

**NEWS
from the
BOYS
IN
SERVICE**

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News from Boys in Service

(Continued from Col. 1)
to let you know that I've been transferred to another station, so that you can send me the B. C. N. to me.

I think I am going to like it here. Some multi-millionaire from New York owns this island and he really has it fixed up.

Have you ever seen any white deer? This place is full of them. They go in bunches just like sheep. I didn't believe there were such a thing until I saw them myself. There is also about 100 head of wild horses here too. The boys here have broken about six of them already.

I put in most of my spare time with a rod and reel. I've caught some pretty fair sized fish already. All you have to do is throw in the hook and pull them in.

The only thing that I've found wrong with Georgia is the sandgnats. They are about the size of gnats at home. But when they bite you it raises a whelp the size of a dime.

I'm on radio watch at the present. I've just been listening to some WAVE send a message. You know, those gals are a lot of help. So are all the Womens Corps.

Roy, I'll sign off for now, so hurry and send the "Headache" to me. I miss it a lot.

"DOC" MINYARD writes to Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bomar. "Dear Friends: Received your letter of April 13th several days ago and have just neglected writing.

You mentioned needing rain, our problem is entirely different. It rains here between 150 and 200 inches a year here, there is seldom a day that it does not rain some, a boy from Memphis, Tex. was talking the other day and wishing for a good sand storm.

The most important happening to me recently is Kat Garrison and Herman Gilkeyson came into port the other day and I visited them two night and one day, it was quite a treat to see those fellows, they had more information on where the various home town people were than anyone I have met since coming overseas. I think they are still in port and I am going to try and see them again before they get away. Both of them seem to like their jobs and they are making it O. K. I availed myself of eating four meals on the boat with them, and it was sure a treat to get some good food again. The food we get is wholesome but you sure do get tired of canned and dehydrated foods.

I may get to make another trip in a week or two, I want to make it as it makes you feel better to get out and stir around a little even though you just go to another rock that is no better than this one. When you return you loose the feeling for a few days that you are in prison.

There is either not anything of interest or I am to sleepy to think. So will close, write when you have time as I always enjoy hearing from you."

From Harley Chappell (somewhere in England). Dear Wilbur: I have received three letters from you in the past few days. So will try and answer them.

Yes, Doyle was right about the people over here but after you get acquainted with them, they are very nice people. The prices on the average here are very reasonable. For the amount of money I think they are cheaper, that is most of the things, but shoes and clothing are very high. The price of eggs are just what you stated, that is when they are available. I would like to answer all of your questions but if I did they would never get there.

No, I haven't seen any public swimming places so I probably will not go in swimming. No we are not restricted to our barracks, we have been able to get passes.

I will try and get some post cards to send you, if I can.

The Red Cross over here is doing a fine job.

I am getting plenty to eat and plenty of sleep. It does not get dark here until ten o'clock. Speak some when I first came here but am used to it now. I met up with Richard McGowin last week and was really suprised to see him. I think you know him we called him

NEATHERLIN writes to Editor. "Dear Roy: Just a line hi-pockets.

G. J. NEATHERLIN ASKS FOR COMMISSIONER

G. J. Neatherlin has this week authorized the Briscoe County News to announce that he is a candidate for the office of County Commissioner in Precinct No. 1. Mr. Neatherlin has lived on his farm in Precinct One for nine years, and has been in Briscoe County for the past 23 years. In his personal announcement to the voters he says:

To the Voters in Precinct One: I wish to announce that I am a candidate for Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, and I will appreciate your consideration for that office. This is the first time that I have have ever asked for a public office. I have made my home here for many years and of course am vitally interested in the affairs of this Precinct and in the County as a whole.

Several of my neighbors have asked me to make this race but that is only a part of the reason for my announcement. I believe that I'm qualified to make you a good commissioner and if elected I will cooperate with the other county officers and will do my level best to give you an economical and business-like administration.

If possible I will see you each before Election—but if not please accept this as a personal solicitation for your vote and influence.

Sincerely yours,
G. J. Neatherlin

GOSPEL MEETING AT CHURCH OF CHRIST AT ROCK CREEK

Mr. Van Bonneau of Dodson, Texas will do the preaching for a Gospel Meeting being held at the Church of Christ at Rock Creek. Mr. Bonneau is well known here and is well liked by those who have heard him. The meeting begins May 21st at 11:00 A. M. and will continue until the 28th. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

I am closing my pasture on Tule Canyon To The PUBLIC. No more picnicing, fishing or hunting will be permitted, as it seems to be impossible to keep the gate closed and the cattle in the pasture. So I am asking everyone to please keep out.

H. T. Gill

STARTED CHICKS — Have a few started chicks — day olds to 4 wks. Reduced price to move them. 5-tfc

JUDD'S HATCHERY

FOR SALE — Paymaster Cotton seed - 1 year from Certified, irrigated. Ginned in 5 bale lots. \$1.85 4-2tp

FOR SALE — New and used auto parts. I am closing my shop and want to move these parts at once. 5-2tfc

Claud Loudermilk

STRAYED — Coming two year old white faced heifer. Brand, upside down T on left hip. 5-tfc

TROY BURSON

FOR SALE — No. 11 International Combine; Oliver One-way; and One row cultivator. 4-3tp

S. P. Brown

1 mile North of Silverton

FOR SALE - 75 good Hereford cows; 4 Roan Durham cows, and several good milk cows. 3-2tfc

R. E. DOUGLAS

JUDD DONNELL

FIELD SEEDS — All kinds. Tested and certified. Come get prices. 5tfc

JUDD DONNELL

LOST — Jersey cow, earmarks: cropped right, split left. Strayed from Milt Jasper place. Please notify Alvy Jasper or Paul Hamilton 5-5tp

FOR SALE — Model "P" Case Combine. 20ft. cut. Fair condition Clyde Lightsey 4-3tp

FOR SALE — Windmill tower, pipe and sucker rod. Good condition. 4-2tp

Ab Stevenson

FOR SALE — Young whiteface Bull. 3-tfc

C. L. Wilson



... CARLYN WIMBERLY is Valedictorian with an average of 95.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES

The First Baptist Church Vacation Bible School will start (May 29-June 9). We plan to have even a better School this year than we did last year. Last year we were happy to enroll 147 Boys and Girls in our Vacation Bible School. This year we desire that every boy and girl will attend this school. It makes no difference as far as coming to this school is concerned what Church you belong to. This school will be free to all that wish to come. The pastor and teachers pledge themselves to care for your child in every way that we can be of service to them, and to teach nothing but the Bible. We invite anyone that wishes to come and see just what is taught in this Vacation Bible School. All the work, and services rendered by the teachers will be without pay. We urge that you let your Boys and Girls come to this Bible School.

Anna Bean—Bean—Secretary of Senior Class, Senior Class Favorite, Leader of Pep Squad, Home Ec Club, Carnival Queen Attendant, Annual Staff, Basketball, Volley Ball.

Howard Autry—Red—Extemporaneous Speaking, Dramatics Club, Paper Staff, Basketball.

Bonnie Dell Chappell—Bon—Pep Squad, Home Ec Club, Dramatics Club, Paper Staff.

Doris Holt—Holt—Declamation and Spelling, President First Year, Pep Squad, Bond Queen, Home Ec Club, Junior Play, Secretary of Home Ec III, Paper Staff, Carnival Queen.

Edsell Huttsell—Hut—Band, Football, Basketball, Dramatics Club, Annual Staff, Band Favorite.

Eula Merrell—Merrell—Home Ec Club, One-act Play, Dramatics Club, Associate Editor of Annual.

Lillie Brooks—Brooks—Home Ec Club, Pep Squad, Declamation, Basketball, Volleyball, Carnival Queen Attendant, Musical Arts Club, Dramatics Club.

Avanelle Brown—Brown—Home Ec Club, Choral Club, Musical Arts Club, Debate Team, Extemporaneous Speaking, Dramatics Club, Pep Squad, Basketball, Volleyball, Declamation.

Cecil Seaney—Senrod—F. F. A., Dramatics Club, Band, Basketball, Football, Carnival King.

Bernice McCarty—Barnis—Basketball, Football, Baseball, Student Council Representative, Annual Staff, Paper Staff, Debate, Treasurer of Senior Class, Dramatics Club, Debate, Declamation, Freshman Play.

Norland Havran—Harvard—President Sophomore Class, Dramatics Club, Debate, Declamation, Football, Paper Staff, Toastmaster Junior-Senior Banquet, Honor Senior Boy.

Avanelle Wilson—John—Vice President of Home Ec Club, Vice President of Musical Arts Club.

Billie Wood—Woods—F. F. A., Dramatics Club, Carnival Queen Attendant, Football, Boxing.

Carlyn Wimberly—Wimberly—Editor of Owllet, Vice President Senior Class, Secretary of Student Council, Dramatics Club, Secretary of Junior Class, Annual Staff, Musical Arts Club, One-Act play, Pep Squad, Valedictorian of Class.

Billy Ellis—Si—Senior Class President, Editor of Annual, Football, Basketball, F. F. A., Band, Dramatics Club, One-act Play.

Doris Campbell—Cremel—Second place in District Extemporaneous Speaking, Home Ec Club, Volleyball, Dramatics Club, Pep Squad, President Student Council, Paper Staff, Musical Arts Club, Salutatorian of Class.

Buck Hardin—Hardin—F. F. A., Dramatics Club, One-act Play, Norlan Dudley—Dud—Annual Staff, Football, Basketball, F. F. A., Dramatics Club, One-act Play, Class Favorite Junior Class Carnival Queen Attendant, Band Boxing.

J. C. Fowler—Jake—Dramatics Club, F. F. A., Football, Band, Boxing.

FOR SALE — 3-room house and lot in Silverton. \$600. 3-4tp

Mrs. Luke Gilkeyson

FOR SALE — 5 room house with bath. Newest home in town. Three lots. 4-2tp

W. Arnold Brown

Commencement Program Friday Night For 19 Grads



... DORIS CAMPBELL is Salutatorian with an average of 94.



... NORLAND HAVRAN has an average of 92, which ranks him third in the class.

SENIORS, NICKNAMES AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

In a single ring ceremony performed in the chapel of the First Presbyterian Church in Pampa, Texas, Miss Willie Mae Webb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Webb of Birmingham, Alabama was married to Lt. Ronald M. Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Anderson, of Silverton, Texas, on Wednesday evening, May 10, 1944 at twilight.

Rev. Robert Boshee, pastor of the Presbyterian Church read the wedding vows. The couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Redding of Pampa.

The bride wore a powder blue suit with brown and white accessories. Her corsage was of pastel sweetpeas.

Mrs. Anderson attended Howard College, Alverson Business College and Alabama University Center. She was a member of the Howard Acappella Choir and Beta Sigma Sorority. At present she is employed at Benicia Arsenal, Benicia, Calif.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Silverton High School and A & M. College, and was employed by the Texas State Highway Dept. before entering the U. S. Naval Reserve in 1942. He served thirteen months in the Aleutian Islands and is now stationed in Calif. He is again on active duty.

Lt. and Mrs. Anderson visited Mrs. Anderson's sister in Fort Worth after the wedding and came to Silverton Saturday, leaving Sunday afternoon for California.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH TO HAVE VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

The Calvary Baptist Church will hold their Daily Vacation Bible School starting May 29th. Rev. Jack Reeves will be the teacher. All children regardless of denomination are invited to attend this school. The time will be announced at a later date.

GRADE SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT

Commencement Exercises for the Eighth Grade Graduating Class are being held at the high school auditorium tonight (Thursday).

The four honor students are: Hazel Dee McGavock, Valedictorian, with an average of 95½; Carl Tidwell, Salutatorian, with an average of 94¾; James Sumpter, Historian, with an average of 94¼; Frances May, Prophet, with an average of 92.

PROGRAM

Processional — Mrs. R. Wilkerson

Invocation — Rev. A. C. Hamilton

Salutatory — Carl Tidwell

Blue Danube — Strauss

Lona Ann Stephens

History — James Sumpter

Prophecy — Frances May

Standing By the Flag — Stultz

Lona Ann Stephens and Nelda Faye Montague

Valedictory Hazel Dee McGavock

Address — Rev. Yarborough

Presentation of Diplomas

— Rev. T. G. Craft

Benediction — Rev. W. L. Brian

Recessional — Mrs. R. Wilkerson

WEBB-ANDERSON

The Commencement Program is as follows:

Processional — Mrs. R. Wilkerson

Invocation — Rev. W. L. Brian

Salutatory — Doris Campbell

Intermezzo — Violin Duet

Carlyn and June Wimberly

Valedictory — Carlyn Wimberly

Introduction of Speaker

— Supt. McCarty

Address — Hon. Grady Hazlewood

Presentation of Diplomas

— Supt. McCarty

Benediction Rev. A. C. Hamilton

Recessional — Mrs. R. Wilkerson

Members of the class are:

Carlyn Wimberly

Billy Ellis

Bernice McCarty

Anna Bean

Doris Holt

Norland Havran

Edsell Huttsell

Lillie B. Brooks

Ava Nelle Brown

Norlan Dudley

Doris Campbell

Billie Wood

Bonnie Dell Chappell

Cecil Seaney

Buck Hardin

Eula Merrell

Senator Grady Hazelwood, will address the 1944 Graduating Class of Silverton High School Friday night, May 19 at 9:00 o'clock. The class this year is smaller and has only nine teen members.

Hazelwood is a former Silverton High School graduate—a member of the Class of 1917. He is now serving as State Senator from this district, and has made a fine record since he has been serving in that capacity. He is an interesting speaker and a large crowd is expected as he returns to his old high school to address the graduates of 1944.

Honor members of this year's class are, Carlyn Wimberly, Valedictorian, with an average of 95; Doris Campbell, Salutatorian, with an average of 94; and Norland Havran, Honor Boy, with an average of 92.



... Senator Grady Hazelwood, will make the main address of the evening at the Senior Commencement, Friday evening, May 19.

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Salutatory — Doris Campbell

Intermezzo — Violin Duet

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Doris Campbell

Billie Wood

Bonnie Dell Chappell

Cecil Seaney

Buck Hardin

Eula Merrell

Howard Autry

J. C. Fowler

Avanelle Wilson

(Group Picture On Inside Page)

A WORD OF THANKS

We desire to express our sincere appreciation and lasting gratitude to our many friends, who have brought solace, sympathy, and loving understanding to us during our deepest sorrow in the departure of our daughter, Bobbie Jean. We thank each and every friend for the gifts of love and sympathy for the flowers of love that never fade; for kindly hearts that have joined ours in true friendship and understanding in so great a sorrow; and for the many wreaths of beautiful flowers as tokens of love and respect for one so much loved. You have done much to heal our grief, comfort our hearts, calm our sorrows. God Bless you.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Smith and Naomi

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fortenberry and family

Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor and family



Best Wishes Class OF 1944

Congratulations to the Graduates of 1944. You boys and girls have had the ability and the will to complete your first step in your climb toward success.

And you parents—you are really the ones who have put the kids through their paces. It isn't long since I had an old kid graduate from this school, so I know that you are just a little bit proud even though you don't admit it.

The best of luck to you!

Naturally, when you read this, I'd like for you to remember that I am a candidate for Sheriff.

Tom C. Bomar

C. C. C. GRAIN BIN

SALE

To The General Public

Sealed bids will be accepted at the AAA Office, Silverton, Texas, up to 2:00 P. M. Monday, May 22, 1944, for

Two 1843-Bushel Capacity Prefabricated, Unerected Grain Bins

These bins may be seen on the vacant lot across the street from the AAA Office, Silverton, Texas.

Bids will be publicly opened after 2:00 P. M. Monday, May 22. No bid for less than \$185.00 (each) will be accepted.

Bids must be accompanied by a cashier's check or certified check.

Bid forms and complete instructions may be obtained at the AAA Office, Silverton, Texas.

J. N. PARTIN
Chairman County AAA Committee



PROUD OF YOU!

In the fact that you are about to receive your diploma you will find ample justification for pride. The whole community is proud of you too.

In congratulating you, we also wish you all the success and happiness in the world.

City Shoe Repair

CARNIVAL KING



Cecil Seaney

CARNIVAL QUEEN



Doris Holt

Local Happenings

STATIONERY! — The News Office has a new shipment of lovely stationery. Onion skin Air Mail; Out of the West; Chit Chats; Ivory Vellum; Gray Classic with large envelopes, Gentleman Bond and Sweetheart stationery. Priced from 75c to \$2.50 with your name or the name of the recipient on the sheets and envelopes.

Dick Bomar attended a World War Veterans Banquet at Tullia Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Adams of Tullia attended preaching services at the Calvary Baptist Church Sunday. They with Rev. and Mrs. Hamilton spent Mothers Day with Mr. Adams mother in Childress.

Mrs. Emma Frieze and Mrs. S. B. Gilkeyson left Monday to spend a few days in Amarillo.

Fred Brannon of Texhoma and Junior Brannon of Canyon, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brannon and Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Brannon spent Mothers Day with Mrs. Jess Brannon.

Mrs. Anna Johnson is visiting in Kress.

Mrs. Clyde Hancock and son of Hobbs N. M. came Thursday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Will Smith. Mrs. Hancock will attend summer school at Hobbs N. M.

Lona Ann Stephens and Helen Beth Joiner spent Sunday with Joy Bell Deavenport. Lona Bell spent Sunday night with Helen Beth.

Mrs. Marie Bonds of Lebanon, Tex. is visiting her sister Mrs. J. W. Lyon Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Ellis and family of Amarillo came Sunday for their son Billy's baccalaureate service.

Mrs. Bailey Henderson and Mrs. T. G. Craft honored Oneta Henderson, Betty Craft and Thelma Gean Mercer on their 16th 15th and 14th birthdays. The occasion was a dinner Sunday at the Rev. T. G. Craft home. Each girl was presented with her own cake and each blew out her candles. Guests for the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Merde Welch, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Fisher, Lo Gene and Doris McClendon and Frances Tennison.

Mrs. Dee McWilliams and Jerry and Paul Howard spent Saturday in Silverton. Mrs. McWilliams plans to make her home in Fort Worth with a relative, while Dee is stationed at Mineral Wells.

Mrs. Lee Trimm and children of Martinsville Va. are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Strickland. The Stricklands met Mrs. Trimm in Amarillo on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bain spent Sunday in Tullia with Mrs. Bains parents.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Sweek came back from Mineral Wells Saturday. Mr. Sweek went there for his physical for the army and was rejected. The Sweeks spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Vardell.

Mrs. Alvin Redin has gone to California to visit her son Harley.

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Anderson May 7, in honor of Lt. Ronald Anderson who was home of leave from the Navy and Miss Billy Webb of San Francisco, Calif. were Mrs. N. S. Wallis of Kress, Mrs. M. P. Stone, Mrs. R. L. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Elliston and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Anderson Susan and Joe and Anna Lee Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hawkins and daughter of Lubbock spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bomar.

T-5 and Mrs. Louis Ottemann and son left Sunday for Weatherford Texas. Mrs. Ottemann has spent the last two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hahn.

Mrs. Dick Bomar and Mrs. Anna Johnson received word of the death of a niece in a car wreck in New Mexico Sunday. Mrs. Bomar and Gayla Ruth and Mrs. Freeman Tate left Monday afternoon to attend the funeral.

Bryant Eddleman and Sharon of Silverton Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Donnell and son Gerry of Silverton, Travis Holt and the Carthel family.

The Floral Club was entertained at breakfast last Thursday morning by Mrs. Clyde Wright. This is the first meeting of the club in two years. Plans were made for continuing work on the park.

The Girl Scout Troops went to Mrs. Wright's home Saturday evening to surprise her on her birthday. They enjoyed a picnic supper on the lawn. Mrs. Wright cut her birthday cake and opened the many gifts brought her by the Scouts.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Spencer of Miami spent Sunday here with relatives.

Mrs. J. S. Fisher, Mrs. T. T. Crass, Mrs. Tony Burson and Mrs. W. Coffee Jr. attended Eastern Star in Tullia Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Byrd of Wayside were here Tuesday of this week. R. B. was recently elected Mayor of Wayside.

Miss Sadie Summers of Amarillo spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Summers.

Mrs. Bennett Haley and Mrs. Leon Martin were here over Sunday with home folks.

ANTELOPE FLAT

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Brown were in Clarendon Tuesday.

W. N. Bullock, Miss Emma Bullock and Mrs. Oscar Bullock were in Memphis Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Baker and children visited Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Baker of Goldston Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Baker and daughter were in Tullia Wednesday. Miss Pat Poyner attended the Senior's picnic at Lakeview Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Edens were in Memphis Thursday.

W. N. Bullock spent several days with relatives in Clarendon and Amarillo last week.

Chas. Bullock is spending two weeks in the John Rhea home at Palduro.

Mrs. Johnnie Rex McClellan and daughters Cula Jo and Billy Mae of Turkey visited Mr. McClellan at the R. O. chuck wagon here Saturday.

Most everyone in the community

HENRY C. JACKSON writes "Dear Roy — Will you and let you know my new one. It is on the top of page 1 in Iceland, just have a new one. Would like to write some to you but seems I don't know how. So will just say that I really appreciate the Briscoe County Well boy it is 4 a.m. and I'm sleepy that I can't seem to write. Hope this finds everyone in good spirits. It is wonderful to see that the people of Briscoe are doing such a good job in the Red Cross. It is to be proud of."



For Service Telephone Number 82
DOC'S DRUG STORE
REGISTERED PHARMACIST IN CHARGE



NEW SHIPMENT of fountains and feeders and plenty of feeds for all poultry.

SEE US NOW!

Judd's Hatcher

GOOD LUCK TO ALL THE GRADUATES CLASS of '44

Now that I think of it, it doesn't seem very long since I was graduating just as you boys and girls—and I know that it is a very thrilling moment when the superintendent hands you that diploma.

That diploma is a symbol of achievement as a scholar, but more than that, it means that your useful life is just begun.

In this year of 1944, it seems very evident that a great deal of responsibility must be yours. You are starting right—and we continue to do your best—no matter what work occupies your future.

Our country is dependant upon you. It is boys and girls of your age now, who will rebuild this world after the present war. Do not shirk your task, and above all, Prepare yourself for your job.

And now, please accept my earnest congratulations—not as your county superintendent, but as a friend.

J. W. Lyon



Yes, we're boasting for you, Boys and Girls, and we're betting that you go on to greater achievements. Your graduation marks the beginning of things for you—and we believe that you will make good. CONGRATULATIONS!!

PAUL REID

SPECIAL — EVERY DAY!!

A dollar and a quarter meal for fifty cents. You don't believe it? Well try us out. All you can reach for is 50c. That's our standing offer. And you can save still more if you buy a meal ticket book.

\$5.00 Meal Ticket

Silverton Hotel

CLASS PROPHECY

During the summer of nineteen hundred and fifty-four, Mr. Fred McCarty, being short on cash, decided to visit Silverton and collect fifty dollars owed him by Mr. D. O. Bomar. Also, he wanted to visit Bernice, who had the finest furniture store Silverton had ever known. Mr. F. M. McCarty wonders how Bernice managed to support a wife and six children, but they seem to be one of the town's most popular and successful families.

Enroute to Silverton, Mr. McCarty visited WKO in Lubbock, and who should he see but Anna Bean, Gracie Allen's sponsor; all in tears because Georgie had deserted her and Herman.

Outside of the broadcasting station he purchased a "Washington Times" and on the road he read that R. Esdell Huttsell, representative from district nine, is trying to pass a bill in Congress to prevent sand storms in the Panhandle.

A high wind had disturbed Mrs. McCarty's looks; so they agreed to stop in South Plains at the Autry Beauty Salon. Howard Autry, hairdresser and beauty expert, gives them a bottle of his famous "Autry Triple-A Shampoo, which tints hair red.

After leaving South Plains they find that the pavement is being extended to Silverton. As they detour in the ditch, they see a familiar figure leaning on the handle and recognized him as none other than Norland Havran, working with the good old WPA boys, showing them how it was done in Switzerland, while he was in an engineering school there.

By this time Mr. and Mrs. McCarty felt the need of some refreshments; so they entered the "Silver Ellis", and they informed them that they served Tomato Juice cocktail; but if they wanted anything strange just go look elsewhere. Hostess Carlyn Wimberly directed them to a table to talk over old times. Carlyn stated that she surely missed the lights of Amarillo, but had much rather be here, near Sil.

Out in the street, the newly elected Mayor, Billie Woods, strides toward them smiling happily because his greatest ambitions have been realized—that of establish-

FAVORITE SENIOR BOY



BILLIE WOOD

SENIOR FAVORITE GIRL



ANNA BEAN

ing two lovers' lanes and three new parks.

After a delicious luncheon with Bernice and family, they drive out on Highway 86. Soon they saw a long glass building by the roadside. The door was open; so they walked in and saw the proprietor bending over a pot of delicate sweet peas. The voice that answered could be none other than Cecil Seaney. During the conversation Mr. McCarty learned that Cecil was working day and night trying to keep his blossoms perfect for the coming wedding of Carman Wonindo's daughter and Jake C. Fowler.

Also Cecil told them that Doris Holt and Norlan Dudley joined hands; and now own a prosperous farm, where they grow carefree weeds, turnips and frog legs for the Easter Market.

Returning to Silverton, they find Avanel Wilson opening mussel shells out on the Burson Lake, trying to find enough pearls to make a necklace for their daughter's graduation.

Mr. and Mrs. McCarty were invited to the Study Club to hear Doris Campbell give a review of her latest book, "How to Raise A Snail". After the meeting Doris tells them that Bonnie Dell Chappell went to Africa as a nurse and married a French Nobleman, Count Von de Winter. Lillie B. Brooks rushed up and invited them to a chicken barbecue at her and her hero's chicken Ranch in Arizona, to be the following week end in honor of the old "44" graduating class.

They journeyed up to the high school building and met the new Science teacher, Miss Avanelle Brown, who was heartily disgusted with the students and recommended that they take a correspondence course in "Personality Development". Mr. McCarty then learned that Miss Rumpy had been hired for another term to teach

Home Economics. She was discouraged because the girls say they can buy canned and dehydrated foods and hire their sewing done; so they see no need in learning to cook and sew.

Mr. and Mrs. McCarty were very tired by the third day, but Mr. McCarty took time to glance at the papers and learned that the latest reports from Hollywood stated that Buck Hardin is fast becoming the screen's most popular star. They say he is more dashing

ATHLETIC DIRECTOR



REX DOUGLAS

After regaining his strength following a major operation, Rex Douglas took over the direction of athletics. He included some military drill in his program for the Silverton Boys.

Douglas was honorably discharged from the Naval Air Corps following his long stay in the hospital.

than Clark Gable or Roy Rogers, or Robert Taylor. The week end had been a most

enjoyable and enlightening one for Mr. McCarty, but now to head for a few hours before returning to Pecos where he is supervising the construction and use of the new Museum for that area.

This information has been obtained from the notes belonging to Eula Merrell collected while she

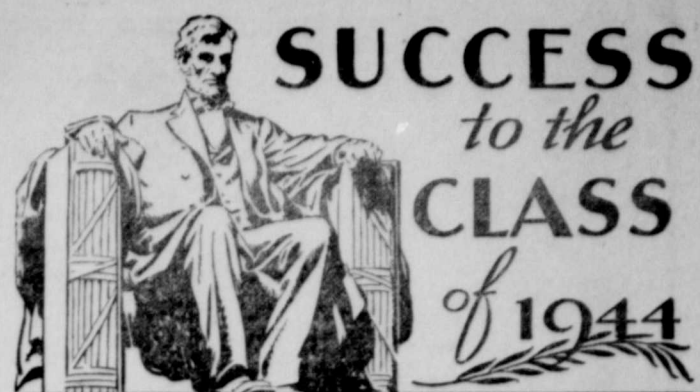
was interviewing interesting personalities for the latest Who's Who.

Want Ads Pay Big



We could make our Graduation Greetings far more elaborate—but we could hardly say more than we say now with all our heart: GOOD LUCK, GOOD HEALTH, & SUCCESS to each of you!

B. and G. GROCERY-MARKET



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We've told the editor to paint that word, "CONGRATULATIONS" in pretty big sized letters, for it gives us a very great pleasure to wish the graduates the best of luck.

It won't be long until you are out on your own initiative, either in college, on the farm, or in the armed forces, and we want you to know that the best wishes of every member of this organization are with you.

Again, we say "Congratulations" to the Graduates of 1944, and to their fathers and mothers.

Silverton Co-Op.

To Our Friends and Customers

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EACH YEAR, for several years, we have taken this way to extend our Congratulations and Best Wishes to every one of the graduates, and to the parents, who have made possible this mark of success.

WITH YOUR pictures here before us, we feel that we know each of you boys and girls personally. We are expecting more fine things from this class, and we know that we will not be disappointed.

AS YOU go down life's highway, stop now and then to remember "Jake" and Mrs. Honea, and that you have our very very best wishes.

--- Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Honea

CLASS HISTORY

On September 6, 1933, a group of youngsters gathered in the first grade room, which is now the Home Economics Building, to seek an education.

We started our work under the leadership of Mrs. Lee D. Bomar. Later in the year Mrs. Mattie Walling became our teacher.

The following September, most of the students appeared in the second grade under the supervision of Miss Anna Lee Anderson. There were also some new students from rural communities. This year we were moved to the Ag Building.

Our two Norland's continuously fought over one of the little girls.

Our third year, much to our joy, we moved again. This time into our new building. We were allowed to dust the erasers and this job usually ended in an eraser fight which was ended by Mrs. Alvin Redin, our teacher.

The next fall we went to the fourth grade with Miss Barks as our teacher. We learned to stand very straight in a corner for this was Miss Barks's specialty.

In our fifth year we thought we had grown up, for we were allowed to be in the big building. Also this year we had three teachers instead of one, and went on our first picnic. Miss Althea Brown was our home room teacher. For the first time we had men teachers. They were Mr. Bowen and Mr. Durham. Mr. Bowen left after a short time and Miss Jewel Williamson took his place.

Our sixth year was spent happily although, some of the boys continuously fought over the same girl. Our teachers this year were Mrs. Sammie Miller, Mrs. Alvin Redin and Mr. R. D. Wheelock.

We started the seventh grade



F. M. McCarty, superintendent is also co-sponsor of the 1944 Senior class.



... MISS LEOTA RAMPY, Home Economics teacher, is co-sponsor of the Senior class.

going to have the honor of giving the Seniors a banquet. Our sponsors were Miss Louise Linton and Miss Julia Darnell; our class officers were: President-Jo Webb; Vice-Pres. - Juanita Byrd; Sec. - Carlyn Wimberly; Treas. - Anna Bean; Reporter - Doris Campbell. Our class favorites were Jo Webb and Norlan Dudley.

This year our sponsors gave the class a very enjoyable party on Valentine.

Our class is now closing its eleventh session. The group has dwindled through the years until only seventeen remain. Our dependable sponsors are Mr. F. M. McCarty and Miss Leota Rampy. Our officers: President - Billy Ellis; Vice-Pres. - Carlyn Wimberly; Sec. - Anna Bean; Treas. - Bernice McCarty; Parlia. - Norland Havran; Reporter - Doris Holt; our favorites: Billie Wood and Anna Bean.

We will always remember our "Good Ole Days at S. H. S."

APPEARANCE OF THE MUSICAL ARTS CLUB

This year has been a very busy one for the Musical Arts Club. The first part of the year was spent learning the fundamental things about singing, theory, and harmony. During the year, the girls have each completed a workbook on Musical Theory.

The first public appearance made by the entire club was a Sacred Concert at the Methodist Church. Next was a Fine Arts Program

given by the 1925 Study Club which the club sang "The World is Waiting for the Sunrise," "Thanks Be To God," "Home Sweet Home," and a "Negro Spiritual." At Mrs. Arnold's program the club sang "Swing Low Sweet Chariot," "Deep River," and "God Night."

The club has presented two outstanding programs. They were Christmas Cantata and Negro Minstrel. Both proved very successful. The Negro Minstrel was given again at South Plains, a few weeks later and proved successful there too.

The club appeared in Carlsbad and June Wimberly's recital sang "The Italian Street Song." Then the Negro Minstrel was given at the Army Hospital at Childers for the soldiers who were ill.

The club has appeared in several recitals this year in which they sang "One Alone," "In the Blue Evening," "Home Sweet Home," "On the Road to Mandalay," "Man River," and numerous other numbers. One more appearance the last recital will conclude this year's work.

Boulter Admires Museum

Deputy State Superintendent H. Boulter visited the Stevens Museum while here Friday. He was very enthusiastic about the museum and said that he had never seen so fine a collection in a high school in the state. He commended the school highly for a worthwhile project.



... BILLY ELLIS, as president of the Senior Class, has assisted in directing the activities of the Senior year.

with several new members from rural districts. Mr. Wheelock was our home teacher; Mrs. Miller, & Mr. Jake Spencer were our other teachers. This was a joyful year to us all, because we looked forward to receiving our grade school diplomas, and entering High School the next September.

This year the boys, much to their disgust, were forced to take boardings and carry the upper-classmen books; the girls were forced to wear their hair in tig-tails and their dresses backward for several days, because we were freshman. In spite of all our rough treatment, we enjoyed this year much with Miss Opal Cross and Miss Jessie Lee Davis as our sponsors. Our first class officers were: President-Troy Hill; Vice-Pres. - Norland Havran; Sec. - Treas. - Jo Webb; Reporter - Carlyn Wimberly.

The following year we advanced to the sophomore class with Miss Betty Hancock as our sponsor; President - Norland Havran; Vice-Pres. - Troy Hill; Sec. - Treas. - Curtis Wimberly; Reporter - Jo Webb. Our Junior Class was entered enthusiastically because we were



There are no "keep off the grass" signs along the road to Accomplishment. The way is open and it's up to you.

The best of success to you Boys and Girls, and CONGRATULATIONS upon your graduation.

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The price of success in business, as in the classroom, is hard work. There is no royal road.

Good luck to you, Boy and Girl Graduates of 1944. May the same success that attended you in school, be with you every foot of the way in your greater adventure.

--- MR. and MRS. P. P. RUMPH

Palace Theatre



CONGRATULATIONS, Boys and Girls. You have passed the test with honors, and are now ready for the real things of life. May you meet with success, and enjoy health and happiness all through your lives.

SILVERTON Cafe



Once again, Congratulations are in order for the Silverton Seniors. . . . It is a pleasure to extend to you boys and girls, our very best wishes for your success in whatever you undertake.

We pride ourselves on the fact that essentially we are engaged in the business of building homes -- and we know that when the war is over and things are normal again, that you will be interested in our business.

CAR OF LUMBER

We really feel like congratulating ourselves too, for we just received word that we have a CAR OF LUMBER on the track at Silverton. By the time you read this, will no doubt be in Silverton.

Your guess is as good as ours as to just what is in the car, whatever it is, it is very welcome.

Willson & Son Lumber Co



If we don't get to see you graduates personally before Friday night, we want to take this way of wishing you Success in all your undertakings.

You have passed an important place in life and we want to congratulate you.

Stop in to see us when you have time!

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Senior Edition of the Briscoe County News. It should be much better than it is. I've got a world of material that has been left out. I've just gotten in the bare essentials of a special paper. I have a lot of stories that were in last week's Owlet. I haven't had the time to do better. There haven't been enough hours in this week. I never wear out, but the clock goes to fast. So, please bear with this streamlined version.

CONGRATULATIONS to the Senior Class... I've worked with the school kids a lot this past year, and they are a good bunch. We'll be hearing from some of these 1944 Seniors as they go out on their own.

BARBY GOT SOME bad news Monday—a telegram that her nephew, Bob Monroe, was missing over Germany since April 29. He is Barb's sister's boy and a good fellow if there ever was one. He was radio operator on a Liberator bomber. Got a letter Saturday

ASSISTANT EDITOR OF OWLET



Wilma Lee Francis

that his mother forwarded on to us. He was mighty proud, as he had just gotten the air medal and was sending it home to his mother.

I KINDA HAVE a feeling that Bob will turn up. A lot of the boys get a chance to use their chutes, and I've got a feeling that he is going to be lucky.

R. L. WHEELER, of the Pantex Ordnance Plant, was here today. He placed an ad asking for Men to help load shells and bombs. He says they are really short—drastically short of men. For instance, one day last week they received a rush order for five car loads of heavy bombs. The assembly line (which is operated now mostly by women) had the bombs out and ready to go—and the shipment went out late because there weren't enough men on hand to load the cars. He says the women do their work mighty well—but THEY CAN'T DO THE HEAVY LIFTING—and that's the kind of workers they must have up there now—just strong husky men—no experience necessary—and plenty good pay.

WHEELER SEEMS to be quite a guy. He just comes in, takes down his hair and starts handing it to you right quick. He says he's from Oklahoma and that there was a time when there wasn't much in Oklahoma but Wheelers and grass burrs. For a time it was questionable which would take the country the Wheelers or the grass burrs—the grass burrs won and the Wheelers moved to Texas.

JUST HEARD ONE on what the Englishman thinks of the American way of doing things. He says "You make hot tea and put ice in it to make it cold, Sugar in it to make it sweet, and lemon in it to make it sour. So what?"

BUSTER ALLARD is here and

OWLET STAFF TYPIST



Bonnie Dell Chappell

he said that once when he got back to port, there were 10 copies of the B.C.N. waiting for him. One of them had his picture in it and he says, "Boy, it didn't take me long to get that baby thrown overboard." What a guy! If the truth were known, I'll bet he cut it out and stuck it up over his bunk for a pin-up.

IT IS NOW one o'clock. My

brain is tired and so are my feet. I'm going to take this old worn and haggard body home and lay it in a bed for awhile. I don't think I'll even bother to undress it or even wash it. One of these days I'm going to let the body take care of itself for a change. It's wearing me out.

Pvt. Tony R. Denham son of Mrs G. O. Denham of Silverton has won the right to wear Wings and Boots of the United States Army Paratroops. He has completed four weeks of jump training during which he made five jumps from a plane in flight the last atactical jump at night involving a combat problem on landing.

Jumping at the Parachuts school has been steadily developed to a recognized war science. There is less than one percent chance of injury while jumping at the school. In addition to producing jumpers Parachute Specialist training is given to qualified men in Communication, Demolition, Riggers and Sewing Machine Maintenance vital skills for Airborne Troops.

A good traffic rule on the road of life: "When you meet temptation, turn to the right."

Teacher — Tommy, name five things that contain milk.

Tommy — Butter 'n' cheese 'n' ice cream — 'n' two cows.



THIS IS SUPPOSED to be the

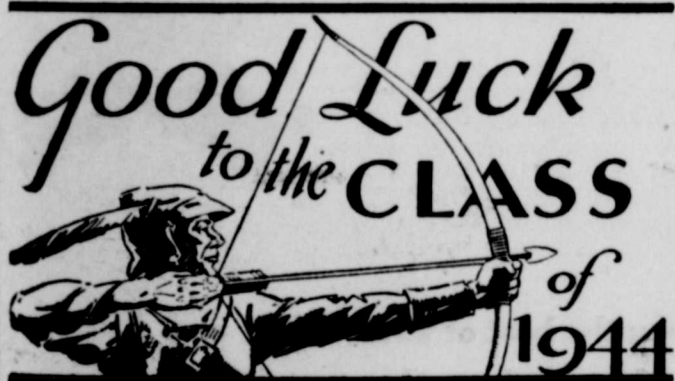
Congratulations TO ALL OF YOU CLASS OF 1944



Each year, the graduates, with their ambition and enthusiasm, are a sort of inspiration to us older folks.

Now that you are through with high school and ready for the bigger things, allow us to offer our Congratulations with best wishes for your success at all you attempt.

Silverton Magnolia
CARL CROW



We know that you graduates will make good—and that you will make good on your own initiative—without being shown favoritism.

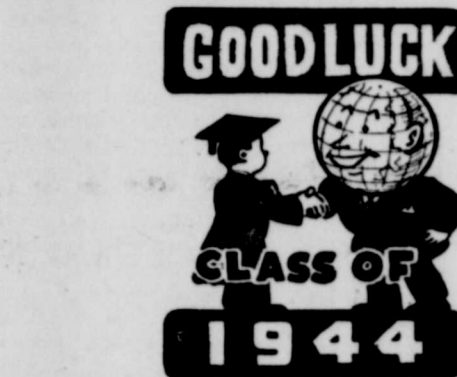
That's why we say "GOOD LUCK" — the rest is up to you—and we're betting on you.

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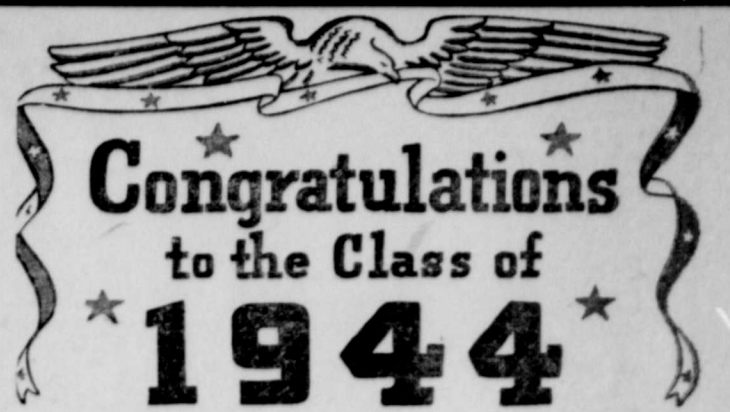
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If we can be of service to you, don't fail to call on us at this McCormick-Deering Store.

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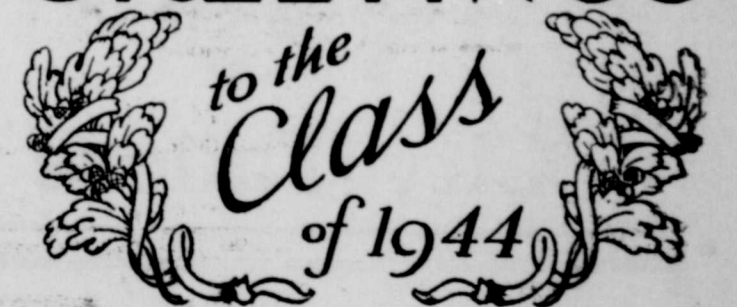


The first lap in your race for success is over, Graduates, and now begins the real test, and the new goals will be still harder to reach—harder than anything you've tried.

We believe that you are made of the stuff that means success. We congratulate you heartily and wish you good luck in all your endeavors.

Farmers 66 STATION

GREETINGS



THREE TOASTS TO THE BOY AND GIRL GRADUATES OF 1944

Here's To Your Health!

Here's To Your Happiness!

Here's To Your Success!

We've known most of you kids nearly all of your lives and it comes as a start to realize that you are grown up and ready to be "on your own". We want you always to feel that you are welcome and appreciated, both in our store and in our home.

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JOHN ETHEL

GREETINGS to the CLASS of 1944

Conferred upon you now is your first great advantage in the race for success—your diploma. Prize it highly. Cherish it and keep it. Drop in to see us soon. We would like to congratulate you in person.

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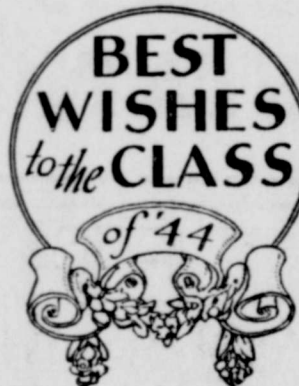
WE SALUTE



There is little essential difference between the graduates of today and the graduates of 25 years ago. Today's graduates wear smarter clothes and cut their hair differently, but they face the same requirements for success.

The main requirement is perseverance, the will to do.

We hope you will persevere in whatever you undertake, and that a goodly measure of favorable circumstance will attend you along the way.



City Tailors



As one old Silvertown grad to another, we say, "Good Luck." (You'll need it).

Sincerely, we do wish the graduates the best of everything. Whether you go on to college, or in the armed forces, or stay at home—we send you our hearty Congratulations upon having completed your high school work.

Remember that you are welcome at this store any time.

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VIGO PARK

Vigo had over three inches of rain Wednesday afternoon. The precipitation varied from one-fourth to three inches in around Vigo.

Mrs. William Malone underwent a major operation Thursday at Tulia hospital. She is doing just fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hale came Saturday from California. Jack has been working in a plant and expects to go into the army soon. They are visiting Mrs. Hale's parents Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Walker.

Lt. and Mrs. Ellis Fairchild and daughter are visiting in the S. M. Lewis home.

Crayner Jackson returned home Saturday. He is feeling much better and his many friends hope he continues to improve.

Rev. and Mrs. Franklin McNeilly and children were visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Lewis last week.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. May gathered Sunday as is their custom on Mothers Day each year. The following were present, Mr. and Mrs. Wright May and Barbara, Mr. and Mrs. Murray

May, Mrs. George Reeves and son Harry, Mrs. Client Malone and sons Billie and Doyle and baby daughters, and Mrs. Evelyn Wood and Miss Kathryn Fields.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Beasley and Mrs. Otto Langston were called to Missouri on account of the death of their brother who was killed in a plane accident.

W. J. Carver is having an irrigation well drilled.

There is supposed to be preaching Sunday. Everyone come out and join in the fellowship of Sunday school and worship.

Remember our School program this Friday night.

A lovely bridal shower was given last Friday afternoon honoring Mrs. Orville Gardner, at the home of Mrs. B. T. May. A large group of friends and neighbors enjoyed the games and other entertainment.

Rock Creek News

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fitzgerald and Mr. and Mrs. Billy McDaniel were in Amarillo on business Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ashel McDaniel

and daughter spent Sunday in the Gerald Smith home.

The Sunday School enjoyed a Mothers Day program and dinner on the ground Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fitzgerald spent Sunday in the Earl Cantwell home.

Mr. W. W. Martin was in Plainview on business Tuesday.

The Rock Creek Club will meet with Mrs. Ashel McDaniel in the Fitzgerald home Tuesday May 23. Every woman in the community is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Johnson spent several days this week in Perryton visiting their son Louis who will leave soon for the army.

FRANCIS LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Crass and family spent Sunday in Flomot visiting Mrs. Crass's sister.

Mrs. Mickey Pitts and Mrs. Imogene Nillye and daughter are visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Strange.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fisch had as their dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Bood Myers and Mr. and Mrs. Berle Fisch and daughter and Mrs. Stone. Visitors in the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Jake Spencer.

Mrs. P. D. Jasper is reported as doing nicely at the Plainview Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mercer and family spent this week end in Borger and Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ace Rowell spent the week end in Lubbock.

Mrs. Betty Hodges visited this week with her daughter at Brice. Patsy Crass and Ann Brown spent Monday with Miss Anna Lee Anderson.

Mr. Charlie Wilson spent Sunday in the U. D. Brown home.

Aubry Rowell of Borger was here over the week end.

The D. L. Young family spent Sunday in Lubbock with their daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lee Francis made a business trip to Lubbock Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rogers were bed time visitors in the U. D. Brown home Tuesday night.

ALLARD REUNION

Those gathering for a family dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Allard honoring

Buster Allard of the Navy were Mr. & Mrs. Dean Allard & Joe, C. Allard and W. B. Hill, Mrs. N. L. Mosely, Mrs. Clifford Allard, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boland all of Amarillo, Mrs. James Bein of Fort Worth Mrs. O. T. Simmons and son of Marfa and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Dunn and son of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ed Stodghill of Borger moved here last week. Bill Ed leaves the 25th for the



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May 20th

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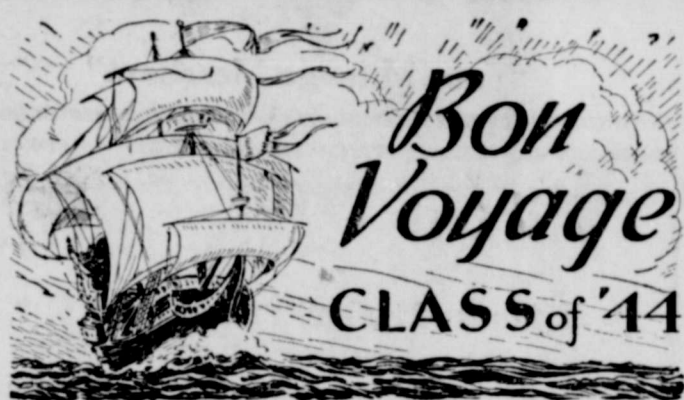
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Marilyn Maxwell

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"BON VOYAGE"—a farewell message used to wish mariners well, as they set out upon their voyages of adventure. We use it now, for you Graduates of 1944 are setting forth upon the greatest adventure of all.

We congratulate you upon your scholastic achievements, and we wish you happiness and success every step of the way through life.

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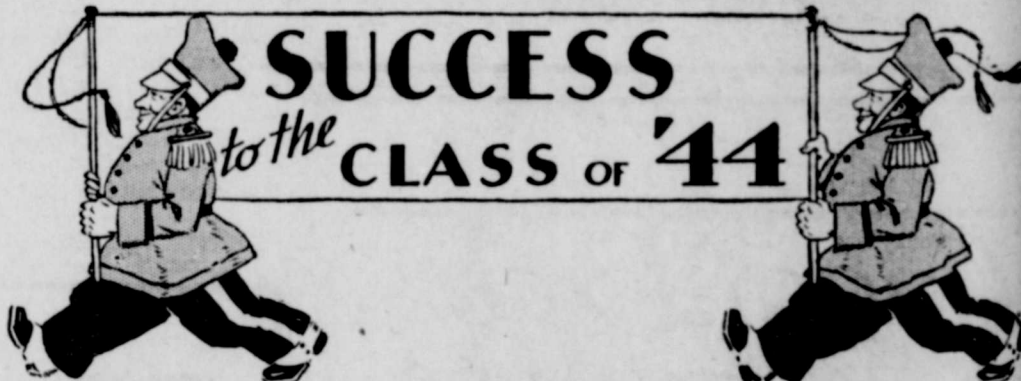
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Really, sometimes, this graduation time is a little sad under the surface. We have seen you boys and girls coming in and out of our store since you were in the first grade. Now, we know that we won't be seeing some of you so often—some will be in college, some will be working "on your own" and others will be in the armed forces.

If there is any way we can serve you, now or in the future, please let us know.

Whiteside & Company

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