

The Lynn County News

"I wholly disapprove of what you say but will defend to the death your right to say it."—Voltaire.

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Tahoka Will Remember December 7th

Grassland Man Killed By Crazy Negro At Morton

Dan Roberts, who was killed at Morton last Friday by a negro who had run amuck and whom he probably had never seen before, was buried at Grassland at 3:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Funeral services had been held at Morton, where he was living at the time of the tragedy. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Roberts of Grassland, where he himself had previously lived for some time.

Mr. Roberts was operating a laundry in Morton and was standing in the building when the Negro approached and stabbed him in the back with a knife without warning. He had already just attacked and a riously wounded another man, Roy Lee Culver, who had recently come to the county to pick cotton. Following his fatal attack upon Roberts, he went to a residence in the town and sought admittance. Upon being refused, he picked up a hatchet, cut the door down, entered, and made a vicious assault with the hatchet upon Mrs. J. R. Warren, one of the women who was in the house at the time. She was painfully beaten but her wounds were thought not to be serious.

The crazed killer then dived through a window as if he were diving into a swimming pool, scrambled to his feet, and ran out into a cotton field in an effort to escape, but realizing the futility of it, he began hacking himself with the hatchet. A few seconds later he was run down by an automobile, one of his legs being broken, and officers arriving soon afterwards took him to jail.

Roberts was a quiet, peaceable, law-abiding citizen and had many friends at Grassland and other communities who greatly deplore his unfortunate and tragic death.

VICTIM OF SMASH-UP IS RECOVERING

J. C. Hill, who lives out near Dixie, is able to be up again following injuries sustained when his wagon was struck by a truck on the highway north of Tahoka one night two or three weeks ago, but his injuries are said to be healing slowly. Three ribs were broken and other injuries were suffered. One horse was killed and the wagon was demolished.

The News erroneously stated at the time that the victim was I. B. Hill, who resides a few miles north of Tahoka.

Miss Anna Jean Carpenter, who recently underwent an appendectomy in a Lubbock hospital, returned home Wednesday of last week.

WAAC's Recruiter In Tahoka Today

Lieut. Virginia F. Williams, W.A.A.C., Lubbock recruiting office, will be in Tahoka at the office of The News all day today, Friday, to interview ladies interested in joining the Women's Army.

Lieut. Williams is expected to make a talk at 1:30 this afternoon in the Tahoka High School auditorium, to which all women are invited.

To join the WAAC's, a woman must be 21 to 45 years of age, of excellent character, pass intelligence and physical examinations, submit proof of birth and citizenship.

Women enrolled will be placed on the reserve list and in a short time will be sent to Des Moines, Iowa, or Daytona Beach, Florida. There they will be trained to take over non-combatant jobs in order that soldiers released will be available for combat duties.

Those interested may see Miss Williams at The News office today.

Cotton Crop May Reach 100,000 Bales

Cotton ginnings in Tahoka this season up to noon Thursday amounted to 16,075 bales. From the best data obtainable by The News, total ginnings in the county have exceeded 75,000. This is a close estimate, but we are sure that it is not too high, in fact it may be a few thousand bales too low. The News estimates of 100,000 bales early in the season will not miss the mark far.

Fire Damages 250 Bales Cotton

About 250 bales of cotton were involved in a fire which broke out in a cotton yard in northwest Tahoka at about 7:00 o'clock Friday morning, resulting in a loss of possibly \$10,000 or more, according to a rough guess made by R. W. Fenton, Jr. Mr. Fenton, who is engaged in the cotton warehouse and loan business, says that possibly 250 bales were damaged to some extent; some of them were almost completely consumed while others were damaged in varying degrees. The total loss is probably equivalent to a hundred bales or more.

All this cotton, of course, was covered by insurance. It was situated in a yard of about 2,000 bales situated on the prairie north of Mr. Fenton's home in the northwest part of town.

Mr. Fenton stated Tuesday that there are now about 18,000 bales of cotton on his yards and in the warehouses in Tahoka.

Baptist Basement Being Remodeled

Carpenters began work Wednesday afternoon building partitions in the basement of the Baptist Church in order to make it much more satisfactory for Sunday School work.

The main auditorium in the basement will be cut up into about seventeen class rooms and two departmental assembly rooms. The partitions will consist of double walls so that classes in any one room will not be disturbed by noise in other rooms or in the aisles. Two aisles will lead through the building from east to west separating the two assembly rooms in the center of the building from the class rooms at the sides, and will open into the large apartment in the west end of the building now used, on occasion, as a dining room as well as for the little folks in the Sunday School on the Sabbath day.

The platform now in the basement will be torn away, and most of the seats in the auditorium will be taken up and rearranged for use in the assembly rooms.

The money to pay for these improvements was raised months ago, but the carpenters were unable to begin work on the project at that time. It is hoped that work may proceed now uninterrupted until the job is finished.

J. L. Nevill and son Everton are the contractors to do the work.

WORKERS ARE NEEDED BY THE RED CROSS

Red Cross workers are needed at the Sewing Room each Tuesday all day, according to Mrs. H. L. Roddy, Red Cross Production Chairman for Lynn county.

If you can help, your services will be greatly appreciated.

LARGE TURNIPS

The News force is indebted to M. C. Richey, Grassland, for some of about the biggest turnips we've seen. In fact, one of them measured 6 and 1-4 pounds on the scales, and he says he raised many others about that large.

Portales Family In Car Wreck

A highway accident in which five persons were injured and their car was badly wrecked, occurred near the D. C. Davis home just north of the city last Thursday evening about 7:30 o'clock. Both ambulances from Harris funeral home carried the injured persons to Lubbock and they were accompanied by Mrs. J. E. Dye, trained nurse.

The party, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Slaton of Portales, and their baby daughter, his mother, Mrs. Willia Slaton, and a niece, Mrs. Sandra Jean Harp, were enroute to Lubbock and in trying to pass a farm wagon, were crowded off the road by a truck, according to reports.

Friday Mr. Slaton, father of W. W. Slaton, came to Tahoka from Lubbock and said that his wife's head injuries were rather serious, besides a broken arm. At that time, it was not known whether or not his son, W. W., would have to be placed in a cast for a hip injury, though he had been advised to spend six weeks in bed. Mrs. Harp and the Slaton baby had cuts, which were not thought serious.

Wilson Man Found Dead In His Car

G. C. Crowder, operator of a garage at Wilson, was found dead in his pickup on a public road running one mile north of Pleasant Valley toward the Slaton-Post highway at about 9 o'clock Sunday morning, at a point on the road where it makes a right-angle turn to the north.

An examination of the body revealed that the neck had been broken and terrible wounds inflicted on the face and head. The physical facts indicated that he ran up in the turn in the road unexpectedly and was unable to stop his car in time to avert a wreck. His pick-up had crashed into a ditch on the east side of the road which he was entering.

The accident occurred some time before daylight. Mr. Crowder was on his way to Sagerton to visit a daughter. Surviving are two other daughters. His wife died years ago.

Cpl. Evans' Injuries Worse Than Thought

After returning to Sheppard Field following a visit here about three weeks ago, it developed that Corporal Boyce Evans had been more seriously hurt when thrown from a horse while here than was thought at the time. A slight fracture of the vertebra had been sustained, and the injury sent him to the Field hospital for several days. Last reports were that he was out of the hospital much improved and it was not thought that the injury would be permanent.

Evans and wife were here visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Evans and Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Hargett, and while riding one of Mr. Hargett's horses the animal got astride the rope fastened to his bridle or halter causing him suddenly to stumble and throw the rider. Little was thought of the pain inflicted at the time, but later it proved to be no small matter.

BILLY HILL IN STATES

The publishers of The News had messages the first of the week advising that Billy Hill of the U. S. N. is now in San Francisco. His wife, Ruthel, who is residing with her mother in Amarillo, left Sunday to visit Billy while he is in the California city. He gave no information as to how long he would be there, when he would leave, or where he would go on the next cruise. But he did state there was no chance for him to get a leave this time.



Sgt. Keith Connolly, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Connolly of Tahoka, who was recently awarded the Silver Star for "gallantry in action," and who is en route home from Australia will be paid special honor by the people who have known him all his life in Tahoka next Monday. Connolly's ship has shot down many Jap zero planes, sunk a heavy cruiser, and damaged or sunk many other smaller ships, wrecked Jap bases and harbor installations, news reports from Gen. Douglas MacArthur's headquarters in Australia, stated recently.

Mark Shannon Is Home From War

Mr. and Mrs. Mart Willingham of Redwine had a letter this week from her brother, Mark L. Shannon, Phm. 1-c in the United States Army, Marine Detachment, stating that he had arrived at San Saba, on leave, where he was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Shannon, who formerly resided in this county. Shannon has seen some real action out in the Southwest Pacific the past few months, it is said. In fact, he has had a part in showing the Japs where to "head in" in the vicinity of the Solomons, and he is quoted as saying that the Americans are so firmly entrenched on Guadalcanal now that all Japan could not drive them out.

Shannon went into the service from this county and he will be here within a few days to visit Mr. and Mrs. Willingham and other relatives.

Joy Edwin Brown Is First Lieutenant

Now, it's First Lieutenant Joy Edwin (Red) Brown.

This information was imparted by "Red" to his mother, Mrs. Pearl Brown, over the telephone Thanksgiving day. He is stationed at Camp Carson, Colorado Springs, Colo., where he has been since receiving his commission as a second lieutenant several months ago.

Joy Edwin's rise has been gradual. He was one of the very first Tahoka boys to go into the service. He went up through the non-com rankings, and was then given a chance at the officers' training school at Camp Walters, which resulted in his being made a lieutenant.

Mrs. Joy Edwin Brown will arrive here Saturday for a visit with Mrs. Brown, and Lieut. Brown expects to be home about Dec. 12th on leave.

Mrs. J. W. Tippitt, the former Miss Pauline Owens, reports that her husband was sent from the West Coast about three weeks ago on a merchant vessel for some distant point overseas. It was her impression that he was bound for the Red Sea, but she did not know by what route.

C. D. Sparks, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sparks of Three Lakes enlisted in the Air Forces Monday. He hasn't been stationed yet. Mrs. Sparks, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Crouch, also of Three Lakes, is employed at Post but will possibly join him later.

Will Pay Tribute To Heroes of War

Gordon Church Pays Off Debt

Last year the Church of Christ members in the Gordon community built a new church costing something over \$1600.00, according to Mrs. Nora Billingsley, who resides in that vicinity. In the late summer, she says, a disastrous hail almost ruined the crops of about three-fourths of the membership. "However, we are glad to announce," she concludes, "that the indebtedness on the Church is now entirely paid off."

Baby Dies With Spinal Meningitis

Funeral services were conducted at the Harris Funeral Home at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon for little Dennis Charles, the six months old infant of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stanley of Tahoka, who died of spinal meningitis at 7:15 o'clock Monday morning in the Lubbock General Hospital.

The babe had become seriously ill just two weeks before its death and was taken to the hospital on the next day after it became ill. Its condition was critical from the start. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Geo. a Dale, Baptist pastor, and interment was made in the Tahoka cemetery.

Born June 1, 1942, the babe was buried just six months after its birth.

Surviving are the parents and one little brother, David Dewey, two and a half years old. Also surviving are the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Stanley and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Kyle.

The relatives have the genuine sympathy of many friends.

Service Men On Rotary Program

Two Lynn county boys home on furlough from service in the Armed Forces furnished a most interesting program at the Tahoka Rotary Club Thursday noon.

Ensign Norman Billy Hancock of New Home, who is a fighter plane pilot in the Navy, told many interesting facts about his branch of the service and the plans he files, his duties, being careful not to reveal any secrets that might be valuable to the enemy, however.

Pfc. James Foster, a Tahoka boy, told many interesting events of his "commando" training being received at a camp in Massachusetts.

Both were asked many questions by the audience that further added to the program's interest.

One Rotarian remarked that he had no fear for the way this war might end with such fighting men as these on our side.

Plans were announced for Monday's Remember Pearl Harbor Day, when Lynn county pays tribute to its No. 1 war hero, Keith Connolly, and to all other boys in the service.

LISTON IN FIGHTING

Pfc. Mack (Jack) Liston is another Lynn county man in the U. S. Armed Forces who is seeing active service in the Southwest Pacific. He has participated in the fighting on the New Caledonia Islands, according to information given to relatives in this county.

Miss Helen Norris of Lubbock visited her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Scott, and other relatives of Tahoka over the week end. Her Aunt, Miss Bobbie Scott, returned home with her for a week's visit.

Parade, Program Features Of Day

Monday, December 7, "Remember Pearl Harbor" day, will be celebrated in Tahoka, special tribute will be paid to Sgt. Keith Connolly, Lynn county's No. 1 hero of the current war, and all other boys in the U. S. Forces, and an attempt will be made to put the county's \$574,800 War Bond quota over the top.

Events of the day include a parade, "America On The March" beginning promptly at 2:20 p. m. the hour of the treacherous Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor. Immediately following Connolly and other service men of the county will be honored in a program in the Tahoka grade school gymnasium, in which everyone in Lynn county is invited to participate.

Bond and stamp booths will be maintained about town, where citizens will be urged to buy War Bonds and Stamps.

Sgt. Connolly, rear gunner on a Flying Fortress in the Southwest Pacific war zone for many months, is expected home any day now, and he and his "buddies" will be given places of honor in the parade. Col. Thomas L. Gilbert of Lubbock Army Flying School, has promised to send squadrons of planes over Tahoka at 2:20 p. m. if at all possible in tribute to Sgt. Connolly.

In the parade line, will be the Color Guard, Tahoka High School Band, guests of honor, Tahoka High Class of '38, which was Connolly's graduating class, American Legion and Auxiliary, Company F, Texas Defense Guard, Tahoka school float, school students, and Red Cross float, Boy Scouts, and Girl Scouts.

Any other organization wishing to enter is invited to do so. All entering the parade are requested to be in a line forming west from the Legion hall promptly at 2 o'clock, as this is one parade that will start on time. All men now in the service who happen to be at home are urged to likewise be at the Legion Hall by 2 o'clock.

The program at the school building, at which W. T. Hanes will be master of ceremonies, will include several short talks, some of which (Cont'd. on last page)

Grassland Scouts Receive Charter

A Court of Honor was held at Grassland Friday night by the Tahoka Boy Scouts.

Grassland Troop No. 66 was recently organized with L. H. Kenley as Scoutmaster.

Four boys, Jack Brown, Charles Stewart, Ralph Beasley, and Van Brookshire were presented with the Scout badge and cards indicating that they are now Tenderfoot Scouts.

The Troop charter was presented to Rev. Frank Thomas, chairman of the committee representing the group of citizens who are sponsoring the troop.

The Scoutmaster card was presented to L. H. Kenley, and he was charged with the responsibility of the office by Rev. Thomas.

The Tahoka Scouts, led by Scoutmaster A. R. Milliken, gave an impressive investiture service.

PTA MEETING

At the regular meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association next Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Grade School building, third grade children will sing Christmas carols. Rev. H. A. Nichols will make a 15-minute talk on "Spiritual Life in War Times."

All parents and others interested are invited to attend.

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Farming is the principal activity of the Prison System of Texas, with more than 45,000 acres in cultivation. It also includes cotton mills, brick plant, canning and other foodstuff factories, print shop, shoe shop, and a plant which manufactures all auto license plates distributed by the State Highway Department.

The 50th anniversary of the death of Tennyson was observed at the University of Texas this fall with a display of the Library's collection of original manuscripts, proof copies, and first editions of the famous poet's works.

The area of Texas is 263,644 square miles of land and 3,695 square miles of inland water surface, according to a revised figure of the U. S. Bureau of Census issued April 11, 1941.

Buy A Victory Bond . . . And Slap A Jap!

ODDS and ENDS

by Eec Eye, the Elder

Warning!

You fellows who are holding Federal jobs not protected and made secure by civil service rules and regulations had better be looking out for a good place to light after the next Presidential election. For, if the present trend of public sentiment keeps up, the people are going to be in mood two years from now to kick the present Democratic autocratic bureaucratic regime clear out the window.

Following the close of World War I, President Woodrow Wilson's magnificent peace plan was rudely rejected and the Democratic Party was unceremoniously kicked out of power at the next election, for no good reason at all. Jealous and disgruntled United States senators like Lodge of Massachusetts and Reed of Missouri joined with the Isolationists of that day like Borah of Idaho and Johnson of California to abuse and discredit the President of the United States, defeat the League of Nations proposal, win a victory for the Republicans and the Isolationists at the next election, and lay open the way—though they were too blind to see it—for the staging of another World War before another quarter of a century should pass.

They succeeded; and at the next election they elected their President, Warren G. Harding, who gave to the United States the most corrupt and disgraceful administration in the entire history of our country.

Yes, the Democrats were defeated at the close of World War I for no good reason whatever. But there are signs a-plenty today that if the

autocratic bureaucrats in power in this country keep on doing their stuff, the people in 1944 will feel that they have veritable avalanches of provocation to "turn the rascals out."

And they will have far more reason to do so than the people of this country had in turning the Democrats out in 1920.

It is strange to us that the authorities in Washington seem unable to profit in the least from the warnings that are being sounded continually with ever increasing volume and power from every nook and cranny of this country. When those in power, in a democratic country, refuse to heed the protests and the warnings of the people, they are riding for a fall.

Not the first but the most distinct and powerful note of warning was sounded in the primary elections held throughout the country last summer.

If the results of those primaries indicated anything at all, they indicated that there was deep-seated and bitter dissatisfaction throughout this country because of the way the labor autocrats and racketeers have been pampered and petted by the heads of some of the departments at Washington and even by the great President of this country.

Hamilton Fish of New York and others in Congress who had been accused of disloyalty to the best interests of this country while it was preparing for war were re-elected not because of their alleged lack of patriotism or their disloyalty but because the people in those districts took this method of slapping the Administration. They were slapping the Administration not because of the President's conduct of the war but because the President was suspected of listening too attentively to the threats and the demands of John L. Lewis.

Down here in Texas, Senator O'Daniel was sagacious enough to sense the feeling of the people respecting the audacity and the arrogance of certain labor unions and dictatorial labor leaders in this country, and in his campaign for re-election he sounded the note of denunciation of their methods as the main string to his fiddle. This one plank in his platform, which he made the paramount plank, had more to do with his re-election than all other things put together. Patriotic men and women were perfectly willing for their sons to be taken from their homes and sent to war in defense of their country, but after they had been sent they were not willing to see labor unions stage strikes in war industries and hold up production of the munitions without which their sons would not be able even to defend themselves much less to win victories on foreign fields. Their feelings were not helped any when it was recalled that there were no high wages and no eight-hour days for the soldier boys, and no strikes for them, while labor unions were staging strikes all over the country for higher wages and over-time pay in defense industries when already they were being paid the highest salaries they had ever been paid in the history of the country. And only half-hearted measures were being taken in Washington to stop the strikes.

So that made a lot of people sore. And it made a lot of votes for the opposition to the Administration.

But that is not all. The stubborn attitude which the authorities at Washington have taken respecting this rationing business is most unfortunate. It is not helping the public morale much. It has made a lot

of the people mad. It is not because they are unpatriotic. Most of them are just as anxious to win the war as anybody else. But they can see no sense in gasoline rationing in those sections of the country where gasoline is abundant. Furthermore, they are unable to see the justice of applying the same rules to the people in sparsely settled sections of the country as are applied in densely populated sections.

The authorities at last seem to have seen the point and have conceded something to this point of view held by the people of the South and the West. But they had to argue and reason and threaten and cuss until they were red in the face and clear around to the back of their necks before they could get any concessions.

And even yet they are being accused of being selfish and unpatriotic and careless of the outcome of the war because of the reasonable and sensible position which they took on this rationing business.

Well, this hasn't helped to make the Administration popular and it hasn't helped the morale of the people. It has hurt.

Proof: A hundred Western and Southern congressmen protested bitterly against rationing. They earnestly implored that at least it be postponed a few months. They were met with a stern NO! They had to yield, but they are still unconvinced, and every one of them has a bad taste in his mouth. It is reasonable to assume that they represent the overwhelming sentiment of the Western and Southwestern states.

Do you suppose that this unpopular measure, put into effect over the protests of the people, will have no effect on the next election?

Texas and Arkansas and Louisiana will go Democratic again in spite of this bitter dose, and Oklahoma may do so, but what other state north of Texas and west of the Mississippi River can be listed in the Democratic column at the next election in view of the storm of protest this measure has provoked?

But however bitter the dose, folks, let's all take it and like it. Let's comply with it to the letter. There is not one of us that would wilfully

do anything to hinder our war program. There is not a one of us who would willingly cause the loss of the life of one American soldier because we didn't have enough rubber to properly equip our armies on the land and in the air. Let's use no more gasoline than is reasonably necessary. Let's conserve our rubber tires. Let's win this war.

And after it is won, we will then have time to attend to the would-be autocrats, the labor racketeers, and the other selfish or foolish leaders and drivers of our people.

FORMER-DRAW GIRL WEDS KENTUCKY MAN

Mrs. A. R. McDaniel of Amarillo, formerly of the Draw community in this county, announces the marriage of her daughter, Miss Neva McDaniel of Fort Worth, on November 14th, to Pfc. Homer L. Kitts of Stanford, Kentucky.

The marriage took place in Waco, where Pfc. Kitts was stationed in the flying field. He has since been sent to Miami, Florida, to enter Officers Training School.

Mrs. Kitts, who is employed at Consolidated Aircraft Corporation plant in Fort Worth, will continue her work there. The couple plan to make their home later in Kentucky.

Mrs. Kitts attended school in the Draw-Redwine district for a number of years and graduated in the high school there, and she yet has many friends there and in other parts of Lynn county.

Mrs. Alice Fortenberry and daughter, Mrs. Clayton Lawrence, left Sunday night for an extended visit in California and Oregon. They expected to visit Mrs. Fortenberry's son, J. W., who is in the U. S. Marines and is stationed at Goleta,

California. Mrs. Fortenberry expected to remain there for some time but Mrs. Lawrence expected, after a brief visit there, to proceed to Pendleton, Oregon, to be with her husband Mrs. Fortenberry and Mrs. Lawrence expected to be gone several weeks and possibly months.

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Wed., Dec. 16

On account of the shortage of labor and my health. I must cut my farming operations down to where I can handle them myself. Therefore, I am offering the following property for sale on Wednesday, Dec. 16, located 3 1/2 miles east and 9 1/2 miles south of Tahoka, or 3 mile east and 1 mile south of the Midway School.

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Elder Drennon's Mother Dies

The News has received the following communication this week from Elder R. P. Drennon of Melrose, New Mexico, telling of the recent death of his aged mother.

Mrs. Drennon spent much time here and at O'Donnell during the years of Elder Drennon's ministry, and she had scores and scores of friends in this county who will be deeply grieved to learn of her death.

Elder Drennon's letter follows: "I made two sad trips to Texas the last ten days. I was called to San Antonio the 18th of November to Mother's bedside, came home, then was called back the 28th to lay her away to rest.

"I felt like I did what I could for her; yet when I looked on her cold form, I knew I had not.

"My mother was 83 the 5th of November. She had lived a widow 27 years, gave birth to five sons, four still living, all present at the funeral. To her many friends at Tahoka and O'Donnell, she remembered to the last.

"I feel that if I have made any success, my greatest debt is to Mother for it. To those of my readers who still have mothers living, don't forget to give them flowers while you can. They soon will be where you can't. May God bless the memory of Mother. I hope to spend eternity with her.—R. P. Drennon."

Note: This editor can and does deeply sympathize with you, Brother Drennon. Our mother died at the advanced age of 88.

DAD AND MRS. FARIES HAVE WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

The News has received the following communication from Mrs. J. W. Faries telling of a pleasant day they had recently when relatives and friends gathered in to help them celebrate their approaching Golden Wedding anniversary.

"Please, Mr. Editor, may I come in?

"About November 18 I was informed there were plans being made to give Dad and me a covered dish dinner on Sunday, the 22nd, as our only grand-daughter could not be with us only on that day, which was more convenient also for old friends and neighbors of long standing who are farmers to be with us to near our fiftieth wedding anniversary, which came on November 24.

"First to arrive was my son and family of near Lamesa. Next, were three ladies from the Baptist church and about a dozen little folks, who brought fruit and sang good songs and repeated their memory verses. Come again, little folks, with more songs and memory verses. Always glad to have you.

"Now I will try to give you the

Paratroops in Action



IN TUNISIA, British parachute troops like these have dropped in large numbers from U. S. transport planes to capture enemy airfields needed by the Allied air forces in their advance. Picture shows machine gunner and submachine gunner protecting others while they get equipment from the container dropped with them.

Jimmy Shook Is Now In Africa

Mrs. Gladys M. Stokes received a letter a few days ago from Cpl. James L. Shook, known to his friends here as Jimmie Shook, which is self-explanatory, and which we pass on to our readers. Jimmie was formerly employed in Deen Nowlin's office.

"Africa, November 22, 1942. "Dear Mrs. Stokes and Office Force in General:

"Well, I got your letters a day or so ago that were dated September 15, and was sure glad to hear from all of you again.

"I am still in good health. I guess, as I weigh about 156 pounds now, and I still like to eat. However, while on the sea I ate so much mutton I don't want to ever see another sheep as long as I live. And I don't like this d - - - English tea, or corn beef.

"Tell Truett and Don that I have seen lots of their kinfolks over here and quite a number of them have asked about them.

"We have had quite a lot of experience since we left the States but I guess that will have to wait until I get back from my trip. Since we left, I have traveled as many miles as there are around the world and am much less than that from home, but you know how these things are.

"If you should by any chance see any Englishmen over there kill every one of them and charge it to me because I hate them with all I have and then some.

"There is very little I can write about, so I will quit for now. So, please, all of you write and let me have the latest news.—Love, Jimmie.

"This is news from Somewhere in Africa."

Note: Jimmie's address is: Cpl. James L. Shook, A. S. N. 18074414, Hq. and Hq. Sq., 8th A. D. G., A. P. O. 625, c/o Postmaster, Miami, Florida.

Mrs. J. W. Horton and Ruby Jean and Teddy Lee left for Santa Paula, California, last Friday, after spending several days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Scott Poe. Mr. Poe, who has been staying in Lubbock looking after a laundry which he owns there, has leased it out and come to Tahoka to reside.

Sgt. and Mrs. Jim Raindl left Thursday for Houston after spending a 10-day furlough in the Frank Raindl Sr. home near Dixie and with Pvt. Johnnie Raindl of Lubbock Army Flying School.

Thirteen University of Texas students received the doctor's degree at summer commencement exercises—first time this degree was ever conferred at an August commencement.

Miss Maxine Oliver Weds Sgt. Joe Raindl

Marriage rites for Miss Maxine Oliver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Oliver of Tahoka, and St. Sgt. Joe F. Raindl, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Raindl of Dixie, now stationed at Ft. Sam Houston, were read at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon, November 21, by Col. Pierce, Army chaplain, in the Post Chapel before an altar banked with Lilies of the Valley, white tapers and lighted candles, with Miss Lenora Sargent of Tahoka as bridesmaid and St. Sgt. James Hamilton of Lubbock as best man.

Guests included Mrs. J. B. Oliver, Mrs. James Hamilton, and Pfc. Ala K. Ayres. The Medical Detachment also attended.

Cpl. Dickerson played "Wedding March," "I Love You Truly," "Intermezzo" from "Love Story," and "Because."

The bride's dress was Navy blue, with black accessories. Her corsage was pink carnations. The bridesmaid wore a Soldier blue dress with black.

The couple took a short wedding trip to Houston. They will live, in the Post in apartments for non-commissioned officers.

Mrs. Raindl was reared here and is a former student of the Tahoka High School, and she and husband have many friends here and in the county who are wishing them much happiness in life.

Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Hardy and son, James Monroe, of Big Spring, spent Thanksgiving day here with their parents, Rev. and Mrs. Ben Hardy.



● Rain bombs on Tokio—buy another War Bond! Collect the Scrap that'll make Scraps out of the Japs! Turn in a key—for Victory! "It" Won't Happen Here—if you work for Civilian Defense! Spill waste fat out of the frying pan into the fight! Fill'er Up to work and shop.—and keep your car on the road! When in doubt—don't say it! Keep Production Rolling — through '43! That's the way to remember Pearl Harbor!

MONDAY, DECEMBER 7th, at 2:20 O'CLOCK, ATTEND THE PARADE DOWN TOWN, THEN THE PROGRAM IN THE GRADE SCHOOL GYMNASIUM!



If he can't come home for Christmas, send a joyous Christmas to him with a gift chosen from our brigade of cheer-spreading presents for servicemen. We've a number of gifts the boys want—gifts they can use—gifts they hope you'll send. Get them off this week end to assure pre-Christmas delivery.

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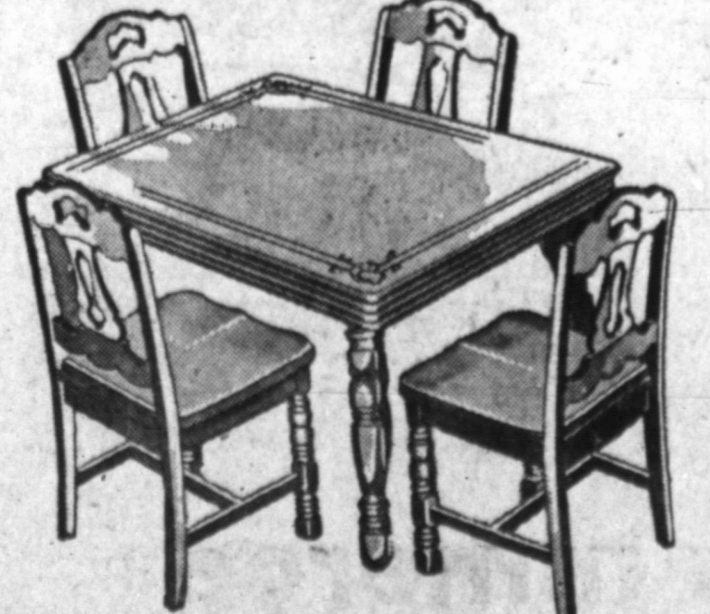
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Remember Pearl Harbor! Buy War Bonds Today!

Come in and look our stock over for your Christmas shopping!

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At the Churches

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
 Sunday School 10:15 a. m.
 Morning Worship 11:05 a. m.
 League Meeting 7:30 p. m.
 Evening Worship 8:00 p. m.
 Women's Society Monday 4:00 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
 Lord's Day Worship:
 Bible Study 10:30 a. m.
 Preaching 11:30 a. m.
 Communion 12:15 a. m.
 Evening Service 8:00 p. m.
 Ladies Bible Study, Tues. 2:30 p. m.
 Mid-Week Service, Wed., 8:30 p. m.

NAZARENE CHURCH
 Henry C. Thomas, pastor.
 Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
 Evening Service 8:30 p. m.
 Women's Missionary Society 3:00 p. m. Monday.
 Mid-Week Prayer Service 8:30 p. m. Wednesday.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
 Arthur E. Brown, Pastor.
 Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
 Evening Evangelistic 8:00 p. m.
 Wednesday Prayer and Bible Study 8:00 p. m.
 Saturday Family Night Service 8:00 p. m.

METHODIST CHURCH
 We are getting the different boards organized and also the committees for the new Conference year, December being the first month of same.

The Stewards organized Tuesday night, Nov. 24, electing the following officers: A. L. Lockwood, president; W. E. Smith, vice-president; and W. M. Mathis, secretary and treasurer. The board voted to budget the salaries and the benevolences and collect monthly.

Many members are paying their benevolences now for the entire year. We hope that everyone will do that and get the benevolences out of the way—it can be done by Christmas if each member will do so when the Steward comes to see his list of members within the next week.

Sunday morning the pastor will talk on the theme: "The Absentee Disciple," and Sunday evening, "Minorities Versus Majorities." We shall be happy to have you present at both services—members, friends, and visitors.

The total value of Texas public school property is estimated as nearly \$3,000,000,000.

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

The "Stovepipe," as the 60-millimeter trench mortar is commonly known, is used by our infantry for close-in fighting. It fires a 2.4-pound shell at the rate of about 35 a minute.



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U. S. Treasury Department

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
 Rev. W. B. Gray will fill his regular first-Sunday appointment at the Presbyterian Church next Sunday, Dec. 6th.
 The adult Sunday School class at 10 a. m. The morning sermon at 11:10 a. m. The evening service at 7:30. Sermon: "Why the Church?" The public is invited to worship with us.

O. E. S. MEETING
 The local chapter Order Eastern Star will observe its birthday and have a Christmas program at the Hall this Friday evening, Dec. 4, ignoring all past matrons and past patrons.

ENSIGN BILLY HANCOCK VISITS AT NEW HOME

Ensign Norman Billy Hancock is here on leave visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Hancock of New Home, after having completed his training as an airplane pilot in the U. S. Navy at Chicago.
 Upon leaving here he will go to San Diego, where he will join the fleet as pilot of a carrier-based fighter plane.
 Ensign Hancock took his basic training at Corpus Christi and was awarded his "wings" in August. Then he was sent to Miami, Florida, and after two or three months there, to Chicago.

He is a graduate of the New Home High School and attended the Texas Technological College for three years.

Mr. Hancock reports that another son, Jack, who has been teaching vocational agriculture at Baird, has resigned his position to enter service in the Armed Forces. He will enter an officers training school in New York this week.

Local support of public schools in Texas is derived primarily from an ad valorem tax on general property.

Women AT WAR

Irene

When Irene got home from the airplane factory she was good and tired. This was the hour, after work and before dinner, that she always looked forward to. Her private name for it was "My sissy hour." Into it, these days, she packed all the lazy, luxurious little things she loved—things that used to take up a lot more than an hour of her peace-time days. She sat down at the little desk in her room. You could tell quite a lot about Irene from that desk. The water-glass filled with the small bouquet of flowers she sometimes bought on the way home. The thin, crackly blue air-mail stationery. And the big, framed photograph of a young man in a corporal's uniform—as good-looking a man as Irene was pretty. On the blotter pad lay the telegram that had come that morning just as she was leaving for work. With those long, well-shaped fingers she reached for a sheet of paper, she nibbled the end of her pen for a bit, and then she wrinkled up her nose at the picture of the soldier and began to write, "Dear Mr. Morganthau", but the corporal's name was Jackson and she called him Pete. Her round handwriting spread across the page. "My boy friend is with the A. E. F. in Ireland. He has cabled me fifty dollars with which to buy a diamond ring. I've been thinking it over and decided to buy a War Bond to help Uncle Sam instead. This may help to bring my boy friend home sooner, and then he can help me select my ring."

Slowly she began to sign her name.

(Lester from an actual communication in the files of the Treasury Department.)

Let's all sacrifice, as Irene has done. Bring final victory closer with the money you put into War Bonds. Make certain your family budget tops 10 percent by New Year's.

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Grassland News Santa Claus Letters

(By Mrs. V. V. Laws)
 Pvt. Otis Bosworth, who is stationed at Lubbock Flying Field, returned to his home here Saturday eve late only to find it and all his household effects destroyed by fire. The home caught from the inside, the origin being unknown, and was in flames before the fire was discovered. Mrs. Bosworth was at her mother's when the fire broke out.

M. C. Richey's cotton pickers' house also was destroyed by fire last week.

Several members of the Church of the Nazarene here attended service at the Lubbock Flying school Sunday night, Pvt. Bosworth having arranged for the service.

John Ezell Jr. has come here to be with his mother and has enrolled in the school. His mother, Mrs. Ezell, is one of the teachers. We are happy that little Audri Nell Cash is able to be back in school.

A Thanksgiving dinner was given at the Grassland school house.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Greer are proud of their new grandson, Larry Jean, born to Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brown last Saturday night week. Mother and babe both doing nicely.

Prof. H. P. Caveness, former superintendent of the Tahoka public schools and former county school superintendent, was taken to a hospital in Lubbock Sunday for treatment for a malady with which he had been suffering for some time. He had been confined to his bed at home two or three weeks prior to being taken to the hospital. His trouble seems to be something like inflammatory rheumatism.

Mrs. Grady Howard, teacher in the Tahoka schools, spent Thanksgiving with her husband who is in the station hospital at Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls. She reports he is slowly improving from his recent operation.

Mrs. Melton Flowers, the former Jennie Rea Nevill, reports that her husband was recently transferred from Maxwell Field, Birmingham, Alabama, to an advanced flying field at Douglas, Georgia.

Mrs. Scott Poe and daughter, Mrs. J. W. Horton, and Patsy Jean spent Monday night of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cline in Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Sanders and babies, Charlie Brown and Donna Faye, of Houma, La., spent Thanksgiving, with her mother, Mrs. Pearl Brown. They left for home Saturday. Mrs. Sanders is the former Miss Marie Brown.

Nancy Richey Ranson of Dallas is Texas Poet Laureate for 1940-1942.

Santa Claus Letters

Dear Santa Claus:
 I would like for you to bring me a doll with real hair, sewing set, and a set of dominoes. And, also please bring me two books named Billy Whiskers and Alice in Wonderland. Please bring me some fruits, nuts, and candy, too. I am a girl nine years old. Your friend—Jerry Ann Hewlett.

Dear Santa Claus:
 I want a doll, a cooking set, and a tea set and a color book and cut-out book. I also want some fruits, nuts and candy. I am a girl six years old. Your friend—Shirley Jo Hewlett.

Dear Santa Claus:
 I want a doll, blocks and color book and colors. I want fruits, nuts, and candy. I am a little girl two years old. Your friend—Neita Joyce Hewlett.

Dear Santa Claus:
 I want a doll, cooking set, tea set, and a color book and cut-out book. I also want some fruits, nuts, and candy. I am four years old. Your friend—Dixie Marie Hewlett.

Dear Santa Claus:
 I've been a good little girl, Santa. So, please bring me a doll with curly hair and sleepy eyes, a little rocking chair and a set of dishes, lots of candy, nuts, and fruits, and please Santa don't forget my little pal, Larry Gene Macker. I'm sure he has been a good little boy. Good bye, Santa. I love you lots. Love—Patsy Ruth Patterson, age 3.

The local government of Texas is carried on through 7,796 local units of which 254 counties are the basic subdivisions.

Between 1930 and 1940 the generating capacity of Texas power plants increased approximately 32 per cent.

In addition to its state-supported educational institutions, Texas has 6 eleemosynary and correctional institutions and hospitals.

Texas' W. J. McDonald Observatory, with 82-inch reflection, is one of the largest in the United States.

Texas wealth is usually estimated as between \$11,000,000,000 and \$13,000,000,000.

The Texas State Capitol building at Austin has 18 acres of floor space and approximately 500 rooms.

The prison system of Texas consists of a central plant at Huntsville and ten farms.

Do your part! Get in the SCRAP!

Mrs. Roy L. Green of Amarillo was here Tuesday and Wednesday visiting friends and looking after some matters of business. Mrs. Green was reared here, being the former Miss Lela Kuykendall. She was the guest of Mrs. Rafe Richardson while here.

In per capita state support of public schools, Texas is among the leading states of the nation.

BUY WAR BONDS & STAMPS.

CARD OF THANKS
 We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to our many good friends and neighbors for the beautiful floral offering and kind deeds shown us in the death of our dear son and brother. May God richly bless each of you. —Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Roberts and children.

Texas' first state institution of higher education is its Agricultural and Mechanical College, opened in 1883.

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Chamber of Commerce

THE GROWL

Honors Planned For War Hero

Keith Connolly, former student of Tahoka high school, was recently awarded the Silver Star for "gallantry in action." In his last letter, Keith informed his family that he would be home Christmas and to set his place at the table for Christmas dinner.

Since the government is asking the people to observe the first anniversary of Pearl Harbor, Tahoka will honor Keith and Pearl Harbor by proclaiming December 7 as Keith Connolly Day, the activities beginning with a parade held downtown at 2:20 p. m. Following the parade, a program will be given in the high school auditorium. However, if Keith does not arrive in time, the program will be postponed until he does arrive and the day will be designated Keith Connolly Bond Day, with a band concert being given. Booths will be provided for the sale of war bonds. Tahoka hopes to reach her yearly quota on this day.

Keith is honored because he is a hero, and in turn, by honoring him, we are recognizing all other Lynn county boys who are now in Uncle Sam's forces. Tahoka and Tahoka high school are proud of their boys in uniform.

Girls Pack Boxes Of Christmas Cheer

Some of the families of Tahoka will have a merrier Christmas this year if the Home Economics club can influence matters.

The girls of the four Homemaking classes are to make Christmas boxes for the needy families in Tahoka. The boxes will contain fruits, candies, and other foodstuffs, both necessities and luxuries, for Christmas time.

"The girls feel that it is their duty and privilege to make this Yule season a happy one for all," stated Miss Lucille Wright.

Junior Class Holds Skating Party

"Have you by any chance got the skate key?" "These skates are sevens and I wear a nine!"

These remarks were heard at the skating rink last Monday as the Junior class took its half holiday after having won the scrap drive held in the Tahoka schools.

The class met at school and rode in cars to the skating rink, where they skinned their knees until 4 o'clock.

The Junior sponsors, Mrs. Charles Stewart and Coach Volney Hill, joined the students skating. And of course, Coach scooted across the floor several times, but not on his skates.

After a million pile-ups and holding Coach up so he wouldn't fall, they decided that the party should end. No bones were broken even though many felt to be. The Juniors returned to school Tuesday morning skinned a little, but with smiles on their faces, thinking of their well-earned half-day holiday.

Annual Fete Called Beauty Parade

Tahoka's beauty parade was turned "full speed ahead" at the presentation dance Friday night and carnations and roses were seen bouncing on evening dresses of more than a few Sub-Deb members.

The pledges were presented by Peggy Fenton as they walked slowly across the stage of the high school auditorium to piano selections played by Winston Redwine.

Looking their best, the Sub-Debs posed before Mr. B. T. Smith's camera to have their picture snapped after the presentation program.

Following the program, which consisted of a welcome address by La Voyle Richardson; club history by Mary Beth Fenton; songs, "White Christmas", by Pat Hill; and presentation, a dance was held in the "rumpus" room of the D. W. Gaignat home.

Out-of-town guests present were: J. H. Peede, James Davis Walker, Gene Duke, Elbert Boulloun, Jack Wright, and Jerry Noble.

Ex-Sub-Deb members: Billie Lee Bursleson and Dorothy Virginia Fulkerson.

SUB-DEBS MEET

The Sub-Debs met in Charlene Bucy's home last week. An interesting talk on "dancing etiquette" was given by the hostess, and apples and cookies were served to those present.

Reed "Little Boy" On Famous Team

"I don't like to brag, but I was the shortest man on the tallest basketball team in the world." These words were spoken by Jay Olin Reed, acting principal of Tahoka grade school.

Mr. Reed was referring to his better days in West Texas State Teachers College, when his only worries were getting assignments in on time and worrying over the results of cutting class three times in a row. He was also referring to the days when he was the "shorty" on WTSTC's basketball squad, the tallest team in the world. Mr. Reed was the shortest man in the group, his height being 6 feet, 1 inch, and his weight 215 pounds. The tallest member of that team was 6 feet 10 inches. Mr. Reed graduated from that institution last spring.

"Had you read Collier's last year, you would probably have noticed different articles about the West Texas team, as it was publicized very much in that magazine," Mr. Reed stated with the sound of pride in his voice.

The West Texas State team made two trips to Madison Square Garden in New York City, their first game being played with Long Island University and the second being played with Creighton University. This most publicized team played 32 games, out of which 29 of them were victories. Those games lost were lost by one, two, and three points.

Mr. Reed played forward on the basketball team and tackle on the football squad. While at WTSTC,

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 Billie Greer
 Grade School — Mary Nell Crouch
 Eva Woods
 Reporters — Verna Rowland,
 Lois Parker, Winnell Meeks

he coached freshman basketball. Mr. Reed is a graduate of Abernathy high school and he is a former student of Notre Dame University and Columbia University in New York City, before he enrolled in WTSTC.

Mr. Reed is very optimistic about the prospects for a basketball team this year in Tahoka high school. He is now awaiting call into Marine Officers Training school at Quantico, Virginia, and expects to leave within a very short time.

Personality . . .

Like all boys, this week's personality likes desserts, putting strawberry ice cream at the top of his list. The favorite subject of this freshman is English, but you often find him studying nights on agriculture, junior business and algebra. Boxing and football are his favorite sports, as evidenced by his boxing trophies which are trunks, gloves, and a jacket.

He has a very pleasing personality which emphasizes his green eyes, brown hair, and a myriad of freckles on his nose.

The person in the limelight this week is Jerry Edwards.

This and That . . .

(By Jimmie Lou Thomas)

While the people of the United States are building for war, they should realize, also, that now is the time to build for a lasting peace through proper and continued mass education. If there is ever to be a time when the schools will be needed, it will be during the adjustment following the war. Hence, money should be spent freely on better education as well as on battleships, tanks, and explosives. Education for intelligent voting, good citizenship, and all the other attributes of democracy must not be neglected if our present order is to survive.

James Foster, who is a 1938 graduate of Tahoka high school, is home on a 13-day furlough. He is now stationed in Camp Edwards, Massachusetts, where he is training as a commando.

To carry out their usual routine, the third year Home Ec. girls will fill a Christmas basket which will be given to some needy family.

To all girls who are ribbon wearers, have you ever thought what message you might be able to convey to the stronger sex by the position of your bow? In the universal ribbon code, no bow at all typifies a "Man hater"; placed on the right, a bow means "I go steady"; on the left suggests that you're in love; small bows on both sides of the head mean "Call me up some time"; a bow on top of the silky tresses signifies "Call me up tonight."

H. A. Maasen, who is now a naval flying cadet, is home on leave this week. He has just finished pre-flight training in Georgia and is now on his way to Grand Prairie. H. A. is a 1938 graduate of Tahoka.

Last Wednesday saw much excitement in Tahoka as the fourth annual school carnival was underway. The purpose of the carnival was to make money for the athletic fund; however, a football queen was elected, and as yet, the winner of the contest has not been announced.

New watches are taking their place in high school. First new timepiece to appear belonged to Mary Alice Hines. Lois Sproles is now sporting a stunning Bulova.

Mrs. Stewart really had the admirer: Tuesday when she stepped forward in her wine plaid three-piece suit.

The football boys have had especially good training this year. Coach Hill was regretting that fact when about nine football boys coaxed him to don a pair of skates during the Juniors' half holiday last Monday.

Every one evidently was feeling the dread of approaching gas rationing last Monday night. Tahoka was so lonesome after all the crowd in town decided to go for a joy ride to Lubbock for the last time.

Like vultures, the Sub-Debs are gloating over the fact that their dance was a success. The girls said what lead to its success was the fact that so many stags were there. Several college students home for the Thanksgiving holidays attended.

Seems that Rubie Greer was getting a grand rush over the Thanksgiving season. She couldn't be found at home a single night.

We like: The way Winston Redwine weighs steak . . . Verner Lois Roland in glasses . . . All the Sub-Debs in red hats . . . Harry James' arrangement of "Mister Five by

Five" . . . Hamburgers and sandwiches.

"When that Aprilie with his shoures scoote"
 "The doghte of Marche hath perced to the roote."

These are some of the lines which will be ringing in Miss Headrick's ear. English IV requires the recitation of 18 lines of Chaucer and 82 other lines of poetry which Miss Headrick has assigned to be recited before the Christmas holidays.

Jerry Noble, Earl Adams and Dorothy Fulkerson were home over the Thanksgiving holidays. Jerry and Earl are enrolled at John Tarleton in Stephenville, while Dorothy attends T. C. U. at Fort Worth. They are all ex-students of Tahoka.

Have you tried ending your letters this way: I love you more than Life or any other ten cent magazine.

The Future Farmers of America will be in charge of assembly Tuesday, December 8.

Good Citizens

Fifth grade "good citizens," students who have a high department record for the past two weeks, are: M. J. Whitehead, Dale Rey Smith, Douglas McNeely, Bennie Lou Pridmore, Jimmie Dumas Small, Velma Ruth Howell, Georgia Beth Sparks, Wanda Gaither, W. J. Hodge, Jan Edwards, Harold Wayne Garrard, Bobby Lee Franks, Billy Ed Ware, Robert Knight, Dale Gandy, Sina Finley, and Billy Ruth Farris.

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Lawmakers In Armed Forces

Representative Hop Halsey, member of the legislature from this district, was recently transferred from Maxwell Field at Montgomery, Alabama, to an advanced Flying Field at Douglas, Georgia, where he is studying to become an aviation instructor.

Senator Marshall Formby of Plainview, who represents this senatorial district in the legislature, is also in the armed service of his country, as are also a number of the other members of the House and Senate. Whether they will be excused from military service to attend the session of the legislature which convenes in January is not yet known.

TOO MUCH WATER, WILLIAMS SAYS

The News force have received several letters from Lewis Williams, former Linotype operator for The News, since he left here three weeks ago for Angleton in South Texas, where he had accepted a position with one of the newspapers at \$40.00 per week. He writes that he is now receiving \$45.00, but he thinks rips much more than is necessary down there. "The creeks look like rivers to me, and the rivers like—well, you get the idea," he says, but "There are tangerines growing in the back yard of the place I'm living at. Not bad, free fruit."

Lewis is a graduate of the Institute for the Deaf in Austin. He was unable to converse with the people here very much but he made some warm friends here just the same, and he intimated that he would like to hear from them occasionally while he is getting acquainted down there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wyatt of this city received from their son, Pfc. Claud V. Wyatt, a few days ago the menu of the Thanksgiving dinner which was served the 816th Tank Destroyer Battalion at Camp Cooke, California, on last Thursday. Roast young Tom turkey was the principal item on the menu but there was a whole battalion of trimmings and accessories that must have made a up a dinner fit for a king. If a German or a Jap soldier were turned loose on a dinner like that, we have an idea that he would not be able even to pull a trigger again for a week.

Mrs. A. M. Searcey and Mrs. Jim Proffitt of Munday were here over the week end visiting their sister, Mrs. Samie Norwood, Mr. Norwood and the family. They were accompanied by Mrs. Searcey's daughter-in-law, Mrs. Lamar Searcey, and the baby. They came Saturday and returned home Monday.

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H. T. LOYD WRITES FROM IDAHO

The News received a letter a few days ago from H. T. Loyd, who is now in the Navy and is stationed at Farragut, Idaho. We also received a letter from his wife, who had been at work in the Douglas Aircraft plant at Long Beach, California, stating that she was leaving there to join her husband at Farragut.

The Loyds formerly lived on the Joe Bovell farm six miles north of Tahoka. They moved out to Los Angeles last winter where he obtained improvement in the aircraft plant. When he joined the Navy on September 29, his wife took his place in the aircraft plant. And there is where we pick up his story as told in his letter to the News.

"I went into training (in the Navy) the ninth of October. I graduated from Boot Camp last Friday, the 20th (of November). After graduation I was placed on Security Patrol. I will be here at Farragut Naval Training Station for an undetermined length of time. I have notified my wife that I will be here for quite some time and she is coming here to be with me. She is now working for Douglas Aircraft at Long Beach, California, on the B-17 or Flying Fortress which it was formerly called. She can go to work here at the Base in the Recreation Hall if she prefers it.

"I was formerly a left-hand shooter, but in the Navy you fire only right-handed, so I had to learn all over again. The first time I fired I made Marksmanship. I fired again this past Saturday and I made Sharpshooter. This is what I have to deal with. I have learned more about guns in the last few days than I thought I could ever learn.

"This Security Patrol is not hard work at all. We are on four hours, off eight hours, then on four more, and then we have 48 hours liberty.

"The weather is cold here. We have had snow on the ground for two weeks now. We do not have much wind here, though, and it is not very cold.

"Tell all my friends I would like to hear from them. Hoping you the best of luck, a friend—H. T. Loyd Jr., Pfc.

HAYS CHILDREN HAVE THANKSGIVING REUNION

Accompanied by her grandson Bill, Mrs. M. E. Hays was here Saturday on her way to Earth, Lamb county, to visit a sister, Mrs. Monroe Williams.

She reported that all of her children and most of the members of their families gathered in to see her on Thanksgiving Day. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Hays and their son, John Jr.; Mrs. C. E. Waldrep and three sons, Lloyd, Dan, and Murrell; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ledbetter and four children, Billy, Imajo, Hulien, and Kinney; Mr. and Mrs. Noel Hays and two sons, Bobby and Jerry, of Loop; Mr. and Mrs. John Hill and their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Odie Hill and her three children, all of Dixie.

Of course it was a joyous Thanksgiving occasion.

Mrs. R. C. Forrester and daughter, Miss O'Beran, and friend, J. A. Biggerstaff, spent the week end at Lovington on the big ranch of Mrs. Forrester's sister-in-law, Mrs. R. D. Lee. Mrs. Forrester reports that there was no meat shortage on that ranch, fine fat blooded cattle that would be tops in any fat stock show. Registered cows and bulls among the herd that would bring a thousand dollars and upwards each, at the drop of the hat. It was a nice outing the Tahoka visitors had out on the ranch.

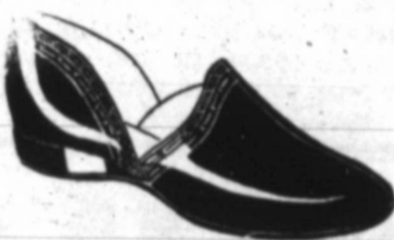
D. D. Odom of Grassland was a business caller at the News office a few days ago and while here gave us the name of one young man who recently enlisted in the Army whose name we failed to get. We refer to Pvt. Maxie Saunders, Mr. Odom's son-in-law, who enlisted in the Air Corps of the Army and is stationed at the South Plains Flying School at Lubbock.

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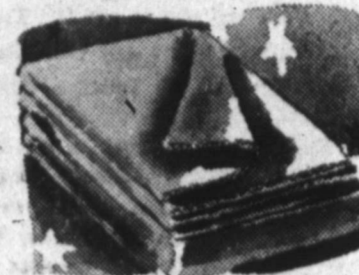


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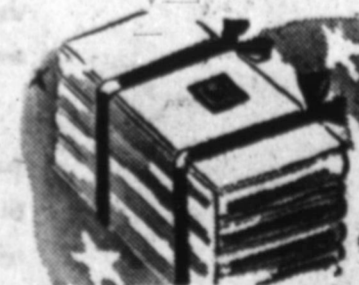
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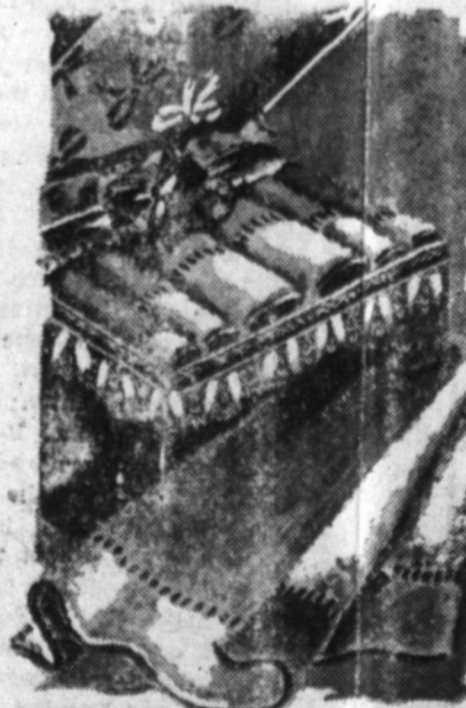
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Stewart-Thomas Wedding At Lubbock

Marriage rites for Miss Aleta Lois Stewart, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irving Stewart, and Pvt. Reble L. Thomas of Lubbock Army Flying School, son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Thomas of Grassland, were read by Rev. W. C. Hinds, pastor of Asbury Methodist Church in Lubbock, Saturday evening at 9 o'clock in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Warnick in Lubbock.

The vows of the double ring ceremony were exchanged as the couple stood before the fireplace decorated by tall white vases of white chrysanthemum and fern, with a low bowl of the flowers centering the mantel-piece. The couple was attended by Miss Dorothy Virginia Fulkerson of Tahoka, a high school classmate of the bride, now a student in Texas Christian University, as maid of honor, and the groom's brother, R. M. Thomas of Grassland, as best man. Only family members witnessed the ceremony.

Following the ceremony the bride cut the tiered wedding cake, decorated with miniature bride and groom in the candle-lighted dining room, where the cake with punch was served.

The bride wore a two piece frock of ice blue crepe, with shoulder corsage of white orchids. Her accessories were of sherry and beige. For something borrowed she carried the white Bible of a dear friend, for something old she wore the white pearls her mother had worn.

Mrs. Thomas was reared in Tahoka and comes from a family of Lynn county pioneers. She is a graduate of Tahoka High School of the Class of 1942. She is now a student in Business Administration in Texas Technological College and plans to continue her studies there.

The groom comes from another well-known family of Lynn county and was reared at Grassland. He is a graduate of Post High School and attended Texas Tech. Before enlisting in the Army Air Corps he was employed at the Agricultural Administration office in Tahoka.

SHOWER GIVEN HERE FOR ALETA LOIS STEWART

Among many courtesies accorded Miss Aleta Lois Stewart, after her engagement was announced, one of the loveliest was a miscellaneous shower given in the home of Mrs. Jim Burleson last Friday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. Hostesses were Mmes. Levi Noble, W. T. Clinton and Burleson.

The bride's chosen colors of white and green were carried out in the entire reception suite. Both the large and the small white chrysanthemums, white rosebuds and fern formed a centerpiece for the refreshment table with its imported lace cloth.

In the receiving line were the honoree and Mrs. Irving Stewart, Mrs. Luther Thomas, Mrs. G. W. Small, and Mrs. G. W. Cochran of Lubbock. Miss Jimmie Lou Thomas presided over the bride's book. Serving at the refreshment table were Mrs. Maurice Small of Tahoka, Mrs. J. Q. Warnick of Lubbock and Misses Billie Lee Burleson and Margaret Fancher of Tahoka.

The many beautiful and useful gifts were attractively displayed for the seventy guests who called. While the number and beauty of the gifts cannot be described here, those present enjoyed most of all the radiant happiness of the honoree enjoying this gracious gesture of love from her many friends.

Pfc. James Foster of Camp Edwards, Massachusetts, came Friday night for a few days visit with Mrs. Craft, his aunt and foster mother. James has been receiving commando training the past few weeks. He declares it is just routine business, though. Wednesday, a five-day furlough was received from James' commanding officer by Mayor Deen Nowlin, in order that James might be here when his old buddy, Sgt. Keith Connolly returns from the Southwest Pacific war zone.

CPL. MONTE RAY KETNER WRITES FROM "SOMEWHERE"

Cpl. Monte Ray Ketner, who was reared in Tahoka but who is now in the U. S. Marines somewhere out in the Pacific, has written the News indicating that he is marooned at some place that other human beings rarely visit. Reading between the lines, one can imagine that Corporal Monte Ray would like to have more action. His letter follows.

"Hello, Mr. Hill: Have been receiving the News issues fairly well for the past two months, though we never know exactly when mail is going to come.

"I have noticed some of Sgt. Connolly's exploits that have made the papers. Seems to be really doing his stuff as a gunner.

"That paper really comes in handy. We haven't seen a woman of any color or nationality for about ten months now. Heck of a war, isn't it?

"We get the most kick out of Alley Oop and his troubles with the Mostapo than any other one thing.

"I have been with the same crew since the day the Japs raided the harbor at Hawaii. We were all together at (censored) and are still in one piece right now; and though we didn't quite make it in time, we were all together in the force trying to reach (censored) when the Japs finally took over.

"The next time you write Billy send him my address. I haven't heard from him for about four or five months. Sincerely, Monte."

In the event any of Monte's friends here should like to write him, his address is: Cpl. Monte R. Ketner, United States Marines, Unit No. 995, in care of Postmaster, San Francisco, Calif.

Mrs. T. B. Burrough is away for a few weeks visiting a sister in St. Louis and a son in Baltimore. The son is in an Army Mechanics school in the latter city. Leaving Tahoka on Tuesday of last week, Mrs. Burrough expects to return about the middle of this month.

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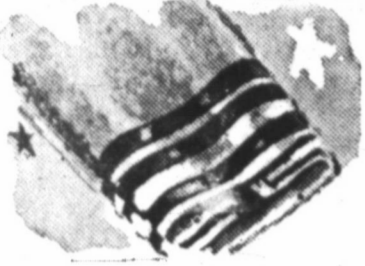
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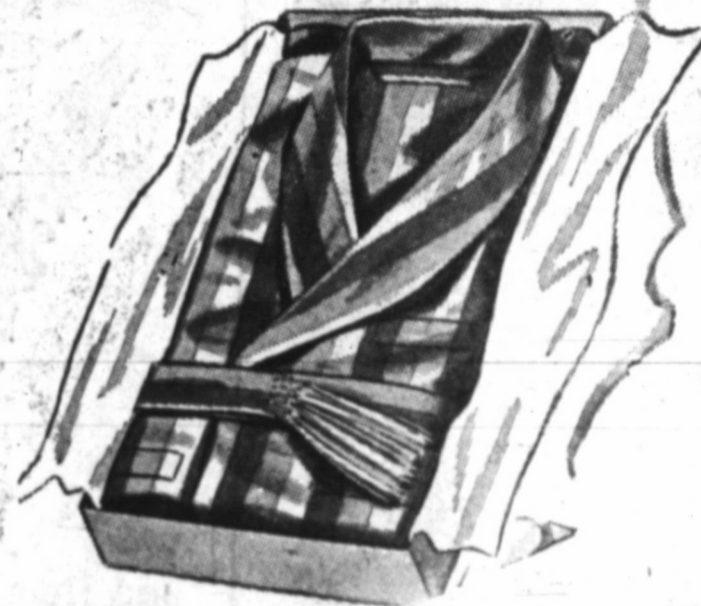
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Southland News

(By Mrs. Marvin Truelock)

Thanksgiving Day was also school day at Southland. The 125 students who ate at the lunch room enjoyed a Thanksgiving menu, after which the school assembled in the auditorium for a short Thanksgiving service led by Rev. E. C. Armstrong and Rev. O. J. Harmonson, and was dismissed at 3:00.

A week ago Friday, Coach Lyle Brasfield took his team of six-man football to Wilson, when our boys won with a 30 to 0 score.

A telegram from H. C. White to his parents Friday brought the information that he had just made a perfect jump for his last one before graduation Saturday from the Parachute Material School, Naval Air Station, Lakehurst, New Jersey.

Bobbie Leake called, his mother last Friday night to inform her that he had completed his basic course at the South Plains Glider School and they would start loading at 4:00 a. m. Saturday to leave Lubbock for an unknown destination.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wood of Tye spent last week end with the J. R. Woods here.

J. Walter Smith, whose wife is a sister of Lonnie Collingsworth, bought out J. C. Harris recently. The

Harris family have lived here for fourteen years.

Billy Basinger is at Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls.

Mrs. D. A. Blain returned here Thursday after having visited the past week in Littlefield.

Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wood visited her brother, Gary Mathis of Grassland, and this week end they and Wilbur Woods visited her sister, Mrs. A. M. Hawthorne, at Lamesa.

Mrs. Joe Childress came home Wednesday to visit her parents but returned to Lubbock Saturday. Her father, W. W. Gilliland, was in bed most of last week, having hurt his back in lifting a large sack of cotton.

Milburn Cash, who has recently been in the hospital because of an appendectomy at Victorville, Calif., returned to camp Saturday after a 21-days leave with his mother, Mrs. Callie Cash. His twin brother, Wilburn, is there also. They are mechanics.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Johnson moved Sunday to a farm near Post. The Johnsons have lived here about 18 months.

Thanksgiving guests of the Marvin Truelocks were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rolan of Slaton.

Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Armstrong went back to Lockney Friday to spend the night with friends and bring their cow back in a trailer.

Tuesday the basketball season was opened, when the Senior boys defeated the Juniors with a 25-9 score. Wednesday the tenth grade girls won by a score of 5 to 3 over the eleventh grade.

Rev. and Mrs. O. E. McGaw left Wednesday to visit friends in Shallowater, before spending Thanksgiving with her parents in Levelland.

S. Sgt. Leonard Angle was recently transferred from the port of embarkation, Boston, to a camp on Lake Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore and three children of Childress spent last week end here with his parents, the J. F. Moores.

Mrs. L. F. Landers left Thursday

morning with Mrs. Bob King to spend the week end with her daughter, Mrs. Herman Whited, and family at Odessa. Mrs. King spent the holidays with her sister and husband, Lieut. and Mrs. Sam Reves at Midland.

The working on the Service Flag on December 7 is not just for the mothers of the 22 boys whose stars are to be sewn on. Every woman who can come, and is interested in this community-wide project, is welcome. We neglected planning a program, because of gas rationing, but will have a few appropriate musical numbers.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McNeely went Friday to Norman, Oklahoma, where they spent the week end with Ensign and Mrs. W. E. Pharr (Julia).

C. W. Gary's billfold containing \$20.00 was lost or stolen Sunday. The Garys recently moved to the John Baker place.

Congratulation to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wilke. Their son was born Monday afternoon at Slaton hospital.

Chris Gindorf has purchased the J. E. Noack farm at Hackberry.

Mrs. Ada Long and mother, Mrs. Boone Pennell, of Post, visited the Donald Pennells Tuesday.

Mrs. Tom Craft and two children left Saturday to take her mother, Mrs. O. C. Winchum, back to her home in Borger.

Mr. J. B. Cato of the Morgan community was called in October, just one week before his father died of blood-poisoning in a hospital in Ada, Oklahoma. J. B. had just left Fort Sill that day and could not be located. One of his brothers, Homer, is somewhere in Alaska, and the other, William, is in the Army at Boise, Idaho.

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Home Ec. Students Will Present Program

The auditorium of the Tahoka high school will be the scene of the second Home Economics chapter club meeting December 7th.

A Christmas program will be presented, prepared by a program committee consisting of chairman Mary Ruth Edwards, and Jimmie Lou Thomas, Rae Fern Pennington, Ma Mae Schaffner, and Marciene Stephens.

The main topic for business discussion will be the making and filling of Christmas boxes for families of Tahoka.

Refreshments will be served to the members of the club.

Siftings...

By Mrs. Nora Billingsley
The women of the Hackberry community meet at the Club House on Thursday afternoons and sew and knit for the Red Cross. Both activities go along smoothly these days. Stitching does not have to be ripped out and ribbed portion of sweaters are no longer scrambled.

I look forward to gasoline rationing as the only way to make me save my tires. I certainly drive the car less and I also drive slower, but

only a limited amount of gasoline will make me really group my errands and budget my mileage.

This is probably true of all of us. We are largely governed by our habits, and perhaps there is none more deeply rooted than hopping in the car and going places. Hence, our howls of consternation and protest.

But I, for one, hope that the government does not weaken in enforcing this sensible and necessary law.

Allowing us to wear out our tires

in one year of indiscriminate driving will certainly not silence our howls when we go to walking or riding a mule—if we can get one.

Frank Fletcher, former editor of the Wilson Sun, and Mrs. Fletcher and the children were pleasant visitors at the News office Saturday. Frank is now making big money as a carpenter at a big war industry in Amarillo. Mrs. Fletcher is keeping the home fires burning and sending in the news from Wilson each week to this newspaper.

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WILSON NEWS

By MRS. FRANK FLETCHER

Williams-Alderson
In the stillness of the night, November 20th, at 8:30, Miss Dora El-nora Williams and Cpl. Elijah B. Alderson were united in holy wed-lock. The simple impressive service took place in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Williams of Seagraves, parents of the bride. A few close friends witnessed the ceremony.
The bride wore a blue manish suit with black and white accessories. For something old, she wore a pearl necklace and for something borrowed, a friend's fashionable garter. The groom wore an Army dress uniform.
The service was performed by the Seagraves Methodist minister in a white candle-lighted room. Many white roses about the room added their fragrance and beauty, as Mrs.

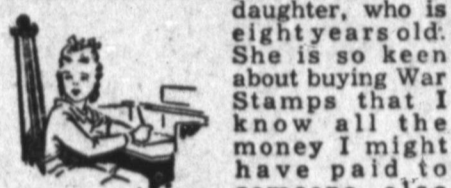
K. Daluff played the wedding march. The bride was given away by her father.
Immediately after the ceremony, the wedding gifts were displayed during a buffet supper.
On leaving the afternoon of the next day, the bride wore a black going-away dress with black and white accessories. The newly married couple are making their home at Lawton, Oklahoma, where the groom is in the Army Service.
The bride and groom are both formerly of the Wilson community.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Gryder and son Delbert and Miss Thoma Gryder visited Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Morris of Levelland on Thanksgiving afternoon. Mrs. Morris is a sister of Mr. Gryder.
Rinehard Ernst of the U. S. Army at Brownsville is home on furlough. Billy Clary of Ft. Bliss, El Paso, is home on furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Clary.
Thanksgiving dinner guests in the G. C. Clary home were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Clary and son Jerry of Slaton, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Clary and son Alfred and Billy Clary.
Jack Frank Fletcher spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Stockton Henry of Lorenzo.
Mrs. Robert Maeker and Mrs. Fred Cook were in Lubbock Saturday.
Miss Dora Kirbie, student nurse of Lubbock General Hospital, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kirbie.
Mrs. James Clark of Slaton spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Robinson and family.
Mrs. Louis Mueller of Wilson underwent a serious operation this week in the Lubbock General Hospital. Her condition is good however, and she will soon be far on the road to recovery.
Miss Moreen Womack of Slaton was admitted to the Lubbock Hospital last Wednesday to try to ward off an appendectomy.
Mary Watson, daughter of Mrs. L. A. Watson, is now employed at the Lubbock Air Base.
Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Campbell and children were in Lubbock Sunday.
Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Gryder were Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Gryder and Delbert and Mr. and Mrs. H. Hannabas. Mrs. S. H. Gryder is still ill.
Wilsonites attending the Tech-Hardin Simmons football game at Lubbock Saturday were Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Jackson, Mrs. B. W. Baker, Mrs. H. G. Cook and Frank Fletcher, Jack Frank, and Jimmy. Hazel Robinson has been ill with trench mouth.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fletcher and sons spent the week end in Lubbock.



Betsy

The little girl tugged gently at her mother's sleeve.
"Now, Mother?" she asked. "Now can't we write my letter?"
"Why, of course, Betsy," Mrs. Carson grinned. "Are you going to write it or am I?"
"Well," Betsy said. "Maybe you'd better kind of say it to me. Only I'd love to write it."
"All right, then, Miss Carson, take a letter," her mother said, walking slowly up and down the room. "Ready? Dear Mr. Morgenstau: The way I save money for War Stamp buying is to store all the small household jobs toward my daughter, who is eight years old. She is so keen about buying War Stamps that I know all the money I might have a bid to someone else for doing the jobs will go toward Victory when paid to her."
"Now make a list, Betsy. 'Windows washed, 60 cents. Apples picked from under the tree, 25 cents. Emptied trash cans, 4 cents. Sold string beans from the garden, 15 cents. Sold strips of spoiled film to children for sun-gazing, at one cent a yard, 20 cents. Total, \$1.24. Yours helpfully, I hope, and then I'll sign it at the bottom."
Betsy was puffing like a grampus from her labors. The tall, painstaking letters tottered bravely across the sheet of paper. Gravely Mrs. Carson took the pen to sign.
"Mother, would it be the proper etiquette if I signed it too?"
"Perfectly proper, I think," Mrs. Carson said without a smile, and handed the pen back to Betsy.
(Letter from an actual communication in the files of the Treasury Department.)



Every member of the family should invest in America's future. Make certain at least 10 percent of the family's total income is pledged to victory no later than New Year's Day. U. S. Treasury Department
with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter McNabb. Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Bob Fuller brought them home Sunday afternoon and remained for a short visit.
Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wuensche are the proud parents of a 7 pound 15 ounce daughter who arrived on Wednesday in Lubbock Hospital.
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Milliken are the very proud parents of a daughter born Friday in Lubbock Hospital. The young lady weighed 6 pounds, 4 ounces.
Mary Watson of Lubbock spent the week end at home.
The women of the Baptist Church met in an all day meeting Monday for the study of the book "If Two Agree" by Dr. W. O. Carver, as taught by the pastor, Rev. W. H. Jackson.

SHOWER FOR MISSES STEWART AND THOMAS
Misses Aleta Lois Stewart of Tahoka and Carolyn Thomas of Grassland, brides-elect, were named as honorees when Mrs. W. C. Reynolds of Lubbock entertained with a crystal luncheon last Wednesday at 1:00 o'clock at the Lubbock Hotel.
A patriotic color scheme was carried out in table decorations, the snow-white table being centered with an arrangement of red and white chrysanthemums, from which blue streamers radiated to placé cards. Plate favors were corsages of white chrysanthemums.
Guests attending from Lynn county included Misses. Luther Thomas and R. M. Thomas of Grassland, Irving Stewart, G. W. Small and J. M. Small, and Miss Bettie Sue Roberts of Tahoka. Also present were Misses G. W. Cochran, J. Q. Warnick, Johnnie Langford, Hazel Quinney, Misses Bettie Alice Gordon, Faith and Gladys McNamara, all of Lubbock.

A private herb garden is maintained at the University of Texas, so that pharmacy students and professors may grow plants for experimental use.
Do your part! Get in the SCRAP!

STATED MEETINGS of Tahoka Lodge No. 1041 the first Tuesday night in each month at 8:30. Members urged to attend. Visitors welcome.
W. V. McELROY, W. M.
H. L. RODDY, Secretary.

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AUCTIONEER
LUBBOCK, TEXAS

METHODISTS CALL FOR "OFFENSIVE"

The military language of the hour, the Methodists of Northwest Texas have decided to adopt offensive tactics in the traditional American fashion. They have taken two challenging objectives for the coming year. Every local church is to think not simply of maintaining its local church life while the world around rings with the battle for extermination. They have decided to take the field. The strategy is to advance along these lines: To add 20 percent to their membership and secure 40 percent of their membership to tithing for the duration by February 1, 1943.
Bishop Ivan Lee Holt and his district superintendents and five major boards joined in stating the objectives of the year. "In view of the appalling events of our time, and consequent opportunities offered the church for pointing the way for life and salvation through Christ, we, therefore, make the following recommendations:
"1. That our total church life for the year center around two points of emphasis in an all-out effort on the part of all existing organizations, officials, and leaders, in our conference, districts, and local churches.
Personal commitment of life to Christ, seeking to lead our present members to unreserved dedication and to increase our membership by 20 percent, 10 percent on profession of faith and 10 percent otherwise.
"Christian giving and sound financial system in every church with a minimum goal of 40% of our members pledged and to tithing for the duration and practicing tithing by February 1, 1943.
"2. In order to make available for all of us the message, approach, and methods, used by those who have succeeded best, in the above types of endeavor, we nominate the following committee: R. N. Huckabee, chairman; Kenneth W. Copeland, secretary; D. D. Dennison, R. T. Breedlove, H. B. Hill, J. E. Swepston, Mrs. C. A. Bickley, P. E. Yarbrough, Clark Church.
3. At the district set-up meetings, let each district cabinet take such steps as are necessary for the proper organization and prosecution of this campaign."
Bishop Holt said, "This matter is fundamental if we do these things all other plans of our conference will be realized. We will be the church saving our own, and serving the world in agony. All agencies of

NEVILL CHILDREN HERE FOR THANKSGIVING

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Nevill had most of their children and "in-laws" with them on Thanksgiving day and over the week end.
Those listed as present were Mr. and Mrs. Everton Nevill, who recently returned from Flagstaff, Arizona, Lieut. and Mrs. Elwayne Nevill of San Angelo, where Elwayne is in an advanced flying school; Mr. and Mrs. Alex "Ekkie" Nevill; Mrs. Russell (Faye) Fleming and baby of Flagstaff; Mrs. L. L. (Jodie Bob) Jones of Flagstaff; Mrs. Melton (Jennie Reba) Flowers of Tahoka. Ray is in the Army somewhere in the far Northwest and could not be present.
Mr. and Mrs. Jones were not here on Thanksgiving day, having come early in the week and had gone on to Dallas, returning to Tahoka Friday. They left for their home at Flagstaff on Sunday morning, accompanied by Mrs. Fleming and baby, who had been here visiting for several weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Elwayne Nevill did not come up from San Angelo until Saturday.

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WANTED

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Mrs. J. H. Nelms and daughter, Rosemary, returned home Sunday after having spent the Thanksgiving week end with their son and brother, O. J. Cooper and family at Anson, and with their daughter and sister, Mrs. B. A. Young and family at Abilene.

Mrs. Beecher Sherrod states that her brother, Andrew Randolph, who was employed in the News office for several brief periods a few years ago, enlisted in the Army in July and is now stationed at Boise, Idaho. He was employed on the Devil's River News immediately preceding his enlistment in the Army.

WANTED: 100,000 rats to kill with Ray's Rat Killer for 50 cents and \$1.00. Also Liquid Rat Killer. Guaranteed at Collier Drug, Tahoka. 1-2tp

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STRAYED—Range cow fresh branded S on left hip. Notify Maurice Small. 15-3tp.

December 7th . . .

(Cont'd. from first page) will be by men representing the Army, Navy, and Marines, and tribute will be paid all men in the service, as well as to Sgt. Connolly.

Lynn county lacks about \$100,000 filling its quota, according to Deen Nowlin, county chairman, and every farmer, every businessman, every worker, every housewife, and every child is urged to buy to the utmost in bonds and stamps to help win this war as quickly as possible.

Bond booths will be maintained at First National Bank, Southwestern Public Service office, Judge Chester Connolly's office, and Deen Nowlin's office, and the Postoffice. Stamps will be on sale at Tahoka Drug, Wynne Collier Drug, and the Postoffice.

"Remember Pearl Harbor" day, a national affair, is being sponsored here by Tahoka Rotary Club, headed by a committee composed of Hanes, chairman, L. C. Haney, Dr. J. W. Sinclair, L. F. Craft, Happy Smith, and Frank Hill.

J. L. Heare and W. O. Thomas are on a committee to ask business men to close their stores two hours, beginning at 1:30 Monday, for the occasion.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express the sincere gratitude of our hearts to the neighbors and friends who were so kind to us during the trying days that came to us by reason of the illness and death of our dear little babe. We hope that such sorrow may not come soon to any of you. We thank you.—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stanley.

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TAHOKA DRUG

Mrs. M. E. Hays of the Wells community was a visitor in the News office Monday and reported that her grandson, Calvin Waldrep, who enlisted in the Marines some time ago and was stationed at San Diego, was up in the state of Washington when the family last heard from him. Her grandson, Billy, who has been living with her, expects to go into the Army soon, and Mrs. Hays says that she is investing all her extra dollars in War Bonds. And she thinks everybody else should be doing the same thing.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation for the beautiful floral offering and all the kindness that was shown us at the death of our father and brother, Mr. Gordon Crowder.—Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Lambert, Ed Crowder and family, Mr. and Mrs. U. C. Fountain and family, Tom Crowder and family, Hershel Crowder and family, Mr. and Mrs. Pitner and family, Mr. and Mrs. Miles and family.

Recent guests of Rev. and Mrs. Ben Hardy were her sister, Mrs. C. M. Randal, and the latter's daughter, Sallie Ann, of Seymour.

BRING

or
SEND
YOUR

COAT HANGERS

with your clothes or pay a charge of 5c on each hanger.

CRAFT'S TAILOR SHOP

PHONE 99-J

Auction Sale

AT J. T. BALCH FARM, NEW HOME, LYNN COUNTY

Complete Farm Equipment For Sale and 320 Acres of Land For Rent!
Sale Starts Promptly at 10:30 A. M.

Wed., Dec. 9th FREE LUNCH AT NOON!
COFFEE—Maybe!

DAIRY and BEEF CATTLE

20 head Springer Jerseys, out of a Waco dairy
6 Jersey Cows, 2 now fresh, others fresh soon
40 Whiteface Calves, weighing about 350 lbs.
195 Mixed Whiteface Cows, 35 heavy springers
1 registered Whiteface Bull, 3 years old.
1 Whiteface Bull, young, weight about 600 lbs.
2 White Durham Bull calves

HORSES and HARNESS

1 Paint Mare, coming 5 years old. Gentle for kids.
1 Paint Horse Colt, 1 year old.
1 Paint Filly Colt, coming 2 years old.
1 Black Horse, 7 years old. Good saddle horse.
1 Bay Horse, 5 years old. Good saddle horse.
1 Black Work Team of Horses
ALSO—Harness for 6 head

CHICKENS

75 Young Hens
20 Old Hens

HOGS

30 head of Pigs, Shoats, and Sows

TRACTOR

Model G 4-row John Deere, 1939 Model, in excellent condition, completely overhauled and ready for another crop. Good rubber. All equipment in good shape, also.

SEED and FEED

250 bu. Cotton Seed—High-Bred Half & Half
50,000 lbs. threshed Hegari
25,000 bundles good Hegari
15,000 bundles Cane
300 bu. Corn

REFRIGERATOR

1 Butane Refrigerator, 6-foot, nearly new.

FARM MACHINERY

2 2-row steel Go-Devils
1 Section Harrow
1 8-row Scratcher
1 Stalk Cutter, wooden.
1 Wagon, iron wheels
1 4-wheel Trailer
1 2-wheel large Stock Trailer
1 Hart Feed Mill and Belting
1 2-row team Cultivator
1 1-row team Cultivator.
1 3-row Bed Slide

CARS and PICK-UPS

1 1939 Ford V-8 Car, fair rubber
1 1936 Ford Pick-up, fair rubber.
1 1936 Chevrolet Pick-up, with good rubber. Pick-up driven only 27,000 miles.

WINDCHARGER

1 small Windcharger and large 30-foot tower.
1 Philco Radio, 9-tube cabinet model. Also, 200 feet of wiring.

MISCELLANEOUS

Two Good Saddles
Many Sweeps and Tools
Water separator

FARM FOR RENT

Will rent farm to responsible farmer who buys Tractor and Tractor Equipment. 320 acre farm, 291 in cultivation, well improved. Good house, just remodeled.

MANY OTHER ITEMS

Also, J. R. Strain, R. H. Bates, A. J. Shadden, and possibly others will offer a number of other items at this sale.

At J. T. Balch farm, Located 1 mile North, 1 mile East, and 1/2 mile North of New Home, in Northwest Lynn County.

J. T. BALCH, Owner

TERMS: CASH

COL. G. C. GRIDER, Auctioneer