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DAWSON COUNTY COURIER

"WHERE TEXANS ARE TEXANS"

Volume 15 Associated Press News and Pictures Lamesa, Dawson County, Texas, Thursday, February 1, 1945 Associated Press News and Pictures Number 8

Boy Scouts To Be Honored At Banquet Thursday Night

In commemoration of Boy Scout Week which marks the 35th anniversary of that organization, a banquet will be held Thursday night, Feb. 2, at the First Baptist Church in this city at 8 p. m. An interesting program composed of an address and musical numbers will be presented at that time.

All Scout Troop members, Cub Pack members and boys belonging to Dins, are invited to the banquet, as well as all parents.

Boy Scout Week which is February 8, through the 14th, marks the 35th anniversary of the founding of the movement in America. Since February 8, 1910, more than 12,000,000 men and boys have been in Scouting. The present-day active enrollment is more than 1,800,000 Cub Scouts, Senior Scouts, and adult volunteer leaders.

The birthday will be observed in every city and town in the nation and in hundreds of villages and hamlets as well.

Boy Scouts, Cubs, and Senior Scouts have performed many services vital to the war effort in recent months, helping with waste paper and salvage drives.

In a recent message, Dr. Elbert K. Fretwell, Chief Scout Executive stated, "For 35 years Scouting has brought to American boys a great adventure, the adventure of the outdoors, smoke rising from the camp fire, the lure of unblazed trails. It has brought the adventure of citizenship, serving others, the Good Turn Daily, helping in the war. These and many adventures have captured the imagination of boys. One of the things all has been the sense of friendship, the brotherhood that speaks around the world."

He continued, "The time, God willing, will come soon, when the Scouts of the World—Brothers Together! will do their part to build the triumphant new world, more glorious because of their devotion to Scouting's high ideals and service."

New Directors For The Lamesa Chamber Listed

The last ballots containing votes for new directors of the Chamber of Commerce in this city were received at the secretary's office Tuesday afternoon, January 30. The votes were tabulated and the following were elected to serve as new directors: John T. Agee, M. E. Boren, Clyde Brannon, Marshall Crawford, C. A. Eiland, A. D. Henry, and Virgil Williams.

Hold over directors for the organization include J. H. Norris, C. W. K. Crawley, W. J. Ham, Dan Davis, J. R. Leuen, O. H. Morris, and George E. H. Smith. The seven retiring directors of the Lamesa Chamber of Commerce are H. F. St. Clair, H. H. Wright, Elmo Smith, E. W. Renner, Blaine Higgins, Dr. J. M. Harrington, and A. E. Carpenter.

The directorate is composed of fifteen members, which constitutes the governing body for the Chamber of Commerce for the year. Eight men for this unit are selected on even years, and seven are selected on uneven years. The selection is made by the circulation of ballots through the mail to every member of the Chamber of Commerce. These are returned unsigned, and votes are counted.

The nominating committee of the organization, composed of Blaine Higgins, Homer St. Clair and Dr. J. M. Harrington, will submit names for officers for the Chamber of Commerce. Officials to be elected are the president, vice president, and treasurer.

Volunteers Needed At Red Cross Room On February 7th

Mrs. M. E. Smart, chairman of the Dawson County Red Cross, requests that all finished knitting be returned at once, as shipment of the last quota will be made on February 15.

Garments may be returned to Mrs. Smart at her residence at 712 North Third Street, or to the Red Cross Work Room on any Wednesday afternoon between 2 and 4 o'clock.

Volunteers are needed to sew labels in finished knitted garments. It is reported. Volunteers are asked to come to the local Red Cross Work Room on Wednesday, February 7, from 2 p. m. to 5 p. m.

Tire Certificates Were Granted To Group On Jan. 30

Members of the local tire board met Tuesday, January 30 and issued tire certificates to the following persons:

Passenger grade one tire certificates were granted to Jack Stone, Bert Wristen, W. A. Britt, W. J. Beckham, Charlie Mojica, R. C. Moore, M. O. Gresham, E. W. Grissom, Grady D. Browning, A. H. Newsum, Joe B. Meeks, The Oliver Corp., W. R. Robinson, J. L. Hester.

A Lance Furlow, J. H. Freeman, Lamesa Cotton Oil, Luther P. Payton, H. L. Wilson, D. W. Smith, E. R. Tinsley Jr., Tom Barron, Virgil Page, V. H. Matthews, Mack E. Hinningshaus, Woody H. McPherson, C. E. Mason, W. B. Stafford, A. G. Gray, Jr.

Davis Furniture Store, A. C. Crawford, W. P. White, Larkin Packer Co., J. D. Rallsback, D. E. Richards, T. C. Casey, Mrs. Earnest Barrett, Arch Bullard, Forest Ward, E. A. Wright, R. A. Carr, Truman Gall Broughton, C. C. Kellam.

Ray Burnett, John S. Erwin, G. C. Erwin, C. W. Duke, Jr., Carlos Berry, Eugene P. Kilburn, T. A. Kellam, R. J. Cornelius, E. L. Allen, William Fry, O. C. McBride, Rex Owens, W. B. Marshall, Emerio G. Torres, and Frank Harris.

Persons named below were issued truck type tire certificates: W. R. Robinson, W. W. Burgett, Wilburn Wheeler, Connie O'Brien, Speck Furniture Co., Loyal Schooler, J. C. Wristen, F. M. Weaver, Merced Arismendez.

Durward Schmidt, S. P. Bruce Jr., Herman C. Bartlett, Cops. Britane Supply Co., R. T. Bedwell, C. R. Burleson, and John A. Pearson.

Implement type tire certificates were granted to Sam Mayben, Ben Moore, H. E. Peeper, S. D. Lewis, E. M. Hall, D. Huddle, Ike Houston, Fred Trammell, R. C. Warren, M. C. Kidd, Clyde W. Gibson, A. J. Adams.

D. H. Mayben, J. S. Brown, B. B. Bratcher Jr., Fred T. Raney, D. Patterson, B. E. Miller, J. C. Isaacs, J. M. Haney Jr., Lee Hudson, Earl Horn.

Noel C. Johnson, Price Kimbrell, J. M. Coates, Beachery Barron, E. W. Cornett, George W. Cooper and E. Vandiver.

Ginnings Here Up To 46,925 Bales

A cotton ginning report received this week shows that 46,925 bales of cotton were ginned in Dawson County from the crop of 1944 prior to January 16. The report further showed that 47,303 bales had been ginned for the same period in 1943. This census report is prepared at regular intervals by the Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, Washington.

R. S. Stanfield is special agent for the department.

Pvt. Gene Barrett Returns To States

Mrs. Gene Barrett of this city received word Monday night, January 29, that her husband, Pvt. Barrett, had arrived in San Francisco, California, that morning. He is now at Hamilton Field Hospital in San Francisco, where he is receiving medical treatment, and expects to be transferred to another hospital in the near future.

Pvt. Barrett has just returned from 13 months of duty in Pearl Harbor, and was sent home by plane. A member of the Air Corps, he worked at an air base headquarters while in Pearl Harbor.

He has been a member of the service for the past 2 years, and prior to that time he was manager at Bryant-Link Company in this city.

His wife is employed at that firm now, and they make their home at 708 North Fifth Street.

DISTRICT FIELD MAN WAS VISITOR HERE WEDNESDAY

A. H. Jefferies, district field man, was in this city Wednesday, January 31, for a routine visit. He conferred with C. E. Tarter, administrative officer at the local AAA office.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Lindsey had as their guests over the week end their grandson, Max Gray, a student of Texas Technological College, Lubbock; and two of his friends, Eddie Arlyan, also of Tech, and Billie Curtis a student at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene.

Harvard College was founded by a vote of the General Court of the Colony of Massachusetts Bay in 1636.

Queen Victoria's 68-year reign was the longest in British history.

— BUY MORE WAR BONDS —



Capt. Kilroy Harris will present an illustrated story of Australia entitled "Off The Beaten Track In Australia" at the local high school on Tuesday afternoon, February 5. The program has been announced for 2 p. m. At this time much interesting information will be presented about Australia, which will occupy such an important place in the post war world. His remarks will be illustrated with colored slides.

Motor Vehicle License Tags To Go On Sale Today

According to R. W. (Buster) Herndon, local tax assessor-collector, the new motor license tags have been received here and will go on sale today (February 1). Citizens will have through April 1, to obtain their new license plates.

The license, which are 6 by 10 inches, are to be attached to the rear of vehicles.

Herndon reports that the numbering system for passenger cars for this city would begin with B5700 and extend through B54099. He states that they have 3,400 license plates for passenger cars.

License plates for trucks here will begin with M2100 and extend through M2599. There are 500 truck plates. Farm truck license will begin with R20000 and run through R24999, and there are 500 of those.

The new tags have black numerals which lie on a gold background.

Pvt. Franklin Has Been Wounded In Action In France

Mrs. Prudie A. Franklin, who resides on Route A in this city received a telegram Monday morning informing her that her son, Private Elmer A. Franklin was slightly wounded in action January 13, in France. The telegram further stated that his mail address will follow direct from the hospital with additional details.

Pvt. Franklin was serving with the Infantry at the time he was wounded, having been transferred from an anti-aircraft division to the Infantry in December of 1944.

Overseas for the past two years, he has been stationed in North Africa, Sicily, Italy, and France. Pvt. Franklin entered the service approximately 3 years ago, and has served with the Signal Corps, Anti-Aircraft, and Infantry. Prior to entering the service he was employed in Big Spring.

A brother, Pvt. Othel L. Franklin, is also in the service and is now stationed at Fort Benning, Georgia. He also has a sister in the service, Sgt. Helen F. Franklin, who is stationed at Fort Des Moines, Iowa, and who is visiting with her family in this city at the present time.

J. E. AIRHART AND J. B. MARTIN TO HAVE FARM SALE FEBRUARY 6TH

J. E. Airhart and J. B. Martin will have a farm auction sale at the J. B. Martin place, located 1-2 mile west of Spangenberg. The sale is to be held Tuesday, February 6 at 1 p. m.

Airhart and Martin will offer many fine articles for sale at the auction. See their ad in another section of this paper for a list of the articles.

Col. Houston Glasston will serve as auctioneer.

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Pfc. J. Roberts Is Returning On The Gripsholm

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Roberts, former residents of this county who are now making their home in Andrews, are in receipt of a telegram from the Adjutant General's office at Washington reporting that their son, Pfc. James W. Roberts is sailing for home on the Red Cross liner Gripsholm. Upon arrival in New York he will be admitted to the U. S. Hospital on Staten Island.

If it is found upon examination by the hospital authorities that he is able to come home, he will be given a 30-day furlough, and then sent to the nearest hospital for treatment.

Pfc. Roberts, who made his home here for some time, was wounded and captured at the Anzio beachhead February 18, 1944, and spent several months in a German Prison Hospital. He was finally interned in a prison camp near Hammersheim, Germany. He was a member of the 179th Infantry, 45 division, which was trained at Camp Berkeley, near Abilene.

He saw service from a few miles north of Salerno on up through Italy to Cassino, and then made the beachhead landing at Anzio.

Pfc. Roberts is the nephew of J. E. Airhart and J. B. Martin.

Institute Of International Understanding To Feature Four Interesting Speakers

It has been announced that an Institute of International Understanding will be held in Lamesa from February 23 to March 16, under the sponsorship of the local Rotary Club. This program will consist of a series of four weekly meetings, during which the Institute will present outstanding authorities on various phases of international affairs. Following the formal addresses, there will be forum periods in which members of the audience may ask questions of the speakers.

According to president Clyde Brannon this program is being developed by the Rotary Club to give the people of the community an opportunity to learn from informal speakers about the background of the present global war and the problems which must be met in planning for a durable peace after victory has been won.

The Institute will also be a study course in world affairs for the young people of this community, for, in addition to the public forums in the evening, the speakers will address the students of Lamesa High School during the day.

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Pvt. F. Payne Is Reported Killed

In a second message received recently, Pvt. Francis L. Payne, was officially declared killed in action by the War Department. In a previous message, he was reported as missing on June 6 in the invasion of France. He was officially reported killed December 6.

Pvt. Payne served with the Engineer Corps, and had been in service since May 19, 1943, entering from Lamesa. He was 34 years of age at the time of his death.

Pvt. Payne was the son of Mrs. Martha A. Payne, who resides on Route A in this county. His widow, Mrs. Beniah Payne and one year old son, Francis L. Payne, Jr., reside with her parents in Hilton, Oklahoma.

Local Graduate Is Placed On Several House Committees

Hon. Preston E. Smith, House Representative member from this district, who formerly lived near the Dawson-Gaines County lines, and who graduated from Lamesa High School, has been appointed to several House Committees. He now serves on committees for Federal Relations, Judicial District, Motor Traffic, Local and Unconstrained Bills, Public Lands and Building, Congressional and Legislative Districts.

The committees on Legislative and Judicial Re-districting are likely to take on more than usual importance in the Legislative session because of the message of Governor Stevenson on the two subjects, and pending legislation on district court boundaries, as well as re-districting the state for Legislative and Senatorial representation.

Representative Smith now resides in Lubbock.

The stone road between Philadelphia and Lancaster, Pa., was the first paved highway in the United States.

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Key, at Baptist Church, Feb. 5.

Harmony, at school, Feb. 5.

Hancock, at school, Feb. 6.

O. K., at school, Feb. 6.

Welch, at school, Feb. 6.

Munger, at school, Feb. 7.

Union, at school, Feb. 7.

Higginbotham, at Methodist Church, Feb. 7.

Klondike, at school, Feb. 8.

Five Mile, at school, Feb. 8.

Lamesa, at AAA office, Feb. 8.

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Eight Men Were Classified I-A By The Local Board

The local selective service board met Wednesday, January 31, and re-classified the following group of men:

Men designated I-A include Yalidro Guajardo, Thurman Aldred, Gordon McGee, Daniel Whitfield, Irvin Burnes, J. D. Rallsback, Jr., William Wright, Jesse Stephens.

Those who are I-C inducted are James Johnson, Claude Walker, Carl Walker, Roy Webb, John Parker, H. T. Tipton Jr., Willie Benton, J. D. Driver, Billie Rushing, and Charles Barton.

William Hodges and Andrew Batson are 2-A; and Albert Payne and L. D. Bingham are 2-B. Joseph Patterson is I-C discharged.

Men 2-AF include Tomas Trevino, Audon Hernandez, Tiburcio Olvera, William Harry, John Touchstone, Jessie Hademan and George Lamphere are 4-F.

William Owen was classified 2-CF, and John Thomas and J. M. Trice Jr., are 4-A.



Vernon Doyle Wade recently graduated as a second lieutenant, receiving his silver wings as an aerial navigator of the Army Air Forces, at the AAF Navigation School at San Marcos Army Air Field, L. A. Wade who is 19 years of age is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer L. Wade, who reside on Route 1 in this county.

Airline Official To Inspect Sites For Airport Here

According to a telegram received at the local Chamber of Commerce office, J. D. Church, Civil Aeronautics Administrative Engineer, will be in this city Friday, February 2, to inspect proposed airport sites in this city.

This visit is in answer to a request made by Eddie Darrell of this city, and Church expects to arrive here at 9 a. m.

After a tour of inspection of the proposed sites, Church will meet with E. H. Darrell, W. K. Crowley, Charnell Jobe, and Kilmer Corbin, members of the citizens committee who are working with this project, and will discuss government regulations, financing, and other related phases of the project.

This is an outgrowth of the request of five airline companies for information concerning this city in relation to establishing air routes here after the war. Four lines, including Great Plains, Sunshine, Texas and West Central Airlines, are seeking to bring air service to Lamesa. The Southwest Airways had earlier made application, but recently withdrew.

Sgt. Reeves' Keen Observation Won Him Bronze Star

WITH THE 36TH "TEXAS" DIVISION OF SEVENTH ARMY IN FRANCE—Staff Sergeant Cyrus G. Reeves of Lamesa, was recently awarded the Bronze Star Medal for heroic achievement in action while fighting with the 36th Division in Italy.

His citation in part reads: "Advancing with an assault platoon, Sergeant Reeves spotted two enemy soldiers lying beside a machine gun. Watching them closely, he discerned that they were not dead, but merely playing possum. When his men had gone past the two enemy soldiers, they raised up and attempted to put their gun into action. Sgt. Reeves attacked them both with his pistol and killed them. His keen observation and prompt action saved his men from possible death."

Sgt. Reeves, the son of W. O. Reeves of Lamesa, entered the service on November 25, 1940. For the past 21 months he has been overseas.

D. Jones and J. Cotten Purchase J. Lee Kelly Service Station

Dave M. Jones and Jimmie L. Cotten have announced the purchase of the service station formerly operated by J. Lee Kelly in this city. The station which is located at the corner of South Second and Main Streets, will operate under the name of Jones-Cotten Buick Company.

The owners state that they will handle Texaco products, and accessories. They have also been appointed Buick Dealers for this territory.

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Local Navyman Lunched With G. Mahon Recently

AP Special Washington Service
By TEX EASLEY

Two veterans of bloody battles in Italy met at a recent Texas congressional delegation weekly luncheon.

As the guest were introduced, Rep. Wright Peterson presented Myron Blalock of Marshall, and Blalock's nephew, Lieut. L. N. Fitzhugh of Lamesa. Fitzhugh wore campaign ribbons and the purple heart for two wounds.

When the luncheon broke up Fitzhugh was approached by Rep. John E. Lyle of Corpus Christi, who introduced himself. It turned out Fitzhugh was in the battalion that relieved the very outfit in which Lyle was serving during the midst of extremely severe fighting at a river crossing. Lyle too is a purple heart holder.

A navy veteran of Atlantic sea duty, Frank Smith of Lamesa, and Capt. William Florence of Slaton, who has spent the past two years in India and China with the army air corps, also were at the luncheon, guests of Rep. George Mahon of Colorado City. Navy Ensign Bill Wilson of Nocona, just in from service on an Atlantic newspaper, was present as guest of Rep. Ed Gossett of Wichita Falls.

Visiting around Senate and House chambers: Judge and Mrs. P. Edward Ponder of Sweetwater; Miss Virginia Payne, Anson; Mrs. Fred Downs, Sr., and Mrs. Fred Downs, Jr., both of Dallas who have been up here to see Private Downs, Jr., at nearby Fort Belvoir; Al Hock and Woodville Rogers of San Antonio; John D. Rogers, Navasota; Seaman William Fisher, Fort Worth.

Three-fourths of the U. S. wartime shipments of cobalt have been coming from the Belgian Congo's vast mining area in the southern province of Katanga.

handle Texaco products, and accessories. They have also been appointed Buick Dealers for this territory.

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Mrs. Sherman Moulton spent Tuesday in Hamlin visiting with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Hines.

NOTICE — CUSTOM GRINDING

We have recently installed a grist mill to make meal out of corn. E. A. Twedt, an experienced grist mill operator will be in charge. We will grind on Friday and Saturday each week. Give us a trial. Located at—

Lee Billingsley Hog Pen

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CARD OF THANKS

We take this means to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our many friends for each kind deed and word shown us during the accidental illness of our brother and uncle, A. B. Holt, also, for the lovely flowers sent.

We especially thank Dr. Frazier and the nurses for the untiring attention and every kindness shown him. May you have just such friends in your time of trouble as our sincere prayer.

The A. B. Holt Relatives.

More than a million Mexican Indians cannot speak Spanish.

TOWN and FARM IN WARTIME

MEATS AND FATS — Red stamps Q5, R5, S5; last date for use, March 31. Red stamps T5, U5, V5, W5, and X5; last date for use, April 28. Red stamps Y5, Z5, and A2, B2, C2, D2; last date for use, June 2.

PROCESSED FOODS — Blue stamps X5, Y5, Z5, and A2 and B2; last date for use, March 31. Blue stamps C2, D2, E2, F2, and G2; last date for use, April 28. Blue stamps H2, J2, K2, L2, and M2; last date for use, June 2.

SUGAR — Stamp 34, last date for use, February 28. Stamp 35; last date for use, June 2.

SHOES — Airplane stamps 1, 2, and 3 in book three, good indefinitely.

CALL TO ARMS — Your Government needs and asks its citizens in this 165th week of the war to:

1. Answer the emergency call for 8,000 medical WACS. Women from 20 to 50 are needed immediately for non-professional medical work in U. S. Army Hospitals.
2. Help to relieve the Doctor and Nurse shortage by taking a Red Cross Nursing Course to learn how to care for your own family.
3. Remember—1944 income tax return forms do not provide for payment of the unforgotten portion of your 1942 tax due March 15. Separate statements are being mailed.
4. Write your servicemen cheerful, re-assuring and frequent letters. Use V-Mail when you write overseas.
5. Beware of complacency. When the war news is good, redouble your efforts on the home front. Set an example your boy can be proud of.

CIVILIAN SUPPLIES WILL BE LOW

Supplies of meat, butter, sugar, canned and packaged foods, clothing, and many durable goods will be smaller in 1945, OPA advises. Record buying and increased military demands in 1944 greatly reduced reserves, which have so far helped meet demands. The present scarcity of metal household equipment and appliances will remain acute until peacetime production can be resumed. At the same time more people will be eager to replace equipment and household furnishings that are now more nearly worn out. Shortages always generate an urge to pay higher prices to get more. This increases the dangers of inflation. In 1945, OPA states, supplies will be large enough to meet essential civilian needs but much smaller than the amount people could buy with the money they will have to spend. The OPA program to meet this situation asks rigid compliance with rationing regulations and price ceilings, plus restraint in buying and a high level of savings, including war bond purchases.

RATION FREE SHOE SALE COMING UP

Limited quantities of men's and women's shoes may be sold to consumers ration-free at specified price reductions during the two weeks period of February 19 through March 3, OPA announces. Two-fold purpose of the temporary ration holiday, OPA states, is to give consumers the benefit of extra shoe mileage that otherwise might remain unused on dealers' shelves, and to help dealers clear their stocks of the normal accumulation of odds and ends and broken sizes. Before rationing, such shoes were customarily disposed of in seasonal clearance sales. OPA estimates that about 4,500,000 pairs of shoes will be sold in this special ration-free "sale."

CUT AUTOMOBILE RATION — A cut of one-third will be made in the number of new passenger cars available for rationing in February, when the quantity will amount to 2,000 cars on a national basis, or

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1,000 less than in preceding months. OPA reports. The action will leave about 12,000 new cars in the nation's stockpile.

"WAR BONDS KEEP FARM DEBTS SAFE"

"Encourage farmers to maintain a proper balance between making payments on mortgages and investing in war bonds," says the American Bankers Association in a bulletin addressed to the rural bankers of America.

Banks are advised to "encourage farmers to maintain a proper balance between making payments on mortgages and investing in war bonds. If a person pays a mortgage all up now, and then has to get another one after the war he may not be able to get terms as favorable as those he now has."

The Arabian Desert is located in Egypt.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Frankie Jean Barnes was dismissed January 28 from a local hospital where she received medical treatment.

Mrs. R. J. Collier was admitted January 25 for major surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hatch are the parents of a baby boy born January 25.

Mr. and Mrs. James M. Duke are the parents of a baby boy born January 25.

Dorothy Jean Weber was admitted January 25 for medical treatment.

Steve Flowers was admitted January 27 for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Boyd are the parents of a baby girl born January 28.

Mrs. Mart Waggoner was admitted January 28 for major surgery.

Roy Wayne Smith was admitted January 29 for major surgery.

Joan Reyes was admitted January 31, for medical treatment.

Willie Mae Brown was admitted January 31 for major surgery.

Mrs. I. M. Edmonson of Abilene, Mrs. Bobbie Jones and son of Eastland spent the week end here visiting with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Luther Peterson and other relatives.

Mrs. Lloyd Cotten, Gilliam Abbott and Willie Reising spent Tuesday in Lubbock and Slaton visiting with relatives and friends.

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Girls Four-H Club At Hancock Organized

Mrs. Myrtle Negy, home demonstration agent of Dawson County, visited Hancock School Thursday, January 25, and organized a 4-H Club for girls.

The following club officers were elected: president, Bonny Fay Nelson; vice president, Betty Jo Fillpot; secretary, Beth Belle; reporter, Anna Belle Jordan.

Those present for the meeting included Janice Farmer, Joyce Jordan, Billy Frances Wilcher, Yvonne Jackson, Ruby Beatty, Bonny Fay Nelson, Betty Jo Fillpot, Beth Belle, and Anna Belle Jordan.

Club meeting dates will be announced later by Mrs. Negy. Anna Belle Jordan, reporter.

C. T. Oliver left this week for Kansas City to attend a Minneapolis-Moline dealers meeting.

Miss June Winner of Amarillo is visiting here this week with relatives and friends.

Four-H Club Girls Report Success Of Their Gardens

Reports from Sears & Roebuck 4-H Club gardens which were started last Spring are being collected by Mrs. Myrtle Dickie Negy, county home demonstration agent.

A complete report will be made later, but you will be interested in hearing about some of the items now and in the success the girls have had with their gardens.

Mozelle Ray of Ackerly says her garden furnished fresh vegetables for her family of five and some neighbors for nearly 2 months. She canned 119 pints of tomatoes and stored wrapped green tomatoes which her family used as they ripened until the middle of January. Mozelle planted part of her garden on an old cow lot and said it was easy to see how fertilizer helped.

Lillie Rietmeyer of Five Mile community gathered 850 pounds of fresh vegetables from her garden. In addition to having all her family could eat, she canned some, gave some away, and sold \$8.05 worth of vegetables. She said that her family had a nice variety of fresh vegetables for the table all during the Fall of the year.

Connie Faye Chittwood from Key says, "I raised lots of squash, peppers, okra, tomatoes, snap beans, greens, and cabbage and mother and I canned beans, tomatoes, greens, pepper and beets. I taught others how to keep insects off their gardens."

Club Meets Are Slated For Week

Ackerly Home Demonstration Club will meet with Mrs. Davenport at 1 p. m., Wednesday, February 7, to make dress forms according to an announcement made this week.

Women belonging to the Bartlett Home Demonstration Club will meet with Mrs. J. C. Stewart on Thursday, February 8, at 2 p. m., for a hat clinic. This is a make-up meeting for one missed in January because of unfavorable weather.

Key Home Demonstration Club is to meet with Mrs. R. D. Spruell Friday, February 9, at 2 p. m. Mrs. Negy, county home demonstration agent, will hold a training school on making dress forms at that time, and on their next meeting day which is Friday, February 23, club ladies will make dress forms for each other. Mrs. Spruell says that many women will find it economical to make dresses this year, who have not sewed for many years, and both club and non-club members are invited to attend the meeting.

LEONARD WALLER RETURNS FROM OVERSEAS

Leonard Waller, Chief Petty Officer, has recently returned from the South Pacific theatre of War, where he spent eleven months. Waller, who has been in the service a year and a half will spend a thirty day furlough here after which he will report to California for assignment. He is visiting here with his wife and son, and father, Jess Waller of Lubbock.

STEVE HASTING RECEIVES PROMOTION

Steve Hasting, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Hastings of this city has recently received promotion to Corporal. Cpl. Hastings has been overseas since July 1943, and is somewhere in France.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Heffernan returned Wednesday from Corpus Christi where they visited with their son, Ensign and Mrs. H. H. Heffernan and son, Pat.

Clyde Branon left Wednesday for Waco where he will attend a State Board of Embalmers meeting.

MR. AND MRS. J. R. HANSON CELEBRATE SILVER WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hanson celebrated their Silver Wedding Anniversary at their home near Sparenberg, Thursday evening, January 25, with open house from 8 until 12 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanson were married January 25, 1920 in the First Methodist Church at Stamford with the late A. W. Waddill, Methodist minister performing the ceremony. They have three sons, Raymond 13, Glen 18, and Pfc. Harvey Hanson 23, who has been in service for 28 months and has been in India with the Air Transport Command since August of last year.

During the evening games of 42 were enjoyed after which refreshments were served.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hurst and son Carol, Mrs. H. P. Franklin and children Jesse James and Darlene, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ansley and children Jim, Frank, Jean and Charlie, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Roberts and sons, Gerald and Staff Sgt. Harvard Roberts of Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Reithmayer and daughters Helen, Lillie, Margaret and Ester, Mr. and Mrs. Oley Shaffer and sons Cols and Reams, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Graves and daughters, Lavetta and Janet, and Mr. and Mrs. Hanson.

SAND

The good Bible message brought by Brother Aslin of Lamesa was enjoyed by a fair size crowd. We were glad to have several new pupils and visitors.

W. L. Lee and E. G. Grayson visited Mr. and Mrs. Noah McDougal Sunday afternoon. Mr. McDougal returned home with Mr. Lee.

Pvt. Eugene Payton spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Payton.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Nichols spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Nichols.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim McCollough and Ginger visited in the W. L. Lee home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Welty visited Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hildreth Friday night.

Harvey Kemper A. M. M. 2-C and Mrs. Kemper of Kingsville are visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kemper and Mr. and Mrs. Toll Wyrick of Roswell, New Mexico. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Haley and family have moved to Roscoe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Williams of Hobbs, visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phillips last week.

Wilburn Haley who is in the Navy and recently returned from overseas where he served in the Pacific theatre of war, is visiting here with his sisters, Mrs. Hursel Turner and Mrs. Alvin Menix.

Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Teague visited in the Grayson home Monday afternoon.

Pfc. Millard R. Smith, who has recently returned from overseas, arrived here the 18th to visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Smith.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Bedwell received word from their son, Cpl. Robert T. Bedwell Jr., that he had arrived overseas safely, and is in the Pacific theatre of War. Cpl. Bedwell has been in service 2 years and is in the Air Corps.

Mrs. J. R. Fleniken returned this

past week from Fort Worth and Dallas, where she visited with her sister, Mrs. E. A. Nippold.

First Sgt. Carl Wiggins, Mrs. Wiggins and son of Klamath Falls, Oregon are visiting here this week with relatives.

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W. A. Hilton Receives Commission As Pilot

Wayne A. Hilton, 23 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hilton who reside on Route D in this county, will graduate today (Thursday, February 1) at Blackland Army Air Field in Waco. He will receive his wings and commission as a pilot at that time, and will then be given a furlough and will visit in this city with his parents.

A member of the Air Corps for the past 19 months, Hilton has received training in Oklahoma, Mississippi, Ohio, Sherman and Waco. He is a 1938 graduate of Lamesa High School, and was a student at

Texas Technological College, Lubbock for four years.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible School—10:00 a. m.
Preaching—11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.
Communion—11:45 a. m. and 8:45 p. m.
Boys Training Class—6:45 p. m.
Ladies Bible Class—4:00 p. m., Monday.
Bible Study—8:00 p. m., Wednesday.
Sermon subjects for Sunday, February 4:
11:00 a. m. — "Rightly Dividing the Word of Truth."
8:00 p. m. — "Love, Courtship and Marriage."

TRUTH ABOUT ADVERTISING

By CHARLES B. ROTH National Authority on Effective Selling

HOW CAN WE TAKE UP THE SLACK?

YOU have been reading a good deal about keeping all the millions now in war jobs at work after the war is over. We're going to have to provide them with jobs of some kind. Also the ten million boys in the armed services—they'll be needing jobs, too. How can we take up the slack?

In one word the answer is—advertising.

Advertising creates sales, and sales create the need for someone to produce the goods to be sold, and that cycle means jobs. If you can create enough sales, therefore, you can create enough jobs to keep everyone busy.

Isn't it logical to assume that, in the final analysis, only advertising can take up the slack when the war ends?

Suppose you take an example to make this assumption even clearer. Here is a factory employing 150 persons. Judged by American stand-

ards this is a "little" business. Only 150 employees. Why, we have organizations employing 10,000, 20,000, more. Skip those. Look at the little 150-man organization.

Those 150 breadwinners will support from 1,000 to 1,500 persons. They will cause 300 homes to be built. It will take a 22-room schoolhouse and 18 teachers to educate their children.

They will put 320 automobiles into the community and support 33 stores, with total sales of \$500,000.

Twenty-four professional people—doctors, dentists, lawyers, ministers, musicians—will be required to minister to them. Farmers will sow and reap 6,000 acres of land to supply them. The factory payroll of \$180,000 to \$200,000 will establish a tax foundation of \$2,500,000.

All this from one "little" plant! When you multiply that by thousands, you get a true picture of what it takes to take up the slack. It doesn't take plans or subsidies or a good many other things that have been suggested; it merely takes advertising to create sales, which in turn create jobs, which create more sales, more jobs, until everyone is busy at work and making money.

Then there isn't any slack!

NEWS FROM The Home Demonstration Agent

MYRTLE DICKIE NEGY POULTRY

The war looks better. This may mean that very soon we can be sending food to those poor people in the conquered countries in large enough quantities to really help them. But if the war continued or if the war ends, every farm and ranch family and many families who live in town are being asked by the War Food Administration to continue to produce foods for their own tables, and to use carefully all the foods that they buy.

The first copy of a new leaflet, "Your 1945 Home Front Production," just off the press of Extension Service at Texas A. & M. College is in our office today. We are ordering enough copies for every farm and ranch family. Four-H club girls and boys, and others interested in growing food to have one.

Right now, when most chicken growers are getting ready to order baby chicks and make other plans for their 1945 poultry raising, we think it is worth while to print the poultry suggestions from the new leaflet. Quote:

Keep Good Hens
Strong, vigorous, healthy.
From mothers that were good layers.
Each able to lay yearly 150 eggs or more.
Eat, can, or sell hens that lay few eggs.

Keep The Hens Comfortable
Give each hen room:
3 to 4 square feet floor space.
10" to 12" roosting space on roosts 12" to 14" from the floor.
3" feeding space at feed hoppers built so they will not waste feed or collect trash.
At a special hopper for shell and grit.
At an 8 to 10 qt. water container that is cleaned daily and disinfected weekly.

Feed The Hens Well
Give each 25 hens:
2 to 3 lbs. of grain mixture scratch feed, fed one third in morning, two thirds in evening.
A good laying mash before them at all times.

Growing feed: a range of tender growing oats, barley, sudan or Bermuda grass; or clippings from these or Swiss chard; or alfalfa leaf meal mixed with the mash; or blocks of pea green alfalfa hay soaked overnight.
Hard granite grit at all times.
8 or more qts. water daily, warm in winter, cool in summer.

Keep The Flock Healthy
Get naturally vigorous, healthy blood tested chicks from reliable hatchery or breeder.
Provide all the food elements, especially green feed.
Provide comfortable, roomy well ventilated housing.
Keep the ground clean.
Keep the litter dry and change it often.
Provide clean feed and water in clean containers.
Scrub houses and equipment frequently with lye or disinfectant.
Immediately remove from the flock and treat all birds that don't look well.

Reduce Egg Losses
Get rid of male birds.
Supply one clean well ventilated nest for each 5 hens.
Gather eggs twice daily in summer.
Cool eggs quickly and keep cool.
Grade eggs carefully.
Market eggs at least twice a week.
Save Baby Chicks
Get quality chicks—U. S. approved and pullorum tested or better.
Provide roomy warm brooders—(about 2 chicks per sq. ft.)—use a thermometer.
Provide 3 to 5 quarts water daily per 100 chicks.
Feed baby chick mash, green feed, oyster shell, grit.
Clean premises daily.

P-T A To Present Program At Key School On Feb. 2

The Parent-Teacher Association of Key will sponsor a program Friday night, February 2, to be given in the school auditorium at 8:30 p. m., which will consist of a play with additional features. A small admission fee will be charged at the door.

The play which will be presented Friday night is under the direction of A. E. Brown, and its modern setting will provide plenty of entertainment. The title of the comedy is "Willie Buys A Bond." The cast of characters includes Willie Wilkins to be played by Melvin Fielder; Joe and Vernon, his pals, to be played by Don Peterson and Elwood Taylor; Shirley June Robison in the role of Mrs. Wilkins. Kathie and Cella, her friends to be played by Latree Taylor and Barbara Jean Wade; and Bonnie, the child movie star, to be played by Patsy Ann Grissom.

The public is cordially invited to attend and enjoy the good time which will be provided at Key Community Friday evening.

GIRLS OF DAWSON HAVE ORGANIZED FOUR-H CLUB

On Tuesday, January 30, Mrs. Myrtle Negy, county home demonstration agent, met with the girls of Dawson School to discuss organizing a Dawson Girls 4-H Club. The motion to organize was made by Wada Hanes and was carried by a majority.

Officers elected were as follows: Ernestine Portenberry, president; Lonelle Suggs, vice president; Mary Weeks, secretary; Elvie Wilson, reporter; and Miss Rachel Hogg, teacher sponsor.

Mrs. Negy plans to send the girls an outline of the year's work. Each club member is to learn the club prayer, pledge, and motto, and to earnestly try to apply them to their work.

Elvie Wilson, reporter.

Gertrude Stein, author, was born in Allegheny, Pa., and studied medicine for four years at Johns Hopkins university.

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Courier Wants The Servicemens Letters

To the Servicemen of Dawson County—to either Soldier, Sailor, or Marine, from England to Alaska, Italy to New Guinea, Burma and India to the Hawaiian Islands, the Dawson County Courier is extending an invitation to you to write letters, short articles, poems, or anything you think might be interesting to your friends and parents back home; and each week as many as possible will be printed in this paper.

Through this method, the Courier hopes to acquaint the people at home with some of your activities. This is only a suggestion to you to help bring us closer to you and the experiences you are having.

Address your letter to Dawson County Courier Office, Lamesa, Texas, and send your letters as soon as you can.

Attention is also called to parents of men in service to bring in any letter you have received from your sons that might prove interesting to the reading public, as these will also be printed.

Officers Elected For Hancock 4-H Club January 25

T. A. Barfield, county agent, called a meeting at Hancock School Thursday evening, January 25, at which time officers for the Hancock Four-H Club were elected.

The following officers were selected: Ben Dopsen, president; Bobby Hale, vice president; Donald Ray Nelson, secretary and treasurer; Ben Mac Dopsen, Benny Eggleston, and Donald Ray Nelson, recreation committee; Bobbie Davis, song leader; Benny Eggleston, game leader; Ernest Farmer, reporter; and J. M. Reed, sponsor.

Several new members have joined the club including Billy Hale, Fred Waylon Bell, Weldon Farmer, David Hughes, Billy Mears, Jackie Stone, Joe Neil Stephens, John Beatty, Jimmy Weaver, Bobby Hale, and Ernest Farmer.

Pfc. George W. Flud Missing Since Dec. 16th in Germany

Pfc. George W. Flud was reported missing in action in a telegram received by his mother, Mrs. Myrtle Flud of this city. The communication stated that he had been missing since December 16, 1944 in Germany, and reported that his mother would be notified if further details were received.

Mrs. Flud, who has made her home here for a number of years, now reside at 206 North First Street.

REV. J. T. MCKISSICK TO PREACH AT FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH ON SUNDAY

The Rev. J. T. McKissick will conduct both morning and evening services at the First Christian Church in this city Sunday, February 4th. Morning services will begin at 11 a. m., and the evening message will be brought at 8 p. m.

Rev. McKissick was formerly pastor of the local church, but is now located in Abilene.

Everyone is cordially invited to be present Sunday to hear his timely messages.

Public Given Blame For Small Families

LONDON (AP)—Public opinion is at least partly to blame for Britain's declining birthrate, says the National Council of Women in a submission to the government's Royal Commission investigating the problem.

"The status of motherhood must be raised. The public tends to pity and even jeer at the mother of a large family," the statement says.

'Amusement Park' Becomes Police Case

BELLEVIEW, Ill. (AP)—Chief Eugene Le Pere believed he had heard all the alibis until a youth came to police headquarters, ticket in hand, to explain why his jalopy was found facing in the wrong direction on Main Street. The lad averred he had parked the car in the proper manner, but "about a dozen" fun-loving friends had picked it up and turned it around.

—BUY MORE WAR BONDS—

The New Spar Cap—Its Cap-tivating

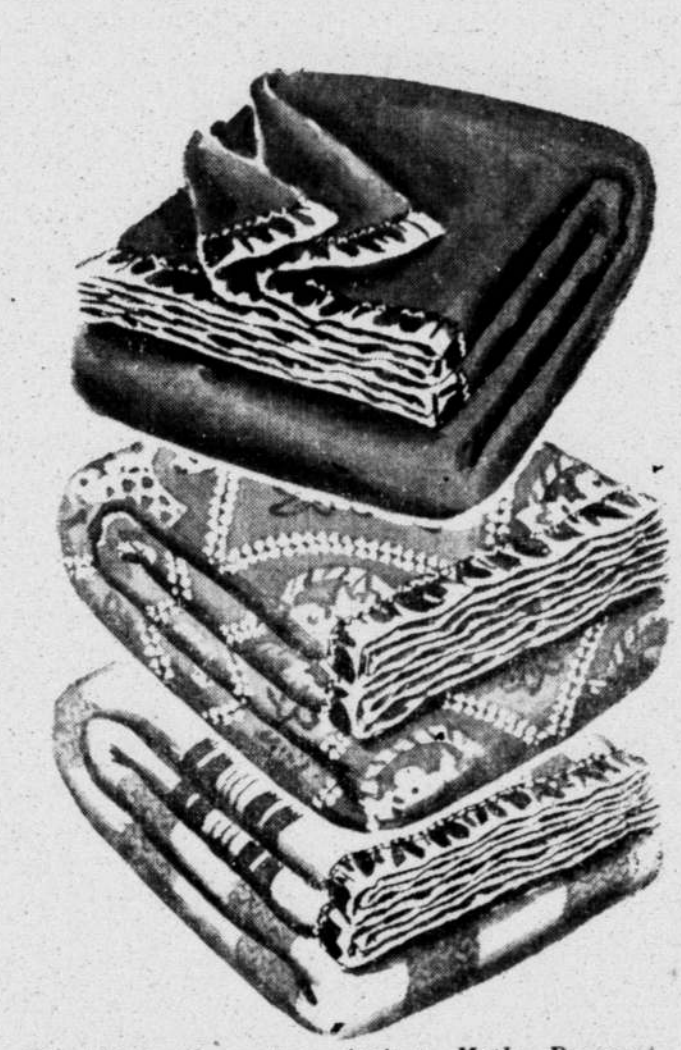


Official U. S. Coast Guard photo. Attractive SPAR Elizabeth Hall, 22, of Rochester, N. Y., models the new SPAR garrison cap, now optional gear for the Coast Guard Women's Reserve. The "overseas" style millinery is proving popular with SPARS, a large number of whom quickly changed over from the official brim-type hat.

FIELD POULTRY & EGG

Across Street From Methodist Church, in the Garland Bldg. Good Parking Space.
Independent Buyer of Cream, Poultry and Eggs.
Come to see us at our new location

PENNEY'S



Five-Year Guarantee Against Moth Damage!
100% VIRGIN WOOL BLANKETS
Deep, fluffy nap that keeps the warmth in and the cold out! Light on your shoulders because it's all wool! Rayon satin binding. **11.90**
DOUBLE BED SIZE BLANKETS
Our famous "Cloister" blanket, 72 x 84 inches. A three-fiber blanket, warm wool, lustrous rayon, sturdy cotton. Matching binding. **5.90**

PER BIRD PER MONTH BRINGS YOUR POULTRY THESE BENEFITS:

Tonics for the digestive organs and blood... laxatives for the bowels... minerals for bones, feathers and tissues. Give your flock these benefits... starting today!
DR. LEGEAR'S POULTRY PRESCRIPTION
IN CONCENTRATED FORM
SOLD BY

BOONE DRUG

BIG FARM AUCTION SALE

Floyd Snipes Place

13 miles southwest Brownfield, 2 1-2 miles northwest Wellman

Monday, February 5, 1 p. m.

Farmall Tractor, Big Butane Plant, Butane Electrolux Refrigerator, Cook Stove, Heating Stoves. All kinds of household good, fifty good Laying Hens and plenty of other items.

AUCTIONEER: COL. HOUSTON GLASSON
CLERK: LEWIS RITCHIE

ANNOUNCING...

THE APPOINTMENT OF—

BARNEY McKINNEY

—AGENT FOR—

WHITE AND MACK TRUCKS

If you need a truck see me.

416 North First Street

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For Ladies and Children

SPRING FOOTWEAR

JUST ARRIVED—ALL NEW STYLES and COLORS

NON-RATIONED

\$1.98 TO \$3.95

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GOOD YEAR

GET A FAST START WITH GOOD YEAR

THE BATTERY WITH STARTING POWER & STAYING POWER



Prepare for power when you need it with a faster starting, longer-lasting, factory-fresh All-Weather battery; guaranteed to give you superior, low-cost service.

Husky, dependable Goodyear All-Weather batteries are better and bigger in capacity than most "original equipment" batteries; "kick" over war-weary motors in a jiffy; give you more starts for your money.

Don't get caught with your battery down. Stop in today for a dependable, low-cost battery you can bet on every time.

OTHER GOODYEAR BATTERIES FROM \$7.80

NOW IN STOCK:—

600x16 Goodyear Passenger
600x16 Goodyear Implement
13x36 Goodyear Implement
32x6 Goodyear Rayon

THIS IS ONLY A FEW OF THE HARD TO GET SIZES IN OUR BIG STOCK OF GOODYEAR TIRES.



Sturdy, Imported Woven Willow Clothes Basket **\$2.95**

Big enough and strong enough to hold and carry a full size washing. Made of full, round willow reeds with reinforced rims, bottoms and handles. Get yours today.

MACK SCOGGIN

223 North Austin Phone 595

BIG FARM AUCTION SALE

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 6TH

J. E. AIRHART & J. B. MARTIN

at J. B. Martin Place 1/2 mile west Sparenburg AT 1 P. M.

Implements:—

One 2-row C. C. Case Tractor, with all equipment.
One 2-row Regular Farmall, with all equipment
One No. 6 McCormick-Deering Feed Mill, used 1 year.

Livestock:—

10 head young Jersey Cows, heavy springers.
One 3-year-old roan Cow and Heifer Calf
One 2-year-old Pedigreed Hereford Bull
Five Weaning Pigs
One Shoot, about 120 pounds
Two Meat Hogs, good ones.
Three dozen Chickens

Miscellaneous:—

1000 Pounds Sudan Seed, first year from certified seed, free from Johnson Grass
One large size Stock Feeder, almost new with Shingle Roof.
Sixty (60) good Posts
One 3 room house with sleeping porch boxed siding, shiplap. Sheetrocked and papered nice, both walls and ceiling in good condition. This house must be moved within 10 days.
One Superflex Kerosene, Enamel Heating Stove, a large one and a good one.
One 5-burner Perfection Cook Stove, white enamel with built-in oven, extra good.
One Kitchen Cabinet (Quaker Maid)
One Tin Enamel Kitchen Safe
ONE MODEL "A" ROADSTER

Many Other Items Too Numerous To Mention

ANYONE HAVING ANYTHING TO SELL IS INVITED TO BRING IT TO THIS SALE AT REGULAR COMMISSION.

J. E. AIRHART and J. B. MARTIN, Owners

AUCTIONEER: Col. Houston Glasson

CLERK: Hazel Hancock

CASHIER: Mrs. Houston Glasson

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS.
 TO: Author J. Hahn GREETING:
 You are commanded to appear
 and answer the plaintiff's petition
 at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the
 first Monday after the expiration of
 42 days from the date of issuance

of this Citation, the same being
 Monday the 12th day of March, A.
 D. 1945, at or before 10 o'clock
 A. M., before the Honorable District
 Court of Dawson County, at the
 Court House in Lamesa, Texas.
 Said plaintiff's petition was filed
 on the 26th day of January, 1945.

The file number of said suit being
 No. 2918.
 The names of the parties in said
 suit are: Nettie Hahn, Edna & P. A.
 Lauderdale and Lloyd Hahn as
 Plaintiffs, and Author J. Hahn,
 Agnes Hahn Alton and A. A. Alton;
 Granville, Wendell, Iris June, Doris
 and Bettie Hahn and Laura and J.
 B. Parker, as Defendants.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit:
 Plaintiff alleges that Nettie Hahn is the surviving wife of T. H. Hahn deceased, who died in 1938 intestate in Dawson County, Texas, where he resided; there is a community estate existing between them; that Edna Lauderdale, Lloyd Hahn, Author J. Hahn and Laura Parker were the sole and only heirs of the said T. H. Hahn; that the whereabouts of Author J. Hahn is unknown and neither is known whether he is living or dead; if deceased then his heirs are Agnes Hahn Alton his former wife and his five children, to-wit: Granville, Wendell, Iris June, Doris and Bettie Hahn all Minors. That T. H. Hahn and Nettie Hahn jointly owned three pieces of real estate, viz: First Tract: 150x140 feet out of Section 6 Block 35 Top 5N in Dawson County as described in deed recorded in vol. 68 page 215, Deed records of Dawson County, Texas. Second Tract: Lot 1 Blk. 2 Original Town of Lamesa, Dawson County, Texas. Tract Three: Surface rights to E 1-2 Sec. 230 Blk. G Gaines County, Texas. Plaintiffs allege that said property is incapable of being partitioned and pray for the appointment of a receiver to take charge of said property, manage and sell same subject to the orders and approval of the court.

Issued this the 26th day of January, 1945.
 Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Lamesa, Texas, this the 26th day of January A. D., 1945.
 W. W. PETTEWAY, Clerk District Court Dawson County, Texas.
 8-10-12-13 c

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
STATE OF TEXAS.
 TO: Bonnie Woolsey Tune.
 GREETING:

You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 5th day of March, A. D. 1945, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Dawson County, at the Court House in Lamesa, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 18th day of January, 1945. The file number of said suit being No. 2911. The names of the parties in said suit are: Carlton Lee Tune as Plaintiff, and Bonnie Woolsey Tune as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: That the plaintiff is an actual bona fide inhabitant of the County of Dawson and State of Texas, and as such has resided in said County for more than six months, and in said State of Texas for more than one year next preceding the filing of this petition. That the residence of the defendant is unknown to Plaintiff.

On or about the 22nd of May 1941, plaintiff and defendant were duly and legally married in Pecos, Texas, and continued to live together as husband and wife until Nov. 1941, when they separated and have not since said time lived together or cohabitated as husband and wife.

That at all times the plaintiff conducted himself with propriety, doing his duty as a husband, and at all times with kindness and forbearance treated the defendant.

The Plaintiff claims relief of the court based upon the three year abandonment statute, and states that the Defendant abandoned him three years ago last Nov.

There is no property involved in this case, nor are there any children. Plaintiff prays that the court dissolve this marriage by granting judgment for the plaintiff and decreeing a divorce, and for other and further relief as the court deem proper to grant, and all costs herein, for which the plaintiff will over pray.

Issued this the 18th day of January, 1945.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Lamesa, Texas, this the 18th day of January A. D., 1945.

W. W. PETTEWAY, Clerk District Court, Dawson County, Texas.
 6-8-10-12 c

Mrs. J. P. Youngblood of this city received word this past week from Cpl. and Mrs. Othel E. Dillard of the illness of their youngest daughter. The little girl, who has been quite ill for the past week is reported to be much better at this time. Cpl. and Mrs. Dillard are former residents of this city, but are now stationed at New Orleans, La.

Miss Ruth Vickers is visiting with relatives and friends in Edinburg this week.

Clean FALSE TEETH
THIS EASY WAY...

At last, a scientific way to clean false teeth and bridge work REALLY clean. Just put your plate in a glass of water to which a little quick-acting Kleenite has been added. With magic-like speed, discoloration and stains vanish—the original clean brightness returns! It's easy, economical. Ask your druggist for Kleenite today.

New Scientific KLEENITE
McCALL-PARSONS DRUGS
CLARK-McDONALD DRUG
MORRIS DRUG STORE
 or any good druggist

"Pyorrhea" May Follow Neglect

Did you ever see an attractive person with irritated "GUMS"? Druggists refund money if first bottle of "LETO'S" fails to help. **CLARK-McDONALD DRUG**

SPARENBERG
 Jessie Marlin

Rev. and Mrs. Pearson arrived last week from Grand Prairie and will make their home in this community where he will assume the pastorate of the Baptist Church.

Rev. Cecil Tune visited in Borger several days this past week. Mrs. Tune and baby returned home with him after a 10 day visit with their relatives. Mrs. Tune met with her brother there, who has recently returned from overseas duty where he received severe wounds in action.

Miss Wanda Trice of Coahoma spent the week end with her sister Miss Maurine Trice.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Fincannon spent the first of the week at Leveland with his brother who is seriously ill in a hospital there.

Carl Smith S. 2-C and wife and baby visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Smith last week. Carl has just recently returned from duty in the Pacific area and expects to return to the west coast this week.

Mrs. Green's Stanton is visiting in the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Green this week.

A large crowd enjoyed the play given by the members of the Junior Class of the Sparenberg High School, Friday evening.

Miss Jo Strickland of Lamesa spent the week end with Miss Nena Jo Freeman.

Mrs. B. B. Bolch spent Monday with her daughter and family in the Wilson community.

Bart Davis of Stanton was a Sparenberg visitor the first of the week.

MRS. E. R. TINSLEY
HOSTESS TO WESLEYAN
SERVICE GUILD TUES.

The Wesleyan Service Guild of the First Methodist Church met Tuesday evening, January 30, at the home of Mrs. E. R. Tinsley. Mrs. Seaman Smith, president, presided during a business meeting at which time it was decided that regular meeting dates will be the 2nd and 4th Tuesday in each month at 8 p. m.

A program on Spiritual Life, was given with Mrs. J. H. Andrews as leader and assisted by Mrs. Opal Brookerson, Mrs. Hugh Ashlock, and Mildred Turner. A solo was given by Mrs. Thomas Conner.

Those attending were Mesdames Opal Brookerson, Guy Cope, Seaman Smith, Hugh Ashlock, Robert Wade, J. H. Andrews, Tracy Campbell, Cal Wright, Mildred Turner, Thomas Conner, A. G. Waugh, Ed Tinsley, Shelby Moore and the hostess Mrs. E. R. Tinsley.

Production Credit Associations Are Making Progress

HOUSTON — Texas' 36 farmer-stockmen production credit associations increased their member-owned capital and accumulated earnings by almost \$800,000 in 1944 and are making steady progress toward full ownership, according to the annual report of the Production Credit Corporation of Houston. Frank B. Jones of Lamesa is a director of the Sweetwater PCA and Ebbie Lee is the local field representative.

Farmers and ranchers now have \$3,446,560 invested in the capital stock of the associations; earned surplus is \$2,724,304 and these two items combined amount to more than half of the total capital and surplus in the associations.

Income from government capital for all 36 associations was 8 1-2 per cent of the association's total income last year, compared with 52 per cent in 1934, according to President Virgil P. Lee of the supervisory corporation for associations in Texas.

The Texas PCA at San Angelo now has \$256,700 in member-owned stock and accumulated earnings of \$560,000 after having paid stockholders a 5 per cent dividend out of last year's earnings.

Total cash disbursements in 1944 were \$49,370,864 with cash collections of \$51,246,784. In 11 years, net losses on \$406,248,000 in loans have been less than one-tenth of one per cent of the reports shown.

At the end of 1944, there were 26,350 members in the 36 associations. Loans outstanding were 10,902 for \$20,386,316—a reduction under 1943 due to the improvement in the financial position of members.

"Members are showing interest in retaining their stock, buying additional stock, and speeding up complete ownership of the association by farmers and stockmen," Lee said. "A large number of associations are now nearing that goal."

Engineers Study Reformed Dune

KILL DEVIL HILL, N. C. (AP)—Engineers tackling development of Saudi Arabia oil fields have come here to learn how to prevent a dune from moving over and squatting on a well once it is bored. This 90-foot dune where the Wrights made the first plane flight moved 1,000 feet from 1903 to 1928. Then Capt. W. H. Kindervater of

the U. S. Army was given the job of tying it down.

Tough Bermuda grass was planted and sheltered with cut brush and wood mold moved from nearby islands in a method developed on Roanoke island where a dune threatened a highway. Kill Devil Hill was so stable that Congress ordered erection of a memorial on it in 1938.

Miss Mary Caudill is visiting with relatives in Santa Rosa this week.

TONIGHT!

Relieve Miseries of Your BABY'S COLD

As He Sleeps

Now most young mothers use this modern way to relieve miseries of a child's cold. Even as you rub it on, Vicks VapoRub starts to soothe irritation in nose and throat, loosen phlegm, ease coughing. Then, as baby sleeps, VapoRub...

PENETRATES
 to upper bronchial tubes with its special medicinal vapors.

STIMULATES
 chest and back surfaces like a warming poultice.

Often by morning most of the misery of the cold is gone. Remember, Mother...

ONLY VAPORUB Gives You this special double action. It's time-tested, home-proved... the best known home remedy for relieving miseries of children's colds.

VICKS
 VAPORUB

There were only 32,920 automobiles registered in the United States in 1903.

Jules Romains, French novelist, poet, and dramatist was born Louis Farigoule.

BRING YOUR NEIGHBORS' CLEANING WITH YOU

Next Time You Come

We appreciate your bringing in your cleaning... it helps us a lot. But perhaps you didn't realize that you could be more helpful. Bring your neighbors' cleaning with you in the future. It's silly for all of you to make separate trips. They'll be grateful and perhaps they can return the favor some other time.

Please Bring Your Own Hangers

MODERN DRY CLEANERS

—COMPARISON OF—

CITY FINANCES

AS OF DATES

APRIL 1, 1942 and DEC. 31, 1944

April 1, 1942

December 31, 1944

Cash In Funds:

General Fund	\$13,438.60
Sinking Fund	5,906.62
Water-Sewer	
Sinking Fund	3,272.50
Water-Sewer	
Improvement Fund	6,145.22
	\$28,762.94

Securities Owned:

Government Bonds	\$ 4,958.00
City of Lamesa Bonds	5,000.00
	\$ 9,958.00

Bonds Outstanding:

Ad Valorem Tax Bonds	\$318,000.00
Sewer System	
Revenue Bonds	5,000.00
Water-Sewer	
Revenue Bonds	75,000.00
	\$398,000.00

Cash In Funds:

General Fund	\$ 7,964.29
Sinking Fund	43,727.54
Water-Sewer	
Sinking Fund	6,516.55
Water-Sewer	
Improvement Fund	8,648.91
Street Maintenance Fund	8,358.84
Waterworks and Sanitary	
Sewer System Fund	15,347.09
	\$90,563.22

Securities Owned:

Government Bonds	\$24,958.00
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Bonds Outstanding:

Ad Valorem Tax Bonds	\$307,000.00
Water-Sewer Revenues	69,000.00
	\$376,000.00

New Land Purchased:

348 acres at Lamesa Field at \$34.00	\$11,832.00
38.58 acres at the Disposal Plant	4,858.30
6 acres in Blk. 21, College (Cutler)	1,000.00
37 3-7 acres from Clyde Adams	3,368.50
	\$21,058.80

NET GAIN FROM 4-1-42 to 12-31-44

Gain in Cash in Bank	\$61,800.28
Gain in Government Bonds	15,000.00
Reduction of Bonded Debt	22,000.00
New Property Purchased	21,058.80
Total Gained	\$119,859.08

To The Citizens of Lamesa:

Since I resigned as mayor, a job which carries with it the responsibilities of finance officer, there has been no statement made public as to the condition of the cities funds.

The cities Calendar year runs from March 31 to March 31, at that time the regular annual audit will be made. In the mean time the books are always available for public inspection.

The Commission has authorized the above comparative financial condition of the City during my time as finance officer.

I believe when you consider the inevitable higher cost of operating the Cities business because of the war and the fact that there has been no rise in taxes either by rate or valuation, and the inevitable loss of taxes to the city by the dwindling stocks of taxable merchandise. It will be agreed that the affairs of the city have been run in a business way.

I wish to express my appreciation to the people of Lamesa, the Commission, and the City employees for their loyal help. I pledge my support to my successor whom I feel the City is indeed fortunate to get for the job.

Respectfully yours,
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Richard Harding Davis, American journalist, came by his profession through his father, who was a newspaper editor, and his mother, who was a novelist.

The States of Texas,

County of Dawson:

BY VIRTUE of a certain Order

of Sale issued out of the Honorable

District Court of Dawson County,

on the 28th day of December 1944,

by the Clerk of said Court against

C. H. Warnick for the sum of Nine

Hundred Ninety (\$990.00) Dollars

and costs of suit, in cause No. 1488

in said Court, styled O. F. Priest

versus C. H. Warnick and placed in

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Warnick by virtue of said levy and

said Order of Sale.

And in compliance with law, I give

this notice by publication, in the

English language, once a week for

three consecutive weeks immediately

preceding said day of sale, in the

Dawson County Courier, a newspaper

published in Dawson County.

WITNESS my hand, this 28th day

of December 1944.

A. M. BENNETT, Sheriff Dawson

County, Texas.

By A. N. RANDLE, Deputy.

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Above is pictured Arnett's Helpy-Self Laundry, which was formerly known as Brown's Steam Laundry, and Jennings's Washateria. Cicero Arnett, a long time resident of this county, recently purchased the firm, which is located at 206 North Houston Street, and is operating a most complete helpy-self laundry. The firm is arranged for your convenience, being equipped with 18 fine washing machines, plenty of hot, soft water, and other washing supplies. There is plenty of working space provided at Arnett's Helpy-Self Laundry and several employees to assist you.

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He is operating a complete helpy-self laundry now, equipped with eighteen Maytag washing machines, all kept in tip-top working order, each surrounded by three large tubs for washing and rinsing. Above the machines and tubs are two hose, which provide the hot and cold water. Stands have been set up near the machines, on which clothing can be placed.

You will find Arnett's Helpy-Self equipped for your convenience, and Mr. Arnett reports that at all times they have plenty of hot soft water, soap, bleach, and starch. There is plenty of working space at the laundry, and housewives will find that taking their wash to that firm will save worry, and will keep washday disorders and odors out of the

home. Three girls are employed at Arnett's Helpy-Self to take care of the tubs and machines. Another worker at the business will bring in your clothes from the car and will return them after you have finished washing them.

Another service offered at Arnett's Helpy-Self is the fact that they do wet washing on Friday of each week. Mr. and Mrs. Arnett state that this service is offered only on Fridays.

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Mr. and Mrs. Arnett invite you to call at the firm. You will like their many services, and the courteous attention given you there.

Prior to entering this business, Mr. Arnett was employed at Randall Lumber Company for two years, and before that time he farmed in this county. Mr. and Mrs. Arnett have

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Other furnishings you will admire are their new 2 piece living room suites with springs, their platform rockers and new, attractive couches complete with comfortable springs. An assortment of Coffee tables, table lamps, 34 inch whatnots, magazine racks, pictures, glass wall whatnots and throw rugs are other articles stocked at Lamesa Furniture Company which you will find eye-catching.

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make every home more delightful. They have a high regard for quality as well as beauty that you will find reflected in their merchandise. Let them help you with your furniture needs, and provide you with items that will make your home a more pleasant place in which to live.

Food Assistant Is Working In Area

Mrs. Mabel Phinizy of this city began work as an employee of the Extension Service of A. M. College as emergency war food assistant today (Thursday, Feb. 1). Mrs. Phinizy will work in Dawson County in cooperation with Mrs. Myrtle Negy, county home demonstration agent, and in Borden County in cooperation with Frank Medley, county agent.

Mrs. Phinizy's services will be available to people in these counties on questions pertaining to food production, preparation and preservation. Her headquarters will be in the basement of the local post office.

Mrs. Negy reports that some equipment clinics will be planned soon for women in this county and an attempt will be made to get all the old sealers in the county in good condition before canning season.

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COURTHOUSE NEWS

The following records were taken from the county clerk's office, beginning January 19, and extending through January 29.

ROYALTY DEEDS

Wilson Burroughs to Joseph Bills, undivided 2.5-160 interest in the

northeast 1-4 of section 11, block 34, township 3 north, T & P Ry. Co. Survey, January 23.

Wilson Burroughs to Joseph Bills, undivided 2.5-160 interest in northeast 1-4 of section 12, block 34, township 3 north, T & P Ry. Co. Survey, January 23.

MINERAL DEEDS

C. A. Hollingsworth to Roy Ridel, undivided 241-500 interest in the northeast 1-4 of section 137 in block "M." of the E. L. & R. R. Ry. Co. Surveys in Dawson and Gaines Counties, January 24.

C. A. Hollingsworth to Roy Ridel, undivided 241-500 of a 1-4 interest in north 1-2 of section 14, block "M." of the E. L. & R. R. Ry. Co. Surveys in Dawson County, January 24.

C. A. Hollingsworth to Roy Ridel, undivided 241-500 of a 1-2 interest in northeast 1-4 of section 80 in block "M." of E. L. & R. R. Ry. Co. Surveys, January 24.

H. O. Wilson to Mattie E. Wyatt, undivided 1-4 interest in northwest 1-4 of section 6 in block 36, township 5 north, T & P Ry. Co. Surveys, January 24.

Lucille Littleton to Guss Bettis, undivided 1-2 interest in south 1-2 of section 16 in block 33, township 7 north, in Dawson County, January 26.

J. N. Wilson to C. S. Longcope, undivided 4.8-177.12 interest in tract 38 of the Higginbotham Harris Subdivision out of the Hutchinson County School Land of league 279, January 27.

OIL, GAS AND MINERAL LEASE

J. D. Randolph to Tidewater Asso. Oil Co., the south 1-2 of the northwest 1-4 of section 20, block "M." EL & RR Ry. Co. Surveys, January 23.

W. A. Yeager & J. M. Armstrong to Magnolia Petroleum Co., all the northwest 1-4 of section 28, block M. E. L. & R. R. Ry. Co. Survey, January 19.

W. L. Woodward and wife to Ray A. Albaugh, first tract, east 1-2 section 1, block "M." EL & RR Ry. Co. Survey, second tract, west 1-2 section 1, block "M." EL & RR Ry. Co. Survey, third tract, east 1-2 section 2, block "M." EL & RR Ry. Co. Survey, fourth tract, west 1-2 section 2, block "M." EL & RR Ry. Co. Survey, fifth tract, west 1-2 section 4, block "M." EL & RR Ry. Co. Survey, sixth tract, west 1-2 section 5, block 2, D. L. Cunningham Survey, seventh tract, east 1-2 section 3, block 2, D. L. Cunningham Survey, eighth tract, 1-2 section 3, block 2, D. L. Cunningham Survey, ninth tract, west 1-2 and west 1-2 of east 1-2 section 2, block 2, D. L. Cunningham Survey, January 19.

W. T. Webb and wife and Audrey Cox to Ray A. Albaugh, all the west 1-2 of the northeast 1-4 of section 48, block "M." E. L. & R. R. Ry. Co. Surveys, January 29.

WARRANTY DEEDS

O. Rhoades to Gordon McGuire Jr., lot 9 and east 1-2 of lot 8 in block "A" of the C. H. McCormick's Corrected Map of the Miller Addition, January 20.

Fred L. Martin to W. G. Brown, lot 7 in block 17 of the Elwanda Heights Addition, January 20.

Alma J. Love to J. C. Camp, lots 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 of the S. B. Hodge Addition, January 20.

Dovie Pierce Smith to J. R. Westmoreland, lots 1, 2, and 3 in block 28, of the Lee Addition, January 20.

T. Self to Mrs. S. O. Nowell, lot 8 in block 8 of the Depot Addition, January 20.

Mrs. Mattie E. Wyatt to H. O. Wilson, all the northwest 1-4 of section 6 in block 36, township 5 north, T & P Ry. Co. Surveys, January 20.

Dionica Salinas to Piedad Sandoval, lot 2 in block 2 of the Tidwell Addition, January 20.

B. Fancher to Paul Deboskie lot 23 in block 30 of the Hollis Addition, January 20.

E. G. Fortenberry to O. S. Osborn, north 220 acres of the north 1-2 of section 16 in block C-41, Public School Land, January 20.

Bartow Huff to Bob Huff, lot 6 L. S. Thacker Subdivision, January 22.

Willie Etta McConkey to Bob Huff, lot 6, L. S. Thacker Subdivision, January 22.

H. L. Huff to Bob Huff, lot 6, L. S. Thacker Subdivision, January 22.

J. B. Britt to E. O. Hadaway, lots 12 and 13 in block 13 of the town of Welch, January 22.

E. O. Hadaway to Bob Harred, lots 12 and 13 of the town of Welch, January 22.

Ebbie Lee to W. H. Huse, lot 5 in block 11 of the Depot Addition, January 22.

F. D. Deatherage to W. W. Burgett, tract 6 of the E. W. & D. L. Harris Subdivision of the north 1-2 of league 276 of the Glasscock School Land, January 22.

O. S. Sansom to Gay Wade, lots 1 and 2 in block 4 of the town of Patricia, January 22.

Guy Wade to Oley Sansom, south 1-2 of section 20 in league 262, Borden County School Land, January 23.

F. L. Johnson to Pearl Hansard, lots 16 and 17 of the S. B. Hodge Subdivision of 5 acres out of the north 1-2 of section 1, block 36, township 5 north of the HP Ry. Co. Survey, January 23.

H. W. Beckham to W. W. Warren, lot 5 in block 4 of the Beckham Estates to the town, January 24.

Chester Horn to T. C. Drennan, lot 3 in block 6 of the Lee Addition, January 24.

O. R. Pritchett to Domingo Ybarra, lots 9, 10 and 11 in block 3 of the second morning addition, January 24.

Elizabeth Bryant to J. C. Thompson, lot 7 in block "E" of the C. H. McCormick's corrected map of the Miller Addition, January 25.

Iva Mae Cochran to R. E. Britt, tract 16 in league 3 of the Munger Subdivision of the Taylor County School Land, January 25.

J. R. Earnest to E. C. Nix Jr., tract 22 of league 4 of the Munger Subdivision of Taylor County School Land, subject to 1-2 non-participating minerals, January 25.

J. R. Earnest to Lee Humphill, tracts 13, 14 and 15 of League 4 of the Munger subdivision of Taylor County School Land, subject to 1-2 non-participating minerals, January 25.

W. E. Boyd to T. E. Davis, south 240 acres of the east 1-2 of section number 4 block 1 of the C. C. Slaughter Survey, January 25.

Mary R. Wallace to Willie and Elizabeth Thomas, lot 6 of the Carver Subdivision of the north part of block 14 of the W. H. Turner Addition, January 25.

R. E. Britt to J. P. Hughes lot 4 and the east 1-2 of lot 5 in block 18 of the original town of Lamesa, January 25.

R. D. Simpson to P. H. Oates, lots 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10 in block 21 of the Elwanda Heights Addition, January 25.

J. C. Camp to G. F. Brown, lots 5, 6 and 7 of the S. B. Hodge Subdivision of 5 acres of land out of the north 1-2 of section 1, block 36, township 5 north, T & P Ry. Co. Survey, January 25.

Guss Bettis to Lucille Littleton, south 1-2 of section 16 in block 33, township 7 north, January 27.

E. L. Wyche to V. O. Key lots 7, 8, and 9 in block 2 of the I. M. Bolton Subdivision, January 27.

J. C. Camp to F. P. Duncan, lots 8 and 9 of the S. B. Hodge Subdivision of 5 acres of land out of the north 1-2 of section 1, block 36, township 5 north of the T & P Ry. Co. Surveys, January 27.

O. D. Holloway to Raymond Hatch, south 75 feet of lots 11 and 12 in block 11 of the original town of Lamesa, January 27.

W. C. Compton to V. O. Key, south 1-2 of lot 1 and all lots 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 in block 3 and all lots 1, 2, 3 in block 16 of the Compton Addition, January 29.

J. M. Caldwell to R. H. Williams, lot 5 in block 3 of the College Addition, January 29.

Odessa Davenport to F. M. Condon, lot 1 in block 10 of the original town of Ackery, January 29.

W. S. Bingham to Harry Winford, the southeast 1-4 of section number 3 in block 4, D. L. Cunningham Surveys, January 29.

Walter Misser to A. M. Limmer, northwest 1-4 of section 22, in block 36, township 5 north of the T & P Ry. Co. Surveys, January 29.

C. R. Henderson to V. C. Fincher, blocks 14 and 15 and 16 of the south 1-2 of league 276, Glasscock County School Land, January 29.

R. L. Jones to C. E. Martin, lot 6 of the McFarlin Addition, January 27.

G. F. Brown to Jewel J. Brown, lot 6, 7, of the S. B. Hodge Subdivision of the 5 acre tract out of the north 1-2 of section 1, block 36, township 5 north, T & P Ry. Co. Surveys, January 29.

W. T. Webb to Elmo Murff, lot 8 in block 8 of the Hart Addition to the town, January 29.

J. T. Howard to Mrs. I. D. Cartwright, the southeast 1-4 of section 40, block 36, township 5 north, T & P Ry. Co. Survey, January 29.

Homer H. Howard to Mrs. I. D. Cartwright, the southwest 1-4 of section 40, block 36, township 5 north, T & P Ry. Co. Survey, January 29.

the Lee Addition to the town of Lamesa, January 29.

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The gospel is God's "Good news" of salvation. It is "The power of God unto salvation." Rom. 1:16. It is God's "love story" to man and was revealed to the apostles by the Holy Spirit. Jno. 14:26. The apostles taught the gospel truth to other men who were able to teach others also. 2 Tim. 2:2. The gospel contains facts to be believed, commands to be obeyed and promises to be enjoyed.

1. Facts Of The Gospel Of Christ

Christ came to earth, lived, taught, served, suffered and died. Paul says, "I have declared unto you the gospel . . . how Christ died for our sins . . . was buried that he arose again the third day." 1 Cor. 15:1-4. These are FACTS that MUST BE BELIEVED and there is ample evidence in the Bible record to create such belief. NO PERSON CAN BE SAVED WHO DISBELIEVES THESE FACTS. Mk. 16:16. "He that believeth not shall be condemned."

2. Commands Of The Gospel To Be Obeyed

Just as there are facts to be believed, there are commands to be obeyed. Some think that belief of the facts alone will save the soul, but God has so arranged it that those who believe the facts MUST ACT UPON THAT FAITH BY OBEYING THE COMMANDMENTS OF THE GOSPEL. We are "Saved by grace" but it is by the gospel that God's grace is manifested to us. We are "Saved by faith" for men must believe the gospel which was given by God's grace and love. Our faith must be ACTIVE and relate to its object—Christ Jesus. A man with a LIVING FAITH will do what God commands. Faith that does not obey is a "Dead FAITH." Faith relates to repentance and is expressed in baptism. ONE WHO SAYS HE BELIEVES BUT REFUSES TO REPENT AND BE BAPTIZED cannot be saved. Acts 2:38. He will be condemned because of UNBELIEF.

3. Promises Of The Gospel To Be Enjoyed

Those who believe and obey the gospel are added to the Church. Acts 2:47. As members of the body of Christ they enjoy the blessings of forgiveness and fellowship. They must remain faithful unto death in order to enjoy the home of the soul. God's promises are true and He expects us to yield ourselves unto him. "All blessings are in Christ." Eph. 1:3. We are "Baptized into Christ." Gal. 3:26-27. If we want God's blessing, which are in Christ, we MUST BELIEVE the facts of the gospel and OBEY THE COMMANDS.

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MRS. R. E. BEDDOE, MISSIONARY FROM CHINA WAS GUEST SPEAKER AT FEDERATED MEETING MONDAY

Ladies of the First Baptist Church were hostesses to the City Federated Church organization, Monday January 29, at 3 o'clock at the Church.

Mrs. E. R. Tinsley, president of the Federation, presided during the business session. Mrs. Will Norris, was in charge of the program for the afternoon, which was as follows: Hymn led by Mrs. W. J. Beckham with Mrs. Ray Hollingshead as organist. Devotional was given by Mrs. E. P. Cole and followed with prayer by Mrs. W. L. Marr. Special music was given during the afternoon by members of the High School Chorus under the direction of Richard Young. They sang the "Lord's Prayer" and "Winter Prayer."

Guest speaker for the occasion was Mrs. R. E. Beddoe, sister of Mrs. R. F. Nix of this city. Mrs. Beddoe, who has spent a number of years in China as a missionary, has recently returned from there. She gave a most interesting discussion on Missions.

After the program refreshments of angel food squares and spice tea was served to approximately two hundred guests. The serving table was laid with a white linen embroidered cloth and centered with a large valentine made of lace doilies centered with red carnations.

MRS. WALTER DENNIS HOSTESS AT BIRTHDAY DINNER TUESDAY

Mrs. Walter Dennis entertained Tuesday evening at her home for her daughter Thelma Lee and Miss Helen McNew with a birthday dinner.

After the dinner games were enjoyed after which the honorees were presented with several lovely gifts.

Those attending were Mrs. Jackie Conner, Mrs. Franklin Dennis, Mrs. Havis Capps and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Emfinger and family, Jo Ann Free, Gay Nell Holcomb and Madeline Carlton, Thelma Lee Dennis and Helen McNew.

CIRCLES OF W. M. S. TO HAVE BIBLE STUDY MONDAY FEB. 5

The Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church will meet in Circles for Bible Study, Monday, February 5, at 3 o'clock.

The circles will meet as follows: Louella Beddoe Circle with Mrs. A. B. Maxwell, Blanche Rose Walker Circle, Mrs. E. R. Yates, Ella Crawley Circle, Mrs. W. W. Petteway, Sarah Medlin and Lucille Regan Circles at the Church.

Women of Lamesa are urged and invited to attend one of these meetings.

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MESDAMES COLEMAN, NORRIS HOSTESS TO T. E. L. CLASS THURS.

The T. E. L. Class of the First Baptist Church was entertained Thursday afternoon, January 25, at the home of Mrs. Will Norris. Hostesses were Mrs. C. C. Coleman and Mrs. Norris.

Mrs. J. W. McDonald gave a most interesting discussion on "Scriptures," after which refreshments of Angel Food squares and spiced tea were served.

Those attending were Mesdames Q. E. Terrall, T. H. Boyd, J. B. Shackelford, G. W. Hyatt, Martin, Guy Orr, J. W. McDonald, W. B. McWhorter, D. E. Barrett, W. H. Derstine, J. H. Bridges, S. C. Albertson, Z. T. McMullen, C. E. Martin, C. P. Creswell, Ruby Jeter, T. W. McSpadden, and the hostesses, C. C. Coleman and Will Norris.

MRS. R. R. TOWNSEND HOSTESS TO BRASWELL CIRCLE TUESDAY EVE.

The Braswell Circle of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday evening, January 30 at the home of Mrs. R. R. Townsend for their regular meeting.

A business session was held at which time plans were made for a number of their meetings.

Those attending were Mesdames Imojean Trahan, Estelle Hinson, Dorothy Gardner, Myrtle Harrington, Lorna Bucklew, Francis Stuart, Billie Boswell, Maxine McKinnon, Fairy Myers, Inez Roberts, Bobbie Jeter, Helen Costin and R. R. Townsend.

APPROACHING MARRIAGE OF MISS DAVIS TO SGT. SALSER ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Davis announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Jo Evelyn to Marine Sgt. F. P. Salser. Miss Davis is now living in Big Spring with her parents, who are former residents of Lamesa. The wedding date has been set for the early part of February.

Sgt. Salser has been a member of the Marine Corp for six years, and has been in the Hospital in Oakland, California for several months. Before joining the Marines he made his home in Lamesa with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Salser, with whom he is visiting now.

MR. MRS. W. KIBLER ENTERTAIN WITH BUFFET SUPPER

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Kibler entertained Saturday evening at their home with a buffet supper. After the supper games of 42 were enjoyed.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Jake Chilton, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Estes, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Estes and daughter Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Carr, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Schultz and the hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Kibler.

DONALD AIRHART HONORED ON 8TH BIRTHDAY SATURDAY

Mrs. J. Airhart entertained for her son Donald on his 8th birthday, Saturday afternoon from 3 until 5 o'clock at her home.

Cake and cold drinks were served after which games were played and gifts unwrapped.

Those attending were Mary Dell and Brenda Kay Hudson, Mary Lane Turner, Barbara Smith, Bobby Brown, Buddy Davis, Edward and Jerry Green, Doy Duane and Shirlene Ferguson, Jimmie and Judy Airhart and the honoree Donald Airhart.

MRS. DON PEEPLow REVIEWED "THE ROBE" AT MEETING FRIDAY

The Berean Sunday School class of the First Methodist Church was entertained Friday afternoon at 4:30 at the home of Mrs. Marshall Allen. Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Mildred Cypert, Mrs. E. E. Wright and Mrs. Allen.

Mrs. McLaughlin, teacher of the class, presented the guest speaker, Mrs. Don Peeplo, who reviewed the book "The Robe."

After the review refreshments were served to Mesdames Ocie Yeager, Fred Mitchell, Tom Bertram, David Jones, Don Emory, J. H. Norris, Robert Wade, Doyle Shillingburg, Blaine Wiggins, Leslie Pipkin, T. A. Keilam, L. W. West, Cal Wright, Seaman Smith, Leta Ashlock, Ruth McLaughlin, Bill Holder, Cal Rountree, Don Peeplo, and the hostesses.

MISS MAURINE GRAVES BECOMES BRIDE OF GLEN HANSON

Miss Maurine Graves, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Graves became the bride of Glen Hanson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hanson of Sparenberg Thursday afternoon, January 25th at 3:30 in the Methodist Parsonage at Sparenberg. Rev. Cecil Tune, pastor of the Methodist Church, officiated in the double ring ceremony.

The bride wore an afternoon frock of aqua blue with matching hat and black patent accessories. She wore a corsage of gardenias. For something borrowed she wore her mother's pearls.

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School. For the past five months Mrs. Hanson has been employed by the McBride Gin Co., and Mr. Hanson has been engaged in farming. Immediately after the ceremony the couple left for a short wedding trip to New Mexico.

ANN NEGY HONORED ON BIRTHDAY TUESDAY

Honoring Miss Ann Negy on her birthday, Miss Barbara Negy and Miss Earnestine Gambill entertained Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Myrtle Negy.

The entertaining rooms were attractively decorated with cut flowers. Refreshments of spice tea and birthday cake were served.

Those attending were Misses Ann Negy, Carolyn Baldwin, Wynelle Cotten, Joan Spencer, Anita Oliver, Mesdames Tom Burnside, L. M. Munger, Henry Sayles, Tom Wood, Jack Phinizy, Myrtle Negy, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jones and two sons, Jerry and Frank, and the hostesses

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Capt. K. Harris To Give A Program About Australia

Another local school assembly program to be presented by visiting talent will be given in the Lamesa High School auditorium on Tuesday afternoon, February 5, at 2 p. m.

Australia will be the subject and the visitor will be Capt. Kilroy Harris, a native of that continent whose program is billed "Off The Beaten Track In Australia."

Capt. Harris is listed in Australia's "Who's Who" by virtue of his travels, lectures and writings. He is also a fellow of the British Royal Geographic Society. His publications are used in many institutions of learning in courses concerning Australia and New Zealand.

Capt. Harris' war service includes six months in the United States on confidential work for the British government in 1915; and six months in 1918 as an official War Lecturer for the British and United States governments.

Later he was made a King's messenger in the British Diplomatic Service, and as such he carried confidential dispatches in Europe and to Ceylon, Australia and New Zealand.

During World War I, Capt. Harris was decorated four times and gassed, wounded on four occasions personally by King George of England for gallantry in action, being awarded the Distinguished Service Order and three Military Crosses.

In his program at the high school here which will be illustrated with colored slides, Capt. Harris leaves the beaten path in Australia and takes his audience out into the "bush" where kangaroos, teddy bears, and aboriginals live in stone age environment. Much interesting information will be presented about the land "down under."

This entertainment is supplied through the Harry Bird Kline Agency, which sponsors school programs.

Employers Here Asked To Help In A War Program

Fred Sanders, chairman of the Community Mobilization Committee in this city reports that employers of Lamesa have been sent letters from S. J. Berry, War Manpower Area Director requesting their aid and cooperation to help solve the critical manpower shortage that hinders the war effort, accompanied by a Pledge of Cooperation.

The letter explains that today 40 per cent of the individual war production programs are behind schedule, which Berry states is caused by a shortage of 300,000 workers who are needed to produce various super-critical items urgently needed by the fighting forces. He states, "In order to meet this need, it is necessary for every available man or woman to accept employment in a war job, if the worker is not engaged in essential war work."

In an effort to solve this manpower shortage, each employer in this community is being asked to pledge his cooperation to keep war workers on the job and to persuade other workers to get war jobs. The Pledge of Cooperation is being sent to employers in duplicate for their signature. You are requested to sign both copies, post one copy at a conspicuous point in your place of business, and mail the other copy in the attached envelope, postage free.

Chairman Sanders urges you to fill these out as quickly as possible and to follow the directions. After you have signed the pledge, your name will be entered by Chairman Sanders on the Roll of Honor for this community which is to be published in this newspaper.

The Pledge of Cooperation which you are asked to sign, states that you are familiar with the manpower shortage, and asserts that you pledge that you will not hire any worker in violation of established War Manpower Commission Employment Stabilization Program, which provides that male workers can not be hired unless they possess a Statement of Availability. If the worker was last employed in war production, he must not be employed except in other war production of equal or more importance.

Sanders explains that this is all a voluntary action, and requests that you conform with the directions and fill in your pledges as soon as possible.

Gratitude In Granite

PLYMOUTH, Eng. (AP) — The United States Army is to present a memorial of Devon or Cornwall granite for erection in the South Hams area of Devon where American troops took battle training.

— BUY MORE WAR BONDS —

Courier To Carry A Travel Column In Want Ad Section

The Dawson County Courier is inaugurating a new column in the classified ad section of the paper, which will be known as the travel column.

In this section, ads pertaining to rides will be placed, and those persons wanting rides, or offering rides to some section of the country are urged to list them there at a small charge.

If you can provide a ride for someone, or are wanting a ride, list in the travel column of the Dawson County Courier.

THE COURIER BELIEVES—

The Courier believes that those firms and individuals who make it possible for a newspaper to exist by contributing their advertising patronage, are entitled to know the truth about circulation, etc. In line with this policy The Courier is proud to present the following list of names who are either new or renewal subscribers received at the office since Thursday, January 19:

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Sgt. RICHARD COLLINS
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Pvt. BILL JORDAN
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Sgt. ELWARD G. JACKSON

Girl To The Rescue

MANCHESTER, Eng. (AP) — A twelve-year-old girl guide, Rosemary Miller, has been awarded the Silver Cross, second highest guide award for gallantry, for rescu-

ing from the Keer River a woman, a boy and a girl, one after the other.

Kathleen Norris thinks out the scenes for her novels while she plays solitaire.

Relief Supplies Delivered To Jap Prisoner of War

Here is good news for Texas relatives of men in Japanese prison camps:

The Japanese government has at last announced that a full shipload of U. S. relief supplies has been delivered to prisoner-of-war camps where American soldiers are held. If the announcement is true, it means that for the first time in many months, our men in the hands of the Japanese are receiving recreational supplies, books, study courses, sports equipment and other material designed to ease their prison boredom, as well as food and cigarettes.

The ship carried a large shipment of supplies sent by War Prisoners Aid, the National War Fund agency which looks after the welfare of our boys in enemy prison camps. The supplies were purchased with contributions of millions of home-front patriots who gave to their County War Chests during the annual National War Fund campaign.

For months, the Japs have held up shipment of the relief goods. Persistent negotiations by War Fund and War Prisoners Aid representatives, however, finally forced delivery of the shipment. The War Fund agency is represented abroad by Swiss and Swedish neutrals, who have done a good job in supervising delivery of relief to Americans in both Germany and Japan.

If the delivery reported this week indicates a new Japanese policy, National War Fund agencies will continue to send relief supplies to our men on regular schedule.

Gerald Barkhurst's Crew Awarded The Presidential Citation

Gerald Barkhurst, A. R. M. 2-C, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barkhurst of this city, recently returned from service in the European Theatre of War, and is now at a station in Jacksonville, Florida.

The crew to which he was attached has been presented the presidential citation, for sinking enemy submarines.

After a short time, Barkhurst will be returned for overseas duty.

Subscribers Are Asked To Check Expiration Date

Courier readers are asked to watch the expiration dates on their paper in order that they may not miss a single issue of The Dawson County Courier, your home town newspaper.

In other words, if the number following your name on the paper reads 3-45 that means that your subscription will expire on March 1, 1945 and that unless your subscription is renewed your paper will be stopped at that time.

The subscription price of the Courier is \$3.00 a year in Dawson, Martin, Gaines, Borden and Lynn Counties, and \$2.00 for six months. For a limited time only a 2 year subscription will be offered for \$5.00, or you can save one dollar by taking a two year subscription. The subscription price outside this territory is \$4.00 a year, except for men in the armed services which remains at \$3.00 a year.

Owen Jones Jr. Is Commissioned Ens.

Owen Jones, Jr., 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Jones, Sr., who reside on Route 2 in this county, was commissioned an Ensign in the U. S. Naval Reserve when he graduated recently from the Naval Reserve Midshipmen's School at Abbot Hall, Northwestern University, Chicago, Illinois.

His completed four-month course consisted of instruction in navigation, seamanship, damage control, communications, ordnance and gunnery, in addition to which he underwent a strenuous physical conditioning program and numerous drills designed to develop initiative and leadership.

The newly commissioned Ensign will now see action with the fleet as a deck officer.

BUY MORE WAR BONDS

Sergt. Cox Was Injured In Leg In France Dec. 13

In a letter received Monday, January 29, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Shipley of this city were informed that their son, Sgt. Desmond R. Cox had been wounded December 13 in France. He reported that he had received a leg injury, and was now in a hospital with his leg in a cast.

For his wound, Sgt. Cox has been awarded the Purple Heart, and was already the possessor of the Combat Infantry Badge.

The twenty-three year old sergeant has been overseas for the past two months, and has been a member of the service for more than two years.

Sgt. Cox has two brothers who are in the service, including Sgt. Pete Cox who is a member of a Medical Detachment now in the Philippines and who has been in the service approximately 5 years, and Alvin Cox, who was inducted into service this week. One brother-in-law, Pvt. Elton Gosset, is also in the armed forces and is stationed in France at the present time.

Pat Ryan Graduates At Navigator School

Pat H. Ryan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Perry V. Ryan, who reside at 704 North First Street in this city recently completed training in the most modern methods of aerial navigation at the advanced Navigation School at Ellington Field. He received his silver wings and bars as a second lieutenant, and will soon be fully prepared to go into combat against the enemy.

Prior to entering the service, Lt. Ryan was employed with the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company in Austin.

New Registrants For Service Are Listed

A list of the new draft registrants was released today (Thursday) by the local selective service board. The list includes men who were born in December of 1926, who are now eligible to enter the service.

The following names corresponding order numbers were included on the list: Billy Joe Perry, 11672;

Joe Clayton, 11673; Cecil Glen Hanson, 11674; Calvin Jack Lauderdale, 11675; Robert Lee Carlisle, 11676; Charles Ray Richardson, 11677; Favian Olivian, 11678; Virgil Paul Cornett, 11679; Jesse E. Stephens, 11680; and Eldon L. Sanders, 11681.

Church at 3 p. m., February 4. In addition to the regular singing, officials report that they expect to have quartets, and other groups on hand to provide some good music. W. J. Hogue will lead the singing.

Everyone is extended a cordial invitation to be present for the service.

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