

Today and Tomorrow by DON ROBINSON

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### SMALLPOX . . . extinction

"Nobody has smallpox anymore—why is it necessary for us to go on with our elaborate program of vaccinating all children against it?"

When I heard someone ask that question recently I decided to look into the smallpox situation. For, although we all take it for granted that children must be vaccinated against that dreaded disease of the past, I have never personally known anyone who had smallpox, and when I queried a number of my friends, I found that none of them had known anyone who had suffered from it.

Is it true that smallpox has been definitely wiped out? Would it come back if our vaccination program was discontinued?

To answer those questions I looked up the statistics on smallpox. And, although I found that the disease has been curbed almost so that it is approaching the point of extinction, there is still plenty of reason for us to guard vigilantly against it.

In 1944 only 384 cases of smallpox were reported for the whole country, which I believe is an all-time record. But, according to the statistics, less than 25 years ago there were over 100,000 cases reported in a single year, and since then there have been sectional outbreaks of the disease. Smallpox, apparently, could come back with a fury if we decided to relax our controls over it.

### RECORD . . . danger

The 1944 statistics on smallpox are an amazing tribute to the progress of the medical profession. For they show one of the most deadly diseases of history has been curbed to the extent that not a single case of smallpox was reported in any of the northeastern states and in 22 other states there were less than five cases. The greatest outbreak in any state last year was 38 cases reported in Indiana.

But we shouldn't start treating smallpox lightly because of the 1944 record. For as recently as 1940 the states of Minnesota and Iowa alone each had more than 400 cases. And two years after the last war there were 31 states which each reported over 1,000 cases. Even in 1930 nearly 50,000 cases were reported and in 1838 there were 15,000 cases.

Compared with other diseases which cause death and misery in this country—such as cancer, tuberculosis and heart disease—the figures on smallpox appear to be a drop in the bucket. But the medical profession is in unanimous agreement that smallpox would be apt to sweep the country in epidemic proportions if we relaxed in our fight to prevent it.

### PAST . . . epidemics

The school children of today, who dutifully comply with the vaccination requirement, naturally have little realization of what it is all about. During the 20th century, although there have been occasional minor outbreaks, the deaths and suffering from smallpox have amounted to practically nothing compared with the 19th century. Many of us think of smallpox as primarily a disease of foreign countries, but right here in the United States, 70 years ago, smallpox caused more deaths in some sections than any other disease. During an epidemic in New Orleans in 1853, for example, the death rate from smallpox reached 365 per 100,000, about twice the current national death rate from cancer, tuberculosis, pneumonia and accidents combined. And in 1872 there were 6,687 deaths from smallpox in the country's five largest cities alone.

There is no doubt that smallpox is now being controlled to the point where its complete eradication may not be far off. But the big danger is that a few record years like 1944 may cause a feeling of complacency and indifference to the need for guarding against the disease. And it would apparently take a very short period of such complacency to lose all of the ground that has been gained in this century. Only by continued, nationwide vaccination and revaccination can we get rid of the last vestige of one of history's greatest plagues.

### Okinawa Toonerville



Marines of the 1st engineer battalion use this dilapidated Toonerville—the railroad car for a dispatcher's office north of Naha. Left to right, they are 1st Sgt. Richard D. Moore, Quartermaster; 1st Lt. Howard F. Taylor, Transport; 1st Lt. Pfc. Charles E. Wood, Lieutenant; Cpl. Benton E. Pugh, Jr., Platoon; 1st Sgt. Tom; and Cpl. Virgil L. Edmister, October, 9, 45.

### JAPS WONDERING —ABOUT YOU!

The Japs know all about the Americans who do our fighting for us. What they're wondering about is you, because our fighting men depend on you.

You've supported those fighting men magnificently through six War Loan drives. But what are you doing about the 7th War Loan Drive?

The Japs will soon know. The results of the 7th War Loan Drive will tell the story. If it fails, their determination to fight on will be redoubled.

BUT IT WILL NOT FAIL IF YOU DO YOUR PART!

—Robert Bellaire, War Correspondent.

### Sheriff Issues Statement About Pay Raise Offer

Regarding the issue raised by the action of Hamilton County Commissioners Court last week when it passed an order raising the salary of the sheriff from \$900 to \$1,800, Sheriff N. Y. Terral visited Hico Tuesday night and issued the following statement in explanation of his attitude in refusing the new salary schedule.

"I have no quarrel with anyone, and am giving out this statement to let the public know the facts. His statement follows: 'People are wondering why I did not take the \$75 per month raise which was offered me by the Commissioners Court at its last session. I did not accept this increase in salary because I do not think enough consideration was shown by the court for the law enforcement branch of the county government.'

"As you know the past Legislature amended the laws to provide salary raises for sheriffs and their deputies along with other county officials of the state. Under this amended law the sheriff is allowed \$3,700 per year and one deputy at \$1,800 with 25 per cent increase. 'I went to the court with a daily record of my expenses. My car and telephone expense has averaged \$126.70 per month. My salary and fees for the same time have averaged \$137.50 per month. In addition I have driven my car an average of 1,920 miles per month.

"Before I was admitted in court to present my plea in the interest of law enforcement, the Commissioners raised their own salaries as provided for by the Legislature as stated above. Their salary is now \$150 per month, plus a \$25 expense account with a pick-up truck furnished each Commissioner. 'I herewith quote the record from the minutes of the Commissioners Court: 'Motiun made by R. W. Hancock and seconded by R. C. Key that the salary of the Commissioners be set at \$150 per month as provided by the 49th Legislature of the State of Texas, the new salary to become effective June 1, 1945. The motion carried, all commissioners voting for the motion. The County Clerk is hereby ordered to issue warrants on the Road and Bridge Fund on the last day of the month for the above salary.

"A motion was made and seconded that the Sheriff's salary be raised from \$75 per month and fees to \$150 per month as Ex-Officio salary and fees not to exceed \$3,000 per year as provided by the Acts of the 49th Legislature of the State of Texas, 1945, the new salary to become effective as of June 1, 1945. Two of the Commissioners voted for the amended salary, therefore it became necessary for the chairman to vote, which vote was for the amended salary. The Sheriff was notified of the raise in salary and upon being notified, he refused to accept it. Then the motion was made and seconded that the order raising the salary be rescinded and the old salary prevail. The motion was put to a vote and all Commissioners voted for the motion. It is therefore ordered that the old salary remain as is.'

"In last week's Hamilton paper Judge Harris stated that: 'We cannot make an increase in the salary of the Sheriff unless we raise the valuation of property or increase the rate of the general levy.' As you can see from the record above the Commissioners salary increase is to be paid from the Road and Bridge Fund.

"At the first session of the Commissioners Court at the beginning of this year, the Commissioners Court could have paid me \$200 per month and fees not to exceed \$600, which is the same salary as the County Judge now receives. I went before this court last January and asked for more money for law enforcement and I was turned down. I believe it is easy for everyone to see we need more money for law enforcement in Hamilton County."

## 'Redeployment' Is the Latest War Problem of U. S. Forces

### TROOP SHIFT TO PACIFIC TO TAX TRANSPORT LINES

By Al Jedlicka

Literally rolling up their sleeves and hitching up their belts, both the army and transportation companies of the U. S. have undertaken the huge task of shifting men and material from Europe to the Pacific through this country in the least time possible for bringing the full weight of American arms to bear against the Japs.

Known as "redeployment," the program calls for the return of some 3,100,000 troops and hundreds of thousands

of tons of material within nine months of V-E Day, with 845,000 men being transferred during the first three months; 1,185,000 during the next three, and 807,000 during the last three.

Because of the tremendous nature of the project, and the need for maintaining ordinary shipments for occupation forces in Europe and advancing armies in the Pacific, the railroads of the country will find themselves confronted with one of the most complex traffic situations in their long history. Already they have put out a call for thousands of additional employees such as clerks, stenographers, brakemen, conductors, engineers, firemen, switchmen, blacksmiths, carpenters, machinists, freight handlers, crossing watchmen and regular track gangmen.

During the peak of withdrawal from Europe, approximately 500,000 men will be shifted to the U. S., it is estimated, with about 50,000 carried by air and the rest by water. American troops being not required in the Pacific along with British transports and more than 400 reconverted cargo vessels thus will move the brunt of the men.

The capture of usable enemy shipping will help to speed up the withdrawal by as much as 60,000 during the second three month period, and 117,000 during the last quarter, it is estimated, with time needed to reconvert the vessels for troop service impeding their immediate utilization.

Once the hundreds of thousands of G. I.s start pouring into American ports, and substantial quantities

of material are received, the railroads will be pressed to handle the load.

Under the army's program, troops landing in this country will be sent to disposition centers close to the embarkation ports. There, they will be broken up into units hailing from the same regions and then dispatched to personnel reception stations, where they will be furnished after being paid and issued required clothing. After completing their furlough, they will then return to the reception station for reassignment.

In detailing the movement of these troops, the military-civilian railroad urgency committee figured that each soldier would make an average of four train trips during redeployment, with the total adding up to 10,000,000 for all men. In view of this huge movement and the ordinary military traffic, the public again has been cautioned to travel sparingly to relieve the passenger congestion felt for the last few years.

Simultaneous with the transfer of troops from Europe to this country during the redeployment period, huge stores of material also are scheduled to be shipped to the Pacific through the U. S. At V-E Day, American armies had more than 5,500,000 tons of supplies on the continent, including 700,000 tons of ammunition and more than 1,000,000 separate items, ranging from locomotives to watch repair tools.

Germany's surrender saw U. S.

### CLOSED FOR THIS WEEK

For the remainder of the week after this paper is in the mails, the local public won't find the News Review office open. Reason—the editor and his wife are moving their daughter, Carolyn, home from State University, where she doesn't deign to dally during Austin's summer heat. They will be conveyed by Patsy Pinson, who plans to enter the University next month. (She doesn't mind hot work).

Thanks to those who have cooperated in making it possible for the publishers to mail out earlier than usual. Maybe they will be repaid in some measure when the red-head gets home and straightens out our schedule.

In plain words (don't tell Carolyn this) we are going down after a combination linotype and law mower operator, housekeeper and pressfeeder. We may wind up with a tennis player, bookworm, of jitterbug. But what's the difference—it's her vacation, isn't it? The rest of the force will enjoy just knowing she's back home.

### Summer Complaint Is Prevalent Now Throughout State

Austin, June 18.—This is the season when dysentery, diarrhea and "summer complaint" are most prevalent throughout the State, and Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, has issued a warning to parents of young children regarding the prevention of these diseases.

"The chief causes of these intestinal diseases are impure milk, water and food; allowing a child to become overheated; using too much sugar and cream in the diet; and under- or over-feeding," Dr. Cox said. "For the young infant, mother's milk is usually the safest food; however, if other milk must be used, the supply should be clean and pure. Water should be free from impurities, and is safest when boiled and cooled before drinking. All foods should be fresh and clean, and left-overs should be properly refrigerated to prevent spoilage."

Dr. Cox said definitely that when a feeding formula for infants is used, it should be prescribed by a physician and then prepared with extreme care, especially in regard to cleanliness and refrigeration. Babies should be fed at regular intervals and on a definite schedule. Their stomach and bowels can become easily upset if they are fed haphazardly whenever they happen to be fretful or restless.

"If diarrhea develops, consult a physician at once," Dr. Cox advised. "This so-called 'summer complaint' can become a very serious menace to your baby's health if not an actual threat to his life."

The State Health Officer declared that with dysentery as with many other diseases, the fly is an agent of transmission, and every home should be well screened and free of flies.

### Fifteen Tarleton College Jerseys Win At Stephenville

Stephenville, June 18.—Fifteen John Tarleton Agricultural College Jerseys won places in the Heart of Texas Dairy Cattle Show held in Stephenville June 12, 1945. This show was one of the largest ones held in the State recently. This rating of the Tarleton College herd is in keeping with the rating the College has been maintaining for years. It is one of the best institutional cattle herds in the nation.

The Tarleton herd won twenty-one ribbons and \$79.00 in prize money. The ribbons will be placed in the trophy case in the Administration Building at Tarleton.

Joe Ridgeway, an official Jersey Cattle Club Judge, placed the animals. D. T. Simons, American Jersey Cattle Club field man, Dr. I. W. Rupel, head of the dairy husbandry department at A. & M. College, C. G. Gibson, extension service dairy specialist, Lane Beatty of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, E. R. Eudaly, with Universal Mills, H. H. (Red) Weatherby of Burrus Mills, W. A. King, agriculture director of the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce, and a large group of vocational agriculture teachers, county agents, and vocational agriculture and 4-H Club boys were at the show.

### SINGING AT LITTLEVILLE

All singers of this community are invited to attend a singing at the Littleville Baptist Church near Hamilton Sunday, June 24. The Gospel Singing program will start at 2 o'clock, according to Ollie McDermitt, who requested this announcement.



### LIBERATED PRISONERS GO THROUGH FRENCH CAMP ON WAY BACK TO TEXAS

Special to The News Review: WITH THE U. S. FORCES IN FRANCE.—The names of Texas soldiers liberated from prison camps in Germany were made public recently as they passed through a Recovered Allied Military Camp near a French port on their way home.

Many of the men have told stories of German atrocities, starvation diets and forced marches of hundreds of miles from one camp to another.

After a 60-day furlough in the United States, they will report to an Army distribution center for either reassignment or discharge from the service. None of them will be returned to the European Theater.

Among Texas men on their way home is Pfc. James L. Coppidge of Hico Route 5.

LT. O. M. BRAMBLETT JR. NOW SERVING WITH AAFIC AT SHEPPARD FIELD, TEXAS SHEPPARD FIELD, TEX. June 14.—1st Lt. Owen M. Bramblett Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Bramblett of Hico, Texas, is now serving with the AAF Training Command at Sheppard Field.

Lieutenant Bramblett entered the service February 8, 1941 and received his commission October 28, 1943 after attending OCS in Miami Beach, Florida. Before his entrance into the service he was an office clerk.

Prior to his assignment to Sheppard Field he was stationed at Eagle Pass, Texas.

### DON'T WORRY ABOUT THIS RED-HEAD FRATERNIZING WITH THE SQUARE HEADS

Germany May 15, 1945 Dear Holford:

I believe that the last letter I wrote you was from the West Coast back in '42. Well, I'm not on the East coast but I'm east of the U. S. A. If I move to the north or south of the U. S., I promise to write again.

They have some beautiful countryside over here, but I don't like the people. Personally, I've always despised and hated these square-heads. I can see nothing "super" about them, unless it is their arrogance. They're the most sullen-looking people I've ever encountered, but they are being properly handled and controlled.

We get enough cigarettes over here, but I do miss the Cokes. I don't believe I will ever want to eat anything out of a can again. We exist, primarily, on canned rations.

Holford, I'm not going to chamber-of-commerce this country for you, because if you want this information all you have to do is follow the news correspondents' account of the past battles in various sectors.

I'm still unassigned and don't know whether I'll stay in the ETO or go to the CHI Theater.

Regards, SGT. S. J. CHEEK JR. P. S.: How is Johnny Thompson and his Corvus Oil? For a little fee I might advertise it over here. —S. J. C.

### HICO GIRL'S HUSBAND VISITING HOME WITH HER AFTER BEING DISCHARGED

S/Sgt. and Mrs. James E. Cox of Mineral Wells visited here this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jones.

Sergeant Cox received his discharge in San Antonio May 29, after serving with the 46th Engineers for thirty-seven and one-half months in the Pacific.

When he received his discharge he had won the Good Conduct Medal, the Purple Heart, three Presidential Citations, and one Oak Leaf Cluster while serving in Australia, New Guinea, Dutch East Indies, Philippines, and other islands in the Pacific.

He was wounded on Leyte.

### SEABEE LANE HOME FROM PACIFIC—SO THEY TELL US

It seems that J. D. Lane, first class petty officer in the Seabees, has come home for a spell. Durward, a metalsmith who has been in the Pacific for many moons, returned to the States early this month and arrived at Dallas last Saturday, according to reports. He and his wife, Estelita, came to Hico the first of the week for a visit here with relatives during his leave. However Durward has been so busy he hasn't had time to drop in on the NR force yet. It may be that he has drowned in the Bosque River.

At any rate, we're still looking for him and, like the rest of his many friends, are glad that he is back home again.

### FIRST TIME YOU SEE THIS HICO LAD, GIVE HIM A PACK OF CIGARETTES FOR US

China May 31, 1945 Dear Holford: I suppose it is about time I was giving you a report on things in China. As you can see, I am back at the same place, same station. Saw Jack Malone and Jake Trantham the other day—they are both sweating out rotation. I hope it is not long before we all can get back to good old Hico. There is Mrs. Lucy Grisham, also of Waco, who is taking her vacation.

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HEAR YE! HEAR YE! the HOMETOWN EDITOR With News & Gossip FROM THIS NEWSPAPER

# IREDELL ITEMS

by Miss Stella Jones, Local Correspondent

James T. Wellborn has returned to Camp Parks, Calif., after spending a five-day furlough with his wife and children. J. T. is in the Seabees.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Long and son, Kenneth, of Fort Worth, spent the past week end with his sister, Mrs. Bradley.

Mrs. Squires and Mrs. Phillips left Thursday for Fort Worth to visit relatives.

Mrs. Tuggle and daughter, Sue, and her son, John, spent the week in Glen Rose with relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. Potter and his

mother, Mrs. Sumeral, left Sunday afternoon on a trip during which he will teach in a Vacation Bible School for two weeks.

Mrs. Dalton Estein of Waco is visiting her mother, Mrs. Main. Mrs. Main had her tonsils removed at Cleburne about two weeks ago and is doing nicely.

Mr. W. R. Gosdin was very ill this week with a heart attack. He is better now.

Misses Mildred Houston and DeLores K. Davis are working in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Flossie Henderson, who is

working in McGregor, spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Wellborn of Midlothian visited his parents recently, and to be with his brother, J. T.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Locker returned Friday from McGregor, where he visited in the home of Mrs. Blanche Royal.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Appleby of Hico visited here Thursday.

Mr. Ab Appleby of De Leon was here Saturday on business.

Mr. Sam Henderson of Mathis is here.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Washam of Hico visited Mrs. McAden Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Holder and daughter of Midlothian spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Lundberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Alexander of Love Field, Dallas, visited his

parents this week end. He is an aeroplane flyer.

Mrs. Summers of Hico visited Mrs. A. L. Harris Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Newman of San Antonio spent the week end with his parents.

Miss Hobbie Jean Davis spent the week with her sister, Mrs. Harold Walker of Terrell. They brought her home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Phillips of Dallas spent the week end here.

Mr. Joel Hudson was very ill this week, but is up some now.

Pfc. Cecil Loyd Lively of the Waco Army Air Corps, is on a furlough to his parents.

Mr. A. A. Dunlap, who had been very ill, died Sunday. A longer account of the funeral will be carried later.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Anderson and baby of Fort Worth spent the week end with her brother, B. L. Mitchell, and wife.

James Harris, Marshall Houston, Jap Fallis Jr., and Emmett Maness left Saturday to work in the grain crop close to Amarillo.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Austin Dunlap, a son, weight 14 lbs, born on June 14.

Mrs. W. D. Oldham visited her son, Otis, and family of Fort Worth this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hyndman and daughter of Fort Worth spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stroud.

Luther Koonsman, who is in the Navy and stationed at San Diego, Calif., spent a five-day leave with his wife and children and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Oldham and sons of Fort Worth spent the week end with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Lelan Nabors and son of De Leon spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence.

Mrs. Blanche Royal of McGregor spent Sunday here.

Paul Hoover of Temple spent the week end with Billy Royce Newman.

Ray Hensley, who is in summer school at John Tarleton, spent the week end at home.

Mrs. Odie Bowman and daughter of Meridian spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cas Bowman.

Mrs. Emily Schumacher spent Sunday in Clifton.

Mrs. Josie Dacus of Stephenville was here Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Harper of Dallas spent the week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilkinson and son of Cisco spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kraemer.

Mrs. Bryan Bateman and daughter spent the week end in Meridian.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Tidwell and Mrs. Albert Hensley visited in Stephenville Sunday afternoon. Allen Dawson took them.

John W. Parks was in Dallas Monday. Billy Royce and Donald Newman accompanied him. They joined the Navy.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harris Jr., a daughter, June 17; weighed 5 pounds and 4 ounces; name is Carroll Ann. Walter Jr. is in the Navy.

Born, to Pvt. and Mrs. Johnston, a son, June 17. She was Miss Adelle Lee Wayne. Both the babies were born in the Holt Hospital.

## Most Decorated Hero



First Lt. Andie L. Murphy of Farmersville, Texas, has been named the most decorated American soldier in the war. He has every decoration for bravery save the Legion of Merit. He won the Congressional Medal of Honor for beating off a fierce enemy counter-attack of 250 enemy infantrymen supported by six tanks during the Colmar pocket campaign. He rose from a private in 30 months.

## ZONE MEETING OF W. S. C. S. HELD AT METHODIST CHURCH

A zone meeting of the W. S. C. S. was held at the Methodist Church June 14. Mrs. N. M. Colwick, program chairman of this zone, was in charge.

The welcome was delivered by Mrs. Colwick, and the following program was carried out:

Prayer, Bro. Isbell.  
Pledge to the Flag, Bro. Isbell.  
Devotional, Mrs. Buttrill of Hamilton.  
Subject, "Prayer."  
Song, "This Is My Story," Mrs. Segrist.  
Story, "The Question," Mrs. S. E. Blair.  
Mrs. Wedemeyer, conference secretary of organization, of Waco, gave a talk on various phases of the work.

Mrs. Orgain of Waco, conference treasurer, gave a beneficial talk.

A report of work done was given by each society represented.

Collection for baby-life membership was taken and Hico was the lucky name drawn.

Those societies represented besides our own were Ames, Cranfills Gap, and Hamilton.

Hamilton will be hostess to the fall zone meeting.

After benediction refreshments of cake and ice cream were served to about thirty.

REPORTER.

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- T-BONE AND SHORT CUTS Lb. 40c
- PLAIN STEAK Lb. 30c
- PORK CHOPS (Center Cut) Lb. 35c
- PORK HAM (Center Cut) Lb. 35c
- PURE PORK SAUSAGE Lb. 35c
- BOILING MEAT Lb. 18c
- SPARE RIBS Lb. 20c
- LIVER (Pork or Beef) Lb. 20c

#### — CURED MEATS (When We Have It) —

- CURED HAM (Tenderized) Lb. 45c
- LUNCH MEATS (All Kinds) Lb. 40c
- WIENER'S (Swift's Premium) Lb. 32c
- BOILED HAM Lb. 60c
- BOLOGNA SAUSAGE Lb. 28c
- BACON (Swift's Premium) Lb. 42c
- CREAMERY BUTTER Lb. 48c
- ALLSWEET MARGARINE Lb. 25c

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## W. S. C. S. MEMBERS ENJOY LUNCHEON AT HANSON HOME

The Society of Christian Service met in the home of Mrs. Harold Hanson, with Mrs. C. D. Hanson as co-hostess, with a 1:00 o'clock luncheon June 18th. After the guests had all arrived, Mrs. Lusk Rands presented Mrs. Harold Hanson with a surprise remembrance, a beautiful pot plant arrangement, on this the date of her 18th wedding anniversary. The recipient was delighted and very appreciative of this thoughtful expression of love. The guests then found places at tables arranged in dining and living rooms. A two-course luncheon was served consisting of fried chicken, creamed new potatoes, peas in carrot nests, spiced pears, olive and celery salad mold, hot rolls, iced tea and apricot angel food shortcake.

The regular social program was conducted in the afternoon by Mrs. Segrist.

Worship service, "Juvenile Protection," by leader.  
Scripture: Deut. 11:18-20.  
Song: "Love Lifted Me."  
Meditation: "Juvenile Delinquency," Mrs. N. M. Colwick.

Interesting talks on our work were given about Marcy Center, by Mrs. S. E. Blair; Mrs. C. D. Hanson, Bethlehem Center; Mrs. J. R. Ozle, Friendship House; Mrs. Geo. Jones, Taberman Community House, and Mrs. E. H. Persons.

An interesting story of a juvenile problem was told by Mrs. Segrist.

During a discussion period Mrs. V. H. Dunklin spoke of juvenile needs in Hico, after which the Society voted to order material and begin work for primary and junior groups.

The program was closed with prayer by the leader.

A business session followed. At this time it was voted to make Permelia Lenell Clark, granddaughter of Mrs. E. H. Persons, a life member.

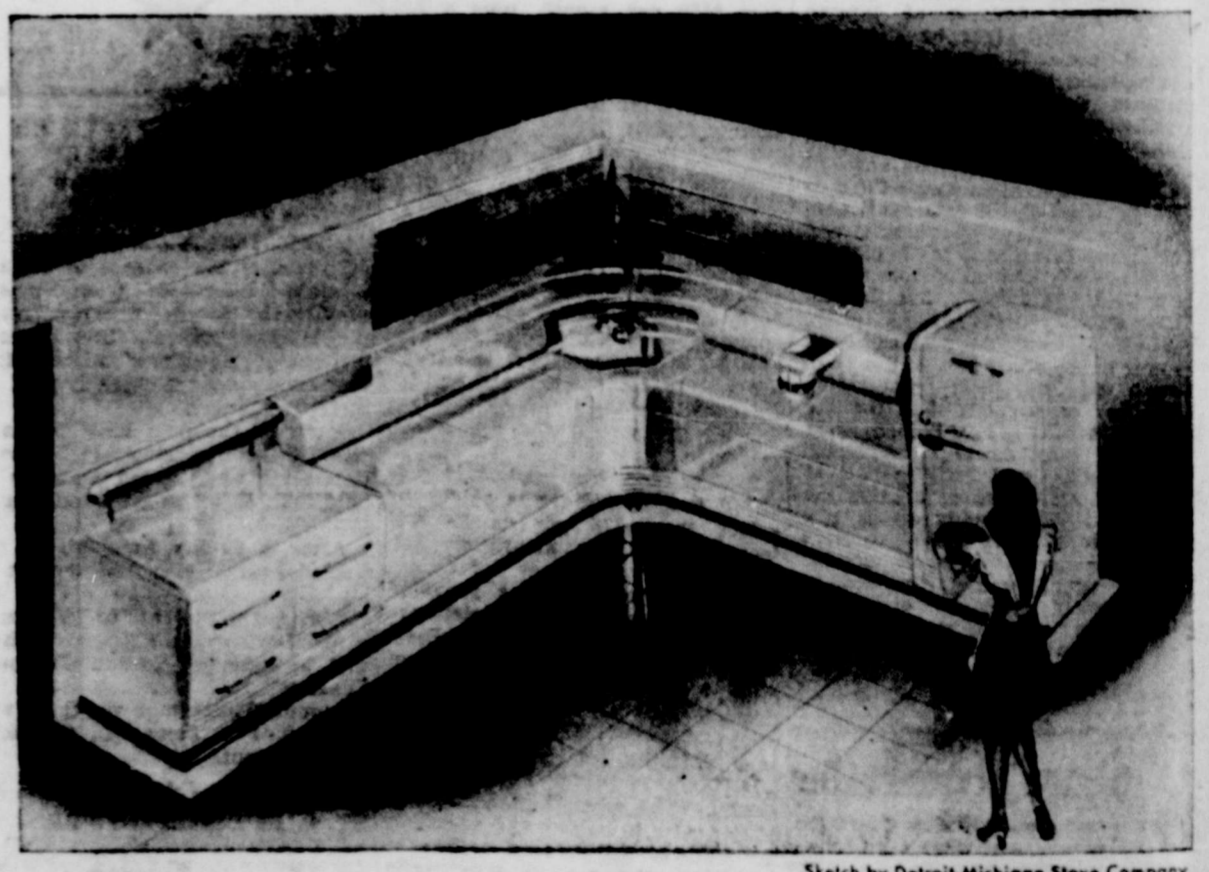
Others present were Mrs. Annie Waggoner, Mrs. Geo. Stringer, Mrs. John Haines, Mrs. J. C. Barrow, Miss Celeste Barrow, Mrs. Lusk Rands, Mrs. C. L. Lynch Sr., Mrs. E. F. Porter, Mrs. E. O. Battles, and Mrs. Sid G. Castles Jr.

The Society will meet at the church for Spiritual Life Message and business session July 2nd at 4:00 o'clock. Mrs. J. F. Isbell will be in charge of the second lesson on "Paul Launches the New Testament."

REPORTER.

# COMPACT

No lost motion preparing meals in a "New Freedom Gas Kitchen"

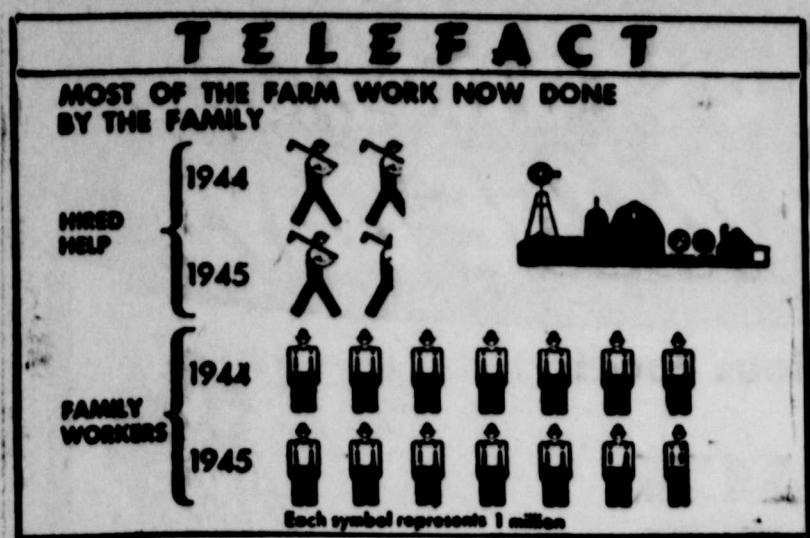


Sketch by Detroit-Michigan Stove Company

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LONE STAR GAS COMPANY



### Carlton

By Mrs. Fred Gey

S/Sgt. Homer Cozby, who has been in India and China for three years and in combat service for two and one-half years, and his mother, Mrs. Edna Cozby of San Diego, Calif., are visiting here with relatives and friends.

John J. Price, MM 3/c, from the Hawaiian Islands, is spending a leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Price.

Uncle Clem Stockham is very ill in the home of his daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Bain.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Helms, their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lesley

Helms, recently married, returned home Friday after a visit at Seminole with their son and brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Helms, and baby. They also visited in Hobbs, New Mexico, while on their trip.

Mrs. Lanon White and son of Brownwood spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Pruitt.

Mrs. J. W. Waldrop of Hico attended church here Sunday.

Mrs. W. L. Fisher and daughter, Mrs. Hubert Stuckey and daughter, Helen Jean, returned home Friday after a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Willard Williamson.

Mrs. Clara Gibson and daughter, Mrs. G. L. Woolley, and children are visiting with relatives at Marfa, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. "Dub" Mitchell and son, Wendol, of Sweetwater visited the past week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Mitchell, before his entry into the service June 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Rogers and baby of San Antonio are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Lee, and other relatives.

Roy Wright of Fort Worth and Lio Martin of Weatherford visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright.

Will Wisdom of San Antonio spent Saturday night with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Vick.

Mrs. J. B. Lowe and daughter, Marile, returned home Friday after attending the funeral of her sister, Mrs. A. L. Ferris, in Denton, and a visit in Waco with relatives.

Visitors in the Milton Whitehead home Sunday were his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Whitehead; a nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Whitehead, and three sons, M. J., Wayne, and Derwood, all of Evant, and Mrs. Frank Ellison and two daughters, Twila and Nelda, of Palm Rose.

Glenn and Bobby Cox of Fort Worth are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Art Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Culmer Jordan and daughter, Martha, and Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Morgan were visitors in Waco Monday.

Mrs. Pauline Funk left Friday for San Diego, Calif., to visit her husband, an apprentice seaman at the U. S. Naval Training Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Adams and daughter, Mrs. Loyd Langford, of Goldthwaite visited Sunday afternoon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Cozby returned to their home in Fort Worth Saturday after a week's visit with her mother, Mrs. Lilla Byrd, and son, Billy.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Couch moved Thursday to their new farm they recently purchased near Hico. A Mr. and Mrs. Brown of Gustine have bought the Couch farm and are rebuilding the house before moving in.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dove and son, John Lee, and a friend of his, all from Fort Worth, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rance Sowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Hobdy Thompson and children, Don and Shirley, met her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Turrey of Lewisville, at Walnut Springs Sunday in the home of her sister and their daughter, Mrs. Leo Finley, and all spent the day together.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Upham Jr. of West Columbia visited over the week end in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Upham, and with his parents and his son, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Upham and Denny, who are visitors in the Upham home.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Clifton and daughter, Mrs. Bill Nix of Stephenville and their son, Pvt. Horace Clifton of New Jersey, were Carlton visitors Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Derald Thompson and two sons of Oklahoma City spent the week end with her mother-in-law, Mrs. Clyde Thompson. The boys remained to spend the summer with their grandmother.

Mrs. Will Barnett and daughter, Latrelle, and Mrs. Doyle Partain spent the week end in Fort Worth with her daughters, Mrs. Agatha Prater and Mrs. Page Barnett. They were accompanied home by Miss Minna Slade of Sacramento, Calif., sister of Mrs. Will Barnett, for a visit with her sister and family. Mrs. Prater returned to Fort Worth Monday, accompanied by Mrs. Partain.

Mrs. Daymond Weaver returned home Monday after a two weeks' visit with her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Weaver.

S/Sgt. J. W. Jordan Jr. returned Friday to the Torney General Hospital at Palm Springs, Calif., after a visit with his wife, his parents, and other relatives. He was accompanied as far as Abilene by his wife and her mother, Mrs. C. C. Dyer.

Mrs. S. W. Fine and son attended the funeral in Breckenridge Sunday of her brother's wife, Mrs. Cicero Shaw.

Jessie Longino, seaman second class, returned Tuesday to San Diego, Calif., after a visit with his wife and three little boys.

Mrs. Charley Proffitt and daughter, Melba Jean, spent Sunday in Hico with her father, J. W. Burden.

Mrs. Ollie Kennedy was a Dublin visitor Friday afternoon.

Miss Ramona Ellenburg attended the wedding of her sister, Miss De-lona Ellenburg of Abilene to Edd Flahell of Winters, that was held in the Methodist Church at Larkin Sunday afternoon. Miss Ellenburg was her sister's maid of honor.

Mrs. Adolph Hilton and baby daughter, Sally Lou, of Oklahoma City, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Russell and

daughter-in-law of Dublin visited Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Edd Chambers, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright spent Saturday in Hico with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wright. Mrs. Dow Self and baby, Freddie, are visiting in Waco with her husband.

### Altman

By Mrs. J. H. McAnelly

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Lemley and daughter, June, of Fort Worth have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Land and daughter, Trula Jean.

Doris D. Jackie and Ouida Gibson of Palm Rose visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stringer, Wednesday.

Mrs. R. T. Reid visited relatives at Abilene and Lawn several days last week.

Ed Stringer was in Stephenville Wednesday and visited his sister, Mrs. Anna Holliday.

O. O. Pollard visited Roy Sears who is ill in the Stephenville Hospital, last Thursday.

J. E. Hyles and J. E. Roberts were Hico visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Conoley and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Dismore at Wilson Sunday, June 19.

Earl Montgomery, E. R. Conoley, and Henry McAnelly were Fort Worth visitors Thursday of last week.

J. B. Roberts Jr., seaman second class, of San Diego, Calif., and his wife and children of Hico have been visiting with his parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Roberts Sr., and Barbara Nell, at different times the past week.

Mrs. Claude Cunningham and Mrs. W. C. Cates of San Angelo were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Roberts Sr., and Barbara Nell, Thursday and Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Clifton and Mrs. Bill Nix of Stephenville and Pvt. James Horace Clifton, who is in the Air Corps and stationed in Nevada, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hyles Sunday afternoon.

Ira Parish left June 13 for the Marine Service of the U. S. A.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Roberts Sr. and daughter, Barbara, visited Seaman Second Class J. B. Roberts Jr. and family in Hico Sunday.

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**CUCUMBER COMMANDOS**

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mandos" by their fellow troops,  
many boys who left their farms to  
fight the Japs are now being called  
upon to supply fresh vegetables,  
milk, eggs and meat to hungry ma-  
rines.  
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finding hand grenades tied to their  
farm tools, tank battles in their  
cornfields, countless new varieties  
of insects to contend with, and  
raids on their tempting food sup-  
ply, the farmers of the Pacific are  
said to have done a remarkable job.  
The plan has been so successful  
that, in addition to vegetables, they  
are now busy with cows, chickens  
and hogs shipped from the United  
States.  
Having these fresh food sup-  
plies available is said to have been  
a great aid to morale. To many  
marines, who have until recently  
been living on dried foods and ra-  
rice, the real heroes of the Pa-  
cific are the Cucumber Com-  
mandos.

**DON'T DRIVE ON  
THE 4TH**

We Americans have a bad habit  
of celebrating Independence Day  
by running up a record number of  
accidents. It used to be that the  
casualties from fireworks head-  
lined the newspapers of the nation  
on the fifth of July. In recent  
years, with fireworks out of the  
picture, our accident record has  
been kept high through automobile  
collisions.  
But this year is different. This  
year, with the war with Japan go-  
ing at a full tilt, it is of vital  
importance that every one of us  
be on the job, and not in a hos-  
pital, on the fifth of July. None  
of us feel personal danger about  
traveling on a busy road, but the  
statistics, year after year, make  
it clear that the busy 4th is the  
most dangerous day of the year  
for motorists.  
That's why 136 organizations  
have joined with the National  
Safety Council to urge us to stay  
home on the Fourth.  
As the council points out: "A  
Fourth of July holiday that would  
pile up a big accident toll and thus  
slow down our war effort would  
be a better holiday for the Japs."  
Without hope, people die. So.

Candidate for the 'Distinguished Service Medal'



By DON WELDON

Jim Musselman, an American  
army officer who was captured on  
Bataan and spent years in a Jap-  
anese prisoner-of-war camp, is  
the son of Charles A. Musselman,  
veteran field representative of the  
United War Chest of Texas. He  
has recently returned home, and  
with him he has brought a tragic  
story of suffering by Americans  
forced to become victims of the  
Nips.  
But he has brought home some-  
thing else—a philosophy developed  
in these long months of captivity.  
Recently, in the midst of a dis-  
cussion of Jap prison life, his fa-  
ther asked Jim: "In all those long  
months, didn't you ever lose  
hope?"  
Jim smiled wanly. Then he re-  
plied simply: "No. Those who lost  
hope died."  
Those who lose hope do die.  
That is the reason for the National  
War Fund.  
The 22 agencies of the National  
War Fund are designed to provide  
both morale and physical services  
to our fighting men and their al-  
lies the world over, and to aid  
suffering war victims in liberated  
countries. But their real job is  
to prevent loss of hope... loss of  
confidence... among those who  
are fighting the war and those who  
are suffering from ravages of bat-  
tle.

If we want a better world... if  
we want peace to follow victory  
we must keep alive the hope  
that alone can give the world con-  
fidence to carry on.  
This year, more than ever be-  
fore, the National War Fund has  
a great job to do.

Texans continue to win honors  
wherever they fight, and that is  
on every battle front.  
Pfc. Claude Pool of Austin and  
Sgt. Boyd Middleton of Rockdale  
have been awarded Silver Star  
medals for battle bravery. Pool  
distinguished himself by running  
through heavy fire during the bat-  
tle of the Cabaruan Hills to reach  
a disabled tank and turn its 75-  
millimeter gun against the Japs.  
Middleton won the medal by crawl-  
ing through bullet-whipped grass  
to reach a wounded companion,  
then rejoining his unit and neu-  
tralizing a Jap machine gun dis-  
placement.

Lt. Carlisle Plattner of Bastrop  
was cited for "heroic achievement"  
against the Germans just before  
V-E Day.  
Lt. John Thomas, son of Dr. and  
Mrs. R. M. Thomas of Mansfield  
and a B-29 bombardier flying from  
Tinian Island, now wears the Air  
Medal with cluster. He received  
the award for his part in "pre-  
cedent-shattering low altitude in-  
cendiary bombing missions against  
the Japanese mainland."  
And Sgt. Travis C. Harper of  
Coryell county has won battlefield  
promotion to the rank of second  
lieutenant, as result of bravery  
and coolness during fighting  
against the Nazis.

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Sermon

By REV. ROBERT H. HARPER

Lesson for June 21: 1 Timothy 6:3-5

9:16; 1 Peter 4:12-16.

Memory Verse: Matthew 6:33.

In the lesson we learn of the  
trials the New Church had to en-  
dure. One of these was the tempta-  
tion to turn away from the received  
truth. Sound doctrine was needed  
then, as now. The man who de-  
parts from the truth is "puffed up"  
and knows nothing—he serves  
only to stir up disputes and  
wrangling.

Paul warned Timothy against  
any tendency toward the material  
in his ministry. The possession of  
wealth, honestly acquired, is not in  
itself sin. But the love of money is  
the root of all evil. Timothy is  
charged to flee from the evils at-  
tendant upon the love of money,  
and to follow after righteousness,  
fight the good fight of faith, lay  
hold upon eternal life, and "keep  
the commandment" . . . until the  
appearing of our Lord Jesus Christ.  
Paul's conviction in stressing the  
supremacy of spiritual things was  
strengthened by his expectation of  
the early return of Jesus.

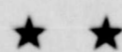
Christians were called upon to do  
more than give up material things  
—persecutions destined to go on  
through three centuries had al-  
ready begun when Peter wrote. He  
encouraged Christians in their  
trials by pointing them beyond the  
things of this transitory world; in-  
asmuch as they were partakers of  
Christ's sufferings, they would be  
able to rejoice at the revelation of  
His glory.



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# Personals.

Marvin Marshall of North Camp visited in Hico Saturday.

Miss Jo Curry of Comanche spent at week visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Keeney.

For Water Well Drilling see W. R. Seed, with headquarters at Blair's Tin & Plumbing Service.

Don Griffiths of Fort Worth visited here last week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Griffiths.

Billy Joe Luckie returned the first of the week from Dawson, where he had spent two weeks with relatives.

Mrs. E. H. Stone and daughters, Elma and Fern, of Dublin were business visitors in Hico Wednesday.

Raymond Brown and children, James, Viola and Larry, of Fort Worth spent Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Harrison of Fort Worth spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Richbourg.

Mrs. C. C. Woods of Waynesboro, Tenn., visited here last week end with her sister, Mrs. Bert Crockett, and other relatives.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Keeney over the week end included Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Pope of Paint Rock, and Miss Ohayne Cope of Denton.

Mrs. Lee King and W. E. Lambert and family of Cleburne visited during the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mings and Mrs. Guy O. Eakins and family.

Mrs. Harry T. Pinson and daughter, Patsy, returned home Thursday from Farmersville after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Worden.

Misses Jo and Mildred Rellihan, freshman students at John Tarleton College at Stephenville, spent the week end here with their mother, Mrs. Ella Rellihan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wilkes of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Sechrist of Rosebud were recent visitors in the home of Mrs. R. O. Segrest.

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Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wren returned home last Friday after a few days' visit with his father, Forest Wren, and Mrs. Wren at Idalou, and with Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Waldrop at Lockney.

Mrs. Clyde Nichols and Mrs. Cecil Cox and baby of Waco visited here Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Elder and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jones. They also visited at Fairy with Mrs. Paul Hutton.

A little son was born last Friday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Winfrey Griffiths, who are now making their home at Lake Jackson, Texas. Mrs. George Griffiths left Friday for a visit with them.

Monday and Tuesday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jones were Marvin Jones and son, Don, of Fort Worth, and Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Jones and children of Dublin.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe E. Moss and Jo Ann of Fort Worth and Mrs. Moss' mother, Mrs. Lynn Patterson of Miami, Fla., spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Moss and family, Ana Loue, Madge and T/Sgt. Carl K. Moss.

"We still enjoy reading the Hico paper very much, although we have been away from Hico for some time, for it is good to be able to keep up with all our old friends," writes Mrs. O. D. Cunningham from Waco.

Mrs. Effie Jones of Wichita Falls made a short visit to Hico to see Mr. and Mrs. John Howerton. Mrs. Howerton's brother, George Jones, of Palestine, Texas, also visited briefly in the Howerton home recently.

Mrs. Cecil Cunningham and daughter, Judy, and Mrs. Harold Stephens and daughter, Glenda, of Wichita Falls visited here Monday with Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Mings. Mrs. Stephens and daughter remained for a longer visit.

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Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Driver have announced the birth of a son, Ronald J., born at the Stephenville Hospital Thursday, June 14. Mrs. Driver is the former Marie Parker, daughter of Mrs. Lucille Snyder of Hico, and J. D. Parker of Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Washam returned home last Friday from El Paso where they had visited several weeks with their son, J. T. Washam, and family. They had as a week-end guest of their grandson, Pvt. Vernon Eugene Washam, who is stationed at Camp Hood.

For Water Well Drilling see W. R. Seed, with headquarters at Blair's Tin & Plumbing Service.

Week-end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Owen were their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hines of Corpus Christi. Mrs. Hines remained with her parents for a longer visit. Another daughter, Mrs. E. T. Freeman, and her daughter, Sandra Freeman, of Amarillo arrived Monday for a visit with her parents.

"I would like to renew my subscription to the News Review to keep up with the boys whom I taught in Hico High School, and are coming back home again," says a letter from C. H. Sargent, now vocational agriculture instructor at Bangs, Texas. "I am still at the same place and the people say I can stay as long as I like, so guess I will stay a while longer. Have just gotten a nice raise in salary," he continued, before sending personal greetings to all his friends in Hico.

Mrs. J. A. Kelly left this week for her home in Arkansas, after a visit here in the home of her sister, Mrs. J. E. Warren. She was accompanied by the Warrens' daughter, Mrs. Ethel Mae Gilley, and son, Ben Roland, who with Mrs. Kelly will visit in Hot Springs before going to the latter's home.

Week-end visitors in the A. J. Jordan home were their six children: Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jordan of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Jordan and children of Abernathy, Mrs. David Sevier of Brownwood, Seaman First Class Royal Jordan on leave from service with the U. S. Navy in the South Pacific, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Goughly and children, and Miss Hester Jordan. Other relatives were Miss Inez Carver of Knox City, and Mr. and Mrs. Jones Jordan.

"The only way I'll ever know what's happening down there is to read the paper, for pencil leads and ink must be scarce," says a pert but appreciated note from Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Terry at Abilene. So they renewed their subscription, with the admonition: "Don't work too hard." But Mrs. Terry has always insisted that we ought to include more gossip with the news, and that would be real work, to get out of the predicament we'd be in if we gossiped too much.

MRS. LEETH CELEBRATES 33RD BIRTHDAY Sunday Friends and children of Mrs. J. J. Leeth arrived at her home Sunday with well-filled baskets to spread a dinner in honor of her 33rd birthday.

Those present at noon were Mrs. J. H. McAnelly, Post; Mr. and Mrs. Orville Reasing and son, Roddy, of North Camp Hood; Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Sorley and two children, Cranfills Gap; Mr. and Mrs. George Leeth, Hamilton, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Leeth of Hico. Other relatives and friends called throughout the afternoon and made the occasion very enjoyable for the honoree.

WEATHER REPORT The following weather report is submitted by L. L. Hudson, local observer:

Date	Max.	Min.	Prec.
June 13	84	57	0.00
June 14	92	65	0.00
June 15	91	74	0.00
June 16	90	75	0.00
June 17	88	61	0.42
June 18	81	58	0.30
June 19	85	55	0.60

Total precipitation so far this year, 22.40 inches.

CARD OF THANKS We take this method of expressing our gratitude and most sincere thanks to all those good friends who have so materially come to our aid during Roy's extreme illness. May God's richest blessings be upon each of you in our fervent prayer, and in times of stress may you be equally sustained. MR. & MRS. ROY SEARS AND DAUGHTERS.

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## THIS AND THAT

By JOE SMITH DYER

FROM MY DIARY: The hotels in Madrid are divided into two classes—the tourist hotels and those that are strictly Spanish. I am tonight in the Escalator which is certainly strictly Spanish.

June 23rd, 1933. Madrid, Spain. Even though this is a good hotel, one must take his bath out. There is only one tube here and it's used exclusively by the manager and his family.

The hotel keepers of Spain are among the most courteous people in the world. There are two reasons for this—they are Spaniards first and hotel-keepers second. Their kindness to travelers is most amazing. The efforts they make to induce Americans to come to their hotels is sincere. When I left the hotel in Cadiz last week the proprietor gave me a large card explaining in detail all the good points of his hostelry and on the bottom in red letters in English were the words: "Won't you please, please come again?" It announced also that the Hotel Embles offered "luxurious chambers" with running "H. and C. water" and enjoyed a first-class attendance.

They never raise their prices. Year in and year out the prices for rooms in Spanish hotels are always the same. Some fifty miles from here and a little off the main-line is the ancient city of Toledo where I am going next week. I have heard so much about Toledo and its very Moorish customs. It is essentially a desert city—dry, desolate and sinister and unlike the other cities of Spain.

Fortunately one cannot travel fast in Spain. Even if you want to you simply can't, because the Spanish people were never known to hurry and rush.

Last week I came down to the station in Malaga to catch the bi-weekly limited (?) for Seville and I wanted so much to get there by late evening, but I sat in the station for two hours before the train was opened and then after getting on I sat two more hours before it ever started.

When I inquired about the delay I was told that the engineer had overslept that morning and that he was shaving now in the station rest-room. The way the natives took the delay was characteristic and they all knew that I was impatient and they all looked at me and smiled. The greasy looking old priest sat in the corner and slept, a lot of those waiting smoked, a Spanish soldier reached into the pocket of his dirty coat and came out with a chunk of brown bread and an orange, and ate solemnly.

I walked the platform and back and forth through the station. And finally an old woman said to me: "The señor is impatient, eh?" Then suddenly I felt ashamed and conspicuous and sat down and told myself, "This is Spain and when in Spain you must do as the Spaniards do, the same as you must do in Rome as the Romans do."

The fellow who makes up the time-tables for Spanish railways must be the biggest practical joker on earth. He writes columns and columns of figures which mean absolutely nothing, binds the whole into a nice little volume and sells it to the glib public at one peseta per copy. The Spanish engineer thinks a lot more of his siesta than he does of his schedule. They say that one time in Spain a train was actually on time but neither I nor anyone else believes that to be a true story. But despite the fact that Spain is slow, I think that I shall sleep very fast tonight because tomorrow will bring any number of things to do and see.

Last summer I saw a shiny beetle clinging to the fender of my car in which I was driving about forty miles an hour over a dirt road, and I could hear that beetle say: "My, my! What a dust I do raise!"

A thing is always done correctly or incorrectly—right or wrong.

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Colors: Light Green, Beige, Pink and Yellow

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# Let's Talk Turkey

DEAR FRIENDS: If you would be interested in raising better turkeys and getting a good price for your turkey eggs through the next season, we would be glad to have you attend a meeting at the Palace Theater in Hico at 2 p. m. Tuesday, June 26. Several interesting speakers from A. & M. College will be on the program.

If we handle your eggs we must know several months in advance, as to the number of hens we will be selling eggs from.

Watch your home-town paper for further details.

Very truly yours,  
MRS. G. C. KEENEY.

## Prominent Speakers Will Be On Hand!

- E. D. PARNELL, Poultry Husbandman, Texas A. & M. College.
- SAM DAVIDSON, From Dr. Salisbury's Laboratories, Charles City, Iowa.
- GRADY PARKERSON, Assistant Manager, Burrus Feed Mills, Dallas, Tex.
- SAM MOORE, With Poultry Extension Department, A. & M. College.
- H. H. WEATHERBY, District Representative Burrus Feed Mills, Dallas, Tex.
- E. R. LAWRENCE, Hamilton County Agent of A. & M. Extension Service.

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THE WISEMAN STUDIO HICO, TEXAS

**Clairette**

By Mrs. H. Alexander

Rev. Greenwood of Bluff Dale filled his regular appointment here Sunday.

Judge J. B. (Burt) Salmon and wife, also Dewey Mitchell of Kermit visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Sherrard and family and Mr. and Mrs. Hub Alexander and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Mayfield visited their sons, Leroy and Louis and family, at Abilene last week.

Miss Virginia Mayfield visited her sister, Gloria, at Abilene a few days last week. Gloria is employed with the Interstate Theatres of that city.

Miss Barbara Hazlett of Dallas is here visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Hazlett.

Mr. and Mrs. Dink Henderson and sons, Mac and Jon Frankie, of West Texas are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Mayfield.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Stanford Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stamford of Fort Worth, Mrs. Jennie McAnally and son, Tommie, of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Bishop Stanford and son, Donald, of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Burette Stanford and daughter of Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Partain and baby of Fort Worth visited Mr. A. E. Harvey over the week end.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Mayfield Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Arch Mayfield and children of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mayfield and baby and Mrs. Fred Ragsdale of Chilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Phillips and children who have been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Wolfe returned to their home at Longview Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim O'Hara, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Thompson and baby of Fort Worth visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Artie Thompson recently.

Guests in the home of Mr. T. M. Lee Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lee and children of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. George Lee of Fort Worth, Mrs. Sam Wolfe and son, Sam Jr., of Dublin, and Mrs. Rebecca Wacha and baby of Palestine.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Alexander Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. George Jones of Fort Worth, Pvt. and Mrs. W. E. Alexander and son, Lynn Paul, of Camp Hood and Kerrville, Mrs. W. A. Dunagan and daughter, Mrs. Lucille Doyle and little daughter, Kay, of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Alexander and daughter, Betty, Mrs. Leslie Patterson and baby, Evelyn Jo, Mr. R. M. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Hub Alexander and daughters, Nila and Elizabeth.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Deward Head were Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Head of Hico, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Head of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Head of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Head and children.

Mrs. Floyd Anderson and baby of Tyler are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Cranfill and other friends.

A large crowd of friends and neighbors enjoyed a country singing in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hub Alexander Tuesday night. Out-of-town guests were Mrs. W. A. Dunagan of Waco, Mrs. W. E. Alexander Jr. of Kerrville, Mrs. Lucille Doyle and little daughter, Kay, of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. George Lee of Fort Worth. The singing was given in honor of the guests. The singing was wonderful and everyone seemed to enjoy it very much.

Mrs. Homer Wolfe left Wednesday to be at the bedside of a daughter, Mrs. Cecil Mayfield, who will undergo an operation Thursday in a Fort Worth hospital.

H. G. Wolfe made a business trip to Eastland Tuesday.

**Duffau**

By Elmer Glesecke

The heavy rain that fell Sunday afternoon retarded farming considerably.

The threshers are prepared to start this week. Some of the grain is considered very good.

Mrs. Alice Cline of Fort Worth is visiting old friends here this week.

Mr. Dennis of Stephenville, accompanied by her small son, was visiting her sister, Lettye Fallin, last week end.

Mrs. W. D. Elkins fell and severely injured her knee and is confined to her bed this week.

Stanley Roach left with his truck for Claude, Texas, Sunday, where he expects to help take care of the grain crop.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernell Jernigan and small son and daughter visited Mrs. Jernigan's mother in Kansas for two weeks. They have now returned home.

# Here's the Story, Folks!



**If Hico is to make its quota in the 7th War Loan, \$20,000.00 more must be invested in E Bonds before the drive ends on June 30th**

ONE OF THE IWO JIMA HEROES IN THE FAMOUS FLAG RAISING PICTURE SAID:

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FOR SALE: Early Elberta Peaches on former Waldrop Nursery, W. H. Tweedle. 5-2tp.

FOR SALE: Nice henhouse, 29x40. New Adams. 5-3tc.

FOR SALE: Nice canning peaches, yellow or white, \$1.50 per bu. at orchard. Phone 2822. W. C. Pad-dack. 5-tfc.

PEACHES for sale, \$2.00 bu. at orchard on C. H. Miller place, Hico Rt. 2. Ernest Franklin. 5-2tp.

FOR SALE: Gas range in good condition. See Mrs. Doris Williamson. 4-tfc.

FOR SALE: 100 bushels or more of America All-Purpose Plums. Now ready to go. Burbank Elberta peaches, apples, pears, grapes and persimmons in season. W. H. Robertson, 2 mi. S. W. Clairette, Dublin Rt. 7. 4-2tp.

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NEWS REVIEW WANT ADS

## Will Head Veterans' Bureau



Gen. Omar Bradley, commander of the 12th army group, greeted by his wife as an announcement went out that he had been appointed administrator of veterans' affairs. His selection meets with general approval from the armed forces. The regard they hold for General Bradley can be summed up in words of the late Ernie Fyle: "If I could pick any two men in the world for my father, except my own dad, I would pick Gen. Omar Bradley or Gen. Ike Eisenhower. If I had a son I would like him to go to Bradley or Ike for advice."

### Fairy

By Mrs. J. O. Richardson

We received another rain Sunday night which will stop all farm work for a few days.

Mrs. A. L. Betts and little daughter, Judith Lynn, spent the week end in the home of her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Betts. Mrs. T. L. Betts, who is employed at Fort Worth, Sunday afternoon. Mrs. A. L. Betts and little daughter will go on to Fort Sill, Okla., where they will join their husband and father, later continuing to New Jersey, where he has been stationed.

Mrs. I. A. Richardson of Meridian visited from Friday until Sunday in this community with relatives and friends. While here she visited in the homes of J. O. Richardson, T. L. Betts, H. H. Wolfe, Wallace Edwards, and Mrs. Emma Ogle. She formerly resided here and it has been thirteen years since she was here.

A little daughter was born to Pvt. and Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers in the Holt Hospital and Clinic on Thursday, June 14. She tipped the scales at six and three-quarter pounds, and has been christened Carolyn Ruth. Private Sellers is somewhere in Czechoslovakia, according to last reports. Mrs. Sellers is the former Miss Charlene Richardson. She and the baby returned Monday to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Richardson, and both are doing nicely.

V. H. Heyroth of Gatesville was a business visitor in our midst the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hoover are making preparations to move to Dublin the first of July, where they have purchased town prop-

erty. Their son, E. M. Hoover, carried a truck load of outdoor possessions to Dublin Tuesday of this week.

A nice crowd of ladies attended the rag-tacking at the home of Mrs. M. E. Parks last Tuesday, and are meeting with Mrs. Brittle Little today (Tuesday) of this week. They will meet with Mrs. H. S. Pitts Tuesday of next week. The rags are cut and tacked for rag-making for the McCloskey General Hospital at Temple. All are invited to attend.

Since talking with Mr. S. N. Akin we learn that his wife is at Waco only for treatment, and doesn't expect to undergo an operation as we had been informed and stated in last week's news. We sincerely hope the treatment will be successful and that she can soon return home.

Mrs. W. E. Goynne and daughters, Wilma Grace and Malinda Lou, are spending this week in Weatherford as guests in the home of her sister, Mrs. E. W. Luckie.

### Quilting Club Meets

The Fairy Quilting Club met with Mrs. Harold Hanson for an all-day quilting last Wednesday. A covered dish luncheon was served at noon.

Miss Thelma Keese, the Hamilton County Home Demonstration Agent, met with us in the afternoon. The topic was "Cleaning and Adjusting a Sewing Machine."

We organized a home demonstration club and elected the following officers: Mrs. Elton Samford, president; Mrs. T. A. Parks, vice-president; Mrs. Vera Glenn, reporter; Mrs. Edna Lackey, council delegate; Mrs. Harold Hanson, clothing demonstrator; Mrs. C. C. Parks, home food supply.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Claud Brunson, on July 6th at 2 p. m. All the ladies are invited to attend the meetings.

### DEAN-BAILEY WEDDING HELD WEDNESDAY

(Cisco Daily Press)  
Standing before a vine-covered altar, lighted by wedding candelabra, Miss Hilyle Jean Dean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dean, became the bride of Lieut. Gayle Bailey, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Bailey of Cisco, in an impressive ceremony at the Church of Christ, Rev. Orval Pillock of Eastland officiated.

Candles were lighted by Misses Patsy Allen and Bobbie Jean Tullos; pre-nuptial music was played by Miss Doris Jamison, who also accompanied Mrs. J. E. Walter as she sang, "I Love You Truly"; violin accompaniment was played by Mrs. Ben Krauskopf. Jane Elmore and Karen Moore scattered flowers in the path of the bride, as the bridal party entered to the strains of Lohengrin's bridal chorus.

Miss Dean entered on the arm of her father who gave her in marriage. Miss Marjorie June Bryant was the bride's maid of honor and Misses Carolyn, Elizabeth and Dottie Bailey and Miss Zovelle Cagle were bride's maids. Kathleen Bailey served as a junior bridesmaid.

Lieut. M. D. Bailey of San Angelo was best man for his brother, and A. W. Watson, Neal Moore, Roy Huffmeyer and C. C. Pippen were ushers.

Immediately following the wedding a reception was held in the roof garden of Hotel Laguna. The table, overlaid with lovely Madeira cloth, was centered with a pretty arrangement of snapdragons. Mrs. M. D. Bailey was in charge of the bride's book.

Punch was ladled by Mrs. C. C. Pippen and the decorated wedding cake was cut by the young couple, after which Mrs. Roy Huffmeyer and A. Z. Myrick served the guests. Lieut. and Mrs. Bailey left for a wedding trip to Carlsbad and Ruidosa, N. M.

The couple was reared in Cisco and Lieut. Bailey graduated with the 1941 high school class. He attended Cisco Junior College a year and was attending A. & M. College when he entered the Army Air Force. He recently returned from the European Theater and is awaiting assignment.

Mrs. Bailey is a graduate of Cisco High School, completing her work with the 1944 class. She also was a member of the Lobo high school band. Since graduating from high school she has been employed at the Moore Drug Store. Out of town guests present were Mrs. J. M. Tomkins, Fort Worth; Mrs. A. B. Roberson and Mrs. Bud Bowman, Hico; Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Watson and son, Albany; Mrs. Ford Taylor, Ballinger; Mrs. Cooper, Rising Star; Lieut. and Mrs. M. D. Bailey Jr. and son, San Angelo; Misses Elizabeth and Dottie Bailey, Fort Worth; Miss Carolyn Bailey, Denton.



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## AMERICAN HEROES

by JULIAN OLLENDORFF



POSTHUMOUSLY a Silver Star was awarded to Pvt. Willis V. McFarland, St. Louis, Mo. When attempting to establish a beachhead on the Rapido River, Italy, Pvt. McFarland's unit was halted by enemy artillery fire. Dropping to the ground, he crawled over the shell-blasted shore to cut barbed wire, discharging his automatic rifle as he went. Thus he advanced through barbed wire entanglements until severely wounded. He gave his life fighting to free Italy, and the purchase of War Bonds will help continue that fight until all of the world is liberated from the Axis yoke.

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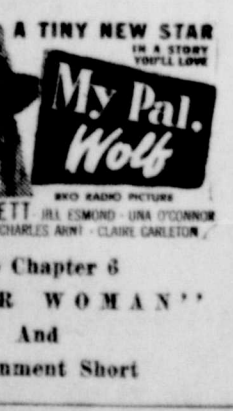
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Tues. & Wed., June 26 & 27



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And Government Short

Thurs. & Fri., June 28 & 29

**TURNER DAY PETERS**  
Keep Your Powder Dry  
AN M-G-M PICTURE

March of Time

## WITH THE COLORS

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plenty of work to be done here yet, and the monsoons have started so we all have hip-boots to play around in the mud. I could send you some pictures of things but I can't send the smell so you wouldn't appreciate the pictures. And if I sent the smell without the pictures you wouldn't enjoy it either.

I just came back from up where J. J. Jones is stationed a few days ago, but I didn't get to see him—in fact, I haven't seen him since I have been in China.

I am sending you a ten-rupee Japanese note, so don't ever say I didn't give you anything.

If I can ever get the rest of the gang from Hico together I am going to take a picture and send it to you.

Tell all the folks around the good old town hello for me. Guess I'd better go to bed as it's ten o'clock.

As ever,  
GRADY.  
(S/Sgt. Grady T. Coston)

## WE'VE HEARD A LOT ABOUT THIS SMITH BOY, BUT THIS STORY DOESN'T TELL IT ALL

Special to The News Review:

AG&SF REDISTRIBUTION STATION, HOT SPRINGS, ARK.—Reporting to the Army Ground and Service Forces Redistribution Station in Hot Springs, Arkansas, Pfc. Travis C. Smith of Hico, Tex., is now living in one of the four major Hot Springs hotels acquired by the Army to house the installation.

Returned to the United States last month after spending two and a half years in the Southwest Pacific, Private Smith spent a 30-day furlough at his home before leaving for Hot Springs. He is a combat veteran.

He will be in Hot Springs for less than two weeks, waiting reassignment to active duty. The primary function of the Redistribution Station is to assign the returned soldier to the Army job for which he is best fitted, will be accomplished in surroundings designed for rest and relaxation. Under these conditions, expert interviewers and classification personnel secure the maximum cooperation from the returnees.

In addition to reassigning the returned veterans, the Redistribution Station is equipped to give the soldiers complete medical examinations and administer whatever medical and dental treatment is necessary to fit him for active duty. Military treatment is necessary to fit him for active duty. Military records will be checked and back pay brought up to date.

Aside from his necessary appointments, the veteran will be free to enjoy the resort facilities available at Hot Springs. An extensive program of entertainment and recreation has been planned for the returnees.

Under the direction of the Eighth Service Command, the Redistribution Station in Hot Springs is one of five set up by the Army Service Forces.

Hubert Y. Clepper has been promoted to staff sergeant, according to a recent letter to his mother, Mrs. J. P. Clepper, who thinks her son is still in New Guinea. A brother, Sgt. Alvin H. Clepper, is on Black. A third son, Pfc. Gerald G. Clepper, is thought to be on Guam.

Petty Officer James O. Worrrell, U. S. Merchant Marine, home from the European Theater of War, visited his aunt, Mrs. H. L. Stanley, Sunday.

## CARLTON SOLDIER AMONG MEDICS COMMENDED FOR SERVICE TO 36TH DIVISION

Special to The News Review:

SIXTH ARMY GROUP, GERMANY.—Medics of the 11th Medical Battalion, veterans of combat in Italy, France and Germany, treated their 46,000th patient when they supported the 36th "Texas" Division and its allied armor and artillery in breaching the Siegfried Line facing General Jacob L. Devers' 6th Army Group.

Litter bearers and ambulance drivers of the 11th braved intense enemy fire to transport casualties from the Siegfried battlefield to the battalion's clearing station. Here medical officers administered aid to wounds and prepared patients for evacuation to hospitals a few miles behind where detailed surgical care would be given. Men who received minor wounds were treated and held for subsequent return to duty.

This action marked the U. S. 7th Army's second anniversary overseas with over 365 days of combat support. Many medics have been wounded and 29 have been killed while performing the dangerous task of battlefield evacuation. Over 200 Purple Hearts have been awarded while heroic action has won for them 20 Silver Stars and more than 200 Bronze Stars.

Lt. Col. John M. Hardy, Brownwood, Texas, battalion commander, pointed out that during an 18-month operational period they were three sick men for every man wounded. His clearing company, which operates a 200-bed hospital, has returned as high as 27 per cent of admissions direct to duty. These included mainly disease cases and some minor wound patients.

Members of the battalion include Pfc. Iven B. Lewis of Route 1, Carlton; also Pfc. J. L. Gilbreath Jr. of West Long St., Stephenville.

## HICO GIRL'S HUSBAND WINS COVETED COMBAT BADGE

Special to The News Review:

WITH THE 32ND DIVISION IN NORTHERN LUZON, P. I.—Sergeant Technician Simon H. Shaffer, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Shaffer of Big Spring, Texas, and the husband of Mrs. Edra Lee Shaffer of Hico, Texas, has been awarded the Combat Infantryman's Badge for exemplary conduct under fire.

In the service since October, 1942, T/4 Shaffer has been in the SWPA for 26 months. He saw his first action at Saldor, New Guinea, with the veteran 32nd (Red Arrow) Division, and is fighting at present among the rugged Caracallo Mountains in northern Luzon.

Coxswain Jess Askey, serving in the Pacific with the Coast Guard on an LST, has sent his wife a picture of the marker erected at the spot on Ie Sima where Ernie Pyle was killed. Jeanette says the LST Jess helps man carried the division to which the late lamented war correspondent was attached.

In ordering a change of address for her brother, Pvt. John B. Fouts, Mrs. J. R. Lawrence wrote: "He has recently been assigned to the 36th Division and thinks it's about the nicest thing Uncle ever did for him. He's looking forward to his 'T' patch. He is in Leader, Germany."

Donald Oakley left Thursday for Camp Keesling, Mississippi, for assignment in the Army Air Corps, according to a card received from his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Oakley.

## DUTCHER WRITES OF SAILOR, FORMERLY OF HICO

Mrs. Sam Tudor has sent to the News Review a clipping of the story below from Charles W. Dutcher, Civilian Rigger, New York. He writes as a hobby and to bring news of the boys with whom he comes in contact to their folks at home. He says:

"One young man I met today was Melvin D. Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Jones of Hamilton County, Texas.

"Melvin D. Jones is a seaman in the United States Merchant Marine Service, on the ships which carry supplies to our fighting men in the European Theater of War.

"I met Melvin in one of the United Seamen's Service Clubs of the European Theater of War and a harbor which I am unable to name due to military restrictions and censor.

"United Seamen's Service is one of the most beneficial organizations in the war effort today, and in this European Theater of War, there is one in most every Allied seaport, and it is a place where men of the U. S. Merchant Marine Service and other ships which bring supplies to 'Allied Forces' can go when on shore leave, where they can find good food, a place to sleep and a reading and writing room where they can write home to their loved ones.

"It is also a place where men of the ships which sail the seas can go when stranded, or have lost their ship, or are sick or injured.

"Melvin D. Jones is in one of the most important and dangerous units of the war, for there is always danger of submarines or airplane attack, yet without the United States Merchant Marine Service, the United States Army, and the Allied Forces could not survive, or carry on the war against their enemies to a final victory.

"Melvin D. Jones is a fine example of the modern seaman, educated, courteous and of neat appearance, a credit to his country, to his home and state, and to his loved ones, and they may well quote, as he lives and serves the following from Daniel Webster:

"Let our country be our country, our whole country, and nothing but our country. And, by the blessing of God, may that country itself become a vast and splendid monument, not of oppression and terror, but of wisdom, of peace and of liberty, upon which the world may gaze with admiration forever."

## NAVY DEPARTMENT SAYS DON'T CONCENTRATE THE CHRISTMAS MAIL LOAD

Special to The News Review:

DALLAS, June 13.—The Navy Department encourages the mailing of overseas gift packages throughout the year. Although the mailing period for Christmas parcels to Army personnel will be the same as last year—September 15 to October 15—there is no restricted mailing period for the personnel of the Navy, Marine, and Coast Guard. All Christmas parcels should, however, be mailed not later than October 15 to afford some degree of probability of delivery prior to Christmas day.

Due to the distances—more than five million square miles have been won from the enemy since 1941—and the size and frequency of combat operations in the Far Pacific, no guarantee of delivery can be made.

First Lieutenant Herman B. Segrest, on a 12-day leave from his present duties as instructor in the cadet physical training department at Amarillo Army Air Field, has been visiting here with his mother, Mrs. R. O. Segrest, and other relatives. He was accompanied by his wife and young son, David Herman. Herman says they are putting a lot of lads through intensive B-29 instruction at present, and that he is kept quite busy while on duty.

S/Sgt. Lynn Holley left this week for San Antonio to be re-assigned after a visit here with his parents and at Carlton with his wife and young son, Lynn Jr., who have been making their home with her parents while he was overseas. Holley, who has been back in the States on a 30-day furlough, has a number of interesting souvenirs from France.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Geye of Carlton received a letter last Thursday from their son, T/4 Fred N. Geye, dated June 4, stating that if nothing unforeseen happened he would leave Italy within twenty or thirty days for the States. Sergeant Technician Geye has been overseas three years and seven months. He said he hoped to see his parents and friends soon.

Mrs. Charlie Meador and children, Patsy and Sonny, returned home last Wednesday from El Paso after a visit with their husband and father, Pvt. Charlie Meador, who is stationed at Fort Bliss. They were accompanied on the trip by Terry Thompson, who visited his uncle at El Paso.

J. P. Owen, SK 3/c, who recently returned to the States after serving 18 months in the Solomons, has gone back to his station at San Diego, Calif., after a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Owen.

If Texans at home do as well as Texas fighting men abroad, there will be no danger of the Lone Star State falling down on its war bond or war fund quotas!

## PFC. ERNEST M. CODY AT HOME WITH DISCHARGE AFTER PACIFIC SERVICE

Ernest M. Cody, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Cody of Fredell Route 2, received an honorable discharge from the army last month, and is now at home with his parents to visit until his plans for the future are complete. Other visitors in the home during the Codys' homecoming have been Misses Lucille and Inez Cody of Sweetwater, Mrs. Alton L. Hilley and young son, Lynn, of Longview, and Lloyd and Doris of the home.

With a rating of private first class, Cody left the States June 7, 1942, for Hawaii, serving to April 5 of this year overseas. He is credited to wear the Philippine Liberation Ribbon with three bronze stars, and the Combat Infantryman's Badge; his record indicates service in the Philippine Liberation Campaign, in New Guinea, Luzon, Leyte and Mindoro.

The Codys have three other sons in service: Cpl. Morris E. Cody, with an ordnance unit somewhere in Germany; Pvt. Harold Desmond Cody, with the infantry somewhere in Germany, and Pvt. Arthur R. Cody, now at Fort Benning, Ga. They are looking forward to the time when all the family can be back together.

## J. D. JONES JR. PROMOTED TO FIREMAN FIRST CLASS WHILE IN THE PHILIPPINES

The Philippines  
June 9, 1945

Dear Holford:

Just a line to say hello. Guess who I saw today? Yes, it was J. W. Burden. This was the first time I've seen him since we left boot camp about a year and three months ago. He has been out here in the Pacific ever since.

He said he had been in every beachhead out here except Borneo. The way he talks, things are still hot up at Manila. His ship is in the floating dry dock—the same one we were in a few weeks ago. He said he didn't get much mail because he was at sea for about 60 days. I guess that explains that.

I'm now in the engine room. I take care of the engines. We have Diesel engines. I sure do like it better down there—it's more like working in the shop back home. We have three small six-cylinder engines like they use in big Caterpillar tractors, and one large main engine.

We can't understand why Maynard and Fred don't ever write us. J. W. said he saw Vernon Brewer and he is a petty officer now.

Well, guess that's about all the "scoop" so I sign off for now.

As ever,  
J. D. JONES JR.

P. S.: Oh, yes, J. W. is third class motor machinist now, and I'm fireman first class.—J. D. J.

Raymond Hefner, Navy V-12er attending Southwestern University at Georgetown, finished up a semester of work and came home for a visit before starting another. He was accompanied by That Girl Mary, who makes herself so useful around St. Paul's Sanitarium in Dallas that she can get leave on occasions like this. Thursday they were threatening to go to the river on a fishing trip for two days and two nights. Raymond is rated as quite a fisherman in these parts, but we'll never believe the gal from Dallas can catch a fish—until we see the fish.

J. J. Smith heard this week from three of his grandsons through the boys' mother, Mrs. Hettie Smith at Waco. Jack Smith, with the Seabees, spent several days recently with his brother, Carroll, who is in a hospital in the Philippines recovering from a shoulder injury. Bill D. Smith, who has been service with the Navy in the Armed Guard, and is at present stationed at Galveston, visited his mother the past week end.

Orville M. Washam, Bkr 1/c, who has been in a convalescent hospital at Santa Cruz, Calif., for several weeks, has been sent back to Shoemaker, Calif., according to word received here by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Washam.

## BILLY JACK HASN'T BEEN JUST FOOLIN' AROUND SINCE HIS LEAVE HERE EXPIRED

W. J. Rhoades, seaman first class, who was home on leave for 21 days in early spring, is now back in service in the Pacific on an aircraft carrier. He writes his granddad, E. S. Rhoades: "Since I have been out here we have been in 21 raids and 4 major battles. We have a star for the China Sea operation, the Tokyo raid, and two stars in the Philippine Liberation ribbon."

Billy Jack added that he had a swell time at home, and requested his grandfather to tell all the folks howdy for him. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman J. Rhoades

of Stephenville. His mother went to Seattle with him on his way back to sea after his leave.

The young sailor was born in Hico. He is one of five grandsons of Mr. Rhoades in service. Two are in the Navy, one in the Marines, and two in the Army. All are or have been overseas.

A note received this week from Mrs. Bess Warren says that she is now making her home with Mrs. Forrest Agee in Dallas. She added this: "Hosea is a full Looey now and near Manila in Philippine waters. His wife and daughter, Suzanne, visited me recently. Suzanne has big blue eyes and golden curls."

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