

Coryell County Gets "A" Award From WFA: One Of 5 In Texas

CORYELL COUNTY NEWS

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS
Compiled from instruments filed for record in office of the County Clerk, and furnished by the **BROWN ABSTRACT COMPANY**
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T. W. Christian to F. H. Karnes Trust Estate, part of Blk. 4 Townsite of Levita.—\$10.00.

B. W. Wolfe and others to Mrs. Belle Squyres, Lot 15 blk. 3 in Levita.—\$125.00.

C. C. Rainer and wife to Cecil I. Snyder, 1 acre E. Norton survey.—\$1100.00.

Wm Curry and wife to J. C. Graham, 140 acres os. Thompson and 4 acres Ira Jones survey.—\$4250.00.

Geo. B. Painter to Sarah K.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Jackson of Leon Junction became the parents of a daughter, Frances Oleta who was born at 2:10 p. m. Dec. 9th at the Coryell Memorial Hospital.

Walter Thomas Hix IV was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hix of East Main Street, Dec. 12th at 2:10 a. m. at the Coryell Memorial Hospital. Mrs. Hix is the former Harriett Sebastian of Moody.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sutton of Leon Junction became the parents of a daughter, Beverly Kay, who was born at 12:30 a. m. Dec. 12th at the Coryell Memorial Hospital.

Lt. and Mrs. Wallace Shafer are the parents of a son who was born Dec. 13th at 8:35 a. m. at the Coryell Memorial Hospital. Lt. Shafer is stationed at North Camp Hood.

Short, Part of blk. 95, original town of Gatesville, C. Cazanoba survey.—\$3350.00.

Marriages Licenses

Daniel D. Golden and Hattie Virginia Julian.

Roy Robert Shepherd and Nell Hamilton.

Charlie Robinson and Elizabeth Jones.

Charles A. Mendell and Janet Glover.

Larry Wayne Curry and Ruth Ada Scott.

PRESENTATION TO BE MADE BY OFFICIALS DECEMBER 29TH

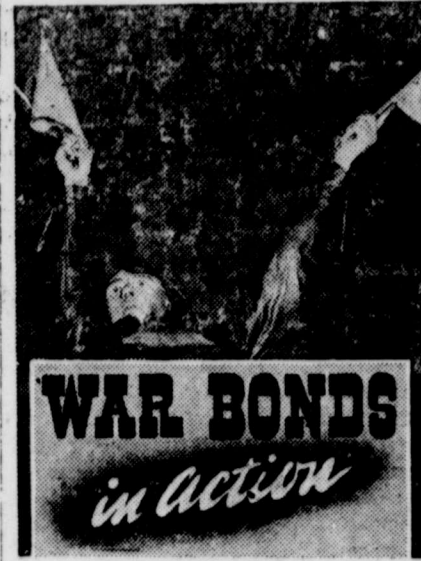
While five counties in Texas have won the "A" award of the War Food Administration, the citizens of Coryell County think that they can take more pride in their accomplishments because they have increased their production despite the fact that 136,000 acres of Coryell soil have been taken into the Camp Hood Military Reservation and about 8,000 acres into the Bluebonnet Ordnance Plant. Under such conditions, a normal production would have been an accomplishment worthy of praise, but an increased production is a very signal honor.

Although the Victory-minded farmers of Coryell County are primarily responsible for the award, the residents of Gatesville and the surrounding small towns also deserve credit for the part that they have had in the War Effort in this section, Gatesville took care of the construction workers that built North Camp Hood; they furnished homes, class rooms and mess halls for the Officers' Orientation Classes and the first five O.C.S. classes in Camp Hood; and they are now sharing their homes with the officers and enlisted men of that camp. Everyone has cooperated wholeheartedly in the scrap and salvage campaigns and the war bond drives.

The presentation of the award somewhat like a military citation for gallantry, will be held in Gatesville December 29th with a representative of the War Department making the award. Representatives of the armed services will participate in the presentation ceremonies in recognition of the important part that food plays in the prosecution of the war.

The banner winners were decided upon a basis of achievement in one or more of the following accomplishments: Production record and the extent that the county exceeded its 1943 goal; overcoming severe handicaps; extent of shift to vital war crops; and improvement in farm production efficiency. Coryell exceeded in each of these required points. In citing Coryell County, the Texas U.S.D.A. War Board issued the following commendation.

"Despite the evacuation of 723 families from land acquired for Camp Hood, Coryell County farmers and ranchers increased their peanut production by two thousand per cent, grain sorghum by four hundred per cent and oats harvested by one hundred thirty three per cent. The County War Board aided the orderly evacua-



tion and location of disposed families so that their war-time contribution would not be necessarily reduced. The county collected 2,500 tons of scrap iron, and 150 tons of rubber".

The above citation only briefly tells of the fine work done by the farmers in this county who operated so successfully with the able assistance and guidance of the local War Board under the direction of N. Foote. Producers have exchanged labor and machinery so that all crops produced were harvested with the available machinery and the normal amount of migrant labor. The public schools cooperated by opening and closing the schools at such days and hours that the school children were made available to help with the crops.

In cooperation with the F.S.A., a sum of \$10,000 was secured and dispersed to the needy who were forced to evacuate the Camp Hood area. The War Board, in cooperation with the army, evacuated 283 families from the N. Camp Hood area, military trucks operating 133,860 miles hauling 2,512 loads for the evacuees.

The county also excelled in the scrap drives, cooperation with government rationing programs, over subscription of war bond drives and war chest funds. The contribution that the county has made to the food program by its increase in crop production is shown by the following:

Item	Per cent Increase
Cattle	9
Chickens (raised)	37
Hens and pullets	29
Turkeys (raised)	65
Pigs (litters)	63
Corn	14
Oats (harvested)	133
Baryel	38
Hay	14
Sudan Grass	72
Home Gardens	57
Grain Sorghums	400
Peanuts	2000

War Fund Drive Nets \$8,667.50 For Coryell

Coryell County's United War Cheset Fund Drive totaled \$8,667.50, according to the final report, and this put this county over the top, since the quota was \$7,000.00 with \$5,000.00 of that being Gatesville, and the balance for the county.

Gatesville contributed \$6,684.84, according to Mrs. Lee Colwick, campaign secretary.

C. E. Alvis was County Chairman for the drive, and was well pleased with the results of the drive, and with the work of his co-workers during this busy season.

NEWS OF OUR MEN AND WOMEN IN UNIFORM

From Daytona Beach, Fla., 2nd WAC Training Center, comes the news that Pvt. Vivian W. Andrew of Pearl is receiving basic instruction at this center preparing for an army assignment.

Warrant Officer Martin Donaldson of Camp Swift, was a visitor here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Juel Donaldson.

Lt. L. V. Arnett, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Arnett of near Gatesville was here enroute from Fort Monmouth, N. J., to a Pacific Coast post. Lt. Arnett is an officer in the U. S. Marines.

Cpl. Winifred Jones, was a recent visitor here with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jones, and left for Camp McCall, in N. Carolina.

Cpl. Hershell Bradford of Daniel Field, Augusta, Ga., was a visitor here with friends and relatives.

Richard Dickie, with the SCS at Fairfield, Texas, was a week end visitor in Gatesville.

Markets

Thursday, Dec. 9

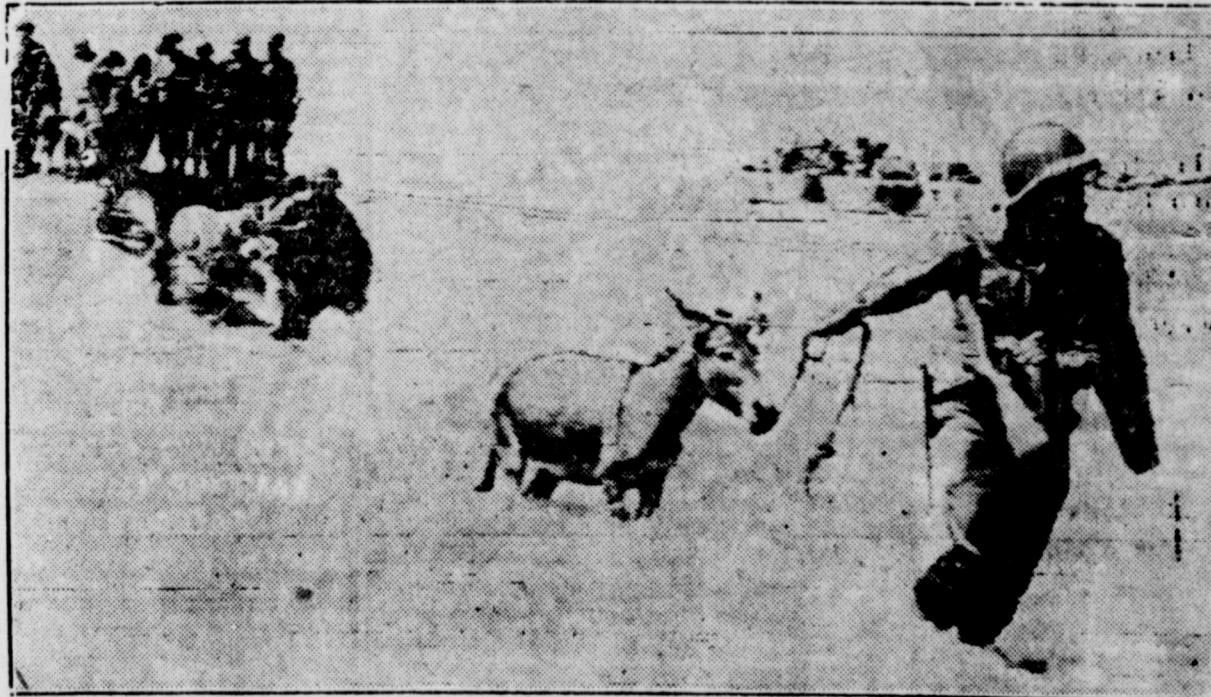
Oats bushel	70c
Corn,	\$1.10
Eggs, No. one candle, doz	41c
Cream, No. 1	47c
Cream, No. 2	44c
Fryers	25c
Old Roosters	10c
Hens	20c

NEWS OF THE WORLD IN PICTURESSHOWING THE LATEST



A B-25 was taking off somewhere in North Africa. It crashed and burst into flames. Private Eugene A. Ganter rushed forward with three other soldiers to aid the crew. The heat was overwhelming but Ganter and his companions, drenched from the hoses of rescue apparatus, rescued three crew members from the blazing ship. Then Ganter returned to remove loaded 50 caliber machine guns. He won the Soldier's Medal. Such are the men your War Bonds fight beside.

U. S. Treasury Department.



Bureau of Public Relations U. S. War Department
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U.S.O. Activities

The Christmas season at the USO was formally opened Dec. 4, when the official lighting of the tree and the decorations took place at the dance intermission. Singing of carols preceded the lighting of the tree. Plans for the holidays are announced today.

Choral Vespers and a tea will begin the Christmas program on the 19th of December at 5:30. The public is invited to attend this religious service and participate in this as well as all other Christmas festivities.

On Dec. 22 there will be a special Christmas party for married soldiers and their wives.

Every evening during Christmas week there will be carolling beginning at 8:30 on the USO Terrace. Each night a different community group will assume responsibility for the singing. The civilian public is cordially invited to participate with the soldiers in this celebration. On Christmas Eve there will be an old fashioned family party with a Christmas tree and plenty of cakes, candy, fruit and nuts for the service men. The tree will bear gifts for each soldier attending and will come as a result of the gifts from

civilians of Gatesville. Boxes will be located thruout the business section within a few days to handle these gifts.

Christmas Day will give all civilians an opportunity to share their homes with service men away from home. Call your name in now to the USO if you are willing to invite soldiers into your home on this day.

Christmas Night there will be open house and dancing at the USO. On Dec. 29, Wednesday evening, there will be a reception and dance to which the public is especially invited. On this occasion the volunteers who have served USO faithfully for the past nineteen months will be presented with awards of merits.

As there will be several dances at the Camp on New Years Eve the GSO girls will attend these. At the club in Gatesville there will be movies and a Midnight Watch and Midnight Snack.

On New Years Night there will be open house and dancing at the USO Club in Gatesville.

This will be a big Christmas for the service men in their home away from home, thanks to the cooperation of all. Your attendance at these programs will help lent the home atmosphere to the club and make it a success.

Thanks to Mrs. R. Thomas who has spent many years in Mexico, a Spanish class is being offered to soldiers at the USO Club each Friday evening. These lessons are very popular just at this time because of the "Good Neighbor Policy" and our nearness to the Spanish speaking nations of this continent.

Peabody News

Janese Upton, Cors.

We offer our many thanks for the good rains that have fallen within the last two weeks.

It is a pleasure to report that Conrad Upton is up and about now.

Mrs. A. O. Upton of San Antonio writes that she is felling fine now.

Roy and T. J. Chambers went to Cedar Woods to cut and get posts. T. J. took sick and had to return home, but is improved at this time.

Mrs. Wyvonna Griffin and son spent part of the past week with her grandmother, Mrs. Minnie Chambers.

Mrs. Ola Rambo and daughters moved from Slater to her mother's Mrs. Minnie Chambers.

We are glad to welcome Mr. Guy Wright and family to our community, but sorry to lose the Randall Mosely family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Upton, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Upton and son A. J. Littlefield visited in the Ira Upton home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Barrington and son visited his parents at Bee House last Sunday.

Mrs. Ira Upton was called last Friday to her sister, Mrs. E. E. Rhoades, who is seriously ill. She was taken to Rollin Brook Hospital and underwent an operation Saturday morning. She is now resting fairly well. Dauris E. Rhoads is on his way to be at his mother's bedside.

Mr. Roy Johnson and family have moved to the A. P. Wills' place.

Turnersville

Mrs. Emma Jones, Cors.

Will Snell and wife of Floydada were recent visitors in the Mrs. Emma Jones' home.

E. S. (Buck) Wallace of Seymour was a recent visitor in the Mrs. Maggie Wallace home.

Frank Jones and Bobby of Gatesville were Saturday visitors here.

Miss Helen Humes of San Antonio is visiting home folks.

Ater News

Mrs. Bertha Coward, cors.

Mr. and Mrs. Page Massingale and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Zack Kays and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hill of McGregor visited Mr. and Mrs. Skeet York at Levita, and Mr. and Mrs. Zack Kays Thursday.

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Glass at Levita Sunday were, Mr. and Mrs. McGauly of McGregor, Cpl. and Mrs. Herman Glass of California, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Coward and Delise.

Misses Ruby Rivers and Wilmoth Box of Jonesboro were Tuesday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Whisenhunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Baker and family were shopping in Gatesville Monday.

Mr. Erwin Watts is a patient at the Coryell Memorial Hospital and is improving after an appendix operation.

Mrs. Marde Lovelace of McGregor was greeting friends in Gatesville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Ray have moved to Foote's Ranch near Pan-
cake.

Cpl. and Mrs. Herman Glass of Oakland, California are on a 30

day furlough visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Timmons and family, and Mrs. Birdie Coward attended the funeral of Mrs. Timmons' father, Mr. Floyd Summers in Gatesville Monday. He had been ill for several weeks.

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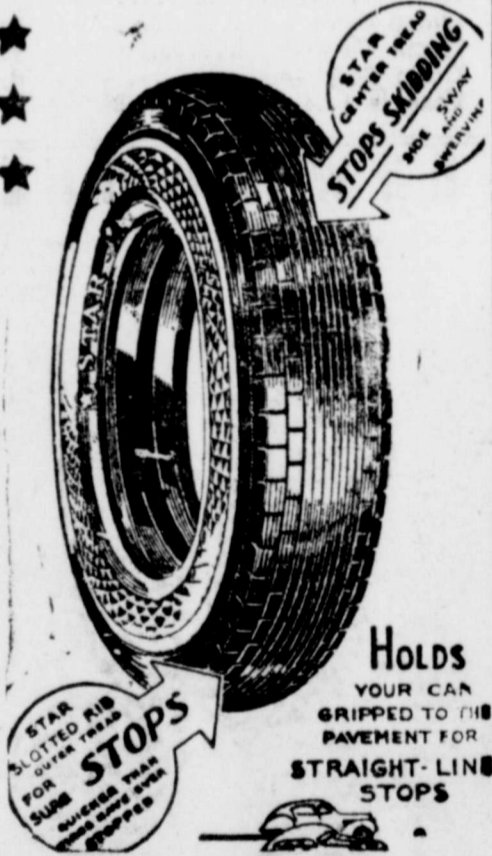
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U. S. Treasury Department

QUESTIONS—ANSWERS ON TAX DECLARATIONS DUE ON DECEMBER 15

Q. What kind of tax filing is to be made Dec. 15?

A. Declarations of estimated income and Victory tax, estimating how much tax certain persons will owe on their 1943 income in excess of income tax payments already made or of income tax withheld from wages or salary during the year.

Q. Wasn't that done Sept. 15?

A. Yes. Nearly twelve million taxpayers filed declarations on Sept. 15. The only persons who have to file now are those who did not file then but are required to do so by Dec. 15 either because, in the case of farmers, they had an automatic postponement, or because they did then not expect enough income to require filing but now anticipate higher incomes which do require filing of declarations. Also, any persons who filed in Sept., who underestimated the tax—by 20 percent if non-farmers or 33-1/3 percent if farmers—should file amended declarations by Dec. 15 to avoid penalties.

Q. What is an amended declaration?

A. It is, in reality, a substitute declaration. It is filed on a similar form and is distinguished only by writing the word "amended" at the top of the front page of the form.

Q. What information is required?

A. You estimate your 1943 income and Victory tax, based on your estimate of 1943 income and then deduct any payments made this year on 1942 tax (probably installments in March and June)—and also any taxes withheld and estimated to be withheld from wages. The remainder is the amount you owe and must be paid on or before Dec. 15.

Q. How do I know if I have to file a declaration by Dec. 15?

A. If you filed in September,

you don't need to file now unless you believe you underestimated the tax by more than 20 percent (33-1/3 percent if a farmer) in which case you should file an amended declaration to avoid penalties. If you did not file in September you should file a declaration if you had in 1942 or expect to have in 1943 income of any of the following amounts or types:

- a. More than \$100 gross income other than wages which are subject to withholding and also expect sufficient gross income from all sources to require filing an annual income tax return (\$500 for a single person, \$1200 for a married couple, or \$624 for an individual married person).
- b. Wages subject to withholding exceeding \$2700 if single or exceeding \$3500 if married (\$3500 either individually or together in the case of husbands and wives both receiving wages).

In addition, a declaration must be filed by any person who was required to file an income tax return for 1943 and who expects his wages subject to withholding in 1943 to be less than the wages received in 1942.

Q. How accurate must my estimate be?

A. It should be as accurate as you can reasonably make it, especially since by December 15th there will be only two weeks of the year left. However, no penalty will be assessed if the tax is not underestimated by more than 20 percent in the case of a non-farmer or 33-1/3 percent in the case of farmers.

Q. How much is the penalty for underestimating?

A. Generally 6 percent of the deficiency.

Q. When will the penalties, if any, be determined?

A. After the taxpayer files his March 15 annual income tax return showing the correct tax for the year.

Q. Suppose I overestimate, what happens?

A. If an overestimate results in overpayment of the correct tax shown in the March return, the Collector will then give you a refund or credit.

Q. Suppose I made a big mistake and overestimated in September, what can I do?

A. You too may file an amended declaration by December 15. In this case if you receive a bill from the Collector for an installment resulting from your September declaration, you should send this bill with your amended declaration to the Collector, along with any revised payment shown to be due for December on your amended declaration.

Q. Can a husband and wife make a joint declaration, and if they do can they file separately next March?

A. Yes.

Q. What if I don't file a declaration?

A. There is a penalty of 10 percent of the tax for failure to file a declaration on time.

Q. What if I don't pay an estimated installment on time?

A. If the payment is late, there is a penalty of \$2.50 or 2 1/2 percent of the tax, whichever is the greater, for each installment that is late.

Q. Where can I get copies of the forms or assistance in filing them in?

A. From your local Collector of Internal Revenue. If you have forms left over from September, however, they are still good.

NEWS OF OUR MEN AND WOMEN IN UNIFORM

We've Christmas cards to acknowledge from our friends in the service, and we'll probably reciprocate in some way, just as soon as we can figure something out.

A V-Mailer from Cpl. Teddy W. Spence, who's got a San Francisco APO, and the scene on the card is Shepherds watching a star over a Mosque, which don't exactly tell us where he is, but anyway, he's probably far west of here. After they get so far west of here, they call it the Far East, and we've never figured out why.

Another we have from Sgt. Clinton Chamlee who's at Sheppard Field, in the U. S. Air Corps, no, it's "Force" now. Reminds us of "Slim Jim and the Force."

And, here are three ex-bankers from the National Bank of Gatesville, who are variously stationed and they are Lt. Dawson Cooper, Lt. Jack Straw and Sgt. Cam McGilvray. The bank has more stars up than three, and one of the others is Ralph Bailey who's in the Navy, and we don't have his picture.



Not a card, but a note from N. A. (Pat) Patterson, who's in the

Seabees at Camp Parks, Calif. He wants a paper, says the News is it. Also says he's been going thru combat training since coming back—he means from the Aleutians—and he's going to an anti-aircraft school.

New promotions among our service men includes Lt. Earl Morrow Scott, now a First Lieut.

Now, it's Captain Ray Harman Byrom, who has just been promoted from First Lieutenant.

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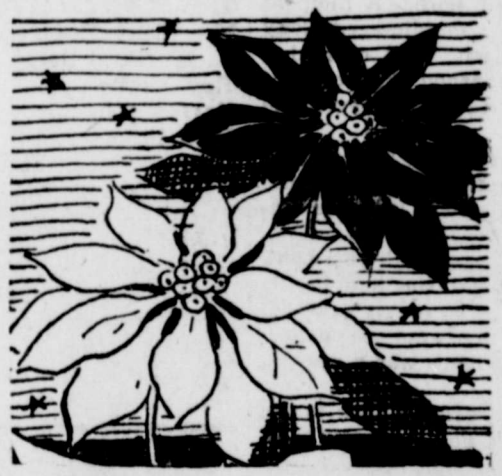
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19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

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"THIS peace on earth, good will toward men' stuff gives me a pain," Darl said. He laughed cynically, looking down into the girl's troubled eyes. "It gets me how you got hooked into it, Pam. Why don't you look the thing squarely in the face and realize it's the bunk!"

"You must be blind!" Pamela cried. "There are thousands and thousands of people who give things."

"O.K., honey," He smiled. "We look at it differently. The way I figure it, a man never does something for nothing. If he isn't rewarded with material gain, then he's rewarded by having his vanity salved. There's always a selfish motive behind a so-called act of kindness, no matter which way you figure it. But it isn't important. What is important is that it's Christmas and you and I are in love and we ought to think of celebrating."

"It is important, Darl." Her voice was suddenly vibrant. "It's important to me to show you that you're wrong. I couldn't be happy with a man who had those ideas." And then, seeing the expression on his face, her tone softened. "Oh, I know it seems silly to you—quarreling about something so trite. But to me it isn't trite. Oh, Darl, let me show you how wrong you are!"

The streets were festive. Colored lights and greenery showed in every window. Lighted trees were on every street corner. Pam stopped the car while a group of carol singers trooped by. A girl with a tambourine thrust a smiling face against the coupe window. She dropped coins into it and smiled and said, "Merry Christmas."

They left the gaily lighted streets behind. Pam turned into a side



A moment later, a small middle-aged lady came bustling out.

street. She stopped before a house and sounded her horn. A moment later a small, middle-aged lady came bustling out. She carried a basket. Pam opened the door for her, and introduced Darl. Her name was Kimball.

"Well!" said the little lady. "This is nice. I suppose you're the young man to whom Miss Tripp is engaged."

"Yes, we're engaged," Darl said. He wondered what she had in the basket. She was so poorly dressed, so frail and appeared so undernourished. But there was a sparkle in her eyes.

But instead of driving back to the city, Pam drove across the railroad tracks and into the desolate, ill-lighted thoroughfares of Jaytown.

At last they stopped before a dilapidated tenement house. They entered a dark, cold hall, mounted stairs and rapped on a door. A weak voice bade them enter.

The room was warmer than the hall outside, lighted with a kerosene lamp. A woman lay in bed, a child cradled in her arms. Mrs. Kimball matter-of-factly stirred up the fire, produced candles and lighted them. Pamela straightened things in the room with surprising efficiency. The woman in the bed watched from hollow eyes while Mrs. Kimball unpacked her basket, set out a pitifully small supply of foodstuffs, some strings of popcorn, the green bough of a pine tree, an orange, two apples, a bottle of milk.

The sick woman's eyes were ea-

ger, grateful as the things appeared. In no time at all the pine bough was arranged on the table, the strings of popcorn draped over it, oranges placed at its base, two candles on either side.

Darl's forehead wrinkled. He saw the glow on Mrs. Kimball's face, the sparkle in her eyes. She was poor. She was doing all she could, and the woman in the bed knew this. She was giving back gratitude and warmth of feeling and love.

They left Mrs. Kimball and drove back to the city. They stopped near the park to listen to the carol singers. Pam looked at him. "Did it mean anything to you, Darl? Do you see what I mean?"

Darl thought of the woman in the bed and Mrs. Kimball. "It's a selfish motive," he thought. And aloud he said: "I never thought about it this way before, but isn't it nice we have such—selfish people as Mrs. Kimball and Pamela Tripp?"

Pamela nestled against his shoulder. "And Darl Holloway," she added.

Associated Newspapers—WNU Features.

Personals

Roy Beverly, Areal Engineer of Laughlin Field, Del Rio, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Beverly last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter O'Neal of Spur, Texas, are the parents of a daughter, who was born at the Lubbock Hospital at 3:00 a. m., Dec. 11th. Mrs. O'Neal is the former Dorothy Franks of Gatesville. The maternal grandmother is Mrs. John Franks of Gatesville.

Miss Virginia Whisenhunt and Mrs. Lola Hedgecock spent Sunday night in the home of Mrs. Hedgecock's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Moore at Pecan Grove.

Miss Alice Hill of Gatesville visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hill at Levita over the week end.

Miss Helen McCleskey who is attending Baylor College at Belton, was in Gatesville over the weekend visiting her mother, Mrs. Estelle Way, and her sister, Miss Virginia McCleskey.

Cpl. Jack Whisenhunt, who has been home on furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Whisenhunt of McGregor has returned to his station at Camp La Junta, Colorado.

Miss June Yows who is attending the Four-C Business College in Waco visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Yows in Gatesville over the weekend.

COUNTY OFFICIALS

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- Mrs. Bert Davis Co. Treas.
- A. M. (Bub) Berry ... Com. Beat 1
- Roy Evetts Com. Beat 2
- Harry Johnson Com. Beat 3
- Dick Payne Com. Beat 4
- T. C. Miller Co. Surveyor
- W. H. Allen Dist. Attorney
- Carl McClendon Dist. Clerk
- Geo. Miller J. of P., Pre. 1
- W. M. Robinson J. of P., Pre. 2
- George Hodges Constable, Pre. 1
- Joe White Sheriff
- C. H. McGilvray Co. Dem. Clm.
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Notices!

BUS SCHEDULES

Thru Busses to North Camp Hood
4:00 a. m.
4:20 a. m.
4:40 a. m.
5:00 a. m. and the same schedule for each hour to 1:00 a. m.
Hospital busses on the 1/2 hr. beginning at 4:30 a. m.

Thru Busses to South Camp Hood
2:30 a. m., 4:15 a. m.
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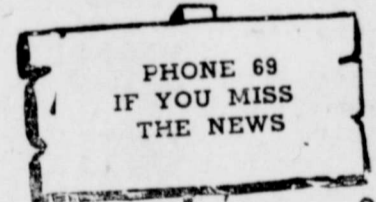
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NEWS

By
Mrs. Doris McCoy
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Marguerite Kelso To Attend World Conference

Marguerite Kelso, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kelso of this city, has been elected from the Presbyterian University Church of Austin, as a delegate to the Student Planning Conference of the world mission of the church, to be held at Wooster, Ohio, from Dec. 28th through Jan. 3rd. Five hundred delegates from all parts of the world will attend the conference, where the main topic for discussion will be "Biblical Basis for Christian World Mindedness." Since Miss Kelso is majoring in Sociology at the University of Texas, she will find this discussion of particular interest.

Mrs. Eva Duncan Surprised At Party

A very unique school affair was enjoyed Dec. 1st, when Mrs. Eva Duncan's pupils at Purnela surprised her with a birthday party. All arrangements were completed and everybody knew all about it except Mrs. Duncan.

When the children were dismissed for the afternoon recess, Mrs. Duncan's pupils suddenly disappeared to the teacherage, and when Mrs. Duncan arrived there a few minutes later the students began to sing "Happy Birthday". She was given a seat of honor.

Everyone present entered enthusiastically into the program of games, making it a most enjoyable hour, after which refresh-

ments consisting of cocoa and cookies were served. The honoree received many beautiful and useful gifts. Those present were: Helen Grubb, Joyce Ann Faubion, Berniece Millsap, Frankie Mae Freeman, Sara Beth Logan, Melba Squyers, Elmo Kitchens, Lowell Buckner, Ray Campbell, Joe Farris, Lawrence Smith, John Fowler, Clint Bertrand, Verdene Freeman, Mae Dell Smith, Lola Jean Flatt, Layton Myers, Orval Kitchens, John Snyder, Troy Cox, Lila Sue Campbell, Maxine Wright, Allie Ruth Jones, Billie Haines, Evelyn Knight, and the honoree.

Business Matters Are Topics at Camp Fire Meet

The Talahi Camp Fire group of Gatesville had an enjoyable and helpful time at its last meeting. The first part of the meeting was devoted to financial business and other points that were up for discussion. During this month the girls are responsible for putting up and taking down the school flag. Last week some of the girls went by their guardian's home and flattened tin cans for salvage. The girls of Gatesville were very happy that Miss Mary Louise McClesky volunteered to take a group of girls and organize a new Camp Fire group in Gatesville. This group with Miss McClesky was registered on Nov. 30, the last day of the membership drive.

Buy War Bonds and Stamps

WOMEN'S ACTIVITIES IN THE U.S.O.

SEWING CLASSES are busy with their Christmas sewing and meet each Tuesday and Friday afternoon at 2 p. m. with Mrs. John Lodge.

The MR. AND MRS. CLUB met in executive session on Wednesday of this week in the Green Room of the USO to make plans for their Christmas party on Wednesday the 22nd of December. Chairman of the committee on arrangements is Sgt. and Mrs. Michael Bunomo with Pvt. and Mrs. Gutheris, Pvt. and Mrs. William Dam and Cpl. and Mrs. George Katz assisting.

THE SPANISH CLASS continues each Monday and Thursday afternoon at 3 p. m. in the Green Room of the USO under the direction of Mrs. Evans.

THE ART CLASS for soldiers and their wives is busy working on a Christmas window depicting the Nativity Scene which will be placed in the Green Room during the holidays.

THE DRAMA GROUP meets each Tuesday and Friday afternoon at 3 p. m. in the Green Room.

THE STORK CLUB continues to meet with Miss Oetkin each Monday afternoon at 2 p. m. in the Green Room of the USO.

THE ENLISTED MEN'S WIVES CLUB met Wednesday afternoon at 3 p. m. with forty-one members present for their regular weekly meeting. Mrs. Carl Perino presided at the brief business meeting and a committee was appointed to work on the Christmas party. The program was presented by Mrs. Douglas Blocksma on "Catching up with the War" a current events program. Refreshments were in charge of Mrs. Ray Berman and Mrs. Jessie Sittling.

The PRE-NATAL COURSE will meet for the last time this week under the direction of Miss Oetkin. A new course will begin the middle of January under the same leadership.



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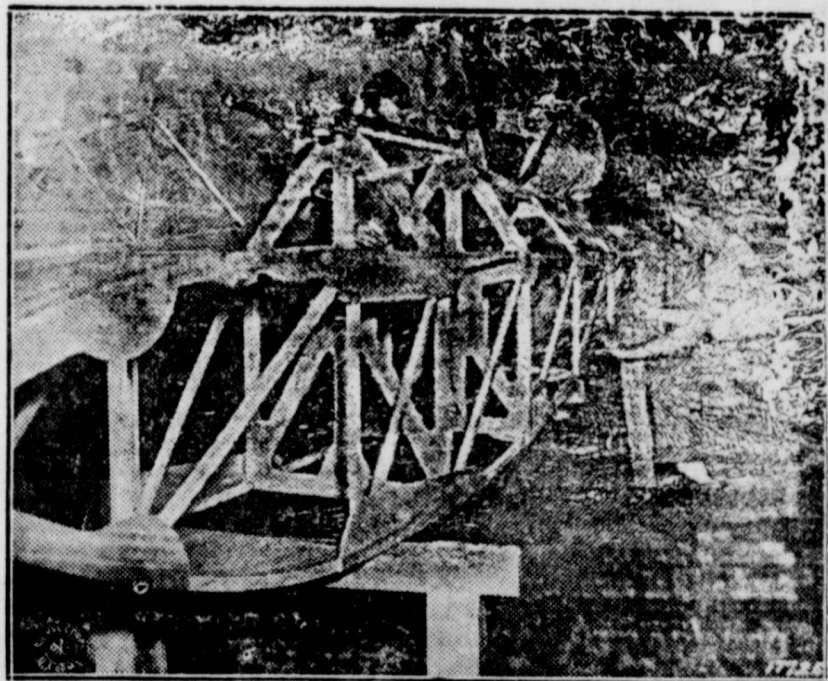
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MUD STOPS ARMIES AND FOOTBALL TEAMS, BUT NOT DUCKS

The Hornets didn't lose their Bi-District title Friday night at Temple, but lost nearly everything else with the help of General Mud and a bunch of scrapping and non-waddling ducks. The Mallards made the Hornets look sick, line and all, and kept the Insects back on their heels thruout nearly the entire game. Only once or twice did the Hornets even threaten. Nothing seemed to work. Passing didn't, end runs didn't and line plunges didn't. Gatesville's fireworks, Deavers and Voss were not built for slick fields, and that was their downfall.

Well, anyway, they're Bi-District Champs, and that's just a whole lot, and we're with 'em just for that, if nothing else. Taylor deserved what they got, and the Struska, Jirasek, Teichleman, Jansa, Pierce combination did everything in the books to put the game on ice, which was done when they registered their first touchdown. Their passing worked they tore the Hornet line to shreds, except in a few instances, and completely bottled us up, and for themselves, uncorked pass after pass that spelled doom to the boys from Coryell.

To the victor belongs the spoils, and the Ducks must have gotten that, too. They are, by every right, the Regional Champions.

A half capacity crowd weathered the rain and cold to see the game, and the between acts show by the two school bands helped with the festivities.

But, here's the play by play, and you can see for yourself.

Ducks kick, Hornets defending east goal, Teichleman kicks, pearce holding, ball goes to Yows, on the 30, he returns to the 50, but fumbles and another Hornet recovers. Voss hits center for a yd. Boynton passes, and Struska intercepts and the ball is theirs on the 43 yard line.

Struska carries over LT and makes 4 yards. Teich carries, but there is a penalty, and ducks lose 5, backfield in motion, or off-side. Struska passes incomplete to Jirasek. Struska quick-kicks, and the ball dies on the 20, when killed by a duck.

Voss spins over C for none. Miller for Valenta. Deavers carries at RT for 4. Boynton punts low, and outside on the 47, The Hornets.

Hornets pile Pierce after he picks up 3 yards. Struska gets on the band wagon and carries to the 17, before being stopped, for the 1st D. of the game.

Next play didn't matter, they didn't go. Struska carries and picks up about 7 yds. Henderson for Yows. Struska carries, and makes it a 1st D. on about the 4 yard line. There are no lines on this field. Struska don't go over for a touch. Struska finally made it on three tries. Teichleman adds the extra and the Hornets are in the hole 017.

They kick, ball to Lenge on the 10 and he returns to the 35 yd. line. Voss carries and slips down in the slush, for a 3 yd. loss. Deavers carries over LT, and makes 2. Lenge, on a reverse, makes 3 yds. over RT. Boynton kicks low, to the 30, to Struska

GATESVILLE HIGH SCHOOL HORNETS, '43 BI-DISTRICT CHAMPIONS



Here are the boys who went thru a hard season, gained District Championship, Bi-District Championship, but dropped the Regional to the vaunted Taylor High School Ducks by a 21-0 count Friday night. They are, beginning on the

front row:— Ward, manager, Whittenburg, Gartman, Copeland, Fry, Morgahn, Edwards, Captain, Williams, and Coach Madison Pruitt.

2nd row: Deavers, Coskrey, Painter, Boynton, Lengefeld, Henderson, Yows, Voss.

Next row: Brown, Weaver, Bone, Tatum, Potts, Sullivan, Gandy.

Back Row: Davis, Patterson, Davidson, Necessary, Lengefeld, F. and Powell.

Note: The other Powell, is not in the picture.

—Pictures Courtesy Temple Telegram.

and he returns to the 46 yd. line. Morgan throws 'em for a loss of 6 yards, when he dives thru the line. Penalties both sides, nobody loses. Yows and the rest of them get Mr. Struska's number and throw him for another loss of 2 yards. Tack kicks, good over the goal line and it's brought out to the 20.

Boynton fumbles, but recovers, losing 3 yards. Lenge don't get going, and maybe picks up 1 yd. Boynton kicks, ball goes to the outside on the 45 yd. line.

Big boy, somebody is pushed back at the line, for no gain. Teich passes to Jansa, complete for about 7 yards, as the first spasm ends.

2nd Quarter

McCoy in, Pierce out. Struska runs long at end for no gain. Struska kicks over the goal, and it's ours on the 20.

Painter in, Lengefeld out. They fumble on the first play, but recover, losing 3 yds. Boynton runs, slips and fall down. Supposed to pass to Painter. Painter out, Henderson in, and he kicks to Struska on the 45, returns to the 55, and is sopped by Yows. Pierce passes incomplete to Teich. They pick up 3 at LT. Pass is completed to Jansa for 3 yards.

Struska punts over the goal again, but it looked bad for a minute. Hornets on 20.

Boynton passes incomplete over C. Boynton quick kicks, and the ball is dead on the 34 yard line, a very nice kick. Struska picks up 5 thru the line. Whasamatter, line? Struska hit a hole and picked up 2 more. Struska hits C. and it looks like 1st D. Powell for Morgan. It's a first D, and Hornets lose 5 on penalty. Struska

makes it another 1st D. Powell misses his tackle, and they make another 1st D. A cross buck, and a pass to Pierce and he toes to the 20 yard line. Pierce passes incomplete. Struska makes it another 1st D. and about 6. Struska is hurt and taken out of the game. Teich carries, and makes about 2. They pass and make it another 1st D. Teich to Lasker. They've a 1st D. on about the 2 yard line. Teich goes over for another touch. Teich kicks, and it's blocked. Ducks 13, Hornets 0.

Ducks kick, ball to Deavers on the 10, and he returns to the 38. Painter in, Powell and Deavers out. Painter can't find receiver, runs and don't gain. Painter pass high to Yows. Boynton quick-kicks and the ball goes out on the 21. Painter out, Deavers in. Teich hits RT for one yard.

Boynton stops Westling, after he receives a pass from Teich for no gain. They quick-kick, and it goes to the 40 yard line, where it is killed by a Duck. Painter to Yows, knocked down by the secondary, including Teich. Painter is thrown by Jansa for a 15 yard loss, trying to pass. Painter completes to Yows, and they still need plenty for a first D. Henderson for Painter. Henderson punts, nicely to Teich on the 25, returns to the 40 before being downed by Voss and one other Hornet, and that ended the half.

3rd Quarter

Ducks kick, ball goes over goal, and it's brought out to the 20. Boynton goes over LG for 2 yds. Boynton passes short to Williams in the flat. Boynton carries and don't gain on a spinner. Boynton kicks out on about the 38 yd. line. Struska carries, but there's a

penalty, of 15 yards for holding. Ball now squarely on the 50. Jurasek passes, incomplete. Teich carries, and makes about 6 Struska passes, long over C, and it's knocked down by a Hornet. Struska kicks, low to Voss who returns fumbling, and a Duck recovers, on the 20, Kinser getting the fumble. Next play they make 3.

Struska makes it 5 more. Struska on LE run, don't gain, as Hornets leak thru. Struska hits solid center, and don't make it 1st D. yes he does.

Gartman gets Pierce from the back, and he only gets 3 yards. Struska picks up 3 more at LT. They measure for 1st D.

And it is 1st on about the 3 yd. line. Struska carries, and they pile up, just a little closer to pay dirt. Somebody reaches thru, but they make another touch. Struska kicks, and it's no good. Ducks 19, Hornets 0.

Yows in. Kinser in, Henderson out. Hornets receive again. Ball goes to Lengefeld on the 20, and he returns to the 34 before being downed. Painter in, Voss out. Painter passes over Lengefeld, who's in the clear. Voss back in, Lengefeld out. Painter passes, incomplete to Voss. Voss carries and picks up 3 yards. Henderson in, Painter out. Henderson punts, ball high and out on the 48 yd. line. Henderson out, Lenge in. Struska passes incomplete to Jansa. Struska completes to Teich, complete for 15 and a 1st Down. Struska to Teichleman completed again for 20 yards bringing the ball to the 17 yard line.

Pierce carries for 11 and another first D, on the 7 yard line. Bad pass from center, and the backfield misses, ball going back to

the 20 yard line, recovered by the Ducks. Struska passes complete to Pierce who carries to the 6 yard line. Next play fails to gain on LE run. Boynton nails Struska for a 4 yard loss on next play and ball is ours on downs.

Lenge can't get started, making 1 yard. On a cross buck, Voss carries, and picks up 5 yards. Painter in, Henderson in. Deavers and Lenge out.

Painter completes pass to Yows and it's nearly a 1st D. yes, a 1st. Something that's scarce this game for the Hornets. Painter passes to Boynton, complete for 25 yards, bringing the ball to the 44 yard line. Henderson out. Painter passes long, and incomplete to Yows. Painter tries to pass, is tackled, for no gain.

Painter passes over center for another incomplete. Two ducks run together, and it looks like one's hurt. Henderson goes in, and the quarter is over.

4th Quarter

Ball on the 46. Henderson kicks, partially blocked, and it goes out on the 44. Deavers in, Henderson out. Fry gets next runner for only 1 yd. gain. Pierce passes, Fry intercepts, after a Hornet knocks it out of a Ducks' hand. Boynton fumbles, but brings it back to where it started, and there goes Painter, and here comes Deavers. Painter passes over Williams, there's a Duck there, too. Deavers goes back, with a string. Lenge out. On a handoff to Deavers, he can't get going and loses 5 yards. Edwards punts, to Struska on the 18, and he returns to the 30. Lengefeld in, Powell in, Painter out, Morgan out. Struska carries for 12 yards. He goes again for 5 more. Teich makes it 1st down. They keep it up thru the line, Hornets' best bet.

Struska makes another first D. by himself and about 16 yards. They fumble, pick up and don't gain once. Struska passes, knocked down by Boynton Morgan and Tatum go in, Copeland and Powell come out. Struska passes incomplete to Jansa. Painter in. Boynton out. They kick out on about the 6 yard line, but there's a penalty, and the Hornets are penalized 15, holding. Hornets, or roughing. Boynton back in. Copeland back, Painter out, Tatum out. Taylor loses 5, too much time. Struska tries to pass, and is smothered by too many Hornets, and they lose about 5. Struska passes long to Jirasek. Whittenburg in, Williams out. Struska passes long to Jirasek. Lenge out. Struska kicks out in the coffin corner, just about the 4 yd. line. Painter passes to Whittenburg, complete for about 7 yards. Boynton carries at C, making a 1st D. Painter passes long to Boynton, knocked down by Struska and Jirasek. Deavers out. Painter is thrown for a touch back by Jansa for 2 points, and that's 21-0.

Hornets kick from own 20, ball to Teichleman on the 45, returns to the 32. Deavers in, Painter out. Struska passes to Teich, for 6 yards. Ducks lose 5, too much time. Struska passes, incomplete. Tatum and Powell go in, Edwards, and Gartman out, Voss too, and the Ducks put all of 'em in. Struska passes completing Teich for another 1st D. Struska passes, in-

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HERE'S THE 1943 HORNET FORWARD WALL THAT STAVED OFF MANY A SCORING PLAY DURING THE SEASON

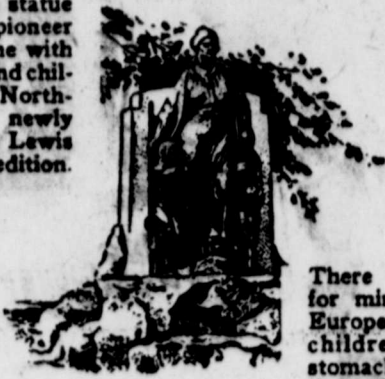


Left to right: Whittenburg, end, Edwards, tackle and Captain, Gartman, tackle, Copeland, guard, Fry, center, Morgan, guard, and Williams end.

BONDS OVER AMERICA * * *

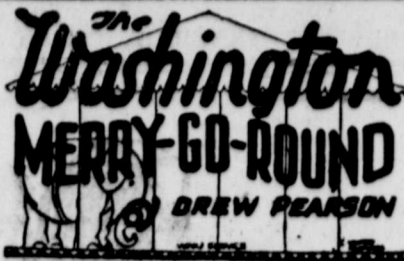
Children play in Esther Short Park of Vancouver, Washington, beneath a heroic statue dedicated to the pioneer women who came with their husbands and children into the Northwest country, newly opened after the Lewis and Clark expedition.

Pioneer Woman



There is little cause for mirth in occupied Europe and even the children have little stomach for play. Millions have been orphaned by Nazi guns or labor camps; all are undernourished and will bear the scars of this war to their dying day.

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PRESIDENT AND NEWSPRINT

Some of the President's newspaper friends who have been consistently for him over a long period of years are now suggesting that this is a good time to turn the other cheek regarding his constant feud with the press. They suggest that he personally could step into the current newsprint shortage and take a strong stand on an issue which seriously threatens one of the basic freedoms of the country—freedom of the press.

Actually, a good many bureaucrats have been nibbling at the newsprint problem, but no one has stepped in with any forthrightness to cut red tape and solve the problem. It now looks as if only the White House could do this.

Not generally realized is the fact that newsprint shortage is due not so much to decreased woodpulp production in the Canadian forests, but to much greater use of cardboard and packing material in sending war supplies abroad. This is a terrific drain and, though U. S. publishers have patriotically cut their newsprint, they will have to cut to the bone unless energetic moves are made by the government.

The plan put forward by newspaper executives friendly to the White House includes:

1. Greater use of war prisoners in the Canadian and Maine forests.
2. More equitable distribution of newsprint among publishers. At present, the papers with the big Sunday editions have scarcely suffered at all, being able to absorb their paper cuts out of their Sunday "fat." On the other hand, medium-sized papers may have to take terrific punishment.
3. Stricter supervision of cuts by throw-aways, dodgers, comic magazines and newsprint users who have not kept such accurate records of their past consumption. The newspaper industry has suffered by its past efficiency, having kept very accurate records.

4. More emphasis on the paper salvage campaign. At present, only 35 per cent of the nation's waste paper is being collected and salvaged. The waste paper reclaiming machinery is running at only 51 per cent of capacity. Approximately 6,000,000 tons of waste paper are normally collected and sold for paper board but now only two million.

The newspapers stepped in and did a great job of collecting scrap iron when the nation needed it, but now, when the newspapers need newsprint, they themselves are somewhat handicapped in blowing their horn.

What the White House will do remains to be seen.

GOOD NEIGHBOR PEACE

Ten years ago, there was a very serious war between Bolivia and Paraguay in the jungles of the Gran Chaco. Last week, the presidents of Paraguay and Bolivia met at the border of the two countries in the Chaco, erected a large cross, and pledged themselves and their countries to everlasting peace.

The bitterness which animated these two South American countries has been wiped away, and they are Good Neighbors in every sense of the word.

Some diplomats hope this incident is a forecast that the bitterness actuating the enemies of World War II may likewise be eliminated after the passage of time.

INSIDE STORY OF HORNET

The navy department has okayed publication of the inside story of the famous airplane carrier Hornet, written as a book, "A Ship to Remember," by Alexander Griffin of the Philadelphia Record.

For the first time it reveals the spectacular operation of the ship which carried General Doolittle's bombers within a stone's throw of Tokyo. Among other things, the navy okayed publication by Griffin of the fact that, at one time, the Hornet practically acted as a substitute for Henderson Field in the Solomons. That badly messed-up airport, on the night of October 14, 1942, had only five planes left and gasoline to send out only four. So the Hornet came alongside the island, threw her planes into action and, for 36 hours, substituted for

Henderson Field.

Even more astonishing is the revelation that, at one time during the low point in the South Pacific battle, the U. S. navy had only one aircraft carrier left undamaged in that entire expanse of water—the Hornet.

MERRY-GO-ROUND

Wheeler MacMillan, Farm Journal candidate for President, arrived in Wisconsin two days after Wilkie!

OPA will soon hoist prices for essential war commodities being produced by small war contractors. This is to compensate the contractors for higher labor costs.

The Truman committee has received reports of "sanctioned loitering" in the naval torpedo plant at Alexandria, Va.

Washington is interested in U. S. Judge "Jeffy" O'Connor's proposal to punish the Germans by making them stay in each country until they build up all the property they have damaged.



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Hornets-Ducks Game . . .

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complete to Teich for no gain. Struska can't pass, is thrown for 8 yd. loss, and that's 30.

STARTING LINE-UP:

Hornets	Pos.	Ducks
Williams	LE	Jansa
Gartman	LT	Miller
Morgan	LG	Buzan
Fry	C	White
Copeland	RG	Kinser
Edwards	RT	McLaughlin
Whittenburg	RE	Jirasek
Voss	B	Pierce
Deavers	B	Struska
Lengefeld	B	McCoy
Boynnton	B	Teichelman

Officials were: Johnny Naylor, Steine Strickland, Joe King and Mule Frazier.

RATION DATES

Meats and Fats—Book 3, Brown Stamps G, H, J, K—Expire Dec. 4, L, M—Expire January 1.

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To: Dave Collins Defendant, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Coryell County at the Court House thereof, in Gatesville, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 24th day of January A. D. 1944, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 5th day of November, A. D. 1942, in this cause, numbered 5079 on the docket of said court and styled Alma C. Collins Plaintiff, vs. Dave Collins Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: The Plaintiff and defendant defendant were lawfully married on or about the 20th day of August A. D. 1941, and lived together as husband and wife until about the 1st day of December A. D. 1941, when, and at which time Plaintiff and defendant separated and have not lived together as husband and wife, the reason for such separation was cruel and harsh treatment.

Wherefore, plaintiff prays the court that the defendant be cited to appear and answer herein and for judgment dissolving said married relations, for the cost of suit, and for such other and further relief special and general, in law and equity, which he may show himself justly entitle to receive, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit. The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Gatesville, Texas this 9th day of December A. D. 1943.

Attest: Carl McClendon, Clerk, Dis't. Court, Coryell County, Tex. (SEAL) 12-14; 21; 28;-1-4

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NEWS



**FROM
North Camp Hood**

The Army Service Force have inaugurated a new policy of WAC recruiting, in a concerted attempt to boost enlistments in the Women's Army Corps.

Every soldier in the ASF who will be on furlough during the holiday season has been asked to recruit at least one new WAC while he is home, and his buddies who will remain in camp are asked to write a letter to at least one relative or friend and urge her to join the Women's Army.

No longer are women being sought to relieve a man to go out to the front; the situation has become so serious that it is now a question of enlisting a woman to replace a man who has already gone. Service Command installations are feeling the pinch, and the War Department regards the situation as being extremely serious.

There are approximately 60,000 WAC's in the Corps at the present time, but Washington headquarters has on hand requests for five times that number of WACs. There are 155 specialized jobs in the Army which can be handled by WACs; the women who already are on duty in such jobs have earned a reputation for efficiency, skill and devotion to duty far beyond any expectation. Commanders who have WACs in their camp have been unanimously enthusiastic about their performance, and have flooded service command and WAC headquarters with requests for more of the women soldiers, but to no avail—for the women just have not enlisted in numbers sufficient to answer these requests.

The male soldiers in our Army have worked side by side with the WACs and know them for sincere and capable workers, and the War Department and Army Service Forces have high expectations of the results to be achieved by making each enlisted man a WAC recruiter during the Christmas season.

Soldiers of the Army Service Forces at North Camp Hood contributed a total of \$633.13 to the Allied War Chest Drive, while their fellow warriors in the Army Ground Forces, representing the Tank Destroyer Replacement Training Center and the Army Specialized Training Program Basic Training Center at North Camp combined to contribute \$2,215.50 for the same cause last week.

The North Camp collections will be presented by the camp chaplain to the national fund. The drive now being carried on thru-out the United States has as its goal \$150,000,000 for civilian hospitals, health, welfare and social agencies, and the USO, and as usual the soldiers have been anxious to do their part.

The Fourth Regiment Area of the North Camp Hood Tank Destroyer Replacement Training Center is gradually taking on the appearance of a well-kept country estate, largely through the efforts of Lt. Walter J. Papajion and his tree-planting detail. With a few trees, some good ideas on landscaping and considerable spade-work, the detail has changed the area from barrenness to a spot much more pleasing to the eye.

Two Fourth Regiment officers at North Camp are receiving the congratulations due new fathers. A son, Daniel T. Workizer, Jr., was born to Major Daniel T. Workizer and Mrs. Workizer on Nov.

3rd. The Major is with Headquarters of the Fourth Regiment.

A daughter, Shirley Jean, was born to Lt. and Mrs. Chester I. Johnson, on Nov. 23rd at McCleskey General Hospital in Temple. The customary cigars were passed around by the new "proud poppas".

Camp Hood

Camp Hood's army of civilian workers are now coming into their honors.

A total of 1151 War Department employees received awards this week for six months' satisfactory service in ceremonies at Camp Hood and North Camp Hood. Next week, on Dec. 18, all employees will be honored with a civilian dance at the Field House.

Major General John H. Hester, commanding general of the Tank Destroyer Center, who presented 65 TDC workers with their awards expressed appreciation with these words:

"We all have our part in this war effort. There are those of us overseas and those of us on the home front. And, believe me, your part is important".

Col. C. M. Thirkeld, commanding officer of Camp Hood, participated at a separate program where 925 workers employed by the Eighth Service Command were honored with ribbons, and at North Camp Hood, Col. Donald R. Dunkle, executive officer, presented an additional 161 ribbons.

Miss Beatrice Young of Temple, chief clerk at the Tank Destroyer Board, a War Department employe since 1918, was given the certificate of exceptional service, signifying more than 10 years consecutive duty.

Two big floor shows and music from two dance bands will highlight the pre-Christmas dance lasting from 9 until 2 o'clock. Two bars and scores of tables will be placed in the huge field house, and hundreds of members of the camp military personnel are expected to attend as guests of civilians employed at camp.

Jovial Jimmy Jeffries, popular WFAA announcer, will be master of ceremonies at one of the shows. Another will include variety acts by camp talent. Entertainment for both is being arranged by the Camp Special Services.

Announcement of \$25, \$15 and \$10 awards in the Camp Hood Employees Suggestion Campaign will be made at the dance. Tickets for the dance are on sale at the Camp Hood personnel office and will be available at the field house on the night of the 18th, it has been announced.

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