

Estelline 4-H Club Boy Wins State and National Honors and Cash Awards

James Neal Hutchins, 19, of Estelline was named one of the National Blue Award group in the 4-H Safety contest. He was winner of Section 1 and three other boys of the nation were named winners of their sections. Also named by the state club office as Texas' most outstanding 4-H club member in safety work during 1943, James was awarded a \$200 4-H scholarship and a trip to the 22nd National 4-H Club Congress held in Chicago from November 28 to December 2.

James' achievements in the current national 4-H farm safety activity include: Making repairs to remove short circuits in wiring and appliances, picking up nails, tacks, wire and broken glass in yard around home; burning trash around farm, making correct repairs on broken or poorly repaired farm machinery; repairing broken steps and poorly hung gates; using flashlight instead of matches around house and barn, and storing gasoline away from fire hazards. This is the first year of the activity which is designed to help reduce the annual losses of 18,000 farm people killed through accidents and \$225,000,000 worth of rural property destroyed or damaged by fire.

In writing W. B. Hooser, county agent, of James' honor, J. W. Potts, assistant State Boys' Club agent stated, "I know he deserves this honor and from the standpoint of finances, he won the richest prize that was offered in National Contests. I want to congratulate you and the club members in your county for the job you have been doing, and I want to say again that you certainly deserved the honor of having a National Champion from Hall County."

Lt. Dennis Coker Awarded Air Medal

U. F. Coker of Turkey last week received a letter from the War Department stating that the Air Medal had been awarded to his son, Lt. Dennis Coker. Lt. Coker has been reported missing in action since last July. The letter follows:

"I have the honor to inform you that by direction of the President, the Air Medal has been awarded to your son, Second Lieutenant Robert D. Coker, Air Corps, for exceptionally meritorious achievement, while participating in aerial flight against the enemy.

"Since your son has been reported to the War Department as missing in action, the decoration will be presented to you. The Air Medal will be forwarded through the Commanding General, Eighth Service Command, Dallas, Texas, to an officer of a nearby Air Corps installation for presentation to you. The officer selected to make the presentation will communicate with you concerning your wishes in the matter.

May I again extend my deepest sympathy.

J. A. ULIO,
Adjutant General."

CLAUDE'S COMMENTS

By J. C. W.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY—
Nov. 27—J. W. Durham, 90 years young.
November 29—Pfc. H. B. Gilmore Jr. of Sioux Falls, S. D.
November 30—Mrs. Brice Webster.
December 2—Roy R. Fultz, T-Sgt. H. H. Montgomery of Fort Bliss, Texas.
December 3—Mackie Allen.
December 5—Mary Jo Lamb, Mrs. Lewis Harper of Newlin.

CONGRATULATIONS—
Mr. and Mrs. Lqnie Edmondson, wedding anniversary November 29.
Pvt. and Mrs. Leon Bullard, anniversary, November 29.

Funeral Services For Mrs. Dalton Held Friday

Resident of Hall County For 37 Years Succumbs After Breaking Hip



MARINE—Corporal Gwendolyn Brewer Shearer, daughter of Bervia B. Brewer of Lakeview, and a member of the Marine Corps Women's Reserve has graduated from the Motor Transport school at the Marine Base at Camp Lejeune, New River, S. C. She has been assigned to duty at the Depot of Supplies in Philadelphia, Pa. Corp. Shearer visited here recently with relatives and friends.

Funeral services for Mrs. J. M. Dalton, 72, were held at the King Memorial Chapel Friday November 26, conducted by Rev. E. L. Yeats, pastor First Methodist Church. Mrs. Dalton fell and broke her hip Saturday, November 20, and passed away early Thursday morning, November 25.

Laura Belle Dalton was born in Canton County, Kentucky, November 11, 1871, and had been a resident of Hall County for 37 years. She was liked by everyone who knew her and will be remembered as a gentle, neighborly woman.

Survivors are her husband, J. M. Dalton, these children, Paul Dalton of Houston, Kate Williams of Artesia, N. M., John Dalton of Laramie, Wyo., Dean Dalton of Vallejo, Calif., Mrs. W. E. Guest of Granbury, Tommy Dalton of Hollywood, Calif.; six grandchildren, Jerry Dalton in the armed forces, Billy Dalton Guest of Granbury, Dan Guest of Granbury, Jerebel Williams of Austin, Jerry Mike Dalton of Lexington, Mo., and Betty Dale Dalton of Laramie, Wyo.

Pall bearers at the services were Hal Goodnight, Gip McMurry, C. C. Meacham, Craver Browder, Oren Jones and Ed Monzingo.

Interment was in Fairview Cemetery with King's Mortuary in charge.

Childress USO To Have Xmas Dinner For Boys in CAAF

The USO in Childress is planning a Christmas dinner for the boys in service stationed there for Tuesday, December 21, and is asking the help of the ladies of Memphis.

"This project seems to have grown to such proportions that we are afraid Childress will not be able to handle it very effectively alone," stated Edith Dorsey, assistant director.

"We feel that many people will want to help in spreading cheer to the service men in some way, so perhaps some of the girls and women's clubs in Memphis could donate some home-made cakes. We are able to furnish the sugar and oleo and will get it ahead of time if we know what the Memphis ladies need," continued Miss Dorsey.

Any woman or group of women who will help in this project, notify Miss Helen Boswell.

Armed Forces Find Uses for Modern Inventions

(By S. Sgt. Milburn McCarthy)

Somewhere in the South Pacific, (Delayed)—The inventors of America's modern military equipment would indeed be surprised if they could see the various uses to which their inventions are being put in the field.

These inventors were more practical fellows than they may have realized. Following is this correspondent's own special glossary of field equipment, compiled after a year's survey among Marines in the South Pacific.

Steel Helmet—A wash basin. Also may be used as a movie seat or as an implement to scoop out foxholes.

Bayonet—A combination can-opener, axe and scythe. Very useful for clearing camp sites. Comes in handy as an icepick too, if ice is available.

Belt Buckle—Bottle opener. Works best on beer or Coca-Cola bottles. User is warned to wrap handkerchief around hand during operation to prevent bruising.

Gas Mask—Stream-lined version of the "morging duster" widely used in pre-World War I days. Necessary equipment for all jeep rides on dusty roads.

Packs, Knapsacks—Pillows. Not up to Simmons' standards, but definitely superior to bamboo head rests tried by Marines elsewhere.

"Scivies" (underwear)—Unexcelled for rifle cleaning. Handkerchiefs and shirts are used occasionally, but these do not have the oil spreading qualities of the new white "scivies."

Poncho (Marines raincoat)—An extension to the windward side of any tent. Also used as a rifle's raincoat, mattress, sheet and awning.

Buy Bonds—Buy Bombs—

One third of all accidents occur in the kitchen, says a safety statistician. And they're placed on the table just as if they hadn't happened.



Dear Kiddies:

The editor of The Democrat has wired me that he has already received a lot of letters for me, but not as many as he knows he will and asks me to write again and remind you to get your letters to him real soon.

He is going to publish these letters real soon in the paper so that I can have everything ready for you by Christmas Eve, because you know everybody is terribly busy now and we are all having to work harder and longer hours.

So, right now, Kiddies, if you can't write, have your Mother or Daddy sit down and help you write your letter to me. Mail it to the Memphis Democrat or bring it to the office. Be sure it is plain so that I can read it and be sure your full name is signed plainly.

SANTA CLAUS.

GOODPASTURE IS SPEAKER AT STATE MEET

Commissioners and County Judge Are In Austin This Week

County Judge M. O. Goodpasture will give the response to the welcome address at the State convention of County Judges and Commissioners Association of Texas in Austin. The meeting started December 1 and continues through December 3. This is the third time Judge Goodpasture has been asked to speak at the state meetings since he has been serving as judge of Hall County.

"Post-War Financing by Texas Counties," "The Post-War Highway Program in Texas," and other instructive subjects will be discussed at the meeting.

Attending from Hall County are Judge Goodpasture, County Agent W. B. Hooser, and Commissioners Irl Twilla, H. W. Spear, F. B. Berry and Roy Patton.

CAPT. JOHN DEEVER, USMC VISITING RELATIVES HERE

Capt. John Deever of Camp Elliott, San Diego, Calif., came Sunday for a two week's visit here with his wife. Capt. Deever, formerly district attorney, is with the legal department of the U. S. Marine Corps.

This Week's Scripture

Bestrong and of a good courage, fear not, nor be afraid of them: for the Lord thy God he it is that doth go with thee; he will not fail thee nor forsake thee. Deut. 31:6.

Total Sunday School Attendance: November 21—776.
November 28—754.

CYCLONE LETTERMEN NAMED AT DINNER GIVEN FRIDAY NIGHT

Fourteen of the twenty-one members of the Cyclone squad will receive letter M awards. Coach Gene Barnett gave the names of the players Friday night, Nov. 26 at the dinner given by T. D. Weatherby and B. B. McMillan, who were to get the letters and join the M club.

The lettermen are as follows: Capt. Ray Bruce, 3rd year letterman, Co-Capt. Ed Sherley, 2nd year letterman now in the army, Alonzo Robertson, 2 year letterman, Dan McMillan, Mark Lamkin, Billy Ballew, Frank Smith, Robert Billington, Robert Hanvey, Lonnie Jones, Floyd Miller, Clifford Vandewater, Horace Erwin, Thomas Rogers, manager.

These boys were behind the starting lineup and will receive reserve awards:

Leroy White, U.S. Army; Douglas Barber, Herman Bell, Jackie Monzingo, W. M. Kilpatrick, Nath Hudgins, manager.

With the exception of Captains Ray Bruce and Ed Sherley, Leroy White and Horace Erwin, the same squad is expected back next year in a team with very little new talent. The Cyclones are gunning for a new try at conference standing and are apt to play a big part in it.

Cyclone Sweetheart

Following the Memphis-Perryton game, Jackie Pounds was elected by acclamation as the Cyclone Sweetheart. She was presented with the honor by Capt. Ray Bruce in assembly Wednesday morning, November 24, and will receive a gold award.

long way in the past few months. This base is growing so fast it is hard to believe. Seeing it now and looking back to the first day on shore, it doesn't seem possible for all the changes to have taken place.

When we first came we had to eat everything on the ground. We had to use a bucket of water to wash clothes, take a bath and shave. Now we have a laundry, hot and cold showers, good men's halls, and a nice recreation hall. There was a time when we were lucky to get anything in the way of canteen supplies other than cigs, soap, etc., and now the variety goes from ice cream to watches, Christmas cards, magazines, and many other such items. It is still a long way from being good enough to make me want to stay.

I had some pictures made that turned out fairly good. I am sending them to you. In the group are some natives who live on the island and are holding a festive dance. The individual is Curtis Harrell, MM 2/C.



CURTIS HARRELL
REPORTER writes: Evicted out here (Somewhere in the Pacific) is in good luck getting better as time goes by. We have really come a

SENIOR CLASS PRESENT MAILS FRIDAY

Convention for Mails Promises Be Entertaining

Friday night, December 3, the class of Memphis high will present "The Old Maid" in the high auditorium. This is a rollicking comedy in which the spirit is to consider the great number of finding husbands. The old maids with all their furbelows, their corkers, mittens, workbags, etc., etc are fed into the scope and emerge as prettier girls, each of whom takes to the program by playing or performing an

Jean Solomon is president of the convention, Ruth is secretary, Clara Jo is treasurer. Other members are Mary Frances Whaley, Wyn Scott, Betty Bob Betty Ruth Byrd, Edna Jo Euclair Gilbert, La Homa Naomi Ables, Mary Anderson, Jane Morrison, Goodpasture, Fleta McSue Lyn Guthrie, Lucille Wylene Ellis, Sally Foreman Fave Gardenhire, Donnan, Maria Baskerville, Baskerville, Laverne Mattie Ruth Smith, Frank Garrett, two boys Judkins and Wayne Peard, the old maids in becoming rather than full blown

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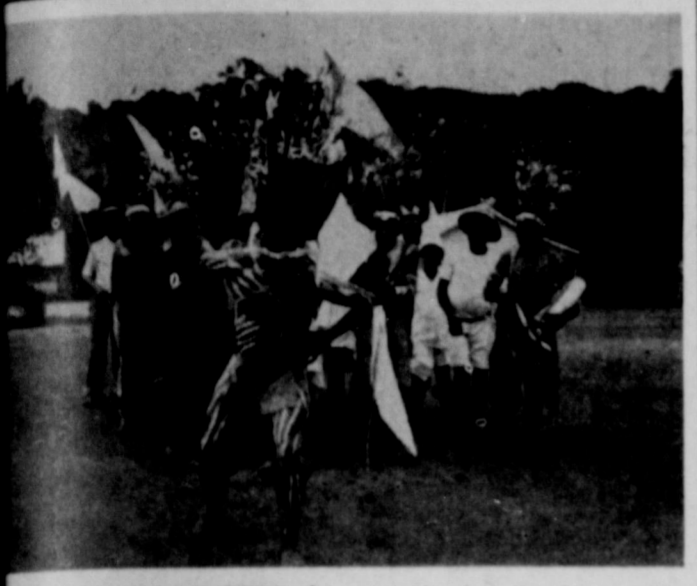
Junior class invites the school to "The Old Maids" and see the spinners tied into beautiful young before your own eyes.

Buy Bonds—Buy Bombs—

Sam Wynn of Gilpin record last week pulling the farm of Mrs. E. L. Newlin. Ray pulled 1570 and Sam 1520 pounds.

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Sunday School Class Meets With Mrs. Kinard Friday Night

Eleven members and one guest of the Sodolitan Sunday School class of the First Baptist church met Friday evening at the home of Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard with Mrs. W. C. Davis as co-hostess.

Refreshments and decorations featured the Thanksgiving holiday motif.

Mrs. Davis gave the opening prayer and the class song, "Bless Be the Tie That Binds" was sung by the group. Mrs. Kinard led in prayer. Mrs. Bud Godfrey, first vice president, presided during a short business meeting.

Mrs. Emma Baskerville had charge of the program. Mrs. H. B. Gilmore gave the devotional. Her subject was "Draw Nigh Unto God." Mrs. Baskerville played a piano solo, "Meditation." Mrs. Kinard gave a talk on the four freedoms and closed with two Thanksgiving poems by Edgar A. Guest. Mrs. Godfrey closed the meeting with a prayer.

Each one drew a number and the lucky one, Mrs. W. C. Anderson, received a gift from the hostess.

Pie and coffee were served to Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard, Mrs. H. B. Gilmore, Mrs. W. J. Bragg, Mrs. Bud Godfrey, Mrs. Joe Webster, Mrs. W. C. Anderson, Mrs. W. C. Smith, Mrs. Henry Scott, Mrs. Emma Baskerville, and one guest, Mrs. R. C. Householder of Amarillo.

A Christmas social will be held Monday, December 20. Some baskets of cheer will be prepared to give on Christmas Eve.

Mrs. R. S. Greene Is Hostess For Little Theatre Club

The Memphis Little Theatre met Wednesday afternoon, November 24, at the home of Mrs. R. S. Greene with Mrs. T. M. Harrison as co-hostess.

Mrs. R. C. Lemons reviewed the play, "The Skin of Our Teeth," by Thornton Wilder.

Members present were Mrs. Troy Broome, Mrs. John Deaver, Mrs. W. B. DeBerry, Mrs. Ted Dudley, Mrs. Murray Dodson, Mrs. Dot Gilpin, Mrs. T. M. Harrison, Mrs. R. S. Greene, Mrs. R. C. Lemons, Mrs. Clyde Milam, Mrs. L. W. Stanford, Mrs. Frank

Society News

June Edmondson Marries Robert Johnson In Childress

Wednesday evening, November 24, in the First Methodist church parsonage of Childress Miss June Edmondson and Robert Johnson were married by Rev. Orion Carter in a double ring ceremony.

The wedding prayer was given by Rev. Joseph Paul Bartak from Czechoslovakia.

Mrs. Colleen Johnson attended the bride as matron of honor. She wore a black crepe dress trimmed in sequins with black accessories and a corsage of red and white carnations.

Sam Prather served as best man.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Edmondson, wore an ice blue wool street dress and black accessories. Her corsage was of rose pink and pink carnations.

Mrs. Johnson is a graduate of Memphis high school with the class of 1942. She attended Northwest Texas Hospital school of nursing in Amarillo for one year.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Johnson. He graduated from Hedley high school with the class of 1943. He is employed as bookkeeper at Wm. Cameron & Co.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the bride's home. The decorated cake, centered on a table laid with a white linen cloth, was cut by the bride and groom. Greenery and fall flowers were used to complete the table decorations.

Wedding guests were Miss Ann Compton and Mark Olson of Memphis.

The couple is at home at 902 South 7th street.

Foxhall, Mrs. Foster Watkins, Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard, Mrs. M. G. Tarver, Mrs. Horace Tarver, Mrs. Roy R. Fultz, Miss Mary Foreman, Miss Tommy Noel and one guest, Mrs. Spear.



Mrs. ROBERT JOHNSON

Ethelyn Ellerd Is Bride of Robert Ammidon

Yeoman Ethelyn Ellerd, W. A. V. E. of Great Lakes, Ill., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Ellerd of Memphis, and Aviation Cadet Robert L. Ammidon, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Ammidon of Dedham, Mass., were united in marriage, Sunday, November 21, in a single ring ceremony at 4:30 p. m. Lt. Commander E. O. Redman, Chaplain, U. S. Navy, read the vows in his home in Waukegan, Ill.

The couple was attended by Mrs. Marianne Tills, Robert Negley, Alice Pickell, M. A. Wood and Ray Ford, all of the U. S. Navy.

The bride wore a white wedding gown of silk jersey with a finger-tip veil, and carried a bridal bouquet of white carnations, baby breath and fern.

The traditional "something old, something new, something borrowed, something blue" was carried out by the wearing of a yellow-gold engraved watch belonging to the bride's mother, and a turquoise blue bracelet, belonging to one of her shipmates, Yeoman Pauline Winkle.

The bride and groom are stationed at Great Lakes Naval Training Station, Great Lakes, Ill.

Wedding Vows Are Read Sunday for Campbell - Sherley

Miss Joann Campbell was united in marriage Sunday evening, November 21, to Edward Sherley at 7 o'clock with Rev. Jeff Moore, Baptist pastor, reading the vows at the church parsonage.

The couples' only attendants were Melda June Sullivan and James Bray.

The bride wore a two-piece navy blue dress with matching accessories. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell of Plaska and a graduate of Memphis high school with the class of 1942.

Mr. Sherley is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Sherley of Littlefield. He attended Memphis high school and was on the Cyclone football team.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherley will make their home in Littlefield.

Gentlemen's Evening Observed by Mystic Weaver Club Friday

Gentlemen's evening was observed by the Mystic Weaver club Friday, November 26, at the home of Mrs. S. B. Pallmeyer.

A three course dinner was served. Assisting Mrs. Pallmeyer were Mrs. L. E. Thornton, Mrs. Brice Webster, Mrs. R. C. Walker and Mrs. S. T. Harrison.

The evening was spent playing forty-two.

Members present were Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McMurry, Mrs. Myrtle Phelan, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Wherry, Mrs. R. C. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. George Hattenbach, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Thornton, Mrs. S. T. Harrison, Mrs. A. S. Moss, Mrs. J. L. Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Neeley, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kesterson, Mr. and Mrs. Brice Webster, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Webster, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Pallmeyer, Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Fitzjarrald.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Estes, F. N. Foxhall, Mrs. W. C. Dickey, Mrs. John Deaver, Mrs. C. W. Kinslow, Mrs. Jessie Jones, Pearl Hague, Mrs. Norma Hunt, M. J. Draper, Mrs. Gladys Power, Mrs. C. W. Fleming of Topeka, Kan.

CARD OF THANKS

We extend our sincere thanks and humbly bow our heads in gratitude to the host of friends who came to us with love and words of comfort. We are grateful to those who could not come but sent flowers or messages of condolence and to those who helped with the music. We appreciate the many other acts of loving kindness you performed which brought solace to our wounded hearts at the death of our beloved son and brother. May we be worthy of having such friends and may God bless each of you in our heartfelt prayer.

"We cannot say and we will not say

That he is dead—he is just away! With a cheery smile, and a wave of the hand,

He has wandered into an unknown land,

And left us dreaming how very fair

It needs must be, since he lingers there,

And you, oh you, who the wildest yearn

For the old-time step and the glad return;

Think of him faring on, as dear

In the love of there as the love of here;

Think of him still as the same we say:

He is not dead—he is just away!"

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gilreath and Family.

The Tyrants

Mrs. Gordon Fitzhugh of Clovis, N. M., visited last week-end with her mother, Mrs. Jack Cain.

Pathfinder's Council Has Meeting In Homes of Members During the Fall



The fall meetings of the Pathfinder's Council have been in the homes of Messdames George Dickson, B. B. Smith, Barney Burnett, C. F. Srygley, Eugene McElreath and Lloyd Phillips.

September 14

Mrs. Dickson was hostess Tuesday, September 14, for the council. The subject of the program was "Skits." Gladys Bownds gave "Dorothy Turns Poet" and Betty Sue Gibbs read "Nature is So Beautiful." Roll call was answered with "My Objective for the Club Year."

September 28

Mrs. Smith was hostess for the meeting Tuesday, September 28. The program topic was "Why the Peace Failed," by Mrs. George Payne. "Foreign Relations from 1931-1941" was given by Mrs. Eugene McElreath. The roll call was answered with "Your Idea of Lasting Peace."

October 12

The meeting of Tuesday, October 12, was in the home of Mrs. Barney Burnett. "The Four Free-

Volane Roach, Bill Spoon Vows Are Read Monday

Miss Volane Roach was married Monday, November 15, to Corp. Bill Spoon of Camp McCain, Miss., in Hollis, Okla.

The bride wore a midnight blue dress with black patent accessories. Her corsage was white. Mrs. Spoon is the daughter of Mrs. Frank Ritchie and is a senior in Memphis high school.

Corporal Spoon is stationed at Camp McCain with the paratroopers. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Spoon of Gainesville. Before entering the army, he worked here for two years in the Dick Spoon garage.

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NEWS

From County Men in the Armed Forces



The following letter is written to Mr. and Mrs. John Murdock of Plaska from Pfc. Wilbur D. Medford of Lakeview. He is stationed somewhere in the South Pacific in the Army.

November 16, 1943

Dear Dad, Mom and Al: Will scribble you a few lines tonight. The wind is sure moaning around the eaves of the barracks tonight. Sounds like some of those cold winter nights in Texas. I would like to be in Texas tonight.

I received today the good conduct medal. This, I guess, is for when telling you of it but I guess

it is something, though, anyone should be proud of. I said when I came into the army that when I left I wanted a clean record. As far as I know it is still that way, and I intend for it to stay that way.

Today was pay day and I put another \$20 in the Soldiers Deposit. I'm sending some of the money of Africa so you can see what it looks like. 20 francs is 40 cents in good old U. S. money. Hang on to it, I think it is a good souvenir.

Love,
CHARLIE.

dad is back home again. I hope he had a nice visit with grandmother. I wish that I had been able to see her before I left the States.

Well, Mom as you can see from the heading, that I'm at it again, not much rest for the wicked, is there? Skinned my nose the other night, fell on my helmet during an air raid. It beat me to the ground. Ole mother earth really feels good when things start falling and you don't know where. They all seem to be coming directly for you.

Try, and find out from Mrs. White Earl's exact address, as I'm also with the 5th Army and who knows, maybe I'll get to see him. No one knows how much I'd like to see someone from home. Haven't seen anyone yet from near home or even knew back in the States.

Everything is fine with me. Still have that cold. Tried to have tonsils removed before I left Sicily, but no instruments to do the job. Guess I'll have to keep them.

Snapshots you sent were swell, only that I would like to have pictures of all of you. Hope you were able to stand those I sent. Have a group picture taken of the boys I work with, and I will send them along later. Sue looks as always, only seems a bit heavier.

Italy is just the same as other places we have been. Maybe a bit more modern, but nothing like home.

Be good and write often.
Love,
CECIL.

The following letter is from D. B. Bell, seaman second class of the U. S. Navy, stationed at San Diego, Calif., to his mother, Mrs. Ida Mae Warren.

November 14, 1943

Dear Mother: I cannot tell you how sorry I am that I haven't written sooner, but I will try and give a pretty good reason. I have just gotten out of the sick bay. That's where they go when they get some little something wrong with them. If they were really sick, they would be sent to the Naval hospital at Balboa Park and is it a honey. I saw it one day while going to the zoo.

I had what they called cat fever. They call everything that has a little bit of fever with it, cat fever, so we won't be talking to see who is the sickest. All that was wrong with me was a little case of flu. I was well two whole days before they let me out but they wanted to make sure. When I went over there, which is still on the training station, I didn't know I was going to bed, so I didn't have any writing material and none of the boys brought me any. They wouldn't let me come and get it even after my temperature was normal, so I just had to lay there and wish I was out or try to sleep. I sure got caught up in my sleep. I think I lost a little weight, but I will get it all back before long. Well, that is about all of that. I sure have a lot of things to tell you.

I saw a P-38 that crashed the 11th. It crashed not two hundred yards from the west side of the station and just missed a big three story house by seven feet, so the paper said. From where I saw it, it didn't look like more than two feet. I was normal so they let me come out to the back of the dispensary and look at it. Two of them crashed away on the other side of the channel, but this one went into a spin and it landed over by the house.

The pilot jumped out and hit

plane hit him and killed him almost instantly and cut off both of his legs. The other plane had one of its wings broken and went almost straight down, so I heard. I didn't see any of this but the rest of the boys did. They were out of school at recess, about 10 o'clock, and it hit in the channel. The pilot of this one is in fine condition, or at least he wasn't hurt by the crash.

If they find it was his fault, he may be court martialed. I didn't know when the last time was I wrote you a letter. It seems like a month. I will try and write often now that I'm out of the sick bay. I still have a little cold but not bad. I missed all of my tests last week, so I don't know how I am getting along. I think I can still keep up with the class, if I work hard. I have been a little ahead of my class. Those tests I missed will never count for or against me as it was not my fault. They just went add in with my other grades.

That surely was a cute picture of Doris Ann. I wish I could keep it but I am sending it back. I hardly have room to keep them or I would have a bunch of pictures. I sure am proud that I have my I. D. chain, it sure is a honey.

That silver dollar is another addition to my coin collection. I already had one that I got up here. I don't know what I am going to do with a lot of my things. I think I am going to send a bunch of stuff home very soon. So look for it some time during the next two weeks when I get a locker cleaning move on.

If I get sub-school for six months, I can always send for it. The boys in class one only got seven days delayed orders, so they didn't even try to go home or most of them didn't. Some of them lived in Los Angeles so they went home of course. If I get only seven days, I don't think I should try to come home, do you? I wouldn't have over a day to spend at home. Being Christmas

time, I may get more or I may not get any. You can't ever tell about this Navy. I sure hope I can come home. That will all have to be seen later.

Do you know that it is only about six weeks more until graduation for me? Well, that's all it is and this time I am not going to drop back, I am going to graduate or else. I can take the code if I don't graduate. I will strike for it at sea. But no use saying that I am going to graduate. A lot of boys that could take code are radiomen now that couldn't take it on a test.

When a test comes, they tighten up until they can't haif think. That is what was the matter with me, but I am over the biggest part of it now, I think, or at least, I hope.

The last three tests I took, I either got top speed or speed just below it. The last one I got top. That was two weeks ago. Well, I will find out next week. Top speed is 19-25. If I make that and stay right there for the rest of the time, I am here, I will graduate. 18-18 is all you have to make to graduate. The way things are now, I got 16-19 on the last test I took and last week I got 17-21.

Well, this is my last piece of paper, and it is time for chow so I had better close for now. I am going over to school house and if I can find some kind of paper, I will write Glenn and Ruth a letter. I can't get any stationery until tomorrow but I will get some then, so you needn't send me any unless you want too. Well, good bye.

D. B. BELL.
—my Bonds—my Bombs—
Pvt. Lloyd Vandeventer is stationed at Camp Fannin, Tyler, in the U. S. Army. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Vandeventer. He left Memphis November 15 for Fort Sill, Okla., for active service in the army.

Sgt. Charlie W. Carter, who is in Italy, wrote this letter to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Carter.

October 31, 1943
Dear Dad, Mom and Al: Will scribble you a few lines tonight. The wind is sure moaning around the eaves of the barracks tonight. Sounds like some of those cold winter nights in Texas. I would like to be in Texas tonight.

I received today the good conduct medal. This, I guess, is for when telling you of it but I guess



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NEWS about boys in the Service

The following letter is from Pvt. John H. Murdock Jr. to his mother, Mrs. John Murdock. Private Murdock is stationed somewhere in the Southwest Pacific.

November 8, 1943 Dear Mother, Daddy and Kids: Just a few lines to let you know I am well and hope you all are the same. I got your letters today and was sure glad to know that you all were well. It was bad about the Campbell house burning down. Where do they live now?

I got another letter from Ettis the other day. I sure do feel sorry for her and the baby. Herschel is overseas and she has to live by

herself. I bet she sure does get lonesome to see him. I know I do, I get so lonesome to see you all but I can't until this war is over and then all the boys can come home to their folks, but I don't want to come home until the war is over, although I would like to see you all and I would like to see Gwen, but if other men can stay away, I can too and I am willing to stay away just to get rid of these Japs, but I have been in the army 11 months and I have learned lots and am not sorry I came when I did. If I had not come then, and waited until Buddy and the others went, I would have been in the States, but I can say I have been over here and I know what these boys have to go through with. It is not so good to live in tents but I had rather be in a tent instead of out in the rain. It is muddy here lots and I mean muddy. You take a step and go up to your knees, surely it is a mess. When the sun shines, it is hot and I mean hot and when it rains, you can hang your clothes out and get them washed. So you see, what we have to go through with. That is not half of it.

Mother, I can't tell what island I'm on, but I didn't get to see Cecil Foster, where is he? I thought he and Pat were together but I guess not. Well, mother, I have got to close as there is no news to write. Tell Bobby to be good. God bless you all. Lots of love, your son, J. H.

Creth L. White, Fireman 1-C of the Naval Construction Bn., is serving in the Southwest Pacific. He has written this letter to the editor.

November 15, 1943 Dear Mr. Wells:

I am just another one of your roving correspondents, as Curtis Harrell calls himself, reporting from my part of the world. I receive The Democrat over here pretty often and really enjoy reading about what the home-folks are doing, and must say I am really proud of them all that are really backing us in this Third War Loan. It makes you feel pretty good to know that the folks at home are giving us the support we need.

I have been over here about seven months now and am pretty close to the hot spots and also have been under some 70 or 80 bombings, but none have come

close enough to do any harm except scare the daylight out of me, but eventually you get used to that.

I used to hear from Curtis every now and then, but haven't heard from him lately, don't know what is wrong except that maybe he is on his way home.

There is nothing much I can tell you about these islands except there is lots of jungle and coconuts and dead Japs, which reminds me, at the entrance gate of one of the soldier's divisions atop a post is a Jap skull with a bullet hole dead center of his head and printed across it are the words "me good Jap now," but of course that is the only kind of good Japs I know.

The weather is not too bad, you can't tell the wet season from the dry as it is wet nearly all the time. It gets pretty hot in the day time but is cool enough to sleep under a blanket at night and of course we have a pool to cool off in and a pretty large pool at that. In fact the whole Pacific Ocean if you don't mind sharing it with a few sharks and crabs.

Well, that is about all the news for the time being, so will close and am wishing you all a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. Sincerely yours, Creth L. White.

Corp. L. A. Richards came Saturday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Richards. He is being transferred to Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, from Bryan. He is with the Army Air Forces.

Sgt. L. V. Bruce of Denver, Colo., is visiting at Parnell with relatives.

Jack Baldwin reported to Camp Berkeley, Abilene, November 15 for service in the army. He has been commissioned a first lieutenant in the medical corps. Lieutenant Baldwin is a son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Baldwin.

Pvt. Adron Burkhalter and Pvt. Herbert Curry of Camp Berkeley, came Saturday for a visit with their wives. They were taken to Abilene Sunday night by Mrs. Burkhalter, Mrs. Curry and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Curry.

Corp. Hiram Crawford of Childress air forces visited here Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Crawford.

Naval Aviation Cadet John F. Dawson, son of Mrs. W. T. Dawson, has been transferred to the Naval Air station, Corpus Christi, after successful completion of the primary flight training course

at the U. S. Naval Air Station at Norman, Okla. After three months of advanced flight training at Corpus Christi, he will pin on his wings as a Naval aviator and be commissioned an ensign in the Naval Reserve, or second lieutenant in the Marine Corps Reserve.

Pvt. J. M. Dickson has arrived at Camp Fannin, Tyler, for his training in the army, according to word received here by his wife.

Pfc. James M. Gowdy has returned to camp after spending a ten day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gowdy.

Pvt. and Mrs. Jess Meacham of Turkey were guests of Pvt. and Mrs. Tom Salem Friday night. Pvt. Meacham is stationed at Camp Adair, Ore. and is spending a 15 day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Meacham of Turkey.

Pvt. Hubert Jones is stationed at Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, for his basic training in the Army, according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Jones.

Pvt. Jake Legritt is stationed at New Orleans, La., according to word received here by his wife. He is with the quartermaster corps.

Pvt. Tom Salem left Saturday after a visit here with his wife. He also visited in Tyler, Sudan, Turkey, Wellington and Shamrock with relatives and friends. Pvt. Salem is in the 6th Service Command Unit, U. S. Army, stationed at Camp Ellis, Ill.

According to word received here Saturday night by Mrs. Garold Kunkler, her husband Pvt. Kunkler is stationed in New Orleans, La., in the quartermaster corps.

John Holcomb, now stationed at Hammer Field, Fresno, Calif., was recently promoted to the grade of Technician Third grade. He is the son of Mrs. T. Holcomb and has been in the army since January 23, 1942.

Jack R. Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Miller, member of class 44-E at Schreiner Institute, has made his first solo flight in the elementary flight training period on his road toward a commission in Naval aviation.

After pre-flight school he will spend approximately seven additional months in flight training before finally receiving a commission as a pilot in the U. S. Navy.

Cpl. A. J. Watson has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Watson for the past several days. He is on maneuvers in the Arizona desert.

ELI

By VALDA SMITH

Mr. and Mrs. Castner and family visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Beasley and sons, Don and Milton Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller and children visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Smith and family. There were 24 present for Sunday school services Sunday morn-

ing. The Sunday school voted to have a Christmas tree December 24. Those wishing to make donations may do so by contacting Melba and Velma Smith, La Homa Caldwell and James Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Smith and daughter Elizabeth were business visitors in Hollis, Okla., and Childress Saturday.

Geraldine and T. A. Kaker visited last week-end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Knight.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Nelson have as their guests, their daughter and husband of Vernon.

Mrs. Joe Miller and daughters and Mrs. Ed Smith and daughters visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Walter Jones and children.

M. A. Beasley was a business visitor in Childress Monday.

Harold Ayers spent Monday night with Don Taylor.

Mrs. G. H. Hattenbach and daughter, Mrs. C. W. Fleming of Topeka, Kan., were Amarillo visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Messer and children of Littlefield and Lt. Eula M. Burke of Sheppard Field visited here last week-end with their mother, Mrs. T. A. Messer.

Mrs. T. K. Treadwell Jr. of New London, Conn., left for her home Friday after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. McNeely.

Jeff Welcher, Jim Burk, J. J. Welcher and Charles, Hood of Parnell were business visitors in Amarillo Friday.

Jean Messer of Littlefield visited last week-end with her cousin, Frances Messer.

Mrs. H. Gilmore and daughter Pauline of Turkey visited here Monday with their son and brother, H. B. Gilmore, who was ill.

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- COFFEE, Folger's, 1 lb Jar 33c SUGAR, Pure Cane, 5 lbs 37c; 10 lbs 73c FLOUR, Amaryllis, 10 lbs 59c; 25 lbs \$1.29 MEAL, Aunt Jemima, 5 lbs 23c; 10 lbs 45c BAKING POWDER, 25 oz KC 19c MILK, Pet or Carnation, 5c and 10c cans SPAGHETTI or MACARONI, Skinners, 2 boxes 17c KRAFT DINNER, box 9c CAKE FLOUR, Swansdown, box 29c RITZ CRACKERS, 1 lb box 22c COCOA, Hersheys, 8 oz box 12c SOAP, Lux or Lifebuoy, 3 bars 23c SOAP, Swan, med. bars 7c, large bars, 2 for 23c BABO CLEANSER, box 12c SANIFLUSH or DRAINO, can 20c CHLOROX, pint bottle 12c WHITE KARO, pint bottle 17c RICE, 2 lb Celso Sack 21c TOILET PAPER, Scott Tissue, 3 rolls 23c POST BRAN or GRAPENUT FLAKES, 1g box 15c OATS, Mother's, 1g box 32c OATS, Quaker or 3 Minute, box 12c POTATO CHIPS, 5c and 15c pkgs. TOMATOES, No. 2 cans, Concho 12c CORN, No. 2 cans, Primrose 16c ENGLISH PEAS, No. 2 cans Mission 16c SOY BEANS, No. 2 cans 10c TOMATO JUICE, Kuner's, No. 2 can 12c CURED HAM, best cuts, lb 52c PORK CHOPS, nice and lean, lb 35c CHILI, 1 lb block 32c SPUDS, No. 1 Red, 5 lbs 22c TURNIPS, bulk, purple top, lbs 5c CABBAGE, hard heads, lb 5c BLACKEYED PEAS, new crop, Calif., dry, lb 10c ENGLISH WALNUTS, No. 1 grade, lb 45c PECANS, large size, lb 45c CRANBERRIES, qt. 30c LEMONS, Sunlight, dozen 25c GRAPEFRUIT, 1g. Texas, 2 for 11c ORANGES, good size Texas, dozen 35c GRAPES, Calif., lb 17c CELERY, fancy, stalk 19c

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NEWS

County Men in the Armed Forces



Lester Grimes of Clinton, and Mrs. Enid Fletcher Tuesday night in Chil- with Sgt. and Mrs. Dow

Sgt. Jake Webster Monday after a visit here with Mrs. Joe He is stationed at Me- Field, Wash., in the supply of the Army Air Forces. He recently returned from an Islands where he had for the past two years and months.

Lester H. Campbell left day for Norfolk, Va., aft- visit with his wife and ther, Mrs. L. J. Campbell.

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Downsdown Cake Flour, pkg	29c
Soap, granulated, Perk, pkg.	25c
Peanut Butter, quart	49c
Corn, whole grain, can	15c
Tomatoes, No. 2 can	12c
Green Beans, No. 2 can	13c
PURE LARD, 4 lbs.	75c
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ESTELLINE

By MRS. FRED BERRY

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Baccus of San Antonio visited last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Baccus. He left Friday for the Armed Forces. . . Gus Stevenson of Tucumcari visited here last week with relatives. . . Walter Tyner visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tyner, here last week. . . Budge Holland, who is stationed in Maryland, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Holland, last week. . . Mrs. W. A. Caldwell received word from her son, Billie Ray, that he has been sent from San Diego to A&M to take a course in radio. . . Mrs. Oscar Tucker is visiting her son in Temple. . . L. V. Bruce visited last week with his father Charlie Bruce. . . Miss Christine Trapp, who has been taking a business course in Ft. Worth, came home last week. . . John McKinney of Honeygrove is visiting this week with his niece, Mrs. Sam Powers. . . Mr. and Mrs. Walter Labay of Spur spent Sunday in the home of her mother, Mrs. R. H. Whaley. . . Mrs. Bill Holland and daughter Daisy went to Fort Worth Tuesday on business. . . Miss Mary Sue Eddins of Fort Worth and Miss Betty Jo Eddins of Amarillo visited the past week-end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Eddins. . . Elizabeth and Paul Garner of Amarillo spent the week-end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Leary. . . Mr. and Mrs. Pete Woods arrived last week from Virginia where he is stationed. He left Monday and his wife remained. . . Jay Bruce and wife visited friends in Estelline Saturday. He is stationed at Gainesville. . . Mrs. E. Johnston and Mattie Rigby spent Sunday in Ralls. . . Mrs. Woods of Flomot spent the holidays here in the D. T. Eddins home. . . Mrs. Elliott of Sweetwater spent last week in the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Hawkins. . . Weldon Couch, who has been ill in a Ft. Worth hospital, returned home Tuesday and is improving. . . Junior Clifton of Lubbock spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Clifton. . . Mrs. Frankie Echols of Amarillo and Mrs. Pete Crump and Jackline Fowler of Brownfield spent the week-end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Darby.

LAKEVIEW

By LOIS MARTIN

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Cope visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Luttrell Sunday evening. . . Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Spear and Mrs. Vernon Patton and children spent the week-end in Canyon and Amarillo visiting relatives. . . Mrs. Tom Luttrell, who has been ill in a Quannah hospital, was brought home last Thursday. She is reported to be improving. . . Birdie Jones spent Saturday and Sunday in Turkey visiting her mother. . . Mr. and Mrs. Moreland and children visited in Clarendon Saturday. . . Mr. and Mrs. George Craft and son Billie visited in the Don Wright home Sunday. . . Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Martin visited Sunday in Memphis in the George Payne home. They visited Mrs. Bill Gowdy, who is ill. . . Mr. and Mrs. Bob Vaughn and Mrs. Berry Stevens visited Thursday and Friday in Hedley. . . Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moore moved to Lakeview. They bought the Oscar Morris house. Mr. Moore will work for the county, taking the place of Luther Laird, who moved to Oklahoma City. . . Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Richburg and Opal visited their daughter in Estelline Sunday. . . Buy Bonds—Buy Bombs—

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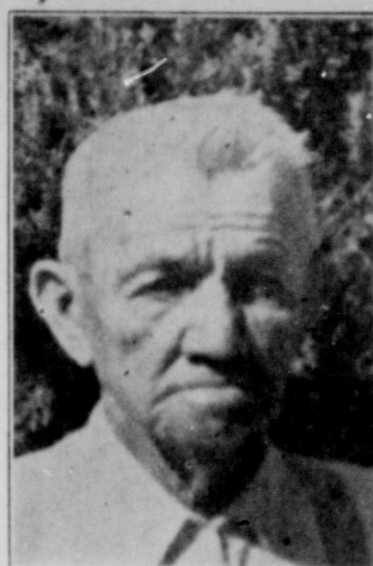
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PARNELL

By MRS. GEORGE WEATHERLY

Mrs. Jeff Welcher visited in Memphis last Sunday with Mrs. Jay Bruce. . . Mrs. Tom Weatherly and sons, Doyle and Winn, left last week for Seattle, Wash., to join her husband who is employed there. . . Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hannah and children of the Buffalo Flat community have moved here to run the store formerly run by Homer Huggins. . . Mrs. T. M. Wyrick spent the week-end with her daughter, Mrs. Bill Crabtree of Newlin. . . Ozie Polacic of the U. S. Army is home on a few days furlough. . . Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Weatherly spent the week-end in Memphis with Mr. and Mrs. Red Spradlin. . . Mr. and Mrs. Day, formerly of California, have moved to this community. . . Mr. and Mrs. Burl Bruce and children spent a few days in Amarillo last week with her sister. . . Miss Christine Trapp has finished her school term in Fort Worth and is home for a few days with her parents. . . Mrs. Roy Baccus and Miss Dee Groom visited Mrs. Jeff Welcher one day last week. . . Mr. and Mrs. George Weatherly and children and Mrs. W. E. McGlockin spent the week-end with Mrs. May Weatherly.

FRIENDSHIP



J. W. DURHAM

NEWS LETTER

Mr. J. W. Durham, one of the oldest of Hall County's pioneers, celebrated his 90th birthday on November 27. Mr. Durham had been resident of this county for 53 years. When we congratulated him, he proudly stated, "I can do more work than many men 20 to 30 years younger than I am." Mr. Durham is well and leads a very active life on the farm of his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Smith.

In honor of Mr. Durham, Mrs. Smith gave a dinner on November 28. Guests were Mrs. S. B. Upton of Lubbock, Mrs. Jake Merrell of Quitaque, Mr. P. E. Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Burnett, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Neeley, Mrs. Josephine Tyler, Mrs. Anna Dickson, Mrs. M. L. Smith, Miss Emily Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith and children, Jerry and Sandy, Mr. and Mrs. Guy W. Smith and children, Loraine, Arthur and Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Smith and the honoree, Mr. Durham.

The mail box has proved quite interesting this week. Pfc. Don Tyler sent a V-Mail from England. He said, "I haven't been to London yet, but have been in Birmingham twice for only a few hours. I didn't get to see many of the 'parts of interest'—which, of course, would include the girls. Everyone nice to what they call, 'the Yanks.'"

Then we received our first Christmas card of the season from Pvt. David R. Myers, who is stationed in the Hawaiian Islands. Let us hear from you. Best Wishes and good luck, Your Friendship Reporter, Vera Smith, The Tyrants

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation to the many kind friends for words of sympathy, floral offerings, and in other ways, in the illness and death of our wife and mother.

The Dalton Family.

Give to the USO—Billy Thompson returned Wednesday night of last week from a business trip to Dallas. The Tyrants

Of the approximately 20 hundred million people in the world, some seven hundred million are American and European; two hundred million Russians; four hundred million Indian; two hundred million African negroes, and five hundred million Mongolian. About one hundred million of the Mongolian race are Japanese.

"Pyorrhea" May Follow Neglect

Did you ever see an attractive person with irritated "GUMS"? Druggists refund money if first bottle of "LETO'S" fails to help. Tarver Pharmacy

RATIONING At A Glance

FUEL OIL—Period 2 coupons become good November 30.

GASOLINE—A-9 coupons are good through January 21.

SUGAR—Stamp No. 29 in Book Four is good for 5 pounds through January 15, 1944.

SHOES—Stamp No. 18 good for one pair. Stamp No. 1 on the "Airplane" sheet in War Ration Book Three becomes good for one pair November 1.

STOVES—Consumer purchases of rationed stoves must be made with certificates obtained at local War Price and Rationing boards.

MEATS, FATS—Brown stamps G, H, J and K good through December 4. Brown stamps L becomes good November 21 and remains good through January 1. Brown stamp M becomes good November 28 and remains good through January 1.

PROCESSED FOODS—Green stamps A, B and C in book four good through Dec. 20. Green stamps D, E and F in book four become good Dec. 1 and remain good through January 20. Swat the Swastika

CARD OF THANKS To the host of friends who came to us with love and sympathy, to those who could not come but sent flowers or messages of condolence, to those who helped in any way to make our grief in the loss of our dear mother easier to bear, we are deeply indebted and grateful and thankful for all you did. We are especially grateful to those who helped with the music and flowers. May God bless each of you.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McKee Mr. and Mrs. S. A. McKee Mr. and Mrs. Roy McKee Mr. and Mrs. O. McKee Mr. and Mrs. Bert McKee Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McKee Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Hamblen Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Bruce Lloyd and Oscar McKee. Buy Bonds—Buy Bombs— One of the treasury statements that we want to dispute is that the average dollar bill lasts nine months.

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Ribbon Cane, pure, gal.	\$1.80
Tenderoni, Van Camps	10c
Shelled Pecans, 4 oz.	40c
Whole Wheat Flour, 5 lbs.	45c
Morton's Sugar Cure, 10 lbs.	89c
Morton's Sausage Seasoning	25c
Supreme Peanut Butter, 24 oz.	40c

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25 lbs.	1.45
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50 lbs.	2.50
25 lbs.	1.35

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- CABBAGE APPLES ORANGES
- LEMONS CRANBERRIES

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Boy's Mackinaws	\$5.98
Money Belts	89c

Bishman Barrel Pumps	\$9.80
Quality Lubricating Oil, 5 gal.	\$2.75
Gates Heater Hose, ft.	20c
Co-Op Batteries	\$8.75 to \$12.50
Alcohol Anti-Freeze, gal.	\$1.40

K B Egg Mash, 100 lbs.	\$3.35
K B Pellet Mash, 100 lbs.	\$3.45
Red Anchor Egg Mash, 100 lbs.	\$4.00
Red Anchor Pellets, 100 lbs.	\$4.07
Ground Wheat, 100 lbs.	\$2.85

COAL

Colorado Nut	\$10.50
Blacksmith	\$18.00
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MARKET

LIVER, fresh calf, lb.	20c
RIB ROAST, lb.	25c
NUCOA	25c
BUTTER, Old Fashioned Roll, lb	50c

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Make Theirs A Merry Christmas, ... But Hurry!

It is too late to send to the boys overseas unless they have gone since the deadlines of October 15 and November 1, and you have their APO number. Then, you can get a special permit and the package will be rushed in order that the boy may get his gift by Christmas.

But there are many boys in camp in the States—and they will be lonely this Christmas day. They are examining the famous streets of New Orleans, exploring the country lanes of Maine or Tennessee, fathoming the charm of New York City—seeing, marveling at places that were only names on a map to many of them. Now they are there, far away from home and longing for simple Main Street with its corner drug store.

Yes, this year more than ever they are thinking of those things that were part of them at home. What could remind them more of everything they think of most than a gift from you this Christmas? Give them anything—make theirs a merry Christmas, but hurry! Don't put off thinking of what you want to give and then have the time fly by.

Start today to plan your list, a list filled with all the graceful reminders of home—and get your gift in the mails soon because this year of all years we must mail our Christmas packages early.

Make theirs a Merry Christmas—but hurry!

Press Paragraphs

SELECTED FROM THE
DEMOCRAT'S EXCHANGE

For years I've wondered how in the world an eastern could come to Texas and finally become its outstanding cowboy artist. But it was explained in a recent letter from Harold Bugbee. Clarification of work of horses and cattle in the Southwest. "Personally I've always had a friendly feeling for Dalhart," he wrote. "Perhaps it is partly because there is where I first set foot on Texas soil, yes, and filled my eyes, ears, nose and throat with it, too, for it was spring and the wind was blowing!" — Dalhart Texan.

Americans must bear the blame of making possible the rise of Hitler and his murderers. We ran away from our obligations and refused to have anything to do with European affairs after the first war. We are not going to be silly this time. It is cheaper in life and money to do a little police work than fight another wasteful, destructive war. — The Claude News.

People who never before were able to save a dollar of their salary regardless of how much they received, are finding out that they can save if they only wish to. It has required a payroll savings tax to show them that it could be done. — Roark County News.

In New Orleans during the past ten years there have been ten proven deaths from rabies, four within the past six months. All were victims of bites from dogs. These victims are dead because sentimental dog owners failed to take proper care of their pets. Unrestricted pets, or dogs without an owner, should be shot on sight. The control of rabies depends solely upon control of dogs. — McLean News.

We'd like to see this war get tough on the home front. We'd like to see public information as to why men are deferred. We'd like to have public information as to who buys War Bonds and every other support of the war effort. Make this information public so that the people may know those helping and who is not helping. — Ochiltree County Herald.

Tomorrow will be richer than a single flower has bloomed or a gentle word is spoken today. — Matador Tribune.

You Help Someone You Know



When You Give to the USO

Town and Farm In Wartime

(Weekly News Digest prepared by the Rural Press Section, OWI News Bureau)

Suspend Slaughter Quotas

To facilitate marketing and slaughter of record numbers of livestock produced by U. S. farmers, slaughter quotas (for civilian consumption) until further notice have been suspended by WFA.

Must Collect Points for Pork

Although WFA has temporarily lifted all its restrictions on the amount of pork may deliver to persons living off his farm, he must continue to collect ration points for all rationed meats, OP A said recently. If pork is transferred point-free, it means that a great deal of this food will find its way into the black market and will be unavailable to legitimate consumers.

Brown Points for Waste Fats

For every pound of fat a house wife turns in to her meat dealer or other fat salvager, she will receive two brown points, beginning December 13. "But most important," WPB says, "within a month the fat will be transferred into war materials and on the way to the fighting fronts."

Service Buttons Being Distributed

Plastic gold-plated lapel buttons for wear on civilian clothing, to signify honorable military service on and after the declaration of a period of national emergency, Sept. 9, 1939, are being distributed to issuing agencies throughout the country, the War Department has reported. The insignia on the button is an eagle within a circle, the wings extending beyond the cir-

Here's That Man Again



LIBERTY

By MRS. W. F. HODNETT

Rev. Shannon filled his appointment at Liberty Sunday and Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Noble and children, Valeta and Ruthie, of California, have returned home after a two weeks visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hodnett and family. Mrs. Willie Noble came with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Noble and children and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hodnett and baby spent the week end in Amarillo visiting their son and Mrs. Noble's brother, E. B. Hodnett and family.

Mrs. Guy Edens and Nita and Wilson spent from Thursday until Sunday with her parents and sister of California. Guy Edens and son Doyle came Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Spencer and daughter Mary Beth of Hill county are visiting her daughter, Mrs. Scott Hancock and family.

Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Huggins of Plaska are visiting in the Liberty community.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hodnett and children, Bob and Jimmie Dee, of Amarillo visited his parents here last week.

Mrs. A. W. Moseley visited relatives in Childress last week.

Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Huggins of Plaska spent a few days visiting in the W. M. Mitchell home.

Pvt. Ernest Seay of Abilene visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Seay last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Wallace visited her brother, Kermit Hopper and family Sunday.

Norma Wallace visited Wednesday until Monday Lorene Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Seay family, Mr. and Mrs. Seay daughters, Margaret and Charline Nix, Rose May Norma Wallace visited in M. Mitchell home Sunday.

Mrs. Lula Mitchell is her daughter, Mrs. Jeff Mitchell.

Miss Rose May is the cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Edmons while her parents gone to Oklahoma.

—Buy Bonds—Buy Stamps
The guns of an American suit plane spurts lead in of 300 ponds a minute.

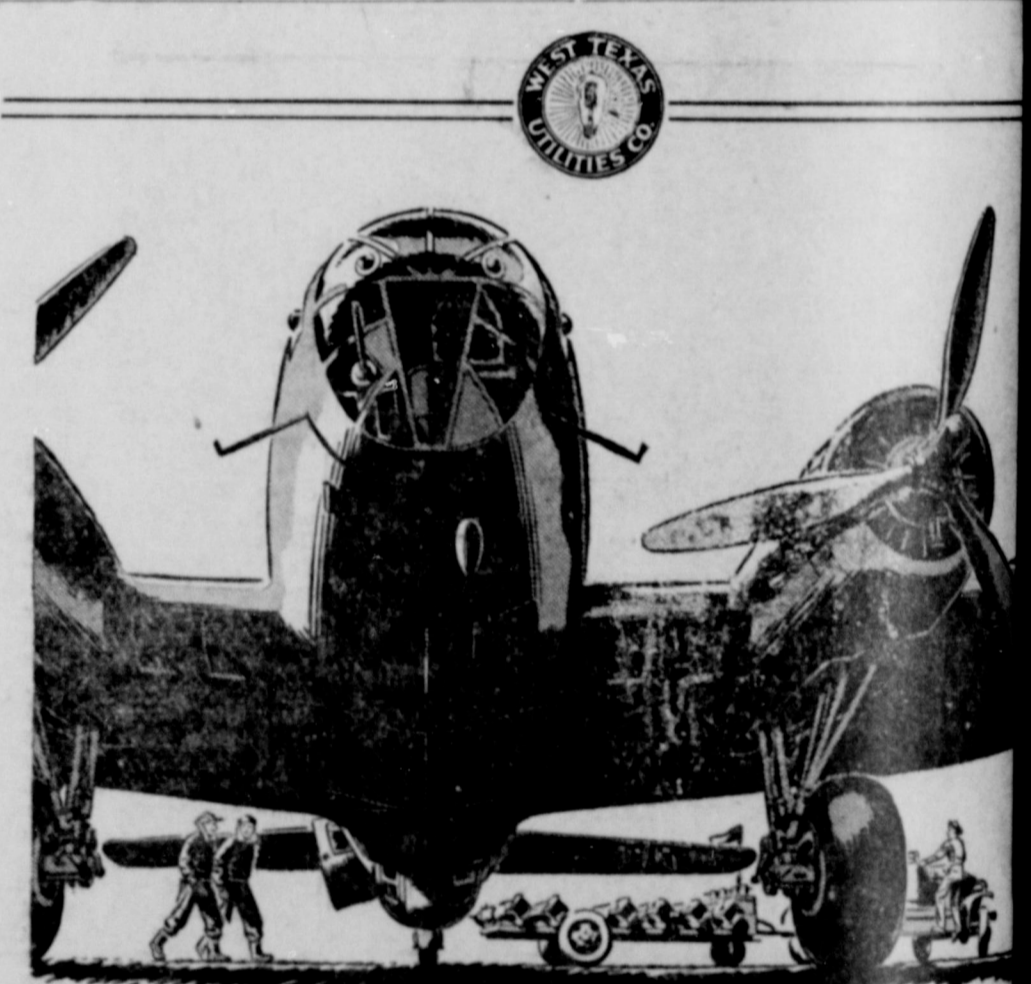
THE SPIRIT THAT IS CHINA



In the eyes of this Chinese mother shines anxious for the invaders in the sky. To support the Chinese people fight for freedom United China Relief, member agency National War Fund, sends aid.

TRANSACTIONS During Week

Townes (Kttinger to Leonard R. Reames, part of block 10 of Ansley's addition, Memphis.
Mrs. K. F. Montgomery to Glen Verden, W 156 4-10 acres of W 1-2 of E 1-2 of section 78, block 2, T & P Ry. Co. survey.
Ethel Yeager to E. E. Foster, part of section 9, block R.
Leonard Bradford to D. T. Walker, block 34, Estelline.
B. J. Boyd to C. A. White, lots 19 to 24, block .5, Estelline.
Sarah Ella Moore to Jessie Lee Burk, block 36, Memphis.
Ross Springer to O. L. Morris, lots 1 and 2, block 24, Lakeview.
J. M. Bell to Burl Bell and Homer Bell, W 1-2 of section 29, Cert. 15, block A, A B & M survey.
J. C. White, et al, to Ronald Davis, lots 19 to 24, block 35, Estelline.
Willie Noble, et al, to W. E. Clemons, part of sections 11 and 51 in block 2, T & P Ry. Co. survey.



BIG ENOUGH to do a BIG JOB

The monster bomber is an important American contribution to world-wide war. It carries a large load a long distance—and it does a job no smaller plane can do.

Size is America's salvation today in other ways as well. The size of our land and its resources. The size of our production plants: the size of our Army and Navy—the size of one company's contribution to those armed forces—in our case it's 182 men! But more significant is the size of the electric industry that powers the machines that make the planes, tanks, guns and ships.

But size isn't everything. It must be piloted by skill and experience. America's key industries got it by growing up under the system of free enterprise, the system we're fighting for—where free men can create, and succeed in proportion to ability.

That's exactly the way the electric companies grew—creating jobs by better and better service to more people at a lower and lower price—on the invested savings of millions of Americans.

Because the electric companies when war came—because no war can wait for power—precious time was in the effort for production!

How big should an electric company be? The same size a bomber should be. ENOUGH TO DO THE JOB RIGHT AND ON TIME AND THE CALENDAR!

Are we tickled Pink!



WANT TO KNOW WHY? Because Daddy and I no longer have to worry and wonder about which oil to buy to make our car last longer. We discovered the answer in an ad—just like this one. And it said:

One of the best precautions you can take to protect and lengthen the life of your motor is to use good oil. But which oil is good? The following facts should help you decide.

Phillips makes this straightforward statement: If you want our best oil, remember we specify **Phillips 66 Motor Oil** is our finest quality... the highest grade and greatest value... among all the oils we offer to average motorists.

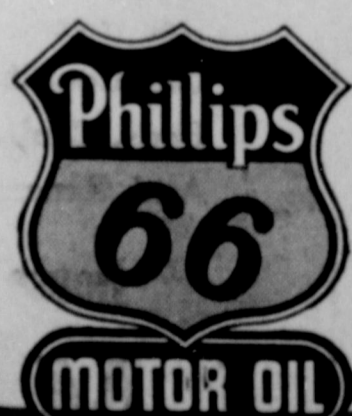
Phillips 66 is the name to remember when you replace summer-thinned lubricant, or make the recommended every-two-months oil change.

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- * To check crankcase oil-level each time your car is serviced.
- * To check the spark plugs, fan belt, headlights, etc.
- * To perform all services you may require, and to make seasonal recommendations for improving the efficiency and lengthening the life of your car.

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ALASKA

MRS. E. E. FOSTER
 Mrs. E. E. Foster returned from Hamilton County Wednesday after visiting there for the past two months.
 George Stowers of Friona was a business visitor at Plaska Wednesday.
 Pvt. Clint Needham, who is stationed at Fort Benning, Ga., came Wednesday to visit his wife and daughter Beverly.
 Mrs. J. E. Murdock visited Mrs. E. J. Galloway Monday.
 Billie Frances Murdock visited in Amarillo from Thursday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Patrick.
 Mrs. Henry Foster went to Abilene Wednesday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Hall. Mrs. R. D. Hall, Mrs. W. C. Hignight and Mrs. W. L. Crawford were Wichita Falls visitors Tuesday.
 Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Huggins and Mrs. Lula Mitchell went to Deep Lake Wednesday for a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Jones.
 Those visiting in the J. E. Murdock home Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Galloway and sons, Robert, Charles, Eugene and Jerry, Mrs. Eldon Spangnel and son Larry, Mrs. Ed Murdock and daughter Jo Kathryn, Mrs. John Murdock and children Billy Joe, Joyce, Eldon, Mary Beth and Bobby, Beverly Needham, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith and daughter Walter Elizabeth, Raymond Martin and Mrs. E. E. Foster.
 Reba Jean Williams of Lakeview spent Saturday and Sunday with her grandparents.
 Mrs. Ella Nabers and son Tison of Anton and Pauline Nabers and Ailine Moore of Dallas spent Tuesday night and Wednesday visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Nabers.
 Mr. and Mrs. Bob Munsy and children, Betty Jean and Norman of Lockney spent the week-end visiting Mrs. Munsy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Crawford.
 Norman Jean Nabers of Lesley spent the week-end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Nabers.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith and daughter Walter Elizabeth were business visitors in Amarillo Saturday.
 Mrs. J. E. Murdock spent Sunday visiting in the Indian Creek community with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Murdock.
 Rev. Richardson of Turkey spent Saturday night visiting in the A. S. Harwell home.

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What will his tomorrow be? The question is up to us as Americans on the home front. It is our responsibility to keep American boys safe until they come home. The freedoms for which our country fights are ours only so long as we safe-

guard them—freedom from want and fear, freedom of religion, freedom of speech, freedom of enterprise.

These are the things that have made America great. While our young men are away, defending our liberty from attack without, we must safeguard our American way from attack within.

America is the land of the free—let's keep it that way forever!

UNITED GAS CORPORATION

KEEP AMERICA THE LAND OF THE FREE

Mill Iron Ranch Is Conducting Breeding Project

Lafayette M. Hughes Has Been Developing This Herd Since 1933

A breeding enterprise with registered Herefords that is rapidly attracting favorable attention among commercial cattlemen is being conducted by the Mill Iron ranch in Hall, Cottle and Collingsworth Counties.

Local cattlemen believe that the Mill Iron policy of selling registered bulls from one of the finest blood lines in the nation at a reasonable price will in time cause this part of the Eastern Panhandle to become a preferred buying section of the midwestern feeders.

Hall County men who have bought Mill Iron bulls in the past two years believe that the uniform quality of this herd will ultimately infiltrate into all of the commercial herds of this section. They know that the Mill Iron bulls even when bred to cows of a commercial herd, tend to reproduce in their offspring the deep set short coupled cattle that mature rapidly with a minimum consumption of feed.

These are the kind of cattle which produce more cuts of choice beef and fewer cuts of lower-priced meat. Therefore, they bring top prices when they go to market.

Since 1933, Lafayette M. Hughes has been developing this outstanding herd with the view of creating a herd of the finest blood lines that would fit the needs and appeal to the commercial cattlemen. In ten years the Mill Iron herd has developed a definite character of cattle with their grand heads and deep short bodies and their proven tendency to beget one true type.

The herd now numbers approximately 1,000 registered cattle but it has been only in the last two years that any of the young bulls have been offered for sale. While a few bulls are being for sale this winter, it will be next fall before any sizable quantity of young bulls will be sold. In the meantime, Mr. Hughes is greatly pleased with the acceptance of his work from so many men who live near the Mill Iron

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 In clinical tests under the direction of Dr. Von Hoover, 100 persons lost 14 to 15 lbs. average in a few weeks with the Ayds Plan. Soon to be before a Society of Public Health.
 With this Ayds Plan you don't cut out any meats, starches, potatoes, meats or butter, you simply eat them down. It's simple and easier when you enjoy delicious delicious fortified AYDS before each meal. Absolutely harmless. Try a large size box of AYDS now. 30 days supply only \$2.25. Money back GUARANTEED if you don't get results. Finest.
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BRICE

By MRS. J. S. JOHNSON

Pvt. Tilton McCurdy of Dalhart spent a few days this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abner McCurdy.
 Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hardie spent from Thursday until Saturday in Childress.
 Mrs. J. C. Johnson, had as guest Sunday, Miss Katherine Robinson of Dallas, Miss Beatrice Russell and Miss Freddie Johnson, Memphis.
 Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Moreman received word that their son, Sgt. Bob Moreman, stationed in Calif. and Miss Iona Jean Ezell of Amarillo, have been married.
 Mrs. C. J. Holland honored her daughter Pat with a birthday dinner Sunday. Her daughters, Vada Faye of Amarillo and Laurel of Childress were present for the occasion.
 Mrs. Bill Salmon had as guest Wednesday her mother, Mrs. Bill Smith of Newlin, and two aunts from Oklahoma.
 Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Craft visited in Lakeview Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Don Wright.
 Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cheek and family visited last week-end in Amarillo with their daughter Mrs. Doyce Gregory.
 The Merle Lemon, Hope Lemon and John Lemon families all visited relatives at Windy Valley Sunday.

Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Thomas have returned home after spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gowdy, of Lakeview.
 Mrs. J. C. Roberts and son James Denny left Sunday after a visit here with her mother, Mrs. Ora Denny.

Locals and Personals

Bernie Davis of Paducah came Thursday for a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Gardner. Mrs. Davis and son Rodney, who had been visiting here with her parents, accompanied Mr. Davis home Friday.
 Miss Bettye Fultz returned Wednesday of last week from San Antonio where she visited with her sister, Mrs. Scottie Sigler and family.
 Mrs. H. B. Gilmore and son Jerry visited Thursday in Turkey with Mrs. H. Gilmore and Miss Pauline Gilmore.
 Miss Maurine Thompson of Dallas visited the first of the week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Thompson.

Locals and Personals

and who have observed at first hand the development of the herd.

Over Half Texas Drivers Fail In Examination

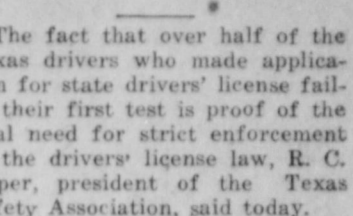
The fact that over half of the Texas drivers who made application for state drivers' license failed their first test is proof of the vital need for strict enforcement of the drivers' license law, R. C. Roper, president of the Texas Safety Association, said today.

According to the drivers' license division of the department, 364,382 applicants for licenses were examined in the fiscal year ending September 1, and of these 200,832 failed the initial test, either because of their own shortcomings or because of an unsafe condition of their vehicles. A large percentage of these people have been driving for years, yet 59 percent of them failed the standard examinations of the National Safety Council.

Drivers who failed the first examination were told where the fault was, given a handbook, and asked to come back. In the majority of cases they were issued licenses after second or third examination.

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The Best will always sell First!
Fine quality in herd bulls at a reasonable price will be more imperative than ever to Commercial Herdsmen—As Mill Iron Quality goes up our prices go down!
There is but one reason—Quantity! . . . but, coupled with outstanding quality.

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 616 Majestic Bldg.
 Denver, Colorado

Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Oren visited Thursday of last week in Vernon with her niece, Mrs. Cecil Rogers. Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Rogers were business visitors in Childress Tuesday. Jim Vallance took his wife to Amarillo Tuesday of last week where she left for Lindsburg, Kan., for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Bill Hamm and husband. Mrs. J. S. McMurry, Mrs. Chas. Oren, Mrs. Everett Singleton and Miss Maud Milam were Amarillo visitors Tuesday of last week. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hill visited Sunday in Shamrock with her sister. Otie Watkins visited last week-end in Hedley. Mrs. L. A. Richards of Hale Center came Saturday night for a visit here with her husband, Corp. Richards, who is being transferred from Bryan to Shep-

pard Field, Wichita Falls, to the Army Air Forces. Mr. and Mrs. Dan Clinton and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. New and family of Wichita Falls visited Thursday in Canyon with Mrs. Clinton's and Mrs. New's mother, Mrs. B. F. Deason, and their sister, Mrs. M. O. Slack and family. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cowan and children of Plainview visited here last week-end. Mrs. S. B. Upton of Lubbock came Friday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. C. G. Smith and her niece, Mrs. Josephine Tyler. Mrs. W. B. Kimberlin visited from Wednesday until Sunday in Lubbock with her sister. Mrs. Alvin Baldwin Jr. of Dallas visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Baldwin last week. She was accompanied home by her daughter, Patricia Irene, who had visited here with her grandparents. Mrs. Josephine Tyler visited Thursday and Friday in Lawton, Okla., with her son who is stationed at Fort Sill. Mrs. Garold Kunkler, Mrs. M. E. Rule, Mrs. Jake Leggett and Mrs. Gene Lindsey visited Thursday in Lawton, Okla., with Pts. Kunkler, Leggett and Lindsey, who are stationed at Fort Sill. Mrs. Otho Fitzjarrald left Tuesday night of last week for San Diego, Calif., where she will make her home with her husband, Lt. J. G. Fitzjarrald, who is stationed there in the Navy. Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Morgensen were business visitors in Amarillo Tuesday of last week. Ensign and Mrs. Lester Campbell were Amarillo visitors Monday. Mrs. J. C. Ross left Sunday for Amarillo for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Benton King and family. Rev. and Mrs. S. F. Martin of Stephenville visited here Monday. Mrs. Jessie Huckaby and daughter Mary Sue of Amarillo were Memphis visitors Sunday. Mrs. Loanie Edmondson left Wednesday night for Artesia, N. M., to be with her husband who is employed there. Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Miller of Lubbock visited here Thursday with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Alga Turner of Turkey were business visitors in Memphis Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Lindsey went Wednesday night to Lubbock for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Norman Heath and husband. Mr. Lindsey returned Thursday and Mrs. Lindsey returned Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jones Singley of Wellington were guests in the Tom Salem home Thursday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Breland of Amarillo visited Thursday with Mrs. Ernest McMurry and Mrs. Bill Howard. Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Welch and son J. J. of Parnell are moving this week to their farm near Parnell.

Miss Faye Rasco of Amarillo visited here Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Rasco. W. E. Guest and son Dan of Granbury came Wednesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. J. M. Dalton which was held Friday. They returned Sunday to Granbury. Mrs. Billy Thompson was an Amarillo visitor Thursday of last week. Miss Marjorie Helm of Denton spent the Thanksgiving holidays here with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Buster Helm. Mrs. Mary Hawkins left Sunday for Midlothian with a visit with her son, C. M. Hawkins and family. Mrs. Jim Cornelius and daughters of Amarillo visited here last week-end with her mother, Mrs. Grace Duke. Mrs. Jessie Jones visited during the Thanksgiving holidays in Mangum, Okla., with her sister. Mrs. G. E. Ricker Jr. of Kansas City, Mo., is visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Montgomery. Ensign and Mrs. Lester Campbell, Mrs. L. J. Campbell and Mrs. Tom Salem visited Sunday in Shamrock and Hollis, Okla., with relatives. Remember Pearl Harbor—Sunday School Class Has Meeting With Mrs. C. Gerlach. The Truth Seekers Sunday School class of the Methodist church met Tuesday, November 23, at the home of Mrs. C. Gerlach with Mrs. J. J. Evans as co-hostess. Mrs. Anna Dickson, president, presided during a short business session. Mrs. C. E. Gowan led in prayer. Mrs. C. E. Hankins gave the devotional. Mrs. C. Gerlach gave a reading. Mrs. Dickson gave the Bible lesson. Refreshments were served to Mrs. C. E. Gowan, Mrs. Anna Dickson, Mrs. C. E. Hankins, Mrs. J. A. Kutch, Mrs. C. T. Jarvis, Mrs. Ed West, Mrs. J. W. Burks, Mrs. F. M. Gwinn, Mrs. Pearl Massey, Mrs. W. M. Gerlach, Mrs. Bob Roberts, Mrs. C. Gerlach, Mrs. J. J. Evans, and one visitor, Mrs. L. O. Dennis.



Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Tucker of Temple are the parents of a boy born November 23. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Wynn of Parnell and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Tucker of Estelline. Judith Lynn was born November 24 to Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Benson Jr. of Clarendon. She weighed 6 pounds and 3 ounces. Pvt. and Mrs. Robert David Mauck are the parents of a girl born November 28. She was named Barbara Ann. Pvt. Mauck is stationed in the U. S. Army at Camp Fannin, Tyler. A girl was born November 29 to Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Chapman of Lakeview. She was named Winnie Fay. Durwood Eugene was born November 30 to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Williams of Lakeview. Spare and Share—Rev. Hill Is Guest Speaker for Lions. The Memphis Lions club was called to order by Lion Estes. After the usual group singing and good feed, the club was favored by a program by the evangelist and singer, who are conducting the revival meeting at the Baptist church. The program consisted of several vocal numbers by J. C. Arthur and an inspirational talk by Rev. Leon M. Hill. Buy Bonds—Buy Bombs—IS COMMISSIONED ENSIGN ROC E. SHANNON, TURKEY. Roy E. Shannon was among the group commissioned as an Ensign in the U. S. Naval Reserve at the Naval Air Station at Pensacola, Fla. Ensign Shannon lives at Turkey and was among the ten Texans who received their commissions at this graduation.

O. L. BARHAM IS ILL IN VENTURA, CALIFORNIA. O. L. Barham suffered a heart attack Sunday night, November 14 at Ventura, Calif. He was in the Foster Memorial hospital for several days, but has been moved to the home of friends in Los Angeles. He will be in bed for three weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Barham and daughter Mary Nell were formerly of Memphis and have moved recently to Ventura from Amarillo where he had been contracting. Buy Bonds—Buy Bombs—CHURCHES—FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH T. T. POSEY, Pastor. Sunday school, 10-10:30. Morning worship, 11:10 a. m. Communion, 11:25 a. m. Young Peoples' meeting, 6:30 p. m. WEDNESDAY—Wednesday evening service 7:30. LAKEVIEW METHODIST CHURCH C. C. HARDAWAY, Pastor. Sunday Bible school, 10 a. m. Morning service 10 a. m. Evening services 9:30 p. m. each first and third Sundays. Services at Brice Methodist church each second Sunday. Services at Plaska Church each fourth Sunday. CHURCH OF CHRIST Richard Robbins, Minister. SUNDAY—10:00 a. m. Bible Study. Morning services 11 a. m. Evening services each first and third Sundays. TUESDAY—4:00 p. m. Ladies' Bible Class. WEDNESDAY—9:00 p. m. Bible Study. CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE J. T. CRAWFORD, Pastor. N. W. THOMAS, S. S. Supt. Mrs. J. T. Crawford, N. Y. P. S. President. Sunday Bible school, 10:30 a. m. Morning service, 11:30. N. Y. P. S., 7:30 p. m. Evening service, 8:15. Wednesday Evening. Prayer service, 8:15. Everyone should attend Sunday school somewhere. You are invited to attend our services. ASSEMBLY OF GOD John C. Cox, Pastor. Sunday School 10:00. Morning worship 11:00. Evening service, 8:00. Wednesday prayer, 8:30. FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Memphis, Texas. Rev. Jeff M. Moore, Pastor. SUNDAY—9:45 a. m. Sunday school. 11:00 a. m. Morning worship. 7:00 p. m. Training Union. 8:00 p. m. Evening worship. WEDNESDAY—7:30 p. m. Teacher's and officer's meeting. 8:15 p. m. Prayer meeting. 8:45 p. m. Choir rehearsal. FIRST METHODIST CHURCH E. L. YEATS, Pastor. Sunday school 10:00. Morning worship 11:00. Youth Fellowship 7:00. Evening worship 8:00.

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