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Sgt. Cecil Gardner, son of Mrs. J. A. Gardner, who resides 2 1-2 miles west of Key is a veteran of overseas service having served in Italy and North Africa for a period of 2 1-2 years. He returned to the States on April 8, of this year and is currently stationed at Camp Claiborne, Louisiana. Sergeant Gardner entered the service three years ago and received his training at Ft. Sill, in Missouri and Pennsylvania. A former student of the school in McCarty he was employed at the local AAA office prior to entering the service. His wife is Mrs. Dorothy Gardner who is now with him in Louisiana. He has two brothers in service, and one who has been killed.

Officials Have Information On Courses For Vets

Returning veterans can receive information concerning special courses in practical agriculture which are open at A. and M. College for ex-service men from local officials. Bulletins containing information about the courses have been sent to the county home demonstration agent, county supervisor of the farm security administration, the county veterans service officer, and to chairman of the county veterans advisory committee, as well as the county agent.

The special courses were set up in response to the interest of large numbers of ex-service men in courses which do not lead to a degree, it is reported, and this training is available through these courses to many men who are unable to meet the usual college entrance requirements. They also provide an opportunity for ex-service men to receive retraining or refresh work in agriculture.

County Agent T. A. Barfield stated that these courses were set up in connection with the G. I. Bill of Rights.

Sept. 25 Is Date Set For Auction Sale At V. H. Derington Farm

V. H. Derington will have a farm auction sale Tuesday, September 25, at 2 p. m., at his place located 1 mile south of Guitar Gin, or 6 miles south of Sparenberg.

Col. Houston Glasson will serve as auctioneer at the event, and will offer for sale various farm implements, poultry and equipment, livestock, and household goods, among other items.

Derington is staging the auction sale, because ill health has made a change in climate necessary.

Florence Nightingale was called the "angel of the Crimea."

Tornado - Lobo Game Ended In A Scoreless Tie

The Lamesa Golden Tornadoes blasted the lid off the current football season Friday night when they encountered the Levelland Lobos on the local field. The game ended in a scoreless tie.

Levelland's Lobos, which is in class A fought the favored Tornadoes all the way, in a game that gave spectators thrill after thrill as the game progressed.

Passing and punting of both, the Lobos and Tornadoes was far below par.

The statistics of the game reveal that Levelland led the locals in first downs 10 to 8 and also led on the ground by a small margin of 120 yards to the home team's 13. Lobos also, excelled in the air by amassing 43 yards, while the Lamesa eleven gained 23 yards.

A noticeable factor in the game, is the fact that neither of the teams were able to penetrate the oppositions 20-yard line.

Looming in the limelight for the first gridiron battle was Patterson and Nieman, who filled positions in the Golden Tornado backfield.

In the foray linemen leading the attack were Hoover, Matlock, Fortenberry and Eudy.

Outstanding men for the Lobos were Percy at left half, Garrison in the fullback slot, Williams at right half and Claridy, a big tackle in line play.

The Tornadoes will meet the Brownfield Cubs, September 21, on the Cubs home field.

Coaches of the local team will be hard at work during the coming week to remedy mistakes and errors that showed up in last Friday's game, and are hopeful of putting a much improved "II" on the gridiron in Brownfield next Friday night, September 21st.

Principal Roberts Spoke At Last Lions Club Meet

"Elementary Education," was the topic for discussion at the Lions Club meeting which was held Thursday, September 13, at the Plaza Hotel. Lamesa Elementary School Principal, G. M. Roberts gave the discussion, stressing the importance of reading, and bringing out helpful pointers to improve reading.

His talk was reported to have been most informative and enjoyable.

Vernon Adcock, veteran of World War II, was welcomed back into the club at the Thursday session.

Guests present for the meeting included Mr. Spain of the Employment Service, Rev. Ralph Underwood, and Lion McDonald of Midland who announced that Midland planned to have a carnival in the near future. McDonald stated that it was the intentions of the Midland group to have a Lamesa night at the event.

IT'S A FREE RIVER

LONDON (AP) — The Thames is a free waterway again to small passenger and pleasure craft and rowing boats. Permits are no longer required to navigate these craft in the river.



Another of Mrs. J. A. Gardner's sons in service is Pfc. Marvin O. Gardner, who is now stationed on the Philippines, where he is a member of the 185th Infantry Division. He has been overseas 3 years, during which time he has been on Hawaii and the Philippines. He entered service 3 1-2 years ago, receiving his training at Camp Hahn, California. Pfc. Gardner attended the McCarty School and prior to joining the service was farming near Dalhart. His brothers are T-5 Carl D. Gardner, who is now at Ashburn Hospital, after returning from duty in India and Burma, and Sgt. Cecil Gardner. Another Brother, Cpl. Fred Gardner, was killed overseas while serving with the Infantry.

Classes To Train Store Personnel To Open Tonight

Organizational plans for a training program for store supervisors, managers and department heads, and all who train employees were completed at a merchants meeting held this morning (Monday, September 17) at the Chamber of Commerce office at 10 a. m. The meeting was directed by Miss Gertrude Prince of the extension division of the University of Texas who will conduct the training classes for store personnel in this city.

Miss Prince states that the training program for store supervisors, managers, and department heads and all who train employees will begin this evening (Monday) at 8 p. m. The enrollment for the class is limited to 15 members, and the first meeting will be held at the Chamber of Commerce office.

Miss Prince also plans to conduct training classes for experienced and inexperienced personnel in wholesale, retail and service occupations while in Lamesa. It is her intentions to teach inexperienced salespeople to be better salespeople. The course will be offered to variety, drug and grocery store employees.

In another course she will teach experienced salespeople to be better professional salespeople, a course to benefit professional development in retail selling.

In still another course she will offer a helpful suggestion to store owners and managers in training their employees and in rendering a better business service. This course will cover two units. The first division of the course will be "How To Train An Employee," and the second will concern "How To Supervise Employees."

Miss Prince states that certificates will be issued to all who satisfactorily complete the course and have 80 per cent or more attendance for the courses in which they enroll.

Soil Conservation Board Sets Sept. 28 As Date For Electing Supervisors Here

War Films Were Shown At Friday Rotary Meeting

The Rotary Club program last Friday was brought by Eddie Darrell, who showed films of Air Corps training and actual combat experiences over Germany of American fliers. These were new pictures which only recently were released by the War Department and which were furnished for the local program by the Big Spring Army Air Field.

The films were very interesting. Visitors at the session included Rotarians Speck from Carlsbad, Childress from Brownwood, and Crouch from Plainview. Other guests were Harry Groce, Bert Leuerberger, and Miss Gertrude Prince from the University of Texas. V. Z. Rogers introduced Miss Prince and made announcements about the Salesmanship School which is being sponsored by local merchants. The school will open soon.

Johnnie T. Agee, member of the club who is now in the Armed Services, was a visitor Friday.

Plans For Cotton Meetings Made

L. E. Elwood, cotton specialist from A & M College and W. M. Williamson, district agent, visited in the local county agent's office Friday, September 21.

These officials discussed cotton improvement plans and Elwood reported that he will organize a series of meetings to be held in the plains area, at which the program of the United States Department of Cotton Improvement will be discussed.

Elwood plans to call some educational meetings for the Lamesa area, which he will hold here in February. While in this locality, he also plans to meet with the Dawson County Cotton Improvement Association.

County Health Nurse To Hold Clinic At The Ackerly School

Mrs. H. Randle of the County Health Office, reports that she will hold a clinic Thursday, September 20, at the Ackerly Schools. She states that it will open at 10 a. m.

The county health nurse reports that parents are invited to bring pre-school children to the clinic.

Four-H Club Meets Are Announced

County Agent T. A. Barfield and County Home Demonstration Agent Mrs. Myrtle Dickie Negy, will meet with several 4-H clubs this week.

The agents will meet with clubs in Sparenberg and Five Mile today (Monday, September 17) and with groups in Harmony and Dawson Tuesday.

Both boys and girls clubs will be organized at the sessions.

Profit by Shopping the Courier Way

It was announced this week that the State Soil Conservation Board has set a date for the election of supervisors for sub-divisions 1, 3 and 5 in Dawson County. The election will be held Saturday night, September 28, at 8 p. m.

The various points in the county where elections will be held have been designated also, according to an announcement received this week from T. A. Barfield, county agent.

He reports that the election for sub-division 1 will be held in Sparenberg School. Five Mile School has been designated as the point for the election in sub-division 3, and Union School will be the site of the election for sub-division 5.

All land owners and wives, or persons who have an equity in farm property in Dawson County will be eligible to meet and cast their votes in the sub-division in which they reside.

Sub-division 1 includes all that land in Dawson County lying between the Stanton and Snyder Highways. Forming sub-division 3 is that land in Dawson County which lies between the Lubbock and Brownfield Highway. Sub-division 5 includes all land lying between the Seminole and Stanton Highways.

The election for supervisors for sub-division 2 and 4 in this county was held several weeks ago in conformance with the State Soil Conservation law. Supervisors for these divisions were chosen at a county wide meeting of land owners. Ben Dopson was selected to serve as supervisor of sub-division 2, with Jack Broyles being chosen to fill the post of supervisor for sub-division 4.

H. Victor Carlisle of Los Angeles, California, visited in this city from September 2, to the 10th, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Carlisle.

The Courier Is My Shopping Guide



Pvt. Raydon Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Smith of this city, is currently receiving advanced Infantry training at Camp Hood where he has been stationed since June 26. Pvt. Smith is an outstanding rifleman, on one occasion having made 20 consecutive bullseyes, and wears the expert rifleman's medal. Pvt. Smith's wife and children, Johnny, who is 14 and Peggy who is 10, reside in this city at 709 South Main Street. Two of his brothers are also in service, including Pvt. Millard Ray Smith and Pvt. Robert Smith. A carpenter in this city prior to entering the service, Pvt. Raydon Smith is a former student of the Sparenberg School.

First 4-H Club For Liberty Organized

T. A. Barfield, county agent, organized a 4-H club for boys of the Liberty Community last week, and officers for the organization were elected to serve throughout the year.

This is the first boys 4-H club

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War Goes On The Shelf In U. S.

By W. G. ROGERS
AP Art Editor

WASHINGTON — The Historical Properties Section recently established in the office of the Army Headquarters Commandant may grow into this country's first real war museum.

Mementoes of previous wars have been saved, but in scattered places. There are several current movements by civilians and federal officials to organize a war museum, but the Army section appears to have the advantage.

Already entrusted to it are more

to have ever been set up in Liberty Community.

Selected to officer positions were the following boys: David Lee Barron, president; Burl E. Barron, vice president; Bennett Corley, secretary-treasurer; Jerry Shipley, game leader; and Kenneth Flowers, song leader.

Designated to serve as adult sponsor was Spencer Barron with Mrs. L. A. Montgomery being chosen to serve as teacher-sponsor.

Insurance Papers Mailed To Farmers From Branch Office

Officials of the local AAA office report that eighty-three farmers received certificates of indemnity for crop insurance last week. These documents should be signed and sent to the branch office in Colorado in order that farmers may get their payments on the insurance.

AAA officials state that more certificates for indemnity are being mailed to farmers currently, and request that they watch for them in the mails sign the documents and send them to the branch office in Colorado.

Work At Scout Hut Nears Completion

Leslie Pratt reports that the scout hut where troop 23 holds their meetings has been repainted and repaired. He states that work at the hut has been completed with the exception of putting in two windows.

The repair work was sponsored by the local Lions Club.

than 2,000 listed paintings done on assignment by Army men. Still more paintings have not been counted. And the section will also take over the paintings done for Life magazine, says a section representative.

Among other items held by this section are the Stalingrad medal which Marshal Stalin gave to Gen. Zukho's 5th Russian Guards Army, and the standard carried victoriously from the Volga to the Elbe and there presented to Gen. Courtney H. Hodges and the American 1st Army when the Allies managed their historic juncture.

As various Army headquarters fold up, they turn over to this sec-

tion their group medals, photographs, maps, relics captured flags, paintings and other objects of historic or artistic value.

About 75 of the section's paintings have just been exhibited to the press and museum officials in New York. It was a better art show than usual, both as to art and to documentation of the national war effort. The subjects were from all theatres of war.

At present the section has a staff of four officers, headed by Capt. Hermann W. Williams, Jr., former assistant curator of paintings at New York's Metropolitan Museum. The paintings are by artists with

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13 Rules Given For The Mailing Of Christmas Overseas Packages Between Sept. 15 and October 15

AP Newsfeatures

Although American fighting men are being speeded home as rapidly as possible following the end of hostilities, many thousands of men will remain on foreign duty through Christmas. The rules given here for sending Christmas parcels to them are taken from the Postal Guide.

1 "The term 'armed forces overseas' includes the personnel of our armed forces who receive their mail through an A.P.O. or Fleet Postoffice in care of the postmaster at New York, N. Y.; San Francisco, Calif.; New Orleans, La., or Seattle, Wash., or an A.P.O. in care of the postmaster at Miami, Fla.; Presque Isle, Me., or Minneapolis, Minn., or through a naval installation or station in care of the postmaster of Seattle."

2 "The only time you can mail a parcel overseas to an Army person without a written request from him or her is between Sept. 15 and Oct. 15—the earlier the better. 'Parcels destined for delivery in China, Burma, India, the Middle East, and the islands in the Pacific should be mailed as early as possible during the period stated, preferably not later than Oct. 1, in view of the distances involved.'"

3 "Christmas cards for Army personnel overseas may be mailed at any time but patrons must mail such cards prior to Nov. 15, 1945, if they are to have a reasonable expectation of delivery prior to Christmas. The War Department advises that greeting cards for soldiers overseas must be sent in sealed envelopes and prepaid at the first-class rate."

4 "Since Navy, Coast Guard and Marine Corps personnel may receive parcels without a request at any time of the year, it is not the policy of the Navy Department to encourage the mailing of parcels during any particular period of time each year. The Navy Department suggests, however, that parcels intended as Christmas gifts be mailed not later than Oct. 15 . . . and that parcels for personnel known to be in an area which would permit mailing subsequent to Oct. 15 may be deposited for mailing at a date selected by the sender."

5 "Don't mail a package if the recipient is on his way home. If there's any reason to believe he or she may move to a new location soon, wait until you can mail the gift to the new address. If necessary, write asking the recipient for a letter requesting the gift, should the new address not reach you until after the Oct. 15 deadline."

6 "Boxes can't weigh more than five pounds or measure more than 15 inches in length or 36 inches in length and girth combined."

7 "Boxes for overseas transmission should be stronger than containers used for parcels which do not leave our shores. . . . It is absolutely necessary that all articles for overseas be packed in boxes of metal, wood, solid fiberboard, or strong double-faced corrugated fiberboard, testing at least 200 pounds."

8 "Boxes should contain sufficient cushioning material so that the contents will be tightly packed to prevent any rattling or loosening of the articles. . . . Unless completely packed and tightly filled, boxes are apt to be crushed."

9 "Each box should be securely tied with strong cord, preferably by four separate pieces, two

lengthwise and two crosswise, knotted at crossings. Sealing the flaps with gummed tape where they meet strengthens the box but the use of such tape alone is not satisfactory since the tape loosens if . . . exposed to moist atmosphere."

10 "Use the latest, most complete, most accurate address. 'Addresses must be legible, in type-writing or ink. It is preferable that the outside address be hand printed directly on the wrappers of the boxes rather than on labels pasted to the wrappers, since . . . the labels frequently fall off when subjected to moisture. . . . It is highly desirable that slips of paper containing the names and addresses of

the sender and addressee and a list of the contents be inclosed in the parcels."

11 "In addition to the name and address of the sender, which is required, inscriptions such as 'Merry Christmas,' 'Please Do Not Open Until Christmas,' 'Happy New Year,' 'With Best Wishes,' and the like, may be placed on the covering of the parcel in such a manner as not to interfere with the address, or on a card inclosed therewith. Books may bear simple dedicatory inscriptions not of a nature of personal correspondence. Stickers or labels resembling postage stamps are not permissible on the outside."

12 "Mark your parcel 'Christmas Parcel.' 'Special effort will be made to effect delivery of all Christmas parcels mailed during the period stated above in time for Christmas.'"

13 "Perishable matter will not be accepted, and the sending of fragile articles should be discouraged. . . . Intoxicants, inflammable materials (including matches of all kinds and lighter fluids), and poisons, or compositions which may kill or injure another, or damage the mails, are unmailable."

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Perry Cox Given An Army Discharge

Perry Cox received his discharge from the military service this week, after serving 3 years and 10 months with the armed forces.

He is a veteran of 20 months of foreign service having been stationed in India, where he was a pilot of a P-38.

He is the nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Cox, and his wife is the former Miss Francis Robinson of this city.

S-Sgt. Cecil J. Stuart Goes To San Antonio

Having completed a tour of duty of 19 months in the European Theatre of Operations, S-Sgt. Cecil J. Stuart, 792 South First Street, Lamesa, has arrived at the San Antonio District, AAF Personnel Distribution Command for process-

ing and reassignment. His awards for service overseas include the Air Medal, Unit Citation, Good Conduct and European Theatre Medals.

Processing and reassignment for AAF returnees ordinarily are completed in from ten days to two weeks, after which personnel are generally assigned to stations in this country.

BETTER LATE THAN . . .

DOCKING, Norfolk England (AP)—Docking council has approved changing the name of "Hell's Row" district to "Churchill Estate."

The Nose Knows

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP)—A 51-year-old blind man committed to state prison under one-year sentence for stealing a ham, was unabashed at questioning on how he'd done it. "Of course I couldn't see the ham," he said, "but I sure smelled it."



MASON STEERS SET DRESSING RECORD—Shoulder high to Mason County Ranchman Sam Brandenberger are these two big Hereford Steers, raised on his ranch and marketed in San Angelo. The three steers dressed out 64.5 per cent, an unusually high average, and brought owner Brandenberger over \$900.

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- 3—White Face Steers

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TEXAS MAJOR FREED — Maj. Tom Dooley (above) of McKinney, Texas, was among those freed with Lt. Gen. Jonathan Wainwright from a Japanese prison camp. (AP Photo).

Inspection Of Extinguishers Is Conducted Here

W. T. Webb, local fire marshal, is conducting a fire inspection program in this city currently, and states that special attention is being given to fire extinguishers in public buildings.

He states that extinguishers should be in an accessible place, and should have a tag attached to them with the date showing the time liquid was last inserted in the instrument. The date of the filling of the extinguisher should not extend further back than a 12 month period, according to Fire Marshal Webb.

He further reports that every one possessing fire extinguishers should check the instruments, and if they are empty or haven't been refilled in 12 months, they should be serviced.

Webb explains that by keeping close tab on fire extinguishers, this area can continue to enjoy a minimum fire rate, as well as aid in the fire prevention program.

T-Sgt Lauderdale, Pacific Veteran, To Arrive Soon

T-Sgt. Ben Lauderdale, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Lauderdale of Ackery is enroute home from Seattle, Washington, after completing 3 1-2 years of service in the Pacific War Theatre.

A member of the Combat Engineers, Sgt. Lauderdale is a veteran of the Saipan and Okinawa campaigns.

He has been in service for more than 5 years.

Three of his brothers are in service, including Marine Platoon Sgt. Claude Lauderdale, who has had over 5 1-2 years in service and has earned the Navy Cross for the services he performed in the battle for Iwo Jima. Other brothers are Pfc. Leonard Lauderdale, who spent 9 months in a German Prison Camp and who wears the Combat Infantry Badge and who is currently stationed at Camp Roberts, California; and Pvt. Dell Lauderdale, a Marine who is stationed at a training camp in San Diego, California.

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Two New Teachers Report at High School

Two additions to the Lamesa High School faculty were reported this week by Superintendent V. Z. Rogers.

Mrs. Ann Covey of El Paso, who is a graduate of the University of Texas, reported today (Monday,

September 17) at the high school where she will teach English.

Perry Cox, a former captain with the Army Air Forces, also assumed his duties at the high school. He will teach preflight aeronautics, this being the fourth class of this type to have been taught in the Lamesa High School.

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Mary Jo Priddy Has Part In School Play

Drama students at the University of Texas are delving into satire for their first major production of the year. The comedy which they will present is "Right You Are," a comedy translated from Lugia Pirandello's original Italian, and which tells all about people who seek the

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MME. PETAIN IS LOYAL TO CONDEMNED HUSBAND

By MEL MOST
AP Newsfeatures

PARIS—Madame Petain, after four years as first lady of France, nine months of exile in Germany and three months in French custody for questioning now is living obscurely in Paris, momentarily preoccupied with how to get warm clothing for her aged husband in

truth and never find it.

Among the 21 students holding down the top notch jobs on the action is Miss Mary Jo Priddy of this city who will play the part of Signora Nenni.

The play will run for four days, October 10-13, and between now and curtain time more than 75 students will work on the production in some capacity.

a fortress cell in the Pyrenees.

Her main worry, friends say, is whether she can make practical arrangements for seeing the deposed Marshal as often as possible. Under regular prison rules the former Vichy chief of state, held in Portalet Fortress since commutation of his death sentence for intelligence with the enemy, is allowed visitors only a half hour each week and the nearest village is several miles away.

His wife, who is 22 years younger than he, is anxious to learn what quarters she might find near the fortress. There now is talk of moving the 89-year-old prisoner to a warmer climate, Portalet often is blocked by snow-drifts covering the zig-zag uphill road to the fortress for weeks on end and is especially

provided with food stocks for such occasions.

If medical authorities find Petain unable to stand the rigors of the Pyrenees mountain climate, it is possible he may be moved. At present he has only an electric heater in his cell, but a stove would be available in colder weather. The only place where he can exercise is a terrace reached by a flight of stairs which may prove difficult for him to climb.

Madame Petain received her first letter from her husband recently and he appeared pessimistic and discouraged, friends reported.

Rarely in evidence at Vichy during Petain's rule, Madame Petain, a tall, dignified former society woman, goes about the streets of Paris and rides the subway without ever being recognized.

She lives with friends, of whom she has many. But they say she has not attempted to use her contacts to gain any favors for Petain, leaving all arrangements to his lawyers.

One of the complications of her life now is the legal confiscation of her husband's property, which is almost inextricably bound with her own under French law. Lawyers are trying to straighten out the legal tangle.

Confiscated holdings include "L'Ermitage," a two-story house and farm on the French Riviera. The front was landscaped in 1942, but most of the grounds contain vineyards.

Petain spent all of his holidays at "L'Ermitage" and planned to live there permanently in his retirement. With "L'Ermitage" lost, Madame Petain says she feels no attachment to any particular place and wants only to be near her husband if possible.

Fall Parade Of Upsweeps On The Beam

By BETTY CLARKE

AP Newsfeatures Beauty Editor

Hair fashions for fall are still on the upsweep with a multitude of styles that include braids, buns, twists and puffs.

The vogue hit a peak during wartime when war workers found it a neater proposition and less dangerous than the long bob.

Not that the modern miss hasn't retained her long bob — she has. But it's tucked away neatly.

One of the most interesting things about the upsweep is that it can be done at home so easily for times when it is impossible to reach a hairdresser.

Braids are easily accomplished by parting hair neatly from the brow to the neckline, gathering all hair on each side and braiding. Then cross the braids along the top of the head.

If your hair isn't long enough to braid, you might try winding it around a hair roll band that is stretchable and washable. The band will keep the hair from slipping.

Before you try any hairstyle, however, make sure your hair is washed thoroughly with one of the conditioning liquid shampoos and rinsed until thoroughly clean.

Producers Urged To Treat Small Grain For Smut

Chemical treatment of small grain seed before fall planting is a cheap and safe insurance against losses from disease, says E. A. Miller, agronomist for the A. and M. College Extension Service.

Wheat, oats and barley are subject to fungus diseases called smut. Under favorable conditions the diseases often cause reduced yields and further loss from dockage when infected grain is marketed. Accordingly, Miller urges farmers to thoroughly clean and treat their planting seed unless they are certain that it is free from infection.

Wheat is affected by two types of smut disease. Stinking smut can be controlled readily by fanning the seed wheat or cleaning it by

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other methods to remove the smut balls, and then treating it with either two ounces per bushel of 50 per cent copper carbonate, or one-half ounce per bushel of ethyl mercury phosphate called "Improved Ceresan."

The grain may be treated in a commercial seed-treating machine or in a homemade container with a tight fitting lid. An oil drum with a pipe soldered diagonally across it and extending about one foot from each end to permit it to revolve easily will do the job. For small amounts any type of container will do. The important thing is to get the powder well distributed over each kernel.

The other type, called loose smut, cannot be controlled by chemical treatment. The best safeguard is to use seed known to be un-infected.

Barley and oats smut can be controlled by treating the seed with one-half ounce per bushel of improved Ceresan. Another approved method is to mix one pint of com-

mercial formaldehyde with 10 gallons of water at 60 to 70 degrees temperature. Sprinkle the solution uniformly over 40 to 50 bushels of seed while it is being shoveled from one pile to another on a clean floor, or in a tight wagon box. Then pile the seed and cover it with a wagon sheet for at least four hours or over night. It then should be sown or spread out to dry, Miller says.

ATATURK ENTOMBED NEAR ANCIENT KING

ANKARA (AP) — Through a strange twist of fate, Kemal Ataturk, the late Turkish president will lay entombed in the 2800-year-

old burial ground of an ancient Phrygian king.

Workers preparing a new mausoleum for Ataturk, who died in 1938, recently discovered the archaic grave beneath an earthen mound. The king's ashes were in eight ornamental jugs. Found in the tomb and later pieced together by archaeologists were a gold-plated belt, pavilion darts and other ceremonial objects, all crumbled by the centuries.

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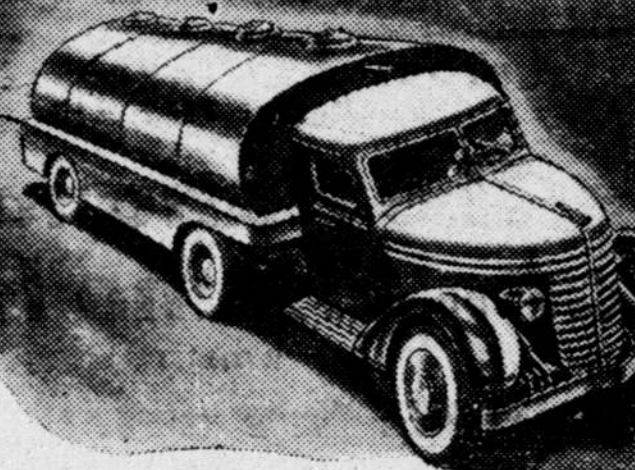
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TEXAN IN ON SURRENDER PARTY — T-Sgt. Hubert Carroll (above), of Paris, Texas, orderly and chauffeur of Lt. General Jonathan M. Wainwright is in the party accompanying the General to the formal surrender of the Japanese in Tokyo. Carroll, like the General, was captured by the Japanese, has just been released from a Japanese prison camp. (AP Photo).

Seven Lamesans To Enroll Sept. 19th At Hardin-Simmons

Seven Lamesa students including Edith Esmond, Yvonne Middleton, Billie Stricklin, Billie White, Jodie Conner, and Iola and Iona Richards will be among those who will register for work in Hardin-Simmons University Wednesday, September 19th.

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Agent Discloses The Facts About Farm Discharges

"Requests for the county agent's assistance in attempts to obtain military releases for farm boys should not be made except in very exceptional circumstances," stated T. A. Barfield, local county agent, who received a communication last week from M. L. Wilson, Director of Extension in Washington in regard to requests for county agents' in this matter.

A portion of the letter stated, "We have checked with military authorities who stated that in other than very exceptional circumstances, where compelling reasons justify special consideration, a particular individual's discharge will depend primarily upon his rating under the point system. The very fact that a man in service is needed at home to operate or help operate a farm is not in general of sufficient significance to the requirements of national health, safety, or interest to justify releasing such a man from service ahead of those servicemen who have the requisite points. Therefore, unless there are peculiar reasons justifying consideration of an earlier release of a particular individual, an application for discharge based on the need for the individual's services in agriculture will not be given favorable consideration. Farmers seeking the assistance of county agents in such matters should be so informed. If farm people are informed as to these facts, much unnecessary and unprofitable effort can be avoided."

Priorities To Be Granted For Five New Houses Here

Mrs. Matt McCall, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, received a telegram last week from Joseph P. Tufts, regional representative which stated that approval for constructing five new units here has been granted.

The communication stated, "Approval received for construction of five new private units under the H-2 program with maximum ceiling price of \$7,500. Individuals experiencing extreme housing hardship should make application for priority assistance to E. T. Sterans, Federal Housing Administration, Ft. Worth."

Mrs. McCall will furnish additional information, to interested parties.

The British Parliament has been called the mother of parliament because almost all the representative bodies in the world have been copied from it.

Pfc. Van Winkle Has Returned To States

Among the Texas GI's who poured onto the Air Transport Command's Miami Army Air Field recently was Pfc. Loid T. Van Winkle, who spent 22 months overseas at-

tached to the Signal Corps.

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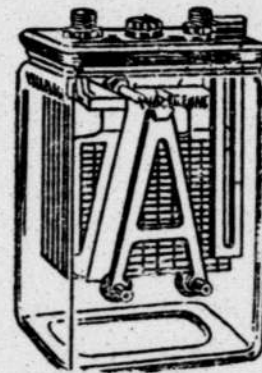
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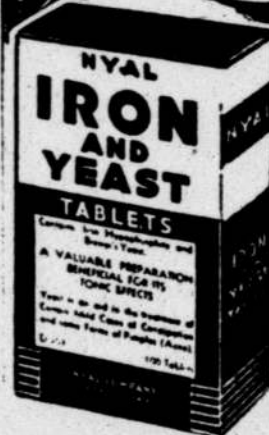
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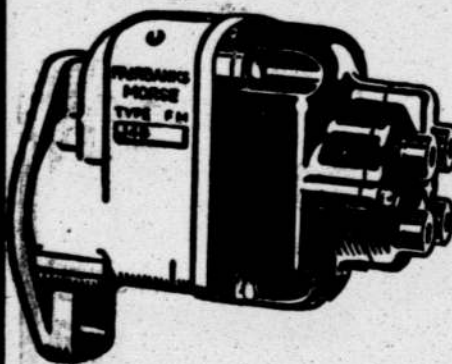
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FOR SALE: 3 room house on acre of land, with lights, water, gas, outbuildings. Also, chickens and 3 milk goats. Two miles north of Lubbock Highway. H. B. or W. B. GLOVER. 73 tfc

PLENTY of lumber. See RANDALLS LUMBER CO. 20 tfc

FOR SALE: My whole stock of goods, including 200 ladies dresses, ladies purses, ladies hats, 200 pairs of shoes. Also mens wear, including 40 suits of clothes, army blankets, mens hats and everything. Want to sell out in 30 days. Everybody come that wants any goods. Will sell at my place 1-2 block South of First Baptist Church. D. F. JOHNSON. 71-78 pd

FOR SALE: Duplex, furnished. 709 North Miller. See G. B. MAY-FIELD. 71 tfc

FOR SALE: 3 room house. Call EBBIE LEE at Production Credit Office. 60 tfc

FOR SALE: Small houses. Also, Pratt's Paints and Varnishes. JONES PLANING MILL. 61 tfc

GASOLINE Engines pump jacks, windmills, V-belts and pulleys, hammer mills, belting, motor oils and greases, grease guns. LA-MESA TRACTOR & MOTOR COMPANY. 44 tfc

FOR SALE: Dependable Burial protection on the whole family from ages 1 month to 85 years. Low premium rates. HIGGINBOTHAM SECURITY BURIAL ASSOCIATION, North Third and Austin. Phone 223. 98 tfc

FOR SALE: 2 room house, 3 lots, last house North 4th edge of draw. R. A. BALLEW. 66-73 pd

FOR SALE: Windcharger, tower and wiring. O. M. MURPHY, 8 miles south, 2 miles west Stanton Road. 68 tfc

WE HAVE Baby Chicks and chick feed for sale. Also Dr. Salisbury's Poultry Remedy. WHEAT SANITARY HATCHERY. 70 tfc

FOR SALE: F.H.A. 4 room house with bath \$4,750. \$1000 will handle. See RAMSEY WEST-MORELAND, 512 South Katherine. 71 tfc

FOR SALE: 8x20 foot trailer house on lot with 4x16 foot screened porch. Built on Northeast Pine. MRS. J. H. WHITELEY, Box 52, East Side Postoffice. 71-72 pd

FOR SALE: Factory-built Trailer House, 3-rooms. 806 SOUTH HOUSTON. 71-74 pd

GOOD USED Furniture for sale. Also, Platform Rocker Springs. PRICE'S UPHOLSTERING SHOP 207 South First. 62 tfc

FOR SALE: Monuments made to order. Hundreds of designs to select from. C. W. DUKE, JR., at Cemetery, Rt. 4. 86 tfc

FOR SALE: 1942 model 'A' John Deere Tractor with 4-row equipment and good rubber. Also have a 1938 model 'A' John Deere. Would sell with 2-row or 4-row equipment. BONNIE CULP, 1 mile west and 1 1-2 south Sparenberg. 70-73 pd

FOR SALE: Started Black Minorca pullets. MRS. BARNEY BRATCHER, 3 miles west bridge. 71-74 pd

FOR SALE: 1937 Chevrolet truck in good condition with 1940 model motor. Good tires. H. A. SIMMONS, 302 South Travis. 70-73 pd

FOR SALE: Two 1939 Chevrolet trucks, equipped with 24 foot trailers. Good condition. McBRIDE GIN CO. Phone 303. 70-75 c

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FOR SALE: 100 acres, 2 miles West Lamesa. W. O. ROBINSON, Rt. D. 73-74 pd

FOR SALE: Blacksmith shop, welding equipment included. Located on 311 South Lynn. G. W. BOLTON. 71-74 pd

FOR AUCTION SALES: Farmers, ranchmen, dairymen. For your auction sales see COL. HOUSTON GLASSON. Go anywhere at any time. Phone 101. 77 tfc

FOR SALE: 1934 Chevrolet Pickup. New '38 motor, 5 new tires. See W. C. JENNINGS, 213 North Main Street. 65 tfc.

FOR SALE: Two four room houses and lots. Renting from 35 to 40 dollars a month. Also, some barbed wire and post. O. M. MURPHY, Rt. A. 70 tfc

FOR SALE: 200 White Leghorn chickens, 6 miles south of Sparenberg. D. H. DERRINGTON. 70-75 c

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WANTED

WANTED: Lady or girl to help with house work. MISS LILLY STOVALL, 407 North Austin. 73-76 pd

WANT TO RENT: Farm, 200 to 300 acres. Have two-row A. C. equipment complete. ALTON GABEL, Rt. 1, Knott, Texas. 73-74 pd

WANTED: Going to Waco September 22. Want 2 or 3 passengers. PHONE 405-J 73-74 pd

WANTED: Man to do yard work. 305 South Fourth. MRS. W. M. EDWARDS. 73-74 c.

WANTED: Housekeeper for half day work. PHONE 479-M or call at 712 North Sixth. 72 tfc

WANTED: Heavy breed hatching eggs. Will pay 12c above market. FIRESTONE FEED & POULTRY. 72-73 c

WANTED: Housekeeper. 1213 North Third. Phone 351-J MRS. S. A. JACKSON. 72-77 c

FOR PAINTING, decorating and paper hanging. See O'NEAL and GREEN, 809 South Fourth, or drop a card to C. S. Green, general delivery Lamesa. Phone 405-R. 69-76 pd

WANTED TO BUY: Typewriter, standard or portable. Write or see RAYMOND EARNEST, Rt. 2. 72-73 pd

ACCOUNTING and Bookkeeping. full or part time. White Box 29. DAWSON COUNTY COURIER. 71-74 pd

HIGHEST prices paid for used furniture. PRICE'S UPHOLSTERING SHOP, 207 South First. 54 tfc

WANTED: Lawn Mowers to sharpen or adjust. Satisfaction guaranteed. Bring to 510 North Bryan or see CLAUDE NOWLIN at Painter & Mayfield. 35 tfc

WE CAN take orders for Royal Typewriters without applications. Write or wire THOMAS TYPEWRITER EXCHANGE, 107 Main Street, Big Spring, Texas. 38 tfc

FOR RENT

FOR RENT with sale of all equipment 830 acres in Andrews County, contact W. H. VANLANDINGHAM Box 456, Seminole, Texas. 73-74 pd

FOR RENT: Large nicely furnished front bedroom with south and east exposure. 610 SOUTH HILL. 73-74 c

FOR RENT: Bedroom, private entrance, close in. 608 North Second. MRS. P. H. OATES at Specialty Shop. 72-73 c

FOR RENT: Cafe and fixtures now operating in Gail, Texas. GEORGE A. CATHEY, Gail, Texas. 71-76 pd

FOR RENT: Large front bedroom close in. MRS. JOHN ALLEN, 707 South First. Phone 454 or 393-M. 70 tfc

FOR RENT: Bedroom with kitchen privileges for couple or girls. See MRS. P. D. GILBERT at Baldwin's or call 103-J. 69 tfc

Miscellaneous

BRING YOUR ironing, sewing and quilting to 408 North Roosevelt Street. MRS. RIGGS. 72-73 pd

We now have an operator for our MASTER SUN MOTOR TESTER. Let us tune up your Oldsmobile motor the scientific way. LAMESA TRACTOR & MOTOR CO., Oldsmobile Dealer. 44 tfc

Lost and Found

LOST: Black billfold containing money and papers. Reward for return to COURIER OFFICE. 73-74 pd

LOST: Black Cocker Spaniel. Reward for return to MRS. WAYNE SCOTT, H & W Studio. 72-73 c

LOST: White gold Gotham lapel watch with rhinestone bow clasp, somewhere between Postoffice and Dal-Paso Hotel. Return to the Courier. \$5.00 reward. MRS. J. N. SELF. 72-73 pd

LOST: Gold rimmed bifocal glasses. Reward for return to COURIER OFFICE. 72 tfc

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William Ogden On Ship Hit By Suicide Planes

WITH THE PACIFIC FLEET—William S. Ogden, 20, fireman, second class, USNR, Route B, Lamesa, was serving aboard the destroyer Thatcher when she was hit twice by enemy suicide planes at Okinawa. The 2100-ton ship suffered casualties of ten killed, four missing, and 53 wounded in the 2 actions. All the next of kin have been notified.

The first action occurred on May The Dawson County Courier is the goods you want.

20, while the destroyer was assigned to a defense ring of ships in the Okinawa area. Jap suicide planes attacked the ships and one plane sneaked through to crash into the bridge of the Thatcher, its two wing bombs exploding. After valiant efforts, the crew brought the fires and damage under control.

The second attack occurred on July 19, while the Thatcher was undergoing emergency repairs for a return to the States. Another suicide plane sneaked through, dived for the Thatcher, and bounced off the side.

Lee Farmer Has Been Released From The Army

Lee Farmer, a first lieutenant, who served 46 months in the Army Air Forces was placed on an inactive Army status recently.

Farmer, who entered the Army at Ft. Sill in El Paso has been at several stations in the States including Ft. Bliss, Chanute Field, Illinois; and Harlingen Army Air Field. He also served overseas with the 460th Bomb Group of the 15th Army Air Force in Italy.

While overseas Farmer filled the post of pilot on a B-24, prior to which time he was an airplane mechanic. Since returned to the States, his job assignment has consisted of flying B-29 gunnery students at Harlingen Field.

He is possessor of the Distinguished Flying Cross, the Air Medal with 3 Oak Leaf Clusters, the Distinguished Unit Badge, and the E.T.O. Ribbon with four Battle Stars.

Farmer, whose home address is Star Route 1, Lamesa, plans to farm near Lubbock when he returns to civilian life.

Lions Club To Honor Teachers With A Chuck Wagon Feed

The local Lions Club will be hosts to Lamesa teachers, trustees and their families at a chuck wagon dinner which has been announced for Thursday night, September 27. The dinner will be served at the city park at 7:30 p. m.

The purpose of this entertainment is to acquaint club members and their families with the local faculty and school officials.

A social hour will succeed the dinner.

SHOP THE COURIER WAY

R E A Work In Area Underway

Frank Harris, local Rural Electrification Administration director, reported Friday, September 14, that crews are now completing their work in section C of this county, an area covering approximately 95 miles.

He states that this is the first work the crews have done since the outbreak of the war.

Director Harris further reports that the Rural Electrification Administration has made arrangements to accommodate an area of approximately 560 miles with rural electrification. He states that work on this district will begin as soon as the present job is completed.

Seamans Truitt And Marley Spent Month Leave In County

A. B. Seaman Banard Truitt son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Truitt of Star Route 2, recently spent a 30 day leave here.

Seaman Truitt spent the past eight months aboard a merchant ship on duty in the Southwest Pacific. He participated in the Barenos Invasion, among others.

Seaman Dan Marley, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sim Marley of Star Route 2, also spent a 30 day leave

here recently.

to Houston Sunday, where they will Both Marley and Truitt returned board a ship and go to Europe.

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Milk of Magnesia, quart	79c
Aqua Drin—Nose Drops	49c
Darol—Cold Capsules	49c
Alba Gar Laxative	\$1.00
Pursin Tonic	\$1.00
Albatum Chest Rub	25c and 50c
Darol Cough Syrup	69c
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LOCATION:—1 mile south of Guitar Gin, or 6 miles south of Sparenberg.

Implements:—

- One 1940 A. C. Tractor, in good shape
- One 1941 A. C. Combine
- Two New Steel Slides
- One McCormick-Deering Electric Separator

Poultry and Equipment:—

- One Superflex Oil Heater
- One Brooder House—10x12
- Two Brooder Houses—8x10
- One Hen House—20x24
- 125 Hens, White Leghorns, in good production.
- Two Chicken Brooders—500 capacity

Livestock:—

- Five Fresh Milk Cows
- One Heavy Springer Heifer
- Five Yearlings—mixed breeds

Household Goods:—

- One 6 foot Superflex Refrigerator
- One Kitchen Cabinet

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