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MEMPHIS, HALL COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY AFTERNOON, NOVEMBER 26, 1942 \*\*\* FIVE CENTS \*\*\* NUMBER 24

## December 11 Starting Date for Registering Year-Old Youths

Registration of youths who have reached their 18th birthday will begin on December 11 and ending December 31. The registration of youths who became 18 in July and August and October will be completed by December 31. The registration of youths who became 18 in November and December will be completed by January 1. The registration of youths who became 18 in January and February will be completed by February 1. The registration of youths who became 18 in March and April will be completed by April 1. The registration of youths who became 18 in May and June will be completed by June 1. The registration of youths who became 18 in July and August will be completed by August 1. The registration of youths who became 18 in September and October will be completed by October 1. The registration of youths who became 18 in November and December will be completed by December 31.

## 'Bout Time for Letters to Santa, Girls and Boys!



Yep, boys and girls, it's only about four weeks more until that genial old gent, Santa Claus, is due to come around again, with his team of reindeers and his huge bags of gifts for all the youngsters who have been good and minded their parents. Letters to 'Santa will be published in The Democrat this year, as in years past. This is a service Santa has always appreciated, because he finds it very convenient to read all the letters in the paper, rather than wade through a whole stack of them. It saves him a lot of time, and as Santa is a very very busy person, a few hours saved aren't to be sneezed at. So get out your tablets and sharpen your pencils, boys and girls. 'Cause how can Santa bring you what you want for Christmas, unless you write him about it. Bring or mail the letters to the Democrat as soon as possible. They'll be published in plenty of time for Santa to read them before Christmas.

## Rites Are Spoken Sunday for Mrs. Audene Greenwood

Deceased Young Woman Came to Hall County With Parents in January 1940

Last rites in memory of Mrs. Audene Greenwood, 22 years old were spoken by Rev. S. F. Martin, pastor, at the first Baptist church in Memphis at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Burial in Fairview Cemetery was under the direction of Womack Funeral Home. Pall bearers were Orville Goodpasture, Byron Baldwin, Sam Hamilton, George Cullin, Olson Sweet and W. C. Smith. Mrs. Greenwood succumbed at the home of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. L. S. Bilberry, two and one-half miles southeast of Memphis at 8 o'clock Saturday morning. She came to Memphis with her parents in January 1940 and was married to R. L. Greenwood in November of the same year. She leaves one child, an eight-month-old boy. Besides her parents, husband and small son, she is survived by four sisters, Mrs. Lela Dobbs of Brownwood, Mrs. Letha Houston of Sherman, Leona and Bonnie Fay Bilberry of Memphis; two brothers, Henry and L. D. Bilberry, both of Memphis.

## 19 Men Leave for Service in Army

A group of 19 Hall County young men who took physical examinations for Army induction at Lubbock November 12, left here Monday to report for active duty at Fort Sill, Okla. They were allowed a 10-day furlough after induction. Allen Dunbar was in charge of the group. Others were Marvin Stephens, Jessie E. Bumpass, Eugene Gibson, Oscar T. Gerlach, Willie J. Hale, Jasper R. Browder, Charles E. Plummer, Oris Glen Wheeler, James A. Kirkland, Thomas L. Colvin, Jesse Walte Webster, William F. Maddox, William C. Rozell, Gabe W. Thompson, Robert W. Sexauer, Lee O'Neal Davis, Charlie G. White, William Artist Whitten.

## FARMERS ELECT AAA OFFICIALS FOR COUNTY

James B. Smith Is Elected as County Chairman for 1943

James B. Smith of Lesley was elected chairman of the Hall County AAA committee for 1943. As a result of community and county elections in which farmers voted from November 12 to 14 inclusive, Arthur Eddleman of Estelline was elected vice chairman and John A. Fuston of Turkey regular member. Mark Lane of Turkey was chosen first alternate member and Henry Moore of Lakeview, second alternate.

This committee will be actively in charge of the carrying out of the agricultural program in Hall County during 1943. Delegates to the county meeting and community committees were elected in six communities on November 12 and 13. The delegates met Saturday afternoon in the office of the county agent in the court house and named the county committee.

Results of community AAA elections are announced by County Agent Hooser as follows: Estelline: Finis Edwards, chairman of committee; John Berryman, vice chairman; M. A. Barron, member; Pete Davis and John W. Ewing, alternate members. C. L. Sloan, delegate to the county meeting; Joe Eddins, alternate.

Turkey: Joe Beeman, chairman; Herbert Geisler, vice chairman; Otho Arnold, member; Alga Turner, alternate. John A. Fuston delegate; Joe Beeman, alternate.

Memphis: Doc Messick, chairman; Lee M. Thornton, vice chairman; Eugene McElreath, member; Emmett W. Solomon, and W. B. McQueen, alternates. Wm. H. Monzingo, delegate; Gerald McDaniel, alternate.

Plaska: W. E. Murdock, chairman; J. A. Hutchinson, vice chairman; H. C. Crawford, member; James F. Dennis and Luther Nabers, alternates. W. E. Murdock delegate; Thomas J. Spry, alternate.

Lakeview: Henry Moore, chairman; Glenn Verden, vice chairman; Leo Hendrickson, member; John L. Burnett and Jack Stafford, alternates. Henry Moore delegate; John L. Burnett, alternate.

Lesley: Fay Berry, chairman; C. A. Hightower, vice chairman; Malcolm Kennard and Clifton E. Burnett, alternates. Paul Montgomery, delegate; Clyde Fowler alternate.

World War I Soldier Buried With Military Services in Estelline Cemetery, Nov. 19

Funeral rites for Henry Chester Gilley, 53 years old, an early day resident of Hall County, were conducted Thursday afternoon, November 19, from the First Baptist Church at Pampa by Rev. Douglas Carver, assisted by Rev. Paul Briggs.

Burial was at Estelline, with graveside services by Rev. Briggs and military rites by members of the Pampa American Legion post. The body was brought overland by Dunkle-Carmichael Funeral Home of Pampa.

Mr. Gilley died November 17 in the Veterans Hospital at Amarillo, where he had been a patient since September 10. He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Edgar Smith of San Antonio, and a sister, Mrs. Belle Barrett, of Pampa. He was a nephew of H. M. White of Estelline.

Deceased was a veteran of World War I. He first came to Newlin in 1901. From 1920 until 1925 he resided in Memphis and was a cotton buyer. Later he

## Cotton Producers Will Ballot on Marketing Quotas December 12

## Thanksgiving Prayer



We are thankful, O Lord, for a land of civil and religious liberty in which Christian civilization has made the greatest advancement the world has ever known.

We are thankful, O Lord, for the glorious achievements of our Revolutionary fathers in throwing off the yoke of arbitrary rule and bequeathing unto us a government of laws enacted by the people.

We are thankful, O Lord, for the men and women whom you have given us in this fair land of Texas; those of sound minds, great hearts, true faith and ready hands; those whom the lust of office does not kill; those whom the spoils of office will not buy; those who possess opinions and a will; those who have honor, those who do not lie; sun-crowned, who live above the fog in public duty and in private thinking.

We are thankful, O Lord, that citizens of such character will remember that the perpetuity and prosperity of a republican form of government depend upon the virtue and intelligence of the people.

We are thankful, O Lord, for the opportunities which have been afforded us by this government and under Your protecting care; and especially for the employment of individual enterprise in collective advancement.

—COKE R. STEVENSON, Governor of Texas

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## Help Needed in Red Cross Work

Ladies of Memphis and vicinity are reminded that working hours at the Red Cross rooms are as follows:

The sewing rooms are open from 2 to 5 p. m. on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Surgical dressings are being made Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays from 2 to 5 p. m. and on Thursday nights from 7:30 to 10 o'clock.

The work being done by the Red Cross chapter is vital. Especially is there a need for more workers in the surgical dressings division, according to Mrs. B. Webster, production chairman. All ladies who can possibly do so are urged to devote some time to Red Cross work.

## Students Heard on Program at Rotary

Several high school students provided entertainment at Rotary luncheon Tuesday. They were introduced by Supt. W. C. Davis.

Dale Hellman played two cornet solos, accompanied by Mary Helen Lindsey. James Chappell spoke on "Youth and the War." Miss Pauline Travis, Spanish class, gave two numbers, Spanish dance by Frances Gilreath, Hazel Ayers Betty Sue Crump, and Betty Jean Milam; "Praise the Lord and Pass the Ammunition," by Billie Frances Murdock, Doris Fowler and Betty Jean Milam.

Miss Imogene King is licensed as embalmer

Miss Imogene King, bookkeeper of the King Furniture and Undertaking, is now one of the few licensed women embalmers in the state. She received notice Tuesday morning that she had successfully passed the examination before the State Board of Examiners for Embalming.

Miss King went to Fort Worth last week to take the examination and returned home Friday.

## Lakeview-Memphis Grid Tilt Feature for Thanksgiving

Majority of Business Firms of City Will Close Doors for Annual Turkey Holiday

The Lakeview Eagles will invade Memphis Thursday night for a Thanksgiving gridiron encounter which will probably be the final game of the season for the Memphis Cyclone. As the game will be a holiday highlight, and since Lakeview is so close, a large attendance is expected.

Although the Cyclone, on the basis of records, is favored to win, there is no predicting the outcome of a game in which the two Hall County rivals clash.

The game will start at 8:15 p. m. The majority of Memphis business firms, including the two banks, dry goods stores, utilities office, cleaning plants, etc. will be closed throughout the day. It is indicated that grocery stores and drug stores will close around 11 a. m. for the rest of the day. The postoffice, however, will remain open, according to Postmaster J. H. Vallance.

## Two Missionaries Featured Speakers Methodist Session

Missionary Institute and Pastors Meeting Will Be Held in Memphis Friday

Two returned missionaries who have spent years in their respective foreign fields will be featured speakers Friday at an all-day pastors' meeting and missionary institute of the Clarendon district, to be held at the First Methodist Church here, it is announced by Rev. E. L. Yeats.

Dr. Sam Hilburn, who was reared in this section, returned from Japan just before war broke out. He spent 20 years in the islands and knows the country and its people as but few people do. In addition, he is a forceful and interesting speaker.

Mrs. J. C. Pace, who for a similar period of time served as a missionary in India, will have an interesting message on that country, which has lately been much in the news.

The meeting will be opened at 10 o'clock Friday morning and dinner will be served at noon at the church basement by the ladies of the W. S. C. S.

Rev. G. T. Palmer of Clarendon, district superintendent, announces that the afternoon meeting will be given over to the Women's Society of Christian Service work and to the planning of the year's work for churches of the district by pastors and stewards.

Rev. O. W. Carter, missionary secretary of the Northwest Texas Conference, will attend and direct the missionary program of the meeting.

## Colorado Minister Holds Service Here

Rev. M. L. Latham of Ackley, Colo., preached at the morning worship hour at the First Presbyterian Church to a good attendance.

Rev. Latham was en route to his home after a visit with his son, who is in Army camp at Gainesville, and was prevailed upon to conduct services for the local organization. He met many Memphis people while in the city Saturday and Sunday.

Infant son of Lelia Lake couple succumbs

Johnnie J. Butler, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Butler of Lelia Lake and grandson of Justice of the Peace J. M. Butler of Estelline, died in a hospital at Clarendon Thursday, November 19, at 5 p. m.

Cotton farmers throughout the southern states will vote Saturday, December 12, on whether they want marketing quotas for the 1943 cotton crop. All farmers who produced cotton in 1942 are eligible to vote in the referendum.

Balloting in Hall County will be conducted in the following communities, in charge of the committeemen named:

Brice, at school house, C. A. Hightower; Deeplake, at school house, H. M. Holcomb; Lesley, at gin, Fay Berry; Lakeview, at First National Bank, Glen Verden and Henry Moore; Eli, at gin, Leo Hendrickson and R. A. Hutchins; Plaska, at Foster store, W. E. Murdock and H. A. Crawford; Memphis, at court house, L. M. Thornton and Eugene McElreath; Newlin, at gin, Doc Messick; Estelline, at gin, R. A. Eddleman; Hulver, at gin, Finas Edwards; Parnell, at gin, John Berryman; Baylor, Marvin A. Barron; Weathely, at gin, S. S. Coleman; Turkey, at John Sharp's office, J. C. Beeman, Herbert Geisler, Otho Arnold and John Funston.

The referendum in Hall County will be under the general supervision of the County AAA committee, of which James B. Smith is chairman, E. A. Eddleman and John A. Fuston are members. W. B. Hooser is ex-officio member, and Millard P. Brown is secretary.

Cotton producers have used marketing quotas, authorized under the Agricultural Adjustment Act, for the last five seasons in conjunction with the Agricultural Conservation program. This year with war raging throughout the world, cotton farmers will vote under critical conditions.

Secretary of Agriculture Wickard has proclaimed marketing will not be in effect unless two-thirds of the cotton farmers voting by secret ballot give their approval.

The 1943 marketing quota for a farm, if adopted by the producers, will be the cotton acreage allotment multiplied by the actual or normal yield, whichever is larger plus any carry-over cotton which could have been marketed without penalty in 1942. The farmer may sell an amount of cotton equal to the farm marketing quota. As in previous years, a farmer who plants within his 1943 acreage allotment may sell without penalty all the cotton he produces.

If the quotas are adopted, AAA officials point out, producers who plant within their acreage allotment will be eligible for any loans made available through the Commodity Credit Corporation. Producers who knowingly overplant their allotment will not receive loans except on 1942 cotton in excess of the cotton marketing quota—and then only 60 per cent of the rate of other producers. If the production is within the allotment, then the farmer will be allowed to sell all of the cotton he produces without penalty.

Should the quotas not be voted, no restrictions will be placed on the amount of cotton a farmer

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## CLAUDE'S Comments

HAPPY BIRTHDAY— Louise Helm, Nov. 19.

Pvt. J. C. Monroe, Nov. 21. Mary Jones, Colleen Abernathy, Mrs. Alvis Yarbrough, Nov. 22.

Ima Dean Gardenhire and Anita Kay Dunlap, both of Estelline, Nov. 23.

Billie Morgan Salmon, Mrs. Howard Yarbrough, Nov. 25. Mrs. C. C. Fowler, Nov. 26.

Charles Lee Gardenhire, Estelline, Nov. 28. H. B. Gilmore, Jr., Nov. 29.

CONGRATULATIONS— Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wrenn, who celebrated their 49th wedding anniversary Sunday, November 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Wood, 4th wedding anniversary Monday, November 23.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Gilmore, 21st wedding anniversary November 26. Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Wyatt, who celebrate their wedding anniversary, Mrs. Wyatt's birthday, and Thanksgiving all the same day, November 26.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hodges, wedding anniversary Nov. 28.



HALL COUNTY'S CLUB REPORTS— WEDDINGS

# Society News

## Marriage of Miss Charlyne Drake to Sgt. Tinsley Told

Miss Charlyne Drake, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Drake, became the bride of Staff Sgt. Albert Tinsley Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tinsley of Greenville, S. C., on Thursday, November 5, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Dr. A. D. Foreman officiated at the parsonage of the First Baptist Church in Amarillo.

Attending the couple was Miss Dora Mae Richards of Amarillo.

The bride wore a green and beige wool suit with brown accessories.

Mrs. Tinsley is a graduate of Memphis high school and received her nurse's training in Plainview at the Plainview Clinic and in Fort Worth. She is employed at the Pantex Ordnance plant in Amarillo.

The bridegroom received his education in Dublin, Ga., and is now stationed at Sheppard Field at Wichita Falls. The couple will make their home in Wichita Falls after December 1.

## Pupils of Mrs. Conley Ward in Piano Recital

Mrs. Conley Ward presented her music pupils in a recital last week. One group played Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock and the other group played Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The following appeared on the program: Sue Lynn Guthrie, Mary Ruth Anderson, Laura Mai Hightower, Clara Jo Hayes, Edith Jo Beckett, Do Neta Chamberlain, Sallie Foreman, La Verne Orr, Larry McQueen, Ila Sue Davis, Gladys Bownds, Jimmie Bownds, Gloria Virginia Howard, Edith Compton, Zora Mae Sweat, Ray Nell Foster, Margaret Ann Wattenbarger, Loretta Morris, Elizabeth Grundy, Shirley Dorcas Foster, Gerita Gail Graham, Anita Johnson, Roddy Lynn Patton, and Mrs. Olson Sweat.

The parents of the pupils were guests.

## Baptist Women Meet at Church Monday Afternoon

The Baptist W. M. U. met Monday afternoon at the church. "In Thine Oh Lord" was sung by the group, and Mrs. J. W. Goodell led in prayer. Mrs. D. A. Grundy reviewed, "If Two Agree."

Mrs. G. H. Hattenbach gave the Personal Service report. The Benevolence report was given by Mrs. W. Wilson. Mrs. W. Wilson closed with prayer.

Those present were Mrs. Joe Weathersbee, Mrs. Mort Lynch, Mrs. George Hattenbach, Mrs. J. S. Forkner, Mrs. Mack Graham, Mrs. L. O. Dennis, Mrs. Jack Boone, Mrs. Sam Hamilton, Mrs. J. W. Goodell, Mrs. L. G. Rasco, Mrs. George Cullin, Mrs. D. A. Grundy, Mrs. Bud Godfrey, Mrs. J. H. Smith, Mrs. Claud Johnson, Mrs. H. B. Gilmore, Mrs. W. Wilson and Mrs. John Barber.

## Quilting Bee and Luncheon Enjoyed By T. E. L. Class

The T. E. L. Sunday school class of the First Baptist Church met in the annex on Friday for an all-day quilting and a covered dish luncheon.

After lunch, a business session was held with Mrs. L. M. Thornton presiding. Mrs. J. W. Fitzjarrald gave the devotional on patriotism and peace, reading from Isaiah 62-1 and Psalms 34:14, and a poem by Edgar A. Guest, Mrs. Chas. Owen led in prayer. The class sang "America." Mrs. A. Baldwin prayed and the session closed with the class singing "God Be With You till We Meet Again."

Members present were: Mrs. J. W. Fitzjarrald, Mrs. L. M. Thornton, Mrs. W. Wilson, Mrs. Mat Lane, Mrs. C. W. Crawford, Mrs. G. H. Hattenbach, Mrs. R. C. Walker, Mrs. S. T. Harrison, Mrs. T. T. Loard, Mrs. Chas. Drake, Mrs. J. C. Wells, Mrs. John Barber, Mrs. J. H. Smith, Mrs. W. B. Scott, Mrs. A. M. Wyatt, Mrs. H. H. Wherry, Mrs. J. R. Harrell, Mrs. Isabelle Cypert, Mrs. Joe Weathersbee, and Mrs. W. E. Hill of Amarillo, who was home for a visit.

## Locals and Personals

Mrs. Mary Newberry visited last week-end in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Messer and son Corp. Carl Messer of Camp Barkeley visited last week-end in Amarillo with relatives.

## Serviceable Gifts for Service Men



No matter what branch of the service "he" is in, or even if he is still available on the home front, chill wintry blasts require woollens for warmth—and knitted scarfs, gloves and socks will surely make welcome gifts. If you have knitted them yourself, they will be doubly appreciated because a gift which has been "specially made" by you will have a special appeal for him. Use sturdy knitting worsted because it is serviceable, smart, comfortable and warm. The smooth fitting scarf is strategically ribbed to eliminate any bulkiness at the neck. Directions for knitting these designs may be obtained by sending a stamped, self-addressed envelope to the Needlework Department of this paper, specifying design No. S-107.



The following designs may be obtained by sending a stamped, self-addressed envelope to the Needlework Department of this paper, specifying design No. S-107.

## Former Memphis Girl Marries Army Officer in Ceremony at Fort Sill, Okla.

In a single ring ceremony in the Post Chapel at Fort Sill, Okla., Miss Frances Finch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Finch of Morton, became the bride of Captain Jeff G. Ray, son of Mrs. J. C. Ray of Oklahoma City, on Friday last week.

The pre-nuptial music was played by Corp. Chas. B. Moore, organist. The selections played were "Ah Sweet Mystery of Life," Schubert's "Serenade," "Because" and "Indian Love Call." Pfc. David Gish sang, "At Dawning" and "I Love You Truly." "Liebestraum" was played softly during the ceremony. The traditional wedding marches were played.

The vows were read by Chaplain Rex Kendall before the candle-lighted altar and an arrangement of white chrysanthemum and pompons. The cathedral candles were lighted in two seven branched candelabras behind the altar arrangement.

The matron of honor was Mrs. Malouf Abraham of Canadian. She wore a fur trimmed brown costume suit with light blue blouse and hat and a corsage of yellow rose buds. Captain George Kufapp of Fort Sill attended the groom.

The bride's mother wore a black velvet dress with beige trim and matching accessories. Her corsage was of orchids.

The groom's mother wore a black crepe dress, trimmed with sequins and a corsage of orchids.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, selected for her ensemble a black velvet street length dress with a bodice of R. A. F. blue chantilly lace. Her accessories were black and blue. She wore an off-the-face black velvet hat, faced with R. A. F. blue and her shoulder corsage was of pink rosebuds and bouvardia.

For something old, she wore a diamond pin worn by her grandmother on her honeymoon; for something borrowed, she carried a compact of a girl friend, for something blue, she carried a handkerchief edged in blue.

After the wedding a reception was held at the Post and the national colors, red, white and blue, were used in the color scheme. The five-tiered wedding cake, topped by a miniature bride and groom was cut by the bride with a sabre in true military tradition.

The couple left for a trip to Dallas and other Texas points. For travel, Mrs. Ray wore a black tailored suit with white satin blouse and black accessories.

Mrs. Ray, formerly of Memphis, is a graduate of Dalhart high school and of Texas Tech at Lubbock. Since her graduation, she has held several government positions. She is a member of Beta Sigma Phi, national business and social sorority.

Captain Ray is a graduate of Oklahoma City high school and of Oklahoma University, where he was cadet Colonel of the R. O. T. C. in his senior year. He is a member of Sigma Chi fraternity and of Tau Beta Pi, engineering fraternity. He was called to duty in December 1941 and since that

## Former Memphis Girl Marries at Madera, Calif.

Miss Neta Belle Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Jones formerly of Memphis, became the bride of Lindley Ira Underwood in the Central Avenue Church of Christ at Madera, Calif., on Sunday, November 15. William E. Irvine, pastor of the church, read the single ring ceremony.

The church was decorated with an arch of baby breath and chrysanthemums. Two large potted dahlias, with vases of mixed flowers, were arranged at the altar.

The bridal party entered to the "Bridal Chorus" from Lohengrin. The recessional was Mendelssohn's "Wedding March."

The bride of honor was Miss Soleta Jones, sister of the bride. She wore a dress of light blue wool with dark blue hat and accessories. Miss Imogene Mix, who was bride's maid, wore a brown wool dress with brown hat and accessories. Their corsages were of carnations.

Don Kelly, brother of the groom, was best man. Ushers were Herbert Hall, of Merced, and Carol Metcalf of Madera.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a soldier blue dressmaker suit, trimmed in fox fur. She wore a matching small veiled hat and gloves. Her corsage was of carnations.

Mrs. Underwood lived in Memphis the greater part of her life. She attended Memphis schools.

Mr. Underwood, son of Mrs. Guy Kelly, had been employed in Madera, at the Shebelut Chevrolet Company for five years until recently when he was transferred to Oakland.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the basement department of the church.

Immediately after the reception, the couple left for Oakland where they will make their home.

## FAMILY REUNION

A family reunion of the Finch family was held Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Tarver.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Finch of Dalhart, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Finch of Morton, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Finch of Hedley, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Finch of Dalhart, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Finch and son Gary of Dalhart, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Harrison and daughter Sharon, and Mr. and Mrs. Horace Tarver and son Don.

time has been stationed at Fort Sill.

Out of town guests for the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Finch of Dalhart, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Finch of Hedley, Mrs. J. C. Rasco of Oklahoma City, Mrs. Malouf Abraham and son of Canadian, Mrs. D. A. Witt of Canadian, and Mrs. Tom Elzey of Perryton.

## Miss Zell Stewart, Lee Carson Marry At Waurika, Okla.

Miss Zell Stewart became the bride of Cadet Lee Carson on Friday, November 13, at Waurika, Okla., with Rev. Thomas A. Fowler, Methodist minister, officiating.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Stewart of Sunset. She owns and operates Zell's Beauty Shop in Shamrock.

Cadet Carson was graduated last week from the Technical Training School at Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls. His home is in Wellington. He was employed here several years ago by Hanna-Pope and Stone's Department Store.

## Miss Lucille McCoy Weds Private J. T. Ables Last Friday

Miss Lucille McCoy became the bride of Pvt. Johnny E. Ables of Camp Carson, Colo., on Friday of last week. Richard Robbins, Church of Christ minister, read the ceremony at the church.

Mrs. Ables is the daughter of Mrs. Stanley Hefley. She is a graduate of Memphis high school.

Private Ables is the son of Mrs. J. T. Ables and is in the U. S. Army stationed at Camp Carson. He left Tuesday for Colorado and Mrs. Ables will remain here indefinitely.

## Locals and Personals

Mrs. Lydia Robertson of Las Vegas, Calif., came Friday for a visit with her son, Bill, who returned home with her.

L. L. Doss, who is employed in with his wife and son. He also attended the Memphis-Wellington football game in Wellington Friday night.

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CONSIDER the pleasure and economy of making many of your Christmas gifts. Luxury items have become increasingly hard-to-find, but the feminine heart still responds to "something lovely to wear". Crocheted jewelry is new, inexpensive and easy to make. Three shades of heavy cotton yarn are used for the matching set of necklace, bracelet and belt. Cotton yarn is also used for the slippers which are gay and pretty as well as comfortable and cozy. Directions for crocheting the jewelry and slippers may be obtained by sending a stamped, self-addressed envelope to the Needlework Department of this paper, specifying design No. 2106.

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## BETTY JANE HESS



Betty Jane Hess, one of New York's best known models, will shortly leave for Hollywood to appear in "Cover Girls of 1942." Columbia's new picture. Betty Jane, shown above with flowers telegraphed from Ireland by her soldier-sweetheart, was chosen as the cover girl for Cosmopolitan Magazine and is now discussing contracts with the picture moguls.

## Miss Nina Roge And Jack Martin Wed November

Miss Nina Levelle Roge and Private Jack L. Martin were married Thursday, November 19, at Fort Smith, Ark.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rogers of Rock, Ark.

Private Martin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Martin of Memphis. He is stationed at Camp Carson, Okla.

The couple will make their home in Braggs, Okla., indefinitely.

## Officers Elected By W. S. C. S. Meeting Monday

The Methodist W. S. C. S. met at 3 o'clock for a business meeting Monday afternoon.

The president, Mrs. H. H. man, was in charge.

Friend We Have In Jesus prayer, Rev. E. L. Yeats a message in regard to study that is to be held church conducted by Rev. Henson.

The following officers were elected for the new year: A. Neely, president; M. Hicks, vice president; Mrs. Newman, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Myrtle Phelan, secretary; Mrs. I. W. Glosson, secretary; Mrs. E. S. Foote, Christian service; Mrs. A. B. Jones, church activities; Mrs. M. A. S. Moss, student work; L. Barnes, children's work; N. A. Hightower, literature; Mrs. T. J. E. supplies; Mrs. J. E. E. Ruppel, life; Mrs. Bruce Webb, fellowship; Mrs. Bess Crumley and printing; and M. Webster, sunshine.

Members present were Myrtle Phelan, Mrs. E. E. Mrs. C. W. Broome, Mrs. Fultz, Mrs. I. W. Glosson, D. L. Johnson, Mrs. T. D. Mrs. A. C. Hoffman, Sam Brown, Mrs. Percy Mrs. H. H. Newman, Mrs. Yeats, Mrs. C. R. Webb, J. A. Kutch and Mrs. Webster.

The next meeting will be Monday, November 30, at 3 o'clock.

## DORCAS SOCIETY ANNOUNCEMENT

The Dorcas Society met at one o'clock Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Johnson, 203 18th Street, announced by Mrs. Frank

## WOMEN AT

Margaret turned off the vacuum cleaner straightened the slipcover armchair and the daybed had pushed up to go over the door and looked at the bedroom with its southern air. It was as neat and as al as a pin. It might have been lived in. The door open on the clean, bare room was not a picture, not even as an artistic composition. Margaret started walking slowly, mused, mattered lodgers with their own and pictures might occupy would always see it there. It was the old way that it was. A pair of harem pants lay on the floor. The ball hats were stacked with red in the corner. A red cap with a letter on the bed. And through the though it were transparent, Margaret saw another bed, and with high slatted legs, and went down to the sitting-room. She fifteen dollars rent that lodger had paid that advance for the room, to it, from her purse. Then she drew out a dollar and seventy-five cents. Then she drew out a dollar and seventy-five cents. "To buy a bond to help young man to replace killed on June 6th in Midway."

Help our boys. Make the wage earner of the nation a payroll savior. Buy a bond that will help our boys. Buy a bond that will help our boys. Buy a bond that will help our boys.



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Let Us Be Thankful . . . In spite of the fact that there is sorrow and trouble the world over and many of our hearts are heavy by the absence of loved ones, who are in the mighty conflict, some who have given their lives and others who are missing, let us as Americans bow our heads in human gratitude to our Heavenly Father on this another Thanksgiving Day for His goodness and mercy to us as a nation, and especially should we in Hall County be thankful for this bountiful harvest we are gathering. Thankful that we have plenty to eat and our bins are full for the winter thankful for all the clothes we need to wear and warmth in our homes, and that we can go to the house of God without fear, and all the other blessings we enjoy, we thank God Thee Lord. Cold Snap Brings Lowest Temperature of Season After several days of unusually warm weather last week, when it seemed that summer was about to return, a cold norther accompanied by a sandstorm brought a sharp change in temperature Friday afternoon, followed by the hardest freeze of the season, killing most of the vegetation. Farmers here welcomed this cold snap which will help mature the green feedstuff.

Peachy-Harper Marriage At Muleshoe Miss Betty Jean Peachy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Peachy of Sudan, became the bride of Roy Lee Harper in a quiet single-ring ceremony at the Methodist parsonage in Muleshoe Friday afternoon November 13 at 3 o'clock. The bride was lovely in a soldier blue two-piece suit of wool jersey with accessories of black. Mrs. Harper graduated with the class of '42 of the Sudan high school and attended business college in Lubbock. Mr. Harper is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Felton Harper of Sudan, and a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Harper and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Glover. They formerly lived here. The young couple went to Wichita, Kansas, on their wedding trip and visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday. They will be at home in Lubbock after this week.

To Relieve Misery of COLDS Take 666 LIQUID TABLETS, SALVE, NOSE DROPS

Captain Lawrence Here Captain and Mrs. O. B. Lawrence are here this week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Lawrence. Captain Lawrence is an instructor in Officers School in Camp Roberts, Calif. They plan to visit here until Friday.

Alman A. Kinard in Marlin Alman A. Kinard left here last week for a few weeks treatment in Marlin, Texas. Mr. Kinard has been ill for the past few months.

Miss Billie Jean Burnett of Plainview is here spending the week with Marjorie Hemphill and Lillian Nelson. She is attending business school in Plainview. Mrs. Bess Pigford of Childers visited here and attended to business Monday. Mrs. Mary Walker Reeves of near Clarendon spent the week-end with her daughter Miss Isabelle Walker here.

Mrs. Theodore Perry and children of Dalhart are here visiting her sister, Mrs. John McWhorter and Mrs. Lon Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Rogers of Amarillo visited his parents here last week.

INDIAN CREEK By MRS. NORA VANDEVENTER Gertie White visited Ruby Gardenhire at Memphis last week-end. Mrs. J. W. Smith and son Artist visited Saturday night in the Cecil Whitten home. Claudia Vandeventer spent the week-end with her parents. Artist Whitten was among those who went to Lubbock Monday to join the armed forces. Dr. and Mrs. McAbee and two children of Memphis spent Sunday visiting her mother, Mrs. J. W. Smith. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Watson, Mrs. W. W. Boren and Elmer Jr. and Bernie Paul were Sunday guests in the Claude Vandeventer home.

Mrs. Horace Noble of Plainview came today after her son Allen, who has been visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Lindsey.

PLEASANT VALLEY

By MRS. E. W. PATE Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lowe spent the week-end in Wichita Falls, visiting their son and family. Sonnie Crawford visited his parents and other relatives this week. Mr. and Mrs. Reams Wakefield of Gainesville spent the week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Crawford and family. Forrest Anderson of Amarillo visited his mother, Mrs. A. D. Newby. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur France and son will return to their home in Casper, Wyo., this week. Mrs. Willie Benton and children spent Thursday with Mrs. Leroy Pate. Mrs. O. S. Morten of Hedley and Mrs. Sonnie Mark of California visited Mrs. Leroy Pate Thursday.

ELI By VALDA SMITH Mrs. Linnie Williams and son Charlie are visiting several days in Amarillo with her son, Joe Williams and family. C. E. Nall and James Smith visited in the Willie Smith home Sunday afternoon. Billy Nelson visited briefly in the home of his parents on Thursday of last week. He was en route from Fort Sill, Okla., to a camp in New Mexico. Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stargel visited several days last week in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Y. Z. Smith and grandson Buster visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith Sunday afternoon. Corp. Robert Moss of Oklahoma City has been visiting his wife and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Moss and family. He has been on a 15-day furlough. School was dismissed Thursday and Friday as Mrs. Offhalter was in charge of gas registration.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy R. Fultz visited last week-end in Wichita Falls on business. They also visited in Fort Worth with their son James and daughter Bettye, students in T. C. U.

Locals and Personals

Raymond Ballew left Monday for a business trip to Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cornelius and two daughters of Amarillo, formerly of Memphis, visited last week-end with her mother, Mrs. Grace Duke. Charles Weisenburg of Tulsa came Sunday after his wife and daughter Lugay who have been visiting here with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Boren. They returned to Tulsa Monday. Mrs. J. B. Smith and Mrs. C. J. Bright of Vernon visited last week-end with Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCulloch. Mrs. McCulloch and Mrs. Bright are sisters. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garrett and daughter Mary Frank and Mrs. T. J. Hampton visited Sunday in Lubbock with Mrs. Hampton's son, Hubert Maddox and family. Mrs. B. Campbell and children of Bennington, Okla., visited Thursday and Friday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Gardner. Miss Mildred Baker of Estelline visited last week-end here with Miss Mary Jones. Miss Ruth Stice visited last week-end in Bushland with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Stice. Miss Colleen Baker left Wednesday for Childers where she will be employed at the Reid B. Scott drug store.

Get Your Grip in the Scrap—CARD OF THANKS We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation from the depth of our hearts to our many friends for their kind words of sympathy and loving deeds, in the death of our beloved husband and father. Troubles and trials some time in life must come to us all, and when that time comes to you, we pray that each of you may be shown the same love and kindness by such friends. Especially do we thank those who contributed to the many beautiful floral offerings. May God bless each one.

Mrs. J. T. Ables Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Ables Pvt. and Mrs. Lonnie Ables Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Adams and Family Pvt. Johnnie Ables Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Taylor and Family.

WANT-AD Section

For Rent

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment and garage. Mrs. R. C. Walker. 1p FOR RENT—Well furnished duplex apartment. 601 So. 7th street. 24-tfc FOR RENT—Two room unfurnished apartment. 1021 Brice, Phone 359J. 1c FOR RENT—Bedroom. Call 322M or 266J. Mrs. J. C. Lamb. 24-3c FOR RENT—Furnished apartment. 1017 West Brice. Mrs. K. Hardy. 22-3p

For Sale

FOR SALE—Hegira bundles would trade for yearlings. A. S. Bevers, Lakeview. 1p FOR SALE—240 acres of good farm land located 5 miles northwest of Lakeview; two sets of improvements, good water. See W. L. Durham, Lakeview, Tex. 24-7p FOR SALE—1938 Plymouth pickup, or will trade for cows. L. A. Stilwell, Route 2, Memphis. 23-2i FOR SALE—Six-foot Leonard electric refrigerator, good as new. Finas Edwards, Estelline. 23-3p FOR SALE—560 acres, 2 1/2 miles of Hedley; 2 sets improvements. Address 1620 Pierce Street, Amarillo, Texas. 22-4j FOR SALE—160 acres fine farming land, 150 in cultivation, 3-room house, outbuildings, good water, 11 miles southwest of Dimmit, 4 miles from Flag; 50 acres wheat looks good. See M. T. Hubbard at Eli Gin, or write Rt. 2, Lakeview. 24-3p FOR SALE—DeLaval cream separator, Junior 400. See J. L. Wallace. 23-3p

Help Wanted

HELP WANTED—Excellent opportunity now open for progressive person to take over established Watkins route in Memphis. No car or investment necessary. Write J. R. Watkins Co., 82 W. Iowa Ave., Memphis, Tenn. 24-2p

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WANTED—To buy a one-car garage—Treadle Singer Sewing machine, round bobbin. See or write David Hudgins, Rt. 1, Lakeview, Texas. 24-3p WANTED—Sewing. Mrs. A. G. Raseo, North 13th and Brunley St. 24-3p WANTED—Will pay cash for good used cars. Potts Chevrolet. 23-3c WANTED TO BUY—Four-room house. See H. J. Orand at 416 Bradford. 22-3j WANTED—Clean, cotton rag, free of buttons. Democrat office. dh

Special Notice

FREE—If excess acid causes you pains of Stomach Ulcers, Indigestion, Heartburn, Belching Bloating, Nausea, Gas Pains, get free sample Udga at Meacham's Pharmacy. 22-15p NOTICE—Will the party who got the wrong bundle of clothes at South Side Barber Shop please return it and get his. C. W. McCool. 1c DON'T GUESS at postage. Save

Legal Notice

NOTICE OF SHERIFFS By virtue of a judgment of the County Court of Hall County, Texas, in a proceeding No. 3785 on the Criminal District Court, and styled The State of Texas vs. George T. and dated November 12th, 1942, I will proceed to sell, at auction, within the hours prescribed by law for the personal property, on the 27th of December, 1942, at the house door in Hall County, the following described property, to-wit: 1 1937-46 Buick Coupe, motor No. 43275627, 1942 License No. 545-936. Said sale to be held pursuant to the provisions of Art. 10, Penal Code of Texas, and lienholders are given notice to establish their rights, if any, in accordance with law. Done this November 12, 1942. W. C. Anderson Sheriff, Hall County

WEEK-END SPECIALS These Prices Good for Rest of Week FLOUR, Light Crust, 12 lbs. . . . 61c; 24 lbs. . . . \$1.07 SNOWDRIFT or CRISCO, 3 pounds. 79c; 6 lbs. . . . \$1.57 MILK, 3 large or 6 small cans . . . . . 28c BAKING POWDER, Calumet, 1-pound cans . . . . . 18c CAKE FLOUR, Swans Down or Snosheen, box . . . . . 26c CRACKERS, 2-pound box, Saltines . . . . . 32c SOAP, P & G or Crystal White, 6 large bars . . . . . 28c SOAP, Camay or Palmolive, 3 bars . . . . . 23c SOAP, Ivory, med. bars, 2 for . . . . . 15c; lg. bars, 2 for . . . . . 23c DUZ or MAGIC WASHER, per box . . . . . 25c HYPRO, quart bottles . . . . . 18c OLD DUTCH CLEANSER, 2 cans . . . . . 17c MIRACLE WHIP, pints . . . . . 26c; quarts . . . . . 41c POP CORN, Popit, 2 boxes . . . . . 17c SPAGHETTI or MACARONI, 2 boxes . . . . . 7c POST'S BRAN or Grape-Nuts Flakes, box . . . . . 10c WHEATIES, 2 boxes . . . . . 23c OATS, Mother's, all kinds, per box . . . . . 31c TOILET PAPER, Scot Tissue, 3 rolls . . . . . 23c PAPER TOWELS, Genuine Scot, 2 rolls . . . . . 23c SPINACH, Heart's Delight, No. 2 cans, 2 for . . . . . 29c GREEN BEANS, Wapco, No. 2 cans . . . . . 14c ENGLISH PEAS, White Swan, sm. cans, 2 for . . . . . 25c large cans . . . . . 17c ENGLISH PEAS, 2 med. cans, Kumer's or Empsons 29c TOMATOES, No. 2 cans, 2 for . . . . . 23c CORN ON THE COB, 4 ears . . . . . 19c BLACKBERRIES, No. 2 cans . . . . . 14c PUMPKIN, No. 2 can . . . . . 10c; No. 2 1/2 can . . . . . 15c FRUIT COCKTAIL, 2 cans . . . . . 33c SALMON, best pink, can . . . . . 25c SPUDS, 5 pounds . . . . . 18c; peck . . . . . 49c SWEET POTATOES, East Texas, 5 pounds . . . . . 23c GRAPEFRUIT, large Texas, 6 for . . . . . 23c LEMONS, nice size, dozen . . . . . 23c ORANGES, Texas, nice size, dozen . . . . . 25c GRAPES, California Red Emperors, pound . . . . . 14c CRANBERRIES, per quart . . . . . 22c PEANUTS, parched or raw, pound . . . . . 18c PECANS, large, thin shell, pound . . . . . 35c CABBAGE, hard heads, pound . . . . . 3c TURNIPS, bulk, Purple Top, pound . . . . . 4c GREEN BEANS, new Texas, pound . . . . . 12c SQUASH, white or yellow, pound . . . . . 9c Prompt, Courteous Service at All Times CITY GROCERY & MARKET Phone 463-160 J. E. ROPER WE DELIVER

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**NEWS about boys in the Service**

Harry Boswell of the U. S. Navy, stationed at the Great Lakes Training Station, Chicago Ill., came Thursday for a visit here with his wife and his mother, Mrs. Alla Boswell. He is a gunner on a Navy plane.

Pfc. Clarence Maddox of Camp Barkeley, Abilene, left Wednesday last week-end with his mother Mrs. L. J. Maddox.

Corp. Carl Messer of Camp Barkeley, Abilene, left Wednesday after a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Messer.

Corporal R. E. Martin of Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., came Thursday of last week for a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Matrin. He is in the Army band.

Hildon Lindsey and Bill Brown left last week for Amarillo where they will continue their Civilian Pilot Training. They received their basic training at the Canyon flying school.

Pvt. Lester Grimes, Air Force mechanic, stationed at the Lubbock Flying School, visited last week-end here with his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Grimes.

Pfc. Earl Robertson and Sgt. Sam Rambo of Amarillo visited last week-end here with Robertson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Robertson.

Corp. Don Leary of the U. S. Army stationed near Needles Calif., left Tuesday after a visit here with friends and Estelline where he visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Leary.

**Locals and Personals**

Corp. A. W. Rasco of Fort Bliss, El Paso is here for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Rasco. Corp. Rasco has recently passed examination for flying cadet course and will soon be transferred to a California camp for training.

Pvt. Happy Johnson left Monday for Waycross, Ga., after a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Porter Johnson.

Pvt. Hughie Crowder, 61st Air Base Sq., Cochran Field, Macon Ga.

Sgt. and Mrs. Jay Bruce and Mrs. O. L. Helm of Alexandria, La., came Tuesday night for a visit with relatives Sergeant and Mrs. Bruce will visit with her father, M. J. Draper, and Sergeant and Mrs. Helm will visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Selby. Sergeants Helm and Bruce are stationed at Camp Claiborne, Alexandria.

Pvt. and Mrs. Herman Vallance came Friday from Illinois for a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Vallance. He is stationed at Chanute Field.

Word was received Tuesday morning by Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Melton that their son William Floyd Melton, Seaman first class, of the U. S. Navy, who had been ill for several days, and transferred to the U. S. Navy hospital at Corona, Calif., had been transferred back to the U. S. T. S. at Los Angeles.

**ADDRESSES**

Aviation Cadet Jerrel B. Rapp U. S. N. R., Class 9A, 42 Co., Cadet Regt., U. S. Naval Air Station, Corpus Christi, Texas.

Aviation Cadet Billie Polk Hall U. S. N. R., Class 9B, 42 Co. C., Cadet Regt., U. S. Naval Air Station, Corpus Christi, Texas.

*Answer Bombs with Bonds—*

N. A. Hightower went to Dallas Friday to spend the week-end with his brother, R. C. Hightower, who is convalescing in Baylor hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Wills of Tulsa, Okla., visited Thursday and Friday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Weatherby. Mr. Wills is head director of the Bob Wills Texas Play Boys who broadcast from station KVOO, Tulsa.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett House of Wichita Falls spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Craig of Eli and Mr. and Mrs. Porter Johnson of near Lakeview.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Johnson went Monday to Amarillo to take his brother, Pvt. J. P. Johnson, who left for Waycross, Ga., where he is stationed in the army. Private Johnson spent a 10-day furlough near Lakeview with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Marion Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Finch of Morton visited relatives and friends here the past week-end.

J. N. Helm and daughter Louise of Amarillo spent Friday and Saturday here with relatives, Mrs. J. N. Helm returned to Amarillo with them for a visit.

Mrs. Claud Johnson returned Sunday from Stephenville where she visited with her parents.

Webb Brewer left Friday for Fort Worth here he has accepted a position as head bookkeeper at the Traders Oil Mill, one of the largest oil mills in Texas.

Mrs. Everett Bell and children have returned from Madera, Calif. where they were visiting Mrs. Bell's parents and other relatives.

Mrs. George Hammond left Tuesday for Portales, N. M., for a visit with her son, James Hammond and wife.

Mrs. Mary Bownds and Mrs. Allie D. Weaver visited Sunday in Childress.

Mrs. Carl Eudy visited last week end in Vernon with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Freeman. She visited with her son, Johnny Ben, who is visiting his grandparents.

Mrs. Cecil Guthrie returned Monday from Leesville, La., where she visited with her husband who is employed there.

Mrs. Jim Hill of Fort Worth came Saturday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. McElreath.

Ira Bevers Jr. of Sunray came Monday to visit for a week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Bevers of Lakeview.

Buster Morrison, Butler Morrison, Wilson Morrison, John Chapman, of Fort Worth, and J. D. Sims of Amarillo left Thursday for a deer hunt in the Davis mountains.

Mrs. J. S. Brookshire returned Monday from Burkburnett where she visited with her son, R. O. Brookshire and his family.

Miss Dorothy Browning of Dallas arrived Tuesday for a week's visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Browning.

Miss Tommye Noel returned Monday from Frederick, Okla. where she visited with her cousin, Mrs. Milton Thomason.



**Future Readers of The Democrat**

Mr. and Mrs. Don Atkins of Dodge City, Kan., are the parents of a girl born October 21. She has been named Donna Dee and weighed 3 pounds and 10 1-2 ounces. Mrs. Atkins is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Huckaby.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Kirkland are the parents of a girl born November 22. She has been named Joan.

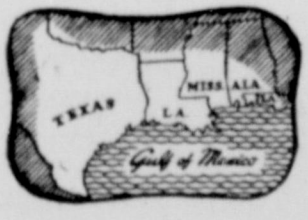
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hughes Jr. are the parents of a son born November 21. He weighed 6 1-2 pounds and has been named J. E. III.

**The Gulf South MEANS BUSINESS**

Gulf South skies are vibrant with the roar of motors. There is a quickened pace of industrial activity as airplanes, guns, ships and shells pour forth from huge assembly lines. Men in khaki and men in blue are everywhere. Civilian Defense classes have waiting lists. War Bond drives exceed quotas.

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## THE KITCHEN ARSENAL

ONE to two billion pounds of valuable waste fats and oils go down the drain and into garbage cans of America each year. Every pound of it can be used in America's munitions factories. The waste-fat collection campaign is the government's effort to salvage as much of this as possible.

Needless to say, this campaign depends almost entirely on the home front—on the continuous efforts of every homemaker in the United States. And, too much emphasis can not be placed on the importance of this seemingly prosaic task.

Prior to Pearl Harbor, America was getting more than 60 per cent of its fats from the Pacific area. As in so many other materials problems, this loss of our normal sources of supply is aggravated by increased demands. An adequate supply of fats and oils is vitally important to a war economy. Fats and oils are the raw materials from which glycerine is produced, and glycerine is the basic and indispensable ingredient in the majority of our explosives.

To make up our serious shortages of fats and oils the government is asking homemakers to save and take to their meat markets—for forwarding to Uncle Sam—half a billion pounds of waste fats this year. Individually, the homemaker may look at the small amount she is able to save daily from drippings and other sources and decide that it hardly seems worth while. Let her remember that if every woman in the country saves as little as four ounces of waste fats in a week, it will produce the glycerine required to make 13,000,000 pounds of gun powder—and that adds up to deadly proportions for Hitler & Co.

ooOoo

Women now control 75 per cent of the nation's spending. Uncle Sam, of course, gets the other 25 per cent.

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We've noticed that some people know a lot more when you try to tell them something than when you ask them something.

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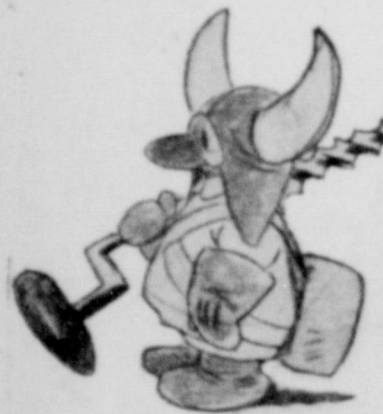
If men had no faith in each other, all of us would have to live within our income.

ooOoo

Man is that irrational creature who is always looking for a homelike atmosphere around a hotel and hotel accommodations when he is at home.

## R.A.F.'S OWN STORY OF GREMLINS TOLD BY PILOT

During the battle of Britain, when only the stout hearts and incredible recklessness of the R.A.F. saved the island empire from the Germans, was born the most fascinating tale of the Little People since Alice in Wonderland.



A Gremlin

Many, many years ago, the legend told by the pilots of the R.A.F. goes, in the wet forests of England, lived the goblins and the gnomes and the pixies. But one of the clan of tiny people was vastly different from all the rest.

The Gremlins had lived in the wood for thousands of years. The serious Air Force pilots will tell you. And it wasn't until their wood was suddenly invaded by tractors and their trees pulled down that they objected. Finally they saw a huge factory arise on the site of their former home and before many months the Gremlins saw airplanes being wheeled from the gaping doors of the factory. So the leader of the Gremlins called a meeting of the tribe and it was decided to split up into small groups, seek out the airplanes and make mischief for those who flew them. Thus it was that during the heaviest of the fighting to save Britain—when the Hurricanes and Spitfires were up from dawn to dusk and the noise of battle was heard all day in the sky—it was then that the first Gremlin was seen by the R.A.F.

In the December issue of Cosmopolitan Magazine appears the R.A.F.'s own story of the Gremlins. It is written by a pilot who fought at Crete, Greece and Britain.

It seems that the first Gremlin was seen by a pilot named Gus who was patrolling in his Hurricane at 18,000 feet over Dover. The amazed Gus looked out of his cockpit and there, standing on his wingtip he saw a little man.

He was only about six inches high, with a large round face and a pair of horns growing out of his head. On his feet were a pair of tiny black suction boots which enabled him to stay on the wing at 300 miles an hour. The thing that amazed Gus was what the little man was doing. He had a large drill and was busy drilling a line of holes along the tightly stretched metal skin of the Hurricane.

From that day on the fight to educate the Gremlin clan to aid the R.A.F. and not to fight it was taken up by the pilots and ground crews. Finally, Gremlin Gus—you see all the Gremlins take their names from the pilot they are attached to—saw that he was misbehaving and a school for Gremlins was started. To the school came all the Gremlins, all the Fimnelias, (they are the female Gremlins) and all the little boy Gremlins who are called Widgeys. The little girl Gremlins, called Flipper-Gibbets, enrolled in the school along with their parents. At the completion of their course they were awarded wings; and thus it is that the tide of battle has turned and on every shrieking Hurricane and Spitfire is an accompanying Gremlin.

The story of Gremlin Gus, Gremlin Jam-Face and Gremlin Stuff and their clan is the greatest contribution to living folklore in a hundred years. Walt Disney, who illustrated the Cosmopolitan article, is bringing them to the screen.



Nautic-Minded Gremlin

## Press Paragraphs

SELECTED FROM THE DEMOCRAT'S EXCHANGES

### Below Average

We read with a great deal of alarm, not to say surprise, that the average person was supposed to have had \$105.82 on October 31. If you had that much you were an average citizen. Gee, Uncle Sam must find yours truly a disgrace to the country. We didn't have \$105.82 on the 31st of October or any other day. It was also pointed out that the average citizen not only had \$105.82 on the date mentioned, but he had \$3.81 more than he had at the end of September, and \$28.13 more than on October 31 a year ago. Our bank account doesn't match these figures which the government established on the basis of currency in circulation. They do it with paper and figures, which don't always hold water.—E. E. Hayley in The Saint Jo Tribune.

### Good Paying Jobs

Anyone not in defense work is a sap for not picking cotton. One merchant reported that he cashed three checks Saturday that were over \$100 each. They were to Mexicans for less than a week's work. He tried to find out how many pickers the family check included but, of course, that was impossible. The Mexican man said he simply didn't know. I don't think he was telling a falsehood. One of the checks reached \$107 and was for three days, the Mexican said.—Dick Cooke in The Clarendon News.

### Definitions

Individuals and organizations that refuse to buy War Bonds and Stamps are not deserving of the protection of the government of the United States. Our definition of a true friend is one that will help in time of need. Our definition of a loyal American citizen is one who rallies to the defense of his country in time of peril. There is no room in America for other than 100 per cent American citizens. Strip a lot of self-styled conscientious objectors and you'll find a yellow streak down their backs.—Van Stewart in The Ochiltree County Herald.

### New Stuff

If you see "E. S." on a party invitation, don't think some one is fooling you. It simply means "Bring Sugar."—The Apostle in The Donley County Leader.

### Radio Reaction

In Germany and occupied France persons listening to radios are arrested by the police and shot. In this country one can listen in perfect safety to any radio program he chooses, but we sometimes think that some of the performers ought to be liquidated in some manner.—The Tulsa Herald.

### Tougher Job

While good news comes from both the Pacific and the African fronts, we are warned not to be too optimistic. It seems that we officials are afraid the American public will let up in its war effort. Yet it is generally known that a winning team fights harder than if it feels it is losing. I think the end of the war in Europe is in sight, but driving the Japs back to Tokyo is another matter and one that will take time, money and lots of lives. The Japs will fight to the last man, the Germans only until they see that they can't win.—Ed Bishop in The Dalhart Texan.

### Where Initiative Counts

Things are looking mighty good. People want action and they are getting it. This also suits the soldiers. They are anxious to do some thing. Sitting around the camp gets tiresome and they feel like they are wasting their time. They want to get the job done in a big way and come on back home. Actually, the American soldier is no better than any other soldier as long as they operate in formations, but the very minute he is thrown on his own resources, he goes to town. In other words when the situation arises requiring initiative and horse sense, the American boys forge ahead. This means that our parachute troops, tanks, aviators and infantry are going to be far superior. The record of our marines is outstanding. Due to this factor.—Jimmie Gilentine in The Hereford Brand.

### Local History

A local woman wanted to turn her husband in on the scrap drive because he had so much lead in his pants.—The Apostle in The Donley County Leader.

## A child's laxative your child should LIKE



When your child needs a laxative give him one he will probably enjoy taking—pleasant tasting **Black-Draught**. Given as directed, it is usually mild in action, yet effective. Follow Label Directions.

## Value of Game For Food Will Receive More Consideration

### Regulations Governing the Storage of Game Are Given By Extension Specialist

Hunting this year will have more problems than usual, along with its pleasures. R. E. Callender, management game specialist for the A. & M. college extension service, sees one in the gasoline rationing and another in the scarcity of ammunition. Combined, they represent a break for wildlife. With less gasoline, sportsmen are likely to confine hunting to short periods, and shortage of ammunition means fewer shots and a more plentiful supply of seed stock for next year's production. He predicts a good crop of deer and quail, and wild turkey about as good as last season.

Assuming that hunters will consider the food value of their bags more seriously than in previous years, Callender points out that with some definite exceptions, there is no limit to the time game birds and animals may be kept in storage, provided storage occurs within three days after the end of the season. The exceptions are migratory birds and waterfowl which may be possessed for only 30 days after the close of the season. Deer must be removed from storage before June 5, except that deer sausage, jerk or deer meat which is cut and wrapped, or such meat stored in any privately owned or leased locker in a cold storage plant, may be kept there indefinitely.

To prevent spoilage of deer meat by careless handling, Callender suggests placing the bled and dressed carcass in a long sack made of heavy canvas or unbleached sheeting and tying it securely to prevent contact by insects. Keep the carcass dry and not skinned until frozen in storage. Callender says if the weather is cool the deer can be kept in camp. If not it should go to storage without delay. If storage is not readily accessible, the carcass can be hung out each night and wrapped in blankets and placed in the shade during the day. All hides should be kept and tanned for later use. Extension publication B-86 describes the method of tanning leather at home.

**Answer Bombs with Bonds**  
There are more than 23,000 miles of designated and maintained highway in Texas, about three-fourths of which can be classed as all-weather roads.

## 34 HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS MAKE HONOR ROLL FOR FIRST 6 WEEKS

### Farm Families Are Given Merit Awards

Attractive merit award certificates, suitable for framing, have been presented to all families working with the Farm Security Administration in Hall County who have reached their Food for Freedom goals, according to Robert C. Land and Mrs. Gains of the local FSA office.

All FSA families in Hall County early last spring set up food production goals in connection with their farm and home plans for 1942, it was explained. Rules governing the awards provided that families must have made an honest effort to produce the maximum quantities of food and must have conserved it for use in the war effort. Losses, however, which were beyond control of the family did not disqualify it from receiving an award.

Each award was signed by the national administrator of the Farm Security Administration and the regional director. The award certificates bear the following message from President Roosevelt:

"Our own objectives are clear: the objectives of smashing the militarism imposed by war lords upon their enslaved peoples—the objectives of liberating the subjugated nations—the object of establishing and securing freedom of speech, freedom of religion, freedom from want, and freedom from fear everywhere in the world."

**A 62-Year Record of 2-Way Help\* FOR WOMEN suggests you try CARDUI**  
\*See directions on label

The list of high school students who succeeded in making an average of 90 or better for the first six weeks of the current term, and thus have their names on the honor roll, are announced by Supt. W. C. Davis. The names of five seniors, six juniors, six sophomores, nine freshmen and eight pre-freshmen appear on the roll as follows:

- Seniors: Jim Deaver, Jane Hicks, Dean Morgensen, Jack Washam, J. D. Watson.
- Juniors: Lavern Dodson, Sue Lynn Guthrie, Jack Hightower, Laura Mai Hightower, Betty Jo Randolph, Mary Beth Thornton.
- Sophomores: La Home Caldwell, Doris Compton, Euclair Gilbert, Rayburn Jones, Betty Jean Solomon, Donald Taylor.
- Freshmen: Edith Jo Beckett, Glen Bell, Marcelain Cottle, Jo Anna Foster, Dale Hellman, Normandie Kelly, Roy Patton, Sue Ann Roberts, Ramona Watkins.
- Pre-Freshmen: Luise Rogers, Gladys Bownds, Robert Clark, Henrietta Hawthorn, Ruth Jones, Marjorie Stone, Syvilla Saunders, Jack Ward.

Because of its abundance of good flight conditions and its comparatively level terrain, Texas is a natural field for both civil and military air activity.

## Flying School Graduates Seven Memphis

During the recruiting season for the Air Force which has been completed seven new Memphis were enlisted in Lubbock Army Flying school and are now stationed at this twin-engine advanced school.

A large number of men from West Texas and Texas from twenty other States were enlisted. The list led by the men enlisted from New York to Texas, Lubbock led the greatest number of men, any one city or town, while line held second place, third place and Lamesa in place, followed by Levell and towns.

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**... while all America gives Thanks for a bountiful harvest in WEST TEXAS**

**You:** Yes, West Texas is contributing much to the war effort. Food, cotton and wool for clothing men in the fighting forces. The whole world can be thankful for a bountiful harvest in West Texas. But, what do you mean, Reddy, "on KP duty"?

**Reddy:** This is the first wartime Thanksgiving Day. Many people will observe it over the country by working, turning out the weapons of war. Our power plants will be on the job as usual, providing electric service for your home and business, and for Uncle Sam's Army camps and for war industries—

**You:** I see! On KP duty, too!

**Reddy:** Yes. Electric service is doing Kitchen Police duty EVERY day. And since the factories that used to make appliances now are doing war work, everybody should take good care of what they've got. Keep them repaired and in good working condition—

**You:** But suppose they break down... repairmen are hard to find and new parts are scarce.

**Reddy:** In that case, call the West Texas Utilities. Our service department has arranged to help out in emergencies.

**You:** Thank you, Reddy. I guess we can be thankful for you, too!

**Reddy:** Well, we can ALL be thankful for the American system of FREE enterprise under which any man or woman is free to create a business that fills a particular need in this or any other community, just so long as they give the best possible service at the lowest possible cost to the most people, pay taxes in support of the government, and contribute to the growth and development of the community.

**You:** Right! That's the West Texas way... the American way... of doing business!

**West Texas Utilities Company**  
INVEST IN AMERICA! Buy War Bonds and Stamps



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### Employees of Company Now Armed Service

Sam, observing the first Thanksgiving Day since the war, has many things to be thankful, among them the substantial contributions to the effort being made by the company.

and power from WTU's generating stations at Abilene, Quanah and Abilene serving war plants over a seven mile territory with training camps at San Abilene, Hallinger, Stamford, Vernon, Childress and Dalhart. The need for fuel at all points has been met and without delay.

company now has a total of 200 in military service, being called almost twenty-four of the 135 whom are trained technicians already are commissioned. One is a lieutenant-colonel, four are majors, four are captains, four are lieutenants, and four are ensigns.

our "Gums" look "Repulsive" of gums itch, burn or cause discomfort, druggists will recommend money if the first bottle doesn't satisfy. OVER'S PHARMACY

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we wish to thank all who have patronized the business and assure you that your trade has been appreciated. When the war is over, we will re-open the business and endeavor to render as good service as before.

### More Women Are Needed in WAAC

Only half as many women have enrolled in the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps as are needed at this time, according to Lieut. Col. Marvin B. Durrutte, commander of the West Texas Recruiting and Induction District, at Lubbock.

Additional training facilities have been set up at Des Moines, Iowa and a new training center will begin operations on December 1st in Daytona Beach, Florida. It is believed women will respond in greater numbers since the need for non-combatant workers is so great.

Auxiliaries now earn the same pay as soldiers. Women entering the WAACS receive \$50 per month plus clothing, food and lodging, medical care and hospitalization. Junior Leaders receive \$66 per month, Leaders \$78 per month and First Leaders receive \$138 per month.

### Christmas Seals Campaign Against TB To Be Pushed

President Roosevelt Warns Of Increased Danger From Tuberculosis in Wartime

A warning that tuberculosis is increasing alarmingly in warring countries was sounded Tuesday by President Roosevelt in endorsing the 36th annual Christmas Seal campaign of the National State Tuberculosis Association.

"The unholly alliance between war and disease is particularly powerful in the case of tuberculosis. It has increased in every past war. The disease is increasing alarmingly in many warring Europe and Asiatic countries."

### Auto Workers Can Secure Employment In Civil Service

Curtailed Use of Cars Need Not Mean Unemployment for Skilled Mechanics

"Almost every trained worker in the automotive service industry who may find himself without work due to the curtailed use of automobiles can qualify for some kind of a civil service job," Paul H. Figg, director, Tenth Civil Service Region, said today.

Auto mechanics, electricians and fender men are urged to convert their skills to aircraft employment by Mr. Figg, who pointed out that the federal government needs these experts for civilian jobs at air fields throughout Texas and Louisiana.

Men who have never worked on an airplane engine, but who have two years experience as an auto mechanic can qualify as a junior aircraft engine mechanic, \$1860 a year, and likewise auto electricians with two years experience can qualify as a junior aircraft electrician at the same salary.

### Slight Decline in Age Pensions for November Is Stated

Lack of Funds Trims Dollar From Payments, but Average Check for Month is \$19.84

The amount of assistance received by those on the Texas Old Age Assistance rolls reached its peak, \$3,708,631, in October, and then declined to \$3,602,322 in November, the State Department of Public Welfare at Austin announced.

### Increased Meat Production Urged

Increased meat production not only is patriotic but it's good business, I. W. Duggan, director of the AAA's southern division, told Farm Bureau members at their convention in Waco.

"Regardless of shortages and the difficulties which face them farmers in the South must increase the production of livestock and livestock products," Duggan said, pointing out that he referred not only to Texas ranches but to farms throughout the South.

Duggan pointed out that the mid-October farm price of hogs was 126 per cent of parity and the farm price of beef cattle was 136 per cent of parity, compared with cotton which was bringing the farmer 99 per cent of parity, corn 78 per cent, and wheat 76 per cent.

"With these relative prices, it is profitable for southern farmers to increase their livestock production, especially if it can be done with home-produced feed and pastures," he declared.

### Locals and Personals

Mrs. Lonnie Ables of Tulla, Tenn., left Tuesday for a visit in Borger with friends. She had been visiting here with her mother-in-law, Mrs. J. T. Ables.

Highway patrolman Reece Ballard and wife have returned to their home in Indio, Calif., after a short visit here with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Ballard.

### PERSONALS

Mrs. W. L. Morrison, who has been visiting for the past three weeks with her sister, Mrs. A. O. Phillips, left Sunday night for her home in Watsonville, Calif.

Miss Naomi Smith visited Sunday in Wichita Falls with Pvt. Talmadge Pounds who is stationed at Sheppard Field.

Miss Mary Jo Lamb, student in Wayland Baptist college, Plainview, visited last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lamb.

Mrs. Etta Meredith of Fort Worth came Thursday for a visit here with her brother, Bill Smith and family.

V. L. Taylor of Amarillo visited here Saturday.

Mrs. B. A. Sweat of Amarillo visited last week-end here with her father, W. B. McQueen.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Pyle and son Thomas went Sunday to Wichita Falls for a visit with their daughters and sisters, Mrs. M. E. Thrash and Mrs. Charles Manoushagian and families. Thomas remained for a longer visit.

Mrs. H. W. Stringer and Mrs. Ross Gentry and daughter Shar Ann left Saturday for Fort Worth on a business trip.

Miss Billy Jo Prater, student in T. C. U., Fort Worth, visited here last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Prater.

Miss Carolyn Bones visited Sunday in Shamrock with her cousin, Barbara Scott, and friends.

L. F. Jones, who is employed in Amarillo, visited here last week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Jones.

Mrs. W. H. Moreman left Friday for Amarillo for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Ivan Graham and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Draper and son Charles and Mrs. Chas. Drake visited Tuesday in Amarillo with Mrs. Drake's daughter Mrs. Al Tinsley. Mrs. Tinsley is the former Miss Charlyne Drake.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Morgensen and son George Dean visited last week-end in Snyder, Okla., with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Webster visited last week-end in Shamrock with their daughter, Mrs. Noel Zeigler and family.

### Convention Report Shows Finance of Baptists Are Good

State Officers of Church and Women's Group Elected At Meeting in Fort Worth

Largest Texas Baptist gifts since the peak year of the Seventy-Five Million Campaign, in the early twenties, were announced today by Dr. W. W. Melton, Dallas, executive secretary, as he released figures showing total contributions of \$1,436,708.78 for the 1941-42 Convention year.

Baptists of the state, Dr. Melton said, paid all but \$75,420.77 of the Convention's \$400,000 debt in a Victory Debt Paying Campaign before their recent State Convention in Fort Worth. At the Convention, voluntary pledges of \$13,861 additional were made in fifteen minutes. The remaining \$61,559.77 is taken care of in the new \$1,300,000 budget for 1942-43.

The new budget calls for allocation of \$539,250 to Southwide causes, \$438,750 to state missions, \$200,000 extra to mission and debt balance, and \$12,000 extra to Southwide causes. Included in Southwide causes is the Baptist missionary program around the world.

Elected at the recent Convention as officers for 1942-43 were: President, Dr. W. R. White, Abilene; Vice-Presidents, Rev. R. G. Baucum, Winnsboro; Rev. Edgar Parker, Laird Hill and Rev. J. J. Strickland, Beaumont; Secretaries, D. B. South, San Antonio and Dr. Roy L. Johnson, Canyon; Secretary of the Corporation, Robert H. Coleman, Dallas; and Secretary Emeritus for life, Rev. J. L. Truett, Whitewright.

Elected to lead the Baptist Brotherhood Convention, for the year, was Judge E. S. Cummings of Abilene. Grover C. Cole, Fort Worth, was named Vice-President, and Dr. Carroll Harris, Luling, Secretary.

Women's Missionary Union Convention officers for 1942-43 were re-elected as follows: Mrs. B. A. Copass, Seminary Hill, President; Mrs. W. D. Howell, McKinney Recording Secretary; Mrs. Alice Green, Dallas, Assistant Recording Secretary; Mrs. Olivia Davis, Dallas, Treasurer; Mrs. R. L. Mathis, Dallas, Young People's Secretary.

### New Process Will Increase Output High Octane Gas

More 100 Octane aviation gasoline for the allied air forces and more vital synthetic rubber for war needs can be made as the result of a revolutionary new catalytic process, Isoversion, recently discovered in Phillips Petroleum Company's research laboratories. Isoversion, according to a statement released today by Frank Phillips, changes petroleum products formerly of almost no value in the war program, into products which are vitally needed in large quantities to make 100 octane gasoline, synthetic rubber, and other critical war materials. Secrecy said Mr. Phillips, prevents the release of any definite data concerning the process or the extent to which it will increase the supply of this valuable and essential war material. He was able to say, however, that Isoversion will substantially increase the total potential supply of this product and thus will be extremely important in alleviating any shortage which might result from the increasing tempo of aerial warfare.

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tea to stimulate sales among women. Announcements concerning this affair will be made as soon as plans are complete.

Women at War Week is the Treasury Department's plan to organize 43,000,000 women to roll up the greatest single week's volume of War Bonds and Stamp sales since Pearl Harbor.

Through scores of women's organizations, such as business, social, civic, fraternal and welfare groups, the program is being carried to the women of the nation. Every phase of women's activities is being covered. Homemakers are being shown the vital part they can play in the victory drive through arranging home finances so as to provide for the regular purchase of War Bonds.

Officers and members of the five local women's clubs ask the cooperation of the public in helping up a good record for Stamp Day next Saturday.

Drives for Waste—

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sailors and marines depend upon the speedy response to this urgent call, the county chairman says.

Another salvage campaign being launched by the government for silk and nylon hosiery. The articles wanted are of pure silk or nylon, or mixtures of either material with rayon and cotton.

They should be thoroughly washed and left in collection boxes at dry goods stores, from where they will be started on their way for reclamation as vital war material destined to see action on the front lines.

Firms cooperating in this campaign, of which Mrs. Weatherly is also county chairman, are Green Dry Goods Company, Popular Dry Goods, J. C. Penny Company, Alexander & Ross and Rosenwasser's.

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Saturday Only—

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Texas

Friday and Saturday—

Johnny Mack Brown— Fuzzy Knight "Stagecoach Buckaroo"

ANTELOPE FLAT

By MRS. DAN DEAN

The gas rationing was held at the school house Friday. Twenty-one cars were registered.

A. L. Durham, who has been ill in a Memphis hospital, was able to be removed to the home of his mother, Mrs. W. R. Durham of Memphis.

Mrs. Roy Allard was in Silverton Friday. Miss Emma Bullock has been visiting in Clarendon this last week.

Zack Dean is ill with the mumps. Dorothy Jo Salmon of Brice visited Neoma Turner Wednesday night before leaving Friday for Dallas to attend a business college.

Seth Edens has been ill in a hospital in Memphis. Ernest Evans of Lubbock visited last week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Evans.

Mrs. E. O. Phipps of Houston visited J. C. Durham and family here Sunday. Her husband, who is in the army, has been transferred to California.

Mrs. Susie Salmon of Vega visited last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Dean.

Cotton Producers—

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may sell, regardless of the number of acres devoted to cotton, but no loans will be made available and less land will be available for soil building and soil conserving program, it is emphasized.

Whatever the outcome of the referendum on December 12, producers who plant within their allotments will receive conservation checks, but producers who knowingly overplant allotments will receive no compensation.

Henry C. Gilley—

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bought cotton at Quannah and was employed in a bank at Paducah.

Out of town relatives and friends attending the burial services at Estelline included Mr. and Mrs. C. A. White of Lamesa; Joel Lankford of Shamrock; Fletcher Lankford of Bellevue; Mrs. J. F. Hall and Leon Robinson of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sivells, Mrs. S. P. Sivells, Mrs. Elizabeth Sivells and Mrs. G. N. Robertson all of Paducah; Mr. and Mrs. Bo Barrett and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Barrett, Mrs. Gladys Davis, Mrs. G. N. Suttle, Mrs. Jack Arrington, John L. White, Mrs. G. T. Arrington, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Walters, all of Pampa.

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Society

Home Economics Club Girls Map Plans at Meeting

The Home Economics Club of Memphis high school met Wednesday, November 18, for their regular meeting, with the sponsor, Mrs. Jessie Faye Pitcock, present. The business sessions were presided over by Jo Mitchell and Margaret Bourland. Plans were made for a social and for the Christmas meeting in December.

The program was in charge of Mary Francis Burke. Songs were sung and a Thanksgiving game was played. Dresses were modeled by the girls of the third year class who were as follows:

Wanda Faye Adeock, Jo Mitchell, Margaret Bourland, LeTrice Saunders, Hassell Hillhouse, Dorothy DeBerry, Sue Lynn Guthrie, Jo Murdock, Mary Francis Burke and Mary Helen Padgett.

Locals and Personals

Mrs. N. M. Lindsey left Tuesday for Austin for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Widener Mr. and Mrs. Orville Phillips and Mack Richards visited Sunday in Lubbock with Pvt. L. A. Richards, who is stationed at the Lubbock Flying School.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Carlos of Quannah visited Sunday with their son, Glen Carlos and wife.

Miss June Edmondson, student nurse in Northwest Texas hospital, came today to spend Thanksgiving holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Edmondson.

Mrs. H. B. Gilmore and son Jerry left Tuesday for Amarillo for a visit with their husband and father, who is employed there.

Patsy and Gary Abernethy returned to their home in Lubbock Monday after a visit here with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Abernethy.

December 11—

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Rico, with daily registration hours fixed for 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. (local time).

Late registrations will be permitted for those unable to present themselves during the stated periods because of circumstances beyond their control.

The chief executive asked that all employers give their workers sufficient time off to complete their registrations.

The 18 and 19-year-olds who registered last June 30 are to be called for induction in the order of their birthdates so far as practicable, with the oldest being called first.

Wellington Trims—

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team, attendance was only fair.

Statistics for the game showed 14 first downs for the Skyrockets, four for the Cyclone. Wellington made 320 yards rushing Memphis -95.

Starting line-up for the 'Rockets:

Brewer, left end; Sachse, left tackle; Hester, left guard; Roy center; Benson, right guard; Williams, right tackle; Scott, right end; Melton, quarter; Kendrick, left half; Covey, right half; and Thompson, fullback.

Cyclone starters were: Doss, left end; Shirley, left tackle; Robertson, left guard; Bruce, center; Stevens, right guard; Evans, right tackle; Clark, right end; Butler, quarter; Jackson, left half; Lawrence, right half; Huggins, fullback.

PLASKA

By MRS. E. E. FOSTER

Mack Hale of Turkey was a Plaska visitor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Orr and daughter Laverne spent the week end at Littlefield visiting their sons, Dr. Orr and Leo Orr and families.

R. L. Vallance and family of Tell are visiting his mother, Mrs. Pearl Vallance.

Mrs. Jake Lamb returned Tuesday after visiting her son, John Lamb, who is stationed at Ogden, Utah.

Mrs. E. J. Galloway came home Monday from San Antonio where he had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Elden Spannagel for several days.

Mrs. Alf Wines of Memphis visited Mrs. John Smith Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Jack Cook of Lubbock visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S.

A. Ellis Wednesday night and Thursday. She left for California Thursday night to visit her husband, who is stationed in an army camp there.

A. B. Hickey has bought a helply selfy laundry at Turkey and they will move there soon.

Mrs. Eula Skinner has been ill with the mumps this week. Mrs. Nadine Hall is ill this week. Winifred Rozell visited relatives here last Monday and Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Ragan moved to Friona Tuesday.

Mrs. Arthur Dutton and daughter, Mrs. E. J. Myers, visited in the S. A. Ellis home Thursday afternoon.

J. H. Foster left for Hamilton County Monday for an indefinite visit with his daughter, Mrs. W. N. Fuqua, Mrs. G. E. Woosley and Mrs. L. E. Waldrop.

Several attended a shower in the E. W. Pate home in Pleasant Valley community honoring Mrs. E. J. Myers of Lelia Lake. Zola Lee Foster and Mr. and

Mrs. Clarence Ragan of Lesley were Friona visitors last Thursday.

A farewell party was given in honor of the Splawn girls at the home of Miss Dorothy Hodges Thursday night, November 12. The evening was spent playing games. Those present were Maggie Chappell, Coy Grant, Billie Frances Murdock, Robert L. Barnett, Jonnie Campbell, Ed Shirley, Jimmie Grant, Aaron Cook, Elma Faye Gardenhire, Horace Erwin Oleta Ellis, Raymond Martin Gwendolyn Martin, Piney Murdock, Christine Chappell, Keith Jones, Thelma Grace Wheeler James Chappell, Wanda Faye Adcock, J. E. Hodges, Kate Newsome, Zola Lee Foster, Joe Kathryn Murdock, Eugene Dial, Colbert Chappell, Mrs. Ola Murdock, Mrs. Elmer Gardenhire, Mrs. H. B. Marks, Mrs. H. A. Hodges Harve Manly, Mrs. Herbert Hodges, Florence, Juanell, Gwendella and Bobbie Lee Splawn and Miss Dorothy Hodges.

Bobbie Wheeler, who is stationed at Camp Berkeley, spent last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Er.

T. J. Spry of Sheppard spent last week-end with Judge Owen of Camp Berkeley, spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. G. P. O. Vernadine Sasser with Mrs. R. P. Martin.

Mrs. Enoch Eiland of Calif., visited Mr. and V. Sasser Saturday night. The new Methodist pastor Hardaway preached here Monday here Sunday morning.

Rev. and Mrs. Hardaway Enoch Eiland of Madras were guests of Mr. and Gidden Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Olin to Wichita Falls Sunday their daughter, Miss Anne Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McDaniel family of Memphis spent visiting Mrs. McDaniel's Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Stone

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