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GORMAN NEWS

(By Special Correspondent) Mrs. R. H. Williams had the following people in her home Sunday...

spending 31 months in the Aleutian Islands in Harbor Craft of the Transportation Corp.

Mrs. James Rawson was informed last week that her husband Sgt. Rawson, serving in the Infantry in the Germany, is missing in action since Nov. 24th.

Mrs. E. F. Barron is seriously ill at her home with pneumonia.

Mrs. A. A. Anderson, Mrs. C. J. Thompson and daughter Ruth Ann spent Monday in Ft. Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McAffey were in Austin Sunday.

Mrs. Earl Huffman of Pasadena Texas spent last week here with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Day.

INJURED IN WRECK Zelma Forrest of this city and Buddy Sharp of Desdemona are in the Blackwell Hospital suffering from injuries received in a head on collision Friday night on the Gorman-DeLeon highway.

Mrs. Nellie Mathis and Mrs. Ethel Lovell spent Sunday night with Mrs. Will Lovell.

LEGAL NOTICE NO. 4194 GUARDIANSHIP OF HOMER COURTNEY CALLAWAY, a Minor, and HERBERT ROBERT CALLAWAY an Epileptic.

CARBON

(By Special Correspondent) Carbon, Dec. 13 — Mr. and Mrs. Buckabee of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. M. Z. Stovall of DeLeon visited Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Boon Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Stubblefield were in Fort Worth and Dallas last Thursday.

Mrs. Jimmie Everett and son, Jimmie Jr., of Eastland, spent the week end with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Clark.

Miss Wayne Lovell of Breckinridge, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lovell.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade White and Pvt. Basil White of Camp Wolters, spent Sunday in San Antonio visiting with their son and brother, Sgt. Edgar White.

Mrs. J. R. Tomm is in Lubbock at the bedside of her father who was operated on Monday.

W. C. WHALEY Registered Professional Engineer (Civil) Reg. No. 4599 Licensed Land Surveyor Box No. 703, Phone 9005-F2 Eastland, Texas

Mrs. Dean Turner and small son have returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Turner and Miss Reese in Abilene.

A. C. Underwood and M. W. Medford were in Cisco Friday on business.

Mrs. Will Stacks has received a letter from her son, S-Sgt. Tom Stacks, that he is in Germany under the command of Major General Terry Allen, having trained under Major General Allen in the states.

Mrs. Will Lovell visited Mrs. Willis Mathis near Gorman last week.

On Sunday December 3rd, M. J. I-c and Mrs. John Phillips celebrated Thanksgiving with a real Thanksgiving dinner before M. M. I-c Phillips reported to Davisville R. I. for reassignment.

On Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. Phillips, Mrs. John Phillips and 2 sons, accompanied John Phillips M. M. I-c to Fort Worth when he left for R. I.

LEGAL NOTICE NO. 4194 GUARDIANSHIP OF HOMER COURTNEY CALLAWAY, a Minor, and HERBERT ROBERT CALLAWAY an Epileptic. IN THE COUNTY COURT OF EASTLAND COUNTY, TEXAS.

GUARDIAN NOTICE ON APPLICATION TO EXECUTE OIL, GAS AND MINERAL LEASE.

Notice is hereby given that I, Henry Callaway, guardian of the estate of Homer Courtney Callaway, a minor, and guardian of the estate of Herbert Robert Callaway, an epileptic, filed on the 8th day of December, 1944, an application in the above titled and numbered cause for an order of the County Court of Eastland County, Tex., authorizing me as guardian of the estates of said wards to make an oil, gas and mineral lease upon such terms as the Court may order and direct, covering all of the undivided inter-

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ests of said wards in the oil, gas and mineral rights in the following described land in Eastland County, Texas: 160 acres being the Southeast quarter (SE 1/4) of Section 402, S. P. R. R. Company Survey.

Said application will be heard by the County Judge in the County Courtroom at the Courthouse in the town of Eastland, Texas, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., on the 28th day of December, 1944.

Buy War Bonds

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Advertisement for A&P Coffee featuring '5 Ways Better' and 'It's Flavor-Saver Roasted!' with illustrations of coffee cans and a roaster.

Advertisement for Eastland Drug Company 'Holiday Drug Special' listing prices for toys, dolls, bill folds, shaving sets, gift soaps, and perfume bottles.

Advertisement for A&P Coffee showing various coffee products like 'Eight O'Clock', 'Red Circle', and 'Bokar' with prices and descriptions.

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Advertisement for Hamner Burial Association featuring a sun and hammer icon and text: 'THE ASSURANCE OF PROTECTION MEANS PEACE OF MIND Get a Hammer Burial Association Policy today.'

Large advertisement for Texas Electric Service Company with a background image of a lightning bolt and text: 'The HEAT is On! Streams of searing flame search out the hidden enemy in pill boxes and rock caves. The Nazis and the Japs know that the "heat is on." Here in America, the heat is on us, too. We've got a job to do. Our job is to buy War Bonds to back up the fighting men who are making real sacrifices. Let's take the heat off of us and show those who are winning battles for us that we can do our part at home. So let's buy that extra \$100 bond right now to help shorten the war!' Texas Electric Service Company.

Advertisement for Coca-Cola with a festive illustration of a family and text: 'Have a "Coke" = Merry Christmas... adding refreshment to holiday cheer The spirit of good will rules the Christmas season. It's a time to get together with friends and family... a time when all we mean by home in its graciousness and friendliness is at its peak. In such an atmosphere Coca-Cola belongs, ice-cold and sparkling with life. There's a whole story of hospitality in the three words Have a "Coke",—three words that express a friendly spirit the whole year 'round. Yes, Coca-Cola and the pause that refreshes are everyday symbols of a way of living that takes friendliness for granted.' Texas Coca-Cola Bottling Co.

DESDEMONA

Mrs. C. W. Wier of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Koonce last week.

J. W. Maltby visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Maltby last week.

The Desdemona basketball boys and girls played Beattie last Friday and Saturday. The girls won the first game and were defeated the second game. The Desdemona boys were defeated by Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Adams and son of Breckenridge and Mrs. Zona Griffin of Staff, visited J. C. Peak and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Guthrey and Mrs. Robert Guthrey went to Mineola Saturday where Pvt. Robert Guthrey is stationed. Herl Wittie is moving into this community from Gatesville. He is turned to camp Sunday.

J. E. Wittie, Carrol Wittie, and Don Wittie visited relatives in Gatesville over the week-end. Carrol Wittie is moving into this community from Gatesville. He is a brother to J. E. Wittie.

STAFF NEWS

(By Special Correspondent)

Staff, Dec. 12 — Mrs. Frank Williamson was the guest of Mrs. Pearl Bourland of Eastland, last Tuesday evening.

Jasper Phelps was a business visitor in Ranger last Thursday.

Truett Fox was an Eastland visitor on last Thursday.

Tom Pope was a business visitor in Eastland Monday.

Mrs. Maurice Hazard and Donald, Miss Edna Everton and Mrs. R. A. Parker shopped in Ranger Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fonville, Jimmy and Earl of Ranger, were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard, last Thursday.

Frank Williamson attended to business in Eastland last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Berry ElMott, Dean and Wilma of Olden were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard last Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne White and Betty Jean were visiting in Ranger Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Dwaine Dennis.

Rev. Lee Fields of Carbon visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Duncan Sunday.

Henry Ingram of Idalou and Bonner Ingram of Rule, were visiting in the homes of Robert Barber, M. O. Hazard, and Allen Crosley over the week end. Henry Ingram lived in this community before going to Idalou some years ago.

Dudd Graham moved from the Spencer Hazard home to Eastland recently.

Maurice Hazard and family were recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Everton in the Kokomo community.

Emmerson Hallenbeck and family visited in Eastland last Friday afternoon.

Jasper Phelps was in Eastland Friday on business.

Gorman 4-H Club To Have Field Day Saturday

Gorman 4-H Club boys are holding an achievement field day at Dallas Jobe's orchard on Saturday December 16 at 10 a. m. The boys will be given training in pruning, fruit trees, cover crops, spraying, orchard care and management will be discussed.

At 12 o'clock they will have a picnic spread.

Merit certificates will be presented to the 4-H boys completing their 1944 demonstrations. Following the achievement awards the boys are offering their services to Mr. Jobe for pecan harvest.

Deadline Set For Reporting Soil Building Projects

The Eastland county office of the Agricultural Adjustment Agency has issued the following statement with reference to reports soil building practices.

January 15, 1945 is the final date that we can accept reports of 1944 soil building practices carried out under the 1944 AAA Farm Program. If any producer

has carried out practices that have not been reported he must report these practices to the County AAA Office by January 15, 1945, in order to receive payment for the work.

All practices must be completed before January 1, 1945, and reported to the county office by January 15, 1945.

URGES SENATE OK WASHINGTON (UP)— Secretary of State Edward R. Stettinius, Jr., today asked for prompt senate confirmation of six top state department nominees to speed departmental reorganization and the formation of postwar peace machinery.

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It is one of the wartime contributions of the 14,000 men and women of Humble—scientists, drillers, roustabouts, stenographers, pipeliners, technologists, truck drivers, geologists, glassblowers, stillmen and those working in hundreds of other occupations.

Here is a partial list of their accomplishments to date:

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The Baytown refinery has produced more 100-octane aviation gasoline than any other plant in the world.
- FIRST** to produce synthetic toluene.
The Baytown Ordnance Works, first to synthesize toluene from petroleum, has supplied the toluene for at least one out of every two bombs used by the United Nations since Pearl Harbor.
- FIRST** in the production of crude oil.
Humble Oil & Refining Company is the nation's largest producer of crude oil, and is currently supplying about one-fourth of the increased production required for war as measured by the gain since 1941.
- FIRST** in the transportation of petroleum.
The Humble pipe lines transport more oil than any other system, handle one barrel in every seven of the domestic supply.

These accomplishments climax a quarter century of development, planning and team work of a great organization. The men and women who made them possible are behind the billion gallons of 100-octane aviation gasoline. They are behind whatever America needs of them for victory.

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NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS
 "A regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Eastland National Bank, Eastland, Texas, will be held in the banking rooms of said bank, between the hours of 1 and 3 p. m., on the 9th day of January, 1945 being the second Tuesday in said month, for the purpose of electing directors and the transacting of such other business as may properly come before the stockholders meeting."
 GUY PARKER
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 12-1-5t.

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 12-8-4t.

Sees Comfort Emphasized In Postwar Home

CHICAGO (UP)—The pent-up demand for all kinds of construction in the postwar period will require more men than at any time in the history of the building industry and construction will be an important factor in alleviating unemployment according to Henry J. Schwiem, general manager of the gypsum association.
 "Safety and comfort rather than 'startling innovations' will be emphasized in the post war home," Schwiem said.
 "They'll have walls with more fire protection, insulation and vapor barriers to prevent condensation, all at little if any more cost than the prewar wall," he said.
 "Refinement of new materials will make possible new handling of interiors. For just a little more the principal rooms can be sound conditioned for restful quiet."

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WANTED—Ironing at my home, 1501 S. Seaman.

FOR SALE—1 26 inch frame Mercury bicycle in good condition. 206 West Plummer.

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HAVE buyer for farm of 200 to 300 acres close in. Killough and Price.

FOR SALE—Large Piano. 700 South Seaman St. Phone 320.
 12-8-4t.

TOWN and FARM in WARTIME

Prepared by OFFICE OF WAR INFORMATION

Meats, Fats—Red stamps A8 through Z8 and A 5 through S5 good indefinitely. No new stamps until December 31.
Processed Foods—Blue stamps A8 through Z8; A5 through A2 and B2 remain valid indefinitely. No new stamps will be validated until the first of next month.
Sugar—Sugar stamps 30, 31, 32, 33, and 34, each good for five pounds indefinitely. Stamp 40, good for five pounds of canning sugar through February 28, 1945.
Gasoline—A-13 coupons in new ration book good for four gallons through December 21.
Fuel oil—Period 4 and 5 coupons remain valid through the out the heating year. Period 1 coupons remain valid also throughout the heating year. Period 2 coupons become valid on Monday, December 11, in the far western states only (Washington, Oregon, and Western Counties of Idaho) and will be valid through the heating year.
Shoes—Airplane stamps 1, 2, and 3 in book three, good indefinitely.

Light Price Base Set
 The Office of Price Administration has issued an order providing that the price to consumers of Christmas Tree lighting sets, when assembled by retailers, must be no more than the total of the retail prices for each of the parts making up the set. This action was taken in view of the fact that because of the shortage of lighting sets many retailers plan to assemble their own from wire, plugs, sockets and bulbs on hand. Incidentally, no new sets are being made.

Technical Future For Boys Seen
 Parents of boys will be interested in the report just published by the United States Office of Education which takes the view that new developments in electronic, air transportation and automobile design, as well as creation of improved materials for textile, food and construction uses, will demand a large increase in trained technical personnel. The report states that about five trained technicians are needed in modern industry for every professional engineer. These technicians fall into four main categories: Engineering and science aides requiring a year or two of pre-employment training; narrowly trained specialists such as inspectors; production and maintenance supervisors, and semi-technical salesmen, accountants and like workers.



The Lucas gusher at Spindletop was the biggest oil well the world had ever seen up to that time, its flow being estimated at 100,000 barrels a day, and the completion of that well was the most important single event in the history of the Texas oil industry.
 But it is a "believe it or not" that the great gusher was drilled by a man who went to Beaumont not primarily in search of oil but of sulphur.
 Pattillo Higgins, who was the

first man to insist there was oil under Spindletop and who induced Captain Anthony F. Lucas to drill there, told your columnist a few years ago that sulphur was Lucas' chief interest. Higgins made a similar statement in a booklet he issued the latter part of 1901—(some months after the well came in):
 "Capt. A. F. Lucas of Washington, D. C. learned that I intended developing a sulphur mine and wrote to ask if there was any chance for him to get in the business with me. I told him there was if he could find some capital to go in with us. He replied that he could obtain capital."
 "I wrote him that I had located great oil fields in this section of the country. The oil proposition did not strike very favorably with Capt. Lucas as he was seeking only sulphur."
 "He came to Beaumont and I took him out to the field and showed him the hill and told him that I believed that oil, gas and sulphur existed there in large quantities. He decided at once to go in with me."

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ney, president of the company, as quoted in the Spindletop edition of the Beaumont Enterprise three years ago, and Lucas left the company "for the purpose of drilling for sulphur at Beaumont."
 But fate rewarded Lucas not with the sulphur he sought but with the greatest oil well that the world had ever seen.
 The anniversary of the Lucas gusher will be observed on Jan. 19 in Beaumont with suitable ceremonies.

Iowa's Famous Fish Car Goes To Scrap Heap
 DES MOINES, Ia. (UP)—Iowa's famous pioneer fish car, Hawkeye No. Two, is to be scrapped and the steel sent to war via the scrap route, the Iowa Conservation Commission reported.
 The Hawkeye, a special railroad car, was built for the state in 1913 at a cost of \$12,500 to haul live game from Sabula and Lansing on the Mississippi River to the inland lakes and streams for stocking.
 The fish car contained 20 large steel tanks in which the fish were held and was also fitted with eight berths, an office and a galley.
 During the car's 20 year lifetime it traveled thousands of miles on every railroad line in the state. When fish stockings were made, the game warden at the stocking point was notified, and he met the train with a caravan of farm trucks loaded with water filled stock tanks. The fish were transferred to the wagons and then carried over Iowa's dirt road system to the stream or lake to be stocked.
 Often the train was met not only by the warden and his farm wagons, but also by the city fathers and the town band. The arrival of a load of fish was a gala occasion in the days before fisheries trucks.

Funeral Services For Joe Tiblets To Be On Friday

Funeral services for Joe P. Tiblets of Mingus will be conducted Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Catholic church in Mingus with interment in the Strawn cemetery and arrangements will be by Morris Funeral Home.
 The deceased was born June 15, 1860 in Yugoslavia and had resided at Mingus for the 24 years. He was a member of the Catholic church.
 Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Mary Tiblets, one son, Pfc. Billie J. Tiblets, Camp Bowie and three daughters, Mrs. E. J. Browder of Mingus, Mrs. Huffman of Stephenville and Mrs. Mike Bentino of Minus.

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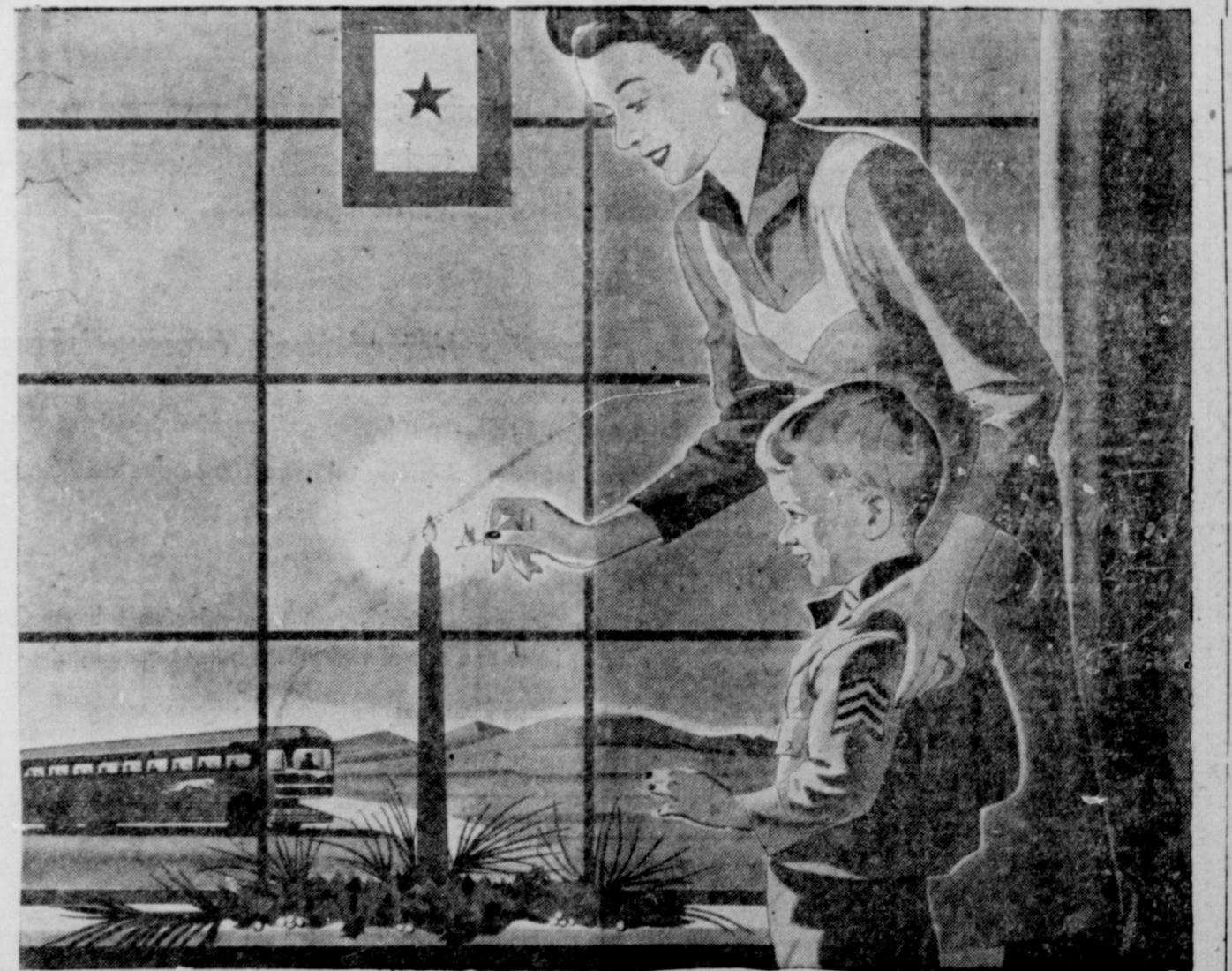
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"We'll keep it shining... until he comes home, little soldier!"

A lot of other lights are twinkling on again all over this battered planet, little boy-at-the-window! This will be a Christmas of such hope and promise as our war-tired world has not seen for more years than you've had birthdays.
 Lights from the headlamps of thousands of Greyhound buses reflect the hope that shines in the eyes of people everywhere—for Greyhound may well be a principal carrier of our victorious fighters, in the greatest home-coming of all time.
 In the meantime, let's keep everlastingly at the jobs we're doing. Any let-up in our war assignments, now, may let down our men who are finishing the hard and grinding job that still remains.
 Greyhound's special task, today, is carrying an enormous volume of war manpower. Its most pleasant job in post-war days will be to show America's millions the charm and beauty, the friendliness, of the land we have all been fighting for.

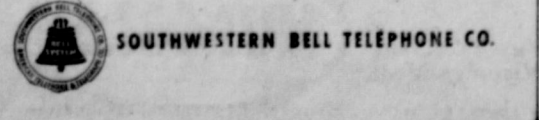


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Baptist Church

H. J. Starnes, Pastor
9:45 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:55 a. m.—Morning worship.
7:30 p. m.—Training Union.
8:30 p. m.—Evening worship.

Church of Christ

Corner Daugherty and West Plummer Streets
Bible Classes 10 a. m.
Devotional, Preaching 11 a. m.

First Christian Church

J. B. Blunk, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 A. M.
Men's Bible Class 10:00 A. M.

The Church of God

At Lamar and West Valley Streets
W. E. Hallenbeck, Pastor
Program for the week:
Sunday
Sunday School—10:00 A. M.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Cor. Valley and Walnut Streets
M. L. Elder, Pastor
R. A. Henderson, Supt.

Church of The Nazarene

Rev. Fred Fike
St. Frances Catholic Church
Service Sunday at 11:00 A. M.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICE

"Is the Universe, Including man Evolved by Atomic Force?" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist on Sunday December 17.

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The Baptist Herald

H. J. Starnes, Pastor

The Sunday School attendance last Sunday was slightly below 200. Of course the weather was unfavorable. Perhaps some could have been present had they wanted to more.

Various social events are being planned for different departments of the church life. We think this is commendable on the part of those responsible for such events.

We feel that it won't be so necessary to stress the matter of a gift for our Orphans at Christmas time. White Christmas will be observed Sunday morning, December 24th.

One a year our churches promote an offering for Foreign Missions. It is called the Lottie Moar Christmas offering.

The first quarter of our church year has ended. The Finance Committee has adopted the policy of mailing the financial record to each member every quarter.

We are planning for Student Night on Sunday, December 31st, at which time the service will be in charge of our college students.

It is almost unbelievable how many Baptists live in Eastland with their membership other places. A number of them have moved into our good town during the past year.

Tells of Rocket Carrying Ship

WASHINGTON — The Navy, unfolding for the first time many details of its growing arsenal of rocket weapons, revealed today it has developed a small rocket-carrying ship with two and a half times the fire power of a 45,000-ton battleship.

The Methodist Broadcaster

Weekly News of First Methodist Church

L. Durwood Fleming, Pastor

CHRISTMAS OFFERING FOR THE METHODIST HOME SUNDAY

Letters have gone out this week to our membership telling the story again of the needs of our Methodist Home (Orphanage) at Waco.

Nothing more than a mere announcement will bring generous responses from our people; no pressure is needed for this offering.

The offering will continue through Sunday, December 24 but the official gift will be made this coming Sunday. We must not take the obvious risks in holding it longer.

A brief, terse statement, if taken seriously, will encourage you to be on hand Sunday. Special music and Christmas carols will be part of the worship service.

The Sunday night service will be interesting with the Men's Choir in action. They meet at 7:00 for rehearsal and a short business meeting and are ready to sing at 7:30.

How about thinking this through? THE FLEMING'S ARE GRATEFUL

Let the old scribe slip this in while the publishers are not looking. Little Martha Ann Fleming came to us on December 6 at the Dallas Methodist Hospital and we are happy over her coming.

When Christmas is over the five Flemings will be re-established in more orderliness in our homes and with you.

THE CHORUS WILL NEED FULL ATTENDANCE NEXT THURSDAY
The choir will carry real responsibility on Sunday the 24th, and the need of full membership at the Thursday rehearsal is apparent.

Christmas Sunday will be the 24th with two outstanding services—the morning worship at 11:00 and the service of Christmas music at 6:00.

During the 11:00 service, every idea of strength will be used and the beauty of the service is a realist guaranteed.

Miss Wilda and the Harmony Girls will have the service of Christmas music at 5:00 in the afternoon. More will be said about it later, but you already know what's in store with this simple statement.

Buy War Bonds

County Green Thumb Winner Gives Report

By Mrs. John Love
In the following report Mrs. John Love of the Alameda community explains her efforts which resulted in her being named County Green Thumb Victory Garden contest winner.

"In the fall, manure was applied to the garden plot and turned under by deep plowing. Later superphosphate was added. In January plans for the garden, showing where various vegetables would be planted, were made.

The garden was planned with the nutritive value of the vegetables uppermost in mind. The garden is conveniently located and the vegetables to be picked daily were to be planted nearest the house.

Late in August all weeds and vegetable refuse were cut and removed from the soil. The garden was plowed to a depth of four or five inches.

On April 5, the first vegetables were gathered from the garden. From this date until frost vegetables were gathered every day.

spring garden, of course. The vegetables in fall garden are: Collards, English Peas, head lettuce, spinach, Irish potatoes, butter beans, blackeyed peas, tomatoes, peppers, sweet potatoes, mustard, leaf lettuce, radishes, carrots, beets and turnips.

May I say here, this live at home program pays. We fed two peanut shakers crows 15 in one crew and 12 in another for two noon meals and cost us \$3.00. This was for the bread, tea and coffee.

A garden much larger than necessary to supply the needs of our family was planted for two reasons (1) neighbors and relatives who live in town and had no garden plots.

The Chambers of Commerce in Eastland and Ranger were contacted and bulletins were made showing the vegetables that could be had from this garden by picking them on the halve.

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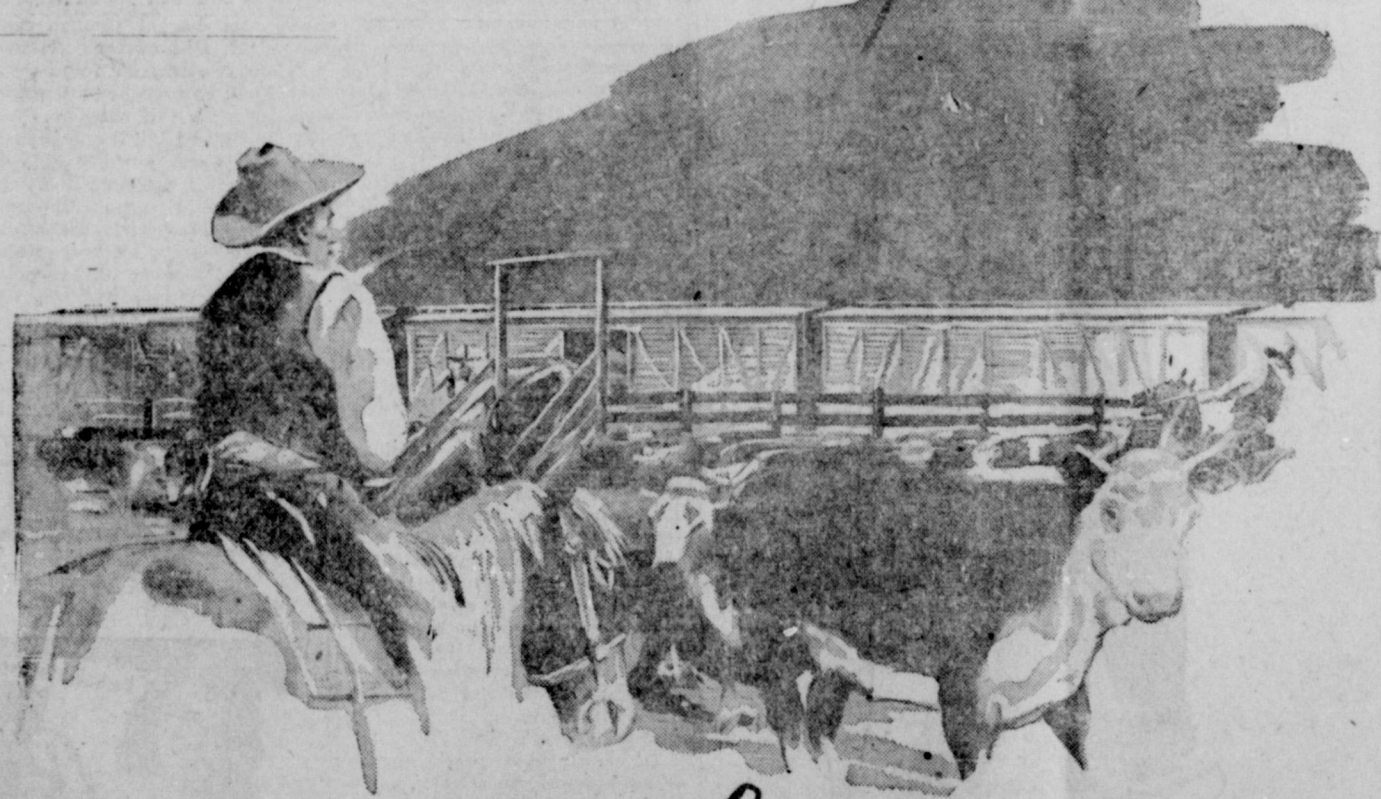
The poor bereft American boys who've been used to guzzling chocolate sodas, hamburgers, and banana splits galore back in the home of soda fountains, the good old U. S. A., give groans and gasps of unbelieving delight when they see that soda fountain, says Clark.

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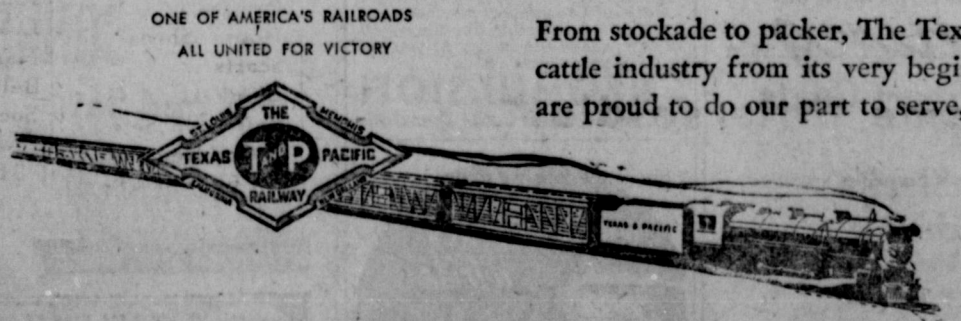


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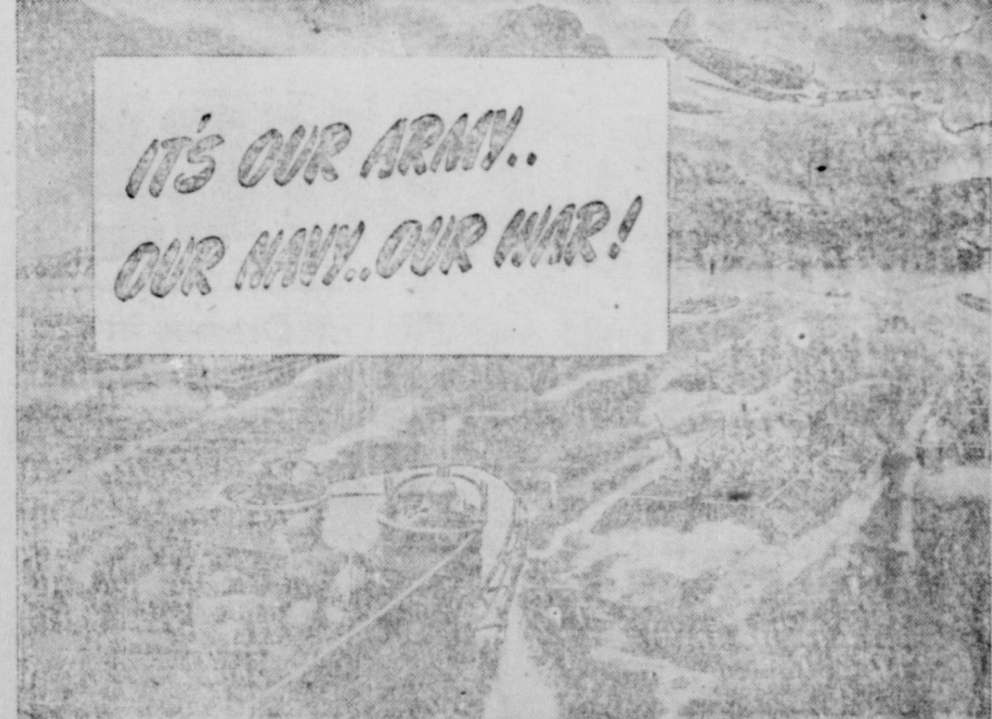
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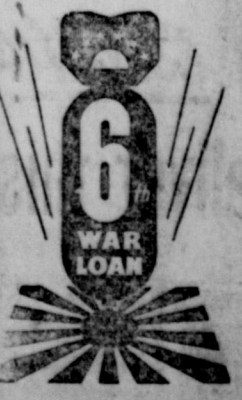
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