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1944 Red Cross Drive Going Over Top

Mr. and Mrs. U.S. Navy Garner Guest Leads Marine Assault On Last Tarawa Japs

With more than ten workers from which to hear, but with more than \$2500 accounted for, Briscoe County is over the top for the 1944 War Fund Drive for the American Red Cross. The County quota was \$2600.00. Lem Weaver, war fund chairman, estimates that total receipts will be in the neighborhood of \$2800.00. Briscoe County was far from first to reach its goal, but nearly every person in the county has made their contribution, and it is a drive that the people can wholly call their own. This year and last year the drives were conducted on the theory that the Red Cross work was one in which everyone wished to have a part, and no one was asked for a large donation, and more folks were given a chance to give. Workers report that their prospects contributed nearly 100 per cent, and according to their own means and conscience. The largest donation was from the First National Bank of \$100. Highest on the individual contributions were H. C. Mercer, Jake Honea, O. A. Stroup with \$25.00 each. Several gave \$20 and dozens contributed \$10. No one was high pressured, and no business firms were forced to "fill the gap". The boys in service will know that the money was given gladly, and from the wish to help. There are many firms in the county who would have made a large donation, had it not been that the general run of the people wanted to do their share too.

The complete tabulation of the donations may be run in next week's paper, and Weaver is attending to that part of it. Meanwhile, if you have been overlooked it was purely an accident, and you are asked to bring or mail your contribution to Lem Weaver, Mrs. W. Coffee Jr. and you will be given the proper credit for the gift.

Official Marine Corps Story—Special to The Briscoe County News

The following story was written by Staff Sergeant Richard J. Murphy Jr., of 107 East Woodbine Street, Chevy Chase, Maryland, a Marine Corps Combat Correspondent.

"Somewhere in the Pacific"—In the final mop up on Tarawa, Marine Platoon Sergeant Garner M. Guest, 23, of Silverton, Texas, had the doubtful honor of being the first man fired upon.

A member of a unit sent to clean out the surviving Japs on Tarawa Atoll after Betio Island was secured, Platoon Sergeant Guest made a three-day march up the sandy stretches of Tarawa.

It wasn't all sand either. Every few hundred yards, the troops would have to wade from one island to the next, through water that was often neck-high. Reports said that "more than a hundred Japs" were always "just ahead."

On the night of the third day, an advance unit on the last island on the atoll met the enemy. The next morning, the rest of the outfit moved up to meet them.

Platoon Sergeant Guest, out in front, was fired at first. In an instant, machine guns, rifles, and mortars opened up from all around from trees, from shallow pits, from behind all possible cover. The Japs had no emplacements such as they had constructed on Betio. This was a last desperate effort to stave off annihilation.

Caught in a clearing, Platoon Sergeant Guest's unit was pinned down for an hour by the heavy fire. Other outfits moved to the Jap's rear and they were eventually caught in a tightening Marine noose. Four hours after it started the battle was over. The last 156 Japs on Tarawa lay dead. "My outfit got 20 or 30 Japs," recalled Platoon Sergeant Guest. "I can't tell how many I got myself. We were all firing at once."

Platoon Sergeant Guest was well prepared for battle. In addition to his .30-caliber carbine, he carried a .45-caliber automatic pistol on his side.

A former employee of the Texas Highway Department, Sergeant Guest claims distant relationship to both John N. Garner and Edgar Guest. He is the son of Mrs. J. R. Guest, of Silverton.

WHO MUST FILE DECLARATIONS

The following persons must file a declaration of estimated income and victory tax for 1944 on or before April 15—single persons (or married persons who have separated) who expect to receive more than \$2,700 of wages subject to withholding or more than \$100 from all other sources, provided total income is expected to be \$500, or more; married persons if they expect to receive more than \$3,500 of wages subject to withholding or more than \$100 income from all other sources, provided that their combined total income is expected to be \$1,200 or more or his total separate income is expected to be more than \$624. Blank forms are to be distributed by the Bureau of Internal Revenue late in March.

with Avanelle and Winona Fay Brown.

Mrs. Mickey Pitts of Tulia spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Strange.

Mr. and Mrs. U. D. Brown, Ann and Joy Belle spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Crass.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin McCutchen of Canyon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. B. McClendon.

Mrs. Aubrey Smith of Wichita Falls and John Earl Simpson of Roswell N. M. are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Earl Simpson.



TARAWA VETERAN, Marine Platoon Sergeant Garner M. Guest, son of Mrs. J. R. Guest, of Silverton, Texas, participated in the mop up of the Japs on Tarawa. He has the dubious honor of having been the first man fired on when his outfit, after chasing a Jap force for three days, cornered it and finally wiped them out. Here, he examines one of the two guns he always carries: a .45 automatic pistol, which was sent to him by his mother from Silverton, Texas. A .30 carbine rests in his lap. The picture was taken at a rest camp somewhere in the Pacific.

FRANCIS

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wimberly and family spent the week end in Fort Worth where they attended the Fat Stock show.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva C. Jasper, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Jasper, Mrs. Betty Hodges went to Texhoma Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mr. Jasper and Mrs. Hodges brother-in-law.

Mrs. Milt Jasper spent Tuesday in the home of Mrs. J. B. Rogers.

Mrs. Earl Mercer and children of Borger and Mrs. Edgar Holt of Hart are visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Mercer.

Bruce Burleson of Borger and Sgt. Bruce Burleson Jr. spent Tuesday in the home of Edwin Crass.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Willows of Floydada spent the week end in the home of her mother, Mrs. T. C. Hall.

Miss Winona Francis of Canyon spent the weekend in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lee Francis.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Maddox of Dallas, Mrs. Owayne Ross and Lottie and Billie of Plainview spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Price. Mr. Maddox is in the Navy and is a 2nd Class Storekeeper.

Mrs. Silas Teague and family and Dimple Jasper were supper guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar McGavock.

Mrs. Carl Wimberly was hostess for the Helping Hand Club March 9, 1944, those present were Messdames Edwin Crass, H. C. Mercer, A. C. Rowell, Frank Mercer, Fred Mercer, F. A. Fisch, Jack Joel, J. Lee Francis, U. D. Brown, and D. L. Young. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. U. D. Brown on March 23rd.

Mrs. W. L. Brian was taken to the Plainview Sanit. Monday with an acute attack of appendicitis. On Tuesday they thought it would not be necessary to operate.

Billie Earl and Lottie Kate of Plainview spent Saturday night

"FOR MERCY'S SAKE"

Here is a story written "Somewhere in Italy". Its on the wonderful work Blood Plasma is doing on the war fronts today. It's credited with saving more lives than anyone thing. We have one donor from Briscoe County that I know of, Mrs. D. O. Bomar. If there are more I would like to know. If possible give a pint of blood if you are near a Blood Station. Its no great personal sacrifice as one can do it without personal danger.

"If they could only be here, if they could only be here."

Spoken not with anger or malice but with infinite sadness, these simple words came almost invariably from American soldiers at the Italian front when they hear that some of the communities "back home" have been falling down in the matter of contributing their blood to Red Cross plasma banks.

They don't really want you to be "here" of course. They want you to stay back there where the life of even a poor family appears from here, luxury, and where the peace of life under the "el" would be heaven.

But if you could just look in on things from a danger-proof glass globe, they'd like that. Then you'd know what they know about plasma's miracle works.

An ambulance, hot from bullet whistles, pants up to the collecting station.

"Bar one," says the corpsman as he gets out.

Almost before the vehicle stops an Army doctor and three aides throw open its rear and leap in. The medical men work on the tall grimy soldier who lies on the bare floor, covered with blood and dirt.

The physician, a captain, issues quick orders: "Plasma," "Gauze," "Alcohol," "Bandages." His demands are met with the rapidity and efficiency of the operating room. Explanations come from the ambulance men. They had tried to administer plasma on the trip from the farthertown, but the "road" was too rough and the wounded man's veins too faint. They'd got some into him, though.

Two Units Transfused

After quick, desperate efforts the officer finally injected the needle into the vein which was almost too thin to receive it. The plasma flowed its life into the unconscious man. He called for another plasma bottle and started another injection. Corpsmen held the containers steadily, and the officer was through for the moment.

As medical men watched, the usual thing happened. The wounded soldier remained unconscious but his breath strengthened and steadied while his paleness eased toward normal ruddiness.

The bottles emptied and the ambulance, patient remaining in his place, rolled off toward its next stop, a clearing station farther back, where facilities were better. "I won't say positively that man will recover," said the doctor. "He was badly wounded, much worse than our usual case, and there may be injuries I couldn't find in that quick examination. But, you saw him when he left. If he gets well, one thing saved him: 'PLASMA' Without it he'd have been dead right now"

Mr. and Mrs. Will Smithee arrived home Monday from 10 days spent in Kerrville with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Pavelick took Miss Margaret Thomas to Dallas Sunday to see about her leg.

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Buy Another Bond Today.



"A SAILOR AND HIS WIFE," or "A Sailor And Her Husband", might be the caption for this picture. Pictured above are Hazel Hoyt, Yeoman 2nd Class; and Peter Hoyt, Chief Petty Officer; both of the United States Navy. In private life they are Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hoyt. Mrs. Hoyt is the former Miss Hazel Elliston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Elliston. Mr. Hoyt, in spite of his youth, has served 14 years with the Navy, and is an Aviation Machinist. He has served in several foreign countries, including China. The young couple, who are here this week on leave, are stationed now at Pensacola, Florida.

SEWELL —McCLOUD

Miss Lillie Mae Sewell and Sgt. Wayne McCloud were married Sunday evening March 12, 1944, at the Methodist Parsonage in Silverton with the Rev. T. G. Craft reading the ceremony. Their only attendant was Mrs. Dewey Beavers.

The bride was attractively attired in a printed jersey dress with green accessories, and the bridegroom wore the uniform of the U. S. Army.

They are spending a few days with his parents at Tulia, and will try and visit her mother at Wichita Falls. Sgt. McCloud has been on maneuvers in California and reports to New Jersey. Mrs. McCloud plans to continue her work at the Bain Beauty Shop where she has been for several years.

PRICE CONTROL DRIVE

A drive to mobilize price control forces among retailers and consumers in Briscoe County will begin March 20 under the direction of the local War Price and Rationing Board, L. K. Gilkeyson, Board Chairman announced today. Local Board representatives will conduct a Store Survey of every food store in this area.

The basic purpose of the Store Survey is to obtain better compliance with price control regulations by helping retailers to understand the necessary requirements. Mr. Gilkeyson emphasized. It will also serve to protect storekeepers and their customers from Black Market competition.

"Price control can be effective in Briscoe County only if the retailers and consumers join efforts to comply with the community protection.

A second check beginning April 3 will determine whether storekeepers have corrected their errors. If they are found "out of line" during this second check, they must meet with Rationing Board officials. Deliberate violations will be referred to the OPA District Office for immediate action.

Mrs. Sam Montague is visiting her father R. W. Thomas.

SCOUTS GET BOND WITH AUTOGRAPHS OF ADM. NIMITZ, OTHER LEADERS

It would seem to be secondary importance, the receiving by South Plains Boy Scout council of a \$25 war bond on which are scrawled the inspirational signatures of some of our outstanding Pacific war leaders.

Deeper than that lies the inference of Scout leadership.

John T. Haynes of Silverton, a scout who over the years has done many meritorious things for Scouts, including the donation of a 40-acre campsite near Silverton, sent the bond—from Pearl Harbor

In Reconstruction Work

Haynes is engaged in reconstruction work there, as a civilian. When it is considered that he is 61 and the father of three sons on the fighting fronts and that every department of the armed services turned down his plea for enlistment, his work on foreign soil is the more remarkable. He does exacting duties just as your Seabee or Naval man.

The signatures on the bond he sent to the council are another story. Haynes and Admiral Nimitz of the Pacific Fleet and Pacific ocean areas went to school together in a little Texas community. Nimitz called Haynes "Legs" and Haynes called Nimitz "Chunky".

Haynes bought the bond and asked "Chunky" to "put your John Henry on it." Nimitz did, and so did John Henry Newton, vice-admiral; C. M. Morris rear admiral P. V. Mercer, captain and assistant chief of staff and others.

The bond will be in custody each year until its maturity—"perhaps even longer," said G. M. Unger council executive—by the council scout troop making the "most progress and satisfying the most requirements of excellence during given years." It will be inscribed by the winning troop's scoutmaster each time a given troop is marked for custody of it and will be kept "much after the tradition of a trophy cup, circulating among the winners who can keep it a year each." Further conditions will be outlined by a committee to be appointed by Dr. F. M. Malone, council president, Unger said.—Lubbock Avalanche



JOHN S. LONG is one of our newest Navy flyers, and has been commissioned as an Ensign. He received his wings at Corpus Christi, and is now temporarily stationed at Jacksonville, Fla. He entered the Navy as an apprentice seaman and rose to Aviation Machinist's Mate first class, before applying for pilot training.

LIEUT. (j. g.) RIDDELL CLYDE HUTSELL left Wednesday after visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hutsell. Lieut. Hutsell is stationed at Pensacola, Florida.

Privates RICHARD L. BROWN and OLIVER C. RAMPLEY of Silverton, Texas have completed the college phases of their Marine Corps training at Louisiana Polytechnic Institute at Ruston, La., and have been transferred to Parris Island, S. C. for recruit training preceding officer candidate class.

RAYMOND LEE WOMACK is here visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Womack.

I. V. Merrill S2-c, brother of Mrs. Frank Wallace sends this letter to his Dad.

"Dear Dad, Just a few lines to let you know I am all right and I am in the vicinity of New Guinea. Just safe here as I was back there in the states. Rather that is the way I feel.

The other day I looked overboard and what do you suppose I saw. I wouldn't say it was a whale or a shark it was only a fish about eight feet long or better. I have seen several of them. Now, I know you like to fish so drop over one of your spare moments and we will try to catch one of those. I have seen some fish caught that are three feet long. They were caught with a rod and reel. A barracuda which weighed thirty five pounds and a tuna fish which weighed twelve pounds. I have seen the kingfish. They are caught more often than the others.

I don't think I want to jump overboard in some of the waters here and the next bunch right here and some are very beautiful. One fish line up like they were arching or something. There will be a row jumping up out of the water and the next bunch right behind them will be going into the water, one bunch right opposite the other. That's really a beautiful sight to see. Some of them are pretty large that does that. That's about all the fish I see except the ones that come up and fly about a hundred yards or more. I call them flying fish as most everyone does.

It will close for this time as I know of nothing else to say.

SGT. VIRGIL V. CHOW writes near Roy: I am sending you my best regards. Maybe it will help the paper over to me faster. It has been taking it about two months so far. I enjoy reading it, but if it can get here quick so much the better.

How is the newspaper business going along? Guess you are all right, seems as if the whole county must be on a boom, and the war bonds that have been sold there.

RAY D. McCUTCHEN writes to mother from Italy the following: "I guess it's about time I wrote you again. I haven't had but one letter from you and I got the Christmas card on Valentines day, there was also a letter in that I forgot about.

I am still O. K. and having not too much time. Before you receive you will probably have heard greatest successes in demolishing a certain aircraft factory in (continued to back page)

Mass Meeting Called For Monday, Mar. 20

The annual Mass Meeting for making up the School and City Tickets for the April election will be held at the County Court Room on Monday evening, March 20th, according to Clyde Wright, who has called the meeting.

The City Ticket will be for 2 councilmen, 2-year-terms. 1 councilman, 1-year-term. 1 mayor, 2-year-term.

On the school ballot, candidates will be selected for two trustees, with 2-year-terms.

Everyone is urged to attend the meeting. Good representation is necessary if the election is representative of the people.

Appendectomies Popular

Appendicitis operations were coming thick and fast here this Thursday morning as three local people were operated on at the Plainview Sanitarium.

They were a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. U. D. Brown (not reported by first name); Nelma Joyce Chappell, and Mrs. W. L. Brian.

Do You Want A Job Like This?

Want a job where every hour you work is an hour that helps win the war?

Want a job that gives you a chance to increase your skill, or learn a new one? A job that gives you new experiences, new friends?

Then join the Women's Army Corps and take over a vital job in the Army.

For full details about the WAC, apply at any U. S. Army Recruiting Station. Or write: The Adjutant General, 4415 Munitions Bldg., Washington 25, D. C. (Women in essential war industry must have release from their employer or the U. S. Employment Service)

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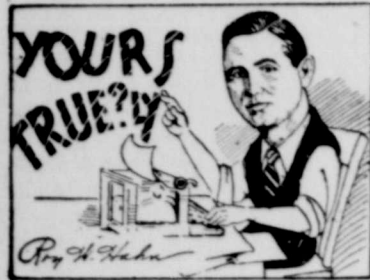
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WELL, IT HAS turned out there
are a few tall tellers in this
vicinity but very few, very few. The
ones who haven't sent in their
story have until the 21st. In case
you haven't been reading this dope
I'm offering a \$10 cash prize for
the tallest tale of under 200 words.
That should be easy for a lot of
you old boys. You tell 'em to me
all the time on the street, now put
it on paper and you'll have some-

ROY TEETER SAYS

"The guy that dies without Life
Insurance will probably be ask-
ing St. Peter for the address of
the nearest insurance man. Do
not wait that long for you will get
very little protection."

Seriously, how are you fixed for insur-
ance? Is your family fully protected?

— ROY TEETER

thing—\$10 maybe. The bigger the
story and the farther it verges
from the truth, the better chance
you'll have of winning. The best
stories will be printed in next
week's paper. Remember to get
your entry in by March 21st.

EVERY SO OFTEN I have to
settle Harve Riddell down in his
proper place. It has taken him two
years to recover from the story I
ran about him holding hands down
at the Triple A Office. I have for-
gotten whose hand he was holding
but that is of no consequence now.
The thing he has done now is to
insult the prestige of the Briscoe
County News by saying that he
can't find the want ads. I'll leave
it up to you folks, isn't that
grounds for saying "choose your
weapons"? I suppose that I will
have to start printing pictures in
the want ad column to attract his
interest. At least he could look at
the pictures and have someone
read the type to him.

"BILL'S CAFE" is still Bill's
Cafe. There we go again—I thought
I had a steady ad each week an-
nouncing the change of ownership
and that I was sitting pretty. I had
the thing all worked out, —was
going to name it the "Lightning
Change" Cafe and just put in the
name of the new owner each week.
But Jesse and Bill seem as though
they are going to keep on stick-
ing around. Drop in on them any
time and ask for a cup of coffee
on the editor. If you ask for it that
way, it will only cost you a nickel
a cup.

I DRANK A CUP of Conoco
Coffee in there this morning with

Jake Carthel, and this afternoon
George Jones got me started on
Texaco. The Conoco brand oil
plates your insides, and the Tex-
aco puts the old ginger in your
running gears. How they do it is
more than I can tell. I am going
to try it regularly for a month and
see if it really works.

THE WEATHER TOOK a turn
for something or other Tuesday
when Haylake and vicinity was
visited by a hail storm. At first I
thought the boys were simply
keeping up their rep for tall tales
out there but after getting several
of them in a bunch, I believe that
they either had a hail storm or
else they rehearsed their stories
before they came to town. Teeter,
of course was worst hit. Cat fish
were in the cow lot doing the
evening milking when the storm
hit, and it arrived with such fury
that half the fish crop was lost be-
fore they could take cover in Hay
Lake. The fish incidentally, are
the ones that have grown feet with
claws on them since the water dis-
appeared from the lake, and they
now live in burrows like bad-
gers. In fact, according to the Hay
Lake bunch, the chief Sunday
sport is to hunt up the fiercest
badgers they can and match them
with Teeter's burrowing catfish.
It is said that a swipe from the
tail of a ten pound cat will lay the
strongest badger in the shade. . .
Anyway, it hailed east of town
Tuesday evening—that's what I
started to say in the first place.

HOMER SANDERS has always
advocated the theory that the
chairman of any thing was sup-
posed to be the guy that got the
guy to do the work. He has always
worked that theory in a mild way
However, Lem Weaver stole his
thunder in the Red Cross Drive
this year. Lem appointed 67 work-
ers, gave them a certain number
of folks to see, told them the quota
and put on his hat and went to
Quitaque. (That's where everyone
goes when there's work to do here)
Consequently, the drive went
over, and nearly everyone in the
county can say, "I did my part."
They even got a dollar out of the
old boy that got under my skin in
the bond drive. And that is a re-
cord. Ordinarily, he would not jar
loose with a dime to see Eleanor
Roosevelt do a fan dance.

1,700,000 deferred farm workers
are to be reviewed to see how
many of them do enough farm
work to count. A farmer must pro-
duce by his own personal efforts
16 war units to get by. War units
consists of such things as acres
farmed, cows milked, and chickens
raised. A farmer must have 16 of
such units to exempt him from
military service. In short, he must
be a real dirt farmer. If the farm
had forty-five acres of corn, that
would be credited as nine units.
Twenty-five acres of oats would
be counted as 1.75 units, five milk
cows as five units, twelve feeder
pigs as .36 units and 100 laying
hens as 1.30 units, making a total
of 18.91, or enough to entitle the
farmer to deferment.

Here are other examples of crops
and livestock each equivalent to
one war unit.

Twenty feed lot cattle, one acre
of beets, five acres of dry beans,
twenty acres of wheat, one of car-
rots, fifteen range cattle, seventy-
five stocker cattle, three sows to
farrow, thirty feeder pigs, seventy-
five hens or laying pullets, 160
feeder lambs, forty-five range
sheep, twelve acres of flaxseed,
or soybeans, five acres of alfalfa
hay or broom corn, thirty acres of
wild hay, fifteen acres of barley
oats, or rye, two acres of sugar
beets.

Nothing is too good for the men
who have been through this war.
Here is a paragraph from a soldier-
ier's letter to the Atlantic Monthly
"Anyone who still believes war is
glamorous should go out into his
back yard some night when it is
raining hard and imagine having
to dig a hole in the ground for his
bed. That is what the British and
American infantrymen will have
to do this winter in Italy. That is
what the same Eighth Army now
in Italy had to do last winter, and
the winter before, and the one be-
fore that. Sometimes in the desert
the rain and sandstorms came at
the same time, and it was like be-
ing pelted with mud pies."

**CONTRACTOR'S NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY
CONSTRUCTION**

Sealed proposals for constructing 75.186 miles of Seal Coat.
Fr. 6.5 mi. S. of Tullia to Hale County Line; From 6.8 mi. N. of Bailey
C. L. to Spring Lake; Fr. Hwy. U. S. 60 East 2.9 mi.; Fr. 4.2 mi. E.
of Dimmitt to 9.24 mi. E. of Dimmitt; Fr. Castro County Line to Tullia;
Fr. 6.7 mi. E. of Tullia to Briscoe C. L.; Fr. 1 mile W. of Silverton to
Top of Caprock; From Floydada to 11.07 miles north of Floydada;
on Highway No. 81, 207 & US 70, US 87, SL 86 covered by M 67-3-11,
M 145-2-5, M 302-1-3, M 302-3-8, M 302-4-7, M 303-1-15, M 303-3-12
M 453-8-3 in Swisher, Floyd, Briscoe, Castro, Lamb & Parmer Coun-
ty, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 10:00
A. M., March 21, 1944, and then publicly opened and read. The wage
rates generally prevailing in this locality, which are listed below,
shall apply as minimum wage rates for those employees employed
and paid by the Contractor, on this project.

Title of "Laborer"	Prevailing Minimum Per Diem Wage (Based on Eight Hour Working Day)
"Workman" or "Mechanic"	
Crane Operator	\$8.00
Mechanic	\$8.00
Distributor Operator	\$5.20
Asphalt Raker	\$4.00
Roller Operator	\$4.00
Distributor Driver	\$4.00
Tractor Operator	\$4.00
Blade Operator	\$4.00
Truck Driver (over 1½ tons)	\$4.00
Blacksmith	\$4.00
Fireman (Asphalt Plant)	\$4.00
Oiler	\$4.00
Broom Operator	\$4.00
Truck Driver (1½ tons and less)	\$3.20
Flagman	\$3.20
Unskilled Laborer	\$3.20
Watchman	\$2.80
Water Boy	\$2.40

Legal holiday work shall be paid for at the regular governing rates.

Plans and specifications available at the office of S. C. McCarty,
District Engineer, Lubbock, Texas, and Highway Department, Aus-
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"That Want Ad found my hub
cap," said Marvin Tull. It had been
lost for two weeks and it was re-
turned the day after the want ad
was printed.

WANT ADS

FOR SALE — Baby chicks and
hatching eggs from high record,
trap-nested Barred Plymouth
Rocks. Officially blood tested. Al-
so a few started chicks. Write for
price list. 48-4tc
KIRK'S BARRED ROCK FARM,
Floydada, Texas

FOR SALE — 3,000 lbs. Half-
N-Half Pedigreed Cotton Seed.
\$2.25 per bushel at my place 4
miles east of Vigo Park. 48-4tp
F. M. HILL

CATTLE GRUB KILLER — It is
time to treat your cattle for
GRUBS. One treatment now and
repeat in 30 days. 95% control cost
from 1 to 3 cents per animal.
BAIN DRUG STORE

FOR SALE — Blacksmith equip-
ment, forge, anvil, drill and vise.
Also 3-room house and the Francis
Store Building. (store is 12x26),
also some good smaller buildings.
I have one good Hereford bull, 2
years old. 47-tfc
ALVIN REDIN

FOR SALE — 3,000 cane bundles
Ennis Autry 48-1tp

FARMERS — Send post card for
sample of seed and story of sweet
sudan. 45-4tp
Gill, Bros. Seed Farm, Dilley, Tex

FOR SALE — 10,000 bundles
Kafir corn bundles. 10c per bushel
M. Stanforth
4 mi. west, 1 mile south
Rock Creek Station 47-2tp

HELP WANTED — Good op-
portunity for two good drug clerks
portunity for two good drug clerks
in a neighboring town. Also foun-
tain clerk. Inquire at the News of-
fice. 47-3tc

PROMOTE UNRATEDIONED FOOD

To increase the consumption of
unrationed foods, the Retail and
Wholesale Food Distributing trade
and the restaurant and hotel in-
dustry are conducting a campaign
that will reach its peak during
March and April. Foods to be spec-
ially emphasized are oranges, pot-
atoes, eggs, breakfast cereals, en-
riched bread, soy flour and grits,
macaroni, spaghetti, egg nodles,
crackers, oranges and grapefruit
marmalade, peanut butter and cof-
fee.

150,000 PLANES since MARCH '41

Of the 150,000 planes produced
by the United States since March
1941, the U. S. has retained 122,000
for its own use and has shipped

28,000 to its Allies, the Foreign
Economic Administration has an-
nounced. The Allies paid cash for
almost 7,000 planes and received
more than 21,000 under lend-lease.
The British and Russian planes
most of the planes they are using
but American Lend-lease planes
with British, Norwegian, Polish,
Czech, and other allied pilots are
playing a vital role.

Mrs. Bud McMinn went to Dug-
ant, Oklahoma the first of the
week to get Mrs. W. L. Brian,
mother, who will stay with the
Brian children while their mother
is in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest H. Eads of
Lamar, Colorado, came in Wed-
nesday for a visit with the Snow-
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Local Happenings

Mrs. Hamel Carroll and baby and R. Foust spent several days in Silverton last week.

Printz Brown and Bill Hardin left Sunday to attend the Fat Stock show at Fort Worth. Printz will be in Dallas on business.

Mrs. Sam Montague, R. W. Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Beth Miller were guests in the Edd Thomas home Sunday.

Mr. Tolbert is very low, and his children have all been called to be with him.

Mr. J. H. Fowler and Luther Fowler of Lockney were in Silverton on business Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Penn of Lockney visited Mr. and Mrs. Watson Douglas Saturday.

Mrs. Jim Bomar and Luther Gilkeyson were in Lubbock Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Whiteside left Sunday for Dallas to do some marketing. They returned Wednesday.

Mr. Murray Martin of York, Pa. is visiting his brother and family Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bain, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bomar, Mr. and Mrs.

Doug Northcutt of Tulia spent from Tuesday evening until Thursday at the Cattlemen's Convention in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Bomar attended the Cattlemen's Convention in Amarillo last week.

Mrs. John Bain and Mrs. Kate Fowler were in Plainview last Wednesday getting shrubs.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bomar and Mary Tom and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hardcastle attended the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth.

Mrs. J. T. Luke left last Thursday for Wyanoka, Oklahoma to spend a week with her husband.

Fred Brannon and George Long attended the Fat Stock show Fort

Worth from Thursday until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker Rampley and Mrs. Jess Brannon visited in the Gene Long home Sunday.

Mrs. Herman Robinson left on Tuesday for Yuma, Arizona where her husband is stationed.

Reverend Cobb of Plainview preached at the First Baptist Church Sunday night. Freddie Royce Garrison accompanied him from Plainview.

Mrs. Hugh Nance has returned home from Brownwood, where she has been with her husband. He has gone overseas.

Miss Jo O'Neil of San Angelo arrived this week end. She took her mother Mrs. H. M. O'Neil to the Dr. at Amarillo and he requested Mrs. O'Neil to enter the West Texas Hospital for rest. Miss Jo will spend this week with her mother.

The Bond club met with Mrs. Homer Sanders Sr. with nine members present and two visitors Stella Arnold and Mrs. C. D. Wright drew the bonds. The next meeting will be with Mrs. W. E. Redin March 24th.

Jo Webb of Tulia spent the week and with Miss Leota Rampy.

Mrs. H. G. Finley spent Sunday in Quitaque with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hunt and Frankie Lou were in Floydada and Plainview Friday.

Mr. Clyde Terrell and Mrs. Willard Dennis and Darrell McWilliams of Amarillo spent the week end with Mrs. C. L. McWilliams.

Mrs. Billy Dickerson visited last week in Slaton with the Rev. J. W. Tuckers.

Mrs. Billy Dickerson received word last week of the death of her sister who lived in Wichita, Kansas

were in Altus, Okla. the first of the week. Gatewood took his physical examination for induction.

Mrs. W. W. Allard received two letters from her son Buster this week. This is the first she has heard from Buster since December. He is on a submarine and is now really enjoying a stay in a rest camp.

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- For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector:
 N. R. HONEA
- For County Judge and Ex-Officio County Superintendent:
 J. W. LYON, JR.
- For District Attorney, 110th Judicial District:
 RICHARD F. STOVALL
- For District and County Clerk:
 JOHN ARNOLD
- For County Treasurer:
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 MRS. ELEANORA SAMPLE
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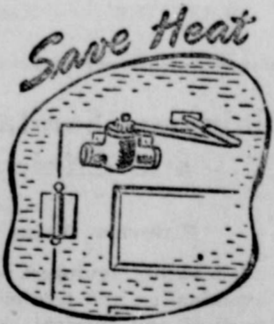
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**Silverton Farm Loan
 Office To Remain
 In Silverton**

No doubt you have recently received a letter from Mr. Sterling C. Evans, President of the Federal Land Bank of Houston, informing you that the Bank is discontinuing the servicing of your Federal Land Bank Loans through the Silverton National Farm Loan Association where your loan was made, and where you have always made your payments.

This is to advise you that this office is still being operated in Silverton, and WILL CONTINUE to operate here for your convenience.

In this connection, on December 8th, 1943, the United States Circuit Court of Appeals ruled, in part, that "If the Bank prefers, it may request direct payments, but cannot prevent the borrowers from paying through their association if they wish to". We therefore believe this shows clearly that this association can be kept here, if you, the Borrowers, choose to keep it here by recognizing it as your Association, and continue to transact your business here.

Please bear all this in mind, and come to your home office with all of your Land Bank Loan questions. The office is now located in the Court House, but after the first of April, we will be in our new location in the Montgomery Building, first door north of the AAA office.

The Federal Land Bank has been trying for months to get the Directors to agree to move this office to Quitaque, but knowing the disadvantages and hardships it would cause you, we have steadfastly refused to do so. The fact that Silverton is the county seat, where all titles of lands and records of all loans in the county are kept, and being the center of the area, together with various other reasons, substantiates our belief that this is the proper place for the office.

This office is still taking applications for new loans, will transfer old loans, and attend to all other matters incident to Federal Land Bank or Land Bank Commissioner loans originally made through this association.

Therefore, regardless of what you hear, from whatever source, just disregard it and continue to come to your home office which is now under the supervision of Mrs. Bertha Pavlicek as Secretary-Treasurer and who is well qualified to handle all business pertaining to this association.

Very truly yours,

SILVERTON NATIONAL FARM LOAN ASSOCIATION

- R. C. Hutsell, President
- R. H. Stodghill, Vice-president
- J. W. Monroe, Director
- W. R. Hardin, Director
- T. C. Bomar, Director

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Shipman of Tullia have purchased the Dee McWilliams home and will move this week end. They have been farming northwest of Tullia.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Lyde are the parents of a baby girl born March 14, 1944. Mrs. Wiley Bomar her daughter.

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- PEAS, No. 2 cans 3 points
- SUGAR CORN, No. 2 8 points
- Whole Grain Corn, 6 points
- TOMATOES, No. 2 cans 5 points
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- BACON, pound 1 point
- GREEN BEANS point free
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(Cardiology)
General Medicine
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G. S. Smith, M. D.
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News from Boys in Service

(Continued from front page)

Germany. We did it yesterday. I hope the censor lets this get thru I don't see why not for I know it will be in all the papers. You might even see a statement in the papers made by Lt. D. R. Franks who is our navigator.

I have also earned the Air Medal which I will get at a later date. No telling when they will get around to it. I am telling you all this because I know you'll get such a big kick out of telling our old friends about it. But don't exaggerate anything for I've done nothing heroic. Just routine missions that all the rest are doing. We're having a rest today because of the weather and I'm kinda glad of it for we're all sort of tired. Hope that this letter isn't censored. Love to all, Jay D.

J. W. FOUST at the present is enjoying the scenery of the southern states as he journeys from camp to camp. "Dear Roy, Here's a little poem which might interest you. Of course I realize that you never make mistakes. I am in Gulf Port, Miss. (last week San Antonio). Will be here for a week or so before I'm shipped again. This army seems to think the war is won. They are closing down

everything but the fighting. Lets hope they don't lose their heads and close down the fighting.

Here is the poem that he enclosed:

HE BLEW OUT THE LANTERN

Diogenes, it is reported, went about the streets of Athens with a lighted lantern in broad daylight looking for an honest man. But the time came when he blew out the lantern and went home, and here are some of the explanations:

He met a soldier who acknowledged that he was only a private in the army.

He met a politician who acknowledged that he had made a mistake.

He met a defeated candidate who did not blame his defeat on the perfidy and trickery of the other party.

He met a woman who acknowledged that she was a bit jealous of her neighbor who had just hung some new curtains.

He met a man who had been fishing and who acknowledged that he never got a bite.

He met a husband and wife, both of whom confessed they were wrong at the conclusion of an argument.

He met a man who was relating some personal reminiscences and did not make himself the hero of them.

Someone said that he met an editor who did not blame the proof reader for a mistake that appeared in his paper, but surely Diogenes could not have been surprised at that.

Anyway Diogenes blew out his lantern.

But by this time he was getting up in years and it probably was time for him to retire anyway.—Religious Telescope

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ROCK CREEK

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Turner of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Turner of Kress spent Sunday in the Shelton home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Fitzgerald and Mr. and Mrs. R. N. McDaniel, Sr. spent Sunday with Mrs. Earl Cantwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McCutchen and Mr. and Mrs. Snooks Baird spent Sunday in the Dee Reid home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob McDaniel and Linda Beth spent Sunday night in Plainview visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Reithmyer and Mrs. O'Neal and Mary were Sunday afternoon callers in the John Bradford home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Nelson and family of Tullia visited in the Charlie Johnson home Sunday. Mrs. Guffee returned home with them for a few days rest.

Mrs. Albert Reid of Amarillo spent a few hours in the Reid home Tuesday.

The Rock Creek Club met with Mrs. Reid Tuesday. Those present were Mesdames Charlie Johnson, R. L. Johnson, Fitzgerald, Dee Reid Shelton, R. N. McDaniel, Bob McDaniel, Steele, Bradford, McKinney and the hostess Mrs. Reid. The next meeting will be with Mrs. R. L. Johnson March 28.

Vigo Park News

Miss Peggy May and S-Sgt. Walter L. Bowling were happily married at the Methodist Church in Lefores, by Rev. N. S. Daniels Friday March 3. May these young people have many happy and useful years together.

Mrs. A. A. Schaffer and girls, also Mrs. H. J. Freese of Plainview are visiting in the H. C. Schaffer home last week.

Curtis Latem underwent an appendectomy at the North West Texas Hospital at Amarillo Thursday. The latest report is that he is doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jo Womack are the parents of a baby girl, Joe Lynn, born March 4 at the Tullia hospital. Mrs. Womack is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Hill and is making her home with the Womacks at Silverton, while her husband is in the Navy.

Guests in the W. J. Heim home over the week end were Mrs. Heims mother and father and a brother-in-law and nephew of Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Latham, Wayne Preston, Howard Simpson and J. C. Hill attended the Fat Stock show in Fort Worth.

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Guests in the R. T. Darnell home over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Shields, Edd Enochs, Mrs. Ester Smith, Bob McNeely and Miss Mary Coble all of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Fred McNeely and family of Frederick, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Grady Enochs of Borger Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Darnell of Spearman; and Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Darnell and family of Amarillo.

Master James Ross Alexander is on the sick list with tonsillitis.

Brother White will be at Vigo Sunday for his regular appointment.

Mrs. C. R. Gardner came home from Canyon last Sunday where she has been visiting the Hugh Kelsos.

Thanks a lot to all who helped with the splendid dinner last Sunday at the Vigo Church. You that missed the dinner and the Quarterly Conference just missed a lot.

Mrs. Leo Gardner, Mrs. Lela Castleberry are our Red Cross workers. See them and give your donation so they won't have to hunt you up.

Mr. Guy Payne is reported to be feeling better this week. He is still in the hospital at Lubbock.

RATIONING CALENDAR

SUGAR: Stamp No. 30, Book 4 good for 5 lbs. indefinitely.

Stamp No. 40, Book 4, good for 5 lbs. sugar for 1944 home canning.

MEATS and FATS: Book 3. Stamp "Y" became valid February 13, good through March 20. "Z" became valid February 20—good through March 20. Book 4, red stamps, A8, B8, and C8 good for 10 points each—valid February 27 through May 20. D8, E8, and F8 valid March 12 through May 20. G8, H8, and J8 valid March 26 thru June 18.

PROCESSED FOODS: Book 4 Stamps "K", "L" and "M" expire

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SHOES: Book 1, stamp No. 18, expires April 30. Book 3 stamp one with airplane picture, is good for one pair indefinitely.

TIRE INSPECTION: "A" holders before March 31, 1944; "B" before June 30; "C" May 31; "D" every six months or 5000 miles, whichever comes first.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shaffer moved from Perryton to Book Texas. He is manager of the Wood House Lumber Co. at Booker.

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