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Active Red Cross Campaign to Raise \$2,300 Starts Soon

Red Cross drive for emergency war relief funds is now under way throughout the county. The campaign in Memphis is scheduled to begin actively this week. E. E. Roberts, Hall County Red Cross chairman, said this week the county has been asked to contribute \$2,300 in the drive.

Don H. Davis, national chairman, has already informed Roberts and the drive was postponed after the busy Christmas season.

Places where collections may be left have been set over the county. In Memphis, the committee members are Lee G. Roy Fultz, and Mack Wilcox. Donations may be left at the Red Cross office, the chamber of commerce office, or the Woodridge Lumber Company office.

Roberts is urging the county to begin the raising of the \$2,300. Roberts the following telephone numbers: (Continued on page 4)

H. Gilmore Dies; Funeral Rites Held at Turkey School

Howard Gilmore, physician since 1909 and well known throughout Hall County, died Friday afternoon at 12:50 p. m. in Plainview, where he had been under medical treatment for some days.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon from the Turkey School auditorium, with Rev. Elton Wright, pastor of the First Methodist Church, in charge. He was assisted by Rev. C. Johnson, Christian Church. Interment was in the city cemetery under the direction of the Red Cross.

CLAUDE'S Comments

BIRTHDAY—Elmer Burleson, Dec. 29. Elmer Fisher, Dec. 30. Gowan, Dec. 30. Fultz, Jan. 3. Webster, Jan. 4.

CELEBRATIONS—Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Bass, whose wedding anniversary was celebrated.

Coming new to report on Fairpower mower. Cause of an air raid or sabotage in Memphis, the Memphis Defense organization should have some work to do. All wish to become a part of the organization for some phase of defense work should enroll at (Continued on page 4)

KNOW NUMBER OF JAPS IN U. S.?

1940 Census Gave Nation 126,447 Japs, of Whom 47,365 Foreign Born

How many Japanese are in the United States and its territories and possessions? This question has been asked a large number of times since the outbreak of war with Japan, and the Bureau of the Census is answering the question by releasing the figures gathered in the 1940 census.

In the continental United States on April 1, 1940, there were 126,447 Japanese, of whom 47,365 were foreign born and therefore ineligible for citizenship. In the territories and possessions of the U. S., excluding the Philippine Islands, there were an additional 158,501 Japanese, of whom 35,126 were alien foreigners. The Philippine Islands contained 29,577 citizens of Japan according to the census of the islands taken January 1, 1939.

The Pacific Coast states of Washington, Oregon, and California had the largest number of Japanese with 112,353, or 88.5 per cent of the total in the country. These states likewise had 40,869 Japanese or 86.4 per cent of the total. California alone had 93,717, or 73.8 per cent of the total Japanese population in the United States, and 33,569 alien Japanese, or 70.7 per cent of the country's total.

Hawaii alone had 187,905 Japanese when the census was taken, representing 37.3 per cent of the total population. Of these, 37,353 were foreign born. The remainder of the territories and possessions, excluding the Philippines, had 593 Japanese of whom 159 were foreign born. The total number of persons of the Japanese race in the Philippines is not known, but all persons of the "yellow race," of whom the majority were Chinese, numbered 141,811.

In 1930, when the census was taken, the total number of Japanese in the continental U. S. was 138,834, of whom 70,477 were alien foreign born. During the decade 1930 to 1940, the total number of Japanese decreased 11,887, or by 8.6 per cent, while the number of alien Japanese decreased 23,173 or by 32.9 per cent.

Los Angeles led cities of the U. S. with 23,321 Japanese residents. Seattle, Wash., was second with 6,975, and San Francisco third with 5,230. Texas, with a total population of 6,414,824, had 453 Japanese in 1940, with 291 of them citizens.

Lakeview Family In Head-On Crash

Fred Rawlins, 33, of Harmon County, Okla., was killed instantly Monday night when his car collided head-on near Hollis with a truck driven by Curtis Dyer of Lakeview. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dyer and their son Curtis were in the truck, which was loaded with maize. They were only slightly injured.

BUY U.S. DEFENSE BONDS!

DRAFT BOARD OFFICE BUSY PLACE BUT DEFINITE INFORMATION SCARCE

There is a lot going on in the office of W. J. Bragg, chief clerk of the local draft board, but restrictions on the information to be given out have caused little knowledge to be available of what is going to happen in the next few weeks.

B. Wattenbarger, City Councilman, Dies in Memphis

Barney Wattenbarger, 50, resident of Memphis for the past 17 years who was serving his second term as a member of the Memphis City Council, died Monday morning at 7:15 o'clock at his home, 720 Montgomery street.

50-Year-Old Resident Had Lived in Memphis for Past 17 Years; Interment Here

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon from the First Methodist Church, with Rev. E. L. Yeats, pastor, conducting the rites. Interment was in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of King's Mortuary.

First Aid Course To Be Given Here Thru Red Cross

The first of three courses in first aid, upon completion of which candidates will receive certificates, will be held in Memphis early in January under the auspices of the local American Red Cross chapter. All persons 16 years of age and over are eligible to take the course. E. E. Roberts, Red Cross chairman of Hall County, said. The only cost is that of a first aid booklet. A minimum of 50 students is necessary to insure the class, Roberts said. Applicants may leave their names with Roberts at the Woodridge Lumber Company office, with W. V. Coursey at the City Hall, or Lester Campbell at The Democrat office.

First Defense Meeting for City Draws Small, Interested Crowd As Work Discussed, Outlined

SUB CAMPAIGN ENDS SATURDAY

Expired Subscriptions To Be Cut From Mailing Lists; Rate to Be \$2

With the closing date of The Democrat bargain rate nearing, a large number of both new subscriptions and renewals have been placed on the mailing lists.

Next Saturday, January 3, will be the final day on which subscriptions, both new and renewal, will be \$1.50 per year. After that date, all expired subscriptions will be removed from the mailing list, and the price per year will be \$2.

Outside of Hall and surrounding counties, the rate of \$2.50 will remain in effect. No bargain rate was offered outside of the Hall County area. Highlighting comments of people who subscribed during the past week was the desire to have the paper to keep up "with the boys in the army." The Democrat will carry all news of Hall County in the army so far as censorship will allow, and readers may be assured that news of Hall County will be as complete as it is possible to obtain.

The government has recently (Continued on page 5)

Mrs. T. S. Byrd of Estelline, Resident Since 1909, Dies

Services for 85-Year-Old Woman Held From Hulver Church; Interment There

Mrs. T. S. Byrd of Estelline, resident of Hall County since 1909, died last Saturday at the age of 85 years. Funeral services were held at the Hulver church Monday afternoon, with Rev. J. P. Cole, Newlin pastor, in charge of the rites.

War Halts Plans On REA Extension

The outbreak of the war with Japan and the Axis powers halted abruptly plans to let the contract for the 186-mile extension to the Hall County Electric Co-Op lines, T. E. Lenoir, supervisor, said this week.

When the contract will be let is very indefinite, he said, since materials will be hard to obtain for the lines.



DEFENSE WORK LEADERS SPEAK

Various Phases of Civilian Aid Necessary in Time of Emergency Are Discussed

A small, but very enthusiastic, crowd turned out Tuesday night in the first city-wide defense meeting, heard several addresses by leaders of civilian defense groups, and then signed up for volunteer help of all kinds in cases of emergency.

The group present was disappointingly small, and one man attending said it appeared that it would take "more than a bombing of the city itself to awaken the town to the present emergency."

Mayor J. C. Wells, coordinator of defense units in the city, presided during the meeting, and opened the session with the declaration that the city must "be prepared," no matter how remote the possibility of an air raid might be at the present time.

County Judge M. O. Goodpasture, who is coordinator of the county's defense units, was the (Continued on page 4)

Cotton Allotment For Texas in 1942 Is 9,864,569 Acres

Increased Yields, Smaller National Allotment, Less Cotton Farms Cause Cut

The total cotton acreage allotment for Texas in 1942 will be 9,864,569 acres as compared with 9,880,197 acres in 1941, George Slaughter, chairman of the Texas AAA committee, has announced.

These figures include various additions to the basic allotment of 9,730,972 acres, the AAA official said, as provided for in the AAA program.

Increased yields, a smaller national allotment, and a decrease in the number of farms growing cotton were responsible for the 15,528 acre cut in acreage, Slaughter, himself a cotton farmer, explained.

"Under the AAA program, a farm on which no cotton is planted for three consecutive years loses its cotton allotment. In some sections of the state, especially (Continued on page 4)

Eubank Enlists in U. S. Navy Reserve

Paul Eubank, representative from this district in the Texas Legislature, has enlisted in the U. S. Naval Reserve Aviation Corps, it was learned this week.

Eubank will report January 15 for training at Hensley Field, Grand Prairie. He enlisted December 18.

The youthful representative, whose home is in Matador, is serving his first term as legislator from this district.

The War Was 1941's Big News--But Other Things Happened in County

Today is the start of a new year. The year of 1941 has gone, and not be forgotten as it will be recorded in the pages of history as one of the most nerve-racking and as one of the greatest years ever known to envelop our world into war. The past year has seen many things happen. Parents saw their boys for army camps during the summer, and felt at the time that would soon come. Then came the war, 1941, that war which brought the United States into the war with the Axis powers during 1941, with the signing of the war with the Axis powers topping all other news of the year. Here is a story of the year. Here are next nine news stories for the year. The Democrat by the staff. The announcement by the

Kraft Cheese Company of plans to install a cheese factory in Memphis, the beginning of operation of the plant, and the formal opening which was held in connection with the annual Hall County Dairy Show.

3. The annual Old Settlers Reunion and Rodeo of Hall County, held in June and attracting large crowds each of the two days.

4. The excellent crop prospects of Hall County, and the final realization of one of the biggest cotton crops since the 80,000-bale year of 1928, and mainly because of the fact that 1941 saw a record rainfall for Hall County.

5. The approval and carrying out of the \$23,000 WPA project for the Memphis City Park and the formal opening of the park on the date of the dairy show and cheese plant opening.

tion District, which in the future is expected to benefit greatly farmers of this area.

7. The filling of Hall County quotas under the Selective Service Act, which required military training even in peacetime.

8. The controversy with the delinquent tax collecting firm of Lubbock which might have turned out to be an even greater story if the terms of the contract had ever been carried out.

9. The summer and winter recreation project, sponsored jointly by the Memphis Public Schools and the WPA, which has furnished entertainment for hundreds of Hall Countyans during the past eight months.

10. The approval of the 186-mile extension to the Hall County Electric Co-Op lines, which, when completed, will make this organization one of the most far-reaching in this area.

Those, then, are The Democrat's choice of the best news stories of the year for Hall County. Lots of other things, some not so important, have happened too. Here they are, month by month:

JANUARY

Hall County soil conservation district is approved by the state conservation board. Rotarians give feed for collegians home from school. Mrs. Ada Ellen Forkner dies. E. J. Huddleston of Estelline dies. Paul Owens of Flaska dies. Miss Novia Lowe, James Martin are wed. Miss Vena Molloy, J. L. Burt Jr. are married. Miss Norcine Morrison, L. A. Lester united in marriage.

Fourteen more men get call to Selective Service army as county assigned second quota. Herman Mayfield Helms arrested for series of burglaries. John Shary and Ed

Leary recommended as soil conservation board members. City of Memphis files suit against 30 citizens for back taxes. First snow—about one-half inch—falls in Memphis. Humble Oil Company sends out more seismograph crews to Hall County. Fifty elms planted at City Park. Rev. Russell A. Winger and wife arrive to work with Presbyterian Church members.

Miss Marie Tindle, Jett Hoggard wed. Miss Margaret Tucker, Dave Waldron are married. Miss Rebecca McCanne, Eugene McElreath united in marriage. Estelline has "Our-School-in-Action" program. Burglar Herman M. Helms sentenced three years in Childress court. George William Brannum dies. Mary Lois Powers, C. D. West are wed. Miss Doris Snyder, C. W. Crawford Jr. are married. Hattie Lou Mabrey, Coy Yarborough united in marriage. Hel-

en Howard, Robert Welch are wed. Miss Edadel McCauley, Bill Plymale are married.

President Roosevelt gives okay to \$23,000 WPA project for City Park. J. M. Dickson of Wellington named assistant secretary of Memphis Production Credit Association. Two Boy Scout troops get new leaders. Mrs. Alta Pauline Fowler dies. Frank Kimbrough of Hardin-Simmons speaks at annual Sideliners banquet for county football players. Mary Ann Wright, J. Briece Webster, are wed. Announcement of marriage of Miss Suna B. Parry, Dennis Sanders Jr. is made. Miss Brookie Owens, William C. Davis are wed. Miss Lottie Mills, Paul Buchanan are married.

Carl Harrison and Byron Baldwin new C. of C. directors. Mrs. Mary Susan Cleveland dies. Grid-iron schedule for 1941 announced.

FEBRUARY

Morning Side, colored school, gets WPA cafeteria. Fairietta Mae Seets, 14, dies. M. O. Goodpasture made director in Texas State Highway Improvement Association. Miss Helen White, Robert S. Foote are wed. Miss Willie Mae Jones, Ernest H. Rawls are married.

More than 400 attend annual C. of C. banquet. Junior High School announces project stock show. Commissioners Court passes resolution to hire delinquent tax collectors. William S. Gooch dies. Mrs. Vina Lewis Alfrey dies. Highway 287 designated as military road. Miss Dorothy Reed, J. Evans are wed.

Hall Countyans plan of Washington's birthday. Grand jury court indict 10. Fire low. Marshal Ed Mc. Authorization to (Continued on page 4)

PARTIES, DINNERS
PERSONAL MENTION
—CALL 15

Society News

HALL COUNTY
CLUB REPORTS
WEDDINGS

Ruby Frances Hill to Wed Garland S. Solomon Today

Miss Ruby Frances Hill of Amarillo, daughter of Mrs. Glennie Hill, also of Amarillo, and Garland Stanley Solomon of Memphis, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Solomon of Memphis, are to be married at 3 o'clock this afternoon at the Polk Street Methodist Church parlors in Amarillo.

Miss Elinor Atwood is to sing "Because" and "I Love You Truly," accompanied by Mrs. Robert Roseberry, preceding the ceremony. Mrs. Roseberry also is to play the "Bridal Chorus" from Lohengrin and Mendelssohn's "Wedding March."

The altar, where Rev. Jordan Grooms will read the single ring ceremony, is to be banked with fern with tall baskets of white carnations and white candelabra with lighted white tapers on either side.

Miss Inez Hill of Amarillo, sister of the bride, is to be maid of honor. She will wear a light weight brown wool dress with brown and beige accessories. Her corsage will be of white carnations.

Henry Lee Solomon of Memphis is to attend his brother as best man.

The bride, who will enter alone, will wear a light weight wine wool dress with black accessories and white kid gloves. Her corsage is to be of white gardenias. For something old, she will wear her mother's locket.

Mrs. Hill will wear a wine dress with black accessories and her corsage will be of white carnations.

Following the ceremony, a reception will be held at the home of the bride's mother. The table will be laid with a lace cloth with a center arrangement of wedding bells on a reflector. At one end of the table will be a silver coffee service, while the wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom, will be on the opposite end.

The couple will leave the reception on a wedding trip, for an unannounced destination. The bride will travel in a three-piece black wool suit with black and white accessories.

Mrs. Solomon is a graduate of Amarillo High School and San Jacinto School of Beauty Culture. She has been employed at the Art Beauty Shop.

Mr. Solomon is a graduate of Memphis High School and attended Texas Technological College, Lubbock.

After January 3 Mr. and Mrs. Solomon will be at home here, where Mr. Solomon is employed with the Kraft Cheese Company.

Miss Frances Hill, Bride-Elect, Given Christmas Party

Miss Ruby Frances Hill of Amarillo, bride-elect of Garland Solomon of Memphis, was honored with a Christmas dinner at the home of Miss Louise Williams, Tuesday evening, December 23.

The entertaining rooms were decorated in the Christmas motif. Over the mantel was holly, flanked with white electric candles.

The dinner was served buffet style and the guests were seated at quartet tables.

Those present were Misses Hill, Inez Hill of Amarillo, Eva Mae Holcomb, Corene Holcomb, Helen Yeats of South Dakota, Athalee Hutcherson, Dorothy Nell Evans, Louise Williams, Garland Solomon, J. R. Mitchell, Charles Williams Jr., Alvis Yeats of Pharr, Joe Crump, Robert Moss, Henry Lee Solomon, Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Winn, Mr. and Mrs. William Moss, and Mrs. Alvin Phillips.

Smart Ensemble



Elsabeth ... Hollywood, wears a smart beige wool ensemble—a simply styled dress topped by a full-length coat fashioned on boxed lines. It has a beaver collar and cuffs. Dark-brown pillbox chapeau completes her outfit.

Locals and Personals

Raymond Waldrop of Dumas visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Waldrop, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otho Jones and Otho Jr. visited during the Christmas holidays with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Roberts and son of Abilene visited during the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. Courtney Denny. Mrs. Denny accompanied them home for a visit.

Earl Hill of Turkey brought his father, Lindsey Hill, who has been ill in a Plainview hospital, back to his home here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Denny and daughter of Chidress visited Christmas with his mother, Mrs. B. F. Denny.

Isadore Mellinger of Clarendon visited Sunday with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Curry visited Thursday in Clarendon with her brother, Dale Hill and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Miller of Shamrock visited during the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Merrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Thompson and children of Clarendon visited during Christmas with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Wyatt of El Paso visited her mother, Mrs. M. A. Wilson, during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Greenhouse visited last Thursday in Wheeler with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Greenhouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harper of Santa Maria visited Christmas with Mrs. W. P. Kilpatrick.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ramsey of Borger visited Christmas Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wines.

Summer Reed of Camp Wolters, Mineral Wells, visited during the Christmas holidays with his cousin, Harold Hightower.

Misses June and Laverne McMurtry of Clarendon were Memphis visitors Saturday night.

Lewis Foxhall, who is taking a CAA training course in Amarillo, visited last week with his father, F. N. Foxhall.

Harold Hightower, student in Baylor Dental College in Dallas, visited during the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Hightower.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Steele of Lubbock visited Saturday night with friends here.

Mrs. Jack Larmer of Fort Worth is visiting with friends here this week. Mrs. Larmer is the former Miss Norma Ruth Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Long of Amarillo visited Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wines.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Greenhouse visited Sunday at Lake McClellan.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Shelton of Clarendon visited Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Meacham.

Miss Nina Ruth Nelson of Roswell, N. M., came Saturday for a visit with friends here.

Helen Madden of Geneseo, Ill., is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Madden.

Mrs. Jack Kennerly of Carlsbad, N. M., left Sunday after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Neal.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Davis of Paducah visited Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Gardner.

Miss Margaret McElroy and brother Yerby visited Thursday in Levelland with their sister, Mrs. Roy Dunn and family.

M. R. Evans of Tucson, Ariz., visited during the Christmas holidays with his wife here.

Mrs. L. J. Campbell of Turkey visited the first of this week with her son, Lester Campbell and wife, here.

Dr. and Mrs. N. A. Hightower Jr. of Randolph Field visited during the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Hightower.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Parks of Texline spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edens.

Mr. and Mrs. "Blackie" Durham and son visited during the Christmas holidays in Silvertown.

Miss Imogene Lamb, student nurse in Parkland Hospital at Dallas, left Wednesday after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Creed Lamb.

New Style in Afternoon Handbag



This underarm bag in chocolate brown wool broadcloth emphasizes its length with bands of corded shirring. A lucite disk serves as zipper pull and adds a decorative trimming note.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Jeffie Dalton of Utah is visiting her sister, Mrs. Elmer Sanders.

Mrs. Charles Crouch and daughter Shirley Ann visited during the Christmas and New Year holidays with her mother, Mrs. L. V. Garbutt of Burkeville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sims of Wichita Falls visited during the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Morrison.

Jo Ann Jackson of Fort Worth visited during the Christmas holidays with her grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. H. F. Schoolfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Ace Gailey returned to their home in Brownwood after a visit during Christmas week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard.

Mrs. Charles Manoushagian and daughter Linda of Wichita Falls visited last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Pyle.

Mr. and Mrs. Cearley Read Kinard of Abilene visited during the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard.

Mr. and Mrs. Holmes McNeely returned to their home in Navasota today after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. McNeely.

Mrs. Verlie Shearer and son Bill of Lubbock and Mrs. John Ewen and daughters, Betty and Patsy, of Estelline visited Friday with their daughter, Mrs. Jake McCulloch.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Burnett visited during the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Betts, in Atoka, Okla. Mr. Burnett returned Saturday and she remained for a visit.

Mrs. D. M. Jarrell and daughter June of Swearingen visited Tuesday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Scott of Franklin, La., visited during the Christmas holidays with his father, Taylor Scott and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bright of Vernon visited Thursday with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCulloch.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Ewen and Maeky of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lagow and daughter Barbara Anne of Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. John Ewen and Betty and Patsy of Estelline, Buck, Gene, and Bob Ewen of Lubbock, and Mrs. Verlie Shearer and son Bill of Lubbock, visited Christmas Day with Mrs. O. N. Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Jake McCulloch, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam J. Hamilton in the Sam Hamilton home.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Lesley and sons of Carey visited Christmas with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kutche, in the home of W. M. Hillyer.

Kennon Hillyer and family of Houston came Monday to spend a few days with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Crow and family of Lubbock spent the Christmas holidays with relatives here.

W. C. Wolf and daughter of Lakeview spent Christmas Day with his son, Carl Wolf and family.

Mrs. C. M. Greene and son of Austin visited during the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Lonnie Edmondson.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Perkins and son F. B. Myrtle Brown, and Mrs. G. G. Perkins of Mangum, Okla., left last Wednesday night for a visit in Los Angeles.

Miss Carrie Belle Le returned Sunday from Big Spring where she visited during the Christmas holidays with her sister, Mrs. I. B. Bryan and family.

Miss Louise Williams returned to Kaufman Sunday after visiting during the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Williams.

Miss Helen Yeats returned to South Dakota Sunday after a visit during the Christmas holidays with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. E. L. Yeats.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dickson and James left Wednesday morning for Dallas and for a visit in Athens with relatives.

A. J. Berry, Glen Carlos, Andrew Simmons, Jim Chapman, and Leo Thompson attended the boxing matches in Amarillo Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Howe and daughter Givalois visited during the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. George Longley, and his father, Leo Howe, in Seymour.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McKenzie and children of Brownfield visited Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Evans Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.

Benzy Estes returned Sunday night from Dallas where he has been since Thursday afternoon. He will visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Estes, while waiting for navy orders.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Bralley and son Joe Bob of Stratford visited during Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Alla Bisswell.

Webb Brewer returned Friday from Abilene where he visited during the Christmas holidays with his son, Jim Bob, who is stationed at Camp Barkeley.

Mr. and Mrs. Tomny Wood and Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Lockmiller and sons of Grier, N. N., visited with relatives and friends at Fort Sill, Okla., and Denton over Christmas.

Mrs. R. S. Lewis returned to her home in Meridian Sunday after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gowan.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Crump, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fisher, and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Albert Sweatt were Children's visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hamrick and daughter, Jimmie Carl, returned Sunday from a week's visit with relatives in Fort Worth and Corsicana.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Weems returned Saturday from Wynnboro where they visited his mother, Mrs. Lula Weems, and his aunt, Mrs. Zelt Carnas, in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Tucker visited Thursday in Clarendon with his mother, Mrs. J. E. Tucker.

Miss Mildred Kesterson of Plainview visited Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Kesterson.

Tom Bob Harrison and Miss Mary Jo Allen left Sunday morning for Los Angeles after spending the Christmas holidays with Mr. Harrison's parents and Miss Allen's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Harris.

Announcement of Aduddell-Moore Wedding Is Made

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Aduddell announce the marriage of their daughter Jo to Elmer C. Moore of Lakeview.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore were married Monday, October 20, at the home of Rev. Vanderspool in Hollis, Okla.

Mr. Moore is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Moore of Deep Lake. The couple will make their home in Lakeview.

These Couples— GET LICENSES

December 23—Chester H. Carson and Rebecca Edwards of Lakeview.

December 23—Clayton Bernice Griffin and Doris Athell Bradley of Memphis.

December 24—Joe Clarence Montgomery and Jimmie Lou Adams of Lesley.

December 26—T. J. Bennett of Brownfield and Mrs. Ida Capwell of Memphis.

December 27—Clint Needham and Claudine Murdock.

December 29—E. U. Perkins of Lesley and Mrs. Adelia Gibbs of East Texas.

December 29—Garland Stanley Solomon of Memphis and Ruby Frances Hill of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. McElreath Observe Fiftieth Anniversary in Hall

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. McElreath, who live 3 1-2 miles northwest of Memphis, celebrated their 50th Christmas anniversary in Hall County with a family Christmas tree and dinner, an annual affair, Thursday of last week.

All of their children and grandchildren were present with the exception of one grandchild, Sergeant Charles R. Gowan, who visited here Tuesday and returned to Fort Leonardwood, Mo., Wednesday.

The house was decorated with pot plants and Christmas decorations. The table was laid with hand painted china and the centerpiece was a crystal bowl of red carnations.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. R. T. McElreath, Florence, Margaret, Lena, and Ben McElreath, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. McElreath, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan McElreath, Jimmie Leon, Joe Wayland, and Donald Wayne McElreath, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gowan, Dorothy Gowan, Mr. and Mrs. Dan McCollum, Mary McCollum, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hill of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McElreath, George Forgy, and Mrs. R. S. Lewis of Meridian.

Mr. and Mrs. Simmons Go to Seminole for Family Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Simmons attended a family reunion in the home of their brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Simmons of Seminole, last Thursday.

A Christmas dinner and Christmas tree were enjoyed by those attending.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Martin Line and family of Brownfield; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee Debusk and three children of Hobbs, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Price and two children of O'Donnell; Mr. and Mrs. Jess Williams and three children of San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Simmons and daughter of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Golden Simmons and two daughters of Wichita Falls; Joe Gates of California; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Simmons of Seminole; and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Simmons of Memphis.

MRS. DRAPER HOSTESS AT CHRISTMAS PARTY

Mrs. Tom Draper was hostess, and Mrs. Clyde Milam and Mrs. Lowena Evans co-hostesses, when the Harmony Club met December 10 for a Christmas tree and program at the home of Mrs. Draper.

The entertaining rooms were decorated in keeping with the season.

Leader for the program was Mrs. Robert Devin; roll call, "Christmas in Other Lands," Christmas playlet, Mrs. R. S. Greene, Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard, Mrs. Joe DeBerry, and Miss Marjorie Foreman; piano, "Silent Night," Koliman, played by Mrs. Ned Baird.

Christmas carols were sung by the club. Following the program, Mrs. Clyde Milam appeared as Santa Claus, bringing gifts to each one.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Matthew Allen, Mrs. Ned Baird, Mrs. Robert Devin, Mrs. Joe DeBerry, Mrs. R. S. Greene, Mrs. O. N. Hamilton, Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard, Mrs. L. B. Madden, Mrs. Conley Ward, Mrs. Otho Fitzjarrald, and Misses Mary Foreman, Demarius Gidden, Gladys Schantz, and Eddie Mae Scott, the hostesses, and one guest, Mrs. W. L. O'Rear.

PCA Employees Have Christmas Tree and Supper

The P. C. A. office had a supper and Christmas tree at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Howe last Tuesday evening.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Howe, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dickson, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Isham, Miss Mary Helen Lindsey, and Miss Athalee Hutcherson.

Curtis Harrell left Monday for a visit with relatives in San Antonio.

Johnnie Sue Byars And Foy Young Wed in Memphis

Miss Johnnie Sue Byars and Foy Young were married Saturday, December 20, in the home of Minister Grady Pricer, pastor of the Church of Christ here.

Mrs. Young is a graduate of the Lakeview High School with the class of 1941. For her wedding, she wore a soldier-blue dress with gold accessories. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Byars of Lakeview.

Mr. Young is also a graduate of the Lakeview High School with the class of 1941. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Young, also of Lakeview.

Mrs. Gilbert Young and son Billy Young and Miss Mary Lou Byars were the couple's only attendants.

Mr. and Mrs. Young will make their home in Wichita Falls, where Young is attending school at Shepard Field.

Annual Reunion of Thompson Family Held in Memphis

Members of the family of Mr. and Mrs. George M. Thompson of Memphis met in the Memphis Hotel ballroom Christmas Day for their annual reunion and Christmas tree.

Dinner was served at 2 o'clock, preceding which Mr. and Mrs. Thompson made short addresses. Gifts were distributed from the tree following the dinner.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. George M. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson Jr. and children, Laura Ann, Betty, and George, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Thompson, Mrs. Bertha Carter and son George, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Campbell, Maurine Thompson, Marcus Rosenwasser, all of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Thompson and children, Joan and Ernest, of Clarendon; Dr. and Mrs. Joe Brown of Mineral Wells; Mr. and Mrs. Owens of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. King of Plainview.

Mrs. Sweat's Pupils in Christmas Recital

The music pupils of Mrs. Olson Sweat, assisted by pupils of Mrs. Conley Ward, were presented in a Christmas recital at the Salisbury school building Tuesday evening, December 23. Following the program refreshments were served to those present. Those taking part on the program were Dora Lee Mitchell, Peggy Mitchell, Kenneth McQueen, Larry McQueen, and Zora Mae Sweet.

Locals and Personals

Mrs. Maudie Rogers of Wichita Falls visited Sunday and Monday with Maurine Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Dunlap and son Wayne of Dallas spent last week here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Dunlap.

Morrison Family Meets in Amarillo Christmas Day

The P. E. Morrison family celebrated Christmas day in Amarillo last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Lester Day, 1848 home more Street.

This was the first time the family had been together for years. A family Christmas was enjoyed and Christmas dinner was served to the 53 present.

Mr. Morrison has 8 children, grandchildren, and 5 great grandchildren.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Morrison and children, J. D. and Naomi, Mrs. Zoe Morrison and children, Wanda and Fred, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Knight and children, James and James, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Lester, and Mrs. J. M. Lester, Mrs. E. S. Morrison, family, Doris, Jane, Jimmie, and Margie of Lakeview, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Morrison, son Don, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis and family, Douglas, Mae, and Edgar, and Mr. and Mrs. Carol Morrison of Dime, and Mrs. Owen Pyeatt, all, the children of Clarendon, and Mrs. William Curtis and children, Gwyneth and Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cravey family, Carolyn, Bobby, and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Day, children, Billie and Teddy of Amarillo.

Friends who visited during the day were Mr. and Mrs. John of Plaska, Mrs. Stella Ross and Dan, Dona, Mrs. Lutz, and Mrs. C. C. Cutler of Amarillo.

RECEPTION GIVEN FOR SERGEANT, MRS. GAILEY

Honoring Sergeant Asa Lee Gailey whose vows were read at the Methodist Church in Brownwood, December 13, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Kinard held open house Sunday night, December 23, from 9 o'clock.

Mrs. Gailey, formerly G. Kinard, is the daughter of Mrs. Kinard and Mr. S. Gailey is the son of Mr. W. C. Gilliam of Waco.

Silver and red were the dominant colors in the scheme of the reception with smilax and red poinsettias forming the floral arrangement. Wedding gifts of the groom were displayed in the room.

Covered with a hand-embroidered lace cloth, the dining table was centered with a white pine Christmas tree flanked either side with crystal chandeliers in which red candles. Mrs. Foster Watkins, Mrs. Thompson, Miss Tommy, Miss Dorotha Sue Fultz, the bride, served in the room. Angel cake, candies, tea and coffee served to the 85 guests who during the receiving hours.

Mrs. Gailey, whose plans were originally arranged December 27 at the First Church in Memphis, where the couple are temporarily located in Brownwood while Sergeant is stationed at Camp Bowie.

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Mr. and Mrs. Larry Thompson visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. der.

W. C. Pullen visited in Pampa with his sister, old Keiser, and his brother Pullen.

Mr. and Mrs. Hughie of Lubbock visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. der.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Seaman visited Sunday and Monday in City with their daughter and Mary Jane.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn and children visited Thursday, Okla., with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Anderson.

Mrs. Jack Battle of Lakeview is visiting with her Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. week.

Mrs. E. A. Thomas and Amilda of Petersburg visited friends here Monday and of this week.

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Billie F. Murdock

Cook of Lubbock visited the Christmas holidays with Mildred Ellis.

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and Mrs. W. L. Crawford and Mrs. R. D. Hall spent holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Haney of Floydada.

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Olson Salisbury Announces Candidate for County Superintendent

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Sweat was elected to the office of county superintendent in 1928.

For the past year he has lived and labored in the rural school system.

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OLSON SWEAT

My understanding of the positions of the rural children and their parents, I also realize the responsibilities and problems of the rural school trustees and teachers.

"When I am elected, I pledge to you and to them my fullest cooperation in making your schools a success. Education, as each of you know, is a business. We have in Hall County today 3,000 future citizens distributed in various school districts. It requires annually for the training of these young people more than \$55,000.

"Certainly you should have at the head of this business a person who will look after the financial management in an economical manner. I believe in running any business economically and wisely.

"I am in favor of every thoughtful and planned effort to cut waste in education, but I am opposed to any trend or attempt to lessen the advantages that the rural school brings to its boys and girls. Believing in these things and intending to live up to them every day when I am elected, I ask for your support. It will be sincerely appreciated, and I will try to show it by the service I render you and your children."

INDIAN CREEK

MRS. NORA VANDEVENTER

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dean of Omaha, Okla., arrived Wednesday to spend Christmas with their daughters, Mrs. Ida Whitten and Mrs. Hester Shira.

Mr. and Mrs. Artie Allen of Amarillo spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen of Memphis and a sister, Mrs. Molly

Billington of San Angelo at Christmas day with his par-

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Watson were in the Vandeventer home

Arnold Hoggatt of Fort Sill arrived Wednesday to visit over the days with his father and other

Magic Is Okay, But It's A Good Thing Food Comes First

It's a good thing that the practiced rule at a dinner is to feed those present first, and then present the program afterwards.

For if that hadn't happened Tuesday at the Rotary Club's annual treat for collegians home for a visit, then the magic of Ralph DeShong, Wichita Falls business man, might have had the college students wondering whether they were going to get their dessert by way of the waitress route or out of a silk hat.

DeShong, who was introduced by Rev. S. F. Martin, did about everything a magician can do without having a special stage on which to work, and the 30 students present were kept laughing or gasping with the Rotarians throughout the performance.

Blue Stamp Foods For Month Listed

Wynn S. Goode, area supervisor, Surplus Marketing Administration this week announced only one change in the blue stamp food list for families taking part in the food stamp program in Hall County.

Except for removal of raisins from the January blue stamp list the commodities obtainable are the same as the December blue stamp foods.

The complete list of blue stamp foods for the period of January 1, 1942, to January 31 in all stamp program areas is as follows: Butter, all cuts of pork (except that cooked or packed in metal or glass containers), fresh grapefruit, pears, apples, oranges, and fresh vegetables (including potatoes), corn meal, shell eggs, dried prunes, hominy (corn) grits, dry edible beans, wheat flour, enriched wheat flour, self-rising flour, enriched self-rising flour, and whole wheat (Graham) flour.

Remember Pearl Harbor

Barham Calls Off Singers Meeting

O. L. Barham, past officer of the Hall County Singing Convention, has announced that he will be unable to make arrangements for the spring meeting, which was to be held in Memphis.

Barham who stated that he asked that the meeting be held here, said that he is calling off the affair in Memphis, and that any community which wishes to be host should contact J. B. Smith of Leesley, president of the group.

PLEASANT VALLEY

By MRS. E. W. PATE

Mr. and Mrs. Quentin Ward of Canyon are spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mollor.

Mrs. J. W. Lowe and daughters returned to their home at Terrel, Okla., Wednesday.

Gene Dial of Lakeview spent Monday night with Evelyn Pate.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rea of Hillsboro spent the holidays with relatives here.

E. W. Pate and family and LeRoy Pate and family spent the week-end at Shamrock.

Mrs. W. H. Nabers is spending this week with her daughter, Mrs. Alvin Molloy.

The club meets with Mrs. E. W. Pate Tuesday, January 6, for an all-day meeting.

Sue Benton fell out of the car last week when the door came open. She was not seriously injured.

PERSONALS

Ira Hammond and Mrs. H. H. Newman visited Friday in Amarillo with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Newman and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Saunders and daughter Theima Mae visited Sunday in Kirklind with her brother, W. H. Trospier.

A. J. Butler of Camp Bowie, Brownwood, visited last week-end with friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. King of Plainview visited during Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Thompson. Mrs. King remained for a visit until Thursday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ingram Walker and Gail of Turkey visited Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Greene and Mrs. R. C. Walker.

Mrs. J. E. Morrow of Hollis, Okla., and Herman Morrow of Wichita, Kans., visited last week-end with their daughter and sister, Mrs. H. H. Lindsey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Campbell visited Wednesday evening of last week in Turkey with his mother, Mrs. L. J. Campbell.

Herschel Montgomery visited during the Christmas holidays in Shamrock with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Harland Hall of Childress visited Thursday with Mrs. Elmer Hall's mother, Mrs. Silas Wood.

Billy Hood, Hiram Wood, and J. O. Gibson were Childress visitors Thursday.

Randolph Johnson of the Panama Canal Zone came last Wednesday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Newman of Amarillo visited during the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Newman.

Mr. and Mrs. James Long of Amarillo visited during the Christmas holidays with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Renneberg and daughters, Joyce and Roxann, of Houston, and Mrs. William Brown of Fort Worth visited during the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sturgess and daughter Omega, and Mrs. Jack Sturgess of Fort Worth visited during the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Bownds and children of Dallas visited during the Christmas holidays with his mother, Mrs. Mary Bownds.

Mrs. B. R. Newman of Nocona, Mrs. Clint Wilks of Athens, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Newman and daughter Betty of Denton visited last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Newman, H. H. Newman, Roy Newman, and Mrs. Wilks are the children of Mrs. B. R. Newman.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Roden and children of Haskell visited during the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Mabry.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Simons Jr. of Midland visited during the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Simons.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Thompson and son of Breckenridge visited during the Christmas holidays with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Calhoun and E. W. Calhoun of Midland visited their brother, Lesley Calhoun and family during Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Howard and daughter Gloria returned Monday from El Paso where they visited during Christmas week with their daughter, Mrs. Neal Wyatt and family.

THESE PRICES GOOD FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY ONLY!

EGGS, fresh country, dozen . . . 29c

APRICOTS, 2 No. 2½, light syrup . . . 35c

BEWLEY'S BISCUIT BAKER FLOUR \$1.73

48-pound sack . . .

POP CORN, Jolly Time, 2 for . . . 23c

HONEY, ½-gallon, strained . . . 43c

PINTO BEANS 99¢

New Crop, 15 pounds . . .

BEANS, Ranch Style, 3 cans . . . 25c

BEANS, Chuck Wagon, 3 cans . . . 25c

JELL-O 5¢

Any flavor, each . . .

GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, 46-oz. can 19c

PEACHES, sliced, No. 2 can . . . 10c

COFFEE, Del Monte, 2 lbs. . . . 63c

SPUDS 33¢

Red, per peck . . .

TOMATO JUICE, per quart . . . 19c

TOMATO JUICE, 3 No. 2 cans . . . 25c

BRAN 6¢

White Swan, per box . . .

MEATS

BUTTER, Ol' Fashun roll, lb. . . . 37c

BACON, sugar cured, sliced, lb. . . 27c

STEAK, tender cuts, pound . . . 25c

BACON, dry salt, pound . . . 17½c

DRY GOODS

LADIES' OUTING PAJAMAS \$1.25

BLANKETS, 5% wool . . . \$2.98

CHILDREN'S Wool Sweaters . . \$1.09

FEEDS

BEWLEY'S RED ANCHOR EGG MASH, per cwt. . . . \$2.85

SWEET FEED, per cwt. . . . \$1.55

18% RATION, Bewley's, cwt. . . \$2.20

OATS, coarse ground, per cwt. \$1.85

SERVICE STATION

21-MONTH EXIDE BATTERIES, exchange . . . \$10.25

9-MONTH MATREX BATTERIES, exchange . . . \$3.95

WINCHESTER FLASH LIGHTS, complete . . 89c

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CITY DRUG STORE

LON ALEXANDER, Pharmacist "Deep Cut Prices"

Comments—

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the City Tax Collector's office. Do it now so there would be no delay in case of an emergency.

There are various ways that the citizens may help in National Defense. The Red Cross, a national organization to aid war workers and sufferers, needs money, needs a lot of women and girls to make bandages, sew and knit. Why not help in this great work of mercy?

Since the sealanes between the United States and the countries supplying most of the rubber to this country are practically blocked as to commercial shipping, America is badly in need of rubber, and is rationing tires and such like to conserve the supply on hand. It is a patriotic duty for all to aid in this. Use cars slowly, drive slower, stop and start slowly, turn corners easily, avoid curbs, rocks, holes, etc.

A groceryman tells me that many of his customers order two or three times a day instead of making the order at one time. Each time an order is given means your groceryman has to send his delivery truck out (even if the order is for one 10-cent loaf of bread) and the excessive number of calls to the customer means the wearing out of tires needlessly. He suggests that the housewives make out a list of supplies for the day and include it all in one order instead of several, and that, my friends, is one way of being patriotic and helpful in this time of "all-out America." Groceryman, as well as all other business men, want to be of service to their customers, but let's all use our heads and feet more.

By the way, speaking of saving rubber, Rev. E. L. Yeats has bought a bicycle to ride in making short calls, and he wants the public to know, when they see him riding down the street with his coat-tail flying behind him, that he is not a Jap to be shot at by over-enthusiastic haters of the "yellow Aryans."

WEEK AFTER CHRISTMAS

By The Democrat Staff Poet

'Tis the week just after Christmas and we are sorter short of cash; and the chassis of the turkey has been cleaned in making hash.

All the presents priced and traded for something that we need; the kinsfolks all a leaving, and we won't have them to feed.

All the world seems cheerful, and the days a brighter hue; but we think about our taxes, then the brightness turns to blue.

WEEK-END SPECIALS

- COFFEE, Folger's, 1-pound... 31c; 2 pounds... 60c
SUGAR, Pure Cane, 10 lbs... 63c; 25 lbs... \$1.58
SPRY, 3-pound pail... 71c; 6-pound pail... \$1.39
MEAL, Aunt Jemima, 5 lbs... 22c; 10 lbs... 37c
SOAP, P & G or Crystal White, 6 giant bars... 27c
SOAP, Lux or Lifebuoy, 3 bars... 19c
WHITE KING, large box... 32c
SANI-FLUSH, large can... 20c
MILK, Pet or Carnation, 6 cans... 27c
CRACKERS, 2-pound box, Salted... 17c
MINCE MEAT, 2 packages... 17c
ENGLISH WALNUTS, per pound... 23c
PECANS, large thin shells, pound... 20c
COCOANUT, 1/2-pound... 13c; 1-pound... 23c
MARSHMALLOW, 8-oz. pkg... 8c; 1-lb... 14c
JELL-O, all flavors, 3 boxes... 19c
EGGS, fresh country, per dozen... 30c
BAKING POWDER, 25-ounce KC... 18c
POP CORN, Popit, 2 boxes for... 15c
CATCHUP, Heinz, large bottle... 22c
KARO SYRUP, 3-pound can, white... 27c
TOMATO JUICE, Campbell's, 2 cans... 15c
PINEAPPLE or APRICOT JUICE, 3 cans for... 27c
TUNA FISH, Gold Bar, per can... 18c
TAMALES, Gebhardt's, 2 cans... 25c
RANCH STYLE CHILI BEANS, 2 cans... 17c
BLACK EYED PEAS, Pecan Valley, 2 cans... 17c
KRAUT, Empson's, 2 medium cans... 15c
ENGLISH PEAS, Mission, No. 2 cans, 2 for... 27c
CORN, Primrose or Our Darling, 2 No. 2 cans... 25c
FRUIT COCKTAIL, Heart's Delight, 2 cans... 27c
PINEAPPLE, sliced or crushed, 3 cans... 27c
PEACHES, large cans, Heart's Delight... 19c
PEARS or APRICOTS, Heart's Delight large, cans... 22c
SPUDS, No. 1 Colorado Red, per peck... 35c
SWEET POTATOES, klin dried, 6 pounds... 17c
COOKING APPLES, Gono, per peck... 32c
LEMONS, Sunkist, per dozen... 17c
CRANBERRIES, per quart... 19c
CELERY, large stalk... 13c
LETTUCE, nice heads... 6c
GREEN BEANS, New Texas, pound... 10c
BROOKFIELD SAUSAGE, per pound... 34c
BACON, Rex, sliced, pound... 29c
PORK CHOPS, nice and lean, per pound... 27c

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LIBERTY

By MRS. W. F. HODNETT

John Bownds celebrated his 84th birthday anniversary at Mrs. Holt Bownds' home in Memphis. Thirty-five relatives and friends were present.

Katherine Rice of Lubbock spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rice.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. West and daughter of Fresno, Calif., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rice.

Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Yeager spent Christmas with her father, J. P. Hancock.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Carlile and Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Heath visited relatives in Clarendon Sunday.

Virgil Mosley and family of San Antonio are visiting his brother, W. A. Mosley and family.

Mrs. Noble returned home Saturday from California where she had been visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hodnett and children, Bobbie Jack, and Jimmie Lee, spent the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hodnett, and visited her mother, Mrs. E. C. Yearly of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bownds and family spent Christmas with her parents in Clarendon.

Bob Lewis of Lubbock spent Christmas Day in the J. L. Rice home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Vines spent Christmas week with their parents, Mrs. Vines went to Arkansas for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Mosley spent Christmas with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Spencer.

Mrs. T. S. Byrd—

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Billingsley, Curtis Billingsley, and M. E. Chandler, flower bearers were granddaughters of Mrs. Byrd.

Mrs. Frances Champion Byrd was born August 5, 1856, in Franklin County, Tenn. She was converted and joined the Baptist Church at the age of 20, and 15 years ago became a member of the Methodist Church in the Hulver community.

She became the bride of T. S. Byrd June 24, 1880, and 11 children were born to this union. The family moved to Limestone County in Texas in November of 1890. In January of 1909, Mr. Byrd died, and Mrs. Byrd moved to Hall County, where she had made her home since. Five of the children preceded her in death.

First Defense—

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second speaker on the program. The judge emphasized the need for conservation of materials, and also declared that "we must take what we have and use it to the best advantage." Judge Goodpasture used the present curtailment of tire sales as an example of how Americans must conserve their resources.

E. E. Roberts, chairman of the Hall County Red Cross chapter, made a plea in behalf of the Red Cross. He stated that Memphis had fallen far below its quota in the annual roll call, and that an attempt to raise this quota will be made in the next few days. He also pointed out the need to raise immediately the \$2,300 called for in the war relief funds drive, and said that the campaign to raise this money will begin next week.

W. C. Davis, superintendent of the Memphis Public Schools, explained the work now being carried on in the Memphis High School concerning defense activities. He told of the 100 per cent enrollment by girls in Junior Red Cross work, and of the two platoons of high school boys organized recently to aid in case of emergency. Both the boys and girls are being trained now, he said.

T. E. Noel, Memphis banker, stressed the need of lending money to the government by buying Defense Bonds and Stamps. He emphasized the safety of investing in the bonds, and urged all citizens to buy as many bonds and stamps as possible. For the past 90 days, he said, Hall Counties have averaged buying \$2,500 worth of bonds each day.

District Attorney John Deaver was the last speaker on the program. He used examples in explaining that the American youth of today is not "soft," as some have charged, and said that the battle to hold Wake Island will go down in history as one of the great valiant struggles of all time.

Dr. H. Gilmore—

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tion of the Hardcastle Funeral Home of Turkey.

Survivors include his wife, five children, Lee Gilmore of Wheeler, Carl Gilmore of Turkey, Bailey Gilmore of Memphis, Floyd Gilmore of Turkey, and Pauline Gilmore of Turkey, eight grandchildren, and one great grandchild. Active pallbearers were Chas. Russell, W. R. Mohon, Roy Fuston, Paul Meacham, Dewitt Varly, and Jack Lacy. Honorary pallbearers were members of the Masonic Lodge at Turkey, and members of the Hall, Donley, and Collingsworth County Medical Association.

Dr. Gilmore, who has been ill for about three weeks, was born July 24, 1867, in Owensville, and lived there 41 years. He moved to Turkey in 1909, and been practicing medicine there until his recent illness forced him to abandon his work.

He was a graduate of the Memphis Medical College in Memphis, Tenn., finishing there in 1891. He was a Mason, member of the Woodmen of the World, Lions Club, Collingsworth, Hall, and Donley County Medical Association, and Methodist Church.

Dr. Gilmore was married to Mary Ella Frazer December 23, 1891. He was the youngest of 13 children in his family, and the others preceded him in death.

Among those attending the funeral services from Memphis were Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Bice, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Lindsey, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Drake, Mrs. Tom Draper, Mr. and Mrs. Oattie Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Oren Jones, Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Odum, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Crump, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fisher, Dr. R. Kelly, C. W. Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Webster, C. C. Meacham, Mrs. Isabell Cypert, Mrs. Juanita Eudy, Mrs. D. A. Grundy, Miss Una Loard, Miss Mary Lee Mabry, Mrs. L. D. Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hancock, R. H. Wherry, Morgan Baker, and Irvin Johnson.

Active Red Cross—

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taek in the Atlantic and Pacific; have dramatically brought home to us the cruelties of this war.

"Wherever our heroic soldiers, sailors, and airmen are so valiantly defending our soil, there you will find the flag of the Red Cross unfurled alongside the other flags. Red Cross men are on every front. "Funds are urgently needed to keep intact these frontlines of mercy. The enemy respects neither holidays nor week-ends. The Red Cross war fund should be pushed to rapid over-subscription.

"Partnerships in this time of need gives all the people an opportunity to participate. The Red Cross is a people's partnership in a time of need.

"It is patriotism in action to give to the Red Cross. Miseries of war cannot be measured by quotas and mathematical yardsticks nor personal conveniences. The President, the American people, and our fighting men expect much of us. An avalanche of giving now will help the Red Cross to deliver the goods."

In many universities groups of friends are forming to take Naval Reserve flight training together.

Dot Newsome Dies In Local Hospital

Dot Newsome, 53, who came to Hall County only two months ago for employment, died in a local hospital Monday of last week after an illness of three days.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, December 23, from the home of the J. A. Whaley farm near Alaska, with W. T. Hightower officiating. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of King's Mortuary.

Survivors include his wife and five children.

Newsome was born in Red River County February 3, 1888, was a World War veteran, and a member of the Baptist Church.

Picture of Local Girl in Dallas News

The picture of Peggy Jo Evans, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Evans, appeared in the December 24 issue of the Dallas Morning News.

The young girl is under treatment at the Scottish Rite Hospital in Dallas, and the picture accompanied a story about the Christmas spirit of the young patients there.

Dallas Preacher to Talk from WFAA

Dr. Geo. W. Truett, world famous Baptist preacher, will be heard next Sunday morning, January 4, 7:30 to 8 o'clock in an independent Southwide network broadcast known as the Baptist Hour. Dr. Truett's message will come from the studios of radio station WFAA of Dallas, his home city.

This is the first in a series of 13 broadcasts on successive Sundays by outstanding Baptist preachers and laymen throughout the South at this same hour every Sunday morning.

It is announced that Dr. T. E. Adams of Richmond, Va., will speak on the network the following three Sunday mornings on the subject, "The Home." Other prominent speakers will be heard in February and March. Each message is to be accompanied by the best sort of gospel singing.

GILPIN

(By Correspondent)

Derrell Stean Brumley was brought home Wednesday from a hospital in Memphis, where he has been receiving medical treatment. He is reported to be improving.

Miss Bonnie Chivers is spending the Christmas holidays with her sister in Clarendon.

Temple Mullins and Mrs. Aubry Mullins and children of New Mexico are visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Mullins.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Knight and daughters, Melba, Vera Mae, and Margaret visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hollingsworth of Denison during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Ojell Rawls of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Phillips of Eli and Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Gresham and children of Munday spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. U. J. Harper.

Ray Aultman of New Mexico visited his father, N. W. Aultman and family, during the Christmas holidays.

Rev. and Mrs. Alton Vaughn and family of Alamo visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Knight Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ross of Childress, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Turner of Wichita Falls and Cloise Monroe of Lubbock visited in the J. W. Helm home Christmas Day.

Cloise Monroe of Lubbock visited his mother, Mrs. Ella Monroe. Miss Mary Anne Nelson, who is attending the Draughns Business School at Wichita Falls, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Nelson. She returned Sunday, accompanied by her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. U. J. Harper visited Mr. and Mrs. Marcum of Hulver Sunday.

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Dallas Youth Dies Of Shotgun Injury

J. Frank Wilson Jr., 14, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Wilson of Dallas, died Tuesday from injuries received when he was accidentally shot while stepping over a low fence on his father's farm near Dallas Thursday of last week.

The youth's father, vice president of the Dallas Bar Association, is a brother of Ed Wilson of Memphis and Tom Wilson and Mrs. Earl Allen of near Memphis.

Attending the funeral from here were E. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wilson and daughter Barbara, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Allen and daughter Martha.

Closing Date for Cotton Loan May 1

Closing date for 1941 cotton loan was not December 31 as stated in a news release published in several daily papers last week, but will be May 1, 1942, County Agent W. E. Hooser said this week.

Cotton loans will mature on demand on or July 31, instead of April 30 as reported in the same story, it was explained. The date of maturity appears on the back of the loan papers.

The misinformation was not published in The Democrat, but was in several of the state papers, the county agent said.

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Congressman—

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by the Air Corps. In making application to the Navy, he stated his preference for service and, in accordance with naval regulations, was assigned a Lieutenant Commander's position in the Volunteer Branch of the Reserve.

Worley's predecessor in Congress, Judge Marvin Jones, sitting on the United States Board of Claims, volunteered his services when he voted to declare against Germany in 1917 for a term Tom Connally of Texas, a member of the House of Representatives, likewise served in the present Army with leagues in the present Army will have also entered the service.

Worley said his office was kept open and that he was in Lubbo main in as close touch as possible with during his service. After a period of intensive training in Washington it is anticipated he will be ordered to the West for active duty.

Cotton Allotment

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cially in East Texas, many are being taken out of production altogether," she said, "and, as a result, the acreage in allotments has been going down in those sections setting part of this cut in increase in the number of growing cotton in other notably West Texas."

The basic national allotment for 1942 is 26,598,000 compared with last year's 29,917 acres.

Cotton yields in Texas are considerably higher this year, mainly as a result of conservation practices adopted by farmers in cooperation with the U. S. Department of Agriculture's program.

Advertise in The Democrat

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Start the New Year right. Stock up at this special sale.
CANDY Bulk, 2 Pounds 25c
CANDY 3 Bars For 10c
GRAPE JAM White Swan, 4-Lb. Jar 49c
DATES Bulk, Pitted, 1 Pound 25c
TOMATOES, No. 2 can 9c
CORN, No. 2 can 9c
MILK, Carolene, 6 cans 25c
COFFEE, Chase & Sanborn, lb. 29c
APPLES BULK, PER PECK 35c
GRAPES 2 POUNDS FOR 25c
ORANGES CALIFORNIA, 2 DOZEN 25c
BEANS, fresh snaps, per pound 12c
LETTUCE, 2 heads for 15c
CELERY, per stalk 12c
Bacon, sliced, lb. 29c
Bologna, 2 lbs. 35c
Oleo, Sunlight, lb. 18c
EXTRA SELECT Oysters, per pint 40c
Dry Salt Jowls, lb. 15c
Kraft Dinner, box 10c
PINTO BEANS, new crop, 8 pounds
SUGAR, 25-pound bag \$1
LARD, 8-pound carton, Pure \$1
KRAFT CHEESE, 2-pound loaf
HOT BARBECUE PER POUND 30c
FRESH CATFISH PER POUND 25c

NEWLIN

By MRS. FRED HEMPHILL

Happy New Year

To the few readers who follow the "coming and going" of the Newlin folks, let me wish you a very happy New Year, in spite of the war that casts a shadow over each of our homes, and the sorrow that may come to us in the future because of it. Let us look up and renew our faith and trust in Him who can lead us through anything that may come, and may each of your hearts be filled with His love each day throughout the New Year.

School Begins Monday

Newlin School only observed one week for the Christmas holidays and classes began again Monday morning. School can now be dismissed one week earlier in the spring to allow teachers to attend summer school. Superintendent and Mrs. C. H. Cheves and Betty spent the holidays here, and at Wichita and Graham with relatives. Mrs. Loyd Crow visited with her mother in Wichita Falls. Miss Hendricks spent the holidays with her parents at Estelline.

Car Accident Injuries Several

Returning from church services in Memphis Sunday night, a car driven by Miss Bonnie Davis attempted to pass a truck, and was slightly bumped by a car from behind. The bumpers of the cars became entangled. The impact caused them to skid into the ditch turning over the car driven by Joe Perez, and badly damaging the other car. Several of the occupants of the car received cuts and bruises. Miss Davis was taken to a hospital where she was treated for a severed tendon in her hand. The Davis car was pulled off the highway and thieves stole two wheels and tires after the occupants left it for the night.

Quarterly Conference Held

The first quarterly conference of the year was held Sunday at Hulvey for the Newlin and Hulvey churches, with the new district superintendent in charge of the services. Several from the Newlin church attended.

Holiday Visitors

Many happy family gatherings were reported in homes in this vicinity the past week, and if I miss anyone who visited here or there it is because I failed to hear of the visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gresham had their entire family at their home on Christmas Day. They were Mr. and Mrs. George Gresham and three children from Carey, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Gresham and two daughters from Munday, Mr. and Mrs. George Pope and two children from Plomat, Mr. and Mrs. Houston Koomer and two children Hamilton of Newlin, Mr. and Mrs. Rod Gresham and baby of Shamrock, Mr. and Mrs. Britton Veters of McLean, Misses Frankie and L. B. Gresham, TWC, Fort Worth, and Roy Gresham of Newlin.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Lawrence had as their guests their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ogle Martin and Gwen from Cotuit, Mass., and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Schiebe and Freddie and Alma Jo, Wichita Falls, and Miss Nancy Lawrence of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Mullins had their son Temple of Astor, N. M., and Mrs. Aubrey Mullins and children, also of Astor, to spend the holidays here, returning Sunday night. They visited their sister, Mrs. Fred Hemphill and family, also.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gregory and Mr. Gregory's father of Corpus

Christi and Mrs. Minnie Lokoy spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam L. Smith and daughters, Jewell and Rebecca, spent the holidays with her parents at Chico.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Nelson and family spent Christmas with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lannan Nelson, at Dainart. Their daughter Mary Ann, who is attending business college at Wichita Falls, spent the holidays here, returning Sunday to her school.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Cheves had all of their children with them for the holidays with the exception of three sons who are in the Navy. Those present here were Mr. and Mrs. Holley and children of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sarton and baby daughter of Gilpin, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Cheves of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cheves and children of Vineyard, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Cheves and Betty of Newlin, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Cheves and sons, Newton and Raymond, of Borger.

R. D. Long and children spent Christmas with relatives in Longworth.

Mrs. T. R. Garrett of Memphis and grandson Jack Morgan, student in A. and M., and Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Rushing and sons of Childress spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. John Rowell and son John Alex.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Nelson and son Bobby of Spade spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Crabtree and Mrs. R. O. Nelson.

J. S. Solomon of Brady spent Christmas day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Solomon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hemphill and daughter Yvonne of El Paso spent the holidays here with J. O. Hemphill and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Clark and children of Porryton visited here and at Silverton during the holidays.

Willard Sells of Nazareth visited his cousins, Van Crow and Mrs. Rhoda Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Davis and daughter Ila Sue of Salisbury spent Christmas with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Davis.

George Nelson returned to his home here after a few months' visit with his daughter, Mrs. Cora Mitchell, in House, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Koeninger visited Monday in Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore and children of Lamesa, and Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Wade of Hedley spent the holidays with their parents, Rev. and Mrs. L. J. Crawford.

Joe Hemphill and Edmund Williams of Memphis spent the holidays with relatives and friends in Newlin.

Sick Folks

Mr. J. P. Cole was taken to a Memphis hospital Tuesday very ill of the flu, but was able to be brought home in a few days and is some better at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bennett have been ill the past week but are both able to be up. Mr. and Mrs. John Nichols and Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Greenwood spent Christmas with them.

BUYS HOUSE

Noah Cunningham, high school principal, has bought the house formerly owned by C. E. Headstream. The house is located at 1416 West Walden.

HEARS FROM SON

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ford of Memphis received word from their son, Virgil Lee, that he was still safe in the Philippine islands shortly before Christmas. In his brief message, Ford wished all his friends a "Merry Christmas."

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Ray of Louisiana spent the holidays here with Mrs. Ray's mother, Mrs. R. C. Walker.

E. H. Montgomery, Jack Boone, Emmett Walker, E. E. Cudd, and Harold (Chesty) Walker of Phillips attended the Wichita Falls-Temple football game in Fort Worth Saturday. Wichita Falls won the state championship by a score of 13-0.

Bill Fletcher, who spent the Christmas holidays in Porryton with his father, John Fletcher, returned home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Headstream and daughter Lucy returned home Sunday from Roby, where they visited his mother, Mrs. C. E. Headstream, and from Law, where they visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Henderson, during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Baker and family visited last Thursday in Pampa.

Mrs. G. S. Sigler of Kilgore and daughters, Mrs. J. W. Stroud and son Clifton Warrick, and Miss Billie Sigler of San Antonio, visited from Tuesday until Friday in the home of Mrs. Sigler's sister, Mrs. H. B. Gilmore and family, and other relatives and friends, Miss Diane Sigler of Porryton returned home with them for a visit.

Miss Margaret McElreath left Monday for Quail, where she will teach school.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hall left Sunday for Fort Worth after a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. McElreath.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Albert Swentz came Wednesday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McQueen.

James Fultz and George Carter visited last week-end in Midland with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McClure Jr.

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Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Vandiver and son Barry Joe and Mrs. Darwood Dial of Dallas returned to their home Sunday after spending the Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vandiver and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Adinidell.

Mr. and Mrs. Scotty Sigler and daughters, Diane and Sandra, of Porryton visited during the Christmas holidays with her parents and his mother, Mr. and Mrs. Roy R. Fultz, and Mrs. G. S. Sigler of Kilgore, who is visiting with relatives here.

Miss Bobbie Clark of Lubbock visited with relatives and friends here Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. M. T. Howard of the Howard Ranch spent Christmas in Memphis with her granddaughter, Mrs. Lesley Calhoun and family.

Arlon Merrill of Stephenville visited in this community Wednesday of last week.

Miss Shirley Sanderson of Vernon is visiting Mrs. Birdie Sanderson.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gilmore and son Earl of Wheeler visited Monday in the home of Mr. Gilmore's brother, H. B. Gilmore and family.

Wanda Houston, who is attending school at Dimmitt, spent the Christmas holidays with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Dennis of Dimmitt visited friends and relatives here during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Melton and family visited Christmas Day with their daughter and sister, Mrs. F. L. Attinger and family in Lone Oak, Okla.

Bob Ayers visited Sunday in Clarendon with his mother, Mrs. J. R. Ayers.

J. W. Coppage of Grandfalls visited during the Christmas holidays with his mother, Mrs. Bess Coppage of Estelline, and with friends in Memphis.

C. D. Ardery visited last week-end in Denton with his daughter, Mrs. O. F. Washam. He also attended the Wichita Falls-Temple football game in Fort Worth Saturday.

Mrs. Ella Johnson returned Saturday from Los Angeles where she visited relatives.

Mrs. O. F. Washam of Denton visited Christmas Day with her father, C. D. Ardery.

Miss Lula Faye Oren returned to Rule, where she is teaching school, after spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Oren.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Oren and daughter of Clarendon visited during the Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Weathersbee and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Oren.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Thomason were business visitors in Childress Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Hawkins returned to her home in Midlothian Friday after a visit with her son, C. M. Hawkins and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Pitcock of Childress visited Sunday with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Jackson and son Dale visited Christmas Day in Altus, Okla., with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Smith and son C. H. Jr. of Duncan, Okla., visited Thursday and Friday in the home of their brothers and sister, Max, Jim, and Imogene King.

Mrs. O. K. Stevens and daughter of Amarillo, Mrs. W. R. Wagner and sons, Troy and Moivin, of Loveland, and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Huth and son of Dumas visited Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Guinn.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Allred of Amarillo visited Thursday with her mother, Mrs. Wilma Watson.

Ray Webster of Dumas visited during the Christmas holidays with his mother, Mrs. D. P. Webster.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Cooksey of Fort Worth returned to their home Saturday after a visit with her sister, Mrs. A. S. Moss and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Lockmiller and sons, Dale and Bobbie Lee, of Grier, N. M., visited last week in the home of Mrs. Lockmiller's sister, Mrs. Tommy Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Anthony and daughter Barbara of Altus, Okla., visited Thursday with his sisters, Mrs. C. W. Broome, Mrs. T. E. Whaley, and Miss Mae Anthony.

Mr. and Mrs. James Arthur Anthony and daughter Janice Ann of Redding, Calif., returned to their home Friday after a visit here with relatives.

Miss Charlyne Drake visited last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Drake.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. M. Elliott visited Thursday with their sister and Mrs. J. A. Teer.

Miss Betty Dale West visited to Los Angeles Sunday after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam West. Miss Jane Gillenwater accompanied home.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Owsen of Dallas visited during the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bertha Carter.

Cleo Guthrie of Houston visited during the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guthrie.

Dr. and Mrs. Joe Brown of Mineral Wells visited during the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Brown.

Mrs. J. Webb Nelson and daughter Leta Mae of McKinney visited last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee G. Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chalkley and children, Joyce and Mary, of Fort Worth are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Rison, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Ma of Paducah visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Morrison, on Christmas Day.

Dr. H. T. Gregory - Dentist - Office in Odom-Goodall Hospital - Office Phone 230. Res.

Ring Down the Curtain! Down on a 12 act drama of tears and laughter... facts and figures but now it's a clean slate. Goodbye '41... hello '42! The Gridiron says, "Happy New Year to you." Resolve to drop in and visit us daily. GRIDIRON DRIVE-IN PHONE 355M OPEN ALL NIGHT

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Sweeping Clearance Values

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City Park project made. Oliver Augusta McCormick dies. Hill Valls dies. John S. Brooksher dies. Schools plan fun night. Miss Marion Vaught, W. B. Baldwin are wed. Local Future Farmers of America organization observe National FFA week.

Arrangements completed for FFA fat stock show. Twelve head guilty, receive sentences in district court. Turkey plans picnic celebration. Seventy-five war veterans register to aid in national defense program. Jim Hutchins new grand champion at Estelline stock show. Miss Pauline Longworth Rhubert Wynn are wed. Frances Gillespie, Thomas Romines married. Rev. Russell A. Wint installed as Presbyterian pastor.

MARCH

Program of Hall County Intercollegiate League Meet is announced by Director W. V. Swinborn of Lakeview. Citizens protest connected with delinquent tax collection in District Court. James Vallance made Memphis postmaster by President Roosevelt. S. Melroy dies. Mrs. Samantha Valls dies. Eight bands attend festival in Memphis. Forty respond to spring training ball call. Miss Eva Rowlett, Marjorie Crone are wed. Mrs. Johnson, L. E. Hayes are wed. Mrs. Elizabeth Johnston, George Edward Ricker united in marriage.

Tax collecting firm refuses to relinquish contract with county commissioners. District court session ends. Ira W. Neeley dies. Schita Falls boxers dominate boxing tournament held in Memphis. Mrs. Mary Retta Hamilton, Lyndell Gerlach are wed. Lakeview school wins Interscholastic League Meet. Six candidates announce for city offices. Defense camp at Memphis High School adds craft welding course. Charter of Hall County soil conservation district is received. Mrs. J. W. Hildress dies. George W. Weathery dies. T. D. Gee dies. Weathery's blackout. Miss Ara Giddens, Virginia Adkisson are wed. Miss Mary Lou Riddles, Perry Campbell married. Announcement made wedding of Miss Pauline Boliver Lloyd Leggett. Mrs. Dora McCreary, Cecil Hardie united in marriage. Charlene Welch, W. A. Henson are wed.

APRIL

Four city councilmen and mayor re-elected. Forty-nine report spring football practice. S. S. Spar dies. City WPA sewing room ordered to close. Actual construction on City Park amphitheatre begins. Miss Ozline Molton, Quentin Ward are wed. Memphis churches plan Easter services. Joe J. Mickle Jr., former Memphian, speaks at high school, tells of life in Japan. Mrs.

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J. M. Ballew dies. William Mason Walker dies. Attorneys of city offer services free in delinquent tax controversy. James Montgomery Brice dies. Announcement made of marriage of Hattie Dem Ward, Billy Thompson. Miss Katherine Whitfield, Elvyn Dunn are wed.

District Judge A. S. Moss grants injunction to prevent delinquent tax collecting firm from carrying out contract. Doctors make public addresses on cancer. Foundations laid for new school building at Estelline. Judge A. J. Fires of Childers dies. Dan Floyd Eudy of Turkey is killed. Announcement of wedding of Miss Nelma Bishop to William A. Pressley Jr. is made. Miss Erma Gardenhire, Grady Jackson are wed. Miss Gwendolyn Love, J. B. Ledford are married. Spring singing convention is held in Memphis.

Evelyn Marcum is elected valedictorian of Estelline High School seniors. Mrs. F. N. Foxhall dies. The Democrat wins National Editorial Association contest award. James E. Wolf dies. Miss Lena Fay Vaughn, Wesley Nivens are wed.

MAY

Arrangements made to begin summer activities program at the Memphis High School. 1941 baseball club organized in Memphis. Board re-elects teachers of Memphis Public School. Committee named to lead in sales of Defense Bonds, Stamps. Thomas E. Noel elected Rotary president. Dr. Humphrey Lee of S.M.U. speaks at Methodist meeting at Lakeview. Baptist revival ends. Methodist meeting begins.

Motion to dissolve injunction against delinquent tax-collecting firm overruled. Mrs. Ona Lee Rogers dies. Sue Anne Roberts named valedictorian of Memphis 7th graders.

Graduation exercises for Memphis High School students are planned, as James Baldwin named valedictorian. W. F. (Bill) Jones dies. Mrs. D. L. Cooper of Turkey dies. Rainfall total for year passes 10 inches. Mrs. H. W. Kuhn dies. Mrs. Sallie Ann Wilson Anthony dies. Three supervisors for soil conservation district are elected. Miss Cecilia McCauley, Holbert Harris are wed. Miss Ann Armstrong, B. J. Martin are married.

Committees for annual reunion and rodeo festivities named. Ed Leary of Estelline made chairman of soil conservation district. Seven graders of rural schools go to Carlsbad, N. M. 'Legal' liquor sales at drug stores go out as new law goes into effect. Miss Ruth Moore, H. R. King are wed. Announcement made of marriage of Miss Eldean Morehead, Bill Tom Drake, Mignon Womack, Travis Malone are married.

Goodwill trips to advertise reunion and rodeo begin. Mrs. W. L. Wheat dies. Summer program at school gets underway. Lakeview High School graduating exercises are held. American Legion members plan memorial services. Miss Dorothy Nell Robertson, L. D. Messer are wed. Madge Bradley, Harold McCoy are married.

JUNE

City removes penalty and interest from delinquent taxes for limited time. Temple Deaver named treasurer of Panhandle Bankers Association. Annie Ruth Thompson, A. R. King are wed. Glenna Mae Melton, Sidney Lesley are married. Bonnie Mae Ramsey, Gaylon Cayce united in marriage. Panhandle area hit by storm. Two-day program for Old Settlers Reunion and Rodeo announced. High waters break gas line, stop service for six and one-half hours. NYA sewing room opens. Miss Imogene Stephens, Melvin Srygley are wed.

Old Settlers Reunion and Rodeo is held. Registration date of 21-year-old men is set. Dr. J. M. Orr, former countant, gets dental degree and teaching position at college. Leonard McMurry wins sculptor's scholarship. W. S. Messer dies. Miss Frances Preslar of Chicago gives memorial book collection to Carnegie Library. Miss Joan Betke, Erwin E. Posey are wed. Miss Euline Satterfield, Eugene Scott are married. Miss Willie C. Wilson, Jess Dempsey united in marriage.

Kraft Cheese Company announces plan to open plant in

Memphis. Mrs. Jenice Ellen Spielers dies. E. B. Spear dies. John Williams dies. Miss Sylvia Gable, Garland Moore are wed. Miss Honerica Phillips, J. N. Helm Jr. are married. Miss Augustine Mills, Morris Brown united in marriage. Miss Lila Neal, Fred Kennerly are wed.

JULY

Fifty-five 21-year-old men register for Selective Service training. W. Lee O'Daniel wins in U. S. Senate race. C. of C. urges aid in membership drive. Thomas N. Copeland, formerly of Estelline, dies. Clinton Voyles, Junior High School principal, enlists in Naval Reserve. Miss Odessa Boyd, Clyde Barnett are wed. Miss Martha Temple, Z. V. Betts are married.

Cotton goods retailers meet to discuss cotton stamp program. A. R. McMaster dies. Mrs. Alice Geneva Helm dies. Judge M. O. Goodpasture heads aluminum drive. Miss Winona Price, Durward Moorehead are wed. Miss Mazine Longshore, Alvin Phillips are married. Miss Lillian Admire, W. W. Williamson united in marriage.

County school board classifies schools. Dr. E. H. Boaz released on bond. Hall County lists 3,125 in school census. Mrs. Sarah Weatherly dies. First half of softball league ends. Miss Mayfair Chaney, David Johnson are wed.

Construction is started on Kraft cheese factory. New Selective Service registrants are given order numbers. Aluminum drive gets underway. G. W. McLeary dies. Two are killed in auto wreck near Claude. C. H. Hancock dies. Work underway in checking farms for compliance. Miss Alice Baker, Earl E. Hill are wed. Miss Leverne Simmons, G. W. Smith are married.

Dates for dairy development meetings are set. Work on City Park amphitheatre is completed. Patty Nell Craver gets assignment for NYA training. Freddie E. V. New dies. Cotton "prophets" guess from 15,000 to 50,000 bales of cotton for county.

AUGUST

Carey youth is killed when overrun by tractor. Walter Paul McMurry dies. Two members of local FFA chapter, Charles Williams Jr. and J. R. Mitchell Jr., to get Lone Star Degrees. D. A. Neeley named chairman of USDA defense school for county. Memphis High School defense shop offers allied welding course. Miss Thursa Mae Young, Paul Smith are wed.

County Agent W. B. Hooser explains leafworm poison, as insects begin to appear in county. Hall Countymen involved in car accident which kills Oklahoman. E. W. Gillenwater dies. Mrs. P. M. Bennett dies. Nazarene Church revival starts. Schools of county begin to open for fall term. Mrs. Virgie Geter, Covert H. Weems are wed.

New supplemental cotton stamp program to start operation in Hall County. First band rehearsal of fall is set. Church of Christ announces series of gospel meetings. Summer activities program closes. Hall County 4-H boys win awards at district encampment. O. B. Smith wins top flight in city golf tournament. Miss Billie Whiteside, Henry Boyd Newman are wed. Mrs. Dot Bowerman, Charlie Gilpin united in marriage.

Operation date of Kraft cheese factory is set for September 2. Three killed in wreck near Quanah in which Memphian involved. Fall term opening date for District Court announced. Ralph Howe of Crosbyton made secretary of Memphis Production Credit Association. NYA sewing room ordered closed. Mrs. J. B. Bruce dies. Miss Lois A. Williams, J. L. Rea are wed.

SEPTEMBER

Fall term of school begins in Memphis. Dairy show date and formal opening of cheese factory set for September 25. E. E. Carpenter killed near Amarillo. Red Cross asks for women to aid in knitting and sewing. Memphis High School gridmen train at Raton, N. M. Formal opening of City Park set for September 25. Turkey Dairy Show dates set at September 12 and 13. Frank W. Foxhall elected Memphis Country Club president. Cotton "prophets" raise top guess to 70,000 bales for Hall County. Grand Jury returns few indictments. Miss Sylvan Wrenn, James Gilbert are wed. Miss Dorothy Ross, Travis Harrell are married.

District Court to have hearing on injunction against delinquent tax-collecting firm. Twenty-eight boys report for grid practice at Lakeview High School. Winter school activity program begins. Twenty-two gridmen report at Estelline. Jack Jarrell named new Junior High School principal as Clinton Voyles reports for Naval Reserve duty. Estelline School observes 50th anniversary. Miss Opal Marie Martin, Stacy Waites are wed. Miss Nonnie Belle Ellis, Bob Holtzchow are married.

The Democrat issues 40-page edition publicizing Dairy Show, cheese plant opening, and City Park opening. First bale of 1941 cotton brought to Memphis. Garden Club announces plans to sponsor clean-up week. Miss Gwendolyn Brewer, Seyon Shearer are wed. Miss Norene Nixon, J. C. McBrayer are married. Miss Leota Wines, Virgil Greenhouse united in marriage. County school lunchroom project gets underway. First of parity checks arrive in Memphis.

OCTOBER

More parity payments for Hall County farmers arrive. Permanent injunction against delinquent tax collectors made by District Judge A. S. Moss. Congressman Eugene Worley visits Panhandle. Dairy Show winners are announced. Formal opening ceremonies of City Park are held. Winter recreation program activities are outlined. Miss U. Z. Cowan, Leon Barham are wed. Paducah Dragons defeat Memphis Cyclone 19-6. Mrs. D. C. Lane dies at Turkey.

Dorene Burris, Doyle Crone are wed. Mrs. B. H. Stotts killed in Giles train-auto accident. Hall County Dairy Show in progress. Dee Thomas found not guilty of perjury charge in District Court. Lakeview Eagles down Cyclone gridmen for first time in history of two schools. Claude Moore of Athens joins staff of PCA. Road bond assumption law passed at special session of state legislature. Memphis Ministerial Association announces plans to sponsor Church Loyalty Month. Miss Neysa Nell Coursey, Lyman Davenport Jr. are wed. Mary Jo Laird, Ted Read are married. Miss Madeline Huggins, Winifred Swift united in marriage. Bette Erle Vaughn, J. J. Simons Jr. are wed.

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Hall County's cotton ginning season gets underway. June 17-18 tentatively set for 1942 Old Settlers Reunion and Rodeo. W. M. Padgett dies. E. M. McQueen dies. W. B. Loury dies. John L. McCarty of Amarillo News speaks at Rotary meeting. W. C. Davis elected head of city recreation council. Baptist Church plans revival. Miss Martha Thompson, Lester H. Campbell are wed. Mrs. Beulah Bowling, R. B. McCurry are married. Miss Mary Gresham, Britton Veteto united in marriage. Shamrock Irish down Memphis gridmen 26-0. T. E. Noel named local chairman for Chinese relief.

Hall County Agent W. B. Hooser urges farmers to harvest feed. Cotton picking season causes several county schools to close. Lesley Gin destroyed by fire. Miss Rhita Jean Sullivan made new home ec teacher in Memphis High School as Miss Rachel Deahl resigns. J. W. Burk installed as Legion commander. Anna Margaret Mitchell, William Moss are wed. McLean Tigers defeat Memphis gridmen 19-0.

Rainfall halts harvesting of feed and cotton crops. Winifred Rapp of Estelline shows grand champion

steer at Dallas State Fair. Three Memphis youths attend national FFA meeting. Construction on new gin at Lesley begins. Aviation Cadet John P. Vineyard of Turkey killed in crash in Florida. Miss Owen Gilmore, Eugene Lindsey are wed. Miss Georgia Lee Hammonds, E. J. Huddleston Jr. are married. Lefors Pirates blast local gridmen 46-2.

More rainfall again stops crop harvesting. Quota of 1,313 members for annual Red Cross roll call set for Hall County. C. H. Yandell of Texas Employment Service arrives in city to help boll pullers find work. Junior class carnival date is set. Miss Lowena Moore, M. R. Evans are wed. Mrs. Pearl Youree, Johnny Mosley are married. Memphis Cyclone wins first game of year by downing Wheeler 19-6.

REAR approves 186-mile extension to Hall County Electric Co-Op lines. City extends time to pay back taxes free of penalty and interest. Thomas A. Messer dies. City passes law for two per cent rental on utility companies. American Legion members plan patriotic program for November 11. Jeff Williams of Chickasha, Okla., addresses Rotarians. Isaac Jackson Tucker dies. Henry T. McCanne dies. Mrs. Estelle Tucker Knox dies. Miss Rebecca Ray Weaver, J. C. Turner are wed. Miss Eloise Elliott, Fred D. Smithson are married. Miss Cornelia McCanne, W. A. Harbaugh Jr. united in marriage. Wellington Skyrocks defeat Memphis gridmen 27-0.

Red Cross roll call opens at breakfast. Christian Struck smothered by seed at oil mill. Memphis gridmen check in football suits as season ends with 12-6 loss to Clarendon. Local schools start at 8 o'clock to allow students time to aid in gathering cotton. Rev. Joe Findley resigns Christian Church pastorate, accepts similar place at Canyon. Wolf Flat Gin near Turkey burns. Rev. E. L. Yeats and other Methodist pastors of county attend annual conference. Joel E. Hartman dies. Miss Marjetta Ewing, Clyde Wilkinson are wed. Cotton boll pullers leave as no homes are available. AAA payments explained by official.

Business booms as Saturdays bring farm workers to town. First Thanksgiving passes unobserved. Methodist pastors for county are appointed. J. D. Browder dies. Mrs. George M. Springer dies. Food-for-Freedom pledge signing gets underway. Wilma Lee Wat-

son, G. B. Alred are wed. Dr. E. H. Boaz begins serving penitentiary sentence. First hard freeze of fall comes, some snow falls. Changes in AAA program for 1942 are outlined. Mrs. A. J. Kinard dies. Miss Perry Dell Parnley, L. E. Blankenship are wed. Miss Burthalenoh Burke, J. W. Thomas are married.

DECEMBER

Announcement made of opening January 6 of NYA sewing room. Red Cross roll call falls far short of quota. Local Senior class members prepare for annual play. Memphis basketball players open season.

WAR COMES TO THE UNITED STATES AS THIS NATION DECLARES WAR ON AXIS POWERS AFTER JAPANESE BEGIN HOSTILITIES.

Red Cross seeks \$2,300 from Hall County for emergency war relief fund. Mrs. W. M. Fore dies. Meeting is held to organize defense guard unit in Memphis. Miss Amadee Barton, Herman Vallance are wed. De Alyss Eddins, R. V. Wood are married. Snow gives Memphis first white blanket of fall.

Civilian Defense Service organization is formed at Memphis High School. Boy Scouts collect old newspapers and magazines. Farmers okay cotton marketing quotas for 1942. T. M. Vaughn dies. Mrs. J. H. Foster dies. New tire sales are halted. Willie Merle Bevers, E. J. McKnight are wed. Miss Bee Reagan, J. C. McClure Jr. are married. Announcement made of wedding of Miss Upal Spencer to Glendol Hardage. Miss Geraldine Kinard, Asa Lee Gailey are wed.

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wed. Miss Opal Widener, Alvin Yarbrough are married. Miss Gene Speed, Harry Tyler united in marriage.

D. A. Neeley, W. N. Coffey, John Sharp named AAA committeemen for county in 1942. Defense meeting for city is called by Mayor J. C. Wells. Mrs. Mary I. Reed dies. Mrs. Addie Jane Dodson dies. Miss Virginia Shafer, Wade Jones are wed.

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You know he will say yes. He saw what the Red
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Maybe you were not reached in the roll call drive.
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was only a dollar membership.

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Avoid short stops and jack-rabbit starts. They
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Avoid hitting curbs, holes, rocks, bumps. That
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Cheek wheel alignments twice a year. A tire a
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rarily. Use vulcanizing.

Swap wheels around every 5,000 miles. Tires last
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Use only tires that fit your rims. Have your ga-
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No Man to Fight
The Quannah Tribune-Chief: Next figures of German soldier losses are perhaps one-tenth correct but even at that a ten year's war would deplete that country from all its fighting men.

Hitler Raging?
The Lynn County News: Hitler himself is said to have had some kind of nervous trouble and is off somewhere under the order of physicians taking the "rest cure." But we don't see how he could get much rest. It seems to us that in some quiet place somewhere alone with his conscience a million ghastly faces of the dead—men, women, children, who in arms—would rise to haunt and to startle him in the dreams that a thousand hideous demons would disturb his sleep with their obscene "Ha-ha's" of ghastly glee as their bony fingers reached out to drag him into the bed that he had made for the rest of the world.

Defense Bonds
The Monahan News: It would help the morale of the Japanese army to see the sign Mare McWhirter, castler of the First State Bank, put up in the lobby of the bank the day after war was declared.

Too Soft?
The Howard News: It is no kindness to make life soft for soldiers if they must die later from want of toughness.

Old-Timer
The Apostle in the Denton County Leader: The old-timer is the fellow who never saw a woman on the street with bare legs except when her home was on fire.

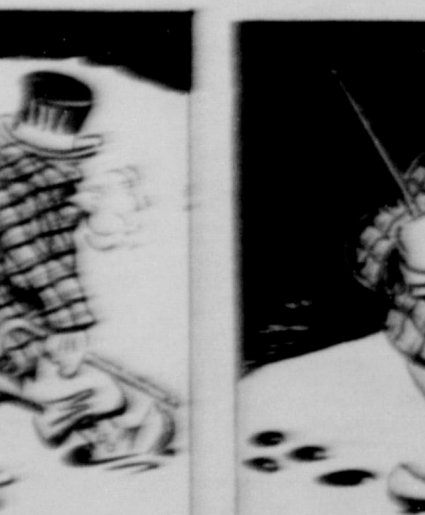
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Napping
The Floyd County News: The war caught a lot of napping. It caught a lot of too, exposed to the fumes of fellow man. Among these Saturday Evening Post what week had its usual two of gripements about the Press and the unlovely things had done in the name of good government. It is one of the times of mass production, of distribution that the Saturday Evening Post had that magazine on the stand, one that spoke in terms of pie at war.

Good News
The Liberty Vindicator: "I'm safe. Don't worry." That was the message sent to his mother, Mrs. Laura Finley, by Jake Finley, who is stationed at Pearl Harbor. What a beautiful pre-Christmas thought in four short words!

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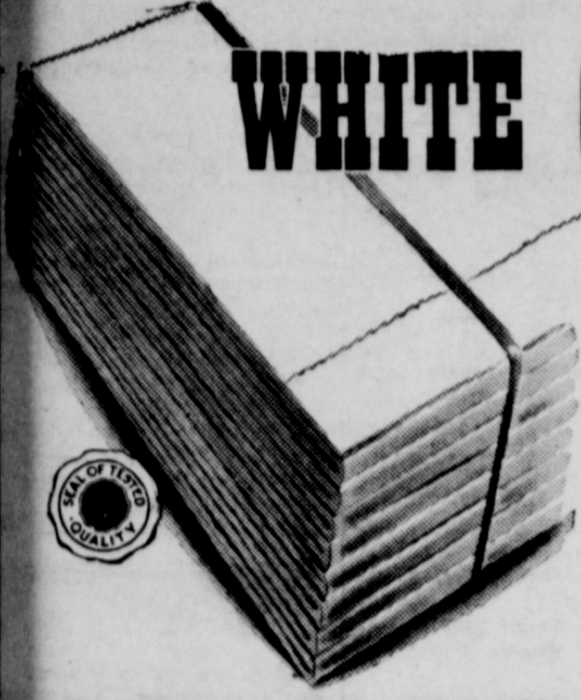
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36" Tubing 25c



Army Cloth Shirt and Pants Set
Shirts . . . \$1.98
Pants . . . \$2.49

Made of U. S. Army approved cloth! Button front SHIRT with dress-type collar! Matching PANTS with strong boatsail drill pockets!



Famous Wizard Outing Flannel
15c yard

Soft, warm and sturdy. For cozy sleepers and other night wear for the whole family! Fine and soft for baby's things too! 36 inches wide.




CHENILLE BEDSPREADS
\$4.98

Charming indeed, and so colorful they will make your bedroom the most cheerful room in the house! A regular blanket of soft, fluffy "baby" chenille tufting covers the creamy sheeting grounds. Elaborately designed—with a pure white background, pastie multi-colored center and graceful colored borders to emphasize the tone of your room!



FLOUR SACK SQUARES
11c

Clean, fresh and extra-special at this bargain price! You'll find them handy for dish towels and any number of other household uses! Get your share while present quantities last!



Economy Priced!
Parkway Sheeting
8c yard

Practically indispensable to housekeeping—you'll find so many uses for this good sturdy sheeting! And here is your opportunity to get in a good supply! Unbleached—whitens with washing. 36 inches wide.



Pre-Spring Styles!
DRESSES
\$3.98

Fresh Clear Colors for Spring Success!

Tailored dresses for business . . . dress-maker type for leisure hours . . . glittering styles for after dark! Popular colors for under dark coats. 12-44

New Season Styles!
Spring HATS
\$1.98

To help you greet the new season! Small or brimmed felts. Values!

Penney's Own Celeste SHOES
\$3.49

You'll find a style for every walk of life!

Boys' Warm Jackets
Of 33 oz. plaid! Talon front, ports back.

\$2.98



Bathroom Sets
\$1.00 per set

As handsome a set as you'd ever want to see at this little price! Thick, fluffy tufting in a variety of very smart designs! Refreshing colors. Mat and matching lid cover.



Practical Cotton Crinkle BEDSPREADS
69c

At this little price you'll want several for your children's rooms or for "extras!" Of sturdy cotton in lovely soft pastels. They'll wash in a jiffy and need no ironing.



A Bright Touch for Your Kitchen
46" OIL CLOTH
29c yard

Don't forget your kitchen—it needs a change once in a while, too! And here's the practical, economical way—choose this gaily-colored oil-cloth in clear, sparkling colors! Easy to keep clean, too—an occasional rub with a damp cloth will keep it new and shiny looking.



Floral Print Broadcloth HOUSE COATS
\$1.33

You'll enjoy your leisure hours more if you can relax in one of these pretty house coats! Wrap around styles that button or tie . . . or zipper front closing! Refreshing little-boy collars, notched revers, sweetheart or peasant necklines. All have short puffed sleeves and full ankle length skirts. 14-42.

For Boys and Girls!
WARM SLEEPERS
59c

Fine flannelette to keep the youngsters warm! Snug sleeve, ankle cuffs!

Smooth Rayon CREPE CYNTHIA SLIPS
98c

Excellent for daily wear . . . durable yet pretty! Four gore, straight cut with bias yoke and double front and back.

Unusually Smart!
JACKETS
\$3.98

Plaid or plain. 12 to 20.

Women's Undies
29c

Warm tuck-stitch for cold winter wear!

Push-Up Sleeves!
SWEATERS
\$1.98

In the new long length. Hair bow to match.

PERCALE QUILT PATCHES
25c per box

Enough to delight any quilt-maker's heart. Two whole pounds of bright, multi colored patches in a sturdy box that can be used again and again! Every patch is hand size.

WHITE GOODS ★ 1942

TOWELS FOR ALL AMERICA!



ECONOMY TOWELS
Fluffy terry, with plenty of thirsty loops for quick absorption! Checks, solids or white with gay borders!
19c

HUGE BATH TOWELS
21"x44"! Soft terry that will bring new life to your bathroom! In bold reversible checks!
29c

Matching Face Cloths—13"x13"—10c

Rayon Crepe Blouses
\$1.29

Crisp, tailored styles! Washable colors and white. Smart!



Cushion Insoles!
Nurse Oxfords
\$2.98

Try this comfortable low-heeler!

Plaid! Plain! SKIRTS
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Pleated or gored styles in season's best colors! Rich fabrics. 12 to 20.

81" BROWN SHEETING
Per Yard
25c

PENNEY'S

J. C. PENNEY COMPANY, Incorporated

81"x99" Seamless WIZARD SHEETS
Fully Bleached
79c

FAIRVIEW

By MRS. R. ELLERD

Miss Alma Sweatt of Denton and Velma Sweatt of Quail spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Sweatt.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Fowler and daughter spent Christmas Day in the Black home in Memphis.

Those visiting in the R. Ellerd home Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gable and sons, Julius and Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Ellerd and son Ralph, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Moore and children of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Gable and children, Mrs. Reed Evans of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Moore of Amarillo, John Ethridge, Ethelyn Ellerd, and L. W. Messer of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Scott of Lubbock visited in the W. G. Shearer home one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Roden and children of Haskell, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Yarbrough, and Mary Lee Mabry spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Mabry.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Adeock and children, and Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Ellerd and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Ellerd.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Shaffer and family spent one day last week with his mother in Hedley.

W. L. Allen of Tyler visited during the Christmas holidays with his sister-in-law, Mrs. T. M. Harrison.

Remember Pearl Harbor

Advertise in The Democrat!

Palace

Saturday Only—

Lloyd Nolan and Alexis Smith in

"Steel Against the Sky"

Saturday Nite Preview, Sunday and Monday—

Betty Grable, Victor Mature and Carole Landis in

"I Wake Up Screaming"

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday—

Clark Gable and Lana Turner in

"HONKY TONK"

BARGAIN DAY

Palace and Ritz EVERY FRIDAY Friday, January 2 Bonita Granville and and Ray McDonald in "Down in San Diego"

Ritz

Saturday Only—

George Houston in

"The Lone Rider Ambushed"

Saturday Nite Preview, Sunday and Monday—

Adolphe Menjou and Gloria Swanson in

"Father Takes a Wife"

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday—

Gene Tierney and Randolph Scott in

"BELLE STARR"

Texas

Friday and Saturday—

Tom Keene in

"Lone Star Law Men"

Also Chapter 14 of "THE IRON CLAW"

Implement Dealers To Present Color Movies in Memphis

Two full-length natural color movies, packed with human interest, drama, and action, are coming to Memphis, January 5.

The two films, "In Our Own American Way," and "Thunderheads Over the Pacific," were produced by Minneapolis-Moline Power Implement Company, and will be sponsored by Rasco and McElreath, local dealers for the implement firm.

"In Our Own American Way" shows in natural color such points of historical interest as Plymouth Rock, the Alamo, and Lincoln's New Salem; such natural wonders as the Grand Canyon, Old Faithful Geyser, and Carlsbad Caverns; and our beautiful national parks, forests, and waterfalls. It shows the nation gearing for defense, shows how our boys in the army and navy live and how they are being trained. It shows also the part being played by agriculture in defense and by modern MM tractors and machines in producing more at lower cost and with fewer hands.

"Thunderheads Over the Pacific" is a travelogue of the Far East, most of its scenes having been made in China, Singapore, the Dutch East Indies, and Australia. It provides an insight into the life and manners of the people of these countries, together with many exclusive scenes, among them the Dutch East Indies army, the great fortresses of Singapore, and others.

Both films are entirely in natural color Kodachrome. Both have musical and full sound background.

ANTELOPE FLAT

By LOLA MAE TURNER

Mrs. John Durham and children spent Christmas with her parents, J. R. Thomas of Moran.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. James visited in Amarillo during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Weaver and son Shafe made a trip to Tupperville, where they visited with relatives during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rhea and family of Paloduro and Gussie Bullock of Amarillo visited their father, U. N. Bullock, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyce Gregory and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Salmon of Elice visited in the Dan Dean home Sunday.

Visiting in the home of Henry Edens during Christmas were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Baker of Amherst, Mr. and Mrs. Seth Edens of Plainview, and Mrs. Hoff Conn of Abernathy.

IMPORTANT NOTICE!

All customers who have borrowed veterinary hypodermic syringes and other veterinary appliances from us will please return them to us at the earliest possible time. Please do not hesitate in returning them, since we are greatly in need of them NOW!

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It's here for your service during the coming years. Yes, in answer to an increased demand by our customers, BISHOP COAL AND GRAIN has purchased a new Hammer Mill. Recently arrived, it has been installed and is now in operation... larger and more efficient. The Hammer Mill can be used for grains, heads, and bundles to be mixed with your cottonseed meal for a super quality dairy ration. Improve your dairy cattle this year with a good feed and come by today to see the new Hammer Mill.

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Relative in War Zone—Inquire of Local Red Cross

Hall Countians who have relatives in the armed forces of the United States in the danger zone in the Pacific Ocean, or who have civilian relatives there, may make their inquiries as to the safety of the people through the American Red Cross.

The inquiries may be placed with Carroll Smyers, chamber of commerce manager who is also the Red Cross Home Service chairman, at the chamber of commerce office.

This service, it was explained, is a part of the work of the Red Cross. The inquiries are sent from here to the proper authorities in Washington, and much quicker results are obtained than by attempts to get the same information directly from Washington.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Smith of Borger visited last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCulloch.

Mr. and Mrs. George Goffinet of San Antonio visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Goffinet, during the Christmas holidays. Miss Lottie Dial, senior student in ETSTC at Commerce, visited during the Christmas holidays with her brother, Murray Dial and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Bright of Vernon visited last week with her sister, Mrs. J. W. McCulloch and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Shelly of Snyder, Okla., visited Wednesday from her father, H. F. Cunningham of Lakeview.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Elliott moved Tuesday to Childress where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hattenbach visited during the Christmas holidays with their daughter, Mrs. H. K. Whaley and family of Weatherford.

Mrs. L. C. Smyers and daughter Carolyn returned home Saturday from Wichita Falls, where she has been under medical care.

Mr. and Mrs. Benton King and son John of Amarillo visited during the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ross.

Mrs. E. S. Foust and Miss Lois McCulloch visited in Amarillo last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Moore and daughter Diane visited during the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Murphy in Clarendon.

Miss Louise Williams and Miss Dorothy Nell Evans visited Thursday last week in Childress.

Mrs. T. L. Landis and son John Ross Bradford of Amarillo visited last week-end with Mrs. C. A. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Whaley, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Edmondson and daughter June, and Mrs. Jan Martindale attended a family reunion in Estelline last Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hulien Clifton.

Mrs. Charles Champion and son Charles E. Jr. of Vernon visited during Christmas with her mother, Mrs. G. C. Baskerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Bain and son Robert Olin of Clarendon visited during the Christmas holidays with Mrs. G. C. Baskerville.

G. C. Baskerville Jr. of Plainview visited during the Christmas holidays with his mother, Mrs. G. C. Baskerville.

Miss Hazel Elliston visited during the Christmas holidays with her parents in Silverton.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McMurry are visiting during the holidays with their daughter in Dimmitt and his daughter in Conway.

Mrs. Sam Harrison and Pearl Hague visited Thursday with Mrs. Harrison's sister, Mrs. E. H. Claiborn in Mangum, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Russell of Amarillo visited last week-end with Mrs. Sam Harrison.

PARNELL

By CHRISTINE TRAPP

Charlie Bruce, and Travis and Susie Ray spent Christmas in Oklahoma City and Ardmore, Okla.

Jeff Welcher is ill at his home. Mrs. E. N. Motherhead has been ill since Christmas.

Carroll and J. E. Berryman were home from Kansas for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hill and Rita Jean visited Mrs. Hill's brother, V. L. McGlocklin, in Levelland Christmas Day.

Mrs. Mae Weatherly and Winifred, Mr. and Mrs. George Weatherly Jr. and children, and Mrs. Turk McCuiston and son visited in Dallas last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Neeley and son visited her parents in Hedley during the holidays.

Joe Marcum has been ill the past few days.

Mrs. Tom Weatherly went to Panhandle Wednesday night. L. T. Winn and Doyle and Doyle Weatherly are visiting in South Texas.

J. J. Welcher and Charles Hood attended the show in Memphis Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Berryman and Joe and Mrs. Damon Travis and Geniece are going to Oklahoma for a visit.

County Ginnings Pass 36,963 Bales

A total of 36,963 bales of cotton had been ginned in Hall County prior to December 13, C. Lee Rushing, special agent for the Bureau of Census of the Department of Commerce, reported this week.

At the same date in 1940, only 19,593 bales had been ginned in the county, Rushing said.

How much cotton has been ginned since December 13 is not known, although bad weather a part of the time has halted harvesting. The late cotton has not turned out as good as some had expected earlier in the year, and it is doubtful that the 60,000 bales many had predicted will not be reached.

CHURCHES

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

The regular services hours at the First Christian Church are as follows: Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Church services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Christian Endeavor at 6 o'clock Sunday evening. Prayer meeting at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening.

CHURCH OF CHRIST Grady Pricer, Minister 7th and Brice Streets

SUNDAY— Bible class, 9:45 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Communion, 11:40 a. m.

TUESDAY— Women's Bible Class, 3:30 p. m. WEDNESDAY— Prayer meeting and Bible study, 7:30 p. m. You are invited.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE D. M. Duke, Pastor

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m. Preaching service, 11 a. m. N. Y. P. S., 7 p. m. Evening service, 7:45 p. m. Wednesday evening prayer service, 7:30 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH S. F. Martin, Pastor

SUNDAY— 9:45 a. m., Sunday School. 11 a. m., morning worship; Sunbeam Band. 6:15 p. m., Training Union. 7:15 p. m., evening worship.

WEDNESDAY— 6 p. m., Sunday School officers and teachers meeting. 7 p. m., prayer meeting. Regular services at the church throughout the week. The pastor will preach at both the morning and evening worship hours. You are cordially invited to attend.

"If the New Year outlook is dark, try the uplook. Start the New Year right—come to church."

METHODIST NEWS NOTES E. L. Yeats, Pastor

The young people of the church enjoyed a New Year's party Wednesday evening. The party began at 8:30 o'clock and lasted into the New Year.

The Northwest Texas Seminar meets in Spur next Tuesday. Most of the pastors of the district will attend.

The conference on evangelism will meet in Abilene January 7.

Mrs. Armstrong Dies in Corsicana

Mrs. Lige Armstrong, sister of the late J. W. Stokes, died Tuesday, December 23, at Corsicana. She had visited in Memphis, and was known to a number of citizens here.

Attending the services, which were last Wednesday, were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Milam and daughters, Katherine Frances and Betty Jean, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. True.

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By VALDA SMITH

The annual Christmas tree was held at the church Christmas eve. A short program was presented by the school children, with Miss Edna Bryan in charge. After the program Santa Claus distributed many gifts from the tree.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Patrick and family of California visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Patrick, during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Maddox and son Douglas visited Mr. and Mrs. Milton Beasley and sons Wednesday night and Thursday of last week.

Oren and Roy Smith of Lompoc, Calif., and Camp Roberts, Calif., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Thompson of Iowa Park visited during the holidays with Mrs. Thompson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gleason and family. Mr. Thompson returned home Thursday afternoon of last week. Mrs. Thompson remained for another week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hassell Smith visited last week in New Mexico with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Smith and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hall visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fokner in Memphis Sunday.

Visiting in the Ed Smith and C. E. Nall homes Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. Scott Webster and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Williams, "Aunt" Linnie Williams and son Charlie, and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Smith of New Mexico.

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Aunt Linnie Williams and son Charlie are here for an indefinite visit with her brother, C. E. Nall, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Cox and Strew Cox visited Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hall and Z. A. Cox Friday night of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Y. Z. Smith and

family visited Mr. and Mrs. Smith Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hall at the funeral of Mrs. Hall at Plainview Monday. They received a telegram morning, and left Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton turned home Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Edd Smith, and other last week.

Every one is urged Sunday School Sunday 10:15 o'clock. We will officers and teachers for year.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester visited during the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Edd Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burk Burnett, and Mrs. Ed Beck.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lindsey visited Wednesday week in Amarillo.

Miss Joyce Sheats visited from Childress where she stayed during the Christmas with her parents.

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