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Thirty More Men From County To Get Examination

Total Of 58 Mills County Selectees To Fill February Calls

Clerk Omar Shaw of the Mills County Selective Service Board yesterday morning received another call for 14 more men to be sent to Abilene for their final Army examination on March 5. The men will be examined here by the board's medical examiners—Dr. Campbell and Dr. Stephen—prior to that time, after which the board will select the men to be sent.

February calls on the Mills County Board totaled 58 men.

Out of the 20 men examined at Fort Bliss last Friday, 15 were accepted for Army service, three were placed in Class 1-B—limited military service—and two were rejected.

The following 31 Mills County selectees were selected Tuesday by the Mills County Selective Service Board to leave by chartered bus next Tuesday, Feb. 17, for Abilene Examination Center for their final examinations for entrance into the United States Army:

John Forehand Kirby.
Jack Locklear.
Charlie A. Seider.
Truman J. Hill.
Herbert Tiemann.
Robert Gwin Slagle.
Victor F. Schrank.
Alvin Aubrey Roe.
Randolph J. Garrett.
Ernest L. Gameson.
Oliver Floyd Edson.
Calvin L. Weathers.
Louis Edwin Long.
Barney A. McCurry.
Hal Ray McDonald.
Henry J. Nauert.
Bentley B. Manning.
Lee Roy Mosier.
James W. Harris.
Ben F. Warren.
Wilton W. Hamilton.
Jasper C. Dellis.
Walter W. Hollingshead.
Vergil Lee Carroll.
Walter O. A. Matson.
Ray S. Ford.
Preston M. Hamilton.
Jimmie Lee Huffman.
Hubert L. Denton.
Arville L. Layton.

Also one man transferred here from another board will go with the above men. He is Ernest Fred Barton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barton of this city.

FFA, 4-H Club And FHT Show At Mullin Feb. 24th

Club Rally At The Mullin Gym To Be Held February 20

The Mills County FFA, 4-H Club, FHT, and Homemaking Show will be held in Mullin, Feb. 24th, according to John A. Wright, Mills County agent.

The Livestock Raisers' Association is sponsoring the show and is urging that everyone become members by paying their dollar to any of the teachers in the county. Everyone who pays their membership fee will be presented with a sticker at the show, and membership will be accepted the day of the show.

On February 20, at 8 p. m., a club rally will be held in the Mullin Gym, and will be conducted by Lee Tesson, who is president of the show. Every boy and girl in Mills County is urged to attend, along with their parents.

O. C. FISHER OF SAN ANGELO IS NATIONAL CONGRESS CANDIDATE



O. C. FISHER

O. C. Fisher, 38-year-old native of the 21st Congressional District, having been reared in Kimble County, and widely experienced in public service over the San Angelo country, who on December 4th announced he would be a candidate for Congress from the 21st Congressional District, which includes Mills County, was in Goldthwaite this week in the interest of his candidacy.

Mr. Fisher visited the Eagle Office and authorized the paper to officially announce his candidacy, and his name will be found in the Political Announcements column on page 8.

Mr. Fisher, now 51st District Attorney at San Angelo, earlier held the offices of Tom Green County Attorney and 91st State Representative.

While here the attorney stated:

"I am now and have consistently been, both before and since war declarations, solidly behind the Roosevelt-Hull foreign policy."

Mr. Fisher entered the Congressional race shortly after the lower House of Congress had, by a very narrow margin, passed the Administration—sponsored bill to revise the Neutrality Act, by the terms of which revision the arming of American merchant ships was permitted and it restored to America the traditional freedom of the seas.

The candidate, son of Jobe Fisher, pioneer Kimble County stock-farmer who is one of the few surviving cowboys who went up the Chism Trail, was born on the Fisher place near Junction, one of 10 children.

He attended Texas and Baylor Universities, and is a graduate of the Baylor Law School.

Mr. Fisher has climbed the public ladder, step by step, and as an indication of the esteem held for him by those who know him best, it is pointed out in the San Angelo Standard-Times that in all his contests there he has carried his home county of Tom Green by majorities of more than two-to-one.

Fisher recently received an unusual endorsement for Congress, signed by 134 Tom Green County citizens who were ex-Grand Jurors, this number constituting more than 90 per cent of all the men who had served on Grand Juries with Fisher during his District Attorneyship!

Fisher has been on the Speaker's Bureau for the sale of Defense bonds in his section, and has for several months been quite active in that service.

WOMEN'S DEFENSE LEAGUE TO MEET HERE TODAY

The Mills County Women's Defense League will meet Friday, Feb. 13, at 2:30 at the Melba Theatre.

E. F. SMITH, AUSTIN, FOR CHIEF JUSTICE OF COURT CIVIL APPEALS



JUDGE E. F. SMITH

E. F. Smith of Austin, well-known Texas lawyer and recognized as a gifted writer on legal subjects, is a candidate for Chief Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals for the Third Supreme Judicial District at Austin. This court has an appellate jurisdiction in Mills and 23 other counties. Judge Smith visited in Goldthwaite this week, and authorized the Eagle to place his name in the Political Announcements column.

E. F. Smith is a Texan to the manner born. His family came to Texas prior to the Texas Revolution. David Thomas, his great uncle, was a friend of Sam Houston, a signer of the Texas Declaration of Independence, and the first attorney-general of the Republic of Texas.

This made two republics which members of Judge Smith's family helped to establish. A great great-grandfather, Isaac Thomas, was a soldier in Washington's army.

In a published review of E. F. Smith's latest book, "A Saga of Texas Law," United States Circuit Court Judge Joseph E. Hutcheson referred to Mr. Smith's "sturdy inheritance and upbringing." Typical of this sturdy inheritance and upbringing is Judge Smith's public announcement that he will not personally accept, and no one is authorized to solicit or receive, contributions to his campaign.

E. F. Smith is a member of the Texas State Bar, the bar of several United States District Courts, the United States Circuit Court of Appeals at New Orleans, and the Supreme Court of the United States.

Mr. Smith is a co-author of a treatise on Appellate Court Procedure, Steck's Corporation Forms, A Saga of Texas Law. He is an honorary member of the National Association of Authors and Journalists. His latest book, A Saga of Texas Law, has been purchased by the libraries of Yale, Texas, Stanford, Duke, California, Columbia, Harvard and other famous universities.

Born on the frontier, E. F. Smith began his career at Snyder as a lawyer, where he was twice elected mayor, and twice elected president of the Snyder School Board. He was an assistant to Attorney-General C. M. Cureton, and first assistant to Attorney-General W. A. Keeling. He has had much active experience in all courts from that of Justice of the Peace to the Supreme Court of the United States. He has for years enjoyed an extensive practice in the appellate courts of the state and nation.

VICTORY CRUSADE

Attend or listen to the Victory Crusade being held in Brownwood at Memorial Hall. It is sponsored by Brownwood pastors. The Taylor Brothers, evangelists, are conducting it. The messages are broadcast each night over KBWD at 7:35. In the interest of better living, we urge, through the Eagle, that our Mills County people listen in.

County Schools To Take Lead In Scrap Campaign

USDA War Board Leading Iron Drive For Nat'l Defense.

Let's everybody in Mills County "get in the scrap."

Representatives from all the schools in Mills County met Saturday, Feb. 7, at 2 p. m., with A. A. Downey, chairman of the Mills County U.S.D.A. War Board, and discussed plans for collection and sale of all scrap iron in the county. Judge R. J. Gerald, Mayor H. G. Bodkin, Brian Smith, chairman of Red Cross, and many other leaders were also present.

A. A. Downey, chairman of the War Board, conducted the meeting and proposed the plan of asking the schools of the county to put on a campaign of collecting scrap iron for the defense of our country. Under this plan every family of a school district will collect all the scrap iron on their farm and have it piled ready for the buyer. When all the iron on the farm has been piled an estimate of the amount in pounds will be sent to the local school principal or superintendent. When reports from all families have been received by the schools, these will be tabulated and sent to the A.A.A. office, Goldthwaite, Texas. The scrap iron buyer selected by the War Board will then come with his truck and collect and pay for the iron at the farm. All reports from school districts are to be complete within two weeks. The plan proposed was unanimously accepted by those present. Buying of the scrap iron will begin in any district just as soon as the report is received by the A.A.A. office.

If all the scrap iron in the United States were collected there would be enough to build twice as many battleships as we now have in service, or if made into 1,000 pound bombs there would be sufficient to drop three per minute on the Japs for the next three years, or if made into 100-pound bombs we could drop one every second of every minute of the every hour of every day for the next three years.

The collection of the scrap iron on the farms is something in which every man, woman, boy, and girl can do their part.

IN DEFENSE WORK



Miss Ila Webb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Webb of near Star, left last week to enter aircraft training at the Southwest Aeronautical Institute at Dallas. She will meet her neighbor girl friend, Miss Imogene Williamson, who left the day before for the same school.

These young ladies are among the first to join thousands of other ladies from all over the country who are now actively engaged in this vital defense industry of assembling airplanes.

OMAR C. WEATHERBY ENTERS RACE FOR MILLS CO. SHERIFF

Making the fourth candidate to enter the race, Omar C. Weatherby this week has authorized the Eagle to announce he is in the race for Mills County Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector, subject to action of the July Democratic Primary. His name will be found in the Political Announcements column of this paper.

Omar Weatherby was born and reared in Mills County, has spent all his life in the stock-farming and ranching business, and is well known throughout this entire section of Central Texas.

Mr. Weatherby feels that he is qualified to fill all the positions which the office embraces, and, if elected, promises to serve the people of the county to the very best of his ability, treating everybody fairly and squarely.

Mr. Weatherby will make an active campaign for the successful culmination of his race for the Sheriff's office, and will try to see each voter personally between now and voting day on July 25. He asks all the voters of the county to give his candidacy their careful consideration, and will appreciate their influence and active support during the campaign and their vote on election day.

ARTHUR WILCOX IN RACE FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER NO. 4

Making the third man to apply for the position voluntarily relinquished at the expiration of his term by County Commissioner J. G. Egger, Arthur Wilcox of the Jones Valley Community this week authorized the Eagle to announce that he is a candidate for County Commissioner of Mills County Precinct No. 4, subject to the action of the July Democratic Primary. Mr. Wilcox's name will be found in the Political Announcements column in this paper.

Arthur Wilcox is 42 years old and has lived in the precinct in the Ratler Community for 35 of these years. He is therefore well acquainted with all the voters, and needs no introduction to them. He is the son of W. B. Wilcox, an old settler of the Ratler section, who has lived there nearly 50 years. The candidate says he is well acquainted with the roads and other problems of the precinct, and promises, if elected, to give all the citizens the same consideration in all matters affecting the precinct, in addition to co-operating with the other members of the Commissioners' Court in an economical administration of county business.

Mr. Wilcox is starting an active campaign for the post immediately, and hopes to see all the voters personally and ask them for their influence and help in the campaign as well as for their vote on July 25.

PREACHING AT SOUTH BENNETT NEXT SUNDAY

R. D. English of Brownwood will preach next Sunday at South Bennett.

ON VALENTINE'S DAY...
Remember Uncle Sam, too!
Also Give U. S. DEFENSE BONDS STAMPS

FRANK HOWINGTON FOR REPRESENTATIVE



REP. FRANK HOWINGTON

State Representative Frank Howington of Comanche, present incumbent in the 104th Representative District composed of Comanche and Mills Counties, was in Goldthwaite last Saturday in the interest of his campaign, and authorized the Eagle to announce that he is a candidate again for the position, subject to the action of the July 25 Democratic Primary. His name will be found in the Political Announcements column of this paper.

Representative Howington refers the voters to his record of service during the time he has represented the two counties in the Texas Legislature. He has always been an untiring enthusiast for economy in state government, and says he will continue to work for more and more economy if elected. When the committee on appropriations last year had raised practically all the salaries of the different department heads, he and one other representative secured a reversal of the bill which saved the state \$5,000 annually. During the 49th Legislature, he had a part in reducing state expenses over three million dollars.

Mr. Howington says he believes many of the citizens of his district realize the value of having a representative in the Legislature who is keenly interested in agriculture and personally knows the problems of the farmer. He thinks that in these war times an experienced man is needed in the office.

Rep. Howington will endeavor to see all the voters of the two counties personally if possible, but requests them to consider this a personal solicitation for their influence during the race and for their vote on July 25.

RADIO STARS COMING TO MELBA THEATRE

Miss Billie Walker and her Hill Billy Band together with Sugar Cane and February will appear in person at the Melba Theatre in Goldthwaite tonight, Friday, Feb. 13.

You've heard them on the radio, now you can hear them and see them in person.

The first performance will be at 6:30 p. m. Central War Time. Doors will be opened at 6 p. m. Come early and avoid the rush in seats. The second performance will be at 9 p. m.

The special Friday the 13th show will start at 11:13 p. m. and a short program will be given by the radio stars at this show also.

Another good show this week is "Charley's Aunt," with Jack Benny. See these shows, laugh and forget the bad war news.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

County Clerk Earl Summy has issued the following marriage licenses during the past week: Emmett Reynolds and Miss Ethel Mae Pickens. L. R. Taylor, Jr., and Miss Bernice Brown. Norris Witty and Miss Lenora Brown.

Registration Day Is Monday For All Of United States

All Men 20 To 45, Who Have Not Done So Before, Affected

Next Monday morning beginning at 7 o'clock and continuing until 9 p. m., without a stop, registration of all male citizens of the United States and its possessions between the ages of 20 and 45—who have not previously registered for military service—will take place. Men who became 21 years of age before the 31st day of December, 1941, and those who have not reached their 45th birthday before Monday morning at 7 will be required to register for possible military service.

Registration places in Mills County are Goldthwaite, Mullin, Star, Priddy and Mt. Olive. Volunteers to act as registrars have been selected by the Mills County Selective Service Board, and they will meet in the district court room at the court house here Saturday at 2 p. m. to receive instructions from the local board.

Following places of registration have been approved by the Mills County Selective Service Board:

Court House, Goldthwaite, Texas.
School Auditorium, Mullin, Texas.
School Auditorium, Star, Texas.
School Auditorium, Priddy, Texas.
School Building, Mt. Olive, Texas.

LOCAL BOARD, S. S.

In Goldthwaite registration will take place in the Commissioners' Court room and the District Court room continuously from 7 a. m. to 9 p. m.

Volunteer registrars accepted by the board are:

Goldthwaite—C. A. Womack, John Jackson, Mrs. C. A. Eacott, John A. Hester, Rev. E. E. Dawson, John Wright, Mrs. Earl Summy, A. M. Pribble, John Schooler, and Mrs. D. D. Tate.
Mullin—L. L. Wilson, Warren Duren, Jack Coppage, R. H. Patterson, George M. Fletcher, and Arnold Reynolds.

Star—Tolbert Patterson, Luther Teague, J. E. Perkins, T. L. Adams, John Soules, Ira Alldredge.

Priddy—Priddy, Geo. W. White, Hobart Priddy, Will Limmer, Ernest Tate, R. G. Slagle, Thomas Whiteley, Mary Elina Fouse, Thelma Howard, Ruth Jackson, and Margaret Skipping.
Mt. Olive—Webb Hill, F. W. Crawford, and I. D. Cody.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

E. E. DAWSON, Pastor

Last Sunday it was unanimously decided to run all our services by the new time. So here is the schedule: Sunday school, 10:00 and the worship service at 10:50 every Sunday morning. The evening worship will be at 8:30 at the present, to be changed later in the season. The mid-week meetings will also be at 8:30 in the evening. This new schedule will mean getting up earlier and moving faster to get to Sunday school. Surely in these days when such stress is being put on the need of the spiritual by the conditions that confront us we will manage to carry on with undiminished fervor in all of our religious work. The general in command of Singapore said the other day, "We are in the hands of God." Yes, not only in Singapore, but in Goldthwaite and Mills county, and everywhere—we are in the hands of God. Let's act like men and women and young people on whom He may be able to depend.

GOLDTHWAITE GIRL WRITES DESCRIPTION OF BRITISH W.I.

The following letter is from Mrs. J. P. Moore (nee Virginia Bowman) to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Bowman. Mrs. Moore and her husband are stationed at the U. S. Naval Operating Base at Trinidad, British West Indies, and the letter was dated Jan. 23, 1942. Dearest Mother and Daddy:

I wish just now that you could have a little of our warmth. And we could easily use about ten degrees of your coolness, as this is lunch hour, and slightly warm weather. It is nice and cool in the evenings and the mornings, but usually warm at noon.

I wish you could see Trinidad now. It is getting very beautiful, as the Immortel (with the accent on the last syllable) trees are in bloom. The flowers on the trees are a vivid flaming red, and show up at great distances, especially on the sides of the mountains. And there are real mountains here, too, like the one we hiked over, coming down almost into the sea. Imagine if you can a road that is bordered on one side with a mountain about as high as San Saba Peak, and on the other by coconut palms through which you can see the sea several yards off. Naturally that means gorgeous scenery. And the trees are not the only things in bloom; the houses are bordered by brilliant flowers, particularly bogainvillea of salmon, scarlet, wine, purple, and a light delicate pink. Particularly beautiful also are the queens wreath flowers. Orchids will be at their best in February, but already they are blooming a little. One of the most interesting shrubs I have seen is a cotton tree. Some of the plants are only waist high, but this particular one grows by a house in town, and is taller than the house. The hills are smaller than on our cotton, but there are lots of them, and I am told that it is spun into cloth by the natives.

However, cotton is not considered one of their industries. The principal one seems to be raising tropical fruits, such as bananas, oranges, limes, and grapefruit, with pineapples, mangoes, and paw-paws in season, coconuts, cocoa, and sugar cane. Of course the most famous thing on the island is the pitch lake, which does not look like much—just a lot of black ground, but from which they are continually taking pitch without any noticeable depletion of the supply.

There are lovely bathing beaches, although the water is not very clear at most of them because of the large Venezuelan rivers that empty their mud into the ocean about twenty miles away. They say at Barbados and Tobago, other British islands near here, that the water is extremely clear and blue, and that bathing is wonderful. The elite of Trinidad go to the Barbados for a vacation, and send their children there to school, as their school system is considered better than the one here.

The school system is interesting in its classification. Children go to high school about the age of ten—take algebra, French, geometry, and all sorts of high school subjects. They go to college at the age of our high school children, and their college contains more of our high school subjects. But it is not state maintained, and the tuition is rather high. After he graduates from "college" a child may gain a two year university standing by correspondence courses and an examination. But to get a degree he has to go to England or to Canada, a trip that the richer ones, both black and white, try to make.

The most interesting thing about Trinidad to me is the people. Here one sees many races and mixtures of races. The white is represented by the British, white Trinidadians (probably mixtures of English, Scotch, South American, and sometimes native) and since we came, the North Americans—not called Americans here so close to South America, but called rather Continentals. There are also some Canadians. Then there are the Chinese, representing the yellow race. There are many of them, and many others who have married into the East Indian and

black races, sometimes with very nice looking men and women as a result. Some of the women are beautiful, with long black curly (but not kinky) hair, light skin and dark eyes—not the Chinese slant. There are many natives, pure negro, but very much resenting the name. It is most startling to hear some of the natives speak pure English with a very British accent. It makes one realize that the pronunciation and the English of the Southern negro in the United States, is due to his environment, and is not necessarily his natural way of speaking. However most natives, particularly the ones from Barbados (as our combination maid and cook is) speak with such a queer kind of accent that you have to listen carefully or it sounds like a foreign language, although they are using English words.

The most picturesque people to me are the East Indians, formerly brought here from India. Although they too speak English, they also speak their native language when talking to each other. An old Indian on the road is most interesting. He walks along slowly with a turban on his head, a staff in his hand, a long beard on his chin, and wearing a one-piece garment looking suspiciously like a sheet, so wound around him that it takes place of both trousers and a shirt. His wife is not less picturesque as she follows along behind him, her arms covered with heavy silver bracelets from her wrist as far up as their circumstances will permit (this representing the family wealth), a massive gold necklace, earrings, and perhaps even a gold ring in her nose, her head covered with an elaborately embroidered shawl, her dress silk if possible, and bare feet. This is not a picture of all the Indians of course. Many of the younger ones dress in the height of style, as they consider it, but there are enough of the older ones to be very interesting.

One girl's parents seem to think she would have to walk everywhere or else ride something very primitive, like a donkey cart. However, that is not so. There are good roads over most of the island, and almost all of them hard surfaced. The taxi companies have the latest model cars, with leather upholstery, and their prices are very moderate, so that one can afford to drive almost anywhere on the island. They do, however, drive on the left side of the road, something most confusing to people from the U.S.A. when they first arrive. The Trinidad cars all have the steering wheels on the right side, so now there are cars on the roads with steering wheels on either the right or left side. The principal manner of transportation for the natives is by bicycle, a practice our people may have to take up in Texas soon I hear, and the roads are generally covered with them, going to or from work.

The other day the Trinidad Guardian carried a story that a whale was sighted off the coast, a story that is believed as Trinidad used to carry on the whaling industry. There are said to be many fish in the water around, and we have promised ourselves that sometime we are going to borrow some tackle, rent a boat, and go out to see what we can catch.

There are many churches in Port of Spain: Roman Catholic, Church of England, Church of Scotland (Presbyterian), Methodist, Baptist, and some others. They also have services on the street corners at times, complete with singing and preaching. All along the highways are scattered the little Hindu churches and the larger ones for the Mohammedans. Some of them are quite ornate, with mosques on top, and pictures of saints and angels painted outside and in.

Taken all together, Trinidad is a very interesting island, and I am glad that I got the chance to visit it.

Just got the January 16th Eagle today, and have already read it through. I especially enjoyed the one with the letters from the soldier boys.

I forgot to say that there are no drug stores here in the sense

SCALLORN—

By MRS. ORA BLACK

We enjoyed a very pleasant visit last week in Brownwood and Ballinger with relatives; therefore we failed to send in the doings from this place.

The ladies of this and Chadwick Community met at our Red Cross center and made shirts last week for Britain's needy. Alvie Johnston, who is stationed at Camp Polk, La., spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Johnston.

Mrs. Lila Crawford visited Friday with her mother, Mrs. R. D. Evans.

C. H. Black and family of Goldthwaite were week-end visitors with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Johnston came over from Fort Worth Sunday for a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Mauracy visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Eckert.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Derrick came in from Old Mexico last week for a visit with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Fox of Fort Worth and Mrs. Lee Berry of Goldthwaite called in the home of Mrs. R. D. Evans Sunday.

Mrs. Cora Ford visited last week in Florence with her son, Tom, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Johnston and son, Alvie, made a trip to Temple Friday.

Louis Hale and Alva Ford went Tuesday to El Paso for their examination.

W. H. Fields of Albany was a week-end visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hines. Mr. Fields is a brother of Mrs. Hines.

Mr. and Mrs. Collins of Briggs visited here over the week-end with Mrs. Walter Henry. Other visitors in the Henry home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Chester Henry and children of Lampasas and Wayne Henry and family from Chadwick.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hines and Miss Greta accompanied by Mr. Fields visited Sunday afternoon in Lometa in the homes of Mrs. Lizzie Lockhart and Mr. and Mrs. Fields Hines.

C. H. Horton and granddaughter, Ava Lavon, spent Sunday in Mullin with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crawford and family. Mrs. Crawford and two children accompanied them home for a week's visit with her father, Mr. Horton.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Dee Ford spent Sunday in San Saba visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Ward returned Saturday from a few days' visit with their son, Rafoad Ward, and family at Pharr, in the Rio Grande Valley. They were accompanied by W. D. Marshall. While there they made several trips into Old Mexico at various places.

Mr. and Mrs. Blain DeWolfe of Westerville, Ohio, spent several days last week with his cousin, Mrs. J. H. Saylor, and family.

E. B. Anderson, who has been confined to his room for the past few weeks, is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl McCord of Dallas spent Tuesday of last week with her sister, Mrs. Will Urbach, and other relatives.

that we think of them. They are real drug stores, and without soda fountains. However if they did have soda fountains, we would probably be afraid to drink the drinks, so that is all right. There are plenty of bottled drinks, and we drink those instead.

Trinidad people are very sports loving, and all stores close at noon Saturday so that they can go to one. In the fall they played soccer, which they call football. It is amusingly very different from ours, however, as they can never touch the ball with their hands, and have to keep it in the air with either their heads or their feet. You should see how high they can knock the ball with their heads. During Christmas holidays they had three days of races that were very well attended, and for the last two weeks they have been having cricket matches between Trinidad and Barbados Trinidad won.

Lovingly,
VIRGINIA
(Mrs. J. P. Moore.)
Care James Stewart Co., U. S. Naval Operating Base, Trinidad, B. W. I.

COUNTY H-D AGENT SAYS RATIONING OF SUGAR IS BLESSING

By MISS FRANCES BRAMMER
Mills County H-D Agent

The rationing of sugar is a blessing in disguise to the people. We Americans eat too much sugar for our own health. During the last half century, sugar consumption has jumped from 10 pounds to between 75 and 100 pounds per person per year. The average consumption in England is 24 pounds. The same is true in Germany, while the average Japanese uses only 8 pounds.

If there is any handicap it will fall heaviest on rural homemakers with large quantities of fruit to can. Homemakers who wish to can are urged to save a part of their allowance for use during the canning season. Saving can be effected by serving desserts which do not require much sugar or by substituting honey, molasses, or sorghum syrup.

Experts predict more will be canned and dried this year than ever before. Drying requires only one-25th as much sugar as preserving. For example, one pound of sugar and one pound of fruit are used in preserving, while one-half pound of sugar and one gallon of water will make a good syrup for canning two gallons of fruit. From the nutritional standpoint, canning is even more important. It saves the flavor, color and vitamins of the fruit. Much of the food value is lost when fruit is made into jelly and preserves.

Texans are fortunate in that honey, molasses, and syrup are readily available. These have minerals and other desirable nutrients needed by the body.

Sugar is found in fruits, milk, and such vegetables as beets, peas, carrots, and sweet potatoes, but the best source is fruit—fresh, dried, or canned or served as juice. Some of the fresh fruits contain from 10 to 15 per cent sugar, while some dried fruits contain 50 to 75 per cent.

Rationing of sugar is to prevent high prices and to bring about equitable distribution of sugar over the country. Sugar now sells at about 69 cents for 10 pounds. During 1920 the price was \$2.67 for the same amount.

Recently the United States Department of Agriculture lifted acreage restrictions to allow increased domestic production of sugar.

MISS DANIELS WORKS OUT PROPER DIET

Miss Billie Ruth Daniels of Goldthwaite, who is studying the factors which contribute to the promotion and maintenance of good health of both body and mind, has become very interested in her work with the Junior Foods Class at John Tarleton College. The class is studying food requirements that have been set up by the Texas State Nutrition Committee for the growth of healthy bodies. Since the rigid health examinations of the Defense Programs have shown that the American people need certain nutritious foods, the girls find that planning the proper diet is very important and that each diet should include:

One pint to 1 quart milk. 1 serving meat, poultry, fish or cheese; 1 egg; 1 serving Irish or sweet potatoes; 1 serving green or yellow vegetables; 1 serving other vegetables as dried beans or peas; 1 serving citrus, tomatoes, raw cabbage, strawberries or melons; 1 serving whole grain products; other cereals and bread as desired; butter or margarine with vitamins added; 1 serving sweets; 6 to 8 glasses water.

If we include these foods in our daily diets, we can maintain healthy bodies, but we must also remember that cleanliness, plenty of rest and recreation, and proper mental attitudes are other factors that promote good health.

Seignor Jernigan of Lometa was in Goldthwaite Wednesday attending to business and shaking hands with old friends.

Making Out Farm, Ranch Income Tax Is Here Explained

Many Farmers And Ranchers Will File For The First Time

The information below relative to farm income tax was prepared for County Agent John A. Wright by Tyrus R. Timm, Extension Economist in Farm Management:

Farmers and ranchers making their first appearance on the income tax rolls have two choices in method of computing their 1941 income tax, one the "accrual" and the other "cash."

"Accrual" means that beginning and end of the year inventories, as well as cash expenses, cash incomes, accrued incomes, and prepaid expenses, are used in determining profits. Farmers and ranchers who keep no records, or only keep records of cash receipts and disbursements must use the "cash" method.

Farmers and ranchers who have not paid income taxes prior to this year should study the alternative method, before making their selections, as the method chosen is binding for subsequent years unless another method is authorized by the Internal Revenue Bureau. Even in that case certain adjustments of income are necessary. If a change is desired by those farmers and ranchers previously paying the tax, it is suggested that they write L. J. Struhall, Austin, Texas, for full particulars, or consult the field representative of the Bureau of Internal Revenue while he is stationed at the local post office.

Who Has to File Returns? All bachelor farmers whose gross income exceeds \$750, married farmers with no children or other dependents, \$1,500; 400 deduction is allowed for each eligible dependent.

Important Facts Relative to Methods of Paying Note: Although both methods of paying the tax are examined below, you will need to concern yourself primarily with provisions of the "cash" system. In excess of 95 per cent of the Texas farmers and ranchers paying an income tax in 1940 used the "cash" method. Unless the farm is a rather large outfit or perhaps having very high cash income for particular years, you will no doubt find the owner following the simpler plan.

Cash: Income Subject to Tax: All cash received from sale of livestock, livestock products, crops, etc., and cash received for work and other services outside farm. All government payments received should be included.

Income Not Subject to Tax: Increases in inventories still on farms, farm products used by the family, state refund on gas tax, provided net cost of gasoline per gallon reported.

Expenses That May Be Deducted: Cost of livestock, livestock products and crops purchased which are sold within the year; if desired, as capital assets, depreciation may be taken on livestock for work, breeding, or dairy purposes. All ordinary and necessary expenses in feeding and raising livestock, as well as all other disbursements in crop production, cultivating and processing. Depreciation on farm buildings (except residence), permanent improvements, and major implements. Depreciation on small orchards, usual charge on small tools; fire insurance on farm buildings excluding residence actually occupied by farmer; taxes paid like gasoline, state, county, school, poll, auto and truck licenses, gifts to charitable, religious, and educational institutions.

Expenses Not Deductible: Livestock and livestock products and crop purchases which are not sold within the tax period; death losses of livestock raised on farm; expense in developing young orchards, if given a depreciation schedule, a wage for manual labor, including operator, depreciation and other costs of dwelling used as residence; depreciation on land; life insurance premiums; personal family expenses.

Accrual: Nearly all farmers paying the tax for the first time will not care to use the accrual method;

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however, they may be interested in seeing how it works. For this reason I have given you a few comments about the method.

Income Subject to Tax: Increase in inventory value of livestock, livestock products and crops on hand at the end of the year, all cash sales, sales made this year for which money has not yet been received, income received for work off the farm, all government payments under AAA program and others.

Income Not Subject to Tax: State refund on gas provided net cost of fuel reported; value products produced at home and consumed by the farm family.

Expenses That May Be Deducted: Decrease in inventory value of livestock, livestock products and crops; cost of livestock, livestock products, and crops purchased during year; all ordinary and necessary expenses in feeding and raising livestock, as well as all other disbursements in crop production, cultivation and processing; depreciation of farm buildings and major implements; depreciation on young orchards; usual charge on small tools; fire insurance on farm buildings excluding residence actually occupied by farmer; taxes paid like gasoline, state, county, school, poll, auto and truck licenses, gifts to charitable, religious, and educational institutions.

Expenses Not Deductible: Expenses in developing young orchards if given a depreciation

schedule, a wage for family labor including operator, depreciation and other costs of dwelling on the farm used by the family as a residence, death losses of livestock, poultry and workstock, depreciation on land, life insurance, personal, living and family expenses.

Remember—All income tax forms and payments are due in the Office of the Bureau of Internal Revenue by not later than midnight, March 15, 1942. Farmers and ranchers should begin immediately a computation of their taxes.

All letters of inquiry should be sent to Mr. L. J. Struhall, Income Tax Division, Treasury Department, Austin, Texas.

A. H. Smith's mother, Mrs. J. M. Smith of Killen, who has been very sick with pneumonia in a Temple hospital, was doing nicely at last report.

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SENIOR REPORT

The Senior Class has shown its lively spirit by showing up at the early hour. We simply refuse to fuss about the change in time because if it is a help to our country we are more than willing to do our part.

The Senior Class has been having a real taste of debate for the last week or more. The Senior Class has divided up into partners, and each partner has his chance to show what type of debater he could make. Real talent has been shown in this session of debate. Debate subjects have been on everything according to debaters' choice. Debate takes work, but the Seniors have been diligently working and they have shown their true colors.

SOPHOMORE REPORT

Everyone don't understand everything about this new time, but I guess it doesn't matter much since we will be on it until the war is over. That should give us plenty of time to get used to it. It's a little hard on our eyes the first period, but the sun is rising a little earlier every day now and it won't bother us long. The new time also forces us to eat our lunch an hour earlier too. This won't hurt because maybe we won't be so hungry and eat so much. The assembly period has been changed too and is now between the first and second classes in the afternoon, instead of in the morning. Can't running your clock up an hour change things a lot?

WHAT IF—

Catherine and Gilma were Wrong instead of Wright?
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 William Glenn were a Tulp instead of a Rose?
 Velma were a Wolf instead of a Fox?
 Elizabeth were a Lucky instead of a Campbell.
 Nita Faye were Blue instead of Black?
 Nora were a Forest instead of a Wood?
 James were a Duck instead of a Bird?
 Eunice were Smiles instead of Wrinkles.
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 Dorthy Marie were a Bear instead of a Wolf?
 Louise were a Hopper instead of a Skipper?
 Naomi were a Mountain instead of a Hill?
 Mr. Coffee were Tea instead of Coffee.
 Lewis were a Studebaker instead of a Hudson?
 Almata were a Copper instead of a Koen?
 Miss Gatlin were Hate instead of Love?
 Spurgeon were a Spider instead of a Webb?
 Wildeen were Snow instead of Hall?
 Jack were a Pond instead of a Well?

PRESENTING:

Greta Marie Traylor who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Traylor. She has brown hair but hopes that it will eventually turn red. Her "sparklers" are dark green and she is rather tall and very slim. Greta is very

fond of spinach and is always ready to do something "mischievous." Believe it or not, her favorite subject is physics, but right now debate is foremost in her mind. She had them rolling in the aisles last Monday when she debated. Greta never seems to let the cares of the world get her down, a quality which would help us all. She plans in the future to enter a business college.

Likes Best — Uncle Sammie's nephews.
 Dislikes—Okra.
 Favorite Sport—Volley Ball.
 In-a-word-description—Topsy turvy.

Wistful, willful, but winsome Wilda, a sure bet for the winner of some future beauty contest. Her dark brown hair frames a clear, flawless complexion that flares a tomato red surprisingly frequent for a young lady of her perfect poise. Tall and slender, she is outstanding in any crowd. Her popularity among her classmates was proved last year when she was elected president of the Junior Class—an honor not to be laughed at. Wilda participates in many activities—she is president of the Debate Club, reporter of the Typing Club, she is doing great work in the Home Economics Club, and is almost an honor student. She plans to pursue her career at the University of Texas as a Home Economics major.

Likes Best—Not her brother but—
 Dislikes — Daylight Saving time.
 In - a - word description — Chawming.

A Senior girl who is active in outdoor sports, especially volleyball, and is quiet, calm, bashful and attractive. She has a pleasing personality and is well liked by all students of G.H.S. Her hair and eyes are brown; she is always neat in her work, and is an average Senior. Zelda Stewart is an active member in Home Economics and her other classes. Zelda is friendly, considerate and co-operative. All of these statements are the good points of Zelda and can't say as I know any bad points about her. She plans to enter a business college and we are sure she will succeed in anything she attempts to do.

Favorite Pal—Lucille Sheppard.
 Likes Best—Ice Cream.
 Dislikes—Striped skunks.
 Her Favorite Song—"This Love of Mine."

OFFER RICH PRIZES FOR SAFETY ESSAYS

The men, women and children of America are invited by the American Museum of Safety to participate in its nationwide essay contest for the Major Louis Livingston Seaman Award for the promotion of safety. The contest closes Feb. 28. Contestants have a chance to win \$500, \$250, or \$100.

Essays should be of not more than 250 words, double space typed. Use one side of the paper; the name, address and occupation of the contestant should be typed on a separate sheet and securely attached to the manuscript.

Essays, of course, must be on the subject of "A Plan of Action to Combat the Rising Tide of Accidents in the Present Emergency." Contestants may write about the accident problem in its entirety or any of the recognized divisions of the safety program, such as home safety, child safety, traffic safety, or farm safety.

Entries should be addressed to the American Museum of Safety, 733 Lincoln Building, New York City. No entries will be returned.

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CENTER POINT—

By MRS. JEWEL SPINKS

This weather makes us think of March. The people are trying to get their land broke, and get ready for spring.

R. V. Leverett was in this community a while Tuesday. He had been to Goldthwaite to have some teeth pulled.

We are sorry to hear Mrs. J. T. Henderson has been real sick.

Charlie Perry visited Tom Perry in Pleasant Pecan Valley recently.

Mrs. Aubrey French was in Mullin Sunday.

George Wright from Goldthwaite visited homefolks Wednesday.

The Wright Brothers are getting ready to shear goats. Alvin Spinks will help them shear this year.

Condolence is extended to the Lockett children in the going away of their father, D. J. Lockett, of Mullin.

Russell Cobb and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Cobb attended church at Mullin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Collier and Maudie, Mr. and Mrs. Verne French, and Mr. and Mrs. Garland Spinks were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Trotter.

Gene Trotter went to Goldthwaite Sunday evening to the show.

Chas. Dee Wright stayed all night Wednesday night with Alvin Spinks.

Mrs. Joe Spinks and Howard were in Goldthwaite Thursday of last week.

Verne French's brother-in-law is working on his car this week.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hester were their daughter, Miss Lottie Bell Hester, of Stephenville, and Miss Elsie Coffman of Cherokee.

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STAR ITEMS—

By MRS. DORA GOODE

It is still warm weather out our way. It is cloudy and wind from the south and raw like winter winds like to be. No telling how soon a change can come along and we get all froze up, and that with gardens coming up.

Been at home mostly of late digging grass, so don't know much of the comings and goings or if there were any—that is, very many.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Boykin have returned from San Diego, Calif., and are going on to Dallas after a brief visit with relatives.

Robert Goode, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Goode, has been transferred from Inks Dam to Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. James Witty of San Antonio were recent visitors with homefolks.

Charlie Hunter was home a few days ago from Corpus Christi and says he likes fine down there.

Mrs. John W. Burney and Mrs. Guilford Burney of Evant were visitors here one day last week.

Mrs. Avery House of Tolar and Mrs. Bewel York of Waco are visiting their mother, Mrs. Charlie House.

Monday morning and a norther.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Weatherby and Mrs. Walter Summy spent several days last week with relatives.

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NABORS CREEK—

By MRS. SAM SELF

These days make us think Spring is really here.

Cardening, turkey and chicken raising will be on hand next. Mrs. P. K. Caraway visited Mrs. Rena Smith Wednesday evening.

Homer and Robbie Smith went to the auction Monday evening.

Otis Carothers went to the auction Monday at town.

Rena Lou, Ida Mae and Jane Smith spent Saturday night with their Aunt Mabel Smith in town.

Mr. Barnett from town was out seeing after his stock last Saturday.

Otis Carothers has gone into the goat business.

The Nabors Creek Club met with Mrs. John Parker on Thursday, Feb. 5. Nearly all members were present with several visitors.

Mr. Self went to town one day last week on business.

Look out, ladies, for the candidates are getting thick around the corners.

Mrs. Self spent last Thursday with Mrs. Gatlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Robertson were in town Saturday.

Martin Clark of Brownwood and Ernest Kauhs, Jr., of town called in the Self home Sunday night.

Claud Smith spent Thursday night with his Aunt Mabel.

Several from this community went to the show Saturday evening and enjoyed it fine.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Smith called at Mrs. Rena Smith's home Sunday evening.

At last report, Mrs. George Jackson was improving slowly.

Robert Smith went to the snake den down on the Hereford place Sunday evening, but the snakes have decided spring is not here yet.

Well, I have heard from my nephew overseas at last. He was o. k. He is in Java.

Judge and Mrs. R. J. Gerald and son Stoddard and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bowman went to San Marcos Sunday where they met their son, Sumter Gerald and John Bowman, where they are in training.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Toland and Mrs. L. H. Little spent Sunday afternoon in the W. T. Little home at San Saba.

HOW TO PROLONG THE LIFE OF YOUR CAR

Here are some suggestions as to how you can prolong the life of your car:

1.—Drive at moderate speed. Excessive speed is America's Number One cause of traffic accidents and the chief cause of rapid car deterioration. At forty miles an hour, a tire will wear twice as long as at sixty. A gallon of gasoline will drive the average car five miles farther. A quart of oil will last twice as long. And finally, the chances of being killed in an automobile crash are three times as great at sixty as at forty. Don't drive too fast!

2.—Avoid quick starts and stops. Quick starts put a heavy strain on the entire car mechanism and also waste gasoline, while three or four emergency stops from sixty miles an hour can ruin a set of tires and burn out brake linings. Start and stop gradually and smoothly.

3.—Check car frequently for mechanical defects, particularly those which may lead to accidents. Have repairs made promptly. Be sure that the following equipment is in safe condition and working properly before you drive any car, especially a second-hand car: Steering apparatus, wheels, tires, brakes, lights, horn, battery, exhaust system, wiring, windshield wiper, and defroster.

V. C. Bradford, who underwent an appendectomy at a Temple hospital several weeks ago, was brought home last Thursday and is doing nicely.

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Mrs. Fred Webb and sons, Clarence and Carlton, of Wills Point spent Saturday and Sunday in San Saba, where they attended the golden wedding anniversary of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rhodes. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Webb here.

Jim Gatlin is able to be out again, after undergoing a serious operation at Brownwood, spending two months in the hospital there and several weeks in bed at his home here.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Estep spent the week-end at Cherokee with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Estep.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Llaneweb-er and family of Fort Worth are visiting for a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Berry.

Mrs. C. L. Jameson and sons of Coleman returned last week from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willford Gray.

County Judge R. J. Gerald moved Thursday into the house on Fisher Street purchased from W. G. Saylor, and Ernest Eaken moved into the house vacated by Judge Gerald.

Get your Valentine Candy and Gifts at Clements' Drug Store—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Reynolds and daughter, Myrlene, were week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Baber. Mrs. Reynolds' sister, Miss Irene Baber of Pleasant Grove, accompanied them to Dublin.

Mr. and Mrs. Maston Pribble transacted business in Brownwood Tuesday.

Miss Mable Lillian Graves and Sam Graves of San Marcos spent last week-end with home-folks.

J. E. Greathouse spent Sunday in Burnet, while Mrs. Greathouse stopped at Lometa to visit in the Rev. C. W. Hoover home. She also visited her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Bill Todd, who is in Lometa recuperating from a major operation. She is doing nicely.

Dr. J. S. Anderson, Misses Mary and Amy Anderson, all of Brady, spent Thursday with his brother, E. B. Anderson, and wife here. Odell Olson also of Brady visited her uncle, Mr. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Sims and family of Gatesville spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. J. D. Sims.

Mrs. Mamie Windsor, who has been at the Dude Ranch in Arizona for the past eight months, arrived last Thursday for a visit with her father and sister, Jim Rahl and Mrs. Bulah Sauters.

Dr. and Mrs. T. C. Graves' little daughter Martha Carolyn is recovering from a case of chicken pox at her home on Fourth and Lynch Street.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. White and family of Temple were week-end guests of her sisters, Misses Abbie and Ruth Ervin.

Miss Gladys Padgett spent last week-end in Denton visiting her parents and other relatives.

Star spent last week-end taking pitch with her sister, Mrs. Ezzell.

Brown and Mills County Medical Society met at Hotel Brownwood Monday night. Those in attendance from here were Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Campbell and Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Stephan.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Frazier and Barbara June of Brownwood spent Sunday in the W. C. Frazier home.

Mrs. W. P. McCullough and Paul McCullough and son Michael left Tuesday for a week's vacation to visit with Hugh McCullough and family at Hico and O. O. Smith and family at Marlin.

Mrs. Joy Fessler spent the week-end visiting Mrs. Fessler and Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Morris and baby Linda at Fort Worth.

Mrs. Oscar Holland returned Saturday from McAllen, where she visited her cousin, Mrs. Elizabeth Sanders, and family. While there they made a trip to Reynosa, Mexico.

Mrs. I. Bornstein visited last week with her relatives at Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Moreland of Brownwood spent a few hours in Goldthwaite Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Johnson, Jr., attended the "Womanless Wedding" at Star last Saturday night.

Miss Lillian Summy of Abilene spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Summy.

Mrs. Ernest Wilson and Miss Gloria Armstrong spent Tuesday afternoon in Brownwood visiting Earl Armstrong, who is in Camp Bowie but has orders to leave next Monday for "maneuvers" in other parts of the world.

Cara Nome Dot 'n Dash Lipsticks in Valentine Gift Box at Clements' Drug Store.—Adv.

O. H. Yarborough, Mrs. Claud Dickerson and L. B. Porter, Jr., attended the funeral of Mrs. Darden Yarborough at Arlington Wednesday.

Sgt. Lloyd R. Fox, 142nd Infantry, Camp Bowie, visited his aunt, Mrs. C. A. Eacott, in Goldthwaite Wednesday evening and stated that they had been ordered to leave Camp Bowie shortly.

Give King's Candy Hearts for Valentine. — Clements' Drug Store.

SONG OF THE WEEK

LET'S REMEMBER PEARL HARBOR

History in every century records an act that lives forevermore. We'll recall, as into line we fall, The thing that happened on Hawaii's shore.

CHORUS:
Let's remember Pearl Harbor
As we go to meet the foe;
Let's remember Pearl Harbor
As we did the Alamo.
We will always remember how they died for liberty.
Let's remember Pearl Harbor—
And go on to victory!

PLEASANT PECAN VALLEY

By ALLINE WEATHERS

Everybody is busy getting ready to plant their gardens.

Mrs. J. T. Henderson is improving very slowly. We hope she will soon be up again.

Lloyd Roberts of Ebony called on J. R. Slack Wednesday.

Mrs. Jessie Whitley is also on the sick list. We hope her a quick recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Singleton called on Mrs. Jessie Whitley Wednesday.

Bro. Toliver of San Saba spent Thursday and Friday with Ashley Weathers and family.

Alline, Jerry and Frank Dew Weathers accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Whitley and family to the Buchanan Dam Sunday a week ago.

Sunday guests of Otto Singleton and family were Mr. and Mrs. Allen Taylor and family of Goldthwaite.

Jerry Weathers is working in town.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Weathers of Ray, N. M., have returned to their home, after spending about two months with Ashley Weathers and other relatives here.

We extend our sympathy to relatives and friends in the passing away of Mr. Lockett of Mullin, who passed away Sunday at his home.

Rudolph Ethridge of San Angelo is visiting homefolks now.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Singleton and family were Sunday guests in the Bud Lee home near Regency.

CENTER CITY—

MRS. J. M. OGLESBY

We are having cloudy and cooler weather. A rain would be appreciated very much.

People here are pretty busy. The boys are away and leaves farm work to older ones. The ladies are sewing in relays for the Red Cross.

Bro. Ellis preached Sunday morning and again at night. His wife and baby could not be with us. It is believed the baby has whooping cough.

There is quite a lot of sickness in our community. Mrs. Chester Head, Mrs. Harris, and Mrs. Biddle are not improving. Tommie Ann Booker has been ill and absent from school for some time.

Fathers and mothers of the boys in Brownwood received a message that they were leaving camp soon to practice in other fields. Others will take their places there.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Allredge entertained a class of young people Friday night. All report a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Waggoner visited their daughter, Mrs. Walton Moore, and family Sunday.

The H. D. Club met with Mrs. Hubert Geeslin Friday afternoon. Our demonstration agent was with them. An interesting program was enjoyed.

LONG COVE—

By MRS. L. M. CONRADT

Bro. Shaw of Brownwood preached for us this week-end. We enjoyed three good sermons.

Mrs. J. D. Brown and daughter of Lometa and Mr. and Mrs. Ferris Gadbury spent Sunday afternoon with the Enoch Godwin family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee spent the week-end with Mrs. Effie Roberts. Mrs. Roberts has been on the sick list for the past week but is some better at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Conradt and Addie Jo of Big Valley spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Conradt.

Bro. and Mrs. Shaw and daughter spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hill.

Louise Manning is on the sick list at this time. We hope she will soon be well.

Bro. and Mrs. Shaw and daughter took Sunday dinner in the Lewis Conradt home, and at supper with Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Hood.

Fred Conradt is on the sick list at this time, but we are hoping he will soon be well again.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hill took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Boyd. Mrs. Boyd has been ill for the past week with the flu. There seems to be lots of flu at this time.

Mrs. Albert Conradt spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Tom Conradt. Mrs. Charley Turnbo spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Tom Conradt.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hill gave a B.T.U. party last Friday night. Everyone reported a good time and hoped they would soon give another one.

Mrs. Bill Manning and daughters, Bob Elmore and Mrs. Lewis Conradt took dinner Friday with Mrs. Effie Roberts.

Enoch Godwin made a business trip to San Saba Friday.

Mrs. John Conradt and Mrs. Lee Green called on Mrs. Tom Conradt a while Thursday afternoon.

La Von Manning spent last week with Mrs. Lewis Conradt.

Give Cole's Valentine Candy. —Clements' Drug Store.

Stepmother Of One Man's Family Character Dies

ARLINGTON, Feb. 10.—Mrs. Pat D. Yarborough, 72, step mother of Barton Yarborough of Hollywood, "Clifford" of the radio serial "One Man's Family," died at 9 a. m. Tuesday at her home here after a long illness.

Mrs. Yarborough, who was born in Louisiana, came here from Goldthwaite 23 years ago. She was a member of the Arlington Baptist Church and the Order of Eastern Star.

Besides the step-sons, survivors are her husband, a retired coffee salesman; four brothers, William, Joe and Gus Dean, all of Louisiana, and Dale Dean, Lometa, and a sister, Mrs. Ann Elliott, Texarkana. — Fort Worth Star Telegram.

Mrs. Yarborough was an aunt of Mrs. Claude Dickerson and Mr. Yarborough is an uncle of O. H. Yarborough of this city. The Eagle extends sympathy to Darden Yarborough and family and all relatives here.

PECAN WELLS—

By MRS. ALONZO HARRIS

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Crawford went to San Saba last Friday to the barbecue and reported a nice time.

Mrs. Lella Roberts spent Wednesday night with Mrs. C. J. Crawford.

Mrs. Cordia Jones spent Thursday with Mrs. Alonzo Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Manard Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Harris, and Mrs. Lella Roberts spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Woodward.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Green spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Stewart of Mt. Olive, who have recently moved back here from Hall County.

Mrs. Martha Westerman returned the latter part of last week from a visit with friends and relatives in McAllen.

:- Mullin News -:

From Mullin Enterprise

Beverly Westbrook of San Angelo looked after business here and visited in the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Westbrook.

Miss Gem Wright was in town Monday meeting friends and shopping.

Lewis Westbrook of Houston is recuperating from a recent illness and now is able to hunt at the ranch home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Westbrook.

The generous people who gave of their time and money in building a nice new fence across the front of the cemetery deserve flowers. The Cemetery Association has worked hard for this new fence. J. H. Randolph Lumber Company sold the materials.

Mrs. B. P. Kittle had as guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Kittle and children, Robert and Jimmy of Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Kittle and Mary Glen of Brownwood, and Ben Kittle of Houston. Sunday was the birthday of Glen and Ben Kittle.

Mrs. Oscar Lawson of San Angelo is visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary James.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Henderson and Mr. and Mrs. Grady Wallace of De Leon were recent visitors here.

Norman Williams of Cisco visited here the past week. His mother, Mrs. Rhoda Williams, and sister, Miss Fae, returned home with him for a visit.

Mrs. Lula Connally of Jarrell attended the funeral of her brother-in-law, L. M. Anderson, here Sunday.

Randolph Massey has leased the Chandler Service Station a mile north of Goldthwaite on Highway 84.

Miss Marie Wallace was carried to Marlin Sunday for treatment and may possibly have an operation.

Mrs. R. M. Thompson and Mrs. J. H. Randolph of Goldthwaite were visitors in the Editor's home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. F. M. Tillman is making an extended visit at Glen Rose with her son, L. G. Tillman, and Mrs. L. G. Tillman. The son has been called to service in the army at an early date.

Mrs. Arthur McFarland of Arizona is visiting Arthur's mother, Mrs. W. H. McFarland, and her mother, Mrs. Ed Davis, at Center Point.

Mrs. Bland Turner of Grand Falls was called to Brownwood to be with her sister, Mrs. O. R. Clardy, in an appendectomy and after Mrs. Clardy's improvement Mrs. Turner is now enjoying a visit with her mother, Mrs. W. H. McFarland.

Mrs. Eula Harkey attended a regional Home Economics meeting in Brownwood Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lampman were Sunday visitors in the home of W. C. Hancock of Brownwood, where they met Captain and Mrs. Scofield of Camp Berkeley, and all had an enjoyable day together.

Miss Mozelle Wilburn, our third and fourth grade teacher, is quite sick with the flu. Mrs. Lily Smith is taking Miss Wilburn's place at school.

Miss Lovèrne Keeler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Keeler, is in the hospital at Brownwood suffering from a stroke of paralysis.

Mrs. J. J. Canady had the following guests during the week-end: Rev. and Mrs. Ivan Paulk of Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Canady of Ballinger.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Barker and Miss Florence Campbell visited their sister, Mrs. Horton, in San Saba, recently. They found Mrs. Horton slightly improved from a severe illness.

Mrs. Bob Hughes and son of Waco are guests of Mayor and Mrs. A. F. Shelton.

Miss Mozelle Wilbourne, one of our Mullin teachers, was on the sick list Monday.

E. A. Kemp and Alva Masters made a business trip to Bastrop Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Masters have returned home from Corpus Christi where he has been employed for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Crockett had the following guests during the week-end: Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hodges of Lampasas, Mrs. W. L. Wigley of Goldthwaite.

G. R. Willis and family of Comanche spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Hamilton. The small sons of Mr. Willis remained for a longer visit. Mrs. D. Joiner of Lexington is also a guest in this home.

W. O. Kelcy from out on Route 2 was looking after business in town Friday and meeting friends.



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SOCIETY

CARROLL-COCKRUM WEDDING

Miss Claudia Carroll and Raymond Cockrum were married at high noon, Saturday, Feb. 7.

The wedding took place at the home of the groom's mother, Mrs. Jim Cockrum, with only members of the immediate families present.

Reverend Hoover, Church of Christ minister of Lometa, officiated at the ceremony with little Susan Shead as ring bearer.

Mrs. Cockrum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Carroll, has been employed as bookkeeper at the Fairman Company here for 12 years, and now has an interest in the Mills County Hardware Company.

Mr. Cockrum was reared in Goldthwaite, has been engaged in the ranching business until recently when he accepted a position with Mills County Hardware Company.

Immediately following the nuptials, the bride cut the cake and after refreshments were served the happy couple left for San Antonio and Mexico.

This young couple is well known here, and upon their return will make their home in Goldthwaite.

W. S. C. S.

Meeting with Mrs. B. A. Myers Monday afternoon, the Woman's Society of Christian Service enjoyed a delightful afternoon with a splendid attendance and a number of guests. A program from the World Outlook and a short business session preceded delicious refreshments and a lovely social hour.

WPA Projects Cost \$140,853 In Co. Last Year

32 Men Are Now Employed In Mills County Projects

During the year 1941 approximately \$140,853.65 has been spent on WPA projects for public improvements in Mills County, according to W. H. Beazeley, WPA district manager. Local co-sponsors including school districts, city councils, and county governments have furnished approximately \$76,614.22 of the above amount.

WPA projects in the Community Service Programs include nursery schools, recreation, adult education, library, house-keeping aide, health assistance, school lunch and matron service, sewing room, research and records, and canning.

School building construction, road improvements, street paving, curb and gutter, sidewalk projects, water line system improvements, sanitary and sewer improvements, storm sewer improvements, and municipal building construction are among the various types of construction projects that are operated by the Division of Operations. At the present time there are 32 men employed in Mills County on projects of this type.

Mr. Beazeley states that with our country at war, every effort is being made to tie the activities of this agency in with national defense and that it is standing-by and eager to help in the national movement toward total defense of our nation.

Following projects for WPA work have been approved in counties surrounding Mills:

Comanche County — Reconstruct and improve roads in Precinct 1; WPA funds, \$15,380; funds supplied by the county, \$11,648; workers, 43.

Lampasas County — Improve Moline and Long Cove roads north and east of Lampasas; WPA funds, \$29,508; funds supplied by the county, \$19,089; workers, 61.

Give Cara Nome Sachet Hearts and Perfume Combination at Clements' Drug Store.

SHORT PARAGRAPHS ABOUT MILLS COUNTY RED CROSS CHAPTER

Mr. Linkenhoger keeps our scissors sharp free.

The Stephen Cleaning Shop and the Mission Cleaners have offered to do our pressing.

Mrs. Jack Reid has offered to make some of the many button-holes.

Mrs. McArthur of Caradan presented the Red Cross rooms with a large box of findings from the mattress clubs.

Red Cross sewing room opens Monday under supervision of Mrs. Al Dickerson.

Over 900 garments have been cut to date.

Mr. Hammond of Gartman's Music Store has volunteered to keep our machines in running order.

Lady 18 miles in country came for the day, and upon her return home with friends had a three-mile walk to her home.

Following have contributed to Red Cross War Fund since the last published report:

Goldthwaite—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Doggett, \$2; J. T. Davee, 25c; Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Morris and mother, \$5; C. M. Bramblett, \$2.50; William H. Tucker, \$1; Mary L. Tucker, \$1.

Caradan—V. Horton, \$1.

Big Valley—Mrs. Calvin, \$1.

Rock Springs—Mr. and Mrs. Mark Geeslin, \$2.

Center City—W. A. Heath, \$1; Jar Fund, 65c; Center City community, 10c.

If anyone has not made his contribution to the Red Cross War Fund, he still has an opportunity to do so.

POOR GERMINATION OF COTTONSEED THIS YEAR, SAYS CO. AGENT

According to John A. Wright, Mills County Agent, Texas-grown cottonseed this year is very far below the germination average of previous years. A careful examination of laboratory records indicates that many samples are running as low as 20 to 30 per cent, and numerous samples show a germination of "zero."

Mr. Wright is urging all farmers who are planning to plant their own seed to run a germination test on them, and those who plan to buy their seed to place their orders immediately, as good seed is becoming more difficult to find from day to day. No seed should be planted whether home grown, or purchased, that have not been properly tested.

Farmers can test their own seed by collecting several at random from their seed and placing sand or other top soil in a pan, cover the seed shallow, put them in a warm place, and keep the soil moist. Count the seed as you place them in the soil, and then count the number of seed that sprout and then figure the germination percentage.

CENTER CITY SOLDIER TO TAKE MOTOR COURSE

CAMP BOWIE, Feb. 12.—Selected from the 142nd Infantry to attend a three-month course of instruction in Motor Mechanics for Enlisted Men at Fort Benning, Ga., was Sergeant Woodrow W. Head of Center City, it was announced today by Major General Fred L. Walker, commanding officer of the 36th Infantry Division.

TEXAS ALMANACS AVAILABLE HERE

A limited number of Texas Almanacs and State Industrial Guides are available for Mills County people at the Eagle office. The Almanac, published by the Dallas News, sells for 60 cents at the office or 75 cents postpaid.

Books for Buddies



Ten million books will be sought for men of the United States armed forces and Merchant Marine through this poster, designed by the Nationally known illustrator, C. B. Falls. Sponsors of the Victory Book Campaign are the American Red Cross, American Library Association and the United Service Organizations.

It is difficult to contact directly all potential donors who have books which they would gladly give if informed as to the great need for that morale-building force among Soldiers Sailors and Marines.

Such knowledge, relaxation, and information imparted by books are needed in the nation's camps, stations, and ships.

Every community in Mills County is urged to conduct the Victory Book Campaign.

Won't you see that the campaign is started at once in your community?

And bring the books collected to Red Cross headquarters in City Utilities building on west side of court house.

MRS. J. H. SAYLOR, Victory Book Chairman.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our thanks to all who were so helpful during the warehouse fire February 7.

Especially do we appreciate the quick and efficient work of our volunteer firemen, who saved our warehouse from a possible total loss.

LUCIUS M. STEPHENS, JOHN A. HESTER.

Car Owners Are Urged Get Title Certificates Soon

Title Is Necessary For All Cars Before April 1 Registration

Sheriff and Tax Collector J. Hern Harris calls attention to the fact that all owners of motor vehicles must have a Title Certificate before they can be registered this year.

According to the new state automobile law, which was passed to help curb thefts, it is against the law, since last January 1, to drive a motor vehicle on the highways without a Title Certificate showing ownership in the car or in the possession of the driver. It is also pointed out that cars cannot be sold without a Title Certificate.

The collector's office urges all Mills County car owners who have not done so, to make application for Title Certificates at once, to save a delay that may occur just before April 1, when new 1942 license tags will have to be on all cars. New tags can now be had at the collector's office, but may not be put on cars before March 1, and have to be on by April 1.

An affidavit of ownership, together with a registration receipt, must be turned over to the collector's office, with a fee of 50 cents. This is in turn sent to the State Highway Department at Austin, which will make out the Title Certificate of ownership and mail direct to the car owner.

Mr. Harris furnishes the following statement:

Motor Vehicle Registration Advice furnished all Tax Collectors by the State Highway Department, Austin, Texas, specified the following instruction:

When an owner applies for registration of a motor vehicle for 1942 they are required to present Certificate of Title, as the number of Title must be given on registration receipt. Registration receipt for 1941 is also needed. Plates cannot be put on until after March 1, 1942, but registration may be made during February, 1942.

J. H. HARRIS, Collector.

The Red Cross Needs Your Help.

The SNAPSHOT GUILD ANIMAL SNAPSHOTS



Farm animals and pets at home offer excellent subject matter for the amateur photographer. Story-telling shots like this are easily obtained with a simple box camera, of the type thousands of us possess.

MANY camera-hobbyists do not have access to zoos, so lack the opportunity to picture wild animals, but there are two other groups—pets at home or domestic animals on the farm—that are available to almost everyone. And, I believe that they are just as interesting, and maybe better, for picture purposes.

Most of our homes have pets and a good collection of pictures is always in order because dogs and cats have definite personalities which can be portrayed with the camera. Often a picture-biography of a puppy—telling of his daily life and activities—is about as interesting as a similar picture-story of a person. Children usually are fond of pets, and as they play together or merely pose, the amateur photographer has a splendid chance to get many appealing snapshots.

Around the farm, there are dozens of opportunities for really fine animal pictures. Consider, for example, a herd of cows homeward bound from pasture, work horses plowing fields or hauling a load of harvested

grain, or sheep grazing on the hillside. And don't forget farm fowl—a hen mothering her brood of chicks, a rooster perched high on a fence post, or the proud turkey as he struts around the yard. All these are photographic material of the finest order.

Keep your eyes open for incidents that will give a story-telling flavor to your snapshots. Watch for the dignified ducks as they parade to the pond, or for horses standing with their heads together as if in deep conversation, sheep being sheared, or the little farm girl with her pet lamb. For humor plus appeal, try a few shots of a long eared donkey or mule, or six or seven little pigs "at dinner."

You don't need special camera equipment for good animal photographs. All you really must have is an observant eye and a willingness to wait until the best pose or expression occurs. Start a picture story of pets and animals. Such a collection will make a fascinating album, well worth your time and effort.

John van Gulder

SALE-- On Gossards

We have on sale a few numbers that have been discontinued. Good stock. They are going to be greatly reduced—39 in all—You can save yourself PLENTY.

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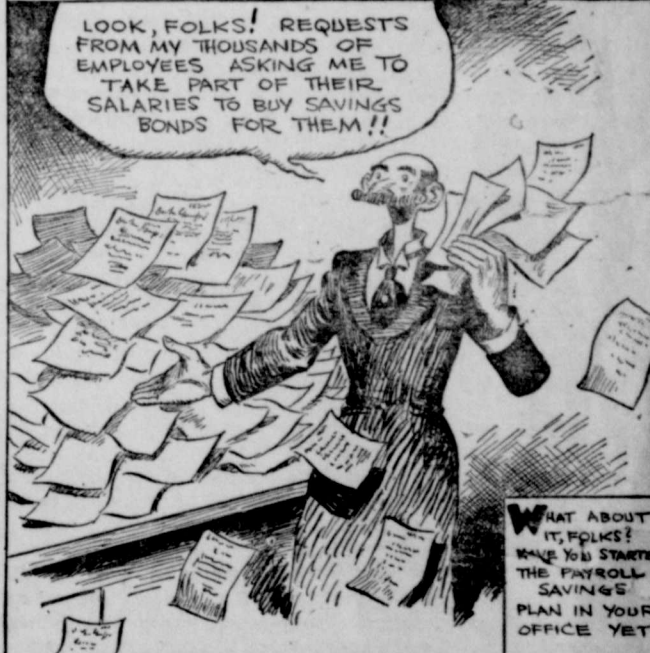
America must be strong. Every man and woman must contribute their strength to the strength of America at war.

Some are carrying guns—some are flying planes—some are giving their blood on ships at sea.

YOU on the home front must buy those guns—those planes—those ships. That must be your contribution to freedom under fire! BUY DEFENSE STAMPS AND BONDS TODAY—buy them with every penny you have to spare!

Help Pearl Harbor victims by giving to the RED CROSS.

THE GUMPS BY GUS EDSON



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SOCIETY

MILLS CO. HOME ECONOMISTS IN MONDAY MEET

The Mills County Home Economists met Monday, Feb. 2, in the office of Miss Frances Brammer, County Home Demonstration Agent. Under the leadership of the Texas Home Economics Association, every county in Texas has such a county unit, composed of all college graduates in any field of home economics. These county units cooperate with the various state and county organizations for defense, and adopt various phases of the work to their local situations.

Mills County members have agreed to properly display thirty food charts to be distributed shortly by the State Nutrition Chair, an. Posters on nutrition are being worked out by each of the homemaking teachers and their students, which will be displayed in their respective schools, then distributed to the rural schools through the 4-H Clubs.

All Mills County Home Economists are emphasizing the need for home gardens, whole grain cereals in the diet, and eating by the Texas Food Standard. Nutrition exhibits for the coming F.F.A., F.H.T. and 4-H Fair at Mullin are being planned, with the expectation of placing them in local store windows later, for those who are unable to view them at the Fair. The Home Economists also are planning menus and recipes for large quantity emergency cookery if such should become necessary in Mills County. A committee was appointed to investigate the possibilities of collecting and storing used tin cans and fruit jars that are now being carelessly disposed of, and distributing them for home canning this summer, in case there should be a shortage of such containers. Members of the county unit are also working with the Red Cross in several ways.

The Mills County Home Economists are Mrs. Eula Harkey, Mullin, chairman; Misses Evelyn Hoting, Goldthwaite; Miss Frances Brammer, Goldthwaite; and Miss Mary Elna Fouse, Priddy. The next meeting will be held Monday, March 2, at 7 p. m., in Miss Brammer's office.—Mary Elna Fouse, Sec.

Scallorn H-D Club

The Scallorn H-D Club met last week in the home of Mrs. Artie O'Bannon. Present were 15 club members, one visitor and one new member.

After spending a few minutes in recreation under the leadership of Mrs. Millicent, the club was called to order by the president, Miss Greta Hines, when business of the club was transacted. Then the meeting was turned over to Miss Brammer who in turn gave a timely discussion on defense, after which a refreshing plate was served by the hostess to those present.

SGT. McNUTT MARRIED

Sgt. Horace McNutt of Fort Sam Houston, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. McNutt, was married last Saturday night at an army chapel to Miss Beatrice Long of San Antonio.

Edgar McNutt, Jr., has been promoted to sergeant airplane mechanic first class. He is stationed at Hamilton Field, near San Francisco.

New Schedule — CREAMER STAGE LINES

W. W. Farmer, Manager
SAN ANTONIO TO EASTLAND
Via
Boerne, Fredericksburg, Llano,
San Saba, Goldthwaite, Comanche, Gorman, and De Leon
Lv. South Bound 6:00 p. m.
Lv. South Bound 11:25 a. m.
Lv. North Bound 11:00 a. m.
Lv. North Bound 7:30 p. m.
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Nabors Creek H-D Club Meeting

The Nabors Creek Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. J. R. Parker on Feb. 5. There were 16 members, three visitors and Miss Brammer, our new home demonstration agent, present.

The president, Mrs. J. M. Wrinkle, called the house to order. The roll was called and minutes read by Mrs. C. T. Wrinkle.

Mrs. Plummer was elected committee chairman for our year books and Mrs. J. R. Parker food demonstrator for the coming year. This was our first meeting with Miss Brammer and the club sure welcomes her and enjoyed her splendid talk on agricultural part in home and national defense. She told us why Uncle Sam needed more milk, eggs, cattle, hogs, sheep, fruit and vegetables. The value of milk to our body. She stressed the importance of taking care of our cows, and sanitary milking equipment. She also gave a demonstration on boiled custard which was very good.

Those present were Mrs. J. M. Wrinkle, Mrs. C. T. Wrinkle, Mrs. L. C. Williamson, Mrs. Louis Burdett, Mrs. J. W. Burdett, Mrs. Johnnie Woff, Mrs. E. G. Lett, Mrs. J. A. Stark, Mrs. J. N. Crawford, Mrs. H. B. Curtis, Miss Maedelle Crawford, Mrs. Sam Carroll, Mrs. Rena Smith, Mrs. J. R. Parker, Mrs. A. R. Kauts, Mrs. H. S. Davenport; visitors, Mrs. E. L. Pass, Mrs. A. C. Womack, Mrs. P. K. Caraway, and Miss Brammer.

Our next meeting will be Feb. 26 at the school house. Members are urged to be present, and visitors are welcome.—Reporter.

BENNETT CREEK

By MAYDELL GRIFFIN

Everyone seems to have plenty to do now that spring is almost here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Perry spent Saturday night and Sunday at Lometa with Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Jones.

Leroy Benningfield spent Friday night with his brother, Floyd.

Bob Kerby had his goats sheared Saturday.

The young folks enjoyed a party at Hulon Montgomery's Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Arnold and family from Star have moved into our community. We

welcome them, but are sorry to lose Mr. and Mrs. Bachus and family.

Dick Griffin, Travis Griffin and boys visited Jimmie Wright a while Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Partridge spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jarrett.

Ira Lynn Griffin and Hulon Montgomery spent Sunday at Brownwood.

Marnard Roberts and boys visited Bob Kerby a while Saturday night.

Nelma Rhea Perry spent Saturday night and Sunday with the Griffin girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Burthel Roberts visited in the Travis Griffin home Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Perry spent Sunday in Killeen with relatives. Dewey and Richard Garms spent Saturday with Charles Lee Griffin.

Ira Lynn Faye and May Dell Griffin visited their grandmother Covington a while Sunday night.

PLEASANT GROVE

By EDITH COVINGTON

After the nice warm days we are having some cool weather.

Mrs. Chas. Hall and children accompanied her sister to Brownwood and spent the weekend with her.

Miss Baber spent the week-end with her parents at Dublin.

Melba Dean Miller has been real sick but is up and about now.

There was some moving in the community this week. George Brown and family moved to the Arnold place at Center City and Charley Miller and family moved to the place vacated by Mr. Brown.

Edna Collier spent Saturday night with Robbie Lee Covington.

Mrs. David Waters spent Sunday with Mrs. Jude Miles and family.

The young peoples Sunday School class enjoyed a picnic supper at Eugene Dyas' home last Friday evening.

L. C. and Carl Covington of Grand Prairie visited homefolks over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Benningfield and daughter spent Sunday evening with his brother.

L. B. Covington and family visited Mrs. Collier and family Sunday.

Several of the ladies have helped in the Red Cross workroom this week.

Miss Baber is staying with Mrs. Ray Berry since Mrs. Chas. Miller moved farther away from the school.

Improved Uniform SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

BY HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D. Of The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

Lesson for February 15

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THE HEALING MINISTRY OF JESUS

LESSON TEXT—Mark 2:1-12. GOLDEN TEXT—Jesus... was moved with compassion toward them, and he healed their sick.—Matthew 14:14.

Man is more than a body. He is made up of body, soul, and spirit. In a physical world where he is so much in touch with physical nature, and the needs of his body are so much before him, he is prone to forget that there is within, a spiritual nature which is his real self.

God is interested in both the physical and the spiritual side of man. He provides all that we need for our bodies, and above all, He meets the all-important spiritual hunger of man's inner being. We find the Lord Jesus in our lesson graciously touching both spirit and body of the palsied man in response to the faith of his friends.

I. Faith Brings a Double Need to Christ (vv. 1-4).

This faith-stimulating story faces us first with

1. An Impossible Situation. Incurably afflicted and helpless physically, and far more deeply afflicted spiritually, this man had no one who could heal his body and restore his soul. Apart from the power of God in Jesus Christ his situation was hopeless, and thus he may well typify every one of us except for the grace of Christ.

Furthermore, his circumstances were such as to make it impossible for him to get to Jesus, who was there in his city. Even when his four friends came to his help and bore him to the house where Jesus was, they could not enter because of the crowds. So a journey begun in hope was evidently to close in despair. But wait, these men had

2. An Undeniable Faith. "Where there's a will there's a way." Where there is faith the obstacles may be surmounted. Having begun a good work they persevered in it.

Had these men been bound by convention or custom they would never have put their friend at Jesus' feet. They did try to make a proper entry through the door, but it was blocked. The way to Jesus is often closed, by some custom, a vain philosophy, or a religious ceremony. Let us, like these believing men, open the roof if necessary to bring our needs and our needy friends to Him.

Although mention is made only of the palsy of this man, it is probable that both he and they knew that his need was for a double cure, for he was yet in his sins.

They brought him to Jesus, where their

II. Faith Receives a Double Reward From Christ (vv. 5-12).

Immediately Jesus "saw their faith" (v. 5), just as He always does. God is on the lookout for faith and is quick to reward it. The twofold need here brought a double blessing.

1. Spiritual Cleansing. The man's physical affliction thus proved to be his greatest blessing, for it brought him to Jesus, who cleansed him of all unrighteousness. If he had not been palsied he might never have met the Lord. Suffering, then, may be a means of grace. That is more than a pious platitude, for it has been proved repeatedly in the experience of men and women.

Certain scribes "sitting there" (they were not doing a thing to help) began to reason in their hearts that Jesus was blaspheming because only God can forgive sin. Their theology was faultless and their reasoning was logical, but the premise of their argument was wrong. Only God can forgive sin, but Jesus is God, something which they in their wisdom did not realize or accept.

We (especially young people in school) should be careful that the fluent smoothness of some unbelieving philosopher's logic does not lead us astray, and away from God's truth.

Note also the solemnizing thought that Jesus knew what they were thinking in their hearts. Let us remember that "all things are naked and opened unto the eyes of him with whom we have to do" (Heb. 4:13). What does He see when He looks into our hearts?

The challenge of these questioning scribes is met by

2. Physical Healing. Forgiving sins was harder than healing the body, but these enemies of Jesus lived so much in the realm of the physical that He had to give them a demonstration of His almighty power which they could see. It was a gracious thing for Him to do, and perhaps necessary in those early days of His life and ministry.

Today, with all the light of history upon the work of God, we need to beware that we do not sit in the seat of the scornful and demand a physical sign before we will believe. God is doing great things in the spiritual realm even in our day, in which Christian men and women may share by faith.

NEIGHBORING NEWS

ITEMS FROM LOCAL PAPERS OF TOWNS MENTIONED

Lampasas

William A. Gatz, 39, died in the local hospital at 8 p. m. Monday, February 2, about an hour following an automobile accident two miles north of town on Highway 281.

W. E. Gary passed away in the hospital here Wednesday, Feb. 4, at 5 a. m. Death resulted from injuries received in an automobile accident on Monday night about 7 o'clock on Highway 281, two miles north of Lampasas, when the pickup driven by Mr. Gary and a tudor driven by W. A. Gatz, struck head-on.

C. A. Northington, chairman of the committee for the promotion of sales of Government Defense Bonds and Stamps, stated Wednesday that the total sales for January was \$35,955.90. This was nearly \$1,800 short of the proportionate quota for the month, as the quota for Lampasas County for 1942 is \$423,000, and one-twelfth of that would be \$37,750.

Miss Kathryn Collis of Compton, Calif., and Bob Wiley, Jr., of Hermosa Beach, Calif., were united in marriage Saturday, Jan. 31, at 3:30 at the First Methodist Church in Las Vegas, Nevada, with Rev. Ford L. Gilbert officiating.

D. S. Moore, superintendent of the Lampasas schools, said Tuesday that school hours would be changed Monday, Feb. 9, when all clocks of the country would be set forward one hour. The changed hours will be the same by the sun as the hours observed now, but will be one hour ahead of the present standard time.

James G. Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brown of Lake Victor, and a nephew of Mrs. Jack O'Hair, was heard from Wednesday morning, and he is in Australia now. Brown, staff sergeant in the Observation Squadron of the Air Corps, was seriously wounded at Nickols Field, Philippine Islands, Dec. 12. A message to the family soon afterward gave that information, but no other word was heard from him.—Record.

San Saba

A revival meeting will begin at the First Baptist Church Sunday, Feb. 8, and will continue through Sunday, Feb. 22. Rev. Hulon Coffman, one of our state evangelists, will do the preaching, and the music will be under the direction of Mrs. Dayton Carparis, our choir leader.

J. R. (Bob) Polk, who has never missed a convention of the Texas Old Trail Drivers' Association, and who is a native of San Marcos, observed his 89th birthday at his attractive ranch home nine miles west of here on Feb. 4.

Mathew W. (Kirk) Kuykendall, 23-year-old San Saba pilot forced down by Japanese fighter planes Thursday while defending the Burma Road as a member of the American Volunteer Squadron, is a 1936 graduate of Brownwood High School. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Kuykendall, are residents on a ranch near Cherokee, in San Saba County. And his grandmother, Mrs. W. C. Green, is a resident of Brownwood.

Interment took place in the city cemetery here Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock for Mrs. A. Peeler of Lampasas, who died there of a lingering illness on Saturday. Services were conducted at the Briggs-Gamel Funeral Home in Lampasas Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.—Star.

LOMETA

Mr. and Mrs. Sollie Featherston, who have been living in Goldthwaite for several months, are again at home in their residence in Lometa. Sollie has bought the Sinclair Service Station from Floyd Featherston, and will operate same.

The Lometa Baptist Church adopted a plan last Sunday whereby U.S. Defense Bonds and Stamps will be placed in a fund to pay for the construction of a new building in the future.—Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Swaim of Sweetwater spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. L. H. Little, and other relatives.

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Wild West Tactics Save A Sailor From New York City Drowning

ONE man's foresight, resourcefulness, fast action, and faster thinking—plus good luck—combined to save a sailor from drowning almost in the shadow of the skyscrapers of downtown New York.

The fast action, resourcefulness and good luck—were personified by Frank Hahnel, a watchman. Hahnel had completed his night's work at the building he guards and had stepped out on to South Street for a breath of early morning air. In the dim light of a street lamp, he saw the sailor. The young man was walking the stringpiece between two of the piers that fringe New York's famed East River.

The sailor seemed to be looking for his ship. Then he stumbled on the stringpiece. Arms out, clutching at the air, he swung around as if in a slow movie—and toppled into the river.

Hahnel ran for the spot, pulling out his flashlight. It was bitterly cold, and a strong tide was running down river toward Brooklyn Bridge, two hundred yards away. If the current carried the sailor among the ice-covered piles beneath the piers, his chances of rescue were ended.

He was still visible when Hahnel got to the pier. He had hit the water fifteen feet below the street level, come to the surface and was going around in a slow whirlpool made by a jutting corner of stonework.

The beam of Hahnel's light disclosed a coil of rope on a barge. He ran for the rope, then to another pier where he located a life preserver, part of some emergency equipment there. Attaching the line, he threw the life preserver down to the sailor, who barely managed to get his hands on it. At any moment he might lose his grip—the icy water and the shock of sudden immersion had taken all his strength.



Frank Hahnel

lim was helpless, so Hahnel then staged his Wild West act. He fixed a running noose in the free end of the line and began making casts at the revolving sailor. After a half dozen tries he succeeded in lassoing the young man. Then he worked the rope down around the sailor's shoulders, drew it taut, and hauled him up to safety.

"A flashlight is part of my regular equipment," Hahnel said, "but if I had been without it, there would have been no more sailor. I had loaded the light with fresh batteries, and it was the bright beam we had to work with that made it possible for us to do the job, especially that lassoing act. It all still seems a little strange—a New York night watchman turning cowboy to rescue a sailor that couldn't swim."

Hahnel completed the job by calling an ambulance, which gave the shivering sailor first aid treatment.

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USED CARS—For the best buys in used cars, see **HOOVER & MILLER.** 12-5-1tc

FOR LARGER YIELDS treat your wheat, oats, and barley seed with new improved Cereson. Get it at **HUDSON BROS.**

WANTED—Good used windmill. Pay cash for bargain. With or without tower.—**P. M. HUTCHINS,** Rt. 1, Bozar Filling Station. 2-6-1tp

FOR SALE OR LEASE—My farm of 600 acres is for sale or lease. If interested, write or see me. **W. H. WILLIAMS,** Mullin, Texas.

FOR SALE OR LEASE—65-acre farm on Colorado River; 35 in cultivation, 25 can be irrigated. Good truck farm land. See **C. T. WILSON,** at Eagle Office.

WANTED—A mare mule coming 4, gentle and ready to work. **GEO. W. HILL,** Moline Route. 2-13-1tc

GOOD USED CARS to trade for all kinds of livestock. You can see them at Fox Service Station, east side of square.—**KEY JOHNSON.**

LOST—In front of post office, guard off front bumper of 1941 Buick. Finder please notify Eagle Office.

FOR LEASE—My place at Caradán; 205 acres, two sets improvements; goat fenced; two windmills; \$175. See **HERBERT B. COOKE** or **W. D. KOEN,** Caradán. 1304tp

FOR RENT—If anyone wishes furnished or unfurnished rooms in Killeen for the new army camp that is going up there, see Mrs. Morgan Stacy at once. 2-13-1tc

ATTENTION MAIZE GROWERS—I have for sale at my barn in Goldthwaite several bushels of maize seed grown from certified wilt-resistant seed last year. Price 2½ cents per pound.—**W. P. WEAVER.** 262tp

BABY CHICKS—Our truck will be here at Chapman's Feed Mill January 6 at 11:50 a. m. with a load of Chicks and every Tuesday thereafter. **BURDICK & BURDICK,** Coleman, Texas. 1-23-1tc

BABY CHICKS—Also Baby and Started Pullets. We set custom Hatching on Mondays. Place your order now and get them when you want them.—**MRS. C. M. BURCH HATCHERY.** Phone 97J. 1-30-ok

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POLITICAL Announcements

The Eagle is authorized to make the following announcements, subject to the Democratic Primary Election July 25, 1942:

No announcement inserted unless cash accompanies same. Announcements inserted in the order in which fees are paid at this office.

For Congress, 21st Congressional District:
O. C. FISHER
 Of San Angelo, Texas.

For State Senator:
PENROSE B. METCALFE.
 Of San Angelo, Texas.
 (Re-election)

For Chief Justice Austin Court of Civil Appeals:
E. F. SMITH.

For State Representative, 104th District:
FRANK HOWINGTON.
 (Re-election)

For County Judge:
R. J. GERALD.
 (Re-election)

For County and District Clerk:
EARL SUMMY.
 (Re-election)

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector:
J. HERN HARRIS.
 (Re-election)

WILEY L. MAHAN.
WILLIAM B. HUGGINS
OMAR C. WEATHERBY.

For County Treasurer:
MRS. W. L. BURKS.
 (Re-election)

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:
JESS Y. TULLOS.
 (Re-election)

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2:
J. A. HAMILTON.
 (Re-election)

For Commissioner Precinct No. 3:
I. MCCURRY

For Commissioner Precinct No. 4:
L. A. (Loyt) ROBERTS.
JAMES NICKOLS.
ARTHUR WILCOX.

For Justice of Peace, Precinct One:
JIM RAHL.
 (Re-election)

County Is Getting Prepared For All Out War Defense

Officers Attend San Angelo School Of Instruction Last Sat.

Under direction of Sheriff J. Hern Harris, Mills County citizens are fast getting ready for any possible air raids or other calamities that may result from the total war now being fought by all the world.

Last Saturday Sheriff Harris and W. C. Barnett, head of the Goldthwaite post of the Aircraft Warning Service, Gene Dickerson, Goldthwaite Air-Raid Warden, and W. P. Chancellor, Air-Raid Warden at Mullin, made a trip to San Angelo to attend the West Texas school of instruction put on by the Texas Public Safety Department to instruct peace officers, air-raid wardens and firemen in methods of combating incendiary and other bombs.

This morning at 3 o'clock, Judge R. J. Gerald, Sheriff Hern Harris, Mayor H. G. Bodkin and Attorney F. P. Bowman left for Dallas to attend an all-day Civilian Defense School of Instruction to be held in the Baker Hotel under the auspices of the Texas Department of Public Safety.

The school is being sponsored by public officials, the Texas Bar Association, Police and Sheriffs Associations for the purpose of instructing in the handling of blackouts and other problems arising from the war.

Last Tuesday night, a class of 17 took the first lesson in Red Cross First Aid course being taught by Walter S. Summy. This makes the second course taught here by Mr. Summy in the City Utilities Building, the first class having finished several weeks ago. Classes meet every Tuesday and Thursday nights from 8 to 10 for ten weeks. The present class is mostly for air-raid wardens and firemen.

Following Air-Raid Wardens for Mills County were appointed by Sheriff Harris on January 14, and certified to the Texas Department of Public Safety:

Goldthwaite—J. H. Harris, Chief; F. D. Reynolds, Deputy Sheriff; Gene Dickerson, Robert Steen, I. W. Mauney, Tom Miller, Carl Letbetter, R. H. Chandler, Claude Smith, Lee Berry.

Mullin—Sid Eaton, Constable; Warren Duren, W. P. Chancellor.

Priddy—Walter Dearson, Constable; Ray Priddy, Walter Marwitz.
 Star—Fred Soules, Herman Lee.

JUNIOR STENOGRAPHERS WANTED BY GOVERNMENT

The Federal Government is in urgent need of junior stenographers for employment in Washington, D. C. The entrance salary for this position is \$120 per month. The opportunities for later advancement are excellent for young women and men with ability.

Interested persons should immediately contact the secretary of U. S. Civil Service Board at the Goldthwaite Post Office.

Mrs. Sam Sullivan, who has been quite ill with pneumonia, is greatly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Dickerson have been confined to their home with the flu, but are improved.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Worley and son, Relis Earl, spent the weekend with relatives at Whitney.

Mr. Anderson's remains were laid to rest at Oak View cemetery at Mullin Sunday afternoon. The funeral services were conducted at the Primitive Baptist Church, Elder Chambers and Rev. L. J. Vann conducting the services. He is survived by a wife and five children, three sisters and two brothers.

Pallbearers were Lavel Calder, Glen Calder, Lewis Calder, P. B. Griffin, Oran Anderson and Homer Middleton, all nephews of the deceased. The funeral direction was under the supervision of the J. H. Randolph Funeral Home.

It Pays To Advertise In THE EAGLE

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FRIDAY, FEB. 13—
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On the Screen—
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FT. WORTH BOOSTERS STOP HERE TUESDAY

A bus filled with 35 enthusiastic Fort Worth business and professional men Tuesday rolled into Goldthwaite with a hearty invitation for people of this section to visit the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show, March 13 through March 22, in Fort Worth.

The delegation brought along a band and presented a program which was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Truett Mann, chairman of the trip, which was sponsored by the Optimists Club, emphasized that the Stock Show had greatly aided the development of the livestock industry and this year it is more important than ever before because it can point to ways and means of increasing meat production which is so vital in the present emergency.

Offering \$75,000 in premiums, the highest in history, the show this year will have new features in the championship rodeo and will star Roscoe Ates, stuttering comedian of radio and screen, at the Silver Spur, the amusement spot on the show grounds.

All Texas cities are urged to have a special day named in their honor, organize a delegation, bring along a band, present a program of "home town" talent in the Silver Spur, and give a concert in the bandstand in front of the Coliseum before the afternoon rodeo.

Among the visitors were: District Attorney Marvin Brown, Earl Justin, Herbert Joseph of the Chamber of Commerce and Boyce House, newspaper-radio columnist.

Another Serious Accident Occurs Near Goldthwaite

Second Fatality In Two Weeks; Man Is Under \$2,000 Bond

J. B. Davidson of San Angelo was released from Mills County Jail here last Saturday night, after posting bond of \$2,000 signed by San Angelo people to appear before the May term of the Mills County District Court Grand Jury. Charges of murder were filed against him by County Attorney A. M. Pribble after the death of L. M. Anderson, about 60, of Mullin, injured fatally in a car wreck at Bozar, four and one-half miles north of Goldthwaite.

Charges against Davidson of driving while intoxicated—fired immediately after an investigation by the State Highway Patrol—were dismissed when Mr. Anderson died in a Brownwood hospital at 1 a. m. Saturday, and the murder charges were filed.

The accident happened last Friday afternoon at 5:45. Mr. Anderson and R. F. Williams were riding in a car driven by Bernard Kelcy, and were returning from Goldthwaite where they had been working on a WPA project to their homes at Mullin when their car collided with one driven by Mr. Davidson, who is an engineer at Goodfellow Field, San Angelo. Williams and Kelcy received first-aid treatments at Goldthwaite, and a Fairman Funeral Home ambulance carried Mr. Anderson to a Brownwood hospital, where he died at 1 a. m. Saturday. Davidson was uninjured.

Both cars were wrecked. The three men were pulling out of the Bozar Filling Station going north when the collision with Davidson's car, coming south, occurred.

This makes the second fatal accident to occur near Goldthwaite within the past few

News of

Mills County Heroes With MacArthur

W. F. Matthews, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Matthews of Wingate, and nephew of Mrs. Sam Seli, has written his mother that he is safe and well. He is stationed in Java and is with the Field Artillery.

R. D. MITCHELL IS OK: AFTER THOUGHT DEAD

The following card is about—and the letter is from—R. D. Mitchell, son of J. R. Mitchell of Goldthwaite, who was once reported lost on Dec. 7:

Dear Editor: Feb. 3. Word has been received for the first time since Pearl Harbor of R. D. Mitchell, son of J. R. Mitchell of Goldthwaite. He was reported lost Dec. 7. His family have had letters from him this week. He is well and doing fine, and is now aboard the U. S. S. Lexington, aircraft carrier, and states he has been in plenty of action. He had been aboard the U. S. S. West Virginia for four years. The grandest news we have had in a long time was "I am o. k." after thinking he was killed or injured. I am his half-sister.—Mrs. Walton Daniel.

The letter from R. D. Mitchell to his father follows:
 U.S.S. Lexington.
 January 23, 1942.
 Hello Dad and Everybody.
 Just a line to let you know that I am okay and I got your letters and Jean's and Raymond's pictures.
 I'm on the Lexington now and will probably stay here for quite some time. My address in case I haven't already told you is: 2nd Division, U.S.S. Lexington, San Francisco, Calif., care Postmaster.

I haven't received Clara's package yet, but probably will before long. I only got your letter two days ago and packages are still being assorted.
 Raymond seems to be doing pretty good with his hunting. I am also doing a little hunting but for a different kind of ani-

CENTER CITY SOLDIER WRITES FROM HAWAII

Following is a letter from Alvin J. Lee, son of Riley Lee of the Center City Community, whom they had not heard from for some time:
 Hickam Field, Hawaii.
 Jan. 24, 1942.

Dear Brother:
 How are you and Dad? I am doing fine. June, Parkey wrote me of Mother's death. Sure was hurt about it. I hope you are in school and will finish and then go to college. I can help you go if you need help.

I would like so much to see all you folks. How are Uncle Bob and Aunt Ruth? Also Pee Wee Head and Dula? Tell them to write to me.

I can't say one word about the war, and if you write to me be very careful what you write about it there.

I had one letter from Sis. They are at Evant now. Did you have a nice Christmas? We had a fine dinner and that was about all—nothing to drink, not even beer.

Where are Pete, Avery and Wilma? Send me Pete's address. Did you play football this term? I saw a number of good games at Schofield Bks.

I am still cooking and like it, you know. Well, Bud, write real soon with a long letter. Aunt Ruth, write to me also. Put Soldiers Mail on the envelope and a 6 cent stamp and it will come Clipper mail. Love to you all.
 Your brother, "Doc."

Pfc. Alvin J. Lee
 428 Sig. Moint Co.
 Honolulu, Hawaii.

HAVE YOU HEARD?

Every Mills Countian is interested in the welfare of the soldiers, sailors and marines from this country.

The Eagle would like to carry all news possible about the men in service. If you hear, definitely, that your brother or your nephew is safe at Pearl Harbor or Manila please call us and let us tell your friends and their friends about it. Those friends would like to share the good news with you.

If you have an interesting letter from the war-zone—almost any place in the world is in the war zone now—please bring it in to us.

The Eagle will appreciate cooperation with these plans and we know our subscribers will also appreciate it.