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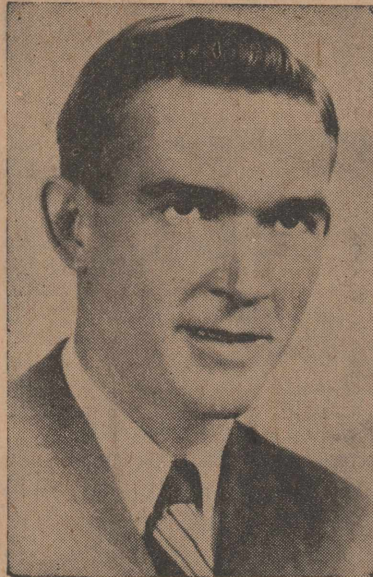
Constant Hunger Felt By Men In Prison Camps, Capps Reports

Regarded not as civilian internees, but as prisoners of war, the 1,000 men employed at Wake Island, along with 400 Marines and a few Guamanians, were the first Americans captured who had put up resistance after the Japanese attack, Arthur Capps, one of those men, revealed here last week.

Mr. Capps reached Wellington October 16 to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Capps. He was a prisoner from the fall of Wake December 23, 1941, until the surrender of Japan.

He speaks matter-of-factly of his imprisonment. He does not emphasize the brutality with which the men were treated, but he is quick and frank in saying there was nothing fair or just about their treatment. He speaks of the hunger that was with them from the time of their capture, work in the mines and steel mills of Japan, of living in unheated buildings in winter. And these are in addition to the many, many smaller things the Japanese did to make life almost unbearable for their prisoners.

The Wellington man went to



ARTHUR CAPPS

Wake Island in July 1941 to do structural steel work on the air base and submarine base. This was approximately 20 per cent complete on December 7.

Civilians were then ordered to disperse over the island. Asked if they were armed to fight the enemy, Mr. Capps replied:

"There were not enough firearms even for the Marines. The Japanese would send reconnaissance planes over during the day to spot the gun positions, and the civilians worked at night changing them. The island was bombed every day except one. Yet losses were surprisingly light.

"After the surrender, we were held on the island until January 12. About 250 men were left and the remainder sent aboard ship to Yokohama, then two days later we were sent to Shanghai, where they put us in the old Jap barracks at Woo Sung," Mr. Capps recalls.

"They didn't treat us quite so bad after they decided what to do with us. We were the first prisoners to reach Japan who had resisted. The Guamanians didn't resist and they were treated as internees and given considerable freedom of movement. But we were (Continued on Page Twelve)

County Cotton Ginnings Reach 7,026 Bales

Cotton growers of the county have ginned 7,026 bales to date, a survey of the gins revealed Tuesday night, October 30. More than half of this has been ginned in the last twelve days, with harvesting now nearing the peak.

Despite dry weather which cut short the crop during late summer, the grade of the cotton now being brought in is good and some of it is described as "very good for this time of year."

For the whole county, the average cotton is grading strict middling and strict low middling, with a staple of 29-32 and some 15-16.

An estimated half of the cotton has been gathered in the south and southeastern parts of the county, although some believe as much as two-thirds is out. More cotton pickers are moving into that section to relieve the shortage which has existed. Only a few of the growers are sledding their cotton.

The grade of the crop is unchanged since the rains, and staple is believed to be a little better than last year.

Less of the crop is out through the central section, and in several communities in the north part of the county picking has not begun.



BRONZE STAR AWARD WINNER

Lt. Carter Holcomb, right, is shown as he was presented the Bronze Star at retreat parade at Ft. Lewis, Wash., recently by Brig. Gen. Edgar King, commanding general of the section. Lt. Holcomb, son of Mrs. Jennie Holcomb, won the award for "meritorious service" while serving as first sergeant for a collecting company in Belgium, Holland and Germany last fall and winter. The Texas soldier was a member of the 329th Medical Battalion of the 104th Division.

Final Bond Drive Will Open Here On November 1

Collingsworth County's overall quota for the Victory Loan Drive is \$165,000, John Forbis, chairman, announced this week. The drive opens November 1 and closes December 8.

The county quota for series E bonds is \$80,000.

"This is the final loan drive—but it's just as important as any we've had in the past," Mr. Forbis declared.

The drive will be carried on in the same manner as the past ones, with buyers urged to go voluntarily to their bank or post office to make their purchase. Chairmen of past drives are again asked to serve, Mr. Forbis said.

"We must finance this final phase of the war in the same fine way that we have the actual period of hostility. It is a great duty and privilege to invest in bonds," the chairman declared.

In explaining the need for the Victory drive, Mr. Forbis pointed out that it is to pay the bills for munitions and materials already delivered and used; to pay the cost of guarding Japan and Germany; to pay for the care of the disabled and wounded; to pay off and provide benefits for eight million or more veterans to be discharged by July; and to keep the lid on price inflation.

"We cannot pay our debt to the men who have served in our armed forces—we can only do our best, and our best is investing every cent we can in Victory bonds," Mr. Forbis said.

Turning to another phase of the drive, he said:

"For every American, United States bonds are the world's finest, safest investment. Dollars come back to you for three dollars in E bonds held to maturity."

"The needs of the government are plain. There are other needs. During this war, 85 million Americans have bought partnership in the government. People . . . just folks . . . who never before saved for a rainy day have, through war bonds, established the habit of saving. This partnership with our government should and must continue. It is as vital in the days of peace as it was in the dark days of war."

Part Of XIT Ranch On Sale

Thirty sections of land, part of the original holdings of the Capital Syndicate Company, will go on sale Monday, November 5th; 1945, according to Tom W. Cotten, Amarillo realtor who is conducting the sale. This land, at one time part of the famous XIT Ranch, is located 6 to 10 miles south of Perico, Texas, and northwest of Dalhart.

"This tract will be offered to farmers in one and two section lots. It is row crop land, and the soil is sandy loam. The crops this year are making between \$20.00 and \$30.00 per acre," Cotten stated. "School buses run to each farm. These farms have good water and there is an abundant supply at 80 (Continued on Page Six)

Major Coleman Reaches Home

Major John Coleman, released from a Japanese prison camp September 8, reached Wellington on Thursday night, October 25, to be with his family. This was not the first time they had seen him, however, as they met him early last week in Childress, as he was en route from the West Coast to San Antonio. Mrs. Coleman accompanied him there.

"It's beginning to feel like home and not a dream," Major Coleman said this week.

He is now on 90 day leave, and at the end of that time he will report back to San Antonio. Mrs. Coleman and their children, Linnie Lou and Spencer, live here, as do his mother, Mrs. S. L. Coleman, and his brother, Frank Coleman. Dee Coleman lives in the northwest part of the county and Alex Coleman at Dozier.

Test Well Will Be Drilled By Hughes Estate In County

Countian Enters English College

SHRIVENHAM, England—Private First Class Jess L. Robinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Robinson, Quail, and a former student at Oklahoma A. & M., is enrolled at Shrivvenham American University in England where the second two-months term opened October 8 with an enrollment of more than 4,000.

Overseas 10 months, Pfc. Robinson has won the Bronze Star and two campaign stars. He is a member of the 2nd Signal Battalion. Before entering the service he was a farmer.

More than 350 courses in eight academic departments are offered at SAU, which is operated by the Army's Information and Education division. The school's mission is to provide courses of college and university grade for personnel awaiting redeployment or in the Army of Occupation.

Students from all the 48 states attended the first term ranging from private to lieutenant-colonel. Coming from 150 American universities, the faculty consists of 130 leading civilian educators and 100 officers and enlisted men.

The 700-acre campus has modern (Continued on Page Seven)

TO THE PEOPLE OF COLLINGSWORTH COUNTY: Four years ago last August 1, I left my family in Wellington to await my return from overseas duty.

I would like at this time to tell each person in Collingsworth County how much I appreciate all the kindness and consideration you gave my family while I could not be with them. In every way you have taken care of all their needs and for this I shall always be grateful to you.

John Coleman.

Rockets Go To Memphis For Conference Tilt

The Wellington Skyrockets leave home Friday night, November 2, for a game against the Memphis Cyclone, a conference opponent the Rockets must defeat to win the championship title.

A young team, the Cyclone has shown a spotty record throughout the season. In their last game, they defeated Lakeview 31 to 12. Prior to that, they lost one conference game and won two, and lost a non-conference game and won another. "Memphis is not necessarily a contender for the district championship, but the team is made up of fighting boys who can make the unexpected happen," Supt. Logan Cummings said.

"Coach Al Duncan and the Rock-

Approximately 50 sections just northeast of Wellington have been blocked for a test well by Lafayette M. Hughes, executor of the Hughes Estate of Denver, Colo.

A gravity survey is being made of the entire block and location of the well will not be made until the survey is completed, it was revealed by the local office of the Hughes Estate.

The block comes to within about two miles of Wellington and extends north to Salt Fork River and east to Salt Fork, the boundary being determined by the river on those two sides.

In announcing the proposed well, Mr. Hughes said the test would go to production or until it struck granite.

It is felt here that this will be one of the most thorough and complete oil tests ever made in the county. Barring unfavorable weather, work will progress rapidly on the well.

Additional announcements regarding the test will be made in the near future.

Lt. Col. Coleman Lands Sunday From European Theater

Lt. Col. Wood Coleman, who has served in the Army since the reserve officers were mobilized five years ago, landed at a Massachusetts port Sunday, October 28, from the European theater.

He left Monday for San Antonio, and within a few days he is due to reach here to visit his wife and sons at Dozier, and other relatives. Col. Coleman served in North Africa, through the Italian campaign, in Southern France and Germany.

He is a brother of Major John Coleman who arrived Thursday after being a prisoner of the Japanese, Lt. Jesse Coleman of the Air Force, Alex Coleman of Dozier, Dee Coleman of near McLean, and Frank Coleman of Wellington. He is the son of Mrs. S. L. Coleman.

Californian Dies At Lutie Friday

Frank M. Whitson, 65, of Montebello, Calif., died Friday morning, October 26, in the Lutie community, where he was visiting his cousins, Tom Whitson and Stanley Whitson.

Funeral services were conducted from the Ellis Funeral Home Monday afternoon with Min. Vaughn D. Schofner, of the Church of Christ in Wellington in charge. Pall bearers were W. A. Bennett, Jack Redding, Tom Potet, Arch Hyman, Roy Hyman and Millard Brown. Burial was in the Wellington cemetery under the direction of the Ellis Funeral Home.

Mr. Whitson was a native of Alabama.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Berdie Whitson of Montebello, Calif., and a son, John Whitson of Carbon Hill, Ala.

Cpl. Dewey Hood Arrives Wednes.

Cpl. Dewey O. Hood, a prisoner of the Japanese from the fall of the Philippines until the surrender of Japan, reached Wellington on Wednesday, October 24, on a 90 day furlough. He is visiting his mother, Mrs. Mittie Hood and his brother and sister, Floyd Hood and Mrs. Odie Stephens.

Cpl. Hood is in fair health, his brother said, although he is still suffering from the effects of malnutrition.

Most of his leave will be spent in Wellington, although he will leave this week to visit a sister, Mrs. L. L. Johnson of Stroud, Okla., and later he will visit in New Mexico.

At the end of his leave he will return to William Beaumont General Hospital at El Paso for further treatment.

Veterans Open Flying Service

Weldon Thomas and Mack Wood, who flew as pilot and co-pilot of a heavy bomber for 35 missions over Nazi-held Europe, this week opened the Wellington Flying Service at the municipal airport.

They are offering three types of services, rides, instruction, and charter work. A Cub Cruiser, a three-place plane, is being used by them.

Mr. Thomas was reared at Wellington, while Mr. Wood is from Dallas.

Both enlisted in the Air Force the same day, July 2, 1942 and took part of their training together before going overseas. Each held the rank of first lieutenant and both were Air Force instructors at the time they were discharged around July 15, Mr. Thomas at San Angelo and Mr. Wood at Sioux City, Iowa.

Each has been decorated with the Air Medal and five oak leaf clusters, and both wore four battle stars.

Mr. Wood is moving his wife and four year old daughter to Wellington.

Local Woman At Funeral Of Mother In Oklahoma City

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Ringgold have returned from Oklahoma City, where they were called by the death of her mother, Mrs. Amanda Ringgold, who died suddenly at her home October 18. She was 78 years of age.

Born in Arkansas December 16, 1867, she had lived in Oklahoma City since 1923. She was active in the work of the Primitive Baptist Church.

Mrs. Ringgold is survived by ten children, seven of whom were present for the funeral.

Farm Ponds In County Stocked With Fish From U. S. Hatchery

To its choice beef, fine pork and fat chickens, Collingsworth County will soon add fish on its dinner table—fresh from its own farm ponds.

A shipment of 11,450 baby fish were delivered in Wellington on Thursday, October 11, from the federal fish hatchery at Tishomingo, Okla., and distributed to nine county landowners to stock farm ponds.

The fish included blue gill bream (perch), bass and channel cat.

Receiving fish were Dick Wiley, 900; W. R. Breeding, 900; J. D. Glenn, 2,250; Paul Starr, 600; D. M. Jarrell, 900; John Brim, 550;

Guy Bumpass, 2,300; H. C. Stout, 1,250; and Bob Glenn, 1,800. Ponds into which these will go range from one-half to five acres in size.

"We are simply trying to help the farmers of the county have good fishing and good food," J. W. Thomas, county agent, who was in charge of distribution here, said.

Any farmer with a farm pond can get fish from the federal hatcheries, he explained.

The fish were stocked here at the ratio of 10 perch to one bass or one cat. This is because both the latter species feed on perch, thereby cutting down their num-

bers. They are stocked at the rate of 110 fish per acre of pond.

This is the second year that fish have been delivered here for farm ponds, and interest has grown considerably, Mr. Thomas said.

"As soon as the fish are big enough, the ponds ought to be fished and fished heavily. That is contrary to a lot of opinion, but nevertheless, it's the way to have a good fish pond," he said.

To those farmers interested in having fish in their own ponds, Mr. Thomas continued:

"One acre of water properly (Continued on Page Seven)

Quail School Opening Delayed

Opening of the Quail School has been postponed until Monday, November 19, in order that students may further help in getting the cotton crop out, Supt. Noah Cunningham said this week.

"We are co-operating with the farmers of this section, and we urge that when we re-open school, that they co-operate with us in seeing that every child comes back at the very first and attends every day possible," he said.

Three new teachers will begin work with the reopening of school. Frank Kennedy, who has just been released after four years in the Army, will teach vocational agri- (Continued on Page Twelve)

Countian Who Went To War At 15 Due Home

Staff Sergeant Sam A. Lollar Jr., son of Mrs. Hattie L. Stanley of Lutie, is being discharged from service.

Twenty years old, the sergeant has more than five and a half years service with the Army and Navy. The Army has consented to his adding of Navy points to his total Army score to make 110 points for discharge.

The sergeant also has been married. He met Sgt. Sonny Rosen of Brooklyn, in England last year. They were married in Paris on June 30. She has returned from overseas duty and is at home with her parents in Brooklyn.

Sergeant Lollar's service career has been definitely varied. After enlisting in the Army at 15, in

1940, he spent two years with the Cavalry at Fort Bliss.

In 1942, when he came home on his last furlough, Lollar decided he was tired of the Cavalry and of playing "nursemaid to the bang-tails," so he enlisted in the Navy under an assumed name.

Disregarded by the Army for 14 months, Lollar shipped aboard the Lexington as a musician. He went overseas to Africa where he participated in the invasion of Africa, at Casablanca. He was aboard the Lexington at the time it went down and was "in the water" for more than six hours. Later, when Lollar was to receive the Purple Heart, the Navy investigated and proved that he was a missing Army private.

The Army took over again when Lollar's ship docked at New York. An MP took him off to the "bang-tails" again. But this time they gave him a colonel's car to drive instead of a horse to ride.

Overseas now for two years, Sgt. Lollar has distinguished himself in action and has been awarded the Bronze Star.

The award was for "meritorious service in connection with military operations from May 8, 1944 to July 18, 1944. He maintained a constant contact with units assigned to the Motor Transport Brigade, transportation for continental operations and diligently carried out the dispatch of documents and directives by which the replacement of personnel and maintenance of equipment was controlled and enacted."

Sgt. Lollar's mother makes her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Row Whitson of Lutie. He has two sisters, Mrs. Pierce Henderson, Amarillo, and Mrs. Hugh Andus, El Paso.

Mrs. Stanley has received word from Sgt. Lollar he will be home any time now. She is staying with one of her daughters, Mrs. Henderson, waiting for him to arrive with his new wife.

Through special permission by the Army and Navy, he has been granted points by both branches of service for discharge. He wears ribbons and battle stars for both branches. He wears two battle stars for the Army, two for the Navy, the Asiatic-Pacific ribbon, European Theater ribbon, Good Conduct medal for both the Army and the Navy, the Bronze Star and the Purple Heart.

—The Shamrock Texan.

Real Estate Transactions

J. E. Blevins to H. H. Shanks—the southeast one-fourth of section 55, block 21.

Albert Christoph to Will J. Christoph—lots 1 and 2, block 172, Wellington.

W. E. Hall and wife to William J. Smith—the south one-half of the southeast one-fourth of section 78, block 14.

Ed Warren and wife to Joe West—lots 13, 14 and 15, block 224, Wellington.

L. F. Greeson and wife to C. W. Baxter and wife—lots 23 and 24, block 189, Wellington.

Thomas Floyd Bryant and wife to W. M. Boston—lots 23 and 24, block 122, Wellington.

Augustina Little to E. F. Lewis—lots 1 and 2, block 216, Wellington.

ABERDEEN

By LORENE FAYE CALCOTE

(Intended for Last Week)

Miss Juanita Calcote visited on Monday with Mrs. Zelma Bowen in Shamrock.

Misses Loretta Roberts, Naomi and Edith Stevenson visited over the week end with Pauline Black in Loco.

Cpl. and Mrs. Frank Arlington of Childress and Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Willingham of Borger visited over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Fletcher and Gotha Gulley.

Pvt. Mason Benton visited over the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Benton, and his wife, Mrs. Mason Benton, Pvt. Benton is now stationed in Camp Chaffee, Arkansas.

MEN IN SERVICE

Joseph Horn, 20, hospital apprentice, first class, USNR, Wellington, has been assigned to the crew of the USS Franklin D. Roosevelt, second of the Navy's new super aircraft carriers.

The 45,000-ton carrier, named for the late President Roosevelt, is the first major combatant vessel of the modern fleet ever to be named for an individual.

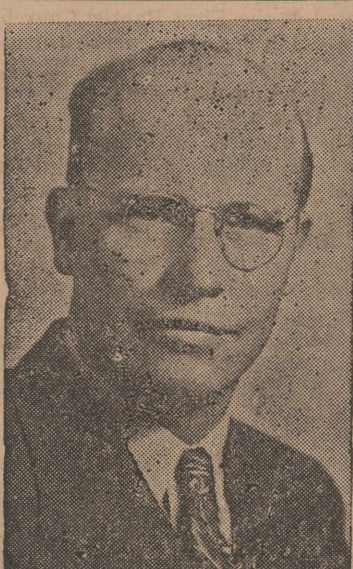
Members of the ship's crew took pre-commissioning training at the Atlantic Fleet's Naval Training Station at Newport, R. I.

Pvt. Lloyd Colson, who has been a patient in Army hospitals since he was wounded in Europe in August 1944, is here on 30 day furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Colson.

After a number of months in California, he was transferred to Borden General Hospital at Chickasha, Okla., two and a half weeks ago.

Pvt. Colson's right leg was broken when he was wounded, and it is for this that he has been receiving treatment.

The last German U-boat attack made along the Texas coast was December 3, 1943.



Rev. O. B. Hutson, Pastor

Bible School Sunday—10:00 A. M.

Preaching Service—11:00 A. M.

Young People—8:30 P. M.

Preaching Service—9:00 P. M.

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Flower Growers Show Variety Of Exhibits

Surprising in both quantity and beauty, ninety-five entries were shown in the county flower show Saturday, October 27 ranging from dahlias of prize stock to bowls of wild flowers, such as are found throughout the country.

Although the growing season was unfavorable this year, and many of the choice fall flowers had already bloomed or been damaged by recent hard winds, the perfection of many of the exhibits was a source of comment throughout the day.

Mrs. Pat Swift was awarded the orchid for winning the most blue ribbons. She and her father, Judge R. H. Cocke, exhibiting together, received nine first places.

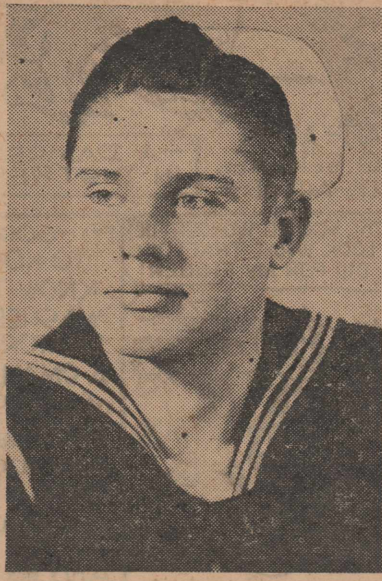
The afternoon program under the direction of Mrs. B. O. Wilson, included songs, "The Roses from the South" and "Marguerita" by the high school chorus; solos, "Mighty Like a Rose" by Tommie Ann Campbell and "My Wild Irish Rose" by Helen Jo Holder; "The Pennant," "Waldmere" and "Rosemary" by the chorus; and a reading, "Only a Flower" by Mrs. Raymond Raillard.

Two hundred and seventy-five guests visited the exhibit during the day.

Flower show winners included: Class 1, single flower exhibits: Roses: first and second, Mrs. J. S. Dorn; third, Deskins Wells. Dahlias: first, W. E. McCarver; second, Mr. Wells; third, Mrs. Dorn. Marigolds: first, Judge Cocke and Mrs. Swift. Chrysanthemums, first, Judge Cocke and Mrs. Swift.

Class 2, display of three flowers: Roses: first, Judge Cocke and Mrs. Swift; second, Mr. Wells; third, Mrs. Dorn. Dahlias: first, Joe Thompson; second, Mrs. R. R. Martin; third, Mr. Wells. Chrysanthemums: first, Mr. Wells. Daisies: first, Judge Cocke and Mrs. Swift. Cockscomb: first, Mrs. Birdie Atkinson.

Class 3, flower arrangements: Dahlias: first, Mrs. Martin; second, Shorty Bradford; third, Judge Cocke. Chrysanthemums: first, Judge Cocke; second, Mrs. Chas. Slay; third, Truman Jones. Carnations: first, Mr. Bradford; second, Judge Cocke. Cosmos: first, Mrs. Harold Drummond; second, Mrs. Dorn. Phlox: first, Judge Cocke. Snapdragons: first, Judge Cocke. Zinnias: first, Mrs. Martin; second, Judge Cocke. Daisies: first, Mrs. E. B. Haralson. Petunias: first, Judge Cocke; second, Mrs. J. G. Gardner; third, Judge Cocke. Verbena: first, Judge Cocke. Assters: first, Judge Cocke. Roses:



HOME ON LEAVE

J. T. Alexander, S 1-c, is here on leave visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Alexander. He is stationed aboard the USS President Jackson, now used as a troop carrier. He has been in service a year and on sea duty since June.

first, Mrs. Nora Williams; second, Mrs. Ferrell; third, Mrs. Birdie Atkinson. Marigolds: first, Rev. R. L. Porter; second, Mrs. Dorn; third, Mrs. Ferrell.

Class 4, table arrangements: first and second, Mrs. Deskins Wells; third, Mrs. Pat Swift.

Class 5, potted plants: first and second, Mrs. Gardner; third, Mrs. Slay.

Class 6, foliage arrangements: first, Mrs. E. W. Jones; second, Mrs. R. R. Martin.

Class 7, wild flowers: first, Mrs. Atkinson.

Three Rural Churches Hold Final Quarterly Conference Of Year

The fourth quarterly conference of the Shamrock Methodist Circuit was held Sunday afternoon, October 28, at Aberdeen. This conference included the churches at Aberdeen, Samnorwood and Dozier.

Rev. E. D. Landreth, superintendent, was in charge. Rev. Vernon Willard, pastor, reported that the progress of each

H. B. Holman Rites Conducted Here Friday

Funeral services for H. B. Holman, 74, were conducted from the Church of Christ Friday, October 26, with Min. V. D. Schofner in charge. He died Tuesday, October 23, at his home here.

Mr. Holman had been a resident of this county for 26 years, living first at Quail and later moving to Wellington.

Pall bearers were Walter Starr, N. E. Childers, Tom Crabtree, R. E. Farmer, Charley DePauw, and Paul Starr. Flower bearers were Nina Myrtle Keel, Pauline Ivy, Dorothy Fletcher and Billy Jean Gibbons.

The Ellis Funeral home was in charge of arrangements.

Harm Bailey Holman was born in Celina, Tenn., the son of Sarah Ann and Sadler Holman, both natives of that state, and at the time of his death he was 74 years, 9 months and 13 days of age. He and Mrs. Holman were married in 1903.

Mr. Holman was converted in 1928 and became a member of the Church of Christ. His membership was in the Quail church.

Surviving are his widow of Wellington; three sons and two daughters, Mrs. Loyd Sutton and Mrs. Arthur Holton of Wellington, Millard Holman of Quail, Jim Holman of Wheeler and Bailey Holman of Springdale, Ark. Other survivors

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Rites Held For Norman Infant

Funeral services for Dickey Lynn Norman, infant son of Cpl. and Mrs. J. E. Norman, of Fort Smith, Ark., were held Friday morning, October 26, from the Kelson Funeral Chapel with Min. V. E. Schofner of the Church of Christ in charge, assisted by Elder E. J. Norman.

The child was born October 22 in Fort Smith and died the following day.

Surviving are the parents, a sister, Linda John; and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Dickey of Wellington and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Norman of Lubbock.

Cpl. and Mrs. Norman are living in Fort Smith while he is stationed there with the Army.

are 14 grandchildren; two sisters and a brother, Mrs. Sue Terry of Michigan, Mrs. Dora Johnson and George Holman of Celina, Tenn.

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Personal

Miss Mozelle Brannum of Amarillo visited over the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Brannum, and her brother, Billie Brannum, who has just returned to Wellington after receiving his discharge.

Mrs. L. C. Jones and her nephew, Capt. Estes Jones, of Shamrock, visited over the week end with Mrs. L. H. Campbell and Mrs. Tom Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Fenley visited Sunday with his mother, Mrs. F. V. Fenley in Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Rainer of Loco visited with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Richards Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Somerville and family visited in Shamrock Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Dewey Womack and son, John, of Quanah visited over the week end with Miss Effie Rankin at Dozier.

Mrs. Mary Alexander and daughter, Patricia, and Mrs. Zonetta Cherry, all of Amarillo, and Howard Moore of Texas Tech in Lubbock, visited over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Moore and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pollard and son, James Hays, left Monday for Odessa where they plan to make their home in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Shadid of Altus, Okla., and Lawrence Shadid of Oklahoma City visited with the N. Shadid family Sunday. Lawrence Shadid was recently discharged from the Navy.

Mrs. R. W. Brantley visited several days this week in Vernon with her grandson, Joe Thomas, who has just returned from overseas duty, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Taylor of Quanah visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Mack Said and family.

Rev. Hubert Thomson was in Vernon Saturday to conduct the funeral services of 15-year-old Truman Clyde Hildebrand, who was accidentally killed Thursday afternoon. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Hildebrand who live in the northern part of Wilbarger County.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bell, who have been living in Denver, Colorado, arrived here last week to visit with Will Ward and other relatives.

Mrs. Marvin Warren and Miss Louise Smith of Amarillo were here over the week end visiting in the Walter L. Hagler home.

Mrs. Jack Hurst and daughter, Elizabeth, visited in Quanah from Friday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Ritchey, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ritchey and daughter, Sharon Grace.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Breedlove of Memphis visited Friday with her aunt, Mrs. H. M. Dowdy.

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Visiting here over the week end from Texas Tech in Lubbock were Misses Betty Jean Richards, Margaret Bumpus, Amy Sue Way, Peggy Ruth Ream and Dorothy Black.

Tom Abraham and Naceeb Abraham of Canadian were here Friday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Enis Schaded and Mrs. Tom Salem. Naceeb Abraham was recently discharged from the Navy after serving three years in Alaska.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Burt, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Sockwell, and Mrs. Della Allen, all of Dallas, spent the week end with Mrs. J. L. Burt and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Y. O. Whatley and Mrs. Paul Fulfer of Matador visited Saturday with Mrs. Ona Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Pink Sullivan, James Sullivan, and Mrs. China B. Smith were in Dumas Sunday on business.

Mrs. Bertha Hefley and daughter, Rosemary, moved to Amarillo Tuesday, where she will be employed by the Cretney Drug Company.

Mrs. L. A. Moore and Mrs. Cicero Gulley returned from California Thursday where they have been visiting for the past five weeks. Mrs. Moore visited in Fresno, with her mother, Mrs. Marguerite Cook. Mrs. Gulley visited with relatives in Redding, California.

Mrs. F. C. Moore and son, Buster, and Mrs. C. W. Keesee and children, Kenneth Jones and Cheryl Ann, left here on October 18 for their home in San Bernardino, Calif. They were here for three weeks visiting with their mother, Mrs. Addie Nelson; their sister, Mrs. Auburn Keller; and their brother, E. H. Nelson of Childress. Another daughter, Mrs. F. M. Hanners, and her daughters, Joeneen and June Marion, visited with Mrs. Nelson from New Orleans, Louisiana.

Miss Patsy Roseman of Childress visited from Friday until Sunday with Miss Lynn Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Moore.

Miss Mary Brown of Amarillo visited over the week end with her sister, Mrs. Jim Brown. Mrs. Brown returned to Amarillo with her Sunday and plans to visit there for about a week.

Rev. and Mrs. Thomson received word from their son, Carlton Thomson, who has been in the Marine Base Navy Yard in Philadelphia, that he has received his discharge. They are expecting him home Wednesday. Another of their sons, Glenn Thomson, was here over the week end from Olney.

Doris Young visited over the week end in Quanah with her brother, Robert Young.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Elliott of Houston arrived here last week to visit with her mother, Mrs. J. A. Dukeminier.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hill and son, Robert Ray, and Luther Ray Irwin took two trucks of cattle to Oklahoma City Monday for Mr. Hill and the Boyd Ranch in the northeast part of the county.

Visiting with Mrs. J. W. Payne last week were Mrs. Merle Cayton and her daughter, Paula, from Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jones of Dallas. Mr. Jones has just recently been discharged from the Navy after 19 months service in England. His mother, Mrs. Maudie Jones, now lives in Eldorado, Arkansas.

Mrs. Laura Campbell and Mrs. Harry Gilbert visited in Hollis last Friday with Mrs. Campbell's brother, C. A. Wolfe.

Mrs. O. O. Hagerman left Monday for Barnesville, Ga., where she plans to visit relatives for several weeks.

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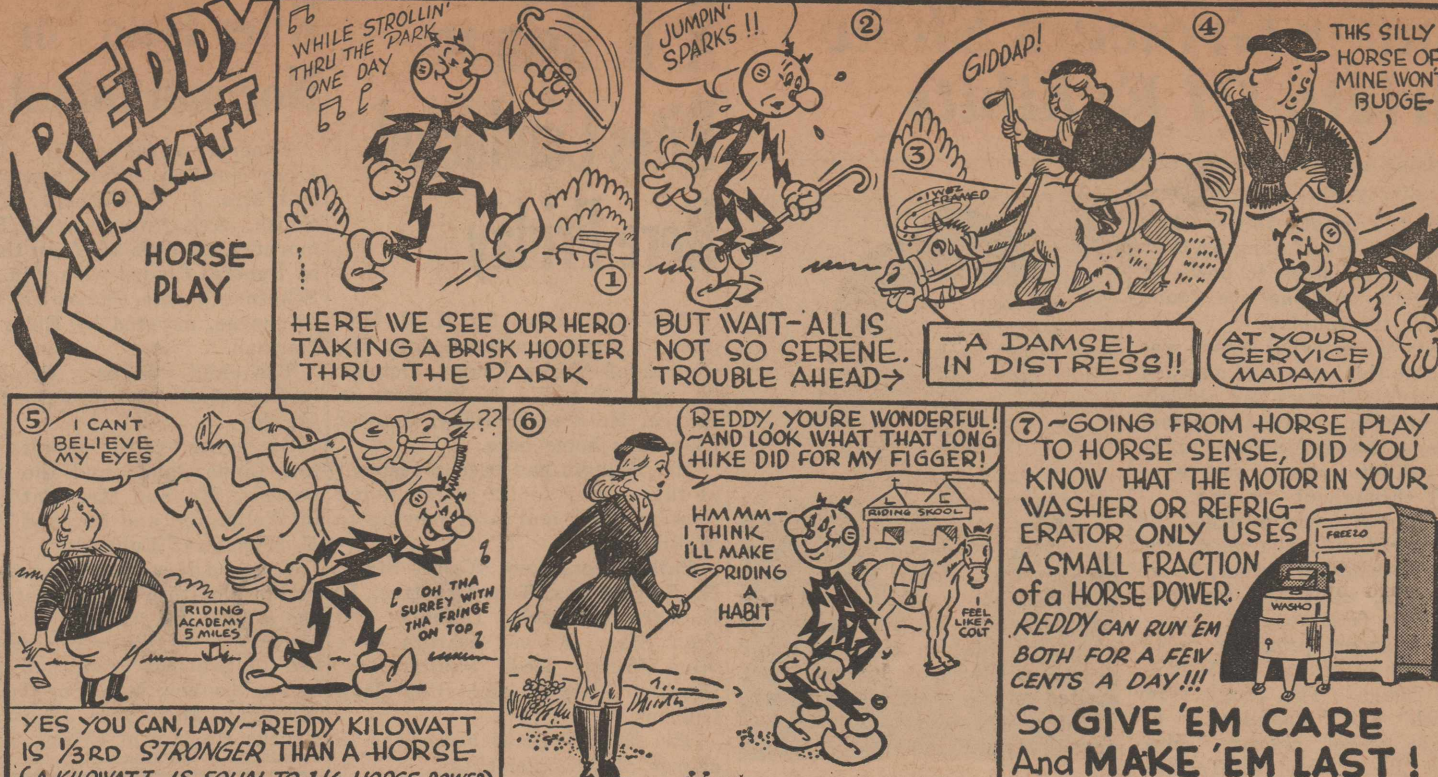
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Modern Market

Rockets Down Broncs 33 To 0 Here Friday

Al Duncan's Skyrockets kept their conference record unblemished as they swept over the Clarendon Bronchos 33 to 0 on the local field October 26.

Within the first three minutes of the game Wellington scored the first time they got possession of the ball. Clarendon took the kick-off deep in their own territory and punted out to the 50 yard stripe. On two plays Russell and Hatch made it a first down on the Broncho 39. Then Russell slashed off tackle and with the assistance of some very nice blocking broke into the secondary. From there he raced through a broken field to the Clarendon 4 yard line, and two plays later Hatch carried over. Russell kicked the point to make it 7 to 0.

The next score came soon after. The Broncs couldn't gain through a fighting Rocket line and punted to their own 45. Wellington made six with Winters and Russell picking up 3 yards each, and then Russell shot a pass to O'Neil who was brought down on the 28 by a nice tackle on the part of Trussell. Russell ran once for 10 and again for 18 to carry it over.

The remainder of the first quarter was played on fairly even terms due mainly to two nice runbacks, one by Trussell and the other by Adams. On the first Trussell took the ball about his 20 yard line and ran it back to the 47. Clarendon still could not gain and punted to the Wellington 16. Russell got off a mighty kick; but Adams brought it back to the 47. The same performance was repeated; but the last time the Broncs' attempted punt was blocked by Bob Fulton and Russell and Sam Raburn fell on the ball back on the Clarendon 28 yard line. Then O'Neil, Hatch, Winters, Orr and others laid some Broncs on the ground and Russell ran over and around some others to go to pay dirt on the first play, and the score was 20 to 0.

Clarendon came back with a passing game that worried the spectators quite a bit; but this threat ended when Hatch intercepted a pass on the Wellington 28 and brought it back to the 35.

Hatch and Russell drove through the line on two plays to put the ball on the Clarendon 48 yard line. Russell dropped back and heaved a 35 yard pass to Winters who took it in the clear and scampered across the goal line without a hand being laid on him. The kick was again good and the score moved up to 27 to 0.

The Rockets hammered at the gate of the Bronc corral again before the half ended. O'Neil recovered a Clarendon fumble on their own 20. Russell passed to O'Neil on the 10 as the whistle blew to end the half.

At the opening of the second half a Rocket fumble gave the Broncs the ball on the Wellington 35 yard line. Harp intended to start around end; but Jack Covey, who played a bang-up ball game all evening, took him for a 5 yard loss setting the ball back on the 40. Adams took a hard pass to advance the ball to the Wellington 25. Covey and McClendon were both in on the play as the Broncs tried their side again only to be set back to the 28. After a pass, another running play was stopped behind the line and the ball was back on the 35 with Fulton and Copeland doing the damage. The Broncs tried to punt and Russell blocked the kick.

The Broncs kept the ball in Wellington territory throughout the remainder of the third quarter; but by the opening of the fourth Wellington was in midfield. The last score was made after Russell had run the ball out from the shadow of his own goal and then a few

plays later finding himself almost trapped by a still fighting Bronc team reversed his field and ran to the Bronc 38. A beautiful pass from Russell to Winters enabled the Wellington quarterback to race across the goal line; but the play was called back on a penalty and Wellington was set back to their own 48. Another pass to glue-finger O'Neil put the ball on the Bronc 27 one yard short of a first down and the Broncs took over. They tried a long pass that was taken by Russell on the 33 and he ran it over for the final counter, making the score 33 to 0.

With many of the Rocket starters out Clarendon passed down the field aided by frequent offside penalties. But this last drive was halted on the Wellington 10 when Winters, who had been sent back into the game, intercepted a Bronc pass on his own 5 and ran it back to the 20. The game ended with the ball in Wellington's possession on about the 25 yard line.

Substitutes for Wellington were Benny Moore, Walter Johnson, Tiffin Young, Jerry Bolin and Gerald Squyres and all of them looked mighty good.

Wellington	Pos.	Clarendon
O'Neil	LE	Lovell
McClendon	LT	Whitsett
K. Winter	LG	Lowe
Fulton	Center	Davis
Raburn	RG	Mann
Copeland	RT	Sullivan
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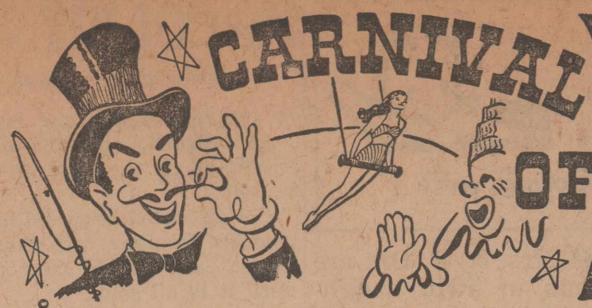
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News

— from the — Army Navy Air Force Marines Coast Guard

Cpl. H. L. Duncan of the Marines arrived here Sunday on a 21 day furlough to be with his wife, Mrs. Faye Duncan, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Duncan Sr. He has been stationed in Mojave, Calif., but he will report back to Santa Barbara, Calif., on Nov. 15. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Duncan of Inglewood, Calif., came here with Cpl. Duncan, and will be here until he has to report back.

Capt. and Mrs. Alvin Squyres arrived here Thursday night from Modesto, Calif., where he has been in the Hammond General Hospital.

Seaman Jack Boverie arrived here a week ago Tuesday on a 15 day leave from his station in San Diego, where he has been in boot training. His brother, John Boverie, came here Wednesday from Flying H Ranch in New Mexico. They are visiting with their mother, Mrs. A. C. Boverie.

Seaman 2-c Quince Fulton of the Navy left here Tuesday night after visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Fulton, for the past week. He had just completed his boot training before he received his leave, and he will report back to the Naval Training Station in San Diego.

S 1-c Raymond C. Graham landed in the States on October 23, and he and his wife and children are here now visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Morris, and his sister, Miss Geraldine Graham. Graham has been on Attu in the Aleutian Islands for the last 19 months. He wears the South Pacific Ribbon and the Asiatic Ribbon with two battle stars. He will report to Algeria, Alabama at the end of his 30 day leave, where he expects to receive his discharge.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Graham, now live in Fort Worth.

AM 1-c Z. D. Tennison visited here over the week end with his mother, Mrs. George Randall and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Tennison. He is now stationed at Hensley Field in Dallas. He was overseas for 24 months in the South Pacific, and was stationed in Hawaii most of the time.

Pfc. Jasper B. Jett of Buckley Field, Denver, Colo., and his mother, Mrs. U. O. Jett of Shamrock visited here Friday with Mrs. J. M. Bishop.

FT. LEONARD WOOD, Mo.—Cpl. Marshall T. Boyce, whose home is in Quail, was among the soldiers whose honorable discharges were announced by Brig. Gen. D. O. Elliott, Commanding General of the Army Service Forces Training Center at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., on October 21.

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Society

Mrs. Robert Karnes Hostess To Houselog Club Friday

Mrs. Robert Karnes was hostess to the Houselog Demonstration Club on Friday, October 19, when members were given a program and demonstration on bread making. Miss Charline Hyer was in charge of the program.

In a business meeting officers were elected for 1946.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. S. B. Bowen, Pete Chandler, Otis Emmert, Earl Bowen, M. C. Pigg, A. N. Wiseman, C. S. Bearden, Marvin Seale, Bob Wilder, Frank Fourmentin and hostess.

Mrs. G. C. Isbell Complimented In Poteet Home

A pink and blue shower was given for Mrs. G. C. Isbell in the home of Mrs. J. A. Poteet on Wednesday afternoon, October 17.

After appropriate games were played and the gifts opened for display, refreshments were served to Mmes. H. R. Bennett, Foney Branch, A. A. Spear, G. W. Duncan, Bill Clifton, R. H. Isbell, Olan Lindsey, Thomas Jesse and son; Albert Daly and Margaret; C. B. Newman and Bobby; W. A. Poteet and Walter; D. J. Collins, G. B. Waters and Gary; David Killough; Misses Catherine Turner, Garladine Clifton, and hostess.

Gifts were sent by a number of friends unable to attend.

Miss Johnnie Wiles has been here the past week from TCU in Fort Worth between the semesters. She is visiting with P. E. Starr and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil White of Hollis visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Nowlin.

The Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railroad was the first to enter Texas from the North.

Lt. Audie L. Murphy of Greenville and Farmersville, Texas, has more medals than any other man in the entire Army.

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October 15, 1945
Belgium

Dear people at Wellington and the great state of Texas,

I am writing to let you know how the soldiers feel about what is going on here and in the states. This company has been over here for 30 months and is supposed to go home next month and now all the boys are being taken out and put in another company to stay over here; and all of us have from 70 to 80 points. I have been over here for 12 months and have 73 points. I was in the Infantry for six months before the war was over, was at Huertgen Forest, Duren, Cologne, and all the way through Germany and now that we thought we could come home, the American people strikes and won't send the ships back for us. How can a man keep faith in anyone that will do that to us, the ones who have gone through Hell for so long to keep the people at home protected from the horrors of war that we have seen over here?

Won't the people do something to help us get home to the ones we love, I think all the boys feel the same way I do about what is going on since all this happened. No one here has the heart to work any more; we were told we were going and now we find out we can't go because of a few people who strike for a few more dollars in their pockets! Did we strike when the going got tough for us? We kept on fighting and killing Germans; but with every German we killed it was only the thoughts that we would get home sooner to our loved ones.

Now, we find that we can't go home after all. When are the people of America going to wake up? Can't there be something done to help us get home?

Best wishes to all of you at home, and here is hoping I will see you all again soon.

Pfc. Ray A. Homer.

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Collingsworth

Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Orr are the parents of twin daughters, Marjorie Jane, who weighed 6 pounds and 12 ounces, and Margaret Ann, who weighed 5 pounds and 5 ounces. The twins were born on October 23 in the St. Joseph's Hospital.

On October 24 a son, Craig Elmo, was born to Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Adcock in the St. Joseph's Hospital. He weighed 9 pounds.

Pfc. and Mrs. T. J. Blackshear announce the birth of their son, Donald Lae, who was born in the St. Joseph's Hospital on October 25. She weighed 8 pounds and 9 ounces.

Helen Lynette Phillips was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Phillips in the St. Joseph's Hospital on October 25. She weighed 8 pounds and 2 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Montgomery are the parents of a girl, Rose June, who was born on Sunday, October 28, in the St. Joseph's Hospital. The baby weighed 7 pounds and 9 ounces.

Attending the Grand Chapter of the O.E.S. in Amarillo last week were Delene Nall, Cora Hurst, Marian Couch, Inez Cummings, Jennie Holcomb, Alda Wynn, Ruby Ball, Lucille Floyd, Pearl Duncan and Eli Duncan.

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to 100 feet. There are 14 sets of improvements, and 18 wells and windmills on the land which is to be sold.

Cotten stated he would have men who are familiar with the land at Perico each day to show the land until it is all sold.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Cunningham and son, Tommy, of Munday were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wiley. Mr. Cunningham is senior resident engineer with the highway department there.

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H. E. Singley and son, H. E. Singley Jr., were here last Friday from Lubbock visiting with his brother, E. A. Singley, and also transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Trimble and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Frederick Trimble of Greenville, visited over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Fortenberry.



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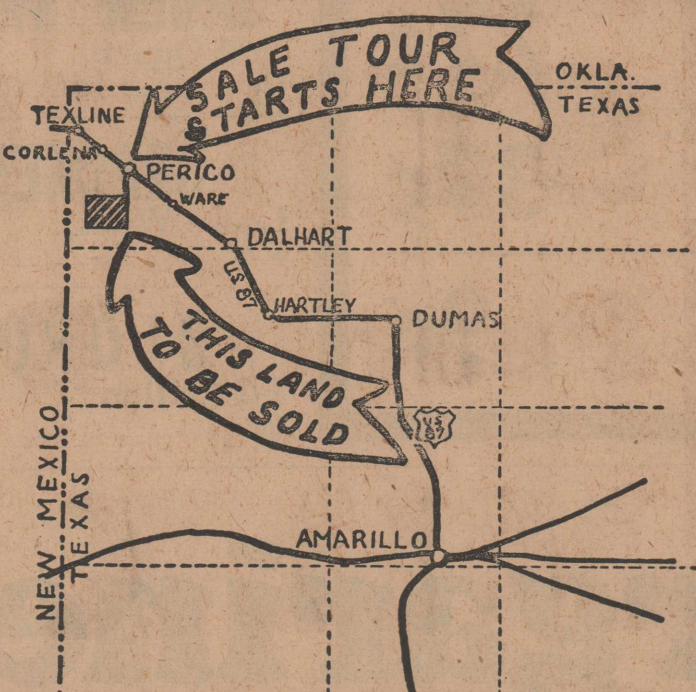
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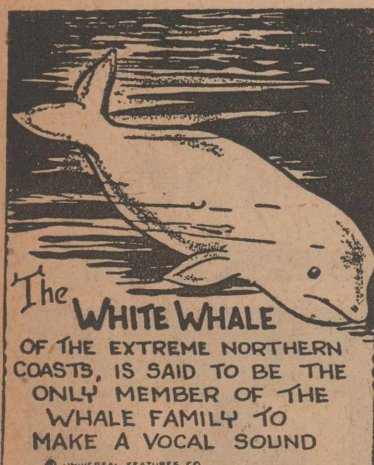
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—By Deskins Wells

Servicemen and ex-servicemen should note the stories that have appeared in a number of papers regarding registering firearms of an automatic type. Failure to register these guns is punishable by a fine of \$2,000 and imprisonment not to exceed 5 years or both. The guns will be registered tax free if you write to the Bureau of Internal Revenue, Dallas. But before one can be transferred it must be rendered unserviceable and a tax of \$200 paid. This is to keep these weapons from falling into the hands of criminals.

Statistics can be dull and again they can be very interesting. Especially is this true when they concern the foundation of the economy of your community. Consider the following paragraph which is an official government release on the number of farms in Collingsworth County.

The number of farms in the County of Collingsworth, State of Texas, as shown by the preliminary count of returns of the 1945 Census of Agriculture was 1,110, as compared with 1,358 in 1940, and 1,817 in 1935. This was announced today by Weldon L. Boyles, supervisor for the 1945 farm census in the first Texas Census District with headquarters at Panhandle.

The total land in farms in Collingsworth County, according to the preliminary 1945 census count, was 518,627 acres, as compared with 505,054 acres in 1940, and 538,882 acres in 1935. Average size of farms shown in the preliminary 1945 census count for Collingsworth County was 463 acres, as compared with 372 acres in 1940, and 297 acres in 1935.

In announcing the 1945 census totals of farms and land in farms in Collingsworth County, Supervisor Boyles pointed out that the figures are preliminary and subject to correction. Final tabulations of Collingsworth County farm census returns will be made by the Bureau of the Census and announced from Washington when completed, Mr. Boyles said.

In many ways this is not good reading although the entire picture is not as black as some ravens might think. Neither is it as hopeful as some doves might say. Since 1935 farms have declined in number by a total of 707. In the last five years the number has decreased 248.

The decrease in the number of farms is not as bad as it might seem. The larger farms will make more prosperous farm families. But there is the matter of 25,255 acres that have gone out of cultivation. Some of this should never have been broken out of grass; but this decline shows what is happening to our soil. It is also happening on better land. We have been mining the soil and not conserving it.

The flower show was very good considering the time of the year. Next year it should be held in the middle of October or by



HUNTER'S LUCK

Shown with a part of the 73 pheasants they bagged on a two-day hunt recently are the four Ward brothers, L. E. Ward of Wellington, left; Sgt. Dennis Ward of the U. S. Army; J. C. Ward of Wellington and Clarence Ward of Pampa. The group hunted at Wesson Springs, S. D., where they found hunting particularly good.

Farm Ponds -

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managed will produce more pounds of meat than any other acre on the farm. And it depends mainly on whether the fish have enough room and enough to eat.

"Unfertilized ponds have been found to support from 40 to 200 pounds of fish per acre. The lower weight occurred in poor land watersheds, and the higher in the best land areas. The number of pounds of fish which can be supported in a pond depends upon the amount of food for fish the pond can produce. The materials — nitrogen, phosphorus, potassium and other elements—in the water which cause the growth of fish food are the same as those which cause the growth of field crops. Water runoff from poor land produces only a few pounds of fish.

"The fertilization of pond water is the only practical method known by which the weight of fish that the pond can support may be materially increased. Ponds have increased 300 per cent in pounds of meat by use of fertilizer. This may be either commercial fertilizer or barnyard manure supplemented with super-phosphate.

"Broadcast the fertilizer over the pond where water ranges from one to six feet, but not on water over six feet. Broadcast the fertilizer over the pond every four weeks from April to October. Within a few days after the application of fertilizer, the water should become murky or appear green or brown due to the growth of microscopic plants. The next application should be made when water becomes clear enough for one to see the bottom at one and one-half to two feet of water.

"For best results do not allow cattle to muddy up water because this cuts out the sunlight from the

the third week at least. Next year we should also have a big county fair.

Last week I promised to write something more about the hunting trip of the Wards. The picture on this page is self explanatory and a pheasant is a very tasty bird to eat. All the Wards are fine gentlemen and can take a polite hint. Incidentally the total tonnage of pheasant meat shot by hunters this year in the Dakotas and adjoining states was equal to 50,000 four-year-old steers, so I read in Colliers.

Childress Honors Veterans Nov. 12

A big gala fireworks display, band concert, and home coming celebration for veterans of World War II is scheduled at Fair Park Stadium in Childress on Monday, November 12. The fireworks display is one of the most stupendous ever presented in this section of the state and is the first peacetime celebration held in Childress since 1940. Representing both aerial and ground displays, the fireworks exhibition will fill the sky with beautiful designs while set pieces representing Niagara Falls, our American flag, and the star of stars will dazzle the eyes of spectators.

The Childress American Legion cordially invites all World War II veterans to attend this celebration for a special home-coming ceremony and get-together. Midway in the fireworks display the American Legion will take over to pay honor and do tribute to those veterans who are home and to those who are yet to come home. This show is absolutely free and the people from surrounding counties are cordially invited to attend and witness one of the most elaborate fireworks displays ever staged in West Texas. The show will start at 7:15.

small plants in the water. Results: no plant growth. Fence off all the pond except a small watering place for the cattle.

"In order to produce good fishing, a new pond must be stocked with the proper kinds and numbers of fish. Bluegill bream should reach a size of one-fourth pound and bass a size of three-fourths to one pound within one year after stocking. If too many fish are added, three to five years may pass before these weights are reached. If the correct combination of species is not used, the pond may never produce good fishing."

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J. A. Brewer, district manager of the West Texas Utilities Company at Childress, announced today that he had received his first new postwar Frigidaire and that refrigerators have now been released for sale to the public. "These refrigerators," he said, "have been in production for some time, but have not been available to the public due to War Production Board restrictions."

"Now that restrictions have been lifted, the refrigerators now on hand and those that will be manufactured in the future will be for sale to the public. Right now," he continued, "the demand for new refrigerators far exceeds the supply, and, for a short while the supply will be limited, but every day production at Frigidaire is increasing and in a little while there will be enough new Frigidaires for everybody."

"Frigidaire Division, G. M. C., began a limited production of refrigerators following termination of its war contract in July. Following V-J Day the all-out job of reconversion and production began at the huge Dayton plants where

refrigerators, electric ranges and commercial refrigeration products are being made for civilian consumption. In an unbelievably short period of time, and due to its 25 years of experience in household and commercial refrigeration, Frigidaire reached peak efficiency."

Countian Enters -

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brick class buildings and dormitories. Brig. Gen. Claude M. Thiele, commandant, has cut army regulations to the minimum to permit students to concentrate on studies while German prisoners perform most of the housekeeping duties.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends for the many expressions of sympathy and kindnesses extended us during the illness and death of our husband and father, J. H. McNabb. Especially do we thank those who sent food and flowers and helped with the arrangements during this hour of sadness. May God's richest blessing be yours.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Matney
Mr. and Mrs. Royce Campbell
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MALT O MEAL 28-oz. box	22c	CORN Rainbow, six No. 2 cans	69c
POTTED MEAT Pure, two 3 1-4 oz. cans	13c	SALT 50-lb block	49c

SYRUP Staley's Golden, 5-Lb. Jar— **35c**

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Editorial

We might as well face it. The victory of our boys over the enemy does not end the war as far as its financing is concerned. The home front must continue this job for many years.

The war including veteran allowances for hospitalization and rehabilitation, will cost the home front about 454 billions of dollars by next June. We have the word of the Bureau of the Budget for that.

Four billion dollars of the above is for veterans alone. Add to another 4 billion each year for the next 10 years and you have the estimated veteran hospitalization and rehabilitation cost. Those are only estimated. The final figures may be much greater.

On top of this is a sum of five billion annually for interest on the public debt of \$295,200,000,000, that is more than 295 billions of dollars. Then, too, corporations and individuals will pay less in taxes due to the peace. But the money will have to be forthcoming just the same — from some other source.

That is the real reason for the Victory Loan. The truth is we must have the money. The Victory Loan gives to us the opportunity of our own free wills to lend it to our Government. This could only happen in America; this financing of a war and its disabled—at a profit to the Victory Bond investor.

So, set your personal quota in the Victory

Other Editors Say

• Intervention No Answer

The present epidemic of strikes looms large on the industrial and reconversion horizon.

The decision of the government to take over strike-bound oil companies does little to clear the air.

One cannot reconcile private management and individual initiative with government ownership.

If industry is to be absorbed by government, each time a strike is called, we are headed for government owned and operated industry, with all of its headaches.

In time it will be equally disastrous for labor as it is for management.—W. R. Rutherford in The Moore County News.

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• Jackpot Question

If you can come up with a workable plan to solve the housing shortage in Wheeler, you will go down in history as the city's No. 1 benefactor.

The situation is daily growing more critical, real estate men, school and public officials, and others report.

Dozens of families, either moving here to accept employment or desiring to set up housekeeping, constantly are on the search for a place to live. And there just ain't no such place.

Many of them are returned service men who with their wives want to locate in Wheeler if they can find living quarters. Others are families who have been away four or five years working in war-connected activities and have come back to Wheeler to live—if they can find a place. Still others are new people who see a future for Wheeler and wish to engage in business or secure jobs. — Albert Cooper in The Wheeler Times.

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• Requests

Merchants may expect to be solicited for "donation" advertising in many forms as we make headway into peace times. Such donations should be listed as such and not charged to advertising, but most of us will take the easier way out.—T. A. Landers in The McLean News.

Loan—then let nothing keep you from making it. Victory Bonds offered now are for all purposes; education of your child when it grows up, modernization of the farm or home when it needs it later, training for some poor fellow who can't be a plumber because some Jap shot off his hand. Buy now. No matter how much you lend, it won't hurt as much as that missing hand.

LETTERS FROM

MEN IN SERVICE

(The following is a letter from T-5 James W. Aycock to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Aycock, who now live in Clovis, N. M.)

India
Oct. 7, 1945

Dear Mother and Dad:

How are you all? I am getting along just fine and getting pretty fat since I quit work about 20 days ago. I stayed about 15 days in Kunming, China before I got out of there, but when I did get out, I came in a hurry as I came by plane. We got to Calcutta in five hours which is about 1000 miles. When I went up there last winter, it took me 23 days to go by truck. I like to fly pretty good. That was my first trip. I certainly wish I could fly home; but I will catch a boat. It will take a long time as it is just about half way around the world from here to the States and I don't know when I will get a boat out of here. It may be 15 or 20 days before we leave here.

This is my third time in India, seems like they always ship me back to India, but I guess that is better than China. It is hot here, and it was pretty cold in China. I haven't received any mail from you in over a month. I left my old station about that time, and they are sending my mail back home. I don't guess you should write any more as I won't get it.

I will sign off for now, and here is hoping that I get that boat out of here within a few days.

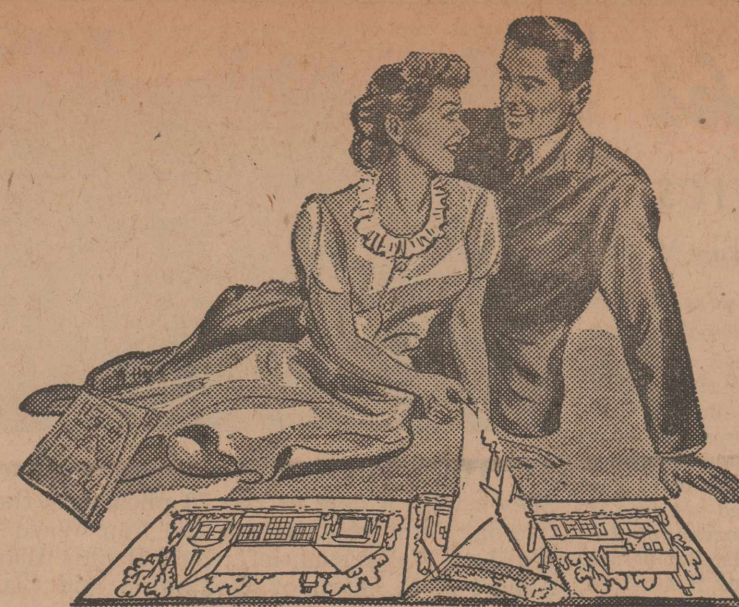
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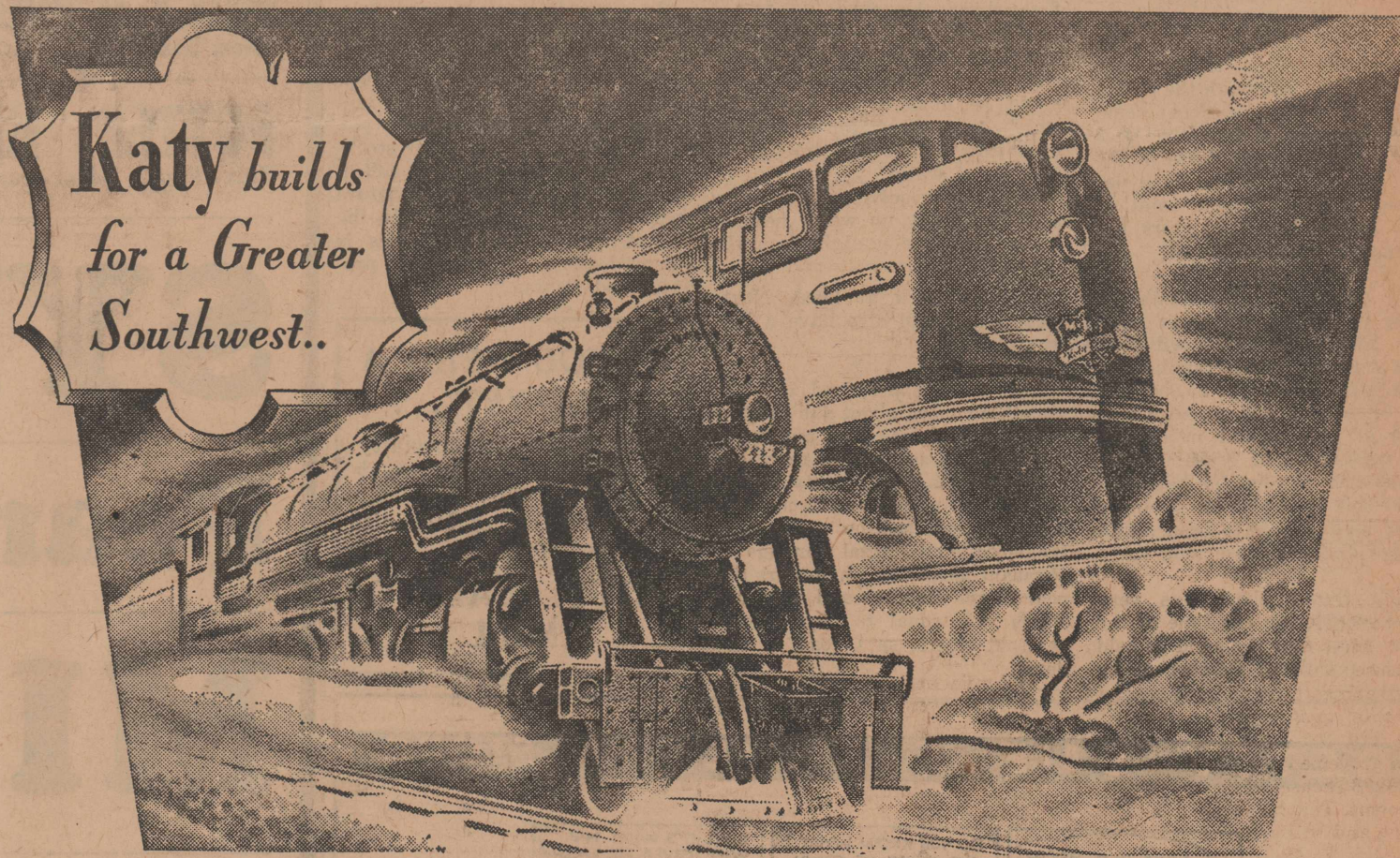
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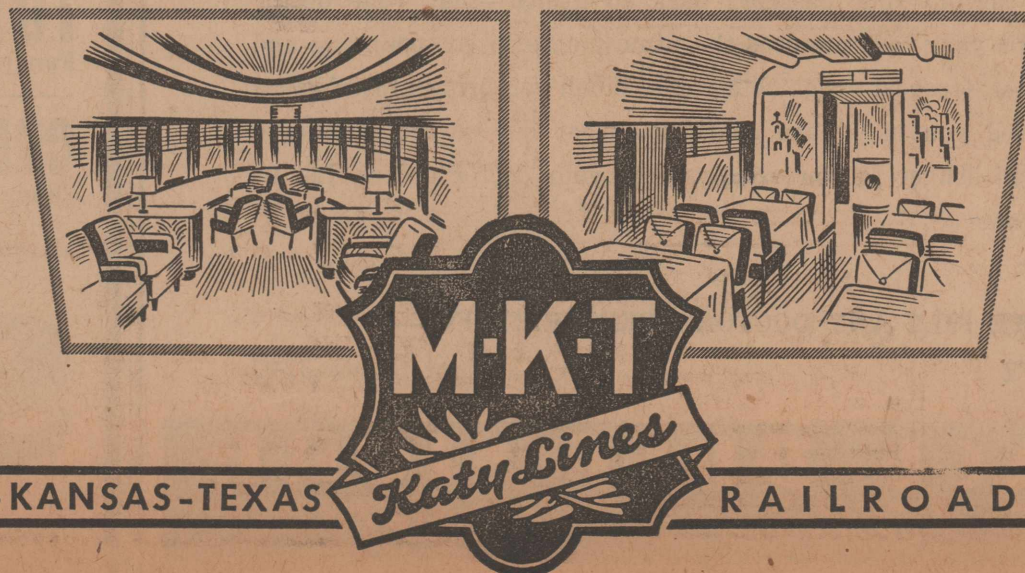


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News

— from the —

Army Navy Air Force Marines Coast Guard

S 1-c Ernest Kendricks, son of H. A. Kendricks, arrived here last week on a short leave from his station in North Island, San Diego. He will report back to his base, where he works in the photo-analysis department of the anti-submarine division, on November 8.

Capt. and Mrs. Robert Earl Johnson and daughter, Ann, of Dalhart visited here recently with Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Johnson. Capt. Johnson has just returned from 33 months in Italy.

Pharmacist 1-c Melvin Kiker left last Thursday to report to his ship, the USS Howard W. Gilmore, which is in New York. He has been here on a 30 day leave visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Kiker.

Kiker is a surgical technician serving in the operating rooms of his ship. This was his first time

home in 21 months, of which 16 months of this time were spent at sea. He has been in the Navy for 3 years. While overseas, he was in the Philippine Islands, Marshall Islands, Australia and Hawaii. He wears three theater ribbons: American Area, Asiatic-Pacific Area, and the Philippine Liberation Ribbon.

Fred B. Martin, a sailor in the Navy, landed on the California coast on October 24, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Martin, are expecting him home within a short time as he stated he expected to receive his discharge within 10 days. Marvin has served in the South Pacific for three years.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Smith have received word from their son, E. R. Smith of the Seabees, that he landed in Seattle, Wash., on October 24. He expects to receive his discharge within a short time. He has been overseas in the Philippines.

T-5 Raymond C. Creed was promoted to sergeant on September 30 in Wetzhausen, Germany where he is now stationed. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Creed, now live in Hereford. Sgt. Creed is with the 740th Tank Battalion.

S 2-c Harold Wayne Maddox, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Maddox,

arrived here last Thursday on a 30 day leave. His ship, the USS Harrison, is now in Boston, Mass., and he came home by plane as far as Kansas City, then by bus the rest of the way. Maddox has been out to sea for quite some time, and now wears the Asiatic-Pacific Theater Ribbon, American Theater Ribbon, European and Middle Eastern-African Theater Ribbon. He also was awarded the Unit Citation with one star by Adm. Halsey for action off the coast of Japan with the Third Fleet. He has battle stars for Okinawa, Surgui Bay and Kyushu.

Maddox will report to Charleston, N. C., on November 22.

Pvt. and Mrs. Dick Judd of Camp Robinson, Ark., are here on a fifteen day furlough visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Judd. He will report to Camp Cook, California, at the end of his furlough.

Sgt. Nicholas S. Louis of the Clovis AAF spent the week end here with his wife, Mrs. Nicholas Louis, and daughter, Victoria.

Lt. and Mrs. Ernest Winters visited over the week end with relatives and friends here. They are staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Decker, in Childress until January when they plan to move to Lubbock.

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FOR SALE: 1930 Chevrolet truck with grain bed and stock rack. Can be seen at City Garage. George Estes. Box 666. 17-3c

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FOR SALE: Pre-war baby bed. 806 Corsicana. Lloyd Harper. 17-1c

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FOUR 5,000 FT. circulator Coleman Oil Heaters. \$42 each. Can be seen at Tyler Electric. 17-2c

FOR SALE: Pre-war kitchen sink with drainboard. See at 1101 Fort Worth Street. 17-1p

DENVER PRESSURE COOKERS—taking orders now. Prompt delivery. See Mrs. W. C. Killingsworth. 1503 E. 11th St. 17-2p

FOR SALE: Bicycle. See Tommie Bryant at Bus Station. 16-2p

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For Sale: One John Deere 12 A, 6 ft. combine. Power take off. Has cut only 100 acres wheat. Would consider cattle or hogs in trade. J. A. Wigham. Phone 206, Panhandle, Texas. 16-2p

For Sale: Batching Outfit. See Bill Roberts, 907 Dallas Street. 16-tfc

FOR SALE: 5 room house with bath. See Ernest Harwell at 1405 East Ave. or call 235 after 6:00 p. m. 16-tfc

Heavy fryers for sale. 2 1-2 to 3 pounds. 65 cents each. Dressed 25 cents extra. See J. M. Homer, 1 mile south and 2 1-2 east of Wellington. 16-2p

Strawberries: Now is the time to plant ever bearing strawberries. I have only a limited number of plants. 100 to the customer at \$2 per 100. M. L. Hall, 1302 South Arlington. 16-2p

FOR SALE: Six room house located on 9th Street just west of East Ward. See J. F. Mathews or phone 326-R. 15-3c

FOR SALE: Terracing blade for Ford tractor. Mrs. H. E. Bell, 4 miles north of Quail School. 15-3p

For Sale: Five acres with 5-room dwelling, not modern, joining Wellington City Limits on NW. \$2500.00. Bill Walker, Shamrock. 15-3c

I still have five or six hundred bushels of black hull seed wheat at \$2.00 per bushel. Free from Johnson grass. At my place nine miles east and one south of Lutie. N. E. Willard. 14-4p

FOR SALE: 160 acres land one-half mile west Salt Fork Church. Good improvements. Would trade for good house in Wellington. Mrs. W. W. Johnson, phone 471W, 401 13th St. 13-tfc

FOR SALE: P. S. Darlington farms in Collingsworth County, Texas. Will Crow, Canadian, Texas. 43-tfc

WANTED

NEED APARTMENT: Or house in Wellington. Gotta have place to live. See Mack Wood at the Airport. 17-2c

WANTED: House or apartment, furnished or unfurnished. See Floyd Hood at Goat's Cafe. 17-2p

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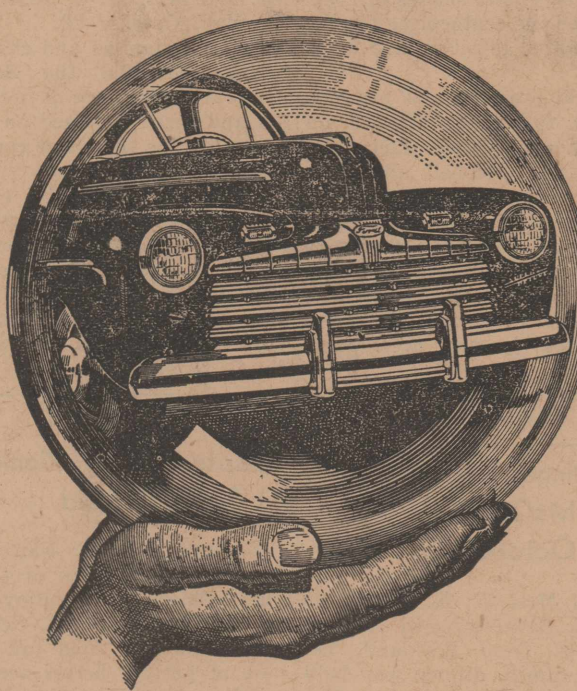


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Mr. And Mrs. W. D. Aldridge, Sr. Celebrate Golden Wedding Anniversary Sunday

Mrs. Forrest Overton Shower Honoree In B. B. Baker Home, Vinson

Mrs. Forrest Overton was the honoree at a pink and blue shower Wednesday afternoon, October 17, from 2:30 to 4:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. B. B. Baker, Vinson. Hostesses with Mrs. Baker were Mrs. E. L. Hively and Mrs. Henry Carroll.

Upon arrival, the guests were registered in the honoree's book and were entertained with games and contests. The lovely and useful gifts were opened and displayed for the guests.

The party rooms were decorated with evergreen and native flowers. Delightful refreshments were served to the following: Mmes. Milo Messamore, Buddy Yarbrough, Floyd Pence, Emory Pence, Suda Oxford, Fred Crowley, Russell Overton, Minor Hiett, Julia Mae Danks, Fred Yarbrough, R. L. Wooley, Helen Skaggs, Jimmy Ruth Casey, Nora B. Overton, Gerald Skaggs, A. J. Francis, G. C. Chambers Jr., Dwight Worthen, R. L. Setser, W. O. Reno, Elva Reno, J. B. Chambers, Bill Holder, Emma Adkins, Glennie Gregory, Frank Heath, Alta Cooper, Bud Overton, and Mrs. J. R. Downs and Mrs. Dewey Ellis, both of Wellington; Miss Juanita Francis and the hostesses.

Those sending gifts were Mmes. H. H. Connor, Nathan Jones, L. A. Davidson, Carrie Hayes, W. A. Holder, Maurine Smith, Ben Brown, Dub Mitchell, J. B. Downs, Nannie Pearl Tillman, Lena Hayes, Vernon Peters, Jim Kromer, Houston Russell, Gene Skaggs, Mamie Kromer, L. M. Hart, E. S. Darrow, Edd Overton, Wilson Reynolds, J. B. Best, Kenneth Smith, Elmer Odum, Bill Burnett, Jack Davis, Jack Hart, Willene Griffis, Ethyl Fillpot, Carl Sherrill, Wilma Gene Kromer, Misses Clara Gray, Peggy Gene Yarbrough, Glenna Fred Yarbrough, Doris Downs, Helen Adkins; Mrs. M. L. Boyett of Chickasha, Okla., and Mrs. Pink Sullivan of Wellington.

Mrs. E. M. Trew Newly Elected Pres., H. D. Club Council

The Home Demonstration Club Council met Saturday, October 27, at 2:30 p. m. at the county court house for a business meeting to hear committee reports and to elect officers for 1946.

New officers elected were Mrs. E. M. Trew, president; Mrs. J. L. Warrick, vice-president; and Mrs. Ike Rogers, secretary-treasurer. The year book committee report was read by Miss Charline Hyer in the absence of Mrs. Alexander, chairman. Mrs. Gus Gooch gave a report from the exhibit committee. The committee recommended October 5, 1946 for exhibit day or achievement day.

Mrs. Lawrence Warrick read a paper describing how to wrap and tie home products for Christmas gifts.

Miss Pauline Anderson And Loyd Branch Marry Saturday, October 27

Miss Pauline Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Anderson of Wellington, and Loyd Branch, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Branch, were married on Saturday, October 27, in Wellington. The Justice of the Peace, G. W. Hite, read the marriage ceremony in the county court house.

Attending the couple were Lee McNabb of Emory, uncle of the groom, and the groom's aunt, Mrs. Rondo Branch of Sulphur Springs; his mother, Mrs. F. Branch, and Mrs. Myrtle Campbell.

The bride has made her home here for the past three years and the groom was reared in Collingsworth County. The couple will make their home in Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Burkhalter and Jessie D., and Miss Frankie Marie Talbot visited in Quanah Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stone and Mrs. Buster Pate and son, Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Aldridge Sr., residents of Wellington for the past 25 years, celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary Sunday, October 28, at their home in Wellington. At noon the family enjoyed an anniversary dinner and in the afternoon a number of friends called to pay their respects to the couple.

The Aldridges were married on October 27, 1895 in Hickory Valley, Arkansas, making their home in Arkansas until coming to Texas 25 years ago. Five of their eight children are living. They are Capt. Kern Aldridge, El Paso; Jewell Aldridge, San Angelo; Rev. Ray Aldridge, Mangum; Mrs. Bertie Harris, Dumas; Sgt. W. D. Aldridge Jr., San Diego. The three children deceased are Clede Aldridge, Novella Aldridge Powell and Eloyse Aldridge. There are five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. C. E. Aldridge was the only grandson unable to attend and Jimmie Aldridge was the only great-grandchild not present.

The dining table was beautifully arranged with garden flowers and crystal service. Wedding cake and punch were served to over forty guests.

Attending were Messrs. and Mmes. Dewey Ellis, W. S. Brewer, J. S. Driskill, E. H. Yarbrough, C. E. Littleton, J. R. Brewer, W. F. Vaughan, Dodson; V. L. Williams, Ray Aldridge of Mangum; Mmes. J. G. Gardner, Ida Goodner, Pearl Loving Shaw, T. J. Lewis, J. A. Patterson, Mac Hunter, Childress; Dump Myatt, Roy Bounds, John A. Martin, Leon Nachlinger and daughter, Pat; Martha Aldridge, Lefors; W. D. Aldridge Jr., Childress; Annie Barker, A. C. Boverie; Bertie Harris, Dumas.

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Mrs. Max Sachse Given Bridal Shower In Parsons Home

Mrs. Max Sachse, the former Miss Jeanne Wilson, was complimented at a bridal shower in the home of Mrs. S. K. Parsons on Thursday afternoon, October 18, from 5 to 7 p. m.

Mrs. Parsons greeted the guests and presented them to Mrs. O. B. Wilson, mother of the honoree, and the honoree. Other members of the house party were Mrs. M. M. Kern, Mrs. Tom Campbell, Mrs. Lelia Robinson and Mrs. Frank Anderson.

Miss Tommie Ann Campbell registered the guests while Miss Rosemary Strong presided at the tea service. She was assisted in serving by Misses Betty Ruth Thomson and Diane Wells. Pastel shades of rosebuds formed the centerpiece for the table appointed in silver and crystal.

A musical program was presented by the following: Miss Lynn Moore, piano solo; vocal duet, Miss Tommie Ann Campbell and Miss Helen Jo Holder accompanied by Mrs. Frank Anderson; vocal solo, Miss Helen Jo Holder; vocal solo, Miss Sterlene Pittman; trombone solo, Miss Jeanne Way; flute solo, Miss Sue Anderson. Miss Moore also assisted in the accompaniment.

The guest list included about 75 friends in Wellington.

Family Dinner Honors Pvt. Bill McCarver Sunday, October 28

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. McCarver were hosts Saturday and Sunday to relatives from Kirkland. On Sunday a family dinner was held honoring their son, Pvt. Bill McCarver who is at home on a furlough.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Dewell Collins, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Myers, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sides and daughter, Sherry Sue, all of Kirkland; Pvt. and Mrs. Bill McCarver and daughter, Ann; Mr. and Mrs. Estle McCarver of Loco, and the hosts.

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Mrs. Whit Pate

Mrs. Pate was before her marriage, October 6, Miss Willie Mae Walters, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Walters. The vows were read in Reno, Nevada. Both Mr. and Mrs. Pate are in the Navy and were here last week on leave.

Mrs. Howard Forbis Hostess To Fresno Demonstration Club

The Fresno Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Howard Forbis on Friday, October 26, for a demonstration on how to score yeast breads. Miss Charline Hyer was in charge of the demonstration.

In a business meeting officers for the year 1946 were elected as follows: Mrs. W. A. Morrow, president; Mrs. Elliott Wynn, vice president; Miss Inez Clement, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. H. B. Lowrie, council delegate; and Miss Mabel Clement, reporter.

Attending were Mmes. P. E. Lowrie, James Wattam, Elliott Wynn, W. V. Huffman, H. B. Lowrie, E. C. Clement, W. W. Byrd, Mollie Black, D. F. Roberts; Misses Charline Hyer, Inez Clement, Louise Byrd and the hostess.

The next meeting of the club will be November 23, in the home of Mrs. W. W. Byrd.

—Reporter, Mabel Clement.

Mrs. Nannie E. Smith Honoree At Dinner In Somerville Home

Mrs. Nannie E. Smith of Los Angeles, former Wellington resident, was honoree at a family reunion and dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Somerville on Tuesday, October 23.

Colorful dahlias and chrysanthemums decorated the Somerville home. A centerpiece of orchid dahlias and fern was used on the dining table for the three course dinner.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Smith and son, Bert, of Los Angeles; H. M. Smith, formerly of the U. S. Navy; Tom Somerville, Miss Daisy Somerville, Mrs. Nicholas Louis, Miss Dolores Somerville and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Somerville.

F.F.A. And F.H.A. Chapters Enjoy Picnic At Football Field

Seventy Future Farmers and Future Homemakers of the Wellington High School enjoyed a picnic on Tuesday night, October 23, on the football field for the purpose of getting better acquainted.

After a picnic supper, several ring games were played and a sing song was enjoyed by all. The FFA Chapter sponsored the outing under the direction of J. D. Shanks, Dwayne Scott, Billy Joe Scott, Marion Baumgardner and Jimmy Scott as a committee, and Walker Todd, advisor of the chapter.

Miss Nell Davis is sponsor of the local chapter of the Future Homemakers of America.

Public Invited To Chili Supper Tuesday Night At Community Building

Jo Ann Thompson President Of Eighth Grade Class

The Eighth Grade Class met last week to elect officers and choose a class sponsor. Jo Ann Thompson was elected president; Billy Wayne Hughes, vice president; Barbara Brickey, secretary; Wilbur Smith, treasurer; and Joy Lynn Moore, reporter.

Mrs. Ruth Barton and Miss Dorothy Stephens were chosen sponsors. Veda Mae Kiker was elected the eighth grade candidate for Junior High queen.

A recent activity of the eighth grade was a picnic on October 19, when 56 of the students went to Thompson's Creek. Mrs. Bill Smith and Miss Stephens, Mrs. Bill Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. Loren Thompson accompanied the group on the hayride which preceded the picnic supper of roasted weiners and soda pop.

Juvenile Delinquency Discussed By Excelsior Club

The Excelsior Club met Thursday night, October 18, with Mrs. Margaret Johnson as hostess. The subject for the evening was juvenile delinquency. Miss Bonnie Willis talked on the obligation of the

schools to do something about the problem. She was followed by a discussion given by Mrs. Loula Daniel on the responsibility of the parent on the subject of juvenile delinquency.

The club year books were distributed. Refreshments were served to these members: Ruth Barton, Marguerite Bartlett, Loeva Pierce, Mary M. Todd, Bonnie Willis, Inez Leach, Gladys Leggett, Bessie Jean Willis, Lota Dickson, Frances Jones, Hattie D. Wells, Loula Daniel, Mary Alston, Floy Rapp and hostess.

Special music will be arranged for the evening as well as special decorations which will carry out the Mexican theme. The menu will include plenty of chili, pie and coffee.

Miss Billie Ruth Shaw Former County Girl, Weds In Amarillo

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Shaw, 721 N. Grant, Amarillo, formerly of Aberdeen, recently announced the wedding of their daughter, Miss Billie Ruth Shaw, to Lt. Gilbert A. Reidland, Crosby, Texas, in a double ring ceremony performed Thursday evening, October 11, in the Amarillo Army Air Field chapel.

Chaplain Jesse R. Simmerman read the marriage ceremony before an altar banked with white and lavender chrysanthemums and roses, flanked by white tapers in floor candelabra.

Organ music served as a background for the recitation of the vows.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a powder blue suit. Her accessories were black and her shoulder corsage was an orchid.

Attending the bride was her sister, Miss Modena Shaw, who wore a lime dressmaker suit with black accessories. Her corsage was of white roses.

James Shaw, brother of the bride was best man.

The mother of the bride wore a black ensemble, her corsage was of white roses.

A reception in the home of the bride's parents followed the rites. The bride's table was covered with an Irish linen tablecloth, and centered with a bouquet of white and yellow chrysanthemums. Miss Anita Burdine presided at the serving while Miss Margaret Wyatt registered the guests in the bride's book. Miss Dorothy Cummings served the punch.

Mrs. Reidland attended school at Aberdeen, Samnorwood and is a graduate of Amarillo High School where she was a member of the A Capella Choir. At the time of her marriage she was employed at Amarillo Army Air Field.

Lt. Reidland is a son of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Reidland of Crosby. He attended Rice Institute at Houston and the University of Texas. At the time he entered service he was employed by Humble Oil Company, Baytown.

After a wedding trip to Houston

Mrs. James Doneghy Named President Of 1924 Study Club

Members of the 1924 Study Club met last Thursday in the home of Mrs. Morris Wells for a business meeting. Officers were presented by the nominating committee and voted upon to serve for the next two years.

Officers elected were Mrs. James Doneghy, president; Mrs. John D. Glenn, vice-president; Mrs. Chester Fires, second vice-president; Mrs. Clark Anderson, secretary; Mrs. Tom Campbell, treasurer; and Mrs. Deskins Wells, reporter.

Members voted to fill a Christmas package for a service man on the high seas at Christmas time.

A musical program followed the business session in which Mrs. Kelly Pigg played two piano solos. The club members enjoyed an informal program of singing and music in which Mrs. Frank Anderson and Mrs. Clark Anderson were leaders.

A dessert course was served to Mmes. John D. Glenn, M. M. Kern, Kelly Pigg, W. O. Richards, Clark Anderson, Frank Anderson, Deskins Wells, Miss Katherine Boverie and Mrs. Morris Wells.

and Mexico the couple will be at home at Riverside, California, where Lt. Reidland will be stationed at March Field.

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More and more of the county's service men are again seen at home but now they're in civilian life, eager to pick up where they left off to enter the armed forces, or to go into some new phase of work or study.

Duard Scott

Duard Scott, who completed one year in the Navy the day he received his discharge, returned to Dodson Wednesday night, October 17.

After completing his boot training, Mr. Scott was sent to the Naval Air Station at Corpus Christi for advanced radio work. Picked for the Navy's main electronics course, he completed this work with an average of 84.4, one of the highest grades made. Highest in the entire class was 90.6, while the average was 76. He held the rating of aviation radio technician first class.

Mr. Scott has again taken over the management of the Scott Hardware, which during his absence was operated by his wife and his mother, Mrs. M. P. Scott.

Paschal Powell

Sgt. Paschal Powell, one of the county's airmen who flew against the Nazis until he was captured when his plane was forced down, received his discharge from service Tuesday, October 9, in Amarillo. He had completed two years service. Ten months of this was overseas.

Twice this 22-year-old Air Force gunner narrowly escaped death. First, while he was stationed in England, the plane in which he was flying exploded in mid-air but by strange chance, he was blown from the plane and was able to parachute to safety.

Later he was transferred to Italy. On March 22, while returning from a raid in which his plane had been riddled, enemy fighter planes finished it off, and the men were forced to jump. Several were wounded and one was killed by German civilians after he landed. Sgt. Powell, slightly wounded by the flak, eluded capture for 32 hours. He was liberated April 29.

Upon his return to the United States, Sgt. Powell received a two and one-half month furlough, then was stationed at Miami Beach, Fla.

He has received the European-Middle Eastern Theater Ribbon with five stars, the Purple Heart, the Good Conduct Medal, the Air Medal with one cluster, the Presidential Citation, and two gold parachutes, designating his two jumps.

Sgt. Powell will live here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Powell.

Selba D. Rainey

Pfc. Selba D. Rainey, a truck driver in Co. H of the 71st Infantry with the 44th Division, arrived here last week with his discharge from the Army, which he received in Chickasha, Okla.

Rainey received the Distinguished Unit Badge, ETO campaign ribbon with three bronze service stars, and the Good Conduct Medal, after serving in Northern France, Rhineland, and Central Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. Rainey and their small daughter plan to continue living in this county at Lutie, where he will resume farming.

Archie Roberts

After serving with the 270th Field Artillery Battalion for 19 months overseas in Europe, T-4 Archie Roberts arrived here after

receiving his discharge at the Separation Center in Fort Sam Houston in San Antonio.

His battalion was attached to Patton's 3rd Army most of the time he was in foreign service. As a radio operator, he was in the campaigns of Normandy, Northern France, Ardennes, Rhineland, and Central Europe. He received the EAME Campaign Medal with five bronze stars, Good Conduct Medal, and three overseas service bars.

He left the states for foreign service on April 6, 1944, on the British ship, HMS Aquitania, and landed in Scotland eight days later.

Roberts has been in the Army for the past thirty-one months, after his induction in Lubbock on March 31, 1943.

His wife, the former Miss Idell Smith, has made her home in Tucumcari, N. M., while he was overseas, where she was society editor of The Tucumcari Daily News. They are visiting now with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Roberts, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Smith. They plan to return to Canyon about the first of the year to resume their studies at WTSC. Roberts is majoring in agriculture and soil conservation, while Mrs. Roberts is a journalism major.

Robert L. Shields

T-Sgt. Robert L. Shields, who served in England with the hospital corps in the 67th General Hospital, landed in New York on Friday, September 28 on the Queen Mary. Sgt. Shields reported to Ft. Sam Houston at San Antonio before he came home, and has already received his discharge from the Army. He is here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Shields and family.

Sgt. Shields was inducted at Ft. Bliss, El Paso, on April 3, 1941. He has been overseas for nearly three years, serving with the same hospital in England all of this time. His future plans are indefinite at present as he just wants to enjoy being a civilian once again.

Vernon H. Baird

Tech. Sgt. Vernon H. Baird, son of J. H. Baird, Dodson, has been honorably discharged from the AAF at the separation center at Sheppard Field.

Sgt. Baird, who entered the army in June 1943, served seven months in the European theater as an engineer-gunner with the 91st Bomb group. He wears the Air Medal with five oak leaf clusters and the ETO ribbon with three battle stars. Prior to overseas service he attended airplane mechanics school at Amarillo and the Kingman (Ariz.) gunnery school.

A graduate of Dodson high school, Sgt. Baird was an automobile mechanic in civilian life.

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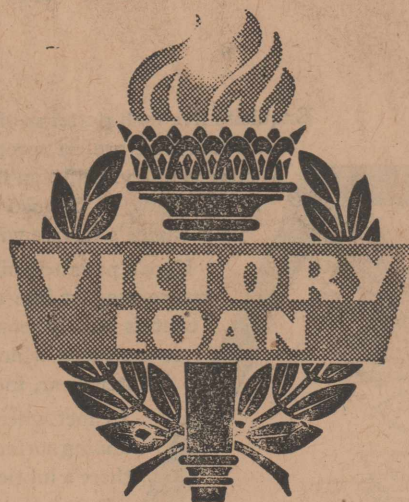
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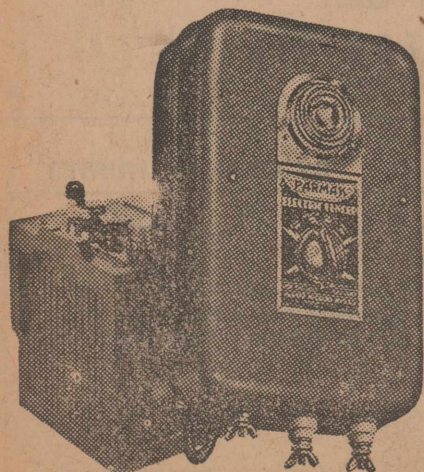
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Rites Held For Leonard Essman On October 28

Funeral services for Leonard Essman of Tule Lake, Calif., were held from the Ellis Funeral Home in Wellington Sunday afternoon, October 28, with Rev. A. A. Daly of the Assembly of God in charge. Mr. Essman died October 21 at Tule Lake of injuries received three days earlier in a car accident.

Pall bearers for the service were Luther Gresson, Troy Gardner, Jesse Branch, Bob Leaper, Paul Lamkin and Floyd Killough. Special music included a quartet, "Rock of Ages," sung by Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Franks and Pfc. and Mrs. Carl E. Wagner. Burial was in the Wellington cemetery with the Ellis Funeral Home in charge of local arrangements.

Mr. Essman was born at Waldron, Ark., and at the time of his

death he was 28 years, two months and 24 days of age. He made his home in Wellington for 8 years, before leaving two years ago to work in defense plants in California.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Daisy Essman; three children, Leon, Joyce Lee and Nellie B.; his mother, Mrs. Ruth Essman of Wellington; and seven brothers and sisters, Floyd Essman of Dayton, Ohio; Claud Essman of Bakerville, Calif.; Charlie Essman of Tule Lake, Calif.; Miss Virgie Essman, Elbie Essman, Haskell Essman and Pfc. Glenn Essman of Wellington.

Quail School -

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culture, replacing J. B. Pattison, who has gone to Hermleigh. Mr. Kennedy is a graduate of A&M College and entered service immediately upon his graduation. He, Mrs. Kennedy and their baby have already moved to Quail.

Mrs. W. W. White will teach commercial work in the high school. Coming here from Amarillo to make her home a short time ago, Mrs. White was a teacher in the Fleming Business College. However, she taught in this county a number of years ago and will be remembered as Mrs. Essie Payne.

Miss Mary Katherine Stephens will teach mathematics in the grade school. A Quail graduate, she has been attending West Texas State College at Canyon.

ROUNDUP

By THELMA W. JOHNSON

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Overcast of China Grove visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson and family.

Miss Alma Jean Green of Amarillo visited over the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Green and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Todd and daughter, Shirley Ann, visited last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Webb and daughter, Vernell.

Mrs. W. R. Benton and son, Paul of Aberdeen visited last Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Johnson and family.

Gotha Gulley of Aberdeen visited last Saturday with Robert K. Johnson.

Mrs. Buck McKinney is in Hollis with her brother, Lefty Trammell, who was seriously injured in an accident while loading cattle recently.

Constant Hunger -

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treated as prisoners of war and put on short rations."

In prison the men were divided according to race, but all received the same treatment. Prisoners from one of the President liners were added to their camp, then British from Hong Kong, and later 1,500 North China Marines from Peking and Tsingsing.

Despite the January cold, they were given only four cotton blankets and the barracks were unheated.

They remained at Shanghai until August 23, 1943, when 500 were transferred to Japan.

"I was one of the 500," Mr. Capps said. "We were taken to Kawasaki, near Tokyo. It was a little bit worse than Shanghai. In fact, each place got worse by degrees."

Surrounded by a high guarded fence, the men left only to work or go to the general hospital.

"We had one interpreter who realized the men would do more work if they didn't die from infections or disease. We wondered at first why he was so kind but decided that was it," he recalled.

Along with others, Mr. Capps was sent to work around the steel mills. At first the Japanese tried to assign work according to skill, but the prisoners wouldn't work this way and it got to where everyone did common labor.

The men were supposed to work eight hours, but it was usually more. At first they had each Sunday as a day of leisure, but in Japan they worked 10 days and were off the 11th.

As American power in the Pacific increased, bombings were frequent.

"But we didn't mind these. We could tell what was happening. After we were moved away from Tokyo, the time seemed to go slower and we didn't know what was going on," Mr. Capps recalled.

Last April, everything was burned to within a block and a half of their barracks, and even these caught fire.

Speaking briefly of their treatment, he said,

"Punishment was unreasonable. If a man were caught doing something, the Japanese went to the extreme. The men got the feeling that if they were going to try to do anything, they might as well go all the way. For instance, instead of stealing a package of cigarettes, they'd take a whole carton.

"I've seen men beaten half to death because they took rice that had already been thrown away," he declared.

"We just tried to live," he said in summing up the situation.

The Chinese Marines were permitted to set up a hospital.

"I suppose that was one time the Japs did give us a fair break," he said thoughtfully. Medicine came through the Red Cross, but vitamin tablets were kept by the Japanese for an "emergency," which of course, never came. The Japs added a few herbs, valuable medicine only in the light of their own superstitions. Nothing whatever came out of their own stores.

The men were fed chiefly a cereal diet—rice, barley and common maize. They were constantly hungry, all lost weight, and some developed diseases due to diet deficiency. They received one set of work clothes and what was supposed to be one set of winter clothes. These had been taken from British residents of Hong Kong.

Little word of what went on in the outside world reached the prisoners. Five B-29 pilots who were shot down brought information. The Japanese told of President Roosevelt's death, and they learned of Germany's surrender.

The men guessed then the war wouldn't last much longer.

Late in the war treatment was less severe. Men were not punished brutally for taking food from Japanese gardens, and other irritations were dropped, such as the guards coming into the barracks after the men returned from work and forbidding them from lying on the beds, or making them bow to the guards at the gates, or keep their shoes polished when nothing was provided to polish them with.

"The Japanese didn't seem to realize the war was over," Mr. Capps said. "It took about ten days to get orders from Tokyo what to do."

In the end, the men were taken to Yokohama by their guards, turned loose, and left for American soldiers to pick up.

The general run of Japanese ci-

vilians were friendly enough to the men, but it was when they were given a little authority that they became so cruel, Mr. Capps explained.

"It seemed to me that the common people didn't care too much about the emperor or anything else as long as they had enough to eat, and it didn't matter whether it came from the Japanese or the Americans," he declared.

Mr. Capps left Friday to return to California for a physical check-up. But he will return to Wellington to live, he declared upon leaving.

Mrs. Edith Hardin Leads Reorganized Girl Scout Troop

Troop 4 of the Girl Scouts, disbanded since February, has reorganized under the direction of Mrs. Edith Hardin, teacher in the city schools. Fifteen girls are now enrolled.

Members of the troop are working toward their community badge, by helping in the homes of friends, both with housework and small children, after school hours.

The first hike was held recently in which the girls went to Buck Creek, picnicked, and then walked home.

War Chest Work To Continue In Quail School District

Members of the student council of Quail School, who are in charge of the War Chest Drive in that district, are urged by Supt. Noah Cunningham to continue their work, seeing all families in their area.

Money collected should be brought or mailed to Mr. Cunningham.

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