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FROM TEXAS TO TOKIO

Letter dated January 25, received recently here from Pfc. Earl McDonald, with the Engineers Aviation Battalion, states that he is back in San Luis before he was sent to France.

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... V Lambert, fireman second class, U. S. Navy, writes from the Pacific that he spent Christmas in Hawaii. He is on an LST now, and says he likes it very much.

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... V day a letter was received by his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Pedro Aguilar, from Pvt. B. Aguilar, a machinist in the Air Force, who is now in Italy. On February 28, Pvt. Aguilar will have been in Italy two years. He enlisted in Italy and was trained in Mt. Home, and from there he was at overseas on December 23. Pvt. Aguilar recently underwent an operation in Italy and says that he is getting along well. He has made lots of friends in Italy and sends his regards to all his old friends.

... V ...
... V victory will soon be ours and he will be back to see them.

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... V Albert Appel, Jr., U. S. Army, left for overseas duty on January 31 from Camp Pendleton, California. He is stationed at Fort Ord prior to his shipment. Mrs. Appel, his wife, returned from Salinas, California, week end before last where she had been staying while she visited her husband.

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... V William E. Lea, Jr., seaman second class, 79th Seabees, was on overseas for the second time on January 31 from California. Bill spent seven months in the Aleutians on his overseas tour of duty. Before he was shipped this last week, he was stationed at Camp Parks, California.

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... V Terry Miller, pharmacist's second class, U. S. Navy, has been assigned to duty at the U. S. Naval Hospital at San Margarita Ranch, Oceanside, California. He had been at Treasure Island, San Francisco, with his brother, Cherry Miller, pharmacist's second class. This makes the first time that the twins have been separated, either in military or military life. Cherry is still at Treasure Island, but believes that he will soon be stationed to a base near there.

... V ...
... V Tech. Sgt. Lloyd E. ("Slim") Miller, USAF, arrived here last Friday on a three-day pass to visit Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weiland and other friends. "Slim" is stationed at Laredo Army Airfield, Laredo.

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... V Lloyd Deaton, seaman first class, Seabees, writes in a letter dated in February, received on Friday, that he has been made a coxswain. Lloyd is serving in the South Pacific and has hopes of being home for Easter.

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... V Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Murrah received a letter Wednesday of last week from their son, Pvt. R. H. Murrah, Infantry, stating that he has landed in France.

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... V We received a communication recently from Seventh Army headquarters, passed by the press censor on February 1, stating that 1st Lieutenant Marvin Drum, who has been reported missing in action in France since January 18, has been awarded the Combat Infantryman Badge. The Badge is given for satisfactory performance of duty in ground combat against the enemy, and entitles the soldier to \$10 extra pay a month. Lt. Drum is a member of the 12th Armored Division and the husband of Marybelle Drum of this place.

... V ...
... V Edward Kerr returned Tuesday from San Antonio, where he

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Joe Kerr, "Hell Hawk" Pilot, Tells of Combat; Is With 365th Fighter Group

Recently Awarded Air Medal; Has 22 Missions to Credit

Captain Joe Kerr, Jr., a member of the famed 365th Fighter Group, known as the "Hell Hawks", is very busy in Belgium these days. Recently awarded the Air Medal for five missions, he now has three bronze clusters added on, and as of February 3, twenty-two missions successfully completed. Joe is assistant chief of operations.

The "Hell Hawks" have distinguished themselves time and time again in combat. They were presented a Presidential Citation for shooting down twenty-one German planes on one mission, not losing a single one of their planes. "Time", "The Saturday Evening Post", and "Collier's" have all devoted space to the activities of this aggressive group.

Joe flies a P-47 Thunderbolt, a plane that has more than proved itself war-worthy. Some time ago, on a strafing trip over a German air field, he knocked out a JU-88, twin engine bomber, on the ground. The Germans gave the fighters lots of trouble but they got away in time.

Following is a letter from Captain Kerr, dated February 3, Belgium, giving a pilot's view of the war, recently received by his mother, Mrs. Joe Kerr, and sister, Miss Betty Jo Kerr. Feeling that the letter contained thoughts shared by many soldiers, Mrs. Kerr requested that it be published.

First Survey of Highway 67 in Mexico is Made

Citizens Believe Road Can Be Built With Private Funds

An initial survey, by air, of the proposed Chihuahua City-Ojinaga section of U.S. highway 67 was made recently by Chihuahua state engineers, the chamber of commerce here (Alpine) was advised this week.

The survey was ordered by Gov. Miramontes of Chihuahua following a meeting held in the Mexican city previously, attended by representatives of several Texas towns located on the route. Gov. Miramontes ordered a study of the route made, locating a feasible route for the new road, it was stated.

The route followed by the aerial party passed through Alameda, Coyame and Cuchillo Parado, considered the most feasible route.

Chihuahua residents feel the construction of the section of road would be of especial benefit to the state and it is believed that it can be financed through private enterprise, to be paid off in a determined number of years, a statement in a Chihuahua City newspaper of recent date stated.

The newspaper also stated that cattlemen in the region of Camargo "have much interest in the construction of this road and we know from unofficial sources, that they are ready to make available large sums of money, since it will be the port of departure for their products to the United States"—Alpine Avalanche.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Simmons and daughters returned Tuesday from San Antonio where they have spent the past several days on business. During their stay Mr. Simmons had dental work done.

Mrs. Kate Hiller of Los Angeles, California, arrived here Thursday to visit her mother, Mrs. G. T. Jessup, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jessup and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jessup.



CAPT. JOSEPH N. KERR, JR.

it be published.

"I have been receiving mail and packages pretty regular now, and that certainly is a relief. Things have been going on pretty much as usual, and we are seeing plenty of action and getting plenty of excitement. The Air Medal was presented to me by our Commanding General, a Texan; it stands for five missions. I now have twenty-two, so I have three bronze clusters to the Air Medal. Our group was also presented a Presidential Citation. This was for shooting down twenty-one Jerries on one mission and not losing a single plane. That happened just before I reached the group.

"I haven't had a chance to come home, and most likely won't for quite a while. You know I am thinking of you all ways and am just as anxious to be home as you are to have me, but I doubt very seriously that that will be until this is all over. This war has set us back a great deal, as it has many others, and all we can do is hope it is over soon. I expect things to be much tougher after the war than they are now, too. I've been in this from the beginning, and will be there at the finish; both because I have to and want to, I'll never quit. I know it seems to you as though we are losing everything, but please don't let it worry you, because I don't see how we could lose any more; we'll just have to start all over. There is nothing I would rather do than come home right now and get started, but that is out of the question. If I know you and Betty are well and happy, it makes me feel better, and my job is so much easier.

"I hope you understand what I am trying to say. I have a job to do, and that is all; everything else will have to wait. The situation is looking much better over here, and our hope is that things fold up by early spring.

"Haven't run across any of the Terrell County boys, but have seen several of my cadets from Pecos. Also heard Phinny in Lubbock, Texas doing what I don't know, and Fancher is in Oklahoma City for P-38 photo reconnaissance.

"Hope this finds you all well, and just pray this is all over soon. Take care of yourself, and please don't worry. Love to all."

Mrs. Stumberg Is Hostess to Wednesday Club

The Wednesday Bridge Club met on club day this week with Mrs. S. L. Stumberg, Sr., at her ranch home. Apricot blossoms decorated the room.

Mrs. Web Townsend won high score prize. Mrs. C. P. Peavy took second high, and Mrs. R. S. Wilkinson received consolation prize.

The hostess served cherry pie and coffee to Mesdames Peavy, Townsend, Wilkinson, Tol Murrah, Roy Bogusch, and W. H. Greenwood, May Williams, J. W. Carruthers, V. E. Keyes, Joe Little, Annie Nance, Raymon Powell, and Misses Ella Savage, Una Lee, and Eva Carruthers. Mrs. Powell was a guest.

CONSTRUCTION OF NEW CHURCH IS PROGRESSING WELL

Construction of the new \$15,000 Methodist Church is progressing well with all frame work with the exception of rafters and joists completed.

The basement, 30 by 45 feet, is ready for running the concrete floor, and the water-proof, insulating material has been put on the outside ready for the rock work to begin. The native rock is being hauled from the Longley Ranch south of Dryden and the veneer walls will start up as soon as sufficient rock has been brought in. O. J. Creswell is the building superintendent in charge of the job.

The Rev. John Klassen, pastor, stated that \$9,000 of the necessary \$15,000 had already been contributed by members of the church, business men of the town, and other interested parties. He also stated that the committee in charge of raising the funds were hopeful of securing the other \$6,000 by the time the building was completed so that the new church will be free of indebtedness. All of the \$9,000 received to date has been by contributions. He also said that all who wanted to have a part in this new building may give their contributions to any member of the committee.

HOUSEWIVES ARE ASKED TO KEEP SAVING FATS

Homemakers of Town and Farm again are asked by the War Food Administration to come to the rescue of a wartime program. WFA states that it is looking largely for the people in agricultural areas to increase the quantity of salvaged fats this year to the 250,000,000 pounds needed to meet United States military, industrial and civilian requirements.

Last year housewives turned in 170,000,000 pounds. M. L. Wilson, Director of the Extension Service, has called upon all state directors of the service to enlist the aid of their field forces in helping to speed the drive for used fats turned in from rural areas. WFA advises and asks all housewives to keep a tin can in a handy spot in which to pour used cooking fats. When the can is full the fat-can and all—should be taken to the local market where the butcher or grocer will pay two red points a pound for every pound turned in. Salvaged fats are used to help make munitions, medicines, synthetic rubber, military and civilian soaps, parachutes and a score of other wartime necessities.

W. M. U. Meets Monday With Mrs. O. H. McAdams

Mrs. O. H. McAdams was hostess to the Woman's Missionary Union of the Baptist Church in her home on Monday of this week for their Royal Service program, "God at Work on Mission Fields", led by Mrs. Clyde Word.

Mrs. T. M. Beckett had charge of Bible study. "A Century of Home Missions" was discussed by Mrs. U. J. Adams and Mrs. R. D. Craig; Miss Ella Savage discussed "The Field"; Mrs. M. L. Grimes, "The Force"; Mrs. A. D. Brown, "The Fruits"; Miss Una Lee, "The Future of Home Missions"; and Mrs. May Williams, "Season of Prayer and Gifts for Home Missions".

During the social hour the hostess served cake, tea, and coffee to Mesdames U. J. Adams, T. M. Beckett, Jake Brookshire, R. D. Craig, Clyde Word, A. D. Brown, M. L. Grimes, M. H. Greenwood, May Williams, J. W. Carruthers, V. E. Keyes, Joe Little, Annie Nance, Raymon Powell, and Misses Ella Savage, Una Lee, and Eva Carruthers. Mrs. Powell was a guest.

Regular Inspection Of Tires Necessary Says ODT Manager

Claims for New Tires Will Be Rejected If Checks Not Made

Failure of commercial motor vehicle operators to comply with regulations requiring periodic tire inspections will adversely affect the claims of these operators for new tires, John G. Ross, of San Antonio, district manager of the Office of Defense Transportation announced today.

The ODT official warned truck, bus and taxicab operators that General Order ODT #1A requires all commercial motor vehicle operators to have their tires checked after each 5,000 miles of operation, or after every six months of operation if operated less than 5,000 miles.

Office of Price Administration action lifting this requirement for passenger tires in no way affects compliance of commercial motor vehicle operators with ODT tire inspection requirements, it was pointed out. Inspections may be made by any agency designated by OPA.

Truck, bus and taxicab operators were also informed that ODT representatives on tire rationing panels are giving close consideration to records of regular tire inspection in making recommendations on applications for new tires.

\$75,000 NEEDED TO BUY EXTRA LAND FOR PARK

AUSTIN—An appropriation of approximately \$75,000 will be necessary to buy 19 additional sections of land the federal government wants for the Big Bend National park in West Texas the state auditor reported Tuesday (February 13) in a state parks audit for the year ended last August 31.

Last year the state decided to the federal government 691,338 acres for the park and 4480 acres had yet to be transferred when the audit closed. The additional sections wanted by the federal government, said the auditor, include 1733 acres with improvements priced at \$35,000. The improvements include 300 acres of irrigated land, a cotton gin, sheep fences, buildings and other improvements.—Alpine Avalanche

Pfc. Felix Munoz With Regiment Holding Fifth Army Front Route

With the Fifth Army, Italy—Pfc. Felix N. Munoz, rigger, is a member of the 39th Engineer Combat Regiment, the unit currently holding open Route 65, main supply route to the Fifth Army front in Italy. Besides building bridges and repairing roads, the 39th has three amphibious operations to its credit and has often functioned as infantry.

Its 1st Battalion landed on D Day at Gela, Sicily, with Ranger units and was soon afterward joined by the rest of the regiment. The 1st Battalion again went ashore with spearhead units that established the beachhead in Italy at Salerno. The entire regiment was employed as infantry on the Anzio beachhead, where it was landed January 24, 1944, two days after D Day, and held the right flank, along the Mussolini Canal, until relieved by Special Service forces. The 39th has, in Italy alone, built 125 bridges, 77 bypasses, 123 culverts, 24 major road blocks, seven airstrips and a floating footbridge. The engineers built 97 bypasses and shoveled rubble in seven cities during the 38-day Sicilian campaign.

Men of the 39th piloted assault boats across the Volturno River in Italy as the 3rd "Marne" Infantry Division, established bridgeheads over the river and built one of the first trestle bridges to span the Volturno. They strung 90 miles of concertina wire and planted 40,000 mines on the Anzio beachhead under German shell-fire and assembled an 80-foot Bailey bridge across a canal in seven hours, as enemy mortar shells and small arms fire covered the area. The 39th built an 8000-yard road through a valley to Highway 7 to expedite the breakthrough from the beachhead, then moved north from Rome along Highway 1. Among the first troops in Piombino, they had the port in operation four days after entry and themselves operated it for 30 days. They set up a 410-foot Bailey bridge across the Arno River at Florence in five days. It required less than a day for them to re-open Highway 65 connecting Florence and Bologna, when the traffic artery washed out in five localities.

The 39th was set ashore in January, 1943 at Oran, Northern Algeria, and assigned tasks in French Morocco and Northern Algeria. Colonel Thomas E. Green, Austin, Texas, commands the regiment.

MEXICAN SUPPER, CAKE WALK BRINGS \$302.20 FRI. NIGHT

The Mexican supper and cake walk, which took place just before the coronation at the high school auditorium Friday night netted \$302.20 according to Supt. Tom Holley. This amount will go into the fund for building of the athletic field.

The Parent-Teacher Committee, composed of Mr. Holley, Mrs. John Harrison, and Mrs. H. B. Persch, are in charge of raising funds for the athletic field and expressed their thanks to those who helped make the affair so successful by donating so freely of their time and effort, by being on hand Friday evening.

PEREZ-ARREDONDO NUPTIALS TAKE PLACE FEB. 14

Miss Irene Arredondo became the bride of Private First Class Julian Perez, Jr., United States Army, in a ceremony here on St. Valentine's Day at the Saint James Church at 4:00 P. M., with the Reverend Father Femenia performing the marriage rites.

The bride's mother is Mrs. Antonia Villareal, and the father of the groom is Julian Perez, Sr., both of this place.

David Villareal, her brother, gave the former Miss Arredondo in marriage. His father, Julian Perez, Sr., acted as the groom's best man. The bride, dressed in white satin embroidered with pearls, and on her head frothy white veiling wreathed with orange blossoms, was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Willie Ochoa, who served as witnesses to the ceremony. Mrs. Ochoa wore pink satin with a corsage of pink carnations. Miss Enequina Ochoa, escorted by Noberto Barrera, carried the ribbon yoke. The bouquet was borne by Miss Julia Hernandez, who was escorted by Raul Escamilla. Several bridesmaids also attended the bride. The men participating in the ceremony were in uniform.

Following the ceremony a reception was given for the newlyweds in the home of the groom's father Julian Perez, Sr. Pfc. Perez will report back to his station at Camp Swift at the termination of his furlough.

Mrs. W. E. Lea returned Thursday from San Antonio, where she spent several days this week. Mrs. Lea received medical attention during her stay.



LOOKING AHEAD BY GEORGE S. BENSON

RUSSIA Since the beginning of 1945 I saw a mid-Victorian rig, a horse and buggy, pass an automobile on a graded road. It was not a race. The car was not running. The motorist was out changing a tire. The driver of the rig sat up straight and pressed his horse for a bit of extra speed going by, which was funny. The car owner made the change and drove into town far ahead of the buggy.

Between 1928 and 1938 the United States, the world's outstanding industrial nation of all time, had an industrial depression. Meanwhile the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics was moving forward; not rapidly but at an increasing rate. In those years it was being transformed from an agricultural nation, a stage through which America had passed, half a century before.

A Wind-Broken Nag Russia was driving a horse named "Central Planning." The rig made an interesting dash for improvement, not very fast however, nor very spectacular. Claims made for the animal's speed were funny; certainly not all true. Living conditions in Russia were not as high as those in America in the pit of our depression; never have been before nor since. It was a splurge, better than Russia had before, but far below American achievement.

There is nothing new about Central Planning. It's as old as horse-drawn equipment. Kings tyrants and dictators have always used the idea. Some have done better with it than others, depending on the ruler. Russia's recent rulers have been anything stupid. Their military generalship has the world agog. Russia has made a marvelous fight, using American equipment extensively.

For National Safety You would think that Russia, living next door to an armed desperado for 25 years could have adequately prepared for war. No; Central Planning couldn't do it. It took a raid on Pearl Harbor to wake America from a sweet dream of peace, but America went into action with Private Enterprise and, in four years, armed the United Nations for victory. This demonstrates which system is better for national safety.

But war is never America's main objective. We are a peace-loving people and we want to work and prosper and live well. Some say that America, in view of Russia's achievements ought to junk Free Enterprise and adopt Central Planning. Knowing that Russia's achievements have never compared to our own, the suggestion is preposterous. Let's examine the figures of an expert for a moment:

Development Compared Leopold Schwarzchild, in his recent book called "Primer of the Coming World," shows some index figures to make a fair comparison of industrial gains in similar periods—Russia while at her best in 1928-38 and America in a similar period. Here are three for a sample:

	U.S.S.R.	U.S.A.
Coal Mining	599	1,332
Railroad Building	38	918
Automobiles	129	2,066

The Russian government is an autocracy. One political party controls everything, including newspapers and radio, but not more than 2 per cent of the people belong to it... the upper class. Kick up a rumpus about it if you want to go to the salt mines and serve your country for insufficient board and clothes. The system overcomes unemployment, but wages are only one-sixth of wages in America and the standard of living only one-sixth as high. I am in favor of keeping private enterprise here.

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It Happened In Sanderson TEN YEARS AGO This Week - Remember

February 22, 1935

C. V. McKnight was a business visitor in Sonora Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kerr and sons left Thursday afternoon for San Antonio where they will spend the remainder of the week visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Col Coates and son, P. C., left Tuesday for Tucson, Arizona, where they will attend the annual rodeo to be held in that city the latter part of this week.

John Green, Jr., who is a student at Sul Ross, spent the week end here with his parents Mr. and Mrs. John Green, Sr.

William Lea, student at Sul

Ross, spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lea.

O. T. Schupbach, who has been attending Abilene high school, returned home the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton White were business visitors in Del Rio Wednesday.

Harold Lee Grigsby of McCamey is spending this week in Sanderson with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Grigsby.

Mrs. C. W. Barker and daughter, Jane, have returned from a visit with relatives and friends near Houston.

Mrs. W. J. Ferguson and daughter, Mary, plan to spend the week end in Kerrville visiting with Billy, who is a student at Schreiner Institute.

Air Mail envelopes at the Times

WITH OUR NEIGHBORS

Fort Stockton Pioneer—Newell Oil Company, distributors in the Tran-Pecos area for Gulf products, tires and other accessories, has completed installation in Fort Stockton of a new wholesale bulk warehouse, with storage tanks for various petroleum products, and ample warehouse space for oils, greases and various types of automotive merchandise offered on a wholesale basis.

Big Bend Sentinel, Marfa—The importance of persistent, consistent work in fighting poisonous weeds in the tri-county Highland area will be outlined Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock by Dr. Frank P. Mathews of Alpine when he appears before members of the Highland Hereford Breeders Association, meeting in their annual business session.

The meeting will be in the Chamber of Commerce office.

Hudspeth County News, Sierra Blanca—Hal Burns and Oscar Davis of Memphis, Tenn., promoters and producers of Western and Hillbilly-type shows, stopped overnight on their way from Hollywood, Calif., where Hal Burns, known to movie audiences as Ken Marvin, recorded a series of songs for Columbia records, including "Sad Sack," and appeared in two Republic pictures.

Brackett News-Mail, Brackettville—According to the last issue of the Eagle Pass Guide the 160-family housing unit in the new area sector of Fort Clark here has been made available to the army and civilian personnel of the Eagle Pass Army Air Field and of Laughlin Field, Del Rio.

The project was opened by the Federal Public Housing Authority at the request of army men.

DR. R. VAN BAILEY

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STRICTLY BUSINESS

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"Why is it, Miss Clark, I can never find what I want in these files?"

dreth film role opposite Mr. Ladd in the character of Emily Blair, a haughty heiress who suffers serious illness on the eve of her engagement to Jess Ladd, played by Barry Sullivan.

A tense triangle develops when Loretta's piquant sister, portrayed by Susan Hayward wins the love of Barry, a situation they feel constrained to hide until Loretta is well. Alan Ladd is called into the case as the one man whose clinical experiments might help Loretta.

Ladd's love for his patient becomes a tragic thing that tears at his heart when he realizes he will have to admit failure in his experiments. Aware, too, of the personal tragedy that lies before her in the discovery of her sister's place in Barry's life he is doubly pained in maintaining professional silence.

"And Now Tomorrow" presents, thru Mr. Ladd's characterization, a beautifully unselfish love transcending even professional trust. Irving Pichel directs with dramatic boldness presenting the invalid girl in a dream vacuum of blind faith and the man in whose hands and heart she might find solace, beyond the perimeter of her unbending formality.

IN THE MEANTIME, DARLING IS GAY, TENDER FILM STORY AT PRINCESS

When Victory is won, and the boys come marching home, it's our guess that they'll have some unexpected competition in the reminiscing department — and from no other source than that gallant army of dauntless women—the WIVES—who followed their husbands from camp to camp until that last moment of heartbreak when their loved ones went overseas.

Twentieth Century-Fox has taken their story and made it into one of the gayest, most tender screen treats of the year. The film, "In The Meantime, Darling," starring that dazzling newcomer, Jeanne Crain, with Frank Latimore, Eugene Pallette, Mary Nash, Stanley Prager and Gale Robbins, comes to the Princess Tuesday.

Here is the full, rich, heart-warming story — the pathos,

comedy and gallantry—of young wives of Army men dig into the "foxholes" of crowded rooming houses, camps throughout the country to be with their husbands as long as furlough passes permit until the boys' attention comes through.

More specifically, "In The Meantime, Darling," is the story of Maggie Preston's GI moon at the Craig Hotel, complete with paper-thin and cracked mirrors and efforts of Lt. Danny Fred to get his GI bride to live in the style to which she was definitely not accustomed.

How Maggie, pampered daughter of a copper king, brought face-to-face with the other gals in the boat; how the unsuspecting Danny is almost transferred to the "chairborne infantry," through a comedy of errors (and the inexorable fortune of war) the Craig Hotel becomes the scene of one of the poignant wartime dramas told, makes for entrancing screen entertainment from to finish.

The way some women you'd think they were to inventory of the store.

The reason they call "jack" is because it lifts the load off a person.

Our fishing days are day eternal expectation and petual disappointment.

Advice to the girls: Never a fool kiss you; or a kiss you.

EYES EXAMINED—GLASSES FITTED DR. C. L. BASKET OPTOMETRIST

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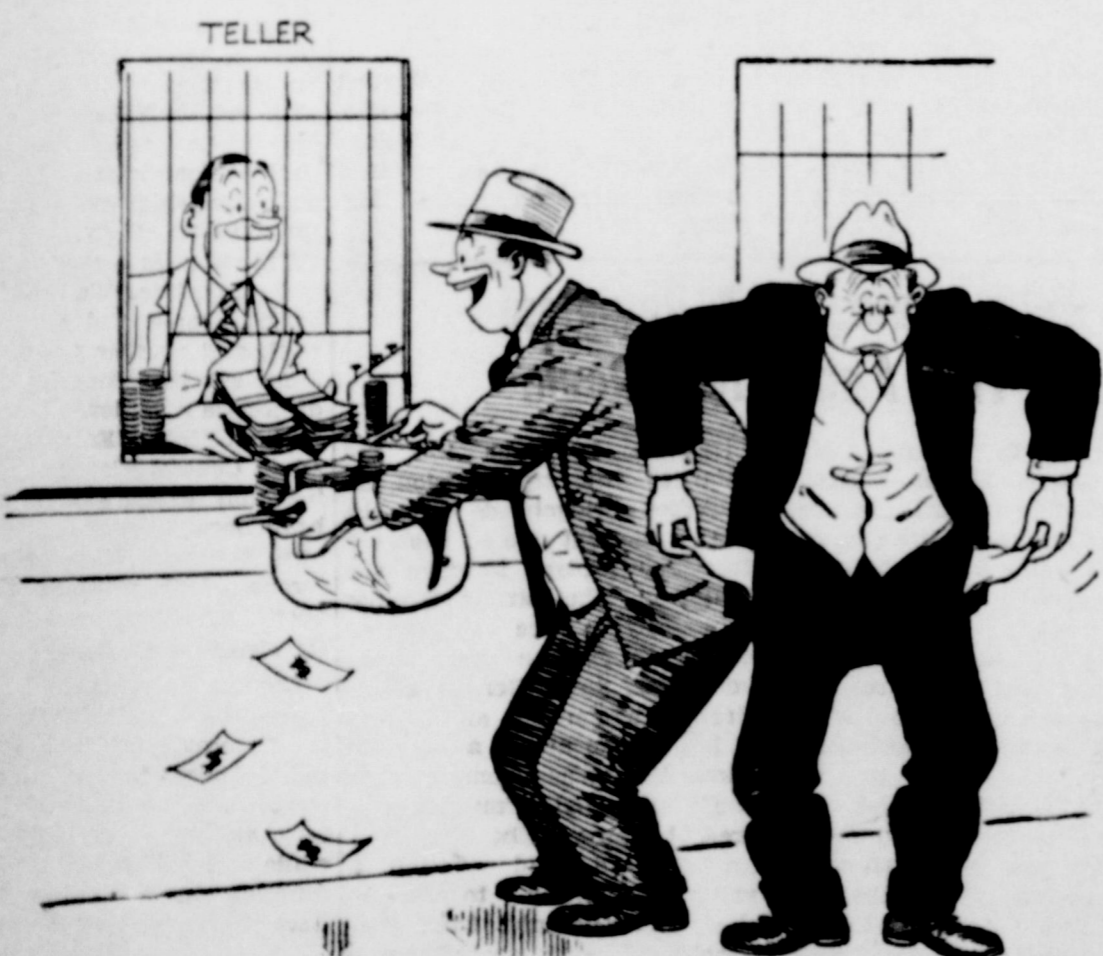
Are You A Dollar Saboteur?

Every time you buy goods you do not really need, you help force prices up, help make critical shortages of merchandise even more critical. Any one of us who is spending as high a percentage of his income on "unnecessaries" today as he was before the war, is just that—a saboteur.

When you buy War Bonds regularly—when you go to the bank each pay day and make a deposit—when you save according to a plan—you help build a backlog of SAVED DOLLARS which will help to keep down prices and will help assure continued prosperity after the war.

THE SANDERSON STATE BANK MEMBER FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORP.

That All Gone Feeling BY FABER



For some folks it will come in a few years—as they watch their wiser friends collect when their War Bonds come due.

Don't be one of the boys who're going to feel like kicking themselves...don't give in to that urge to spend now. Hang on to those War Bonds till they're fully matured.

If you cash your Bonds in now you're taking fighting dollars away from Uncle Sam just when he needs them most. You're throwing away the best investment in the world

—and a chance to have things you've always wanted. And you get a mighty poor break when you buy things at a time when goods are inferior in quality and prices are high.

So, instead of looking forward to "That All Gone Feeling," get set for the thrill of a lifetime—the time when you can march proudly down to the bank and get your full four dollars for every three you've loaned your country.

Meanwhile, keep on buying War Bonds!

KEEP FAITH WITH OUR FIGHTERS BUY WAR BONDS FOR KEEPS

Alpine Avalanche—The State Highway department is asking for bids on seal-coating the section of U. S. Highway 90 from a point 5.48 miles east of Alpine to 13.883 miles east of Marathon. Reconditioning the base is also included in the improvements for which bids are being asked.

Bids on the work will be received at the Highway department office in Austin until Feb. 28, 10 a. m. Plans and specifications are available at the state highway office in Austin or at the office of B. B. Boudas, resident engineer, Fort Davis.

Del Rio News-Herald—Rain-fall in Del Rio Sunday afternoon, Sunday night and Monday morning totaled 62 of an inch, records in the United States Weather Bureau show.

With a previous 03 of an inch, total moisture received thus far this month is 65 of an inch.

Normal precipitation for the month of February is 54 of an inch, records show.

If you want to make the days pass quickly, buy something on the installment plan.

We couldn't understand how he kept so fat, when everyone said he ate like a bird, until we discovered he ate a peck at a time.

Most of us don't trust people for two reasons: First, because we don't know them; and second, because we do.

Why Thousands of Doctors Have Prescribed

Pertussin FOR Bad Coughs (DUE TO COLDS)

For years—thousands upon thousands of Doctors have prescribed Pertussin to promptly relieve bad coughs due to colds. Today you can get this same effective Pertussin at any drugstore.

Pertussin—a famous herbal remedy—is scientifically prepared to work internally. It acts at once not only to relieve your coughing spell, but also to loosen sticky phlegm.

Pertussin is safe and mighty effective for both old and young. Inexpensive. Pleasant tasting!

SHADES with LIGHT LININGS



REFLECT UP TO 30 to 50% More Light

If your lamp shades are not white or very light-colored on the inside, you're losing a lot of valuable light. Dark linings soak up light like a sponge—in some cases as much as 30 to 50% of the light is lost. Clean your lamp shades regularly, or if they're too dark or discolored with age, replace them with clean white-lined shades that reflect light instead of absorbing it. You'll find you'll get a lot more light from the same bulbs.

HOW TO CLEAN LAMP SHADES

Parchment paper shades should be dusted with a clean cloth. Silk shades with fancy trimming such as applied ornaments, and shades of shrinkable material should be dry cleaned. Plain silk or rayon shades can often (but not always) be washed successfully provided they are stitched to frame and not glued. To wash, first remove all surface

dirt with soft brush; then hold by wire frame at top and dip up and down repeatedly in lukewarm suds made from mild soap flakes. Rinse through three or four lukewarm rinses using same up and down dipping motion. Dry very fast, hanging in shade outdoors in warm, breezy weather, or suspending over radiator or stove, using fan to accelerate drying, in inclement weather.

COMMUNITY PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY

Buy War Bonds for KEEPS!

THE EAGLE NEWS

EDITED BY STUDENTS OF THE SANDERSON HIGH SCHOOL

Fort Stockton, McCamey, Big Lake, Marfa, Grandfalls, Sanderson, and Iraan. The game schedule for the coming season will be released upon completion.

CORONATION'S SUCCESS
Tickets sold to the coronation brought \$185; the cake walk, \$135; the Mexican supper, \$140; and the cake auctioned before the coronation, \$43, making a total of \$503 received from these enterprises.

Lamar School Notes

1-B NEWS
By Baldemar de la Cerda
Mrs. May Williams, first grade teacher, visited friends in Marfa, Fort Davis, and Alpine last week end.

1-A NEWS
By Herminia Surita
The 1-a grade had their Valentine box on February 14. They also had some cookies and oranges, which they enjoyed eating very much.
Johnny Valadez went to Del Rio last week to see his cousin, Andres Lomas.

FOURTH GRADE NEWS
By Irene Calzada
Wednesday, February 14, Mr. Smith's fourth grade enjoyed a Valentine party. Cold drinks and cookies were served as refreshments.

FIFTH GRADE NEWS
By Mary Blanche Salinas
Mrs. Lindley went to Del Rio Monday after school for medical advice. She returned that night on the bus.

Raul C. Flores went to El Paso during the week end to consult an eye specialist.

The fifth grade room mother Mrs. Praxides Arredondo, helped make refreshments for the fifth grade on Valentine's Day. Herbenia Barrera went to Dryden during the week end to visit Herminia Surita.

The last seventh grader on the list is:

JACINTA VENEGAS
Jacinta Venegas is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Venegas. She was born in Sanderson, Texas, August 17, 1931. She is five feet, five inches tall. She has brown eyes, black, curly hair, and an olive complexion. Jacinta's favorite subjects are arithmetic and geography. She is a very bright student. She likes to read best of all.

For her pastime Jacinta likes to dance and sing. She hopes some day to know how to dance tangos, congas, and the rhuaba. Jacinta hopes to enter high school this coming fall. When she finishes high, she wants to become a nurse.

SIXTH GRADE NEWS
By Regino Falcon
Mario Escamilla went to the Mitchells' ranch Monday to visit friends. He was accompanied by his father and mother and sister, Gloria Escamilla, and brother, Pres Escamilla. He intends to go again next Saturday and return Sunday. What he enjoys most when he goes is riding horses.

SEVENTH GRADE NEWS
By Gloria Marquez
Henrietta Escamilla was absent three days of the week because of a hand injury. The sixth and seventh grades celebrated St. Valentine's Day with a party. Refreshments consisting of cake, cookies, and lemonade were served after the opening of the Valentines.

Women should believe in free speech; they are free enough with theirs.

Death and taxes are certain; but you feel the effect of death only once.

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You have to make allowances for son when he's off to college.

In this great country you can still get all you want from the best filling station in the world—your own dining room.

By the time the meek inherit the earth, taxes will be so high they won't want it.

We're getting just like our car. The older we become the more knocking we do.



The famed 36th "Texas" Division which fought so heroically in Italy, is picking up new laurels in France, where it already has taken more than 17,000 German prisoners—an average of more than one and a half prisoners for each member of the Division. The figures count only live Nazis actually in the hands of the Texans, and not the several thousand killed outright.

Most recent news reports say the 36th is in a new offensive. Apparently the Texas boys just don't know how to retreat!

And, speaking of Texas boys, here's a tip that may help you make them mighty happy at little cost: send them your home-town newspaper. Better still, enter a subscription for your son, husband or friend, so that the paper will go to them direct from the newspaper office each week. Nothing makes a better gift, for every soldier wants to read all the home-town news. The boys abroad would rather have the home-town weekly than the New York Times plus all the current magazines!

But back to the 36th Division—Sgt. Fred Hall of Mansfield, Texas, who weighs 202 pounds and is the biggest man in his headquarters battery recently was forced to sleep in a baby crib while fighting along the Seventh Army front in France. It was the only available sleeping place in the house where he was billeted. Fred reports that it was lots more comfortable than a fox-hole in the cold!

S-Sgt. Rector Schnahals of Bastrop has been awarded the Soldier's Medal for heroism in helping extinguish a crashlanded bomber. He did the job despite constant danger that several bombs still left in the ship might explode. The official citation pointed out that his deed constituted "heroism at great risk of life."

S-Sgt. Cy Key, whose farm home is near Crowley, recently won the Combat Infantryman's badge for outstanding service with the 2d Infantry in France. And from Leyte comes word from another scrapping Texan who knows what it is to be lucky. He is Pfc. Jim Pavlicek of West, who has fought through two of the toughest campaigns of the war without being scratched.

"I guess God has been with me," Jim told a war correspondent who talked with him recently. He has been in service four years, and has fought the Japs on several Pacific islands.

Another West resident, Marine Corp. John Stepan, has earned his "M" with a Marine football team in the South Pacific. The former Texas University guard plans to coach football after the war, and he's keeping up with the game even while fighting the Nips.

Also in the Pacific is Russel Cole of Brownsville, who believes in working when there are no Japs around to fight. While waiting for a new combat assignment after several months of front-line service, Cole volunteered to work with a construction unit building Quonset huts on the island.

Incidentally, Texans at home are going to receive a lot of national publicity when the final report on the recent War Chest drive is made. Details aren't ready for publication yet, but Wayland D. Towner, United War Chest of Texas general manager has let slip the fact that Texas generosity came through again!

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Women Needed for Training as Wac Medical Technicians

Applicants Need Not Have Had Previous Medical Experience

The Texas State Department of Health has been asked to assist in recruiting WAC Medical Technicians. Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, believes that this offers a splendid opportunity to learn and be of real service to men recovering from battle wounds and illness in government general hospitals. The first and most important qualification for hospital service is the earnest desire to render service to the sick and wounded soldiers in our Army hospitals. The applicant must be between the ages of 20 and 50 years. She must be a citizen of the United States. And she may be single or married, but she must have no dependent children under 14 years of age. She must pass a physical examination before enlistment. The minimum educational requirement for enlistment is the com-

CANCER FEARS OFTEN NEEDLESS HEALTH MAN SAYS

Many false ideas and misconceptions regarding the cause of cancer are responsible for an unjustified fear of this disease according to a statement released by Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

"We receive many inquiries as to what is the cause of cancer," Dr. Cox said. "In order to reduce the total of 160,000 cancer deaths in the United States each year it would be well for the general public to be more fully informed about the established cancer facts."

"The more common cause of cancer," Dr. Cox asserted, "is some form of chronic or prolonged irritation such as friction. Constant friction of a mole or wart or of an old burn scar may produce cancer."

"Cancer is seldom caused from a single bruise. A type of bone cancer known as sarcoma may possibly result from a single severe injury, but it is believed that a single bruise to a soft tissue such as the breast will not cause cancer to develop."

There is no scientific evidence that cancer is caused by a germ.

pletion of two years of high school or equivalent, such as business, vocational, or trade schools. She need not have previous medical experience; the Army will train her.

General hospitals located in Texas are Harmon, Longview; Ashburn, McKinney, McCloskey, Temple; Brooke, San Antonio; William Beaumont, El Paso. Women enlisted under this program will be assigned, after completion of training, to the hospital selected at the time of enlistment.

It is expected that at least 17 platoons of 15 each will be recruited in Texas. Applications can be secured at any county seat post office.

At least 85 per cent of the women recruited under this program will be trained and used as technicians. A small number may be used in clerical and administrative capacities. Women will, therefore, be recruited for duty with a WAC General Hospital Company.

therefore it is not contagious or infectious. There is no record in medical literature of physicians or nurses getting cancer from their patients.

In commenting on some of the old-fashioned ideas about the causes of cancer, Dr. Cox said it is time for the average person to realize that aluminum cooking vessels, electric refrigeration, or certain food groups cannot be the cause of cancer.

"Certainly aluminum vessels and electric refrigeration have nothing to do with it, and there is no known food or combination of foods that have any influence on the cause or cure of cancer," Dr. Cox said.

Cancer can often be cured if diagnosed in time. If the earliest symptoms such as an enlargement or change of color in any body cavity or chronic indigestion with an aversion to meat are heeded as warnings, and early diagnosis is secured, x-ray, radium, or surgery may save the life of the patient.

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SMALL SWEETHEART DANCED LAST FRIDAY

Friday evening, February 17, the high school auditorium was the scene of a small sweetheart dance. Betty Sue Yeates was the football sweetheart for the year.

The royal duchesses and dukes of the twelve duchies of Sanderson High School marched to the aisles and took their places on each side of the stage. Each duchess and duke was announced by Miss Marion Bennett.

The king, Allister Dishon, was announced and waited for the football sweetheart's arrival. The queen, Nancy Mitchell, and Sandra Schwalbe, were the train bearers.

The following program was presented: Bathing Beauties of Sanderson, Diana Duke, LeAnn Lea, Diana Duke, Chamberlain, Kay Wilbur, Peggy Cooke, Mary Ann Moore, Maida Moore, Patsy Huff, Bonda Gale Boyd, Mary Elaine Duncan—whirl, Maida Moore, presented by Sammy Raney, the song, "My Dreams Are Better All the Time", presented by chorus consisting of Mary Agnes Frazier, Carolyn Peavy, Mary Nell Gates, Bettan Peavy, Mary Alice Allen, Orlene Oberling, Earline Cox, McMillan, Lavelle Stidham, and Hazel Babb; Song, "I'm of You", sung by trio consisting of Cobb, Joan Anderson, Ora Mae Blackweider, Betty Jo Kerr and the Wells; Musical reading, "Sort of Girl Your Mother is to Be", given by Joan McCreary, Joan Byrd, and Nancy Peavy; Song, "Daisies Don't Grow by Marilyn Mansfield; Telephone solo, "Saxaphobia", by Bill Savage; and a musical reading by Doris Lee Cooke.

The fourth grade for turning out 100% from ticket sales. Mrs. Grigsby for serving as chairman of the stage committee. Mrs. Brieger for acting as chairman of the program committee. Mrs. Holley for serving as co-ordinator. Those who prepared and served the Mexican supper. Those who managed the cake. Those who had a part in providing a perfect evening.

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TEACHERS TO ALPINE

Misses Margaret Lattimore, Una Lee, Marion Brieger, and Mary Frances Richardson, and Mrs. M. H. Greenwood went to Alpine Saturday, where Misses Lattimore and Lee and Mrs. Greenwood attended a luncheon for Delta Kappa Gamma members.

A George Washington motif was carried out in table decorations, place cards, and program covers. The program consisted of special music under the direction of Miss Irma Lee Batey, head of the music department of Sul Ross. The Sul Ross Carolers sang "Welcome, Pretty Primrose Flower", "Smoke Gets in Your Eyes", and "America, My Own".

The subject for the meeting was "The Teacher's Personal Adjustment to Meet New Situations". Mrs. Faye Vice, Primary Critic teacher of Sul Ross, discussed emotional poise, and Miss Marie Bennett, head of the home economics department, told how to improve personal appearance. Miss Lattimore was one of the hostesses.

SEEING THE SENIORS

This week we have another prominent female of the senior class. She is Clara Alice Bell, Alice, as she is generally called, was born in Del Rio, Texas, September 10, 1927, to proud parents Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bell.

Alice has blonde hair, hazel eyes, and a cute, winning smile. She is five feet and four inches tall.

She began her education in Sanderson Grammar School, where she continued through the years. Her ambition is to be a nurse, and she plans to go into nurses' training when school is out.

Alice's hobby is dancing, which is also her favorite pastime. She also likes to listen to blues records. Other things she likes are: Mexican food, Van Johnson, and "Rebecca," her favorite book. Her favorite color is blue; favorite subject, business arithmetic; favorite songs, "I'm Confessing", "Into Each Life Some Rain Must Fall", and "The Very Thought of You". She dislikes hateful people, Mondays, and boys with lines.

Alice has played a prominent part in school activities since she has been in high school, having been on the volleyball team four years, in the pep squad four years, two of which she was leader, duchess in the coronation in 1943, in the choral club two years, sports editor on the annual of 1945, in the Junior Play, president of the sophomore class, vice-president of the junior class, and vice-president of the senior class. Alice is very well liked by everyone and a very valuable asset to ole S. H. S.

FIFTH GRADE NEWS

Our room had a Valentine box last Wednesday. Herbert was our postmaster, and Mary and David were postmen to deliver the mail.

Mrs. Greenwood served heart-shaped cookies and punch.

We have had a letter from James Bean, our former classmate, who moved to Mauriceville and is now in the sixth grade.

SNOOPER

Sees Nothing— Hears Nothing— Tells All



Believe it or not, Hut actually made it to Marfa and back without tearing up anything.

Why were Harvey and Francis so glum on the way home from Marfa?

Say, did you notice the new gold basketball Clara Alice is wearing? Nice going, kid.

We hear there was a gasoline shortage on the Marfa trp. hub, Betty Jo?

Where did all the oranges come from in Doris Lee's car? We wonder.

Can you imagine a car breezing into Sanderson Sunday morning at 6:00 and the motor not even running?

A few students from Sanderson High seemed to enjoy working on shifts. Only this time instead of making cars, they were pushing one.

Why can't the freshman girls make up their minds who they want? Especially D. D. and B. J. B.

Why was Betty Sue so lonesome this week end? Was it because Robert Joe is out of town? Sue, he will come back nice, big, and healthy from the country air.

Temple, does Ora know about your writing notes to Doris Duke in Junior Business class? Better watch out!

Edgar, do you miss Marilyn Hampton yet?

Snooper finds the "Fish" and "Sophs" get along pretty well together.

Joe Neil, why did Margie get mad at you Friday night? Would Harriet know?

Can you imagine Albert Voorhees not writing notes to Betty Jo?

Betty Sue, do you and Betty Ann really like egg sandwiches? Kinda good, weren't they?

We see a certain ring, which was once in the possession of Doris Hill, is now worn by the owner, Jack Lester. You'll be sorry!

Chamilla and a number of Marfa boys seemed interested in a certain junior girl at the Marfa dance. How about it, J. M.?

Marjorie wouldn't stay for the dance at Marfa. We can't understand why! With her cousin there and all his friends we would have.

Cooke seems to put on a big smile every time anyone mentions Robert Brown. Who wouldn't?

Doris and Bosco haven't been having any fights lately. At least Snooper thought they were doing all right Saturday night.

PRESENTS FLAG

Mrs. Mary Mitchell was a guest of the student body at their regular assembly on Friday, February 9, at which time she presented to the school the Texas flag that was awarded to Terrell County for being first to reach its War Fund quota in this district. Mrs. Mitchell is Terrell County chairman of the War Fund.

G. A. PARTY

The G. A.'s had their regular meeting last Wednesday. The program was in keeping with the Valentine spirit. Nancy Shirley, Virginia, and Barbara had parts giving information on the manner of expressing affection in other countries.

After the program, sandwiches and punch were served by the refreshment committee. Nancy and Shirley.

Those attending were Nancy Hasty, Mary Wolfe, Suzie Persch, Jackie Lou Slover, Barbara Rose Virginia Hayes, Clara June Davis, and Mrs. Greenwood, the sponsor.

ENTER DISTRICT

Mr. Tom Holley went to McCamey last Friday, February 16, on behalf of S. H. S.'s 1945-46 football season. Representing the school, Mr. Holley petitioned the District Executive Committee for entrance into District 3-B. By a vote of the Committee Sanderson High School was admitted into this district. District 3-B is composed of

Princess Theatre

Sunday - Monday
Matinee Sunday, 2:00 P. M.

"CAROLINA BLUES"
KAY KYSER
ANN MILLER
VICTOR MOORE

Tuesday

"In The Meantime, Darling"
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Wed. - Thursday

"AND NOW TOMORROW"
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Friday - Saturday

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TEXAS TO TOKIO

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has been attending St. Mary's University. He is in the U. S. Air Corps Reserve and has received orders to report for duty to Fort Sam Houston at San Antonio March 20.

In last week's column we erred in stating that Captain Joe Kerr, Jr., USAAF, now in Belgium, had just recently been promoted to that rank. Captain Kerr received his promotion while he was stationed at Pecos Army Air Field, upon completion of a six weeks instrument course at Bryan Air Field. Joe has, however, recently been awarded the Air Medal.

Mrs. Clyde Higgins and daughter, Mary Nell, accompanied by Mrs. W. A. Daugherty of Alpine, were visitors in Fort Worth last week where Mrs. Daugherty and Mary Nell went for medical attention. Mrs. Higgins and Mrs. Daugherty returned home Thursday of last week but Mary Nell remained for additional treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Murrah returned Tuesday of last week from Temple where Mr. Murrah recently underwent two major operations. He is reported to be doing fine.

Mrs. Berta Clark Lassiter and son, Buzzy, returned Sunday from El Paso, where they spent the week end.

VISITS GRANDSON

Mrs. Alice Turner returned Wednesday of last week from Seguin where she had been visiting with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Dawson and children. The visit was principally for a visit with her new grandson, Edgar Perry, eight-pound son born to Mr. and Mrs. Dawson January 25th. Mrs. Turner also stated that the Dawson family were moving to Abilene where Mr. Dawson will be stationed in the future. He is a sergeant with the Highway Safety Department.

Mrs. Jack Ward left Saturday for San Antonio where she is visiting with her sister, Mrs. J. C. Hanna, before continuing to Dallas for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Byrd, sister and brother-in-law of Mr. Ward. She is also visiting with her children Wanda and Sharon Kay, who have been in Dallas visiting in the Byrd home for the past three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Holley, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McDaniel, parents of Mrs. Holley, of Dallas, returned Monday from San Antonio where they visited the first of the week.

Mrs. J. W. Leatherwood was dismissed from a San Angelo hospital Thursday of last week, where she recently underwent a major operation. Mrs. Leatherwood is visiting in Eden with her mother, Mrs. A. B. Carnes, at present.

Mrs. H. C. Goldwire and Mrs. Joe F. Brown left Monday for San Antonio where they will remain for several days. Mrs. Goldwire will receive medical attention during their visit.

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Culture Club Meets February 15 With Mrs. Savage

The Sanderson Culture Club met Thursday, February 15, in the home of Mrs. W. H. Savage. Assorted bulb blossoms, geraniums, and maiden hair fern in a low bowl graced the coffee table.

Mrs. R. A. Gatlin was leader of the program on "Relations With Europe". Her subject for discussion was "U. S. Interests and Aims". Mrs. A. D. Brown discussed "Three or Four Europes", cussed "Three or Four Europes", and Mrs. O. H. McAdams had as her subject "Peacemaking: A Process".

After the program the hostess served cheese pastry hatchets, cherry duff with whipped cream, and coffee to the guests while they were entertained with two piano selections by Jackie Savage.

Members present were Mesdames Gatlin, Brown, McAdams, J. H. Lochausen, H. E. Ezelle, J. W. McKee, Joe F. Brown, H. C. Goldwire, John Klassen, and the hostess. Guests of the club were Mrs. John Byrd and Mrs. Earl Pierson.

Courtney Home Scene of Friday Bridge Party

The Friday Bridge Club met last week in the home of Mrs. P. P. Courtney.

High score prize was won by Miss Madge Conger; second high, Mrs. J. D. May; and consolation, Mrs. J. A. Mullins.

The hostess served a salad plate, hatchet-shaped biscuits, cherry tarts, and coffee and tea to Mesdames Hugh Rose, M. H. Goode, Jr., Jack Laughlin, W. H. Savage, W. H. Buchanan, Roger Rose, J. D. May, Conway Pickard, J. A. Mullins, Horace Fletcher, S. H. Underwood, and Miss Madge Conger.

SON BORN TO FLORES

A son, Eugene, weighing seven pounds, was born February 8 to Mr. and Mrs. Arnulfo Flores of Houston, Texas. The child is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Jose A. Flores of this place. Both mother and son are reported doing well.

W. D. Hunter returned last week from Palacios, where he has been receiving medical attention and visiting with his sister, Mrs. H. C. Boyd, for the past six weeks. He has improved in health.

Mrs. Maude Grace of Denton is here visiting with Mrs. G. T. Jessup and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jessup. She is also visiting her daughter who teaches in Iraan.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Wells arrived home Saturday from Fort Worth where Mr. Wells had been in a hospital for the past five weeks. He is doing very nicely now.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Sudduth, accompanied by M. K. Vahan, returned from San Antonio Monday night, where they were business visitors over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Sudduth visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Major C. Dye, brother-in-law and sister of Mrs. Sudduth, during their stay.

RATIONING

Meats, Fats—Red Stamps Q5, R5, S5, good through March 31. Red Stamps T5, U5, V5, W5, and X5, good through April 28. Red stamps Y5, Z5, and A2, B2, C2, D2, through June 2nd.

Processed Foods—Blue Stamps X5, Y5, Z5, and A2 and B2 good through March 31. Blue Stamps C2, D2, E2, F2, and G2 good through April 28. Blue Stamps H2, J2, K2, L2, and M2 good through June 2nd.

Sugar—Stamp 34 good through February 28. Stamp 35 good through June 2nd.

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Church Services

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday Services:
9:55 a. m. Church School
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship
3:30 p. m. Church School, (Dryden).

4:30 p. m. Worship (Dryden). Nursery maintained during morning service at parsonage. Monday:

3:00 p. m. meeting of Womens Society of Christian Service.

Until further notice, morning church services and Sunday School classes will be held in the Princess Theater.

John Klassen, Pastor

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible Study, 10:00 a. m.
Song Service begins 10:50 a. m.
Preaching Service, 11:05 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.

Communion morning and Evening.
Wednesday night service at 8:00 o'clock.

Tuesday, Ladies Bible Class at 3:00 p. m.

Elvin Bost, Minister

MEXICAN METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday Services:
10:00 a. m. Church School
11:30 a. m. Youth Fellowship
8:30 p. m. Preaching Service

Thursday:
8:30 p. m. Worship Services
Everyone welcome.

CATHOLIC CHURCH

Mass every Sunday at 8:30 and 10:00 a. m.
Mass on week days at 7:45 a. m.

Rev. N. Femenia, Pastor

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. John W. Byrd, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
Woman's auxiliary every 2nd and 4th Monday 3:00 p. m.

ST. ELIZABETH EPISCOPAL MISSION

Communion Service 10:30 a. m.
Evening Service 7:30 p. m.
First Wednesday of each month. All welcome.

W. H. Martin

BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday:
10:00 a. m. Sunday School.
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship
7:00 p. m. Training Union
8:00 p. m. Evening Worship

Monday:
4:00 p. m. Meeting of Missionary Society.
Wednesday:
8:00 p. m. Prayer service and Bible Study.

NEW DEVICE BEING USED EFFECTIVELY TO KILL COYOTES

Farmers in Reeves County are trying out a new device for eradicating coyotes. Originally developed by Wyoming rancher, this invention consists of a short length tube equipped with a trigger and a firing pin. The tube is driven into the ground and a small bait loaded with cyanide is attached to the top of the tube. When the coyote attempts to remove the bait a light powder charge in the bait blows the cyanide into the animal's mouth. According to County Agricultural Agent Ted Johnston, this "coyote getter" is more effective than that of using poisonous pork baits.

He says that approximately 2,000,000 acres of ranch land in Reeves and Loving counties are being treated with poison baits and coyote getters.

In the first two weeks of operation he estimates that about 500 coyotes were killed. Sheep ranchers and cattlemen in Reeves County have reported heavy losses due to these pests. One rancher lost 12 baby calves from a herd of less than 50 cows in a period of a few weeks. Johnston says that the Commissioners Court has appropriated \$200 for expenses and has agreed to pay for the bait and poison amounting to about \$100. The U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service is furnishing three field men to do the work. County Agent Johnston secured 10,000 pork fat baits, and the Fish and Wildlife Service is using several thousand "coyote getters."

Collector Scofield explained that returns filed on a Withholding Receipt should be mailed to his office, without any money. His staff will then figure out the tax, give the taxpayer credit for taxes already paid, and send a bill or a refund for the difference. Where a bill is due, it will usually take the collector a few days to a few weeks to make up the bill and mail it, but the taxpayer will have 30 days from the date of the bill to pay it. Where a refund is due, the return will be verified and a check will be mailed as soon as possible.

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★ TERRELL COUNTY HEROES IN SERVICE ★



SENON COLORES HERNANDEZ

Was born in July of 1911 in San Diego, California, the son of the late Fidencio Hernandez and Octaviana Hernandez. From San Diego the family moved to Marathon, where they resided for some time. Later Senon went to school in Fort Stockton for a time and was employed there at the Rooney Hotel by Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Downum for six years. In April of 1933 the Downums came to Sanderson to assume management of the Kerr Hotel. "Sammy" accompanied them and was employed by them for ten years. He was inducted into the Army April 19, 1944, at Fort Bliss, Texas, and sent from there to Little Rock, Arkansas, for four months' infantry training. He was stationed at Fort Meade, Maryland for a short time before shipping overseas from New York December 22, 1944. Senon landed in France on Christmas Day and went into combat. On January 11, 1945, he was killed in action, during operations against the German salient in northern Luxembourg. Senon's company was ordered to capture the center section of a small town. He was an ammunition bearer for the mortar section of his platoon and was killed instantly by enemy machine gun fire as he moved up the slope towards the town. Private Hernandez was a member of the 357th Infantry, and is survived by his wife, Mrs. Reynalda Hernandez, and a son.

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Scotfield Tells Aids to Filing Income Returns

\$500 Income In 1944 Requires A Return By March 15

Frank Scofield, Collector of Internal Revenue for the First Texas District, suggests four simple rules to help the millions of wage-earners who intend to use their Withholding Receipts as their 1944 income tax returns. A return is required not later than March 15 from every person who had \$500 or more income last year and who is not abroad on that date.

The suggested rules are as follows:

1. Be sure to fill in the information about your income in lines 1 to 5 on the front side of your receipt. If you had more than one job last year and if you had income outside of your job, be sure to include all your income. If husband and wife are making a combined return include all the income of both. Read the "test" on the receipt to see if you are eligible to use the receipt as a return; if not use Form 1040 and attach your receipt to it.

2. Be sure to list on the back of your receipt the names of all the persons including yourself for whom you claim exemption.

3. You should have one receipt for every job you had last year on which income tax was withheld from your wages. Count your receipts (where employer furnishes duplicate copies of the same receipt, count only one) write the number of receipts in the box on the back of your last receipt, and attach all the receipts together. If husband and wife are filing a combined return attach the receipts of both. However, where more than one receipt is filed, only one of them should be filled in; simply attach the others as they are.

4. Be sure to sign the receipt you use as a return. If husband and wife are filing a combined return, both must sign.

Collector Scofield explained that returns filed on a Withholding Receipt should be mailed to his office, without any money. His staff will then figure out the tax, give the taxpayer credit for taxes already paid, and send a bill or a refund for the difference. Where a bill is due, it will usually take the collector a few days to a few weeks to make up the bill and mail it, but the taxpayer will have 30 days from the date of the bill to pay it. Where a refund is due, the return will be verified and a check will be mailed as soon as possible.

New Insecticide May Prove of Great Value to Mankind

Will Kill Many Insect Pests Now Annoying Gardeners

Some of the questions being asked about the lethal scope of the new magic insecticide, DDT, have been answered by a group of experts, according to Paul Gregg, entomologist for the A. and M. College Extension Service. Incidentally, DDT cannot yet be looked for in the commercial market.

A committee headed by S. A. Rohrer, assistant chief of the Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine, USDA, made a report upon the new insecticide recently to the annual meeting of the American Association of Economic Entomologists. The committee was unanimous in the belief that "never in the history of entomology has a chemical been discovered which offers such promise to mankind for relief from insect problems." But it will not kill all of the important insect pests.

In agriculture it is promising against most potato insects, many orchard and vineyard pests, numerous vegetable insects, as well as the chief insect enemies of vitally important seed crops. It appears to be effective against the pink bollworm and outstanding against the Japanese beetle, two of our worst imported pests. It promises also a more practical control of the pests which ravage thousands of square miles of forests, and against many of those which harass livestock.

The committee's findings point out that, research reports em-

phasize that there has not been enough time to develop a satisfactory mixture and es of DDT insecticide, methods and timing of application for many possible. Modern agriculture pest often requires mixing of materials in combination. The committee also found "we do not know enough effects on plants, animals, soils. While some plants not harmed by DDT in experiments, injury to corn, tomatoes and pear fruit trees was reported." It continues, is toxic to life when large amount taken internally or absorbed through the skin from solutions, "but reports indicate reasonable margin of safety the light of our present ledge, heavy deposits on parts of plants should be ed."

RANCH CLUB

The Ranch Club will meet March 1 at 10:30 A. M. at the home of Mrs. C. C. Mitchell.

John Klassen returned Tuesday morning from San Antonio where he was a business visitor during the first of the week.

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