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46 DISCHARGED FROM SERVICES CLASSED IN 1-C

Sixteen Other Registrants Grouped In Class 1-A by Selective Service Board Session Monday

Confirmation of discharges for 46 Scurry County soldiers highlighted Monday evening's meeting of the Scurry County Selective Service Draft Board. Sixteen registrants were placed in Class 1-A.

Complete lists of classifications made follow:

Class 1-A (available for military service)—Hollis E. Lewis, order No. S-905; Allen C. Wilson, 1,180; Kish D. Baylor, 10,820; Artie A. Pondy, 11,076; Berry L. Moreland, 11,122; Donald W. Devenport, 11,123; Lee T. Lee, 11,125; Allie E. Ivison, 11,128; Waymon C. Cain, 11,131; Troy E. Cox, 11,133; O. B. Franks, 11,136; Elton B. Beck, 11,137; James E. Wade, 11,141; Ivey S. Herrley, 11,143; Salome Valadez, 11,144; and Cecil R. McKeown, 11,145.

Class 2-A (limited occupational deferment)—Nathan Goolsby, 31; Arval A. Allen, 85; E. J. Bradbury, 146; Hershel E. Moore, 300; Henry E. Randolph, 452; Ira B. Burklow, 322; Paul W. Claybrook, 377; Woodrow W. Leslie, 709; Charles F. Baker, 725; Harry W. Ward, 927; Horace W. Roe, 937; D. T. Pierce, 960; Harold E. Clement, 982; Waymon L. Tankersley, 1,002; Wiley W. Floyd, 1,010; Oliver C. Taylor, 1,053; Ernest H. Craig, 1,126; Robert O. Judkins, 1,162; Jack D. Darby, 1,281; Essie L. Ryan, 1,324; James R. Willingham, 1,361; James C. Murray, 1,384; and Espie O. Wedgeworth, 1,391.

Class 2-B (engaged in direct war production)—John W. Sheehan, 268; Nelson B. Anderson, 574; Jack J. Reynolds, 575; John R. Joyce, 1,058; Lewis D. Turner, 1,085; Morris D. Sanders, 1,131; Clyde E. Fields, 10,374; and Patterson J. Ainsworth, 11,129.

Class 2-C (deferred farmers)—Alford J. Rosson, 129; Morell Roggenstein, 145; Wade D. Sanders, 548; Smith S. Adams, 956; Marshall H. Martin, 1,183; Charles S. Hardy, 1,342; and Warren H. Sterling, 11,119.

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Winstons Sell Bulls To Mexico Breeders

Harrie and Wade Winston last week sold three carloads of their famous Domino Return Hereford bulls to Senator Prado and Diplomat Teofilo Borunda of Mexico City.

The Mexican senator and diplomat were accompanied by another Mexican official, and all three paid high tribute to Snyder and West Texas.

It is understood that Senator Prado and Diplomat Borunda, who is a secretary to Mexico's president, want the Domino Return bulls for improvement breeding on their personal estates.

Brazil Missionary to Be Baptist Speaker

Rev. James A. Lunsford, returned missionary from Brazil, will occupy the pulpit Sunday morning and Sunday evening at the First Baptist Church, it was announced this week by church leaders.

Rev. Lunsford will preach in the absence of Rev. Roy Shahan, pastor, who is this week holding a revival meeting at Brenham.

The visiting missionary is a graduate of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, and Southwestern Baptist Seminary at Fort Worth. He plans to return to the South American state with his family next August.

Who's New In Scurry County

Zendla will be the "calling name" for the new granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Wren of Clairemont Route and Mr. and Mrs. Robert White of Northeast Snyder, who came Sunday morning to live with Mr. and Mrs. Hodge Wren of Austin. The little lady weighed eight pounds. The mother is the former Mavis White.

Born Sunday, February 11, at Mercy Hospital, San Diego, California, a six pound 12 ounce son, Billy Jackson, to Private First Class and Mrs. A. J. Norramore. Mrs. Norramore is the former Forrest Crowder of Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Hughes of Arah Route, are entertaining a new baby girl, Patricia Elaine, who arrived at Snyder General Hospital March 20. The little lady weighed seven pounds eight ounces.

Eats for Ship's Crew After Battle

Crewmen aboard a navy cruiser munch sandwiches and sip coffee after their ship repelled a night attack by Jap torpedo bombers off Formosa. From their look of satisfaction, this kind of "groceries" goes plenty good.

Sheep Men Look For Best Crops of Lambs in Years

Blessed with a comparatively mild winter, Scurry County sheep men are looking forward this spring to one of the biggest lamb crops in several years.

Of the 25,000 sheep and lambs now estimated to be on Scurry County ranches, approximately 12,000 are ewes.

According to information gathered by Raymond King, county agent, more feeder lambs will be put on feed this year than at any time in the past decade.

The feeder type lamb is said to be of higher quality than in many years, with breeders stressing good blood lines—whether sheep are Rambouillet, Karakul or cross breed.

Sheep the county over are in excellent shape, thanks to early growth of winter weeds, filaree and wild rye along creek bottoms.

Importance of sheep as a Scurry County money crop can readily be ascertained from the fact only 20,065 head of sheep were reported for 1943.

Shearing operations are scheduled to get underway in the next few days, and most of the work will be done with mechanical shearers.

Home Ec Group to Give Mark Twain's Classic Friday Night

Snyder community entertainment lovers are evidencing keen interest in Mark Twain's "Huckleberry Finn" play, which will be presented Friday evening at 8:00 o'clock in Snyder High School auditorium by Snyder Home Economics Club, directed by Mary Glen Bates, HE instructor.

The cast selected is as follows: Huckleberry Finn, the hero, Harland Birdwell; Jim, a runaway negro, Billy Longbotham; Aunt Sally, fair and fat, Jonnie Delle Brock; Emmeline Grangeford, the flirt, Barbara Inman; Silas Phelps, a stern man, Raymon Bynum; Tom Sawyer, Huck's pal, Bud Coonrod; Joanna Welch, a tomboy, Juanita Pitner; Mary Jane Welch, Joanna's sister, Ramona Keller; The King, an elderly rascal, Harold Wade; The Duchess, a younger one, Mary Martin; Becky Thatcher, Tom's girl, Billy Jean Coonrod; Aunt Polly Sawyer, Tom's aunt, Bonnie Lou Parks.

Proceeds from the play will go toward buying new linoleum and other supplies for the home economics laboratory.

Safety Leaders Warn About Driver License

Despite repeated warnings from Department of Public Safety officials, some Scurry County motorists continue to drive without having drivers' licenses.

Since a Department of Public Safety man is at the courthouse each Tuesday, those who do not have valid drivers' licenses are urged to contact the driver license division representative at the earliest possible moment.

O. Z. Porter Renamed Ira School Director

O. Z. Porter, superintendent of Ira School the past year, was recently elected for another term, school board officials announced Tuesday.

Porter had been superintendent of Sylvester High School, Fisher County, seven years before going to Ira.

The Ira School chief and a group of high school seniors last week attended the Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth. Seniors who made the trip were Weldon Key, James Perry Echols, Troy Thompson, Robert Erwin and Harold Hester.

John Sands, CC Manager, Takes Soil Service Job

Effective last Thursday, John Sands, Scurry County Chamber of Commerce manager the past six months, became associated with the Upper Colorado Soil Conservation Service District, with headquarters in Snyder.

Sands, formerly connected with the Geophysical Service organization, had taught school 15 years.

Effective Monday, Mary Sue Sentell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Sentell, assumed duties as CC office clerk.

Several applications have been filed for managership of the Chamber of Commerce, following resignation of Sands, and the CC board of directors is considering appointment of a new manager.

In addition to Sands, the Soil Conservation Service this week gained another associate, Buford Hailey of Spur, who is chief of the survey party for district SCS headquarters.

Melvin Blackard at Former Brown Store

Deal was completed this week whereby Melvin (Mitch) Blackard, veteran Snyder grocer, assumes control of the former Brown & Son Grocery Store, 2313 Avenue S. The place will be known as Blackard's Food Market.

Blackard has been in the grocery business 17 years, and sold sometime back his interest in what is now Taylor Grocery Company, southwest corner of the square.

Associated with Blackard in operation of the store will be H. A. Dever and Maxyne Jones.

Harold, who has been associated for 16 years with his father in the H. P. Brown & Son Grocery, has not announced his plans for the future.

Bernard Bishop Has Part in Many Fights

With the fleet since April of 1944, Seaman First Class Bernard Bishop, son of Mr. and Mrs. Casey Bishop of Snyder, has taken part in six major battles, Scurry County friends learn.

Bernard, on the U. S. S. Abbott, a destroyer, has taken part in battles for Leyte, Mindoro, Siapan, Guam, Tinian and Lingayen.

Bernard has been in the navy 14 months, and is a 1944 graduate of Ira High School. He was inducted into the navy shortly after he reached his nineteenth birthday.

Robert Boren Goes To Florida Air Base

Technical Sergeant Robert J. Boren, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs Tom A. Boren of Snyder, has arrived at the Army Air Forces Redistribution Station No. 2, Miami Beach, Florida, for reassignment processing, it was announced Wednesday.

As a B-25 Mitchell gunner, Sergeant Boren flew 23 missions in the Southwest Pacific Theater of Operations, and was awarded the Air Medal.

A graduate of Snyder High School, Robert entered the army in September of 1942.

Honor Roll Reprint Installed This Week

Another section, containing 83 names, was added this week to Scurry County's honor roll on the north side of the courthouse lawn. This is a third reprint of the last section.

Additional names for the honor roll will be added from time to time, and those who have names as yet unlisted are urged to contact the Chamber of Commerce office.

164 ENTRIES IN CLUB BOY SHOW SET MARCH 31

Stangel of Texas Tech Will Judge Livestock—Auction of Animals To Be Held at 4:30 o'clock

Grand total of 164 entries were reported late Wednesday for Scurry County's 4-H Club and FFA Livestock Show which will be held here March 31.

W. L. Stangel, head of the animal husbandry department of Texas Technological College, Lubbock, will judge the day-long show. Judging will start at 10:30 a. m., and auction will be held in the afternoon, between 4:30 and 5:00 o'clock.

Entries in various show classes follow:

Dual purpose females, eight; fat barrows, 175 to 225 pounds, four; fat barrows over 225 pounds, five; after which grand champion and reserve champion fat barrows will be judged.

Gilts, 100 to 200 pounds, 10; gilts, 200 pounds up, 11; sows, eight; sows and litters, three; followed by judging of grand champion gilt and sow with litter.

Dairy heifers, under one year, six; dairy heifers, over one year, five; dairy cows, eight, grand champion and reserve champion dairy animal to be shown.

Fat lambs, 18; ewes, 15; crossbred calves, nine; beef heifers, seven; beef cows, five; grand champion beef female to then be judged; beef calves, under 850 pounds, 21; beef calves, over 850 pounds, 21.

The grand and reserve champion beef calf will be announced immediately after judging of final class.

Buford Browning, Raymond King, county agent, and E. D. Wilmeth, show "main springs," call attention to separate story on labor saving device show which will be staged in conjunction with the livestock exposition.

Complete details on prize lists, etc., will be carried in next week's Times.

Phil Burns to Open White Auto Store on East Side Friday

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Burns, owners, announce formal opening Friday of their White Auto Store, located on the east side of the square.

Mr. and Mrs. Burns say they find Snyder trade area people the best in the world, and plan to make their home here and become regular Snyder citizens. They moved here from Fort Worth.

The White Auto Store is carrying a complete line of auto supplies, home needs, paints and many other types of supplies. All stock is brand new.

New fixtures throughout the White Auto Store are painted a light green. L. J. Black, a company man, has been here the past few days helping Mr. and Mrs. Burns arrange for Friday's formal opening.

City Street Sweeping Underway for Seal

Street cleaning and sweeping is being done this week by W. L. Johnson Construction Company, preparatory to beginning seal coat work on the pavement next week, it was announced Wednesday.

The construction company will apply, under contract with the city, seal coat to all WPA paving put down here in 1937—approximately 70 blocks.

Going Modern!

Marvin Snowden, Midway service station operator, usually sells gasoline and oil to owners of vehicles which stay on highways; but Sunday morning he discovered he could service an airplane just as well—especially where the craft taxis up to the pumps and the owner says "Fill 'er up!"

An officer from Abilene Army Air Field, turned around en route to Jayton, had to land at Midway for more fuel, and the craft taxied up to the pump much as an automobile might. In less than five minutes the plane was refueled and the owner was back in the air and on the "A Route" to the Kent County metropolis.

More Men Over 30 to Be Drafted Under New Rule

Heavier drafting of men 30 and older in Scurry and other counties from essential jobs was foreseen Monday by Selective Service System—as authorization was given to defer some 145,000 younger men in five vital war industries.

The government broke its rule that not more than 30 per cent of workers in the 18-29 age group could retain deferments for the benefit of the steel, coal mining, transportation, synthetic rubber and non-ferrous mining industries, including copper, lead and zinc.

"It is obvious that if we don't get them under 30, we'll have to take older men," said a Selective Service headquarters spokesman. "The draft calls are not being reduced."

It is reasonable to expect, he stated also, that the older men drafted as combat replacements will not be drawn from the five preferred industries but from others rated less critical.

The new Selective Service instructions to state draft directors mean that the five industries named will get more than half as many deferments of young men as all essential industries previously were scheduled to receive. About 870,000 men aged 18-29, it is estimated, now are in the deferred 2-A and 2-B classes in industry.

Selective Service punctured the 30 per cent ceiling upon recommendation of the Inter-Agency Committee on Deferments created by War Mobilization Director James F. Byrnes last month.

East-West Bus to Start Run Today Fills Long Need

Effective today (Thursday), Snyder will be connected to Gail, Lamesa, Seminole, Hobbs, New Mexico, and El Paso, on the west end with Roby, Anson and Albany on the east by daily service of a Texas, New Mexico & Oklahoma bus.

The east-bound bus, going to Roby, Anson and Albany, will leave Snyder at 12:25 p. m., it was announced by bus line officials.

The west-bound bus to Gail, Lamesa, Seminole and Hobbs, New Mexico, with connections for El Paso, will leave here at 7:00 p. m.

Considerable interest is being manifest in the new bus route, since it gives Snyder its first daily connections on a direct east-west basis.

Information on the daily bus service and tickets may be secured at Stimson Camp Ground, Snyder's only bus station.

MITT FOWLER KILLED IN FIGHT FOR LEYTE ISLE

Former Camp Springs Soldier Had Been Overseas for Almost Two Years—Widow, Sons Survive

Private First Class Mitt Fowler, 31-year-old Snyder soldier and husband of Mrs. Vada Fowler, was killed in combat action on Leyte, Philippine Islands, December 7, 1944, the War Department Saturday informed Mrs. Fowler in what is Scurry County's major war casualty for the week.

Private Fowler was attached to the 184th Infantry, Seventh Division, and has been overseas almost two years.

Private Fowler was first sent to the Aleutians, then to Hawaii. From Hawaii Fowler was shipped to the Marshall Islands and thence to the Philippine group.

The tragedy is particularly heartbreaking to the parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fowler, Camp Springs residents now at Amarillo, since they have three other boys in service.

Mitt attended Canyon and Snyder Schools, where his scholastic record was outstanding.

Private Fowler is survived by the widow, Mrs. Vada Fowler, and two sons, Vance and James Quincy, of Snyder; the parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fowler, long-time Scurry County citizens now at Amarillo; a sister, Mrs. Bertha Williamson of Camp Springs; and four brothers, Dick Fowler of Camp Springs; Private First Class P. A. Fowler, medical detachment 1845 SCU, Regional Hospital at Camp Barkeley, Abilene; Private First Class Milam C. Fowler, 2511th AAF, Section A, at Bryan Field; and Sergeant Travis Fowler, attached to the 124th Cavalry of the U. S. Army, now stationed on the Burma Road.

Cartons for Sending Prisoners Packages Now at Red Cross

Scurry County's Red Cross chapter this week received a shipment of mailing cartons for use by next of kin of American prisoners-of-war in Germany in sending their 60-day packages, Mrs. Allene Farr, executive secretary, announced Tuesday.

Persons desiring these cartons should call at the county Red Cross office, located in the NYA building, south of the city hall.

The Scurry County Red Cross chapter also, Mrs. Farr states, has a supply of postal forms to be used in writing to prisoners of the Japanese.

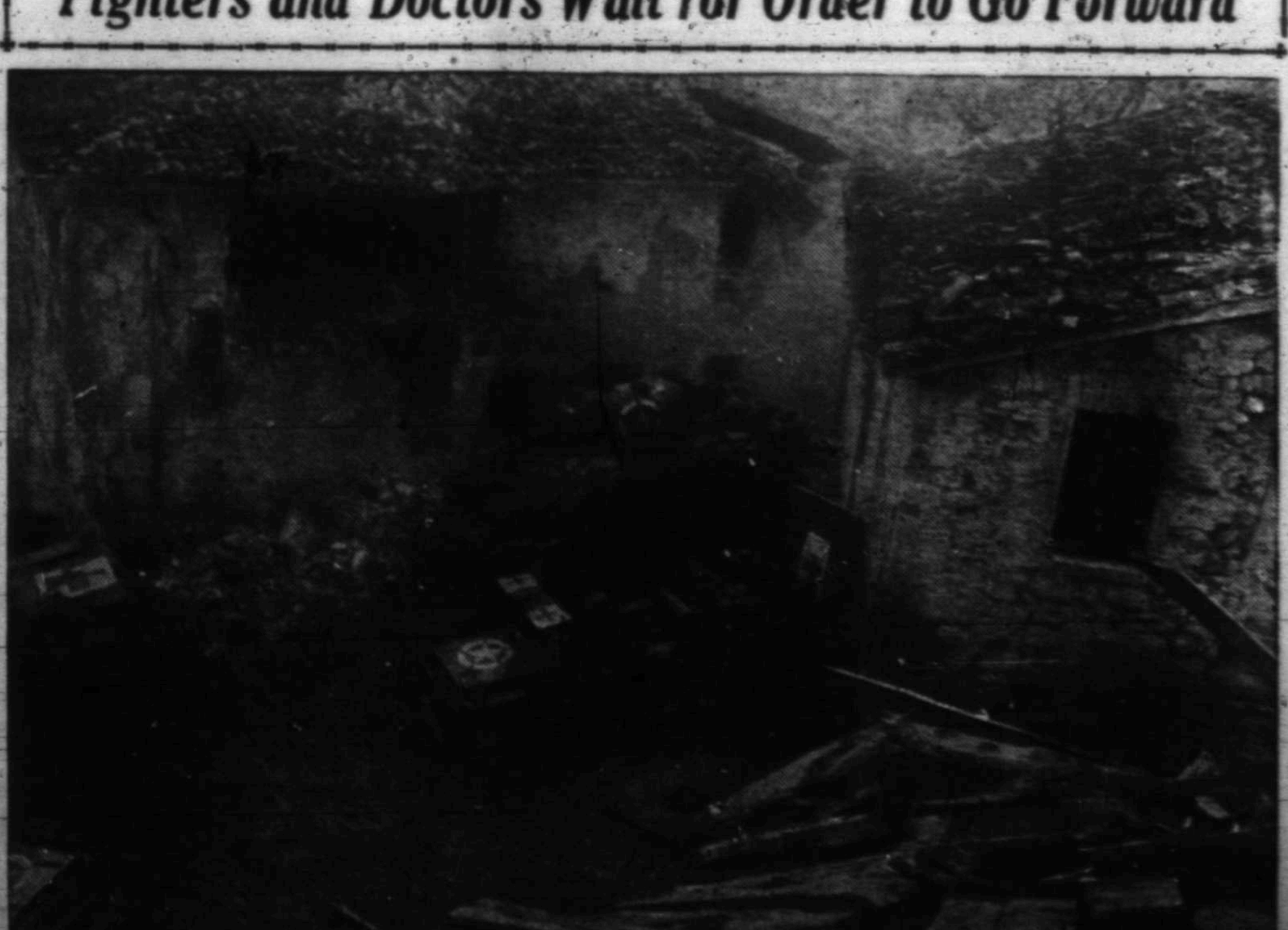
A file, "Prisoner of War Bulletins," is kept in the RC offices, and relatives, friends and next of kin of prisoners of war and "missing" service men are invited to call by the office and read them, according to Mrs. Farr.

Bishop Assumes CC Position at Stamford

A. C. Bishop Jr., former Hermleigh School superintendent, assumed his duties last Wednesday at Stamford as manager of the Stamford Board of City Development and Chamber of Commerce.

Bishop succeeds E. O. Wedgeworth, former Scurry County CC manager, who left Stamford as CC manager February 15 to become manager at Pampa. Mrs. Melba Wollaeger, secretary, had been in charge at Stamford until Bishop assumed his duties.

Fighters and Doctors Wait for Order to Go Forward



Amid shattered buildings of a town on the Italian front, a jeep of a medical unit and an M-4 tank wait side by side for orders to move forward. In such spots as these boys from Scurry and other counties of the nation await orders to move forward where advances hurt the enemy the worst. Many boys of this area are in the Italy fighting.

In Six Battles

Here is Bernard Bishop, seaman first class, son of Mr. and Mrs. Casey Bishop of Snyder, who has been in six major battles. Attached to the U. S. S. Abbott, Bernard has participated in fleet battle at Leyte, Mindoro, Siapan, Guam, Tinian and the Lingayen Gulf on Luzon.

Crop Prospects in Area Loom Bright With Fine Season

Scurry County crop prospects, from fruit to row crops, continued bright this week as the county continued to be blessed with mild, sunny weather.

County orchard owners breathed a sigh of relief Tuesday morning after a cool wave Monday night failed to bring about a freeze. Snow was reported as far south as Amarillo.

Due to abundant moisture supply and need of waiting until winter weeds are a good stand, it is estimated that only about 40 per cent of county crop lands have been prepared for the 1945 crop.

A number of farmers are flat breaking land this time, which is a slower means of seedbed preparation than listing. Too, moisture conditions have been such that some crop lands could not be plowed without serious baking of top soils.

Considerable spring garden planting is underway in both Snyder and the county. C. H. Callis in East Snyder has the largest onion garden reported to date; 30,000 plants set out and growing rapidly.

Buddy Martin's Car Stolen Saturday Is Found Near Lamesa

In Scurry County's first car theft in several weeks, the 1941 model Chevrolet tudor sedan of Buddy Martin was stolen Saturday midnight from in front of the residence of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Martin.

The vehicle was located Monday morning near Lamesa in a public park. A headlight and dome light were broken, the car radio had been taken loose and key to the turtleback and glove compartment were missing. Ignition key was still in the car.

Theory was advanced that the persons responsible for the theft had probably started to "strip" the vehicle but were scared off by a passing motorist.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Martin were gravely worried about loss of the Chevrolet, because it contained two-week supply of groceries and family washing Mrs. Martin had done Saturday. No clues were found as to identity of persons who stole the vehicle.

Little Over Third of County Cars Tagged

Only eight more shopping days will remain after today (Thursday) in which to purchase 1945 automobile license plates, it is pointed out by the county tax assessor-collector's office.

Total of 770 passenger car plates had been sold through Wednesday, compared with 718 for the same period last year. Total of 2,144 cars were registered here in 1944.

Through Wednesday 143 farm tags were issued, compared with 75 on the same date in 1944.

Total of 85 commercial plates were sold through Wednesday, with only 41 tallied on the same date last year.

Fair Crowd Attends Singing Despite Rain

Despite overcast skies and sharp showers of rain, a fair crowd was attracted Sunday afternoon to regular bi-monthly singing at Snyder North Side Baptist Church.

Walter Holmes and Jack Patrick, in charge of program arrangements, say a number of out-of-town visitors are expected to be on hand for the next songfest.

SEVEN COUNTY AREAS FAIL TO LIST RC FUNDS

Community Chairmen Urged by Red Cross Leaders to Make Final Report Soon as Possible

No report had been received late Wednesday from seven Scurry County communities, as Scurry County's Red Cross chapter sought to conclude the annual Red Cross membership campaign.

Snyder community, with a goal of $4,124.16, had raised a grand total of [illegible] through Wednesday, reports Mrs. Inez Brown, secretary-treasurer.

Mrs. H. O. Towle, chairman for the Snyder residential section, reports 250 donors gave $616.09. In the business district, with Wayne Boren as chairman, 243 contributors turned in $1,020.84.

Chairman J. O. Stimson of the special gifts committee said Wednesday that 73 donors contributed a total of $2,500.

Seven rural county communities from which no report has yet been received, and their quotas, are: Camp Springs, quota $142.50; Triangle, quota $325; Bethel, quota $125; Dermott, quota $107.50; Crowder, quota $142.50; Arah, quota $35; and Ira, quota $400.

Chairmen of county communities yet unheard from are urged to make reports as soon as possible.

Rural communities, according to Mrs. Gaston Brock, chairman for rural school, "over the top" since last week are:

Cottonwood, with quota of $40, raised $44, according to J. W. Helms, chairman.

Bison, $140.25 raised against quota of $125. Community chairman is Walker Huddleston.

Plainview, with quota of $115, raised $126.25, reports Chairman Joe Hicks.

Ennis Creek, $143 raised, Cliff Birdwell, chairman, reports, against quota of $132.50.

Pyron, Sibley Adams, chairman, reports contributions of $470.75 with a quota of $282.50.

Fluvanna raised $385.85 against quota of $380, states Chairman Charlie Bley.

Sharon community, with Emmitt Trevey as chairman, reports donations of $122.50 against $133.33 quota.

Countians to Attend Longworth Services For James Barkley

A number of Scurry County people plan to attend memorial services that will be held Sunday afternoon, 3:00 o'clock, at Longworth Church in Fisher County for the late Sergeant James Barkley, Scurry County soldier who passed away September 22, 1944, at 10:15 a. m.

Sergeant Barkley, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Barkley, long-time Scurry County residents who moved to Fisher County two years ago, was an engineer on the Patsy Ann, a B-24 bomber. He was attached to the 15th Air Force in Italy.

Official word of Barkley's death was received March 5 by Mr. and Mrs. Barkley. Mrs. Estell Gary, employed at The Fair Store, is a relative of James.

Sergeant Barkley joined the army in October of 1942.

T. C. Bills Sends Pair Wooden Shoes Home

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bills of Independence community this week received a package from Bills' brother, Private T. C. Bills, former Company G, 142nd Infantry, 36th Division, soldier, who had not been heard from since last November.

In the package were a pair of wooden shoes T. C. won as champion volley ball player while in rest camp, a German flag and other war momentoes.

A letter was also received by Mr. and Mrs. Bills from T. C., but he did not indicate his exact location. His mother, Mrs. T. C. Bills Sr., resides at Lubbock.

Firemen Answer Two Calls During Week

Snyder Volunteer Fire Department from Friday through Tuesday answered two calls.

Call was answered Friday evening, 9:00 o'clock, about 100 feet across the street from the fire station, when the front seat in a 1939 model Terraplane caught on fire. Damages were slight.

The department answered a call Tuesday morning, 10:00 o'clock, at Snyder Implement Company, when the acetylene gas tank blew up in the shop. Damage was slight in this instance, fire department members report.

Total Sun Eclipse on Way.

First total eclipse of the sun to be visible in Scurry and other counties of this area since 1932 will occur on July 9, the U. S. Naval Observatory reports. There have been six previous eclipses of the sun visible in the U. S. since the beginning of this century.

The WOMAN'S Page

Newlyweds Honored At Wedding Shower

Sergeant and Mrs. John M. Akers, who were married five weeks ago, were honored at a wedding shower given Friday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wall in the Camp Springs community.

Forty-two and other games were played, after which the couple were blind-folded and followed a string that led them to another room and numerous gifts. After the gifts were passed around for inspection, and after appreciation was expressed by the recipients, fruit and cookies were served to a crowd of 40 friends.

Sergeant Akers has spent 33 months overseas with [illegible] Corps ground crew, and Mrs. Akers, the former Helen Stewart, is a teacher in Midland High School.

Attendants at the happy affair from the Camp Springs, Midway and Hobbs communities were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Willie White and son, Mrs. Ada Clark, Mrs. Mary Simpson, Austin Hinson, Mrs. Orr Casey, Mrs. J. S. Knight, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Williams and children, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Higginbotham, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Garrison, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Gillet and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Beavers, Burl Garrison, Jeff Garrison and a buddy, both of whom are stationed at Camp Barkeley, Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Sullivan and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Bavousett, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Willingham, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brown and daughter, Mary Frances, and Billie Allred, Jeanie Belle Kincaid, Sammie and Joanna Wall.

Guests from Hermleigh included Mr. and Mrs. Wraymond Sims and family, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Wall and [illegible] and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Sumruld and boys. Those from Snyder included Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Jones and Elaine Tucker and boys. From Melvin was Mrs. Bessie Lou Watkins, sister of John M.

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Rube Lee Married to Bernard L. McKinley

Rubie Lee was married to Bernard L. McKinley Jr. in a candlelight ceremony Sunday evening at 7 o'clock in the Methodist Church at Snyder. Rev. O. S. Herring, pastor, officiated.

Traditional wedding music—"Ave Maria" by Schubert, "At Dawning" by Cadman, "I Love You Truly" by Bond, "Bridal Chorus" by Wagner, "Traumerei" by Schumann and "The Wedding March" by Mendelssohn—was given by Mrs. Lucille Dougherty, organist. The chancel of the church was decorated with lighted white tapers and at the center was placed [illegible] with white tapers. The bride and bridegroom were unattended.

The bride's costume was an evening blue dress, a white flower hat with black accessories. Her corsage was a white [illegible] topped with a white orchid. Her jewelry was a diamond and pearl necklace given her by her father, the late William B. Lee of Snyder, and a [illegible] made by the bridegroom during his service in the navy in the Pacific.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. William B. Lee of Snyder, and has for several years been an employee of the Scurry County Agricultural Adjustment Administration office. Her husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. McKinley Sr. of Gainesville. He was with the Mudge Oil Company before entering the service in September, 1942. He is a petty officer in the United States Naval Reserve and has just returned to the States after two years of service in the Southwest Pacific. He reports to Dallas April 4 for reassignment.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding were Mrs. B. L. McKinley Sr., mother of the bridegroom of Gainesville, Mrs. H. A. McCabe and Johnnie Mathison of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Davenport of San Angelo, Mrs. C. C. Ligon, Jessie Lee Ligon, Mrs. Howard Haygood and small daughter of Eastland.

At the reception in the home of her mother, the three-tiered cake was served to a few close friends and relatives.

As the couple left for a wedding trip the bride was wearing a beige suit with navy accessories.

Mr. and Mrs. James Patterson of Throckmorton spent the week-end here with Mrs. Patterson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bowers, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Patterson, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Caton.

Mmes. John Green, John Abercrombie and W. W. Early were in Lubbock Tuesday on business and did some shopping while there.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Floyd and Mrs. J. J. Allen visited friends at Colorado City Sunday.

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Sunday Bride

Mrs. Bernard L. McKinley, above, the former Rubie Lee, became the bride of Petty Officer Bernard L. McKinley Sunday evening at the Snyder Methodist Church. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. William B. Lee.

Baptist Senior Group Gives Pastor Party

Senior Baptist Training Union of the First Baptist Church gave a surprise birthday social for their pastor, Rev. Roy Shahan, last Thursday evening at 8:00 o'clock in the basement of the church.

Several games were played and the group presented the honoree with an overnight traveling bag.

Plate favors were small 44's made of cardboard trimmed in purple. The table was decorated with purple and white streamers. Birthday cake served as the centerpiece with pear blossoms covering the cake box.

Chicken and dressing with all the trimmings, creamed potatoes, vegetable salad, creamed peas, birthday cake, which Rev. Shahan cut, and coffee, were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Willard Jones and Annetta Jeanne, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Inman, Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Merritt, Mrs. Roy Shahan, Herby and Bobby Shahan, guests; and Louella Eades, J. O. Morrison, Maxine Reynolds, Aletha White, Ralph Evans, Thurston McCravey, Barbara Stewart, Mrs. Curtis Henley, Margie Taggart, Donald Devenport, Johnnye LeMond, Mrs. Charles Stewart, Dautice Worley and Evelyn Dorman.

Art Guild Hears Mexico Life Review

Art Guild met Tuesday evening with Ethel Lynn Mitchell. Grace King presided at the request of the president, Estella Rabel.

Dorothy Ezell gave an interesting review of the book, "The Days of Ophelia," by Gertrude Diamont, a descriptive story of the life of people in Mexico.

A dainty refreshment plate was served to the following members: Rayolene Isaacs, Henrietta Lee, Mae Stanfield, Mabel Brock, Hattie Gatlin, Dell Smith, Irene McFarland, Dorothy Ezell, Grace King, Golda Thorpe, Lucille Dougherty, Estella Rabel, Verna Lee Roe and the hostess, Ethel Lynn Mitchell.

Next meeting will be held April 3 with Irene McFarland.

Mrs. Johnny Stuard and Lanell Berryhill of Levelland were guests of their parents and other relatives here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Weller and daughters, Clessie and Lottie Mae, of Abilene, former Snyder residents, visited relatives and friends in the county last week-end.

Charles W. Stimson Jr. returned Tuesday to College Station after a few days' visit with homefolks. He has been enrolled in Texas A. & M. College since February 1.

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NORTH BOUND
2:25 A. M. 3:55 P. M.
6:00 A. M. 6:55 P. M.
10:05 A. M. 10:05 P. M.

SOUTH BOUND
4:24 A. M. 2:24 P. M.
8:54 A. M. 4:54 P. M.
9:54 P. M.

EAST BOUND
12:25 P. M. to Roby, Anson, Albany,

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7:00 P. M.—to Gail, Lamesa, Seminole, Hobbs, New Mexico. Connections to El Paso

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Eugenia Carlile and Jesse Grizzle Wed

Last Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock Eugenia Carlile, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Carlile, was married at the Carlile home at Ira to Corporal Jesse W. Grizzle. Rev. R. O. Browder of Dunn read the single ring ceremony.

The bride wore a pale blue two-piece dress with pink accessories. Her corsage was pink carnations.

For the past year Eugenia has been bookkeeping for the San Antonio Drug Company at San Antonio. Corporal Grizzle is home on a furlough from the Aleutian Islands after spending 22 months overseas. He is expecting a new assignment for overseas duty after April 4. He is the son of Rev. and Mrs. L. M. Grizzle of Lubbock.

After the ceremony a three-tiered wedding cake was served with punch and plate punch to a few close friends: Mr. and Mrs. Walt Farmer and children, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Price, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Adams of [illegible], Robert Beard and Rev. and Mrs. R. O. Browder.

Wilmena Mull Weds Emerson Glynn Kever

Mr. and Mrs. William Mull of Fluvanna this week announce the marriage of their only daughter, Wilmena Dene Mull, to Emerson Glynn Kever. The ceremony took place at Springdale, Arkansas, March 3 with Rev. Lauterbach reading the single ring ceremony in his home.

The bride wore a black wool suit with aqua and rose trimmings. Her veiled hat was made of black sequins with matching black accessories.

Attending the couple were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tucker, life-time friends of the bridegroom.

Mrs. Kever was employed at Brownwood until the first of the year. She then moved to Tulsa, Oklahoma, to begin work at the Douglas Aircraft Corporation there.

Mr. Kever has been employed by the government for the past two years and is now connected with the industrial training department at the Douglas plant at Tulsa. His home is at Springdale, Arkansas, where his parents reside.

The couple will continue their work at the Douglas plant. They will make their home at 15½ East 17th Street in Tulsa, Oklahoma.

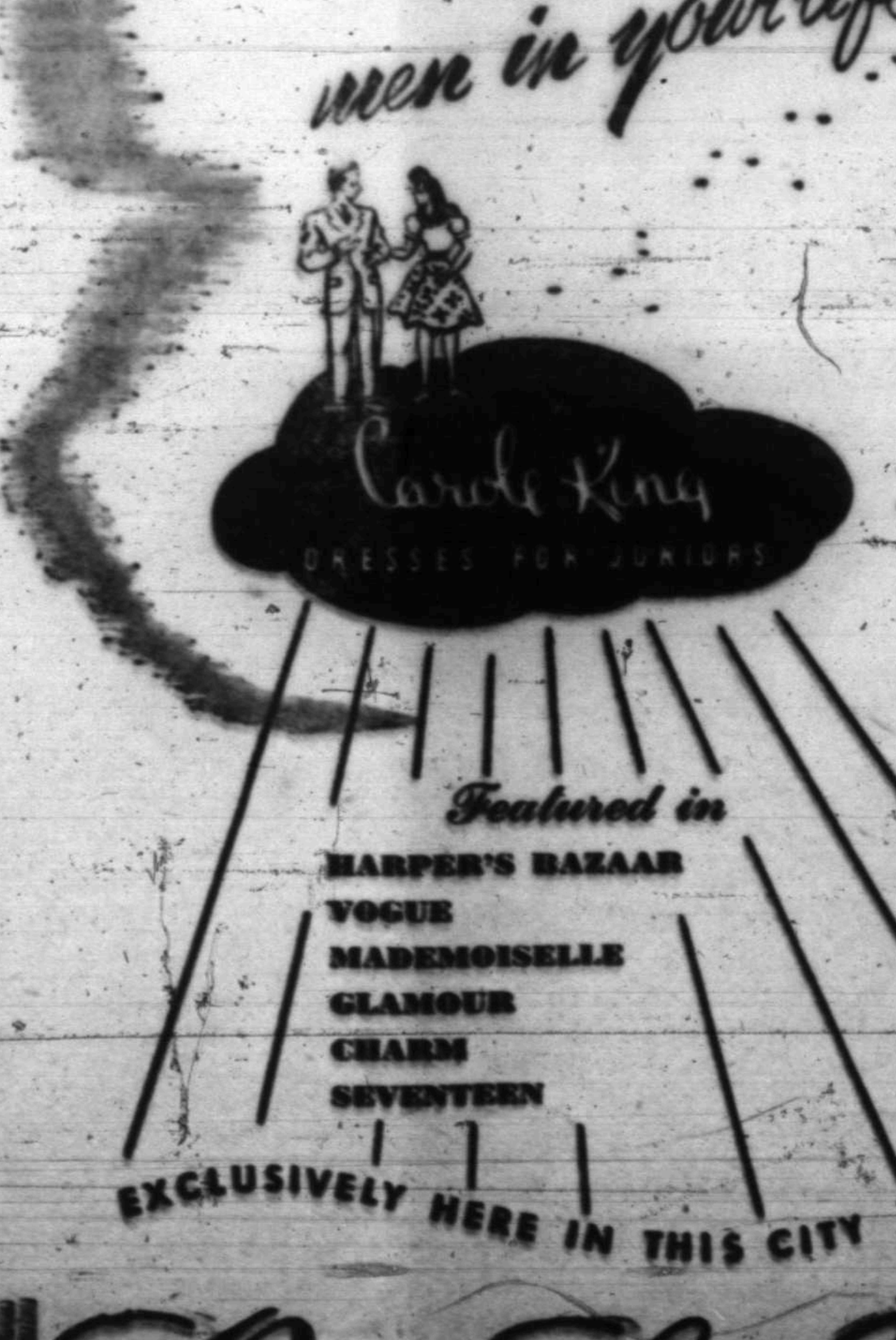
Junior G. A. Group Elects New Officers

Junior Girls' Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church met Monday evening at 5:00 o'clock, when officers for the ensuing session were elected.

New officers are: Avanelle Kemp, president; Rose Marie Roe, vice president; Islaqu Blakely, secretary; and Louise Evans and Shirley Banks, committee officers.

Others present at the Monday gathering were Vivian Merritt, Joyce Wellborn, Betty Tom Norred, Betty Frances White, Bonita Joy Lyons and the leaders, Ruth Davis and Mrs. Allene Farr.

Accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. Margaret Dell Pilcher of Pittsburg, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. (Dick) Webb returned home Saturday from Lott. Mr. and Mrs. Webb and Mrs. Pilcher last Thursday afternoon attended final rites for Mrs. Webb's mother, Mrs. Delli Halley. Mrs. Pilcher will visit in the Webb home this week.



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Mrs. Glenn Hosts Club.

Tri-Community Home Demonstration Club met last Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Guy Glenn. Roll call was answered with a topic of interest.

Post-war planting, home library books and history were discussed.

At the close of the program the hostess served punch and cake to Mmes. Pete Brooks, Tom Brooks, Pop Joy, Guy Stoker, Marvin Lemons, Wilbur Coffee, F. H. Patton and E. B. Van Wickle Jr.

Next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Jeral Greene.

China Grove Club Meets Tuesday.

The China Grove Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Jim Merket with seven members present, who answered roll call with "Something I share with others."

Special demonstration committees were appointed. Hats and purses to be exhibited at the council meeting Saturday were discussed by the members.

Miss Rabel, our agent, demonstrated painting on materials and dyeing, which were very interesting.

The hostess shared shrubs, vines and strawberry plants with members who wanted them.

Next meeting will be held with Mrs. Stanley Merket April 6.

Safety Pointers for Farm.

Now that spring work is getting in full swing, all county families should do a little refresher work on farm and home safety, announces the county home demonstration agent's office.

Especially should farm and home safety be stressed if one considers reports of safety experts who say accidents increase along with heavier and increased tasks.

Even simple gardening tools offer some hazards, points out the agent. Split, rough or broken handles on turning forks and other tools may result from splinters, although rough places can easily be smoothed with sandpaper. Split, broken or sharp edged handles should be replaced, of course.

Here are some other safety pointers on use of ordinary tools:

Carry cutting tools with the blade facing downward.

Never leave a hoe, rake or fork lying or standing with head pointing up.

Do not use any substitute for a hammer.

Never leave a scythe or sickle hanging in a tree.

Apply first aid to any cut or scratch, no matter how slight.

Along with these safety suggestions, Miss Rabel recommends good care of tools. Rusty spades and the like should be brightened with kerosene and steel wool or emery cloth. Tools should be sharpened and kept that way, but digging tools should not be sharpened to too thin an edge. Dirt should be cleaned off digging tools each time they are used.

Camp Springs Club Elects.

Members of Camp Springs Home Demonstration Club met last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Bob Hawkins.

Mrs. Clyde Brown is new club president, Mrs. Bertie Fowler is secretary-treasurer, and Mrs. Clay Sullivan is council delegate.

Mrs. Sullivan gave a report on the last meeting of the council. A demonstration was given by Estella Rabel, county home demonstration agent, on painting and dyeing.

Refreshments were served by the hostess to the following: Mmes. J. T. Tran, James Davidson, Rex Greene, Clyde Brown, Guy Casey, Clay Garrison, James Simpson, M. C. James, Deman Willingham, Jim Willingham, H. H. Hawkins and W. H. Talley, Maggie Rouse and Estella Rabel.

Carolyn Nesbitt, Mrs. Ray Nesbitt, Mrs. Clifford Hale, Mrs. Lloyd McCown, Chris Izard and Opal Izard spent the week-end in Sweetwater visiting friends and relatives.

Elizabeth Smith spent the week-end in Big Spring visiting her nephew, Troy Smith, and his family.

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Ruby Clements Is Honored on Birthday

Ruby Clements was honored on her eleventh birthday last Friday at 3:00 p.m. with a party given by her mother, Mrs. W. L. Clements.

Games were played, and refreshments, consisting of sandwiches, cookies and cold drinks, were passed to those present. Then the honoree opened her gifts and passed them around to guests.

Those attending were Bobbie Nolan, Millie Anne Daniels, Ava Nelle Kemp, Bobbie Dorsey, Joan McDowell, Patsy McDowell, La Verne Greene, Joy Graham, Dolores Freeman, Mary Hegler, Portilla Legon, Marjorie Huff, Inella Hood, Mary Helen Oswell, Joan Clements and the hostess.

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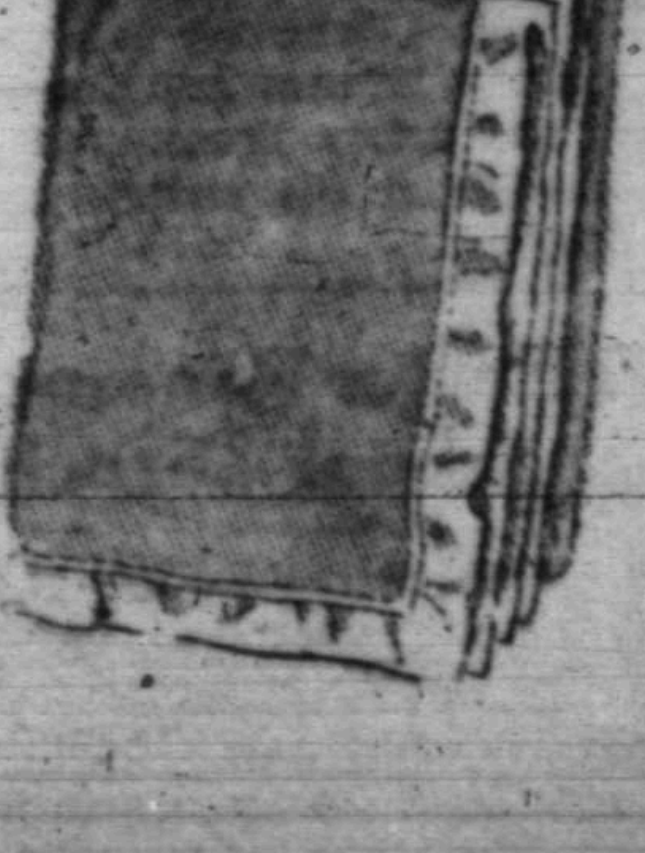

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Seed Treatment Will Make Cotton Get More Return

Treating cottonseed with proved chemical preparations just before planting is an inexpensive approach to getting more cotton per acre [illegible], says [illegible] King, county agricultural agent.

Obtaining a better stand is another benefit, King continues, especially if conditions are unfavorable for quick germination.

In addition, treatment of cottonseed tends to reduce damage from damping and other seedling diseases—as well as injury to plants from angular leaf spot and bacterial boll rot.

Scurry County farmers, for the 1945 planting season, should treat a minimum of 10,000 bushels of cottonseed.

Seed treatment also achieves better germination for grain and sweet sorghums, and improved stands and yields for peanuts. If kernel smut is present in the seed of the two varieties of sorghum, treatment is imperative, King says. Treatment pays, too, even when stand is assured, especially with hegari and feterita, which do not germinate well unless moisture and soil temperature conditions are favorable.

For treatment sprinkle two ounces of 16 per cent powdered copper carbonate, ceresan or spergon or three ounces of dusting sulphur per bushel on the seed and revolve it in a tight container, until every seed receives a coating of powder. On peanuts, especially machine shelled seed, two ounces of arasan or three ounces of two per cent ceresan or spergon per 100 pounds give desired results. For planting on land not inoculated, the seed may be treated with spergon and then inoculated. But it should be planted within four hours after inoculation.

Social Security Card Vital to All Persons Holding Jobs Now

Due to the shift in employment caused by demand of the armed forces for additional manpower, the value of a social security account card is becoming increasingly important to every Scurry County person who holds a job.

So reports the Abilene Social Security Board office, which says the individual who has been engaged in farm work and goes into industrial employment or a defense job will need an account number.

Men and women, boys and girls who may engage in farm work following a period of industrial employment should hold on to their social security account cards because these cards may be needed for later work.

On return of such workers to their old jobs in the cities or to other commercial or industrial employment, the same account number will be good. Therefore, Ralph T. Fisher, manager of the Abilene Social Security Board office, suggests that workers make sure that this very valuable account card be kept in some place where it will not be lost.

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Bomb Showers

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Dick Crenshaw Longs for Home Town's Weather

Technician Fifth Grade Richard H. Crenshaw, son of Mrs. Ina Crenshaw of Snyder, is now a mail orderly with an army armored force in a forward combat zone, Snyder friends learned this week.

Richard, formerly a gunner on a self propelled 75-millimeter anti-tank gun, has been in the army for 34 months and overseas 25 months. He holds the Good Conduct Medal and European Theater of Operations ribbons, and formerly worked here at Magnolia Service Station.

Richard landed at Casa Blanca on Christmas night, 1942. His first action was on New Year's Eve, when Casa Blanca was bombed by the Germans.

Landing on Omaha Beach, Normandy on D-plus-six, he saw action all through France, Belgium, Holland and Germany.

When the German counter-offensive came through the Ardennes Forest, Crenshaw experienced a type of weather which made him long for his native state of Texas.

Thinking back over his experiences in winter warfare, Richard says: "I'd like to see the end of this winter weather so we can get this war over with, and I can get back home before another winter comes along."

Flight to Luzon Made By William Leftwich

"We made the journey by plane and had a mighty nice trip," writes Private First Class John William Leftwich Jr. to his parents as he and other members of the Sixth Division go into Luzon, Philippine Islands.

William states in the letter to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Leftwich that the Philippine climate is plenty hot but different from New Guinea.

"My foot," he concludes, "is almost well. Difference here mostly is that in New Guinea there were some people who could talk with you."

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Boys' Club Show To Feature Labor Saving Devices

[illegible] Scurry County's 4-H Club and FFA Livestock Show, to be presented here under Chamber of Commerce sponsorship March 31, became area-wide this week with announcement of a labor saving device exposition to be staged in conjunction with the show.

So announce Raymond King, Buford Browning and E. D. Wilmeth of Hermleigh, "spark plugs" of the March 31 show, who say an array of labor saving devices and machinery will be shown on the south part of the grounds at the city tabernacle site.

March 31 device exhibits will include both cotton strippers and cotton harvesters, posthole diggers, terracing plows and machines, electric fence unit, a rope making machine and many other useful farm and ranch devices.

Other items needed for exposition purposes include cream separators, chick brooders, work benches, power lawn mowers, home made cheese press, meat choppers, pig brooder, bucket with two sections (one for clear water and one for sudsy water) and battery chargers.

People of the Snyder trade area who have labor saving devices of any kind they wish to enter in the March 31 show are asked to contact the county agent's office immediately and secure entry blanks.

Eight Divorce Cases Disposed of Monday

March term of district court, which opened here Monday, resulted in return of two indictments by the grand jury and granting of eight divorces.

Following Monday's session, district court was recessed Monday afternoon until April 2, when court will again be open for "business."

Radio Speaker

Hon. Pat M. Neff, former governor of Texas and president of Baylor University, world's largest Baptist college, will be Baptist Hour speaker Sunday morning, 7:30 o'clock, over Radio Stations WFAA, Dallas, KGNC, Amarillo, and KRPC, Houston.

William Tatum Goes To McCloskey Post

Second Lieutenant William L. Tatum, son of Mrs. Bobbie H. Tatum of Snyder, has reported for duty at McCloskey General Hospital, Temple, and has been assigned to duty as administrative ward officer in the surgical division.

Tatum has been in service since May 12, 1943. He received his basic training at Camp Barkeley, and attended Officers Candidate Training School there receiving his commission November 15, 1944.

Tatum, a graduate of Gustine High School, and Southwest Texas State Teachers College, San Marcos, went to McCloskey from Camp Swift.

Iceland Weather Not Severe, John Lynch Tells Lion

"Weather in Iceland is not as [illegible]," Corporal John Lynch Jr. told members of Snyder Lions Club at their Tuesday noon.

"Temperatures in Iceland averaged well above zero, and the coldest I recall during my 16 months there was five degrees below zero," Lynch continued.

"The winds, however, are terrific at times and sometimes reach velocity of 120 miles per hour. It rains every day, and the sun seldom shines on the northern island.

"The Icelandic peoples, descendants of Norwegians, most of whom speak English, are indifferent toward the Americans put there during the war for weather observation and as a stopping point on trans-Atlantic flying.

"Most of the people are fishermen, but they raise considerable cattle and sheep. Hay is cut three times a year and the soil is rich in the small valleys. They raise a few potatoes, which are gathered by hand, and the potatoes average the size of big marbles. Iceland has a population of 120,000 people."

Corporal Lynch spent the 16 months in Iceland as a radar operator for the air warning division of the U. S. Army Signal Corps.

A Sands-Sexton girls' quartet sang "My Dreams Are Getting Better All the Time," "I'm Beginning to See the Light" and "Accentuate the Positive." Harold Lewis Wade was piano accompanist.

Lion E. L. Parr made announcement of the Scurry County 4-H Club and FFA Livestock Show which will be staged here March 31. He said the exposition, which will be outstanding, should merit support of Snyder Lions both with prizes and attendance.

Club guests included Carrolyn Sands, Sara Sexton, Joyce Sexton, Dorothy Sands, Corporal and Mrs. John Lynch Jr. and Harold Lewis Wade.

Mrs. Della Hailey Dies Wednesday At Home in Lott

Mrs. Della Hailey, 85, mother of Mrs. R. W. (Dick) Webb of Snyder, succumbed last Wednesday at Lott, Falls County, following a brief period of illness.

Mrs. Hailey came to Snyder in 1918, where she made her home a number of years. She left here a few years ago to make her home at Lott.

Funeral services for Mrs. Hailey were held last Thursday afternoon at Lott at the home of Jo Hailey. Interment was made in a Lott cemetery.

Mrs. Hailey is survived by three daughters, Mrs. R. W. (Dick) Webb of Snyder, Mrs. Ida McCleary and Miss Jo Hailey, both of Lott; two grandchildren, Mrs. Margaret Dell Pilcher of Pittsburg and Mrs. Mary Ann Davis of Snyder; and a great-grandson, John Richard Davis, also of Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. (Dick) Webb returned Saturday from Lott, where they attended funeral last Thursday afternoon for Mrs. Webb's mother.

Patsy Lynn Edwards Interred Wednesday

Patsy Lynn, two-year-old daughter of Rev. and Mrs. L. B. (Buster) Edwards of Tahoka, formerly of Scurry County, died last Wednesday at the family residence after a protracted illness of several months.

Funeral services for Patsy Lynn were held last Thursday afternoon at Redwine Baptist Church, where Rev. Edwards is pastor, and graveside rites were held at Snyder Cemetery, where interment was made.

Rev. and Mrs. Edwards formerly lived at Camp Springs, where Rev. Edwards was pastor at Midway, and at Champion, where Rev. Edwards held pastorate. The small girl is survived by the parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Prathers, now of Hobbs, New Mexico.

Esbert Miller Earns Paratrooper Insignia

Esbert L. Miller, son of Mrs. Bertha Turner of Ira community, has won the right at Fort Benning, Georgia, to wear the boots and silver wings of the U. S. Army Paratroopers.

In the army four and one-half years, two years of which was spent overseas, Esbert is now home on a 16-day furlough from his paratrooper unit. He arrived back in the States previous to reporting at Fort Benning on December 10.

Nine Towns Slated To Play in Colored Basketball Tourney

Nine cities will be represented Saturday in the Colored basketball tournament which will begin at 9:00 o'clock a. m. in Snyder High School gymnasium.

[illegible] tournament director, who says competing teams besides Snyder will be Lubbock, Ralls, Slaton, Crosbyton, Tahoka, Roby, Littlefield and Post.

All white people of Snyder's trade area are extended a cordial invitation to attend Saturday's tourney.

Admission prices will be so moderate that no sports fan should miss the tourney games, Director Davis says.

I. V. Dooley, teacher in the colored schools, states a jitterbug contest will be staged Saturday night, 8:45 o'clock, preceding the final tournament game.

A loving cup will be presented the winning tourney team from the nine competitors.

Captain Barton to Be At Church of Christ

Guest speaker Sunday morning and evening at the Snyder Church of Christ, two blocks east of the square on 26th Street, will be Captain Fred Barton of Lubbock, who will speak in absence of Clifton B. Rogers, Snyder Church of Christ minister.

Captain Barton has preached here on previous occasions, and the general public is cordially invited to worship Sunday morning and evening with the Lubbock captain and the congregation.

Bro. Rogers, minister, is at Quanah, where he is holding a 12-day revival meeting.

Two Arrested in City For Extract Drinking

The brand of vanilla extract some Snyder people have been drinking lately must have a new type of war-time kick.

This type of liquid, usually utilized by housewives in cooking, has had such a wallop during the past week [illegible] city vehicles encountered in their general path, but caused city officers to take two persons to the "clink."

In addition to the car drivers, who were imbibing of cake extract, city officers got a "haul" of three bottles of flavoring and two partly filled bottles of the "five happy" medicine.

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After nearly 16 years' connection with my father in the grocery business in Snyder, I have this week completed a contract with Melvin "Mitch" Blackard for him to assume charge of the H. P. Brown and Son Grocery Store, which has been for eight years located a block north of the square.

We bespeak for Mr. Blackard the continued patronage of our many regular patrons, and we, with him, invite others to get the habit of trading at the place that has offered Snyder area people values in good eats for so many years.

Words are not at our command to express our sincere appreciation of the loyalty of scores of people of this section through the past years we have operated the H. P. Brown & Son Grocery. So, until we can think of better sounding words, here is our straight-from-the-heart

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Potatoes	Fresh Per Pound	$7\frac{1}{2}$¢

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Methodists Slate Pre-Easter Meet Starting Sunday

Call to worship is being issued this week to Snyder trade area people [illegible] Wednesday for pre-Easter revival meeting, which begins Sunday morning at Snyder Methodist Church.

Rev. O. B. Herring, pastor, will occupy the pulpit for the eight-day series of services, which will be concluded Easter Sunday. Music will be under direction of local talent.

"We want the general public to worship with us during our meetings," Rev. Herring said Wednesday, "and feel that much good can be accomplished by bringing Snyder people straight gospel sermons. Snyder people are invited to bring their friends, too."

Morning services of the meeting will begin at 10:30 o'clock, and evening services will start at 8:15 o'clock.

Mrs. Ira Simmons Is Back from East Visit

Mrs. Ira Simmons of Camp Springs is home this week from Washington, D. C., where she spent several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Walter Germain and son.

Lieutenant Germain, son-in-law of Mrs. Simmons, is aboard the U. S. S. Maryland somewhere in the Pacific.

While in Washington, Mrs. Simmons was visited by Seaman First Class Edgar Lynn Hudnall, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Hudnall, also of Camp Springs, while young Hudnall's ship was in port.

Before returning home, Mrs. Simmons visited friends in New York City.

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Class 1-C (inducted)—William E. [illegible], 447; D. N. Price, [illegible]; and James A. [illegible], 10,[illegible].

Class 2-A [illegible]—Claud [illegible], [illegible]; Robert H. White, [illegible]; and James A. Reeves, [illegible].

Class 2A-F [illegible]—[illegible]; Curtis O. Sheppard, [illegible]; James L. Woods, [illegible]; [illegible] F. Watkins, [illegible]; [illegible] Jr., [illegible].

Class 2B-F—Albert H. Morton, [illegible].

Class 2C-F [illegible]—[illegible]; Claud E. Pruett Jr., [illegible]; Roy W. [illegible]; Don V. Womack, [illegible]; Jeremy S. Browning, [illegible]; and Benjamin F. Strauch, 11,[illegible].

Class 1-C (discharged [illegible])—Grady L. [illegible]; Herbert W. [illegible]; Aubrey A. [illegible]; J. D. Hill Jr., [illegible]; Garland E. Pruitt, [illegible]; Robert [illegible]; James F. Hair, [illegible]; Robert L. McKinney, [illegible]; J. C. Wilkinson, [illegible]; Jesse H. King, [illegible]; Virgil [illegible]; Robert H. Reeves, [illegible]; John W. Mills, [illegible]; Lee M. [illegible]; Nathan M. Shepherd, [illegible]; Tom Byrnes, [illegible]; [illegible] K. Townsend, [illegible]; [illegible] Townsend, [illegible]; Charles W. [illegible]; Andrew J. Williams, [illegible]; Clarence J. [illegible]; Cherill R. Helms, [illegible]; [illegible] Ellis, [illegible]; [illegible]; Fred W. Burns, [illegible]; [illegible] T. Early, [illegible]; Virgil M. Leatherwood, [illegible]; James H. Mitchell, [illegible]; Harold C. Reeves, [illegible]; Cecil E. Moore, [illegible]; [illegible]; Jack M. Adams, [illegible]; Allen C. Hargrove, V-[illegible]; Charles W. Stinson, [illegible]; Earl W. Reeves, [illegible]; Edward W. Way, [illegible]; Grady C. Weller, [illegible]; Dorsey D. Johnston, V-[illegible]; Leonard W. Childress, [illegible]; Jack Alvin Kruse, [illegible]; Orval D. Rollins, [illegible]; Herbert E. Brown, [illegible]; James W. Shaw, [illegible]; Lindell N. Knox, 11,[illegible]; and Jack W. Simpson, [illegible].

E. J. Bradbury and family visited friends and relatives at Abilene Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Ed Stahl and [illegible] visited in the Hubert Drake home at Midland Sunday.

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Francis Farr Aids Direction of AMG In Cologne Zone

Sergeant Francis L. Farr, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Farr of Snyder, is one of the enlisted men who, with five [illegible] and three officers, is in charge of the Allied Military Government headquarters now operating at Cologne.

So reports Louis P. Lochner of the Associated Press, in the following release:

"Thousands of Cologne residents emerging from cellars for the first time [illegible] American [illegible] of this Rhine River city, will [illegible] AMG headquarters [illegible].

"Sergeant Farr, [illegible] H. Nagel of North Tonawanda, New York, Polish descent who speaks Russian, and others in charge of the camp tell Cologne people, from loudspeakers, of a 6:30 p. m. to 7:00 a. m. curfew—that they must surrender all arms, that German service men (many of whom are believed to have discarded uniforms for civilian clothing) must report and that all [illegible].

"Hundreds line up to ask for various AMG departments, and [illegible] foreign workers are another problem.

"Five hundred and fifty of them are being cared for in a refurbished German concentration camp in the western suburb of [illegible]. Nine nationalities are represented: Russia, Poland, France, Belgium, Holland, Yugoslavia, Czechoslovakia, Luxembourg and Italy. Total of [illegible] per cent are women.

"Captain John W. Hamel, in charge of the camp, says the Russians are the most willing to work of the national groups.

"Russian girls told of having their names tattooed on their bodies and having been given very little to eat except cabbage and spinach. Their fathers were told, they related, that they must either give up the girls for labor and house work in Germany or the whole family would be shot."

Albert Martin Gets Bomber Silver Wings

Albert R. Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Martin of Route 3, Snyder, last week received his silver wings when he graduated at Pecos Army Air Field as a second lieutenant, Colonel Harold D. [illegible], commanding officer, disclosed Tuesday.

Lieutenant Martin, who attended Snyder High School, completed a course in training in twin-engine aircraft. He was assigned to Pecos from Merced, California.

Pecos Army Air Field, a station of the AAF Training Command, is located in the historic trans-Pecos area.

First Baptist Church

Rev. James A. Lunsford will be guest speaker for both services Sunday in the absence of the pastor, who is in a revival meeting at Brenham.

Bro. Lunsford is a returned missionary from Brazil, and will return to Brazil with his family in August. He is a graduate of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, and the Southwestern Baptist Seminary at Fort Worth. His messages will be informing about our missionary work in Brazil and South America and also inspiring in helping each of us to be more missionary at home.

Our spring revival meeting will be Sunday, April 1, to Sunday, April 8.—Ray Shahan, Pastor.

Polar News

Bessie Randolph, Correspondent

Mrs. E. D. Ford and sons, Marshall and Gene, spent the week-end visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Ford, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ford and Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Randolph of O'Donnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gilbert and son of Clairemont visited at Polar Sunday afternoon.

Corporal Lois Hammitt of New Jersey is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hammitt.

Mrs. Ruth Beaver and son, Harold, Mrs. J. E. Shook, Mrs. A. C. Cloud, and Junior Randolph spent Wednesday night at Snyder visiting [illegible] Lane and the Dunagan family.

Billy Underwood spent Saturday night in the Bryant Terry home of Snyder.

Mrs. [illegible] and daughter of Snyder spent Friday night in the Earl Randolph home.

On account of rain there was no preaching at Polar Sunday afternoon, but some of the community people met at the church house and had singing.

The oil men who have been in Polar for the past week have left.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Mitchell of Snyder spent Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mitchell.

Fred and [illegible] Reid of Levelland and Lee Claxton of Corpus Christi visited awhile Sunday night with Ellis Reid.

Mrs. Jim Mitchell and son, Mitch, visited in the E. M. Davis home at Friday with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Tommy Davis of Odessa, and Technical Sergeant Wayne Davis, who is home from overseas duty.

Mrs. James Barron has joined her husband, Technical Sergeant James Barron, at Wichita Falls.

Ernest [illegible], who has been working here, has returned to his home at Lubbock.

Elaine Crowley of Snyder spent Saturday night and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. J. R. [illegible], and son, Tommy.

Howard Shifflett and son, Horace, are visiting at Ballinger with his father, Mat Shifflett.

On the sick list this week are Mrs. J. R. [illegible], Mrs. Leroy Hunnicutt and Zack Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. Crystal Sellers of Knapp visited friends at Polar last week.

Corporal Hoover of Camp Swift spent last week-end with his wife and baby in the J. E. Shipp home.

Charlie Cochran visited Mr. and Mrs. Dean Cochran of Snyder Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Trammell had business in Post and Snyder Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Scoop Reid visited at Justiceburg Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Williams of Snyder had business and visited in Polar one day last Thursday.

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12 Per Cent Cut In Meat Supplies Due on April 1

More belt tightening is in prospect for Snyder and Scurry County consumers as a result of the government order, effective April 1, of a 12 per cent cut in meat supplies for civilians.

The order, issued from Washington, will [illegible] to the lowest point in [illegible] years. Less beef and pork will be available, but the civilian [illegible] of veal, lamb and mutton.

The OPA [illegible] to civilians for the April-May-June quarter at rate of only [illegible] pounds per person [illegible] the quarter now closing.

[illegible] "outstanding [illegible]" [illegible] of meat, and [illegible] supplies for U. S. Army and Navy [illegible].

To head off new shortages in the country in the East and Far West resulting from the curtailment, OPA and the government was undertaking to parcel out the cattle more equitably among slaughterers and packers over the nation.

Mrs. J. T. [illegible] Jr. visited her parents at Dunn over the week-end.

Mrs. J. D. Hart and Mrs. J. O. [illegible] visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. [illegible], at [illegible] over the week-end.

Baptist Church Gets Most of Truett Fund

Snyder First Baptist Church, with goal of $500, reports more than $400 raised as of this week to help underwrite with other West Texas Baptist churches cost of one entire floor in proposed Truett Memorial Hospital Building of Baylor University Hospital, Dallas.

The floor which Snyder and other West Texas Baptist Churches propose to underwrite in costs will cost $100,000 and will be decorated in true Western style. This entire floor will honor the memory and perpetuate the work of the late Baptist leader, Dr. George W. Truett.

Rev. Ray Shahan, Snyder Baptist pastor, says Snyder's First Baptist Church and all others in Texas will observe April 8 as Truett Memorial Day.

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Arvin Ball Earns Air Medal Award For Nazi Raids

Staff Sergeant Arvin V. Ball, 25, of Plainview and son of Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Ball of Route 1, Plainview, engineer and gunner on a B-17 Flying Fortress of the [illegible] Bombardment Group, has been awarded the Air Medal for "meritorious achievement" while taking part in Eighth Air Force bombing attacks on vital German targets.

By report [illegible] of an Eighth Air Force Bomber station in England, [illegible] participated in raids on Nazi industrial targets, air fields, supply depots and gun emplacements in conjunction with advances by Allied ground forces on the continent.

Air Medal presentation was made by Colonel Jack E. [illegible], group commander. Sergeant Ball is a member of the [illegible] group which led the first American bombing attack on targets in Berlin and which was cited by the president for outstanding performance [illegible], Germany, in October of 1943.

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Snyder General Hospital

Medical patients admitted to Snyder General Hospital since last week's report include: Mrs. W. W. Anderson of Route 1, Snyder; Mrs. J. F. [illegible] of Fluvanna, who was dismissed last Thursday; Mrs. C. E. [illegible] of [illegible]; J. H. [illegible] of Hermleigh; Mrs. W. C. Martin of Snyder; Dorton Varner, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Varner of Ira, who was dismissed [illegible].

Surgery patients included Mrs. [illegible] of Dermott, and [illegible]; Mrs. H. B. [illegible] of Hermleigh, who was dismissed Saturday; Tommy Patterson, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Patterson Jr. of Dermott, who was dismissed Saturday; and Joe Falls, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Falls of Ira.

Other patients who had been previously reported as patients dismissed since last week included: Mrs. P. A. Miller, Mrs. S. B. Curry, W. A. Hayes, Mrs. A. J. Schmidt and baby girl, Martha Ann, Mrs. Lloyd Murphy, Mrs. Glen Owens and baby boy, Glen Alan.

Patients, previously reported, remaining this week in the hospital were Mrs. M. F. Bolster, Mrs. J. C. Bowers, Mrs. J. C. Dawson, Mrs. Lee [illegible], O. E. Bowers, Mrs. C. I. Hill and baby girl, Sara Nan, and J. A. Dorn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Johnson of San Antonio and son, Lieutenant O. W. Johnson of Dothan Napier Field, Alabama, visited the latter part of last week in the Sam Johnson and the A. P. Morris homes.

Weldon [illegible] spent Sunday at Temple visiting his wife, who has been receiving medical treatment in the Scott & White Hospital there.

Subscriptions to Times of Service Men Expire Soon

In the following paragraphs are listed 35 Scurry County soldiers whose Times subscriptions will expire next week. Since loved ones and friends want to keep the Home County Paper going to all our boys in service, The Times presents the expiration list as follows:

[illegible] Lieutenant Junior Grade Elliott Barker, J. B. Bowling, Ensign; Sergeant Herman Crain, Private Arthur G. Crowder, [illegible]; Technician Fifth Grade H. V. Davidson, Technician Fourth Grade Bernard Deinhardt, J. C. Eddy, M.M. 2c; Corporal John H. Evans, Arlie W. Freeman, S2c; [illegible] Joe B. Gray, S1c; Corporal Sterling High.

C. D. Irion, A.M.M. 2c; Private First Class Gilbert C. Jones, Technical Sergeant James I. Luckner, Hoyt M. P. Mayhe, S2c; Private First Class Irvin E. Martin, Sherman H. Merritt, Lieutenant H. D. Moreland, Corporal Joseph A. Moore, Private Bruce W. Peterson, Private Bob Pinkston, Corporal John A. Rutledge, Sergeant Dock P. Rogers, Private Raymond Rollins, Private First Class David Schwarts, Platoon Sergeant A. B. Sealy, Corporal Elvin Tate and Staff Sergeant J. W. Tatom.

If renewals to their subscriptions are received by next week-end the boys will not miss an issue of their Home County Paper.

Private Billy Durham of Camp Wolters, Mineral Wells, Mrs. Delmar Koch and Mrs. W. M. Joyce and son of Lubbock spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Blake Durham.

Battlefronts Have Their Hardships

It might be a Scurry County boy—this American soldier in Italy who is working on his tent. He uses shell containers and packed dirt as protection against shrapnel. In the background is a truck mounted on the trail and two transport trucks are visible on the supply road, carrying supplies to the front.

J. W. Tatom Back In Hospital After Second War Hurt

Staff Sergeant J. W. Tatom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tatom of East Snyder, is back in a hospital in France, wounded for the second time in combat action, his parents are informed by the War Department.

Sergeant Tatom is attached to the [illegible] Infantry Division, Third Army, and is [illegible] the Purple Heart for the wounds he first sustained in action in Germany on January 13.

In service three years, J. W. was [illegible] by Colonel E. J. Morris. In being wounded the second time, he [illegible] suffered a "[illegible] wound of the left lower thigh."

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. King of Southwest Snyder this week received a [illegible] from their son, J. W. [illegible], a prisoner of war in Germany, in which he says:

"Just a line to let you know I am well. I hope this finds you and the family well. Tell dad and all I said hello. Hope to see you soon."

J. W. attended Hermleigh Schools and entered service in May, 1941. He was put in a German prisoner of war camp in September of last year, it is revealed.

Equinox Comes To County With Balmy Weather

Tuesday night was just as long as the day, for dearly beloved spring cast its magic spell over Scurry County.

Tuesday afternoon at 5:38 o'clock the vernal equinox occurred. At the time the sun center crosses the equator, Snyder was enjoying warm sunny weather—although the county was visited Monday night by a brief cool spell.

County Agent Raymond King declares moisture is plentiful in county ranch and field holdings, and prospects for a good crop this year are excellent.

Should this year's pattern be set up as a wet spring, dry summer, wet fall, observers declare it's a safe bet that late crops can be better than early crops and the fact farmers may be delayed in planting will not ruin the chance for bumper crops in Scurry County.

Operators Watching Garza County Tests

Scurry County operators this week are keeping an eye on Garza County, where Honolulu Oil Corporation and the Devonian Oil Company have staked location for their No. 1 H. P. Richardson, 440 feet from south and west lines of Section 1202, H. & T. C. Survey, for a 4,000-foot wildcat.

Location for the Honolulu-Devonian No. 1 Richardson is one and one-half miles southeast of the same operator's No. 1 [illegible] prospective discovery, bottomed at plugged-back depth of 3,343 feet and scheduled to make pumping test this week.

Guy Roberts No. 1 Ralph Welch, Section 2, Block 4, K. Aycock Survey, another Garza County wildcat, reported hole full of water at 45 feet and a hole full of salt water at 145 feet. Operator was reaming hole at total depth of 200 feet in sand.

It matters not how a man dies, but how he lives.—Samuel Johnson.

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Item	Description	Price
Prunes	Dried 2 Pounds	29c
SYRUP	White Swan Pure Cane—Gallon	73c
TOMATOES	Carlton 2 No. 2 Cans	25c
Apples	Any Kind Per Pound	12c
TEA	Lipton's Half Pound	56c
TISSUE	Scott's Limit 3 for	25c
Lettuce	Fresh Crisp Per Head	10c
GRAPEFRUIT	Pink Each	5c
Bell PEPPER	Fresh Per Pound	19c

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Methodists Raise Crusade Quota in First of Program

Snyder Methodist Church this week reports total contributions of $2,300 against an assigned goal of $2,319 in the Crusade for Christ program.

Rev. O. S. Herring, pastor, says the amount raised in Snyder will go to the [illegible] Methodist campaign for world relief and reconstruction.

Expenditure of the Crusade donations—from Snyder and other Methodist churches over the nation—will provide, by general agencies of the church, "for feeding the hungry, clothing the destitute, [illegible] the minds and spirits of the ignorant, under privileged, the driven and dispossessed."

"We want to thank each person who helped in any way with our reaching the goal," Rev. Herring states, "and am happy to say this concludes the first phase of our nation-wide program."

Second phase of the Methodist goal, beginning Sunday with the church's pre-Easter revival, will be evangelism. This theme will be emphasized for the remainder of 1945 and throughout 1946.

The Methodist Church has as an over-all goal securing of 1,000,000 new members.

One New Bus Arrives For Ira, Another Due

O. Z. Porter, Ira School superintendent, last week, after attending the Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth, went on to Dallas and drove a new school bus back.

Delivery of another new school bus, Porter states, is expected some time this week.

Serves in China

Technical Sergeant Thomas G. Carney, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Carney of Route 2, Hermleigh, is now engaged as a clerk at headquarters of the Chinese Combat Command in Southwestern China, his parents learn. T. G. graduated from Hobbs High School, where he was prominent in athletics.

J. Wayne Dawson on Way from Philippines

Overseas 18 months with the 148th Infantry, U. S. Armed Forces, Private First Class J. Wayne Dawson informs his aunt, Mrs. C. V. Lee of Route 1, Hermleigh, that he is returning from the battlefront somewhere in the Philippines.

Wayne informs Mrs. Lee that he recently ran across Roy Beavers, another Scurry County boy, and got to say "hello" to him.

Thomas Carney On Duty in China Gets Bronze Star

Technical Sergeant Thomas G. Carney, 28, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Carney of Route 2, Hermleigh, is now engaged as a clerk at a headquarters of the Chinese Combat Command in Southwestern China, headquarters of the Chinese Combat Command reports this week.

Units of T. G.'s Chinese Combat Command, the American military mission which trained, equipped, supplied and advised the Chinese Expeditionary Force in its Salween River campaign, played an important part in the offensive which succeeded in driving the Japanese invaders from Southwestern Yunnan Province. This made possible linking of the old Burma Road with the new Ledo Road.

Fought in some of the most rugged terrain in the world, including reaches of the 12,000-foot Kaoli Kung mountain range, a spur of the Himalayas, advisory and medical units of the CCC, proved a vital factor in helping to win this campaign.

Carney was graduated from Hobbs High School in 1935, and attended Texas Technological College, Lubbock, before entering the army in August, 1940.

Carney, who was stationed at Fort Sam Houston before being ordered overseas, served in North Africa and also in India before being flown across the Himalayan "Hump" to China.

For his service with CCC he is entitled to wear a Bronze Star on his Asiatic-Pacific Campaign ribbon.

Carney has a brother, John, and a brother-in-law, James Reed, serving with the armed forces in the Pacific area.

The sergeant's wife, Grace, resides at Route 1, Box 1497, Houston.

Sidney Bell Has Part in 11 Landing Raids

Coast Guardsman Sidney B. Bell, husband of the former Louise Peates of Snyder, motor machinist's mate first class, is serving aboard a Coast Guard manned LST craft moving men and munitions of war in the Southwest Pacific war theater.

So report Coast Guard officials, who say Bell, a seasoned Coast Guard invader, has seen action in 11 landing operations—including New Guinea, New Britain, the Admiralty Islands group, Biak and the Philippines.

Supplemental Ration Gasoline Available

New supplemental gasoline ration coupons B7 and C7, are now being issued to eligible motorists by War Price and Ration Boards in all counties and may be received by dealers, the Office of Price Administration informs The Times.

Coupons E3 and R3, which are for gasoline for non-highway use, are also currently being issued and are acceptable now.

Coupons B5, B6, C5, C6, E1, E2, R1 and R2 continue valid until further notice, OPA said.

Wallace Haney Gets Bomber Pilot Course

Captain Wallace G. Haney, son of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Haney of Snyder, has been specially selected for four-engine bomber pilot training and was this week transferred to Liberal Army Air Field, Liberal, Kansas, for instruction in flying Liberator bombers.

Captain Haney will receive at Liberal 15 weeks of intensive training at the installation of the Central Flying Training Command, and upon graduation will receive the rating of "airplane commander."

Haney attended Texas Technological College, prior to entering the air corps. He received his flying training at Hicks Field, Fort Worth, Goodfellow Field, San Angelo, and Foster Field, Victoria.

The Snyder Liberator trainee graduated from advanced training September 6, 1942.

NEWS NOTES FROM THE

Upper Colorado Soil Conservation District

A. J. [illegible], Chairman — [illegible] von Roeder, Sec'y
Earl Murphy — L. B. Long — Ollie [illegible]

This is planting time for seed[illegible]. Moisture conditions are [illegible] and there is every indication that successful plantings can be made.

The local supply of seed is [illegible]. Farmers who ordered seed last fall should get [illegible] as they [illegible] in order [illegible].

Assistance is offered in planting [illegible] at your district office. Technicians are available to [illegible] practical information.

Recent additions to the local staff of technicians assisting the district are P. P. Crookshanks, engineer, of Tyler; R. E. Parker, soil surveyor, of [illegible], and W. R. Roberts, soil conservationist, from [illegible].

All interested parties are urged to attend a demonstration in planting grasses on the C. A. Wade farm in [illegible] Creek community on Wednesday, March 14.

A special drill adapted to planting grass seed will be used and plantings will be made with two kinds of grass.

A special small seed attachment for a standard planter will also be used to demonstrate the method for handling grass seed.

District cooperators who have grass seed to plant and need some assistance in planting methods or equipment are urged to contact the local district office. If possible, another demonstration can be arranged in another part of the county to benefit more farmers and ranchers interested in grass planting.

A small amount of weeping lovegrass and blue panic are left on hand. These grasses have been given to the district with the provision they be used as seed blocks for local production of adapted seed.

District cooperators who would like to establish a seed block of these grasses should contact the district office for details. All evidence indicates there is a fine opportunity to get started in the production of scarce and expensive seed.

By way of a soil improvement we quote experiences of J. D. Rowland of Inadale.

Rowland turned under a six-foot crop of cane with a one-way knife while still green in the summer. On this 25-acre block the following year the cotton yields and performance were significant. Cotton stayed green while on parts of the untreated land the crop burned. Yields were considerably higher.

Improvement in the structure of the soil and an increased water storage capacity made the difference.

The weather last week did not permit [illegible] grass planting jobs.

Using a special grass seed drill, Bernard Lauderdale planted a 15-acre block to side oats grama. Mr. Lauderdale said that he felt he would get more benefit from native grass than he would from it as [illegible] piece of land.

The area planted was the upland side of a field. The soil is shallow and rocky with occasional sandy spots and [illegible] spots. Farming this field was very hard. Put back to native grass it can provide an economical grazing crop.

Lauderdale plans to keep the weeds mowed until the grass seedlings are well established. He bought his seed from the local market.

W. [illegible] Ellington used a grass planter of his own and did a good job of reseeding on several acres of land he intends to retire. The exact acreage is not known now because Ellington was so enthusiastic about the prospects of regrassing such crop land [illegible] intended to get more seed and plant all he could.

Ellington also reported last week that the good rain he had [illegible] and row [illegible] looked very good. Water was well distributed over the field and very few improvements could be made.

Several other grass planting jobs were done by district cooperators using the seed drill on loan to the district.

C. A. Wade extended his reseeding into this year with one more acre of blue grama and three acres of yellow bluestem.

Using special attachments for his tractor planters, Wade planted several acres of weeping love grass and five acres of blue panic grass.

Wade has over 30 acres he intends to reseed to grasses. A good start was made last year with about five acres of native grass and a planting of perennial Sudan.

Clyde [illegible] planted about 10 acres of abandoned field back to native grasses last week. A special grass drill, developed for handling native grass seed, was used.

A mixture of blue grama, side oats, and [illegible] grass was seeded at the rate of about [illegible] pounds per acre.

Otis Sturdivant planted about four acres to native grass in a steep part of his field that he has decided to retire.

The grass was seeded into a stubble of combine maize which will offer a litter cover to protect young grass seedlings.

Price Mark-Ups On Cost-of-Living Items Are Frozen

Price mark-ups of retailers [illegible] wholesalers were frozen, as of Monday, by the Office of Price Administration by a new regulation designed to insure that [illegible] consumers get the benefit of lowered factory prices which will be forthcoming.

"Freezing price mark-ups simply means that a retailer can use no greater margin between cost price and selling price than he was using March 19," Dallas OPA Director [illegible] B. Gholson explains. "This action is part of the WPB-OPA plan to cut clothing costs six to seven per cent and return greater quantities of lower priced goods to the civilian market."

Price tagging provisions were written into the regulation to help shoppers know the selling prices.

Gholson points out that the action will not roll back retail price increases which already have taken place on garments, shoes, dry goods, soaps and other products affected, but it will guarantee that when their cost to the retailer is reduced, the price to the consumer will also go down. OPA has already also issued its order designed to roll back manufacturers' price lines to the average level of the years 1942 and 1943. "This new action ties consumer prices into that rollback."

Mrs. Carrie Jones spent Sunday at Lubbock visiting her son and his wife, Private First Class and Mrs. Henry Lee Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. O. N. [illegible] were business visitors last week-end in Fort Worth and Dallas.

Elsie Murphree of Colorado City was a week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Murphree, here.

Visiting in the T. W. Pollard home this week is their daughter, Mrs. Marlene Holt of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Kincaid and Mrs. Dell Smith and son spent Saturday at Lubbock visiting Mrs. Kincaid's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Springer.

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Kellogg's Large 2 Pkgs. Corn Flakes 25c	National 3-Min. Box Oats.........31c Large Box with Pyrex
Phillips or Scotts No Points Tomato Soup 5c	Pure—All Flavors 5-Lb. Jar Jelly.........59c
Peanut Lge. Jar Butter.......33c	White ½ Gal. Syrup.........46c
28-Oz. Jar Each Mince Meat 30c	Italian Style—No Pts.— Jar Spaghetti...15c
Spaghetti or 2 Boxes Macaroni.....5c	Orange—No Pts. No. 2 Can Juice.........19c
Dixie—No Stamp Box Sugar.......12c Limit 1 Pound to Customer	While They Last No. 2½ Can Apricots....25c
In Jars ½ Gal. Pure Lard..73c	No Points No. 2 Can Carrots......10c
Fresh Lb. Grapefruit...8c	Dried Lb. Apricots....29c

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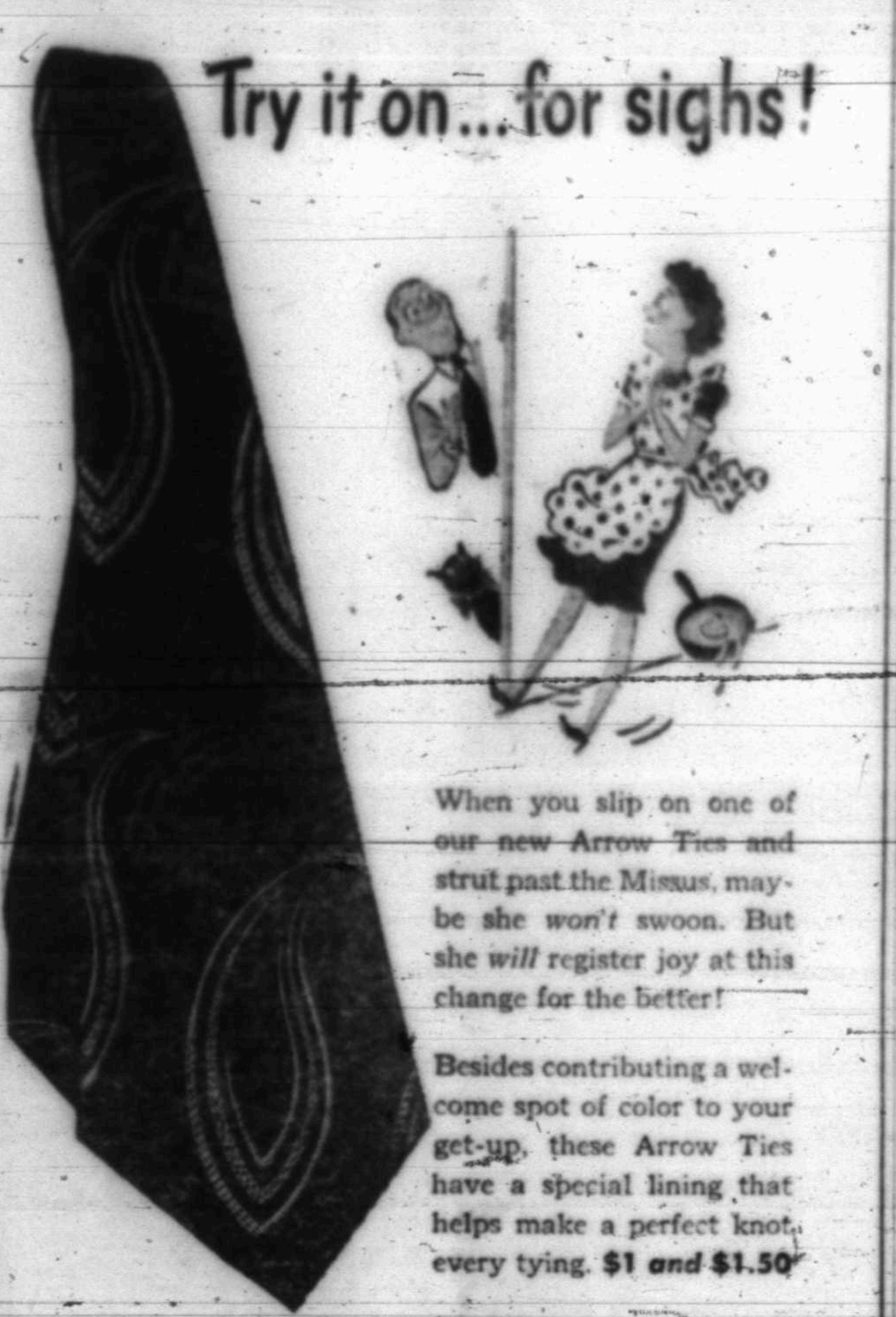

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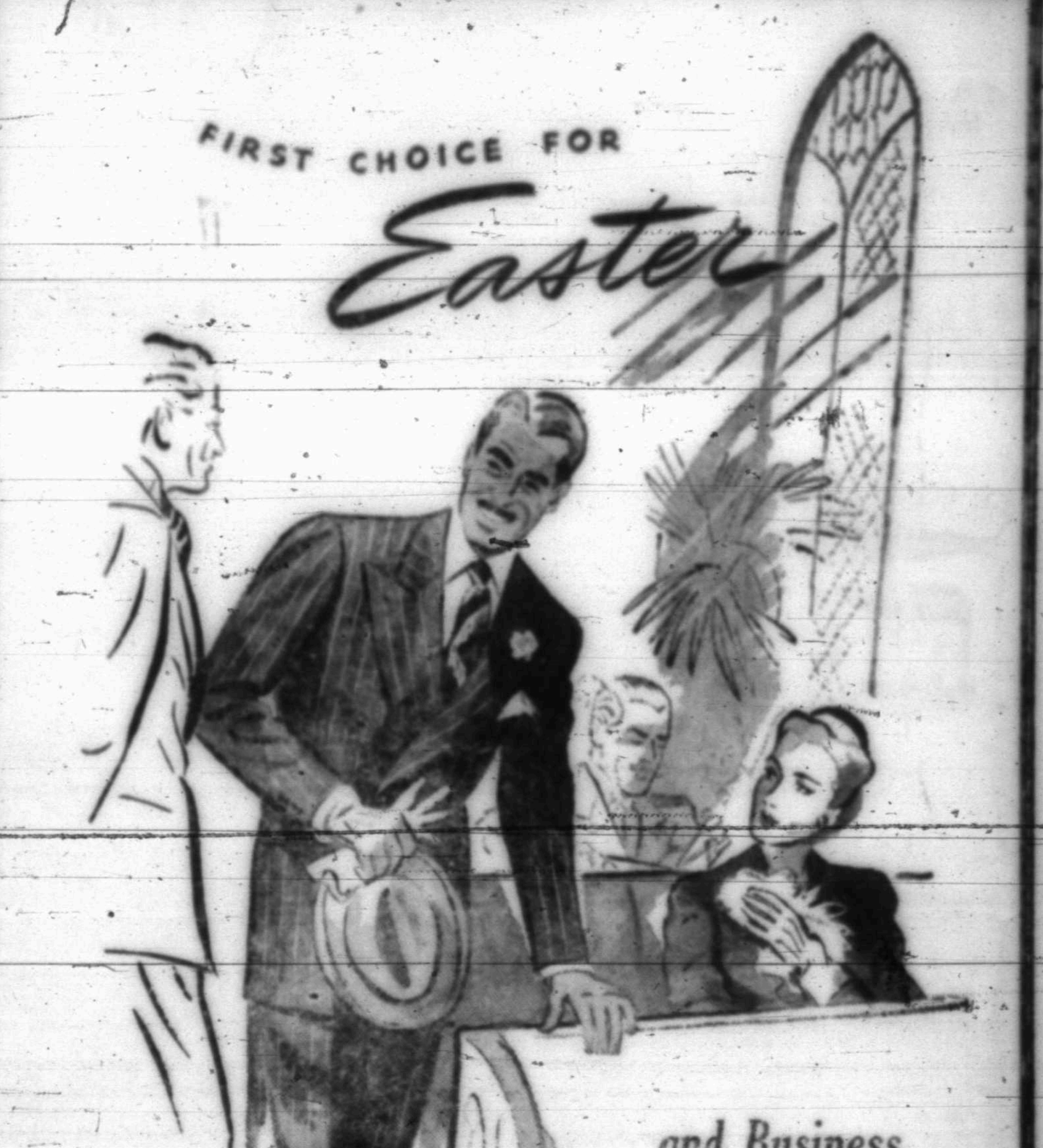

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HA! IT'S OUR LUCKY DAY, ALL RIGHT— GLADIOLA DUMPLINGS! DON'T EVEN SLOW DOWN!
SAVE THOSE WASTE FATS
AW, HECK! CAN'T GET 'EM TO STOP IF THEY'RE HURRYIN' HOME TO GLADIOLA DUMPLIN'S!
SAY! WE'D HAVE MORE LUCK IF WE CHANGED TH' BAIT TO A SACK OF GLADIOLA FLOUR!
TO BRIGHTEN EVERY BAKING HOUR, JUST BAKE WITH GLADIOLA FLOUR!
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APRIL FOOL!
OINK!
HEY, MA!— YOUR GLADIOLA FLOUR IS ALL GONE!!
HEAVENS T' BETSY!— DID I LET THAT FLOUR RUN OUT!
APRIL FOOL, MA!— POP LOVES YOUR LIGHT, FLAKY, TENDER GLADIOLA BISCUITS TOO MUCH TO LET YOUR GLADIOLA FLOUR RUN OUT!
THERE'S A 50-LB. SACK OF GLADIOLA FLOUR IN TH' PANTRY.
GRAHAM HUNTER

News About County Folks You Know

Union News

Mrs. J. B. Adams, Correspondent

Mrs. Patty McPherson and Margaret Bain have returned from California after visiting with her mother and brother and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Scott and children of Plainview community attended church here Sunday and visited in the Clyde Scott home.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Darnell visited Rev. and Mrs. J. W. McGinley at Ourrom Bender.

[illegible] Jones family were [illegible] Jones, Mrs. Ira Moore of Hermleigh, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bills and Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Williamson of Pleasant Hill; Mr. and Mrs. Joel Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Al Williamson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bain and children of Lamesa visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Adams, Sunday.

Love makes [illegible] only one [illegible]

Bison News

Sue McKeown, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McKeown of Dimmitt were visitors in the Frank Bitton home.

Mr. Garrett Kelly and Wanda of Ira spent Sunday with the Aubrey Huddleston family.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Moorehead visited Sunday with the Lindsey Moorehead family in Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright Huddleston and Mr. and Mrs. Ellis spent Sunday with the Alf Huddleston family at Hermleigh.

Jack Clark and family and Mrs. Bertha Clark of Snyder were Sunday guests in the Marsh Spraggins home.

Homer Huddleston and family of Ira spent Sunday in the Walter Huddleston home.

Mr. and Mrs. Casey Bishop and the Raymond Robinson family visited Mrs. J. L. Bruce, who is in a hospital at Colorado City.

Curtis Hodges of Ira spent the week-end with Donald Huddleston.

Mrs. Charlie Marr was a Sunday visitor in the J. W. McGinley home at Ourrom.

Marion Barrier of Meadow spent the week-end with the Casey Bishop family.

Time tells on a man—especially a good time.

Dunn News

Mrs. L. A. Scott, Correspondent

Mary Lou Cotton and Dene Tutton, students at Hermleigh High School, returned home early last week after attending the state basketball tournament for girls at Hillsboro. Mary Lou visited her brother, J. L. Cotton, and family at Fort Worth, and Dene visited Cousin [illegible] at Fort Worth. The girls also attended the Fat Stock Show while in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Ashley spent a few days visiting the J. L. Cotton family at Fort Worth and attended the Fat Stock Show last week.

Dunn has quite a few on the sick list this week. Mrs. J. L. Byrd has been in the Colorado City hospital a week with an infected gland caused by a tooth extraction. Her little brother, Donald, visited her last Wednesday and the doctor examined him for a stomach ailment and found an inflamed appendix. He underwent an operation the same day. Both are children of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Grant. O. H. Bowers suffered a heart attack Sunday afternoon and was in the Snyder General Hospital several days. Reggie Belding came home from the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show and is in a Colorado City hospital with pneumonia.

Attending the Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth over the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Martin Murphy and children, Carolyn and Pat, and FFA boys J. B. Davidson, Van Echols, Dan Cotton, Mardell Crabtree, Dudley Lee and Reggie Belding.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sherrod and children and Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Dowlin and son of Amarillo were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Sherrod and Mr. and Mrs. George Bowers and families.

Mrs. Andy Rhoades and son, Gene, of Borger arrived Saturday night for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Bowers, and family.

Flight Officer Douglas Brown of Kingman Air Field, Arizona, is here for a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Brown, and sister, Margie. Officer Brown received his wings December 23 at Luke Field, Arizona, and has trained at Kingman since that time. He will report to Drew Field, Florida, on termination of his leave.

Mrs. Claude Lloyd of Abilene and Mrs. Ray Nicholson of Snyder were Sunday guests of their mother, Mrs. Emma Clark.

Private First Class Billie Parker of Boca Raton Army Air Field, Florida, spent Monday night with the H. O. (Red) Brown family. Billie is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Orne Parker of Southland and a former resident of Dunn.

Mrs. T. A. Echols left Tuesday night for Texarkana and other points in East Texas for a visit with relatives.

Hermleigh News

Minnie Lee Williams, Correspondent

Mrs. Laura Patterson accompanied her son, Roy, and wife to Fort Worth Monday to join their grandson and nephew, Nelson Powell, who is home on furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rubin Powell. Nelson has been with Uncle Sam's navy since before Pearl Harbor and has seen much action in the Pacific. He is resting up while his ship is in repair base. This is his third such trip since the start of the war. His first major engagement was during the Marshall and Gilbert Islands raid.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Appleton and son visited his mother, Mrs. J. M. Appleton, and also in the O. L. Stevenson and F. A. Werner homes. Mmes. Stevenson and Werner are sisters of Howard.

Mrs. Hess of Abilene is spending a few days here with her daughter, Allien, who is teaching in our high school.

R. L. Adams and family of Borger spent Thursday and Friday with Mrs. Adams' mother, Mrs. O. F. Patterson, and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Rector are making a large addition to their store building which they purchased from D. W. Barfoot recently.

A nice rain fell Sunday night that is helping the spring weeds to grow rapidly. Fruit trees are blooming profusely and everything seems to indicate that spring is here, including young gardens.

We wish to correct an error we made concerning the next meeting place of the singing. It will be at the First Baptist Church Sunday afternoon. Everybody is cordially invited to attend. You will enjoy it.

Mr. and Mrs. Rosie Williams were hosts to a dinner at their new home in the Plainview community Sunday which was served picnic style in the back yard. They enjoyed having all their 13 children, four in-laws and six of their eight grandchildren present which made the occasion a happy one, yet it was sad as their son, Private Paxon Williams will leave this week for the port of embarkation which means, of course, he will be sailing for an unknown destination in the very near future. Rosie and family have made their home near Hermleigh the past 31 years until a couple of weeks ago when they moved to their present newly built home on the former Dr. W. H. Ward farm four and one-half miles east of Snyder. Those present Sunday at the dinner were Mrs. Loreta Walker and two children of Garland, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Williams of the Bell community, Aubrey Williams and family of this place, Mrs. J. O. Jones of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Wint Williams of [illegible], Lieutenant and Mrs. J. H. Parren and little daughter of Gainesville, Private Paxon Williams of Camp Fannin, Inora, Rosie Jr., Ted, Fred, Bob and Tommie Williams, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Williams of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Reed and the writer of this community, the host and hostess. Mr. and Mrs. Martin of Loraine called in the afternoon.

Superintendent J. R. Covey of Fluvanna has accepted the superintendency of the Hermleigh Schools in the place of A. C. Bishop Jr. who moved, together with his family, to Stamford last week. Mrs. Dorothy Merket Hunter of China Grove took Mrs. A. C. Bishop's place as history and Spanish teacher in the grades.

Round Top News

Mrs. Buddy Crowder, Correspondent

Mrs. Willis Smith and son, Billy Mack, of Lubbock spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Durham.

Private Billy DuFrain of Camp Wolters, Mineral Wells, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. D. DuFrain, over the week-end.

Nonie Williams of Abilene Christian College spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Reeves spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Reeves at Hermleigh.

Mrs. Ben Williams spent the past two weeks visiting with her mother, Mrs. Pat A. Johnston, at Snyder.

Morian Crowder and Beth Arthur of Abilene Christian College spent the week-end visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Crowder.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Lily and family of Ira spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Payne.

Private Truman L. Pruitt, who is stationed at a prisoner-of-war camp at Florence, Arizona, spent two days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Pruitt.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lewis visited last Sunday night at Dunn ranch.

Odis White of Floyd, New Mexico, spent last week with his daughter, Mrs. Travis Greenfield, and visited the W. B. Paynes.

Ralph Payne, Earl Lewis, Carl Ashley and W. J. Fisher were fishing in Glasscock County last Thursday and Friday.

Mr. Covey has taught here before and has many friends who welcome him back.

Johnny, young son of Private and Mrs. Jack Watson, was operated on Tuesday at Abilene for a growth on his lung. It was first thought he had inhaled a peanut into his lung. Private Watson, who is in the signal corps at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, was present for the operation. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Watson and has been in the service about a year.

Mrs. LaVerne Lytle of Minden is visiting her sister, Mrs. Elmer Henry, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Mobley were called Sunday to the bedside of his [illegible], Mrs. McDorman. She passed away Monday and was interred Wednesday. The Mobleys remained for the funeral.

Camp Springs

Mrs. Clyde Scott, Correspondent

A wedding shower was given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wall Friday night honoring Sergeant and Mrs. John M. Akers. A complete story of the shower will be found on page two.

Charlie Wood, wife and son spent Sunday with their daughter at Borden, and Sunday night several members of the family enjoyed ice cream in the Wood home.

Mrs. Dick Fowler and niece, Mrs. Betty Bodeen, of Lloyd Mountain, made a trip to Lubbock Monday and returned Wednesday. Mrs. Fowler and children spent Wednesday night with Mrs. P. E. Ware while Dick Fowler and Ed Ware spent the night wolf hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wall and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brown went to Abilene Sunday to take the former's daughter, Billie, back to school after she spent the week-end at home in Camp Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wall spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Williams.

Sunday, March 11, Rev. Palmer and family, Mr. Carrison, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Williamson attended the birthday party in the home of Bob Hawkins honoring Mr. Hawkins' seventy-third birthday. The old past enjoyed the party very much.

The Camp Springs Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Hawkins last Wednesday with 11 members present. New officers were elected as follows: Mrs. Clyde Brown, president; Mrs. Dalton Williamson, secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. Bellivat, councilman.

Mrs. Jim Beavers left Saturday for Hope, Arkansas, to visit her mother, Mrs. A. J. Lafferty.

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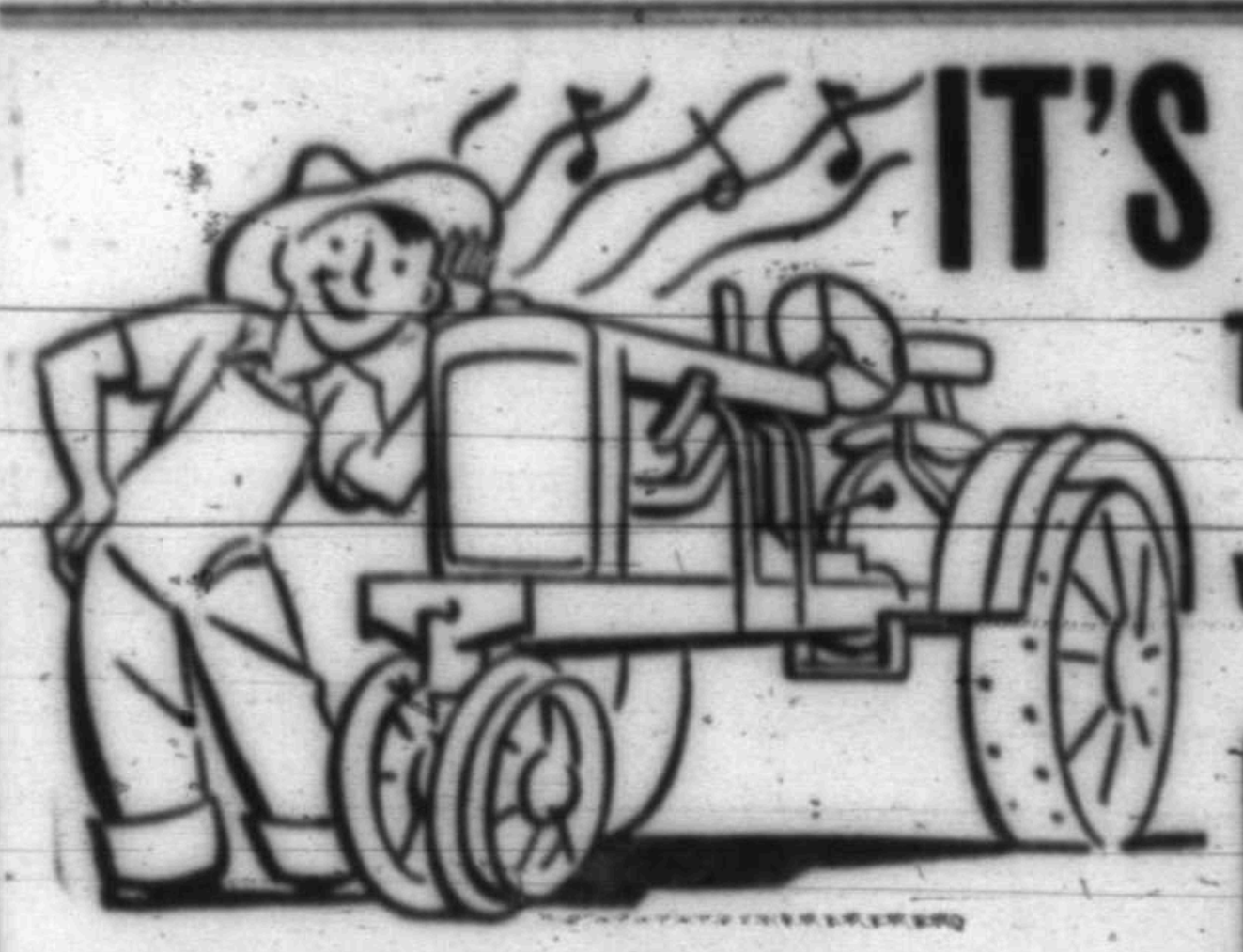

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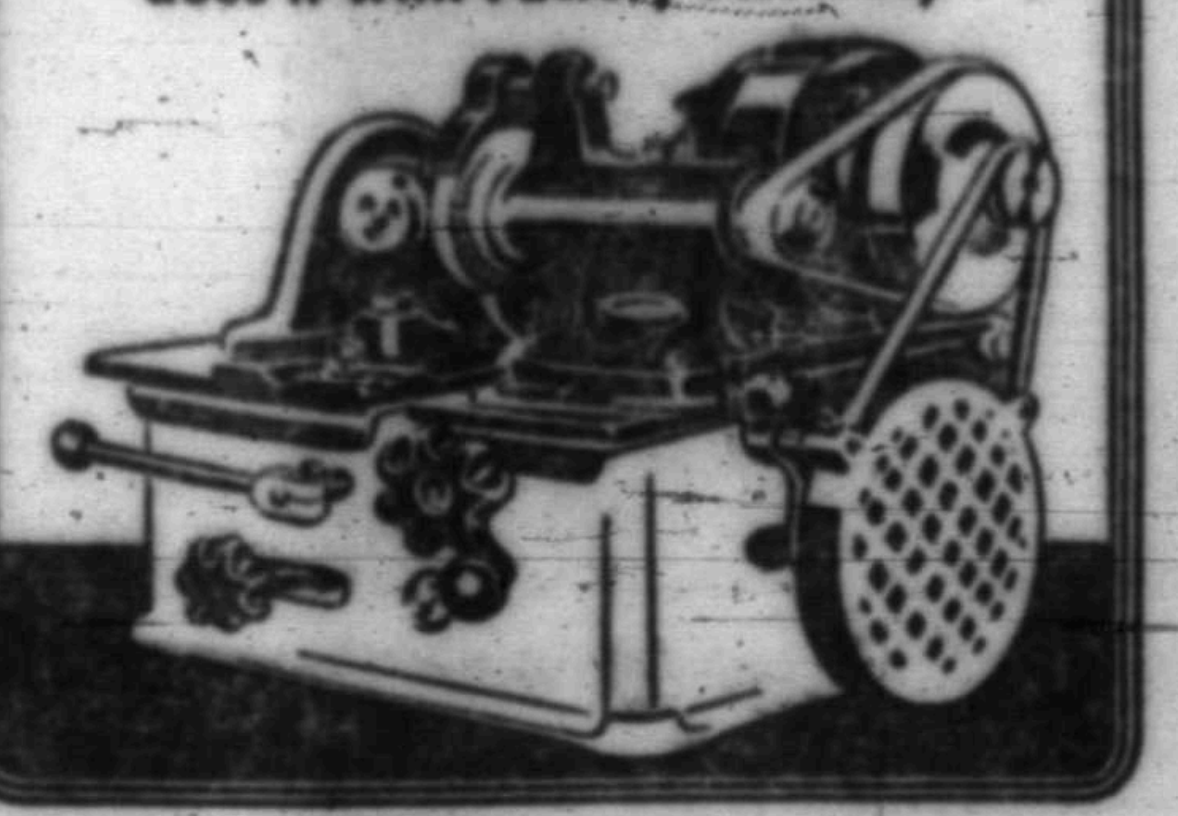

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Plainview News

Mrs. John Woodard, Correspondent

The C. H. Jones family is moving to Snyder and we failed to learn who will occupy the Jones house.

Mrs. A. M. Weller and daughters, Christ and Lottie Mae, of Abilene spent the week-end in the Albert Glass home.

Mrs. D. M. Payne and girls shopped at Colorado City Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hooper and girls of Snyder were dinner guests Sunday in the Fred Rauch home. Mr. and Mrs. Ruth Shaw of Hermleigh also were visitors in the Rauch home.

Mr. and Mrs. Edney von Roeder and girls were in Sweetwater Saturday.

G. W. Parks and J. N. Sims attended the Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Orbell went to Colorado City Friday.

Mrs. Jay Griffin and Don of Sweetwater spent several days last week in the John Woodard home.

The water of the Red Sea is turned red by the dense growth of sea weed.

Pleasant Hill News

Anna Beth Hill, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Holloway and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Holloway and children and Mrs. W. H. Lindley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Langford at Tokio.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Grier of Wasco spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Grier.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Hills and Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Williamson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Jones at Bethel.

Supper guests in the C. A. Hill home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Hill, Mrs. Bernice Herlen and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. H. J. McClain of Bethel and Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Grier of Wasco.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Finley and children of Ira visited in the Albert Hills home Sunday night.

School Aid Bill Gets Attention of Senate

Bill providing $14,000,000 annually for state aid to rural schools Tuesday topped the State Senate's calendar at Austin, and keen interest centered in scheduled committee hearings on controversial legislation.

Fate of the state aid bill will mean the difference, local school people say, between a stabilized program for another year and uncertainty of continuing some rural schools whose main standby is rural aid appropriations from Austin.

Ira News

Mrs. Mabel Webb, Correspondent

Our community received a nice rain Sunday night, accompanied by considerable hail.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Bynum visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lewis and children at Dunn Sunday afternoon.

Alta Cross spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cross, at Merkel.

Mrs. J. H. Allen visited the first part of the week with her daughter, Mrs. O. W. Holladay, at Triangle.

Private Robert Lee Miller returned to camp Monday after an extended visit with his mother, Mrs. A. A. Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Webb of China Grove spent Sunday in the John Webb home.

Rev. R. O. Browder of Dunn will fill his appointment at the Methodist Church Sunday morning and night.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Grizzle, who were married last Wednesday night.

Captain Robert C. Lloyd and girl friend of Greenville, South Carolina, left Sunday after a two-week visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Lloyd.

Mrs. Ras DeLoach and children of Snyder visited Sunday in the Amil Kruse home.

Corporal Mike Moore of Childress spent the week-end with his son, Bill Moore, in the M. L. Lloyd home.

Mrs. M. L. Wilson, R. D. White and P. L. Gullett made a business trip to Sweetwater Monday.

Edith Eades and girl friend, Miss Bish, of Snyder spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Eades.

Mrs. Natha Davis of Jal, New Mexico, visited last week with her sister, Mrs. P. J. Moran, and other relatives at Dunn.

Norma DeLoach of Snyder visited Ann Falls Sunday.

We extend our sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Thornhill in the loss of their home by fire last week.

Burta Mae Kelly, who is attending Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Kelly.

Private First Class Jack Holladay of Big Spring arrived Thursday for a 15-day furlough visit with his mother, Mrs. Lana Holladay, and daughter, Doris.

James Perry Echols spent Sunday night with Weldon Key at Bison.

Mrs. Geraldine Allen and small daughter, Judy, of Comanche spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. J. H. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mason had visiting them last week his mother, Mrs. E. C. Ferguson, of Ovalo.

Rev. C. D. McEntire of Abilene filled his regular appointment at the Baptist Church Sunday morning and night. He was accompanied by his daughter, Kay Frances.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Eades visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Eades, at Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Stiles Trevey and children of Snyder visited Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Holdren Sunday.

Mrs. J. V. Van Norman had visiting her last week her sister, Mrs. Butler, and son of Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Grizzle left Sunday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Grizzle at Lubbock before he goes back to camp.

Mrs. P. J. Moran has been at the bedside of her niece, Mrs. J. L. Byars, at a Colorado City hospital.

George Wright left Monday night to be at the bedside of an only aunt, Mrs. Wright, at Cooper.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Newton were Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Newton and daughter, Hazel, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Newton and baby of Weinert, Mrs. Ruby McDonald of Haskell, Mrs. E. W. Marion, mother of Mrs. G. A. Newton of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Denson, Wayne and Patsy and Mrs. Sue Brown, all of Dunn.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Thornhill and children into our community.

Mrs. Garnett Kelly and daughter, Wanda, visited in the Aubrey Huddleston home at Knapp Sunday.

Odes White of Clovis, New Mexico, and Autiwee Crowder of Richmond, California, visited in our community part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Bryant of Snyder spent Sunday night in the John Webb home.

Corporal Jesse Grizzle and Eugenia Carlile were united in married Wednesday night at 8:00 o'clock at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Carlile. Corporal Grizzle is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Grizzle of Lubbock. He has been stationed in the Aleutian Islands for the past two years. Mrs. Grizzle is a graduate of Ira High School and has worked for several months in San Antonio. The bride wore a two-piece suit of powder blue crepe with a corsage of pink carnations. Rev. R. O. Browder of Dunn read the single ring ceremony. Only a few close friends of the bride were present. Wedding cake and punch were served.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Clark and son, Kelton, visited Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. James, at Snyder.

Mrs. D. E. Clark visited with her mother, Mrs. G. L. Autry, Saturday.

Mrs. Ryan's room rendered a program Friday, after which war savings stamps were sold.

Fluvanna News

Ola Stavely, Correspondent

Lieutenant David McKnight, who has been in Cairo, Egypt, for the past three years with the U. S. Army, is at home on a furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Merrell went to Rotan last week to attend the funeral of a brother, who sustained fatal injuries in a fall.

Clay Ryder, W. F. Mathis and daughter, Faye, went to Lubbock last Friday. Faye visited with her friends at the Lubbock Sanitarium.

Mrs. Betty Westley is in Wichita Falls this week visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. C. Eden.

C. H. Toombs, J. W. Wills, Robert Warren and L. C. Drum went to Lubbock Thursday prospecting for a superintendent for the school.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Thrane and children went to Slaton Saturday.

Mrs. Ines Duke, who has been visiting the Joe Green family at Lovington, New Mexico, returned home this week.

Lorian Thomas and Virginia Browning of Lubbock visited friends and relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. J. O. Landrum came home Sunday from Lubbock after spending several days with her daughter, Mrs. R. Nelson, at Lubbock, who is ill. Her small grandson, Jimmy Nelson, came home with her for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Landrum and J. I. Baron went to Abilene Saturday.

Mrs. A. Mayhew of Dallas returned home last week after spending several days with her mother, Mrs. J. T. Jones, and sister, Mrs. W. J. Beaver.

Ina Lou Carmichael, who is working at Fort Worth, is home for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Fuller of Alameda, California, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Odom, and sister, Mrs. J. H. Patterson, and family.

J. E. Smith is at home after spending several weeks in a veterans' hospital at Chicago, Illinois.

H. E. Carmichael returned home this week from Missouri, where he went for a physical check-up.

Nealy Squyres talked to her brother, Roland Squyres, from Brigham City, Utah, Tuesday morning. He is recovering from wounds sustained in the European theater of war several months ago.

Ennis Creek News

Mrs. Allen Davis, Correspondent

Staff Sergeant Donald McGlaun and Mrs. McGlaun of Amarillo spent the week-end in the Frank Wilson home.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Pledger and children of Dunlap spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Walker and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Alvey and daughter, Gila Lee, visited Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bolls and son at O'Donnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Davis Jr. of Colorado City were visitors in the T. F. Davis home Sunday.

There will be a supper at the school house Friday night, March 30. Nolan von Roeder will be there and will present the film of our school along with other films. Please come early, folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brumley and daughter, Velma Lou, and Mr. and Mrs. George Brumley visited Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Rives and Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Cox at Abilene Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Day of Snyder spent the week-end in the Cliff Birdwell home.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Wade of near Snyder were Saturday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wade and daughter.

Mrs. Earl Johnson and son, Lieutenant Wayland Johnson of San Antonio, and Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Morris of Snyder were week-end visitors in the Gaither Bell home.

Mrs. J. A. Mitchell and granddaughter, Phyllis, who have spent the last two weeks in the Cliff Birdwell home, returned to their home at Sweetwater Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Walker and Donna visited Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Griffin and children at Abilene Sunday and Tuesday.

Dermott News

Johnny Greenfield, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Smith went to Lubbock last Friday.

Bill Riley and family of Wheeler and James Riley of Martin were Sunday visitors of the T. R. Bertel home.

M. J. Browning, Patsy Ann and Betty Morred of Snyder and Payden Morred of Sweetwater spent the week-end with Jimmy Browning and family.

Lorian Thomas and Virginia Browning of Lubbock and David McKnight of the U. S. Army visited friends and relatives here Sunday afternoon.

Luther Robinson and family and Mrs. V. E. Hamilton and boys visited the A. J. Davises at Ira Sunday. Mrs. Hamilton stayed to be with her mother, who is ill.

Johnnie Mae Maples of Dallas is visiting M. E. Maples and Ila.

Bob White and family of Snyder visited Sunday afternoon in the M. E. Maples home.

Onnie Patterson had her tonsils removed at the Snyder General Hospital last Friday.

R. O. Reed is working at Brownfield this week as relief foreman on the Santa Fe section.

Jeanee Miller of Hermleigh spent the week-end with her folks.

H. O. Greenfield and family, Mrs. B. O. Greenfield and L. A. Williams visited in Sylvester Sunday.

Mrs. F. A. Farquhar of Comanche is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jesse Browning.

W. R. Boatman went to Clovis, New Mexico, last week to visit his niece and nephew. He also went to visit his sister at Farwell.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Edmonson and Mrs. H. O. Greenfield went to Lubbock Tuesday.

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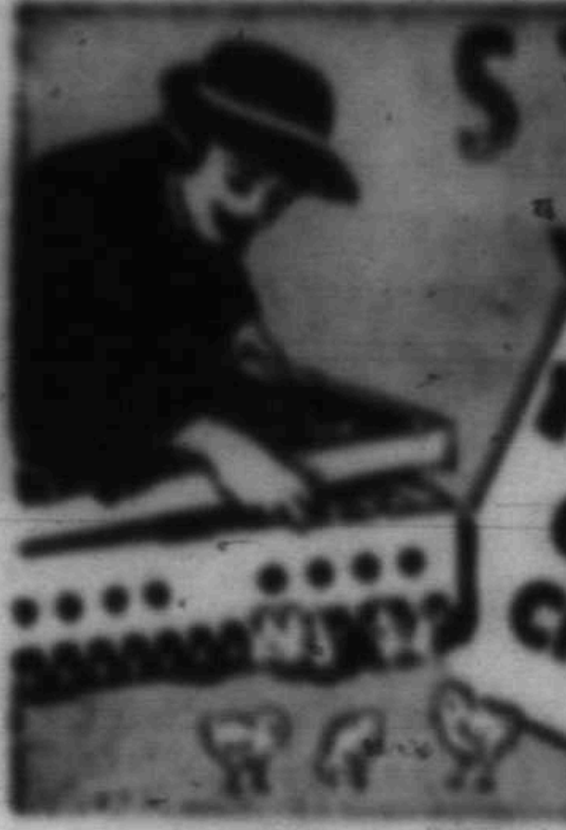

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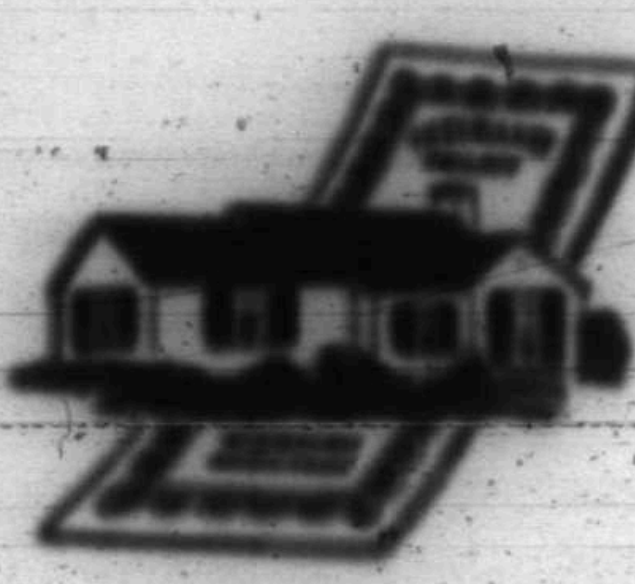

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For Sale

FOR SALE—9x12 Rose and blue Wilton velvet rug; also small matching 3x5 rug, $35.00. Can be seen at 2312 30th Street, phone 258J. 1c

FOR SALE—Hand made rabbits and other Easter gifts.—Estelle Wylie, 1403 29th Street, Snyder, telephone 1124-J. 42-2p

HEDGE PLANTS—Amoor River, nice size, $2 dozen, $15 per 100; and many other nice nursery plants.—Bell's Flower Shop. 42-2c

Miscellaneous

REDBUD EXPLANATION—We are out of the western variety of redbud and since the other kinds will not bloom here, we are trying to find the right kind. If we find it we will let you know in this classified column.—Bell's Flower Shop, Snyder. 41-2c

THANK YOU, FRIENDS

We want to express our sincere thanks to our friends who came to our aid when fire destroyed our home recently. The many gifts of clothing and other useful household necessities helped us greatly to get started "housekeeping" again. That you may have such friends when disaster comes your way is the wish of Bailey Thornhill and Family. 1p

PLEASE RETURN my jacks. I need them.—Van Sumruld. 1p

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to our friends for their prayers and sympathy during the long illness and death of our darling baby, Patsy Lynn. We thank God for faithful friends that mean so much during the hours of sorrow and grief. May God comfort you with just such blessings in your hour of need.—Rev. and Mrs. L. B. Edwards, Tahoka. 1p

SEALED BIDS will be received on or before March 31, 1945, for buyers for cash at the office of J. W. Scott, Towle Building, Snyder, Texas, for the following described real estate belonging to the estate of A. C. Wilmeth, deceased: West one-half of Lot 1, Block 47, Blankenship Addition to the City of Snyder, Scurry County, Texas, with residence thereon.—Warren S. Cook, Administrator. 1c

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The Smith-Doxey Act

There is no reason why Scurry County cotton improvement leaders should not band together again this year and secure benefits of free cotton classification and market news during the 1945 cotton crop.

Such service has been made available through the Smith-Doxey Act, and applications for such benefits as the measure affords may be filed as soon as members have planted their cotton.

Membership of improvement groups all over the country have shown a steady increase since the Smith-Doxey Act became law and free cotton classification became available with the 1938 crop.

Bombs on Tokyo

With the experience gained in other theaters of operation, every American should by now be thoroughly convinced that the surest, quickest and most life-saving wa yto bring Japan to her knees is to continue without let-up bombing of every major Japanese city like Nagoya, Osaka and Tokyo—especially Tokyo, where recent bombings have caused parliament to begin casting dirty insinuations against the Nipponese war lords.

Our recent experience at Iwo Jima should convince us the Jap homeland should not be invaded by foot troops until we are doubly sure the people of the home islands are plenty "softened up" by block-buster bombs and incendiary messages whose meaning can never be doubted.

Evidently, we will have to kill the Japs much like wharf rats, and every rat smoked out with bombs will mean saving of American lives—which is, really, of paramount importance—regardless of how badly we want to win the war.

Your Car and You

You and your automobile are pretty important this year, and Snyder area people are urged to greater conservation than previously to keep their vehicles in operation.

Your car, Mr. Motorist, is the battleground, and cold, heat, friction, age and wear are the enemies. War aims? Well, we're fighting as a community to keep our transportation system from breaking down, and if we keep our cars, trucks and pick-ups on the road for the duration, we will be doing a great service for the home front.

Time was, of course, in horse and buggy days, when a person could take all week to get from one place to another, but in this day and age, when speed is more essential than ever, cars, trucks and pick-ups are urgently necessary to normal functioning to all farm and ranch business—not to mention fields of professional endeavor.

Take care of your car! Watch your oil, check your battery often, keep your tires properly inflated—make your car last.

Editorial of the Week

A MOUNTAIN OF WASTE

The millions of man hours lost to the war effort by strikes, accidents and absenteeism have been well estimated by experts and then publicized thoroughly. There even has been allusion to the time waste incident to standing in line for cigarets.

During this season of the year, when many persons have been compelled to make income tax returns and estimates, to buy auto license plates, to render homes and other property for taxation after having paid state and local taxes and obtained poll tax receipts in months just previous, there is at least the suggestion that the financial and other requirements of all government cause a tremendous loss of man-hours to the war effort. To the experts is commended the task of calculating the time consumed in making reports to all branches of government and trips to court houses, city halls and federal buildings. The total should be revealing if not startling.—The Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

Life at Home Not Bad

It was commonly expected in the early days of our participation in the war that the American people would be subjected to somewhat severe deprivations. Some may have feared that the people would not get enough to eat, and that clothing would be scarce.

But our people have gotten by rather easily as respects material comforts. They have been unable to buy many things that they wanted, but as a rule substitutes could be found. We have probably had more comforts and conveniences than the people had at the beginning of this century in a time of perfect peace.

The sacrifice of so many of our brave men who have given their lives has been terribly tragic. There have been heavy anxiety and pain of separation, and worry about those wounded or prisoners or exposed to danger. But the American home is still comfortable.

Words Not in Your Dictionary

OBESITY.—Surplus gone to waist.
DISCRETION—Something you learn after you are too old for it to do you any good.
UNDERSTANDING WIFE—One who has a steak ready when you come in from a long day of fishing.
PERSONALITY—That quality which enables you to cash a check in a strange town without acting guilty.

Current Comment

Editor's Note—Expressions of opinions contained in this column are those of the writer and do not necessarily reflect the opinions or policies of The Times. Current Comment is merely carried as a feature column.

BY LEON GUINN

Despite the fact American invasion of the Jap homeland is imminent, and American doughboys have crossed the Rhine River, there are people in this land of America who can work only for a few weeks at a time and who must, they feel, go to expensive resorts to get "away from the hum-drum" of war and who must squander hundreds of dollars on what they term "needful relaxation." . . . Those who are profiting most from this war are not concerned with buying war bonds or with weekly casualty lists, but are intensely interested in keeping up with the newest trends in floor shows and who records the newest in jive music. . . . Some of these days, when the boys get back, something pretty straight and to-the-point may be done about the matter.

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We still evidently have so much patriotism in America that we can tolerate a few more strikes before summer. . . . Strikes, it is predicted, may increase with Germany's downfall, and one union, for instance, wants the no-strike pledge jumped by time the Nazis fold up. . . . It's strange that other nations have no time for paralyzing strikes and lock-outs, but we have union bosses over here who seem to be more powerful than the president of the United States—man who should in all cases be our "commander-in-chief."

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You can well look for service men, when they return home, to demand that public health officials stress preventive medicine throughout the United States as the best way to maintain the public welfare. . . . In the Middle East, India, China and other regions where health is indeed poor, service men see how their own vigorous health can be maintained by proper precautionary measures such as inoculation, proper food and sanitation.

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When our boys and girls get back home, doctors believe they will place primary reliance on preventive measures—rather than wait until sickness strikes and then seek the road back to health again. . . . Miserable conditions of peoples in the Middle East is teaching service men the value of cleanliness and sanitation—the kind of lesson that will not be forgotten after the war is over. . . . Health standards in the U. S., the world's richest nation, need a good revision anyway, and the impetus of war-time can well hasten the time when people get in the habit of seeking medical advice before they get sick and need hospitalization.

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It appeared certain this week that increased army buying of clothing and other quartermaster items for Pacific operations will take a healthy cut out of civilian allocations, and as a result new shortages may be expected in shoes and cotton yarns. . . . The army, using plenty of good common sense, is piling up supplies in the Pacific area well ahead of operations which will occur in China and Japan. . . . The army, observers state, is 100 per cent right in its assertion that the American economy has not yet suffered much.

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We are going to have, after a breakdown of Naziism, a difficult time in re-educating Germany, and don't you forget it. . . . The Big Three are agreeing in principle that militant nationalism dating from Frederick the Great must be uprooted—regardless of consequences, and whether we can secure enough trustworthy German teachers is going to be another major problem to solve. . . . A bigger headache for the American Military Government is whether reformed instruction will be rather, Marxian, orthodox European—or both. . . . This subject will probably not be settled in any concrete form until we get really into the matter of uprooting some of the militant ideas which have been on the loose in Germany for centuries.

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Despite what things may have been agreed to in principle at the Yalta conference, a revival of German trade unions will be tried as one of the ways to restore democracy. . . . Prior Allied experience in Italy indicates some seeds of trade unionism may have survived in Germany, too, even though the Nazis are the world's most ruthless exterminators. . . . While a new Germany, being created from the ash heap of the Third Reich, may need some liberties in order to gain self sufficiency, Allied leaders will have to exercise great caution—lest cartels are revived to the extent world trade will be throttled—as happened after World War I.

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We are really going to apply the screws economically on the home front from here on out, and in addition will cut down on meat shipments to Great Britain by at least 87 per cent. . . . Despite what we may think, Great Britain has been one of our staunchest allies in global warfare against the Axis, and after surviving five years of attacks from all angles, one wonders how the U. S. can believe Great Britain will survive if we reduce meat shipments to Britain in any volume. . . . We some day will have to get out of the idea that we can always play Santa Claus to starving European nations—not actively fighting on our side—and our most recent experience in shipping foodstuffs to Italy should convince us that we cannot be granddaddy to every nation overrun by, for instance, the Nazis.

There is need for realization of the existing fact of the universal brotherhood of man.—Dr. Z. T. Koo.

Nothing but Christianity can eventually secure the world's peace.—Lord Bryce.

Next War Bond Drive Quota Will Be Raised Third

Although Scurry County's share in the forthcoming Seventh War Loan drive E bond quota was not available this week, Texas' share will be [illegible], it was announced Tuesday by Nathan Adams of Dallas, state war finance committee chairman.

Using as a yardstick the increased percentage given the state, Scurry County's last war bond quota of [illegible] in E bonds would be raised in the Seventh War Loan drive to approximately [illegible]. This would be the county's second largest goal for the bond campaigns so far. The quota for the fourth war loan drive in the spring of 1944 was [illegible].

Adams says the Texas-wide E bond quota of [illegible] "is the largest ever assigned to us." The state chairman says the combined three-month job will be 35 per cent larger than quotas given the state in any previous campaign.

Test at Canyon Drills At 3,100 Feet in Lime

Interest continued high Wednesday night at the Canyon Livermore of Lubbock No. 1 Rollins test three miles west of Canyon School as drilling continued at 3,100 feet in hard, gray lime.

The Livermore No. 1 Rollins bailed considerable free oil from the Sharon Ridge horizon encountered at 2,342 feet.

Glenn Robinson, drilling contractor, is carrying the wildcat project with cable tools.

Location is in the northwest corner, northeast one-fourth of Section 160, Block 97, H. & T. C. Railway Company Survey.

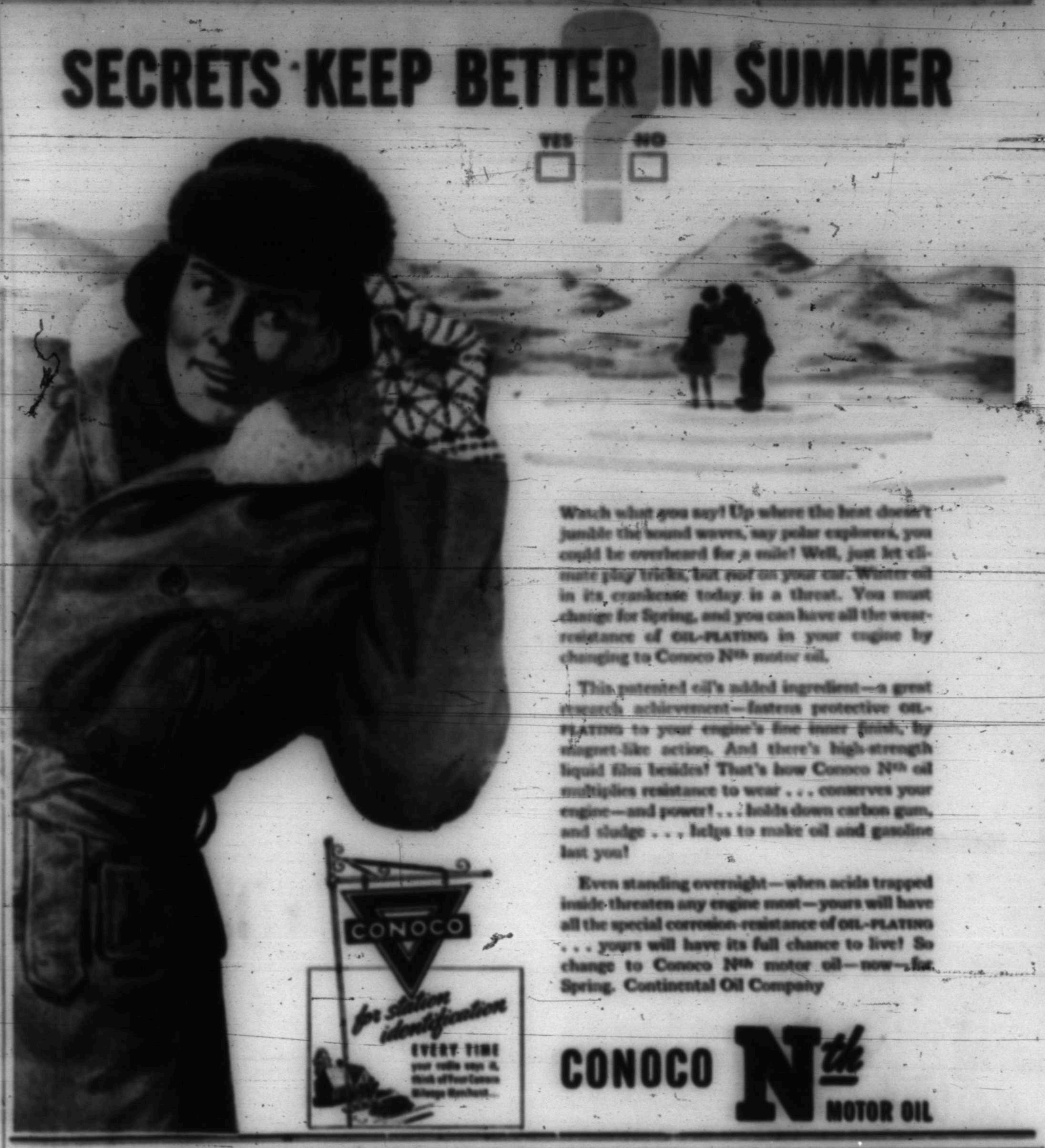
William Cessna Goes To Sioux Falls Field

Technical Sergeant William M. Cessna, whose wife is the former Mary June Dennis of Snyder, has been transferred from Carlsbad Army Air Field, Carlsbad, New Mexico, to Sioux Falls, South Dakota.

Sergeant Cessna is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis W. Cessna of Reno, Nevada.

Jack McCravey of Corpus Christi visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McCravey, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Clements and daughter, Virginia, were visitors in Abilene Monday.



SECRETS KEEP BETTER IN SUMMER
YES ☐ NO ☐

Watch what you say! Up where the heat doesn't jumble the sound waves, say polar explorers, you could be overheard for a mile! Well, just let climate play tricks, but not on your car. Winter oil in its crankcase today is a threat. You must change for Spring, and you can have all the wear-resistance of OIL-PLATING in your engine by changing to Conoco Nth motor oil.

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