190,000.00 sterling Co. Quota

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Drive

he Sterling County quota for Fifth War Loan in June is inty Chairman, this week.

Jothing but the fullest coopern of every citizen in Sterling without raining. inty will enable this quota to eached. This is the War Loan ve that might take the shirt our backs to reach the quota. brother, if we don't lend our this time, there'll be some ts as well. And Dr. Swann that mine and Hal Knight's es wouldn't look so good un-

o, let's start unbuttoning our ts now. Uncle Sam and twelve ion of his nephews in the armed

anning School Here June 7

AT SCHOOL HOUSE

here will be a canning school at the home economics detment of the Sterling City high ool on Wednesday, June 7, annced Mrs. Herman Garlington week. Mrs. Myrtle Lemay, ning specialist for this district, be in charge of the school.

he classes will held from 10:00 to 12:00 o'clock noon, and resume at 1:30 p. m.

omen interested in bringing lunch should call Mrs. Her-Garlington at 9231 by June

ears Pigs To 3 Sterling Boys

lly Hudson, Billy Ralph Bytered pigs from Sears Roebuck o. last Saturday following a heon at the Hotel Cactus in Angelo. Sears presents the g. The boys are selected by with the 5th Air Force. County Agents. When the farrow the boys give a pig to the company to perpetune program.

rnishing pigs back to the any this year were Wesley leery, Jack Mitchell and H Gregston.

tending the presentation banlast Saturday were the three that received pigs, J. E. m-County Agent, Webb Hudand Ralph Bynum.

Sterling War ond Quota for May

QUOTA \$6,000.00 SALES \$3,819.75 Still to Go! \$2,180.25

April Sales \$6,000.00

.50 Inch Rain Thursday Morning

A .50 inch rain was recorded at Fifth War Loan the J. T. Davis rain gauge here in Sterling City early Thursday morning. Some parts of the county reported only a very slight sprinkle than was received here in town.

has looked promising several times when preparing his message.

Most parts of the county need the series will be as follows: a good soaking rain.

Sergeant Bubba per taxes soon that'll take our Foster Got There Quick



SGT. JESSE Q. (BUBBA) FOSTER

Foster, didn't waste much time Air Forces in January 3, 1942, less than a month after Pearl Harbor. He started for Australia the very next month, and landed there in April following a long trip around the Cape. He served as a mail clerk for awhile, then took aerial gunnery course, and graduated at Melbourne.

Bubba served as a tail and turrett gunner with the famous 19th Air Force in New Guinea. He has been awarded the Distinguished and Ancel Reed received Unit Badge with two Oak Leaf Clusters, the Air Medal, the Pacific Ribbon and the Good Conduct Medal.

He is now in the armament part to boys over this area each of the Air Forces in New Guinea

He has collected more than a hundred pictures of the natives, his Army friends, and scenes of the country. His hobby, with his three tent mates, is beautifying their surroundings by planting vine and flower seed sent to them from the United States.

Sgt. Bubba's postwar plan is come home, raise horses, and fill up on Mother's cooking-especially chicken.

To Postmaster's Convention

Anna Lee Johnson, Sterling City postmaster, left Wednesday for Austin to attend the postmaster's convention. Accompanying her were Mrs. Harold Gober, Miss Jamie Sue McEntire, and Miss Lucille Hodges, all of Sterling City, and Miss Ora Lee Griggs, the postmaster at Sanatorium.

Methodist Revival

YOUNG PEOPLE'S SERVICE TONIGHT

Rev. Ed. H. Lovelace announces Boy Scouts will attend in a body, As the paper goes to press (on special music will be rendered by 0,000.00 announced J.S. Cole, Thursday afternoon) it looks as if some of the young people, and Dr. al Directors were in charge. more rain is in prospect, BUT it Baker will keep them in mind

Services for the remainder of

Today and Saturday 10:00 a.m. m. and 8:45 p. m.

Dr. Baker will preach at all of these, including both services Sunday. The public is cordially invited to hear him.

Dr. Geo. Baker **Entertains Lions** Club

Dr. George C. Baker, Jr. entertained the Sterling Lions Club at the Wednesday luncheon. Dr. Baker sang three songs and told some jokes. S-Sgt. Guin O. Welch was also a guest.

tee was discharged and the money tion for the charter. now in escrow for box rent will be up. President Swann appointed C. pack. Sgt. Jesse Jesse Q. (Bubba) Fos- H. Davis, H. L. Hildebrand and ter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Joe Emery to pick a Sterling girl to represent Sterling City at the read the nominating committee's report.

served the luncheon.

Zack Potts, 81, Dies

home here Wednesday, May 24. He had been bed-ridden with pa- NEXT PRESIDENT OF THE ralysis for 8 years. Funeral ser- UNITED STATES?" that young people will receive vices were conducted at the First special recognition at the Method- Baptist Church Thursday afterand others reported a heavier rain ist revival service this evening. The noon at 4 o'clock, Rev. C.B. Stov- I hope. And I might be wrong in all officiating. Interment was in hoping it, but he's got all the dope Mt. Vale cemetery. Lowe's Funer- in his head, and that's what it'll

Mr. Potts, born in Corinth, Mississippi April 11. 1863, had lived here for the past 36 years. He is survived by the widow; three daughters, Mrs. Eva Roband 8:45 p. m. Sunday 11:00 a. erts of Riverside, California, Mrs. Eula Springer and Mrs. B. Lounsbury of Brownwood, Texas; and one son, G. C. Potts of Big Spring.

ham, Chat Reynolds, and A. W. ing."

Dearen.

Cub Scouts to be Organized

A Cub Scout Pack will be organized today, Friday, May 26, at the courthouse. All boys age 9, 10 and 11 who are interested in join- don't make me no difference. The ing the Cubs are requested to be one we got suits me. That's someat the meeting with their parents. thing I don't worry about." Registration fees for boys will be 50c. A. H. Bird, Boy Scout execu-The frozen locker plant committive, will be here to take applica-

Joe L. Snead, district organizamailed back to those who put it tion chairman, is organizing the

Ewing F. McEntire, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fowler McEntire of Sterhere in the U.S. after joining the Midland Rodeo. A. T. Bratton ling City, is expected home for the the summer vacation immediately following Commencement at New Mrs. Vern Davis, Mrs. Roland Mexico Military Institute May 30, Lowe and Mrs. Templeton Foster 1944. He is enrolled in the Junior College division.

Question Box

Zack Lee Potts, 81, died at his This week's question: "Who do you WANT TO BE ELECTED THE

W.Y. BENGE, SR: "Roosevelt,

WAYNE JARRETT: "To tell you the truth, I don't believe we better change. Better let well enough alone. I think he's done a pretty good job myself."

W. L. FOSTER: "Franklin D. Roosevelt. When he first went into office everybody was broke and Pallbearers were Seth Bailey, there were lots of tramps and un-Mud Allen, Vern Davis, Will Dur- employed. Now everyone is work-

> H.L. HILDEBRAND: "Franklin D. Roosevelt. I think he's the best man for the job."

> C. C. AINSWORTH: "Same one 'till the war is over, then I'd like to kick him out."

> BILL BLAIR: "Heck, I'd like to see the same one 'till the war is over."

> SAM SIMMONS: "Why, it

GEORGE McENTIRE: "A Republican. I'm gonna vote with Hal Knight. Whoever he votes for is all right with me. I just don't want to get as fat as he is. Don't want to lose my school-girl figure."

SUE NELSON: "Roosevelt.

DeWITT SNEAD: "I believe I'd like to see Franklin D. Roosevelt. I don't believe they ought to change horses in the middle of the stream."

OSCAR FINDT: "I guess Roosevelt. I think it'd be a bad time to change in my estimation."

Boy Scouts Have Camporee Here This Week-end

There will be a Boy Scout Camporee in the Sterling City Park Friday and Saturday, May 26--27. On Friday at 10 p. m., a Court of Honor will be held, and the late hour was set to enable the parents and Scouts to attend the Methodist revival services beforehand, said Scoutmaster H. M. Kautz.

Scouts and Scoutmasters who will attend the Camporee include those from Sterling City, Garden City, Lee's Store, Water Valley, Carlsbad, Grape Creek and Mertzon.

On Saturday competition will decide the best troop and best patrol. The program will conclud on Saturday.

Scout Executive A. H. Bird will be present at the Camporee.

Mrs. Taylor Garrett, manager of Garrett and Bailey dry goods, spent the first part of week in Dallas buying merchandise.



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TODAY - TO WIN THE WAR AND

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Dr. Wm. Swann Manages To **Keep Busy**



DR. Wm. J. SWANN

Dr. Wm. J. Swann, shown here, is quite a busy man, being the only doctor in Sterling County. Since a doctor's day is a long one, the genial disciple of Hippocrates finds time to be the chairman of the Board of Stewards of the First Methodist Church, Secretary of the local Masonic Lodge, President of the Lions Club, Vice-president of the Tom Green 8-County Medical Society, Boy Scout Troop Committeman, Cub Scout Troop Committeman, OPA Meat Panel member, Medical Examiner for Sterling County, County Health Officer for Sterling and Glasscock Counties, and Chairman of Health and Medical Service, etc., etc., and

A native of Alabama, Doc has been in Sterling since 1930. He attended Emery University in Atlanta and the University of Alabama. He did hospital work in Shreveport and Atlanta, and he had a scholarship in Baylor University in obstetrics and pediatrics several years back.

He married Opal Chumley in 1926 in Bronte, Texas. They have one son, Billy Joe, 9, who is a replica of papa Doc.

In spite of the fact he was born and reared below the Mason and Dixon line, Swann is a Republican. Among his other accomplishments we can say that he's a good signpainter-he painted the Sterling County Honor Roll of boys in the service. He writes with the pen between the first two fingers in an unchristian manner. Doc and Roy Foster drink heathenish drinks which they call "bluffdale" -- it's a fountain coke without ice---each morning when others are drinking coffee at the drug store.

(Pencil Sketch by Mrs. Herbert Cope)

Mrs. Louis Garms, Mrs. Curtis Stacy and Miss Doris Stacy, all of Bangs and Miss Ruth Garms of Tahoka spent last week-end here visiting relatives and friends.



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Red Cross Workers

Sterling women working in the Red Cross workroom Monday night included Mmes. Henry Malloy, Lester Foster, Virgil F. Bomar, Harvey Hennigan, Seth Bailey, Emery.

lan, H. W. Hart, Edwin Aiken, hold all rainfall on his crop land. Harvey Hennigan, W. B. Allen,

Home on **Furlough**

Staff Sergeant Guinn O. Welch is here visiting his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Welch and friends and relatives on a furlough from Dow Field, Bangor, Maine. S-Sgt. Welch was formerly stationed in Newfoundland.

North Concho River Soil Conservation Service News

H.H. Seal of the Divide church community, north of Water Valley, made application for district Sterling Foster, Lee Hunt, Joe assistance on 640 acres of cultivated and range land last week, Tuesday afternoon workers were H. M. Kautz has completed the Mmes. Henry Malloy, Garland preliminary engineering survey on Cannon, W. S. Nelson, W. Y. the 252 acres of cultivated land. Benge Sr., Sterling Foster, Lester Seals is interested in a system of Foster, H.L. Pearce, Lura McClel- level closed end terraces which will

Tom Onstott reported .93 inches Seth Bailey, Roy Foster, B. J. of rain at Water Valley and 1.8 Crossno, D. Hall, and R.P. Brown. inches at Carlsbad early Monday morning, May 22.

> Following a recent rain in the Grape Creek community, water pastures which had been contour furrowed or ridged, stated Tom

Zach Jones has a trial planting

stood knee deep above the level closed end terraces on the crop land and stood in a solid sheet in

of alfalfa growing in rows on his farm adjoining the San Angelo highway.

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ets B.S. Degree From Tech

Miss Lucille Hodges, daughter Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hodges of rling City, received her B. S. ree from Texas Tech last week. ss Hodges, who is a Sterling th School graduate, has been ching in the Sterling school s year. She finished her course Tech by correspondence.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Martin left ursday of last week for a week's it with their son, W.L. Martin, Houston.



Mrs. Lena Findt returned to her me in Fluvanna Tuesday after a nth's stay here with her son his family, the Oscar Findts. ned with her for a visit.

LOCAL

Mrs. Pauline S. Brock relieved D. Hall as Santa Fe R. R. Agent here while D. was on his vacation. From here she went to Carlsbad to relieve Agent Horace Donalson. (Well, whatcha know-a woman railroad agent.)

H. W. Hart bought 40 bucks from Fred Hodges and 4 bulls from Tommy Humble. Bought last fall, delivery was made last week. Humble wintered the bulls for Hart, and Hart said that they were in really top condition upon delivery. Hart buys a bunch of Hodges' fine bucks each year.



Claude Collins has been right busy with shearing, and shearing of 17,500 fleeces was completed this week. Right in the big middle of shearing he shipped some lambs, May 27. which, with the labor shortage, kept him busier yet. He can catch up on his sleep now.



J.T. Davis finished shearing on his ranches this week. A grass fire burned off the AAF bombing target S-8 just as shearing was com-



grandson, Jimmy Findt, re- Big Lake road. 16x6.00 from pick- and A.T. Bratton. up. Will Meyer.

Committee Meeting

The Sterling City Boy Scout Troop Committee met Thursday evening of last week at the First Methodist Church to discuss the Boy Scout Camporee here May 26 and 27, and the Scout house building program. Scoutmaster Harold Kautz outlined the needs of the Camporee, and the following members were assigned the following duties:

Ted Brown to contact Mr. Mathis to lay and cover pipe; Dr. Swann to paint Camporee signs; Joe L. Snead to get firewood; Ted Brown to locate shelters for the troop; Dr. Swann to arrange the drinking water facilities; Roy Foster to arrange for the barbecue to be given the Scouts at noon on

The committee will meet again June 2, 8:30 p. m. in the City Park. Refreshments will be served.

The committee decided that it would be more economical to construct the new Scout house out of 8" concho-crete blocks, and the foundation will be poured May 27.

Present at the meeting were H. L. Pearce-chairman, Ted Brown, Joe L. Snead, Dr. Wm. J. Swann, LOST-Spare tire on wheel on John Walraven, Harold M. Kautz

Back From a Vacation

The D. Halls returned home Saturday night from a vacation trip in Fort Worth, Stephenville and Austin. Their son, Pfc. Dale and their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Jimmy Hall and son, Larry, accompanied them on the trip. D., Santa Fe agent here, said upon his return, "I am thoroughly contented to remain in Sterling City. The rains elsewhere doesn't make it as cool as it is here."

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

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It isn't hard to figure out what that sign means. Loose talk has dug a lot of graves ... and done ot of harm here at home, too. And still you hear it.

You hear, for instance, talk about our soldiers drinking and carousing around Army Camps. Of course, when you get the facts there's not an atom of

truth in it. A U. S. Government survey found our soldiers were the soberest, the best behaved in history-with most of them drinking nothing stronger than a moderate glass of beer.

From where I sit, that kind of "loose talk" can do just as much to undermine morale as any rumor that the Axis could invent. And it's up to every one of us to spike that kind of sabotage before it spreads.

Goe Marsh

Boy Scout Troop Sunday

R. P. Davis

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Baptist Church

10:00 Sunday School lesson 11:00 Worship Service

P.m.

7:30 Training union 8:30 Evening worship

Monday afternoon 3:00 Missionary Society

Wednesday

4:15 Sunbeams Come to these services, you are welcome, and you will enjoy the fine fellowship and hospitality of all our people.

Claude Stovall, pastor

Methodist Church

Ed Lovelace Pastor Church school 10:00 a. m.

Morning worship, 11 o'clock Evening worship, 8:30 o'clock

Political Announcements We are authorized to announce

the following candidates subject to the Democratic Primaries: For State Representative (91st):

Cecil H. Barnes Burke T. Summers (2nd term) For District Attorney:

Robert G. Hughes For 51st District Judge:

W. S. Leslie For County Judge: G. C. Murrell

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor Collector: V. E. Davis

For County Treasurer:

O. M. Cole

For County-District Clerk: Mrs. Leah Wyckoff For Commissioner, Precinct 1:

Roy T. Foster For Commissioner, Precinct 2:

Herbert Cope For Commissioner, Precinct 3:

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Deadline for entries in the contest is June 1. Enter your victory garden now. Call the County Agent, J. E. Tatum.

Attends Special Chaplain's School

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Chaplain Ross T. Welch, U.S. N.R., Williamsburg, Va., son of Mr. and Mrs. Riley J. Welch, is now attending a school in Bainbridge, Md., having been the only officer selected from his group to be granted this special opportunity. After completion of the course there, he will return to Williams and Mary College at Williamsburg for three more weeks, after which he will have completed his train-





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Sterling Demo Delegates Vote & SINCLAIR With FDR Group

The Sterling delegates to the State Democratic Convention, Vern Davis and Homer Pearce, walked out of the Austin Convention Tuesday, and went with the Roosevelt supporters that formed their own convention. Pearce said Chairman George Butler wouldn't recognize a resolution to instruct the national delegates to vote for FDR, and Mayor Miller of Austin led the Roosevelt supporters over to the Senate chamber for a real Democratic Convention, pledged to support the party nominee.

The disunity and friction was very disgusting, said the delegates, and such a fuss doesn't look too well during wartime.

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