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We have had communications from a score or more of the boys the past week, but their have been mostly Christmas Greeting cards, and contained no personal message from the boys, themselves; but one of these is en unique that we feel constrained to mention it. It is from Ens. Harold Handon, of the U. S. Navy. The original of it has been hand drawn, and mimeograph copies made of it. It represents a man lying in the shade of a palm tree. He has a palm leaf fan in one hand and in the other is a mug or glass of some sort, which he is holding aloft, and a large bee is settled there is one straw protruding from the top of the mug. The following message is "handprinted" beneath the picture: 'It's hard to think in

basking sun, While guzzling drinks of Tropical RUM

That Christmas time again has COME. Merry Christmas, Northern BUM."

Thanks Harold for the card .-

Dallas, Texas-Pfc. Paul L. Spring, is spending a few days of the holiday season with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Spring of Friona, Tex., Pfc. Spring is a member of Army Specialized Training Unit No. 1809, stationed at the Medical School of the Southwestern Medical Foundation, at Dallas, and his Christmas furlough is a well deserved interlude in the busy seas address. Merle Harry and diers, so we wanted you to have process of traing to become a medical oficer in the Army of the United States. Upon successful completion of the training program Pfc. Spring will be seas address. Merle Harry and diers, so we wanted you to have a sample as you are doing such good work for them. Robert F. Owens is home. He was discharged Dec. 3. He was inducted T. E. Seigler was elected. ing program Pfc. Spring will be commissioned a First Lieuten-and you will likely get quite a time in the hospital until dis-ant in the Medical Corps of the

Army of the United States. Public Relations Officer.

ATHENS, GA.,-Naval Avia-Navy Pre-Flight School here. himself.-U. J. He has been ordered to the Naval Air Station at Memphis, To inform you of my change flight training, preparatory to O. K. I'm sure I will like it here, arrived here the first of the joining a combat unit. Cadet Weis is a son of Mrs. Rebecca Weis. He graduated from Friona High School in 1942. He complet-Kilgore, Tex.

Dear Uncle John:

a very beautiful place, too. I I suppose it has been cold at was looking in prime physical have really not been able to see Friona in the past few weeks.

much of it yet, but hope I soon will be able to get a little time off to see it. I really enjoyed the boat ride over, too. It being my first one, made it a lot of fun; but I guess that by the time we get back we will enjoy the ride back a lot more. Lady Luck was on my side, I guess ,as I never was seasick like I thought I would be; but some of the boys were and could not eat, and Boy! That is really tough. There is little to tell about the people over here, as I know very little about them, but I hope to get around in the near future. I always heard about the good food that we would get over here, but then I thought that it was to cover up for what we were getting at that time; but we are geting better food here than I have eaten since I have been in the Army, and that's not hay. Say, Uncle John, I would like for you to give me Roy's address if you can, and if not, then ently sipping its contents, and maybe some kind reader would do this, as I would like very much | to look him up, but can't until I get his address, so I hope to get it soon. It would really be swell has it not? It has been pretty to see a boy from the "Old home warm here until last Tuesday town". I would like to have the night and it has been cold ever Star sent to me, here. I don't since. I have received two copies know just what it takes to get of the Friona Star and I really it, but I will try anyway in the appreciate it. It is like hearing world to get it. So let my mother from all of my friends. I am know, if there is anything to sure it will help the boys that

getting it and I will cooperate are fighting more than anything with you, as I like to keep up else. There was a mistake in my there. Well, I must close for now, instead of Camp Wallace. Thanks but I hope that I will hear from very much, Uncle John. all of you soon. So long! "And A friend, Claude. I sure would be glad to send munity, tells of two of her sons, Roy's adress, but I do not have one in Italy and the other re-

his over-seas address, just the cently discharged from the serone he used before he went vice, and sends sample of candy: along.-U. J.

Mr. White:

A friend,

transferred here from the C. A. to war. You were fortunate to Pvt. Hall, while here favored A. War Training Service School, receive any copies of the Star, the Star office with a short visit Scout troop also has been organ-Melvin, for we had you billed to and expressed his appreciation Camp Wallace, instead of Camp for the Star and stated that he England, Nov. 26,1943. Wolters; but we are making the is liking Army life very well; but members while a year ago there before calving; cows with calves, correction and you should get as soon as this war is over he Well, it seems that Roy Hughes your paper regularly now .- U. J. has had enough of war and will

Stove League

Cupid at Controls



Capt. William R. Crook of Columbia City, Ind., was offered a major's rating or a threeweek furlough to go home from China to see his girl, Bobby Ann. Which did he choose? Well, there the newlyweds are, in Columbia City.

the fellows from around address. It is Camp Wolters, Tex., Pvt. Melvin Wiley

> The following message from Mrs. C. R. Owens of Hub com-

across. Anyway, I could not Mr. White, this is a sampe of trace him any further than the candy, which my daughter-New York N. Y. if I had the over-in-law and I made for our solbe getting your Star shortly April 2, and spent most of the bunch of them as we have been charged. He sends thanks, for

of physical conditioning and Athens Ga., to Memphis, Tenn., Sam says he must see Berlin of Friona were named vice the ration normally fed. Still Marvin Boyd officiating. ground school work at the U. S. and here is a card from John first. He was well and working chairmen. awfully hard.

Pvt. John E. Hall son of Mr. Tenn., to begin (progressive in address. Tennessee seems and Mrs. Carl Hall of Friona Dameron. week to spend a short furlough of organization and extension, A-c J L. Weis. with his parents. His furlough already brief, was shortened The following letter is from nearly a whole day by a 16-hour

is going to get his wish, as here I am in England, and it is really Dear Uncle John:

Camp Wolters, Texas, 12-16-43. be glad to return home. He is of the training program, relocated at Camp Ellis, Ill., and ported completion of a mountain specific completion.

The Christmas Story

And it came to pass in those days, that there went out a decree from Caesar Augustus, that all the world should be taxed.

And all went to be taxed, every one into his own

And Joseph also went up from Galilee, out of the city of Nazareth, into Judaea, unto the city of David, which is called Bethlehem;

To be taxed with Mary his espoused wife, being

And so it was, that, while they were there, the days were accomplished that she should be delivered. And she brought forth her firstborn son, and wrap-

ped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger; because there was no room for them in the inn. And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by

And lo, the angel of the Lord came unto them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them; and they were sore afraid.

And the angel said unto them, Fear not; for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall

be to all people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David Saviour, which is Christ the Lord.

And this shall be a sign unto you; Ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a

And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude the heavenly host praising God, and saying, Glory to God in the highest and on earth peace,

good will toward men. And it came to pass, as the angels were gone away from them into heaven, the shepherds said one to another, let us now go even unto Bethlehem, and see this thing which the Lord hath made known unto us.

And they came with haste, and found Mary, and Joseph, and the babe lying in a manger.

T. E. Seigler To Head Dist.

T. E. Seigler was elected chair-Sgt. Charlie W. Cwens is now Mr. Seigler succeeds John Mc- velvet beans and pods.

Members of the nominating committee were Hall Beavers, tein concentrate and one part of her brother, G. K. Crawford. Rev. James Aiken and W. E.

Rev. Marvin Boyd, chairman reported five troops with 104 boys registered in the district, as compared with three troops and 74 and Summerfield and an Air ized. There are now two cub packs in the district with 56 were just 39 Cubs registered.

master's training course; and Hall Beavers, chairman of the camping program, reported on Next-of-Kin the camp held last summer at Ceta Canyon under the direction of Scoutmaster Urlin Streu. by the enemy will receive swift ganization for such information. the advancement and court of honor committee reported three courts of honor and the establishment of the air troop, as achievements during the past

Stockmen Can "Get By" With **Short Protein**

(Editor's Note: The following article is submitted by County Agent A. R .Bateman in the hope that it will prove helpful to local cattlemen in solving the problems of the feed shortage.)

"Getting By" on little or no protein concentrate this winter is a major problem facing beef cattlemen but it can be done through careful, sound management and feeding, says A. L. Ward, educational director, National Cottonseed Products Assn.

"Cattlemen know that protein concentrate is the most important feed to supplement range or farm grass and grains, and that nothing else is as satisfactory," Ward says, "But where it is impossible to obtain any protein concentrate, or where only a

part of the needed amount is available, the present emergency can be met through use of feeds that are less scarce, particularly in farming areas."

following feeds: 3 to 4 pounds of armed forces. man of the Deaf Smith District, legume hay, 2 pounds of ground Llano Estacado Council, Boy oats, wheat or barley; 3 pounds sending them out for you right the paper was so much comfort Scouts of America, at the an-jof grain sorghum chops or corn to him while in the hospital. nual meeting held here last week. meal; or 2 1-2 pounds of ground

> better is a mixture of 2 parts Mrs. Cavendar died following their Friona friends to cottonseed meal or other pro- a three day illness at the home them in their new home. trate normally used.

to 2 pounds, daily, for 60 days Friona. Rev. James Aiken, chairman 1-2 to 2 pounds; calves, 3-4 to 1 2 to 2 1-2 pounds; herd bulls, 1 Office of War Information has pound; and yearlings or older mediately will transmit free any steers, 1 to 1 1-2 pounds.

Quick Word to

and accurate notification, the

Reminder

Ration

GASOLINE - "A" Book Coupons No. 8 good for three gallons each through November 21. Stamps A-9 are valid Nov. 22.

SUGAR Stamp 29 in Book 4 valid Nov. 1, good for 5 lbs. through Jan. 15, 1944. SHOES—Stamp No. 18 (1 pair) has been extended indefinitely. Stamp 1 on airplane sheet in Book 3 be-comes valid Nov. 1.

PROCESSED FOODS Green Stamps D, E and F expire Jan. 20.

MEATS AND FATS L, M, N, P, and Q, now valid, expire Jan. 1,; Stamp R, valid Dec. 26, expires Jan. 29.

Stamp 1 in Book 4 good for 5 points in purchase of pork. Expires Jan. 1.

SERVER BEREICHER GEREICHER GEREICHER Moternity and Child Care Now Provided for Wives of Enlisted Men

Federal funds are now available with which to provide maternal medical care for wives

By Gas Fumes ternal medical care for wives of enlisted men in the armed forces and for medical and nurs-Bureau of the United States De- miles north of Clovis, N. M. partment of Labor has released minister this program.

Coast Guard; medical and hos- on the floor pital care for sick infants under Although we were able to get one year of age whose fathers no direct information of the sad are within these four pay grades. affair reports reaching the Star

ing from pregnancy.

only upon the recommendation of death from asphyxiation. of the attending physician.

sicians.

The United States Congress en husband and father. legislation making provision for day afternoon. this service that this is not a If there is no protein available, "charity" service but that it is to be provided as the right of any wife and infant of an enlistpound of protein concentrate in any wife and infant of an enlist- last week, where by Mr. and Mrs. the ration normally fed be re- ed man in the fourth, fifth, six- H. H. Elmore became the owners placed by these amounts of the th, or seventh pay grades of our of the popular eating house here,

Aged Resident Dies

The first communication in Italy. Says he is homesick. Lean, who presided at last week's if some protein concentrate can for Mrs. M. H. Cavendar, 84 year Funeral services were held ATHENS, GA., Naval Aviation Content and Second Protein Concentrate Can be used. A half-and-half mixtransfer of John L. Weis from Christmas at home, but Uncle transfer of John L. Weis from Christmas at home transfer of John L. Weis from Christmas at home transfer of John L. Weis from Christmas at home transfer of John L. Weis from Christmas at home transfer of John L. Weis from Christmas at home transfer of John L. Weis from Christmas at home transfer of John L. Weis from Christmas at home transfer of John L. Weis from Christmas at home transfer of John L. Weis from

ground wheat, oats or barley, She was born and reared in Dear Mr. White used pound for pound to replace Tennessee, moving to Texas for- | Will you please send my Frithe amount of protein concen- ty three years ago. She came to ona Star to the above address. Hereford from Prairie Grove, We like out here fine. Hulen is If enough protein concentrate Arkansas three years ago with working for the Motor Center is available to feed it as the only her brother and niece, Miss Chevrolet Co. here. The main ed Naval Flight Preparatory Melvin Wiley, which is his first layover at Kansas City and a boys a year ago. New troops winter range or silage or other member of the Methodist Church one other covers three business. good roughage, cattle can "get since childhood. Besides the lots. We have bought a nice along" on the following daily brother with whom she lived and little house here and will make amounts; Dry cows, 1 pound her niece, Mrs. Cavendar left this our home. We would like for daily per head; bred cows 1-1-2 one brother, T. J. Crawford of any Friona folks that come out

> announced. The government imaccurate information from a reliable source dealing with prisoners of war. OWI warned againts reliability of enemy Next-of-kin of servicemen broadcasts and against paying who have been taken prisoner any private individual or or-

Mother and Child **Asphyxiated**

The sad word reached Friona ing care for their infants, ac- last Saturday telling of the cording to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, state death of Mrs. Eugene Dixon and health officer. The Children's her baby, at their home a few

Mr. Dixon, who is a son of Mr. funds to the Texas State Health and Mrs. C. W. Dixon of the Department with which to ad- Rhea community, had gone to Portales for a load of dairy feed, Two distinct services will be and did not return until nightrendered under this program, fall On arriving at the home he explained Dr. Cox: complete ma- secured his mail from the mail ternity care for wives of en- box then went to the house where listed men of the fourth, fifth, he found his wife and baby, sixth and seventh grades in the both dead, the mother sitting in Army Navy, Marine Corps or a chair and the little one lying

Maternity care as provided office were to the effect that under this program will consist neighbors were notified and an of medical care during the pre- investigation revealed the fact natal period, child birth and that the home was tightly clossix weeks thereafter-includ- ed and a butane gas fire was ing any complications result- burning in the room which led to the conclusion that both Sick infants will be biven med- deaths had been caused by as-

ical, hospital and nursing care phyxiation either from the during the first year of life. fumes of the gas or the fact Nursing care, in the home, will that all oxygen in the room had be made available by local health been consumed by the gas flame. departments where there are Report further stated that a established services. Bedside coroner's jury substantiated this nursing care will be provided opinion and rendered a verdict Young Mr. Dixon and his

Forms of requesting care may wife were prominent and thrifty be obtained from the local or people and were popular in their state health departments, wel- community. They were well fare agencies, American Red known at Friona, and the sin-Cross Chapters, and local phy- cere sympathy of this community goes out to the grief strickmade it clear in passing the funeral was held at Clovis. Tues-

Cafe Changes Hands A deal was consumated here

best known as Smiley's Cafe. The Elmores purchased the business from Tolbert Stowers, who purchased it a few months ago from J. V. (Smiley) Fulks.

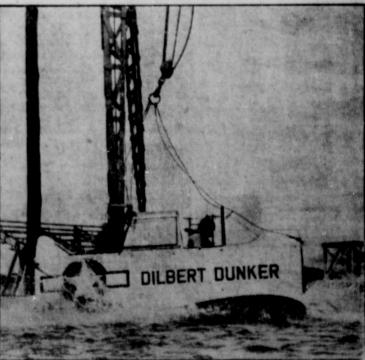
The new owners took posses sion of the business Monday.

from Mrs. M. H. Hines invites

here, to come to see us. Thanks

Mrs. M. H. Hines

Lesson 1---Into the Drink and Out



The Dilbert Dunker at Corpus Christi, Tex., naval zir training cen ter teaches cadets how to escape from a plane forced down at sea. A sudden drop, submergence, and the fully-clothed cadet gets 25 seconds to scramble out, inflate a rubber liferaft, and climb aboard. Incidentally, Dilbert is the name for cadets who always do things wrong. (U. S. Navy photo.)

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Farmer John SEES THINGS

tions, for America's post war ALONG' with the New Deal's mad economy and social welfare as rush towards regimentation and there are ambitious politicians. State Socialism. The farm bloc Nearly every remedy is especially killed the farm subsidy. designed to please either some Al hough some farmers have politically powerful or needy not yet seen the fallacy of the group. If the special ingredient theory, that the government can is not prompted by greed, selfish successfully fix farm commodiinterest or politics, it is almost ty prices. The trend seems desure to be sympathy for the un- finitely away from government der privileged. Although the ex- meddling in any kind of legiticuse for the development of these mate business. This surely is a remedies may be legitimate and healthy swing. popular there is only one sound The nation's small business foundation on which to build men, as a class, have never been

except a comparatively small they have tolerated what, to group, of money and popularity them, looked like crazy business blinded new dealers, are con- for the sake of the approval of winced the government has reck- their customres and old time ered untold wealth. Wealth, not cannot take much pride in their only in the form of taxes but yet attitude of 'do and say nothing." more startling is the waste that For after all theirs was self inhas resulted from a slowed down terest too. At the expense of the initiative on the part of both trying to win friends and profits management and labor.

organized group to go with him preservation of his own business to Washington and make a lot and free enterprise has pushed of noise coud get his hand in the him off hs perch of "hands off, mek of taves. The fact that much or let Tom do it," he must get of the time the sack had been his hands dirty with politics. He ary or flat or in the red, made is definitely thinking in terms little difference. The reassuring of anti-socialism; Business consurely have to refill it. Manage- Anti-New Deal conventions. ment cannot do his est work Generally great spasmode powhile looking up and down the litical swings go too far when the a bureaucrat inspector that is ibrium. America proved some of U. S. 5th Army-the nearer establish the stability of herds of labor can't be expected better the public schools and can march, men that can dig. to go for or fast on his job while postal system. Before Socialistic the dear Uncle is promising tendencies become too unpop- men that can labor, men that greener pastures if he will cut his ular, a floor under the price of will take orders. In war time ev- can be extended and enlarged

takes have been made by all while 'the administration has obligingly stood by and reaped popularity and votes with quack remedies and emergency promises. Yet to fasten the biggest Bix Months, Zone 1 ____ \$.80 guilt on anyone does not help to

Surely everybody knows that matter, July 31, 1925, at the everybody will have to help pay post office at Friona, Texas, for national blundering and exunder the Act of March 3, travagance. Surely every thoughtful person knows that Any erroneous reflection upon finaly the consumer must pay the character, standing or re- the bill. Yet the sales tax seems putation of any person, firm not to meet with popular approv-

The farmers are the first Friona Star will be gladly group to begin getting their corrected upon its being eyes open. The administration brought to the attention of the subsidy effort aroused the national farm organizations from awake, they saw the thing just Display rates quoted on applica- would not add up right. It plainly was not good business. The farmer, even if he knew he could get the biggest bundle of tax money, knew he could starve Uncle Sam's other poor culprits to submission. But, what, Oh What! would become of the cherished American way of life, his free business enterprise, his There are about as many hope of future development, if

tonics, cures and surgical opera- he allowed his influence to 'GO

sold on the New Deal. They con-All sections of our citizenship, demned the NRA. Generally lessly and maliciously squand- friends. So these business men production caused by corrupting | heir country's interest they were while the other great groups Anybody, if he could get an were getting government pie. But night was somebody would ferences usually turn out to be

or searching the skies for pendulum starts towards equilapposed to tell him how to her experiments in Socialism. No Rome, the colder (and hotter!). Constitution and respect for law dan his business. Then great one would know better how to commom labor should be estab- erybody sees the practical value into a great builder of public It does little toward replen- lished. Sentiment or sympathy of man power. They vaguely see property. Let that army's pay hing the treasury or stepping for the plight of common labor the worth of common labor.













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Armor' in Italy



Pfc. Thomas Patrick of Hilton, Okla., fits himself out with a pair of G. I. drawers in Italy, just what mother always said to with the function in free enterprise. Re-

production for farmers to under economic depression need It is totally unAmerican and wage for all common labor. int accusingly at labor, and not enter into the argument for undesirable for government to American initiative will furnish ganized labor to covetously a bolster to the price of the la- say to Henry Ford, the railroad the genius to build a free enterant at industry and industry bor. It is simply that war con-companies, the coal operators or prise on top of a stabilized wage. p oint at capital and each in a ditions have magnifed and clar- some farmer, that any of these cious manner to curse Roose- ified the need for men. Men that various business men must pay

to any or all of their employees for needs directly relating to a specifed wage. That looks too the war effort or uses necessary much like what we are fighting to the civilian economy. in Europe. It will be a sorry day "For this reason, I urge all

for democracy when the right truck operators to redouble their to freely bargain between indi- maintenance efforts and to reviduals or corporations is done gard their present vehicles as probably the last which they The United States has always will be able to obtain until the seen fit to maintain a regular end of the war. Preventive mainstanding army and navy. The tenance and careful driving habits should be particularly minimum wage for the private or common labor is set by the emphasized by truck drivers."

Brown Points for Waste Fats

The housewife may now receive one brown ration point for and bad has a strong appeal to each half-pound of salvage kitmany useful men. Is it not prac- chen fats she takes to her retical and possible an American tailer In addition, she will conimprovement army should be tinue to receive four cents a lb. made just as staple and just as Retailers will not give points for honorable as the honor for pro- less than one-half pound, nor tection? In order to steer this for any fractional over weight.

the stench of the WPA its voting Gift Packages Point Free Gift packages of jams, jellies, privileges should be the same as the regular army. In fact it fruit butter, preserves, and nonshould have a cleansing effect citrus marma'ade that were on all politics if they were not packed before October 23 for allowed a vote. Indeed in a free sale as Christmas gifts may be and bargaining economy no man bought point-free through Janshould have a right to help hire uary 8, OPA said recently. Behimself with his vote. Of course cause the packages were made be up before these foods were raten assembled in packages with as cakes and cookies, it is nec- prevent waste.

SEASON'S CHEER

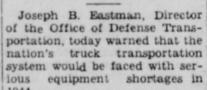
Transport in Central Italy



A U. S. soldier leads his packhorse over the rocky terrain in central Italy, where quadrupeds are the main transport service, giving you an idea how tough it is to handle the supply problem there. (U. S. Army Signal Corps photo.)

tioned, and because they are of- such highly perishable porducts essary to sell them speedily to

Serious Transportation Shortage Seen in '44



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excepted.

"Although production of 123, 000 new commercial vehicles units has been aproved for the coming year," Eastman said, "truck operators should not now assume that the replacement

equipment problem is solved. "Reports reaching the ODT indicate that a great many operators, who read the announcement approving the new replacement vehicle program, were apparently convinced that their equipment problems will short-

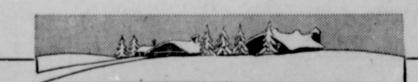
ly be over. This is not so. For, of the 123,000 new vehicles approved, only about 80,000 will actually be for civilian use. The remainder are for the United States Dominion of Canada, and other non-civilian purposes. And this 80,000 may be compared to normal pre-war replacement production of 450,000 vehicles anrually, to realize that the number approved is very small indeed when probable demands

are considered "It should also be noted that bulk of this 80,000 are scheduled for delivery the last half of 1944. Thus even when the whole 80,000 trucks approved for civilian use are finally produced (and of 7,500 approved for production in the third and ourth quarters of 1943 less than 250 have been delivered to date) they will be sufficient to take care of only the most urgent applications. These trucks will go into the civilian truck pool, HE STAGE COACH has given place to the streamliner. The electric light has snuffed out the softbeamed candle. Tinkling sleigh bells are drowned in the roar of motor horns. But who will say that Christmas has lost its charm? With Christmas at hand we renew our pledge of devotion to ideals of honest dealing, and express our appre-

ciation of your friendship for us during 1943.

Control of the Contro

"HEAP ON MORE WOOD, THE WIND IS CHILL; BUT LET IT WHISTLE AS IT WILL, WE'LL KEEP OUR MERRY CHRISTMAS STILL!



REEVE CHEVROLET CO.



E PAUSE, on the Eve of Christmas, 1943, to contemplate how much we owe the perennial character of our customers. With gratitude and pride we scan the list. Some of these customers have been with us for more than a quarter of a century.

To these old customers, to new ones, and to potential ones every member of this organization now joins in wishing "Merry

FRIONA MACHINERY CO.

J. J. WILLIAMS, Prop.

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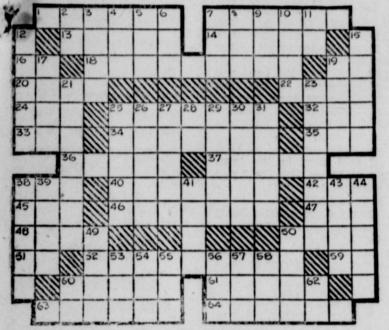
27 Worth. 8 Preposition. Maker of tiles. 30 Void of sense. 31 Yields.

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44 Lubricated. 49 Law. 50 Eskimo house (variant). 53 Cavity. 54 To observe. 55 Finale. 56 2000 pounds. 57 Yellow bugle

58 Adverbial negative. 60 Three-toed 62 Either

plant



Folks in Uniform



"I told the chief what you said, and he says nuts to meatless Tuesday-you're cooking today."



* From Greenland's icy mountains to India's coral strand the age-old celebration of Christmas is in progress. In this season of universal good will we welcome the opportunity to thank you for that measure of confidence you have shown in us during 1943 and other years. We will do our utmost to continue to deserve it.



Maurer Machinery Co.

Palm-Hopping the Japs at Madang



Low-flying B-25 bombers nearly skim the palm-tops in a run over the bay at Madang, New Guines Smoke haze in the background marks destruction caused to Jap installations at nearby Alexishafen by B-24 bombers in a parallel attack. Smoke puff in middle is enemy ack-ack. c

Farm Machinery Outlook for 1944 Improved; More Repairs Available

COLLEGE STATION, Dec .-Manufacture of repair parts for farm machinery in 194 will not be restricted, and production of needed types of equipment will be about double the output of 1943. This outlook is based upon the total overall materials authorized by the war Production Board for making, planting, tillage and harvesting equipment during the year. Comparably, it is about 80 per cent of the 1940 production, a year in which manufacture relatively

According to information from the War Food Administration to the A. and M. College Extension Service, sufficient tonnage of carbon steel has been authorized to manufacturers to meet the entire machinery and repair parts schedule for domes-

THe WFA explains that the improved outlook for 1944 permits a reduction in the number of aypes of machinery it will be necessary to ration compared with the rationing schedules of this year. And incidentally neither attachments nor repair parts for next year are subject to rationing and distribution. Distribution control will be necessary on only 46 types of machines and rationing control on only 3. As a consequence more nearly normal trade relationships will exist between farmers, phize, as does the Gospel of John dealers and manufacturers, the agency forecasts.

om July 1 to September 30, the he makes everything irst quarter of the 1943-44 program of spring-use equipment, including land preparation machinery, seeding equipment, tillage tools and similar items, amounted to 760,500 units. During the four months ending October 31, the total tractor production for farm use was slightly more than 25 per cent of the year's production schedule.

According to the WFA's analysis of the farm equipment situation, the tight spot will be hauling vehicles, including trucks and replacement tires for trucks aaia-?hCidH DECDecO

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Gospel of Mark Is Factual Story Of Jesus' Life

The International Weekly Sunday School Lesson for Jan. 2 Text: Mark 1:1-22

THE lessons for the first quar ter of the New Year consist of studies in the Gospel of Mark. under the dominant theme of that Gospel, the Gospel of the

Son of God. The Gospel of Mark begins with John the Baptist and his work of preparation for the comadult ministry of the Master. without a word concerning His miraculous birth, and the wonderful story of His babyhood and childhood.

The Gospel of Mark was probably the first of our Gospels to be written, and these things were undoubtedly wall known at the

Mark's explicit purpose was to set forth the fact of the divine life of the Son of God by portraying that life in all the vividness of the Master's own acts and words. He does not philoso-St. Mark's Gospel is a narrative of action. He brings us right on the scene, and as much as It is disclosed that production anyone could do through writing

Is not that the ideal way know the Master and feel His power-not by hearsay, not by what others say about Him, but discovering Him for our-

selves? Nothing is happening at second hand; we are right on the Was there ever a more wonderful narrative than the 16 chapters of this Book of Mark? What a privilege to study it! And what an experience if we come to know and see Jesus as Mark knew Him and saw Him!



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MONG the things for which our boys are fighting is the right to celebrate Christmas in the traditional American way. It is with particular pride in our country's accomplishment in this direction and with firm faith for the future that we send you now our heartiest Christmas wishes.

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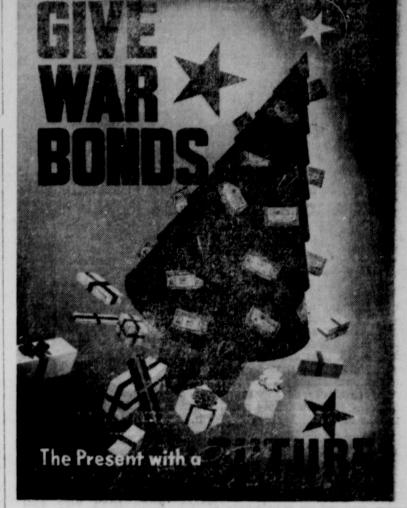
Vitamin B-1 First Found in Rice Husk

Vitamin B-1, or thiamine, was discovered by a Dutch chemist, working in the Phillippines, looking for the vitamin located in rice polishings. For years Japanese sailors had been suffering from the beriberi (a disease of the nerves similar to neuritis), because the essential vitamin was discarded in rice polihsings.

People liked their rice polished and their bread white. White bread was more pleasing to the eye and taste, and they also believed it easier on the digestion. And so men spent much time and ingenuity inventing a way to remove the ferm and bran in milling to make white flour. And by discarding the berm and bran they deprived themselves of the important vitamin B-1, of protein needed for body maintenance, and of minerals.

Nowadays white bread is often enriched with vitamin B-1, thiamine. This vitamin is present in many vegetables and in lean meats eggs and milk, but it can be destroyed by excessive boiling or lost in the water if much is used and later poured into the sink, urthermore, the body does not store it well, so it must constantly be supplied. B-1 is found in pork, milk, peas, beans and other legumes, enreals, nuts, eggs, and most meats. It is essential for growth, meat than in light meat.

good appetite, and good nerves.



Comes Natural



Following in her parents' footsteps is Alana Ladd, daughter of film star Alan Ladd and former actress Sue Carol, as she poses at age 6 months.

tial for growth, healthy skin and peared in Europe, particularly normal eye tissue. It is found in milk, eggs, meat, almost all about 100 years later in the riched bread or whole grain ce- vegetables and fruit; and in United States. At times as many fowl, i greater amounts in dark as 400,000 cases have been re-

Vitamin B-2, or riboflavin, another member of the B group, but it was proved that pellagra was discovered in milk more It is used in the prevention and is caused by lack of niacin in the than 60 years ago, but its real cure of pellagra, which comes diet. Niacin is found in meats, significance was not known un- from Italian "pelle agra," mean- fish, eggs, and leafy vegetables, til a few years ago. It is essen-'ing rough skin. Pellagra first ap- and whole grain and milk.

in Spain and Italy, a little before the American Revolution and ported in this country in a year, Niacin, or nicotinic acid, is mainly in the southern states,





"At Christmas play and make good cheer For Christmas comes but once a year"

TLITTERING more fantastically than the jew-J els of Aladdin's cave are the Christmas trees in the windows of this town and adjoining farm areas. Everywhere, everywhere Christmas, and the spirit which Christmas brings.

We love this town and its environs. We have grown up here and have come to regard ourselves as "a fixture." We have a great many friends, "but not a friend to spare," and at this time we want to thank them, one and all.

YES, CHRISTMAS COMES BUT ONCE A YEAR, SO IT BE-HOOVES US ALL TO MAKE THE VERY MOST OF IT. ON THE EVE OF THIS JOYOUS SEASON WE TAKE GREAT PLEASURE IN WISHING ALL OUR FRIENDS THE FULLEST MEASURE OF CHRISTMAS JOY AND HAPPINESS.



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sent state of mind. In fact my grin. enything much. It seems to be view, which brings one to the e'en though this may not occur. possessed of a great swirling, realization that it is not alone the faint flush of this Happy Christmas-tide. pression and yet so conglomer- season, when one's very soul at all unique in this respect. ste that I seem to be unable to seems filled with the Christmas traighten out or separate from spirit, why does the simple, But, though it is painful to adthe mass one single idea.

line of this effusion, "I am sit- a sense of joy and satisfaction and time. There are many wan ting alone by the fire," having to the heart of the recipient. just enjoyed a short visit from

to various people.

and gradualy grows in its pull- uable to us. ing or pushing power, until with in the last week or few days be-

with its simple but expressive Yule-tide season, must creep in But, as I stated in the first message or greeting, bring such to dampen the joys of the day

two of my kids and my little Thus, it is not only wealth that to enjoy only a tiny mite of this grandson,- (Pardon me for the counts in expressing this won- joyous season. In many homes of Richmond, Calif., announce personality, but this is my col- derful feeling, which seems to sickness and other calamities the birth of twin sons on Dec. umn, remember.) and now they pervade the minds and souls of have fallen upon the home, 10. Mrs. Rutherford is the former have gone to make another short all mankind at and during this bringing with them unbidden Miss Martha Slagle, daughter of visit before bedtime rarives. But especial time of ecah year, I and unpreventable poverty, to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Slagle of Frithe thing that seems uppermost know this to be true from per- the extent that the Christmas ona. in my mind is the fact that this sonal experience, for I, like you fare will be scant indeed. And is the Sunday night before dear reader. (Yes, I have a few the ravages of war, will cause Christmas and what this Yule- readers, who sympathize with me many loved faces to be absent tide season means or should and appreciate what I try to say, from the family circle, not alone mean to the world. And the var- even though I may not know how in our own great land, but

ious things that it seems to mean to say it.) am receiving the little suffering upon their innocent tokens of friendship, apprecia- and helpless children. tion and affection with each in-And this presents itself to my coming mail, and I, like you, am mind, and clamors for an an- feeling those little thrills of joy us here as free moral agents swer.-Why does this particu- and gratitude for the remem- and given us intelligence to guide lar season have the same uni- brance of these many dear us in the ways that are best ble of Parmer County-Greet- to-wit: \$4.56 for State taxes and \$20.00 per acre, \$1200.00 cash. versal influence upon the lives friends, each time I open the for ourselves and all those who ing: and actions of people through- envelope and read the name or are dear to us and has left it You are Hereby Commanded taxes, together with interest, out the world, especially where- names attached thereto. Thus, up to us, as individuals, thence- to summon Charles A. Elmore, penalties and costs allowed by ever Christendom has spread its itis not the intrinsic or commer- forth to go our own way—free and Unknown Owner or Own- law. tenacles and they have found cial value of the gift that makes to do that which is harmful or ers, and the Unknown Heirs of Said taxes are due upon the lodgement in the minds and lives it appreciated, but, as I see it, to do that which is right—and the said Charles A. Elmore and following described lands or lots: of people? Is it a psychological that indefinable something for has established certain laws to of the said Unknown Owner or All of Lots Numbers Five (5) and or spiritual influence that it which I can conceive no bet- assist us in knowing the right Owners of the hereinafter de- Six (6), of Block Number Four carries with it, that first begins ter name than "The Christ- fro mthe wrong, and ability to scribed land. By making publica- (4) of the McMillen and Fergus to invade our minds, some three mas Spirit," that makes the know that when we do wrong, tion of this Citation once in each Addition to the town of Friona, weeks or more before Christmas, small gifts or memento so val- we must suffer for it.

years ago, but they are the only penury fo rthe pleasure of some across my cheek and my vision for the remainder of the song curb our desires to the measure am I the only one that is so afthe same thing occurring with

litle ones who, through no BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT fault of their own, will be able mean to the world. And the var- even though I may not know how throughout the entire world, and many of these loved faces will never return again to brighten the home fireside and the family table.

> And these causes of sadness are so many and varied that it would be folly for me to undertake to catalog them here. But the saddest part of it all is, perhaps, the fact that so many of these causes are brought on by the carelessness or thoughtlessness of so many people, and their willful acts bring sorrow and penury to the loved ones.

But, here is what gets my goat about such things. Why, oh why! Why do we willfully do the things that bring sorrow and uffering and sometimes disgrace upon those that we hold dearer than all else in the world? And especially when we do not need to do so-are not forced to do

Many times it is the children and even after they have reached the age of maturity and dependability, do the things that seem to bring their gray-haired parents down in sorrow to the grave by their wayward and evil deeds. Then there are parents, who seem to have so little regard for the welfare and pleasure of their children that they bring the ravages of poverty in the form of hunger, illness, deformity and various other forms of

The Great Creator has placed

And wild and sweet. The words repeat.

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-Longfellow.

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LEGAL NOTICE

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week for two consecutive weeks Parmer County, Texas, as shown Just what method or form the of, in some newspaper published of record in the Deed Records of There seems to be a foundain Creator employed in establish- in your County, if there be a Parmer County, Texas, to which fore the all-important day, all of reserve moisture hidden humanity seems to have become somewhere near my eyes, and as know; neither does anyone else but if not, then in a newspaper made. infatuated or saturated with the I read the names on some of know, but I am sure he did it in an adjoining county, to apcondition known as "The Christ-hese little missives, that foun- in the manner he thought best, pear at the next regular term constitutional lien upon said "I am sitting alone by the mas Spirit." All seem possessed tain unbidden wells up until my and further than that is none of the District Court, 69 Judicial land for said taxes, interest, penthe "Those words are from with a desire to spend and to eyes are filled with it to the first line of a song I heard give either our lavish wealth point of overflowing and the to use the ability he has given as, to be held at the court house law, and pray for the foreclomy dear old aunt sing many long or our meager possessions or unbidden moisture flows down me, in the best possible manner thereof, in the town of Farwell, sure of said lien and sale of for the greatest possible good, Texas, on the second Monday in said lands for the satisfaction words of that song that I care dear one. Many of us wish to is dimmed by it to the extent and to use the talents given for January, A. D. 1944, then and of the same. to repeat here and at this time give the richest of gifts but must that I fail to see distinctly. And grwoing into greater and better there to appear and defend the Each party to said suit shall deeds so that my every effort suit filed in said court on the take notice of, and plead and has nothing to do with my pre- of our means, much to our chafected? Nay, verily! For I see
the same thing occurring with ling the greatest possible joy for cause numbered, wherein the lings now on file and hereafter present state of mind seems to have little or nothing to do with But, from another point of e'en though this may not occur, of my fellow creatures during ty of Parmer, of said State, are parties therein. plaintiffs and Charles A. Elmore, and Unknown Owner or Owners, before said court, on the first e rideas, each clamoring for ex- that counts at the Christmas enance. Thus I know I am not I heard the bells on Christmas And the Unknown Heirs of the day of the next term thereof, said Charles A. Elmore, And of this writ, with your return there-Their old familiar carols play, the said Unknown Owner or on, showing how you have ex-Owners of the hereinafter de- ecuted the same. scribed land are defendants, and Given under my hand and the pretty, dainty Christmas card mit it, the sad feature of the Of peace on Earth, Good will to said plaintiffs have impleaded seal of said court in the town The Friona Independent School of Farwell, Texas, this the 2 day District, situated within the of December, A. D. 1943. Boundaries of Parmer County, Texas, And the City of Friona, situated within the Boundaries of Parmer County, Texas, (SEAL) taxing units in said State, to appear in said cause and for each to file its claim for delin- ember, A. D. 1943. quent taxes against the property, or any part thereof, described in the petition of said plaintiff. The cause of action being alleged (SEAL)

by the plaintiffs for the collection of delinquent taxes for the year 1919, 1921, 1922, 1927, 1929, No. 1142 and 1935 to 1943 inclusive for the To the Sheriff or any Consta- interest, penalties and costs, part of Parmer County. Price \$19.47 for County and District Balance one to ten years.

D. K. ROBERTS,

Clerk of the District Court Parmer County, Texas.

By Dorothy Lovelace, Deputy Issued this the 2 day of Dec-D. K. ROBERTS.

Clerk of the District Court. Parmer County, Texas. By Dorothy Lovelace, Deputy.

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As you tie up your Christmas packages think of us. We'll be thinking of you ... thinking of how good you've been to us in 1943 and of what a pleasure it has been to serve you. And we'll be wishing you a very Merry Christmas.

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tlemen, let's get the Yule log burning. Bring on the viands and let the joy be unconfined, for Christmas comes but once At this holiday time, as in the past, we are mindful of our indebtedness to you for your

generous patronage, and pledge

once more our determination to

be still more deserving of your

T. J. CRAWFORD

holiday greetings

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We've been thinking. folks, that you've been very good to us during 1943, and right now is the most appropriate time to thank you. So thanks, everybody, and avery happy Christmas!

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CHRISTMAS M E R RY CHRISTMAS MERR CHRISTMAS s you gather with your loved ones and friends for a happy Christmas, just remember that we shall be thinking of you, and of the amicable relations that have existed between us. We want you to know these associations CHRISTMAS mean much to us and we are hopeful that we may continue to enjoy your goodwill in the years to come. CHRISTMAS May your Christmas be brim full of happiness and the New Year a thriving one for you and those CHRISTMAS dear to you. M E R RY CHRISTMAS

THE FRIONA STAR

JOHN WHITE

UST as surely as there'll always be little boys and girls. and big boys and girls, too (especially around Christmastime). that surely there will always be a Christmas. Our wish for you is that this Christmas season of 1943 be the most memorable you have ever known.

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your tax bill down. Of course, following years, you don't want to avoid taxes | Keep a record book on your you actually owe but on the farming business during 1944 other hand you don't want to and you will not only do a betpay more than your fair share. ter job of filing your income tax The answer is: Keep a Complete return but you will also be a Farm Record during 1944.

In keeping a farm record you in't have to keep such an elabrate set of books. Any form of ecord book which will show the date, the amount, and the nature of all farm income and expenses is good. Some of you may be inclined toward close attention to details. Then for you, is the more elaborate type of record book which will give you exact and detailed information on all of your different farm enterprises as well as a balance of your whole operation on the entire farm. Some of you may simply detest working with all little details and think you don't have time to keep such an elaborate to take all the food when they set of farm books. Then you should get one of those simple record books.

Regardless of what type you are, be sure to keep a record book during 1944. Here are some of the main items you will want to have in that book regardless of how simple or how elaborate outposts the roof will fall in.

you may want to make your farm record keeping: (1) A schedule in value and must be replaced after a time such as farm machinery farm buildings high priced breeding animals and so on; (2) A compete record of all County Agent income with an indication as to the date of sale, amount sold, income with an indication as to Well so you have made your what sold and income received income tax estimate for 1943. from sale; (3) a complete record Didn't that complete farm re- of all farm expenses, show nacord book come in mighty handy ture of expenditure, date, and when you were figuring up your amount of item paid for. These farm income and deductible ex- are absolutely essential. In addipenses? Or did you keep a farm tion to these there are other record book during 1943? Just items such as balance of net before Dec. 15 didn't you wish worth of farming enterprise, exyou had? Maybe you didn't real- penses and income listed under ize it but if you keep a farm different farming projects, and record book you probably over- a dozen other things which will looked a lot of deductible ex- help you to do a better job of penses which would have cut farming during 1944 and the

better farmer.

Strictly Fresh

A NEW YORK State Health Department official says the death rate among single men is twice as great as among married That's because the married ones learn how to "take it."

OWI Director Elmer Davis says it isn't as easy now for the German people to rise up in wrath as it was in 1918. That's all right, the longer they wait the more wrathful they'll rise.

The Italians expect the Nazis leave, which brings up the question of how Propaganda Minister Goebbels is going to make the Germans think all that spaghetti is sauerkraut.

Navy Secretary Frank Knox says Sicily was just an outpost. The idea is if we remove enough

* It's just about time for that perennial paratrooper, Santa Claus, to start his friendly invasion. We just want to say we hope he makes a happy landing, right in your home, bringing you more Christmas cheer than you've ever had before.



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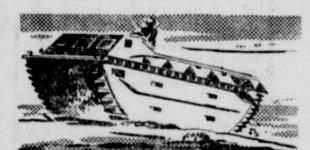
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So great is the need for volunteers for many services in the hospitals of Albany, N. Y., that the Albany · Federation of Churches has agreed to secure workers who can give from four hours to two days of service per week. Of the frist 150 men enrolled, more than half were priests, rabbis and ministers of several denominations. The services listed include the most menial in the hospitals.

Because neighbor does not know neighbor in a big city, and families may be "lost" and no church know it (as cannot happen in a small town) the twelve principal Protestant churches ndowntown Minneapolis Minn. have organized ministers and laymen into a general committee to give pastoral service throughout the congested city center. The area is divided into twelve districts, and one church is responsible for a complete house to house visitation and roster of one district. In caling in homes and apartments, the church visitor represents all twelve churches and invites the person or family called upon to become active in the church of his choice. As a first result of this efort, there has been an inneeded and extended.

been sent by a group of Protest- imposed limits on transportamine sufferers of Bengal Prov- followed by larger gifts." ince, through the Foreign Missions Conference of North Amer-

WACsketball, Maybe?



Now, they're playing basketball, are the versatile WACs of Fort Sheridan, Ill., and here are Helen J. Bernwell, left. Hendersonville, N. C.; Bea Kovacs, Wallingford, Conn.; Anita Schilling, The Bronx, N. Y.; and Emily Gray, Sergeant Bluff, Ia., all making a try for that elusive ball

ica and the National Christian ber of denominations have join- America hails this new enter-Council of India. On receipt of ed together in the formation of prise as one of the most impora statement of the need from "The United Christian Publish- tant yet advanced by Chinese the Indian Council's secretary, ers" in Chengtu, West China, and Christians and their missionary Rajah Manikam, this amount propose the issuance of a num- associates. was sent and more is promised ber of important books, some of while the famine conditions last. them translations into Chinese "This is only a drop in the buck- from English; and of an "Omniet of the terrible need", says Miss book" which will contain timely

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War or peace, a brave new world is

in the making - a world in which

better opportunities will be had for

all. The Spirit of Progress is on the

march, and we may all look hopefully

to the future. At this time it is fitting

that we count our many friends and

recall the happy relationships of 1943.

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crease in church membership Sue Weddell of the Foreign Mis- articles on Christian topics, some and many cases have been sions Conference, "but it is a original and some translated. found where the comfort and gesture of concern and Christian Already a digest of Willkie's service of the church has been interest in the Indian people. "One World" has appeared in Their living, always meager, has the Omnibook. Books that are been cut to the point of starva- appearing in Chinese include: A "token gift" of \$25,000 has tion in many cases by war- Prof. Frank Price's "Christianity in the Post-War World," Dr. Y ant churches of the United tion facilities and by recent T. Wu's "The Meaning of Be-States and Canada to the fa- floods. This initial gift will be lief in God," Danforth's "I Dare You," and Dawson's life of John Frederick Cherlin. The Foreign Chinese Christians of a num- Missions Conference of North

> especially the people of the churches, to understand and do something about the prejudices of American whites against the Negroes, Jews, Japanese, Chinese and others in this country, the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America says: "As Christians, each of us should enlist i nthe organized movement for interracial brotherhood, and whereever there is a truggle for the advancement of all the people, be in the lead; be unprejudiced and wise enough to bridge and cross the chasms of racial isolation and segregation; give active support to the Fair Employment Practice Committee against discrimination in employment and in industry; vigorously oppose all policies and practices of racial discrimination in the armed ser-

Urging American people, and

The Rev. Charles E. Winter, of San Francisco, Cal., Methodist missionary in Hinghwa, Fukien, China, reports that in addition to high prices and scarcity of food, the people of that area are sessed one dollar-The rats are

Strictly Fresh

THE Tokyo radio says "it cannot be said that the Japanese navy has the war situation under complete control." And all the time we thought the Tokyo radio was a propaganda outlet.

The Nazis newest secret weapon is reported to be a 45foot rocket bomb which will travel up to 90 miles. Apparently the fireworks displays the herrenvolk have been treated to have captured their fancy.

Hitler has conferred with Admiral Doenitz on the submarine situation. Maybe it's just a step from wolf pack to wolf lack.

The Senate Finance Committee approved a bill to require labor unions to file financial reportswhich will probably stir up a lot

General Clark gave his wife Naples as a birthday present. What do you suppose he's doing about his Christmas shopping?

RAISING of alletments for dependents is further proof that it's an ill draft that blows no good.

Incredible as some of them are, rumors about women's clothing are seldom without foundation.

A good many people who get around slowly are really limping between the ears.

According to the latest OW1

figures, the Japanese air force has done a lot of ex-planing for the home folks. As the football season pro-

gresses, it becomes increasingly apparent that the Navy's farm system has acquired the best of the talent.

MIXING it with the liquor industry ought to be a setup for the senatorial committee. It is understood the committee's aides are bonded, and-this is straight-with Senator VanNuys, a member of the bar, highballing the party, you can look for proof of some tall ones in a corking good case from the first round right up to the parting shot.

Not so much has been heard lately of the Nazis importing labor. Apparently the Allied air forces have seen to it that Hitler doesn't have more factories than he can operate handily.

No two ways about it, either the WLB will have to give the white collar man a break or sick the S. P. C. A. on the laundry Reports indicate that morale

in the German army is still as high as ever. Evidently the super-soldiers weren't let in on the fuehrer's last speech.

NEW YORK pipe smokers, it is reported, are paying \$2 for toy sets which include 50 pipe cleaners for bending into fig-urines. Apparently the main stem is still smoking.

Fearing signals to Allied planes, the Nazis now forbid flying of kites in the Low Coun-The OPA will have to outdo itself to promulgate an order with as many strings to it as that one.

From reports of war on the eastern front, one gathers that a

Rolls 'Em---Fast



Mrs. J. H. Kelsey of Chatta-nooga, Tenn., is a "one-woman shift" when it comes to Red Cross bandages. Whereas the ordinary worker rolls 25 in an hour, triply-fast Mrs. Kelsey

Test Your I. Q.

- 1. What is the origin of our 2. About how long has human
- life existed on the globe?, 3. Where did the first Parliament meet?
- What is agar?

ANSWERS TO Test Your I. Q.

- 1. It grew out of the political meetings of the plebeians in ancient Rome, about 447 B. C., at which they voted on resolutions proposed by their tribunes, or protectors.
- 2. Scientists' discoveries indicate 2,000,000 years and longer. 3. The Vikings organized the first Parliament in Iceland, 930
- 4. Ismet Inohu 5. Agar is a jelly-like substance made from seaweed and used in medical laboratories as a solidifying agent in bacteriological cultures: it remains solid at higher temperatures than ordinary gelatinous substances. It was Japanese-produced, made from seaweed and also Ceylon moss, but is now being made from Pacific coast seaweed.

Lift Restrictions on Binder Twine Farmers may now use binder wine where needed in growing, harvesting, or shipping Agricultural products. Previously, use of binder twine was restricted to mechanical self-tying binders.

Plan Victory Gardens Now

Although victory gardeners exceeded their goal of 18 million gardens for 1943 by about 10 percent, they are asked for another 10 per cent increase in 1944. Arrangements should be made now for the use of vacant land, and considerable preparatory work can go on through the winter. Hard coal ashes can be sifted and stored on plots. Compost piles and supplies of manure can be accumulated, and either turned under wherever ground is not frozen or stacked for use in early spring.

Increase In Apple Prices

Increases in apple prices over hose for 1942 will mean that a 28-ounce jar of apple butter will cost from 3 to 4 cents more at retail, OPA reports. This reflects an increase of approximately 80 cents to \$1.65 a hundredweight in apple prices and an increase of approximately 7 1-2 cents to 15 cents a pound in apple chops. The method by which dealers in apples for home consumption determined their maximum prices in sales prior to retail was changed. With maximum prices for terminal markets the same as those for rural markets, apples tended to become scarce in

rural markets. So, a premium of 3-8 of a cent a pound now is alowed on sales in rural markets.

Farm Help For Lumber Supply Because of the critical overall lumber and pulpwood shortage, which directly affects farmers, who are large users of lumber and wood products, Marvin Jones, War Food Administrator, indicated that farmers 4. Who is president of Tur- should help by: (1) Increasing production from woodlands during the winter and (2) Providing labor for forest industries during the slack winter season on farms. Lumber used on farms for the construction and maintenance of farm buildings requires three and one-half billion board feet of lumber an-

Read The Want Ads!

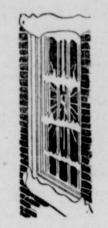
nually, Jones said.

ANSWERS TO Test Your I. Q

- 1. Chinese; including dialects more than 488,000,000 people speak Chinese,
- 3. The Chase National Bank, with headquarters in New York City and around \$4,000,000,000 in
- 4. Eight feet long, four feet wide, four feet high.
- 5. About 1,000,000; some 300,-000 are in the "low," "vulgar," and "obsolete" classifications, and about half the remainder are seldom-used scientific terminol-



Oar boys must keep on fightng- we hast Leep on buying WAR BONDS until victory is won. Keep on BACK-ING THE ATTACK.



A WREATH IN THE WINDOW

a star in the sky, and happiness in the heart. That the Christmas season of 1943 may be truly memorable for you and yours is the earnest wish of



Friona Wheat Growers FARMERS CO-OPERATIVE

Arthur Drake, Mar.



Parmer County Implement Co. International Harvester Farm Equipment

We are taking this time to make a sincere bid for your

future business, the small orders will be appreciated just as much as the large ones. We would also like to have you come in and as the large ones. We would also like to have you come in an visit and get acquainted with us whether you have need for

anything or not. You are always welcome. If you are going to have some tractor work to do we would like very much to get the work and are going to try to have the parts to get the jobs out to save you delay.

would like very much to get the work and are going to try to have the parts to get the jobs out to save you delay. If the manufacturer can furnish parts at all we intend to have our share manufacturer can furnish parts at all we intend to have our share of them. Will try to save a good representation of parts. manufacturer can furnish parts at all we intend to have our share of them. Will try to save a good representation of parts for all machines, made by the Harvester Company. Please see us early on tractor overhaul jobs.

We are going to have some new machines between now and the end of June. There will be a few of nearly everything we will need not enough to go around but some. That is a good

and the end of June. There will be a few of nearly everything we will need, not enough to go around, but some. That is a good reason for you to some in and inquire as to these reaches. we will need, not enough to go around, but some. That is a good reason for you to come in and inquire as to those machines and reason for you to come in and inquire as to those machines and if you need something you will not be too late to make an effort to get what you need. Come in early. Will write orders on have a number of two-row cultivators.

They are not rationed so you better come in if you them now. They are not rationed so you better come in if you them now. They are not rationed so you better come in if you

P. S. Wishing All a Very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year . . . and thanking you in advance for your future business, we are

business, we are,

PARMER COUNTY IMPLEMENT CO. Yours very truly, Jack Yokley and J. G. McFarland, Partners

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gasoline 100-octai Pearl Ha in the t the Pe for War. So gre provemen past two planes a less dist faster, a ing with with the considere prior to a greate war 100-The p

improved pilot mo uations most nee ed powe ******

We wish all of you the choicest blessnow menaced by an outbreak of lot of Nazis are paying for their ings that Christmastime can bestow. bubonic plague. "This disease, usually fatal, is carried by the The Germans are transferring many of their troops from Italy flea, which in turn is carried by FRIONA, TEXAS to the Russian front. You can the rat," he says. "One town where 20 people died from the now look for a greatly increased take of prisoners in the Naplesplague last year, has a novel Rome vicinity. scheme this year: each shop and All Farmers in the Trade Territory We wish to announce to those who do not know it household has been assessed that we have purchased the Buchanan Implement Company and It is reported that Stalin's state dinner for the tri-power conferees lasted six hours. Just Miller's Jr. Dept. Store five rats, dead or alive; for each will operate under the name of Parmer County Implement Of Friona, Texas: rat over the quota, the family received one dollar, and for each think of the terrific strain on the rat under the quota it was as- interpreters.



AS one hands down a good name, Christmas each year hands down its traditions, and all are good. It has been a tradition here to regard the good will of our customers as our most precious asset. In this holiday season of 1943 we extend to you, not as a customer alone, but as a friend, our very best wishes for a . . . Merry Christmas.

Cashway Grocery & Market

earl Harbor-Forever Etched in American Minds



burning at Pearl Harbor, the day that will live for minds and hearts of all re that we intend to avenge this sneak attack and act of treachery. Buy War Bonds on Pearl Harbor Day!



Woodrow Wilson Harnes, 28, was on watch aboard the minelayer Oglala hen the Nips struck; is now an instructor in the Armed Guard Center in Brooklyn. Harnes has two brothers in the Seabees and one in the Army. He buys War Bonds regularly.



Jap shrapnel got Paul Compart, 24, of Chicago, while on watch aboard the U. S. S. Maryland at Pearl Harbor on that December morn. He stuck to the bridge until 3 p. m. before relief came, and only then were his wounds treated. He has a regular pay allotment for War Bonds.



Another gob from the Maryland is Pearl Chandlee, 20, of Harlan, Iowa. He, too, was on watch at the time of the sneak raid and was one of the boys who "passed the ammunition." Just now he is an instructor at the Armed Guard Center. He is married and buying War Bonds.



Jack Stackburger, 20, of Cincinnati, Ohio, was a signalman on the bridge of the U.S.S.Pennsylvania when the Japs struck. He was sent to the conning tower to send out signals, and stuck to his post throughout the raid. Stackburger is in the Armed Guard now and Buys Bonds regularly.

. Pin-Up Boys .



Allies overcame his native Italy

Fights Italy King

Here is Count Carlo Sforza, anti-Fascist who is leading the fight in Italy for dethronement of King Victor Emmanuel. He lived in the U.S. until the

THE farmer's plight grows worse every year. Under the AAA he was only accused of sponging; now a WRA official writes that some of them don't bathe at all.

Administration critics should be interested in Army's new food conservation gadget, which weighs the leavings on a soldier's messkit to show how much he's wasting. It's the first indication of staying the helping

It isn't so strange that the Iran journey was Stalin's first tri outside Russia since 1917. woman will tell you it takes close supervision to heep a home in order with the neighbors running in and out.

Goebbels is asking why the Teheran conferces didn't call for an uprising of the German people. Well, the answer just might involve a big backlog of block-

Syrup Prices Are Higher Retail prices for cane syrup have been increased by OPA as a result of refiguring the parity formula, which resulted in increased returns to sugar cane growers. Increases in No. 10 cans slightly less than one gallonare about 10 cents for country cane syrup formerly known as Louisiana cane syrup and 4 to 5 cents for commercial cane syrup, formerly known as Georgia Cane | syrup. Accumulators, mostly country store operators, have Edward Ray Roberson of Here- been granted an increase from 1 ford spent the week end with to 2 cents a gallon for their

He will be 64 Dec. 21. Strictly Fresh

Everglades?

Lieut.-Col. Elliott Roose-

Packed Food Products Exempted from price control are sales by home canners who sell less than 1,00 quarts a year of packed fruits and vegetables OPA reported recently. OPA also announced that consumers will pay more for canned sweet potatoes, brined cherries, Maraschino cherries, canned mushrooms, and processed dried prunes and prune products.

Test Your I. Q

How old is Josef Stalin? 2. Which of the President's four sons in the armed service is in the Army Air Forces?

3 What is meant by the "Lit-

4. What is the chief ingredi-

5. What and where are the

ANSWERS TO

Test Your I. Q.

tle Steel" formula?

ent of synthetic rubber?

The Anti-Inflation act of Oct 2, 1942, stabilizing wages at the level of Sept. 15, 1942.

4 Butadiene. 5 A large swamp under reclamation in south-central Flor-



GENTLE WORDS, OPEN HEARTS, WILLING HANDS, SOFT MUSIC, FRIENDSHIP, LOVE ... THIS IS CHRIST-MASI MAY IT BRING YOU HAPPINESS AND JOY BEYOND EXPRESSION ...

Bert Shakelford

Texaco Distributor

Goo-Shoo'



It's the new "goo-shoo," a toot covering our best-dressed boys are effecting in Italy-a burlap footgear and trousers from the sloppy mud that's miring down the 5th Army's progress ~U S. Army Signal Corps Radiophoto.)

Improved Fuel Gives Airplanes More Power

Wartime 100-octane aviation gasoline is not what was called | 100-octaine gasoline before Pearl Harbor, nor is it gasoline in the true sense, according to the Petroleum Administration

So great has been the imfaster, and reach a higher ceil- o'clock. Old Santa Clause will his eye and failed to get it out. ing with the present fuel than also be present so everybody is Mr. and Mrs. Lowery Walk- Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Noland. with the 100-octaine that was invited to be present.

war 100-octane. improved fuel is that it gives the spending the holidays at home, who was ill. pilot more power in critical sit-

ments are required on engines originally designed to use pre-

war 100-octane. Improvement of the product reduces production because facilities which could produce 10,-000 barrels a day of pre-war 100octane would be able to produce 6,600 barrels a day of the present products.

The improved 100-octane fuel is not gasoline in the ordinary sence, but a super-fuel produced by re-arranging the petroleum hydrocarbon mloecules through use of catalysis. It starts with a synthetic base stock that is about equal in potential power, and far superior in other qualities, to automobile gasoline that has been "doctored" to its limit. Aviation fuel requires hard-toget synthetic petroleum derivabag around each foot to protect tives that conventional refining cannot produce, and production of them reduces the amount of raw material available for making gasoline for motorists. Aviation fuel must be absolutely free of numerous unwanted natural impurities, whihe are inconsequential in a motor car, but which mean life of death in aircraft engines.

Summerfield

MRS. GUY WALSER

Sunday School and church early this week.

considered the "perfect" fuel School turned out Friday for ness visitors in Dimmitt last Billee Ray and Ross Roye and with a party in honor of J. B. prior to 1942. Bombers can carry the Christmas holidays. Mrs. week. greater load than with pre- Laura Shaw is spending the

are still impassable.

"It keeps away evil spirits."

HAYES

er and Guy Walser were busi-

Mrs. D. C. Walser spent part ors in Dimmitt Monday. holidays at her home north of of last week with her mother, The L. H. Lookingbill home The prime advantage of the Hereford. Mrs. Tandy Legg is Mrs. Bob Fullwood, of Hereford, was the scene of a pre-Christ-

The roads are in better con- The Summerfield Study Club family Sunday. Those present uations when maximum power is dition now, although some of the held their Christmas program were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lookmost needed. To obtain this add- roads running east and west are and party at the home of Mrs. ingbill and John L., Mr. and ed power, only minor adjust-Istil in bad shape, in fact some J. B. Noland with Mrs. Ky Law- Mrs. L. B. Lookingbill and childrence and Mrs. O. B. Sumner ren, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lookingas hostesses. The following en- | bill, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Lookingjoyed the book review and gift bill Mary and L. H. Lookingbill. exchange Mesdames Charlie Mr. and Mrs. Tandy Legg and Noland, Loyd Lookingbill, B. E. family were Amarillo visitors Roberson, Otho Noland, Jim Monday. Clark, Ray Johnson, D. C. Wal- Mrs. L. J. Counselman visited ser, Walk Boston, Lee Curry, friends in Conway, last Friday. Mack Noland, M. D. Rexrode, Dorothy Counselman of Ama-Ross Roye, Britt Clark, C R. rillo spent the weekend here Walser, L. L. Cannon, J. B. No- with her parents.

> Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Cannon and visitors in Amarillo Monday. Mabel, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Curry | Several from this community

and O. B. Sumner.

re still impassable.

Mrs. J. A. Noland has been very J. B. Noland attended the Steak ill the past week but was better supper at the I. O. O. F. hall at

Hereford Wednesday night. staying with their grandparents, week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Johnson and Lefta Fae were business visit- | Friday night.

mas dinner for the Lookingbill

and, Guy Walser, Ky Lawrence D. C. and C. R. Walser and Raymond Palmer were business



For teen-agers now its "Pin-Up Boys," soldiers, sailors, Marines, etc., painted in authentic colors and hinged at the waist so they appear more lifelike.

were business visitors in Amarillo this last week

Pvt. and Mrs. Bill Turner of provement in the product in the was attended by 78 persons Roy Coker last week went to Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Noland Wichita Falls visited her parpast two years that pursuit Sunday. There will be a com- Amarillo, where he underwent and children took Nancy and ents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Coker planes are able to take off in munity program and tree at treatment for his eye. Several Sandra Storey back to Plainview and family, and his parents, Mr. less distance, fly faster, climb the church Friday night at 8 weeks ago he got something in last Friday. They have been and Mrs. Turner of Friona, last

Mrs. J. B. Noland entertained

Wendell Roberson. handling charge.

Not Big Ads, But "Regular" Brand Ads Get Results!



The approaching holiday season makes us appreciate more than ever before the priceless value of our friends and customers, like yourself. It reminds us, too, of the sacrifices being made by many of our friends now in the service of Uncle Sam. To you, and to all these, go our thanks for your patronage in 1943, and our wishes for a joyous holiday.

Rockwell Bros. & Co. LUMBERMEN O. F. LANGE, Mgr.

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TO the far corners of the globe go the Christmas wishes and packages to our boys in the service. With the new world of the future in the making we look forward _ hopefully to the Christmas of tomorrow, while wishing you the happiest of Christmases today.

Dilger's Cleaners





PUBLISHED BY FRIONA HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

The Chieftain

BUY MORE WAR BONDS AND STAMPS!

Cobb.

F. H. T. Party Postponed Because of Weather

with the help of Mrs. Barnard, the party. selected four women in this community to receive presents Students and Teachers from the FHT club. The women they selected were Mrs. Warren Define Christmas Spirit and Mrs. Bell who have been ill. The other two were Mrs. Asheraft and Mrs. Norwood, two of few of the students and teachinto which they will place a cut- received:

ting of a flower. Reports from the following committees were given: File, Kodak, Scrapbook, Finance. Due to Because of bad weather the weather conditions the com- and nuts to eat, giving gifts, annual joint party of the FFA mittees had not had an oppor- hopes that war will be abolish- birth of Christ by obeying his commandment to show love." until Monday night, Dec. 20. | committee is to take some pic-White, Norma Jean Schultz, and a few more pictures during

The Press Club has asked a

Miss Garman-"The love and | Miss Hart-"The pressing de respect for human dignity, the sire to really give to others." one thing Christ died for."

Mildred Taylor, Anna Lee tures of their Christmas tree happiness, and thankfulness for brance of Christ's birth.' what you have and don't have." | Petrolia Scott-"Santa Claus.

> we have and the joy of giving and Good will toward men." to others.

that one senses or feels."

Jean Crawford - "Hope and the joy of giving." the oldest women in Friona, ers of the school what their own faith for the future peace on Miss Swisher-"The human The gifts that they decided on definition of the Christmas earth, good will toward all men." heart's reflection of the light for the ladies are designed bowls. Spirit is. Here are the answers | Carolyn Lange — "Universal of the Star of Bethlehem which love taught by Christ."

Miss Wright-"Love shown by Charles Weis—"Lots of candy remembering your fellowman." On High Note

Malcolm Reynolds - "General Ray Ford-"Giving in remem-Mrs. Truitt-"Something that the personafication of good na- faculty assembled in the dark- school was dismissed until Jan.

Lily Faye Kothe-"The feeling Miss B. Garman-"Red pep- enjoy the presentation of their of thankfulness to God for what permint candy, 'Silent Night,' annual Christmas program. Bruce Coleman - "Giving for mimed Christmas story,

is bright enough to light a world darkened by sin of war."

School Dismissed Of Xmas Cheer

isn't to be defined; something tured joy and giving for the joy ende and candle-lit study hall 3, 1944. of giving. Good will toward all." of the high school building to

The program was a pantothe Chimes Rang," which had for its theme the right spirit in absent.

For Dining

A knitted wool and lame waist-

coat with tiny gold metal buttons down the front. It tops a long or

short cashmere wool skirt.

lifting today of the ban on spec-

American correspondents were informed without any previous warning today that censorship

henceforth would permit specu-lation as to who might finally be chosen to direct the Anglo-Am-erican "second front" attack on

Over the weekend the British

task. Quoting the Army and

Washington, the London pap-

ers indicated that Marshall

Today, however, the British

press is stressing a Reuter dis-patch from Washington, declar-

"There is ground for suppos-ing the land forces will be led by

Navy Journal, published

atino that such a co

soon will be named.

continental Europe.

an American."

Invasion

school choral club assisted with very interesting articles in them the musical part of the story. for the week. Following the story a number of When the papers were disreadings were given and then cissed fully, new ones were given the students who wanted to, and assignments made for the bought bonds and stamps at the next meeting of Dec. 14. red and white draped booth located in the hall.

After refreshments were serv-The entire student body and ed to the whole student body,

AERONAUTICS CLUB

The Current Aviation papers

SCHOOL VACATION School was dismissed Wednesday Per. for the Christmas holidays. Classes will be resumed Jan. 3, 1944. The meeting on Dec. 7, was

The meeting was adjourned by the vice president, Nancy



Eve and Christmas Day, the peo-

A Christmas-Tree Decorating

LETTERS TO SANTA CLAUS

please bring me a sleepy doll burning and I will be asleep when and some books. I'd like some you come. dishes that wouldn't break on account of Benson. Be good to the grandma's and grandpa's and all the poor children too. Dear Santa, Have a Merry Christmas, Santa. I am a boy one year old, but Love from,

Dear Santa Claus:

How are you? I am just fine. I have been a good girl this year. I am eight years old and I will be nine years old next year on Dear Santa Claus: July 2, 1944. I want a nurse set

NOTICE! Let Us Handle Your FARM SALES

LIVESTOCK AUCTIONS

Lloyd Otten B. E. Brumley



Holiday Cheer

wake up and thank our many friends and customers for their valued patronage during 1943. We cannot tell you how much we appreciate your kindness. May your Christmas be very, very happy.

McAdams Shoe Shop J. M. McAdams, Prop.

Real Estate Loans

1901

for Christmas, and a doll with I am a little girl three years hair and Oleta wants a doll just old I am visiting grandma Col- like mine, and go to the back lier here in Friona. Will you door, and we will leave the light

> Your friend, Catherine Brand.

I will soon be 2. Please bring Loretta Janice Collier me a stick horse and a pistol. Don't forget the candy and good

Love. From J. Benson Collier.

I am a little girl 2 years old. I have tried to be good to my mother and daddy. I would like to have a bed, a suitcase and some fruit and candy. Bring my little sister Carolyn, something pretty. My brother, Johnnie Neal, would like to have a model airplane.

Your little friend, Jane Catheryn Parker.

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a good boy eight years old. Bring me a bat and ball, a Phone 9024 F4-Hereford, Tex | tinker to yset and some clothes. Bring my litle brothers' something, too. Don't forget mother and daddy. Bring us some nuts, fruits and candy. Don't forget the other little boys and girls. I love you.

Glen Evan Reeve.

Dear Santa Claus:

am a little boy five years I have been a good little boy. Please bring me some overshoes, a farm set and a tinker toy set. Bring little brother, Joe, a rocking chair. Bring Glen Evan a bat and ball. Bring us lots of candy and fruit. Don't forget any little boys and girls. Bring mother and daddy something.

I love you, Don Alford Reeve. P. S. Don't forget my little mas

Dear Sandy Claus:

Give me a wagon. I live in the children present. pool hall apartments in Friona,

Charles Lynn Phythian My brother, Don, wants a doctor set. My sister wants a doll. My brother, James wants lots of pretty toys. From,

Lynn Phythian, Don Phythian and Carolyn Phythian.

Dear Santa Claus,

F. A. SPRING Agency

All Kinds of Insurance

Prompt Ambulance Service

We now offer \$150.00 Cash Burial Insurance at low cost!

Furniture and Undertaking

HEREFORD, TEXAS

Please bring me a doll with hair and a drum. Don't forget all other little children. I started to school this year. I sure love my teacher Mrs. Ginn. Your

Betty Zon Ashcraft.

Try a Want Ad!

Automobile Loans

1943

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Christmas Cheer

* Uncle Sam is to be congratulated, for he has done and is doing a magnificent job. This is, indeed, occasion for Christmas cheer.

Our compliments to you, friends, our thanks, and our most hearty wishes for an enjoyable and truly happy 1943 Christmas season.

Premium Produce

H. L. Jones, Mgr.



AS soon as one canoe was done, wee Dotty cried, "It would be fun if each had a small one. boats up, Totties. When I hol-ler, let them go! Then we'd have a dandy race.' "The breeze will carry them down to that stake, and then the

Adventures of

"A good plan," said the Indian. race is through." Wee Dotty's won. The other "You Totties can lend a hand. boats just didn't have a show. "Get it from trees upon the ground. You'll find some, if you

SOON, back to camp the whole bunch ran, and there they saw a funny man. "I am the Medicine Man," said he. "I've come to make you well! Food is what I'll give you. 'Twill be

"I know you're hungry. That is why I'm asking all of you to try the finest medicine there is: good food that is well done." The Totties cheered and cried.

"That's great. Bring on the food. Gee, we can't wait." And soon they all were eating, and it was a lot of fun.

completed except for the paint-

ing, hanging of curtains and

The pastor and family wish

Paxton Smith.

aid the new light fixtures.

(The Totties help the Indians build a wigwam in the next story.)

Congregational Christian Church

with a smile upon his face.

Let's gather lots more bark.

look around." The Totties start-

ed searching. To them all it was

SOON Scouty said, "I need no

aid. I know just how these things are made." And then he

The others also worked away

until they heard the Indian say,

I'm sure that they will do."

We've made six dandles and

Then to the stream the whole

bunch ran. Their friend, the

made a fine canoe.

All our friends and members draperies and installation of press had soft-pedaled persistare invited to the special Christ-mas program and tree this

Christ-Pilgrim Youth Fellowship

Christ-Pilgrim Youth Fellowship Christmas eve at 7:30 o'clock. It is rumored that old Santa may collection plates and the Ladies' is rumored that old Santa may drop in for a brief visit with the

Sunday morning, Dec. 26, at to express to one and all their 12 o'clock the pastor will deliver heartfelt greetings and affectthe first of a series of Epiphany ion at this blessed Christmas sermons on the University of season. As Tiny Tim observed the Christian Religion. The sub- in Dickens' immortal "Christmas ject the day after Christmas Carol," 'May God Bless Us Ev-

will be "The Star Moves On." The work of our sanctuary is

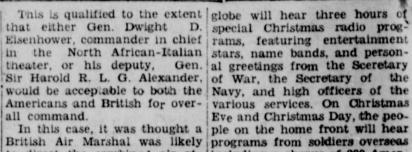


Yuletide draws people closer together, helps us all towards quiet friendliness and group enjoyment of days like

A most proper time for us to express our sincere appreciation for your friendship, and to wish for you an abundance of Christmas joy.

Friona Poultry & Egg

JOHN BURROW, Prop.



British Air Marshal was likely programs from soldiers overseas to direct the combined air attack, and a British Admiral in ican soldiers in the Holy Land, charge of Naval operations.

"I believe there is a strong from an Island in the South American desire that Marshall Pacific, and Midnight Mass or Alexander should be associat- from Some Place Behind the ed with future operations."

On Christmas Day men and

women of the American Armed

Forces in every quarter of the

Radio Programs

TRY A WANT AD

Battle Lines in Italy.



THE SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS, incredibly rolled aside the clouds of war. There is still beauty in common things, still good in the world, and we are all grateful for the glowing interval of Yuletide.

As for ourselves, we are also grateful for your loyalty to us during 1943, and extend the season's best wishes to all

Friona State Bank

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