

NEWS from the BOYS IN SERVICE



CPL. BEN S. BINGHAM, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bingham has been in service 28 months. He is attached to the Field Artillery and has been overseas since February. He is somewhere in France. His wife and 14 month old son, Bennie Bingham live in Silverton.

We have lost the information on Pvt. Erman F. Grant, will the person who brought this picture in come in and see us. News Office.

SGT. ALBERT FOSTER came in Monday. He has been in the States 10 days, after 40 months in Alaska and the Aleutians. He says it is plenty hot here. He is visiting the W. W. Douglas family.

PVT. JACK FOGERSON, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jeph Fogerson is a prisoner of war of the Japanese in the Philippine Islands. His parents received a letter from him last week, which was the only communication they had had in seventeen months. Jack Fogerson was born in Silverton and his parents now live at Clovis, N. M.

PIAT. SGT. GARNER GUEST arrived back in the States Sunday according to a telegram his mother received Sunday.

CAPT. J. R. CLANNHAN arrived back in the States Sunday.

S-SGT. JAMES W. KELLY, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Kelly of Petersburg, who has been reported missing in action, while making a volunteer mission over France on July 12th, has reported back in Italy and is O. K. He is a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Haverty.

This is a letter from a boy that has been with Harley Redin during most of his training. Folks here do not know him, but will enjoy his letter to the Redins.

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Redin: Things have changed quite a lot since the last time I wrote, so I'll drop you a few lines and tell you all the things that you might be interested in. Harley still isn't here but we expect them most any time. I sure will be glad to see him.

The place where I am now isn't quite as nice as the last one, but it's okay. The food is fairly good, except for breakfast. I haven't learned to like dehydrated eggs yet. We live in a sort of a hut made by putting three tents together with ten men to a hut. We have built quite a lot of furniture and have it fixed up pretty nice. Water is so scarce that we are allowed water only to drink. However we have a couple of barrels rigged up to catch rain water which supplies us with enough water to wash and shave. We have salt water showers. Later on we are going to build a fresh water shower, if we can get enough barrels to keep it supplied with water. The island is real small, so they have mosquitos pretty well controlled.

I like it better here however because we are operating here and I don't get so tired of doing nothing. We only fly a couple of missions a week which is just about right. I have two missions so far. There isn't much to them. So far I haven't seen any Jap planes or ack-ack, only a few searchlights. The missions here aren't much more than a night hop back home. It is a little harder here because you don't have any lights to show you where the ground is. You have to fly almost entirely on instruments. I worry more about the weather than I do the Japs and that's not much of a worry. Looks like an easy set up to me.

After we are here a couple of months we get a rest trip to Australia. We are all looking forward to that with a great amount of anticipation.

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ALLRED—NESTOR

Miss Mary Elizabeth Allred and Sgt. Stanley Richard Nestor were married in an impressive ceremony August nineteenth, at the Hondo Post Chapel, Hondo, Texas.

The wedding vows were read at eight o'clock in the evening before an altar of flowers, by the post chaplain Major Dunn. The traditional wedding marches were played with incidental music during the ceremony.

Best man for the bridegroom was Sgt. William L. Walker of Kansas City, Mo. Groomsmen included S-Sgt. Floyd A. Anderson of Quitaque, Texas, Pfc. David Stires, Little Rock, Arkansas and Sgt. Gene Raymond, Pittsburg, Pa. all of whom are stationed at Hondo Army Air Field.

The brides gown was of white marquisette trimmed with bands of Chantilly lace with a close-fitting basque and a sweetheart neckline, worn over white taffeta. The long shirt was worn over a hoop-skirt. Her fingertip-length veil of imported bridal illusion was caught to a halo of matching Chantilly lace. Chantilly lace gauntlets were worn. The bride carried a white Bible topped with a bouquet of white gardenias.

Maid of Honor was Miss Rhea Hays of San Antonio, bridesmaids were Mrs. Dorothy Sims, San Antonio; Miss Lucille Gardner of Houston and Miss Elizabeth Betters of San Antonio. These attendants were dressed in marquisette dresses with fitted basques, sweet heart necklines and tiered skirts over taffeta in yellow, pink, blue and aqua. They carried Colonial bouquets of yellow and pink roses and wore flowers in their hair.

After the wedding a reception was held at the N C O Club. The bride cut the three tiered wedding cake, and cake and punch was served during the reception. Assisting with the brides book were Mrs. William L. Walker of Kansas City, Mo. and Mrs. Carl Nuckolls of Muskogee, Okla.

Mrs. Nestors going away costume consisted of a pink lace suit with brown and white accessories and a corsage of gardenias.

The couple will be at home at home at Hondo Village, Hondo, Texas.

Mrs. Stanley Nestor Honored With Bridal Shower

Mrs. Stanley Nestor, the former Miss Mary Beth Allred was honored with a bridal shower, Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. James Patton with Mrs. Charles Cowart as hostess.

The guests were received by Mrs. Charles Cowart, the brides mother Mrs. A. M. Allred, the bride Mrs. Stanley Nestor and the brides sisters, Mrs. Judd Donnell and Mrs. Cecil Joslin.

Mrs. James Patton showed the many lovely gifts received by the bride and each guest registered in the brides book.

The table appointments were carried out in the patriotic theme with flags and red, white and blue napkins. Mrs. Dee McWilliams presided at the punch bowl.

DRY CLEANING BEING TAKEN AT BARBER SHOP

H. L. Stewart, owner of the City Tailor Shop at Tulsa, was here Monday, and while here, worked out a plan with King's Barber Shop, whereby you can leave and pick up your garments that you wish cleaned and pressed.

Mr. Stewart says that of late his customers from Silverton are increasing at such a rate that he felt that they should have a more convenient way of getting their clothes to the tailor shop. All you need do now is take them to the barber shop. However, they must be wrapped and your name plainly printed on the bundle. That of course, is for your own protection. Mr. King is doing it mainly as an accommodation, and to save just as much inconvenience as possible, all clothes must be paid for when they are taken.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Brown and son returned home Monday from Erick, Okla. where they have been visiting Mrs. Browns parents.

Mrs. Cyrus Puckett and children of Amarillo visited Mrs. Emma Frieze a few days. Mrs. Frieze returned home with them Monday.

YOUR NUTRITION COMMITTEE presents

Food For Folks

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HOW TO COOK FROZEN MEATS

by Jessie Mae Watson, Chairman

Meats may be cooked frozen or they may be thawed and then cooked. The important thing to remember in all meat cookery is a low temperature 300 to 350 degrees Fahrenheit.

If the meat is cooked in a solidly frozen state the juices will be retained, although the cooking time for frozen meat should be increased at least 15 to 20 minutes per pound.

Uniform cooking of meat is more likely to occur if the meat is at least two-thirds thawed. This saves both thawing and cooking time. In thawing meats the slowest method is the best, so that there will be very little loss of moisture. However circumstances may dictate a speedier way.

Below are ways of thawing meats, followed by suggestions for cooking specific cuts.

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1. On refrigerator shelf, 5 hours per pound; 2. At room temperature, 2 hours per pound; 3. At room temperature in front of a fan, 45 minutes per pound; 4. In moderate, 30 minutes per pound.

Completely thawed meats can be cooked exactly as meat which has not been frozen.

Roast beef (Constant temperature method, 300 to 350 degrees Fahrenheit) rub edges with salt and flour to reduce leakage, place in roasting pan fatty side up. Do not baste. Add no water. Set oven temperature and cook to desired doneness.

Broiled Steaks or Chops: The method of procedure is the same as for the unfrozen products, except more time is needed for the frozen. Ground meat and poultry: Thaw completely and cook as fresh meat. Allow extra time if only partially thawed.

Roast Pork: Place in uncovered pan without water. Rub with salt, place in oven 300 to 350 degrees Fahrenheit. Cook until well done.

Capt. Ernest Tibbets Honored

A Ninth Air Force Fighting Squadron, European Theatre of Operations—For "meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight against the enemy in the European Theatre of Operations," the Air Medal with 3 Oak Leaf Clusters has been awarded to Capt. Ernest D. Tibbets, Plainview, Tex. formerly of Silverton, serving in France with a P-47 Thunderbolt fighter squadron commanded by Major Lee C. Moon. Flying in close support of American ground forces, Capt. Tibbets recently completed his 40th mission.

Those from Silverton attending the Continental Oil Co. banquet at Plainview were Mr. and Mrs. Jake Carthel and Charles, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Donnell, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Carver Monroe, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Carthel, Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Eddleman, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Kit-chens, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Gilkeyson, Mrs. Jim Stevenson, and Mr. and Mrs. Vinson Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Veloy Carthel of Loredo, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Carthel, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Donnell and son Gery, visited in the Jake Carthel home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Thomas and Mrs. C. M. Strickland were in Plainview on business.

Mrs. G. P. Kirkland of Bronte who has been visiting in the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCracken and granddaughter Mrs. Wayne McCutchen the past two weeks has gone to Lubbock for a visit.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

A special Memorial Service

is being held at the First Baptist Church this morning (Thursday) honoring the boys from this community who are in the armed forces of their country, with special emphasis being placed on those who have lost their lives and prayers for the safety of those at the front.

Business houses are closing from 10:30 until noon in honor of service men.

With All Officers and Half of Men Lost, Houston Sergeant Takes Over

This is the story printed in the Houston papers of Sgt. Charles V. Bomar, the son of Mrs. Charlie V. Bomar and the late Doctor Bomar of Newburg, formerly of Silverton. Sugar Bluff, Guam, July 26. (Delayed). The bloody battle for this strategic hill was won by a company of American marines who refused to retreat under deadly Japanese fire that pinned it down for two days and killed or wounded half its men.

Every officer of the company was killed or wounded and First Sgt. Charles V. Bomar of Houston took over until help arrived.

With buddies falling on all sides, marines charged the hill on landing day but were thrown back under murderous machinegun and mortar fire. That night they lay in fox holes, dug under fire, within speaking distance of the Japanese. They could hear the Nipponese laughing hysterically and jabbering.

"We couldn't understand what they were saying," Bomar said later. "We simply lay there as still as we could, waiting for daybreak. Wounded lay all around us that night. We managed to get only two or three wounded out during the first day of fighting. After one of our hospital corpsmen was killed we gave up the idea until dark. During the night we got 20 or 30 back to the aid station."

"It seemed like morning would never come as I lay there thinking about my wife and our baby boy born May 29th."

"The next morning we charged the hilltop again, clinging to grass as we inched forward on our bellies. One lieutenant took a group of men around a knoll. Nine went with me around the other side."

"I had only two men when I reached the top, where we found two Japs in a fox hole. We killed one. The other pulled the pin of a grenade as we jumped into the hole. It killed my two men and blew me into a nearby shellhole. I can figure how I escaped getting hurt."

Bomar later joined the lieutenant, whose men had been killed. As they moved forward a sniper's bullet dropped the officer. Bomar fired on the sniper and his spotter, then scrambled into a fox hole where he was pinned down by mortars and machine-guns for three and a half hours.

Another lieutenant joined the sergeant. Mortar smoke enveloped them as they fled to a larger fox hole down the hill. There they found four marines, one wounded.

Bomar said "The Japs really opened up on us then. The lieutenant was about to say something when a bullet caught him in the head. That was the company's last officer."

The sergeant took over. The Japanese began rolling grenades toward their hole. It began to cave in. One grenade landed in the hole killing a marine. Bomar and the other two marines fired sporadically to keep the Japanese from charging.

Late in the afternoon help arrived. The next morning the marines charged the hill. Blood Sugar Bluff was ours.

Sgt. Bomar has been serving in the marine corps since June 1940, and before his enlistment worked at the Union Bottling Works.

The 33-year-old sergeant was at Pearl Harbor when it was attacked and has served in many of the Pacific campaigns. His wife, Mrs. Florence Bomar, and their young son, Charles Harris, live in Tackwood, Wash., and his mother with his sister, Mrs. Royce Miller, 4002 Gulf, at Houston.

Clarence Brown has received a medical discharge from the Navy.

SCHOOL TO OPEN SEPTEMBER 4

Plans are almost complete for the opening of school Monday, September 4. All teachers for the high school have been assured, and the schedule has been worked out.

Students pre-registered in May for this term of high school and with the information on these cards it was possible to complete the schedules of practically all high school students without conflicts. At the present time, enrollment for the high and grade school combined will run a little over 400 pupils. Classwork will begin September 5. Due to the fact that there are several vacancies to be filled in the grade school faculty, no announcement of assignments in that part of the system can be made at this time. The following make up the high school faculty:

Mr. F. M. McCarty, Supt.-American History; Mrs. Otto Denton King, High School Principal, Algebra I and II; Miss Opal Cross-Plane Geometry, General Math, Junior Business and General Science; Miss Leota Rumpy-Homemaking and biology; Miss Josephine O'Neal-English; Miss Lavelle Montague-Typing, Short-hand, Bookkeeping, and World History; Mrs. R. Wilkerson-Music and Choral.

The grade school faculty will be announced next week.

The school board and superintendent have worked all summer to improve the school situation for next year. The board voted a straight ten per cent raise in salary for all teachers, extended the superintendent's contract to 1946 with a \$400 annual salary raise, bought the Haylake bus, and entered into contracts with Haylake, Lakeview, Holt, Francis and Wallace. All buses are to be operated by the Silverton School. This should mean a more efficient and economical transportation system. All buses have been repaired, several have had new motors installed and everything possible has been done to insure their satisfactory operation during the year.

The school board and superintendent wish to express their thanks for the fine spirit of cooperation that has been given by the boards of the various contracting districts. Judge Lyon, too, has given excellent assistance, and it seems that prospects for a complete solution to the difficulties that have stood in the way of complete understanding between the districts in the past is to be expected.

SUNDAY LAST DAY OF FIRST BAPTIST MEETING

The Revival Meeting in progress at the First Baptist Church will end Sunday night, according to Rev. W. L. Brian, local pastor. The crowds have been fine all through the meeting, and people are taking a great interest in the messages brought by Rev. Jenkins who is the evangelist in charge. An excellent song service is held each evening by Mr. Smith of Plainview.

A big Sunday School Rally is planned for Sunday morning and it is hoped to break all records for Sunday School attendance in Silverton. Everyone is cordially invited to attend the rally and the church services following.

Baptismal services will wind up the night service. A love offering will be taken Sunday night. Rev. Brian expressed his appreciation to Silverton folks for their cooperation in the meeting.

T-Sgt. and Mrs. E. T. Evans of Orlando, Fla. are the parents of a baby girl born August 17, 1944. Mrs. Evans was formerly Jean West. Mrs. George West is with them and writes that mother and baby are fine. The little girl has been named Sharon Dee. Granddaddy West is pretty worried about the whole deal. Is afraid the baby will look like him.

Sgt. and Mrs. Stanley Nestor arrived Tuesday from San Antonio to visit Mr. and Mrs. Judd Donnell. They will also visit Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Allred at Amarillo.

Mrs. C. L. Oliver of Denton has been here the past week visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Autry and other relatives. She returned to her home Monday.

Ball Is Rolling Toward Fund For Vet's Home

KEEP FAITH WITH THEM!

T. R. Whiteside	\$100.00
Dr. Roy McCasland	\$50.00
Alvin Redin	\$100.00
Tom Bomar	\$100.00
H. S. Sanders Sr.	\$100.00
D. O. Bomar	\$100.00
Roy W. Hahn	\$100.00
T. T. Crass	\$100.00
Jim Whitely	\$100.00
Denton Smith	\$100.00
Jake Honea	\$100.00
John Bain	\$100.00
Grady Wimberly	\$100.00
H. Roy Brown	\$100.00
W. Coffee Jr.	\$100.00
Printz Brown	\$50.00
D. T. Northcutt	\$100.00
Conrad Alexander	\$100.00
Henry Teubel	\$50.00
Jake Carthel	\$10.00
Joe O'Neal	\$10.00
Carver Monroe	\$10.00

WHO'S NEXT?

NOTICE "A" BOOK HOLDERS

Applications are now at all filling stations for new "A" Gas books. Get an application, fill it out and bring it with the cover from your old A book to the ration office.

NOTICE

The Rev. W. C. Hinds, District Supt. Plainview Dist. and Mr. Alfred Snokes, McMurry College Representative, will be at the Silverton Methodist Church to speak in the interest of the McMurray College Building and endowment campaign. The members will meet at 8:30 on Tuesday evening, August at the church. Each family will bring such eats as they wish for the meal. After the meal, Rev. Hinds and Mr. Snokes will present the interests of McMurry College. Come and here these men present their and our educational interests in a church college.

T. G. Craft, Pastor

B. D. Tindall and Tom Bomar left Wednesday for Del Rio where they will receive medical treatment.

WANT-ADS

FOR SALE — 15 shoats weigh 70-100 lbs.; 3 Poland China gilts, bred to registered Hampshire boar S. P. BROWN 18-3tp 1 mile north of Silverton

STOCK SPRAY — We have a supply of Stock Spray. We are open on Saturdays. -9-1tp JUDD'S HATCHERY

SAW SHARPENING — I can do you a good job on all kinds of saws. Leave at my home. 18-2tp W. K. GRIMLAND

FOR SALE — I broadcast binder McCormick Deering; 2 four wheel trailers; 2 feed mills; 1 W. W. feed mill and one smaller; 1 set of wagon scales; 1, 1944 H Farmall; 1, regular Farmall and equipment 1, one-way breaking plow, 6 foot; BEN CHANDLER Phone 900F2, my place 4 1/2 miles East of Quitaque, Texas

FOR SALE — Quickmeal Gas Cook Stove, 4 burners and oven. Good condition. 19-1tp WILL SMITHEE

FOR SALE — 5-ft. Oliver Com-bine; 10 ft. International binder; also farm for sale \$40.00 an acre. W. B. SPILMAN 19-2tp 10 miles west of Silverton

FOR SALE — Model A Ford Coupe. Good condition. 19-3tp JUDD DONNELL

FOR SALE — 12-ft. Eclipse Mill and tower \$45.00 also 6 ft. Aer-motor mill \$35.00. Fair shape. TOM BOMAR 18-1tp

WANTED — Used shoe buckles suitable for sandals. Thomas Shoe Repair

JUST RECEIVED — new supply of C-A Carbolenum. It really knocks the mites, fleas and blue bugs. 19-3tp JUDD'S HATCHERY

With \$1,750.00 pledged, nearly all of which is paid, this community has started the ball rolling toward a fund to build a Legion Home for veterans, after the war is over. To date very few men have been contacted, and most of the donations have been made at the donor's own suggestion. Several have called by phone and then dropped in with the check.

A meeting of Legion men was held at the courthouse Tuesday night at which a few tentative suggestions were made. The consensus of opinion is that a sum of money in the neighborhood of \$12,000 should be raised as soon as possible. The money will be kept either in War Bonds or in the bank until the war is won and the boys are home. The money will then be turned over to them and the home will be built with their own plans and as they see fit. This plan will give returned veterans something to occupy their time, as well as several jobs of work, while they are retraining themselves to private life.

COMMUNITY MEETING

Next Tuesday a community-wide meeting is called for nine o'clock at the courthouse. All interested persons are asked to attend. The raising of this money is to be a community-wide project, and every one with an idea is urged to attend the Tuesday night meeting.

From nearly every home in the county there has gone a boy to service. The raising of this fund for these boys, should be considered a privilege, and it will be one that will be appreciated by the men who are doing the fighting of our war.

The time to raise this money is now. Concerted action will see it done in 90 days. 100 men at \$100 apiece will raise the bulk of the money, and there should be that number of men easily found.

Contributors will be published each week in the Briscoe County News and the list will be carried until the money is raised. Mail your check now, and take into consideration the fact that every man in service loses \$100 in actual wages alone the first month he is in service.

Make your check payable to AMERICAN LEGION POST No. 402 and mail to the Legion Finance committee, which is composed of T. R. Whiteside, Buel Hill, George Jones and Ben O. King. Make the check a liberal one—and mail it today!

TEXANS OVERSEAS TO BE ON AIR

For the first time since the invasion, Texans on the home-front next Monday will hear the voices of their husbands, sons and friends fighting on the battle-fronts of France, when the United War Chest of Texas presents its statewide network radio program, "The Texan's Share in the War."

Plans for the unique program were announced Tuesday by Wayland D. Towner, UWCT general manager, whose staff arranged the broadcast with cooperation of the British Broadcasting Company and the three Texas radio networks.

The thirty-minute program will consist almost entirely of short-wave interviews with Texas service men abroad. Towner said. From Normandy and other battle-fronts, Texas fighting men will talk by short-wave with the folks back home in a series of informal "chats", the war chest official explained. In addition, Larry Allen, famed Associated Press war correspondent, will tell briefly of his 13 months in a Nazi prisoner-of-war camp.

The broadcast, one of the most unusual staged during the war, will be introduced by Judge Ben H. Powell, state war chest president. Music for the production, which will originate in the studios of the University of Texas Radio House, will be by the Eighth Service Command military band.

The program will be carried by all three Texas radio networks and by independent stations from 9:30 to 10 p.m., Monday, August 28.

Help build the Veterans a nice recreational spot.

Announcing THE Opening OF THE Finley-Miller Dress Shoppe

featuring



Aaron Dresses For Misses and Women

This new department will be in charge of Mrs. Miller and you are cordially invited to drop in our store and see the new place.

SPECIAL — All ladies visiting our store **SATURDAY**, between 2 and 4 will receive a lovely gift corsage.

We are expecting a lot of new things this week end —

**NEW HATS,
NEW PURSES,
NEW BLOUSES,
CHILDREN'S APPAREL**

Our stock of school supplies in on display now, and with school opening September 4th, it is time to get stocked up.

Come in this week end. We are always glad to serve you in any department.

... Finley's

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VIGO PARK

Miss Elizabeth and Miss Eva Roundtree of Portales, N. M. were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hub Rogers last week. They are nieces of Mrs. Rogers.

THERE'S NOTHING funny to report—they've been gnawing at my vitals again—not to my face but to my back Good old Silverton, how I love thee!

Mr. and Mrs. Murry May and Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Bice and Edwin returned from New Mexico last week where they vacationed. Mrs. L. H. Odom underwent an

operation at Temple last week. Mr. Odom and Mr. Roberts returned Tuesday. Mrs. Roberts her daughter stayed with her. They report her as doing nicely.

Mr. Andrew Holt of San Angelo is visiting in the E. W. Preston home. He is Mr. Prestons uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyce McMurtry and Kathryn of Ballenger are visiting her parents this week. We were glad to have them with us in Sunday School last Sunday. Mrs. McMurtry's mother and sister are also visiting in the E. D. McMurtry home.

Miss Lois Brown visited her parents in Plainview over the week end.

The S. C. Cherrys have his mother and a nephew J. D. Cherry visiting them this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Brisco and Joyce of Altus, Okla. and Wilma and Leland Brisco from Hess, Okla were week end guests in the Pete Jones home.

Miss Mildred Schuster who is a cadet nurse in Lubbock visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schuster the past week.

Mrs. Morton, Mrs. Don Alexanders mother is visiting here this week.

A Stork shower was given Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Chass Walker honoring Mrs. Berdie Spradling. Many lovely gifts were presented and games were played. Mrs. Jack Hale and Mrs. Walker were the co-hostesses.

Every one come to Sunday School and Church Sunday. Rev. Menefee will preach Sunday mornning but there will be no Sunday night service as the Revival Meeting is Valley View Sunday. Everyone is welcome and urged to attend.

ROCK CREEK

Mrs. Betty Wheatley of Savoy, Texas is visiting her sister Mrs. Betty Guffee.

Mrs. Cyrus Puckett and children of Amarillo visited relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fitzgerald and children and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Johnson and children spent Sunday in the Joe Johnsons home.

Don't forget the chicken-fry at the school house Friday night Aug. 25th. Come early and bring your chicken ready to fry.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. McDaniel Jr. and children spent Thursday night in Plainview with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Hill spent Sunday in the E. L. Gardner home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mayfield were called to Casper, Wyo. last week to see her brother Richard Hancock, who is in the hospital with

Prescription Filled Over 15 Million Times

Recommended to do just two things: relieve constipation and gas on the stomach.

This successful prescription is now put up under the name of ADLERIK. Get a bottle of Adlerika next time you stop at your druggist's and see for yourself how quickly gas is relieved and gentle but thorough bowel action follows. Good for old and young. Get Adlerika from your druggist today.

BAIN DRUG STORE

a broken back. They returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gid Mayfield are visiting in Clovis, N. M. this week.

The Rock Creek Club will meet with Mrs. D. G. Shelton Tuesday August 28th. Every lady in the community is invited to be there.

WE WANT

TO HELP YOU SAVE THAT FEED

We have 2 new McCormick Deering Broadcast binders on the way. See us now. — Also two conveyor type bundle carriers for row binders.

Come in as early as possible for your binder repairs. At least make a list of your needs—so we can take care of you without delay to your work.

MCCORMICK-DEERING TWINE —American-Made Twine At Its Best!

It means so much during harvest to use a twine you can depend on—twine that is uniform in strength and weight all through the ball, from the first foot to the last.

McCormick-Deering Twine is that kind. Use it and know you're getting a full-length, full-strength, high quality product.



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AND IMPLEMENT COMPANY

ARE THOSE SHOES READY FOR SCHOOL? BETTER HAVE THEM REPAIRED NOW!!

School opens here September 4th. and that doesn't give much time to get ready. - - - We know that one of your biggest items in getting the kids ready for school is SHOES.

We can't sell you new ones—but we can make your old ones like new—nearly. Our high grade leather soles will, in many cases, wear longer than the original new shoes. We use only the highest grade leather obtainable in our shoe repair.

So check over the kid's shoes. If they are getting worn—bring them in. For a very reasonable price we'll fix them up for a lot more hard wear and a tip-top appearance.

We'll be rushed a little so bring them in now. We believe that you will like our money-saving work.

CITY SHOE REPAIR

Perry Thomas

All Building Materials Are NOT Frozen

Owing to the publicity given the recent order rationing lumber, many people have the mistaken impression that all building materials are now unobtainable. This is not true. The order in question applies solely to lumber and does not affect in any way the sale of any other building materials such as roofing, windows, doors, hardwood flooring, paint, cement, brick, plaster, shingles and many other items.

Thirty per cent of the lumber production has been allotted to essential civilian uses. Farmers, industries and plain Mr. Citizen may obtain lumber they really need by making application on the proper form. Complete information about these forms and methods of filing may be obtained from our office or at the AAA Office.

Willson & Son Lumber Co.

Goofy, am I?

Go ahead—that's your privilege—thinking I'm just plain hipped on everlastingly keeping this engine's insides OIL-PLATED with Conoco Nth oil. Maybe there is and maybe there isn't sixty other ways that would have kept engine acids from raising Ned with this pre-Pearl Harbor limousine. But one thing I know is this: it's still running swell on nothing but Conoco Nth motor oil. You needn't be a scientist to know that acids from every explosion are forever trying to spoil an engine. Looks like the proper idea is to try blockading those acids by getting your engine OIL-PLATED. I learned there's a modern synthetic in Conoco Nth oil that reminds you of magnetism, because it makes inside surfaces attract a shield of OIL-PLATING. Acids can't so easily tear right into this. Then your OIL-PLATED engine has an extra chance to last you. When new cars arrive, hurrah! But a real advanced improvement right now is to switch to Conoco Nth motor oil, see.

CONOCO

Nth MOTOR OIL



A Switch in Time
saved Mine...

Local Happenings

A. M. Allred and her sister Madex of Hollister and Mrs. Foust and Lola Fern came from Amarillo to spend a few days.

DeFee and Mrs. Carl Hawley left Friday after a few days with their sister Mrs. R. C. Garrison.

Man Garrison underwent an operation at Lubbock General Hospital last week. His parents Mr. and Mrs. Garrison visited with him.

Mrs. Bruce Womack and her son, Billy Joe, returned last week from California. They will return by plane.

Mrs. Herbert Brown and her son, Billy Joe, returned last week to the home they purchased from Mrs. Avis.

Sanitarium and Clinic

Plainview, Texas

Equipped for the examination and treatment of all medical and surgical cases.

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Mrs. Charles K. Herndon was taken by ambulance to Dallas last Thursday. He is expected home this week.

Mrs. Richard Hill and Mrs. Jess Brannon and Jo Lynn Brannon returned last Wednesday from a vacation spent in Houston and Galveston.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stone met their son, Billie Joe, in Amarillo last week. Billie Joe has just finished his boot training in the U. S. Navy at Camp Wallace. They all spent this week end with Mrs. M. P. Stone before leaving Monday evening to take Billie Joe to camp.

Capt. and Mrs. T. H. Anderson left on Saturday for Camp Belvoir, Va. after spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Anderson, and other relatives. Capt. Anderson has been stationed at Randolph Field, Texas for the past ten months and is now being transferred to Camp Belvoir for special courses in engineering.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Witcher left Monday for Savannah, Missouri. Mrs. Witcher will receive medical treatment there.

Mrs. Seymour Brannon and Mrs. Euale Newman went to Tulsa last Wednesday evening for medical treatment.

Mrs. Hallie Johnson and granddaughter, Gay Merrell, spent the week end in Plainview visiting Eula Mae Merrell.

Bryant Brooks and sons J. B. and Jake came in Tuesday from Fort Sumner N. M. for a short visit.

Mrs. J. C. Hill of Plainview was here Tuesday.

Mrs. Jean Martin is in a Lubbock Hospital following an operation. Her mother, Mrs. M. M. Edwards is with her.

Jim Whitely came in Tuesday from Waco for a few days visit with relatives.

NOTICE
A Singing School will start on August 30th at the Rock Creek Church of Christ. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Misses Alma Ruth and Blanche Thompson are visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Thompson this week.

Fred Brannon broke his hand last week, while working on a church at Texhoma. He is just recovering from a crushed foot, received when a horse stepped on him.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Brannon honored Mrs. Richard Hill with a birthday dinner Sunday. Guests were Fred and Junior Brannon, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brannon and children and Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Brannon and children and Richard Hill.

Winford June O'Neal of Childress is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brannons.

Miss Patricia Bomar spent the week end here with her parents.

Cecil Seane passed for Naval Aviation and reported back to Dallas Tuesday for induction.

Merle Dudley left Monday for his home at Lamarque after visiting relatives here for a 2 weeks.

Mrs. Virgil Ballard and daughters Jeni Jo and Betty Lou arrived Monday evening from Dallas to visit her parents Dr. and Mrs. O. T. Bundy. Mrs. Bundy met them in Childress.

Mr. T. W. Whiteside of Blackwell visited his son T. R. Whiteside and Mrs. Whiteside from Friday until Sunday.

Mrs. Joe McWilliams returned home Friday from Wellington. She has visited relatives there for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Judd Donnell and Janice, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Joslin, Sgt. and Mrs. Stanley Nestor, Mrs. A. M. Allred and Mrs. Mattie Madex left Thursday morning to spend a week with A. M. Allreds at the Helium Plant north of Amarillo. James Allred is expected in on an 8 day leave Sunday and will join the family group.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Pavlicek took Mrs. Walter Thomas to her home in Knox City and visited in Bomarton with Pat's parents over the week end.

Jake Honea and M. K. Summers attended a quarterly conference of the F. B. I. at Borger last Thursday.

Mrs. Perry Thomas Jr. fell Monday evening at her home. She was taken to the Plainview Hospital and it is thought that she did not sustain any broken bones. She was brought home from the hospital Wednesday afternoon.

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Boyd, Mary Faith, and Loubelle McMurtry underwent tonsilectomies at Tulsa Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Dick Garvin underwent a tonsilectomy at Tulsa Wednesday morning.

Betty Brown visited the first of the week with her aunt Mr. and Mrs. Lester Maxey, who spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Durward Brown.

Miss Ann Turner from S. M. U. Dallas is visiting friends and relatives. She is the granddaughter of Mrs. Mamie Burson.

Ned Burson and Bill Harvey of Borger are visiting friends and relatives in Silverton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph May and children and Jenny Beth Barr of Plainview visited friends and relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Florence Fogerson and Mrs. Ware Fogerson and children spent Sunday with Mrs. J. D. McElroy at Happy. Mrs. McElroy has sold her home in Happy and she returned home with the Fogersons for a few days visit.

The L. T. D. Club met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Robert Hill. The "guess what" a pair of towels went to Mrs. Roy Hahn and Mrs. Emory Mills drew the war stamps.

A lovely refreshment plate was served to Mesdames Durward Brown, Roy Hahn, Emory Mills, J. T. Luke, J. W. Lyon Jr., Arnold Brown, T. T. Crass and Ware Fog-

erson. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Johnny Lanham.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Lanham spent a few days in Oklahoma City this week.

The Finley-Miller dress shop will have its formal opening Saturday August 26th. You are cordially invited to see their new shop and see the fall fashions in dresses and hats.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Yarbrough of Gainesville visited Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Bomar from Thursday until Sunday.

Mrs. J. R. Guest left Monday for Amarillo to spend the week with her daughter Ona Dell.

Q. E. Brown and Miss L. L. Brown left Saturday for Bakersfield, California.



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H. J. R. No. 18

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an Amendment to Section 9 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by changing said Section 9 so as to provide that the Commissioners Court in any county may re-allocate the county tax levies authorized in said section by changing the rates provided for any of the purposes authorized in said section by either increasing or decreasing the same, but in no event shall the total of such taxes exceed eighty (80) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation for any one year; providing that before such Commissioners Court may make such re-allocations and changes in such county tax levies have been approved by the qualified property tax paying voters of such county as herein provided, such re-allocations and changes shall remain in force and effect for a period of six (6) years from the date of the election at which same shall be approved, unless the same again shall have been changed by a majority vote of the qualified property tax paying voters of such county, voting on the proposition, after submission by the Commissioners Court at a general or special election for that purpose; providing that this section shall not be construed as a limitation on powers delegated to counties, cities or towns by any other section or sections of this Constitution; fixing the time for the election for the adoption or rejection of said proposed Constitutional Amendment; making certain provisions for said election and ballots thereof and the method thereof; directing the issuance of proclamation therefor; prescribing certain duties of the Governor of the State of Texas; and making an appropriation to defray the expenses of said election.

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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Section 9 of Ar-

ticle 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be so amended that the same will hereafter read as follows:

"SECTION 9. The State tax on property, exclusive of the tax necessary to pay the public debt, and of the taxes provided for the benefit of the public free schools, shall never exceed thirty-five (35) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation; and no county, city or town shall levy more than twenty-five (25) cents for city or county purposes, and not exceeding fifteen (15) cents for roads and bridges, and not exceeding fifteen (15) cents to pay jurors, on the one hundred dollars valuation, except for the payment of debts incurred prior to the adoption of the Amendment September 25, 1883; and for the erection of public buildings, streets, sewers, water-works and other permanent improvements, not to exceed twenty-five (25) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation in any one year, and except as is in this Constitution otherwise provided; provided however, that the Commissioners Court in any county may re-allocate the foregoing county taxes by changing the rates provided for any of the foregoing purposes by either increasing or decreasing the same, but in no event shall the total of said foregoing county taxes exceed eighty (80) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation, in any one year; provided further, that before the said Commissioners Court may make such re-allocations and changes in said county taxes that the same shall be submitted to the qualified property tax paying voters of such county at a general or special election, and shall be approved by a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters, voting in such election; and provided further, that if and when such re-allocations and changes in the said county taxes have been approved by the qualified property tax paying voters of such county, as herein provided, such re-allocations and changes shall remain in force and effect for a period of six (6) years from the date of the election at which the same shall be approved, unless the same again shall have been changed by a majority vote of the qualified property tax paying voters of such county, voting on the proposition, after submission by the Commissioners Court at a general or special election for that purpose; and the Legislature may also authorize an additional annual ad valorem tax to be levied and collected for the further maintenance of the public roads; provided, that a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters of the county voting at an election to be held for that purpose shall vote such tax, not to exceed fifteen (15) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation of the property subject to taxation in such county. And the Legislature may pass local laws for the maintenance of the public roads and highways, without the local notice required for special or local laws. This section shall not be construed as a limitation of powers delegated to counties, cities or towns by any other section or sections of this Constitution."

SEC. 2 The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at a general election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the seventh day of November, 1944, at which election all voters favoring the proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the following words:

"FOR the Amendment to Section 9 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to provide that the Commissioners Court in any county may re-allocate the county tax levies authorized in said section by changing the rates provided for any of the purposes authorized in said section by either increasing or decreasing the same, but in no event shall the total of such taxes exceed eighty (80) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation for any one year; providing that before such Commissioners Court may make such re-allocations and changes in such levies that the same shall be submitted to the qualified property tax paying voters of such county at a general or special election and shall be approved by a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters, voting in such election; providing that if and when such re-allocations and changes in such county tax levies have been approved by the qualified property tax paying voters of any county as herein provided, such re-allocations and changes shall remain in force and effect for a period of six (6) years from the date of the election at which same shall be approved, unless the same shall have been changed by a majority vote of the qualified property tax paying voters of such county, voting on the proposition, after submission by the Commissioners Court at a general or special election for that purpose; and providing that this Amendment shall not be construed as a limitation on powers delegated to counties, cities or towns by any other section or sections of the Constitution."

SEC. 3 The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and shall have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

SEC. 4 The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

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If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast are in favor of said Amendment, the same shall become a part of the State Constitution.

SEC. 5 The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and shall have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

SEC. 6 The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

H.J.R. No. 8

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an amendment to Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding thereto Sections 51-e and 51-f; Section 51-e providing that cities and towns in this State shall have the power and authority to provide a system of retirement and disability pensions for their employees, provided, however, that no pension system shall be set up in any city until it has been approved at an election by qualified voters entitled to vote at an election on the question of the issuance of tax supported bonds; Section 51-f providing that the Legislature shall have authority to provide a system of retirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of cities and towns to operate State-wide or by districts under such plan or program as the Legislature shall direct and shall provide that participation therein by cities and towns shall be voluntary; provided that the Legislature shall never make an appropriation to pay any of the cost of any system authorized by this Section; providing for an election on the question of the adoption or rejection of such an amendment and making an appropriation therefor; providing for the proclamation and publication thereof and prescribing the form of ballot.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1. That Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto Sections 51-e and 51-f, which shall read as follows:

"SECTION 51-E. Each incorporated city and town in this State shall have the power and authority to provide a system of retirement and disability pensions for its appointive officers and employees who have become disabled as a direct and proximate result of the performance of their duties, or have passed their sixtieth birthday, or have been employed by such city or town for more than twenty-five (25) years

and have passed their sixtieth birthday, when and if, but only when and if, such system has been approved by an election by the qualified voters of such city or town entitled to vote on the question of issuance of tax supported bonds; provided that no city or town shall contribute more than the equivalent of seven and one-half (7½) per centum of salaries and wages of the officers and employees entitled to participate in its pension system, and that said officers and employees shall contribute a like amount; and this Amendment shall not reduce the authority nor duty of any city or town otherwise existing.

"SECTION 51-F. The Legislature of this State shall have the authority to provide for a system of retirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of cities and towns to operate State-wide or by districts under such a plan and program as the Legislature shall direct and shall provide that participation therein by cities and towns shall be voluntary; provided that the Legislature shall never make an appropriation to pay any of the cost of any system authorized by this Section."

SEC. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendments shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State in November, 1944, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon, "For the Constitutional Amendment providing that the cities and towns in this State shall have the power and authority to provide a system of pensions for their appointive officers and employees," and "Against the Constitutional Amendment providing that all cities and towns in this State shall have the power and authority to provide a system of pensions for their appointive officers and employees." All ballots at such election shall also have printed thereon, "For the Constitutional Amendment giving authority to the Legislature to provide for a system of retirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of the cities and towns," and "Against the Constitutional Amendment giving authority to the Legislature to provide for a system of retirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of cities and towns." Each voter shall scratch out two (2) of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the two (2) expressing his vote on the proposed Amendments.

SEC. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and shall have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

SEC. 4. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

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News from Boys in Service

eagerness. Some of the boys here have just returned and they all seemed to have a wonderful time. They say Australian cities are a lot like American cities and the people are very friendly. I sure will be glad when we get to go. I hope to see Harley pretty soon. Let me hear from you.

Travis

HAYNES MCLENDON writes to Bill Hardin from the Pacific — Dear Bill: I guess you will be a little surprised to hear from me after all this time, but I thought I had better let you know I still existed. This letter should be good for a pint but I know you will get your share.

How is everything with you and do you make more money than you have any use for. This is one place that I make more than I can spend. We don't even have a P.X. and our cigarettes are free.

I sure could go for some of that beefsteak and fried chicken. We don't ever get any vegetables and have had fresh meat only four times since we have been here.

We have been getting two bottles of beer a week but are supposed to get 24 a month starting this month.

Bill I have seen and done a lot of things but will have to give you the details later.

Is Ugg still invigling the people? Ha! Ha! I wish I were there where he could give me a good one. It would sure be worth it.

Are your boys about old enough to be called? I sure hope this is over before they are in.

Well Bill, there isn't much to say but I just wanted to write. I would enjoy a letter and all the gossip.

Your Pal,
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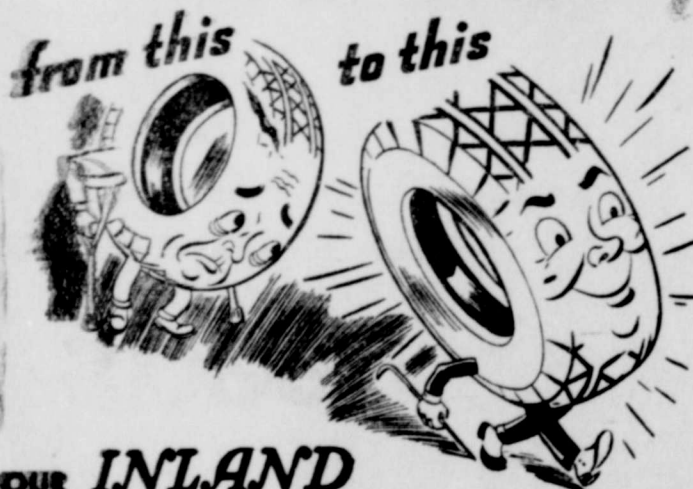
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