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Mills County Fifth Livestock Raisers' Show Here Tomorrow

P.-T. A. Is Sponsoring Book Shower For School Library

Would you like to make a boy or girl happy? Would you like to give something to your school that would help the boys and girls both mentally and morally? If you would, then bring or send a good book to the P.-T. A. or to the school library, Wednesday, January 14, to be used in the library of the high school or grammar school.

The library committee is sponsoring a book shower and we hope everyone in the school district will want to donate one or more books. The book doesn't have to be new. A favorite that has been read and reread will be enjoyed over and over again at school. Some of you have children who have grown up and gone away leaving idle books that will bring happiness to "today's children."

Start the new year right, clean out your book shelves and find a book or books to send or bring to the school library. Any good book will be appreciated but the teachers have suggested that books by the following authors are greatly needed:

- List of Authors**
- Louisa May Alcott.
 - Lewis Carroll.
 - James Otis.
 - Anna Sewell.
 - Mark Twain.
 - Eugene Field.
 - Robert Louis Stevenson.
 - Johanna Spyri.
 - Rudyard Kipling.
 - Earnest Thompson Seton.
 - Sir James Barrie.
 - Gene Stratton Porter.
 - Daniel Defoe.
 - C. Callodi.
 - Hans Christian Anderson.
 - Aesop.
 - Jack London.
 - Johann R. Wyss.
 - Charles Kingsley.
 - Grimm Brothers.
 - Joel Chandler Harris.
 - Mary Mapes Dodge.
 - Booth Tarkington.
 - Kate Douglas Wiggin.
 - Zane Grey.
 - James Oliver Curwood.
 - Eleanor H. Porter.

New Registration Date Set For February 16

All Men 20 to 44, Inclusive Affected; Lottery To Follow

By proclamation of the President Monday, the new national registration date for men between ages of 20 and 44, inclusive, has been set for February 16. Registration between the hours of 7 a. m. and 9 p. m. will take place in all states of the United States and all its possessions.

A draft lottery, as before, is expected to follow soon after the registration of approximately nine million men. A later registration is expected for men between 18 and 20 and from 44 to 64, to be used if needed in non-combat service. A new questionnaire is being prepared that will develop more information on special abilities of the registrants.

The Mills County registration will be under the supervision of the Mills County Selective Service Board, and volunteers to hold the registration in every voting precinct in Mills County, asked for last week, are being tabulated by Clerk Omar Shaw.

- Charles Dickens.
John Galsworthy.
Nathaniel Hawthorne.
Washington Irving.
George Elliot.
James Fennimore Cooper.
Swifts "Gullivers Travels."
Milton's "Paradise Lost."
Spencer's "Fairly Queen."
John Bunyan.

MILLS COUNTY RED CROSS CHAPTER ELECTS OFFICERS

Communities Go Over Top In County Donations Listed

A meeting of the Mills County Red Cross was held the 6th day of January at 2:30 p. m. at the office of Judge R. J. Gerald, for the purpose of electing officers. The meeting was called to order by Chairman H. G. Bodkin and the following officers were nominated and elected for the year 1942:

- Chairman — Bryan Smith.
Vice Chairman — E. T. Fairman.
Secretary — Treasurer, Claudia Carroll.
Volunteer Chairman — Annie Coleman.
Production Chairman — Mrs. Whittaker.
Membership Chairman — Mrs. W. E. Miller.
Service Chairman — L. B. Porter.
Home Nursing — Gertrude Rauchs.
War Fund Chairman — Neal Dickerson.
Camp and Hospital Service — Mrs. John Foster.
First Aid Chairman — Gene Dickerson.
Chairman, Red Cross Chapter, Mrs. E. E. Dickerson.
President — Mrs. E. E. Dickerson.
Junior Red Cross Chairman —

- Mrs. Euna V. Barnett.
Defense Foods and Nutrition — Miss Brammer.
Motor Corps — Floyd Blair.

Community	Quota	Amt. Given
Goldthwaite	\$765.00	\$908.19
Lee Long	5.00	
Arnold Sloan	5.00	
D. Sewell	2.00	
M. L. Casbeer	5.00	
W. F. Ketchum	25	
Claude Smith	1.50	
Jess Tullios	3.00	
Le Roy Miller	1.00	
Mills Co. Cold Storage	10.00	
D. D. Tate	1.00	
W. C. Barnett	2.00	
Bessie Crews	1.00	
Jesse Rose	50	
Hugh Moreland	50	
Mrs. Lewis Gartman	5.00	
L. B. Porter	1.00	
E. L. Johnson	50	
Wiley Mahan	50	
F. M. Stevens	1.00	
Barney McCullough	15.00	
Paul McCullough	5.00	
Weldon Summy	1.00	
Curdis Long	15.00	
Hill Top Grocery	10.00	
Barton Smith	2.00	
Homer Smith	1.00	
Hammon Bodkin	10.00	
D. W. Morgan	25	
Sam Morris	10	
W. E. Miller	10	
Mrs. Roy Delle	10	
Mrs. E. E. Dickerson	2.00	

DRIVERS' LICENSE

Look At Your Drivers' License

If the Serial Number is less than 450,000 it expired the first of January, 1942. If between 450,000 and 900,000 they expire March 31st, 1942, 900,001 and 1,350,000 expires June 30 1942. All the rest expire November 1, 1942.

For Your Convenience Most of the Mills County Licenses Do Not Expire Until November 1, 1942.

In the event you have lost your license you may use the renewal blank, fill out and send in as though you had your old license, except where the number of old license, write with pencil "Lost," and county secured in. Send regular fee of fifty cents and you will receive your license.

A supply of renewal blanks and envelopes will be available at all times in the corridor of the Mills County Court House and a sample to go by. Please read the directions and you can fill out your application yourself and send in. The Examiner will be in Goldthwaite each "THURSDAY" Morning from 8:30 to 12:00 A. M.

'WE ALL'

Remember Pearl Harbor

Before December Seventh, in thinking of Defense Bonds, most of us thought in terms of 'I,' others in terms of 'We.' 'I,' represents only one person, 'We,' may mean only two or a very few.

'We All' means every one of US. (U. S.)

'We All' have one of the biggest jobs NOW that we have ever had.

'We All' have the job of furnishing our boys with ships, planes, tanks, fuel and ammunition.

'We All' must help our boys defeat Hitler and Japan, start now BUY DEFENSE BONDS, then buy more.

GROVER DALTON,
Chairman Mills County.

Tire Rationing Board For Mills County Appointed

A. T. Pribble Heads Most Important County War Board

Acting together, the Civil Defense Coordinators of Mills County, consisting of Mayor Frank Shelton of Mullin, Mayor H. G. Bodkin of Goldthwaite, and County Judge R. J. Gerald, appointed a tire rationing board for Mills County. The board members are A. T. Pribble, chairman; Frank R. Hines, and J. R. Parker. Instructions for the board arrived today, January 7. The board will office in the court house at Goldthwaite. This is one of the most important boards that has come into existence as result of the war. All tire purchases will have to pass through the scrutiny of this board before any purchases can be made.

According to the plan which the governor received, a "dollar a year" state supervisor would be appointed by the state defense council, of which the governor is chairman. This supervisor would in turn appoint boards for each county, of not more than three men to a board. To get a tire, any motorist would have to make a sworn application to the tire rationing board in his county. This board would determine the need of the individual, and either reject or approve the application. If the application is approved, a certificate will be issued to the individual, and this certificate would be taken to the dealer to obtain the tire.

The final regulations so will be non-transferable to other counties, the governor said.

Tire Rationing Expected To Increase Thefts

Owners Urged To Keep Identification Record; Lock Doors

Federal tire rationing regulations are due to cause an immediate increase in thefts of tires from parked cars, whether such cars are left on the city streets, in residential driveways, or in family garages.

This statement was made Monday by Chief of Police Aubrey Hopkins, of San Antonio, as he urged automobile owners to take every conceivable precaution to prevent such thefts.

The fact that a ring of tire thieves is now known to be operating in San Antonio was disclosed Sunday by an official of the department.

Identification Necessary

"The fact that automobile tires soon may not be available for civilian use is bound to make tire thievery a lucrative enterprise," the chief said.

"When preventive measures fail," Chief Hopkins said, citizens must be able to identify stolen goods in case of recovery, else it cannot be returned.

"Positive identification of tires only may be made when the owner can present a record of the make, the serial number and the size of the tire reported stolen.

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County Politics Warms As Many Candidates Enter

Experienced Men Needed This Year To Aid Government

The week-long cold spell in which the thermometer has registered as low as six degrees above zero — has been offset some this week by the warming up of politics in Goldthwaite and Mills County.

Experienced and tried men are needed this election more than ever before to help the government carry on the war effort, and no doubt more attention and care will be taken in the selection of officials to fill all positions.

The following candidates have authorized the Eagle to announce they are in the race, and their formal announcement will appear in next week's paper:

Penrose B. Metcalfe of San Angelo writes the Eagle he is in the race for state senator from the 25th Texas District and his announcement will appear soon.

In the race for county offices, County Judge R. J. Gerald is up for reelection, as are also County and District Clerk, Earl Summy and County Treasurer Mrs. W. L. Burks.

For the office of Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector there are three candidates. Sheriff Hearn Harris is in the race for reelection, and will be opposed by William B. Huggins and Wiley L. Mahan.

Judge Jim Rahl has announced that he is running for reelection to the office of Justice of the Peace of Precinct One.

The Eagle has been authorized to state that three present county commissioners are in the running for reelection, and their announcements will appear next week. They are Jess Y. Tullios for Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, J. A. Hamilton for Commissioner Precinct No. 2, and W. L. Barker for Commissioner Precinct No. 3. Announcement will appear next week for L. A. (Loyt) Roberts as a candidate for Commissioner of Precinct No. 4.

POLITICAL Announcements

The Eagle is authorized to make the following announcements, subject to the Democratic Primary Election July 25, 1942:

For State Senator,
PENROSE B. METCALFE.
For County Judge,
R. J. GERALD.
(Re-election)

For County and District Clerk,
EARL SUMMY.
(Re-election)

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector:
J. HERN HARRIS.
(Re-election)

WILEY L. MAHAN.
For County Treasurer,
MRS. W. L. BURKS.
(Re-election)

For Justice of Peace,
Precinct One,
JIM RAHL.
(Re-election)

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:
JESS Y. TULLIOS.
(Re-election)

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2:
J. A. HAMILTON.
(Re-election)

For Commissioner Precinct No. 3:
W. L. BARKER.
(Re-election)

For Commissioner Precinct No. 4:
L. A. ROBERTS.
(Re-election)

Everything In Readiness For Big Breeders' Exhibition Show

Goldthwaite Lions Club In First Meet Of The New Year

Red Cross First Aid Class Will Soon Be Finished

The Goldthwaite Lions Club had their first meeting for 1942 at the M. E. Church. There was no program at this time. The club attended to business matters. Lion J. A. Wright, Mills County Agent made a talk on the Mills County Livestock Association, which will have a livestock show here January 10 and wanted the cooperation of the Lions Club. The club will help in any way they can as this show is to help Mills County to breed better livestock which pays bigger dividends. Lion Barnett reported on The American Red Cross First Aid School. They like only 2 lessons finishing the course and the club wants to thank Walter Summy for his splendid teaching of this class. The club passed a motion to collect all club fines in defense stamps.

POST OFFICE LOBBY TO CLOSE AT 9:30

NOTICE TO POST OFFICE PATRONS:

Owing to the emergency, or crisis, we have been ordered by the Post Office Department to close the Post Office Lobby at 9:30 p. m. until further orders from the department.
L. B. PORTER,
Acting Postmaster,
Goldthwaite.

What the Mills County Home Demonstration Clubs Are Doing In The National Emergency

Claude R. Wickard, secretary of Agriculture said, "Food is a whole arsenal of weapons in this struggle for human freedom. It is the driving force behind high production by munitions workers, and top notch performance and strong morale among soldiers and sailors. Food will win the war and write the peace." Since food is so important the Mills County Home Demonstration Clubs have selected the theme of, "Food for Defense," for the 1942 year books. Sub-headings include agriculture's part in home and national defense and stress will be placed on increased production and consumption of milk and milk products. Naturally, this will make all members health conscious and plans to score herself and her family by health measuring stick by emphasizing proper food, sufficient rest, correct health habits, correct posture and better grooming. The nation is just as strong as each of its citizens, as each citizen is determined to do his part through the production of food. The nation is just as strong as each of its citizens, as each citizen is determined to do his part through the production of food. The nation is just as strong as each of its citizens, as each citizen is determined to do his part through the production of food.

Catalogues for the Annual Livestock Raisers' Show, to be held Saturday, January 10, behind Bob Steen's hardware, may be obtained in the County Agents Office. They are being called for by many people and those wishing to have one, should get it at their earliest convenience.

The tent in which the show will be held in has been erected, and exhibitors may bring their stock in, January 9th. The pens have also been set up, and stoves will burn all night in the tent to assure the best of conditions for livestock.

Many people from adjoining counties have sent in entries for the show, and it is the wishes of the Livestock Raisers' Association of Mills County, that a large group of people attend the show. Rain or snow, the show goes on.

JANUARY 9TH — Livestock may be brought in and placed under tent if it is convenient, a breeder.

In order for our show to be a success everyone must cooperate and do his part. Remember the dates and places and help wherever you can.

The following is the program for the Mills County Livestock Raisers' Show and Breeders' Exhibition to be held in Goldthwaite tomorrow, Saturday, Jan. 10.

- PROGRAM**
- 9:00 a. m.—Official opening of show and introduction.
 - 9:30 a. m.—Goat judging.
 - 11:00 a. m.—Dairy cattle judging.
 - 12:30 p. m.—Noon.
 - 1:30 p. m.—Sheep judging.
 - 3:00 p. m. Hereford cattle judging.
 - 4:30 p. m.—Judges discussion.
- OFFICERS**
- F. C. Fox, President.
 - R. L. Steen, Vice President.
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GOLDTHWAITE HIGH SCHOOL HERALD

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SENIOR REPORT

Well, the holidays are over and old man winter is here in all his true colors, but the senior class is back ready to settle down to work in order to get ready for mid term.

The end of the first semester is rapidly approaching and to beware to those of you who have not put forth your best into the program toward the goal of a graduation diploma. At the end of this semester, we can display the real material of the 1942 senior class. Try to make that goal, seniors.

Another year is in the making. The new year has pushed old 1941 off the scene, but the scars that have been made during this historic year have been buried deep and caused the new year to have a more sincere meaning. We know, beyond doubt, that we are going to have to sacrifice, strive to do better and do our part toward making 1942 a better year. There is no way to get around the fact that before this year is over the majority of our class will be on our own either seeking jobs or working to train for a job in the future, we are becoming men and women and a great burden, one of the greatest, will be ours. Are we really ready to face it? Let's put our shoulders to the wheel and push together and remember, "When duty whispers low, thou must, the youth replies, I Can."

JUNIOR REPORT

We juniors are all back after the holidays and ready to work again. We really must work because mid term is just two weeks off.

We really gotta cram for mid term exam. Is the slogan of the junior class. We are sure we will all make it and come out on top. We welcome Miss Holt, our new geometry teacher.

THE DEBATE CLUB

The club is ready to get down to work after a most enjoyable vacation.

We have invited the debaters from Llano to come over and give us some practice December 10, Saturday. They accepted our invitation and the debates will be held in the Grammar School Auditorium.

We would like to have everyone interested in the welfare of our club to be present.

NEWSY NIP-UPS

The Christmas holidays are now a thing of the past and we must remember that our next vacation won't come until far-off May. The sweet little smile of Miss Neva Holt makes you feel good all over, even on a cold day. We welcome this new teacher to Goldthwaite. Heah—ah, so Slaughter's favorite color is red. They will last longer if you wash them in lux, Eloise—And Miss Gilmer went and got her name changed to Mrs. Thompson. But what's in a name? That which we call a rose would—(see Shakespeare) joy-killer: only a few more days until mid term exams—Beryle O. insists that her name is pronounced Burl and not Barrel.

PRESENTING

One of the most charming young ladies in our senior class. Cricket displays her winning smile everywhere she goes and I honestly believe she never really got angry in all her life. If so, she must have overcome her pent-up ire by becoming quieter and quieter. Dorothy Louise Eckert's appearance just matches her disposition, she is of medium height, has brown hair, and a pair of lovely blue eyes that peep forth from a flawless chocolate-cream complexion. Dorothy is a student that any class would be proud to have as a member. Like many other girls

of today she has decided upon nursing as her career. In doing this she feels she can best serve her country and we all wish you luck, Cricket.

PRESENTING

A very attractive energetic popular senior girl who is the daughter of Mrs. Lucille Fairman. Bobbie is known by everyone as a girl who is sweet humored, has a friendly attitude and a lovely personality. When she meets you, she always greets you by kinda—wrinkling up her nose and twinkling her eyes. She is another girl whom I have never seen angry and who is always willing to help anyone. Bobbie has been majorette, drum major and main pep leader. You can tell by that, that she is one of the most popular girls in high school. There is no need to describe Bobbie in any further detail because you will be sure to recognize her anywhere. Bobbie is now assistant editor of the High School Herald. She plans to study chemistry at Texas Christian University.

DOWN THE GUTTER

Don't look now—but here's that snoop again. Oh, yes. I ate just as much and studied (?) just as hard as the rest of you during the holidays but I was still able to sneak about to see all the happenings.

These soldier boys are simply more fun. So say Adelia and Jo. Why their heroes didn't give them a single night off—pardon—Shorty did have to remain on guard duty one night. But just one though.

Wilbur G. just loves to be shut up in dark closets, especially when a charming young lady is shut up with him!

Flash from our fifth column source!! We find that Patsy Shaw has a silent admirer. He is a long, tall, dark and handsome junior that goes by the name of Cash Curtis.

Larry Mc. has turned out to be a bachelor at heart. You better catch on fast, Macalee, or it will soon be too late.

Mary, we have a report that you and Walter don't seem to be doing so well. Maybe you had better move to Weatherford, Mary.

Burnsie is awfully downhearted now that Jack has moved. Who will it be next, Burns?

But Burnsie wasn't the only girl that was brokenhearted because Jack G. moved away. Bonnie Fern nearly cried her eyes out.

Wanda, don't tell us you and Stoddard are trying it again.

Dorothy Nell seemed to have a little competition during the holidays. Her Buddy was riding around a new girl in his old jelopy.

Pat, what were you and Mary Nell doing over at Brownwood Sunday night? Here we were thinking you were regular Sunday night church goers.

These soldiers! Billie Joe Sparkman is still that way over a good lookin' soldier boy. Is this your contribution to national defense, Billie Joe?

You know, we sure are wondering what was the cause of Claude Hershel, Burnsie, Adelaide, and Mary leaving study hall in such a hurry Monday morning? Looks mighty queer from here.

Claude C. is still falling hard for Imahea, or was that someone else we saw over at Shady Pause Tuesday night?

James, it's sho gettin' bad when you even answer to the name of Deola.

Benolse was very disappointed when she woke up Christmas morning and found that Santa had not left Elmer in her stocking.

Help Pearl Barber victims by giving to the RED CROSS.

The Center Point School Pointer

THE STAFF

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 Primary Reporter, Loretta Adams.

SENIOR NEWS (Lewis Conner)

We are sorry to say that we haven't had very good attendance this week, because of the cold weather. Everyone in the eighth, ninth and tenth grade was on the honor roll last week. We hope it will always be that way. Everyone is hoping for better attendance and fairer weather soon.

INTERMEDIATE NEWS (Frankie Lee Davee)

We are sorry that some of our classmates are absent today, and we hope they will be back soon. Our room is working on Health Posters and hope to finish them. All the pupils in our room were on the honor roll this month. In nature study, we are making animal units. Our English club will hold its regular meeting Friday and all members are especially urged to be present.

PRIMARY NEWS

We just had one pupil brave enough to face the cold wind this morning. It is a second grade pupil, C. W. Davee. We sure will be proud when the weather warms up some so we will have more in our room. We cannot find enough to do to keep us busy. We read, spell, work arithmetic, draw, read stories and still have time left.

CENTER POINT—JEWEL SPINKS

We have had the coldest spell this week that we have had all winter. It is hard on the livestock and other things. A little warm weather would do wonders.

Frank Davee and family spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Chessier at Mullin.

Henry Simpson and family have moved to Cisco. Mr. Jones, who bought his place has moved in.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hillhouse have moved closer to his work at Brownwood.

J. C. Wesson was brought home from the hospital last week. He seems to be improving right along.

Ruth Utzman was in Goldthwaite last Saturday. Alcy Utzman plans to stay where he is another year. He lives on the Saylor place.

Mrs. Davis visited among her children during Christmas, but has returned back to Mrs. Joe Spinks' where she is spending the winter.

Hubert Scrivner and wife have moved back from Dayton. They are living at Mullin now and he is working at Brownwood.

Joe Spinks has put him up a new wind mill. Mr. Renfro from town erected it for him.

Mrs. A. E. Hancock spent a few days last week with Mrs. G. L. Spinks.

There isn't any news this week. Everyone is getting back to work after the holidays.

PLEASANT GROVE By EDITH COVINGTON

As I did not get any Christmas comings and goings in, I'll send the latest happenings.

Reports from L. O. Kelley who is in the Legion hospital is that he is doing very well.

Mr. Verser who has been ill is some better.

The young people enjoyed a New Years party at Miss Jonell Wigleys' home.

Misses Mary Helen and Dorothy Cornelius returned home after spending a week with Mrs. Clark Miller.

Miss Syble Miller and Hubert Berry returned to college Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brite Berry and son, Colno Newton and wife visited relatives at Moline on Sunday.

L. B. Covington and family spent Sunday with the Griffin family.

Ray Berry and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. David Waters Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Virden and children spent Sunday with her mother and family near Star.

Levi Berry and family visited her parents Sunday.

Faye and Maydell Griffin and the Covington girls have been taking turns about waiting on the writer who is recovering from an attack of the "flu."

Mrs. Cagle returned Sunday from a stay at Glen Rose where she took treatments and is greatly improved.

Troy Berry returned to Liberty Hill to resume teaching.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Miller spent one night last week with their grandchildren while their parents were away.

To share in the final victory, give to the RED CROSS.

CENTER CITY—MRS. J. M. OGLESBY

Since so much news for the holidays I am sure much is crowded out of all papers.

We have had a happy holiday, not a merry one as we have been accustomed to, but seems all made the best of every day and realized that war clouds hovered over our country and for the children's future all must be brave.

Al Truman Langford, Raymond Casbeer and Don Geslin enjoyed several days with home folks the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Hendry and son, William Richard visited relatives in Arkansas. Mrs. Hendry's mother, a sister and a number of brothers who live in or near Hot Springs and they report a most enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Morris attended the 78th birthday dinner of her mother, Mrs. Holland in Goldthwaite Sunday. Mrs. Joe Doggett and daughter, Estelle, and friend from Coleman, Mark Holland and family from San Saba were present at the home of Mrs. Landamy. They enjoyed a turkey dinner and all good eats that go with it. May they enjoy many other such occasions together.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hancock of Gustine visited her mother, Mrs. Morris and family during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. DuPuy and son moved near Indian Gap.

J. J. J. Newton and family moved to McGirk after operating a filling station here the past year. They were good neighbors and will be missed very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Harbow, Mrs. Emma Casbeer and Carl have moved to Mrs. Casbeer's farm south of Center City.

Virginia Oglesby returned to Austin Sunday after spending the holidays with home folks.

Bud Kinchloe has been suffering with a badly infected arm.

The most appreciated present received out our way is light. R. E. A. finished a few days before Christmas and those who have them are getting adjusted. We have burned kerosene so long.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Waggoner visited her sister, Mrs. Sheldon and family Christmas. They visited relatives in Ranger during the holidays.

May the new year bring peace and happiness to all the world is our prayer.

ADLA TABLETS
 Relieve that Bloating Gassy Feeling
 HUDSON BROS., Druggists.

MAKE MONEY BY READING THE ADS

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE TRENT STATE BANK

At Goldthwaite, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 31st day of December 1941. Published in the Goldthwaite Eagle, a newspaper printed and published at Goldthwaite, State of Texas, on the 9th day of January, 1942.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts, on personal or collateral security	\$282,058.92
Securities of U. S., any State or political subdivision thereof	180,782.41
Customers' bonds held for safekeeping	43,600.00
Cash and due from approved reserve agents	517,836.50
TOTAL	\$1,024,277.83

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock	\$50,000.00
Surplus Fund	25,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	23,703.00
Due to banks and bankers, subject to check	579.68
Individual deposits subject to check, including time deposits due in 30 days	804,654.87
Public Funds, including Postal Savings	76,740.22
Customers' bonds deposited for safekeeping	43,600.00
TOTAL	\$1,024,277.83

STATE OF TEXAS—COUNTY OF MILLS:

We, E. T. Fairman, as President and Hulon Fletcher, Assistant Cashier, of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
 E. T. FAIRMAN, President.
 HULON FLETCHER, Assistant Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of January, A. D. 1942.

CLAUDIA CARROLL,
 (SEAL) Notary Public, Mills County, Texas

Correct—Attest:
 J. M. CAMPBELL,
 GROVER DALTON,
 N. E. STOCKTON,
 Directors.

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE TRENT STATE BANK OF GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS

As rendered to the Department of Banking at the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1941

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	\$282,058.92	Capital Stock	\$50,000.00
Cash and Exchange	\$517,836.50	Surplus and Profits	48,703.00
Bonds and Warrants	180,782.41	Deposits	881,974.83
	698,618.91		
TOTAL	\$980,677.83	TOTAL	\$980,677.83

WE CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE STATEMENT IS CORRECT
 E. T. FAIRMAN, President. GROVER DALTON, Cashier.

MEMBER FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION



ROTARY—KIWANIS—SHRINERS LIONS—LEGIONNAIRES

and a Thousand other Civic Organizations

MEET, GREET and EAT at YOUR TOWN'S

A·H·A HOTELS



When heavy civic thinking is done—when plans for the welfare of community are formulated—when municipal grievances are brought out into the open and corrective crusades are born—you can be sure they will first see the light of day in the meeting rooms and around the dining tables of your city's AHA hotels—because it is at the hotels of a city that the civic leaders gather. Your hotel plays an important, though often unpublicized, part in community life.

The impression your city gives visitors is almost always influenced by its hotels... your patronage will help make that impression even more favorable.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

George Robertson, who was injured several weeks ago, is greatly improved. Mrs. L. R. Conroe, who fell several weeks ago and broke her shoulder, is doing nicely. The Dawson and Raymond Summy visited in Coleman the latter part of last week. For the new years holidays in the Henry Morris home were Mr. and Mrs. Hud Hamilton of Corpus Christi and Mrs. P. Y. Cehildre of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Morris of Houston. On Saturday, Mrs. E. A. Tyson had the misfortune of falling on the ice at her home on First Street, breaking a bone at the wrist of her right arm. Mrs. W. W. Linkenhog and children of Eastland and her mother, Mrs. W. R. Baxter of San Saba spent Tuesday in the W. H. Linkenhog home. E. F. Geeslin has leased the O. L. Woody home 1 1-2 miles north of Goldthwaite and moved there last week. Miss Florene Woody left for Nixon the first of the week, after spending the holidays with home folks. Miss Betty Jo Whittaker left for Crane last week after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Whittaker. Last weeks guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Bradford were her mother and sister, Mrs. R. S. Farmer of Gatesville and Mrs. A. L. Brodie and Mr. Brodie of Chicago. Miss Lottie Bell Hester returned to Stephenville Sunday from a two weeks visit with home folks. Mrs. J. H. Randolph returned Monday from a two weeks' visit with relatives at Belton and Austin. Mr. and Mrs. Forest Frazier visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Carlisle at Juemado, they returned Sunday. Judge and Mrs. J. C. Darroch of Brownwood spent Sunday with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Kelley and other relatives. On Monday of last week T. J. Jensen and son and Mrs. A. C. Grimland all of Bosque County visited with relatives here, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Anderson. H. G. (Bud) Forehand who has been visiting here for two months with his daughter, Mrs. Earl Bledsoe and family and other relatives left Saturday for San Angelo, where he will visit his daughter, Mrs. Bill Scott and family. Mrs. Maude M. Latham from Balboa Island, Calif., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. A. M. Crews. Mrs. John R. Caston of Brownwood spent the week end with her niece, Mrs. David Clements. Miss Gean Miller of Coleman Kells a guest of Rev. and Mrs. E. Y. Dawson during the holidays. Goldthwaite Home Demonstration Club will meet with Mrs. Leah Sauters Tuesday, January 14. Our new agent, Miss Frances Brammer will be with us, be sure and come. Rev. E. E. Dawson made a business trip to Comanche and Hico Tuesday. Miss Constance Trent has returned to Brady to resume her school duties after spending the holidays with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sullivan. Ernest Linkenhog has volunteered for the navy and was sent to the training base at Corpus Christi. Mr. and Mrs. V. F. Wallace of Fort Stockton spent last Wednesday night with her mother, Mrs. J. D. Sims. Mrs. John Skipper and daughter, Miss Louise spent the new year holidays with her sister, Mrs. R. E. Henderson and family at Coleman. Misses Christine and Norma Jean Hill of Austin spent last week end in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hill. Mrs. Frank Bowman and daughter, Miss Clara, visited in San Antonio and Austin during the Christmas holidays. They returned Friday. Willie Smith's son, Billy, spent the last week for Air Field training. E. M. Steele of the first part of the new year holidays with his parents.

Mrs. Dumble Hamilton and Millard Cockrum brought Mrs. Crockrum and Sarah Jane home from Temple Wednesday. Mrs. Sam Hughes and Mrs. Hale of Brady visited in the home of Mrs. Pearl McClary Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bayley received word from their son, J. N., who is in the air training school at Jefferson Barracks, Mo., that the boys there were treated grand by the citizens during the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Roy McKinley and daughter, Dortha Nell spent New Years day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. McKinley at Adamsville. Dr. and Mrs. R. M. Burgess of Fort Worth and Mrs. Grover Dalton spent Tuesday of last week in Austin. Mr. and Mrs. Ira Dubre spent Sunday at Brady and Brownwood. P. C. and Buddy Hicks of Llano stopped the first of this week for a short visit with their grandmother, Mrs. D. A. Weems. Jerry Walker left Monday for Camp Bowie where he has accepted a position. Mrs. R. S. Crane of San Saba died Wednesday night in a Temple hospital as a result of a fall several weeks ago. Funeral services were held at 2 o'clock Thursday at San Saba and interment was in Goldthwaite at the I. O. O. F. Cemetery at 4 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Smith and sons, Wubrey and James spent New Years day in Abilene visiting his brother, Lon Smith and family. Leroy Miller has returned from Marlin after an operation on his arm and is doing nicely. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schnening and little daughter, Reta Fay of Roosevelt visited one day last week in the Henry Martin home. Mrs. R. E. Worley spent a few days the latter part of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Gerald, her son Rellis Earl, who has been visiting in Hamilton, accompanied his mother back to Goldthwaite. Guests during last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Weatherby were, Mr. and Mrs. Talbot Ledbetter of Brady, Mrs. Dell Armstrong of Ringling, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Bethell of Mountainair, N. M., Dr. C. L. O'Quin and Rouglas Bushy of Weesatche, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Weatherby and baby of Hamilton. Mrs. Maude M. Latham from Balboa Island, Calif., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. A. M. Crews. Mrs. John R. Caston of Brownwood spent the week end with her niece, Mrs. David Clements. Miss Gean Miller of Coleman Kells a guest of Rev. and Mrs. E. Y. Dawson during the holidays. Goldthwaite Home Demonstration Club will meet with Mrs. Leah Sauters Tuesday, January 14. Our new agent, Miss Frances Brammer will be with us, be sure and come. Rev. E. E. Dawson made a business trip to Comanche and Hico Tuesday. Miss Constance Trent has returned to Brady to resume her school duties after spending the holidays with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sullivan. Ernest Linkenhog has volunteered for the navy and was sent to the training base at Corpus Christi. Mr. and Mrs. V. F. Wallace of Fort Stockton spent last Wednesday night with her mother, Mrs. J. D. Sims. Mrs. John Skipper and daughter, Miss Louise spent the new year holidays with her sister, Mrs. R. E. Henderson and family at Coleman. Misses Christine and Norma Jean Hill of Austin spent last week end in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hill. Mrs. Frank Bowman and daughter, Miss Clara, visited in San Antonio and Austin during the Christmas holidays. They returned Friday. Willie Smith's son, Billy, spent the last week for Air Field training. E. M. Steele of the first part of the new year holidays with his parents.



A BOND OF UNITY.—The handclasp of sincerity and partnership is used by artist John C. Atherton, of Bridgefield, Conn., to depict the close cooperation of the American people and their Government in financing the Defense Program through the sale of Defense Savings Bonds and Stamps. This poster was awarded first prize at the Museum of Modern Art exhibit in New York out of a large number of submitted drawings, and is being used on posters by business firms in advertising, and in numerous other forms to promote the sale of Defense Bonds and Stamps.

LOCAL BOARD ASKS FOR VOLUNTEERS TO ACT AS REGISTRARS

The possible date of registration of men from the ages of 18 to 64, inclusive, (except the men who registered on Oct. 16, 1940, and July 1, 1941), being set very soon for actual consummation, the local board for selective service of Mills County calls for volunteers to act as Registrars for each voting precinct in Mills County. Such registrars selected will be given instructions as to procedure by the local board. Submit your name at once to the local board office in Goldthwaite, Texas. SELECTIVE SERVICE BOARD Mills County, Texas

Mills County Girl 11, Is Fire Victim

Last rites were conducted for Martinez Frances Freeman, 11-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Freeman, Mullin, who died in a Brownwood hospital at 12:10 a. m. Monday as a result of burns when her clothing caught fire at her home near Ridge late Sunday night. Services were held at Ridge cemetery at 11 a. m. Tuesday with Rev. Stribbling officiating. Martinez Frances was born February 13, 1930, in Goldthwaite and had lived in Mills County all of her life. She was a member of the Pentecostal Church of God of Brownwood. Survivors are her parents; a brother, W. H. Freeman, Jr., of Camp Bowie, and two sisters, Mrs. Beatrice Atkinson of San Diego, Calif., and Mrs. Arlie Daugherty of Bryan.

C. C. (Bud) PETTY

Funeral services for C. C. (Bud) Petty of Zephyr, who died at his home at 12:30 a. m. Monday following an illness of several weeks, was held at the Zephyr Baptist Church at 3 p. m. Tuesday. Rev. James M. Bradford, pastor of Coggin Avenue Baptist Church officiated. Mr. Petty, a retired filling station operator, was born in Gibbs County, Tennessee, December 30, 1885. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge, and had lived in Zephyr for 50 years. Survivors are four brothers: Henderson Petty, C. M. Petty and B. S. Petty of Zephyr, T. J. Petty of Mullin, and a sister, Miss Laura Petty of Zephyr.

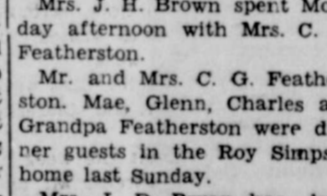
CARD OF THANKS

We wish to sincerely thank our many friends and neighbors who came and so thoughtfully assisted us in different ways at the death of our daughter and sister. Especially do we thank Hern Harris and family for their kindness. We also wish to thank each of you for the beautiful flowers. May God bless each of you in our prayer. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Freeman and Family.

LIVE OAK—

By MRS. J. H. BROWN Winter has really come to visit us the past week, freezing things up in general. Since I failed to give last weeks happening will include them this week. Miss Mae Featherston of Sanderson spent a two weeks vacation at home during the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Milford Jobe and children of Denison spent the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Heath. Miss Morine Brown of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harkey spent the holidays with home folk. Glenn Featherston of Camp Bowie spent part of last week with his parents. Martin Heath and family have moved from this community to the Mt. Olive community. Mrs. Homer Denman and daughters visited Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Rose last Wednesday. Mrs. J. H. Brown spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. C. G. Featherston. Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Featherston, Mae, Glenn, Charles and Grandpa Featherston were dinner guests in the Roy Simpson home last Sunday. Mrs. J. D. Bryan has been quite sick the past week. Her daughter, Mrs. J. Crews has been staying with her and taking care of her. It has been decided that our community club will now work for the Red Cross in defense work. The first months work will be in the home of Mrs. Roy Simpson. The date and days of week to work will be announced as soon as the material arrives. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Manuel of Houston spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Holman of Hutto, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Featherston during the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Featherston, Mae, Charles and Grandpa Featherston and Mrs. J. H. Brown, Morine Brown and Mrs. Henry Harkey visited in the Tolbert Patterson home at Moine on Friday after Christmas.

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ARMY BIG CUSTOMER OF AMERICAN FARMER

Keen appetites of more than 1,500,000 men in the army of the United States are working to benefit the American farmer, it was revealed today with announcement by the war department that the lion's share of approximately \$273,440,000 the office of the Quartermaster General spends annually on food goes to the farmer. Not only does the farmer profit directly by the sale of the mountainous heaps of food needed three times a day, but he also sells to the army raw cotton, forage for the horses and mules still used in an era of mechanized warfare, and even the horses and mules themselves. As outlined by the Quartermaster General, Major General Edmund B. Gregory, who directs the vast procurement program, the Remount Division of the Quartermaster Corps spent nearly \$3,500,000 for 175,000 tons of forage last year, and thus far in 1941 has purchased from farmers and breeders 2,306 riding horses and 158 pack mules at a cost of \$401,095. With each man of the 1,500,000 eating about six pounds of food a day, or a total of 9,000,000 pounds, the Army's annual food consumption reaches approximately 3,285,000,000 pounds. To grow the potatoes used by the army in a year of training would require a field about 70 miles square. If the canned vegetables were to be stacked one on top of the other, the pile would be nearly 9,000 miles high. That, of course, is in addition to the quantities of fresh green vegetables purchased near the camps from day to day. About 580,000 head of beef cattle are purchased every year by the Quartermaster Corps to help feed the soldiers. That is equal to a whole steer about every six seconds. Cotton, too, is a product used by the army in large quantities. Not alone for clothing, which, of course, constitutes the largest requirement, but for numerous other articles. A good example of other uses for cotton is found in army bedding. More than 10,500,000 mattresses require the purchase of nearly 75,000 bales of raw cotton—478 pounds to the bale. In permanent camps and barracks cotton sheets and pillow cases are provided, requiring other thousands of bales. For 5,000,000 pillow cases the requirement is about 4,250 bales and for 10,000,000 cotton sheets about 42,500 bales are needed. Then there are tents and about 50 other items for which cotton is used. In all, about 1,450,000 acres were required to produce the cotton used by the Quartermaster Corps last year.

22 MORE WORKERS ADDED TO RED CROSS

The following rural chairman have added their names to the list of volunteer Red Cross Service workers.

Mrs. Bill Wassam—Mullin, 12 workers. Mrs. Jack Elms — Moline, 10 workers. All chairmen will be notified immediately upon receipt of material by the local chapter.

Pork and Beans Make Successful Bridge Party Supper Menu

WHEN planning a menu for a special occasion, it is a good idea to go to the experts. Mrs. Josephine Culbertson, famous bridge authority, has given us a menu for a bridge supper which will please everyone. "This menu will be a favorite for your bridge parties," said Mrs. Culbertson. "Every woman likes to entertain simply but the menu should be interesting and genuinely good



to eat. These dishes are easy to prepare, in fact most of the work can be done well in advance, and leave the hostess free to play her best bridge with a calm mind."

BRIDGE SUPPER MENU

- Pork and Beans, Mexican Style
Brown Bread and Butter Sandwiches
Baked Apple Rings
Jellied Perfection Salad
Chocolate Brownies
Coffee

- 1 clove garlic, chopped
1 teaspoon chili powder
2 cans tomatoes, strained
2 tablespoons vinegar
2 tablespoons sugar
4 cans VAN CAMP'S PORK AND BEANS
Sauté onion and green pepper in butter; add flour, and stir until smooth. Place tomatoes in saucepan; add remaining ingredients except Pork and Beans. Stir in onion mixture. Simmer about 35 minutes, or until it is of sauce consistency. Turn Pork and Beans into a casserole. pour on the sauce, and heat in a hot oven (400 degrees F) 20 minutes.
To make the Apple Rings: Core apples, and cut into slices 1/4 inch thick. Place in a baking pan; sprinkle with brown sugar, and dot with butter. Cover the bottom of the pan with water, and bake in a hot oven.

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SOCIETY:

Mills County Home Demonstration Club

Mills County Home Demonstration Council met in regular session on January 3, 1942 with twenty-nine council members and four visitors present. This attendance represented fourteen of the sixteen home demonstration clubs in the county. Mrs. Geo. W. White, Priddy, Texas council chairman presided at the meeting.

1942 year books were distributed to the club presidents, and they will see that all members in the respective clubs obtain a year book.

The six week plan of work was discussed and explained standing rules of the council were read and approved.

Plans for the annual livestock show were discussed and all members were encouraged to exhibit their products. Mrs. Lee Tesson, Mullin, was appointed chairman of the exhibit committee and Mrs. J. V. Brown, Lake Merritt, has charge of the prizes and awards for Home Demonstration Division.

If as much interest and enthusiasm is displayed in all phases of the home demonstration club work as was shown at the council meeting, Mills County is now launching on another successful club year, for the ladies are eager to work.

MRS. W. A. SHOTWELL, Reporter.

Schubert Club

The Schubert Club met with the president, Mrs. W. M. Johnson, Monday afternoon, January 6. After a business meeting the hostess passed a refreshment plate of coffee with individual plum pudding.

The officers of the Schubert Club for 1941 and 1942 are the following:

President, Mrs. W. M. Johnson.

Vice President, Mrs. Harmon Frazier.

Correspondent Secretary, Miss Myra Johnson.

Recording Secretary, Mrs. Harold Yarborough.

Treasurer and Librarian, Miss Ethylene Adams.

Reporter, Mrs. F. P. Bowman.

Director, Mrs. Sam Sullivan.

Couple Wed at Church

Miss Lorayne Bledsoe daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bledsoe was married to Mr. Howard C. Duggan only son of the late Mr. H. C. Duggan at Dallas, at 10 o'clock Thursday morning at the First Baptist Church Goldthwaite. Rev. E. E. Dawson read the ring ceremony as the bridal party stood in the altar which was decorated with potted ferns and baskets of white gladiolas.

Miss Constance Trent played the traditional wedding march from Lohengrin, also the accompaniment to I Love You Truly, sang by the brides sisters and cousin, Misses Wilda and Wanda Bledsoe and Agnes Forehand.

Only attendants were Miss Addie Mae Summy life long friend of the bride, maid of honor and Mr. Raymond Bledsoe the brides' only brother, best man.

The bride wore a Spring blue wool frock with navy accessories and a shoulder corsage of white gardenias. Her attendant wore gold with brown accessories.

Following a short wedding trip the couple are now at Snyder where Mr. Duggan is employed as bookkeeper for Thomas & Ratliff Construction Company. Mrs. Duggan will return to her duties as teacher in the Lake Merritt school on January 12.

P.-T. A. Program January 14

HEALTH PROGRAM
Leader—Mrs. Ed Gilliam.
Invocation.
Music—High School Glee Club.
Talk—Proper Lighting, W. C. Barnett.
Talk—Care of Teeth, Dr. T. O. Graves.

Women's Society Of Christian Service

The Methodist Society of Christian Service will meet Monday afternoon at three o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. A. Hester. A lovely pledge service will be given with the women dressed to represent different countries. We urge every member of the society to be present and we also invite every woman in the Methodist Church to meet with us.

House-Park

Murry H. Park and Annie Laura House were married at the residence of Rev. W. I. Newton in Brownwood on December 24 at 7:30 p. m. with Rev. Newton performing the single ring ceremony.

They were attended by the bride's brother and sister, Sgt. John T. House and Nora B. House and Joyce Knight. The bride wore white with navy accessories. Her sister wore rose with black accessories and Miss Knight wore blue with black accessories.

The groom is first cook in Co. M, 141 Infantry, Camp Bowie and the bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom House of the Center City community.

After a ten day honeymoon with his father in South Texas, they will be at home in Brownwood.

New Year Dinner Party

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Darroch honored a few couples of young people with a lovely 6 o'clock dinner party at their attractive home in Brownwood on Tuesday evening of New Years week.

The table seating five couples was beautifully decorated with white gladiolus, white candles and lace fern with unique place cards and a most delectable menu consisted of fruit cocktail, turkey, dressing, cranberry sauce, peas in potato nests, crab-apple preserves and a dessert of brick ice cream and angel food cake.

The following couples enjoyed the evening in the Darroch home: Edward Eugene Palmer of Goldthwaite and Miss Dena Lou Cox of Comanche, Larry Stokes of Dallas and Miss Eugenia Palmer of Bangs, Melmoth Stokes III of San Antonio and Miss Dorothy Nell Rudd of Goldthwaite, Jack Scott of Amarillo and Miss Ernestine Gibson of Lubbock, Cecil Jack Cox and Matricia McDaniel, both of Comanche.

Johnson-Ervin

On December 27, 1941 Miss Louise Johnson, daughter of A. J. Johnson of Jacksonville and Willard A. Ervin, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ervin of Eastland drove over to Gatesville and were united in marriage.

Miss Johnson was one of the popular young lady operators for the Southwestern Telephone Company at Goldthwaite.

Mr. Ervin is an employe of the Lone Star Gas Company of Ranger.

The young couple left immediately for Ranger, where they will make their home.

Students Visit Home Holidays

Students who visited their parents during the holidays left this week for various colleges.

Misses Veseva Sellers, Wilda and Wanda Bledsoe, Virginia Stockton, Nina Goosby, Oleta and Thelma Henry, Eloise Lowry, Katherine Hodges, Laura Helen Saylor, Virginia Ruth Rudd, Florence Simpson, Mamie Lou Womack, Gloria Dyas, Harriet Allen, Madeline Long.

Messrs. Larry Stokes, Aubrey Smith, Schults Faulkner, Marvin Hodges, Billy Saylor, Melmoth Stokes, Coke Long, Glen Collier, Wallace Johnson, Sam Saylor, Stoddard Gerald, Karl Doggett, Bob Boland, Pat Chandler.

Miss Irene Hartman of Comanche and Grady Weaver of Munday, Texas, made a short visit with his uncle, W. P. Weaver and Mrs. Weaver New Years day.

SCOTT-PARKS



MRS. EARL PARKS

Miss Emma Scott, formerly of Goldthwaite and Earl Parks, of San Saba, were united in a beautiful ring ceremony on December 31st in the Christian Church in Rising Star.

Mrs. Parks had been county home demonstration agent for Mills County for the past three years. She made many friends while here, who wish for her and Mr. Parks the very best in life.

Mr. Parks is a rancher in the Locker community in San Saba County. They will make their home in Locker.

Local Home Dem. Council Meets

The Home Demonstration Council met Saturday, January 3, for their first meeting of the year with 33 present.

Year Books were handed out and plans made for the Livestock, Poultry and Homemaking Show to be held at Mullin, February 24, 1942.

Those present were Meses. Ray Berry, George Shady, Pleasant Grove, Tom Hale, Chadwick, Ora Black, Greta Sue Hines, Scallorn, W. A. Shotwell, J. C. Cox, Star, O. B. Bell, Jones Valley, Ben Davis, Bula Sauters, Goldthwaite, Ira Allredge, H. C. Geeslin, Center City, Will Roberts, Mt. Olive, Erie D. Roberson, E. L. Pass, Alvin Oglesby, Big Valley, J. M. Wrinkle, J. R. Parker, Nabors Creek, W. E. Garner, Jake Brown, Lake Merritt, W. R. Shipp, Geo. White, Priddy, Marvin Bowden, Agness Johnson, W. C. Johnson, D. B. Aldridge, Martha Duell, Prairie, W. A. Cline, Joe Ruth Lindsey, Midway, Bess Hutchings, Center Point, A. R. Rowlett Regency.

We wish to welcome our new home demonstration agent, Miss Frances Brammer and with her help we hope to make this year one of the most complete and useful years work we have ever had.

Reporter, Mrs. W. A. Shotwell.

John Gabbert who died at a Brownwood hospital, was buried at Brownwood Monday afternoon. Those from here who attended the funeral were his relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Morris, Sam Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Durward Morris, Mrs. Bob Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Davis all of Goldthwaite.

Robert James returned to Fort Sam Houston after spending a few days in the F. P. Bowman home.

SKILES-THOMAS RITES REVEALED AS BRIDE IS SHOWER HONOREE

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Thomas of Zephyr are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Miss Lelona Thomas, to James F. Skiles, December 21. The wedding vows were read by Rev. James M. Bradford, pastor of the Coggin Avenue Baptist Church, at his home, 1410 Avenue E.

The only witnesses were Miss Jessie Lee Thomas, Miss Ginger Skiles and Jim Thomas.

The bride wore a soldier blue costume suit with black accessories.

Mrs. Skiles is a graduate of Zephyr High School and attended Daniel Baker college. The bridegroom, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Skiles of Lometa, is a graduate of Lometa High School and John Tarleton College, Stephenville.

Immediately following the ceremony, the wedding party went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Moody, 3901 Austin avenue, where an informal reception was held.

Mr. and Mrs. Skiles are at home in Goldthwaite, where he is employed.

Miss Glee Green and Mrs. Tom Hughes entertained January 1 at the home of the latter near Zephyr honoring Mrs. Skiles.

A ship loaded with miscellaneous gifts was presented to the honoree.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. L. L. Thomas, Mrs. R. N. Green, Mrs. Annie Mathews, Mrs. Brooks Powell, Miss Mona Mathews, Mrs. Tuck Green, Mrs. Oscar Huggins, Miss Alta Green, Miss Glee Green and Mrs. Tom Hughes.

SCALLORN

By MRS. ORA BLACK

Christmas came and went as usual. Coming and going with the turkey dinners and all the trimmings. We all realized it was the joyous time of the year, but with the war clouds hanging low made us sad within.

Rev. Lancaster filled his regular appointment here Sunday morning, owing to the severe weather, there were only 18 present. Since there were so few out, it was decided to wait till next Sunday to elect new officers and teachers. So if you are interested be on hand. Rev. Lancaster will be present for this occasion, also as well as bringing the eleven o'clock sermon.

Miss Greta Hines visited in Goldthwaite last week.

C. H. Horten visited last week in Talpa with his son, Clarence and family.

Ava Lavon spent the week in Mullin with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sims of Brownwood were visitors Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. John Kuykendall.

Mr. and Mrs. Delma Ford of Lometa were Sunday afternoon guests of his mother, Mrs. Cara Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Hines attended church services Sunday morning in Goldthwaite and spent the remainder of the day with Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Ashley.

Misses Greta Hines and Jerry Straley spent part of last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ford and assisted in making preparations for a move contemplated by Mr. and Mrs. Ford in the near future. They having purchased property in the Florence community where they plan to make their future home. We regret very much to wish them good luck in their loose these young people, but new home.

Miss Adelle Stockton of Beaumont is a visitor here this week of the Laughlin families.

Mrs. Mamie Willson of Ballinger came over for a week end visit with Mrs. Dee Jones.

Mrs. E. Henry and children, who have been located here for the past few months, moved to Austin last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Mathis of Kingsville spent the Christmas holidays with their daughter, Mrs. David Clements. Mrs. Mathis remained for a longer visit. Help Pearl Harbor victims by giving to the RED CROSS.

Mullin News

From Mullin Enterprise

J. R. Slack of Route 3 was here Saturday looking after business.

Mrs. J. B. Harper is doing as well as could be expected following a major operation in a Brownwood hospital Saturday.

Announcing a son born to Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Morgan Saturday night.

C. F. Jeske, prominent banker of Priddy was a business visitor in Mullin Monday, he stated his son Arnold (who is well known here) was in the Camp Bowie hospital ill.

Peck Quin of Galveston visited Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Crockett recently.

Misses Bettie and Joy Hamilton returned to their home in Dallas Friday after a visit with their grand parents. Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Hamilton.

Mrs. Marion Mills opened the doors of her pretty new home to a number of friends with a lovely dinner and shower for Mrs. A. G. Weston.

Mrs. J. K. Applewhite and daughter, Dorothy of Tahoka visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Kemp Monday. They stated Tahoka was covered with a mantle of snow Sunday when they left.

Nanette Tyson has returned to Austin for school again after a pleasant vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Tyson.

Mrs. J. C. Tucker and Miss Ruby Cobb of Brownsville visited Mrs. W. H. McFarland the latter part of the week. They were enroute home from Brady, where they visited their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Clendenen received a prized letter from their son, Donald, stating he was well and "we had to win this war." Donald is somewhere on the Pacific. He is a fine young man, has been in the navy for years and received a number of promotions.

Mr. and Mrs. "Bud" Carlisle moved back to the I. McCurry farm, where they resided a few years ago.

Miss Juanelle Burkett returned home Saturday from a delightful visit in Chickasha, Oklahoma with her sister, Mrs. Bob Britt and her husband Bob Britt.

Mr. Kimmons and family of Zephyr are moving to the Kilpatrick residence this week.

Miss Lena Bell Chancellor returned to Hot Springs, N. M., Sunday after a pleasant vacation here with her mother, Mrs. J. L. Chancellor and others. Miss Lena Bell has a good position in an insurance office and is well pleased in Hot Springs.

Mrs. R. W. Hull of Tolar has been visiting here and attended the wedding of her two nephews Joe and Rex Ivy on New Years Eve.

Friends here sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. Warren H. Freeman in the death of their little daughter, Martinez Francis, 11, who was fatally burned Sunday when her clothing caught from an open fire. Interment was at Ridge Tuesday.

A political year is with us and many people will stop "war" talk now for brief intervals to discuss their favorite candidates.

Friday the coldest blizzard of the year put shivers up and down peoples' spine, and the lambs have called for a double portion of care as well as other stock. Temperature went down to 20. Rain, sleet and snow all fell lightly the first of the week but was soon melted.

Mrs. Long of Goldthwaite has accepted the English position in the Mullin school. Mr. Duesy's School Board refused to cancel his contract with them, in South Texas and he could not come as was reported in last weeks' issue. Mrs. Long is an experienced English teacher.

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The Day For Defense Thinking Has Passed

By GEORGE C. HESTER The year 1942 will be a different year. The events that happen will go far toward determining the ultimate outcome of the present struggle.

That preparation must be personal as well as national. Within another year, the United States will be the hardest-striking military force on earth when measured by all the requirements of modern war.

What about the individual back home? Modern wars are largely won on the home front. Nor is there an instance in history where a nation won a great war with a half-hearted, apathetic and indifferent population behind it.

Our standards of living will fall. If we are still in war five years from today, we will not recognize our present mode of life. But by that time it will not matter much, because we will realize we are fighting for life itself and everything that gives it value and meaning.

Today, in the grim, gray light of the morning after, we can look back and see our errors. Our memories race back across more than two decades to our decisions on foreign policy when:

We refused to join with England and France in 1919 in a league of civilized nations organized to keep the peace of the world. We, instead, enunciated an empty platitude under name of the Kellogg Pact which was a sort of political salve for our conscience but a meaningless piece of political hypocrisy.

When we actually sank a part of our Navy and delayed further construction yet facing a world where we refused to cooperate to prevent international anarchy and outbreaks.

When we raised tariffs higher and higher, refusing to trade with other nations, except for cash, in a world where there was no cash.

When we did a good many other things, such as scuttling the London Economic Conference in 1932 which met to stabilize currency, and the long list of silly neutrality acts between 1935 and 1940.

And then with our heads in the sand, neglected to fortify our positions in the Pacific which now means useless sacrifice of our brave men trying to defend untenable positions.

In the realm of spiritual and intangible things we have pursued even greater illusions. We have come to measure all values in terms of dollars and cents, and to apply materialism as the scale of all success and all progress.

On the other side of the ledger, however, there are many things for which we may be thankful. We have refused to sell our souls to some arrogant political regime. We have preferred to keep the old doctrine of "live and let live." In the end it is that principle which the world must return if it again resumes the path of orderly progress.

Just now our greatest single task is to win the struggle in which we are engaged. That will take courage and determination. Our greatest need today is to think offensively. Americans are talking too much in terms of defense. Morning, noon and night we harangue about blackouts, about defense of our coasts and the protection of our towns and cities.

This war must be won offensively. The only guarantee for the future safety of our coasts and cities is to win this war in Europe and in the Pacific. The idea of a great nation like America waiting for an attack from Japan is so unlike the American spirit and the traditions of our country as to be almost repugnant to our thinking.

The common wasp which makes big, ball-like nests in the trees, was the first papermaker. For hundreds of years men have experimented with various materials but have come back, for most paper requirements, to the very same material the wasp uses—wood pulp.

To the Chinese goes the credit for making the first paper, many years ago that we cannot even set a date.

Early linen paper came from Egyptian mummies. Scribes purchased the enveloping cloths, picked up in the catacombs, and made paper which they sold to shopkeepers.

Arabs and Moors plundering Chinese Turkestan brought back captives, some of whom were papermakers, and as the Moslem law provided that they might win their freedom by working their trade, papermaking became known outside of China.

LOOKING BACKWARD TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From Eagle January 6, 1917) Mrs. John Schooler of Ballinger has been here this week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hudson and other relatives and friends.

Miss Mamie Kelley returned to her duties as teacher in the Fort Worth schools, after spending the holidays with her home folks in this city.

W. A. Richards has opened the Special Candy Kitchen in the building recently occupied by Cline and Sons Grocery Store.

To the surprise of their many friends, Mr. Allen Dow and Miss Maude Levell stole quietly to town Saturday, December 30, about 8:30 p. m. and going to the Methodist parsonage, where, in the presence of a few, Rev. Morris read the ceremony to them and pronounced them man and wife.

Mrs. O. H. Yarborough entertained at her home Tuesday afternoon with a farewell party for Mrs. Jno. C. Hicks. The invited guests were the former Entree Club, with a few other personal friends of Mrs. Hicks.

Mrs. J. A. Gillespie, president of the Civic League, announces a regular monthly meeting of the League next Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

On New Year's day at two o'clock in the afternoon the mountain home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Miller was thrown open for the reception of their friends. The guests were received at "the open door" by the host and hostess with a hearty hand shake and good wishes for them of "a very happy and prosperous New Year."

ANNUAL BALL The annual ball given by the Goldthwaite Social Club in the Harrison building on Thursday evening, January 4, was a success in every way.

The grand march, led by Miss Adeline Little and G. H. Gilchrist, started the ball to rolling at 9:00 p. m. and from then on to the end of the program of twenty numbers it was a gay affair, lasting until the "wee small hours" of the morning. Refreshments of sandwiches and coffee were served at midnight.

Who Must File a Return?—Every single person having a gross income of \$750 or more; every married person, not living with husband or wife, and having a gross income of \$750 or more; and married persons living with husband or wife, who have an aggregate gross income of \$1,500 or more.

INCOME TAX INFORMATION

When Must Returns Be Filed?—For the calendar year 1941, on or before March 16, 1942. For the fiscal year, on or before the 15th day of the third month following the close of the fiscal year.

Where and With Whom Must Income Tax Returns Be Filed?—In the internal revenue district in which the person lives or has his chief place of business, and with the collector of internal revenue.

How Does One Make Out His Income Tax Return?—By following the detailed instructions given on the income tax blanks, Form 1040 and Form 1040A (optional simplified form.)

What Is Tax Rate?—A normal tax of 4 per cent on the amount of net income in excess of the allowable credits against net income (personal exemption, credits for dependents, interest on obligations of the United States and its instrumentalities and earned income credit) in the computation of the normal tax net income; and a graduated surtax on the amount of net income in excess of the allowable credits (personal exemption and credits for dependents) against net income in the computation of the surtax net income.

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State Department Health Notes

"For the last twenty years or more speed has been one of the dominant factors in American life. Today, because of the tremendous defense needs, assembly-line technique, whenever possible, has been injected into all activities connected with the emergency. Thus, more than ever, speed is being emphasized in the nation's life. Plainly, the need of conserving health and strength in the face of present demands is greater than ever before. It follows that 'to make haste slowly' in the art of living, at this time not only is basic good sense but patriotic also. It does not help vitality or health to apply a sixty-mile-an-hour pace to unessentials. Nevertheless, evidences of this type of existence are quite apparent. One of the numerous proofs of this fact is the habit many persons have of more or less bolting their food," states Doctor Geo. W. Cox, state health officer.

"This 'hasty-lunch' psychology is rather general. The speedily swallowed breakfast is followed by the equally speedy lunch. For many, this momentum carries through the evening meal so that it also is disposed of in record time. It is little wonder, then, that solid food often is insufficiently masticated, that self-prescribed pills for a variety of gastronomical discomforts are popular, and that in extreme cases definite illness develops.

"Of course, time and custom have changed many things, including eating habits. But the point is that nature does not change; while marvelously elastic, she still has her limits as well as punishments for those who persistently disobey. Consequently, the wise person if now a speed-eater, will realize that to take a few minutes more time for meals and to chew food thoroughly that needs chewing are just as essential as are the quality and type of food consumed.

"Bad as speedy eating may be in the case of adults, grown-ups only have themselves or the trend of the times to blame. However, the proposition is different when children are concerned. Youngsters are prone to swallow hastily anything. Chewing to them is a secondary process, and therefore must be definitely encouraged. When the time has arrived for the use of hard food (and that time is at the beginning of the teething period) the baby should be given dry toast, swelback, or a bread crust. The masticating function must be encouraged daily, if sound teeth and sturdy supporting tissue are to be formed. Moreover, emphasis on adequate mastication should be maintained throughout childhood both for proper growth and general health.

"In short, everyone should realize that whether with respect to the young or the adult, speedy eating with its inevitable accompaniment of insufficient mastication is a practice which can give rise to conditions that in varying degrees deprive one of maximum health, and sometimes is directly responsible for even greater penalties. The practice, therefore, should be discontinued," concludes Doctor Cox.

SURPLUS FOODS LISTED

COLLEGE STATION—Raisins have been removed from the list of foods in national surplus, reports the U. S. Department of Agriculture, and therefore they will not be obtainable this month with blue food order stamps.

The January list of blue stamp foods as issued by the Surplus Marketing Administration includes butter, all cuts of pork (except that cooked or packed in metal or glass containers), fresh grapefruit, pears, apples, oranges, and fresh vegetables (including potatoes), corn meal, shell eggs, dried prunes, hominy (corn) grits, dry edible beans, wheat flour, enriched wheat flour, self-rising flour, enriched self-rising flour.

Forty-seven counties in Texas now are benefiting from the food stamp plan. Latest addition is Rains County, where it is estimated that 2,400 persons receiving public assistance will be eligible to purchase food with stamps.

Improved Uniform International SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D. Of The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

Lesson for January 11

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THE INFANCY AND BOYHOOD OF JESUS

LESSON TEXT—Luke 2:25-35, 39, 40. GOLDEN TEXT—Jesus increased in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and man.—Luke 2:52.

"Nobody knows what a boy is worth. And the world must wait to see: For every man in an honored place Is a boy that used to be."

Jesus was "only a boy" as He grew through infancy and childhood, but in that baby and that boy rested all the hopes of mankind. While He was not just like any other boy, yet His growth and development were normal, and we may learn much that will enable us to help the boy in our home, in our block, or in our church.

The mother of Jesus, in fulfillment of the law of her people, on the eighth day identified Him with the nation (Luke 2:21), and then at the end of 40 days brought Him, with her humble sacrifice, to present Him to the Lord. There a beautiful and prophetic scene took place as the Holy Spirit revealed to godly old Simeon His

I. Complete Salvation—in a Baby (vv. 25-35).

The Holy Spirit (not yet come as the indwelling presence in believers' hearts) had come upon Simeon, a man right with God and with a deep longing in his heart for the coming of the Messiah—"the consolation of Israel." He was assured of living until that day, and now as he waited in the temple the babe who fulfilled that promise was laid in his arms.

He blessed God as he broke forth in praise and prophetic utterance. Note the full conception of the work of the Redeemer—deliverance from bondage and fear of death, light to the Gentiles and glory to Israel, a stone of stumbling but also of rising again. A revealer of the hearts of men—yes, and One whose sacrificial death would pierce the heart of His mother.

One is glad that Simeon and Anna (v. 36) and "them that looked for redemption in Jerusalem" saw in Mary's infant son the Son of God incarnate, for round about was unbelief (John 1:11), hatred (Matt. 2:16), and indifference (Matt. 2:4, 5).

Is it not so today? Christmas has just been celebrated. How many saw the babe in the manger as Jesus the Saviour?

The scene changes—the little family is back in Nazareth in the humble home—and there we see

II. Perfect Development in a Boy (vv. 39, 40).

The period from infancy to accountability (12 years) is summed up in the full-orbed growth of the boy Jesus described in verse 40. The one business of every child from birth to 12, or somewhere around there, until the period of adolescence, is to grow without any sense of responsibility except obedience to authority; and obedience in the case of a child is always in order to give the child perfect freedom from everything else, without any sense of responsibility. That is the story of Jesus: He grew! (G. Campbell Morgan).

Growth is, first of all, physical. Jesus stands by the side of every boy and girl as the body grows from babyhood to maturity, for He too knew that experience. We may talk to Him as an understanding friend about the physical needs and problems of our children. Let us remember that here, as elsewhere in Scripture, the physical body is recognized as important.

Mentally, He experienced growth. The strange, apocryphal tales about the child Jesus, representing Him as a man of mature wisdom in a child's body, do not compare even remotely with the beautiful naturalness of a keen-minded boy asking questions, observing, always learning. Boys and girls, you may talk with confidence to Him about your lessons, your growing interest in this exciting world of ours, of your need for guidance in learning. Be sure that He will understand.

The crowning touch upon the growing personality of the child is the spiritual. We read of Jesus that "the grace of God was upon him." "Grace," says Dr. Morgan, "is first, that which delights and charms. Grace, secondly, is desire to impart to others the things that make them happy. Grace, finally, is the activity that does this at all costs." A gracious child is an altogether delightful being; and when that graciousness is the result of the "grace of God" upon him, it is surpassingly lovely, for it makes him Christlike, even in the days of childhood.

Great and grave has been the neglect of the spiritual life of children for whom much has been done physically and mentally. Christian parents must not make that mistake—and they need not, for the Lord Jesus here too stands ready to counsel, guide, encourage, and strengthen them in every good purpose and deed.

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EBONY NEWS—
By CLEMENTINE WILMETH
BRILEY

(Intended for Last Week)
In spite of war which has cast its shadow over every hearth-side Christmas came happily to our peaceful "Happy Valley," and most every home had its Christmas guests.
Mrs. Effie Egger and her mother, Mrs. Lydia Tippen, were hostesses to the members of their family on Christmas day. Present for the day were Clayton Egger of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Will Tippen and their son, Billie, of Abilene and their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McCann, of Lometa, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cutbirth and children of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Reynolds and children of Artesia, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Rob Philen of Galveston, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Willis of San Angelo, and Mr. and Mrs. Josh Philen and Billie of Indian Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie McNurien were host and hostess to their family at a Christmas dinner at their home Christmas day, having with them Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Reid and children, Mr. and Mrs. Charm Whittenburg and children, and Charlie and Darwin Roberts, Miss Ann DePriest and Mrs. Betty Jackson and Junior, all of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Russell children had their Christmas dinner with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Reynolds were happy to have with them for Christmas their children, Miss Nella Mae Reynolds of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Reynolds and Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Reynolds of Artesia, N. M., Miss Dolly Reynolds was also their guest for Christmas dinner.

Gathered at the Wilmeth for Christmas were Miss Marie Wilmeth of Childress, Gene of A. and M. College, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul McClung and Martha Nell of Ardmore, Okla. Other guests for Christmas dinner were Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Briley, Mrs. Edna Dwyer, and Miss Grace Briley.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Reeves and children spent Christmas day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Guthrie, at Mullin.

Mrs. B. M. Caraway and children, Bettie Marie and Jesse Marvin, of Dallas spent a few days before Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Mashburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Smith had for their guests Christmas day, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hankey and children of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Egger.

Ernest Malone spent Christmas day with the Wallace family at Bangs.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wallace of Brownwood spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Haynes.

Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Reid held their family dinner Sunday after Christmas, having with them in addition to all the members of their family, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mayfield and children and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Logan of Brownwood.

Mrs. Ira Egger was called to Mineral Wells during Christmas to help with the children of her daughter, Mrs. Nelson Williams, who was sick with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Mose Smith and Patsy Faye of Lubbock visited his sister, Mrs. Cecil Egger during Christmas week.

FOR DEFENSE



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LONG COVE—
By Mrs. L. M. CONRADT

(Intended for Last Week)
Those that spent the Christmas holidays with home folks here in the Cove were: F. W., Steve, Bob and Alfred Conradt, Leslee R. and Annetta Hereford, Weldon Turnbo, Riley and Beulah Godwin and Bud Elmore.

The young people of the Cove enjoyed a party at Willie Bains last Saturday night.

Mrs. John Green and Mrs. Lewis Conradt made a business trip to Lampasas last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Conradt and Addie Jo of Big Valley and J. C. Conradt of Rotan spent the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Conradt.

Miss Mable Malone spent a few days with her brother and sister at Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Orvil Hale and daughters, of Neurna spent last Wednesday night with Mrs. Hale's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Conradt.

Those that took Christmas dinner in the Albert Conradt home were: Mr. and Mrs. Auther Martin and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Conradt and Alfred.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Preece and daughters, of San Saba, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Neely and Georgia Neely of Evant spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Conradt.

Mrs. John Conradt and son Steve, Riley and Beulah Godwin, and Mr. and Mrs. Dee Preece and daughters attended a surprise dinner given for Eric Neely, at Evant. Eric got to come home for the Christmas holidays.

Those that took Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Conradt were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Conradt and Addie Jo, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Conradt and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Conradt and son and J. C. and F. W. Conradt.

Our community met December 22 and organized a defense club for the purpose of winning the war. There was an enrollment of membership to the number of 33. The amount pledged for each quarter was \$139.30, this is done by the purchase of defense saving stamps and bonds. The post office or the bank, of your choice. The club will meet in its regular session once each quarter and extends an invitation to one and all to come help out.

The Red Cross was not over looked at this meeting. The ladies are 100 per cent on the job.

For information with regard to the club, call Mrs. Forest McCann and Mrs. Enoch Godwin, Red Cross Work.

Mrs. Forest McCann was elected chairman of the club and Fred Conradt, Secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wilmeth have received notice of the birth of their third granddaughter, Nancy Jim, born Christmas day in a Brady hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wilmeth.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Egger, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ketchum and June, Bill Ketchum, and Mrs. Elizabeth Ketchum had their Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Ketchum at San Saba. Mr. and Mrs. Austin Cawyer and Elizabeth of San Angelo arrived at the Dwyer home Sunday to spend until Friday with her mother, Mrs. Edna Dwyer.

In spite of previous word that they could not be here this Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Mitchell and children of Beaumont arrived at the Briley home Sunday evening to spend the rest of the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Briley.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Egger and Mrs. Hattie Whittenburg had dinner Christmas day for members of their family including Mr. and Mrs. Wister Egger, Mr. and Mrs. Daz Oliver and son and Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Egger and Pat of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams of Indian Creek.

Mrs. Angus Burn writes from San Francisco that she is attending a business machine school there and expects to get her a job.

Lillard Wilmeth writes from Paine Field, Washington, that though at first they were quartered in poorly heated tents with poor accommodations, they are now housed in barracks, steam-heated and electric-lighted, with steel cots and mattresses, warm showers, and kitchen-cooked food.

CENTER CITY—
By Mrs. J. M. OGLESBY

(Intended for Last Week)
The busy times which holidays bring are passing swiftly and now we must relate some of the happenings out our way after being absent for a week or more.

In that time sadness came into the lives of some while happiness reigned in the lives of many.

Our community was saddened when news came from Austin that Mrs. Riley Lee had passed away. She had been in failing health for several years. The body was brought back here and interred in the Hurst Cemetery at Star, beside the graves of other loved ones. Rev. Sims conducted the services in the presence of a large gathering of relatives and friends. She is survived by her husband and a number of children. One son is somewhere with the navy in the Pacific and could not be notified until late. Our deepest sympathy is extended to all her loved ones. May our Heavenly Father be with you.

Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham, Burns and little son of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Caraway of Corpus Christi and Rispay Newton and family of Plainview and Miss Wandeen Caraway of Corpus Christi visited in the J. J. Newton home Christmas.

Wedding bells rang out our way when Nelson Waggoner and Miss Alice Williams were united in holy bonds of matrimony. They were accompanied by Mrs. William Waggoner, sister-in-law of the groom and Miss Rosa Lee Sheldon niece of the bride. The single ring ceremony was said by Bro. Dawson of Goldthwaite. Their host of friends here and elsewhere wish for them a happy wedded life.

On Christmas Eve the people of the community with visitors entertained the soldier boys home from camp with a turkey supper and all the trimmings. A very interesting program led by Prof. Huggins was enjoyed before supper. This was not a merry occasion, since all knew the war conditions of the times, but was made as happy as the times would permit. We had with us four World War No. 1 veterans, Messrs Ira Alldredge, Stacy and Archer McCasland and Sherwood Owens, who were honored with the younger ones.

Jno. Walton and family are moving to the Du Puy place. George Brown and family are moving to the Luther Arnold place, which they recently purchased. Mr. Arnold and family are moving to the Live Oak community.

Othel Lucas and Le Roy Arnold of Fort Bliss spent a few days with home folks Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Geeslin and little son, Don are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Geeslin.

Garth Carter, Vernon McCasland, Delmer Don Geeslin, Al Truman Langford and Glen Geeslin, all soldier boys, visited home folks a short time Christmas.

Arnold Head, who has been working in California, is at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Head.

Roy and Ray Collier spent several days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Collier. They are students from Dallas.

Miss Maxine Geeslin visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Geeslin during the holidays.

Misses Nella Beth McCasland, Clea Geeslin and Virginia Oglesby spent the holidays with their home folks.

Two former pastors and their families were pleasant visitors in our midst last week, Bro. W. T. Sparkman of Norton and Bro. Tom Mitchell of Smiley.

Grandmother Head and Mrs. Chappell of Goldthwaite accompanied Bro. Mitchell and family while visiting our community. We are always glad to meet these dear friends, who once were leaders in our midst.

Jimmie Lucas of Dallas visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Lucas, during last week.

Miss Van Dean Lucas is recovering nicely from a serious operation.

RIDGE—
By TINA MAE CUMMINGS

(Intended for Last Week)
Bro. Renfro preached here Sunday afternoon. There was a pretty good attendance in spite of the cold weather. Everyone enjoyed the wonderful services delivered. He was accompanied out by Mrs. Renfro, Mrs. Dora Lindsey, Mrs. M. L. Lindsey, and Miss Veda Davenport of Goldthwaite.

Mrs. Herman Boyd and girls are spending a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. J. E. Cummings.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Shell and children of Del Rio spent the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pellum Shell and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Calder are the proud parents of a baby girl, born December 24. She has been named Carolyn Joyce.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Boyd and children of Ranger spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Annie Curtis and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Boyd and girls of San Angelo, Mrs. J. E. Cummings and Lina Mae took Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Barney Tippen and family at Ebony.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Lindsey took Christmas dinner with their daughter in Brownwood.

The Christmas tree here Wednesday night was well attended everyone enjoyed the program sponsored by the school children.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Calder, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Calder and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Otho Calder and boys spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Forest Calder near Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Boatright and Estelle Donohue of Brownwood spent Thursday in the Powell home.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Lindsay spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Jones of Regency.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Copenhauer of San Antonio spent Thursday with her sisters, Mrs. Pellum Shell and Mrs. W. H. Freeman, Sr.

Mrs. Ashton and Lora attended the show in Brownwood Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Boyd and daughter and Herman Boyd of San Angelo spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Freeman, Jr., of Brownwood spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Freeman, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cummings and baby of Merkel spent Wednesday in the Cummings and Henderson homes.

T. D. Wilkins, who is in the army and stationed in Louisiana is home on furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Henderson had the pleasure of having all their children at home for Christmas dinner. They are as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Henderson of Indian Creek, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Henderson and family of Merkel, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dukes and son of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thompson and son of Abilene, Mrs. Ruby Cummings and baby of Merkel, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Singleton and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Henderson and Conrad and Donald.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Pafford and girls and Mrs. Annie Curtis spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Pafford of Mullin.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Stanley spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Milton Stanley of Duren.

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NEIGHBORING NEWS
ITEMS FROM LOCAL PAPERS OF TOWNS MENTIONED

Lampasas—

Miss Etta Mae Alexander and Robert Calceran of Galveston were married Sunday, December 28, at 4 p. m. at the home of the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Alexander.

Between 11 and 11:45 a. m. Sunday morning a car owned by C. P. Cloud was taken from in front of the Cloud Warehouse. Mr. Cloud left at about 11 to go to his ranch and Weldon left soon after to go to lunch, the car being there. When Mr. Cloud returned about 11:45 the car was gone.

Ward C. Hine, rural mail carrier of Oakalla, passed away Tuesday, December 23, at his home at Oakalla.

The body of A. B. Horne, about 80 years of age, was returned to Lampasas today from Tuscola, where he died Tuesday. Burial services were in Oak Hill cemetery this afternoon at 1:00 o'clock.

Comanche—

Fourteen carloads of dressed turkeys were shipped on the Christmas market by the Farmers Produce Company, local dressing plant, making the total shipment of turkeys from Comanche, 30 cars for the season.

Miss Berta Goodson, county chairman of the Red Cross Society, reported an additional \$674.35 Monday added to the more than \$900 raised at Comanche last week makes a total of about \$1550 of the \$2400 goal set for the county.

A fire of undetermined origin broke out in the Modernway Grocery and Market early Saturday morning, but prompt discovery by Night Watchman Andrew Pate and good work by the Comanche Volunteer Fire Department got the blaze under control quickly and the damage was slight.

Two Dublin men, Fred Raulston and Alton Canada, were arrested Monday night by Sheriff Wid Spivey and other local officers and charged with failure to render aid after an automobile accident.

Jim Bob Lee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Lee of Comanche, arrived at London, England on Christmas Day, and is now a member of the American Squadron of the Royal Air Force.

Hamilton—

Reports are of unusual activities and thrilling expectancy on location of the Ice & McCamey oil test drilling near Energy, west of Hamilton some sixteen miles on the Will Pettit ranch.

According to the most authoritative information obtainable for the Hamilton County News on Thursday morning at an early hour the Ice & McCamey Pettit No. 1 was drilling below 2,260 feet in Caddo lime. On the field, Mr. Ice and other operators were encouraged by the appearance of rainbow showings in the slush, and are expecting to make a rich discovery before many hours.

Three crews are operating and the drill is kept going continuously since the lack of a water supply has been overcome. Oil scouts are coming in frequently for visits to this test, which is being watched with much and growing interest.

Charles R. Edgar, chairman of the Lions Club Christmas Home Decorative Lighting Contest committee, accompanied out of town judges, and a group of home folks on the rounds of town under the soft light of a new moon last Monday night for the judging of entries.

S. O. Mingus, formerly of the Hico section of Hamilton County, recently purchased the Joe Joston Jr. farm and ranch of 327 acres with modern buildings and other improvements.

The first class instructed by Clarence Cropper in first aid completed the course and were awarded certificates before Christmas.

I. Commer's mammoth chicken egg incubator is already on the job with a setting of 250,000 eggs from the fine, prize-winning English white leghorns.

San Saba—

Resident Highway Engineer W. W. Wilkerson revealed yesterday that the state highway commission has appropriated funds for the construction of the first two miles of the new U. S. Highway No. 190 from the west end of Wallace street in San Saba to the Crutsinger home.

Up in Mills County, Mr. Wilkerson reveals they have been directed to take charge of constructing a topping on Highway No. 16 from Goldthwaite to the Comanche County line, a distance of some 15 miles.

After an illness of eleven days, Mrs. Margaret Elizabeth Pool succumbed to a heart ailment December 22 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ruby Smith and family here.

The Volunteer Civilian Defense office, of which County Treasurer C. A. Harkey is generously giving his time as the registrar, is open for registration of all persons, men and women, who wish to serve their country here at home; or otherwise.

Allaying anxiety of relatives and friends a cablegram was received Christmas day by Wm. Kuykendall from his son, M. W. Kuykendall, an American flyer in China supposedly guarding the Burma Road, sending Christmas greetings and saying he was "Okay."

Death struck suddenly Sunday afternoon and took from our midst the life of a beloved China Creek farmer, A. F. Johnson, at the Rollins-Brooke hospital at Lampasas. The end came suddenly at 5:30 p. m., 3 and one-half hours after he had been taken there by his children, suffering with acute asthma and heart trouble.

This week sees the return to San Saba County of Clarence E. Tisdale as county agricultural agent, effective January 1, after having completed his hitch in the U. S. Army service, stationed at San Antonio, except for the period of maneuvers in Louisiana.

Mrs. Irving Watson, and son, John, and Miss Marion Watson of Mathis visited last week at the home of Rev. and Mrs. B. A. Myers. Mrs. Watson was the pianist of the Methodist Church the four years Rev. Myers was pastor at Mathis.

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BABY CHICKS
 Our truck will be here at Chapman's Feed Mill January 6 at 11:50 a. m. with a load of Chicks and every Tuesday thereafter. Burdick & Burdick, Coleman, Texas. 12-19-5tc.

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USED CARS—For the best buys in used cars, see HOOVER & MILLER. 12-5-tfc

FOR SALE—110 three to five year old ewes, lambing now. 135 yearling and two year old ewes, lamb last of March, 70 spreader and broken mouth ewes. 85 nannies. I raised these all good and in good condition, have more than I can see to, will sell all or any part. C. O. Norton, Rt. 1, Goldthwaite, Texas. 1-2-2tp.

PENROSE METCALFE FOR STATE SENATOR

TO THE PEOPLE OF THE 25TH SENATORIAL DISTRICT.

My Dear Friends:
 As your state senator, I plan to announce soon for reelection for a second term from this district, which I have served with pleasure during this, my first term.

It appears probable that all of you will be busy during this year helping win the war and that politics will be virtually adjourned. My own senatorial duties, as well as the heavy work assigned me in the defense program, likely will not permit much campaigning. I expect to get over the district as much as possible, in order to counsel with you and inform myself as to your needs and desires.

Sincerely Your State Senator,
 PENROSE B. METCALFE.

Rev. Earl Hill and family of Yoakum visited his mother, Mrs. Pearl McClary, last week.

C. P. JONES

C. P. Jones died at his home near Christoval December 26 after a long illness. He was buried in the beautiful Fairmont Cemetery Sunday the 28. Bro. Bayley, a former missionary of Mills County preached the funeral service.

He is survived by his wife and seven children, who mourn his going. They are Clarence, Harold, Howard, J. B., Don, Mrs. George Carpenter, and Mrs. Lee Lewis. He also leaves three brothers, Walter of Goldthwaite; Austin of Star; and Paul of Comanche; besides a lot of friends and other relatives.

CAR GOES THROUGH PLATE GLASS WINDOW

A car with faulty brakes driven by a Goldthwaite lady Monday afternoon jumped the curb and crashed into the plate glass window in front of Hudson Brothers Drug Store.

Have You Helped the Red Cross Yet?

LOCAL DRUGGIST TO ATTEND IMPORTANT VETERINARY MEETING

Dow Hudson of Hudson Bros Drug Store, on January 14-15 will attend an important veterinary meeting in Fort Worth. For a number of years Mr. Hudson has been especially interested in animal serums, poultry vaccines and veterinary medical specialties. The increased use of such products by local livestock and poultry raisers is due largely to the progressive druggists knowledge of veterinary medicine, which he willingly imparts, and to his intelligent recommendations. As a result death losses among our animal population here have been decidedly reduced.

Business sessions of the meeting, to be conducted by Globe Laboratories, will be held in one of Fort Worth's leading hotels. The 200 or more dealers expected for the 2-day educational course will later observe post-mortem operations, manufacturing and testing methods employed by the laboratories, etc., at the Globe establishment north of Fort Worth.

Program for the two days has not been completed. However, Mr. Hudson has been informed by M. A. Withers and C. P. Meahaffy, Globe executives, that the more important and common diseases and conditions affecting animals and poultry will be discussed freely, and the latest scientific information available for the control of these diseases and conditions will be explained in some detail by Globe scientists and veterinarians.

In the defense of our country the livestock and poultry raisers have been called upon to play their most important role—supplying food not only to American workers but to the forces resisting aggression. Because of this, Mr. Hudson related, the demand for authoritative information pertaining to disease prevention and worthy products prevails here as never before. He feels that local farmers are looking to him for this information and these products. His attending the Globe meeting undoubtedly will enable him to better serve those in this community engaged in poultry and livestock production.

Mr. Hudson recalled that in 1919 Globe Laboratories produced but two products, anti-hog-cholera serum and hog-cholera virus. Today the establishment manufactures a complete line of more than 250 veterinary biologicals and pharmaceuticals which are demanded and successfully used at points throughout the globe. The Globe company is the largest institution of its kind in the south.

The Red Cross Needs Your Help.

JANUARY WORKERS CONFERENCE DATE SET

The January Workers Conference of Mills County Baptist Association has finally been set definitely for January 23, at Mullin. Let all our workers observe this new date and undertake to have a large representation at this meeting, for it will be on young people's work and about the things that promote the spiritual welfare of our young people. Mr. J. D. Riddle of Abilene, president of the Texas Baptist Training Union, will have charge of the program. He will be assisted by a group of workers who have had experience in this phase of work. There will be an executive board meeting at 1:15 in the afternoon.

E. E. DAWSON,
 Chairman of Program.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

E. E. DAWSON, Pastor

Next Sunday is Red Cross Sunday and of course we will observe it, as all good Americans will, for the Red Cross has proved through all these years that it is "The Greatest Mother of Them All," as a poster put it during World War Number 1. We are now in the greatest war this world has ever witnessed and every energy must be bent to achieve victory. It is either victory or doom for America and all the democracies. The Red Cross is one of the mighty agencies we have for winning that victory. The program of the day will be directed toward the promotion of Red Cross interest.

We got off to a good start last Sunday, and the Buckner Orphan Home offering is going on well toward \$200.00, the largest of many years.

There is a place here for all who have a spirit of service and are willing to carry their part. Sunday school 10:00, morning worship 10:45, evening worship, 7:00 p. m.

TENTING ON THE OLD CAMP GROUND IS DEFENSE SONG

The date for the next singing will be decided at the meeting of the Defense League, Friday, January 9. Everyone be present to help plan the work for the coming year. All those who are making scrap books are asked to please drop Mrs. Sam Sullivan a card.

TENTING ON THE OLD CAMP GROUND

Walter Kittredge
 We're tenting tonight on the old camp ground,
 Give us a song to cheer
 Our weary hearts, a song of home
 And friends we love so dear.
 Chorus:
 Many are the hearts that are weary tonight
 Wishing for the war to cease;
 Many are the hearts that are looking for the right,
 To see the dawn of peace.
 Tenting tonight
 Tenting on the old camp ground.

We've been tenting tonight on the old camp ground,
 Thinking of days gone by,
 Of the loved ones at home that gave us the hand,
 And the tear that said, "Good-bye."

We are tired of war on the old camp ground,
 Many are dead and gone.
 Of the brave and true who've left their homes,
 Others been wounded long.
 We've been fighting today on the old camp ground
 Many are lying near;
 Some are dead and some are dying.
 Many are in tears.

Mr. and Mrs. George Templin and daughter, Miss Marjorie and Bob Ott all of Austin spent Tuesday and Wednesday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Bowman. Misses Louise and Ruth Goosby, who have been visiting with their parents, left Sunday for Fort Worth.

LIVESTOCK SHOW

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 C. O. Norton, Secretary-Treasurer.

GENERAL ARRANGEMENTS COMMITTEE

Felton Waddill, Luther Jernigan, Jack Kirby.

HEREFORD CATTLE DIVISION Superintendents, Willis Horton George Fletcher

Bulls, all bulls calved after January 1, 1941. Ribbon Awards
 Bulls, all bulls calved prior to January 1, 1941. Ribbon Awards.
 Females, all females calved after January 1, 1941. Ribbon Awards.

Females, all females calved prior to January 1, 1941. Ribbon Awards.

(All females of this age that have not calved)
 Females, all cows, all females that have calved. Ribbon Awards.

Champion Bull, all bulls in highest classification. Ribbon.
 Champion Female, all females in highest classification. Ribbon.

Get of Sire, any three animals sired by the same bull. Ribbon Awards.

DAIRY CATTLE DIVISION

Superintendent, C. O. Norton Assistant, C. C. Collier

Heifers under 6 months of age.

Heifers 6 months and under 1 year of age.

Heifers 1 year and under 18 months of age, not in milk.

Heifers 18 months and under 2 years of age, not in milk.

Heifers under 3 years of age, in milk.

Cows 3 years of age and older.

Bulls under 1 year of age.

Bulls 1 year and under 2 years of age.

Bull: 2 years of age and older.

Grand Champion Female.

Grand Champion Bull. (Ribbon Awards for all.)

GOAT DIVISION

Superintendents, Bob Kirby, Delton Barnett

Buck Kid, (All Baby Teeth.)

Doe Kid, (All Baby Teeth.)

Two Tooth Buck.

Two Tooth Doe.

Four Tooth and Over Billies.

Four Tooth and Over Does.

Champion Buck.

Champion Doe.

Exhibitor's Flock, One Buck and Four Does, Any Age. (Ribbon Awards.)

RAMBOULETT SHEEP

Supts. J. M. Patsick, V. D. Tyson Andy Rowlett

Ram Lambs.

Ewe Lambs.

Two Tooth Rams.

Two Tooth Ewes.

Four Tooth and Over Rams.

Four Tooth and Over Ewes.

Grand Champion Ram.

Grand Champion Ewe.

Exhibitor's Flock, One Ram and Four Ewes, Any Age. (Ribbon Awards.)

DELAINE-MERINO

Superintendent, Sam Henry Rahl W. N. Kelley

Ram Lambs.

Ewe Lambs.

Two Tooth Rams.

Two Tooth Ewes.

Four Tooth and Over Rams.

Four Tooth and Over Ewes.

Grand Champion Ram.

Grand Champion Ewe.

Exhibitor's Flock, One Ram and Four Ewes, Any Age. (Ribbon Awards.)

RALPH PERRY IS SAFE IN THE PHILIPPINES

G. C. Perry last Friday received a telegram from his son Ralph Perry, in the Philippines saying: "Safe. Well. Merry Christmas."

The telegram was filed Christmas day. Ralph was stationed in the coast artillery at Stotsenburg, about 50 miles from Manila. This was the first word heard from him since the outbreak of hostilities on December 7.

Miss Frances Brammer of Justin, arrived Monday of last week to take the position left vacant by Mrs. Emma Scott Parks.

TIRE RATIONING

(Continued From Page 1)

Automobile owners have been advised to make such a record immediately, and keep it in a safe place to be used as identification if necessary.

Locks for Garages

Immediate installation of locks on all garage doors was suggested by Police Capt. Fred Felmer, of the detective division.

Such a move, he said, would serve two purposes: First, it would materially increase the difficulties attendant upon the theft; second, it would deter many thieves because a broken lock would be evidence of burglary, which carries a more severe penalty under the law than does a theft charge.

To office workers who bring cars to town with them, and leave them parked all day and sometimes far into the night, Captain Palmer warned them they might better ride the buses. "Their bus fare would be paid many times over," he said, "with the expense of losing a tire to thieves."

Tire Dealers Warned

As a step to forestall tire thievery, the police department has assigned Detective Al Hartman to canvass all used tire dealers, including the smaller service stations, to request that they obtain the name and address of all persons from whom they purchase used tires.

Such dealers also have been requested to report to police immediately they are approached by suspicious persons who offer them used tires.

Car prowlers do not confine their activities to cars parked on dark streets or in unguarded parking lots, Captain Palmer warned. They also are active in private driveways and in cars parked in front of residences.

Detectives Carl Heimrick and Frank Brice have requested citizens to report immediately the presence of suspicious prowlers in the neighborhood.

NOTICE!

Meeting of the members of the R. E. A., Monday night in the district court room, at 7:30 o'clock.

One of the discussions will be on adding additional directors.
 WILLIS HILL.

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 Jane Withers — Jackie Cooper

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Wake up, Americans!
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 Every citizen must back the United States Army and Navy to victory—back them with work and money.

Do your part: Buy United States Defense Bonds and Stamps at your post office, bank, or savings and loan association. Get Defense Stamps at your retail store or from the carrier boy of this newspaper.

William B. Huggins paid the Eagle office a pleasant call this week and informed us that he will be a candidate for sheriff, assessor, and collector for Mills County for the coming year of 1943. His friends are urged to watch for his formal announcement and be sure to pay their poll tax so they will be ready to vote for him.

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 CRACKERS, Large 2 lb. Box 16c
 PEANUT BUTTER, Full Quart Size 28c

Market Specials

DRESSED FRYERS—HOT BARBECUE
 SAUSAGE Pure Pork It's Good 2 lbs. 35c
 GROUND VEAL MEAT, 2 lbs. 35c
 BACON, Sugar Cured Sliced, lb. 27c
 STEAK, Choice Veal, lb. 23c
 BOLOGNA, 2 Pounds 25c

HOME OWNED AND HOME GROWN

Small Electrical Equipment Serves Real Need on Farm



Ironing and tool grinding are two of many chores speeded electrically.

By IRA MILLER
 Farm Electrification Bureau

WHEN planning how you can put electricity to fuller use and make it serve you better and more cheaply, it is not necessary to limit your thinking to the larger appliances—range, refrigerator, water heater and the like—admittedly desirable though they are. Perhaps you cannot afford to spend that amount of money right now; perhaps the installation must wait upon the completion of certain alterations or additions. Whatever the situation, many of these devices become almost indispensable necessities after they have been in use on the farm for a short time. What woman who has used one of the modern quick-heating, high-wattage, automatic, lightweight electric irons would go back to the heavy and cumbersome older model or to "iron" having used an electric iron, would she be satisfied with the old-fashioned coffee pot for to make toast over a fire instead of electrically.

Other electrical appliances that provide satisfaction and pleasure are a portable radio, clock, door chimes, health lamp, curling iron, razor and hot plate, to name but a few. The time and money-saving advantages of small electrical equipment are not limited to the home, however. They are perhaps even more marked in the business of farming. Thus, small electric motors in the workshop will run a lathe, drill, forge, grindstone, metal and wood saw, planer, splicer and perform other jobs formerly done by hand. Such motors are so low in both original and operating expense that they easily can pay for themselves in a single season.

In addition to the above, there are portable electric drills, grinders and other tools helpful in repairing equipment that is too large or too heavy to bring to the workshop or to take to town. The electric soldering iron, arc welder, gluepot, battery charger, paint and insecticide sprayer and water warmer are invaluable on any farm.