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Buy Victory Bonds

Buy in Hall County
So Credit Can Be Given

H. T. Gregory Seriously Burned Hospital Fire

clothing sprayed with burning gasoline from a blow
which exploded, Dr. H. T. Gregory, dentist, suffered se-
verely on his hands and arms and painful burns to his face
and one leg, last Friday morning at the Goodall hospital.

Mary Gibson Died of Brice on Monday

Services Are
at Lakeview on
Monday Afternoon

Mary Gibson, for 10 years
of Brice, and wife of
John Gibson, passed away at
the home in Memphis on Mon-
day morning.

She was 55 years of age.
She was born in Fairfield,
Mississippi. She was a mem-
ber of the First Church of Christ,
and was a member of the
Lakeview Baptist Church.

She was survived by
and 11 children, six
daughters, and two
sons. Her sons are Lois Gib-
son, M. J. of Goodall,
Brice, Walter S. Air Force, Melton of
Army and Eugene, sta-
Australia.

There are Mrs. Bertie
Gibson, Mrs. Mary Batton and
Mrs. Gibson of Memphis; Mrs.
John of Vigor Park, and
W. Barkley of Lakeview.

Burial Johnson of
the surviving brothers.
His pall bearers were
and, Charles Murrif, N. L.
Star Johnson, Herlie
and Kirby Hagin.

There were Madge Crabb,
Jean Gowdy, Myrtle Sig-
mond, Jonnie Crawford,
and Bobbie Daven-

has been received in
of the death of Mrs.
Leverett, mother of
Myrtle, Mrs. Myrtle Sig-
mond, Grace Rymer, all
of Memphis. Mrs. Lev-
erett was the sister of
Mr. Thompson, Sr. She
died at Redlands, Calif.

10 RUSSIAN KITS
Dr. W. M. S. of Es-
telle completed the filling
of Russian Kits. Mrs. Blanche
and girls of the Home
class have filled four
kits. The kits cost ap-
proximately \$3 each and contain
obtainable in Russia.

ON A Conference Basketball
Tourney Opens Friday

Two-day tournament to determine the championship
team of the south half of District 3A will be held in
on Friday and Saturday of this week.

Teams will participate and
coaches and players
will be in Memphis homes
Friday night. Rooms will be
for at least 20 of the
and persons with extra
asked to telephone the
at. They are not asked
meals, Principal Buren

winning team will go to
tournament at Can-
rida and Saturday of
this week.

will be awarded first
place teams in the
tournament. Individu-
als will be awarded
the winning team.



DR. O. R. GOODALL

Dr. Goodall Buys Hospital Interest From Dr. J. A. Odom

Joint Practice Will
Continue, However,
It is Announced

Dr. O. R. Goodall has bought
the interest of Dr. J. A. Odom in
the Odom & Goodall hospital.

No changes are to be made in
the personnel, Dr. Goodall an-
nounced.

Dr. Odom will retain his of-
fices at the hospital and he and
Dr. Goodall will continue their
practice on the "same cooperative
policy" as in the past, it was an-
nounced.

The hospital was opened by Dr.
Odom and Dr. Goodall in 1938.
Miss Marjorie Rogers, registered
nurse, who joined the staff in
October, is superintendent of the
hospital.

Funds Available For Dam Building On Farms, Ranches

Hall County farmers and ranch-
ers are taking advantage of the
new Triple A farm program, based
principally on soil conserva-
tion practices, reports County
Agent W. B. Hooser.

Meetings and demonstrations
have been held in various com-
munities outlining the dam and
terrace construction plans which
must be followed.

There are no restrictions on
production this year and all farms
and ranches are eligible to earn
federal payments for soil con-
servation practices.

One new phase of the program
which farmers are adopting, re-
ports Mr. Hooser, is the con-
struction of dams. One dam of
2,000 cubic yard capacity is al-
lowed for each farm, regardless
of size. Payment of 15 cents per
cubic yard or \$300 for the dam
is paid by the government.

Farmers also may earn 75
cents per acre for terracing
practices and six cents an acre
is paid on range land for con-
touring.

Marshall Ford, Doyle Sargent, Dan
McMillan and Holmes Posey.

The schedule follows:
Friday afternoon, 1 o'clock—
McLean vs. Wellington; Memphis
vs. Shamrock; and Lakeview vs.
Wheeler.

Friday night—7 o'clock—Mc-
Lean vs. Memphis; Lakeview vs.
Wellington; Wheeler vs. Sham-
rock.

Saturday, 10 a. m.—McLean vs.
Lakeview; Wheeler vs. Memphis;
Shamrock vs. Wellington.

Saturday afternoon, 2 o'clock—
McLean vs. Wheeler; Shamrock
vs. Lakeview; Wellington vs. Memphis.

Saturday night, 7 o'clock—
McLean vs. Shamrock; Wellin-
gton vs. Wheeler; Memphis vs.
Lakeview.

Negro is Given 25 Years; Blair Case Up Monday

Special Venire of
150 Summoned by
Sheriff Anderson

Walter Houston, 51-year-old
negro, was found guilty of mur-
der by a jury in district court
Tuesday and his punishment set
at 25 years in the penitentiary.

Houston was convicted of kill-
ing Ernest Verge, another neg-
ro, near Plaska in an argument
following a dice game. Testimony
showed that Houston killed Verge
with a shotgun, firing a charge
of buckshot through his body.
C. Land and W. J. Bragg were
appointed by Judge A. S. Moss to
represent the negro. He will be
taken to Huntsville by Sheriff
W. C. Anderson.

The case of Barney Blair, in-
dicted for murder in the death
of his former wife, Bessie Blair,
is set for trial before Judge
Moss next Monday. A special ve-
nire of 150 men from which to
select a jury has been summoned
by Sheriff Anderson for duty at
10 o'clock Monday.

Interest is High In Poultry Show, Reports Hooser

Entries Must Be in
Place by Monday
Night, Judging Tues.

All indications point to a well
rounded poultry show for next
Monday and Tuesday, reports
County Agent W. B. Hooser, who
is chairman of the committee in
charge of the annual event.

Advance entries indicate a re-
presentative showing from all sec-
tions of the county, he reports.

All entries must be in place by
Monday night and judging will
be made Tuesday. C. A. Wil-
liams is superintendent of the
show and will be assisted by Ira
Lawrence. Judging will be on
both pens and individual fowls.

C. A. Barnett is show secretary.
On Tuesday night a meeting
will be held when the Hall County
Poultry Association will be re-
organized and officers elected to
serve for the coming year.

The show will be held in the
Hollis Boren building just west
of the J. C. Penney store.

Fowls may be entered as sin-
gles, either hens or cocks, or in
pens of one hen and one cock or
two hens and a cock, Secretary
Barnett announced.

He said that exhibitors must
arrange for feeding and watering
of their entries.

Not Many Exempt In Filing Income Tax Returns

Almost every adult, or em-
ployed person must fill out an
income tax on or before March
15, whether or not any tax on
his 1943 income is due, the Bu-
reau of Internal Revenue warns.

Generally speaking, the fol-
lowing must file returns:
Every single person whose in-
come in 1943 was \$500 or more.

Every individual married per-
son whose gross income was more
than \$624.

Every married couple whose
combined income was \$1,200 or
more.

Every person who paid or owed
a tax on 1942 income.

Excepted from filing on March
15 are servicemen and others
outside the country, and wives of
servicemen outside the country if
the wife's own income is less than
\$1,200.

Rotarians Hear Of Cadet Training

An interesting talk on the
training of bombardiers at the
Childress Army Air Field was
heard Wednesday by Memphis
Rotarians. Lieutenant Zackarias
chief instructor at the field
traced the training program from
the time the cadets enter the
field until they finish. His talk
was described as one of the most
interesting heard by the Rotar-
ians in months. Horace Tarver
was program chairman.

Lt. Alvin Taylor Missing Since Raid on Frankfort His Mother is Notified

County is Over Top in E Bonds

Hall County has gone over the
top in its purchase of small de-
nomination E bonds and late re-
ports indicate the total goal in
the Fourth War Loan will be
reached, reports County Chair-
man C. T. Johnson.

All bond purchases for the rest
of February will be credited to
the county's quota. The cam-
paign officially ended on Tues-
day, February 15, but complete
reports have not been received
on sales this week. Mr. Johnson
reports.

Sales up to Monday, however,
showed \$193,631.25 in E bonds,
and total sales of \$399,947.75.
This is 81 per cent of the coun-
ty's quota of \$479,000. The E
bond quota was \$194,000.

Services are Held Here for Mother Of Ed Duncan

Mrs. Nancy Duncan
Passes Away at
Home of Daughter

Funeral services were held
Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock
from the King Funeral Chapel
for Mrs. Nancy Alice Duncan,
mother of R. E. Duncan of Mem-
phis.

Mrs. Duncan passed away Sun-
day, February 13, at the home of
her daughter, Mrs. Elsie Moss in
Dallas. She was 79 years of age
and was born in Madisonville,
Texas.

The family moved to Hall
County in 1912 where Mrs. Dun-
can made her home until the
death of her husband, J. H. Dun-
can, in 1925.

Mrs. Duncan is survived by
three sons, Ed of Memphis, Frank
of Fort Worth, and Glenn of
San Jose, Calif.; and four daugh-
ters, Mrs. Moss of Dallas, Mrs.
Viola Powell of Midland, Mrs.
Anne Dougherty of El Paso and
Mrs. Nellie Martin of California.

Twenty-three grandchildren and
7 great grandchildren also sur-
vive.

Funeral services were con-
ducted by Paul Lusby, minister of
the Church of Christ and interment
was in Fairview cemetery. Pall
bearers were R. G. Patrick, John
Lamb, Lafayette Pounds, L. V.
Shelton, Brown Lamb and Robert
Bevers.

Negro is Jailed On Theft Charge

Fred Porter, negro, is in the
Hall County jail on a charge of
theft of over \$50. He was ap-
prehended in Amarillo by the police
and returned to Memphis by
Sheriff W. C. Anderson.

Porter is charged with the
theft of a box of clothing which
had been sent to a farm family
west of Memphis. He had been
pulling bolts on the farm.

Former Memphis Pastor Will Edit Baptist Standard

Dr. David M. Gardner, who has
been chosen editor of the Bat-
tist Standard, formerly filled the
pulpit of the First Baptist church
in Memphis. Before coming to
Memphis he was pastor of the
Clarendon church.

At present he is pastor of the
First Baptist Church in St. Pet-
ersburg, Florida.

This Week's Scripture

And I will make an Everlast-
ing Covenant with them, that I
will not turn away from them,
to do them good; but I will put
my fear in their hearts and they
shall not depart from me.—Jere-
miah 32:40.

Second-Lieut. Alvin L. Taylor, 23-year-old son of Mrs.
T. L. Waddill of Estelline, is the latest Hall County hero to be
reported "missing in action."

A bombardier on a Flying Fortress, Lieut. Taylor was re-
ported by the War Department as missing in action over the
European front since January 29—the date when American
flying forces dealt Hitler one of his most severe blows.

It was on that date that
Frankfort was raided and 54
American planes failed to re-
turn.

The message received by his
mother gave no details.

Lieutenant Taylor was reared
in Hall County and graduated
from the Memphis High School
in 1939. He volunteered for ser-
vice in January, 1943, and re-
ceived his basic training at Santa
Ana, California and later was
trained as a bombardier at the
Deming, New Mexico, air field.
He had been overseas about two
months and was stationed near
London.

Mrs. Waddill had a letter from
her son about two weeks ago
saying that he recently had been
awarded a medal. She has been
living at Estelline for the past
three years, and the family pre-
viously lived at Harrel Chapel
and in the Salisbury community.

The men who were sent to
Fort Sill Monday were: William
Delaney Hart, Roger Floyd Ar-
nold, Aldon Vernon Edwards,
Thomas Earl Conner, Volle Hugh
Gafford, Floy Leroy Totty, Otis
Junior Pickering, Don Raymond
Knox.

Nathaniel Franklin Bradley,
Julius Brown McWhorter, Robert
Elton Cagle, Dewey Lee Vickers,
Felix Granvil Williams, William
Junior Meadows, Lemuel Frank-
lin Jones and Loyd Martin Hen-
son.

Texan Has New System to Give Soldiers a Lift

It took a Texan to devise an
efficient system for giving sol-
diers a lift, and it took Drew
Pearson, the columnist, to dis-
cover him. He is Linton Estes,
of Wichita Falls, former Mem-
phis man and brother of Herb
Estes.

Outside his office in downtown
Wichita Falls, Mr. Estes has a
series of semaphores, with names
of different towns painted on
them. A soldier pulls the cord,
indicating the town to which he
wants to go. Motorists drive by
Mr. Estes' place to see if they
can pick up anyone going their
way.

"It is the most efficient sys-
tem for giving soldiers a lift,"
that Columnist Pearson has found
in his travels about the nation,
he wrote in his column in Tues-
day's papers.

Sing-Song Features Lions Club Program

A sing-song led by T. E. Noel,
featured the regular Lions club
meeting Wednesday noon. Eight-
teen members were present. Earl
Ferris was enrolled as a new
member of the club.

Courthouse Bonds To Be Refunded At Lower Interest

In a move to save taxpayers approximately \$9,000 through
reduced interest rates, county commissioners at their meeting
Monday approved a contract to refund \$72,000 in outstanding
courthouse bonds.

The contract was made with
the bond house of Emerson and
Company of San Antonio. Under
its terms the old courthouse
bonds which bear 5 1-2 per cent
interest will be replaced with
bonds at interest rates of 2 1-4
and 2 1-2 per cent.

Bonds maturing in 1945 and
1946 will bear 2 1-4 interest
and the remainder of the issue
2 1-2 per cent. Last installment
of the courthouse bonds matures
in 1954. They were 30-year
bonds, originally voted in 1922.

This year's installment of
\$8,000 falls due in March and
April and will bear the old in-
terest rate of 5 1-2 per cent. As
a formality, the refunding con-
tract must have the approval of
the attorney general's depart-
ment. Contracts with various
counties have been made recently
by the Emerson company to re-
fund old bond issues and no in-
equal "hitch" in the Hall County
contract is anticipated by County
Judge M. O. Goodpasture and
the commissioners.

Society News

Naomi Smith is Bride of Talmadge Pounds Monday

In a double ring ceremony performed Monday evening at 6:45 in the parsonage of the First Baptist Church, Miss Naomi Smith became the bride of Talmadge Pounds of Lubbock.

Rev. Jeff Moore, pastor, officiated.

The bride was attended by Miss Mary Jones who wore a pink crepe dress with black accessories. Her shoulder corsage was of blue Irish.

J. A. McWharther of Lubbock served as best man.

The bride wore a aqua suit with brown and white accessories. She carried a white linen handkerchief that belonged to her aunt, Mrs. B. N. Williamson of Altus, Okla., and a white Bible topped with white snapdragons and carnations.

Mrs. Pounds is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith. She is a graduate of Memphis High School and attended West Texas State College, Canyon, and Louisiana's business college, Fort Worth.

Mr. Pounds, son of Graver Pounds of Huntington Park, Calif., is a graduate of Memphis High School and attended Hillsboro Junior college and West Texas State college, Canyon. He is now employed at the post office in Lubbock.

Following a wedding trip to Huntington Park, Calif., where they will visit with his father, the couple will be at home in Lubbock. For travel, Mrs. Pounds wore a black and white checked suit with black and red accessories.

Attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith, Mrs. N. B. Williams of Altus, Oklahoma, Mrs. J. B. Haynes of Fort Worth, Mrs. Jeff Moore, Mrs. Alvin Gerlach, Mrs. Firman Williamson, Miss Bess Elaine Ayers, Miss Doris Stilwell, Miss Laurel Ellis, Miss Roselyn Williams and Miss Darline Reed and Bennie Dennis and Harold Vandiver.



MRS. TALMADGE POUNDS

1913 Study Club Has Meeting in R. S. Greene Home

The 1913 Study club met in the home of Mrs. R. S. Greene for a program on "China Metamorphosis."

Roll call was answered with Chinese customs. "The Soong Sisters Influence on China Today" was given by Mrs. H. E. Tarver. Mrs. Jeff Moore gave a discussion on Modern China.

The following members were present: Mrs. Byron Baldwin, Mrs. Ted Dudley, Mrs. T. J. Durbar, Mrs. Frank Finch, Mrs. R. S. Greene, Mrs. T. M. Harrison, Mrs. Ralph Howe, Mrs. Norma Hunt, Mrs. M. McNeely, Mrs. Louis Merrell, Mrs. Juanita Montgomery, Mrs. L. W. Stanford, Mrs. Horace Tarver, Mrs. M. G. Tarver, Mrs. R. C. Walker, Mrs. Jessie Jones and Mrs. Jeff Moore.

Program Subject For Harmony Club Is American Music

Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard was hostess Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock in her home for the Harmony club.

Subject of the program was American Music with Mrs. Robert Devin as leader. Mrs. Ed Monzingo gave a talk on American Music.

Mrs. Joe DeBerry sang "By the Waters of Minnetonka" with violin obligato by Mrs. Conley Ward, accompanied by Mrs. Matthew Allen. "Mon Desir," piano solo, was played by Mrs. R. E. Singleton. A vocal solo, "Song of the Mountain" (Cadman), was sung by Mrs. Clyde F. Milam, accompanied by Mrs. Allen. A piano duet, "Stars and Stripes Forever," was played by Mrs. M. McNeely and Miss Mary Foreman. Mrs. Allen played a piano solo, "Deep Purple."

Roll call response was American composers. The club president, Mrs. DeBerry, presided over the business session.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames Jerry Sensabaugh, Buren Carr, Conley Ward, M. McNeely, R. E. Singleton, Ed Monzingo, Clyde F. Milam, Joe DeBerry, Robert Devin, Tom Draper, Matthew Allen, D. L. C. Kinard, and two guests, Mrs. M. E. Brookstra and Mrs. A. L. Gailey and son of Abilene.

Jean Scott Weds Clarence Maddox Here Thursday

Miss Jean Scott and Sgt. Clarence E. Maddox were married Thursday of last week at the Christian church by T. T. Posey, minister.

The bride wore a blue dress with brown accessories. She is a graduate of Memphis High School with the class of 1940 and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Scott.

Sergeant Maddox, son of Mrs. J. L. Maddox, is stationed at Fort Dix, N. J., with the U. S. Army. He left Saturday after spending a 14 day furlough here. Mrs. Maddox will continue working at the telephone office where she has worked for the past four years.

Attending the wedding were Mrs. J. L. Maddox and the groom's brother, Bill Maddox and wife and son.

The Healer of Man Is Program Topic Of Woman's Council

The Woman's Council of the Christian Church met Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. E. E. Roberts.

Mrs. George Kesterson, president, was in charge of the business session followed by a prayer. Mrs. Kesterson as leader gave the devotional "The Healer of Man."

Scripture interpretation was by Mrs. Gordon Maddox, Mrs. T. B. Rogers and Mrs. Joe Warren. The topics on Health were discussed as follows: Health in Mexico, Mrs. E. E. Roberts; Health in Africa, Mrs. W. C. Milam; Health in India, Mrs. Lucille Randall; Health in China, Mrs. J. H. Norman.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. T. B. Rogers, Mrs. W. C. Milam, Mrs. J. H. Norman, Mrs. Junior Godfrey, Mrs. Lucille Randall, Mrs. Gordon Maddox, Mrs. Joe Warren, Mrs. Grover Kesterson and Mrs. E. E. Roberts.

American Legion Auxiliary Has Meeting Thursday

The American Legion Auxiliary met Thursday afternoon of last week in the home of Mrs. E. T. Prater.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Prater. The pledge to the flag was given. Thirty seconds of silent prayer was observed, with Mrs. W. Wilson leading. The Auxiliary donated \$10.00 to the Honor Roll fund.

The roll call was answered with current events. Mrs. Wilson gave a talk on Mexico City.

Refreshments of cherry trout and coffee were served to Mesdames John Deaver, Ollie Jones, Allie D. Weaver, W. Wilson, Emma Baskerville, H. B. Gilmore, J. E. Roper and E. T. Prater.

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Hinders of Ashtola and Lt. and Mrs. Ronald Nash spent Saturday with L. P. Alexander and family of Ell.

Dorothy Lester Marries Lloyd Vandeventer Friday



MRS. LLOYD VANDEVENTER

Miss Dorothy Lester became the bride of Pvt. Lloyd Vandeventer Friday evening, February 11 at 8:45 in the parsonage of the First Baptist Church of Tyler.

Dr. Porter M. Bailes, pastor, read the single ring ceremony.

Mrs. Elmer Fisher was the bride's only attendant. She wore a blue dress with a corsage of pink roses. Billy Lester, the bride's brother, was best man.

The bride wore a coral dress of heavy crepe with black accessories. Her corsage was of gardenias.

Mrs. Vandeventer is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Lester. She graduated from Memphis High School with the class of 1942. She is now employed by the Memphis Production Credit Association.

Private Vandeventer, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Vandeventer attended Memphis High School. Before entering the U. S. Army in November he was employed by Womack Funeral Home. He is stationed at Camp Fannin, Tyler.

Mrs. Vandeventer returned to her home here to continue her work.

Ima Nell Rice Is Married to John T. Pool Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Rice of Arlington announce the marriage of their daughter Ima Nell to Pvt. John T. Pool Jr. of San Francisco, Calif. The vows were read February 4.

Mrs. Pool Jr. attended Memphis High School from 1937 until 1940 and graduated from Arlington High School with the class of 1943. She is employed at Consolidated Aircraft in Fort Worth. She plans to join her husband later.

Private Pool Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John Pool of San Francisco, Calif., is stationed at A. & M. College, College Station.

Let's All Back the Attack! Buy More Bonds!

Nora Nell Lockhart and Raymond Hopper are United in Marriage

In a double ring ceremony read Tuesday, February 8, in the home of Rev. and Mrs. T. T. Posey, Miss Nora Nell Lockhart became the bride of Corp. Raymond J. Hopper, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hopper of Cadde Gap, Ark. Rev. Posey officiated.

The bride wore a two-piece aqua blue suit with black accessories. She is a graduate of Memphis High School with the class of 1943. She is employed with the Southwestern Associated Telephone Co.

Corp. Hopper attended Lakeview High School and is now with the Army Forces at Camp Adair, Ore.

Those attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Stryker and daughter.

Mrs. Hopper plans to continue her work here.

Delphian Club Continues Study Of South America

Mrs. J. S. McMurry was hostess Tuesday afternoon at her home for the Delphian club. Mrs. R. H. Wherry was co-hostess.

The salute to the flag was given and a business session was held, followed with a letter from Mrs. Otho Fitzjarrald of San Diego, Calif., a former member, read by Miss Maud Milam.

"South America Continued" was the program subject with Mrs. Clyde Milam as leader. She discussed "Interesting Facts of Problems of Our Southern Neighbors."

The following discussions were heard: Bolivia, Mrs. Bill Kesterson; Paraguay, Mrs. A. Anisman; The Guiana's, Miss Milam. "Will We Remain Good Neighbors After the War?" was discussed by Mrs. Tom Draper.

A salad course was served to Mesdames A. Anisman, Hal Goodnight, O. R. Saye, Gene Barnett, Tom Draper, W. C. Dickey, C. C. Davis, J. L. Barnes, A. A. Maes, Wesley Foster, Bill Lyon, R. H. Wherry, Clarence Stroebe, J. S. McMurry, O. R. Goodall, Bill Kesterson and Miss Maud Milam.

The next meeting will be Tuesday, March 7 in the home of Mrs. J. L. Barnes.

There's no use locking the barn after the horse is eaten.

Mrs. Jim Webster Hostess Wednesday For Victory Club

Mrs. Jim Webster was hostess to the Victory Needle club Wednesday afternoon of last week. The afternoon was spent doing needle work.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames E. H. Stanford, Ode Gibson, Grover Roden, C. T. Jarvis, W. S. Malone, Dot Webster, Bill Monzingo, Alvin Phillips, Ed McMurry, A. O. Phillips, Cap Orecut and Miss Bernice Webster.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Ed McMurry Wednesday, March 8.

Anne Louise Maxwell Marries Thursday

Miss Anne Louise Maxwell and Loren L. Watson Jr., were married Thursday, February 10 in Denton.

Mrs. Watson Jr. is the daughter of Lt. Col. and Mrs. Frederick W. Maxwell of Denton, formerly of Memphis.

The couple is at home in New York City.

Can you use a typewriter?

CAN YOU do clerical work or accounting? Have you ever worked in a store. Can you drive a car?

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Today—find out about the opportunities that await you in the WAC—the important job, the interesting life, the chance to serve your country in a vital way.

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Guaranteed to start your car easily and make it run smoother, or your money back! Enjoy perfect performance with these famous, time-tested spark plugs.

E. E. CUDDE
N. D. PENDENT GAS and OIL



County Men in the Armed Forces

January 5, 1944

Dear Dad:

I received your most welcome letter of the 19th today and I am glad to hear from you. This is my first letter to you since I left home in '44. I will try to write you more as the year goes by.

I am glad to hear that all are well and feeling fine. I am glad to hear that Jay is home for Xmas. I am glad that you all had a good time and enjoyed having him. I had guard duty that night so I thought about what you were doing. I wish that I could see you and be at home.

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Check over the form and write down the information needed to properly fill it out. Under no circumstances will he be able to issue your new truck or pickup license without first having the information shown on this form. We kindly ask your cooperation in helping us to expedite the registration of trucks and pickups.

This Form and Fill Out and Bring With You when Registering your truck or Pickup

Primary Use	Title Number	1942 License Number
Type of Commodity	Date	Private
		For Hire \$
Hauled	Line out one	Penalty or 10% for Diesel fuel
		Total Fee
Speedometer R'd'g.	No. Axles	No. Driving wheels
If refrigerated indicate by X		
Year	Make	Truck, Tric-Trac, line out one
Engine No.		
Purchased From	Weight Empty	
Owner	Carrying Capacity	
Gross Weight		
St. and Number	City or Town	
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HALL COUNTY		

PLEASE have the information when come to register truck or pickup.

Caution—When you register either your car or your truck, be sure and bring your title certificate

F. R. SPRINGER

TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR of HALL COUNTY

Scholar



Saluting Old Glory at the New York Stage Door Canteen is Boots, 9-year-old half wolf, half collie owned by Bert Rose. She multiplies, adds, and finds hidden objects as directed, they say, to help raise money at War Bond rallies.

you have moved back to Memphis because when I get back to the States, I am going to get a 30 day leave and Memphis is the place I want to spend it.

I am worried about grandfather. I wish I could be with him while he is sick, but you know that is impossible. One of my best friends' father died in December. I sure felt sorry for him.

Well, it has started raining as usual. I get so mad some times I can't hardly stand it. Every time I start to wash clothes, it starts raining.

Well, I have got to start packing my clothes. I am moving over to another part of the island tomorrow. We will have better barracks there.

Tell grandma and grandpa hello for me.

I will close for this time. Answer soon.

Lots of love,
JERRELL W. MESSER

P. S.—I got a letter from Rosa Lee Neal yesterday and two letters from you and one from Randolph.

M. Sgt. C. W. Galloway wrote the following letter from Italy to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Galloway.

Italy.

Dearest Mom:

What a day! What a day! Received three Christmas packages and four letters in the mail. Yes, the mail order was the best of friends to me today. The package from you was really swell and thanks a million. I wish the morale all over here is as high as mine has been this evening.

From all the gifts I have received from the folks back home, I could well stock a post exchange for a fine sale and still have plenty left. The only thing that's worrying me now is where I can carry it all. I think the headquarters safe will be a swell place for the razor blades and soap.

Gee, I'm so far behind in my correspondence that it will be a race if I catch up before the end of the year which isn't too far away.

You will, by the time this reaches there, probably be home from your visit in San Antonio. Mom, I hope you had a very pleasant stay with all of our friends at Lytle. I certainly do miss all of them as I do those there at home.

The letter you sent from Mrs. White was really nice and I enjoyed it very much. Earl's address was certainly appreciated and will if possible try and see him. I know where he is now and it's not too far from where I am located.

Guess what? I have a stove in the office now. One of those kind the old fellows sit around and whittle on the chairs they are sitting on. It burns wood and to me better than anything they have in the States. Only thing, it will probably cost the government plenty keeping me in clothes for I just can't absorb enough of that warm feeling you get from a good fire when it's cold and raining outside. First thing you know, we'll have the rep of being sissies. All of us are tough when it comes to thinking of home and you back there with the thought in mind of "Gosh what I'd give."

The old Democrat, the one used for packing, in one of the packages, really gave a good account of itself. Enjoyed reading the letters from the boys that I know, now, elsewhere, that were printed. It also gave me ego quite a jump to know that everyone there is backing us up so with bond sales. A subscription would certainly be appreciated. Mom, I'm sure the postal authorities won't mind.

I'm dying to see the little one known as "Bosty" in our home now. Must be quite the fellow for you and dad are really proud of him. Don't tell me for all grandparents are and so am I. You don't know how old it makes me feel, being an uncle. Now, I have responsibilities.

Don't worry about me mom for I'm as fit as a fiddle and you know who is taking care of me, not the loving care of a mother, but the next best thing.

Give regards to all and I feel for dad and the boys while you're away.

Love,
CECIL

Rayford James Eddy, signal man third class, U S N R, 21 year old former resident of Memphis attached to the U. S. Naval Armed Guard Center at New Orleans, La., has just returned from sea duty as a member of a Naval Armed Guard crew assigned to an American merchant vessel. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George L. Eddy, formerly of Memphis, now living at Santa Maria, Calif. He joined the Navy July 8, 1942, and during his recent three months at sea he visited a number of coastal U. S. ports, and has also visited ports in South and Central America throughout the Caribbean area on previous trips.

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- Phillips Pork & Beans, 8 pts. 16c
- Sauerkraut, no pts, qt 25c
- Folger's Coffee, 1 lb glass 37c
- Van Camp's Tenderoni, no pts. 10c
- Spry Shortening, 3 lb glass, 15 pts. 75c
- Bird Brand Oil, 1 gal glass, 40 pts \$1.90
- Kellogg's Corn Flakes, giant size 14c
- Ralston Whole Wheat Cereal, pkg 24c
- Onion Sets, gallon \$1.15

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Turnips and Tops, fresh onions, tomatoes, lettuce, cabbage, oranges, lemons, carrots, garpefruit.

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- Ground Meat, lb 26c
- Pimento Cheese Spread, each 20c
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- Ladies' Head Scarfs, new styles 69c and \$1.00
- Ladies' Print Dresses \$2.25
- Boy's Wash Suits, 3 to 6 \$1.98
- Ladies' Slacks \$5.00

- Motor Rythm for a tune-up, pint 65c
- Dupont Lipuid Radiator Seal 45c
- Schrader Spark plug pumps \$3.00
- Fram cartridges \$1.00
- Zerone Anti-freeze, gal \$1.40

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 - Blacksmith \$18.00
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- Chick Starter \$4.55
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NEWS about boys in the Service

The following letter is from Pfc. Clarence E. Upton who is serving in the Southwest Pacific with the Infantry of the U. S. Army. He is the son of Mrs. Dottie Upton of Alaska.

January 30, 1944
Dearest Mother and kids:

I will take my pen in hand to answer your letter I got the other day. Was glad to hear that you

all were well. This leaves me well and hope when this comes to hand it will find you all well.

Well, mother, it has been raining this morning. I don't know what to say, but guess that you would like to know the reason that I haven't written before now. The reason was because I took a boat ride and I was on it about 15 or 20 days and we couldn't write on it, or that is, they wouldn't leave the boat until we got there and that is the reason I didn't write. It may be about two weeks before I get to write again, so don't worry about me.

Oh yes, there are some fuzzy-wuzzies over here where I am and I was close to one, but guess I will be around them pretty much the next two weeks for I am going on an out post some where

on the island so that will be the reason I can't write for there will not be any way to get mail or send any. So tell Imogene and Dorothy that I will write to them when I get back.

Oh yes, send me J. H.'s address. I saw the letter he wrote in the paper and he talked like he was one on one of these islands close to this one, and if he is, he is in a muddy place for it is muddy here all the time.

Oh yes, where is Leon now? Is he still up there where he was or has he left there? Write and tell me. Well, that is about all so tell all of the folks hello for me and that I am still going.

So, I will close for this time, so answer soon.

Pfc. Clarence F. Upton.

Billy Boles, son of C. F. Boles, has reported for naval duty at San Diego. He volunteered ten days ago.

Lt. Joyce Webster of Glendale, Calif., visited here Saturday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dot Webster.

Capt. and Mrs. John Sharp left Monday for Florida where he will be stationed with the Army Air Forces. Captain Sharp has been stationed at Childress Army Air Field.

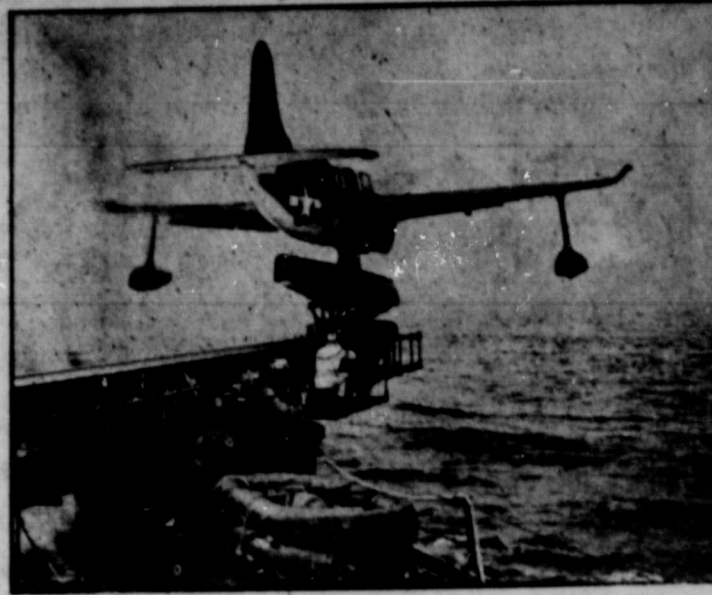
Sgt. Samuel K. Hawkins of Camp Shelby, Miss., visited here recently with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Z. Hawkins. He was accompanied here by Sgt. J. E. Taff who is also stationed at Camp Shelby. This was Sergeant Taff's first visit to West Texas. They have both been in the service since October 29, 1942.

Lt. and Mrs. Ronald J. Nash are visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Nash of Friendship. Lieutenant Nash graduated last week from La Junta Air Base, Colo., as a pilot and has been assigned to Hobbs, N. M.

Staff Sgt. Al Tinsley came Tuesday morning for a visit with his wife, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Drake. Staff Sergeant Tinsley has been attending school in Seattle, Wash., and will be stationed at Amarillo. He was stationed at Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, before going to Seattle.

Aviation Cadet James W. Evans, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Evans, recently reported to the Greenville Army Air Field, Green-

Catapult Take-Off



A Curtiss Seagull catapults from a Navy ship on a shakedown cruise—a trip to teach personnel actual operation. The catapult gives the plane flying speed in a short distance, so that a flight deck is unnecessary. On return, the plane lands on the sea and taxis close to the ship to be hoisted aboard by crane. (Navy photo.)

ville, Miss., for further flight training. After completing his basic training at Greenville, Cadet Evans will be sent to another field in the Army Air Forces Eastern Flying Training Command for the final phase of training.

Corp. J. G. Gardner left Monday for Fort Riley, Kan., after a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Gardner.

Pvt. Paul Q. Dodson left Tuesday night for Camp Cooke, Calif., after spending a 15 day furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Dodson.

Arlis Andrew McBee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McBee, has reported to the Naval Base at San Diego for training. He volunteered in the Navy and left about ten days ago.

Technical Sgt. Herschel Montgomery of Fort Bliss, visited here Friday and Saturday with friends. He visited Sunday in Shamrock with relatives.

Pvt. William Lavender came Wednesday of last week to spend a 15 day furlough with his wife and his mother, Mrs. Mable Lavender. He has been transferred from San Antonio to Amarillo Air Field where he will study Army Air Force mechanics.

'Rev. War Worker'



Shown at his pulpit is the Rev. Charles O. Leibig, 28, who puts in 10 hours a day on numerous duties as pastor of the Hope Evangelical and Reformed Church in Philadelphia and eight hours a day making aircraft and submarine instruments at the Brown Instrument Co.

Mrs. Lance Leggett of Lakeview returned Wednesday from San Francisco where she visited her husband, Private Lance Leggett.

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WEEK BEGINNING FEBRUARY 20th

Sugar

No. 30, Book 4—5 pounds. Expires March 31

No. 40, Book 4—Valid Feb. 1. Expires when used

Shoes

No. 18, Book 1, and Airplane No. 1, Book 3

One pair each—Expires when used

Gasoline

No. A 10—Valid January 22. Expires March 21

Meat

Brown V, W, X—Expire February 26th

Brown Y, Z—Valid Feb. 13. Expire March 20

Processed Foods

Green, Book 4, K, L, M—Valid Feb. 1

Expire March 20

SHARE—PLAY FAIR—BUY WAR BONDS



CUP-KEEP

WEEK-END SPECIALS

COFFEE, Folger's, 1 lb Jar	33c
SUGAR, Pure Cane, 5 lbs.	36c, 10 lbs. 71c
FLOUR, Gold Medal, 10 lbs.	69c, 25 lbs. \$1.44
MEAL, Aunt Jemima, 5 lb bag	26c
BAKING POWDER, 1 lb Calumet	19c
CAKE FLOUR, Swansdown, box	29c
EGGS, fresh country, doz.	35c
GINGER BREAD MIX, box	22c
COCOA, Hershey's, 1-2 lb. box	12c
CRACKERS, 2 lb Crisp	32c
HYHO CRACKERS, 1 lb. box	21c
SALAD DRESSING, Bestyett, Pint	23c, Qt. 38c
SOAP, Palmolive or Camay, 3 bars	23c
SOAP Ivory, med. bars 7c, lg. bars, 2 for	23c
OLD DUTCH CLEANSER, 2 cans	17c
POST BRAN or GRAPE NUTS FLAKES, box	10c
RAISIN BRAN, 2 boxes	23c
PEANUT BUTTER, 1 lb. 27c, 24 oz. jar	41c
RAISINS, 1 lb bag	17c
TOILET PAPER, Scott Tissue, 3 rolls	23c
ENGLISH PEAS, No. 2 can Mission	15c
CORN, Whole Grain, can	15c
TOMATOES, No. 2 cans	12c
SPINACH, No. 2 can	15c
TOMATO JUICE, No. 2 cans	12c
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, 46 oz. can	31c
SPUDS, No. 1 Red, 5 lbs.	23c
SPUDS, 10 lb bag, Russetta	44c
SWEET POTATOES, E. Texas, 3 lbs.	25c
CABBAGE, Texas, lb.	5c
LETTUCE, lg heads	14c
CELERY, extra fancy stalks	19c
GREEN ONIONS, bunch	9c
RADISHES, bunch	5c
CARROTS, bunch	6c
TURNIPS and TOPS, bunch	8c
NEW POTATOES, lb	7 1/2c
GRAPEFRUIT, lg seedless	5c
ORANGES, Texas, dozen	40c
LEMONS, nice size dozen	25c
PECANS, lg thin shell, lb	35c
CURED HAM, center cuts, lb	52c
BACON, first grade, lb	39c
PORK CHOPS, nice and lean, lb	35c

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SUGAR, Pure Cane, 10 lbs. 71c
5 lbs. 36c

RADISHES, bunch	5c
CARROTS, bunch	8c
CELERY, fancy stalk	19c
BEETS, bunch	10c
LETTUCE, lb.	12c
RHUBARB, lb.	15c
POTATOES, No. 1 white, 10 lbs.	45c
GRAPEFRUIT, Marsh Seedless, lb	6c

Aunt Jemima—White
MEAL, 5 lbs. 26c

EGGS, fresh country, doz.	35c
SPINACH, No. 2 can	15c
CORN, Primrose, No. 2 can	16c
PEAS, Concho, No. 2 can	15c
PALMOLIVE SOAP, 3 bars	21c
POST TOASTIES, lg pkg	14c
POST BRAN or G-N Flakes, lg pkg	15c
COFFEE, Folger's, lb.	33c
TREET, Armour's, can	39c
POP CORN, 1 lb pkg	18c
PURE LARD, 4 lbs.	74c
8 lbs.	\$1.47

PICNIC HAMS, half or whole, lb.	35c
SLAB BACON, Sugar Cured, lb	37c
PORK CHOPS, lb.	35c
PORK SHOULDER ROAST, lb.	32c
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Sixteen, lb.	21c

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Pineapple, No. 2 can	32c
Syup, Blue Label Karo, No. 5	44c
Pep Breakfast Cereal, each	11c
Apple Juice, full qt.	25c
Grape Punch, full qt.	25c
Royal Anne Light Sweet Cherries	
8 1-4 oz. can, 10 pts	13c

FRESH BEEF

LIVER

Pound 20c

CURED HAM

Center Cuts

Pound 48c

Dry Salt—3 pts

BACON

Pound 22c

Soup, Tomato, 1 lb. 4 oz.	11c
Heavy Buckets, 5 gal., each	60c
Coffee, Chase & Sanborn, 1 lb pkg	35c
Carrots, lg. bunches, 2 for	11c
Honey, Yellow Gold, 5 lbs.	\$1.47
Celery, lg. stalks	2c
Oranges, Texa, lb.	40c
Bacon, cured, sliced, 3 pts	35c

'M' SYSTEM

Local and Personals

Robert E. Higginbotham visited here last week to be with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walker. Mrs. Higginbotham has been living in Borger where she taught in the public schools. Her husband is stationed at the Army Air Field, Kan.

A. Baldwin returned Friday.

E. D. Gardner of Los Angeles, visited here Tuesday with friends, day from a visit in Vernon with his daughter, Mrs. T. L. Rouse.

Mrs. Dink Barrick and Miss Marjorie Stone visited last week end in Childress with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Martindale.

Bernice Webster of Dalhart visited here last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Webster.

Mrs. Anna H. Dickson, who was taken from a Memphis hospital to Albuquerque, N. M., for asthma, has improved some, it is reported, but has gone to California for further treatment. She expects to return to her home here in March.

Miss Clydie Fowler and Miss Tiny Lee Ford of Amarillo visited here Sunday with Miss Ford's mother, Mrs. W. T. Ford.

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Mrs. J. D. Dial of Dallas spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Aududdell and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dial of Lakeview. She is employed at the North American Aviation Inc. and is making her home with Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Vandiver. Staff Sgt. Dial is in service overseas with the 93rd Signal Battalion in North Ireland.

Get it at the House of Wonders.

Future Readers



Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Osborn are the parents of a girl born February 12. She weighed 7 pounds and 15 ounces.

Ronnie Derral was born February 10 to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Parmley.

A girl was born February 12 to Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Nabers of Lakeview. She was named Winnie Ruth.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. McAnear of Brice are the parents of a boy born February 13. He was named Don Wilson.

John Wesley was born February 9 to Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Nolen of Pliska. He weighed 8 pounds and 11 ounces.

Locals and Personals

Mrs. Bernie Davis and son Rodney of Paducah visited here last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Gardner.

Mrs. T. L. Rouse left Wednesday for her home in Vernon. She has been here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Baldwin, for the past six months.

Mrs. M. E. Thrash and son Michael of Wichita Falls came Wednesday for a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Pyle. Mr. Thrash came Saturday and they returned Sunday to Wichita Falls.

Miss Jean Crowder of Bowie visited here last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Crowder.

Mrs. Elmer Fisher visited last week-end in Tyler with her husband, Private Fisher, who is stationed at Camp Fannin.

Mrs. N. B. Williams of Altus, Okla., left Tuesday after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Bill Smith.

L. L. Doss of Lubbock visited here last week-end with his wife.

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\$1.39		SALMON, White Swan, Fancy Red Sockeye, No. 1 can	
*****		CHERRIES, White Swan, Fancy Royal Anne, No. 2 1-2	
FOLGER'S COFFEE		Oranges Florida Med. Size Juicy Dozen	
1 lb. Jar		ENGLISH PEAS, No. 2 can, Mission	
33¢		CORN, Primrose, Fancy Country Gentleman, No. 2 can	
MARKET SPECIALS		BEANS, White Swan, Fancy Small Whole Breen, No. 2	
PICNIC HAMS, Pinkney's, half or whole, lb.		AUNT JEMIMA MEAL 5 lb. Bag	
SAUSAGE, fresh country, lb.		25¢	
NUCOA, It's Good, lb.		*****	
Bran Flakes Miller's 40%, 3 pkgs.		PURE CANE SUGAR	
RAISINS, Sun Maid, 1 lb. pkg.		5 lb. Bag ...	
TREET, Armour's, 12 oz. can		10 lb. Bag	
CHEESE SPREADS, Assorted, Kraft's, 5 oz. glass		36c 71c	

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HONOR ROLL FUND NOW STANDS AT \$526, JIM VALLANCE REPORTS

The Honor Roll fund now stands at \$526.67, reports Jim Vallance, chairman of the finance committee which is raising the money for the painting of the names of Hall County men in the service.

The Honor Roll will be painted on the side of the Harrison Hardware building.

The following donors were reported by Floyd Springer, member of the downtown committee:

J. B. Reed \$1.00, J. E. Berryman \$1.00, J. R. Scott \$2.00, Dot Webster \$2.00, B. B. Brewer \$1.00, Gladys Johnsey \$1.00, Irvin Johnsey \$1.00, Winifred Davis \$1.00, W. C. Anderson \$1.00, Chas. Drake \$1.00, M. O. Goodpasture \$1.00, E. W. Evans \$1.00, L. G. Perkins \$1.00, Inez Mason \$1.00, H. A. Hodges \$1.00, Laurel A. Ellis \$1.00, Beatrice Russell \$1.50, Allen C. Grundy \$1.00, Johnnie Kunkler \$1.00, Floyd Springer \$1.00, T. C. Delaney \$1.00, Mary Forman \$1.00, J. B. Byars \$1.00, J. A. Adcock \$1.00, Mrs. A. D. Newby \$1.00, A. D. Newby \$1.00, W. H. Lem-

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Winnie Cassels \$2, Grace Wilson \$2, Mrs. Wiley Whitley \$1.00, Hattie D. Thompson \$1, Popular Dry Goods \$1.50, Dink Barrick \$1.00, Mrs. R. G. Patrick \$1.00, Bonnie Black \$1.00, Mrs. Bill Howard \$5, J. G. Edwards \$2.00, Bill Monzingo \$2, Louis Wheat \$1.00, E. E. Shipman \$2.00, George Forgy \$1.00, Ira McDaniel \$3, Gerlach Bttery \$2.50, Maurine Scott \$1.00, Mary Beckam \$5, Gene Scott \$5, W. W. Jenkins \$5, Lois Hill \$5, Jenny McMurry \$1.00, Ivan McElreath \$5, King Furniture \$2.50, H. B. Estes \$2, Gus Rasco \$2, Ella Mae Kercheville \$1.00, Imogene King \$2.00, J. C. Penny Co. \$5.00, Rebecca Paschal \$5, Avis Kilpatrick \$5, Dorothy Nell Evans \$5, Eleanor Mullins \$5.

C. C. Meacham \$5.00, Miller I Miller \$5.00, H. H. Lindsey \$3.00, Memphis Steam Laundry \$5.00, Wm. Cameron Co. \$5.00, D. J. Morgensen \$2, George Hammond \$1.00, J. C. Ledford \$1.00, Rube Sisk \$1.00, Mrs. J. D. Sims \$2, George Bass \$2.00, Rolla Kelly \$1.00, G. M. Brown \$5, M. C. Robertson \$1.00.



Seven sons, two sons-in-law, one grandson is the service record of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Fitzlaff, farmers near Jackson, Minn. The father, 66, and mother, 63, have 14 children.

Ten Service Stars!

ESTELLINE

By Mrs. Fred Berry

Rev. W. E. Hamilton is making a talk at the Methodist church for three evenings this week. His theme is "How to Develop Workers in the Church."

The Baptist church is holding a two weeks revival. Rev. B. Allison, pastor of the Children's church, is doing the preaching and is assisted by O. L. Delmar.

Mrs. A. D. Walls spent last week in Amarillo visiting her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sneed of Lakeview and Mrs. Roy Gilreath visited in the home of Mrs. Sam Power.

Morris Leary, who is stationed at Norman, Okla., spent Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Leary.

Mrs. L. Price, who has been visiting in Austin the past two weeks, returned to her home.

Mrs. Clayton Bell and daughter left this week for Stockton, Calif., to visit her husband, who is stationed there.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Hill and daughter spent last week-end here with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Dunlap.

The women of the Methodist church had their annual birthday party Wednesday in the church basement. Each month of the

year was represented with a cake and each person brought a penny for each year of their life. They are making money to fix the parsonage.

Mrs. Clarence Bownds and daughter of Dallas spent the week-end here with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Burl Bell and Mrs. W. B. Davidson, and families.

Mrs. Doe Craver and her mother went to Quanah Monday where Mrs. Craver had her tonsils removed. They returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. Burl Bell and baby were brought to their home Saturday from a Memphis hospital.

Mrs. Bill Holland spent last week in Fort Worth visiting her daughter Daisy and her son Billie Bob, who is stationed at Camp Swift, also met her in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Dee Witt Edens and

daughters left last week for Fort Worth where they will make their home. Mr. Eddins will leave as soon as he has his business interests arranged.

Mr. and Mrs. Finis Curtis and children of Willow, Okla., spent the week-end here visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Campbell and Mrs. L. Campbell and son Bill moved to the Plains this week.

Mrs. C. T. Jarvis of Memphis and Miss Wacel Mason of Hedey spent the week-end here with their daughter and aunt, Mrs. Jo Eddins and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cev Adams and son Bobby Lee are moving near Carey this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfred House have returned from California for a visit with their parents Mr. and Mrs. L. Price and Mr. and Mrs. Ed House of Turkey.

He is stationed in California. Mrs. Clint Bramlett, daughter of Altus, Okla., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Barrett.

Miss Mary Lane Hensley who has been teaching in Parnell school, has resigned to accept a job in the bank at key.

Fred Berry is in Abilene week on business.

Mrs. J. A. Payne and son visiting her sister, Mrs. B.

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Furlough till milking time (5 a.m.)



Saturday night. He is tired from a week of 14-16 hour days. But, stepping lively, he's got the chores all done and now he can take time off... till 5 a.m. tomorrow.

Fellows in war plants work shorter hours, get more money. That makes no difference to the thoughtful man on a dairy farm. He's in the thick of the food fight, the fight our nation must win if the Allies are to win this war.

Milk, the most precious of foods, is vitally needed. So, too, are the products of milk. Cheese, for example. Why, the U. S. Government's requirements alone this year have been estimated at

nearly 400 million pounds of cheese. Over 500 million more pounds will be consumed by you and other civilians. America needs now more than twice as much of this nutritious food as the nation could produce when the last war ended in 1918!

We'd like to shake the hand of that farmer on furlough till 5 a.m. ... or somehow make him understand that people appreciate what he is doing, he and all the men and women and boys and girls on the nation's dairy farms.



Because of the tremendous demand, both military and civilian, you may not be able to get as much Kraft Cheese as you would like, or get your favorite varieties—Kraft American, "Old English," "Philadelphia" Brand Cream Cheese, Velveeta, and so on. But you may be sure, as always, that any cheese or cheese food which bears the Kraft name represents the very highest standard of quality.

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is made that Dr. O. R. Goodall has purchased the interest of Dr. J. A. Odom in the Odom-Goodall Hospital.

The name has been changed to the Goodall Hospital.

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The Goodall Hospital
Miss Marjorie Rogers, R. N., Superintendent

In Italian Mountains



WARD POST is manned by Bren gunners from a British Regiment, Eighth Army front in Italy. This is typical of the country over which American and British armies are fighting.

BRICE

By S. J. S. JOHNSON

Mrs. A. C. Hartzog of Amarillo visited Tuesday with their Mr. J. C. Johnson and

Salmon and son Billy and Mrs. Earl Mitchell visited Tuesday.

sponsored by the P. T. in the school audited Tuesday night. Sand-

ada Faye Holland of Amarillo visited last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Johnson.

Miss Russell of Memphis visited the week-end in the home.

BERTY

By W. F. HODNETT

for last week)annon filled his regiment at Liberty Sunday night.

Mrs. Pete Hodnett of Amarillo spent with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hodnett and

visited Sunday with Mr. Guy Edens.

Mrs. Carol Hight visited his sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Johnson.

week's news) Mrs. Guy Edens and Mr. Nita and Weldon visited with Mr. and Mrs. Hodnett.

ATHERLY

By E. E. FOSTER

Weatherly and Mrs. Weatherly and son have

Pvt. Jimmie Weatherly in the Marines.

Orcutt spent from Saturday in Tur-

racie Bell.

ens spent Sunday

PLASKA

By MRS. E. E. FOSTER

Delta and Myrna Joe Boswell went to Amarillo Monday to make their home with their sister, Mrs. Melbourne Parnell.

Sgt. and Mrs. Nolan Pannell and son visited in the J. W. Smith home Monday afternoon.

Members and visitors present when the Plaska Needle club met with Mrs. J. E. Murdock Tuesday afternoon were Mrs. L. A. Bray, Mrs. W. L. Crawford, Mrs. Hubert Hall, Mrs. Doyle Hall, Mrs. Ed Murdock, Mrs. C. W. Jones, Mrs. W. L. Nabers, Mrs. Troy Dunn, Mrs. Claudine Needham, Mrs. T. L. McWhorter, Mrs. T. J. Spry, Mrs. J. W. Smith, Mrs. Harold Hodges, Mrs. Worth Howard, Mrs. F. J. Gardenhire and Mrs. E. E. Foster.

Mrs. Arnold Hall visited Mrs. C. C. Cunningham Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. E. E. Foster, Mrs. Edd Murdock and Mrs. Lloyd Jones visited Mrs. J. H. Murdock Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. W. L. Nabers, Mrs. W. L. Crawford and Mrs. J. W. Smith went to Hedley Wednesday to attend the funeral service of W. K. Kyser.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Whitfield and Mrs. Rex Rea returned Friday after visiting with relatives in California for the past month.

A. P. Grant of Whittharrel was a Plaska visitor Monday.

Mrs. Elvay Dunn and children of Amarillo spent the past week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Whitfield.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Murdock and daughter Billie Frances at-

tended a family reunion Saturday in the home of Mrs. Murdock's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Gardenhire in the Indian Creek community.

Lt. Winfred McDaniel came Friday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. E. McDaniel.

Jerry Ed Galloway went to a Memphis hospital Saturday to have his tonsils removed.

Henry Title of Santa Maria, Calif., is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira McDaniel and family of Memphis spent Sunday in the I. E. McDaniel home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Boon and family of Paducah visited Mrs. Pearl Vallance and other relatives the past week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Totty and daughter spent Saturday night with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Totty.

Suella June and Reba Jean Williams of Lakeview spent the past week-end with their grandparents.

Laverne Orr spent Monday night with Nelda June Sullivan.

Mrs. J. E. Murdock, Mrs. Howard and Mrs. Mabel Lavender of Memphis visited Mrs. Worth Howard Wednesday.

W S C S Valentine Party Monday in Vallance Home

Mrs. Pearl Vallance was hostess to the W S C S at her home Monday afternoon. The occasion was the monthly social. A Valentine theme was used through out the program, consisting of games, readings and jokes. Birthday gifts were presented to Misses Kathleen McMaster and Edith Adeock, followed by exchange of Sunshine gifts. Refreshments of sandwiches, cookies and hot chocolate were served. Present

and sending gifts were Mesdames Walter McMaster, Bob Tiner, M. N. Orr, Arvin Orr, Frank Wheeler, J. W. Oliver, H. F. Adeock, Hoyette Hodges, and Misses Kathleen McMaster, Emma Lou McMaster, Ouida Orr, Cleve Mae and Ann Tiner, Edith and Fay Adeock and the hostess, Mrs. Pearl Vallance and one guest, Mrs. T. I. McWhorter. The next social will be March 6 at the home of Mrs. Bob Tiner.

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Locals and Personals

Jimmie White of Fort Worth visited here Sunday and Monday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cassels.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Denny and daughter Linda Jane of Childress visited here Sunday with his mother, Mrs. B. F. Denny.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Webster and family of Amarillo and Miss Vada Webster of Tulsa visited here last Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Webster.

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And just as we welcome their letters now, we will welcome these men home when Victory is won. We look forward to working shoulder to shoulder with them in extending the American system of free enterprise and opportunity which they are now fighting so well to preserve.

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Did His Bit



Jungle fighting in the drive for Munda on New Georgia. American soldier is carried to a Higgins boat (part of at upper right) for evacuation to a base hospital. (U. S. Army Signal Corps photo.)

A collection of letters from soldiers to their families. The letters are dated and signed, showing the personal side of the war. Some letters are from the YMCA, and others are from the United Gas Pipe Line Company. The letters are written on various types of paper, some with stamps and some with handwritten notes. The letters are arranged in a collage-like fashion, with some overlapping others. The letters are written in a casual, personal style, showing the soldiers' thoughts and feelings about the war and their families. Some letters are from the front lines, and others are from behind the lines. The letters are a testament to the courage and sacrifice of the soldiers, and the love and support of their families.

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THE TIME IS AT HAND FOR HALL COUNTY TO SUBMIT ITS POST-WAR ROAD PLANS

A forward-looking step in the development of the Panhandle's road system was taken when a committee representing some 20 Plains counties appeared before the highway commission last week. Instead of submitting plans for individual counties the group offered the Commission plans for a post-war program for the region as a whole, looking to the elimination of existing gaps in the state system in this area.

Chairman Brady Gentry of the commission publicly complimented the delegation on its far-sightedness pointing out that with the submission of such plans the commission would be in position to resume highway construction on a broad scale when the war ends, and that planning in advance will save much time and wasted effort when conditions once again permit highway improvement on a broad scale. Unless this planning is done now there will be confusion and a flood of demands for construction in the post-war era, with the resultant waste of time and money that inevitably follows hasty action.

In this connection it would be well for Hall County to have its road problems all "ironed out" in the meantime, and be in position to offer the commission a definite program for the benefit of this area. It goes without saying that the county—or counties—with definite plans agreed upon by the communities affected, will be in position to get first consideration whenever the Commission starts allotting funds and approving road improvement projects.

Improvement of the Childress-Matador highway is one of the projects discussed with the Commission by the Panhandle committee. The people of Hall County would have no reason to oppose the improvement of this route, but in our own interest we should not let the Commission lose sight of the importance of Highway 256 to Silvertown. Just as Childress and Motley counties agreed on the Matador road as a post-war project which would benefit both counties, so might Hall and Briscoe submit a definite plan for the extension of Highway 256 west from Mulberry creek to Silvertown. Improvement of this road is one of the major objectives of the Chamber of Commerce and we do not mean to say that the importance of this project has been overlooked in any sense by the Chamber of Commerce.

The sending of a committee to Austin last week by a number of Panhandle counties does suggest, however, that the Commission is now in a receptive mood for post-war highway plans—and that Hall and adjacent counties do not want to be in the position of letting other counties get first call on the allotment of funds for new construction.

In this same connection, it might be well for the people of Memphis to reach an understanding with the Commission on the future routing of Highway 287. It is an issue which must be decided sooner or later—and, if new construction is to be involved, it is a project which rightfully belongs in any post-war planning. The attitude of the Commission is that the present route through the business district is unsatisfactory. Two alternate routes have been suggested. One would be for the highway to follow the railroad and the other would be to re-route the road to the south and west of the downtown area. We have no doubt that a location satisfactory to all concerned will be reached by the highway department, city and county officials and the Chamber of Commerce. Our thought is that the time is approaching when decisions will have to be made and with the Highway Department asking counties to agree on and submit post-war plans, that the future routing of Highway 287 is an issue demanding careful and serious consideration at the hands of Memphis business men and the public in general.

Whatever is done by Hall County on any of its road projects can be done cheaper and quicker if a course of action is first decided upon and definite plans are laid before the Highway Commission in advance. To take our chances in the post-war rush might be too late.

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Men get pearls from oysters, but women get diamonds from nuts.



'Double Dare Ya!'



Press Paragraphs

SELECTED FROM THE DEMOCRAT'S EXCHANGE

Several citizens have been asking the editor to say something about chickens running at large. This is not the editor's business, and while something usually has to be said each succeeding spring, it is doubtful if it ever does any good. The man who does not care anything about his neighbor's rights is not likely to be influenced by anything the editor might say. It is a fact that chickens are not allowed by law to be at large at any time of the year, and perhaps the best way would be to lodge a complaint in a competent court with a plea for damages. — McLean News.

Cotton farmers in this county are divided in two groups now and both are extremists. On one side every available acre will be put to cotton since they feel they are guaranteed a good price and can gather the crop somehow, even if farm labor continues unsatisfactory. Others are skeptical of the winter season and will plant fewer acres than can be harvested by the family with little outside help needed. Most of both groups have made some money from their crops of the last two years. — Quanah Tribune-Chief.

The administration floods us with oodles of advice about unity on the home front. The current orgy of name calling and bitter feeling among high ranking government officials is a fine example to set for us common ordinary citizens. We have always thought it a pretty good thing to put your own house in order before you start straightening up the other fellow's abode. — Ochiltree County Herald.

An unfortunate angle to the timing for release of the story of the atrocities, as we think, is that it hit right in the midst of the Fourth War Loan campaign. We hope we are wrong but fear the release of the facts in the matter at this particular stage of the war effort may have the wrong effect on the public, at least for a time. Why assume that we have to be done that way

Endowment for McMurry College Is Half Raised

DR. H. G. COOKE
No campaign in the history of the Methodist church in West Texas and New Mexico has ever met with such approval and general response as has the \$1,750,000.00 Endowment and Building Fund Campaign for McMurry College, which is now under way in this area, reports Dr. Harold G. Cooke, president. To ask an Endowment Fund of \$1,000,000.00 for a college and at the same time to build four great new buildings at a cost of \$750,000.00 is unprecedented in both magnitude and vision for the possibilities of a Christian educational institution.

Both the importance and magnitude of the program caught the imagination of the Methodist people of West Texas and New Mexico. The annual conferences and district meetings endorsed the program, and conference allotments, district quotas, and church goals were voluntarily set to cover the entire amount. To date, approximately one-half of the amount has been secured in cash, bonds and subscriptions—and work on the campaign has just begun in most charges.

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'Elcome-Way'



It must be a continuous open house they're having at the Army camp in Iceland, for the welcome sign beckons in languages, among them English, French, Spanish, Armenian, Hebrew, Chinese, Russian, and several branches of Scandinavian and Slavic. An M. P. sergeant explains the sign to two German flyers. (Signal Corps Photo.)

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Locals and Personals

Mrs. Kedron Ward of Amarillo came Tuesday for a visit here with her daughter, Mrs. Billy Thompson and her mother, Mrs. J. A. Merrick.

Mrs. Mattie Wattenbarger of Amarillo came Tuesday for a visit with friends here.

Mrs. M. I. Hendrix and family have moved to Hotchkiss, Colo., from near Lesley where they have resided for more than half a century.

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Taylor of Amarillo were Memphis visitors Wednesday.

Miss Nell Hagan of Childress visited here last week-end with Miss Sue Anne Roberts.

Mrs. L. L. Moses was taken to Amarillo Wednesday for medical treatment. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Mozell Stout.

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"Crime Doctor's Strangest Case"

Invasion Chiefs



Two Leathernecks who commanded in the Marshalls invasion: Maj.-Gen. Holland McT. Smith, left, chief of Marine assault troops, and Maj.-Gen. Harry Schmidt, 4th Division, who bossed capture of Roi Island.

Mrs. John Ward of Swenson visited here last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Barber.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hattenbach visited Monday in Wellington with her sister, Mrs. G. W. Hunter and husband.

Mrs. Tommy Wood of Childress and Mrs. Pete Nesbitt and son James Edward of Lawton, Okla., visited here Saturday with Mrs. Silas Wood.

Mrs. Emmett Walker and daughter came Monday from Fort Worth for a short visit here with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Walker. They left Tuesday for Borger to be with their husband and father.

Political Announcements

The Memphis Democrat is authorized to announce the following as candidates for public office, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July—

For District Judge
100th Judicial District:
LUTHER E. GRIBBLE

For District Attorney:
SAM J. HAMILTON

For District Clerk:
MRS. ISABELL CYPERT
(Re-election)

For County Judge:
M. O. GOODPASTURE
(Re-election)

For County Treasurer:
CHAS. DRAKE
(Re-election)

For County Sheriff:
W. C. ANDERSON
(Re-election)

For County Attorney:
ALLEN C. GRUNDY

For Tax Assessor-Collector:
F. R. SPRINGER
(Re-election)

For County Clerk:
GLADYS JOHNSEY

For Commissioner, Precinct 1:
ROY PATTON
(Re-election)

For Commissioner, Precinct 3:
FRED B. BERRY
(Re-election)

For Commissioner, Precinct 2:
H. W. SPEAR
(Re-election)

For Justice of the Peace, Pre. 1:
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By VALDA SMITH

Several students of Wayland College, Plainview, visited our church Sunday morning. Brother Dailey brought the 11:00 message.

Misses Wanda Henry and Margaret Pank of Plainview were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Smith and family Sunday.

Brother Dailey and Miss Jo McCuley of Plainview were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller and daughters Sunday.

Staff Sgt. Ray Lee Stargel of Fort Riley, Kan., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stargel. Also visiting them during the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stargel of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Stargel and daughter Darville of Fort Worth, and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Stargel and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Smith and family and C. E. Nall visited Sunday night in the Frank Smith home.

The Mother's club met with Mrs. Grover Moss Tuesday and quilted her a quilt.

Rev. Stonecipher will fill his regular appointment here Sunday morning and evening. Everyone is urged to be in these services.

For quality sign work at reasonable cost, get in touch with T. W. Hannah at Mecca Hotel.

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