

Big Tin Can for Gen. Erwin Rommel



Resting his foot on a captured fuel can of General Rommel's defeated Afrika Korps, air vice marshal Arthur Coningham, air officer commanding the western front in the Egyptian desert, makes his report to Gen. Bernard L. Montgomery, commander of Britain's Eighth army. Picture was taken near Cairo, Egypt.

Son Is Reported Missing In Action

Churches Plan for Yuletide Programs

Parmer Farmers Give Cotton Quota O. K.

Cotton farmers of Parmer County indicated their desire to continue marketing quotas on the 1943 cotton crop when they voted in the cotton marketing quota referendum, Dec. 12.

Although complete figures were not available at the local Triple A office when The Tribune went to press, John Martin, supervisor, stated that a preliminary count of the votes showed approximately 75 percent of the cotton farmers favored the continuation of quotas.

An incomplete report of all cotton states voting in the referendum indicated that 87 per cent of the farmers cast their ballots for the quotas, and as a two-third majority was necessary, this means that government loans will be available on the 1943 cotton crop, Martin points out.

Warning, Motorists! Siphoning Cow at Large

Motorists who are carefully guarding their rationed gasoline had better be on the lookout. There's a siphoning cow at large.

When Sheriff Earl Booth attempted to relieve one of his favorite milk cows of a bloated condition by inserting a garden hose down her throat, Old Bossy cut down on it with her grinders. The result—about four feet of hose was swallowed.

Holidays Begin For Schools, Dec. 18th

Holidays for both the Texico and Farwell schools begin on Friday of this week, with programs to be held heralding the approach of Christmas.

Only Eight Youths Registered Here

Up until Wednesday morning, only eight Parmer county youths had registered at the office of the local draft board in accordance with the revised Selective Service Act requiring all 18-year-old lads to register.

The first week of registration, which opened last Friday and closes Thursday of this week, all youths who attained their 18th birthday between July 1, 1942 and August 1, 1942, are required to sign up.

Those who attain their 18th birthday between Sept. 1 1942 and Dec. 31, 1942, will be registered during the week commencing Saturday, Dec. 26 and ending Thursday, Dec. 31.

All Parmer county registrants will be required to register at the office of the local board in Farwell, it has been announced.

Mrs. Bessie Lee Henneman, clerk, this morning announced the names of those registering up to date as: Jess Herbert Pipkin, Raymond Lee Magness, Calvin Eddie Young, Carl John Hoffman, Aubert Leroy Wilson, Carol Glee Swackhammer, Rosendo Aragon and John Lindsey Hicks.

GALLMEIER FUNERAL IS HELD ON THURSDAY

Last rites were held at the Lutheran Church in the Rhea community, Thursday, for C. W. C. Gallmeier, who died at his home in that community on December 7. Rev. Karl Keller of Clovis and Rev. Reese of Rhea, were in charge of the services. Interment was in the Rhea cemetery.

Mr. Gallmeier, who would have been 77 years of age on December 31, had been in failing health for several months. He passed quietly away in his sleep, relatives report.

A resident of Parmer county for 33 years, Mr. Gallmeier was numbered among the pioneers of this section. His wife preceded him in death a number of years ago.

Children who survive him are Mrs. L. H. Hoffman, Mrs. Herman Schueler, Mrs. Robert Schueler and Miss Freida Gallmeier, all of the Rhea community; Mrs. A. Koeltzow of Denver, Colo., and Bill Gallmeier of Littlefield.

Send The Tribune For Christmas

Got everything for that boy in service to have a nice Christmas?

Maybe you think you have, but for something he can enjoy every week during the year, how about a subscription to The Tribune?

A large number of boys in the armed forces are now on The Tribune's subscription list, several having been put on just recently as Christmas reminders from the folks at home.

The Tribune will go each week to boys in service at any address for only \$1.50 per year. Drop in today and have your boy's name added to the list.

Faith will not die as long as seed catalogues are printed.

Christmas observances in local churches this year will be limited to special programs and White Christmas offerings, rather than community trees.

Both the Methodist and Baptist churches will present programs open to the public on Wednesday evening, Dec. 23, in their respective buildings, the affairs to begin at 8 o'clock.

At the Methodist Church, a special pageant is being prepared. With the Nativity scene as the background, Mrs. A. D. Smith will read the Christmas story, with the choir in support from time to time.

Following this, an offering for orphans will be taken, but no regular White Christmas packages will be brought to the church, officials say.

As the conclusion of the evening, treats will be given the children, and those classes exchanging gifts will gather in their various rooms for distribution of packages.

White Christmas Service

Baptist church members will observe their annual White Christmas offering, with packages of food, clothing and contributions of money being made for orphans at the Portales home, and a special offering for the Lottie Moon fund for foreign mission work.

Preceding this, a special program commemorating the season will be presented, including a short playlet and carols by the entire group.

Officials at the Church of Christ officials stated they would hold no special program. The annual Christmas box has been prepared and sent to the orphan girl sponsored by the church.

Goes To Amarillo As Pantex Bank Cashier

Mrs. Mildred Rogers, for the past several years assistant cashier of the Security State Bank of this city, departed the past weekend for Amarillo, where she has accepted the position as cashier of a bank operated by the Pantex Ordnance Plant, in connection with the large defense project near that city.

She explained that she had made application for the position some time ago, but was taken somewhat by surprise when advised by telephone to report for services immediately. Jimmie Rogers, her husband who is now operating an accessory truck out of Amarillo, enlisted in the Navy some weeks ago and is expecting to be called at any time, she said.

Mrs. Rogers has been connected with the local bank for a number of years. She is a sister of G. D. Anderson, active vice president of the local institution, and has made many friends in Texico-Farwell during her stay here.

When work in U. S. Forest Service nurseries was discontinued in the Texas Panhandle, 96,000 young trees were distributed among 11 counties.

Gas Ration Privilege Must Not be Abused

Ration Board members today pointed out that holders of C gasoline cards are not privileged characters when it comes to unnecessary or "joy" riding. In fact, such operators are pledged not to exceed 90 miles per month for pleasure.

Supplemental rations are issued, it was stressed, because the applicant represented that the gas was necessary to carry on business or a professional necessity to the war. "This does not include pleasure driving or the making of unnecessary trips," they emphasized.

In cases where it is proved that a holder of a C card is abusing his rights, he is subject to reversal of the board's decision and may have his gas ration cards revoked.

"All cars," Chairman John Armstrong said further, "must display appropriate windshield stickers. If you have both an A and a C card, both stickers must be shown on your car."

Famous Slogan Dies

One of America's most typical expressions, "Fill 'er up", has come to

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Gault of Bovina have been advised by the War Department that their son, Ensign G. D. Gault, is missing in action "somewhere in the South Pacific"

The telegram came on Dec. 2 and was received by Mrs. Gault when she went to the postoffice to mail a letter to her only son.

The Gaults moved to Parmer county only recently, coming here from Sentinel, Okla. They bought the Luther Hastings farm one mile southwest of Bovina this year, and were just getting located on the place when the message came bearing the sad news.

Mr. Gault, who was interviewed by a Tribune reporter, said the message could mean that his son was a prisoner or that he had been landed safely on some remote island and had not been officially accounted for.

The message did not state where nor when the action took place that resulted in Ensign Gault's disappearance. His father knows the ship to which his son was attached but declined to give out the information since its loss has not been announced by the War Department.

Enlisted In May

Mr. Gault said that his son, who is 24 years old, enlisted in the Navy last May. He was a graduate of the Oklahoma University and carried a public accountant rating. He is the only son of the Gaults. They have four girls.

"It seems too bad that he had to go on the first trip out," the father said, adding that he (the father) was a member of the American Expeditionary Forces in World War I. "I went through the Argonne and St. Mihiel battles and never got but one scratch, although I saw hundreds of men fall at my side.

"I would not be selfish enough to wish that it had been somebody else's boy who is missing, but it is hard to think that your boy—your only boy—would be lost his first time at sea."

Soy Beans Must Be Sacked For Shipping

John B. Martin, secretary of the Parmer County Agricultural Conservation Association, advises that farmers having bulk soy beans that they desire to sell to the West Texas Cotton Oil Co., Littlefield, must sack the beans before they will be accepted.

During the next ten days, Martin reports, sacks may be secured at the local AAA office for 13½ cents each. Farmers will receive 11 cents each for the sacks when delivered to the processor.

All sacks not sold to producers by the association will be returned to the mill at Littlefield after Dec. 25, after which date it will be necessary that producers desiring sacks purchase them direct from the mill.

COTTON GINNINGS UP

Census reports show that 1,033 bales of cotton were ginned in Parmer County from the crop of 1942 prior to Dec. 1 as compared with 262 bales for the crop of 1941.

Tax Assessments to be Taken by Mail

Name Lake After Her



Rose Teed, 20, of New York, is going to have a lake named after her in Kodiak island, Alaska. This grew out of wide correspondence with soldiers stationed there.

The gasoline rationing program has affected another important industry in Parmer county this year—that of assessing taxes—according to J. C. Wilkinson, deputy collector, who revealed this week that assessments for 1943 would be made by mail.

Attaches at the assessor-collector's office are busy this week making up a set of new printed forms that will be used in gathering assessments for the forthcoming year. These forms will be mailed to property owners shortly after the first of the year, Wilkinson said.

He also added that he would visit the towns of Farwell, Bovina and Friona for the purpose of making assessments at dates to be announced later. But the rural populace will be mailed the printed forms on which to list their personal property for assessment.

"We are trying to make the form just as simple as possible," Wilkinson said, in the hope that it will not be necessary for the farmer nor the assessor to be compelled to make a special trip for the purpose of rendering the assessment. Real estate will be listed on the forms before they are mailed from the local office and all that is required of the owner is that he list his personal property in the proper places on the forms.

Wilkinson cautioned persons not to attempt to list additional items that are not called for on the forms, explaining that many personal property items were not subject to taxation. "Just fill in the blanks on the personal property list, sign it and return it to this office," he advised.

A stamped, self-addressed envelope will be sent with each rendition sheet and all the property owner has to do is fill it out and drop it in the mail box.

Floyd Francis Back At Sikes Motor Co.

Floyd Francis, local automobile mechanic well-known here, has been employed at the Sikes Motor Company as foreman of the mechanical department, taking over his duties the first of this week.

Francis operated a garage in Texico for a number of years, closing up a short time ago due to shortage of materials. Prior to that time he was employed by the Sikes Motor and other local garages. Recently he has been with the New State Auto Company at Clovis.

Tribune Job Printing Is Best

Of Interest to Farmers

By John Martin, Administrator Parmer County AAA

New Machinery Quotas Announced
More new farm machinery and equipment than was expected will be made available to Texas farmers for next year's production. Break-down of state quotas which include plows, harrows, cultivators, tractors, mowers and binders, got underway in the state USDA War Board office this week.

Quotas to be allocated first are types of machinery and equipment needed during the fall and winter. Included in this classification are 1,720 tractors, 1,470 wagons, 2,948 cultivators and 2,434 spike and spring tooth and disk harrows.

Other state quotas being allocated now are 1,059 corn and cotton planters, 226 grain drills, 145 tractor-drawn disk plows, 951 moldboard plows and 362 one-ways. Dairy equipment consists of 450 milking machines, 581 separators and 166

milk coolers.
Commenting on quotas, B. F. Vance, chairman Texas USDA War Board said that farm machinery and equipment now being released represent only 75 per cent of the expected 1943 production since materials for only this amount are now available. He explained that if materials for the remaining 25 per cent were available later proportionate increases would be made in some items.

He added that plans are being made for manufacturers to distribute machines through their jobbers, distributors and dealers as close as possible to distribution points in order that the number of machines received would match the number of purchase certificates issued by the county farm rationing committees.

Purpose of the plan is to eliminate

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OUR PLEDGE

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OKLAHOMA LANE

A family reunion was held in the H. H. Henson Sr. home Sunday with the following present Mr. and Mrs. Clifford McGuire and family, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Henson and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Henson Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hubbell and family.

Mrs. E. W. McGuire and Mrs. A. B. Wilkinson visited in Canyon and Amarillo Saturday.

Mrs. Truman Kent, who was injured by a combine several weeks ago, is able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Foster were called to Phoenix, Ariz., the past week by the death of her brother, Onie Churchwell. Mr. Churchwell lived in this community several years ago. His death came after he had blood-poisoning and contracted pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hubbell and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hubbell were Clovis shoppers Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Foster made a trip to Clovis Monday.

PLEASANT HILL

Last week Elvis Bell and Jimmie Spearman joined the air force, leaving immediately for Ft. Sill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ardale Thornton have bought the old Spearman place and moved in this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown Tate and family have moved on the place formerly occupied by Lester Colwell.

On last Wednesday night Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Singleterry and daughter enjoyed a duck supper with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Singleterry.

Arthur Moorman went into the feeding business last week, having purchased a feed grinder and a herd of calves.

Mrs. Hopper has moved across the road from the school on the Miller place. Her daughter, Alexa, of Carlsbad, is here helping her move.

Ray Donahay left Monday for Santa Fe to take his physical.

There are quite a number ill with the flu in this community, Jack and Betty Donahay, Charlene and Marie Buchanan. Last week Jerry Jones, Mrs. Parker and Lineota were on the sick list.

Mrs. Gene Cooch underwent an operation last Saturday at the Memorial Hospital in Clovis.

The ladies club made good on the dinner at Bill Akers sale last week. Mr. Akers will soon move to Clovis.

The teachers report a nice time at the banquet last Saturday night.

Miss Bonnie Winkles is home from Portales Junior College.

Coy Gooch, who has been in California the past year, returned home Monday.

COMMISSIONERS MEET

The Parmer County Commissioners Court, with all members present, was in session here Monday.

The minutes reveal that aside from the regular routine of paying current bills, the county dads authorized the transfer of \$3,963.00 from the permanent improvement fund to apply on a school fund note.

Open Weather Favors Farming Operations

After being forced to take off most of last week on account of snow and otherwise unfavorable weather, local farmers have again caught their stride in harvesting operations.

Many farmers are "beginning to see daylight" as one expressed it, after a hectic season in the fields trying to save their crops despite an acute shortage of help. Some farmers state that they have finished gathering the feed and only the threshing remains to be done, while many used the combine method in gathering-feed crops this year.

There remains lots of work yet to be done, however, in the cotton patches. Many farmers are resorting to the sled method to save their crops in the face of manpower shortage. Ginning reports released this week brought forth an estimate that at least half of the Parmer county cotton was still in the fields. Up to the first of the week, only 1145 bales had been ginned in the county, and the total production is expected to at least double that figure.

With no report from Lazbuddy, the Lariat gin was far out in the lead as to the number of bales ginned, having a total of 674. The Farwell gin had accounted for 388, and Friona had ginned a total of 83 bales up to Saturday night.

CLUB BOYS FEEDING OUT HEREFORD CALVSE

Fifteen Hereford calves are now being fed by 4H club boys in Parmer County, according to Agent Garlon A. Harper, who states that the boys plan to show the stock in Plainview next April and then ship the calves to the Kansas City market.

All stock is of high grade and has been purchased within the county, the agent pointed out.

At present, C. L. Calaway Jr. of Rhea, Merle Glenn Rundell of Oklahoma Lane and Ernest Jr. and Frankie Foster of Oklahoma Lane have calf projects.

INDUSTRIAL USERS SIGN UP FOR SUGAR RATION

Registration of institutional and industrial users of sugar for January-February allotments began Dec. 15 and will continue through Jan. 5, Chairman John Armstrong of the Parmer County Board, said today.

Institutional users will be allowed 60 per cent of the sugar base established by them—the same allotment permitted during November and December. The industrial user allotment of 70 per cent is unchanged for January and February from the amount allowed in November and December.

The only exception to the institutional allotment is that for hospitals treating patients suffering from acute illness, where 85 per cent of the sugar base will be allowed.

CREAM TAKES HIKE

The price of cream took another decided hike the first of the week with buyers posting 54c for No. 1 butterfat. The rise in price sent local dealers into a tailspin, since none of them had calculated tables

that went higher than 53c, and all of them admitted that they had forgotten how to multiply.

ROOT VEGETABLES
Mrs. Opal D. Lewellen

Greens may come and greens may go, but root vegetables stay in season the year round. These vegetables from the earth—beets, carrots, turnips, parsnips and onions—with flavors mild and tangy, bring vitamins, minerals starches and sugar to help supply the body's needs.

Scrub all root vegetables well before cooking to remove any earthy odor. Start them in boiling salted water. Young, tender roots need only enough water to prevent them from sticking to the pan, while older roots need enough water to cover. To keep flavor of onions and turnips mild, leave the kettle uncovered. To speed the cooking of the others, leave the lid on.

Boil root vegetables whole in their skins unless they are too strong or tough. Nature grew this jacket to hold in food values and flavor. If peel you must, make the peeling thin, or scrape no more than is necessary.

To keep beets from losing their bright red color, leave on the long taproot and an inch or two of stem. A quick dip into cold water loosens the jacket on a cooked beet so it slips off like a glove.

Carrots, turnips, onions, often cook quicker if sliced or diced. Serve in their own juices, or if too much, use it in soup, sauce or gravy to make the most of minerals, vitamins and flavor.

The easiest way to season a plain-cooked hot vegetable is to add meat drippings or melted fat and salt and paper to taste, just before serving.

To give more "lift" now and then drop in a little chopped onion or green pepper.

Thrifty cooks save the crusts and scraps of bread to break into crumbs to mix with meat drippings and top a baked dish, or serve as a thickener for very juicy vegetables.

A little vinegar or a squeeze or two of lemon juice mixed with the fat adds a pleasantly sour note to seasoning for boiled carrots, beets, or turnips. Whatever the seasoning, be sure to serve hot vegetables HOT. That is another way to bring out their best.

It is thrifty to bake vegetables when you heat the oven for other cooking. Potatoes are star bakers. But carrots are good baked around meat or sliced into a baking dish with a little water, covered and baked in a moderate oven until tender.

Scalloping gives a crusty top to plain boiled vegetables and is a smart way to combine small amounts of leftovers into a fine dish for all. To three cups of cooked vegetables, allow 1 1/2 cups of white sauce, and 1 cup bread crumbs blended with a little fat. Place layers of the vegetables and sauce in a baking dish. Cover with crumbs, bake in a moderate oven until brown and bubbling.

White sauce blends well with plain cooked onions, carrots, parsnips or turnips. For medium-thick sauce blend 3 tablespoons flour with 3 tablespoons fat. Add 1 1/2 cups milk. Cook 5 minutes and stir constantly to make sauce smooth. Season to taste with salt and pepper. This is enough sauce to mix with 3 cups of cooked vegetables to serve 6 persons.

Pare and place root vegetables around a pot roast when meat is about half done. Make it any combination you like—onions, potatoes, turnips, carrots, whole or in halves. Cook covered until vegetables are almost tender, then baste with meat broth and let brown lightly. Serve on hot platter with vegetables circling the meat.



FOR SALE—Several young registered Milking Shorthorn bulls. F. L. Wenner & Sons 3 miles east, 7 north of Muleshoe, 14 miles east of Lariat. 5-3tp

WANTED—Eight reasonably good cross ties that can be used for covering a cess pool. Farwell Cafe. 5-1tc

WANTED—Farm to rent, at least half section improved, regular rentals or cash rent. Call at Tribune office. 5-3tp

FOR SALE—8-ft. windmill, 32-ft. tower; 202 ft. 2 inch pipe; 25 barrel overground tank with tower, 85 barrel overground tank with tower, 200 ft. casing. R. E. Curd, Texico, 5-1tp

FOR SALE—DeLaval separator, size 12, runs as good as new. Sale or trade. Mrs. W. H. Minter, Farwell. 3-3tp

FOR SALE—Clean bright African millet and cane bundles. See Henry Minter or write Box 93, Texico, N. M. 3-3tp

"What on earth has a battleship got to do with my cooking?"



JACK: Plenty, Mom... plenty! They tell me down at the Navy yard almost everything that goes into making those babies is cooked with Gas.

MOTHER: Cooked? What do you mean cooked...

JACK: Heat-treated... to give the metal proper toughness. For instance, Gas cooks armor plate so it will shake off big shells and not shatter under gunfire. And the steel for tanks, guns, planes and bombs... they're all cooked with Gas!

MOTHER: But why Gas?

JACK: Why Gas! You ought to know... because it saves time and money makin' a battlewagon—just as it saves you time and money cookin' a meal!

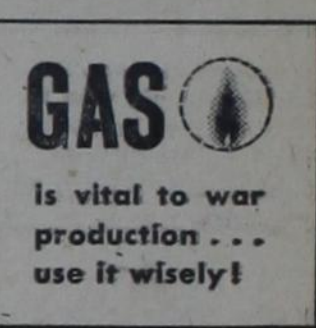
MOTHER: So that's why they say we may be asked to conserve Gas for home uses this winter.

JACK: That's it, Mom... Gas is mighty important stuff, and they need lots of it to win the war!

MOTHER: Well, if I can help... I'll be glad to do my bit.

JACK: Now you're cookin' with Gas... Mom!

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We now have our feed mill in operation at the Lariat Gin every day, and also have a good stock of cotton seed meal and coal at prices as cheap as anywhere.

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E. M. Deaton, Mgr.

Closed Next Week

I wish to announce to the public that my repair shop in Farwell will be closed all next week.

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- Some Lumber—rough
- Some Fence Posts
- Several sows with pigs
- Seed Barley
- Seed Rye

Henderson Grain & Seed Company
Farwell, Texas.

THE MAVERICK

Issued by Farwell High School

CAMPUSOLOGY

Farwell High is really getting the "Christmas Spirit". They are looking forward to a grand holiday season. We will take this time to wish every one a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Smokey, just which girl do you prefer, the Jr. or Sr.?

Gwyn, who is beating your time, Paul, you had better watch your step; married women are poison ivy, so we've heard.

Billie seems to be saving gas and tires. Going with the family, you know. Very patriotic!

What's wrong with Dorothea? She can't seem to keep her boy friends. They all go to service—of their country, of course!—after dating her once! Is she that bad, boys?

Peggy, who was your new boy friend Friday night? Good company, yes!

Jane, what are you trying to do, take Billy's ex-boy friend Saturday night? Or was that just a friendly gesture?

Guyn, just WHO was with Scott Friday night? It couldn't be Peggy, could it?

Maxine, who sends you those awful post cards?

Where was Billie in Monday's English class?

Joe is really good now. He goes with his mother and father to Clovis Saturday nights.

Paul, your Christmas presents are very expensive this year. New friends, or just because you work in Montgomery Ward's?

Why does Bettye write letters in class? And to whom?

Gwyn Hancock cannot receive any Christmas presents this year—she has no stockings.

WHO'S WHO

Last week's Who's Who was Gwyn Hancock.

This week's Who's Who is a very uprisng young man. He is brown headed; blue-eyed; and is 6 ft. in tall, weighs 180 lbs. of pure bones. He is very popular with junior and senior girls.

Some of his likes are:
Food: T-Bone steaks.
Drink: Milk (butter).
Actor: Robert Taylor.
Actress: Lana Turner.
Show Johnny Eager.
Hobby: Collecting Stamps.
Sport: Football.
Book: Will Rogers.
Watch for the next Who's Who!

JUNIOR SCANDAL

How is Charlene and her boy-friend getting along?

We wonder why Pete follows Marilyn in geometry class so much? Could it be lessons?

Girls are surely nice at Christmas-time!

What handsome Eastern New Mexico College sophomore did we see Peggy Williams with in Clovis Saturday night? We wonder!

The junior class reporters should be smart, with their noses to the grindstone all the time.

We wonder who Herbert W. was falling for when he hurt his leg? Would Peggy know?

We bet the postoffice is kept busy with letters to and from Theda W. and Mary B. . . .

FOURTH AND FIFTH GRADE

The fourth and fifth grade room is decorated for Christmas. We have made posters of "The Three Wise Men" and our Christmas tree is up and decorated. We are enjoying very much singing the Christmas carols.

Friday we will have our Christmas party.

ASSEMBLY PROGRAM

The first, second and third grades are working on a Christmas program to be presented at assembly, Thursday, December 17. Mrs. Terry and Mrs. Johnson have very attractive Christmas trees in the rooms and the children are enjoying Christmas songs and games.

SEVENTH GRADE

The seventh grade plans to have a Christmas party Friday afternoon. The sixth grade has lost a pupil and the seventh grade has gained one. Raymond Brand returned to the seventh and C. M. Humphrys left the sixth.

SOPHOMORE CLASS NEWS

Well, here we are again. What? The Sophomores, of course! Tuesday night we threw a big party at the gym, dressing as hillbillies, movie stars and comic strippers.

Scandal! !
We wonder why Norma Jean has heartache?

Jean Ann, why do you go to Mule-shoe so often? Is it the dentist?

What's wrong with Clarence, Joan? Could it be that last phone call?

Who is the freshman girl that is beating Jean Ann's time with a certain senior boy?

We thought your dog didn't bite anything but tramps Peggy. How is the leg, Paul?

Clarence! What are you going to do with that Christmas present—paw it?

AGRICULTURE CLASS

The agricultural students have been very busy recently building hog feeders, chicken feeders and other woodwork projects. There were eight feeders being built at the same time which just about filled up the shop. While some of the boys worked on woodwork, others have been busy the past two weeks butchering hogs.

HOMEMAKING NEWS

Wednesday night, Dec. 16, the Home Ec class is going to have a Christmas party. Gifts will be exchanged and refreshments served. A good time is expected by all girls. Santa will be there!

KNOW YOUR ALPHABET

- A-thlete—Smokey.
- B-ridegroom—Paul.
- C-ute—Norma Jean.
- D-ucky—Mrs. West.
- E-as-y going—Archy De.
- F-friendly—Tommy Randol.
- G-entleman—Bert.
- H-andsome—Arlon.
- I-nteresting—Mr. Carter.
- J-olly—Jean Ann.
- K-issproof—Peggy Ann.
- L-ovable—Peggy Louise.
- M-ischievous—Everett.
- N-utty—Clarence.
- O-rderly—Reba.
- P-est—A. J.
- Q-uiet—Jane Key.
- R-owdy—Halcut.
- S-illy—Muggins.
- T-alented—Pete.
- U-nusual—Betty Jo.
- V-ital—Miss Shaw.
- W-itty—Dot Deaton.
- X-tra special funny—Bob.
- Y-outhful—Marilyn.
- Z-ealous—Joan.

A psychiatrist says the unmarried are considerably more likely to go crazy. Go crazy and get married, eh, doc?

New Head of 'Spars'



Photo shows Lieut. Com. Dorothy C. Stratton, new head of the "Spars," the new women's auxiliary reserve of the U. S. coast guard, seated at her desk in Washington. She wears the two and a half stripes of a lieutenant commander, on her union coat sleeve, and the U. S. coast guard insignia on her coat.—Soundphoto.

TIRE BOARD REPORT

Tire, tube and retreads authorized by the Parmer County Ration Board on Dec. 9 were as follows:

- Haskell Sudderth, one tractor tire.
- John W. Wilson, one grade 2 passenger tire.
- Sam White Jr., one retread passenger tire.
- Henry Minter, one retread passenger tire.
- Carl Zoch, one retread passenger tire.
- J. R. Haris, one retread tire, one tube, one grade 3 passenger tire.
- Chester Magness, one grade 2 passenger tire.
- C. M. Crow, one grade 2 passenger tire, one tube.
- L. T. Utsman, two pickup tires.
- R. C. Lovett, one pickup tire, one tube.
- Frank W. Mason one tractor tube, two tires.
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- C. J. Henderson, one tractor tire.
- Carl C. Waldie, two grade 2 passenger tires, two tubes.

- Robert Vise, two grade 3 passenger tires, two tubes.
- Otis E. Massey, one grade 3 passenger tire.
- Henry Minter, one grade 3 passenger tire.
- D. P. Mann, two grade 3 passenger tires.
- Cecil Jones, one grade 3 passenger tire, one recap tire.
- C. J. Henderson, one grade 3 passenger tire.
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Troy Lynn Christian
P. S. Don't forget my pals, Rob and Lavon.

Dear Santa:
I want a sled for Christmas and

some picture puzzles and a big ball and a big football.
A Little Friend.

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a new rocking chair. My old one is broken. I want a new doll, too. I am four years old and have been a good girl. Please bring James a little dog and a teddy bear. He is 9 months old. Please remember the soldier boys and Dexter, too; he lives up close to you, he is at Dayton, O. Your friend,
Karolene Towns

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Dear Santa:
I am a little boy 6 years old. I have tried to be a good boy. Please bring me some horses racing on a track or a horseshoe game. Also bring me a BB gun if you have one. I have a little brother almost 4 months old. Don't forget to bring him something. I like candy, nuts and fruits. Your little friend,
Donald Ray Barron

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl 4 years old. I got hurt about a month ago and have been staying with my grandmother as mother is so busy. Please bring me a big doll and buggy and some tinkertoys and don't forget my little cousin, Dennis Dean. Lots of love,
Glenna Ruth Davis

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy 17 months old and am planning to spend Christmas with my grandparents in Farwell. Please bring me a little rocking horse and a scotty dog. Love,
Dennis Dean Edwards

Dear Santa Claus:
I'm a little girl 6 years old but wasn't six in time to go to school. I have tried to be good. I help Daddy milk and help Mother with the dishes. Santa, I want a doll with a suitcase full of clothes, a nurse set, a set of dishes and anything else you want to bring. Don't forget my cousin, James Berry, who is overseas. Your little friend,
Betty Zon Ashcraft

Dear Santa:
I have been a good boy this year. Please bring me a tricycle and five gallons of gas.
John Doose

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a set of dishes, cause I've been a swell kid when I tried. Don't forget all the kids at Oklahoma Lane because they like you, too. I like you, too,
Bessie Ruth Caldwell

Dear Santa Claus:
Bring me a toy game and a drum to beat, please. Because I've been a real good girl and I mind my mother and daddy. I love you,
Mary Inez Hughes

Dear Santa Claus:
I'm a sweet little boy. I even help my daddy milk. I want you to bring me a choo-choo train and a sock of marbles for Christmas. I will thank you if you will. Your friend,
Donald Watkins

Dear Santa:
I have been a very good little boy. Please bring me these, cause it's all I want: a baseball glove, a dump truck and a saddle. Don't forget my little brothers. I love you,
Wendol Christian

Dear Santa Claus:
I have been a very good little girl. I go to school. I want a little dolly that can stand up. I want a sack of

candy and doll buggy. With love,
Louise Donaldson

Dear Santa Claus:
I've tried to be a good little girl. I wash dishes and sweep floors. I want a rocky horse and doll buggy for Christmas.
Geraldine Verner

Dear Santa Claus:
I have tried to be the best boy in the world. Please bring me a kiddie car with yellow wheels, and a football. I'll be seeing you,
Leon Grissom

Dear Santa Claus:
I have been a real nice little boy. I help my mother and my daddy. I want you to bring me a red rubber ball and a BB gun. Bye-bye,
Henry Young

Dear Santa:
I am too little to write but my mother will write for me. I've been a pretty good little girl sometimes. Please bring me a jumping rope and a doll and doll bed. Don't forget some candy, too. That's all. With love,
Glenna Roberson

Dear Santa Claus:
I have tried to be a good little girl. I am seven months old. I would like for you to bring me a wooden bead set and a dog. Your friend,
La Tuetta Joy Berry

Dear Santa:
I am a little boy, two years old. I have been a good boy. Will you bring me a pedal car, tinkertoys and if you have enough, bring me some candy and nuts. Your friend,
Phillip Dean Berry

Dear Santa Claus:
Will you please bring me a doll and a nurse set. I am four years old and have tried to be a good girl. Your friend,
Patricia Jean Berry

Dear Santa Claus:
We have tried to be good little girls. Will you please bring us a Betsy-Wetsy doll and some candy and nuts. Your friends,
Frances Sudderth, Vernell Berry

Health Notes
By Texas Department of Health

AUSTIN—The appearance of scattered cases of poliomyelitis in one or two Texas communities has resulted in considerable apprehension and a request for the closing of certain schools.

According to the State Health Department, closing schools has very little effect on the control of this disease. In a community recently studied, there were 22 cases reported, only nine of which were of school age and these nine represented several different schools. This record does not in any way point to the school as the source of infection.

To inform the public on the best procedure to follow when poliomyelitis is suspected, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, has issued the following statement:

"All suspected cases should be reported immediately to the county health officer and isolated for a minimum of 14 days. Concurrent and terminal disinfection should be employed as in typhoid. It might be well to hospitalize the patient and good medical care is imperative.

"Except for the attendant, members of the family should stay away from the patient. The wage earner, unless employed with food handling, and should continue his work. Preschool children in the family should be greatly restricted if not entirely excluded from community activity.

"School children should be observed daily for signs of upper respiratory or fever. Upon the appearance of such symptoms, they should be excluded from school until a definite diagnosis is made. Children as well as adults should avoid overactivity to the point of fatigue. Maintain nutrition at the best possible level and be sure to get plenty

of fresh air and sunshine."

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: The unknown heirs of Rosa Mulholland, their heirs or legal representatives: GREETING:
You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiffs petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this citation, the same being Monday the 25th day of January, A. D. 1943, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. before the Honorable District Court of Farmer County, at the Court House in Farwell, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 8th day of December, 1942. The file number of said suit being No. 1242.

The names of the parties in said suit are Agnes Hart Pickart, joined pro-forma by her husband, L. R. Pickart, Jessie Hart Keating, joined pro-forma by her husband, Wm. C. Keating, Mrs. Bessie Hart Glenn, joined pro-forma by her husband, W. D. Glenn, C. V. Hart and Peter M. Hart as Plaintiffs, and George W. Hart, Leonard Hart, Charles E. Hart, James Hart, Louis Leroy Hart, Mary J. Hart, Helen A. Hart, John E. Hart, Veronica Sherman, joined pro-forma by her husband, Ralph B. Sherman, Vincent J. Hart, L. F. Zeller, and the unknown heirs of Rosa Mulholland, their heirs or legal representatives, as Defendants.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: Plaintiffs allege by way of first amended original petition that they and the defendants, excepting defendant L. F. Zeller, are the owners of 293.17 acres of land in Farmer County, Texas, being the E 1/2 of Section 2, Block B, Syndicate Subdivision, League 500, as the heirs of Peter Hart and Mary Fay Hart, and that said land is incapable of partition and that a receiver is necessary to care for said land and sell same and that G. D. Anderson is a suitable person to serve as receiver. Plaintiffs pray for the court to determine such heirship and the interests of each heir and that such receiver shall be appointed as provided by law and authorized to sell said land, and that the proceeds of such sale and rentals collected be divided by the court among said heirs, plaintiffs alleging the respective interests which they say each of said heirs owns in said land. Plaintiffs further ask that interlocutory judgments heretofore rendered against George W. Hart and L. F. Zeller be made permanent.

Issued this 3th day of December, 1942.
Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Farwell, Texas, this 8th day of December, A. D. 1942.
(SEAL)
D. K. ROBERTS, Clerk,
District Court, Farmer County, Texas.

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We have been operating this plant for the past two years, during which time we have not had a serious breakdown, and our plant has operated with 100 percent efficiency. We are not anticipating any mechanical trouble that would cause any loss of any foodstuffs stored with us. But it is a well known fact that material, repairs and mechanics are so scarce that a serious breakdown could mean the shutdown of our plant at any time.

Let us repeat that we do not anticipate any serious mechanical trouble. We are equipped to correct and repair any minor breakdown—and we propose to keep our plant in efficient operation so long as it is humanly possible. We will not withhold any expense in keeping the plant in constant operation so long as repairs and mechanics are available. But, should the time come that it will be impossible to keep it in operation, we do not feel that we should be held responsible for any loss of foodstuffs that might occur.

We pledge our very best and constant efforts in giving our customers the best of service, but we do not feel that our customers will expect us to do the impossible in repairing any unforeseen breakdown that simply cannot be repaired, due to inability to get parts and mechanical service.

We are anxious to maintain efficient service, and we are more than anxious to keep all our customers, but we cannot promise the impossible. We are making this public announcement in order that our customers may be advised in due time. We feel that it is the only course left open to us in the face of existing conditions.

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Local Happenings

Yuletide Musical To Be Given Dec. 20

Mrs. Florence Millwee Vinyard, local representative of the West Texas Conservatory of Musical Arts, announces a Yuletide musical to be presented by her piano students on Sunday afternoon, Dec. 20.

The program will be held in the home of Mrs. Vinyard in Farwell, and will begin at 4:30, Central War Time.

Selections for the afternoon have been chosen to fit the season, Mrs. Vinyard announces.

Appearing on the program will be Julian Keeter, Morris Caldwell, Darlene Kay Sprawls, Jane Clair Overstreet, Patsy Patton, Barbara Jones, Betty Hillhouse, Joan Williams, Joan Allison, Bobby Lou Ford, Sarah Virginia Carter, Irene and Laura Jaquess, Gloria Kepley, Sarah Frances Tidwell, Eudell Houston, O. L. Thompson Jr., Rosamond Booth, Billie Jean Patton, Tommy Randol, Jean Ann Hart, Dot McGahan, Mary Latrille Hicks, La Honda Wells, Marian Frieden, Emma Jean and Peggy June Rogers, Jeston and Sylvia Holt.

McCuan-Inman Wedding Held In Tucumcari

On November 30 Mrs. Nora Inman of Bovina became the bride of Dr. J. M. McCuan of this city, the vows being read by the Baptist minister in Tucumcari, N. M.

Dr. McCuan, well known here, has been a resident of Parmer county for 22 years, and is an active practitioner in the county. Mrs. Inman has been a county resident for 30 years.

Dr. and Mrs. McCuan are making their home in Farwell.

Farwell Faculty Has Yuletide Social

Members of the Farwell faculty with wives and husbands as guests, enjoyed a Christmas party in the home economics building last Friday evening. Hostesses were faculty wives.

Various games were enjoyed and gifts exchanged with Mrs. A. W. Johnson acting as Santa Claus.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. McCuiston, Mr. and Mrs. Craig Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. Loren West, Mrs. Pat Terry, Mrs. V. S. Page, Miss Dorothy Shaw, Mrs. Clyde Barton and Mrs. A. W. Johnson.

Mrs. Smith Hostess To Wesley Class, 15th

A Christmas social was held Tuesday afternoon by members and guests of the Wesley Class of the Methodist Church with Mrs. A. D. Smith as hostess in her home.

The house was beautifully decorated in traditional Yuletide style, and on the mantel were arranged nests of large pine cones sent Mrs. Smith from Florida.

In the business session, Mrs. A. D. Smith was named president, Mrs. O. B. Pipkin selected secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Roy B. Ezell, teacher, and Mrs. Anne Overstreet, assistant teacher.

Following the social hour, the exchange of gifts from the decorated tree was observed, after which the hostess served a delicious refreshment plate to Mesdames B. N. Graham, G. W. Atchley, E. G. Blair, Will Ingram, Anne H. Overstreet, B. E. Nobles, J. H. Barger, Roy B. Ezell, O. B. Pipkin, Ralph Humble, Floyd Park, Minnie Leftwich, J. H. Nabors and S. C. Hunter.

Voco Club Will Have Concert At Bovina

The Bovina "Voco" Club, composed of students from the Mattie Mae Swisher Studio of singing, will present a Christmas concert in the Bovina school auditorium on Dec. 23 at 2:40 p. m.

The program will consist of appropriate solos, duets and ensemble selections, interspersed with a number of old Christmas carols from many countries.

Students to take part on the program include Pattie Wilson, Betty Jo Nichols, Mary Lou Ayres, Martha and Willie Ellen Williams, Rosa Lee and Willie Denny, Dorothy Rhodes and Jimmy Charles. Pianists will be Mrs. W. O. Cherry and Mrs. John Wilson.

Mens Club Host On Thursday Night

The Texico-Farwell Men's Club will act as host Thursday evening of this week at a supper and social, at which time wives of the members will be special guests.

Miss Dorothy Shaw, Farwell home economics teacher, is in charge of arrangements for the supper, the affair to be held in the homemaking building. Following the meal, a social hour will be enjoyed.

Guests and members are asked to be on hand at 8 o'clock.

Victory Program At Oklahoma Lane

A special Victory Program, at which the sale of war bonds and stamps is to be promoted, will be given on Thursday night, Dec. 17, in the Oklahoma Lane school building, to begin at 8:30.

On the program will be: music by the Hardage boys, a talk by Judge Lee Thompson; number by the primary grade; piano solo by Billy Bentley; flag drill by 3rd and 4th graders; song by high school chorus; poem, "The Unknown Soldier"; piano solo by Bobbie Kent;

A stunt by the Lee twins, a quartet arranged by Mrs. Roberson; number by 5th and 6th graders; solo by Gladys Hudson; string music, announcement; trio by high school girls; naming of committees; "Patriotism", Melvin Sudderth; and a song by the audience.

The public is cordially invited.

Leaguers Enjoy Christmas Social

Misses Twila and Jaquetta Strickland acted as hostesses in their home last Friday evening, with members of the Methodist League enjoying a Christmas social.

Various games were arranged for entertainment, at the conclusion of which hot chocolate and fruit cake was served.

Attending were Rev. and Mrs. Paul H. Tripp, Joan Booth, Bernice Hodges, Wanda Boss, Dick Bobst, Miggins Graham, Duane Sprawls, Clifton Henderson and the hostesses.

Guild Party Will Be Held Tonight

A Yuletide party for members of the Wesleyan Guild of the Methodist Church will be given tonight (Wednesday) in the home of Mrs. John Porter.

All members are urged to be on hand at 8 o'clock for the social. An exchange of gifts will be observed, the price limit set at 50c, officials of the Guild stated.

Here For Holidays

Jack Dunn, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dunn is expected to arrive here today for the Christmas furlough from New Mexico Military Institute at Roswell.

CARD OF THANKS

To our many friends and neighbors who came to our assistance in our recent loss in the death of our father, C. W. C. Gallmeier, may we take this means of expressing our most sincere appreciation. Your words of sympathy, acts of kindness and floral offerings will be gratefully remembered.

Freda and Bill Gallmeier
Mrs. L. H. Hoffman
Mrs. Herman Scaueler
Mrs. Robert Schueler
Mrs. A. Koeltzow.

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Fourth Sunday in Advent
Sunday School and Bible class at 10:45.

Divine Service at 11:30.
No instruction class Sunday.
Practice for children's Christmas program at 2:30.

Ladies Aid' Christmas party on Wednesday at 3 p. m., home of J. A. Kaltwasser. Preceded by a short business meeting at 2:30. All ladies of St. John's are cordially invited to attend.

Sunday School teachers meet on Thursday night at J. A. Kaltwasser's. The Walther League of St. John's will again have a Christmas display. It will be in the south window of the Red Cross drug store in Texico.

Miss DeAlva White, who is in government work at Odessa, Tex., spent the past weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude White. She returned to her work at Odessa on Monday.

See Gaines & Elliott, Bovina, for furniture, Coleman floor furnaces and oil heaters. 5-2tc

Mrs. Hayden Cason, who has spent the past two months in Illinois with her husband, arrived here last Thursday for an indefinite stay with relatives. Cason has been moved to a Florida Army camp.

Mrs. W. A. Kessie spent the weekend visiting her parents and other relatives in Shamrock, Tex.

For best prices on furniture, floor furnaces and gas heaters, see Gaines & Elliott Bovina. 5-2tc

Mr. and Mrs. Marty Ezell and daughter, Gaylon Joy, of Muleshoe, visited here during the weekend with relatives.

Mrs. J. B. Coltharpe has moved this week to Ricardo, N. M., where she will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Andy Fletcher, and family. Mrs. Fletcher was here on Monday assisting her mother in the move.

NEWS FROM OUR BOYS IN CAMPS



HAWAII IS O. K., BUT—

A card from Billy Banks, now stationed in the Hawaiian Islands, received locally this week, reads "The scenery here is beautiful, but I would trade it for Farwell scenery any old day".

JOINS AIR FORCES

Howard Ham, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Ham of this city, who enlisted recently has been assigned to Shepard Field, Tex., from where he writes that he is definitely in the Air Corps now. He has not as yet received his assignment but predicts that he will be in the ground forces.

BROWN IN NAVY

Perry T. Brown, former county attorney of Parmer county, has joined the Navy and is receiving training at Portsmouth Va. Friends here revealed this week that Brown had a number of years in the Navy before coming to Parmer county several years ago.

EXPERT RIFLEMAN

James Ford, son of Ross Ford, has recently been awarded the "expert rifleman" merit of the Army. Ford scored 97 out of a possible 100, getting 17 bulls-eyes out of 20 from a 200-foot range with an automatic rifle, in both kneeling and sitting positions. He is a graduate of the Oklahoma Lane high school, and has been in the Army only since Nov. 7. At present he is located in Alabama, his father states.

IN LUBBOCK

Tom Caldwell and Bill Roberts, both local boys in training in the Air Forces, have been recently moved to the Lubbock flying base, it is learned here from relatives.

JOINS NAVAL CADETS

Morris Edwin Martin, son of Mrs. Jim Martin of Fort Worth, has been selected for training as a Naval Aviation Cadet and will be ordered to active duty shortly. Morris Ed is a former Farwell boy and graduate of the local high school. He attended Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene for two years.

When ordered to active duty, he will report to the U. S. Navy Pre-Flight School at Athens, Ga., for three months of physical conditioning, instruction in naval essentials, military drill and ground school subjects. On completion he will be sent to one of the Navy's numerous reserve bases for primary flight training.

Draft Board Passes On 84 Classifications

The Parmer County Selective Service board Sunday passed on the classification of 84 registrants, many of whom were moved from one classification bracket to another.

Under new Selective Service regulations, all men who have been previously classified in III-A are being reconsidered with the view of placing them in either II-C or III-C, as necessary men in agriculture. The first 200 registrants were reconsidered at Sunday's meeting, with the result that 22 men were listed as essential men on the farms in this county.

Classifications for the afternoon session included the following: 1-A, 33; 1-C, 8; 2-A, 1; 2-B, 3; 2-C, 10; 3-A, 1; 3-B, 9; 3-C, 12; 4-F, 5; temporary 1-A pending physical examinations, 2. Those ordered to take their physical examinations are John Peter Andries Drager, Clements John Novak.

Students Push Sale Of Bonds, Stamps

Students at the Farwell school hung up a good record for sale of war bonds and stamps during "Pearl Harbor" week, Supt. J. T. Carter reports.

A grand total of \$478.40 was issued in stamps and bonds to the students at Farwell, averaging \$2.04 per capita.

The sale was distributed as follows:

Seniors	\$ 19.25
Juniors	394.25
Sophomores	5.30
Freshmen	2.60
6th and 7th	3.05
5th and 5th	5.75
2nd and 3rd	43.75
1st and 2nd	44.5

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Gifts Galore

We advise you to visit our Gift Shop at an early date and make your selections while the stock is reasonable complete. Give something practical this Christmas. Gifts for every member of the family in our collection.

RED CROSS PHARMACY

No. 10 Stamp Is Redeemable Today

The current sugar stamp, No. 10 in War Ration Book No. 1, became valid for purchase of the staple at midnight last night (Tuesday).

Attaches at the local ration office announce that the stamp will be redeemable for a period of six weeks, with the allotment the same as in the past—one-half pound per person each week—which means the stamp will draw three pounds when turned in at a grocery store.

Sugar certificates for boys home on furlough from the armed forces may be obtained by calling at ration offices, it is announced, at the rate of one-half pound per week.

Mrs. Woodrow Lovelace left the past Thursday for Enid, Okla., to remain through Christmas with her husband, stationed there with the armed forces.

O. B. Pipkin, who is in defense work in Amarillo, was a visitor in Farwell during the weekend.

IS JAP PRISONER

Information has been received to the effect that Capt. John Foster Beale, formerly of Clovis, is a Japanese prisoner in the Philippines. Capt. Beale is a member of a large force of Clovis men believed held in that area. His wife, the former Miss Emily Minter of Farwell, is now teaching in El Paso. This is the first word from her husband since Corregidor fell.

REMEMBERS EDITOR

Nelson C. Smith, rural route carrier out of Farwell, divided his Christmas goodies with the editor's family this week, in the form of some nice grapefruit, oranges, tangerines . . . and one large lemon, explaining that the latter was for us personally. He received two large baskets of the citrus fruits from a friend in the Rio Grande Valley this week.

Miss Johnnie Hillhouse has gone to Amarillo, where she has secured work at the Pantex plant.



PLAN NOW TO EAT

Turkey Dinner

With Us on

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 23rd

Due to the fact that most of our regulars will not be here for Christmas, we are serving our Turkey Dinner on the above date.

Make your plans now to eat with us on Dec. 23rd.

We will be closed all day Christmas.

Farwell Cafe



No shortage of Flowers...

War activities will make your gift problem harder than ever to solve this year, but you may be assured of one thing . . . there will be flowers galore! Every kind, size and shape, each more beautiful than the next . . . so give generously . . . give flowers for Christmas!

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To My Patrons

I WANT you to know that your co-operation throughout the past fifteen years I have served as Rural Carrier on Route One has been deeply appreciated. I have endeavored to render faithful service to you and to my Government, and I expect to continue giving you and our Government the very best service that it is humanly possible for me to render as long as I serve either in any capacity.

Despite the worldwide, savage conflict which confronts us now, and despite the fact that there will be many vacancies at our Christmas tables this year, it is wholly fitting to take time out and extend peaceful Yuletide greetings to one another, for we must have always in mind the age-old Divine admonition to strive for peace on earth and good will to all men.

In the hope that when another Christmas Season rolls around we shall have completely subdued the current pagan disturbers of the peace, I take great pleasure in extending to you and my friends everywhere my sincere good wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Nelson C. Smith

Rural Carrier, Farwell, Texas.



Announcement

We wish to announce that Floyd Francis has accepted the position as shop foreman with our firm and is now in active charge.

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NEWS from
YOUR COUNTY HOME DEMONSTRATION AGENT
TEXAS EXTENSION SERVICE



By Garlon A. Harper
County Agent

Texas A. & M. Extension Service

It appears that many people who are keeping a small flock of chickens in town and some in the country are having more trouble than usual in getting the hens to lay this year. There are probably several reasons for this complaint. Probably the most important is that these hens never did lay but the owners are just noticing it more this year than usual. Another reason is probably that the owners are so anxious for the hens to lay, this year, since egg prices are so high, that they are taking better than usual care of them and think they are doing the right thing when their extra care is not getting the job done.

We certainly don't mean by this that extra care is not needed. More care is needed than most of these small flocks are getting but this care must be in the right direction. For instance, feeding hens a lot of grain with the hope that they will lay well in return is not the right care. Too much grain will keep hens from laying, rather than making them lay. Hens should receive a laying mash of about 18% protein all the time. Then they should receive only about a gallon of grain per hundred birds per day. Chickens just naturally like grain. When they can get all the grain they want they will not eat enough mash to make them lay and then they will get fat. Fat hens do not lay. It is not that they don't lay because they are fat but rather they are fat because they don't lay. Hens that get all the grain they want and can't be cut off from it should have a higher protein mash. This can be made by mixing 100 lbs. of poultry concentrate with 100 lbs. of shorts. This is a high protein mixture and should be used only when hens have free access of all the grain they want.

If our hens are going to lay they must have a warm house free from drafts. They must have warm water. A good idea is to give them warm water from the house about twice a day during cold spells. If hens are closed up in the house and out of cold weather for any length of time they should have some codliver oil mixed with their feed to give them the vitamin D they are missing from lack of sunshine. Keep 'em clean, warm, well fed and free from parasites and they will lay if they have any laying ability in them.

IS THERE A MEAT SHORTAGE?

By Elsie Cunningham
Home Demo. Agent

Extension Service, Texas A. & M. During the past few days your block or neighborhood leader has been around to discuss the Share-the-Meat program with you. Your leader has no doubt pointed out some of the reasons why our govern-

ment is asking all of us to keep our meat consumption within 2½ lbs. per person per week.

Perhaps you have been a little reluctant to promise your leader that you and your family will help out by cutting down on meat in your meals.

Perhaps you feel as one Parmer County citizen does who was talking with a group the other day and said he couldn't see any use in meat rationing—voluntary or otherwise.

Yes, Parmer County does have plenty meat available. We don't have to drive very far in any direction in the county to see beautiful Whiteface yearlings grazing contentedly, or we see sheep, or hogs, or chickens. We have plenty of meat, but whether or not we have a right to use it is another question.

On the other hand, perhaps you are in the same situation that a lot of other people are in. Perhaps you had a habit of eating bacon and eggs for breakfast until recently—now you go to the market and find the butcher's case much like Mother Hubbard's cupboard—at least there is no ham, bacon or sausage. Well, that's not too serious and most of us go on our way saying, "If it will help to win the war I'll do without breakfast bacon from now on."

Let us look behind the Parmer County line to see what the situation is. Are any Texas people affected? I understand there has been no meat available in Houston since November, Dallas and Ft. Worth are also without meat, at times, as is Amarillo.

Next let us consider other parts of our U. S. A. I had a letter from a friend on the West Coast and she said, "When I go out to post this letter I shall allow time to scout the neighborhood for meat. We have had no fresh meat of any kind for over 10 days—if I find no meat we'll have sardines again and how I hate them." So you see, people right in the U. S. A. My friend and perhaps your friends. Do we want to share the meat with other Americans?

I am sure you feel as I do about this. If you want information about ways to extend your allotted 2½ lbs. of meat, or a list of foods to use as alternates for meat, or need recipes for the variety meat just drop me a card and I'll do my best to help.

Many Parmer County people are doing their fall butchering now. Let us plan to use every bit of the hog—even the liver, heart, kidneys, sweetbreads, tongue and brains.

Have you ever cooked liver this way? Perhaps you will want to clip this out of the paper and try it some time.

Braised Liver With Vegetables

1 lb. pork liver, 2 T. flour, 3-4 t. salt, 1-8 t. pepper, 4 T. lard, 2 scraped carrots, diced; 6 pared potatoes, diced; 1 diced onion, 1 cup tomato juice, 1 cup boiling water.

Cut liver in 2 in. squares. Roll

Texico Downs Clovis

INTEREST TO FARMERS—
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as much as possible any need for re-shipping or cross-hauling of new machinery or equipment.

Criteria by which the state board is allocating machinery and equipment to counties include consideration of labor supply, type of crops and existing supplies of used machinery and equipment. Similar factors will be used by county rationing committees in distributing the limited quotas to farmers.

Other types of machinery being distributed now include 4 potato planters, diggers and sorters; 1,246 listers, with and without planting attachments; and 22 manure spreaders.

Selected machines will be allocated later, it was said.

Attention, Farmers!

December 31 is the closing date for accepting 1942 warehouse on farm storage wheat loans. The regulations provide that all indirect loans be tendered to the appropriate lending agency prior to this date. In the case of direct loans, it is required that loan documents must be delivered in person to the Region Director of Commodity Credit Corporation prior to Jan. 1, or if mailed postmarked prior to Jan. 1, 1942. Farmers who have wheat on hand which they desire to place under the loan should contact the local AAA office in time to complete their loan prior to the closing date since no loans will be made after that date.

New Price Ceilings Released By OPA

To make sure that housewives can obtain supplies of holiday and seasonal food products, the OPA has issued a new pricing formula by which retailers and wholesalers will be able to restock, and a quantity of bulletins explaining this new formula is now available at the Parmer County Board office, in Farwell.

The two new regulations, one for use by wholesalers and the other by retailers, permit distributors generally to use the same percentage markup over cost in 1942 which they used on the articles in 1941.

Use of the new pricing method is mandatory for all retailers and wholesalers and for this reason food merchants in Parmer county are advised to obtain copies of the explanatory bulletin as soon as possible from the board office.

Seasonal regulations are intended to establish ceiling prices on many commodities not sold during March and apply to the following products: mince meat, plum pudding, fig pudding, date pudding, Christmas cookies, fruit cake, holiday candy, chocolate covered cherries, sweet apple cider, glazed or candied fruits and peels, stuffed dried fruits, dried figs, pure sorghum syrup, pitted and macerated dates and date products.

squares in combined flour, salt and pepper. Brown in fat. Remove from fat. Put carrots, potatoes and onions in pan, brown slightly. Add liver, tomato juice and boiling water to vegetables. Cover and simmer gently on top of range for 1½ hours. Thicken gravy if desired.

How about this combination to finish out the meal? Braised liver with vegetables, fruit salad, whole wheat rolls with butter, baked cup custard with berry sauce and milk.

A smaller but scrappier group of Texico Wolverines downed the visiting Clovis Bobcats the past Friday night, 23-20, in a game staged on the Texico court.

Surprise of the game to most fans was the manner in which the locals completely shackled Billy Dunn, all-state player of the Clovis squad, the first time Dunn had been held this season. He made exactly no tallies before leaving the game on fouls in the second quarter.

Throughout the game, Texico had the upper hand, with the score at 15-6 at half-time. During the final minutes Clovis approached the Texico score after slowly overcoming a 10-point lead held by the locals.

Strong on both offense and defense for Clovis was Whitley, who took scoring honors with 12 points. Bowers, tall Texico player, was next for scoring honors as he bagged 11.

This was the second defeat in a row handed the Clovis team, the Texico squad, on the other hand, has beaten Ranchvale and Pleasant Hill while losing to Farwell.

Clovis B Team Wins

The first game of the evening was a Clovis win, with the B team burying Texico 41-17. Gunnels headed the victor's assault with 11 points.

Play Ranchvale

The Ranchvale teams will be hosts to Texico on Thursday evening, Coach C. E. Sanders said today, in return matches of the season.

Both first and second string teams will engage in contests during the evening. Texico has previously defeated Ranchvale, and local fans are hoping for a repeat performance.

Dairy Improvement Plan Launched Here

A movement to consider ways and means of improving dairy stock in Parmer County has been recently launched, with the issuance of questionnaires to stockmen from the office of County Agent Garlon A. Harper.

Harper stated that the purpose of the questionnaires was to determine the number of farmers interested in forming a "bull pool" for the county as a cooperative means of providing a good sire for county herds.

"Through such a pool," he pointed out, "a number of farmers who are not otherwise financially able to do so may avail themselves of the use of a good sire, and in addition, the group will consider securing some foundation female stock for county herds."

Any farmer in the county interested in the movement is invited to talk to the agent in his office in Farwell.

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



Economy Buying!



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Fox Drug Store

TO TULIA

County Agent Garlon A. Harper spent Tuesday in Tulia, attending a sub-district meeting of Extension workers. At this time the subject for discussion was based on control of cattle grubs, Harper stated.

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- PAPER NAPKINS—3 pkgs. 25c
- BREAD—All. reg. size, 3 for 25c
- WASHING POWDER—Ivory Flakes,
Ivory Snow, Supersuds, large 25c
- HONEY—5 lb. extracted 89c
- SYRUP—Crystal White, gal. 69c, ½ gal 37c
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