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County Over Top With Bond Sales

Reports from the County War Finance chairman state that the Victory Bond quota has been met and oversubscribed by a big margin.

Knox City sewed up the Victory Bond quota on the closing day and had quite a bit to spare.

Final sales of E Series bonds on December 8th, the last day of grace, was \$44,000. The quota on this issue was \$43,000. Final computation may show a still larger margin over the quota.

Of the other series offered during the campaign, Knox City went away over the top, taking a total of \$74,000 in all.

This puts the community across with a clean record of performance in all the bond drives.

Rites Held For Freda Warren

Funeral services were held in Amarillo December 1st, for Freda Merle Warren, granddaughter of Mrs. D. B. Weaver and Joe Warren of Munday. Miss Warren passed away in Amarillo on Nov. 29, 1945. Rev. J. D. Horton officiated, with Rev. John Stout of Knox City, assisting.

Burial was made in the Knox City cemetery.

Palbearers were Salem Hutchinson, Pat Ballard, John McMahon, Frank Nance, Curb Fitzgerald and John Jones.

Those in charge of flowers were Mrs. Mann McCarty, Mrs. Edith Rogers, Misses Lillian Hutchinson, Frances Nance and Clea Stogner.

Miss Warren was born May 14, 1921, at Munday. She was 24 years and 6 months old at the time of her death. She had been a member of the church for the past five years.

Late Cotton Gets Premium Prices

Robert Casillas, local farmer, sold two bales of late cotton this week for 23c per pound, topping the season market for this time of year, according to Sam Reed, manager of the O'Brien Gin, who made the transaction.

Other farmers getting premium prices for late cotton were Jack Tankersley, who sold 12 bales at 21c, and S. P. Keller, who sold a consignment for 21½c. Several others had cotton in this price range.

All the premium grade cotton was grown from Northern Star seed, bred and produced by the Northern Star Seed Farms at O'Brien.

Bradberys Observe 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bradberry celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Saturday, December 8, with many wires and cards of congratulations from friends over the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradberry were married in Felt County, Texas in 1895. They moved to Knox County in 1906, when the town was yet a prairie village.

Six children have been born to the couple, two having died in infancy. Their three daughters and son, Mrs. Betty Coates, Mrs. Odell Hitchcock, Mrs. Opal Coates, and Milton Bradberry, and their children, helped them celebrate the happy occasion.

Many old friends remembered them with nice gifts on the occasion. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Couch of Vernon called during the day.

Army Recruiters Here Tomorrow

Personnel from the US Army Recruiting Station at Abilene will be in Knox City Friday afternoon for the purpose of securing enlistments in the regular army.

The Army is staging an all-out recruiting campaign to fill the depleted ranks of the regular service. Exceptional inducements are being offered to men at this time in an effort to rebuild the ranks.

The staff will be glad to interview prospective enlistees and explain the new pay and promotion schedule.

Late Arrival



Cpl. Harrell Stephens is back in Knox City, having landed at Tacoma, Wash., on November 23, and since discharged. He is the son of Mrs. Bill Wilson of Knox City.

After entering service in March of 1943, Harrell trained at Fort Warren, Wyo., and later entered the Ordnance Technical school at San Antonio. As a member of the 221st Field Artillery, he shipped overseas in February 1944. He saw service in New Caledonia, Guadalcanal, Bougainville, Philippines, and then was transferred to Yokohama, Japan.

Roy White Visiting Friends Here

Roy L. White, Sic, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. White of Lubbock, has been visiting friends in Knox City, arriving back in the States on the 19th of November.

Roy is a grandson of Mr. J. R. White, formerly in the grocery business here but now living in Lubbock.

With 17½ months overseas duty on his record, Roy has been in service with the Navy 21 months. He will report to El Paso January 2nd for a discharge.

He was formerly employed by Ferris Glenn and Mrs. J. L. Armstrong.

A brother, Kenneth White, is stationed in Manila, and another brother, Pfc. Harry White, is on a troopship returning men from France to Norfolk, Va.

Cotton Seed Firm Has Record Sales

Sam Reed, manager of the Northern Star Seed Farms at O'Brien, says his company is enjoying the best business season they have had on Northern Star cotton seed.

"We are selling Northern Star as fast as orders can be filled this season and also entering new territory where the fame of our seed has induced farmers to try them," said Mr. Reed.

Several large sales of thousands of bushels have been made in Oklahoma recently, where the Northern Star brand is fast gaining popularity. Texas buyers have increased their orders over previous years.

"Evidence of the quality of our seed is seen in the premium price being paid for Northern Star cotton in this section, and everywhere it is grown," Mr. Reed added.

Walter Jones On Destroyer

On the USS Conyngham (Delayed)—Walter Jones, Jr., Sic, of Knox City, Texas, is serving on this destroyer, which is returning to the United States after fighting the Japs continuously since December 7, 1941.

The Conyngham saw action at Pearl Harbor, the battle of Midway, the battle of Santa Cruz, and numerous invasions, including Guadalcanal, the Marianas, and the Philippines. She is credited with shooting down seven planes with 14 assist and probable.

Study Club To Have Xmas Party

The Knox City Study Club will meet Saturday at the home of Mrs. O. L. Jamison, west of Knox City, in the annual Christmas Party observance.

Members are urged to attend this important meeting of the club. A special program has been arranged.

Greyhounds Take Bi-District Crown By Score 25-23

The Knox City Greyhounds are home from the wars victorious, having fought their way into the first bi-district title in their history by defeating a strong South Lockett team November 29, by a close score of 25-23. It was truly a game of thrills, with the issue in doubt up until the final second of the game.

Playing a scoreless first quarter, the Knox City boys were able to push across a score in the second period and the half ended with the score 6-0. The third period opened with a blast, the Greyhounds stacking up 19 points in good order, leading the opponents 25-0 as the final quarter began.

South Lockett came to life in the final frame with a vicious passing attack that came near wrecking the Greyhounds dreams of a bi-district title. Turning loose with some of the fanciest passing and receiving seen in many a day, the Lockett boys came through with 23 points before the final whistle put out their fire.

This ended one of the most successful seasons in Greyhound history. Earning 423 points to their opponents 95, the boys were defeated in only one non-conference game. The season record is as follows:

Knox City	
13—Paint Creek	12
65—Vera	9
40—Benjamin	0
25—Megargel	0
20—Dickens	30
65—Benjamin	12
45—O'Brien	6
48—Vera	0
20—Megargel	6
52—Paint Creek	6
25—South Lockett	23
Coach Holcomb	deserves a big hand for the hard work he has put in with the boys in piloting them to the bi-district crown. The club worked hard for the title and reaped a big dividend through sportsmanship and fair play throughout the season.

Elbert B. King On Way Home

Elbert B. King, SP2c, USNR, son of Mrs. N. E. King of Knox City, is on his way home.

Elbert is one of over 2,000 high-point Navy veterans whom the "Magic Carpet" is bringing back to the States aboard the USS Bottineau.

The USS Bottineau, one of the more than 250 carriers, battle-ships, cruisers and attack transports in the Navy's famed "Magic Carpet" Fleet, left Okinawa Nov. 20, and was scheduled to arrive in San Pedro about December 5.

Passengers will go directly to the separation centers nearest their homes to complete the formalities of obtaining their discharges before returning to civilian life.

W. M. Satterwhite Gets Discharge

Pfc. Willard M. Satterwhite, son of Walter B. Satterwhite, received his discharge at Fort Sam Houston December 2nd.

Willard entered service in June, 1942, and trained in various California camps prior to overseas duty. He received 15 months desert training in California and also advanced training in Georgia and Virginia.

Shipping overseas in December of 1943, Willard had 23 months foreign duty to his credit. He served in England part of that time.

Willard plans to make Knox City his home.

See our line of exclusive Christmas Cards, Ross' News Stand.

Time To Write Letters To Santa

It is time for the Kiddies of the community to put down in black and white just what they would like Santa Claus to bring them this Christmas. The requests will be published in the Herald on Thursday, December 20, in plenty of time for Santa to fill the orders.

Hand us or mail your letter as early as possible and we will see that Santa gets the information on time.

Home Again



W. P. (Bill) Denton, EM2c, arrived in the United States on November 19, after spending 17 months in the Southwest Pacific.

He received his discharge at the Navy separation center at Norman, Oklahoma, November 23. From Norman he went to Wichita Falls where he was met by his wife, Mrs. Charlene Denton, who has been making her home with her mother, Mrs. C. M. Peters in Mineral Wells.

On Way Home



Paul Weldon Leek, Sic, is on his way home, he has written his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Corley. He expected to land in New York on December 11th and will get his discharge at Norman, Oklahoma, December 20th, in time to eat Christmas dinner with the folks at home.

Paul has served two years in the Navy, most of it aboard the USS Proteus. He has been in Tokyo Bay for several months.

Baptist WMU Holds Meeting

The W. M. U. of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Joe Smith on December 3rd, for social and Royal Service program. Mrs. John Stout was in charge of the program. Mrs. Byron Lee led the opening prayer.

There were 18 ladies present for the meeting, three visitors, Mrs. Caudle, Sagerton, Mrs. Evelyn Holbs, Mrs. H. W. Finley, Mrs. Joe Averitt, Mrs. J. A. Hallmark.

Mrs. Ross Griffith favored the group with a special song.

Others on the program were: Mrs. G. T. Hardberger, Miss Evelyn Holbs, Mrs. H. W. Finley, Mrs. Joe Averitt, Mrs. J. A. Hallmark.

This was the W. M. U.'s month to give to the Lottie Mon Christmas offering.

Mrs. J. L. Hamm gave the closing prayer.

Hostesses were Mrs. Joe Smith, assisted by Mrs. Stout, Mrs. Lee and Mrs. Bill Lankford.

Garrison Opens Service Station

Billy Garrison, recently returned war veteran, has opened a service station in Knox City, located on the Benjamin highway north of the Citizens Bank.

Billy will sell Humble products in the new station and offers a complete service for the automobile owner.

He plans to add accessories and supplies as they become available on the market.

Christmas flowers will again be offered for sale in Knox City this season, officials of the Knox City Study Club have announced.

Poinsettias and other seasonal types will be on display Saturday, December 22nd, at a downtown location.

Engineers Studying Dual Plans For Proposed Dam On Double Mountain

Methodist Pastor Expected Soon

Members of the First Methodist Church are anxiously awaiting the arrival of their new pastor, Rev. Vernon Henderson, now a Chaplain in the Navy but on his way to a separation center and expected here this weekend.

Mrs. Henderson and children moved here last week, occupying the Methodist parsonage. The children are a daughter, Vernola, 10 years old, and a son, Gene, 8 years.

Rev. Henderson formerly lived here and was pastor at Lueders when he entered the service two years ago.

Beta Chi Meets With Haskell

The Beta Chi chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma met in regular session in the Haskell club house on December 8, with Weinert and Haskell members as hostesses. Fall flower decorations were used and Mrs. Wallace Cox at the piano furnished music for the afternoon.

Following the business session, Mrs. Hazel Weaver, president, and Mrs. Artie May Maloy, initiation chairman, directed the formal and impressive initiation ceremonies held for two new active members, Mrs. T. R. Odell of Haskell and Mrs. Mabel Durr of Weinert, the former, and Mrs. Ruby Melton of Benjamin and Mrs. J. U. Fields of Haskell, the latter.

Then followed the social hour with Christmas contests, games and singing of carols. Gifts were presented to each of the new members present.

The next meeting will be in Rule on February 9th, with Rule and Old Glory members acting as hostesses.

Methodist Women In Meeting Here

The Stamford District of the Woman's Society of Christian Service met in an all-day session at the Methodist Church here Tuesday. Members of the Knox City branch of the organization put on a program of business and entertainment for the large crowd that attended the meeting.

Representatives from the entire district were on hand to take part in the program.

Son Born To E. A. Darwins

A son, Edgar Allen Darwin, was born to Sgt. and Mrs. E. A. Darwin of Benjamin, in the Knox County Hospital December 4th.

Weighing in at 6 lbs. 14 oz. the youngster and mother are doing fine. Sgt. Darwin was granted a furlough from his camp in Missouri to be present for the occasion.

The grandfather, Judge Patterson of Benjamin, is beaming and spreading the news.

John G. Lewis Expected Home

John G. Lewis, Sic, USNR, husband of Mrs. Juanita I. Lewis of Knox City, is expected home soon, having shipped from Saipan, Nov. 22, aboard the USS Haggatt.

The ship was expected to arrive here.

A Proclamation

By the Mayor

WHEREAS, the prevention of inflation during the postwar period, based on experiences following World War I, is an important part of the job of economic stabilization; and

WHEREAS, the Office of Price Administration, in cooperation with labor, industry and consumers throughout the country, is staging a national campaign in order to obtain better understanding and compliance and more observance of ceiling prices, and has requested the assistance of all citizens of this city,

NOW, therefore, I, Roy A. Baker, Mayor of the City of Knox City, Texas, do hereby proclaim the month of December as "Price Control for Prosperity Month" and urge all citizens to cooperate in the program against inflation.

IN WITNESS whereof, I hereunto set my hand.

ROY A. BAKER,
Mayor, City of Knox City

Junior Play Set For Dec. 18th

The Junior Class of Knox City high school will present their annual class play next Tuesday, December 18th, in the school gym building. The play is a comedy entitled "The Antics of Andrew", with a large cast of players.

Rehearsals have been underway for the past two weeks. A small admission price has been set for the offering.

GOREE SAILOR ON WAY HOME

John A. Collier, CM1c, son of Mrs. P. G. Collier, Goree, is on his way home, according to a release from the Navy.

Collier left Okinawa on Nov. 15th, and was expected to land at San Francisco about December 1st.

FOR SALE: Gossett Feed 16 ft. The House 4421 to fix found and Marine WAF length at 600-horse and 68,000 off-ber, the Naval Force consist of 500,000 and 58,000 off-ber Corps strength 100,000 enlisted 100 officers.

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Rehabilitation. When this month it will make 2½ billion dollars that contributed to UNRRA, assists American charity, people. It is money to health from cold and in foreign countries, including enemy countries. We see this is bread cast upon the waters. This will be the worst winter in modern history for most of the world. Millions will die of starvation and disease resulting from the war. On Tuesday of this week Edgar Mann of Wichita Falls, and I had lunch in the Pennington Building with Lt. Col. Giles, and Simpson, Kansas. One of them told me that at least 8,000,000 persons would die in Japan this winter from hunger, cold and disease. Any way one figures it, the wages of sin is death.

Three somewhat sensational committee hearings have been going on simultaneously this week on the Senate side of the Capitol, covering the Pearl Harbor hearings: Affairs' consideration of Hurley's charges that strong diplomats in the department were sympathetic and were actually helping communist causes in China; bomb hearings. On the floor of the Washington this week appeared a number of the communists at the White House, American communists appear to be more numerous and more numerous in the war they waged against us.

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time in many years and ended labor legislation, the failure of the Manion Conference in the Capitol after a long and long suffering in the interest of the American people, President Truman asked Congress to pass a law to set up fact-finding boards in critical labor disputes. Even though his message was mild and recommended no punishment or compulsion upon either industry or labor, Mr. Murray of the CIO immediately exploded, charging the President with cowardice, subterfuge, etc. Many of us fear that farmers, small businessmen, school teachers, and unorganized folks in this country may suffer greatly between the squeeze of powerful industries on one side and powerful labor organizations on the other. Strikes are either in progress or threatened in three of the most important industries, the automobile industry, the rubber industry, and the rubber industry. The almost three million workers in these three industries are organized by the rubber industry, the automobile industry, the rubber industry, and the rubber industry. The almost three million workers in these three industries are organized by the rubber industry, the automobile industry, the rubber industry, and the rubber industry.

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