



# DAWSON COUNTY COURIER

"WHERE TEXANS ARE TEXANS"

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## Severe Ice Storm Strikes Territory; Wiring Damaged

One of the most severe ice storms ever experienced in Lamesa greeted early risers Monday morning. All electricity was cut off before five o'clock A. M. and was turned on again in most places in Lamesa by 9 o'clock Monday morning. Telephone services has been curtailed in some instances.

Two and thirty-five one hundredths inches of moisture has been reported by Mrs. R. E. Speck, in charge of the official rain gauge. Rain started falling in Lamesa some time Saturday night and continued throughout Sunday and most of Sunday night. Late Sunday afternoon ice began forming on trees, telephone and light wire and other exposed objects, resulting in heavy damage, especially to exposed wiring.

The moisture will be very beneficial to this section it is thought. The farmers of Dawson County are jubilant over the fine season received at this time of the year and are predicting record crops for 1943.

## OPA Bulletins Available At Ration Office

Copies of three bulletins explaining OPA price regulations governing tires have been received and are now ready for distribution, Dixie Kilgore, Chairman of the Dawson County War Price and Rationing Board, announced today.

Copies of these bulletins may be obtained at the Board office, in the basement of the Postoffice.

Price tables on retreaded and recapped tires, and the retreading and recapping of tires are explained in Retailers Bulletin No. 6.

To aid tire dealers in understanding these regulations, the OPA has issued another bulletin entitled "Tire Dealers' Guide to Price Regulations," which presents a simplified set of instructions, highlighting the more important requirements tire dealers must meet.

OPA ceiling prices for certain classifications of used tires and tubes were changed, effective November 3, 1942, and at the same time, minimum quality for specifications for repairing tires and tubes and definitions of vulcanized repairs were issued. Certain provisions also were amended governing price posting and the filling of price ceiling statements. The main features of this regulation are explained in Retailers' Bulletin No. 9.

## County Ginned 58,943 Bales To December 1

The latest government census reports shows that Dawson County has ginned 58,943 bales of cotton from the 1942 crop up to December 1. Up to this same time last year, the county had ginned 40,460 bales.

### MRS. Z. T. DAVIS GETS CABLEGRAM FROM LEWIS

Mrs. Z. T. Davis reports that she has recently received a cablegram from her son, Lewis, of the United States Army, and that he is well and doing fine.

—BUY WAR BONDS AND STAMPS—

## Cleve R. Austin Now Army Capt.

We have been informed in a recent communication from Mrs. Cleve R. Austin, former Lamesan, now residing at Mankato, Minn., that Cleve is now in the army, with the rating of Captain. He has been in the service about a month and has received the V-mail Assignment, and is stationed at Washington, D. C.

Captain Austin was assistant postmaster at the Lamesa post office for a number of years. He left here for a postal inspectors job in Minnesota, and will now continue to do postal work in the army.

## Courier To Print One Day Early

The Courier will be published Wednesday this week instead of the usual time of Thursday in order that the paper may circulate over the entire territory before Christmas Day.

The cooperation of those placing advertising copy and news items in this weeks paper is solicited.

—BUY WAR BONDS AND STAMPS—

## 485,079 Bales Ginned In Area; Dawson Fourth

Sixteen South Plains cotton growing counties had ginned nearly a half million bales of cotton Dec. 1.

Lynn county, with 73,897 bales, topped the list. Lubbock came second, Dawson third, and Hockley fourth, respectively.

Census bureau figures reveal only two counties, Dickens and Scurry, had fallen below ginning figures of last year. The other 14 counties had increased the harvest over Dec. 1 a year ago from 10 to 500 per cent.

Last Year 314,603

The total this year for the 16 counties is 485,079 bales. Last year the total was 314,603 bales. By counties, the comparison is:

	1942	1941
Bailey	23,393	6,672
Cochran	16,809	6,735
Crosby	28,138	24,716
Dawson	58,943	40,460
Dickens	19,651	21,785
Floyd	13,730	2,281
Gaines	6,901	4,762
Garza	15,433	10,049
Hale	13,597	9,168
Hockley	52,045	19,857
Lamb	27,034	19,945
Lubbock	67,509	43,433
Lynn	73,897	43,688
Motley	11,786	9,218
Scurry	21,859	31,680
Terry	34,354	20,154

—BUY WAR BONDS AND STAMPS—

## Sun Carnival Queen



Miss Barbara Bassett, 21-year-old blond Texas College of Mines student, has been named queen of the Southwestern Sun Carnival to be held at El Paso January 1. Miss Bassett, eighth of the Sun Carnival Queens, is a graduate of the University of Texas, having received a degree in psychology in June, 1942. She is doing graduate work at the College of Mines. She will be crowned queen officially at a military ceremony on December 30 by Maj. Gen. Robert Olds of the Second Air Force of Fort George Wright, Washington. Princesses from El Paso and adjacent towns and army air schools will participate in the ceremony. The Sun Bowl game, pitting the nations only two undefeated teams, Second Air Force Bombers and Hardin-Simmons University, will be played January 1. All proceeds above bare expenses will go to war charities.

## Emergency Gasoline Can Be Secured By Signing R-555

### Additions To 1943 AAA Program Announced

Texas farmers may substitute essential food crops and war crops for cotton under the 1943 AAA program.

The additions which were announced at the southern region conference, Memphis, Tenn., where Food for Freedom goals also were explained, draft all cropland for war duty.

Explaining the first addition, B. F. Vance, administrative officer of the AAA in Texas, said that essential feed crops over and above the acreage normally planted on a farm could be substituted acre for acre for cotton in meeting the 90 per cent requirement.

Crops already designated as essential feed crops include corn, oats, grain sorghums, tame hay and certain vegetables.

According to previous explanations, the only crops which could be substituted acre for acre for cotton in meeting the requirement were peanuts for oil, soybeans, for beans, flaxseed, dry beans, sugar crops, hemp castor beans, Sea Island and SXP cotton and designated winter cover crop seeds.

In addition to substituting essential feed crops for cotton the entire acreage of warcrops also may be substituted on a per acre basis, Vance explained.

## Dates Changed On Weaver Green House Opening

Due to bad weather conditions the open house dates for the Weaver Green House have been changed to Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

Souvenirs will be given to all visitors who attend the opening between the hours of 10 a. m. and 6 p. m., for the three days.

## Lamesa Students Members Tech Honor Society

Bruce F. Moore and Lois Ratliffe Smith of Lamesa are among the 84 students at Texas Technological college chosen for membership in Alpha Chi, national scholarship society. Qualifications for membership include scholastic rating in the upper ten per cent of the junior and senior classes, and outstanding qualities for leadership.

Bruce, a junior civil engineer, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Moore, Route B. Lois is a junior physical education major and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Smith.

### COLLINS TO BE CLOSED FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

According to information released today by W. B. Collins, Collins Dry Goods Company, will remain closed Friday and Saturday of this week in observance of Christmas

Citizens requiring gasoline for emergencies may secure this additional gas by signing Form- R-555 at any filling station, reports members of the Gasoline Panel of the Dawson County War Price and Rationing Board.

According to information the local board has received from state officials concerning this, "Form R-555 will be permitted for consumers only to meet an emergency, involving serious threat to life, health or valuable property." This form can no longer be used for truck, fleet or official users, and will be used only in case of emergencies. Board members state that in case of deaths or serious illness, it is not necessary to contact ration board members, but proof of illness or death may be presented to filling stations and gas may be bought.

The public is asked to keep in mind that the Dawson County War Price and Rationing Board will close each Saturday at 12 o'clock, noon, and any business, any one may have with the board, please see them during this week days.

## Funeral Services For Weldon Scott Held Sunday

Funeral services for Weldon L. Scott, 23, were held Sunday, December 20, in the Methodist Church at Sparenberg, with Rev. E. D. Landreth and Rec. Cecil Tune officiating. Burial was made in the Lamesa Cemetery.

Young Scott died in Los Angeles, California, on December 15. He was employed as a machinist in a Los Angeles Defense plant. He formerly lived at Ackerly, and is the son of Homer Scott.

The process of rope making was known to nearly all primitive peoples.

and to give a much needed rest to personnel.

## R. L. Brewer Makes Rapid Fire Sale

R. L. Brewer, energetic farmer, who lives 5 miles south and east of Patricia, reports a rapid fire sale on a combine advertised in the last Friday issue of the Courier. Mr. Brewer paid for the ad to run two weeks but expressed himself as being well satisfied with the results obtained from one issue.

To all skeptics and doubters in regard to the value of Courier Classified advertising we pass on the following information: The man who bought the combine lives in Seagraves and is not a subscriber of the Courier but is fortunate in that he has a neighbor who is. Taking into consideration the rapid fire results obtained in this case and the distance involved, 65 miles from buyer to seller, the Courier believes that it really has something to crow about.

Try Courier Want Ads and learn for yourself.

## COOPERATING IN BOND ADS FOR THIS MONTH

A list containing the names of firms and individuals, who are cooperating in the Treasury Departments War Bond Stamp program, will be published in this space each issue of the Courier.

A special series of advertisements, encouraging the sale of War Bonds and Stamps, has been prepared by the Treasury Department and will be offered for sale by the Courier each week.

The following list includes those who have purchased War Bond and Stamp advertising this month:

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|---------------------------|----------------------------|
| Hurt's                    | Barney McKinney Appliance  |
| Lamesa Creamery           | Dal-Paso Hotel             |
| M. Q. Martin—Insurance    | Rogers Studio              |
| Lamesa National Bank      | Roy's Cafe                 |
| Clark-McDonald Drug       | E. R. Yates                |
| Cavern Cafe               | Adams Jewelry              |
| O. H. Morris & Son        | W. H. Strange & Son        |
| Bryant-Link Co.           | Firestone Feed and Poultry |
| J. C. Penney Co.          | Davis Furniture Co.        |
| Forrest Lumber Co.        | Miller Tire Company        |
| Painter & Mayfield        | Hull's Cash Grocery        |
| Piggly Wiggly             | Farmers Food Way           |
| Boyd Motor Co.            | Whitehead Laundry          |
| Cicero Smith Lumber Co.   | Jordan's Trucking Co.      |
| Boone Drug                | Hudgens Grocery            |
| Dyer Hdw. & Auto Supply   | V. O. Key                  |
| Globe Dry Cleaners        | Richardson's Stores        |
| Kenneth Cox Implement Co. | Rubys Beauty Shop          |

## Closing Date Announced On Small Grain Loans

Small grain farmers of Texas have until December 31 to obtain loans on this year's crop.

According to P. C. Colgin, AAA commodity loan supervisor, applications for loans on wheat, barley and rye will not be taken after the closing date.

He explained that producers' notes, secured by chattel mortgages or warehouse receipts, must be dated on or before the deadline date and that

loan papers showing local agencies as payee should be presented for payment prior to January 1, 1943.

Loan papers mailed to Commodity Credit Corporation for payment must be postmarked prior to the closing date.

Notes secured by farm stored wheat will mature on demand but not later than April 30, 1944 and notes secured by barley and rye stored on farms and notes secured by warehouse receipts representing wheat, barley and rye will mature on demand, but not later than April 30, 1943. All loans bear interest at the rate of 3 per cent per annum, Colgin said.

At the same time, he called attention to the closing date on small grain loans, Colgin pointed out that

## Hog Production Goal Increased

The 1943 hog call is for more and fatter hogs—15 per cent more and each one 10 pounds heavier.

Recent war developments have made it necessary for Secretary of Agriculture Wickard to up the 1943 hog goal to a 15 per cent increase in farrowing over 1942's record crop. Previously the Secretary had asked for an increase of 10 per cent.

At that time, he reiterated his requests that growers market their hogs with at least 10 pounds more weight on them and that they plan farrowings so as to result in orderly marketings.

Although the Texas pork production goal has not yet been announced, B. F. Vance, Texas USDA War Board chairman, said that Texas growers would be asked to produce their share of the increase being asked.

According to Secretary Wickard's announcement, the Agricultural Marketing Administration will support prices of hogs so as to insure growers a price level of \$13.25 average, Chicago basis, for Good and Choice grade butcher hogs weighing 240 to 270 pounds, until the fall of 1944.

The coastline of British Columbia has numerous fjords where large steamers may go between mountains as far as 10 miles inland.

grain sorghum loans still are being taken throughout the grain sorghum area. Closing date for this type loan has been set for January 31, 1943.

Up to the present time, loans already have been made on 11,067,194 bushels of farm stored wheat and 20,611,072 bushels of warehouse stored wheat. Other loans include 37,782 bushels of farm stored barley and 2,169 bushels of warehouse stored barley, and 2,654 bushels of farm stored rye.



ONE 53 PIECE SET HAVILAND CHINA, ROSALINDE PATTERN **69.75**

ROCK SHARPE CRYSTAL, BADEN PATTERN—EACH **1.25**

16 PIECE DESERT ROSE, FRANCISCAN POTTERY, SPECIAL **9.50**

7 PIECE BEVERAGE SET IN DESERT ROSE AND WILD FLOWER POTTERY, SPECIAL **5.50**

MICROSCOPE SETS **2.95 and 3.95**

**PYREX WARE**  
COMPLETE ASSORTMENT

**ELECTRIC CLOCKS**

JUST THE GIFT FOR HER—

**CORY COFFEE MAKERS**

**E. R. YATES**  
**HARDWARE**

## PENNEY'S LAST MINUTE Gift Guide

WE'LL REMEMBER THIS CHRISTMAS!

War-time Christmases live in the memory long after the happy, carefree ones have been forgotten. But we must not let the radiance of Christmas be dimmed... for such joyous occasions are among the things we are fighting for!

There must be generous giving... but no gift should be extravagant.

For our Gift of Gifts is the Victory we are all working for... and that means uninterrupted buying of War Bonds, no matter at what sacrifice!

For Every Lady On Your List!

**SLIPS CYNTHIA\***  
Perfect Gifts  
**1.29**

Choose a smartly tailored style, or one lavishly trimmed with lace. 32 to 44.

**For The Younger Folks!**  
Girl's Attractive **BLOUSES** 69c  
Poplin Sport **JACKETS** 2.98  
Gay Cotton **DRESSES** 1.98  
Boys' Dress **SHIRTS**, fast color 98c  
Sport **SWEATERS**, two-tone 1.98  
**MELTON JACKETS** 2.82  
Fine **SUITS**, two-piece models 10.90

**Everything For Baby!**  
Cute Slipover **SWEATERS** 98c  
Tiny **BONNETS** and **CAPS** 67c  
**SWEATER SETS** 1.19

**Gifts For The Home Too!**  
**LACE TABLE CLOTH** 2.98  
Cherry Prints on Cotton 3.98  
Colonial **BEDSPREADS** 2.98

**WOMEN'S SLIPPERS**  
**1.34**

Quilted rayon crepe, trimmed with rayon satin!

His Preference **EVERETTS Felt** **1.89**

ON CHRISTMAS DAY IT'S GOOD TO KNOW "IT'S PAID FOR"

Lovely Feminine Gifts!

Full-Fashioned Rayon **HOSIERY** 98c  
Colorful All Wool **SLIPOVERS** 1.98  
Printed Rayon **HOUSECOATS** 3.98  
Rayon Satin **GOWNS** 2.98  
**SLIPS**, trimmed or tailored 1.29  
Adonna Rayon Knit **PANTIES** 49c  
Smart, Rayon Satin **SCARFS** 59c  
Rayon **BLOUSES**, tailored 1.29  
Cotton Poplin **SPORT JACKETS** 2.98  
Smart Mirra-Line\* **DRESSES** 4.98  
\*Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.

Towncraft\* **SHIRTS** **1.65**

Smooth weave, proportionate sizes and Sanforized! New 1943 patterns, all woven-in!

**What To Get For Him!**  
Marathon\* **HATS**, fur felt 3.98  
Towncraft\* **SUSPENDERS** 49c  
Leather **BELTS** 98c  
Towncraft\* **BILFOLDS** 1.98  
**TIES**, in newest 1943 patterns 49c

Sanforized means fabric shrinkage will not exceed 1%.

## VICTORY SERVICE LEAGUE

JOIN NOW AND MAKE YOUR CAR LAST LONGER

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Come in NOW and sign up for the VSL, and get your hand book on how to make your car last longer:—

CONSISTENT AND PROPER LUBRICATION—

IMPORTANT THINGS THAT KEEP YOUR CAR GOING—

ADJUSTMENT OF THE MANY DIFFERENT PARTS—

ANTI-FREEZE AND THE COOLING SYSTEM—

STRETCH YOUR TIRE MILEAGE—

BETTER AND SAFER DRIVING HABITS—

KEEPING YOUR CAR CLEAN—INSIDE AND OUT—

All of this and more information, also, will be found in your guide book. Ask us about the VICTORY SERVICE LEAGUE.



**VAUGHN CHEVROLET**

## Miss Mattie Moore Becomes Bride Of Sgt. Wallace Wayne Henry Friday

The marriage of Miss Mattie Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Moore of Bonham, Texas, to Sgt. Wallace Wayne Henry, of the Midland Flying School took place Friday evening at 8 o'clock, at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Bill Holder.

Rev. E. F. Cole, pastor of the First Baptist Church read the impressive double ring ceremony in the presence of relatives and a few intimate friends.

The bride wore a beige wool Gardardine suit with British tan accessories and a corsage of pink and white carnations.

Mrs. Holder, sister of the bride attended as matron of honor.

Immediately after the wedding the couple left on a short wedding trip after which they will make their home in Midland.

### MRS. J. H. HARP HOSTESS TO B. W. B. C. AT YULE PARTY

Mrs. J. H. Harp entertained Friday evening at her home for members and guests of the Business Women's Bible Class of the First Baptist Church with a Christmas party.

After a Christmas box was packed gifts were exchanged.

A delicious salad plate was served to Misses Marie McDonald, Evelyn Barron, Myrtle Henderson, Jessie Norris, Bernice Gilmore, Faye Cowden, Ruth Merrick, Tamzy McCarty, Bess Churchwell, Juanita Flenniken, Opal Hollingshead, Laurell Frazier, Mrs. Weldon Lindsey and the hostess, Mrs. Harp.

### MRS. W. J. SMITH, JR., COMPLIMENTED WITH SHOWER

Complimenting Mrs. W. J. Smith, Jr., a recent bride, Mesdames Joe English, Blaine Wiggins, Boyd Echols, Walter Smith, Elmer Cope, Carl Peterson and L. P. Houston entertained recently with a miscellaneous shower at the Lamesa Country Club.

The Christmas motif was carried out in the decorations and refreshments. The serving table was laid with a lace cloth and centered with an arrangement of holly on a large reflector. Tall white tapers on either side lighted the table. Presiding at the table during the evening were Miss Joe Ann Spencer, Miss Jo Ann Yates and Miss James Hoffman.

Musical numbers were given during the evening by Mrs. Davie Jones, Miss Spencer, Miss Yates and Miss Hoffman.

About 40 guests attended.

### MISS HAZEL CAMP TAKES VOWS WITH ELWOOD WRIGHT

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Camp announces the marriage of their daughter Miss Hazel Camp to Mr. Elwood Wright of Lubbock, Texas.

The marriage took place Sunday at Clovis, New Mexico.

Mrs. Wright is a graduate of the Lamesa High School, and is attending Tech, where she is a senior. Mr. Wright is employed by the government and is located at Lubbock.

### MRS. J. R. LEUENBERGER HOSTESS TO 42 CLUB THURSDAY

Mrs. J. R. Leuenberger was hostess Thursday to members of the Thursday 42 Club at their Annual Christmas Party.

After games of 42 were enjoyed gifts were exchanged. Refreshments of red and green sandwiches, fruit cake and coffee was served.

Those attending were Mesdames, Bill White, A. H. Smith, Lee Billingsley, Ross Gibson, Ray Williams, Irvin Wright, Walter Jones and Dee Hull.

### GEORGE ROBERTSON HONORED ON 9TH BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Scott Robertson honored her son, George on his 9th birthday with a party at their home recently.

During the afternoon various games were enjoyed after which refreshments were served to the guests.

Those attending were Flora Jane Leuenberger, Jo Anna Corbett, Katherine Baldwin, Bonnie Blackwood, Betty Sue Bizzell, La Vena and La Vora Martin, Ramona McCarley, Dorothy, Mertie Lucell, Oleta, Jimmy and Francis Williams, Betty Miller, Joerene Blakey, Patricia Ann Pope, Jimmie Sue Pope, Billie Ruth Pope, Billie Kidd, Wilma Lee Robertson, Royce Dyer, Marshall Crawford, Lenial Kidd, Patrick O'Neal, Eldon and Don Tyra, Charles Miller, Jerry Clyde Pope, David Cathy, Wayne and Dwane Davis and George Robertson.

### P. S.—HE WASN'T HUNTING FOR A JOB

DENVER (AP) — Gov-Elect John C. Vivian of Colorado returned to his suburban home and found a man with both arms buried to the elbow in the contents of a dresser drawer. The governor grabbed and held the fellow until police, summoned by Mrs. Vivian, arrived. "I heard the fellow who owned this house had gone away to take a new job so I just thought I'd look around," said the intruder.

### ALLERGIC TO KHAKI

LONDON (AP) — James Dodds, known as the "Man who can't wear Khaki," has been honorably discharged from the Royal Marines. Able-bodied and fit, he developed chronic dermatitis after serving more than two years and doctors recommended his discharge.

Miss Georgia Mae Williams, a teacher at Ozona, is spending the Christmas holidays here visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Williams.

New Zealand's famous pink and white terraces were blown up by a volcano in 1886.

## PILES Oh!! How They Pained and Itched!

Then this DOCTORS' Ointment Gave Relief That Amazed Him!

"I was positively amazed at the relief of pain and itching of piles when I changed to your ointment." — Lester Whaley, Hiawatha, Kans. That's what may be expected from Thornton & Minor's Rectal Ointment. It's used adjunctively by DOCTORS, at noted Thornton & Minor Clinic. For quick relief of pain, itching, soreness of piles, fissures, rectal irritations; simple, non-surgical cases. Get a tube today (with pile pipe, cover). If not delighted your money back.

MORRIS PHARMACY

## OF ALL YEARS GIVE PRACTICAL GIFTS THIS YEAR

Last Minute Suggestions For The Entire Family

That long waited for New Radio  
A New Wincharger, Lights, and Radio  
New Gas or Oil Heater for the home  
New Bath Room Heater (who doesn't need one)  
One or more nice Linoleum Rugs  
Set Pretty Dishes  
Beautiful and Useful Carving Set  
Just a good Butcher Knife or Kitchen Saw  
A good Car Heater, Radio, or nice Set of Seat Covers  
A good Hammer, Set of Tool, or that Hand Saw he has been needing so long, but is too tight to buy.  
A good Motor Driven Pump for the car or Tractor  
A New Cream Separator that will make money for the whole family.

Fine Cory Coffee Maker  
New Toaster or Roaster  
New General Electric Clock  
General Electric Warming Pad  
New Auto Horn or Spot Light  
New Electric Fencers  
That New Garden Plow he has been wanting  
That extra Section Garden Hose to help beautify the yard.  
A new Lawn Mower and Grass Shears  
A lot of New Pittsburgh Paint and Brushes and make him paint the house, fences, and barns  
That new Lantern he needs so often  
A dandy Porch Swing while available  
That New Ice Cream Freezer you couldn't afford last summer  
Hundreds of other worthwhile and useful items, things the whole FAMILY will appreciate and enjoy.

OUR PRICES WILL PLEASE YOU, TOO

**Dyer Hardware & Auto Supply**  
"where your money buys more"

## PERSONALS

Mrs. B. C. Burk of Vernon is visiting here this week with her daughter, Mrs. H. B. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Bedwell of San Diego, California, are visiting here this week with relatives and friends.

Miss Dorothy Pool of Lubbock spent Friday here visiting with friends.

Miss Tinnie Marie Dyer of Baylor University, Waco, is spending the Christmas holidays here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Dyer.

J. D. Dyer, Jr., a student of the University of Texas, Austin, is spending the Christmas holidays here visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Dyer.

Mis Fern Toombs left Saturday for her home in Meadow, where she will spend the Christmas holidays visiting with relatives and friends.

Allen Barnard a student at Schreiner Institute, Kerrville, is spending the Christmas holidays here visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Barnard.



Remember your loved ones with Jewelry this year . . . a gift that is always appreciated and will last throughout the years.

We have a large stock of fine jewelry, crystal, and many other gifts that will please!

CAMBRIDGE CRYSTAL WARE in both Rose Point and Chantilly patterns. Reasonably priced.

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- LOCKETS
- EXPANSION WATCH BANDS
- LAPEL PINS
- CAMEOES
- SIMMONS WATCH CHAINS
- KEY CHAINS
- ELECTRIC CLOCKS
- IDENTIFICATION BRACELET
- MILITARY SETS
- BUCKLE AND TIE SETS
- MEN'S WEDDING BANDS
- BRACELETS
- RINGS
- MUSICAL POWDER BOX
- EAR SCREWS
- ANKLETS
- JEWELRY FOR THE INFANT
- ELECTRIC APPLIANCES
- DRESSER SETS
- COMPACTS



The Most Famous Name in Diamonds!  
Keepsake "ASHLEY" Matched Set

**ADAMS JEWELRY**

## NOW ON A CASH BASIS

Owing to various Government regulations we are forced to operate our business on a cash basis.

All credit business will be discontinued — beginning NOW. So, in the future, please don't embarrass us both by asking for credit.

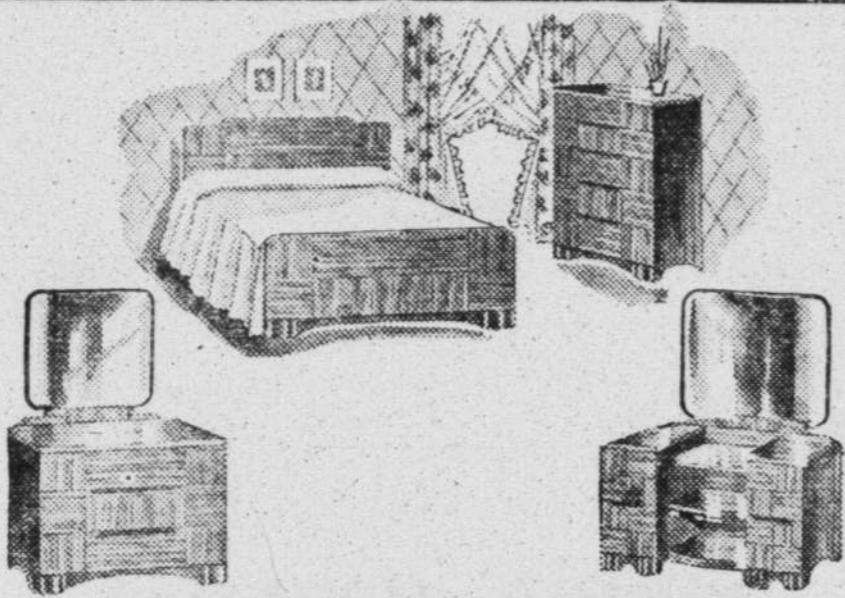
We have plenty of RING-FREE oil in quart cans

**EARNST & NIX IMPLEMENT CO.**

—BUY YOUR—  
**CHRISTMAS GIFTS**  
**AT A SAVING!**  
**at Dewey's**  
 Christmas Gifts Wrapped

Miss Geneva Sellers spent the week end at Lubbock visiting with friends.

Mrs. R. V. O'Neal of Ontario, California, is visiting here with her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Collum.



**BEDROOM SUITES**

Just received a big shipment of new Studio Couchs, Tables, Rocking Chairs, Mirrors, Rugs, Cabinets and Bedroom Suits. Come in and make your selection early.

**SPECK FURNITURE**

SOUTH SIDE SQUARE

**Flying In Two Wars Has Vast Difference**

(Editor's note: A flying officer in World War I, Major David Backus is an intelligence officer in this one. In between, he was in Hollywood twenty years selling real estate. In this article he contrasts the flying methods of the two wars. He won the American D. S. C. and the French Croix de guerre in World War I.)

By MAJOR DAVID BACKUS  
 (as told to E. C. Daniel)  
 (AP) Features

LONDON — Youngsters in the Army these days call fellows like me "retreads." So from the point of view of a "retread" I write about flying in the 1914-18 war and in this one.

From what British, Polish and American fighter pilots tell me, the principles are very little different. They say these facts still hold true:

First: The most important thing in pursuit flying is recognition—the ability to recognize your enemies and your friends quickly and accurately.

Quick recognition is the difference between being alive and not. The pilot who recognizes the enemy

first can get into position for the kill.

Second in importance in a fighter pilot is expert marksmanship. And that is a tricky business these days when planes are maneuvering at 300 to 350 miles an hour or more. You have to learn to shoot, not always where your enemy is, but where he is going to be.

In this war planes are much more heavily armed than in the last. On the Spad 220s we flew in France we had two Vickers .30 caliber guns on top of the fuselage. Now a Spitfire mounts two cannons and four machine-guns. A World War bomber carried a maximum of three machine guns. A Flying Fortress mounts thirteen.

The least important thing in fighter flying, the pilots tell me— and

it was true in 1918— is actually handling the plane itself.

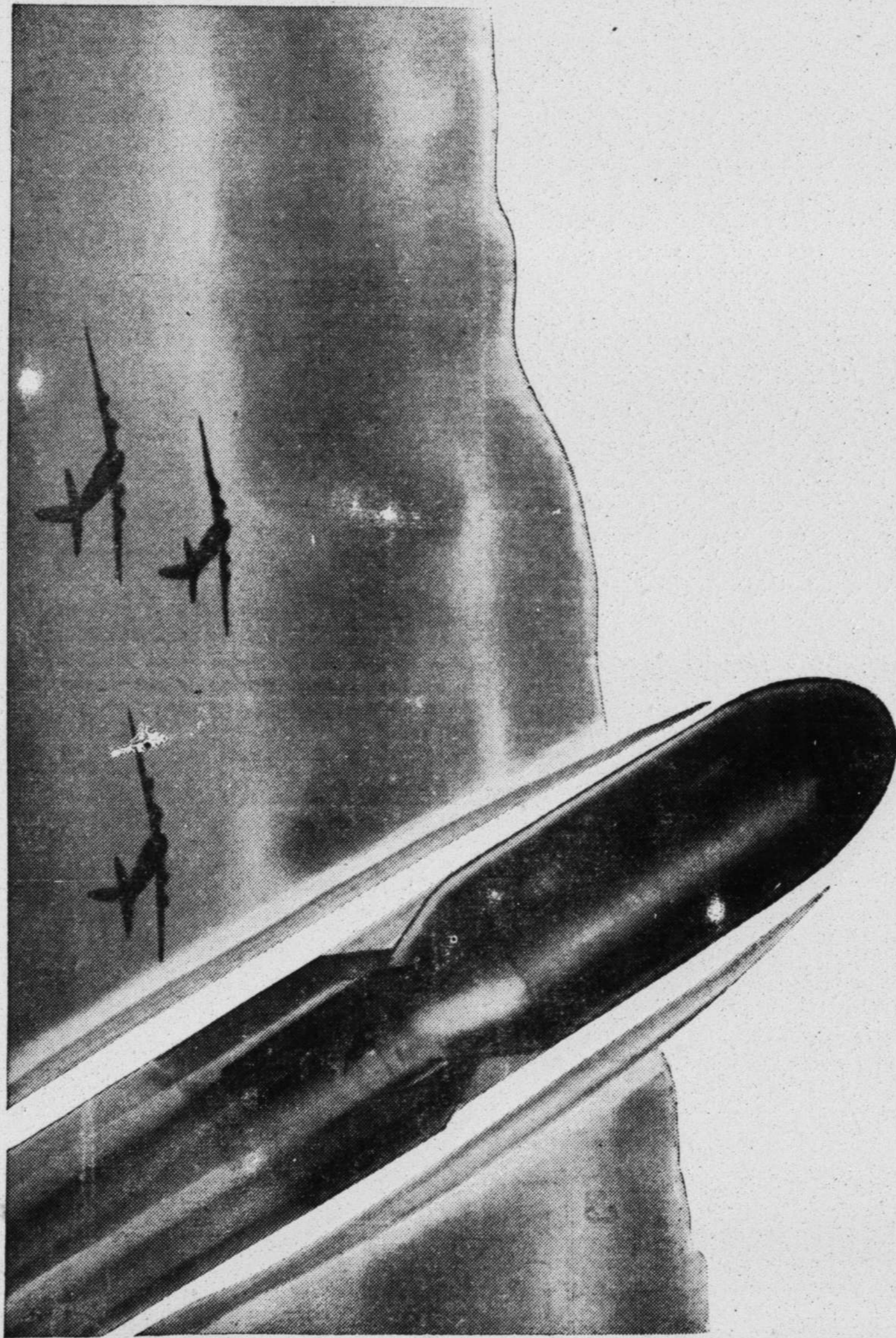
Of course, a fighter pilot must be young and healthy. Fighter planes fly at terrific speed, and only a hardy constitution can stand the pace. Eighteen to 25 are the perfect ages for fighter pilots. I was 24 when I was flying in France.

Mrs. W. M. Yates, and daughter, Jo Ann and Jo Ann Spencer, spent Sunday in Lubbock visiting with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Aycock of Shamrock spent Sunday here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Quinton Collins.

Lt. and Mrs. Will Morris of Lubbock spent Sunday here visiting with relatives and friends.

**NEW VACUUM CLEANERS**  
 Displayed At—  
**TEXAS ELECTRIC SERVICE CO.**



**SEND A LITTLE REMEMBRANCE TO MR. HITLER**

And don't leave out his pals, Tojo and Mussolini. They've been dishing it out for three years now. It's about time they were learning what it's like.

Learning what it's like to crawl into the underground in London . . . what it's like to cringe in terror in Chungking.

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So start putting aside at least 10 percent of your income in War Bonds today—and do it every pay day.

*It's worth it!*

# Good Citizens Jane Todd, Govnt's Housekeeper

By ADELAIDE KERR  
(AP) Features Writer

Jane Todd went into politics before women got the vote because the men in her family could not tell why they fought a change in New York's state charter.

"A woman would know why," she said. "If you can't do a better job than that, I'm going to work for woman's suffrage."

Since then she has become Vice Chairman of the New York State Republican Committee, state Assemblywoman, and mother of some

of New York's most important legislation concerning women.

She has just received the American Woman's Association 1942 Award for Eminent Achievement, bestowed for good citizenship and for her work in bringing women into politics.

She is my nomination for the Woman of the Month.

Smiling, friendly Jane Todd thinks there is both need and opportunity for women in politics.

"Women have a much less selfish approach to politics than men," she says. "The average woman goes into politics because of what she thinks she can give, not for what she can get. Women are patient. They are willing to stick at something which they believe in until they get through. They are willing to do the little job in politics which makes

for bigger things in the end. There are a lot of little housekeeping jobs in state government — like the journal clerk's for instance — which women are eminently fitted to do. Besides that, we need women in politics — particularly in the state legislatures — because we need a woman's point of view. I'm often asked for the woman's point of view."

Jane Todd's handclasp is firm as a man's. But voice, smile and manner are those of a well-poised woman. She dresses in quiet clothes, often touched with blue to match her eyes.

Her political life began after she had filled a good daughter role in a motherless family. She was born in Tarrytown, N. Y. (where she still lives) of a family of ministers and doctors. When the mother died she left school to run the house for a time and then went back to Castle school and was graduated.

After she did her bit to win woman suffrage, she was appointed Republican committee - woman in the third election district, Tarrytown. Since then she has made a steady climb — Republican vice chairman of township, county and state. She has been a delegate to every state convention since 1920 and delegate to the national convention of 1932, '36 and '40. She has served in the state legislature since 1934 and now is chairman of the Republican Conference committee, presiding over

more than 80 men.

She can chalk up all this legislation to her credit:

The Hasty Marriage Bill, putting a stop to Gretna Green ceremonies and requiring a waiting period between the issuance of the license and ceremony. A bill giving the women the right to do factory work at night during the war. And a housing bill which allowed towns, counties and villages to create their own commissions for

bettering housing conditions. She was also influential in passing legislation which extended the age of juvenile delinquency to 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Lane of Pleasant Valley spent the week end here visiting with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Clyde Bailey spent the week end at Sweetwater visiting with her husband.

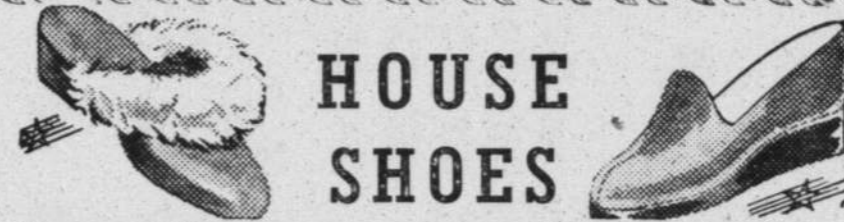
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## Is Your Driver's License Here?



If you wonder why you haven't received your new driver's license here is the reason. About 300,000 applications for renewals have piled up in the license division of the Texas Safety Department because too many drivers waited until November 1 to apply for renewals. License Division Chief J. B. Draper and employees scan some of the applications which cannot be check, validated and mailed before January 1. The vault in the background is stacked full too.

### Poliomyelitis Data Given By Dr. Geo. W. Cox

The appearance of scattered cases of poliomyelitis in one or two Texas communities has resulted in considerable apprehension and a request for the closing of certain schools.

According to the State Health Department, closing schools has very little effect on the control of this disease. In a community recently studied, there were 22 cases reported, only nine of which were of school age, and these nine represented several different schools. This record does not point in any way to the school as a source of infection.

To inform the public on the best

procedure to follow when poliomyelitis is suspected, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, has issued the following statement.

"All suspected cases should be reported immediately to the county health officer and isolated for a minimum of 14 days. Concurrent and terminal disinfection should be employed as in typhoid. It might be well to hospitalize the patient and good medical care is imperative.

"Except for the attendant, members of the family should stay away from the patient. The wage earner, unless employed with food handling, should be free to continue his work. Preschool children in the family should be greatly restricted if not entirely excluded from community activity.

"School children should be observed for signs of upper respiratory infection or fever. Upon the appearance of such symptoms, they should be excluded from school until a definite diagnosis is made. Children as well as adults should avoid overactivity to the point of fatigue. Maintain nutrition at the best possible level and be sure to get plenty of fresh air and sunshine."

### CENSOR PROVES HE'S NO DOPE

TULSA, Okla. (AP) — A Tulsa soldier, on foreign duty, was annoyed at the censor who inspected his letters. He sent the folks at home a snapshot taken of him on a village street, with crowds around. "The dumb looking dope you see behind he is the censor," he wrote on the back. "No it isn't—the Censor." was written below the first message, in different handwriting

### CROW FOR BEEF

TULSA, Okla. (AP) — Worried about meat rationing? Well, says Dr. T. W. Stallings of Tulsa, you needn't be. There are enough cows in the United States to fill the gap caused by a temporary beef and pork crisis, he says, and he adds: "Eating crow is not bad at all. In fact, young crows are swell eating."

Employees of Class I railroads in the United States number about 1,400,000.

### PEER'S LOST TOE RECALLED BY MEMORIAL

GRAVESEND, England (AP)—In Cobham park stands Britain's quaintest monument — recalling a peer's lost toe. On that spot 107 years ago the Earl of Darnley became dissatisfied with the way a woodcutter was wielding an axe. The Earl took the axe and lunged at the tree, but the blade struck a glancing blow and severed one of his toes.

A few days later the Earl died of blood poisoning from the injury and the monument — a family mausoleum which has never been used — was erected on the spot in his memory.

Dorman Sears, a student of the University of Texas, Austin, is spend

ing the Christmas holidays here visiting with his mother, Mrs. John Allen.

Midshipman Bob Crawley, of Annapolis, Maryland, is spending the Christmas holidays here visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Crawley.

Miss Juana Jean Cox, a student at the University of Texas, is spending the Christmas holidays here visiting with her mother, Mrs. Bryan Cox.

Miss Margureita Flaniken, who teaches in the Ozona schools is spending the Christmas holidays visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Flaniken.

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FOR SALE: 160 acre farm northwest Lamesa, near Fairview. All in cultivation. Bargain, \$32.50 acre. 177 acre farm southwest Lamesa, poor improvements, \$13.50 acre. Dot Bowman, care B. F. Reeves, Brownfield, Texas, Rt. 5. 98-99 pd

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FOR SALE: Some good young mares and horses. John C. Barron, Rt. 1. 96 tfc.

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FOR SALE: 37 Ford Pickup. Kelley Implement Co. 96 tfc.

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FOR SALE: One used 6 foot Frigidaire, excellent condition. Call 907-F4 or see Webb Randle at Joe Greens. 91-100 pd

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WANTED to buy two wheel trailer with 16 inch tires. Jasper White, Klondike Community. 99-100 pd

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## Special Services At Lutheran Church, Dec. 23

A Candlelight service will be held at the Lamesa Lutheran Church on December 23, beginning at 7:30. Singing of Christmas Carols will be interspersed by recitations by children of the Sunday School. Parts of the Christmas Story pantomime is being planned.

The Lutheran Church is located at the corner of South 5th and Katherine Streets.

### MID-NIGHT MASS AT ST. MARGARET-MARYS CHURCH

St. Margaret-Mary's Catholic Church will hold special mid-night Mass, on December 24, 1942. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Rev. M. E. McMahon, C. S. P.

According to a telegram received Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Collins from their son, Corp. Dick Collins, he will spend the Christmas holidays at home, arriving sometime Tuesday.

## Some Items Of Farm Machinery Not Now Rationed

Removal of a number of items from the list of "frozen" farm machinery has been announced by the Texas USDA War Board.

Included on the list of "thawed-out" machinery were such implements as poultry feeders, cattle stanchions and fittings, butter molds, hand water pumps, hand feed grinders and crushers, hand transplanters, and hand sprayers. All but thirteen items in Schedule II of Temporary Rationing Order B were removed from the "frozen" list.

The thirteen items still remaining on Schedule II are: one row, one horse corn planters; one row, one horse corn and cotton planters; one row, two horse corn and cotton planters; endgate broadcast seeders;

horse and tractor drawn garden planters; walking, one horse steel bottom moldboard plows; walking, one horse, chilled bottom moldboard plows; walking, two horse and larger moldboard plows; stalk cutters; one horse, cultivators all-types) one row, walking, two horse cultivators; one row, riding, two horse cultivators; and two row and over, riding, cultivators.

The board declared that distributors and manufacturers may now make or accept transfers of the released items and dealers may replenish their stocks provided they are within any WPB or OPA regulations, or the manufacturing quotas of Conservation Order L-170.

Earnest Gambill spent Sunday in San Angelo attending to business.

Miss Addie Ruth Fulkerson of T. C. U., Fort Worth, is spending the Christmas holidays here visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Fulkerson.

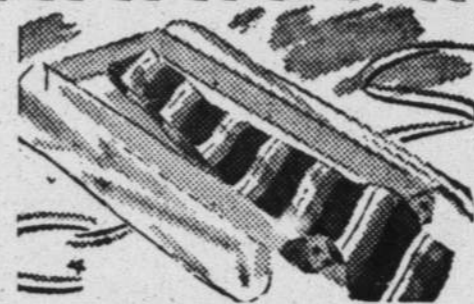
Miss Helen Franklin, who is stationed in Des Moines, Iowa, with the WAAC is visiting here this week with relatives and friends.

Wright Grant Boyd and Malcolm Harp spent Monday in Lubbock visiting with friends.

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- STETSON GLOVES
- MANY OTHER LOVELY GIFTS

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- KUPPENHEIMER SUITS AND TOP COATS
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- MANHATTAN AND WILSON BROTHERS SHIRTS
- BELTS, SUSPENDERS AND GARTERS BY HICKOK
- WESTMINISTER SOCKS
- LEATHER COATS AND JACKETS BY SCULLY. "IMPROVED" AND "TOWN AND COUNTRY"
- TRANS-ATLANTIC AND H. & M. LUGGAGE
- STETSON GLOVES
- DOBBS—STETSON AND RESISTOL HATS
- FREEMAN SHOES
- SMITH SHOES
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