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## PERSONALS

### Entertained with Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bogges entertained with a six o'clock dinner at their home, Saturday, Nov. 25, honoring Seaman James T. Guinn, Jr., who was at that time spending a few weeks leave.

The guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Guinn, Sr., and Miss Dorothy Nell Guinn, parents and sister of the honoree; Miss Thelma Bogges, of Lubbock and the honoree.

### Birth Announcement

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn E. Reeve announce the arrival of Max Edwin Reeve on Nov. 9, 1944.

Mrs. Lloyd Hume, the former Miss Ruth Reeve, has accepted a position as teacher in the Pampa schools, during the absence of her husband, who was again called overseas a few weeks ago, and is now located at Saipan, where he serves as pilot of one of the B-29s.

### Card of Thanks

To all who assisted us in any way we wish to express our heartfelt gratitude for your kindness. We also express our appreciation for the beautiful floral offerings.  
Mrs. Arma Coffman and family.

### Santa Claus Letter

Dear Santa:  
I want a pretty doll and telephone. Please bring Robbie a jeep and a dump truck. I will be at home Christmas night.  
Sally Osborn.

Practically every business place in Friona was closed last Thursday afternoon, in honor of Thanksgiving Day and the ball game.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. London left Friday for Shattuck, Okla., where Mrs. London will enter a hospital for an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Taylor and children of Hereford, visited his brother, A. E. (Slim) Taylor and family here, Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. (Uncle Bill) Lloyd have returned from a visit of several days with relatives and friends at Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. George McLean and Mrs. E. E. Houlette, who have been sojourning at Hot Springs, N. M., for the past three weeks, returned home Sunday.

While there they took advantage of the medicinal hot baths for health improvement. Mr. McLean states that they enjoyed their stay there exceedingly well and are well pleased with the results.

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**Those Boys Need You**  
**BUY WAR BONDS!**

## Chieftain Mothers Hosts at Banquet

The ladies of the Chieftain Mothers Club entertained the Chiefs and their girl friends with a banquet given at the school cafeteria, on Thursday evening of last week, Nov. 30, following the game in which the Chiefs lost to the Hereford Whitefaces by a score of 14 to 13.

Other guests present were: the mascot, Jimmie Reid, Supt. and Mrs. O. B. Ginn, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Houlette, and the coach, Buck Short.

The menu consisted of turkey and all the trimmings, and there were 65 present at the banquet. Carl C. Maurer made pictures of all the guests.

Thanks were offered by Mr. Ginn, and Wayne Stark expressed the thanks of the Chieftains to the mothers.

Kenneth Houlette and Coach Short each made interesting talks to the group. Following the feast all retired to the High School gym, for a session of games.

The next meeting of the Chieftain Mothers will be held Dec. 7, at the home of Mrs. J. R. Roden.

## SONS In the Service

Honolulu, Oahu, Nov. 26, 1944

Dear Uncle John:  
While I am in the mood of writing letters I thought I would drop you a line to let you know that I have not been getting the Friona Star here the last month or two. I figure you do not have my right address, so I hope to be getting it soon.

The weather over here sure is nice and warm. How are you getting along? I hope fine and dandy. I am well as I will ever be. Uncle John, are there any boys over here that are from Friona? If so please send me their address so I can look them up. I would like very much to meet someone from Friona. I had a long talk with Ralph Taylor and my brother while they were here. We went to Honolulu and had lots of fun. Well Uncle John I will close for now, and hope to be getting the Friona Star pretty soon. I sure do appreciate it very much, so send it to me.

A Friend,  
Poster.

The above letter is from Foster Watkins.

Dear Uncle John:  
Here I am in the Philippines and can't say that I like them too well. Of course no place will look good to me but the States. So far, I've spent about as much time on the water as on the land. Have crossed the equator twice and dropped in at several islands. I landed here three hours after the first assault troops hit the sand and there was still plenty going on close by. We hear a good many snip-

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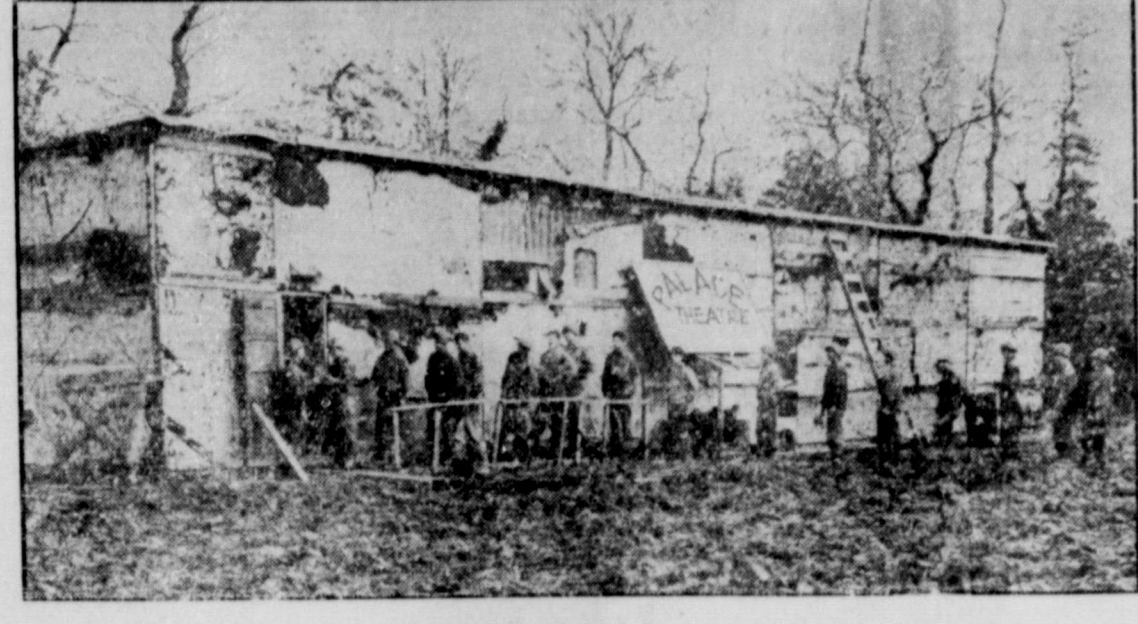
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## Now Showing--



The "Palace Theatre" near the front in Europe is known for miles around. Seats 400, and G. I.'s go there to see USO shows, movies, and for religious services. Ordnance men built it of scrap lumber from crates in which vehicle parts were shipped. (Signal Corps photo.)

## Dates Set for Election of AAA Committeemen

A second election, this one without parties, speeches and torchlight parades, and limited to the farmers of the nation, will be held between December 11 and 19. Sometime within these six days every farmer taking part in AAA programs will have an opportunity to vote for community committeemen.

The places and dates of community election meetings in Parmer county are:

- Monday, Dec. 11, Midway School District, Midway School.
- Tuesday, Dec. 12, Oklahoma Lane School Dist., Oklahoma Lane School.
- Wednesday, Dec. 13, Lazbuddy School District, Lazbuddy School.
- Thursday, Dec. 14, Bovina School District, Bovina School.
- Friday, Dec. 15, Black & Sumnerfield, Black School.
- Saturday, Dec. 16, North & South Friona, and Lakeview, Friona School.
- Monday, Dec. 18, Rhea School District, Rhea School.
- Tuesday, Dec. 19, Farwell School District, Farwell School.

The farmers elected at these meetings will be responsible for insuring maximum benefits to farmers of their communities for the many programs and activities of the Agricultural Adjustment Agency. The work of local committeemen includes explaining AAA practices, certifying applications for payment, assisting with storage and loan programs and working on the disposition of surplus war property.

More important than anything else, Bill Sherley county AAA chairman, points out, the organized effort made possible by the elected farmer committeemen puts American agriculture in a position to act quickly and unitedly in the reconversion to peace, just as it made agriculture the first in effectively adjusting to the needs of war.

All farm operators—men or women—who will take part in the program in 1945 are eligible to vote in community elections. In addition to electing community committeemen, the meetings also will name delegates to a county convention to be held later to elect county committeemen.

Through the cooperation of your County Agent, Lee McElroy, plans are being made for a free motion picture and a full discussion of the vital problems facing agriculture during the coming year.

In emphasizing the importance of full attendance at the election meetings, Mr. Sherley quotes N. E. Dodd, national AAA Chief:

"These elections, much the same as local school elections and like the town meetings of other days, constitute real democracy in action. With the approach of peace, AAA elections take on a new significance. It is more important than ever to have the best men available on AAA committees. The solving of farm problems at this stage of the war, and those that face the nation from here on out will require the best possible leadership and the full participation of farmers."

## Chiefs Lose in Hairbreadth Game Ending

The football game that was played here last Thursday afternoon, to decide the District Championship between the Hereford Whitefaces and the Friona Chiefs was a good game and well played throughout.

It was a fair test of skill, wit and strength, displayed by two good and apparently well matched teams. Each team displayed good sportsmanship throughout the game, thus furnishing entertainment of the kind that is enjoyed by the public.

Both sides scored during the first half, Hereford being the first to score a touchdown, and also score the extra point. This was followed soon after by Friona with a touchdown, but failed on the extra-point, thus leaving the score at the close of the first half, 7 to 6 in favor of Hereford.

During the last half, the Chiefs again scored a touchdown, raising the score to 13 to 7 in favor of the Chiefs, and the score was held at that point until two minutes before the close of the game, when the Chiefs seemed to have lost their grip on their opponents, who rushed in for a touchdown, placing the score at 14 to 13 in favor of the visitors.

Many expressions from football fans have been heard as to just why this should have happened any one of which may be right, and probably all of them wrong.

## Arkansas Men Here

E. M. Osborn of Hope, Ark., arrived here the latter part of last week for a few days visit with his sons, Sloan and Claude Osborn, and their families and with his brothers, F. M. and W. C. Osborn.

Mr. Osborn stated that farming conditions and prospects in his part of the country were fairly good, and expressed pleasure in finding conditions here as promising as they are at this time of year.

## J. T. Wright Visits Relatives in Friona

J. T. Wright, of Ashmore, Ill., arrived here by train, Tuesday afternoon for an indefinite visit with relatives.

Mr. Wright is now in his 94th year and is still able to travel and take care of himself and is remarkably agile for one of his years. Mrs. P. B. Griffith, formerly of this community, but now of Pleasant Valley, Colo., is his daughter. Mrs. Foster Rection is a daughter and Frank and Jim Griffith of this city, and Tom Griffith, of Bovina, are his sons. He has 27 grandchildren, 20 great grandchildren and 4 great great grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Griffith are here visiting, and Mr. Wright will probably accompany them to their home in Colorado when they return.

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## Farmers Have Important Job Choosing AAA Committeemen

Parmer committeemen who will have important roles in war and post-war farm problems will be named at annual AAA elections in Parmer County between December 11 and December 16. Locations and dates of the election meetings will be announced as soon as they are arranged.

Farmers will choose committeemen for each community, and delegates from these meetings will later name three county committeemen and alternates. Conservation practices for 1945, production goals and general agricultural outlook will be among the subjects discussed at the meetings.

Committeemen represent both their regular farmers and the executive branch of the Federal government in the work and responsibilities of the Agricultural Adjustment Agency. Their recommendations, based on personal knowledge and experience, help shape agricultural programs to fit the needs of their own localities and to meet the problems of farmers and consumers throughout the nation.

County and Community AAA Committeemen during the current year have gone to bat for the farmers of Parmer County in a number of important ways. Some of their more notable accomplishments are listed below:

They have secured allocations of more than 70 car loads of protein meal and cake for this County to relieve the shortage which began last fall. They recommended for WPB approval the construction of 21 new farm residences and additions to a dozen or two others. They distributed through AA-2 and AA-3 ratings more than 400,000 board feet of lumber for essential farm construction and repair. They were instrumental in securing 27 new trucks and pickups for Parmer County farmers. They recommended a large number of REA extensions and allotted copper wire for essential wiring. Since July they have approved 575 wheat loans totaling \$1,308,082.21. Loans on grain sorghum at \$1.69 are being made as fast as they can be handled. Committeemen have issued drafts for \$35,000.00 since last fall to help farmers and dalsymen absorb the high cost of feed.

These and many other services not named are in addition to carrying on the regular work of the County Association establishing crop goals, securing reports of conservation practices carried out, and approving applications for payment. Every farmer should have a part in the selection of committeemen whose work affects his interest so closely, especially as we approach the critical post-war period.

"The election meetings will give local farmers a chance to consider the problems and the demands of the coming year," says W. M. Shirley, County AAA chairman. "A program is being arranged for a full discussion of what's ahead. Every farmer should attend the meeting in his community to take part in this discussion and to vote in this election."

## Chiles Farm Sale Well Attended

In spite of the cloudy, misty, chilly weather that struck here last Saturday, the farm auction sale of R. L. Chiles held on the Chiles farm a mile northeast of Friona, was well attended and bidding was brisk throughout the day, with satisfactory prices.

The members of the Congregational Ladies Aid, served lunch at the noon hour, with free coffee furnished by Mr. Chiles.

Mr. and Mrs. Chiles have purchased residence property at Dallas to which they will move to make their home as soon as their business matters here have been attended to.

Since locating here in the Plains country several years ago, these two good people have been useful and worthy citizens of the community and their going away is regretted by their many Friona friends, all of whom wish them contentment and prosperity in their new location.

## Attends Airway Convention

Carl C. Maurer, owner and operator of the Ira Benger Air Field at Friona, left Monday for St. Louis, where he will attend a convention of airfield operators and owners.

At the close of the convention Mr. Maurer may visit other points, probably going as far east as New Jersey, in an effort to secure more planes for the Ira Benger field.

## Remodeling Store

Nelson Welch is still engaged arranging and fitting the inside of the store building on the west side of Main street north of the Friona State Bank, where he plans to open his new auto supply store.

Mr. Welch stated last week that he hopes to be able to open his store by the first of the year.

## Move to New Home

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hinds and small son have moved from their former home on Main Street, in the McMillan-Fergus addition, to the Gischler property on the west side of Cleveland Avenue, which they recently purchased.

Their reason for the change in location of their home, was so that Mrs. Hinds could have her music studio nearer the school building for the convenience of many of her pupils, who have to take time off from school to take their music, and avoid the need of crossing the highway. Also so that Mr. Hinds may be nearer his work when he opens his grocery store on Sixth Street.

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## Ration Reminder

- GASOLINE — Stamps A-13 in new book good thru Dec. 21.
- SUGAR — Stamp No. 30, 31, 32 and 33 each good for 5 lbs. valid indefinitely. Stamp 34, valid Nov. 16, remains good indefinitely. Stamp 40 in book 4, good for 5 lbs. canning sugar through Feb. 28, 1945.
- SHOES — Airplane stamps, 1, 2 and 3 good indefinitely.
- PROCESSED FOODS — Blue 10-point stamps A8, thru Z-8, and A-5 thru W-5 good indefinitely. X-5 thru Z-5 and A-2 and B-2 valid Friday.
- MEATS AND FATS — Red 10-point stamps A8, thru Z-8, and A-5 thru P-5, good indefinitely. Q-5 thru S-5 valid Dec. 3.

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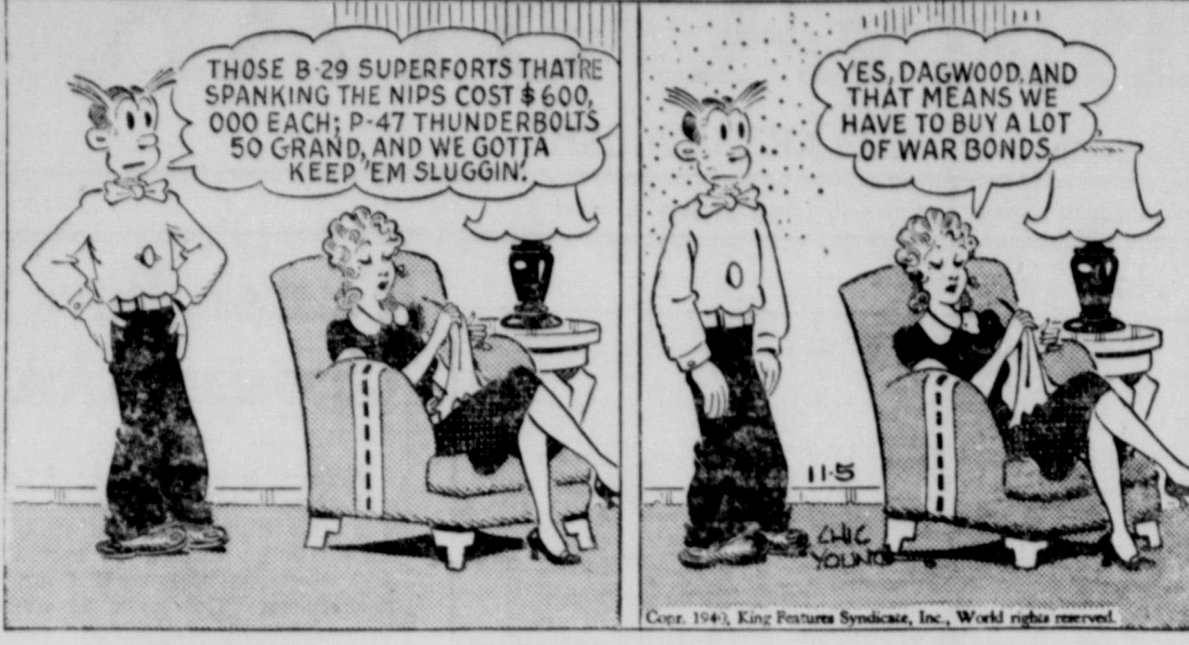
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WANTED: A John Deere Machine. Will make the right man a good proposition. Friona Farm Equipment, Friona, Texas. 19-11c

**FOR SALE:** One half section good land, well improved. One mile west of Friona, Tex. Possession, Jan. 1, 1945. E. V. Rushing, Rt. 3, Clovis, New Mexico. 19-31p

WANTED: A housekeeper. Either a lady or a man and wife. Apply to Mrs. W. H. Warren, Friona. 21-11p

**FOR SALE or Rent:** One good two-room house, near school building in Friona. See Mrs. Dela Palmateur. 21-21p

**FOR SALE:** Quarter section land mile and a half from Friona. Can give possession. See us for cheap lands. M. A. Crum. 21-11p

**FOR SALE:** Two 2-year old Hereford Bulls. J. T. Guinn, Rt. 2, Friona, Texas. 25-21p

### Used Tires Removed From Ration List

Because of their poor quality and spotty distribution, the few used passenger car tires still in the hands of tire dealers were removed from rationing Dec. 5, the District Office of Price Administration has announced.

Because rationing of the few tires had become an unnecessary burden on local boards and because most of the used tires still available need repairs and recaps to make them serviceable, the decision was taken to remove them from ration controls.

Used truck tires will continue under rationing, however, officials emphasized.

All tires, both new and used, are under price control, it was pointed out. Purchasers should check to see that dealers have the maximum prices of tires posted and note the ceiling price of any tires they intend to buy.

In removing used passenger tires from rationing, OPA also changed the definition of Grade I tires to include factory seconds and tires made of reclaimed rubber. Both of these types, as well as new and undamaged synthetic rubber tires will continue under rationing.

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### Red Cross Supplies For Prisoners Have Arrived in Japan

WASHINGTON — American Red Cross relief supplies for prisoners of war are reported by the Japanese to have arrived in Kobe, Japan, from Nakhodka, a Soviet port 100 miles east of Vladivostok, it was announced by Basil O'Connor, chairman. The supplies, sent to Vladivostok last year, were moved by the Soviet government to Nakhodka and picked up by a Japanese boat.

Food, medicines, clothing and some recreational supplies were sent by the American and Canadian Red Cross societies and the YMCA from a west coast port of the United States via Russian ships to the port of

Vladivostok at the suggestion of the Japanese government after other methods of sending prisoners of war supplies to the Far East had been rejected by that government.

The cargo, valued at about \$1,500,000, contained approximately 300,000 eleven-pound food packages, 2,661 cases of drugs and medical supplies, 19,500 sets of clothing, 4,200 pairs of army shoes, 7,080 overcoats, 125 cases of shoe repair materials, 21,000 sets of toilet articles, 1,000,000 cigarettes, and 299 cases of YMCA books and religious and recreational supplies.

It is understood that a delegate of the International Committee of the Red Cross met the ship on arrival at Kobe to direct the forwarding of materials to Allied prisoners of war. The International delegate has been instructed to make every effort to see that supplies are sent to camps that did not receive their share of the previous two shipments sent by the American Red Cross. Former shipments, valued at \$1,462,926 were made on two voyages of the diplomatic exchange ship, Gripsholm, in 1942 and 1943.

A bunch of bred Hereford heifers sold at the Chiles sale last Saturday for \$10.30 per cwt.

M. M. Sherley was the buyer. One milk cow also sold for \$123.00.

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- Out Buildings . . .**
- 1 Car House, 10x18, new.
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- 2 Chicken Coops.
- Household Goods . . .**
- 1 Practically new Living Room Suite with springs.
- 1 Library Table.
- 1 Wool Rug, new.
- 2 Rocking Chairs.
- 1 Reclining Chair, new.
- 1 Ottoman.
- 1 Night Table.
- 1 Full Iron Bedstead.
- 1 Four-Poster Wooden 3-4 Bedstead.
- 2 Sets Springs.
- 1 Full-bed Mattress.
- 1 Three-Quarter Bed Mattress.
- 1 Dresser.
- 1 Small Bookcase.
- 1 Dining Table, round oak.
- 6 Dining Chairs, oak.
- 1 Enamel Top Kitchen Table.
- 1 Buffet.
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- 1 Inlaid Linoleum, new, 22 feet.
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The time is 1954. And even Mr. Brown doesn't know yet about the big one he's going to land. But Bill is working hard today—in 1944—saving money—and buying War Bonds and still more War Bonds. After all, the Browns have two boys in the Navy and as he says, "It's little enough that we do, but it's the best we know how."

cause of the war there is a shortage of purchasable material. Because of this shortage prices are higher and dollars can't buy as much as they probably will 10 years from now, say. If you will plan your saving now—work it out with pencil and paper—your spending later will be more profitable to you and your family. And the best way to save now is to buy War Bonds. Another good way is to add regularly to your bank account so that you will have ready cash for emergencies.

The happy side of Mr. Brown's saving is that he's laying the ground work for a secure old age for his wife and himself. And according to Mr. Brown, "that means fishing."

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## How to Avoid Common Colds

AUSTIN—"The common cold is responsible for more lost working hours, with resulting loss in income and production, than any other illness prevalent in the United States," asserts Dr. George W. Cox, State Health Officer, in a statement just released. He stated that the number of victims remains, from year to year, practically the same and expressed the opinion that the only way this situation can be remedied is by more universal care and thoughtfulness on the part of the general public.

"One of the more common predisposing causes of a cold is the overheated living room, or office, in which much time is spent, especially when insufficient ventilation is provided," Dr. Cox said. "Such a living environment, when coupled with careless eating habits and too late hours, tends to lower resistance and invites the appearance of debilitating colds."

Dr. Cox stated that it is wise to avoid direct contact with infected persons; and said that the cold victim himself has a definite duty to perform in keeping away from gatherings and in the unfeeling use of a handkerchief, or paper tissue, when coughing or sneezing.

"Colds themselves are troublesome enough, but frequently they lead to pneumonia and even in these days of improved treatment, pneumonia still remains a devastating and dangerous disease," Dr. Cox warned. "If, in spite of precautions, a cold is contracted it is wise to see your physician at once. If fever is present, bed is the only safe place to be regardless of temporary inconvenience or loss of earning power."

## Westway

By MRS. MERLIN KAUL

A large crowd attended the Thanksgiving program and supper which was held Thursday night at the schoolhouse. The program consisted of patriotic and Thanksgiving numbers followed by a Tom Thumb wedding. Mr. Turner and Mrs. A. J. Walker played several piano and violin selections.

The supper was sponsored by the members of the Home Demonstration Club.

Mrs. Al Werner and Mrs. Merlin Kaul were hostesses Wednesday at a shower at the home of Mrs. Werner honoring Marjorie Morrison whose marriage was solemnized Friday.

Mrs. Kelly Gray was hostess at a dinner Sunday at her home honoring the birthday of her husband. Neighbors gathered at the Gray home about 1 o'clock with baskets of food which was served buffet style. Kelly received a number of gifts. Nor was Mrs. Gray forgotten. Her birthday was some time ago but among the gifts she found some honoring her birthday also.

Nelson, Glen, and Shirley Pierce of Hereford were visitors in the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pierce several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cawthon Bryant and John David of Hereford were callers in the Merlin Kaul home Thursday evening and attended the program and supper at the schoolhouse.

Mrs. Maurice Tannahill was a Clovis, N. M., visitor one day last week.

Ralph Johnson arrived last Wednesday from California to spend his furlough with Mrs. Johnson and other relatives. He is being transferred to Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Combs were Amarillo visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Johnson left Friday for Boston, Mass., to visit his parents and other relatives.

Misses Oma Monroe and Imogene Thompson, Mrs. Wayne Thompson, and Mrs. J. L. Monroe of Plainview were guests of Mrs. Don Combs recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Lichey of Slaton were guests in the Tom Winkler home from Tuesday until Thursday.

The Tom Winkler family spent the week end in Tahoka with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Winkler and other relatives.

Guests in the Merlin Kaul home Sunday included Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Durstine of Lubbock, Dick and Marilee London of Friona, and Kenneth Durstine home on leave from overseas duty in the navy.

Moody Stephan and son Welton went to Gatesville last week to visit his mother and other relatives.

A drizzling rain falling here all day Sunday turned into a downpour Sunday night and to snow Monday. Snow fell most of the day Monday.

Mrs. H. M. Thomas has re-

turned home after spending three weeks with her daughter and family at Shamrock.

Dinner guests in the R. M. Gunn home Thursday included Mrs. Guy Lawrence and daughters of Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Landers and Ross Joe and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Morrison announce the marriage of their daughter Marjorie to Mr. Jimmy Thomas of Post on Friday afternoon at 4:30 at the Methodist parsonage at Hereford. Rev. Marvin Boyd officiated in the single ring ceremony.

The bride wore a suit dress of black with black and white accessories. She wore a shoulder corsage of red carnations. Those attending were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tol Thomas and daughter Katherine of Post, Mrs. Stella Thuett and Betty Jo of Bippus, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Morrison, Raymond and

Ralph, and Mrs. Boyd.

Marjorie is a graduate of Hereford High School and attended W. T. S. C. at Canyon. For the past several months she has been employed at Hereford. Her husband recently received a medical discharge from military service and is employed at Post where the young couple will make their home. They left for Post immediately following the ceremony.

The best wishes of this community follow them for success and happiness.

### Price Controls Remain On Farm Equipment

Removal of farm machinery from rationing restrictions has not changed price regulations on such equipment, it was announced this week by J. B. Mooney, district OPA price ex-

ecutive. "No changes have been made in pricing regulations for farm equipment and no relaxation in the enforcement of this regulation is anticipated," Mooney said in calling the matter to the attention of all farm equipment dealers and auctioneers.

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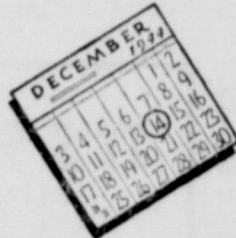
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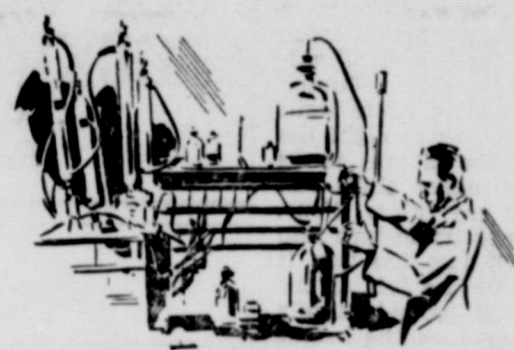
# A story that hasn't been told

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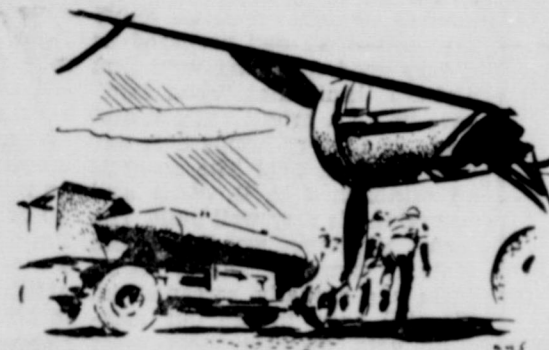


On December 14, at 3:00 o'clock in the afternoon, the men and women of Humble Oil & Refining Company will pause in their work to commemorate, in appropriate ceremony, a feat unparalleled in the petroleum industry: The production of ONE BILLION GALLONS of finished 100-octane aviation gasoline at the Baytown refinery.

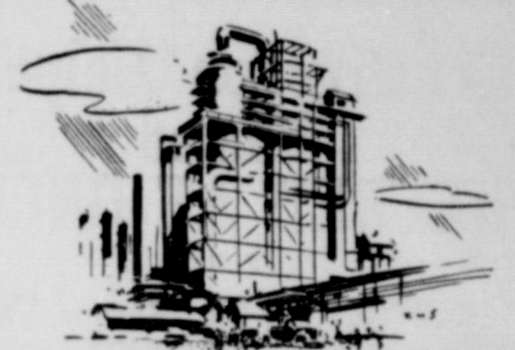
This accomplishment merits special commendation, because it climaxes 25 years of development, planning, and teamwork of a great organization. The cooperative effort of Humble employees has brought about a uniform progress in all phases of the Company's operations which has enabled them to establish remarkable records in finding, producing, transporting and refining petroleum during a critical period in the history of our nation.



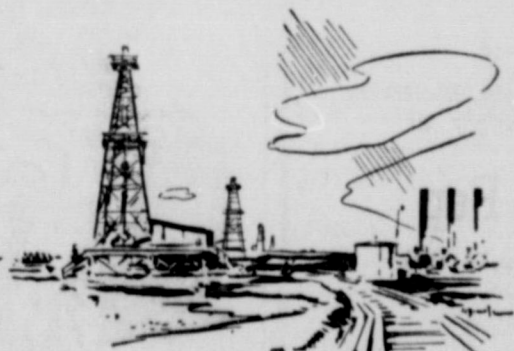
Humble research and development, in progress for many years before Pearl Harbor, made possible these accomplishments and contributed greatly to the total production of toluene, and the tremendous quantities of finished 100-octane aviation gasoline required by our Armed Forces.



Baytown Ordnance Works, first synthetic toluene plant in the world, has supplied toluene for at least one out of every two bombs used by the United Nations since Pearl Harbor. For this production feat, Baytown Ordnance Works has five times been awarded the Army-Navy "E".



Baytown Refinery has made one billion gallons of finished 100-octane aviation gasoline—more than has been produced by any other plant in the world. The world's first commercial alkylation plant was built at Baytown in 1938. The alkylation process is the very backbone of 100-octane aviation gasoline production by the entire petroleum industry.



Humble Oil & Refining Company is the nation's largest producer of crude oil, and is currently supplying about one-fourth of the increased production required for war, as measured by the gain since 1941.



Through the facilities of Humble Pipe Line Company, there is being transported more oil than is being carried by any other system in the country. Nearly 700,000 barrels move daily through Humble pipe lines—one-seventh of all the oil production in the United States.



United in a great singleness of purpose, 14,000 Humble men and women are devoting themselves to the task of providing vital petroleum products for war, looking to the day when their 3,000 fellow employees and all their comrades in arms will return.

### OPEN HOUSE AT BAYTOWN REFINERY—DECEMBER 14-17

So that one of America's great war plants may be seen in action, Baytown Refinery is holding open house from Thursday, December 14, through Sunday, December 17. The story of the refinery at war will be told by dramatic

exhibits of petroleum war products and a great Army and Navy show of war machines and materials. Specially conducted tours will take Humble's friends and neighbors into the heart of the refinery itself.

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