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BE IT EVER SO HUMBLE

The right of ownership is more important than ownership itself.

True enough, says W. J. Blake, owner of the Putnam County, New York, Republican. Yet how important is ownership—something tangible and of benefit to the family. Give me a family—or, even, only an individual—whose fixed objective is a home, a house and some land of their own, and I will then see reason to hope for the future of the family. Better a nation of such families than one of any other dominating form of prosperity. Be it ever so humble, there's no place like home. Millions who live in rented quarters—houses, hall rooms, and what not—are an unstabilizing force in our national life. The cry is—or should be—more home ownership and less hoboism in the American ways of living. To that end let press, pulpit and the schools of our beloved land raise a united voice.

A VOICE FOR ALL

Conversation in Burkburnett with regard to our foreign policy and the Atlantic Charter, points to the general belief that the smaller allied nations have their voice in the conference, be represented and consulted, with the Big Four. The nations accepting the purposes and principles of the Atlantic Charter, pledged themselves not to make a separate peace with their common enemies. This is an important agreement, in the favor of the Big Four, and their failure to consider it as such, would be a great mistake. For the common good, the smallest nation should have a voice in organizing for future peace. Each country differs in its size, its wealth in resources, its population. No allied nation should be hushed because he is not as big and rich as his neighbor.

BEING PINCHED

We are digging into the canning reserve of last year's growing. There is danger of consuming too much before the next crop is ready for preserving. The cutting short of ration points awakens us to the fact. The taking off of those seventeen processed foods from the ration lists helped us to believe that food was abundant. We heard through official sources that stocks were ample for our needs. They hoped to release more of the food set aside for military needs in order to supply civilians. Practically most of the vegetables and fruits given the soldiers in this country, are fresh, but the overseas shipment is of canned vegetables and fruits. Since the armed forces are now getting more processed foods than ever, with five million troops abroad and more going over weekly, the home supply is lessened. The meat production is a very serious situation in many places. Fresh meats is a "must" on the diet list of every fighting man. And since the nation's meat production will be about two billion pounds under last year, this means a cut for us. They figure that every civilian will receive about 127 pounds of meat each this year. Look at butter—if you can find a pound to view through a show case. Sugar allotments are reduced, giving us 78 pounds instead of 88 pounds, or the 104 pounds of 1941.

This brings Burk face to face with facts. This nation is still at war and we must not forget it. The market basket and the ration books are evident reminders.

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BY BOYCE HOUSE

Usually, we think of poets as dreamers—but they can be men of action too. Rupert Brooke anticipated his own death in battle on a foreign field in World War I and, writing of his grave, penned "Think only this of me—that there's a spot that is forever England."

Joyce Kilmer, who wrote "Trees," gave his life in that war. His battle poem, "Rouge Bouquet," is very beautiful. Alan Seeger foreshadowed his own going in the poem that begins, "I have a rendezvous with death."

And the stirring lyric, "In Flanders Field," was written by Col. McCrae of the Canadian Army only a short time before he fell in battle.

C. L. Douglas, news editor of the Fort Worth Press, is the author of several excellent books, among them Cattle Kings of Texas and James Bowie.

It was many years ago when we first met. A committee of ministers was waging a campaign to clean up conditions in Fort Worth and I was assigned to cover a meeting of the committee, having joined the news staff of the Star-Telegram only a short time before. The session was not public but I arrived early and pointed out that the hall outside was wide open to the bitterly cold north wind, so the ministers agreed to allow me to sit in on the meeting.

Soon after the conference began, Douglas, then a reporter for the Press, arrived but, having already been told it was a closed meeting, he remained outside for an hour. (I recognized him from his daily column,

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which carried his picture.)

I volunteered to act as typist, when a set of resolutions was to be prepared and then took a copy out to the waiting journalist. In a very respectful tone, he asked, "Will that be all?" and I realized he did not know I was a rival reporter but thought I was one of the preachers! The temptation was irresistible. In the most solemn voice at my command, I replied "No, Brother Douglas, that will be all."

It was not until the next day that he learned the difference.

In this hour when the shadow of death is falling across so many homes, the man (or woman) who has nothing more serious to worry about than the cigarette shortage has nothing to worry about.

And another thing that puzzles me is, if there is a paper shortage in this country (and I'm sure there is) then why do the big metropolitan papers devote so much space to the Chaplain case and other Hollywood filth?

And why couldn't they cut down on the size of those enormous pictures on the Sunday society page?

County Clerk Dush Shaw of Gregg County has begun his 24th term, ranking him as one of the oldest public officials, in point of service, in the United States. The Longview Lens comments that the popular county clerk has "worn out" two court-houses and is serving in the third.

One of the most interesting lawsuits in the history of Eastland County wasn't tried in the courthouse at Eastland but in justice court in Cisco back in the '20's. A one-eyed mule and a 1912 model Brush automobile collided on the main street. (Can you remember the Brush? It had a door at the back and it cranked on the side, like a phonograph, and you steered it with a stick instead of a wheel.)

The case drew such a big crowd that the squire moved from his little courtroom over the city hall auditorium. The trial took all day and then everybody went home for supper and came back that night for the argument.

W. J. Barnes (now a prominent Houston Attorney) represented the defendant and he brought out that the value of the mule was only \$50, yet the owner was claiming \$150 damages to the animal. In fact, Barnes made such a convincing speech that the jury decided that the auto didn't hit the mule at all but that the mule jumped in front of the auto—and so the owner of the Brush was awarded damages.

Scrapbooks of cartoons, jokes, and crossword puzzles have been sent to McCloskey General Hospital, Temple, by the University of Texas Students Clipping Bureau. The books were compiled by the 18 part time students in the Bureau as their special contribution to the convalescents.



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"I sure do, George. We had a great time up there, didn't we?"
"I'll never forget it. But this will interest you, Judge. I heard just yesterday that the revenue men raided a big still right near there. Guess that's where all that high-priced moonshine we heard about has been coming from."
"Wouldn't be a bit surprised. I saw in the paper the other day where the Government has raided thousands of such stills during the past year."

"Sounds sort of reminiscent, doesn't it, Judge?"
"Exactly and it's not hard to figure out. As soon as the distillers stopped making whiskey and devoted their entire facilities to the production of industrial alcohol for the Government... the racketeers muscled in again."
"I hate to think of how that might have spread, Judge, if the Government hadn't found it possible, without interfering with our war effort in any way, to permit short resumption of legal whiskey production recently."

1945

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

LOYALTY TO THE KINGDOM

LESSON TEXT—Matthew 6:33; 7:12, 16-29.

GOLDEN TEXT—Seek ye first the kingdom of God, and His righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you.—Matthew 6:33.

In the kingdom of Christ there must be unquestioned loyalty. If then He is the King of our lives, we as Christian men and women will want to live in accordance with His blessed will.

Loyalty to Christ leads to the best kind of living. It surpasses any experience of loyalty to a cause or a human personality. Instead of hindering or limiting our development, it opens wide the grand vistas of a life altogether worth-while. It is a life:

I. Well Ordered (6:33).
Much of the distress in which men and women find themselves is caused by the fact that their lives are not well ordered. They live in a constant flurry of uncertainty, indecision and disorder. They have no proper center for their lives, and consequently they are lopsided and lacking in real usefulness.

II. Kind (7:12).
Spiritual principles apply to daily living, to our attitude toward our fellow men. Here we have the so-called Golden Rule. It is not the way of salvation; it is a summary of the teaching of the law and prophets. But it does provide us with a splendid principle of daily conduct.

III. Fruitful (7:16-20).
Two fruit trees or vines may look almost alike until the fruit appears, and then we learn the true character of each—whether good or bad.

IV. Genuine (7:21-23).
Lip service will not do (v. 21). Even an imitation of the real service of God's people, but rendered without the backing of a life of faith, will result only in disappointment and our Lord's own disavowal (vv. 22, 23).

V. Well Grounded (7:24-29).
The figure of speech changes. Instead of being likened to fruit trees, men's lives are said to be like houses, with their various kinds of foundations and superstructures.

Ernie Pyle's Slant on the War: Lack of Experience at First Slowed Up Allies

American Algerian Troops Were Green and Officers Unseasoned

By Ernie Pyle

(Editor's Note): "His dispatch was written and first published when Pyle was with the G.I.s at the Algerian front. He is now on his way to cover the boys in the Pacific war zones."

ORAN, ALGERIA.—Men who bring our convoys from America, some of whom have just recently arrived, tell me the people at home don't have a correct impression of things over here.

They say people at home think the North African campaign is a walkaway and will be over quickly; that our losses have been practically nil; that the French here love us to death, and that all German influence has been cleaned out.

If you think that, it is because we newspapermen here have failed at getting the finer points of the situation over to you. Because this campaign at first was as much diplomatic as military, the powers that be didn't permit our itchy typewriter fingers to delve into things internationally, which were ticklish enough without that. I believe misconceptions at home must have grown out of some missing part of the picture.

It would be very bad for another wave of extreme optimism to sweep over the United States. So maybe I can explain a little bit about why things over here, though all right for the long run, are not all strawberries and cream right now.

In Tunisia, for instance, we seem to be stalemated for the moment. The reasons are two. Our army is a green army, and most of our Tunisian troops are in actual battle for the first time against seasoned troops and commanders. It will take us months of fighting to gain the experience our enemies start with.

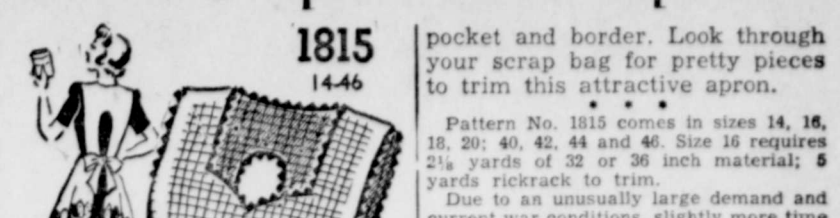
In the second place, nobody knew exactly how much resistance the French would put up here, so we had to be set for full resistance. That meant, when the French capitulated in three days, we had to move eastward at once, or leave the Germans unhampered to build a big force in Tunisia.

So we moved several hundred miles and, with the British, began fighting. But we simply didn't have enough stuff on hand to knock the Germans out instantly. Nobody is to blame for this. I think our army is doing wonderfully—both in fighting with what we have and in getting more here—but we are fighting an army as tough in spirit as ours, vastly more experienced, and more easily supplied.

Our losses in men so far are not appalling, by any means, but we are losing men. The other day an American ship brought the first newspaper from home I had seen since the occupation, and it said only 12 men were lost in taking Oran.

The losses, in fact, were not great, but they were a good many times 12.

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Under Foreign Rule

The territories which comprise our 48 states were once ruled by one or more of six foreign countries, all or part of the areas of 30 states having been under Great Britain, 25 under France, 19 under Spain, 8 under Mexico, 4 under the Netherlands, and 2 under Sweden.

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With The Boys IN SERVICE

F-O Fred R. McPherson and wife were here this week from Barksdale Field, La., for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. McPherson. The Flight Officer leaves today for Savannah, Georgia, for possible overseas assignment.

Tommie Wray McPherson, S-2c, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. McPherson, writes from the Philippines that he is seeing plenty of action and is getting along ok. Tommie is only 19 years of age.

Cpl. J. T. McPherson, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. McPherson, is an engineer on a B-25, stationed in the East Indies. He writes his parents that they are giving the Japs a hot time.

Robert Todd, S/1c is spending a 15 day leave with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Todd. He has served in the South Pacific for 23 months, and has been in 32 operations.

Pfc. Elzy Lee Tyler, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Tyler, formerly of Burk is stationed somewhere in the South Pacific.

Pvt. Jack Franks of Ft. Sill, Okla., spent the weekend with his wife and daughter, Mrs. Manila Franks and Margaret.

Tommie (Toby) Tyler, brother of Joe Bob was here on a short visit with his father, Mr. J. T. Tyler and a sister, Miss Joyce Tyler, December 31 and Jan. 1. Toby is on an aircraft carrier somewhere in the South Pacific. He has been in 8 major battles. He reported back for duty January 13.

Coast Guardsman Paul V. Campbell, ship's cook, 2-c of 637 Main St., Burkburnett, is a very popular man on the LST his crew mans. It seems he is well liked for the wonderful pies he prepares for the crew as they battle the Japs in the Pacific. He is the son of Mrs. Mary E. Campbell, and graduated from the Temple, Okla., high school in 1936. During general quarters he helps man one of the anti-aircraft guns on the LST. He has a brother, Willard, with the army overseas.

FORT SILL, OKLA.—
Private James C. Walling, of Burkburnett, Texas has entered the Field Artillery Officer Candidate School at this post. Upon completion of the 17 week course he will be commissioned as a second lieutenant of field artillery in the Army of the United States.

Private Walling graduated from Burkburnett high school with the class of 1940. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Walling, 214 West 2nd street.

**AN EIGHTH AIR FORCE
BOMBER STA., ENGLAND.—**
The promotion of Jessie D. Hurst, Joaquin, Texas, engineer gunner on a B-17 Flying Fortress, from the grade of Staff Sergeant to Technical Sgt. was announced recently by Col. F. P. Hunter, Jr., Roanoke Rapids, North Carolina, commanding officer of the 389th heavy bombardment group.

Sgt. Hurst is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Hurst, Burkburnett, Texas. He entered the Army June 8, 1943. His wife, Mrs. Juanita Neel Hurst, also is from Joaquin.

Jon Rush Evans Honored On His Birthday Jan 8

A few friends met with John Rush Evans to help him celebrate his fourth birthday on Jan. 8th.

After taking groups of pictures, the children spent the rest of the time playing games in the house.

John's friends remembered him with many nice gifts.

Refreshments were served to the following children and mothers: Patricia and Jill Bernethy, Carolyn and H. C. Ouzts, Jeanna and Janice and Janice Johnson, Donald Loy Nichols, Donnie Johnson, Douglas Kunz, Royce Miller, Mary Caroline Mayes, Sidna Sue Douglas, Chum Cacciano, Richard Hinkle, Mrs. J. C. Hinkle, and Mrs. Mayes.

The children enjoyed their favors of color books and paper doll books.

Gleaners Class Social Jan 18th

The Gleaners Sunday School Class met at the home of Mrs. I. C. Evans, Thursday evening, January 18. The associate members, Mrs. McCullough, Mrs. Burnett, Mrs. I. C. Evans, served. The meeting opened with the group singing "Help Somebody Today."

Mrs. Ralph Davis presided over the business.

Prayer was led by Mrs. W. A. Minick after which Mrs. Hinkle brought the devotional.

Mrs. L. H. Gilbert was ap-

pointed first vice-president.

Entertainment consisted of several numbers played on the accordion by Miss Sidna Sue Douglas, and was enjoyed by all.

Lovely refreshments were served to Mesdames L. H. Gilbert, Fred Downs, J. C. Hinkle, W. A. Minick, H. W. Fowler, Ralph Davis, M. L. Lohm, Irma Morris, Harry Mayes, Fred Hunt, O. G. Burnett, I. C. Evans, D. C. McCullough, D. F. Douglas, Miss Oneta Baggett and Sidna Sue Douglas.

Mrs. Marjorie Forehand Given Shower

Mrs. Marjorie Forehand was the inspiration for a lovely shower Thursday evening, January 18 at the home of Mrs. J. H. Ferguson with Mrs. Imogene Morris, Mrs. Jo Brookman, Mrs. Virginia McConnell and Mrs. B. L. Turner serving as hostesses.

Virginia McConnell secured signatures for the hand made guest book and color schemes of pink and blue were carried out by the guests.

A delightful evening was enjoyed by the guests and games suitable for the occasion were played.

A lovely assortment of gifts were presented to the honoree and refreshments were served to approximately 18 guests.

Mrs. Billie Jane McKay, Mrs. Hayes, and Bobby, Mrs. Bazill, and Miss Blanche Butler, were visitors in Dallas last Friday.

Subscribe To The Star

Books Received At Library

Forty-five new books have been donated to the Burkburnett Public Library:

- Brave Men
- H. M. Pulham
- Tidewater
- The Time For Decision
- Congo Song
- Bambi
- Rebecca
- Mother West Wind's Children
- The Robe
- Claudia and David
- The Razor's Edge
- Smoky
- Also The Hills
- Pasteral
- The Case of the Snowy Mesquite
- The Raft
- Hungry Hill
- The Lieutenant's Lady
- The Seventh Cross
- Account Rendered
- The Unicorn Murders
- Earth and High Heaven
- Anna and the King of Siam
- Sally Wins Her Wings
- So Little Time
- Random Harvest
- None But the Lonely Heart
- Duration
- God is My Co-Pilot
- Time Must Have A Stop
- Mrs. Parkington
- The Green Years
- Journey Among Warriors
- Secret Mission
- Wings Over Japan
- Cresent Carnival
- The Return of Silver Chief
- Pinocchio
- The History of Rome
- Hanks
- Seasoned Timber
- Claudia
- Leave Her To Heaven
- Forever Amber
- Hotel Berlin
- Dupont
- The Junior University Study Club, sponsors of the Library, raised the money by contributions of the following:

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- Browning Motor Co.
- The Famous
- Cicero Smith
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- Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Cannon
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- Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hall
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- Cline Film Shop
- Bell Oil Co.
- Ray Hill
- Garland Furniture
- Frozen Food Locker
- Vaughn & Taylor Const.
- Andy Thomas
- Mr. and Mrs. R. Davis
- Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Douglas
- Barbara & June Vaughn
- Burk Star.

Mrs. Jack Franks had as her dinner guest Monday evening in the F. M. Milford home, Cpl. and Mrs. Clifford Schwarzalder of El Paso, Mrs. Max C. Loyd of Portsmouth, Va.; Miss Valera Speck, Wichita Falls; and her sisters, Miss Ramona Milford and Mrs. M. P. DuBovey.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Emerson left Wednesday for Dodge City, Kansas, to visit a son and family.

NOTICE

J. U. Gwynn, Henry L. Rugeley and Stanley R. Rugeley hereby certify that they have formed a limited partnership operating under the name of Jack Gwynn Company, Ltd., for the purpose of operating a machine shop, grinding and motor works; and that in such business the undersigned J. U. Gwynn is a general partner and Stanley R. Rugeley and Henry L. Rugeley there special partners; that the amount of capital contributed by the special partner Henry L. Rugeley to the common stock is Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) paid in cash; that the amount of capital contributed by the special partner Stanley R. Rugeley is the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) paid in cash; and that such partnership is to commence January 2, 1945 and terminate January 2, 1950.

Witness our hands, this 2nd day of January, 1945.

J. U. Gwynn
Henry L. Rugeley
Stanley R. Rugeley.
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF WICHITA.

I, Ford Albritton, Clerk of the County Court of Wichita County, Texas, and County Clerk thereof, do hereby designate that the above notice shall be published in the following newspaper, to-wit: Burkburnett Star, Burkburnett, Texas, such publication to be once a week for six consecutive weeks.

Ford Albritton, Clerk,
County Clerk,
Wichita County, Texas.
By Dora Davis, Deputy. 23-6tc

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Lutheran Church Announcements

Calendar

- Sunday school at Town Hall, Burkburnett, 9:45 A. M.
- Sunday School at Clara, 10:15 A. M.
- Morning service at the Clara Church, 11 A. M.
- Evening worship at Town Hall Burkburnett, 8 P. M.
- Junior instruction classes on Tuesday night and Saturday morning.
- Walther League mission study on Wednesday night.
- A warm welcome at all services.
- Paul Kaiser, Pastor.



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BOSSUM FLATS... THE LOCAL GROUCH IS A CHANGED MAN

GRAHAM
By HUNTER



Burkburnett... History

revealed by the
of the Star 17
years ago.

J. N. Anthony has been
relatives in St. Jo, this

Milford Tire Co. of which
Milford is owner, moved
to his new brick
store on Ave. C.

the building work is
a few finishing touch-

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es are being made. The equip-
ment has been installed at the
new location and service to the
trade at the new stand has be-
gun.

Mr. and Mrs. Herrick are in
the city this week in the inter-
est of the basement opening at
the R. H. Henry and Company
store, which is scheduled to take
place on Thursday, February 3,
1928. Mr. Herrick conducted the
recent sale for this store several
weeks ago most successfully.

T. L. Rosser of Wichita Falls,
has purchased the Oil City News
Stand from R. S. Lawrence. Mr.

Call 23 or 494

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OUR DEMOCRACY — by Mat

"THEY NEVER GAVE UP, NEVER GAVE IN,
NEVER STOPPED UNTIL THEY HAD WON."
—L. J. HAITLAND— "IN KNIGHTS OF THE AIR"



In 1896 THE WRIGHT BROTHERS DETERMINED
TO BUILD AND FLY A HEAVIER-THAN-AIR MACHINE —
WORKED, STUDIED, EXPERIMENTED. IN 1903 —
AT KITTY HAWK, NORTH CAROLINA — THEY SUCCEEDED.
FROM THE TWELVE SECONDS OF THAT FIRST FLIGHT
MODERN AVIATION HAS DEVELOPED — A MAJOR
RELIANCE OF AMERICA AT WAR — HOLDING
INFINITE PROMISE FOR PEACE-TIME AMERICA
TOMORROW — IN JOBS, IN THE OPPORTUNITY
FOR SCIENTIFIC PROGRESS AND ACHIEVEMENT —
IN PROMOTING WORLD UNDERSTANDING
THROUGH THAT FREE EXCHANGE OF TRADE
AND IDEAS WHICH IS BASIC IN THE
PROCESS OF DEMOCRACY.

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THIS IS AMERICA!
by JOHN RANICK

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ADDED BUILDINGS AND
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INDUSTRY," BUILT BY
INITIATIVE AND ENTER-
PRISE SERVES COMMUNITY
AND COUNTRY IN WAR
AND PEACE.

the TEXAN'S SHARE
in the
WAR

The famed 36th Texas
Division which fought so heroically
in Italy, is picking up new laurels
in France, where it already
has taken more than 17,000 Ger-
man prisoners—an average of
more than one and a half pris-
oners for each member of the
Division. The figures count only
live Nazis actually in the hands
of the Texans, and not the sev-
eral thousand killed outright.

Most recent news reports say
the 36th is in a new offensive.
Apparently the Texas boys just
don't know how to retreat.

And, speaking of Texas boys,
here's a tip that may help you
make them mighty happy at
little cost: send them your home
town paper. Better still enter a
subscription for your son, hus-
band or friend, so that the paper
will go to them direct from the
newspaper office each week.
Nothing makes a better gift for
every soldier wants to read all
the home-town news. The boys
abroad would rather have the
home-town weekly than the New
York Times plus all the current
magazines!

But back to the 36th Division
—Sgt. Fred Hall of Mansfield,
Texas, who weighs 202 pounds
and is the biggest man in his
headquarters battery, recently
was forced to sleep in a baby
crib while fighting along the
Seventh Army front in France.
It was the only available sleep-
ing place in the house where
he was billeted—and Fred re-
ports that it was lots more com-
fortable than a fox hole in the
cold!

S/Sgt. Rector Schnahals of
Bastrop has been awarded the
Soldier's Medal for heroism in
helping extinguish a crashlanded
bomber. He did the job despite
constant danger that several
bombs still left in the ship might
explode. The official citation
pointed out that his deed con-
stituted heroism at great risk
of life.

Sgt. Cy Koy, whose farm
home is near Crowley, recently
won the Combat Infantryman's
badge for outstanding service
with the 2nd Infantry in France.

And from Leyte comes word
from another scrapping Texan
who knows what it is to be
lucky. He is Pfc. Jim Pavlicek
of West, who has fought thru
two of the toughest campaigns
of the war without being scratch-
ed.

I guess God has been with me,
Jim told a war correspondent
who talked with him recently.
He has been in service four
years, and has fought the Japs
on several Pacific islands.

Another West resident, Marine

and Mrs. Rosser have arrived
in the city and now have charge
of the business. The Oil City
News Stand was established by
Mr. Lawrence during the early
part of the oil boom and has
enjoyed a liberal patronage at
all times. It is one of the largest
business of its kind in the state.

on the rat killing campaign and
planning a poultry raisers meet-
ing.

A large number of rats have
been killed. The Kelley Grain &
Coal Co., distributors of the
poison, recommended for this
purpose have sold over twenty
pounds for rat elimination.

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Fred Fewin, W. M.
B. L. Turner, Secretary

The little child of Mr. and
Mrs. W. W. Arrington, on the
West pavement, who has been
very ill with pneumonia, is re-
ported to be recovering.

South Plains Army Tir Field,
Lubbock, Texas:—
Despite an impending change
in command at South Blains
Army Air Field, personnel at
SPAAF are going ahead with
their plans for participation in
the annual March of Dimes. The
program, which got underway a
week ago Monday and will con-
tinue through the end of the
month, will be climaxed by two
dances honoring President Roose-
velt's birthday, one for officers
and another for enlisted men.

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Corp John Stepan, has earned
his "M" with a Marine football
team in the South Pacific. The
former Texas University guard
plans to coach football after the
war, and he's keeping up with
the game even while fighting
the Nips.

Also in the Pacific is Russell
Cole of Brownsville, who be-
lieves in working when there are
no Japs around to fight. While
waiting for a new combat as-
signment after several months
of front-line service, Cole vol-
unteered to work with a con-
struction unit building Quonset
huts on the island.

Incidentally, Texans at home
are going to receive a lot of na-
tional publicity when the final
report on the recent War Chest
drive is made. Details aren't
ready for publication yet, but
Wayland D. Towner, United War

Chest of Texas general manager,
has let slip the fact that Texas
generosity came through again.

All you who contributed so
generously can be sure that you
have helped toward victory—
and you have helped make life
better for our fighting men,
too.

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