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## AROUND TOWN

Sights and Faces Seen  
Hereford people who have started on new jobs recently include Zelma Ruth Laird, who is working at Fraser's, and Mrs. Elmer Mathies, now working in the office of Dr. J. W. Hendrix.

And even the post office is getting some extra help for the Christmas rush. Mrs. Pat Lawhon started work there this week.

Blanche Poff of the Women's Army Corps is in town this week visiting her mother, Mrs. Blanche Poff.

It looked like old times at Streu Hardware Saturday night to see Worth Covington in the store. Worth took on the job in addition to his post exchange duties so that Mont Baker could make a trip to Childress to visit his son.

All sorts of explanations—including one that the train was a presidential special—were circulated in Hereford this week concerning the continuous blasts of a train whistle heard here early yesterday morning. But the fact of the matter, and a very prosaic explanation, was that the whistle got stuck and remained stuck until the train reached Umbarger, raising a lot of questions and maybe resentment in the minds of light sleepers.

Mrs. T. W. Roberson knows that it pays—at least, once—to be late for Sunday School. For last Sunday, for the first time in her life, Mrs. Roberson was 30 minutes late for Sunday School; and in that 30-minute period she received a totally unexpected phone call from her son, Pvt. Hicks Roberson, who is stationed in Nashville, Tenn. Mrs. Roberson believes that she must have had a little Divine guidance on that particular Sunday morning slowness.

And after all his work to publicize Hereford as a dental wonderland, E. B. Posey had to get out of bed (he had the flu) on Tuesday to come to town and get Dr. Heard to extract an aching tooth. Mr. Posey swears. (Continued on Page 10)

## Turkey in the Oven and Table Set, But Son Fails to Arrive

A disappointment typical of war time came to the family of William F. (Bill) Smith of the Navy Seabees last week, when his wife and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Smith, had prepared a belated Thanksgiving dinner with turkey and all that goes with it, in preparation for Bill's arrival on a ten day leave. And after the family had met one train, came a telegram from Bill telling of the cancellation of his leave and his shipment for overseas service.

What made a real disappointment was the fact that Bill's papers were in order and he could have taken his leave from Williamsburg, Va., but because of better travel time from the west coast, he decided to wait till he arrived at his new station—only to find all leaves cancelled.

## Two Special Services at Assembly of God Church

Stating that two special services will be held at the Assembly of God Church this week, the Rev. Homer T. Goodwin today invited the public to attend the meetings.

On Friday night, the Rev. Fred Ball of Denver City, district young people's president, will be in charge of the regular meeting of young people of the church. On Sunday night, Orl Harold Davis of Amarillo Army Air Field, will be in charge of the program. Corporal Davis, who is attached to the chaplain's office at Amarillo Field, will illustrate a talk with treatment chart illustrations of human.

## Heavy Rains Break Drouth

Rainfall in Hereford Wednesday night and until 8 o'clock this morning totalled one and one-half inches bringing the first good moisture since last fall. Snows two weeks ago brought less than one-half inch of moisture and since much of the snow drifted brought little real benefit to drouth-stricken farms.

Light rains began to fall at about eight o'clock and continued without much intermission all night with heavier rains starting at six o'clock this morning.

## Farmer in Ration Stamp Business If He Sells Any Meat

There's confusion (and no wonder) concerning the collection of points by farmers for all pork (or any other meat) sold by them; but this week the district OPA office in Lubbock issued the following general instructions.

First farmers must collect ration points for all rationed meats sold to friends, neighbors, retailers or anyone else.

The points which a farmer should charge for meats are listed on the current table of consumer point values for meats, fats, oils and dairy products. However, as the point values of pork have been reduced two points since the table was issued, the farmer may have to do a little figuring. And since "carcass or side" pork cuts were lowered 1 1-2 points, he may have to brush up on fractions. Point tables are available at the local rationing office.

## Industrial Users Register for All Rationed Foods

Between Dec. 15, 1943 and Jan. 5, 1944, all industrial users of rationed foods will be asked to re-register with their local War Price and Rationing Boards. J. Doyle Settle, district rationing executive, announced today. This registration will be made on a new form, which is a consolidation of the former sugar form, the processed foods form and the meats form.

The purpose of this re-registration is to combine the allocations of all rationed foods on one form rather than on the three forms heretofore used. This will permit uniform application of the regulations to all industrial users of rationed foods. It will permit the issuance of all allocations of rationed foods at one time instead of at three times as heretofore has been the case, Settle said.

After this initial re-registration between Dec. 15 and Jan. 5, allocations will be granted for three months at a time on all rationed foods, the rationing executive pointed out. This will eliminate trips to the board at different dates, and will enable the industrial user to plan his purchases and use of rationed foods on a uniform basis.

Industrial users include, for example, such people as bakers, dairies, bottlers, candy manufacturers, pharmaceutical manufacturers and a host of others who use rationed foods in the preparation of other products, both rationed and unrationed, Settle declared. A baker, for example, he explained, would use sugar, processed foods, and fats and oils, which fall under the meat program. He would be given one allotment of all of these commodities each three months. Any petitions he might file for relief on one rationed commodity could be made applicable for all his corresponding needs of other rationed commodities.

This change of policy is in line with OPA's announced intention to simplify and consolidate its regulations whenever possible, Settle said.

## Stands Up at Age One-Half Hour



With a nudge from his Jersey mother, Carnation Fashion Lucile, little Bidle's Daily News Fashion manages to stand shakily just 30 minutes after birth at the Great Western Livestock Show at Los Angeles, Calif.

## Deaf Smith County Strategic Spot in Soil-Rich Wheat Belt

## Vaughn Funeral Rites Held Here Sunday

Funeral services for W. A. Vaughn, 65 years old, who died early Saturday morning as the result of injuries suffered nearly two weeks before in the crash of a truck and a loaded lumber wagon, were held Sunday afternoon at the First Christian Church with the pastor the Rev. Lawrence W. Bridges, in charge.

Born near Hartsville, Tenn., on Dec. 14, 1878, William Alvin Vaughn came to Texas at the age of 13 months and accompanied his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Vaughn, to Hereford in 1906. He was married to Miss Ida May Kibbe, member of a pioneer Hereford family, on May 9, 1907. Of the Vaughn's 12 children, nine survive their father.

Survivors, besides the wife, are Mr. Vaughn's mother, Mrs. D. P. Vaughn of Hereford; eight sons: Pfc. Carlos A. Vaughn, Camp Edwards, Mass.; Charley Roy of Wheatley, Ark.; J. D. of Brockridge, Tex.; Tommy of Hatch, N. M.; Bill X. of Santa Ana, Calif.; Aviation Cadet Clifford H. of Blytheville, Ark.; Captain J. M. P. Vaughn of the U. S. Army Air Corp and in foreign service and Opl. Frank D. Vaughn, also in foreign service; a daughter, Mrs. Ruby Anthony of Elida, N. M.; four brothers, R. E. Vaughn, San Bernardino, Calif.; Tom L. Vaughn of Tacoma, Wash.; J. C. Vaughn of Amarillo and Wood D. Vaughn of Hereford and two sisters, Mrs. Iva May Norton of San Bernardino and Mrs. Claud Higgins of Hereford.

All of Mr. Vaughn's children except the two sons in foreign service were present for the funeral.

Stating that Deaf Smith County occupies a "strategic position" in a mineral-rich soil belt extending from the Texas Panhandle to Saskatchewan, Canada, A. W. Erickson, independent crop reporter, told a group of Hereford farmers and businessmen Friday night that farmers and grain men of this "favored" soil belt should band together to get greater benefit from the peculiar mineral-richness of wheat produced in the area.

Erickson, who has made many trips to this area in connection with his work as a field crop reporter, previously pointed out the peculiar advantages of Deaf Smith County when he made tests about two years ago showing the unusual length of wheat roots here. Wheat with such roots, Erickson explained at that time, will derive unusual benefit from the calcium layers of soil through which it passes. Continually Building Up

Unlike other soils, the land in Deaf Smith county is continually building up with new deposits of lime and calcium blown into the territory, Erickson believes. Though soils throughout the wheat belt from here to Canada contain unusually high amounts of lime and calcium, only in Deaf Smith County, Erickson states, are these deposits making a steady growth, a fact which he explains by the geographic and climatic conditions of this particular area.

"Wheat Eaters" Lead  
In a lifetime spent in the study of crop conditions in the wheat belt, Erickson has made a study of the grain itself and its influence on history; a fact which prompts his belief that, since Biblical times, "wheat eaters" have been world leaders. Even the present world conflict, Erickson declares, can be traced to the fact that Europe, for generations, has been starved for vital, mineralized foods best supplied in wheat products. The food lack shows up in the streaks of national viciousness (Continued on Page 10)

## Husband of Hereford Girl Receives Air Medal

News has been received here that 1st Lt. Warren C. Hitchings whose wife is the former Miss Mattie Lawhon of Hereford, has been awarded the Air Medal and recommended for the Distinguished Flying Cross for performance of his duties in a transport squadron located in the Atlantic war theatre.

1st Lt. Hitchings' home is in Youngstown, Ohio, where Mrs. Hitchings is at present visiting.

## Saturday Deadline for Santa Claus Letters

Saturday is the deadline for Santa Claus letters which will be published in next week's Brand, and kiddies who have not yet written to old Santa are asked to bring or mail their letters to the Brand office.

A large number of letters have already arrived and the messages are being sent on to Santa, who informs us that despite the war and a little congestion in the air lanes, he plans to make his annual visit on schedule.

## Collection to Start Soon On Cigarette Fund

Because of the scarcity and high prices of fruit and nuts, Hereford will have no Santa Claus parade this year, but merchants and individuals in the habit of contributing to the annual treat for the kiddies will have an opportunity to be generous for a fine cause, it was announced this week, by a committee which will sponsor the collection of funds to send cigarettes to service men overseas.

"There is no need to explain this project to Hereford people," the committee states, pointing out that more than \$500 was collected here this summer for a similar fund and cigarettes were sent to fighting men on every front. That the gifts were appreciated is attested by the fact that letters have been received from soldiers who received some of Hereford's gift cigarettes.

T. E. Seigler, A. O. Thompson and Jim Kirby are members of the committee in charge of the cigarette fund and they hope to announce an early response to this appeal for soldier aid.

## USO Sponsors Xmas Hospitality For Soldiers

Hereford has a Christmas hospitality mission, and Mrs. D. H. Alexander, chairman of the U. S. O. hospitality committee is expecting an enthusiastic response to the request made of Hereford citizens to invite soldiers to attend family Christmas dinners.

Of course, the army will have (Continued on Page 10)

## Former Pastor Is Buried At Plainview Friday

Funeral services for Dr. E. E. Robinson, 74, former pastor of the Hereford Methodist Church, were held in Plainview Friday afternoon. Dr. Robinson superannuated in 1933 when he left the Hereford charge and has been ill since that time.

Dr. Robinson joined the West Virginia conference in 1893 and came to Texas in 1908. He was pastor of the Weatherford church for two years, pastor of the Amarillo Methodist Church for the next four years and for the next two years served as presiding elder of the Amarillo district. He served the Plainview church as pastor for four years and then went to Abilene as pastor of the First Church. After two years there he went to Lubbock as presiding elder for three years. In 1925 he returned to Plainview and later served the Amarillo and Memphis churches, coming to Hereford in 1931.

Survivors include his wife and three sons, John C. Robinson of Vernon, Ernest Robinson, Jr., of Fort Worth; and Lon A. Robinson of Plainview.

## Christmas Concert Will Be Presented By Music Study Club

Carrying on an established custom of several years, members of the Music Study Club will present their annual sacred concert at the Methodist Church here Monday afternoon at 8:30 o'clock.

For a number of years club members have contributed of their time and talents on special occasions for the benefit of the general public, and at no time have music lovers appreciated the opportunity to enjoy good music more than at Christmas when the program is made up entirely of sacred and Christmas music.

## Two Cars Soybean Meal to Be Shipped Here But Cattle Feed Situation Remains Serious

## County Tops War Fund Goal By Nearly \$1,000

Topping its United War Fund quota by nearly \$1,000, Deaf Smith County continued its record of over-subscription in all war service work, a final report on the recently completed war fund drive revealed this week. Though some house-to-house canvassing was done, both in (Continued on Page 10)

## Few Families Here Will Need Xmas Aid

Despite wartime prosperity and the availability of jobs at good wages, there will be a few families in the county, who, because of illness or accidents which have prevented their working, will need some help to insure a really Merry Christmas, it was announced this week by Mrs. Dyalitha Brady, county welfare worker.

Arrangements have already been made to provide food and clothing for these families, Mrs. Brady says; however, there will be a need for toys—either new ones or used toys in good condition.

## March of Time Throws Light on Problem of Juvenile Delinquency

What the war is doing to our children forms the subject for "Youth in Crisis," new March of Time which shows at the Star Theatre next Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 15 and 16.

The film shows the effect of war's excitement on the youth of the United States. Door-key kids, trailer settlements and broken homes are seen as the phenomena which have cropped up in the United States along with a youthful crime wave which is growing to serious proportions.

The March of Time also shows the solution made by many intelligent communities which are giving their young people a chance for wholesome exercise of pent-up wartime energy. One of the most dramatic of the recent issues of March of Time, the film is noted for its entertaining and original presentation.

## Ration Board Completes Two Years At Difficult, War Time Enterprise

(Editor's Note: The following statement has been prepared by local rationing officials in recognition of the completion of nearly two years of rationing duties.)

Since Pearl Harbor, a nationwide system of War Price and Rationing has been developed to administer wartime rationing and price control regulations. There are now more than 5500 local boards.

Board members are members of the community which they serve. They come from all walks of life. They are Volunteer Workers, serving Without Pay. The number of members of a board varies from three to 50 with members appointed by the District OPA office usually on recommendation of the local defense council.

Hereford's local board has been functioning now almost two years. The tire panel came into existence two years ago in January. The food rationing under this same panel began the May following. The Price Panel began in April, 1943. The Gasoline Panel started its work in November, 1942, just a year ago. A County Farm Transportation Committee has operated in the gasoline rationing for a year by working out the ODT Certifi-

Despite the fact that there is seemingly no cottonseed or soybean meal or cake in this part of the Panhandle Deaf Smith County stockmen continued the rush this week to get certificates to purchase protein feed when and if any materializes. Further complications to an already-bad situation were provided this week when crushing mills at Amarillo and Plainview cut off all sales except to farmers in their own counties and about three immediately adjacent ones. No information was available here yesterday as to whether crushing mills at Littlefield had taken similar action.

Cover Minimum Needs  
Members of the Deaf Smith AAA Committee—N. E. Guss, Paul Mathers and J. T. Gilbreath—have been making a full-time job of issuing the certificates, but the committee emphasizes again this week that possession of a certificate is no guarantee of securing feed. The committee also wish to make plain the fact that in view of the drastic shortage, all certificates are being trimmed to include only the minimum demands of the stockman. According to regulations of the War Food Administration, the certificates shall cover feed needs for a 30 day period only.

As explained by committee members, "Many stockmen need a little feed simply to keep stock alive; therefore it is absolutely necessary that certificates be issued solely for minimum (Continued on Page 10)

Robert Thompson, Sam Batton, T. E. Seigler, Jr., and W. W. Hill, members of a Chamber of Commerce Aviation Committee attended the meeting of the Southwestern Aviation Conference in Amarillo this week.

## Hereford Men Attend Aviation Conference

According to newspaper reports, the meeting, which was attended by high ranking aviation experts from private industry and government stressed the value of city airports for a postwar era in which perhaps 500,000 private flyers will be operating planes and every small town will need adequate airport facilities.

Also mentioned was the part to be played by air freight lines in the postwar era. Transport companies are already planning feeder lines to small towns to serve the large air routes of the nation.

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### Folks in Uniform



"It's not quite G. I., what you have on your uniform, is it, Mr. Carter?"



A DIFFERENT ANGLE — to the war theme picture is supplied in "Pilot No. 5", week-end feature at the Texas Theatre which features Franchot Tone, Marsha Hunt and Gene Kelly.

## SONS CHURCH In the Service New

### TAKES CADET TRAINING

Cpl. Douglas Wilson Beene has reported to Keesler Field, Biloxi, Miss., to begin training as a pre-aviation cadet. A grandson of Mrs. J. W. Beene of Hereford, Cpl. Beene will spend 28 days at Keesler Field before going to a college or university for five months of further work preparator to becoming an air cadet.

### ARRIVES AT PENSACOLA

Daniel B. Turrentine, son of Mrs. Al Werner of Hereford, was recently appointed a naval aviation cadet and transferred to the Pensacola Naval Air Base for intermediate flight training. Upon completion of his course at Pensacola, Cadet Turrentine will receive his navy "wings of gold" with the designation of naval aviator and will be commissioned an ensign in the Naval Reserve or a second lieutenant in the Marine Corps Reserve.

### NEW STAFF SERGEANT

Clarence Schofield, formerly employed by the New Mexico Transportation Company in Hereford, was promoted to Staff sergeant on Nov. 2. Staff Sgt. Schofield also received the good conduct medal in November. He has spent 11 months in North Africa, a short time in Sicily and now with the signal corps in Italy. He has been in the army 15 months and of that time has been overseas 13 months.

### IN FOREIGN SERVICE

Tech. Sgt. Francis B. (Scoop) Elliston, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Elliston, is now stationed somewhere in New Guinea and writes that cigarettes are a much more acceptable medium of exchange than is money, where he is stationed. Cigarettes, writes Scoop, will buy almost anything in the way of fresh coconuts or jungle fruit.

### VISITING HERE

Bud Brady, who has been stationed at Lowry Field, Denver, Colo., is visiting here in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wes Brady.

Tech. Sgt. Earl Wood is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Wood.

## Selective Service NEWS

1-C (Already enlisted in a branch of the nation's armed services) R. J. Cherry, Richard C. Jowell, Roy R. McKnight, Jack W. Wederbrook, T. C. Malloy, Jess M. Carter, Clarence E. Schultz, Clinton S. Bierman, Charles Orville Houser, Sherman F. Morgan, Lynn D. Robbs, Glenn W. Ricketts, Starlin L. R. Mitchell, Harold L. Harvey.

1-A (Available for military service.) Stonewall J. Comer.

2-A (In essential civilian work.) Lowell E. Williams.

4-F A. J. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris F. Mappes announce the birth of a son, Donald Chris, on Dec. 3. Mrs. Mappes was formerly Miss Donalda Sites of Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Curry and son Don of Pampa were guests Sunday in the home of Mrs. Curry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Elliston.

## Wyche

MYLDRED HENRY

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McGilvary and daughter of Hereford visited Sunday in the J. W. Dickerson home.

The Wyche Home Demonstration Club met Thursday, Dec. 2, in the home of Mrs. H. H. Caraway, with Mrs. Liston Wilson as co-hostess. There were 18 members and two guests present.

Boxes were packed and wrapped for the soldier boys from this community. Among those attending were Mesdames V. P. Walker, Gene Williams, Billie Graham, Lee Cocanougher, Pickens, E. A. Jury, J. B. Harlin, Otto Olson, Ramey Elliston, Victor Elliston, Dock Roberson, Wilbur Axe, George Reeves, Fred M. Henry, Ira Ott, and G. E. Thiele.

The guests were Mrs. Christine Pettijohn and Miss Kitty Kloe Harlin.

Fred M. Henry made a business trip to Amarillo Monday. He visited Mr. and Mrs. Claude E. Rae, Jr., while there.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke McBrayer, Betty Jean, Zola Faye and Lyndell, family of this community but now of Dalhart, were visitors in Hereford and Wyche Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor S. Elliston visited relatives in Tucumcari and Logan, N. M., Monday.

Mother Ott who spent last week in the Godwin hospital, returned to her home here Saturday much improved.

Miss Iona and Reece Whittington were ill last week with serious cases of flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude E. Rae and small son, Delbert Leon, spent Tuesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Henry and son Freddie, Jr.

Mrs. Liza Youngblood from Hart spent a few days last week in the J. P. Gandy home.

Subjects: "The Judgement Day Is Coming."

8:00 P. M. "Idols and Idolatry." L. H. Andrews will preach at the Progressive School House at 3:00 P. M. this Sunday. All of that community are invited to be there.

WEDNESDAY, Ladies' Bible Class—4:00 P. M. Prayer Meeting—8:00 P. M. The public is invited to all our services.

—L. H. Andrews, pastor.

First Christian Church  
Lawrence W. Bridges, Pastor  
Bible School at 9:45 A. M.  
Morning Worship at 11:00 A. M.  
Young People's meeting at 6:30 P. M.  
Evening worship at 7:30. A cordial welcome to everyone.

Assembly of God Church  
Homer T. Goodwin, Pastor  
Sunday School—10:00 o'clock.  
Morning Worship—11:00 o'clock.  
Young People's Meeting—7 o'clock.  
Evening Service—8 o'clock.  
Mid-Week Service—Tuesday  
Topic: "What We Believe and Why."  
Friday Night—8 o'clock.  
Young People's Service.

First Baptist Church  
W. E. Barnes, Pastor  
Sunday School—9:45 A. M.  
Alex. O. Thompson, Superintendent.  
Morning Worship—10:50 A. M.  
Training Union—6:30 P. M.  
Gracie Knowlton, Director.  
Evening Worship—7:30 P. M.

First Presbyterian Church  
James Aiken, Jr., Pastor  
Sunday School—10:30.  
Morning Worship—11:30.  
Intermediate's Meeting—6:30.  
Evening Worship—7:30.  
A cordial invitation is extended to all who so desire to worship with us in these services.

First Methodist Church  
Marvin L. Boyd, Pastor  
Church School 9:45 A. M.  
Morning Worship Service 10:50.  
Methodist Youth Fellowship 6:45 P. M.  
Evening Preaching Service at 7:30.  
Mid-Week Service Wednesday 7:30 P. M.  
Woman's Society of Christian Service each Wednesday at 3:30 P. M.

CHURCH OF CHRIST  
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Evening Worship—8:00 P. M.

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### Billy Dameron Member of TCU Dramatic Club

Billy Dameron, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dameron of Hereford is one of 14 new members who have been admitted to membership in the student dramatic club at Texas Christian University.

The club will sponsor the annual "Ranch Week" celebration on the campus again this year, with the date to be set sometime in January or February.

Plans are also underway to produce the play, "My Sister Eileen," as the club's major offering this year.

### Daniel

MRS. W. R. MOORE

This community received a nice rain Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Moore and children, Wilma, Billy and Ruth, and Kenneth Dygart visited Sunday in the home of J. R. Whitaker, Grady Whitaker and Mr. Dygart in Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Chilton and children and Mrs. Bernice Sweatt from Amarillo visited in the F. E. Finney home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Curtsinger and children visited in the J. T. McClain home Sunday.

Mrs. W. R. Moore and daughter Wilma visited in the R. E. Gill home in Canyon Saturday afternoon.

Ruth Moore and Kenneth Dygart from Amarillo visited in the W. R. Moore home Sunday morning.

Joe Stafford and Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Sweatt left Monday morning for California and Phoenix Ariz., where they will spend part of the winter.

Mrs. F. E. Finney made a business trip to Canyon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McClain and children made a business trip to Hereford Saturday.

Charles Young and family have moved to Vega.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Matthews on a GTRII xz made a business trip to Hereford Monday.

Those who have been on the sick list this past week and this week are Mrs. Buck McGuahay and Oma Lee, Mrs. J. T. McClain, Donald Troy, Neta Jo and Wilma Moore, E. W. Womble, Jr., and Doralene Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Moore made a business trip to Hereford last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McGehee, accompanied by Mrs. E. J. Hudson, visited relatives in Olton last week-end.

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LOCALS

Mrs. M. E. Moore has returned from a two-month's visit with relatives and friends in East Texas and Oklahoma. While away, Mrs. Moore attended to business interests at Paris, Tex.

NEW DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Spratt of Amarillo have announced the birth of a baby daughter on Monday, Dec. 6. She has been named Katherine Suzanne after both the grandmothers and when she arrived she weighed six pounds. The paternal grandmother is Mrs. I. H. Spratt of Hereford and the maternal

grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Rose of McAdoo.

ATTENDS CHURCH MEET

Mrs. Ed Loerwald was in Amarillo last Thursday to attend a board meeting of the district officers of the Diocesan Council of Catholic Women. Mrs. Loerwald is district president. The meeting was held in the home of Mrs. H. A. Waller and the week of April 18, has been decided upon as the date for district meetings. The Amarillo district meeting will be held at Pampa, the Big Spring district meeting will be held at Odessa and the meeting places of the San Angelo and Lubbock districts to be designated later. The next meeting of the board will be held in the spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Mont Baker spent the weekend in Childress with T-Sgt. Dennis Baker and Mrs. Baker. They were accompanied by Bill Clutter, who also visited in their son's home.

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MRS. SAM HUNTER

Virginia and Margaret Simpson, student nurses at St. Anthony's in Amarillo, visited home folks here on Sunday, and helped their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hunter of Hereford, to celebrate their Golden Wedding Anniversary.

Aviation Cadet-Wayne Sparkman of the Deming, N. M., Advanced Gunnery School is spending a fourteen day furlough with his family, the M. T. Sparkmans.

The Ullman Hunters of Slaton spent the week end with friends and relatives here, and attended the Golden Wedding Celebration in the W. A. Hunter home in Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Allen of Easter have been visiting in the home of their daughter, Mrs. W. R. Metcalf, for the past week.

Ward News

MRS. HUGHES MILLARD

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ladd are the proud parents of a baby girl born Thursday, Dec. 2. She has been named Josephine Louise.

Mrs. Fred Saltzman went to Amarillo Sunday to visit her brother.

Mrs. E. S. Long and daughter Doris of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ladd Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. F. L. Mullins and children and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Mullins were dinner guests Sunday in the Joe Doerfler home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Vernon and family were in Amarillo Wednesday. Mrs. Sam Gilliland accompanied them.

On the sick list this week were Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Roe and family, Mrs. T. B. Cox, R. P. Vernon, Jacqueline Ann Walker, Billy, Keith and James Hutson, Mrs. Hughes Millard and family.

Frank Duncan who is employ-

Frio

BY MRS. O. ANDREWS

Rev. John Herndon, of Plainview, preached at Frio Sunday morning and evening. He took dinner in the H. F. Benson home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dixon were visitors in the Sid Barclay home in Hereford Sunday.

Several children in the community have had chickenpox during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Burris of Clovis, N. M., Fred Andrews and Fay and Mrs. Ralph Hart and children all of Melrose, N. M., visited Sunday with their brother J. E. Andrews, and other relatives. Mrs. Alma Sprull and Miss Alline, who have been visiting the New Mexico people, came with them for a visit with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Dixon of Hereford called in the J. M. Dixon home Sunday.

ed on the Bob Lindsay farm, visited his sister Mrs. M. M. Wilson Sunday.

L. T. Hawks and T. J. Hawks went to Oklahoma City Sunday with a load of cattle.

Bert O'Conner of Plainview visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Combs and family last week. Mr. O'Conner is Mrs. Combs' father.

Donald Robbins, of Santa Fe, N. M., who is attending school at Lubbock Tech, spent the week end in the H. D. Robbins home.

Miss Marcia Robbins of Wayland College, spent the week end at home.

Miss Marguerite Mobley, a teacher at Springlake, spent the week end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Sparkman, Sr., attended the Golden Wedding celebration of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hunter held at their home in Hereford, Sunday. Mrs. W. A. Springer and Charles Ralph also were there.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Dixon of Dimmit visited in this community Saturday afternoon.

Bill Dickson came home Saturday from St. Anthony's hospital in Amarillo. He is recovering from his operation satisfactorily.

As has been the custom for many years, there will be a community Christmas Tree on Christmas Eve at the school house. The school children, with direction by Mrs. Allison, will present a short program.

Weather Forecast It was a beautiful day yesterday, but "STORMY WEATHER" will be in Hereford Sunday!

Club will meet Dec. 15 for a change will be enjoyed at the Christmas Meeting in the home of Mrs. H. F. Benson. Gift exchange and visitors are welcomed to participate.

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## Christmas Party Is Held By B&PW Club Members

The friendly Christmas tree, with lights and decorations, and the custom of groups of friends gathering to enjoy it, dates back a long time. To us the tree has become a symbol of Christmas and its enjoyment does not lessen as the years go by.

Clubs, church groups and other organizations are planning Christmas parties all over town to express, in a good old-fashioned way Christmas greetings and goodwill toward all.

One of the first Christmas parties of the season was given by members of the Business and Professional Women's Clubs at the home of Mrs. Seth B. Holman Monday night.

Members of the club present were Ethyl Robinson, Dyalithia Bradly, Cecil Williams, Viola Gyles, Ona Faye Smith, Adeline Koelzer, Barbara Roles, Velma Hodges, Ella Carter, Corinne Jennings, Nancy Denmead, Ruth Bowsher, Bessie Lee West, Virginia Bowman, Verna Scott, Mary Kate Brotherton, Lois Moore, Jewell Dodson, Ursalee Jacobsen, Clara Richardson, Erma Faye Robinson and the hostess.

## CALLIOPANS PLAN CHRISTMAS PARTY

Plans were made for the annual Christmas party by members of the Calliopean Club at the meeting held at the home of Miss Katherine Kirby Thursday night. Names were drawn for the tree and the date was announced for Dec. 16. The party will be held at the home of Mrs. Alton Fraser.

The program for the meeting was presented by Mrs. Elizabeth Womble who reviewed the drama "Arsenic and Old Lace" by Joseph Kesselring.

The story has to do with two smart, but mentally unbalanced, old ladies who decide that if they devote their lives to helping lonely old men escape from life, they will be doing a good work. Thirteen "mercy" killings is their final record. The climax came when a nephew succeeded in placing them and others in an asylum.

Members attending the meeting were Mesdames J. R. Allison, O. J. Beene, W. L. Davis, Jack Gilliland, J. E. Kirby, Elizabeth Womble, Misses Mary Kate Brotherton, Kathryn Davies, Marie Gaspy, Katherine Kirby and Mary Jane Morgan.

### NOTICE

There wont be a Singing at the T. E. Cox home in Ward Community Sunday on account of illness.

Mrs. Joe Lee Alder of Houston is visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Rudd. Before her marriage Mrs. Alder was Miss Ivalene Rudd.

## LA PLATA CLUB MEETS FOR STUDY

A Reader's Digest program was enjoyed when members of the LaPlata Club met for study at the home of Mrs. James Alken Tuesday evening. Mrs. T. E. Seigler, Jr. was leader.

The lesson was built around the theme "The Worlds of the Future," and Miss Genevieve Eberle opened the program with a discussion of "Tunisian Rehearsal For World Relief." She said in part: "It was in Tunisia that the American government had its first opportunity to help a war-stricken people. Americans representing the Farm Relief and Rehabilitation Operations, set up relief markets at 30 different centers in Tunisia. Purpose of the organization was to help people help themselves. To get food and clothing to the needy and return people to homes and occupations. Now, a plan is already in working order for post-war reconstruction."

Mrs. C. S. Hinman told of "The Greatest Swindle in History" describing German's success after the first world war in arousing pity when she really was in better condition than she had been before the war.

Jimmy Yen, China's greatest living teacher, was Mrs. Seigler's subject. "It was he who formed a basic vocabulary for the day laborers and taught them to read and write their own letters. Later he taught them to be better farmers, then better business men and framed a health program which has had such far reaching results," the leader said.

Members of the club present were Mesdames James Alken, L. B. Barnett, Homer Brumley, C. F. Hardwick, C. S. Hinman, Lynn Kester, Charles Newell, T. E. Seigler Jr., W. J. Wilson and Misses Genevieve and Mary Virginia Eberle.

## Ford

BY MRS. TROY NEWMAN

The Ford Home Demonstration Club's annual Christmas party will be at the home of Mrs. Joe Waggoner on Friday Dec., 17.

Mrs. E. W. Price left Sunday for Ft. Worth where she will receive medical treatment and will also have some dental work done.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hill and sons, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Ferguson and Beth, George Epting, Thelma Joyce and Abble Detrell, Melton Lee and Joel Newman attended the program and box supper at Vega school Friday night.

Bill Newman writes he likes navy life fine and would like to hear from all his friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George Epting and family were all ill with the flu last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Larson and daughter shopped in Hereford Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Medford and Mrs. Troy Newman were Hereford visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Troy Newman, Melton Lee and Joe Don took dinner Friday a week ago with Mrs. E. J. Reynolds at Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Barclay spent the week end in Oklahoma visiting relatives there.

Jimmie Joe Hill was absent from school Monday because of illness.

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**ORANGES**..... doz. 30c  
Large  
**GRAPEFRUIT**.... lb. 7c  
**CABBAGE**..... lb. 4c  
Red or White  
**POTATOES**..... lb. 4c  
Yellow  
**ONIONS**..... 2 lbs. 13c  
**LEMONS**..... doz. 35c  
**CRANBERRIES**... lb. 25c

**COFFEE** SCHILLING'S. 56c  
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**PEANUT BUTTER** Pecan Valley — QUART 39c  
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**BABY FOOD** Clapp's — Box ..... 15c  
**BABY FOOD** Gerber's — Box ..... 15c  
**WESSON OIL** Pint ..... 30c  
**FLOUR, Furr's Finest.** 24-Lb. Sack ..... \$1.05  
**PANCAKE FLOUR** Victor (20-oz. boxes) ..... 2 for 15c  
**CAREY'S SALT** 1 1/2-lb. round boxes ..... 2 for 13c  
**GRAPEFRUIT JUICE** Big 46-oz. Can (no points) ..... 25c  
**CRACKERS** Lone Star — 1-Lb. Box ..... 7c  
**SHORTENING** Vegetole — 4-lb. Carton ..... 67c  
**SUGAR** 10-Lb. Package ..... 65c  
**SWAN (LARGE BAR, 9c)** — Medium bar (the new floating soap) ..... 6c  
**RINSO** Large Box ..... 19c  
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**MARKET SPECIALS**... for Friday-Saturday-Monday  
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**OCEAN TROUT FISH**, No Points ..... lb. 22c  
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Harold Harlin writes his mother that he is the only Texan in his entire company, which is now stationed in North Africa. He says the rest of the boys literally give him a fit about this "toothache business", and that he is getting tired of it. He says everyone in the company calls him "the boy from the town without any teeth." However, he adds that they all like to read The Brand; sometimes he gets five or six copies at a time and he says the entire company reads every word.

Switching back down to Winterhaven, Fla., J. Chmelik proves to be an obliging fellow. He sent H. H. Boardman several clippings from a Chicago paper about Herbert's wedding; he also adds that he has owned land in this county since 1906. It was 19 miles northwest back then, but during the Dust Bowl days, it may have shifted quite a bit.

And speaking of letters, here is one that sure did surprise me. It comes from the Police Department of Dallas, Texas. It reads: Dear Sir: "In your issue of Nov. 17th, you made a serious mistake, which this department feels should be corrected. In listing the names of some people who always get up around 6 o'clock we note that you have included the name of Beryl Elliston. As you know, Mr. Elliston has represented your county at the State Fair several times. We know him well, and from past experience we wish to inform you that when seen at such early hours, it is due to the fact that he just hasn't gone to bed yet."

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### Laundry Lovelies



Margaret Hill and Betty Schierholz of MacAlester College, St. Paul, Minn., tote away another load to the co-ed laundry, somebody's bright idea for raising \$100 toward the college's World Service Fund. A 48-hour emergency diaper service plus such slogans as "Do your socks stand alone?" put the drive over the top by \$50.

"P. S.—The same thing goes for Elmer Patterson, if he is ever seen up that early."

It just shows how these old boys get around, especially when they get in the bright lights. You never can tell.

Rev. and Mrs. Jimmie Aiken observed their fifth anniversary in this community last week and the occasion was observed by an open house at the Presbyterian Church. You can't blame the Presbyterians for being selfish, but they really should have held the celebration in the courthouse and invited everyone to join. Rev. Aiken's record of service covers far more than his immediate congregation; he has friends in all walks of life who join his congregation in a word of appreciation for the splendid work he has done here. Remember the help shortage back in '42, when Jim got a pair of overalls and shoveled wheat all summer? He was not too proud to drive a truck last summer. Yet, he can pack more real thought and common sense into a talk than any man I ever heard. They're swell folks, these Aikens—and the sentiment comes from the men and women you see every day, and that is one of the highest tributes of all.

For several years now the court dockets have been dwindling smaller and smaller. In fact I have been worrying quite a bit about the status of the legal profession in years to come. However that piece we had in the paper last week about needing a "Shotgun, butcher knife and a lawyer" to kill

a beef sounds like their salvation. Yes sir, if the OPA keeps on the lawyers will have plenty to do—but it sure will be a tough way to make a living.

The Lions Club reports that it will not sponsor the annual Christmas parade this season, due to the shortage of candy and the high cost of fruits, nuts, etc. Persons who have contributed to the support of this event in the past are invited to make their donations this year as usual—and all proceeds will be used for the purchase of cigarettes to be mailed to service men on the fighting fronts. Any interested persons may donate to this cause. All money should be given to T. E. Seigler, Alex Thompson or Jim Kirby. In a previous drive, residents of this area sent more than \$500 worth of smokes to boys and the committee hopes to duplicate the previous drive.

J. A. Buckner brought the following clipping which has a lot of real truth:

**A Soldier Speaks**  
So you're sick of the way the country's run; you're sick of the way rationing's done, And you're sick of standing around in a line; you're sick you say—well that's just fine. So am I sick of the sun, the heat, and I'm sick of the feel of my aching feet. And I'm sick of the mud and the jungle flies and I'm sick of the stench when the night mists rise. And I'm sick of the siren's wailing shriek, and I'm sick of the groans of the wounded and weak. And I'm sick of the sound of the bomber's dive, and I'm sick of seeing the dead alive.

I'm sick of the roar and the noise and the din, I'm sick of the taste of the food from tin. And I'm sick of the slaughter—I'm sick to my soul, I'm sick of playing a killer's role. I'm sick of blood and of death, and the shell, and I'm even sick of myself as well. But I'm sicker still of a tyrant's rule, and conquered lands where the wild beasts drool. And I'm cured quick when I think of the day when all this Hell will be out of the way. When none of this mess will have been in vain, and the lights of the world will blaze again. And things will be as they were, before, and kids will laugh in the streets once more. And the Axis' flags will be dipped and furled, and God looks down on a peaceful world. —Kind regards, from Wm. A. Fertig.

### COURTHOUSE RECORDS

**Release**  
Farwell Winston, trustee, to Lewis Smith, W 1-2 of Section 17, Twn 2N, R 3E, Cap. Syn. Sub. Amicable Life Ins. Co. to J. Litt Smith, et ux, Otha Smith, deed of trust.  
Federal Land Bank of Houston to Noah W. Ewton and Belle Ewton, deed of trust.  
Rockwell Lumber Co. to W. A. Gentry and wife, Emma L. Gentry, SE 100 by 140 ft. of Blk. 46, Twn of Hereford and Additions.  
J. Sydney Maxfield to Mary Etta Seigler, Section 11, Twn 3N, R 3E; Section 3, Twn 3N, R 3E; Section 34, Twn 4N of R 3E; SW 1-4 of Section 266, Twn 4N, R 3E; NW 1-4 and S 1-2 of Section 35, Twn 4N, R 3E; NE 1-4 and S 1-2 of Section 35, Twn 4N, R 3E; NE 1-4 of Section 2, Twn 3N, R 3E.  
Federal Land Bank of Houston to Noel Charles Knox, deed of trust.  
Humble Oil and Refining Co. to Horace N. Carver and Mildred B. Carver, rights, title and interest in and to that certain oil and gas mineral lease dated April 10, 1939. (Also oil and gas mineral lease dated April 11, 1939.)  
M. H. Sylvester to Roy Clynn Lovett SW 1-4 of Section 18, Twn 2N, R 4E, Cap. Syn. Sub.  
Laura E. Hicks to Chas. R. Sowell and wife, Verna Sowell, deed of trust.  
Dempster Mill Mfg. Co. to W. D. Muncy, chattel mortgage.  
Johnston Pump Co. to W. A. Scales, chattel mortgage.  
**Warranty Deed**  
V. C. Hodges and wife Thelma E. Hodges to Roy F. Calvert and Charlotte N. Calvert, SW 1-4 of Section 115, Blk. M-7.  
M. M. Dale and Josephine Dale to Bill Stocker and Kathryn Stocker, NE 1-4 of Section 46, Blk. K-8, Cert. 1356, TT Ry Co. Grantee.  
Pearl Megginson to Emmett C. Smith, E 1-2 of Section 82, Cert. 1-573, original grantee BS & F Ry. Co., in Blk. 4, Abst. 197.  
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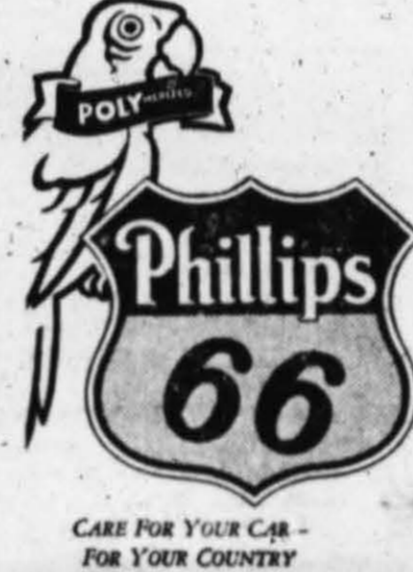
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8th.: Section 5, Twn 3N, R 4E.  
9th.: S 1-2 of E 503.95 acres of Section 32, Twn 4N, R 4E.  
10th.: SE 1-4 of Section 1, Twn 3N, R 4E.  
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**FOR SALE**: New home, 4 rms. dinette and bath, floor furnace. Immediate possession. Phone 385, or see John Renfro. 47-3tp

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## Soldiers Add \$900 to War Fund Drive

Contributions of officers and enlisted men at the Prisoner of War Camp contributed greatly to the success of the recent United War Fund Drive in Deaf Smith County, a report from the committee revealed this week.

A total of \$325 from enlisted men and \$464 from officers was collected at the camp and civilian employees also made contributions at the collection center in Hereford.

Urlin Streu, chairman of the committee, expresses his thanks to Col. T. R. Parker and members of his staff for their cooperation and to all officers and enlisted men, for the help given.

### Card of Thanks

We wish to take this means of thanking all of our good friends and neighbors, for their many good deeds of loving kindness, sweet words of sympathy and the beautiful flowers, they so tenderly bestowed upon us in our deep sorrow, for our loving husband and father that was taken from us. We wish also to especially thank our fine Dr. Barnett and the wonderful nurses who worked so lovingly, patiently and tenderly with and for him in his last days and hours. May God's richest Blessings be with you one and all in our prayers.

Mrs. W. A. Vaughn.  
 Pfc. Carlos A. Vaughn.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Charley R. Vaughn and family.  
 Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Vaughn and daughters.  
 Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Anthony and sons.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Bill X. Vaughn and family.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Vaughn and family.  
 Cpl. and Mrs. Frank D. Vaughn and son.  
 Capt. Jasper M. P. Vaughn Aviation Cadet Clifford H. Vaughn.  
 Mrs. D. P. Vaughn.  
 Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Vaughn and family.  
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## SOCIETY. SONS

COTERIE CLUB IS ENTERTAINED

Coterie Club members were entertained with contract games at the home of Mrs. Howard Gault Friday afternoon.

Defense stamps were presented to Mrs. Grant Fuller for high score and Mrs. Henry Benson played with members.

After the games a salad plate was served to Mesdames Knox Kinard, Frank Lucas, E. B. Hedrick, Grant Fuller, Lee Benefield, W. A. Teter, C. F. Moore, Henry Benson and the hostess.

### MRS. HENRY SEARS IS CLUB HOSTESS

Mrs. Henry Sears entertained members of the Justakrd Club last week on Wednesday afternoon. After contract games defense stamps were given as prizes for high scores and names were drawn for the Christmas party which will be given at the home of Mrs. N. E. Milburn.

Mrs. Lee Benefield and Mrs. W. A. Teter were special guests of the club and members present included Mesdames George V. Stambaugh, J. S. Maxfield, Kellar Muse, Meade Halle, Grant Fuller, C. J. Crump and the hostess.

### Rance H-D Club To Entertain Husbands

Rance H. D. Club met Wednesday, Dec. 1, in the home of Mrs. Claude Duran with a program centered around plans for the club Christmas party on Dec. 15, when husbands of members will be honor guests. The party will be held at the Forbus Blakemore home.

Present at the meeting last week were Mesdames Jack Streun, L. J. Counselman, H. G. Behrends, Lowry Walker, Walk Boston, Forbus Blakemore, George DeLozier and the hostess, Mrs. Ferguson and Mrs. Raymond Palmer were welcomed as new members.

**Weather Forecast**  
 It was a beautiful day yesterday, but "STORMY WEATHER" will be in Hereford Sunday!



for a Merry Christmas



### GIFT STARS

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## Former Hereford Man Sees Big Change in Area

S. S. Beavers of Bakersfield, Calif., visited friends in this community during the past week. Mr. Beavers also attended the Hereford Odd Fellows lodge meeting while here; he went into the lodge here in 1912 and has been an I. O. O. F. member for the past 54 years.

A retired railroad at present, Mr. Beavers came to this area as Santa Fe roadmaster in 1912, residing in the Friona and Black communities.

For the past 30 years he has lived in California where he is considered an outstanding I. O. O. F. leader, having served as district deputy, grand master past, territorial instructor and numerous other offices.

"Irrigation" is sure changing this country from the one I knew 30 years ago," he said. "All of the Bakersfield country is irrigated and I believe this country is on the right track."

Pinkert, and with other relatives. Captain Pinkert has been on duty with the Army Air Transport Command in North Africa for more than a year.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Dean of Nara Visa, New Mexico, spent the week end with friends and relatives in Hereford.

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Mrs. Paul Goettsch and son  
Julius of Happy spent Sunday  
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# LOCALS

MRS. JOHN McLEAN, Society Editor — Phone 181

## Mrs. Donald Dee Henslee is Named Honoree at Shower in Close Home

Mrs. Donald Dee Henslee, the former Miss Rachel Ireland, was honored at a lovely shower given by fourteen hostesses at the H. A. Close home Monday evening.

A Yuletide theme was carried out in decorations. A Nativity scene was pictured on the mantel and in one corner of the room stood a beautifully decorated Christmas tree. Poinsettias were used in the living room and the dining table was centered with a pine cone arrangement from which rose tall white candles to cast a glow on sky trooper figurines.

The enjoyable program included piano music by Thelma McMin and Doris Jean Hastings, and readings by Mrs. Otto Noland.

Mrs. Close headed the receiving line and others receiving the guests were Mrs. E. S. Ireland, the bride's mother, Mrs. Donald Dee Henslee, Miss Mary Lookingbill, Mrs. H. E. Henslee, mother of the bridegroom, Miss Betty Sue Henslee and Mrs. Harold Bonoso.

Refreshments repeated the holiday theme with cake squares adorned with red and green decorations.

Hostesses for the shower included Mrs. Henry Hastings, Mrs. J. O. Newell, Mrs. L. H. Lookingbill, Mrs. Mary Lookingbill, Miss Nadvne Newell, Mrs. Otto Noland, Mrs. John Renfro, Mrs. Preston Hagans, Mrs. Frank Gvles, Mrs. Elmo Lawhon, Mrs. Chas. Hill, Mrs. B. R. Dixon, Miss Polly Dixon, Mrs. D. H. Alexander and Mrs. Close.

## WIN ONE CLASS ENJOYS PARTY IN BENEFIELD HOME

Win One Class of the Methodist Church held its annual Christmas party at the home of the class president, Mrs. H. M. Benefield, Tuesday afternoon.

A Christmas program was enjoyed with Mrs. E. W. Harrison giving the devotional program. Christmas carols were sung and Mrs. Lee Benefield told a Christmas story. Mrs. Warren conducted a quiz in line with the program theme.

A gift presented to Mrs. J. F. Ward, teacher, and in place of the usual exchange of gifts, members brought gifts for the orphan girl supported by the group.

Those present were Mesdames J. B. Hammer, E. J. Hudson, E. W. Harrison, J. H. Bowers, J. E. Beyer, M. M. Beavers, Marvin Boyd, D. H. Bryant, J. F. Ward, Luther Peevely, Rose Conklin, D. W. Hawkins, Gideon Parker, J. B. Phillips, Cooper Morgan, S. L. Faulkner, Hattie Rutherford, Wm. McGehee, Fred Millard, Lee Benefield and the hostess.

Hostesses were Mesdames Benefield, W. B. Green, Morgan, Joe Storey, J. B. Jones and Bowers.

## Join WAC And Stay at Home

Join the WAC and stay at home.

Well, maybe not literally at home; but under new enlistment plans, the Women's Army Corps will now take volunteers with the assurance that they will be stationed at some post or base easily accessible to the homes of their family and friends.

Texas women, under this program, will be assured of assignments to fit their individual qualifications somewhere within the 8th Service Command, which is made up of the states of Texas, Arkansas, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Louisiana.

According to Lt. Helen Wade Finn, Amarillo recruiting officer, every effort will be made to place the new WAC recruits as close as possible to their homes immediately upon completion of their four week's basic training at a WAC training center.

"Women are needed so urgently," says Lieutenant Finn, "that every opportunity for enlistment is being made possible. If women want to go overseas and are qualified, they probably will go. If they want to serve near home, that too is possible; and if they want to join the air forces, they can become an Air WAC."

The Amarillo WAC Recruiting Office, at Room 12 in the Post Office Building, is open from 8 A. M. till 5 P. M. daily except Sunday. Individual interviews may be arranged by calling the recruiting office, 23013.

## THIS WEEK... AT THE USO

The USO is beginning to look like Christmas. Pfc. Michael Konensky took over on Thursday and Friday and with the help of Mrs. Helgren the wife of one of the soldiers, did some real decorating. He says he isn't through yet but the "powers that be" at camp transferred him to the hospital unit and it looks as though the USO will have to draft him out of the army now. We do appreciate what he did for us.

There will be a dance on Saturday night at the City Hall. The entertainment committee tried to get an orchestra but ran into difficulty. The only one available wanted \$85 for the night and the USO just can't pay that much. Sorry!

The Christian Church served coffee and doughnuts on Sunday; and next Sunday the Catholic Church will be hosts during hospitality hour.

Our attendance is light this week. About 20 men from each company have been sent to the firing range and those who are left in camp are having to do

more guarding. The only trouble with extra guard duty is that a soldier loses sleep and his social calendar gets all upset. We miss them when they don't come in, and will be glad when they are all qualified marksmen again.

Hereford will open up their homes to the soldiers on Christmas. There will be turkey and all the trimmings at camp but who wants to eat in camp on Christmas? Let's show them the real Texas hospitality!

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Jimmy Louise Vaughn — Surgery, December 6.  
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Mrs. S. W. Brown — Medical, December 6.  
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## George Roles Celebrates Sixth Birthday Saturday

George Roles, son of Mrs. Barbara Roles, celebrated his sixth birthday Saturday afternoon when a group of little friends gathered at the Roles apartment for a birthday party.

The guests played group games and enjoyed the honor guest's candle decorated birthday cake.

Present were Janie Womble, Mary Lou and Beverly Snelson, Danny Elliston, L. V. Watts, Robert Charles Kinsey and the honor guest.

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# SOCIETY

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## Mrs. Norman Harris, Nov. Bride Is Complimented at Informal Tea

Mrs. Norman Harris, recent bride of Dr. Norman Harris of this city, was complimented Saturday afternoon at a tea at the home of Mrs. Laura Hicks, with Mrs. Hicks and her daughter, Miss Vida Hicks, as co-hostesses.

Miss Hicks greeted the guests who were received by Mrs. Hicks and Mrs. Harris. Mrs. F. L. Lucas and Mrs. Essie Cardwell presided at the tea table.

Other members of the house party included Mrs. Carl Mountz, Mrs. J. B. Elliston and Miss Marie Glaspy.

A lovely bouquet arrangement of pink roses centered the tea table which was laid with lace and appointed with silver and hand-painted china. Pink tapers burned in silver holders and pink roses and pink heather were used throughout the reception rooms.

A program of informal music was presented during the calling hours which were from 4 to 6 o'clock. Mrs. Carl Mountz gave vocal selections accompanied at the piano by Mrs. J. R. Allison and Mrs. Allison and Miss Marie Glaspy entertained with piano music.

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## "The Jew" is Studied By Bayview Club

An interesting program on the lesson subject "The Jew," was presented for Bay View Club members at the meeting held at the home of Mrs. Colby Conkwright Thursday afternoon.

Roll call was answered by Mrs. Cardwell who read an article on "The Status of The Jew in Europe," and Mrs. E. B. Hedrick who read a paper on "The Immigrant Jew and the Contribution of the Jews to American Industry."

"The Zionist Movement" was discussed by Mrs. Ray Coneway who told of the Congress of World Wide Jews in Palestine which is a spiritual homeland for the Jewish race. She told of the religious or old-fashioned orthodox Jews which are chiefly Russian or Polish, the cultural Jews or those who seek to preserve science, the literature and spiritual life of the race; and then she described the economic group—the exploiters of the land and industry, and last she mentioned the Revisionists who plan a homeland in which there would be no place for any other than the Jewish people.

Mrs. Bob Wilson reviewed the book, "A Peculiar Treasure," by Edna Ferber, outstanding Jewish author and writer.

Mrs. Wilson took parts of the book in which the author compares the Jews with the early pioneers of America, giving a clear picture of the Jewish race through the recounting of her experiences as a newspaper reporter and writer. The story deals with an American Jewish family who suffered from the snobbery and bigotry of the American people. It is a vivid account of the author's own life and the distinct marks made on her life by the attitude of the American people.

Members of the club present included Mesdames D. H. Alexander, C. R. Barber, M. L. Boyd, Essie Cardwell, H. G. Conkwright, Ray Coneway, E. W. Harrison, E. B. Hedrick, Knox Kinard, J. W. Kirby, John McLean, C. F. Moore, J. H. Sears, J. W. Spradley, Bob Wilson and the hostess.

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## Boatner's Boudoir



Brig-Gen. Haydon L. Boatner, General Stilwell's chief of staff in India, utilizes the rear-vision mirror of a jeep for a road-side shave on one of the hikes he requires of his men to condition them for tougher times ahead.

## Summerfield Club Meets In Home Of Mrs. C. R. Walser

Summerfield Study Club met at the home of Mrs. C. R. Walser Thursday afternoon, with Mrs. Jim Clark as co-hostess. The lesson topics for the afternoon were chosen from current developments in science and medicine, and current problems brought about by the war.

Mrs. Lloyd Lookingbill discussed "Front Line Medicine and Surgery Under Fire," pointing out the great percentage of wounded men who will be able to return after the war in contrast with the number who recovered from wounds in the first world war.

Mrs. Walk Boston gave a talk on "Soldiers, Jobs, and the Peace," and Mrs. Mack Noland told of Japan's New Policy of Conquest, describing the change in policy of Japan's colonizing technique.

Mrs. Otho Noland discussed "Your Baby or Your Job," telling how different war plants handle the problem of the working mother.

A short business session was held after the program when Mrs. B. E. Roberson was named acting president to fill a vacancy.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Guy Walser, Lee Curry, L. L. Cannon, B. E. Roberson, Brit Clark, Walk Boston, Cecil Lookingbill, Lloyd Lookingbill, Otho Noland, Mack Noland, Chas. Noland and the hostesses.

## Mrs. Rosson Is Club Hostess

Mrs. S. P. Rosson was hostess to members of the Wednesday Luncheon Club at her home last week.

A holiday theme was featured in decorations for the luncheon table with Santa Claus tapers and a fruit basket for the centerpiece. Mrs. Seth B. Holman was a special guest of the club and Mrs. C. C. Acker was awarded the high score prize.

Members present were Mesdames Alton Fraser, C. C. Acker, W. L. Davis, H. K. Fox, Oscar Easley, W. M. Emmons, J. C. McCracken, Jimmie Gillentine and the hostess.

plant; Merille Hoppe, a nephew of Mrs. Hoppe, and Miss Millie Follensbee, all of Borger. Local persons who attended the Thanksgiving dinner were Mrs. Earl Pitman, Mrs. Virginia Cornell and son Duwayne, Misses Dorothy Nelle Adams, Texie Ruth Reynolds and Joanna Adams and Robert Adams.

The guests from Borger returned to their home Sunday night.

## Palo Duro

BY ETHEL ALLRED

R. L. Campbell made a business trip to Amarillo Tuesday. Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn B. Allred Tuesday night were Ens. and Mrs. Byron Campbell, Miss Doris Elrod Cecil Roark, Miss Ethel Allred, Jimmie Jenkins Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Shugart and daughter, Carolyne, and Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Wynn and son, George Wesley.

Ens. Byron Campbell, who for the past few months has been in New York City attending officers' school, is home on a 21-day furlough. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Campbell of this community.

Howard Boxwell of Amarillo, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Allred and family Wednesday.

Cecil Roark made a business trip to Amarillo Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim O. Jenkins, Mrs. George Farris and daughter, Patricia Ann, made a business trip to Amarillo Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn B. Allred visited in the home of Mrs. Allred's mother, Mrs. Wilma Watson and family of Amarillo, last Sunday.

Jimmie Jenkins Jr. spent Wednesday night in Amarillo, with relatives. He returned to his home Thursday afternoon.

R. M. Allred of Amarillo, called in the J. C. Allred home Wednesday night.

R. E. Oliver made a business trip to Amarillo Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Wynn and son, George Wesley, made a business trip to Amarillo Saturday afternoon.



BILL ROBINSON, LENA HORNE and CAB CALLOWAY—three of the reasons why "Stormy Weather" rates on your "must-see" list. The picture is the Sunday, Monday and Tuesday feature at the Star Theatre.

## Dawn

BY HELEN OGLESBY

Lieutenant and Mrs. Louie K. Wedel of Salina, Kan., visited in the Herbert Miller home Thursday night.

Mrs. Cecil Walker, Mrs. Iverson Leake, Mrs. Ernest May, Mrs. W. P. Caraway and Mrs. Alfred May attended a birthday party in honor of Mrs. J. B. Cocanougher in Mrs. Cocanougher's home last Monday afternoon.

Iverson Leake has been ill the past week; however, he is improving and expects to be able to go back to work in a few days.

Miss Mary Lou Jones of Amarillo, spent the week end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Allred and children, Marene, Clydene and Lynton, of Hereford, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Allred and Ethel Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Elrod and Doris of Wildorado, made a business trip to Amarillo Saturday.

Mrs. Wilma Watson and family of Amarillo, spent the past week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn B. Allred.

Fidel Ortega is at home now after his serious illness as result of a rattlesnake bite almost two months ago. He is not able to start back to school yet, but he hopes to be able to soon.

Dr. and Mrs. R. R. Wills returned last week from Chicago, Ill., where he completed a four weeks special course of study at Cook's Memorial Hospital.

Miss Louise Hamm of Amarillo spent the Thanksgiving holidays in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hamm. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Dorothy Brandon, also of Amarillo, who was a Thanksgiving Day guest in the Hamm home.

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Band Party Friday  
December 10



## Prince Hereford

Hoi Hum! Just another day in Hereford High but being Prince of the school I enjoy it. What's this Homer told me about the football boys ordering jackets? I guess it's true, but I know those boys hope the jackets are not delayed in arriving as they were last year.

By the way, I know some exclusive news that Homer didn't tell me. It seems a certain Junior boy whose books occupy locker 67 would like a little more attention from Rosella Albracht. Who is this mysterious man, Rosella?

Homer just told me that J. L. McFarling and Lorena Storey thinks Lyle Fluit is a "mean little boy." It seems that Lyle was going to make the two run a race to see which could run the faster. Lyle was going to execute this by throwing snowballs at them.

Have you ever heard Christine Smith play the trombone? If you haven't, just unobtrusively listen to her some time. She really gives out with the music.

Why doesn't Virgil Young give any of the girls a tumble? They do all they can to please him, but Virgil must have his heart locked away, or else he's got a secret girl friend, or it could be that he's a woman hater. Too bad! Too bad! Virgil could be as popular with the girls as honey is with a bear.

We had assembly last Friday. Was it a surprise to everyone? Wow! I'll say it was. There hasn't been an assembly on Friday for weeks.

Mary Beth Scott and Marion Borden really got their dates mixed. It seems that James Ellis Higgins asked them for a date, and it turned out that both the girls didn't want to go with him at the same time; so they drew straws. Well, I'm not going to tell you who got the shortest one, but Mary Beth was awfully sleepy the next morning at school.

Mary Sue Whitaker had to walk to school the other morning because something was the matter with her car and it had to be repaired. She declares that she is going to buy her a pojo stick on which to come to school. Not a bad idea, Mary Sue.

Well, chillin, Homer has just dropped off to sleep; so I guess this is all the news I'll be able to probe out of him this week but, I'll be back next week, same time, same place; so I say "Cheerio" until then.

### Whose Afraid of a Worm?

It has truly been said girls are afraid of worms. Always boys have chased girls trying to put worms down their backs just to hear the girls scream, but there is a group in high school that is not the least disturbed at seeing a worm. This group is the sophomore biology

### We Need Them!

The only activity in our school which affords us complete relaxation from our studies is assembly programs. The students and faculty look forward to this time for rest and enjoyment. How good they feel when they have seen and heard a good assembly program! They are invigorated and feel that the day has been started off right. On the other hand, they feel that they have just wasted their time when a poor program has been put on and they are dull the rest of the day.

Why can't we have good programs and more of them? Is it because we haven't enough talent? No, this is certainly not the answer. We have put on good programs in the past, but lately we cannot boast of this fact.

Here are a few suggestions which students have offered to improve our assembly programs: 1. Put more time and work into them. 2. Plan them several weeks ahead. 3. Have programs to suit the occasion. 4. Give more plays. 5. Let those who have talent display it. 6. Have programs that last the full length of the period. 7. Give programs that young people would enjoy. 8. Use new ideas and different programs.

Does your club or class have a program coming up? Is it prepared? Will it be a good one? Our assembly programs are our chief morale builders of our school. From now on, let's make them good!

### "Evils of America" Is Topic of Hi-Y Discussion

The theme of the Hi-Y program Tuesday, November 30, was "Evils That Face America Today," with G. P. Owen having charge of the program. Lloyd Manjeot had the devotional, Exodus 17:1-6, followed by five talks by the boys. Each of these talks dealt with the evils that face America today. David Phillips talked on was, Charles Sanders on liquor, Delmo Williams on juvenile delinquency, J. W. Robinson on divorce, and Lyle Fluit on Sabbath desecration. A discussion followed, in which the boys named many of the evils. After the discussion, Mr. Ford gave the benediction.

In the business meeting, John L. Lookingbill and J. B. Sowell were elected as new members. It also was decided to help the Tri-Hi-Y Club in the morning devotionals. A committee was appointed to meet with a committee of the girls and plan the devotionals.

### F. H. T. To Celebrate Holidays With Their Annual Xmas Party

The F. H. T. planned its first party for this year at a call meeting last week. Lynn Morrow, entertainment chairman, gave the date of the party as December 16. Lynn asked all

class. Of course, there are boys in it, too; but was there ever a boy who would not pick up a worm? Even the teacher, Miss Hancock, is not afraid of worms. She and the pupils (girls, too) have been dissecting earth worms. They handle these terrible little squirmy, slimy things without batting an eye. They are really finding out what makes them tick.

Next the class is going to work with crawfish. Wonder if there will be any squeals then?

### Health Service Recognizes The Hereford Club

As a result of the Hereford Chapter of the Tri-Hi-Y club's recognition to the Physical Fitness Program, the Health and Emergency Medical Service in Texas has issued a charter to the Tri-Hi-Y club in Hereford.

The "Interscholastic Leaguer," a newspaper published in Austin, Texas, has printed an article about the Hereford Tri-Hi-Y club and its efforts in creating physical fitness standards in Hereford. The article follows:

"The Tri-Hi-Y club of Hereford High School for the last year and a half has sponsored under the direction of Stacia Irene Crawford, a Physical Fitness Program both for themselves and for the school, and community. As a climax of the first few months work an evening program was given in May before close of school in the Hereford High School auditorium.

Last year the girls of the club started early to plan a special program for themselves. Outside speakers on nutrition came and gave talks and demonstrations. For certain periods of time the girls kept a daily record of the food they ate, thus checking on whether or not they were eating properly. Physical education teachers and others came and directed various exercises which the girls were to continue daily. A general health chart was given and each girl was to keep her chart for a month. Of course material on the Physical Fitness Program was sent from the League office and many suggestions were used.

Plans for this year are just now being formed and are not as yet crystallized. An attempt will be made to emphasize Physical Fitness more than ever, although this is only a part of the work of the club. The Tri-Hi-Y club is a sister club to the Boy's Hi-Y club and seeks to maintain its purpose to 'create, maintain, and extend throughout the school and community high standards of Christian living' by developing the life abundant—emphasizing the physical, social, mental, and spiritual life. Thus it is a part of the program of the club to develop physically and the Physical Fitness Program fitted in easily with the regular projects of the Tri-Hi-Y club."

### Local T. S. T. A. Has Meet in H. S. Library

The Texas State Teacher's Association, or the T. S. T. A., had its latest meeting December 1, 1943, in the high school library at 8:00 P. M.

The room was decorated to show the Christmas spirit. It was very festive and gay with Christmas motifs and baubles, green plants and leaves.

A girl's quartet, Bettie Morrow, Ludie Virginia Turner, Mary Beth Scott, Virginia Lyons, started the program with a song and then the whole group sang Christmas carols, accompanied on the piano by Miss Virginia East, the Glee Club teacher. Marilyn Barkley sang a solo accompanied on the piano by Miss Marie Glaspy.

Miss Alma Hall, the District Nine delegate and executive committee member, made a report of the State Convention. The guest speaker, Mr. James Butler, spoke on "Speech—An Overview." Mr. Butler is the professor of speech and acting head of department of speech at W. T. S. C. at Canyon.

The next thing on the program was instrumental music by Mrs. Ruth Allison.

Hot spiced punch, open sandwiches and hard candies were served to the group. The special guests of the T. S. T. A. were: Colonel Parker, the Commanding Officer of the Hereford Internment Camp, Mr. Jesse Stanford, President of the Board of Trustees, Mr. James Butler, guest speaker from Canyon.

F. H. T. girls to give her suggestions for entertainment at the party.

Each girl is to bring a toy not costing more than 25 cents nor less than 15 cents. These toys are to be exchanged as Christmas gifts and later given to the Welfare Office for distribution among needy children.

Marcella Blue was appointed as chairman of the refreshment committee, and Naomi Brumley was appointed to see about the Christmas basket prepared annually by the F. H. T.

### Football Mothers Show Loyalty All During the Year

Of all the fans which have backed the Whitefaces this past season, one would perhaps find that the most loyal group in every way was the mothers of the Whitefaces.

Throughout the season, they have found ways in which to show their loyalty and interest. Some of these are: attendance at all the games, study of football rules, helping to provide transportation, co-operating with the coaches in aiding the boys to follow training, and providing entertainment, and eats after the games played at home.

There were three high-lights in the entertainments, the first perhaps being the most elaborate. It was given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Fluit, and the entertaining rooms were beautifully decorated in maroon and white cut flowers. Refreshments were served from a lovely appointed tea table that featured a football motif in silver and crystal.

Following the game with Tulla (which is always counted as one of the most important of the season) the Whiteface Mothers served the boys in the home economics rooms. The outstanding things of this occasion were the great abundance of sandwiches, hot chocolate, and potato chips, and the spirit of victory which pervaded the air.

The final entertainment was given at the club house, and a supper, consisting of coney-islands, ranch-style beans, dill pickles, cookies, and Hungarian tea, was served buffet style.

Those enjoying these occasions were the members of the team, their dates, the coaches, Mr. Stanton and Mr. Emmons, Mr. and Mrs. Ford, and Mr. and Mrs. Kinard, along with the DADS that dropped in to talk over the game and tell how it really could have been played.

Plans are now being made for the annual football banquet to be given sometime in January. The organization is adopting as its summer project the aim of having a shelter constructed on the Whiteface field for the boys.

The officers who have led the mother's organization are Mrs. Otto Olson, president; Mrs. Carl Jennings, vice-president; Mrs. Lee Hopson, secretary; and Mrs. Oscar Easley, treasurer. Other members of the organization are: Mesdames Boyd London, G. H. Reeves, H. A. Close, W. S. Fluit, Fred Higgins, Gladys Skelton, L. H. Lookingbill, Cecil Lookingbill, Henry Tiefel, Bonnie Brumley, George Millard, Joe Bishop, J. B. Sowell, O. G. Calhoun, John Dyer, Roger Corbett, Jack Miles, Carl Williams, Jim Robinson, Jack Hagar, A. L. Manjeot and Boone Whitaker.

### Central Chatter

#### Shadow Pictures

Second grade children in Mrs. Masotti's room have an electric lighted shadow device that will show pictures of monkeys, elephants, rabbits, and other animals usually seen in a good zoo or circus. While the boys and girls enjoy seeing the pictures, they, no doubt, also will improve their conversational ability and develop broader vocabularies.

#### Third Grade Projects

Third grade boys and girls in Miss Aikman's room are developing language skills while planning and building miniature dog kennels. When this work is completed, there will be a puppy in each doorway and a match holder-sandpaper unit attached to each kennel. Pupils in this room also enjoy talking about their experiences gained from the planting and growing of bulbs. To check up on the success of this venture, ask Francis Miles or Sharon Dee Moore to show you flowers blooming in December.

#### Illness Prevalent

During the past week, illness caused many pupils and a few of the teachers to be absent from school. The pupils and teachers say to those who are ill, "Get well quickly and hurry back to school." Central pupils and teachers might add, "Now is the time for all of us to review and practice, too, the health rules so often studied about, fresh air, sunlight, proper food, correct eating habits, exercise, adequate rest, and medical care."

### Honor Society Holds Induction For Members

The Honor Society rendered a very effective induction service Thursday. The candlelight service was conducted by the three old members, Kathryn Acker, Ruth Tucker, and G. P. Owen.

The emblem of the society is the keystone and the flaming torch. The keystone bears at its base the letters S, L, C, and S, which stand for the four cardinal principles of the organization. In discussing the principle of Scholarship, Kathryn Acker recited Proverbs 3:13-18. Concerning Leadership, G. P. Owen recited E. R. Sill's "Opportunity"; concerning character, Ruth Tucker recited Kipling's "If"; concerning Service, G. P. Owen recited Leigh Hunt's "Abou Ben Adhem."

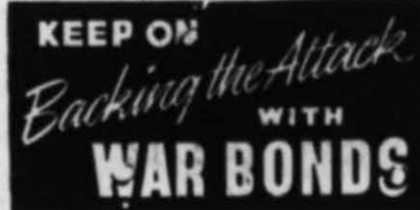
The new members were then called on the stage and presented to Mr. Ford, who made a short speech to them explaining the privileges and duties of the members.

The flaming torch on the emblem is symbolical of the society to bear forward the searching light of truth. The motto of the organization is: "Light is the symbol of truth."

The three old members then took their lighted candles and presented to the new members the unlighted ones and lit them. Kathryn Acker then stepped forward to administer the pledge.

The colors of the Honor Society were then explained by G. P. Owen. The colors, blue and gold, are symbolical of the motto. Blue is the symbol of truth, and gold is the light with which truth radiates through the world.

The new members, Helen Acker, Naomi Brumley, Marcella Blue, Doris Goldston, Marie Moreman, Christine Smith, Mary Ruth Russell, and Edward Young were then given their colors while soft music was played at the piano by Wanda Lee Terry. The program was concluded by the entire group singing "The Star Spangled Banner."



### Hi-Y Has First Social of Year

The Hi-Y social was held Friday night in the home of Lyle Fluit. The games were conducted by different Hi-Y members. Johnny Knowles had charge of the first game. It was "Truth or Consequences." Nearly everyone took the consequences because they were afraid to tell the truth.

The next game was "Pleased or Displeased" led by Lyle Fluit. There were only a few that were pleased. Can you imagine someone being displeased and wanting Johnny Knowles to show how Wanda Lee Lloyd puts on her girle? J. W. Robinson had to demonstrate how women put on long-hose. Ellen Posey had to entertain with a solo "I'm Going Back to Where I Come From." Another musical number was rendered by a quartet composed of John L. Lookingbill, Billy Whitaker, John David Dowell and G. P. Owen. Mr. Fluit, accompanied by Helen Acker sang a solo. (So low that you couldn't hear it.)

The next item of enjoyment was a scavenger hunt in which all participated. Billy Whitaker, Doris Hooker, John David Dowell, and Barbara Smith were the first ones to return with all of the items on their list. Their prize was a box of chocolate candy. Lloyd Manjeot, Ellen Posey, J. W. Robinson and Virginia Mae Green received the second prize of a bar of "Grandpa's Pine Tar" soap each.

J. W. Robinson had charge of the next game "Person, Place, or Thing." Some person would think of a person, place, or thing, and everyone else would ask him questions concerning it. The only answer that could be given was "yes" or "no." The one that was most difficult to find out what it was was the nail Mr. Ford was thinking of.

Everyone enjoyed the next happening which was the serving of refreshments that Mrs. Grady had prepared. They consisted of cold fruit juice and chicken sandwiches.

### Central School Begins Accumulative Records

This year accumulative record cards are being prepared for pupils in Central School. If a pupil shows special talent or does outstanding work in some subject, a notation of this is made on his card which is placed in a permanent alphabetical file. Notations are also

### "Loyalty to Church" Is Tri-Hi-Y Topic

"Loyalty to the Church" was the impressive theme of the Tri-Hi-Y program last Tuesday evening, November 30, 1943.

The program was opened by the club's singing "Into My Heart" followed by a scripture reading by Mary Ruth Russell. The talks were based upon the theme of the program. Marie Moreman gave the talk "The World's Need of Returning to the Church Today." It is believed that today many more people are turning to the church because the Bible and its teaching are our main source of life. Marcella Blue and Betty Jane Robinson gave a short skit based on "Attitudes of Church Going." In the skit, the two girls gave the important reasons why one should go to church. They also brought out that too often one finds weak excuses for not attending church. Madelle Beavers gave a talk on "How to Develop Loyalty to the Church." It is important that one is loyal to his church because we are servants to God. Miss Crawford gave a brief talk on church attendance, and in her talk urged everyone to attend church regularly. The program was completed by the girl's giving sentience prayers, which were followed by the Tri-Hi-Y benediction.

In the business meeting plans were made for the morning devotionals sponsored each year by the Tri-Hi-Y and Hi-Y clubs of Hereford. The devotionals started this week. Ellen Posey and Ludie Virginia Turner were appointed as part of the committee to plan programs for the devotionals. Further notice will be posted concerning these devotionals which are held for the student's benefit.

Plans were also made for the Tri-Hi-Y Christmas party which will be held in December at Mrs. W. E. Dameron's home.

made for pupils who repeatedly cause disciplinary trouble or who repeatedly fail to bring up class assignments. Years later these accumulative record cards can be used when employers write to the schools requesting information concerning the qualifications and character of pupils who have attended Central School. Barbara Boyd, Jacqueline Newell, Neeley Kimbrough, and Keith Hutson, have already been recorded for outstanding work in English. Other notations will soon be made for pupils who have shown remarkable improvement in work or in attitude.

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### FORMER PRESIDENT — PI Former Resident Dies At Panora, Iowa

News of the death of J. W. Henry, a former Hereford resident, of Panora, Iowa, has been received here. The former resident and Mrs. Henry moved from Hereford to Iowa about 37 years ago. He was 96 years old and in good health, but suffered a broken hip in a fall on Nov. 18, and died on Nov. 21. "Old time residents will remember the family. He is survived by his wife, Edith who lives near Panora, and Edith who has made her home in Washington for several years."

### USO Sponsors (Continued from Page 1)

a Christmas dinner; and men stationed at the Prisoner of War Camp can attend their regular company meal on Christmas Day, but as one soldier put it this week: "That's not for me; I want a real 'home' Christmas dinner." For there is something "special" about Christmas, and soldiers would appreciate a little home and family atmosphere on that day—which is why Hereford families are asked to share

their Christmas hospitality with boys who are many miles from their own homes this holiday season. There is no exact check on the number of boys who will want to eat out on Christmas day, but a list is being prepared at the USO and Mrs. Alexander wants to know as soon as possible just which homes desire to share in this project.

### Two Cars (Continued from Page 1)

mum needs, in order that short supplies stretch as far as possible." **Two Cars Allocated** Only new information on the feed shortage this week came in a statement from Congressman Gene Worley, who announced Monday that 35 cars of soybean meal had been designated for shipment to Texas, most of them going to the Panhandle area. According to the Washington story, two carloads will go to Hereford, and shipment will be made just as soon as railroads are able to move the feed. Through the two cars of soybean meal promised will be only a "drop in the bucket" in Deaf Smith County, the promise is nevertheless welcomed by local stockmen.

### Around Town (Continued from Page 1)

however, that it was a perfectly sound tooth except for an abscess at the root.

### Deaf Smith (Continued from Page 1)

climaxed by war, and the first step toward peace, Erickson emphasizes, must be an improvement in the diet of the starved peoples of Europe.

### County Tops (Continued from Page 1)

Hereford and in the rural districts, by far the larger part of the fund was raised from contributions by citizens who stopped by war fund headquarters or left their gifts at Hereford banks; and Urlin Streu, chairman of the drive expresses the appreciation of the committee for the generous response of Deaf Smith County people to this appeal for war-time aid. "Deaf Smith County can feel justly proud of a job well-done," says Mr. Streu in commenting on the drive. Also on the United War Fund committee was C. C. Acker, who served as treasurer.

### Ration Board (Continued from page 1)

Sears, J. C. McCracken and Colby Conkright. The price panel has for its chairman, Mrs. A. J. Schroeter, with Mrs. C. H. Dyar and Mrs. Knox Kinard assisting her. A great deal of work of the board has been performed by unpaid workers. Teachers have contributed more voluntary assistance than any other group, with the housewife running a close second. This voluntary work has been carried on in Hereford very efficiently and with the best of results by the schools of the community, with the teachers and housewives making up the personnel under the supervision of Knox Kinard. Hereford, at present has four clerks in the Rationing office. Their wish and aim is to be at all times courteous, helpful and understanding of the people's needs and problems.

### SOCIETY

#### Voco Club To Present Pageant Sunday, Dec. 12

Voco Club members and students from Miss Mattie Mae Swisher's Studio of Singing will present a program of Christmas music next Sunday afternoon at 4:15 o'clock at the Methodist Church.

The final part of the program will be a pageant representing ten countries and their Christmas carols gathered around the nativity scene by candlelight. A large number of children will assist in the pageant. The public is invited.

#### "FEMME SEW" CLUB ORGANIZED HERE

A new social group, the "Femme-Sew" Club, organized Dec. 2, met last week in the home of Miss Frances Young, with her mother, Mrs. J. E. Young, assisting with hostess duties.

Plans of the group are for regular meetings at which sewing and knitting will provide the program.

Present at the first meeting were the following members: Ruth Bowsher, Ellen Bowsher, Gertrude London, Lillye London, Leta Rankin, Corrine Jennings, Grayce Marrs, Velma Hodges, Clara Richardson, Kitty Harlin, Arrie Smith and the hostess.

#### COUNCIL PLANS FOR H-D CLUB'S CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Deaf Smith County H. D. Council made plans for the annual Christmas party when the group met on Saturday, Nov. 27, at the courthouse.

Also on the program was the annual report of the council chairman, Mrs. R. L. Campbell of Wildorado, who gave a comprehensive outline of her work for the year. Mrs. Campbell has attended at least one regular meeting of every club in the county. The chairman also announced the appointment of Mrs. Merlin Kaul of Westway to the state recreation council. Mrs. Elmer Womble of Fairview resigned as council secretary and Mrs. W. E. Rice of Hereford was appointed to the

### Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Celebrate Golden Wedding Date with Open House

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hunter celebrated a day Sunday that few people ever have the joy of seeing—their golden wedding anniversary. The couple held open house for scores of friends and relatives Sunday afternoon at their home on West Fifth Street from 3 to 6 p. m. with all of their six children present to share in the celebrations. Flowers in pale yellow and gold were everywhere about the house with chrysanthemums



and talisman roses predominating. Adorning the refreshment table was the three-tiered wedding cake topped by a miniature bride and groom. Slender yellow tapers burned in crystal candelabra and other appointments were in crystal. Mrs. Ullman Hunter presided at the punch bowl and Mrs. M. L. Simpson served the cake. Miss Mattie Mae Swisher was in charge of the register. Five other daughters-in-law assisted. Mr. and Mrs. Hunter, both 71 years old, were married on Dec. 6, 1893 in Sydney, Ark. In 1897 they came to Texas for his health and located in Hill county. In 1916 they came to the plains and settled near Hereford. For the past seven years they have lived at their present home. Mr. Hunter has been engaged in wheat farming and cattle raising. I've never had so much cause for happiness. We've never looked back, but as memories have crowded in during the recent days we have realized just how much friends and loved ones have contributed to our happiness all those 50 years. Among the many gifts received was a sapphire ring, prized very highly by Mrs. Hunter because it came from a grandson, Ensign M. L. Simpson, Jr., stationed in Australia.

### HERE IS THE ANSWER!

**THIS NEW ISSUE** of The March of Time throws light on the cause and cure of juvenile delinquency! See what leading psychologists and law enforcement officers are doing to combat the growing problem!

### "YOUTH IN CRISIS"

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### Wedels Have Three Soldier Sons As Week-End Guests

A family reunion was held at the H. T. Wedel home this week end with three sons who are members of the armed forces as honor guests. Present were Pfc. Henry Wedel of Sheppard Field, Pvt. Rolley Wedel of Camp Gruber, Okla., and Lt. and Mrs. Louie Wedel of Salina, Kan. Also present was a daughter, Mrs. Elmer Richardson of Slater, Ia. The two other sons left Sunday for their army posts and Lieutenant and Mrs. Louie Wedel are remaining for a longer visit.

### B. L. S. Club Meets In Albracht Home

Monica, Agnes and Dette Albracht were hostesses at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Albracht, Tuesday night for members of the B. L. S. Club. The subject for discussion "How Should a Girl Act in A Crowd" was led by Miss Mary Lookingbill, club president. After a general discussion of the subject plans were made for a Christmas party. Members also discussed plans for the initiation of new members. Refreshments were served to Beona Luke, Adeline Koelzer, Mazy Lookingbill, Dorothy Nell Adams, Ann Cockrell and the three hostesses.

### CLUB MAKES PLANS FOR XMAS PARTY

Mrs. R. G. Blue was hostess to the As You Like It Club Tuesday afternoon when members spent the afternoon in sewing and making plans for the club's Christmas party. Refreshments were served to Mesdames Jeff Roberson, Jack Grady, Joe Kendall, Charley Shipley and the hostess.

### "BIBLE DAY" PROGRAM IS PRESENTED AT L-A-E CLUB MEETING

L. A. E. Club met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Bob Higgins. Roll call was answered with favorite Bible verses. A "Bible Day" program was presented by Mrs. C. D. Carnahan and Mrs. Jack Dean. Mrs. Carnahan reviewed the book "The Flying Priest in Alaska" and Mrs. Dean discussed "Religion and the World Crisis." After the program a short business session was held when arrangements for the annual Christmas party were discussed. The party which is being planned by Mrs. Altus Higgins and Mrs. Jack Dean, will be held at the home of Mrs. D. C. Carnahan on December 21. Members attending the meeting were Mesdames George Benson, C. D. Carnahan, Jack Dean, Altus Higgins, T. W. Roberson, George Suggs, Robert Veigel and the hostess.

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