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## PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert E. Goeth and two youngest children, Mary Sue and Bobby of Lubbock, visited Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Habbinga, while returning from a trip to New Mexico. Mr. Goeth is a cousin of Mrs. Habbinga.

Buddie Smith, who has been making his home with Henry Habbinga of Lubbock for the past two years and who visited his father, Ray Smith, here during the past two weeks, returned to Lubbock Monday.

Dorothy Sue and Doyle Cummings left Sunday on a trip to Austin to visit friends there.

Mrs. Herschel Johnson, who entered Deaf Smith County Hospital on Tuesday of last week, was improved enough to be moved to the home of her mother, Mrs. David Moseley, on Monday of this week.

County Agent Garlon A. Harper of Farwell was a business visitor here Monday afternoon. Mr. Harper is now quite busy making arrangements for the Second Annual Parmer County Dairy Show, which will be held at Bovina, Aug. 24, 25 and 26, being Thursday, Friday and Saturday of next week. He stated that prospects are bright for even a better show than last year.

Miss Jean Crawford returned Sunday from a week's visit with her sisters, Mrs. George Atkins at Rockwall and Mrs. Chancy Watkins at Fort Worth. Miss Crawford stated that the weather is much warmer in that part of the state than in the hand.

Rev. R. L. Jenkins, who has been suffering from a throat trouble for the past few months, left Tuesday morning for Brownwood, where he will consult a specialist regarding his malady in hopes of securing relief.

## Methodists Close Successful Meet

The two-weeks revival service that has been in progress at the local Methodist Church, conducted by Rev. Frank L. Turner, came to a close with the Sunday night service. Rev. Turner is an interesting and instructive speaker, and his series of sermons have done much good for all the people of the church and the community, and by their influence over 30 new names were added to the church membership roll.

## SONS In the Service

Lt. Jim Roy Roden, who spent last week here with his parents and other Friona friends, left Monday for his new station at Liberal, Kans., where he will be stationed for a few weeks more of special training before going into combat service.

C M 3-c, Ralph Thomas, who spent last week here on furlough, left Monday for Logan City, Ia., where he will be stationed indefinitely.

Sgt. James R. Nazworth arrived here on furlough the latter part of last week, and he and Mrs. Nazworth left Wednesday for Hobby, where they will visit with his parents.

Pvt. Melvin Wylie, who is stationed at Camp Maxey, arrived here Monday for a week's visit with his wife and children and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Wylie.

L. S. Hall, of south of town, informed the Star that his son, Pvt. Kyle Hall, is now in France in the combat lines.

T-Sgt. M. M. Sherley arrived Saturday night to spend a two-weeks furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Sherley and other Friona friends.

Hoff General Hospital Aug 6, '44 Dear Uncle John:

Just a few lines to let you know that I was transferred from the A. S. F. Regional Hospital, Fort Ord, to the Hoff General Hospital at Santa Barbara, Calif. I like this part of the country a lot better than I did at Fort Ord. The country and the scenery are just nicer and also the hospital and the personnel. So if it is not too much trouble, I wish you would change my mailing address to Hoff General Hospital. I have not received the Friona Star for some time, but I know it is due to the fact that I have been transferred around so much, but I hope to receive it in the near future.

I remain, Pvt. Leslie H. Wells

Italy, July 30, 1944

Dear Uncle John: Here is another "home town" boy who would like to join your "Sons in Service" column. I haven't received a copy of the Star in quite some time now, but I know it is no fault of yours. It is because I have been moved around so much lately. I have missed it quite a lot and I will appreciate it if you will (Continued on Back Page)

## Home Again



U. S. Marines move into the site of the old Marine barracks on Guam, shattered to rubble by aerial and naval bombardment to dislodge the Japs, who invaded a few days after Pearl Harbor with a force of 8000 to capture the small American garrison.

## Prospects Excellent for Annual Dairy Show

### Carthel Suffers Painful Eye Injury

On Friday of last week Ed. Carthel, proprietor of the Friona Motor Company, was seriously injured while working in his shop, when some brake fluid got in one of his eyes.

The injury was so painful that he was taken to the hospital at Clovis and placed in the care of an eye specialist, who did every thing to relieve the pain and at the same time save the sight of the eye. Reports Wednesday afternoon were that he was able to return home on Tuesday; but whether sight of his eye was saved or not, the Star was unable to learn.

### Holiness Church Ends Revival Meet

The revival meetings that have been in progress at the local Pentecostal Holiness Church for the past three weeks came to a close Sunday night, according to a statement made by the pastor, Rev. E. E. Houlette.

Rev. Houlette further stated that the meetings throughout were well attended and deepest interest was maintained throughout the services. Interesting preaching, good singing and abundant testimony prevailed, and a goodly number of additions to the church rolls was secured. Members of the congregation as well as the pastor, are well pleased with the results. Rev. Milstead did the preaching.

### Points Removed From "Utility" Beef Cuts

Point values for cuts of utility or grade C beef have been reduced to zero, while points for pork loins, pork hams, Canadian bacon, and canned fish were restored Sunday, August 13, Ely Fonville, District Rationing Executive has announced.

Country butter went up to 12 points and processed butter to six points. Other meats remain unchanged. Point values on cheeses were increased.

Fonville also announced that another red stamp—D5—was validated August 13, to remain good indefinitely.

### NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Notice is hereby given that Mrs. Graham Hard, Emergency War Food Assistant, will be at Farwell during the week of Aug. 21 to 26. She may be seen at the County Agent's office. The above information is issued by Garlon A. Harper, County Agent of Parmer County.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Harlan O'Rear and children of Amarillo spent the week end here with Mrs. O'Rear's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Reeve and other relatives.



## Baptist Revival to Start Aug. 20th

As was announced a few weeks ago by Rev. R. L. Jenkins, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Friona, a two weeks series of revival services will begin at that church this coming Sunday, Aug. 20, and will continue each day for two weeks, to include Sunday, Sept. 3.

Rev. Byron Todd of Happy will be the evangelist, and his brother, T. C. Todd of Amarillo will direct the singing.

There will be two services each day. The forenoon services will begin at 11:00 o'clock, and the evening services at 9:30 o'clock, and there will be a prayer service each evening at 9:00 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

## Cpl. Owen Drake Dies in Action

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Drake received word Monday afternoon that their son, Owen Drake had been killed in action in France.

The message from the War Department was sent direct to Cpl. Drake's wife in Arizona, and was relayed by telephone to his parents. Lest there be some error the word was not announced as definite, but further information received Wednesday confirmed the first report.

A letter received by the mother early last week stated that Owen was in England at the time of the writing and had been there for 20 days. Another letter received later in the week, stated that he was in France, which letter may have been written the day or the day previous to his death, which probably occurred during his first combat. Memorial services for him will be held here at the Baptist Church, Friday.

County Attorney A. D. Smith of Farwell was a business visitor in Friona, Tuesday.

The Second Annual Parmer County Dairy Show is dated for Thursday, Friday and Saturday August 24, 25 and 26, and will be held in the show association's own barns at Bovina.

A neat and comprehensive catalog has been arranged and printed, giving the names of the officers of the association together with a complete program by which the show will be governed.

In addition to this, the catalog lists sections into which the exhibits are divided, and names the superintendent of each section.

The officers are president, Sterling Donaldson; vice-president, Levi Johnson; secy-treas., Albert Smith; manager, Garlon A. Harper.

Directors: Sterling Donaldson, Levi Johnson, Virgil Teague, Albert Smith, G. T. Watkins, Wendol Christian and Fred Kepley.

Department Superintendents: Butterfat Production Contest, Robert Morton; Jersey Department, Sam Sides; Milking Shorthorns Department, Levi Johnson; 4-H Club Department, Wendol Christian.

Section "A" comprises the Butterfat Contest, and will pay \$20.00 in prizes. Section "B" comprising the Jersey Department, will pay \$100.00 in prizes. Section "C" comprising the Milking Shorthorn Department, will pay \$100.00 in prizes. Section "D" comprising the 4-H Club Show, is offering no prizes, or at least none is mentioned in the catalog; but ribbons will be given for 1st, 2nd and 3rd places, for Jersey and Milking Shorthorn cattle.

For the Grand Champion selected from Classes 54, 55, 56, 57 and 58, a banner will be given.

Any further information desired concerning this show may be held by contacting the manager, Mr. Garlon A. Harper, of Farwell, or any one of other officials of the show, whose names are given above.

## McMurry Head To Preach Here

The Star is authorized to announce that Dr. Harold G. Cook, President of the McMurry College at Abilene, will preach at the local Methodist Church, at the regular morning service, 12:00 o'clock, noon.

The people of Texas have undertaken to raise \$1,750,000.00, to be used as an endowment and annuity fund for McMurry College; and it is stated that between \$850,000.00 and \$900,000.00 have already been subscribed. The public is cordially invited to attend this service.

Mrs. Arthur Hilton, who has been in a hospital at Amarillo the past two weeks for a tumor operation is getting along just fine and will return home sometime this week.

George Jones and family have returned from a trip to the mountains in New Mexico.

## No Local Arrangements For Waste Paper Collection

### Memorial Rites For Cpl. Drake Will Be Today

Memorial services will be held at the First Baptist Church at Friona, Friday afternoon, at 3:30 o'clock, in honor of Cpl. Owen Drake, who was reported killed in action in France on July 30.

Cpl. Drake was the son of Mr. and Mrs. O. Drake, of this city, and had been overseas but a few weeks. The service will be in charge of Rev. R. L. Jenkins, pastor of the Baptist church, assisted by Rev. E. A. Irvine, pastor of the local Methodist church.

### Tent Meeting Now In Progress Here

The series of Gospel meetings, under the auspices of the Plains Baptist Association, was begun here Monday night.

Rev. J. A. Branaman, the Association Missionary, is doing the preaching, and the meetings are being held in the Missionary's own tent, which is pitched on the vacant lots south of the Grade School building. All people are earnestly invited to attend these meetings.

## Singing School to Be Held at Euclid Church of Christ

W. F. Perry authorized the Star to announce the opening of singing school at the Euclid Avenue Church of Christ, the school to begin on Friday night, Aug. 18.

Clark Johnson of Turkey will be the instructor, and the lessons are free to all who care to attend. Mr. Johnson is a competent instructor in vocal music, and all lovers of vocal music will do well to avail themselves of his instruction during this school.

### A CORRECTION

Our attention has been called to two errors in last week's issue of the Star, wherein it was stated that Mrs. Jeff Booker of Deathridge, Okla., was there visiting her mother, Mrs. C. H. Fallwell, when it should have read "Headrick", Okla., and Mrs. W. E. (Pat) Fallwell, instead of Mrs. C. H. Fallwell.

We are indeed sorry such an error occurred, but we are not making any excuse for ourselves as to why it happened, for we do not know. It just happened, and we are sorry.

The Star office is in receipt of literature from the "Texas Newspapers' Waste Paper Drive." This is a move started by the Federal Government for the collection and salvaging of waste paper which is badly needed in the war effort, and the newspapers throughout the land have been called on to publicize the matter.

Governor Coke Stevenson has lent the prestige of his office to this vital program by proclaiming the month of August 20—September 20, as Paper Salvage Month in Texas.

The literature also gives considerable information for completing organizations for towns, communities, counties and even school districts, for the purpose of collecting this waste paper, with the least possible expense and loss, so that smaller units may deposit their gleanings with that of larger units, until car loads or truck loads have been collected; and then the local transportation committee can arrange for its transportation to the nearest leader, who will attend to its delivery to paper mills.

We have made considerable inquiry as to any arrangements that may have been made for handling this commodity here at Friona, and thus far nothing had been learned about it; and it seems that no organization has been formed or appointed for this locality.

The Mayor of Friona stated that he had no knowledge of any such organization for the city, but stated that he thought that possibly the Boy Scouts would take charge of the matter; but the Scout Master stated that he knew of no such arrangement.

Under such conditions, a chamber of commerce might be expected to assume the responsibility of the work, but since Friona has no chamber of commerce; and the work of a local chamber of commerce has been to some extent assumed by the local Lion's Club, it was suggested by some of those we contacted that the Lion's may take charge of the waste paper matter. However, the Star has no information to that effect, and so far as we have learned, no arrangements have been made for the collection of waste paper at Friona.

In the event that any of the present organizations care to take charge of this matter the Star will be glad to furnish them with the suggestive literature for carrying on the work in detail.

Owen Seamands begun last week the harvesting of his sudan crop, which he is cutting with a binder. The seed has not been threshed yet but an average yield is estimated.

Try a Want Ad!



Aviation Cadet Glen C. Stevick, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Stevick of Friona, is shown in this picture on the flight lines at the Lodwick Aviation Military Academy, Avon Park, Fla., where he has just completed primary flight training in elementary and acrobatic flying. This school operated under Maxwell Field, Ala., and is popularly known as "The Country Club of the Air". Cadet Ste-

vick was graduated from the Friona High School in 1942, and while a student was active in football. He received his appointment to cadet training at Scott Field, Ill., and his transfer to the Lodwick School followed the completion of his C. T. D. training with the 11th Detachment at the Middle Tennessee State College in Nurfreesboro, Tenn.



Jim R. Roden, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Roden, has been awarded his silver wings and appointed an officer in the

Army Air Force upon completion of his twin-engine advanced training at the Pampa unit of the AAF Central Flying Training Command.



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## District Tire Panel In Emergency Job

In an effort to make fair distribution of the greatly reduced quota of large truck tires for the Lubbock District of the Office of Price Administration, an emergency truck tire panel is meeting in Lubbock each week Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday to pass on applications sent in from Local

Boards. Members of this special panel are from War Price and Rationing Boards throughout the District. These Board members who have volunteered to help in this emergency plan will serve in rotation, according to Ely Fonville, District OPA Rationing Executive.

At the first meeting of the tire panel, board members came from Cochran, Garza, Hockley, Lynn and Lubbock Counties to help in issuing tires to the most essential truck and bus operators. At the second meeting, representatives came from Local Boards in Mitchell, Garza, Hockley, Lubbock, Winkler and Motley Counties.

These Board Members who make up the revolving emergency truck tire panel will check applications forwarded from Local Boards and will issue all certificates for truck tires 8.25 and larger. "All Boards are urged to send us the names of volunteers who are willing to help in this important work," Fonville stated.

## Westway

By MRS. MERLIN KAUL  
The revival meeting began Sunday night at the schoolhouse. Rev. M. O. Row of Southland is the evangelist and has been bringing some inspiring messages. Rev. W. S. Armstrong pas-

## Well, They Asked for It



tor of the local Baptist Church, is conducting the song service. Everyone is invited to attend the services.

Mrs. Phillip Miller and daughter Bonnie left Thursday for a visit with relatives at St. Louis and Portageville, Mo. They will visit Mrs. Miller's mother, Mrs. L. C. Fisher, and her sisters, Mrs. Roy Dillard and Mrs. Frank Merrell all of whom have visited here. They

will return home in time for Bonnie to return to TSCW at Denton.

Mrs. F. W. Dodson of Spade and Miss Elma Smith of Olton were guests of Mrs. Al Werner Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Combs of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Combs and boys visited last week with Mrs. Hugh Stevenson at Clayton, N. M. Mrs. Stevenson is a sister of W. E. Combs

and has been ill. The Home Demonstration Club picnic was held Friday night at the park in Hereford. Those present included Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rudd, Harold and Homer, Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Hawks, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee Wilson, Helen Jo, Nathan and Glen, Mrs. W. S. Rice and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Combs and boys, Grady Wilson, Donald Dean and Norma Sue, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Little and E. H. and Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Kaul and sons.

L. T. Hawks accompanied his cousin Aldon Hawks, Jr., to his home at Elizabeth, Colo., last week. He will visit until school begins.

W. W. Wilcox went to Cleveland, Okla., last week to visit his uncle Harve Wilcox, who has been ill.

Mrs. Emery Burks and children of Gravette, Ark., were visitors Wednesday in the Clarence Morrison home. The Burks have wheat at Hereford and are here to put in the wheat. Marjorie Morrison spent Friday at home from her work at the City Drug Store at Hereford.

Mrs. Barney Hooten and Mrs. L. B. Hooten of Tulla were guests Friday night in the T. B. Cox home.

Mrs. Guy Lawrence, Nelda Guy and Melba Gay of Hereford helped can corn at the Merlin Kaul home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee Wilson and children attended a birthday dinner Sunday at the Sam Wilson home at Hereford honoring the birthday of Mr. Wilson. Mrs. Curtis Blackburn of Hobbs, N. M., was also a visitor in the home of her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gentle and children of Amarillo and Albert Johnson of Sapulpa, Okla., were visitors in the L. B. Wolfington home Sunday. Mrs. Gentle was formerly Beessie Johnson.

L. B. Wolfington, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Leola Wolfington and his sister, Mrs. Alameda Icem of Hereford visited one day last week at the Jim Wolfington home at Plainview.

Mrs. Jim Clark, mother of Chris Clark and Mrs. Moody Stephan, has been taken from Amarillo to Temple where she is being treated for asthma. Mrs. Clark has been critically ill.

Mrs. Grady Wilson has been moved from the Godwin sanitarium to the home of her daughter Mrs. Bud Hopson at Hereford.

## NEWS ABOUT FOOD from local W. F. A. Committee

Canning of butter is possible, but is practical only under certain conditions. This opinion comes from Mrs. Winifred J. Leverenz, specialist in food preservation for the A and M College Extension Service.

The specialist says it is important to wash the milk out of the butter, but it should not be "worked" too much. Addition of three-fourths table spoon of salt to each pound helps both the flavor and keeping quality. Enamel-lined tin cans are best, but jars can be used if they can be stored in a dark place, or wrapped in paper to keep out the light.

Canned butter is not heated. Mrs. Leverenz says the cans should be filled with butter, and only a small amount should be placed in the can at a time. Tight packing to remove air space is one of the secrets of successful preservation. There should be no space between the lid and the butter. After the can is sealed it is not processed but stored in a cool place as possible, preferably in a freezer locker or in a place where the temperature remains below 70 degrees F., such as a cellar. The lower the temperature, the longer canned butter will keep.

Families who have difficulty in keeping a year 'round supply of butter may find it practical to can some while milk production is seasonably high, the specialist says. She adds that it is also possible to preserve butter in a brine.

Mrs. M. H. Koelzer has put butter in her own freezer locker, in order to have plenty of butter all year.

**Food Poison Danger**  
In June of this year a bride in a hot central Texas county learned the hard way about food poisoning. A custard pie was baked Saturday morning and left at room temperature until Monday noon. It was a week later before she and her husband returned to work.

Any milk and egg mixture should be stored in a refrigerator if not eaten within a few hours after the mixture is cook-

ed. So called "ice cream poisoning" is tyrotoxic. It may be caused by careless washing of the freezer. The freezer bucket and dasher should be rinsed with tepid water soon after the ice cream has been served. Use a brush to clean the bottom and the seam up the side.

If dishes cannot be washed immediately after a meal the food should be rinsed off in running water.

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## A Break for Our Side



Allied soldiers were on the other side of this wall near Caen, France, when the shell struck, but luckily it merely imbedded itself and failed to explode.

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## Many Look "Forgotten"

"Ever since D-Day stormed up the beaches of officers and fought their heroic anonymous entitles.

"They were unknown whose names and military secrets. For security, not even were permitted to they were or what doing. A division established the great the war and created Sergeant York and of other heroes, but Army decides that to be identified, thus without recognition.

One such division front, was the Ninth arrived here on D has been in contact enemy almost ever then. Only today (its existence acknowledged) it is so good that members of the Infantry received Silver Star in action.

**Buck Private Tamm**

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gent and has mended for a lieut cause he was regulations forbid of his name until fication has been Nineteenth Division France on June 7 taste of the bitter come came when troopships hit a mine near the beachhead, all were rescued.

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## Many Local Boys in Fighting Ninetieth, "Forgotten Division" of Normandy Battle

"Ever since D-Day, when they stormed up the beaches, thousands of officers and men have fought their hearts out as anonymous entities.

"They were unknown soldiers whose names and unit were military secrets. For reasons of security, not even their families were permitted to know where they were or what they were doing. A division may have established the greatest record of the war and created its own Sergeant York and any number of other heroes, but until the Army decides that the unit may be identified, these men fight without recognition.

One such division on this front, was the Ninetieth, which arrived here on D plus 1, and has been in contact with the enemy almost every day since then. Only today (July 19) was its existence acknowledged. This outfit is so good that even three members of the Infantry Band received Silver Stars for gallantry in action.

### Buck Private Takes Command

One buck private led a platoon for four days through a wild combat after a company commander had been killed. He took over the command at the dying request of the last platoon leader to fall and carried on through some of the bitterest fighting of the war around St. Suzanne until he too was wounded. He was made a sergeant and has been recommended for a lieutenant. Because he was wounded Army regulations forbid the mention of his name until formal notification has been made. The Ninetieth Division arrived in France on June 7 and its first taste of the bitter things to come came when one of its troopships hit a mine and sank near the beachhead. Fortunately, all were rescued.

"The division went into action on June 10, fighting yard by yard through some of the most difficult terrain that veteran soldiers had ever seen. Before them fell such towns as Pont l'Abbe, Amfreville and Gourbesville. Their losses were heavy as they battled through the streets in hand-to-hand combat, fought desperately from behind murderous hedge-grows while the enemy waited on the other side to pick them off, and struggled waist deep through swamps to reach their objective.

"With the Eighty-second Airborne Division, the Ninetieth defended the southern flank while the troops moved northward to take Cherbourg. The division was the principal factor in setting the trap for the Germans caught between Cherbourg and the southern line of the peninsula. One hundred and sixty-one Germans were killed while attempting to flee one company of one infantry regiment.

One of the Divisions outstanding feats was the capture of the Forests of Mont Castre, known to the Army as Hill 122. This high spot was the anchor of the main line of resistance in this sector. The hill which was heavily mined, was taken after four days that those who lived to tell about it will never forget. . ."

### Softly Feminine



This afternoon's... of black balloon cloth printed with a design in fuchsia and white is trimmed with bows and is softly feminine. It's worn with a black straw cartwheel.

### Summerfield

MRS. GUY WALSER

Sunday School and church were attended by 102 Sunday morning. There was also a good crowd Sunday night. Don't forget the Revival meeting starts Friday Aug. 17. Let's have a good crowd present.

Potato digging is well under way in this community. The potatoes are dug early in the morning and late in the afternoon so the hot sun will not ruin them. Mexican labor is being used in nearly all fields.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowery Walker and family spent part of last week in Amarillo visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Trimble.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Palmer and Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Walser and Joan left Monday for Cheyenne, Wyo., where they will visit Mrs. Palmer's sister and get Jean Palmer, who has been up there visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clark, Criss Clark and Jewell Clark left last week for Temple where Mrs. Clark went for her health.

Mrs. Eugene Johns left last week for Granada, Miss., to join her husband who is stationed there.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cannon spent a few days in Amarillo last week with her parents.

Word has been received that Gene Currvan in the New York Times.

Harry Lookingbill has landed in England.

Delbert Powelson of Camp Blanding, Fla., spent a ten-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Powelson. When he left he was to report to Camp Shelby, Miss.

Misses Mary and Pat DeLozier and Edward DeLozier visited in the J. R. Oglesby home at Dawn Friday while their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert DeLozier went to Amarillo on business.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Lookingbill and family were dinner guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lookingbill of Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Tandy Legg and family spent the week end with his parents at Dickens.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Storey and family spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Noland and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Storey of Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. George DeLozier and family were Amarillo visitors one day last week.

Friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lowery Walker Friday night to celebrate the wedding anniversaries of the Walkers, Walk Bostons, Henry Behrends and George DeLoziers.

Outdoor games were enjoyed by the children and the older

## FOLKS in Uniform



"You realize what you've started—there are 5000 other men in this camp with birthdays!"

group played "42."

Present were Messrs and Mesdames A. F. Blakemore, Raymond Palmer, A. H. Ferguson, Jim Noland, Bill Steakley, L. A. Beavers, W. A. Palmer, Jack Buse, L. J. Councilman, Jack Streun and their families, and

Mrs. Harper and children, the honor guests and the host and hostess.

S-Sgt. Elton Johnson of Wichita Falls, spent a few days furlough visiting his brother, Ray Johnson and family. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson and Bill

Ray took him to Amarillo Sunday to catch the train back to Camp.

Mrs. L. H. Lookingbill, L. B. Lookingbill and daughters and Mrs. Lee Curry and Pearl Prachar were Amarillo visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sears and Mrs. Joe Huckert of Hereford and Joe Huckert, Jr., of California were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Huckert last Thursday.

The Germans have discovered a quick way to identify enemy planes. If there are more than three of them, they know it's the Allies.

It takes but a wink of an eye to get a man into a lifetime of trouble.

Silas said he was late to work because he squeezed out too much toothpaste and it took him a long time to get it back into the tube.

Storm in Florida blew a young boy out of bed. Bet there are some mothers who would appreciate such storms every morning.

The best place to find a helping hand is at the end of your arm.

We're not sure, but sometimes we wonder if our birthstone isn't the grindstone.

When a man looks down at the heel, there's usually a trim ankle above it.

Then there is the fellow who had to leave his job because of illness. The boss got sick of him.

Whenever the value of the package exceeds the value of the contents, that's glamour.

Back the attack against those who attack in the back.

## Want Ads

FOR SALE: One good Model "D" John Deere tractor, on good rear end rubber. Nelson Welch, Rt. 3, Friona, Texas. 2-tfc

FOR SALE: See our ad in this issue. C. R. Elliott Co. 2-tfc

FOR SALE: 1 10-ft. broadcast John Deere BBinder. Also 1 one-row, McCormick-Deering binder. Both in A-1 condition. A. J. Mans, 10 miles south and 1 mile east from Friona. 3-2tp

FOR SALE: Three good farms, west of Friona. For particulars, call at Friona Star office. 4-tfc

NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT  
If I owe you, regardless of how long. Please bring the debt to my attention now for settlement.  
Roscoe W. Parr. 4-tfc

FOR SALE: Quarter section of land in south part of Deaf Smith County. Price: \$16.00 per acre. See us for Cheap Lands, M. A. Crum, Friona, Tex. 5-1tp



## What a 4-H Club Daughter Taught a "War Worker" Father

"MY DAUGHTER HELEN came home the other day with the nicest dress she's ever had. She made it herself, as a 4-H Club project. I was mighty proud, and told her so."

"Do you know what this represents?" she asked with a twinkle in her eye. "It represents \$18.75 I didn't have to pay out of my egg money, and therefore it means another War Bond toward going to school."

"She taught me a lesson, all right. Guess I'd been thinking too much about the things that can't be done today, instead of all the things that can."

It's our part in this fight to keep the home front going with as little spending as possible, so that most of the country's money and productive strength can go into planes, ships and guns to win the war.

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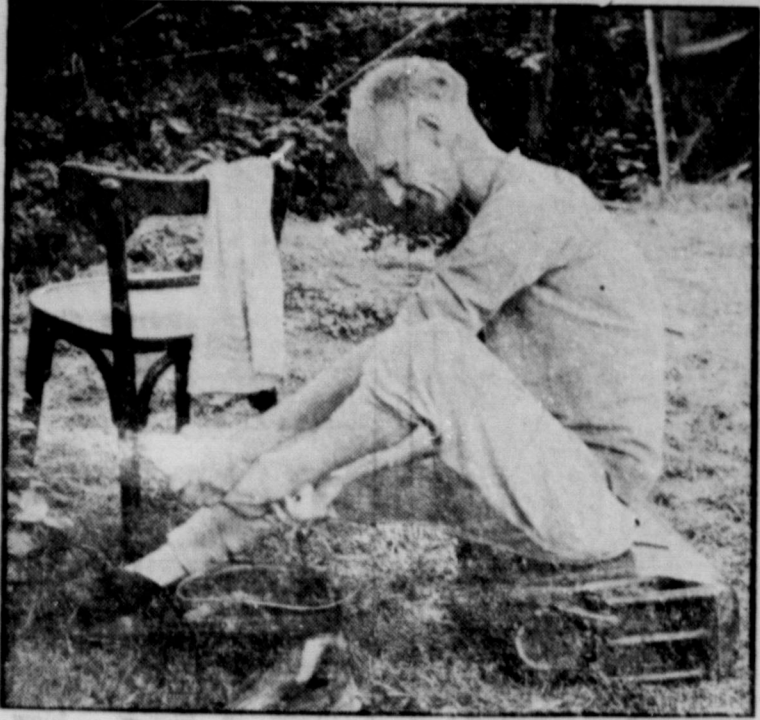


### Total of Four Escapes From Prison Camp

Aid of the FBI, Texas Rangers and local law enforcement officers was called in this week as breaks continued at the Hereford Prisoner of War Camp, and investigation developed the fact of a systematic escape plot among Italian fascist prisoners.

Three prisoners escaped sometime during Monday night and original reports yesterday were that another break had occurred sometime Tuesday night or Wednesday morning. However, Sheriff J. O. Newell reported that a recount of prisoners and a visit to the station

### Behind the Front



Next distinguished war correspondent Ernest Pyie, caught in an informal moment displaying his longies, worn as protection against chill Normandy weather. Ernest's washing his feet in his tin hat, an item of equipment also used for heating soup, for a pillow, and whatnot.

### Conservation Exchange

News of the Deaf Smith County Wind Erosion District

More interest is being shown in irrigated legume grass pastures in Deaf Smith County. Cecil Gunter and C. R. Hughes plan to plant pastures the last of August or first of September. Since it is difficult to obtain the grass seed farmers and ranchers interested in irrigated pastures should be making special effort to secure the seed.

Tomorrow is Soil Conservation Day! Governor Coke R. Stevenson has proclaimed August 18 as Soil Conservation Day in Texas.

On this day Deaf Smith County farmers and ranchers should take inventory of the good results achieved by soil and moisture conservation. In Deaf Smith County 122 farmers and 22 ranchmen are receiving assistance from the Deaf Smith County Wind Erosion District. These 144 cooperators are practicing soil conservation methods on 223,028 acres of land. Many other farmers and ranchmen are practicing measures to curtail water and wind erosion.

The Deaf Smith County Wind Erosion District Supervisors—W. M. Stewart, T. W. Roberson, Phillip Miller, Bert Kinsey and Gus E. Thiele—urge all county farmers and ranchers to emphasize the need of soil conservation for Deaf Smith County. Conservation Day should be a good time to make special plans for improving and protecting our soil for the future.

R. R. Lindsey, Bruce Burney, G. H. Parker, Cecil Gunter, Carl Wimberley and W. H. Johnson received Deaf Smith County Wind Erosion District assistance this week in improved methods of irrigation and water application.

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We refer to the Parmer County Dairy Show, that will be held at BOVINA on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of next week, Aug. 24-25-26. While PRIMARILY interested in GRAIN, its production and marketing, we are ALSO deeply interested in anything that enhances the Farmers' income. ATTEND THE SHOW!

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### Finn President



By parliamentary decree Field Marshal Karl Gustaf Mannerheim is president of Finland, succeeding Risto Ryti, who resigned little more than a month after turning Finland over to Nazi domination.

is over here somewhere also. Could you tell me whether he is or not. Well, I must close now and get back to work. Good luck.

Sincerely,  
Truett Johnson.  
Yes, Truett, I am informed that Chaplain Hill is now overseas.—U. J.

The girl in the next block says she keeps going with a bad egg because she's afraid to drop him.

### A Bit of Old 'Lunnon'



British troops make the Caen Canal look a bit homelike by labeling their Bailey Bridge "London Bridge." Truckloads of supplies are shown en route to the front lines. (British War Office photo via U. S. Army Radio-Telephoto.)

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### English Hospital a Robot Victim



Service men and rescue workers dig in on a hospital in southern England after it was hit by a Nazi robot bomb.

hospital proved that the other "missing" man was in the hospital. The prisoner who escaped last week has not yet been apprehended, Mr. Newell said. According to the report of law enforcement officers, the recent escapes have probably been made through the fence surrounding the camp and it is believed that prisoners crawl into the space between the inside and outside fences and wait till dark to make their final getaway.

**Tunnel Nearly Complete**  
But if construction of a tunnel had been completed by the Italian prisoners, the breaks could have been made on a really wholesale scale; for according to the report of one law enforcement officer, the tunnel had already been dug to a length of 140 feet and was nearly ready to come out, outside the camp wires and somewhere near the road. This tunnel had been equipped with electric lights, and a systematic engineering record was being kept on progress of the work.

The question of what to do with the dirt from the tunnel was solved by the Italians by piling it on tennis and volleyball courts and using it to terrace their gardens. The fact that the dirt was red caliche and entirely different in appearance from the darker topsoil did not at first cause any suspicion; but discovery of the tunnel and succeeding escape breaks have revealed other details of the systematic escape plans of the prisoners.

**Prisoners Had Maps**  
According to the report here, detailed maps of this territory—hand-drawn with colored ink—were found in the prisoner's quarters; and considerable sums of money, some of it in American currency, were also found there; although prisoners are not supposed to have money.

Though a few of the escaped men speak French, they do not speak English or German. They are all believed to have been wearing khaki or blue denim marked PW on the back.

Following is the description of the three men who escaped Monday:

Guido Mollica, 24 years old; five feet eight inches tall; 165 pounds; grey eyes, light complexion, brown hair.

Soldatore Castorino, 21 years old; five feet five inches; 169 pounds; brown eyes; black hair, light complexion.

Germano Menghetti, 21 years old; five feet four and three-fourths inches; 146 pounds; brown eyes; ruddy complexion, chestnut hair.

Anyone having any information concerning these men is asked to contact the local sheriff's office.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Osborn left Wednesday for Electra, where they will visit with Mrs. Osborn's relatives for about ten days.

J. L. Hicks and wife of Earth, were here Wednesday looking for a residence to rent. Mr. Hicks will take over the John Deere Agency at Friona about the middle of September.

F. M. Osborn was a business visitor at Hereford, Tuesday.

**ONS**  
in the SERVICE

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Heat On in Tokyo

Premier Gen. Kuniaka Koiso is taking the heat in Tokyo now as successor to Hideki Tojo, who stepped out due to deep American-made dents appearing in Japan's sphere of influence.

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### Z. J. Malor Buried Thu

Funeral services for Z. J. Malor, 65, were conducted yesterday afternoon, Aug. 17, at the First Baptist Church, Hereford. Rev. W. E. Fiedler officiated.

Mr. Malor died last night at the home of Cecil Malone, who is Hereford Creamery. He had been ill for five weeks.

He was born Dec. 12, 1902. He moved to Hereford in 1936.

He is survived by his wife, Elton and Dudley, at Elton and Farwell, California; one daughter, Jack Stallings of East Texas. All of the funeral except the burial were in Park Cemetery.

Earl Drake left for Houston, where he played.

The Maxwell farm Levelland this week will be employed.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Carter are in Colorado.

Mrs. Adams, Okla., is here with her daughter and family. Mrs. Will Baxter.

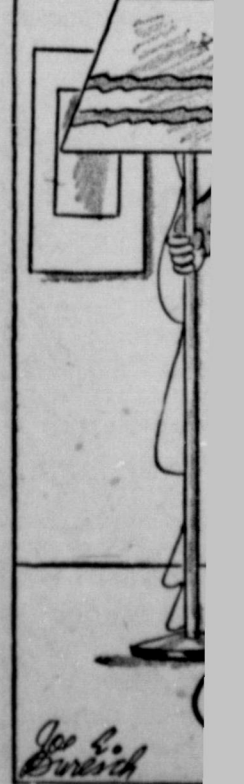
Mrs. Wanda Wain Jimmy left Friday Wyo., after a two here with her party Mrs. C. H. Womack.

Mrs. C. Carter a Miss Carol Dean her father who is

**Anyway,**  
Here's the be the week, which "tops" all other stories.

A group of people left a few to do some fishing in Colorado. A group of gasolin tion, they headed toward Trinidad, Colo. Imagine the when they arrived barb wire strung the cabins, which turned over to the sons of war by prison camp

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"I got it for K. P. recently"