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To our many friends who donated their funds and volunteered their services to carry on the Red Cross Work:

You did a good job in 1942, and we are grateful and ask for your continued cooperation for the greater task that lies ahead.

> MILLS COUNTY CHAPTER **AMERICAN RED CROSS**

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS FROM THE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

At this Christmas Season, the First Methodist Church brings you Greetings.

Even though darkness, despair, and degradation seem o have a death grip hold on the world, let us remember that the radiance of the Spirit of the Christ-child can permeate the darkest darkness and the deepest depth of

ege with you to be ever on the alert for the rays of the Light of Hope, and we join with you in a prayer that God will hasten the day when the Prince of Peace may have His rightful place in the world.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH.

DOUBLE WEDDING

Last Saturday afternoon at o'clock, on the opening day of the Mills County Service Club, a double wedding ceremony was performed in front of the beautiful Christmas tree in the club

The impressive ceremony was performed by Elder I. A. Dyches which united in marriage Sgt. Alafrd Thibodaux of Camp Bowie and Miss Bernice Lawson of Goldthwaite, and Cpl. Rubin T Barham of Camp Bowie and Angline Weathers of this city.

Only close friends and relatives attended the weeding. Tea dainties were served the wedding parties by the club hostesses.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Marriage licenses issued by County Clerk Earl Summy were

Edward Dean Dickerson and Evelyn Mae Sharpless.

A Merry American

MILLS COUNTY, you've shopped and mailed early to save gas and tires, you've tucked War Stamps in with gifts, and invited boys in the Service to Christmas dinner. We, your local newspaper personnel, congratulate you and wish you every Holiday Happiness!

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH GOLDTHWAITE. TEXAS

DECEMBER 25, 1942.

From out the silence of five hundred years of chaos, cruel monarchy, slavery, starvation, vice, and war came this purposeful and powerful pronouncement: "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men."

Thus we have God's first message to earth at the birth of Jesus, His Son, and, though almost two thousand years have passed, earth has not yet learned

Many nations have refused His "good will." Thousands of homes have not med the Christ-child, and millions of lives are still ill-at-ease without the of God which passeth knowledge." But, in the words of Martin Luther: me ten square miles in all the earth without Christianity, where the life of man and the purity of woman are respected and I will give up Christianity."

Peace comes only as men and nations come into the will of Christ. Any occupation, plan, and work of man, to be truly successful, must be done under the direction of Christ, in union with His will, from love to Him, and in dependence

There have been wise men in every age, but none have sought and found greater wisdom than those whose searchings of the heavens brought them to Bethlehem's barn. He is the Wisdom of all the wise. He understands the secret of sufferings, the cause of our tears, the ends of war, the purpose of sacrifice.

Many homes and nations have given birth to great men and ideals, but no home nor nation has welcomed a greater birth-hour than "as for me and my house we will serve the Lord." This is the will of God and the secret of peace.

With the woes of sin and strife, The world has suffered long: seneath the angel strain has rolled Two thousand years of wrong. But, are yonder-God hasten the day: "When peace shall over all the earth Its ancient splendours fling,

Which now the angels sing." That day will come-God wants it to come; God's millions of friends are praying for that glad day when truth and "righteousness shall cover the earth as the waters cover the sea." for

And the whole world give back the song,

"God is not dead; nor doth He sleep; The wrong shall fail, The right prevail. With peace on earth, good will to men."

May you and yours be filled With Christmas Cheer, And Happiness, as you journey Through the Year.

We love you sincerely.

D. A. BRYANT, Pastor

SUBSCRIPTION LIST IN 49-YEAR HISTORY

At the beginning of the year ably its largest paid-up subtory of forty-nine years' service to the people of Mills County. Hundreds have taken advantage of the present price to renew their subscriptions or add their names, and many in the Service are also on the list-a Christmas present that will follow them all over the world for an entire year with news from home.

Newspaper publishers are expecting a freezing order on circulation on January 1. Any Mills County person who wants the Eagle for next year—or wants to send it to relatives or friends in the Service-should be sure to have their names on the paid-up On every Christmas morn, list by January first, when an This is the Savior's Birthday, and advertising prices will go into effect. Present price will be in effect until then.

Since our report last week, the MADE LIEUT. COLONEL following new and renewal subscriptions have been received by

Mrs. J. H. English, Fort Worth. H. C. Fields, Coahoma, Texas.

L. E Hamilton, Winters W. Fields, Route 3. D. D. Henry, Route 3.

J. C. Fields, Route 3.
Mrs. Pearl McClary.
J. J. Meadows, Route 1.
Mrs. J. B. Kiser, Caradan.

Mrs. L. W. Faulkner, Route 1. Mrs. L. B. Covington, Route 2. Miss Lorene Covington, Waco.

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EAGLE HAS LARGEST ANNUAL MEETING OF CURIOTIVES CREETINGS MILLLS CO. RED CROSS

Mills County Chapter will be held in the district court room Saturday, Jan. 9, at 2:30 p. m. 1943, the Eagle will have prob- All members of the Red Cross are requested to be present. A scription list in its entire his- full report on all chapter activities for 1942 will be given and what we must do in 1943 will be discussed.

We want every community in Mills County to be represented at this meeting.

BRIAN SMITH. Mills Co. Chapter Chairman.

THE KINGS BIRTH-DAY

I would not think of Christmas As just a day for fun, But as a day that's different From every other one. The day that Christ was born.

GOLDTHWAITE MAN IS

Information has been received here of the promotion to Lieut. Colonel of Major M. Y. Stokes, Jr. Colonel Stokes has been on duty with the U. S. Engineer office in Dallas, but is now attending the Army Command and General Staff School in Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

Mrs. Raymond Cockrum and Mrs. Brice Campbell left Saturday not sing for Burbank, Calif., where they will meet their husbands who are in Army correspondent. ands who are in Army service.

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

"As now we turn our thoughts again To peace on earth, good will to men, May God in graciousness impart His richest blessings to your heart."

We read in Isaiah 9:6, "For unto us a Child is born, unto us a Son is given: and the government shall be upon His shqulder; and His name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, The Mighty God, The Everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace.

In the midst of a war-torn world, with hearts broken and bleeding, may we as a people turn our thoughts to the Christchild that came to the earth over 1900 years ago. The world was in spiritual darkness and needed the Light. The Light did come in the form of a babe promised by God the Father through His prophet. He was conceived of the Holy Ghost and born of a virgin. The birth took place as it was told 740 B. C., and the shepherds guided by the star found the Christ-child, with His mother, wrapped in swaddling clothes lying in a manger. (Luke 2.)

"His name shall be called Wonderful." Matthew 1:21 says, ". . . . they shall call His name Jesus; for He shall save His people from their sins." I am so glad that Jesus is able to save from sin and give us grace to live a clean righteous life in a sin-ridden world.

Again, He is our Counsellor. We need such a one in these perilous times. Will you not let Him be your Counsellor? He wants to help you solve your problems and plan your future.

Jesus is a mighty God—"able to save to the uttermost all those that come unto Him." He reaches the high and the

low. He is able to do exploits. The Everlasting Father. "Lo, I am with you alway, even unto the end of the world." Mothers, fathers, young people, He will be with you in every trying hour, provided you will let Him. Will you let Him today?

The Prince of Peace. Yes, the world is crying for peace and we long for permanent peace. But there will be no lasting peace until the Prince of Peace, Jesus Christ, shall make His second advent into the world as Lord and King. However we can have peace of mind and soul in a restless world. Let us turn to Him, the greatest Gift, and give our best to the Master.

BUFORD BURGNER, Pastor.



WISHING YOU THE BEST IN



SHEET METAL WORK - PLUMBING

PIPE, PIPE FITTING - WELL SUPPLIES

HALF OF US PAPERS RAISE SUB RATES

New York, Dec. 16.—Rising costs have already caused more than half the daily newspapers in the United States to raise at least some portion of their circulation rate structure since the start of the war in 1939. Crans-



UST the friendliest of wishes for your happiness and cheer at Christmas time and always. Let not the sacrifices of 1942 have been in vain.

Will move to my New Location by January 1st, just north of my present location

HOLLAND GARAGE

ton Williams, general manager of the American Newspaper Publishers Association, said Wednesday.

The ANPA is conducting a survey of daily newspapers on circulation rate changes in 1942, and while still far from complete, returns thus far show 648 papers have announced advances.

survey showed that while imme- | ca to be doing for the boys of diate response to price increases was in most cases reduced circu- are seperated from their family lation for a short time, such losss were soon recouped, and that circulation generally was

WILSON E. BOYD

The following clipping is takn from a San Marcos newspa-

Wilson E. Boyd, 86, died at the American History. nome of his daughter, Mrs. Viola County in 1856.

ty for many years. He was a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors include four sons, John Boyd of Driftwood, J. P. Boyd of Wharton, S. R. Boyd of Lampasas, L. D. Boyd of Lampasas; three daughters, Mrs. Viola Whisenant of Driftwood. Mrs. Walter Wilson of Thorndale and Mrs. M. E. Cook of Gold-

Funeral services were held at p. m. Thursday at the Driftwood Cemetery with Rev. Parker Funeral arrangements were by the A. B. Rogers Company.

Miss Juanita Rudd of La Marque is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rudd, for Christ-

A Season Joyous

WAR

NEEDS THE WIRES

THIS CHRISTMAS

War can't wait-not even for Christmas. So please don't

make Long Distance calls to War-busy centers this

THE SOUTHWESTERN STATES

Christmas, unless they're vital.

Letters From Mills County Soldiers

FROM JOAN ROBERTS 16 Selbourne Gardens, London, N. W. 4. England.

Dear Mrs. McNutt:

This is a letter from war time London, where my friends and my family have had the pleasure over here.

We have been in this war for ing the fort" on our little isthe enemy. It's very comfort- so I could go fishing. ing to welcome the boys from support of a grand ally.

Mc.—that is what he likes for restricted from Phoenix. us to call him-over for a couple hearty laughter at some of our our family, who ,like your son, miles and miles away.

I hope you are getting your mail regularly from Mac nownow at record levels .- Star-Tel- but don't worry, he'll be O. K., at least I hope this letter will do something to reassure you that he has made some friends over here and is getting along fine. My father, who is a school master, is actually teaching him

I am writing this letter on Whisenant, near Driftwood, on fire duty, which is now compul-Wednesday, Dec. 16 after a long sory for women in England, but illness. He was born in Lamar I'm keeping my fingers crossed and hoping we will be undisturb-He was married to Miss Sarah ed tonight. It probably sounds Adams in 1875. The family had very unreal to you and let us made their home in Hays Coun- hope you will never have to expedience the horrows of air raids.

> Keep smiling. Yours Sincerely,

JOAN ROBERTS.

FROM VERNON McCASLAND Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Reid received the following letter from like it just fine. I have just fin-

land: of Dripping Springs officiating. How are you all getting along just to the states I like for it to get fine even though it is plenty cold home. So I know that you can up here. There has been ice on hear from me. So tell her that

> lately and I stay in the barracks tle Jerry likes school. Be good as much as possible. I got a letter from mama. She said that daddy had gone to Brownwood to see if he could get a job. She and Elroy are going to hold the farm down for a while. I was sure glad that relatives here. Denner got a job. It will be nice

home. I guess Duward will be up with us in a few days. Mama said that he had left to come to the army. I imagine that he will have to go through an induction center and then be sent from there to here. It's going to be hard for him to have to leave Fay and come back, but the army is getting quite a few mar-

for him and he will be close to

ried men now I understand that you all are going to celebrate your golden anniversary the thirteenth. I know that you are very proud and happy to celebrate that occasion. I am certainly glad that I have grandparents that have set a good example for their children and grandchildren to live by. I wish for you many more years of health and happi-

I have not seen R. L. in about a week, but he was all right the last time I saw him. All the Center City boys who are here

Well, it is getting late so I had better close, moving you all

VERNON McCASLAND.

FROM CPL. OLAN LANGLITZ SCALLORN-Frank Byrd received the following letter from Corporal Olan

Luke Field, Arizona. December 4, 1942.

Hi. Stranger: What's cooking, and how in the world are you doing on this of meeting and entertaining nice night, or is it cold there? cluding your son. I am writing to be down in that country for night. to you firstly because I am sure a few days just to see what it you must be anxious to know was like. I just imagine it is the week in Lampasas assisting Secondly, to let you know how year, also with most all of the which arrived in the home of glad we are to see the Americans boys that have left there. I Mr. and Mrs. Chester Henry. thought that for a while I would next February. But I had rathland, twenty miles away from er come down when it was warm

Well, here I am in Arizona, Things are pretty tightened Phoenix. Speaking of Phoenix, up here in England at present, there was a riot there Thanksseem to have made themselves here at camp, but the worst part Great Britain. at home. We have had young of it is the complete camp is

Well, it is not long until Christof week-ends, and in spite of his mas. Just wonder what is is going to be like in the Army on words and customs, I think he Christmas Day, but guess I will enjoyed himself. Anyway, we know after this month. Anyway plained, reflected rising costs in are doing all that we would like it does not bother me, as I hardwar time. At the same time, the for the people in India and Afri- ly ever go to town; in fact I go to town only about once a week, as that is all that we can get off from our work.

Well, I guess that most of the Mills County boys are in the army now, or at least it looks that way from the Goldthwaite Eagles that I have been getting. Although I sure would like to get not go across, and that is what I really want to do. I would like to see what the other side looks like, also think that I had rather be over there keeping the planes in flying order for those boys that need help over there.

I remain your friend,

FROM E. T. PERRY

G. T. Perry, Route 1, received the following letter from Pfc E. T. Perry, whose address is U. S. M. C. Unit 260, C-o Postmaster, San Francisco, Cal. November 19, 1942. hostesses.

Dearest Folks:

Just a line for greeting again from this other place in the world I am still in the Soloman Islands, Dear Grandpa and Grandma: this letter and tell her I would How are you all getting along write but when a letter does get the ground every day and night these letters are for her also. since I have been back. I have Well, I must go. Tell little Jerry not been doing much driving and Bula hello. I sure hope litand best wishes.

From your son. E. T. PERRY

Corporal Huddleston of Brownwood spent last week-end with



A Happy and Prosperous

1943

To Our Many Friends and Customers

COLLIER'S DAIRY

By MRS. OBA BLACK

Langlitz, who is stationed at Most everyone is busy doing the last-minute fixing Christmas. In spite of the disagreeable weather Sunday, there were quite a few present at the church house for Sunday School and to make final arrangements some of your countrymen, in- Just the same, I sure would like for the tree Christmas Eve

Mrs. Walter Henry is spending that all goes well with your boy. rather dull there this time of the in the care of a new grandson

Mrs. Lila Crawford of Goldget my furlough and come down thwaite and Mrs. Marvin Laughso long-over three years now- that way, but don't guess that I lin of Austin visited Friday in and 18 months we were "hold- will be able to get one before the home of Mrs. R. D. Evans and family.

Since our new club reporter failed to give a report on our last H. D. meeting which was the other side and to feel the right out in the middle of Salt held in the home of Mrs. Arlie River Valley. Only 25 miles from O'Bannion, we wish to state the club voted to give three dollars out of the treasury to purchase as you will realize, but we're use giving night; was quite a lot of Christmas gifts for the soldier to it now and although dear excitement. Five got killed and boys who are in hospital at old London is not the city it several were put in jail. Also sev- Camp Bowie. A dollar was also was before the blitz, the boys eral were put in the guard house given to buy garden seeds for

Miss Emma Judd of Halletsvills is visiting this week with the Laughlin families.

In giving the names last week of the ladies who assisted in the work which was done for Mrs Dee Jones, we failed to give the name of Mrs. Georgia Kuykendall. We're sorry we made this error.

Mrs. Marvin Laughlin of Austin visited over the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. Cora Ford and Mrs. J. D. Ford and family

Mrs. Carrie Hereford of Dublin and Mrs. Lila Crawford of Goldthwaite are assisting in the care of their mother, Mrs. R. D. transferred closer there if I can Evans, who has been ill for some

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Henry visited in Lampasas Saturday with relatives.

Mrs. Joe Evans of Lometa and son Grady, who has been stationed in Maryland but is now on his way to Alabama, visited Wednesday with his grandmother, Mrs. R. D. Evans, and family

GARDEN CLUB

The Garden Club met in the home of Mrs. J. J. Stephen with Mesdames Stephen, Tate, Marvin Rudd, and S. P. Sullivan as

A most enjoyable program was led by Mrs. John G. Berry. Mrs. Bruce Campbell gave us moving pictures in color of flowers and their grandson, Vernon McCas- ished writing to Nig. I sure hope places of interest. Special Christmas music arranged by d:
 he gets it. Mama, I wish you Christmas music arranged by Mrs. S. P. Sullivan added much to the program.

Refreshments carrying out the holiday theme were served to a large number of club members and several guests.-Asst. Re-

Mrs. Opal Townsen of Pecos accompanied her to Houston, spent last Saturday here with where they will spend the holiher son, Billy Joe Townsen, who days.



THE STORY THAT NEVER GROWS OLD

The Christmas Story is ever new because it comes from the heart, just as the privilege of wishing you a MERRY CHRISTMAS

is always a pleasure for us.

We extend our Best Wishes that this may be the very Best Christmas you have ever had.

W. H. LINKENHOGER

Machine Shop

Goldthwaite



WE WOULD LIKE TO WISH THAT YOUR CHRISTMAS STOCKING HAVE MUCH MORE IN IT THAN EVER BE-FORE, BUT, AS THIS MIGHT SEEM TO BE AN EXTRAV-AGANT HOPE, WE WISH THAT IT CONTAIN FAR MORE THAN YOU EXPECT.

YOU HAVE STOOD BY US LOYALLY IN 1942, AND WE CANNOT TELL YOU HOW MUCH WE APPRECIATE IT.

The World's News Seen Through THE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR

As International Daily Newspaper ruthful—Constructive—Unbiased—Free from to Editorials Are Timely and Instructive and ures, Together with the Weekly Magazine Section of the Home.

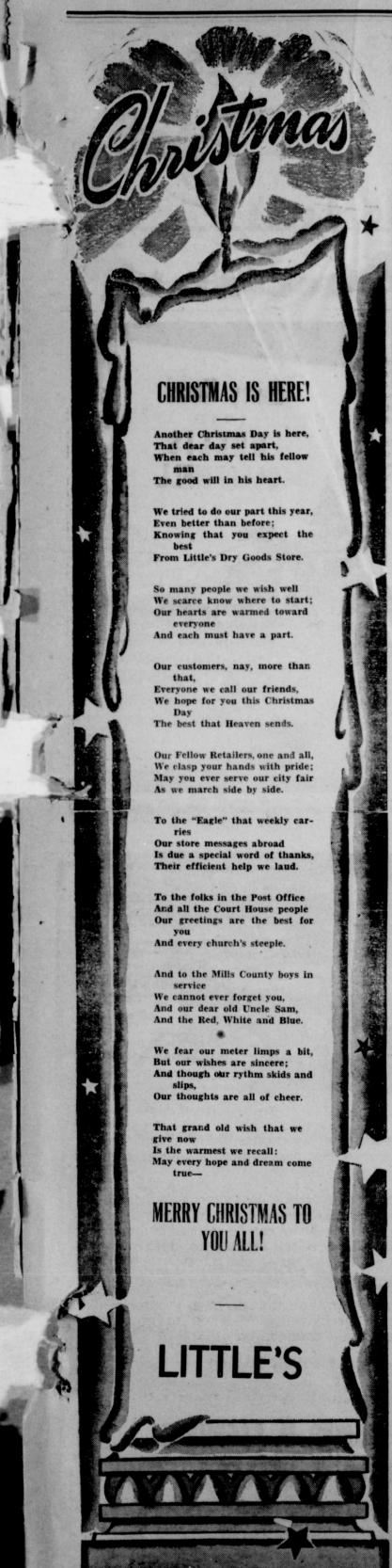
The Christian Science Publishing Sone, Norway Street, Boston, Massach Price \$12.00 Yearly, or \$1.00 a Month. Saturday Issue, including Magazine Section, \$2.60 a Year

SAMPLE COPY ON REQUEST

HIS YEAR OF 1942 has been one of world tribulation, but nevertheless, many good things have come our way. Chief among them is your continued patronage, for which we thank you very earnestly now, and wish you a very MERRY CHRISTMAS







GOLDTHWAITE YOUNG PEO-PLE IN STSTC CHOIR

The fifth annual presentation of Handel's immortal oratorio. "The Messiah," was presented on Thursday morning, Dec 17, by the Southwest Texas State Teachers College Choir at San Marcos, under the direction of Dr. H. Grady Harlan, in the college stadium.

Solo parts were taken by the following students: R. L. Brantley of San Antonio, tenor; Marilyn Jobe of Harwood, soprano; Doris Germane of McAllen, contralto; and Jimmie Childs of tion Council.

Singing with the choir were Miss Katherine Wright, soprano: Miss Wilda Bledsoe, alto; and Billy Saylor, tenor, all of Goldthwaite.



You take our good service for granted and we take your patronage for granted. However, we are very grateful for your patronage during 1942, and, this being Christmas, we want to tell you about it, and to wish you and yours the full joys of Yuletide.

MITCHELL SHOE

HOSTESSES FOR MILLS COFFEE RETAILERS TO CO. SERVICE CENTER REPORT AMOUNT ON

be kept open all this week, a change has been made in the list of hostesses as announced last list:

Sunday - The Tuesday Study fee each had on hand on Nov.

January fourth Saturday and Sunday—The Baptist Missionary Society

January fifth Saturday and Sunday-The Methodist Missionary Society.

February first Saturday and TO BE SAVED TRIPS Sunday — The Parent-Teacher Association.

February second Saturday and Sunday-The Schubert Club. February second Saturday and Sunday-The Service League.

February third Saturday and Sunday-Garden Club. February fourth Saturday and Sunday-Self Culture Club.

March first Saturday and Sun day-The Art and Civic Club. March second Saturday and Sunday—Tuesday Study Club.

March third Saturday and Sunday — Home Demonstration

Sunday-Baptist Missionary So-

The organizations named are to be responsible for naming hostesses for the dates listed

above. The Service Center is open each Saturday and Sunday from 1:30 p. m. until 10 p. m., and the hostesses are on duty during these hours.

The Hitch Hiker

If I were a Soldier Hitchin' for a ride And a fellow turned me down Twould surely wound my pride, Just to think of what he's giving His life, his very all,-Makes the giving of a ride Seem mighty, mighty small.

-R. E. Clements.



TT is not only now, at Christmas time, when . L we appreciate your patronage. We appreciate it all year 'round, but now, in the last short days of 1942, is the very best time to tell you about it, and to wish you all a very Merry Christmas.

V. C. BRADFORD





To Our Many Friends and Customers We Wish to Say MERRY

CHRISTMAS

As the Service Center is to HAND TO WAR BOARD

All retailers and wholesalers week. Following is the new of roasted coffee are required to result in hardship by reason of -fineson Bros. submit to the County War Price January first Saturday and and Rationing Board not later Sunday-The Art and Civic Club. than December 31, 1942, a report January second Saturday and on the quantity of roasted cof-28. A. T. Pribble, Chairman of January third Saturday and the Mills County War Price and Sunday-The Home Demonstra- Rationing Board, announced today.

> Form R-1202, the form to be used by retailers and wholesalers who do not roast coffee, is available at the Board Office.

FILLING STATION MEN

Filling station owners no onger will be required to call in person at the office of the Mills County War Price and Rationing Board, in order to exchange retail gasoline coupons for a bulk purchase certificate, but may handle such transactions by mail, A. T. Pribble, Chairman, has announced.

He pointed out that filling station owners, especially those in rural districts or in towns at a distance from the county seat, heretofore were obliged to make special trips to the Board Office in Goldthwaite in order to make this exchange, then had to return to their filling stations with the proper bulk purchase certificates before they could replenish their stocks from gasoline delivery tank wagons.

"All filling stations may now make this exchange of coupons for certificates by mail," Mr. Pribble added, "and a self-addressed, stamped envelope should accompany each group of coupons, for use by the Board in mailing back the exchanged certificate to the applicant.

DATE EXTENDED FOR GETTING RATION BOOK 1

The date for registration of persons who have never received War Ration Book No. One has been extended from December 15 through Jan. 15, 1943, Mr. Pribble announced this week.

This 30-day extension has been granted, Mr. Pribble explained, because it will be necessary for everyone to have this War Ration Book No. 1 in order to qualify for War Ration Book No. Two which will be issued some time early in January during a registration period to be announced later.

War Ration Book No. One will continue to be used for rationing coffee and sugar even after Book No. 2 has been ossued.

GROCERS' SUGAR INVEN-TORY TO BE ADJUSTED

Many temporary increases in allowable sugar inventory which were granted wholesale and retail grocers during the summer and early fall canning period have not yet been adjusted, although that was supposed to be done by Nov. 1, A. T. Pribble, chairman Mills County War

"All such wholesale and retail grocers should make this adjustment at the earliest possible cumstances justifying contin ships will not result," Mr. Pribble said. "Cases which would

Price and Rationnig Board, an- | such adjustment will be referred by the Board to the Dista OPA Office, and the firm invo ed should make a statement in writing explaining fully any cirmoment, where obvious hard- ance of such unusual inventory."

Just received Air Maid Hose



you all a very Merry

ARTHUR'S CAFE **BIRD'S SERVICE STATIO**





N wishing you a Merry Christmas this year we would capture for you as much of the old time holiday spirit as possible. Accept our sincere thanks for your generous patronage, which has been a source of real encouragement to us in 1942.

L. J. GARTMAN MUSIC HOUSE

GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS



The holiday spirit of 1942 rules the land today. It is King of all, despite the wars of men.

May we take this brief, but sincere, time to wish you the happiest Holiday Season possible.

HUDSON BROS. -DRUGGISTS-

WHAT YOU WANT — WHEN YOU WANT IT

Rev. D. A. Bryant and family, visit in their home for a few Mrs. A. T. Prbible and Mrs. Mas- days. ton Pribble and son Terry left Pribble will remain with Mr. Floyd Frazier, who is recuperat-Pribble, who has a government ing from an operation. She is position. Mrs. A. T. Pribble will doing nicely.

Friends-

Christmas Greeting

One of the Greatest Pleasures of

Christmas is the Opportunity to

Wish Each of Our Customers and

A MERRY CHRISTMAS!

MILLS COUNTY

COLD STORAGE

May Christmas and the New Year

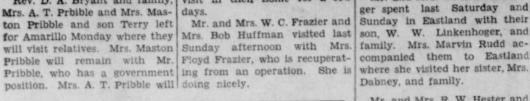
bring to all the best of Health, Hap-

piness and Good Cheer, is our wish

GAS APPLIANCE CO.

at this Holiday Season.

SMITH



Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hester and son Richard of Cameron were week-end guests of their parents Mr. and Mrs. John Hester and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Keese.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Linkenho

Marvin Hodges, Jr., of Texas University arrived last Thursday to spend the Christmas holidays with homefolks.

Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Campbell spent Monday in Temple with Miss Anne Coleman whose sister Miss Christine Coleman who has been at the Temple hospital for several weeks, underwent a major operation Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Smith and son Terry of Abilene arrived last Saturday, and will spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. E. Greathouse

here Tuesday to meet their daughter, Miss Joy, who is a student at NTSTC at Denton. They left Tuesday night for their home at Hamilton, and were accompanied by Mrs. R. E. Worley and son Rellis Earl. They will visit their parents for the holidays. Mr. Worley will join them

Mrs. Lloyd Laughlin and baby of Los Angeles, Calif., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Burnett, and other rela-

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Faulkner are their sons, Lt. Merle Faulkner of Camp Bowie and Lester Faulkner of A. and M. College.

Mr. and Mrs. Dutch McKenzie and daughter of Arlington are visiting homefolks here this

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Weathers of Brownwood are visiting his to the post office and postal sysparents here, Mr. and Mrs. J. W.

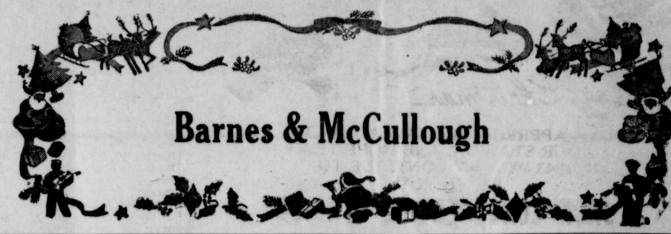
Floyd Sanson, Jr., who underwent an operation in a Brown- this increased mail in a very efwood hospital last Monday, is ficient manner, taking into conreported as doing nicely, and will return home in about ten three weeks the mail has in-

taking a nursing course at the classes of mail, with the largest Stephenville hospital, is home shipment of parcel post ever visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Porter.

Miss Lottie Hester is home from Stephenville for the holiities. days visiting with homefolks.

Miss Gloria Armstrong of San Antonio arrived Tuesday afternoon to spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Annie Armstrong, and relatives.





GOLDTHWAITE POST OFFICE TO CHANGE E. Greathouse. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Gerald were STATUS ON JAN. I

the Postmaster General. Goldthwaite Post Office will become district postoffice instead of a direct postoffice effective Jan. Claude Saylor of Goldthwaite. 1, 1942. This same orders applies to all second-class post-

This will change the bookkeeping and set-up of accounts to a more convenient system, whereby this post office will transact practically all business under the central accounting system from Dallas Post Office. eliminating quite a lot of red tape transactions from Washington, D. C. This is believed to be a more efficient system being set up by the Department.

This being the third week of the Christmas rush, the patrons are to be commended for their loyal support and co-operation tem by mailing early and avoiding the last day rush. The employes of this office are handling sideration that for the past creased from five to ten times Miss Madeline Porter, who is the amount of mail including all known to this office, and taking into consideration the conges tion of shipping and truck facil-

> The department and the postal system are doing everything possible to be of service to the pub-

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Shaw re ceived a message Tuesday from their son, Tech.-Sgt. Hubert W. Shaw, stating that a baby girl had arrived at their home in Bakersfield Calif. The young lady was named Sherrylyn. Sgt. Shaw is stationed in Tom Wat

Mrs. W. T. Mathis of Kingsville is here with her daughter. Mrs. David Clements, and family and will remain for the holidays. Miss Amber Florence Graves of San Marcos is spending the

holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Graves Mr. and Mrs. Jack Long were away several days the first of last week attending to business at Fort Worth, Dallas, and other

Master-Sgt. Trenton Smith of Camp Hood was here last Friday. His aunt, Mrs. J. H. Randolph accompanied him to Austin where they visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Smith. Sgt Smith was on his way with the 68th Signal Battalion to Camp McClain, Miss. Mrs. Randolph spent a few days in Austin, returning Monday.

Mrs. J. A. Gillespie of Borger arrived last Saturday and is visiting Mrs. W. C. Dew for the holidays.

Mrs. Richard Slack of Abilene s here visiting her mother, Mrs. J. D. D. Berry. They left Monday for a few days' visit with Mrs. Norman Weatherby and Mr. and Mrs. Haynes Harrison at Brown-

The families of Glenn Featherston and R. C. Petty are expecting them home December 26 for a short visit. The two boys will graduate from the Ordnance Officers' Candidate school at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Maryland, on Wednesday, Dec. 23, with the rank of second lieutenant. After a few days at home, both of them will report for duty at an air base in Spokane, Washington.

Who's Who Winners Elected In Contest

Eight seniors and four juniors have been chosen for the "Who's Who" honor section of the Pedagog for outstanding achievement and activity in Southwest In complance with an order of Texas State Teachers College at San Marcos

Among the students chosen is Billy Saylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. He achieved the honor through athletics, accomplishments in music, and by serving as president of the Boys' Glee Club, Orchestra, and band chorus.

FOUR GOLDTHWAITE CITI-ZENS TO HAVE BIRTHDAYS

It has become known that four of Goldthwaite's prominent citizens will celebrate birthdays Sunday, Dec. 27. They are: Drew Wheeler, 1875; C. B. Burris 1883; G. R. Goosby, 1889; and W. P. Weaver, 1869. Gifts and greet ings may be mailed to general delivery, Goldthwaite. Friends not wishing to start shopping all over again may send eats, a check, or cash which will be gratefully received.

Remember the date, Sunday Dec. 27, and that "Lives of great men all remind us.

Xmas Cards.-Hudson Bros.





Christmas Greetings-And Best Wishes to All

N TIMES LIKE THESE the spirit of good will that prevails at Christmastime acts like a tonic. It reminds us anew that cordial and mutually helpful relationships with our fellow men have a value far above material things.

It is in this spirit that we extend our best wishes to our friends and customers this Christmastide. We are deeply grateful for your kindness and your patronage. May you enjoy the best of everything the season offers and may good luck and good health in abundance be yours in 1943.

Community Public Service Company

J. B. KARNES, Manager



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As you gather with your loved ones this Christmas we send you sincere greetings, and wishes for your success and happiness.

Your thoughtfulness during the past year, your friendly courtesies we count as splendid things in our lives. Not all the gain in any business can be entered in a cash register, or written in a ledger, and we are deeply appreciative of your friendship — our most treasured possession.

We pledge ourselves in the future to even greater efforts to merit your continued confidence, to greater service to you and to the community.

May Your Christmas Be Truly Happy!

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Texas

CAMP BOWIE ARMY

MEN READY FOR BIG

CHRISTMAS SEASON

CAMP BOWIE, Dec. 23 .- The wheels for the 14-day Christmas round of festivity at Camp Bowie have alreday started turn-

ing and, with each new event, have gained momentum. At Service Club No. 1, the Hardin High School presented a group

of 32 colored singers while Service Club No. 3 prepared a giant Regimental Party. Service Club No. 2 started the week with a movie, "Harlem Rides

Trees are in place at the Serv-

ice Clubs at Camp and gay festoons and garlands are hung from the galleries. Inviting mis-

tletoe has been placed in strateg-

ic spots, suggestive of the activi-

ties which will take place

Range.'



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18-YEAR-OLD BOYS OF PINTY REGISTER **DURING DECEMBER**

The following boys of Mills County have registered with the Mills County Selective Service thwaite.

Board to date. This list includes boys who have become 18 since June 30, 1942: Bonnie Wayne Ethridge, Mul-

Milton Ben Schorn, Goldthwaite.

Charles Murray Davis, Goldth-

Samuel William Smith, Gold-

James Houston Reeves, Gold-

Loran Jones, Caradan. James Harlan Collier, Gold-

William Glenn Rose, Goldth-

H. M. Featherston, Goldth-

James Ural Lawson, Caradan. Harold George Walsh, Jr., Galveston.

R. B. Boyles, Mullin. Jimmie Rex Neill, Mullin. Tom Frank Priddy, Priddy. Raymond George Hiller,

Robert Milton Smith, Goldth

William Arthur Cline, Goldthwaite.

Rily Franklin Maxwell, Mullin. Lee Roy Mason, Goldthwaite. Charles Randolph Masser, Jr., Goldthwaite. James Edward Lawson, Mullin.

William James Stanley, Goldthwaite.

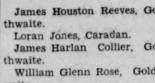
Leslie Everett Faulkner, Goldthwaite.

Charles Edgar Waddell, Goldthwaite.

Horace George Brooks, Mullin. Robby Marion Duren, Mullin.

with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Dalton.

Virgel Northington of Temple and Clyde Northington of Lampasas visited last week-end in the homes of Claude Eacott and Tom Toland here.



A massive electric cross was erected on top of Service Club No. 1 to remind the men that peace and harmony still can reign over the world. It also will shine out as a beacon for the new men in camp, leading them to a favorite entertainment

throughout the week.

In the new area, the various organziations have decorated their mess halls, day rooms and company buildings, while the Service Club has been given special attention by Gen. Vincent Meyer and his staff.

The American Red Cross, with the help of the "Gray Ladies," have prepared the Red Cross Auditorium for the numerous Christmas events scheduled.

Top activities will be "Xmas Time in Swing," an all-colored show prepared under the direction of Cpl. Lloyd Squaer; the City Recreation Group from Fort Worth, a talented group of youngsters; the 422nd Field Artillery Revue, prepared by Cpl. Raymond Ringo and including a cast of 40; the "Yuletide Follies," presented by the 12th Field Hospital under the direction Mrs. Wayne Cornelius and Sgt. McDermott, and the Christdaughter Sharon of San Antonio mas Eve parties at all the Servare spending the holidays here ice and USO Clubs. On Christmas Day, an old-fashioned Christmas party will be held at Service Club No. 1-including Santa Claus, a special-priced turkey dinner, music, giant grab-bag, free soft drinks, candy, fruit, ice cream, and cigarettes. Service Club No. 3 has thousands of presents ready for

the enlisted men. The directors of the clubs said Christmas in Camp will be a tary and treasurer; Mrs. Sauters Merry one, but the men have in mind that these joys are the F. Horton, reporter. things they are fighting for and that they are all looking forward to the day when there really shall be "peace on earth, good will toward men."

Mrs. Odis Gary of San Marcos ents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Hes-

Miss Lillian Graves of San Marcos spent the week-end with homefolks and relatives here.

Goldthwaite Home Demonstration Club

The Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Bulah Sauters on December 15.

After a called business session, the club enjoyed its annual Christmas party.

In the business meeting, Mrs. Guy Walker was elected president of our club for the following year; Mrs. Wall, vice-presidnet; Mrs. Jon Schooler, secre-Council delegate; and Mrs. M

After several enjoyable games gifts were exchanged. Delicious refreshments of Coca-Cola and cookies were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be January 7, 1943, in the home of Mrs. Jon Schooler.-Reporter.

Evans received Postal telegraph greetings fro mPfc. Charles H. Botts, who is with the Marines on Midway Island.

Personal-Buddie, we received | New Justice of Peace E. A. no money. Please send no more Obenhaus and family moved to in letter; send by wire.

town last week.

Season's

Greetings

TO ALL OUR

MILLS COUNTY FRIENDS!

FROM

Wm. G. YARBOROUGH,

County Attorney.

County Treasurer.

MRS. W. L. BURKS.

R. J. GERALD.

County Judge. EARL SUMMY,

County Clerk. HERN HARRIS,

Sheriff.

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—For Your Patronage— With Our Wish for a Happy New Year



TO OUR SOLDIERS, SAILORS, MARINES, AND ARMY AIR CORPS

Our Texas Boys are on their way, Amid a war-torn world, Their decks afoam, their wings agleam, With Freedom's Flag unfurled.

We know not what your Port may be, Nor where you make your stand, But well we know that you will bring Victory in every land.

So here's to you, our Hearty Lads, The battle ne'er give o'er, Our love, our hopes, our prayers we send, With a mighty Lion's Roar!

> W. C. BARNETT, President. F. C. FOX, Secretary.



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LOOKING BACKWARD TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

DECEMBER 29, 1917

Coley O. Sevier was one of the soldier boys who came in Monday for a visit to home folks.

John C. Hicks and wife and son have been here from Fort holidays with relatives.

Edward Geeslin and family left on Saturday night's train for Fort Worth to spend the holidays with relatives.

Cecil Denson of the army service, arrived from San Antonio stitution. Monday to spend the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Burks, and other relatives and friends. Miss Sophia Martin, who is a weekly issue. Let them come in,

we will meet them all. R. F. Logan has taken this oc-Worth this week spending the casion to pay one of his perioditeacher of elocution in the public





GARDLESS of what has happened to this queer old world in 1942, there is still love and cheer

and friendship out of which we may fashion another happy Christmas season.

We want to say now that we wish all of our friends every success in finding during this Yuletide all the happiness it can possibly

Appreciation extended for your splendid patronage in 1942

Gerald-Worley COMPANY PHONE 228

GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS



For your enjoyment of the Yuletide Season. As we review the past, we realize how much you and other friends like you have contributed toward our successes, and pledge ourselves to renewed efforts to even greater service in the future.



C. FRAZIER CONOCO AGENT

the holidays.

teacher in Fort Worth schools, is spending the holidays with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. W.

Maurice and Marion Stephens have been here from Fort Worth this week visiting home folks and friends.

Charley Wilson came in from Gainsville Sunday to spend the Christmas holidays with relatives and friends. He is a machine opeartor for the Gainsville Register and is doing good work. He learned the business in the Eagle office and we are naturally proud of his success.

Misses Nita and Velma Cockrum are at home from the University at Austin to spend the holidays.

W. E. Miller. President of the Goldthwaite National Bank, has been appointed as director of the War Saving Division of this in-

R. V. Littlepage and wife spent Christmas in Killeen with relatives.

Firms listing holiday greetings were Bodkin and Hurdle, Goldthwaite National Bank, Henry Martin Dry Goods, Mullans Variety Store, L. E. Miuler and son, Lanford Marcantile Co., Clements Drug Store, Trent State Bank, I. C. Everly Company, Littles and Sons.

48 Years Ago

(From Files of The Mountain Eagle, December 29, 1894) J. J. Cox of Mullin was in town

today. J. W. Street of Star was in the

city today. Mitch Johnson left this mornng for Austin, where he will

pend New Year's. The family of Dr. A. W. Barton are about taking Christmas with

friends. The young folks had a pleasant party at the residence of Sheriff Geeslin Tuesday night.

Bill, me and Susen Jane have Bill, me and Susen Jane have bers of war planes for the Allies.

Them splendid goods bers of war planes for the Allies.

Thought from Varborough's did Today we still need workers with I bought from Yarborough's did the biz, you bet!

W. H. Thompson, Jr., and family returned to Brownwood Saturday night, after a week spent in the Mountain City.

Mrs. John R. Bannister, nee Miss Emma Daugherty, returned Wednesday from San Antonio to spend a few days with relatives. Because this is Christmas week

we have not sent out to our readers a make-shift but presented them with the regular amount of reading matter.

The increase in our subscription list necessitates the addi- five men. They finished all the tion of two more quires to our parts by hand and then put cal vistis to his old home. R. F. is a genial companion and meets congenial spirit when he arrives. process took a long time.

Geo. Barr took advantage of excursion rates and is off on a simplification plans worked out trip to his old home in Mississip- by our engineers, has been bropa. George will give us an ac- ken down into many small jobs. count of his tour when he re- This means that the workers

Alvin A. Wynne, one of the owners of the Living Issue, was in Goldthwaite visiting this week. Al is a solid young man and is showing what earnest endeavor can accomplish in newspaperdom.

If our merchants will plant proper "ads" in the Eagle, we will guarantee results.

Cards are out for the wedding of Miss Lora Allen and W. E. Gresham at the Methodist Church Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Strickland of McGregor spent Christmas holidays with his father, Capt. M. J. Strickland, of our town.

List of advertisers: Kirby & Cunningham, groceries; The Red Store, Leon Brin; Bowden and Vickers, dry goods and groceries; J. J. Mills, groceries; First National Bank, D. H. Trent, Pres.; J. H. Logan Drug Store; J. D. Harris, dry goods; W. E. James, barber; J. I. Campbell & Co. lumber; I. C. Everly & Co., general merchandise; Hudson, Henry & Co., livery, sale and feed; Hudson & Rahl; Dr. Barton's Drug Store; J. D. Sexton, groceries; B. A. Harris, Dry Goods; Miss Myra Everly, physician & surgeon; George Whitaker, Jr., justice of the peace; Jno. J. Cox, Lawyer; J. L. Lewis, lawyer; Triplett & Daugherty, law-

T. H. Hamilton, who has been for several weeks in the Temple hospital where he underwent a major operation, was brought to Goldthwaite Monday. He is doing nicely.

school at Mertzon, arrived at home Saturday night to spend PLACE FOR EVERYBODY IN UNITED he holidays. Attes Mamie Kelly, who is a STATES WAR PLANE PRODUCTION



Test pilots for the Texas plant of North American Aviation, Inc., are shown here putting three AT-6 combat trainers through their paces on their initial flights. Fledgling pilots for the United States, Britain and 23 other nations train in sleek ships like these before they go into battle. Officials of North American's Texas plant have announced that thousands of additional workers are needed in their factory to help win the battle on the production front.

There is a place on the war plane production line for the butcher, the baker, the cowhand or the housewife, personnel of- Service office, or at the U.S. Emficials of the Texas Plant of North Amercan Aviation, Inc. declared today as they announce ed that thousands of new workers are needed to "keep 'em fly-

"People believe that one must be a specialist to obtain a job in the aviation industry today Nate Molinarro, North Ameri- work. can's personnel director. "Five or six years ago airplanes were custom built and workers had to be experts in their line, but this situation was elimnated when we started turning out vast numpre-employment training, but they can be relatively inexper-

"Everyone realizes the necessity for speed in the war program and in order to get the planes out fast we have revised our production methods to such an extent that we rely today on a large number of workers doing hundreds of jobs rather than on a handful of specialists."

"There was a time, for example, when the wing panels for a plane were built by four or them together. The finished product was excellent, but the

"Today the process, through don't have to absorb a large mass of mechanical details in order to do a good job. The

worker now learns to do one small task and he learns to do it quickly and well. Through this method the parts required for a wing panel are made by a large group and are passed along from one station or department to another until they are assembled into the completed product.

'We have found people in the Southwest extremely adaptable to this type of work. They learn easily. North American has been able to do an exceptional production job in Texas, with Texas manpower and womanpower.

"Naturally we prefer workers who have some basic knowledge of riveting, sheet metal work, welding or machine operations, but this knowledge is easy to acquire at an accredited aviation school or a National Defense School.

"Men and women who are interested in obtaining jobs in a war industry should go to the nearest U. S. Employment Service office and make application. All applicants for jobs at North American must be made through this channel in line with the ruling from the U.S. Manpower Mobilization Commission.'

"Applications may be filed at the nearest U.S. Employment ployment office at Ross Akard Streets in Dallas."

a letter from her brother, Cpl. Harry Crawford, who is stationfirst-class to corporal. He says Strickland's sister, Mrs. John W. have been misinformed," said he is doing fine and enjoys his Roberts, and Mr. Roberts.

We realize what your Friendship and Patronage has meant to us.

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Land and Commercial Litigation. OFFICE IN COURTHOUSE GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS

****** News was received here this week from Pvt. William L. Covington, one of the boys who left for the Army on November 2. He

Mrs. E. C. Greathouse received is stationed at Camp Adair, Ore. C. E. Strickland, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wayne Andrews and son ed at Marianna, Fla., stating he Bobbie of Brady spent last Sunhad been promoted from private day here in the home of Mrs.

DR. T. C. GRAVES

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ing to get a little sleep. Stomach upset. Since using ADLERIKA I feel so good. Am 64 years old and do my own work." (E. P .-Okla.) If gas in stomach or intestines bothers YOU, try AD-LERIKA today.

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Nothing left off that is needed—sothing put on that is No Job Too Small—No Job Too Large for us to handle efficiently

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T'S an old-fashioned greeting, hallowed by centuries of use, but we know of no other greeting to take its place, so in 1942, as in other years, we simply say to you, our friends,

MERRY CHRISTMAS GOLDTHWAITE CAFE

JOHNNIE and TONIE

H. D. CLUB MEETS In the home of our beloved president, Beulah Sauters, the

Goldthwaite Home Demonstra-

tion Club guests met Tuesday, December 15th for an afternoon of fun and merry-making. The candle lights and glitterletters found in Santa Claus

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ing tree helped us catch the Yuletide spirit. Handmade gifts were taken and each lady registered, then the names were put in a basket



HOLIDAY SEASON

Once again a Christmas! May its message of peace and happines's abide with you throughout the Yule Season of 1942, and carry its benign influence to you and

> **CULWELL'S** GARAGE

was afterwards given out. An old time spelling program and then a telegram to Santa was written by each lady, requesting a gift for her neighbor to her left. These were then read, which caused much laughter. Also sentences with the

were composed, then read, they too, were often comical. oo, were often comical.

Bottle games and guessing JUNIOR RED CROSS games were played just before the delicious refreshment plates and passed. The name drawn of hot cocoa and Christmas dain

> ties were served. Our club is very grateful to our president for all that she has done for our club and community. She has made a splendid president and carried out each program in a gratifying ty one hundred per cent. manner, even though the reporter failed to report two or

three of them Merry Christmas and Peace to All. Reporter

MAKING GOOD

Word was received here last week Jhat Miss Julia Beth Ballard, daughter of Clifton Ballard of Moran, a former resident of Mills County, and granddaughter of Mrs. C. Ballard of Goldthwaite, is now employed with the Fee reau of Investigation in De in 4, the administration division

Miss Ballard writes that Wash ington is a tremendously busy place, and she had no idea of the work being done until she came there and saw it. She was teaching school at Moran before accepting the position in Wash-

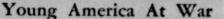
the Rock Springs Community have purchased a residence in the west part of town from L. B. Porter. They moved to their new home last week.

Miss Emma Judd of Hallettsville spent Saturday here the guest of Mrs. Lina McLean.



is our sincere wish that loads of old-time Christmas joy will again be with us all during the Yule season. May the sacrifices of 1942 usher in soon a genuine era of good will. And thank thousand es for your many kindnesses during the

Curtis Long





Symbolic of youth's part in the war effort, this new poster was painted for the American Junior Red Cross by Walter Beach Humphrey,

25 writing portfolios, 50 Christ-

wers, 20 Christmas tray favors,

Payne Gap completed a pro-

ject today of 9 chair cushion

There are still other projects

to be made and a number of the

a desire to cooperate but have

My I say "hats off" to a num-

enrolled schools have expressed

not begun actual work yet.

24 flower containers, Mullin.

The campaign for enrollment in the Junior Red Cross is closed with only two schools of the county unreported. It is hoped that before January First these two schools will apply for enrollment, so as to make our coun

A total of \$76.31 has been contributed by the eighteen schools of the county as follows:

or one coursel no ronous.	
Midway	\$1.
Big Valley	_ 3.
Pleasant Grove	1.
Prairie	1.
Payne Gap	
Priddy High	
Priddy Elementary	9.
Goldthwaite High	
Goldthwaite Elementary	_ 20.
Mullin High	_ 4.
Mullin Elementary	3.
Lake Merritt	1.
Pecan Wells	1.
Star High	_ 2.
Star Elemetary	
Mount Olive	
Center Point	1

This shows a spirit of enthusiasm and cooperation among the school children-a desire to do their part-that undoubtedly many of the adults of today do not have. And they are not only Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Circle of working with their pennies and he Rock Springs Community nickels, but many of them have expressed a desire to do some of the projects assigned to this chapter by Red Cross Headquar-

> The following projects are now being made: 12 Utility Bags, Big Valley.



We thank you for your loyalty to us during the year. May you experience every joy during this blessed Yuletide of 1942.

MRS. W. O. HOLLAND MILLINERY

country and its fighting men Another item of interest which was not in the actual quoa assigned us and therefore, aid not go through the Red Cross office is a little project carried out by a group of girls in Goldthwaite High School. Construction paper, typewritten Christmas Carols, fronts of old Christmas cards and much artistic work went into the construction of something over one hungred Christmas Carol Booklets. Appeal was made to boys and girls of the High School for each one to bring the address of his relatives and friends who are in the service. Consequently, those Christmas carol books are scattered over the world today to help bring Christmas cheer to the fighting men.

A letter has been received already from one private of Camp Hulen, Texas, in which he says: 'I want to express my appreciation to you for sending me this greeting booklet. I had not thought much about Christmas until I received your greeting, and it gave me the Christmas

This project was sponsored and paid for by the Home Making Club, but sent in the name of the Goldthwaite Junior Red Cross, of which every boy and girl in the Goldthwaite Schools is a member.

P. T. A. MEETING The teachers of the Goldthwaite school were greatly surprised and were pleased to see such a large crowd out to P. T. A. Wednesday, December 9th.

88 Utility Bags, Mullin. 25 lapboards, 25 writing boards, Cocoa and cookies were served. The grammar school rendered a most enjoyable Yuletide promas cards, 50 Christmas napgram. There seemed to be a kins, 36 Washington Birthday very impressive atmosphere napkins, 100 library envelopes when the program opened with and cards, 25 ash trays, 50 moththe First Year Rythm Band playing. It was followed by er's day cards, Goldthwaite Ele-'Eilent Night" sung by a trio. · 35 game cards of various kinds.

Then the second year rhythm 50 cross word puzzles and ansplayed followed by several other musical numbers and songs and climaxed by a dialogue: "When A definite report cannot be the Lights Turn On All Over made yet on Star school prothe World" given by the Sixth grade students.

After the program a short business session was held. The room attendance \$1.00 was won by Mrs. Cockrum's room.

REPORTER

George W. Barrington, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Barrington, left last Saturday ber of enthusiastic bays and for Corpus Christi, where we engirls who believe in helping tered the Naval Air Base as a themselves by helping their mechanic.



UST A LINE to extend our heartfelt thanks for your kindness to us during 1942, and to wish you and yours the merriest Christmas of them all.

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FOR SALE-A nice residence lot, conveneint to town, at a very reasonable price. Call at Eagle Office.

LOST-Bumper guard for Buick car: new. Please call Eagle Office.

WANTED-6,000 Rats to kill with Ray's Guaranteed Rat Killer; harmless to anything but rats and mice. Sells for 35c, 50c, and \$1.00 at GERALD-WOR-LEY FEED STORE. 3-1-43p

FOR SALE-4,000 pounds of used barbed wire. See W. H. CURTIS or C. R. MASSEY. Goldthwaite. 12-24-1tp

LOST-Hand saw between Goldthwaite and Moline. Finder please leave at Curtis Long's .-I. T. HOWELL. 12-25-1tp

WANTED-Good used bicycle; must be in good condition and cheap. Apply at Eagle Office.

WANTED-Oil Stove and Radio for Service Club.

Sincere Wishes

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To Our Many Friends and Customers

We Hope for You A

MERRY CHRISTMAS

And A

HAPPY NEW YEAR

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TRUCK FARM FOR SALE-85 acres on Colorado River. in San Saba County, between Ratler and Regency. State irrigation permit. No house on land, but all fenced. Estate will sell right. See C. T. Wilson, Adm., at Eagle Office.

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FOR SALE-First year Bagley Cotton Seed, roll run, \$1.50 per bushel. Twelve miles east of Goldthwaite.-O. K. BERRY. 12-18-2wtn

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TO TRADE-Large seven-room beautiful brick home on paved street in excellent neighborhood in San Angelo, to trade for Mills County stock farm. A wonderful home for some one who wants to retire from the stockfarm business. Inquire at Eagle Office.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Berry received word that their son Troy Newton was safe and had reached his destination.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Eacott spent Sunday afternoon in Brownwood.

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Chronic bronchitis may develop if your cough, chest cold, or acute bronchitis is not treated and you cannot afford to take a chance with any medicine less potent than Creomulsion which goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlesm and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes.

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No matter how many medicines you have tried, tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough, permitting rest and sleep, or you are to have your money back. (Adv.)

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O each and all of you we say "Merry Christmas." We say it - yes - in the very same spirit that we have said it in the past, knowing that the full enjoyment of Christmas is an affair of the heart and of the spirit. Pausing for a moment in the twilight of 1942 we look forward with our friends hopefully to the future.





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STUDENTS HOME

Among students from the various colleges home for Christmas holidays are: Magdaline and Coke Long. Billy Saylor. Sibil Miller. Louise Skipper. Evelyn Burns. Bobbie Fairman. Leslie Faulkner. Glynn Collier. Bonnie Fern Doggett.

Mrs. Oscar Westerman of Brady spent part of the week with relatives here.

THE WORDS ARE FEW BUT THE WISH IS EVERLASTING: May 1943 be a happy year for you and all you hold dear . . . Thanks a million for your generous patronage.

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METHODIST NOTICE

Allow me to take this opportunity to say to one and all: 'Merry Christmas and Happy New Year."

There is much to make us merry and happy this year, while there is much to make us sad. We are sad about the war and our men being away from us this Christmas Season. We cannot enough to hear the angelic be as merry as we would like to be. However, there has not been a Christmas in many years when the people had quite so much of this world's goods. This is the greatest Christmas this country has ever had on the material side. We cannot find all the things we want to buy, and cannot find enough ways in which to send all we buy to those we love. Our stores and post offices and conveyances are so overcrowded that the workers cannot get time to have Christmas for themselves. All too many are complaining that we are poor

and seem not to be able to enjoy what we have.

This should be a time when we ought to be honoring the Lord instead of reveling in our substance. We wonder how people can so dishonor the Lord as we do. The wise men brought gifts to the Christ-child. We bring spendings and revelings. We find no room for him in the inn. Surely America needs to

come to her senses and stop long preacher proclaim glad tidings of great joy to us for there is born unto you this day a Savior which is Christ the Lord. Next Sunday we will bring the

New Year's message at 10:45 a. m. Preaching at 7 p. m. Come with us and we will do you good. Let us begin the New Year right by giving honor to the Lord.

We want to thank all who gave to our Orphan Home at Waco. If you have not yet made your offering for this great work send it in or bring it Sunday.

B. A. MYERS, Pastor.



It is impossible to greet each one of our friends and customers personally, and we take this opportunity to extend our best wishes for the Holiday Season.