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SONS In the Service

The following letter is from Cpl. Lyle S. Booker, written to J. J. Williams, through whose kindness we are permitted to include it in this column.—U. J. Germany, Jan. 15, 1945

Dear J. J.:

Will try to drop you a few lines after waiting so many months. This leaves me somewhere in Germany. Received three copies of the Friona Star this noon. Where is your son stationed now? Notice where several of the Friona boys were home during the month of December. Did I notice where you have a new temple in Friona? Had the pleasure of attending Lodge while in England and of watching the lodge give the 1st degree. There was one brother from Texas present. Noticed Mr. F. L. Spring is in poor health. Friona will not seem the same without Charlie Jones on the streets at all hours of the night. Would like to be in Friona. Really Texas seems more like home than Okla. Wouldn't mind making my home there after the war; of course, the wife might have other plans, but I don't think she will. Will soon be overseas a year, and the biggest part has been in combat. So far we've been in three major battles. We were issued our first campaign star, Saturday. Hardly seems possible that your best football players this year were in grade school when I left there. My wife is making her home in Missouri until after the war. My folks are all well. How is Bert Chitwood getting along? Hated to hear of Clyde's death. Isn't his son running the Rafter-S now? Knight killed two birds with one stone when he stumped his toe and got twins. Jeff made a good crop last year. He worked at the gin all fall. He and Beulah are doing all right. The Russians really go places when they start pushing. Hope they are able to push to Berlin. We landed D-20 and have been going ever since. For a while we were moving almost every day. Once we were able to move over 100 miles in order to catch up. Wish that could happen again. We were close enough to Paris to see the Eiffel Tower. You couldn't ask to be treated better. The people of Holland are "tops". So long, for now, Your friend Lyle.

Germany, Jan. 21, 1945
Dear Uncle John:
I have been wanting to write to you for a long time, but there has been very little of interest to write about, and so far, there still isn't. I have received several back issues of the Star, which I was very glad to get. These issues had been held due to the Christmas mail rush. I have really been catching up on the happenings back home. The deer season must have been pretty slim this year. There are a lot of rabbits and quail around here. I believe I like rabbit about as well as chicken. There were a few cattle around here but the weather seems to have been a little too cold, as some of

them have frozen and the rest are standing around and will freeze soon. I am sure glad the crops turned out as good as they did. Just think what they would have been if it had not hailed. Understand from what I have read that the prospects are about the same this year. The weather here is nothing to brag about, it freezes and thaws and generally rains when it starts thawing. There was a heavy snow on the ground, but it melted yesterday, and as usual it started raining and the water started running into our positions faster than it could be pumped out. Some of the dugouts started leaking and the tops had to be fixed. A new radar pit had to be dug, but the engineers dug it with a bulldozer. There is a lot of work to be done on it yet, but everything else is in order. The ground froze again last night. I will try and write a letter soon, but in case I do not, I wish you would tell the Women's Clubs, "Thanks, a lot," for the Christmas cards. They were very nice and greatly appreciated. Well, so far, I have met nobody from Friona, or the surrounding territory. One of the men met his brother the other day. That was a happy reunion. I received a letter from Merle the other day. He is well but is busy and has very little time to write. If you do not have time to write all the copy, put Mr. Beattie to work. He probably doesn't remember me, but I remember him quite well. The papers I have received contained lots of advertising, especially political announcements. Well, I have written so much and said so little that I had better close. Tell everyone "Hello!" Write when you have time and feel

like it. As ever, your nephew, Roy.

The above letter was written by Pvt. Roy L. Hart, son of Mrs. Grace Hart, of Friona.—Uncle John.

Tulsa, Okla. Jan. 30, 1945
Dear Mr. White:
It is time to renew my subscription to the Friona Star, so I am sending a blank check, as I do not know what zone we are in. We still enjoy reading the Star—we just couldn't do without it. Friona seems more like home than any place we have ever lived. O. D. Sr., still works out at Douglas. His health stays about the same. O. D. Jr. is still in China with the 14th Air Force. He will have been over there two years the 15th of February. He will probably get a 21-day furlough then. It will take him about two months to get home, as he will come by boat. We have just had two light snows so far this winter. Spring comes early in this part of the country, and the robins will soon be back. Here's hoping the coming year will bring you much happiness and success.

Sincerely,
Mrs. Hattie McLellan.

James W. Baxter, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie R. Baxter, Route Two, Friona, was enlisted in the U. S. Navy Feb. 1, at the main recruiting station in Santa Fe, N. M. Young Baxter volunteered for Naval service at the Clovis Navy Office. He is a graduate of the Friona High School, where he was an outstanding athlete, having played football and basketball, winning letters in both sports. He is also a member of the Future Farmers of America Club in Friona.

Sworn in as apprentice seaman, young Baxter was transferred immediately to the naval training station.

A recent letter from Mrs. Harold Schlenker to friends here states that an Oak Leaf Cluster was presented to her brother, T-Sgt. Thomas W. Hamblen, a top turret gunner on the flying fortress, "Blond Bomber," in England. Sgt. Hamblen was employed as an aircraft engine mechanic at the Sacramento Air Service Command before entering the Army Air Forces in Nov. 1943. He received his gunner's wings in April, 1944, at Las Vegas, Nev. His wife resides in Sacramento. Sgt. Hamblen is well known here and in the Rhea community.

CONGRATULATIONS, BOY SCOUTS
Boy Scout Week—Feb. 8-14



Glen Curtis Stevick, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Orval Ely Stevick of Friona, was a member of the 31st class of aviation cadets to graduate from the Columbus Army Air Field near Columbus, Miss., on Feb. 1, 1945. He received the silver wings of a Flying Officer and appointment as a Flight Officer in the Army Air Forces. F-O Stevick entered pilot training in February, 1944, and attended flying schools at Avon Park, Fla., and Greenwood, Miss., before his graduation at the advanced flying school near Columbus, Miss. Before he enlisted for pilot training he had attended Friona High School. Flight Officer Stevick arrived in Friona Sunday, for a ten-day furlough with his parents.

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Mr. and Mrs. Reford Brannon are the proud parents of a baby girl.

War Bond Dollars Are DOUBLE DUTY DOLLARS

Lee Leases Williams Blacksmith Shop

C. L. Lee announces that he has leased the J. J. Williams blacksmith shop and is prepared to do general blacksmith work for the public.

Mr. Lee is an experienced workman, having spent several years working at the blacksmith trade. He has been employed at the Friona Machinery company as a general machinist for the past several months.

LOCALS

Mrs. Buford Hughes and daughter, Miss Wanda Ann, returned from Wichita Falls, Sunday, Jan. 28, after spending ten days with their daughter and sister, Mrs. John Wesley, and family. Wanda Ann was undergoing a physical checkup and treatment from their family doctor while there. They stopped off at Quanah on their way home for a short visit with Mrs. Hughes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed F. Elton.

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Pfc. Melvin Wyley Missing in Action

Pfc. Melvin Wyley of Friona, Tex., has been reported by the War Department as missing in action in Belgium, since Dec. 17, 1944. He was a mortar man in the 99th Infantry Division of the first Army, and has been overseas since October, 1944. Pfc. Wyley took his basic training at Camp Wolters, Tex., and later finished his training at Camp Maxey. His wife and children and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Wyley reside in Friona.

Bible Riddle Answer

The answer to the Bible Riddle published in last week's issue of the Star, will be found in the 17th verse of the first chapter of the Book of Jonah. Only one correct answer was turned in at the shoe shop.

Malone Baby Dies

Funeral services for the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Malone, formerly of Friona, were held yesterday in Hereford. The baby was born on Wednesday.

The Malones have two other children, a boy and girl.

4-H Achievement Program, Feb. 14

February 14, at Bovina High School, 8:30 P. M. the 4-H club Achievement Program will be held. Wendol Christian will act as chairman of the program. Three or four outstanding 4-H Club boys will give reports on their 4-H club work and three team demonstrations will be given. The demonstrations will be as follows: Dairy Cattle Feeding by Donald Christian and Leon Grissom; Johnson Grass Eradication by Merrill Glen Rundell and W. M. Donaldson; Cattle Grubs by Scotty Gober and Melvin Hughes.

The 4-H Club movie will be shown and all awards for various contests entered in the county will be presented at this time.

County Agent, L. H. McElroy, urges all boys interested in 4-H club work in Parmer County to attend this program.

DAIRY SHOW POSTPONED

The Parmer County Dairy Cattle Club has postponed the annual Dairy Show until later in the summer due to no barn being available for the show at the regular time. Several farmers will take their animals to Plainview, April 10-14 to the Jersey Show and following this show some will enter in the Shorthorn show.

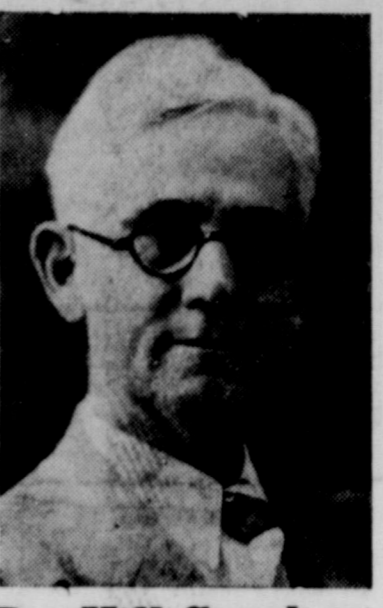
MRS. C. H. RECTOR

From the Northwest Oklahoma and Ellis County News, Shattuck, Okla.

Alice Tennessee Cox, oldest daughter of John Parzida Cox, was born Feb. 8, 1871, in Campbell County, Tenn. She passed away at her home in Shattuck, Okla., Jan. 24, 1945, at the age of 73 years, 11 months and 16 days. At an early age she consecrated her life to our Saviour and always kept the faith of that happy day. On April 20, 1888 she was united in marriage to Chrisley H. Rector. To this union were born three children: Mrs. Eva Grant, of Enid, Okla.; Foster Rector, of Friona, Texas; and Oscar Rector of Gage, Okla. She moved with her family to Ellis County, Okla., near Chaney, in August, 1912. In the year 1939 she, with her husband moved to Shattuck where she resided until her passing. Her husband passed away on July 16, 1943. She leaves to mourn her passing, her three children, ten grandchildren and six great grandchildren. One brother, of Pioneer, Tenn., and one sister, of Jacksboro, Tenn., and a host of friends and neighbors.

Words will not express how we miss Mother Rector, her thoughtfulness of those who were around her were always her foremost thoughts, and she was lovingly called Mammy by a host of friends. No one was ever turned from the family door in need of food and lodging.

Funeral services were held from the First Baptist Church in Shattuck, January 26, at two o'clock, by Rev. Robert R. Cham-



Dr. Hill Speaks At P-TA Meeting

Dr. J. A. Hill, President of West Texas State College, Canyon, is to be the speaker at the Friona Parent-Teachers Association meeting on Feb. 15.

President Hill has been identified with West Texas State College since its opening in 1910 and is one of the best known speakers in Northwest Texas. Throughout his presidency of the college at Canyon he has been actively interested in the work and development of all kinds of community organizations having for their purpose the improvement of life for community members and the widening of opportunities for youth.

Because of his intense interest in the changes which are being brought about by the war it is to be expected that his address will deal with the problems of parents and educators now and in the post-war years. The entire community is invited to hear Dr. Hill on this occasion.

Increased Activity At Employment Office

Six hundred thirty-five people of whom 479 were males contacted the Plainview USES Office during the month of Jan., 1945, to obtain information or to apply for work.

Of the number applying for work, 89 were placed locally and 111 were referred to out-of-town plants designated as producing important war materials and urgently needing workers. All but eight of the 111 were placed with plants in the North Panhandle. Of that eight referred out of Texas, four went to Pearl Harbor, as employees of the Navy Dept.

Seventy-three veterans called at the office, 35 wanted jobs and the remainder desired information on other veterans' rights. Thirty-one were placed in employment and 20 were directed to the proper agency for the desired assistance.

The USES office has noted an increase in interest in the essentiality of jobs and a desire on the part of the applicants for essential employment.

bers, pastor. Interment was in the Shattuck Cemetery.

Chiefs Battle Hereford In Game Tonight

There will be a good game of basketball, a double-header, at the Friona Gym, tonight, (Friday) between the Hereford Whitefaces and the Friona Chiefs.

This bids fair to be one of the best games of the season and the public is cordially invited. Usual admission rates.

It is also announced that there will be an invitation basketball tournament held here, on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 1-3.

Lloyd Buys Local Produce House

A business deal has been completed this week, whereby Fred Lloyd has become the owner and proprietor of the Phythian Produce, which has been operated by C. C. Phythian.

Mr. Phythian will devote his entire time to his trucking business, and Mrs. Lloyd will be in charge at the produce station, where she is well known, she having formerly worked for Mr. Phythian.

Home From Oklahoma

Foister Rector returned home the latter part of last week from Shattuck, Okla., where he had been called the week previous on account of the serious illness of his mother, Mrs. C. H. Rector. The mother passed away soon after his arrival and Mr. Rector remained for the funeral, which was held Friday afternoon, Jan. 26.

FRIONA WEATHER

So far as delightful winter weather is concerned, the weather of the past week has been without defect. No moisture has been received and the days have been mild and for the most part sunny.

The wind changed to the North Tuesday afternoon and the night was colder, but Wednesday was still mild and bright and only moderately cold.

Potishman to Enter Red Cross Service

Leo Potishman of Fort Worth, owner of the Transit Grain Company of that city and of the Santa Fe Grain Company at Friona is visiting among Friona friends this week.

He paid a short visit to the Star office Tuesday afternoon, and while here stated that he has volunteered for Red Cross War Service. He plans to leave on or about the 14th of this month for Washington, D. C., where he will receive a few weeks training in the Red Cross work, after which he expects to be sent overseas to any part of the world to which the Red Cross may see fit to send him.



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Two Michigan anglers, Lt. E. J. Holderman and Seaman C. F. Curry, exhibit the 1400-pound bottlenose shark they caught with a hand-made harpoon near the Navy Training Station at Point Mugu, Calif. The shark towed them an hour before giving up.

Soy Beans Processed At Amarillo Mill

By special arrangement with the Secretary of Agriculture and the Commodity Credit Corporation, an Amarillo cotton oil company has completed plans for processing soy beans raised in Texas, according to F. G. Collier of the local AAA office. Previously the Amarillo mill had processed beans produced in other states.

The beans may be delivered to the Fraser or Pitman elevators in Hereford and will be shipped to Amarillo by rail in carload lots; as only large shipments are being accepted at the Amarillo plant.

Local elevator men say that one carload of soy beans is already "in sight" for shipment from Hereford and that all farmers having soy beans for processing should make arrangements for shipment from one of the local elevators.

Sugar Beets Subject For Tech Discussion

Stating that considerable interest in sugar beet production is being shown by Deaf Smith County farmers, County Agent A. R. Bateman today announced that a special educational program on the production of sugar beets will be held at Aggie Auditorium, Texas Technological College, Lubbock, on Friday, Feb. 9. "Judging from interest which has already been shown, there should be a number of farmers planning to attend this meeting," Bateman said.

The program which will get underway at 10 o'clock in the morning, is sponsored by the

Summerfield

MRS. GUY WALSER

Sunday School and church were attended by 93 Sunday morning. There was also a good attendance Sunday night and at choir practice Wednesday, when there were several good quartets present. Everybody is invited to attend choir practice at 7:30 on Wednesday nights.

Mrs. Carl Lee and Miss Jewell Clark visited relatives in Littlefield last Thursday.

Mrs. Ray Johnson and Mrs. Lloyd Lookingbill were business visitors in Amarillo last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walk Boston took her mother and sister, Mrs. Brandon and Mrs. Laura Smith and daughter to Amarillo one day last week where they caught the bus to Florida to visit their son and brother, who is stationed there.

Lee Curry's cousin, Ben William of Espanola, N. M., was one of the 510 Americans who was released from the Jap prison on Luzon last week.

Lloyd Manjeot of Hereford is the new bus driver for the Summerfield bus.

Herman Neff made a business trip to San Angelo last Saturday.

Mrs. Blanche Cross has received word that her husband has been wounded in action.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Acton and son Arol have moved from Borger to their home north of Summerfield.

Rev. Marcus Rexrode attended a Workers Conference at Spur last Tuesday. Tandy Legg accompanied him as far as Dickens where he visited with his parents.

Arol Acton is a new pupil in the Summerfield School.

Mrs. Louise Bogle returned to Lubbock Monday after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lance.

The Summerfield Study Club met at the home of Mrs. Britt Clark last Thursday. Mrs. Walk Boston and Mrs. B. E. Robertson were the members on the program.

Mrs. Frank Huckert and baby daughter have returned home from the Hereford hospital.

Mrs. M. D. Welty is in the hospital at Hereford. Every body wishes her a speedy recovery. Our community was shocked Monday night when Olin Green died suddenly. He is survived by his parents and one sister and one brother and several uncles and aunts. We extend sympathy to all relatives.



Read Our Want Ad Page!

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Electric Cream Separators.

Good Used Cream Separators

Electric Attachments for Cream Separators.

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10-Foot Field Cultivator.

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Just received shipment of

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6 miles north of Hereford on 25-mile Avenue, then 1½ miles West and 1 mile North.

LIVESTOCK . . .

- 11 Whiteface Cows with Calves
- 9 Whiteface Cows, Springers
- 15 Whiteface Heifers
- 11 Whiteface Steers
- 1 Whiteface Bull
- 4 Half-breed Cows

4 Brood Sows, will have pigs by sale date.

POULTRY . . .

- 10 Turkey Hens
- 1 Turkey Tom
- 50 White Leghorn Hens

MACHINERY . . .

- 1 IHC Model H Tractor, power lift and lifter
- 1 Oliver 2-row Lister

- 1 IHC 16-hole Drill
- 1 IHC Field Cultivator
- 1 3-section Harrow
- 1 6-foot Sanders Oneway
- 1 3-Disc Breaking Plow.
- 1 John Deere Broadcast Binder, 10ft
- 1 Disc, 8 foot
- 1 Bundle Wagon
- 3 Incubators, 200, 400 and 600 size
- 2 Coal Brooder Stoves
- 1 2-row Knife Sled
- 1 Go Devil Cultivator
- 2 Electric Fence Chargers

HOUSEHOLD GOODS . . .

- 1 Pressure Cooker, 18-quart size
- 1 Can Sealer
- 1 Porcelain lined Ice Refrigerator
- 2 Rocking Chairs
- 1 Folding Bed
- 1 Living Room Suite

MISCELLANEOUS . . .

- Some New Barb Wire
- 1 Child's Coaster Wagon
- Chicken Feeders, Waterers, etc.
- 1 Stack of Feed

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By MRS. MERLIN KAUL
Mrs. Vincent Skypala received a message last week telling of the sudden death of her sister, Mrs. Joe Muenster of Schulenberg. Mrs. Muenster was 37 years of

age and suffered a heart attack. She is survived by her husband, six children and other relatives. Mrs. Skypala could not make train connections in time to reach Schulenburg for the funeral so plans to go this week to visit her relatives who live at Schulenberg.

We extend sincere sympathy to her in her loss. Elwood Skypala left Wednesday for San Diego, Calif., after spending a leave here with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Maurice Tannahill accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Francis Carthl of Lockney visited relatives at Spearman Wednesday.

Mrs. Grady Wilson, Mrs. Carl Schroeder and Mrs. Merlin Kaul were hostesses Wednesday at a gift party at the home of Mrs. Kaul honoring Mrs. Ralph Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shaffer and family have moved to the Walter Dunlap place where the Campbell family lived.

Instead of the scheduled meeting of the Home Demonstration Club members will attend a luncheon at the home of Mrs. Bob Lindsey at Progressive. All who plan to go should notify Mrs. Elmer Combs, secretary at once.

Bruce Burney and Mr. Peeler of Sundown were guests Wednesday in the R. C. Childers home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rudd, Harold and Homer spent the week end at Albuquerque, N. M., with their son and brother A-C Kenneth Rudd.

Rev. J. T. Bilbrey of Plainview preached here Sunday. He was accompanied by Mrs. Bilbrey,

Mrs. Pauline Landers and Mrs. Ralph Durstine were visitors at the services. T. B. Cox gave his birthday offering. The Sunday School voted to have a study course later on.

There will be preaching services again next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Merritt and son and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Smith and children of Ward were visitors in the Tom Winkler home Sunday afternoon.

Patsy Jackson and Elaine Cox played in a recital of Mrs. Glenn Snyder's piano pupils at the Methodist Church at Hereford Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Little returned Monday from Dallas where Earl has been under treatment for the past three weeks.

Pvt. and Mrs. Leland McMurray and baby left for Tennessee last week called by the serious illness of Leland's mother. J. B. Little has been staying with E. H. Jr., and assisting with the chores while Mr. and Mrs. Earl Little were in Dallas.

Mrs. H. M. Thomas is visiting in the home of her daughter at Shamrock.

Mrs. Claude Caison spent last week with her mother, Mrs. J. B. Long at Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Durstine of Lubbock were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Kaul and boys. Mr. and Mrs. Durstine are moving to Friona this week.

Mrs. N. D. Bartlett, Jr., was hostess Thursday to members of the Farm and Ranch Club.

Christmas cards were received here last week from Howard Gore. They were mailed from France in November.

Mrs. Merlin Kaul was an Ama-

Invasion Victim



Wounded, burned, and bleeding, a wounded Navy man heads for an emergency sick bay on an invasion vessel in Lingayen Gulf off Luzon. (Navy photo.)

Seigner to Sell Farm and Equipment

A sale of land, livestock, farm machinery and household goods will be held Saturday, Feb. 10, at the Ernest Seigner farm eight and one-half miles northwest of Hereford. The sale will be-

gin at 11 o'clock, with lunch served at the noon hour and the land auction scheduled to start at 2:30 o'clock.

The 405 acres of land includes a modern house, good outbuildings and 100 acres of wheat. All of the land is in cultivation and is subject to irrigation.

Livestock includes a Whiteface herd, and the machinery offerings are large, with some good household equipment also listed.

The sale will be auctioned by Brumley and Otten with E. C. Eubanks as clerk. The sale will be printed on page 8 of This Brand.

trial of bombed homes, separated families, rigid rationing and an overcrowded island.

All church women of Deaf Smith County are urged to attend and to take part in the prayer service which will be built around the theme, "That ye should show forth the praises of Him who hath called you out of darkness into His marvelous light."

The service will be of interest to the men in the community and they are also invited to attend.

Ration Reminder

GASOLINE—Stamp A-14 valid through Mar. 21.
SUGAR—Stamp 34 now valid for five pounds, expires Feb. 28. Stamp 35, now valid, expires June 2.
SHOES—Airplane stamps, 1, 2 and 3 good indefinitely.
PROCESSED FOODS—Blue Stamps X-5 through Z-5 and A-2 and B-2 now valid for ten points apiece, expire Mar. 31. Stamps C-2 thru G-2, expire Apr. 28. Stamps H-2 through M-2 expire June 2.
MEATS AND FATS—Red Stamps Q-5 through S-5 expire Mar. 31; Stamps T-5 through X-5 expire Apr. 28. Stamps Y-5 and Z-5 and A-2 through D-2 expire June 2.

A Call To Prayer

You are invited to join in a fellowship of prayer the world around on "World Day of Prayer" Friday, Feb. 16.

The local observance will be held at the First Methodist Church at 3:30 o'clock and sponsored by the United Council of Church Women. The program will cooperate with the world wide 1945 programs which were prepared by four British members of the Woman's World Day of Prayer Central Committee for England, Wales and Ireland.

You will appreciate the superb quietness and confidence of these writers who have come through the daily horrors of the blitz, the nightly terrors of the blackout, and the hourly

rillo visitor Friday. Mrs. Jim Bookout of Hereford called on Mrs. Jeff Payne Wednesday afternoon.

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As the Russians sweep onward toward Berlin, this captured German film comes from the Signal Corps showing SS paratroopers attacking a Soviet stronghold with mortar fire.

organists, and others interested in "promoting the better singing of better hymns" in the churches of America. The vice-presidents are Dr. Seth Bingham, organist of the Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church, New York; Professor Ray Brown of General Theological Seminary, and Dr. Frank Metcalf of Washington, D. C.; librarian, Dr. William W. Rockwell; archivist, Miss Ruth E. Messenger, Ph.D.; recording secretary, Robert Baker; corresponding secretary, Prof. Alfred D. Hass of Madison, N. J.; treasurer, Miss Edith Holden, of Greenwich, Conn. The

Society announces that it now has affiliated bodies in England and in China.

Twenty-three American missionaries who have lived and served in the Far East are signers of a statement calling "seriously defective the proposals widely made for the treatment of Japan in the post-war period," and calling for the creation of an international "authority" whose jurisdiction would extend alike to victor and vanquished and in which all nations would participate without discrimination. They assert that Japan was "caught and enmeshed" in the basic causes of war which have played upon all nations and brought the world to disaster: the emergence of modern nation-states, the principle of empire, aggressive economic power, and racial and social antagonisms. They decry proposed post-war treatment of Japan as "coercive, destructive and punitive" and "not only futile and impossible of enforcement but open to ethical questions throughout."

The Rt. Rev. Dr. Geoffrey Francis Fisher, Bishop of London, seems slated to succeed the late Dr. William Temple as Archbishop of Canterbury, the highest office in the Church of England. At least he was nominated for the office by King George VI "on recommendation of the Prime Minister for election by the Dean and Chapter of Canterbury." The enthronement will take place in April. Dr. Fisher will become the 99th Archbishop of Canterbury. More conservative than his predecessor, he has been, nevertheless, chairman of a committee of Anglicans, Roman Catholics and free churchmen cooperating throughout England on social and religious matters, and was associated with Dr. Temple in the Malvern Conference on socio-religious progress three years ago.

The recent "Church Conference on World Order" held in Cleveland under the auspices of the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America, decided to support the Dumbarton Oaks proposals for international collaboration in the post-war world. But the 500 representative leaders—including members of Congress, the State Department, the Federal Judiciary, college presidents, clergymen, business leaders—want the proposals to go into effect now, and they propose three improvements: a procedure for developing and codifying international law, the administration of colonial dependencies through some international body, and the appointment of a commission on human rights and freedoms. . . . The Conference likewise proposed: that while Germany and Japan should be "disciplined" for their acts in war, there should be equal opportunity for their economic and social development within

Slither Litter



In France, Sgt. Peter Duzenack of Boulder, Colo., looks over the 3rd Army's new litter for evacuating wounded soldiers from snow-bound sectors: ordinary skis fastened under an ordinary litter.

Christening Bottle



Wonder what a christening bottle looks like? Well, here's Alfred Browning of Summerville, S. C., making one at the Charleston Navy Yard. The cases are of thin silver-plated copper strips, to protect the christener from flying glass. (Navy photo.)

some world league of states," that the United States participate in the settlement of Europe's political differences; that the purposes of the Allies toward the peoples of Germany and Japan (as distinct from the military) be clarified; that Protestant churches work more closely together for world order—especially through the World Council of Churches and the missionary movement; that President Roosevelt be asked to call an early conference of the United Nations to act on the Dumbarton Oaks security proposals; that provision be made in the proposals "to protect and defend the small nations from

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Mrs. Oscar Elliot, maternity, girl, Feb. 6.
Mrs. Cecil Malone, maternity, girl, Feb. 7.
Mrs. Joe Tally, maternity, boy, Feb. 5.
Mrs. Nadine Caster, maternity, girl, Feb. 7.
Mrs. Ray Johnson, surgery, Feb. 7.
H. C. Clark, surgery, Feb. 7.
Mrs. Cecil Lady, surgery, dismissed today.
Mrs. M. D. Welty, medical, dismissed today.
Mrs. W. A. Dobbins, medical, dismissed.
Mrs. Jack Davidson, maternity boy, Jan. 31, dismissed.

possible subjection to the arbitrary power of the great;" that the white peoples be called upon to wipe out color discrimination and white imperialism. . . . John Foster Dulles, international lawyer, presided over the Conference; Bishop G. Bromley Oxnam was chairman of the findings committee.

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