

BURKETT

Cpl. Jasper E. Burkett, of Camp Adair, Oregon left Tuesday after spending his furlough here with his family. He was honored with a dinner at his home Sunday. Among the twenty-five that attended were: His father, W. M. Burkett, two sisters, Mrs. Gladys Walker, and Mrs. G. W. Williams and his nephew, Pvt. Henry Burkett, of Camp Swift, and wife.

Mrs. Flinns Byrd left Tuesday of last week to visit her husband, Pvt. Byrd who is stationed in North Carolina. Mrs. Jesse Holmans, who has been employed at Ft. Bliss, is now visiting her husband, Pfc. Holmans, at El Centro, California. Marine Flinns Brown, of Cherry Point, N. C. has been promoted to the rank of Staff Sergeant. He is a son of Mrs. Myrtle Brown, of this city.

been in Paris with her husband, Sgt. Slaughter, who is stationed at Camp Maxey. Pfc. Grady Harris, Pvt. Henry Burkett and Pvt. R. L. Strickland, all of Camp Swift, spent Saturday night and Sunday here with their families. Wayne Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Harris, who has been assistant cashier in Walker Smith Co. in Midland, has recently been promoted to cashier. Mr. and Mrs. Jud Barnett and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Paschel Jennings and son, all of Cross Plains, spent Sunday here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Len Barnett. Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Strickland had as their guest Sunday, the Clarence Edgingtons, of Cross Plains. Mr. and Mrs. Madison Golsen, of Cross Pl., spent Sunday in the home of "Aunt" Riley Strickland. James Moore, of Coleman, visited relatives here Sunday. Gilbert Williams, of Cross Plains, visited in the J. E. Burkett home Sunday. Miss Oleta Perkins and Mrs. Merrill Burkett spent Saturday night and Sunday in Cross Plains with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Freeman, parents of Mrs. Burkett. Mrs. Bill Vernon Harris returned to her home West of Cross Plains after spending the past several days here with relatives. Harry Porter, who is employed at Brownwood, is visiting his wife

MRS. GRADY WHITEHORN HOSTESS TO THE H. D. CLUB ON WEDNESDAY

The regular meeting of the Home Demonstration Club on Wednesday, May 12, in the home of Mrs. Grady Whitehorn was opened with Club prayer and song "America". The President, Mrs. Westernman, appointed Mrs. Jeff Clark, Mrs. I. H. Hall and Mrs. Grady Whitehorn as a committee of three to see about cooker testers. Mrs. Jim Barr gave an interesting report on the District Meet held on Tuesday, May 11, in Coleman. She informed the club that they needed to furnish more comforts and recreation for the wounded soldiers in the base hospital at Camp Bowie. "The club women are the cream of the land, there is no end to the work they can accomplish if they cooperate and work together and the Government is depending on them more and more," said Mrs. Leon Sullivan, from Tarrant county. "You should take the best of care of your electric equipment, your Frigidaires, stoves, irons and rubber goods for it is almost impossible to replace them," said Mrs. I. H. Hall, in a program assisted by Mrs. L. W. Westernman and Mrs. Charles Taylor. A short program by the recreation leader, Mrs. L. L. Houser, was enjoyed by all. Refreshments were served to the following guests: Mrs. Oren Barr, Mrs. I. H. Hall, Mrs. Roy Hayes, Mrs. Jim Barr, Mrs. L. W. Westernman, Mrs. Frank Williams, Mrs. Charles Taylor and the hostess, Mrs. Grady Whitehorn. Announcement will be made at a later date where and when the next regular meeting will be held. Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Freeman and Mrs. L. W. Westernman, Mrs. Frank Williams, Mrs. Charles Taylor and the hostess, Mrs. Grady Whitehorn. Announcement will be made at a later date where and when the next regular meeting will be held. Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Freeman and Mrs. L. W. Westernman, Mrs. Frank Williams, Mrs. Charles Taylor and the hostess, Mrs. Grady Whitehorn.

SENIORS ENTERTAINED WITH A FORMAL PARTY IN LEO VARNER HOME

Mrs. Alvin McCain and Mrs. Leo Varner were co-hostesses Thursday evening, May 13, when they entertained in the home of the latter, from eight until eleven o'clock, with a formal party complimenting the Senior class. Bingo, forty-two and Liverpool running games were the chief diversions of the evening. Twenty eight prizes were given to winners of various games. Brooks Hill and Royal Lovell were winners of the "booby" prizes in the bingo games. The house was decorated with roses, the class flower. Plate favors and entire theme of serving was carried out in the patriotic colors of class colors. Iced punch and angel food squares led in class colors and topped with "43", were served to the following seniors, ushers and extra guests: Patsy Ruth Smith, Verda Marie Gray, Jean Osh, Wynola Thate, Dona McGee, Paul Smith, Lillian Belyeu, Lemone Shirley, Mrs. E. E. Thate, Alvin McCain, Jimmie Kate Howell, Betty Browning, Maxine Radloff, Hubert Kelley, Hallie Peters, Lillie Mae Smith, A. D. Fincher, Doris Marie Hall, Cletice Miller, Brooks Hill, Claire Jordan, Norma Frances King, Billy Placke, Doyle Lovell, Glenn Wooten, W. H. Jones, Herstein Hawkins, Louisa Vestal, Billy Eugene Peavy, Doris Merle Newton, Leo Varner and the hostesses, Mrs. Varner and Mrs. McCain. Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Poe and Miss Effie Wood were visitors in Waco the past week. Volley Joe Williams and H. H. McDermott, Jr. who recently enlisted in the United States Navy, are receiving boot training in San Diego, California. Cpl. Raleigh Rutledge who has been stationed at Concho Field Bombardier School for the past six months, has been transferred to another field for further training. Mrs. Rutledge will make her home in Cross Plains for the duration.



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Advertisement for Willard Battery, Calhoun Motor Co., Cross Plains, Texas. Includes image of a battery.

Advertisement for C. D. [Doke] Westerman, Cross Plains, Texas, offering tire re-capping services.

Advertisement for Major Brand Products, Smith's Drug Store, Cross Plains, Texas.

Advertisement for W. B. Baldwin Lumber, Cross Plains, Texas.

Advertisement for Sims Drug Co., Cross Plains, Texas, offering stock vaccine.

Advertisement for L. G. Jennings, Cross Plains, Texas, offering scrap metal services.

Advertisement for Picturesque? by Higginbothams, featuring a woman's figure.

Advertisement for Autrey's Tailor Shop, Cross Plains, Texas.

Advertisement for Citizens State Bank, Cross Plains, Texas, with logo and text.

Advertisement for Higginbothams, The Gossard Line of Beauty, featuring a woman's figure and price \$3.95.

Advertisement for B. H. Freeland, offering real estate services.

Large advertisement for Sherwin-Williams Paints, featuring illustrations of people painting and text about Semi-Lustre Washable paint.

Advertisement for Higginbotham Bros. & Company, featuring an illustration of a car and listing services like ambulance and day/night phone numbers.

Large advertisement for West Texas Utilities Company, featuring illustrations of a woman and a man and text about electric appliances like refrigerators, washing machines, toasters, and food mixers.

Advertisement for Daniel Baker College, Brownwood, Texas, featuring a large title and text about summer school opening.

Advertisement for Daniel Baker College, Brownwood, Texas, detailing summer school sessions, registration dates, and specialized courses.

PERSONALS section containing various short notices and news items.



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Electric Toaster:

"Why shouldn't I smile? My mistress pampers me. She keeps my tray clean... brushes out the crumbs after every use. She carefully winds up my cord and puts me back in my place. Why should I ever let her down?"



Electric Food Mixer:

"Sure I'm mad! And wouldn't you be if your mistress treated you like I'm treated? She makes me work longer than is necessary, spill and wasting food all over the table. She spoons in the dish while I'm running. More than I can stand!"



Electric Iron:

"How do I stay so young? It's no secret. Honest, my mistress just takes good care of me. I'm as good an iron as I was before the war. It's mostly in knowing how to relax when you're not busy. Turning off the heat, so to speak. Oh, yes, I'm good for the duration too!"



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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Chess Barr had as their guests last week, Mr. and Mrs. Clois Clark, of Houston.

Mrs. Dorothy Odum visited relatives and friends in Burckett one day last week.

Miss Juanita Burks, of Abilene, spent last week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burks.

Mrs. Jesse Graves and Carolyn visited Mr. Graves, who is employed in San Antonio, recently.

Misses Frances and Adell Pierce, of Baird, visited friends and relatives here the latter part of last week.

Miss Kathryn Shirley, of Fort Worth, visited relatives and friends here and at Cottonwood the past week end.

Miss Dorothy Lee Wingo, who is attending school in Wichita Falls, spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Wingo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Baum had as their guests last Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Browning and family, of Brownwood.

Parker Baum, who has been employed in Big Spring, spent last week here with his family and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Jennie Gatlin has returned to her home here after several days visit in Pecos County with relatives and friends.

Harold White, who has been employed in West Virginia for the past several months, is visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. White, here this week.

Gene Rhodes, who has been employed in Arizona for the past several months, arrived here last Tuesday for a brief visit with his mother, Mrs. Lottie Rhodes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pierce, of Big Spring, visited friends in Cross Plains Thursday afternoon. They were enroute to Brownwood to visit in the home of Mrs. Pierce's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Newton.

Ray Plumlee is visiting relatives and friends in Houston this week.

Miss Loma Gatlin was a business visitor in Rising Star Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cunningham visited relatives in San Angelo on Mother's Day.

Pvt. and Mrs. Ralleigh Rutledge, of San Angelo, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Kelley the past week end.

Mrs. Johnny Slaughter, of Paris, Texas, arrived here this week for several days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Slaughter.

Misses Jimmie Kate Howell and Kathryn Anderson were the week end guests of Miss Frances Pierce, who now resides in Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Payne visited in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Van Campbell, in San Angelo last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Arledge, of Goldsboro, visited in the home of Fred Arledge, who resides near Rowden, last week.

Cpl. D. C. Hargrove, who is stationed in Camp Barkeley, visited his parents and other relatives here the past week end.

Mrs. W. P. Moore is spending two weeks in East Texas visiting her daughters, Mrs. M. L. Longley, and Mrs. Ross Tollison, of Gladewater.

Mr. and Mrs. Chess Barr had as their guests last week, Mrs. Joe McAdams and son, Joe, Jr., of Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. Clois Clark and Vicky, of Houston.

Miss Virginia White, who is attending North Texas State Teachers College in Denton, spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. White.

Mrs. Joe McAdams and son, Joe, returned to their home in Dallas Sunday afternoon, after several days visit here in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chess Barr. Mrs. Kenneth White returned home with them for an extended visit.

LOCAL PEOPLE ATTEND A FAMILY REUNION IN ASPERMONT ON MAY 9

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Barr and children and Mrs. H. G. Whitehorn, of this city, attended a reunion of the Brownlee family, formerly of Cottonwood, in Aspermont on Mother's Day, Sunday, May 9.

The reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Daugherty, with whom Mrs. Brownlee resides. Mrs. Brownlee is more than 81 years of age.

Those enjoying the ranch style dinner were the following children and grandchildren: Verner A. Brownlee, of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hall and Mildred Sue, of Newton; Mrs. Miles Hardy and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Kuykendall and John David, of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brownie, of Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. Oren Barr and E. J. and Frances Kay and Mrs. Grady Whitehorn, of Cross Plains and the host and hostess.

COTTONWOOD 4-H CLUB BOYS FEED WHITE ROCK CAPONS FOR PROJECTS

Five Cottonwood 4-H Club boys are feeding White Rock capons for their 1943 club projects. R. Q. Black will have 50 capons, Edgar Ramey 25, Edwin Ramey 25, Jimmy Coffey 25, and Edgar Whitehead 50. When mature, these birds will weigh approximately the same as a turkey. Each boy plans to plant sand for green feed, and sorghum for grain feed, thereby reducing the cost of feeding, and increasing the profit.

Mrs. Cavin Freeman visited relatives and friends in Abilene the latter part of last week.

Cpl. Everett Franzel Odum, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Odum, who reside West of Cross Plains, is attending a special school in Fort Sill, Oklahoma. He has been stationed at Camp Carson, Colorado for the past year.

PEANUT FARMERS ARE INCREASING EFFORTS TO CONTROL SOIL LOSS

Increased efforts will be made by peanut farmers in 1943 to protect their land from blowing.

Preparations started this winter for controlling soil loss by having the rows run on the contour.

Many farmers are now planting four rows of sorghum, and will later plant peanuts. This will give the same area planted to sorghum and peanuts.

The sorghum will be harvested for grain, and stalks left in the field for protection against wind.

At the time peanuts are harvested rye will be broadcast, and the covering will be done when the peanuts are raked.

Farmers believe this system of farming should give added protection against soil loss.

Miss Juanita Burks returned to Abilene Tuesday, after several days visit here with her parents.

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We especially invite High School Graduates to begin college work this summer. Many Civil Service positions, with salaries ranging from \$1,600.00 to \$2,300.00 per year, are open to men and women having one year of college work including one year in certain specialized courses. Daniel Baker College is arranging its curriculum so that this year's work may be done during the summer term of 1943 and the Fall Semester of 1943-44.

The specialized courses: Mathematics, Physics, Geology, Chemistry may be done either during the summer session or the Fall Semester.

All work offered in Daniel Baker College is now and will continue to be fully accredited by the Texas Association of Colleges and the Texas State Department of Education.

WRITE THE REGISTRAR FOR SUMMER BULLETIN

FIRST TERM OF SUMMER SCHOOL MAY 27th TO JULY 14th

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