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COUNTY CALF SHOW TO BE HELD HERE SATURDAY, FEB. 24

The Martin County Calf Show noted for exhibiting calves that have won championship honors in shows from Fort Worth to El Paso, will be held this year on Saturday, February 24th, according to Hubert Martin, county agent, who is the guy that has in charge the 4-H club boys, who are grooming the baby beebes for showing in this greatest of all events to be held in Stanton.

"There will be some 17 or 18 calves to show," said Martin, and "judges of fine stock who have seen the calves say they will be superior stock than that shown last year," Martin continued.

Committees to see after the various departments connected with the coming show, were appointed at a recent meeting. The matter of a convenient, and yet commodious place to hold the show, is worrying the members of the committee that has that problem in hand to solve. It is the unanimous opinion of the location committee that the show be held right up on Main Street.

The committee having in charge securing judge for the show has its line out to secure well-known stock judge at as Tech.

J. KIDD, LEADER OF GIRL SCOUTS VISITED LOCAL CAMP

Mrs. Kidd, district leader of Girl Scouts, was a guest Thursday afternoon January 25, of the local Girl Scouts, their mothers, and the council.

Mrs. Kidd has recently been to New York where all of the district leaders throughout the United States went for an instructor's course. She related some very interesting things concerned with scouting, and that there were 1,000,000 scouts in the United States. There are scouts all over the world. Some are very helpful in war work in England, for instance, while others cannot meet because of war.

A social hour in which Mrs. Kidd taught the girls games and songs, was enjoyed, and then the Intermediate girls served cookies they had made themselves.

Girl Scouts will celebrate their 33rd birthday in March.

If you are a girl between the age of 7 to 16, and are interested in being a scout, see Mrs. Edmond Tom, president of the local organization, or one of the following ladies: Brownie leader, Mrs. Jess Bradley; Intermediate leader, Mrs. Mary Kathryn Bristow, II; and Seniors, Mrs. Smithson or Betty Gibson.

SON FOR EPLEYS

Mr. and Mrs. Filmore Epley, are the parents of a son, born at a Big Spring hospital, Sunday, January 8. His weight is 7 pounds and 8 ounces, and he will have his father's name, James Filmore Epley, Jr., His paternal grandparent is Mrs. Lenora B. Epley.

Buys Clements Place

A. W. Heckler, has purchased the well improved home of Bill Clements in the north part of town. Mr. Clements and family expect to move to the farm a few miles north of Stanton they recently bought.

BACK FROM FRONT ON LEAVE

Lieut. Poe Woodward, who has been in the thick of the fight with Gen. Patton's Army, writes his mother, Mrs. Evelyn Woodward of Stanton, he was on leave, resting up, behind the lines.

RANGERS LIBERATE 500 PRISONERS FROM JAP PRISON CAMP

THE 7 O'CLOCK WORLD NEWS RADIO BROADCAST THIS THURSDAY MORNING, REPORTED RANGERS (OR COMMANDOS), ON LUZON HAD PENETRATED THE ISLAND 25 MILES TO A JAP PRISON CAMP AND LIBERATED 500 AMERICANS HELD PRISONERS AND BROUGHT BACK TO AMERICAN LINES. THE NAMES WERE GIVEN TO THE PRESS TO PUBLISH. THE BROADCAST STATED.

STANTON WON OUT IN FLOWER GROVE TOURNAMENT

Flower Grove held a basketball tournament last Friday and Saturday with the following teams entering: Klondike, Stanton, Flower Grove, Courtney, Loop and Ackerly. Sparenburg boys forfeited their game to Stanton. The locals faced their stiffest opposition when they went to battle with Loop, the team recognized to be one of best on the Plains. Hair-raising was this game which was staged at 4:30 Saturday afternoon. At the half of the fiasco the score stood 11-10 in favor of Loop. Fans of Loop gave out their battle cry, "LOO-OP," with much gusto and confidence of victory, but Stanton answered with flashing in the faces of their opponent a 21 to 18 victory.

The boys played Courtney in the finals, winning 21-10, thus capturing the crown of the tournament. Bob Howard of the local team chalked up the most points in the games.

Stanton girls won a light contest with Flower Grove but lost to Courtney, therefore their chances of winning was blacked out. Courtney girls have new suits which they have earned and waited for. The girls' championship went to Courtney.

Individual awards were given to outstanding players. I. T. Graves of Stanton won one of these miniature golden basketballs.

Watch your local teams and support them.—Reporter.

Maine is so indebted that its coastline aggregates some 3,000 miles, giving it a greater coastal area than any other coastal Some coast.

Bonds Over America



MICHIGAN'S CAPITAL

Michigan was known to Jesuit missionaries as "Michihiganing" or "Michiganay," relating to the great body of water east and west of the peninsula which now bears that name. The state's first capitol building was erected at Detroit in 1823 but in 1847 Lansing became the capital city. The present imposing capitol, constructed of New Hampshire granite and Ohio sandstone, cost \$1,510,130 and was dedicated in 1879 at an historic ceremony attended by all living governors of the state. Through its ornate halls and chambers have flown legislative streams directly enhancing the life of Michigan's tremendous industrial activity. And War Bonds are keeping that life-stream flowing.

U. S. Treasury Department

New Sallman Painting Depicts Theme of Crusade for Christ



CHICAGO — Warner Sallman, whose portrait of Christ has sold 4,500,000 copies, depicts here the support of millions of Christians to the determination of their Leader that there be no more war. Methodists are among those who are working for liberty and justice for all men through their four-year, five-fold Crusade for Christ.

Posters of the Sallman painting, now appearing in more than 41,000 Methodist churches across the nation, appeal for sacrificial contributions to the \$25,000,000 Crusade relief and reconstruction fund, more than half of which will go for food, clothing and other aid for peoples of war devastated and occupied countries. Other phases of the Crusade for Christ call for support of co-operation among nations in the post-war world, renewed evangelism efforts, education for Christian stewardship and improvement of Sunday School attendance.

"THE CRUSADING CHRIST"

AN INTERPRETATION OF THE METHODIST CRUSADE
FOR CHRIST PAINTING

By Clarence W. Hall

Before attempting to put on canvas the painting that has been adopted as the official Methodist Crusade for Christ painting, Warner Sallman, the artist whose "Head of Christ" has become the best known and most widely distributed religious picture of our times, conferred at great length with Crusade leaders.

"I want to know all about the Crusade," said Mr. Sallman, "its aims and purposes, its inner genius and its scope."

He listened attentively as "Methodism's boldest and most comprehensive program for world redemption" was outlined to him. A man of deep spiritual instincts and insight, the distinguished artist's eyes flashed as his heart began to burn with the imagination that has characterized all his work.

"I shall count it a great honor," he said quietly, "to try to capture on canvas some of the mighty challenge of this Crusade."

And he hurried off to his brushes and paints.

How well Warner Sallman caught the vision of what the Crusade aims to accomplish is revealed in this painting—a painting which should stir all of Methodism to meet the opportunities it offers.

It will be noted that the central figure on this poster—as He is the central figure of the Crusade—is "the Crusading Christ," Garbed in the robes denoting His kinship, but with the scars of the nail prints still in His hands, the Christ strides thru the scenes of war devastation.

In this conception, the artist has daringly "brought Christ down to earth." Whereas most artists, from the old masters to contemporary painters, seem to persist in paintings of this sort depicting Jesus floating above, and somehow detached from the world. Mr. Sallman has placed Him—where Jesus placed himself—upon the earth itself, amid the sorrows and sufferings of the world, actively leading His people in the amelioration of distress and the healing of sin's wounds, whether those sins be

individual or corporate.

Thus we have a striding Christ, as purposeful as He is compassionate, in the van of His people's march to "trample out the vineyards where the grapes of wrath are stored." His every expression and attitude reflect the imperativeness of the task.

His left hand clinched, His right hand extended to appeal to the onlooker to join the march of Methodists on behalf of the bereft. His sleeves tossed back—every gesture portrays the compassion He feels. No remote Christ, this!

Behind Him, marching in a V-shaped formation denoting the victory that will surely attend their way, come the hosts of Christ-inspired Methodists. It will be noted here that the artist here has included men and women, boys and girls, from every walk of life, and representing many races. In and through the scenes of devastation they come, this marching host, to minister with Christ and for Christ to such needs as this dire day has presented.

And above them, symbolic of the hope they bring—the new dawn the Crusade stands for—is a colorful rainbow.

In this forceful work Warner Sallman has not only made a great contribution to the Crusade for Christ, but he has also set the pace for religious artists to come. Well may we hope that this painting—like the Crusade it glorifies—will encourage all men to place Christ where for centuries He has sought to be, in the center of every effort for man's good.

DAUGHTER-IN-LAW VISITIN THE WHITES

Mr. and Mrs. Elsie White, are enjoying a visit from their daughter-in-law, and grandson, Mrs. P. N. White and son Douglas, of Denver, Colorado. Mrs. White and son flew from Denver on January 10th to remain in Stanton until Feb. 10th, when she will fly to Omaha, Neb. far an extended visit with relatives.

Contribute to March of Dimes

RUSSIANS ABOUT TO ODESSA, THAT'S THE DISTANCE THEY ARE FROM BERLIN

According to late war report, Wednesday evening, the Russian Army is within 55 miles of Berlin, a distance a little further way than Odessa is from Stanton. By the time the Reporter reaches its readers Friday morning the Russians may be drinking out of the town pump in Berlin.

Vodka will take the place of beer in that doomed city.

MRS. BEN CARPENTER REVIEWS PASTORAL

Mrs. J. B. Whitaker "Pastoral," was the novel Mrs. Ben Carpenter chose to review for members of the Stanton Study club when they met with Mrs. Paul Jones on January 24. Miss Carrie Alvis gave a sketch on the author, Nevil Shute, who has written several books. The best known of these being Pied Piper, which was made into a movie. He is now a Lieutenant-Commander attached to the admiralty in London.

Pastoral, as the name implies, has a rural background although the action center around Hartley Airdrome where Peter Marshall is a pilot on the "R" for Robert and Gervase Robertson is a WAAF. Peter fell head over heels in love with Gervase and she with him; but Gervase hesitated—she didn't want to marry anyone until the war was over. When the R for Robert fails one night to report "Mission Completed," Gervase realizes that she has been mistaken and that she does want to marry Peter. Then the Robert comes in so badly damaged that it can not land except at tremendous speed and all the crew bail out except one who is wounded and Peter, who cruises until his gasoline is exhausted manages to land the plane right side up. It ends happily with a leave for Peter and Gervase so they can get married and visit their parents before Peter is reassigned.

In their business session, Mrs. Priddy asked that each member have suggestions for next year's course of study to present at the next meeting.

Members present were: Miss Alvis and Mesdames Berry, Bryant, Bryan, Calvin Jones, Priddy, McPherson, Patterson, Whitaker, Carpenter and the hostess

NOT SO BAD AS THEY LOOKED

We thought of everything we had said in the Reporter and imagined we could see ourselves hanging feet down to the nearest mesquite tree, when four stalwart gentlemen of Tarzan stalked into the inner chamber of the office Tuesday morning. We slipped a printer's mallet under one arm, hidden, figuring there might be an opening we could use it. Our heart scampered back down out of our mouth when one of the quartet spoke up and said, "how about subscribing for your paper." While taking down the name of one of the Tarzanites, the second one was writing his address. The fourth gentleman was already a subscriber for himself and two sons who are in the service overseas. R. D. Boren and F. A. Fouch are the new subscribers from Tarzan, and T. K. Boren is already a subscriber but renewed the subscriptions of his two soldier sons. After all this had happened we thought them the finest fellows we had ever seen.

Fouch is one of the leaders in the local rodeos staged at Tarzan during the summer and early fall. and T. K. Boren is the head machinist at the local gin during ginning season and is the "village blacksmith" after the season.

Haggertons Sell to Nichols

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Haggertons of Blackwell, were here this week closing up final papers to place in the hands of Mrs. J. R. Nichols who has purchased their farm in the Lenora community.

FUNERAL SERVICES ONE OF STANTON'S BEST BELOVED WOM'N

Mrs. A. R. Houston, the former Anna Mae Tom, died suddenly at 11:45 Sunday morning, January 28, at a Big Spring hospital. She had been ill for some time, having just recently returned from Temple where she had gone for treatment.

Her birthplace is Stanton and her parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tom, were native Texans and pioneer residents of Martin county. She was a faithful member of the Catholic church, but her good deeds and cheering kindness reached far beyond the borders of her church. She was a friend of old and young and her happy smile and friendly greeting will be missed by all her many friends.

The first World War was a contributing factor in hurrying the marriage of Anna Mae Tom and "Tole" Houston. He was off to war but as long as he remained in the States she managed to keep somewhere near him, and then came home and settled down to await his return as so many brides are doing in the present war.

They were married February 19, 1918, Mr. Houston going overseas and not returning until after the Armistice.

The funeral services were held at St. Joseph's Catholic church, Wednesday morning at 10:30 o'clock, with Rev. J. F. Walter saying the Mass and Rev. Frank B. Trigg of St. George Catholic church, Midland, delivering the funeral oration. The choir of St. Georges Church, gave the music.

A son Bernard Houston, who is in the U. S. Navy, and at present stationed on the West Coast, and a daughter, Mrs. J. D. Poe, whose husband is also in the Navy, and making her home at Oakland, Calif., came in response to the death message.

Surviving Mrs. Houston, besides her husband A. R. Houston, are: daughters, Mrs. J. D. Poe, Oakland, Calif.; Zora Lou Houston, Sue Houston, Janice Houston, Stanton; sons, Bernard Houston from U. S. Navy Station, California; Fred Houston, Stanton. Sue Houston came home from St. Mary's Academy in Austin, accompanied by her cousin, Chrlies Tom of Midland, who is in St. Charles in Austin.

Surviving also are three brothers and one sister: Jim Tom and Edmond Tom of Stanton, J. Alfred Tom of Midland, and Mrs. J. C. Ellis of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ellis came from Fort Worth, accompanied by Mrs. George Tom, an aunt.

Other survivors are: cousins, Mrs. Sam Wilkinson, Stanton; Mrs. Maxine Floyd, Fort Worth; (continued to back page)

COWART-LUTTRELL

Pfc. T. L. Cowart and Miss Lillian Luttrell of Tarzan, were married January 26, at Ackerly.

Mrs. Cowart is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Miles Luttrell and a junior in Courtney high school.

Pfc. Cowart is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Cowart, and a 1942 graduate of Sparenburg high school.

Pfc. Cowart left Monday for Camp Claborn, La., and Mrs. Cowart plans to join him there in about two weeks.

At Payton Home

Mrs. Virgil Brothers, who underwent an operation in a Big Spring hospital, was brought to the Payton Home to convalesce. Her daughter, Lt. Marguerite Brothers, an Army nurse, who has been stationed at McCloskey Hospital at Temple, spent several days with her mother. Lt. Brothers is being transferred to a hospital in Oklahoma, and expects to be sent across. She served in Iceland a year or more before going to McCloskey.

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RATION-FREE ODD LOT SHOE SALE FEB. 19

OPA has authorized a ration-free "odd lot" sale of men's and women's shoes, beginning February 19 and ending March 1.

The temporary ration holiday, OPA said, is to give consumers the benefit of extra shoe mileage that otherwise might remain on dealers' shelves, and to help dealers clear their stocks of the normal accumulation of odd and ends and broken sizes. Before rationing, such shoes were customarily disposed of in seasonal clearance sales, but under the ration program it has been found that this odd lot merchandise does not sell for stamps, even at reduced prices. Therefore it has been OPA's policy to declare stamp-free periods from time to time.

The sale price for shoes from a retailer's stocks must be at least 25 per cent below the regular price. The retailer's mark-up on shoes purchased from another dealer must not exceed 33 1/3 percent.

Here On Furlough

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Corp. Connell and wife, are visiting friends in Cisco and Eastland this week. Mr. and Mrs. Connell have a home in Cisco, and expect to move there after the war.

MRS. KIDD, ORGANIZER MET WITH GIRL SCOUTS

The Girl Scouts met January 25. The Brownies met with us Mrs. Kidd, who organized the Girls Scouts in this town met with us. She taught us three games, "The Noble Duke of York," "Skip to-my-lou," and "Shoo Fiv, Shoo." She also taught us a negro spiritual.

The leaders of the Brownies and Girl Scouts were there, and a few mothers.

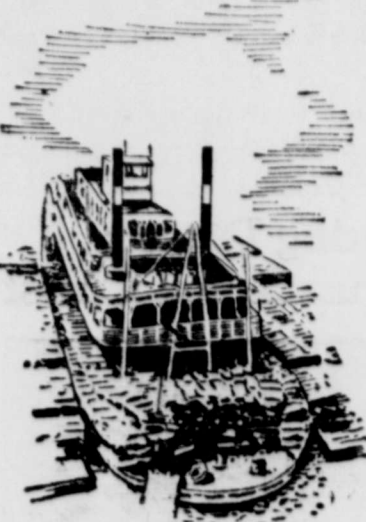
Cookies were served. —Girl Scout Reporter.

Buys the Ida Joiner Home

Ermon Hardy, has purchased the Ida Joiner home, the place that T. E. Bentley and family have been occupying. Mr. Harding has asked for possession February 1. Mr. and Mrs. Hardy and daughter, Gene have just recently moved back from California. Gene Hardy has a position in the First National Bank.

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Bonds Over America



BUSY COTTON BARGE

Cotton, coal, steel and marble have contributed greatly for the past 60 years to the growth and prosperity of Alabama. Busy barges groaned but kept going under heavier cargoes just as they had plied the rivers for decades when life was more colorful and a continual struggle. The real upturn in Alabama's affairs started in 1880 and has continued. It has brought better working and living conditions. The war brought added calls for cotton, added loads for the barges. Men on the fighting fronts need cotton and more War Bonds must be purchased to pay for it. Cotton, barges, War Bonds... all needed to win the war.

U. S. Treasury Department

RECEIVES LETTER FROM POW HUSBAND

Mrs. Juanita Oswalt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Johnson, of Stanton, received a letter from her husband last Friday who is a POW in Germany. The letter was dated December 3, and he stated he was well and working on a farm and that the weather was pretty bad.

This is the second letter received from him since he was taken prisoner. He is interned at Stalag VII-A Germany.

Open For Business

G. W. Hudgins of Midland,

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REMODLES ONE OF OLDEST HOUSES AT COURTNEY

Only recently Sam Webster, who lives 2 1/2 miles northeast of Courtney, remodeled one of the oldest houses in the community. Part of the old house was built by the late E. P. Woodard in 1908—it was one room then. Mr. Woodard, late husband of Mrs. Evelyn Woodard of Stanton, owned the land at that time.

The well on the place was one of the old Slaughter wells. Frank Orson, pioneer ranchman built one room in 1906

Mr. Webster has remodeled this old house into a modern 2 room tenant house and a nice sized barn.

Mr. and Mrs. Bart Davis, last year, purchased the J. H. T. Johnston home which was built in 1908. The Davis' have remodeled this house into a modern home with hardwood floors throughout.

Morris Zimmerman purchased the Tom Mashburn place and is converting it into a stock farm. This is one of the pioneer homes of Courtney community.

Our boys must keep on fighting—we must keep on buying WAR BONDS until victory is won. Keep on BACKING THE ATTACK.

HAULS CHILDREN TO TARZAN SCHOOL

Mrs. Monsell, whose husband is manager of the J. E. Mabey 150-section ranch, at the west line of Martin county, and lives at ranch headquarters, takes her children to the Tarzan school every day and picks up some other children along the way. The distance being too far to make four trips a day Mrs. Monsell stays at the Tarzan school until dismissal in the evening. The school board turned over the free lunch to Mrs. Monsell, who serves the lunch at noontime.

F. Springer of Tarzan, was in the Reporter office this week subscribing for the paper and he told us this news. Forgot what relation he is to Grover Springer, principal of Lenorah school, but said he practically raised that boy, and he done a good job of it, if you ask this editor.

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Mrs. Ernest Epley, Five Points, California; Glen Tom, Stanton; and Ellison Tom, Midland. Sister M. Dorolene, New York; Mrs. Dorothy Pickering, a niece of Fort Worth; aunts and cousins at Brady, Mineral Wells; Stanley Ellis, of the U. S. Navy, a nephew.

Friends from Midland, Big Spring, Garden City, and all over Martin county came to pay their last tribute to this well loved woman.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ratliff of Garden City came. It was their son George, who, with George Billy Wilkinson and Bernard Houston, enlisted in the Navy at the same time and the Ratliff boy died in service.

Beautiful flowers came from distant places as well as from friends and relatives here.

The First National Bank and several business houses closed the services, the bank remaining closed throughout the day in respect to the cashier, Mr. Tom. Several outside business friends of Mr. Tom came to services, among them R. M. Jones, of the Sweetwater Oil Co.

A sister of Mr. Houston's, Mrs. H. G. Spruce came on receipt of the death message.

The pall bearers were: L. M. Estes, Morris Connell, Luke Cathey, Jack Jones, Sam Ratliff, Harry Haislip and Bland Cross.

TOO MANY APPLYING REPLACEMENT BOOKS

Word comes to the District Office that too many persons are applying for replacement of War Ration Books.

Please may we call upon you to aid this office in keeping a better control over the issuance of War Ration Books. It is the responsibility of the owner of War Ration Books to take good care of them. In the event books become somewhat mutilated, it is the holder's problem to either

paste the stamps on with tape or on a plain piece of paper.

**Martin County War Price
and Rationing Board**

BOMBARDIER

tells a forthright, he-man story of how the air force trains the keen-eyed young men who operate its secret bombsight and drop its missiles of destruction and death. The picture is engrossing, informative, and stirring. There is but a slight trace of love interest but several bits of comedy to lighten its grim subject. For the action fanatics there is a whirlwind explosive climax in which a Japanese city is blasted by a squadron of Flying Fortresses. This picture will be shown at the Texas Theatre Saturday night preview and Sunday-Monday, Feb. 4 and 5.

Buys City Cafe

L. B. Hedrick, recently purchased the City Cafe from J. G. Johnson, and business was so great he had to have help so sold a half interest to Mrs. Ruby Swain. He becomes a new patronizer of the Reporter advertising columns, starting this week.

HORACE BLOCKER SELLS MIDLAND COSDEN AGENCY

R. B. Baker, for seventeen years a resident of Midland, will become Midland County distributor for Cosden gasoline Thursday. His Baker Oil Company also

PREPARE

FOR WINTER

by having your

Winter Garments

cleaned

MODERN

CLEANERS

IF IT'S POINTS YOU'RE COUNTING UP...

You'll get a bargain in them by buying quality foods at this store. Points have more value when they are used to purchase quality foods, and they have still more value when they are used to buy these foods at our very reasonable prices.

Make your points do their full duty by spending them here.

JIM WEBB GROCERY & STATION
PHONE ONE

Do you have a tractor or car that need a repair or an overhauled job?

Bring them to us, we are qualified to do your job.

**Hudgins Garage
and Tractor Repair**

In Old Laundry Building

* * BONDS OVER AMERICA * *

Old Spanish Lighthouse, San Diego, Calif., was built in 1855 from 'dobe' bricks taken from the old Spanish Fort Guajarro. It is near Point Loma where Juan Rodriguez Cabrillo landed in 1592.

Spain in San Diego



**For a United America—
Buy War Bonds**

From the entire Continent of Europe people have come to the 'new world' looking for freedom of opportunity.

will be agent for Veedol oil and greases and other Tide Wacer products.

Baker purchased the Cosden franchise from Horace Blocker of Stanton. The Midland man formerly was associated with Blocker in the Cosden agency at Odessa. —Midland Reporter-Telegram.

Big Spring Visitors

Misses Jane Norris and Virginia Hill of Big Spring, were week-end visitors of Betty Alsup and Betty Gibson. Miss Alsup gave a steak dinner in honor of the guests Friday night, followed by a theater party. The young ladies made many friends while here.

NATIONAL BARN DANCE

ALL of your favorites together on the screen at last

At the Texas Theatre Friday and Saturday February 2 and 3.

Asks Change of Address

Thomas N. Heaton 2/C, U. S. Navy, writes the Reporter to change the address of his paper. Of course, we couldn't tell from the address, but could guess Thomas was on the Pacific tossing a few shells over in the laps of Japs every chance he got.



NO finer place to eat. Food EXCELLENT—Service superb—the surroundings delightful and prices reasonable. Is there any wonder why so many people come here when dining out?

CITY CAFE

Hedrick and Swain

Friday and Saturday February 2 and 3

"The National Barn Dance"
with the National Barn Dance Radio Troupe

Saturday Night Preview Sunday, Monday February 4 and 5

See the Bombing of Tokyo in

"Bombardier"

Starring Pat O'Brien and Randolph Scott

Tuesday and Wednesday, February 6 and 7

Jeanette McDonald and Nelson Eddy in

"Naughty Marietta"

Thursday and Friday, February 8 and 9

CARY GRANT in

"None But the Lonely Heart"

with Ethel Barrymore

Texas Theatre

Firestone

Money-Back Guarantee

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EACH
IN SETS OF
4 OR MORE

The only plug with the Polonium alloy electrode that gives quicker, easier starts. Precision-engineered.

**Extra Power for
Cold Weather
Starting!**



**Firestone
STANDARD
BATTERY**

7.95 up

Exchange
Fil-O-Matic covers. Gives long, economical service. Well built and dependable.

STANTON HOME & AUTO SUPPLY

Smart New Suits



New arrivals in single and double breasted models — Browns, Greys Blues.

100 Percent New Wool

\$35⁵⁰
up

ELMO WASSON

Petroleum Bldg

Big Spring

Maybe You're Puzzled

BEING A STRANGER IN TOWN

—you hardly know where to do your grocery you hardly know where to do your grocery shopping. Right now, we want to put in our bid that you visit our store and look around, see what we have to offer in the way of quality foods watch the service we render, and if you think this is the store to trade with, we'll appreciate your business. We hardly think you will long be a stranger because here is where lots of people do their grocery and meat buying.

**Jones & Turner
Grocery & Market**



**"I didn't
know..."**



... that cleaning lamp bulbs and fixtures made such a difference. The whole house looks brighter and more cheerful. I'll agree that clean bulbs give up to 30% more light."

Many of our customers, both in homes and stores, are getting more light these days simply by keeping lamp bulbs and fixtures clean. Set up a regular schedule to dust lamps. It will pay you well in more and better light.

TEXAS ELECTRIC SERVICE COMPANY
CECIL BRIDGES, Manager

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