrs. Leo Holmes directed a playlet on the theme of the subject in which the following girls took part: Betty Holmes, Judy Griffin, Billie Finney, Elizabeth Anthony and Mary Brannon. Mesdames U. Gordon, Jim Ward, A. J. Loyd and M. F. Frazier gave short talks devoted to the program topic. 14 members were present.

Mesdames D. K. Estes of Level-land, and J. C. Criswell spent Monday in Lubbock, Christmas shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Redford and Mrs. Ralph Ferguson were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cotton Neely, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Lowmyer entertained a small group of friends with games of "42" in their home Saturday evening. Sandwiches and coffee were served to Messers and Mesdames Eldon Cornelius, Robert Noble and A. L. Tittle.

Dr. and Mrs. M. E. Jacobson and children, of Amarillo, spent the weekend as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lowe.

L. A. Bailey came in Tuesday from California with papers saying he is no longer a warrant officer but a civilian. He has been in Japan for the past several months.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Horn and Mr. and Mrs. John J. Kendrick attended the formal opening of the Cotton Club in Lubbock, Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Otto L. Sims, of Ropesville, was in town Tuesday Christmas shopping.

**JESSIE G. RANDAL P. T. A. HAS CHRISTMAS PARTY**

The Jessie G. Randal P. T. A. enjoyed a Christmas party in the auditorium of the school, Tuesday evening. After a short business session games were enjoyed under the direction of Mr. R. J. Craft.

Punch and cookies were served from a refreshment table decorated in the Yuletide motif. The punch bowl wreathed in greenery with clusters of red berries forming the centerpiece for the table. Christmas candles in the shape of Santa Claus and trees were also used. The red and green color scheme was further carried out in the plates of cookies which were star-shaped and iced in red and green. Mrs. Ted Hardy presided at the punch bowl. Christmas greens were used in decorating the auditorium.

Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Walker spent Sunday in Portales, N. M., visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wilson and son, Chuck, are vacationing in Kansas for the next two weeks.



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- Sun Pak, Heavy Syrup, can ..... 32c
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- \$1.00 Jergens Lotion ..... 79c
- 50c Phillips Milk Magnesia ..... 39c
- 75c Pond's Cold Cream ..... 57c
- 50c Barbasol Shave Cream ..... 39c
- 60c Drene Shampoo ..... 49c
- 75c Modart Fluff Shampoo ..... 59c
- Razor Blades, Star, Single or Double Edge
- 60c Alka Seltzer ..... 49c
- \$1.50 Lydia E. Pinkham Tonic ..... \$1.09
- \$1.25 Absorbine Jr. .... 98c

Rolling West Peas, No. 2 can ..... 17c  
Peas, Quick Meal, No. 2 can ..... 12c

**PEARS**

- Tri-Valley, halves, No. 2 1/2 ..... 33c
- Libby's halves, No. 2 1/2 ..... 36c
- Granny's mix pieces, No. 2 1/2 ..... 31c

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Drew, 2 1/2 can ..... 35c

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- Paragon ..... 44c
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- Malt-O-Meal, pkg. .... 22c
- Libby's 2 1/2 Apricots ..... 33c
- Prune Juice, Sun Sweet ..... 32c
- Beets, Libby's, No. 2 can ..... 13c
- Preserves, Ma Brown, Apricot, 2 lbs. .... 63c
- Bliss, Apricot, 1 lb. .... 34c
- Worldover Apple Jelly, 2 lb. .... 39c

**Ice Cream**

Pint ..... **19c**

**Clorox** Pint ..... 15c  
Quart ..... 23c  
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**ASPARAGUS** Sun Pak No. 2 can ..... **40c**

**TOMATOES** Bestex, No. 2 ..... **11c**

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**Green Beans** Caso, Whole No. 2 can ..... **12c**

**Sugar** Pure Cane 5 lb. .... 34c  
10 Lb. .... **66c**

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**Butter** Furr's, Qt., lb. .... 53c  
Solid, lb. .... 52c

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**CHEESE**

Longhorn, lb. ....

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**Pork Steak or Roast lb. 32c**

- STEAK or ROAST, Chuck, lb. .... 28c
- Pure Pork SAUSAGE, bags, lb. .... 37c
- FRYERS, dressed ..... 60c
- LUNCH MEAT, Assorted, lb. .... 35c
- Pure Hog LARD, lb. .... 19c
- HENS, full dressed ..... 50c

**Pork SAUSAGE Link lb. 46c**

Pork SAUSAGE, bulk, lb. .... 29c **PLENTY OF FISH AND OYSTERS**

- Bleach "33", Qt. .... 12 1/2c
- Linit Starch, box ..... 9c
- KIX, pkg. .... 12c
- Sunkist Lemons, lb. .... 13c



Turnips & Tops, Collards, Green Onions, Okra, Carrots, Yellow Squash, White Squash, Cucumbers.

- Celery, Green, Stalk ..... 19c
- Cauliflower, lb. .... 12 1/2c
- Lettuce, lb. .... 12c
- Cabbage, lb. .... 5c
- Grapefruit, Pink, lb. .... 9c
- Sweet Potatoes, lb. .... 8c
- Texas Oranges, lb. .... 10c
- Potatoes, Russet, No. 1, lb. .... 5c

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### Testing For Bangs Disease Important

The testing of cattle for Bangs disease should be one of the paramount aims of livestock owners, according to R. N. McClain, County agent. The elimination of reactors is an economical problem because the disease causes the loss of too many livestock each year because of failure to raise a live calf. Also, according to the State health department undulant fever in humans is usually caused from the consumption of infected dairy products which have not been properly pasteurized. This in itself should be an incentive to free the county herds of this disease.

A few hundred head have already been tested in the county but not nearly enough for 100 percent protection of people who consume whole milk. Farmers wishing to have their cows tested should list them in the county agent's office. At such time as the list reaches a number in a locality sufficient

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Mose had applied to the philosophic white gentleman for a loan. He was turned down, and as a parting admonition the gentleman said: "You are strong and healthy and work is plentiful. Why don't you get a job? Hard work never killed anybody."

Mose said: "You sho' is wrong about dat, boss. I'se lost fou' wives from nuffin' else."

Kathleen Ward and Dorothy Boran were in Ft. Worth this week visiting Mrs. Marshall Drennan.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Hogue, of Levelland, visited Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Hogue, Sunday.

S1/c Eldon Kelly Baggett, who is on the USS Guam, is here on a 25-day leave visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Baggett.

to warrant the test on a community basis the services of a veterinarian will be procured to make the tests.

### Army To Open Nine New Recruiting Offices In West Texas

Lieutenant Colonel Robert L. Hardy, Recruiting Officer in command of the West Texas U. S. Army Recruiting District, has announced plans to open nine (9) new Army Recruiting stations in West Texas before the first of the year.

Colonel Hardy stated that due to the recent passage of the Voluntary Recruitment Act of 1945 by Congress that many men of West Texas who are interested in enlistment in the Regular Army have not been contacted because of the distance involved in traveling to the Army Recruiting stations which are at present operating in Amarillo, Lubbock, Abilene, Big Spring, and San Angelo, Texas. Colonel Hardy hopes by opening nine new Recruiting stations to contact those men interested in enlistment and acquaint them with the benefits offered by the Voluntary Recruitment Act which was known in Congressional circles as the "Red Apple" Bill. The benefits included in this Bill are the most generous ever offered by the Nation to its soldiers.

The nine new Recruiting Stations to be opened in West Texas will probably be located in the Post Office Building or other government building in the different cities selected.

S1/c T. C. Hogue, Jr., who is on the USS Bayfield, wired his parents Monday, saying he was in port in Seattle, Washington, for a few days.

Lt. Gerrold Herron, of Abilene, visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lowe, Friday.

Mesdames Randolph Hyman and Fred Lowe were in Lubbock Monday, shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Walker were in Tahoka on business, Friday of last week.

Berlon Lincoln was in Ropesville, Tuesday morning, on company business.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Murphy and his parents spent the weekend in Floydada, visiting relatives.

### NOTICE

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church will have their Christmas luncheon, Monday at one o'clock in Fellowship Hall. All women of the church and guests are invited. All who come bring a covered dish for the luncheon and a gift which will be exchanged during the social hour.

Mrs. Eldora White has been confined to her bed with the flu the past week.

Mrs. Gail Willis visited her husband in Jal, N. M., last week. Mr. Willis is employed there. This week she and the children are visiting her sister, Mrs. Bob McDonald, in Levelland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Guye, of Lovington, N. M., spent Saturday visiting Mrs. Rosa B. Norris. They all visited Mr. and Mrs. George Hindman in Lubbock Sunday.

Charlie Lou Gaston and Jo Ann Blevins spent Saturday in Lubbock, shopping for Christmas gifts.

### Prepayment Plan Is Approved By AAA

Chicago, Dec. 6—The American Medical association gave the green light today to a program designed to establish a nationwide network of "voluntary" prepayment medical plans to be sponsored by medical societies.

The association, through its house of delegates, took action after branding as "socialized medicine" a proposal by President Truman for a federal system of sickness insurance.

The association's board of trustees and its council on medical service and public relations were instructed "to proceed as promptly as possible with the development of a specific national health program, with emphasis upon the nationwide organization of locally administered prepayment medical plans sponsored by the medical societies."

Freddie Ruth and Frances Lows spent several days of last week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Lowe, in Lubbock.

### 8,500 SURPLUS JEEPS AVAILABLE TO VETS

Washington—Veterans will be able to buy 8,500 surplus jeeps, Rep. Case (R-SD) said today.

Case said he was told by the Reconstruction Finance corporation that the jeeps would be allocated to the regional RFC offices in the various states on the basis of population and need.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Bolling were here last week as guests of Mr. and Mrs. John King. They have been living in Idaho, where Mr. Bolling was stationed at Camp Rupert but now that he is a civilian again they will make their home in Columbus, Miss. Mrs. Bolling and Mrs. King are sisters.

Lt. Buddy Rambo writes that he is seeing plenty of water as he is flying a transport plane from Honolulu to Tokyo.

Rev. W. B. Walker of Abilene, who is district superintendent, preached a special service at the Brownfield Nazarene church, Wednesday evening of last week.

### NOTICE

Rev. Ralph Underwood, minister of the Christian church of Lamesa, will preach here Sunday afternoon at the First Christian church at 3:00 o'clock. All those interested in getting the church started again are urged to attend. Also all those who care to hear a good sermon.

Tech. Sgt. and Mrs. Roy D. Harris left Monday morning for San Antonio where Mr. Harris will get his discharge papers.

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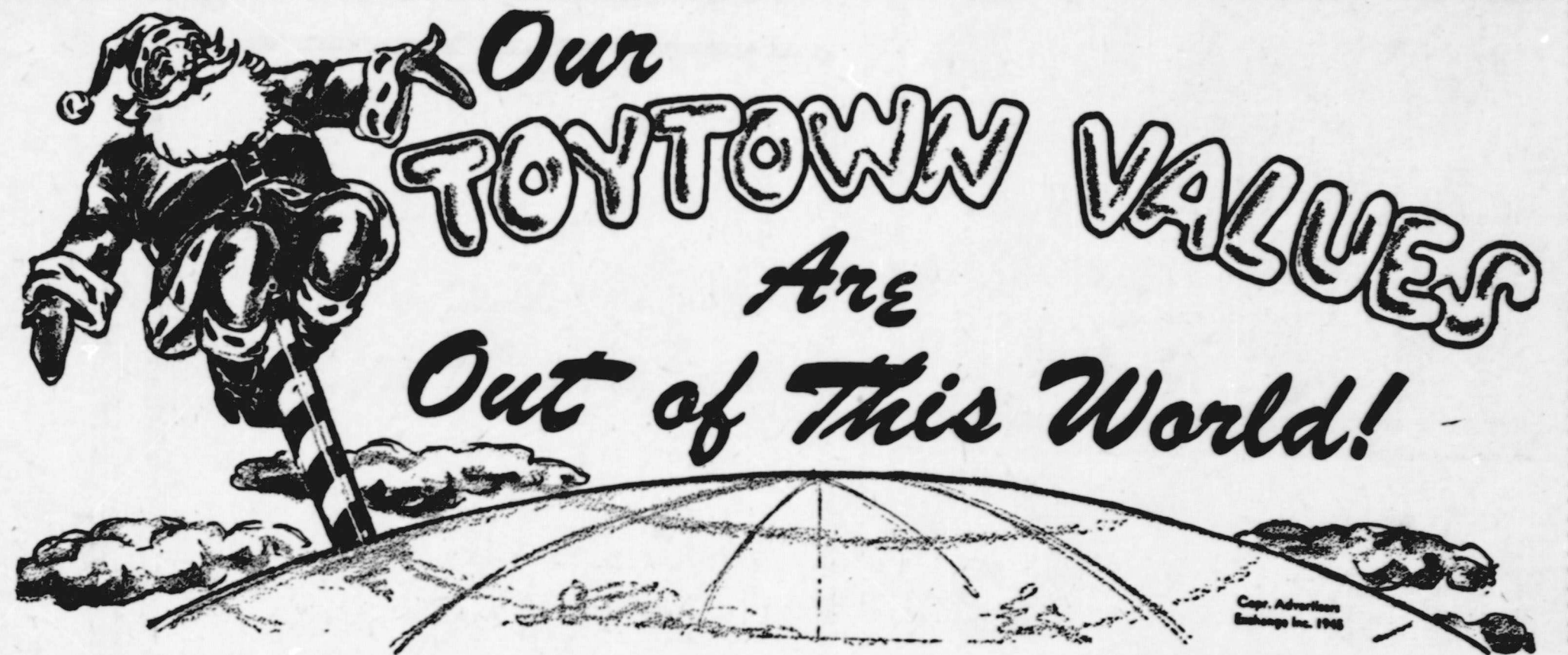
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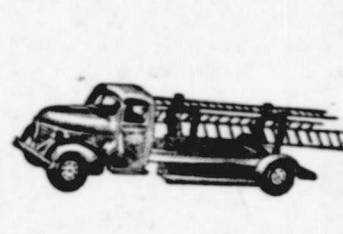
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- Peach Preserves, 2 lbs. 64c

**Apricot PRESERVES**

- 2 Lb. **55c**
- Fruit Cocktail, Eveready, 2 1/2 37c
- Hershey Cocoa, 1/2 lb. 10c

- Sunbrite Cleanser, can 5c
- Bon Ami Powder, can 12 1/2c
- Bab-O, can 11c
- Hooker Lye, can 8c
- Satina, 2 pkgs. 15c
- Linit Starch, pkg. 10c
- Zero Cleanser, qt. 19c
- Clorox, qt. 23c
- Scot Towels, roll 10c
- Purex, qt. 15c

- Kraft Malted Milk, lb. jar 30c
- Ovaltine, Reg. 38c
- Folgers Coffee, 2 lb. 67c

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**PICKLES**

Ma Brown Sour - Dill, Qt.

**28c**



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- ALL MEATS NOT RATIONED
- Chuck ROAST, lb. 28c
  - Hot BARBECUE, lb. 35c
  - Pure Pork SAUSAGE, Sacked lb. 37c
  - Pork CHOPS, lean, lb. 36c
  - Lunch MEATS, Assorted, lb. 32c
  - CHEESE, Longhorn, not rationed, lb. 36c
  - FRESH FISH - DRESSED HENS MINCE MEAT, lb. 28c

**Hominy**

Marshall No. 2 1/2 can

**11c**

**TUNA FISH**

Star-Kist Solid Pack, can

**30c**

**Sugar**

PURE CANE Cloth Bag, 5 Lb.

**34c**

**POP CORN JOHNNY BOY**

Can

**18c**

**MACKREL VAL VITA**

Lb. Can

**19c**

**NEW CROP DRIED PEACHES**

Lb. Pkg.

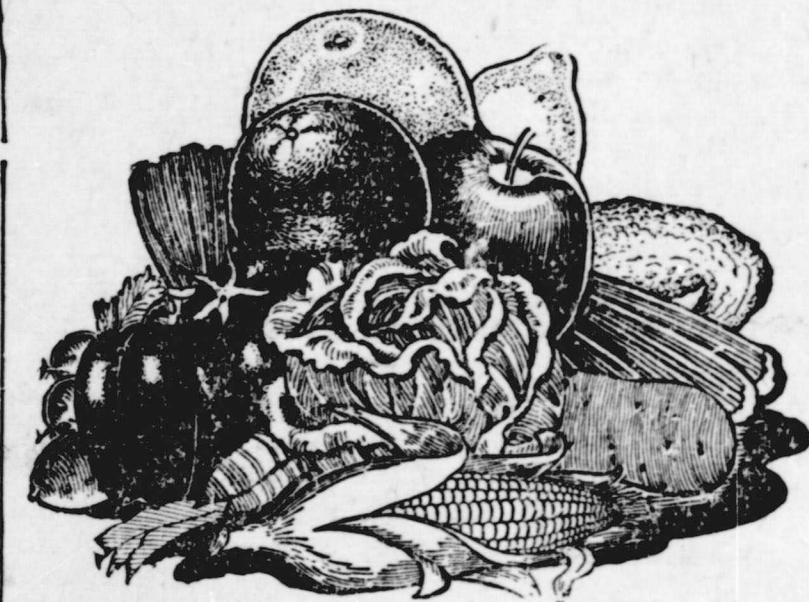
**32c**

- Cherriots, pkg. 12c
- Raisin Bran, pkg. 10c
- Post Toasties, pkg. 9c
- National Shredded Wheat, pkg. 12c
- Wheaties, pkg. 11c
- 3-Minute Oats, large 27c
- Malt-O-Meal, pkg. 22c
- Ralston Cereal, pkg. 21c

**NIBLETS Corn**

Can

**16c**



- ORANGES, Texas Juicy, lb. 10c
- GRAPEFRUIT, lb. 9c
- Pink Seedless

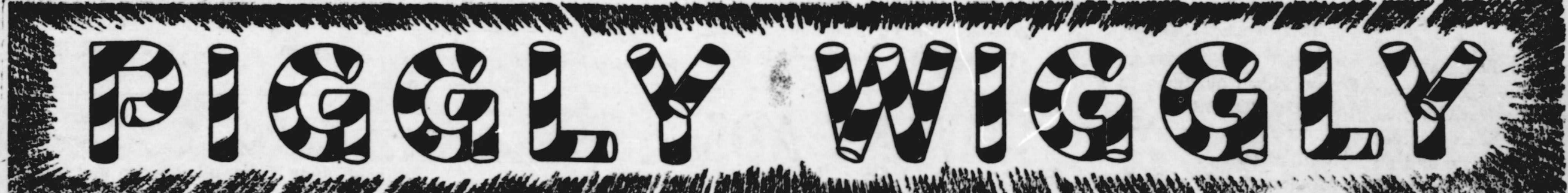
- California Iceberg LETTUCE, lb. 12c
- Pascal or Bleached CELERY, lb. 15c
- South Texas GREEN BEANS, lb. 15c
- Washington Delicious APPLES lb. 15c
- POTATOES, No. 1 Idaho, lb. 5c

- Fresh Onions .. Radish .. Cabbage
- Carrots ... Turnips ... Tomatoes
- Egg Plant .. Squash .. Cucumber
- Spinach ... Beets ... Peppers

- Pumpkin, Rosedale, No. 2 1/2 14c
- Corn, Nation Pride, No. 2 15c

- Delmonico Spagetti Dinner, pkg. 29c
- Van Camp Tenderoni, pkg. 10c
- Quaker Egg Noodles, pkg. 9c
- Kraft Dinner, pkg. 10c
- Skinner Spagetti, pkg. 8c

- Ginger Bread Mix, Duff's, pkg. 22c
- Sun-Maid Raisins, Seedless 16c







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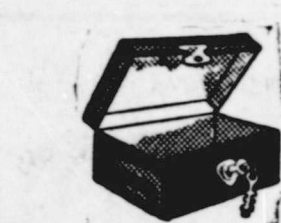
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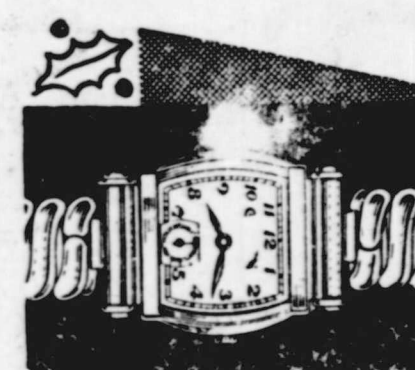
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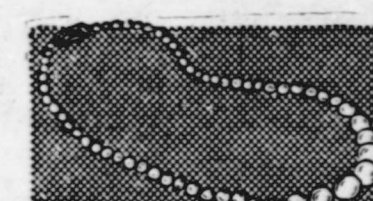
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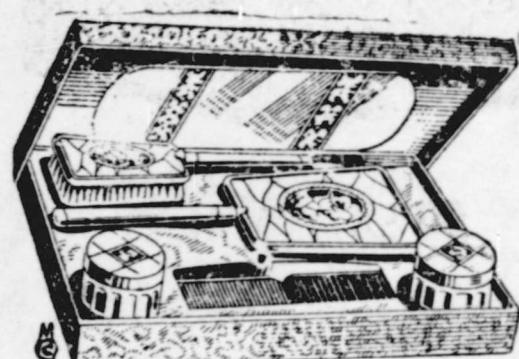
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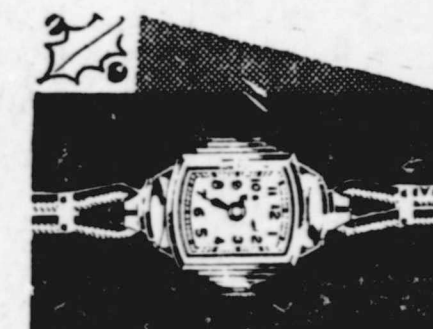
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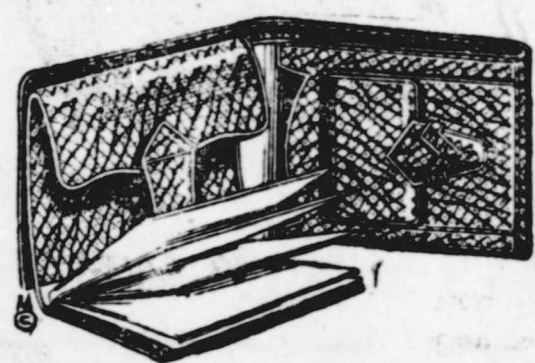
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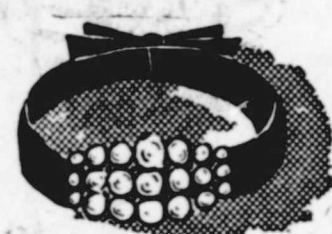
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The Baracas class and Mr. Burton Hackney's Sunday School class of the Methodist church entertained the returned service men and their guests with a covered fish supper in Fellowship Hall, Wednesday evening of last week. Fun and merriment reigned throughout the evening as the affair was a take-off of the Breakfast at Sardis radio program. Mr. Hackney took the part of Tom Brenaman and Mr. Clarence Simes was his assistant. Mr. Bill McKinney played the part of Corny. Flowers were awarded for the longest service and the most decorations. Mrs. R. N. Huckabee won a flower for having the silliest looking hat.

The long supper table was covered with white paper on which red and blue stars were scattered. Red, white and blue carnations in a bowl centered the table with crepe paper streamers of the tri-colors running the length of the table to complete the patriotic theme. On the piano a Christmas scene was used. The Nativity was placed in the center with a silver Christmas tree on one side and an angel chorus and choir boys on the other. Angel hair covered the entire decoration and gave it an ethereal appearance. Two tall candles placed in the back gave

**THANKS**

We wish to express our sincere thanks and deepest appreciation for the very lovely house-warming party given us last week. These gifts and your thoughtfulness has made our lives very happy.

Mrs. Berta Chambliss and girls.

The wife has developed the bad habit of staying up until two and three o'clock in the morning. She just won't go to bed until we get home.

Nowadays the liver and kidney specialist in the Medical Arts building isn't any more important than the liver and kidney specialist in the butcher shop.

When we presented the wife with a beautiful skunk-skin coat the other day, she said she couldn't understand how such a nice coat could come from such a foul-smelling beast.

Enjoy This Christmas in Peace and BUY BONDS!

soft illumination.

Mesdames Dennis Lilly and Spencer Kendrick were in charge of serving and Mesdames Preston Figley and Gene Helmes the decorations. 40 guest were present.

**RECENT DISCHARGES**

From the 8th Naval district, Dallas: A. C. Edward Freeman, 21, Gunner's Mate 3/c. Eddie Ballard, 38, Electrician's Mate, 1/c, and Dennis Denton, 23, Signalman 3/c, both of this city. Eugene G. Sanderson, S2/c.

The army has discharged Elijah S. Henderson, of Rt. one, city.

A small fire, backstage in one of our metropolitan theatres recently required four hours of six firemen's time. One hour to extinguish the blaze and three hours to put out the firemen.

Lives are still rationed—one to each person. Accidents on farms and in farm homes take an annual toll of 3500 lives.

Women wear rings to show they are married. Men wear last year's clothes.

Sherman, Texas, is named for General Sidney Sherman, a cavalry commander at San Jacinto.

**WANT ADS**

LOST, Saturday, ladies brown leather bag, containing some money. Liberal reward. Mrs. A. J. Lloyd, Rt. 2, city.

FOR RENT — A nice southeast room. Outside entrance, adjacent bath, for gentleman. Mrs. W. H. Dallas, Phone 48. 1c

FARM FOR RENT, 260 A. Red catclaw sand, 5 room house. Third and fourth. Near Brownfield, write box 533. 1p

LOST—Billfold with name imprinted on it. June Carpenter, Rt. 2, Brownfield. 1c

PAPER HANGING— Mrs. M. O. Simpson, Route 2, or 1 mile south and 1 mile west of Gomez. 20tc

SECTION of land in N. E. Gaines county, 150 acres in cultivation, good farm and, 3-room house, 2 wells and windmills, some out-houses; and farm implements for sale. Price \$15 per acre. Also 3-rooms and bath with three lots at Sundown, Texas. See Mrs. Georgia Garrett in day time at Iris Beauty Shop, or phone 240, Box 673, at Seagraves, Texas. 21p

FOR SALE or trade, 160 A. land, 3 miles east of Wellman. All mineral rights reserved. Will take a 12-foot combine or 4-row tractor. Johnnie McDonald, Rt. 1, Muleshoe, Texas. 22p

160 ACRES for rent with sale of tractor, 8 miles out on Lamesa highway. H. C. Wood. 1p

FOR SALE—Model A John Deere tractor with 2-row equipment, model 1945 AC combine, household furniture for 3-room house. See Johnny Rayburn, at Brownfield Wrecking Co. 21p

FOR SALE—1939 Dodge pickup, good rubber, 16-foot stock trailer, good rubber. O. S. Cobb, 413 E. Main. 1p

IF YOU have anything for sale or trade, list it with me, at 402 Lubbock road. S. Yaadell. 21p

FOR SALE—Eight piece dining room suit. 402, Lubbock road or 505 Buckley street. Mrs. S. Yandell. 21p

FOR SALE—4-rooms and bath, 2 blocks postoffice; also 4-rooms and bath on highway. S. Yandell, 402 Lubbock road. 21p

FOR SALE—Two new Graineries, 10x18. See Mon Telford. 20p

FOR SALE—Land 3 miles N. E. Seagraves. Will sell for what I have invested in it. See or write Lillian Schulz, Brownfield, Route 1. 26p

FOR RENT—320 acre farm with sale of F-20 tractor, 3 milk cows, other farm machinery and some bundle feed. Party who buys must have good reference and the cash. 10 1/2 M. east, 1/2 north Brownfield. Joe McCrary. 20p

FOR SALE—Nice Xinas turkeys and geese. C. O. V. Wood, Rt. 1, Brownfield. 20p

FOR SALE—White Leghorn hens, work horses and harness, Hobbs trailer, bedroom suite, oil cook stove. R. L. Walker, Tri-County Clay Co. Office, Brownfield, Texas. 21c

FOR SALE — M-Farmall 4-row tractor, new tires. See R. H. Ellis, Welch, Texas. 20p

FOR SALE—1942 model B John Deere tractor and equipment; good shape. A. R. Baldwin, Rt. 3, city. 21p

FARM MACHINERY SALE — 1 side-delivery rake, 1 2-row binder, 1 broadcast binder, 1 MTA tractor, 4 row equipment, 1 combine 69 Harvester with motor. Dr. E. C. Davis. 13tc

FOR SALE—One of the best improved, irrigated farms in south Panhandle. Farm can be bought at dry land prices. See Moon Mullins at Mullins Service Station, 100 West Main, Brownfield, Texas. ttc

FOR SALE—5-room house to be moved off lot. Also 12 White Leghorn pullets. See C. E. Ross, Ross Motor Co. 20p

FOR SALE—practically new 1945 H-Farmall, with all equipment. See me one mile west Union school. Carrol Shults. 20p

FOR SALE—Nice restricted residence blocks on Tahoka paved highway. Natural gas line runs through each block. K. W. Howell. 17tc

FOR SALE—Farmall F-20 and 42 International combine. T. D. Bishop. ttc

IN MARKET for horses, mares and mules. Lee Smith. 15tc

**FARMS BEING OFFERED**  
Improved sections at \$35., \$40., \$42.50, \$45 and \$65 acre. Improved halves at \$25, \$35, \$42.50, \$45, \$60 and \$85 acre. Improved quarters at \$30 up to \$100 acre.

They vary in quality, improvement and location but are in line with the value of same.

Have irrigation farms and ranches. Lands located over a wide territory. See me. Brownfield Hotel, Brownfield D. P. Carter

BUTANE tanks for sale. See J. D. Akers, or telephone 310-R. ttc

FOR SALE—7000 bundles of feed. T. Martin, at Brownfield Furniture Co. 15tc

Have a supply of T. B. Xmas seals for sale for anyone wanting them for mailing packages. Call County Health office or see Mrs. O. L. Jones. 20p