

THE SANDERSON TIMES

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FROM TEXAS TO TOKIO

Malcolm Davis, Co. STR, stationed at Camp Missouri, writes home: "Well, it's raining here last nite, but it rained last nite, but it's clear this morning. It's raining again. We just saw a show (Duane, Jim, and I). We have no more concerning our replacement. We have more students in the supply of instructors. They won't pick them up. Overseas men and the men D will not accept the Duane ('Coach') Smith, Sanderson school man, is at the camp with Mal-

Lee McCaughey, sea- first class. U. S. Navy here recently to visit his Mrs. D. O. Bosworth, on way to Shoemaker, Calif. a port of embarkation. he visited his sis- M. R. Williams, and her L. Williams, in San and his son, George, Jr. his sister, Mrs. K. C. Corie.

Sp. A third class, U. S. reported to be recovering a recent illness in the hospital in Melbourne, according to word here by his parents, Mr. Mrs. W. E. Lea. Mrs. Bob had been visiting here them, left to go to her husband in Florida.

Lieutenant M. R. Williams spent last Thursday with his wife's parents, Mr Mrs. D. O. Bosworth, en- Fresno, California. he will receive special Mrs. Williams and her reside in Lockhart at

Sergeant Tom Lam- With Engineers, U. S. left here Wednesday after with his father, E. S. his sister, Mrs. H. E. and his brothers' Mrs. Carl Lambert, and who came here from Texas, to participate in family get-together. Tom his way overseas again. His originally in the Ala- has been brought back Alabama, reorganized, and on its way back to action brother, seaman second U. S. Navy, somewhere in Pacific. Since that's the dir- Tom is headed, possib-

Jack Hargrave, U. S. was all over, that he is with the Third Army unit went right up to the but did not get across the is now in France. Jack the French have some customs: "I got a kiss the day, and it wasn't from e either. It was an old with whiskers. He grabbed before I could get away. He happy over a little deal and was the way he showed his relation. Their clothes are checked that there is no room another one." And, for our nation, he insists that the mosquitoes can match American counterparts.

Recent letter from Cpl. N. Allen, USAAF, re- went on furlough to Lon- "We are certainly enjoying on sheets," he writes the English capital. "Yes- we slept 'til nearly noon were surprised when we up and found that we had all morning. Yesterday we by Parliament and West- Abbey and saw the King away come out of the Also went to Westmin- Cathedral, which is rather new. Then we went to ingham Palace and through James Park."

Dr. D. M. Randall will leave here Saturday to attend the annual conference of the United States-Mexico Border Public Health Association in El Paso.

UNCC Drive Ends; Clothes Shipped Saturday, May 5

Terrell County's campaign for good used clothes, a part of the United National Clothing Collection Drive, had concluded very successfully Saturday when 2,735 pounds of clothing were shipped out of Sanderson to a divisional Clothing Collection warehouse in San Antonio.

Mrs. Jim Kerr, chairman of the drive for this county, announced that she was extremely gratified by the excellent response the people of this community and county had made to the call for clothing to send overseas for rehabilitation of liberated peoples.

Mrs. Kerr also expressed her appreciation for the aid that so many women gave in sorting and packing the clothes. Businessmen and merchants were cited, also, for their welcome contributions of cartons and rope used in preparing the garments for shipment. Local men helped in packing and were responsible for shipping the cartons of clothing.

The chairman and her committees, the different organizations who put their efforts into the drive, and all the people of the community and county are to be congratulated on their sizeable contribution to world rehabilitation.

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Senior Play Friday, May 4 is big success.

"Digging Up The Dirt" the play presented by the senior class last Friday night in the high school auditorium, brought a full house in for the evening's entertainment.

Tickets to the show brought \$184.60, the director, Mrs. Tom Holley, announced.

The players seemed to enjoy the show as well as the audience did; their characterizations were enthusiastically done. Music was directed by Miss Marion Brieger.

CHAIN LETTERS BLOCK POSTAL TRAFFIC AGAIN

The chain letter craze, which swept the country exactly ten years ago, has come to life again," said Postmaster Clyde Griffith this week. "We have been handling countless chain letters in the past few days.

"Contrary to general opinion, it is actually a violation of postal regulations to send a chain letter of any nature through the mails. Many letters are written and sent out with good intent and do not solicit anything of value, but regardless of how meritorious their purpose chain letters sent through the mail are posted illegally."

Mr. Griffith continued that it would be appreciated by the department if the public would desist from the practice of sending chain letters. He requested that any persons receiving chain letters return them to the post office for proper treatment. If the public will refrain from sending chain letters, the Postmaster concluded, it will be unnecessary for the postal department to take any action in this matter.

Miss Betty Jo Kerr Honored With Tea Wednesday Afternoon

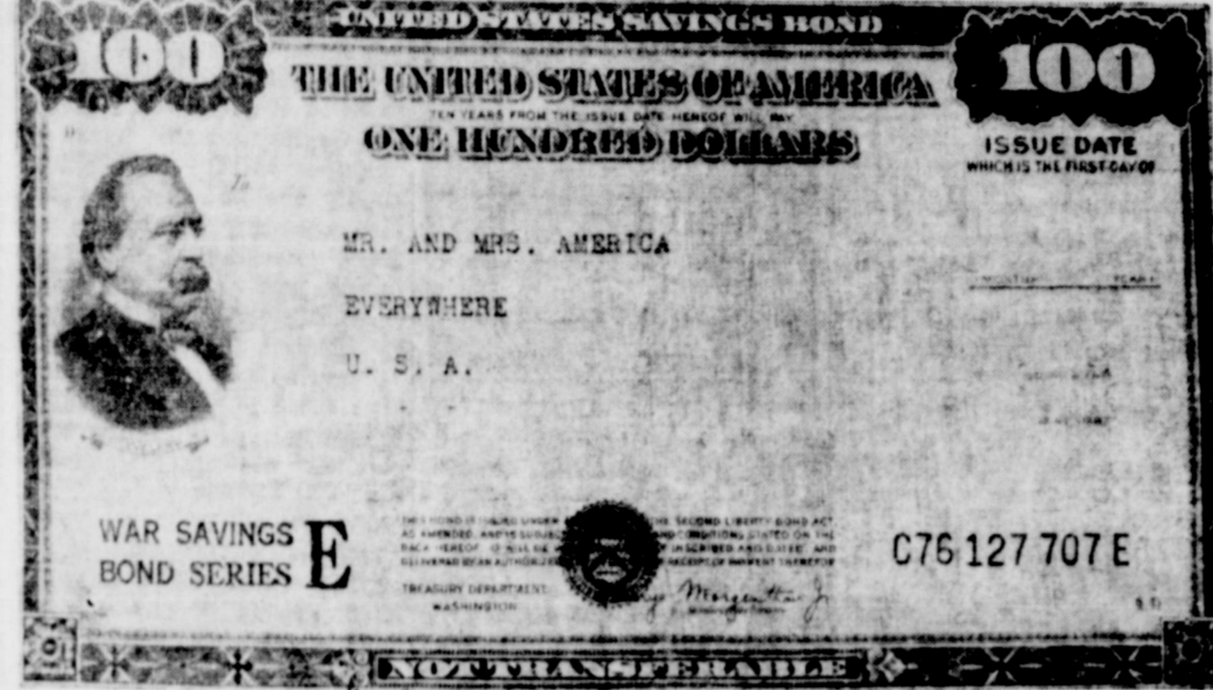
Mesdames Joe Kerr and James Kerr honored Miss Betty Jo Kerr, 1945 graduate of Sanderson High School, with a tea Wednesday afternoon from three to six o'clock in the home of the former.

The tea table was exquisitely appointed, laid with a lace cloth. Tall white tapers stood on either side of a lovely centerpiece of snapdragons. Tea and coffee services were placed at each end of the table. In the living room a beautiful arrangement of gladioli, placed on a low table, was framed by the fire-place Larkspur and queen anne's lace were used throughout the rooms.

The hostesses were assisted by Mesdames S. H. Underwood, Conway Pickard, O. H. McAdams, and W. H. Savage at the tea table. Mrs. Burt Gross presided in charge of the guest book.

Eighty guests called during the afternoon.

The 'Mighty Seventh' Starts Monday, May 14



Service in Methodist Church Highlights V-E Day Activities

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Lee McBee Writes Mother of His Experiences as a Crew Member of U.S.S. San Diego in Pacific Area

The following letter was received last week by Mrs. V. G. Ross, mother of Lee McBee, who is serving on the U.S.S. San Diego, telling her of some of his experiences encountered in the Pacific Theatre of Operations.

Dear Mother and Dad:

With this letter I want to bring you up-to-date on the SAN DIEGO's experiences "as far as the law allows."

One morning during the second week in February we got underway with the feeling prevailing throughout the ship that this operation was going to be something really big. We were not long in doubt. On the second day out the matter was settled by a familiar voice over the ship's general announcement system: "This is the Captain speaking. We are going to call on the Japs at their own front door. We are headed for Tokyo."

This operation was to be the first great attack on Tokyo by carrier-based planes since the famous Doolittle raid in April, 1942. That necessarily, was a hit and run affair. This time we were going in with sufficient surface vessels to permit a sustained air attack on a massive scale. And go in we did, until we were almost in sight of Fuji-yama!

Early on the morning of February 16th the planes from our powerful fleet began their strikes against targets in and around the Jap's capital city. All day long the attacks continued with wave after wave of our carrier planes sweeping over Tokyo. The next day the process was repeated.

I must admit that we in the (See Tells Of Page 4)

Seventh War Loan Campaign to Start Monday, May 14

Monday, May 14, marks the beginning of the 7th war loan drive for Terrell County, a drive that has added impetus this time, due to the fact the European war has ended, giving us added encouragement in prosecution of the war with Japan.

Terrell County's quota in this campaign is \$95,000, meaning more and bigger bonds for us to buy in order to meet the pressing needs required by our armed forces, who must be transferred from Europe, some of whom will be sent to the Pacific area to continue the fight, and others who will be brought home for a well deserved rest after months of hardships in the European war.

The Japs are next in line; they must be completely conquered before peace again comes to us. This means millions of dollars worth of equipment must be transported to the Pacific area in order to bring the Japs to their knees. Let's give 'til it hurts, buy more and more bonds and give our fighting men the guns, ammunition, equipment of all kinds in order to speed the victory that is sure to come.



AUSTIN — While expressing "joy and a feeling of thanksgiving" at the end of the war with Germany, Judge Ben H. Powell, president of the United War Chest of Texas, today called on all Texans to continue their home-front war worry until the final and conclusive defeat of Japan.

"While the surrender of Germany fills us all with joy and the feeling of thanksgiving, and while the defeat of this aggressor nation means a great deal to the world in many ways, it can have no immediate effect on the need for support of the agencies of the National War Fund, which are represented by the United War Chest of Texas," Judge Powell declared.

"I certainly hope there will be no decrease in the interest which the people of Texas have always felt in the United War Chest of Texas, even though the war with Germany has ended.

"In the first place, the need of the downtrodden people of Europe for food and clothing is more pressing than ever. I think it is generally conceded that the people of this country are the only ones who are able to bring them the relief they need and must have.

"Furthermore, we must never forget that the United States is still engaged in a terrible and vicious war with another powerful aggressor nation—Japan. No one can foretell when this war will end.

"As long as our war with the Japanese is in progress, and as long as our troops remain on foreign soil, we must continue to serve them, through USO, War Prisoners Aid and other National War Fund agencies.

"The war in the Pacific will continue to be a very difficult undertaking, even though we have experienced most unexpected progress in recent months. I definitely urge the people of Texas, who have been so tremendously loyal to our efforts in the past, to continue to support our work until the need for this relief is actually at an end.

"Let us remember, always, that it is more blessed to give than to receive. It is inconceivable to me that we might make any mistake in continuing our work on behalf of our fighting men and our allies. But, even if it could be said that it would be a mistake to continue with unabated zeal as we have in the past, let us remember that if we are to err, we certainly should do so on the side of mercy and charity."

Revival Services in Langtry Begin Sun. Night, May 13

Reverend John Klassen, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Sanderson, announced this week, the beginning on Sunday night May 13, of a series of revival services to take place in Langtry in the school house there.

These services will continue intermittently for a period of approximately ten days, he said. The meeting this coming Sunday night will be preceded by a covered dish supper, to be served at the school house at 7:30 in the evening.

The public is cordially invited to attend these revival services. Rev. Klassen concluded.

Piano Recital to Take Place at Lamar Ward

Miss Myrtle Harrell will present in piano recital her Latin-American music pupils Thursday night, May 17, in the Lamar Ward School auditorium.

The following students will give recital: Gloria Escamilla Dora Ochoa, Ofelia Ochoa, Enriqueta Flores, Gloria Garcia Mercedes Castro, Andrea Flores Emma Sue Aguilar, Nieves Lopez, Mary Blanche Salinas, Gloria Marquez, Teresa Marquez Dolores Flores, Elodia Garza Rosita Aguilar, Alicia Lomas, Elena Calzada, Emma Flores Lala Escamilla, Judy Hidalgo Edelmira Coronado, Cecelia Marquez, Yolanda Esqueda, and Alicia Marquez.

Methodist Women Meet May 2 With Mrs. C. Higgins

Mrs. Clyde Higgins was hostess to the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church in their monthly business and social meeting last Monday afternoon. Mrs. F. T. Baker was co-hostess.

After the business of the organization had been settled, the group was served refreshments by the hostesses. Fifteen members and two guests were present.

Mrs. Dema Daniel and daughter, Charlotte Anne, and Mrs. Toots Larson returned this week from El Paso where they had been visiting for several days. Mrs. Larson came there from a visit with her father, who lives in Casa Grande, Arizona.

SANDERSON GETS LIGHT SHOWER WED. AFTERNOON

Rain totaling 10 one-hundredths of an inch fell in Sanderson Wednesday afternoon, climaxing several days of intense heat with thunder showers over a goodly portion of this section. Threatening clouds and light sprinkles prevailing for several days prior to Wednesday's rain bring hopes of more moisture soon.

MRS. WILSON WILL PRESENT PIANO RECITAL

Mrs. May T. Wilson will present her music students in recital Thursday night, May 17, at 8:30 o'clock in the high school auditorium.

Miss Margaret Gregory will assist Mrs. Wilson in the program.

The public is cordially invited to be present.

Bobbie Sarah Cantrell Honored On Birthday Sat.

Mrs. Emmett Cantrell honored her daughter, Bobbie Sarah, on her eighth birthday, May 5 with a lawn party from four to six o'clock in the afternoon. She was assisted by Mesdames M. L. Robertson, M. A. Robertson, and Charles B. Erck, Sr., who acted as co-hostesses.

The lawn was festively decorated. Three tables placed on the grass held a Maypole, the birthday cake, and candy and refreshments, respectively. The guests were given party caps as favors.

Several different games were played during the afternoon and the winner of each game was presented with a prize. Refreshments were served to Jettie Ray Holmes, Jackie Hayes, Shirley Thompson, Marcum Greenwood, Sherry Cunningham, Eva Bently, Alma Faye Davis, Ruby Jean Bell, Dorothy Hill, Sarah Pat Grigsby, Nancy Jean Turner Gerry Lou Adams, Mack Edwards, Jerry Carter, Damon Lee McCartney, Diana Moorefield, Dohn, Thomas and Tony Hopper, Mrs. Jack Hayes, and the honoree.

MOVE TO ARKANSAS

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Simmons and daughters, Norma Jean and Sherry, left here Tuesday for Arkansas where they will make their new home. Mr. Simmons recently purchased the Mountain View stock farm there which he will operate. The Simmons' were in the ranching business in this county before they left.

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With Our Neighbors . . .

WINK BULLETIN—The Wink Wildcat Band, under the direction of W. I. Byron, scored another triumph last Saturday, winning first division ratings in the Region VIII State Contests, at Monahans. No other Wink Band has rated lower than first division in preceding years, but this year's band is to be highly commended for upholding the record, especially because of the unusually young age of most of the members.

Six cities were represented at Monahans and eleven bands. Wink had the largest band, in spite of having perhaps the smallest school enrollment. There were 125 Wink band students participating, with 90 being in the Senior Band.

THE ALPINE AVALANCHE—Nearly two tons of serviceable clothing, shoes and bedding was donated during the United Clothing Collection campaign by Brewster County residents, Mrs. A. F. Robinson, chairman, announced yesterday. Seventy big boxes, totaling 3828 lbs., were delivered to the S. P. railroad for shipment Wednesday, it was reported. The clothing drive closed Monday, but a number of persons brought in bundles Tuesday, which were included in the shipment. Others came Wednesday but it was too late for these to be included.

THE HUDSPETH COUNTY NEWS—A good grass rain fell in Sierra Blanca Monday. While it didn't cover much of the county it will help where it fell, on several sections of land.

The Alpine Avalanche reported good rains in that part of the country last week. From half an inch to extremely heavy in spots.

THE MONAHANS NEWS—At a meeting of the American Legion this week the Neal Huffaker Post 473 voted to hold regular meetings every Tuesday night with a joint social

Women in your 40's



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Church Services

CATHOLIC CHURCH Mass every Sunday at 8:00 and 9:30 a. m. Mass on week days at 7:45 a. m. Rev. N. Femenia, Pastor

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

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Rev. John W. Byrd, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 a. m. Morning Worship 11:00 a. m. Union service 8:00 p. m. Woman's auxiliary every 2nd and 4th Monday 3:00 p. m.

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.

BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday: 10:00 a. m. Sunday School. 11:00 a. m. Morning Worship 7:30 p. m. Training Union. 8:30 p. m. Evening Worship. Monday: 4:00 p. m. Meeting of Missionary Society. Wednesday: 8:30 p. m. Prayer service and Bible Study.

CHURCH OF CHRIST Bible Study, 10:00 a. m. Song Service begins 10:50 a. m. Preaching Service, 11:05 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. Communion morning and Evening. Wednesday night service at 8:15 o'clock. Tuesday, Ladies Bible Class at 3:00 p. m. Elvin Bost, Minister

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. John Klassen, Pastor

WINDMILLS' FLY SOMEWHERE IN THE PACIFIC—Third Division Marines, fresh from the campaign at Iwo Jima, are chucking over the story of the ancient native who saw a helicopter for the first time. He looked at the sky, the Marines said, not quite believing what he saw. After an extended silence, the old man remarked in broken English: "The Americans are very clever. They even make windmills fly."

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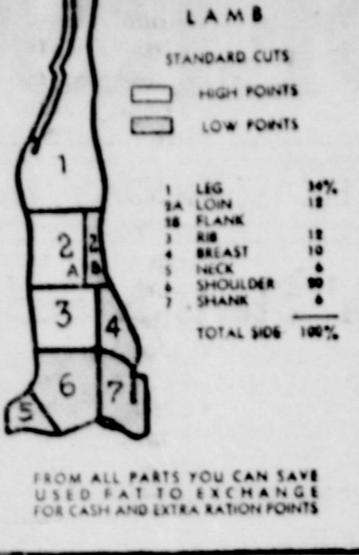
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MEAT POINTS



It Happened In Sanderson TEN YEARS AGO This Week — Remember

MAY 10, 1935 A crowd estimated at 3000 persons braved the drizzling rain to see the second day's program of the American Legion (Fort Stockton) post's rodeo and race meet, during which some of the country's best rodeo performers and the fastest range horses vied for honors and the liberal cash prizes.

Following the showing of the picture "Wednesday's Child" at the Princess Theatre Wednesday evening, the Texas Bluebonnet Girls, under the direction of Mrs. Kenderick Harrell, put on a vaudeville act of several tap numbers, acrobatic dances, and a reading. This splendid troupe of girls has put on several acts at the local theatre and each time they have been applauded heartily by the audience.

The Sanderson Wool Commission sold their spring accumulation of about 80,000 pounds of mohair last week to Tom Ritchie, representative for A. W. Hillard and Son, at prices of 25 cents for grown hair and 35 cents for kid hair.

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EYES EXAMINED—GLASSES FITTED DR. C. L. BASKETT OPTOMETRIST Foster Bldg. - Losoya Street DEL RIO, TEXAS

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Agriculture Census Nearing Completion In Sixth District

The field work of collecting data and information in the Agriculture Census, 1945, is nearing completion in the 6th Census District, Texas. Capt. M. L. Swinehart, supervisor, reports field work in ten of nineteen counties as completed and preliminary reports sent to Washington. It is expected the work in six or seven counties will be finished this week. In addition to an office staff, twenty one women and twenty men were employed as enumerators. "Because of the man-woman power shortage in the area, considerable difficulty was experienced in securing these workers", Capt. Swinehart said, "but those who volunteered did so largely from patriotic reasons, and were conscientious and diligent in their work."

Mr. F. W. Whitney, Ysleta Ass't. Supervisor and H. M. Fennell, Marfa, Field Inspector have assisted in directing the undertaking.

The House of Parliament can be seen by visitors only on Saturday, unless the visitor presents an order from a member.

Stockton last Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. J. R. Blackwelder spent several days in Marfa this week where she had some dental work done.

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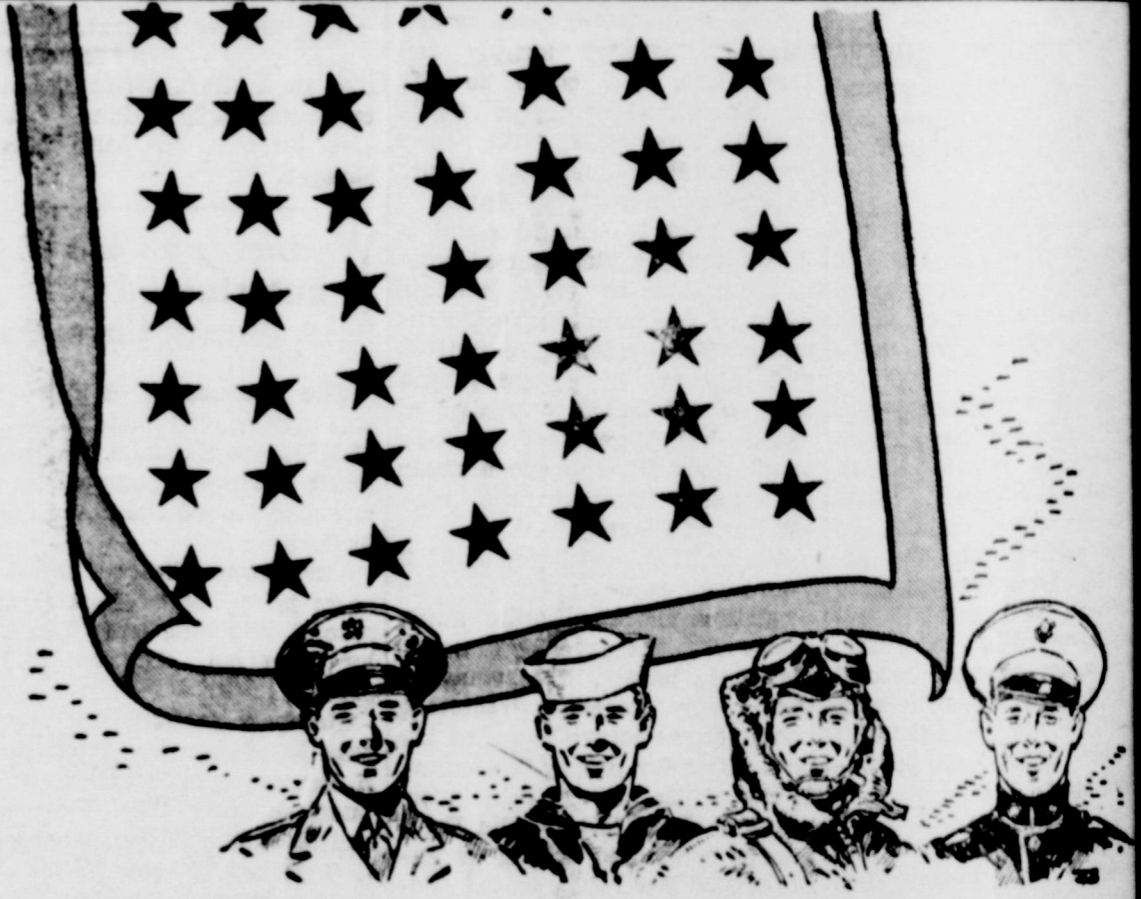
The Arlington National Cemetery is the largest national cemetery in the United States. It covers 408 1-3 acres.

The amount of sway at top of the Washington Monument is less than one inch. There are 23,000 stones in Washington Monument.

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THE EAGLE NEWS

EDITED BY STUDENTS OF THE SANDERSON HIGH SCHOOL

THE MAYO PARTY
 Steve Stumbers gave the annual party honor to high school graduates on May 5, at their home on the Alpine ranch.

Guests who arrived about 6 o'clock enjoyed a swim before the party. Temple carried the tank in a wheelbarrow. Back at the ranch, games and stunts were on the lawn while Mrs. Mayo took movies of the party.

A delicious barbecue was served in the evening. The hosts were assisted by Mrs. Robert Duncan and Mrs. Prince Dishman.

The guest book was signed by Betty Jo Kerr, Virginia Blackwelder, Virginia Blackwelder, Billie Joan Anderson, Billie Joan Buchanan, Doyce Bell Savage, Joyce Boyd, Clara Alice Bell Grigsby, Al Dishman, Charles Daniels, Mrs. Will Nessmith, Mrs. Tom and Mr. and Mrs. Tom

story. When Bill listens to music he likes to hear "Star Dust"; and his favorite subjects are math and chemistry. He enjoyed the movie, "I Wanted Wings" more than any other one.

Bill's pet peeves are poor dancers and people who don't cooperate. Bill has entered into the following activities: the Model Airplane Club in '41-42; Band four years; Basketball '43-44 and '44-45; Junior Class Play; President of the Junior Class; Business Manager of the Annual. During his senior year he was voted the "boy most likely to succeed." All in all Bill has led a well-rounded school life, and we predict that he will make a success of anything he undertakes.

DANCE FOR HARRY BROWN AND HARVEY NESSMITH

Mesdames Mansfield and Nessmith honored their sons, Harry Brown and Harvey Nessmith with a dance after the Senior Play Friday night.

Mrs. Tip Frazier presided at

Lamar School Notes

Rosa Flores spent Sunday in Del Rio visiting her aunt, Mrs. Cruz Hernandez.

Carlos Paredes enjoyed "El Cinco de Mayo" in Villa Acuna. While there he saw a bull fight and attended a dance.

Reyes Puentes spent Sunday in Marathon visiting in the home of his uncle, Mr. Juan Fuentes.

Enrique Valdez spent the week-end in Eagle Pass, Texas visiting his aunt, Mrs. Gabrielita Valdez.

Amelia Villegas spent the week-end in Del Rio, visiting her aunt, Mrs. Jesusa Villegas.

Margarita Calzada and Marina Chalambaga went shopping in Dryden, Saturday.

Reymundo Escamilla is absent this week while he is visiting his aunt, Emma Escamilla, in Alpine.

Andres Falcon has been absent from the fourth grade for three weeks on account of a broken arm. The accident occurred while he was playing baseball.

Paula Madrid visited in Marathon with friends.

Lala Escamilla spent the week-end in Fort Stockton visiting her aunt, Mrs. Francisca Escamilla.

David, Gilde and Raul Flores visited their uncle, Francisco Flores, on "Hill Top Ranch" Saturday and Sunday.

Beatriz Magallanez spent the week-end with her sister, Luz in Alpine.

Many children enjoyed picnics over the week-end on account of the pretty weather. Four picnic parties enjoyed these outings. South Hill was the most popular place for this pastime.

the guest books, which carried out the senior class colors, blue and gold. The names were also spelled out across the hall in the class colors. Baskets of spring flowers decorated the entire hall.

Music was furnished by Mr. McCluney and Mr. Beckett. At midnight punch and cookies were served.

Not only the Seniors, but the whole high school thank Mesdames Mansfield and Nessmith for a wonderful time.

FIRST GRADE PROGRAM

The first grade gave a program on Friday, April 27, for the assembly. The name of the play was "The Secret In The Woods." The announcer was Sidney Louise Harkins. The Big Brown Bear who had been hibernating was Terry Derl Beckett. The little bears were the other first grade boys. They gave a review of the year's work for the Big Brown Bear. The girls were the spring flowers. The secret of the woods was: That spring had come.

LAST MEETING

Unit I of the Future Home-maker's Club met Friday, May 4. This was the last regular meeting of the year. After the business meeting the members finished bedside bags and began work on the house slippers for the Junior Red Cross.

GRADUATES AND HONOR STUDENTS ARE NAMED

The following is a list of those who will receive their diplomas from Sanderson High School on the evening of May 25, at 8:30: Marilyn Blackwelder, Virginia Byrd, Hazel Bergman, Joan Anderson, Joyce Stidham, Yvonne Oberling, Jack Buchanan, Billie Babb, Harry Brown, Clara Alice Bell, Doyce Wells, Charles Daniel Bill Savage, Earl Pierson, Francis Grigsby, Allister Dishman, Harvey Nessmith, and Betty Jo Kerr.

The Valedictorian for the Senior class is Hazel Bergman, and the Salutatorian is Billie Babb. The other two honor ranking students in the order of their rank are: Yvonne Oberling and Bill Savage.

The Valedictorian for the Eighth Grade is Josie May Klassen, and the Salutatorian is Lizzie Bell Phillips.

The two other honor students in that grade are Margaret Klassen and Bobby Cooke.

ORCHIDS TO:

Mesdames Nessmith, Mansfield and Savage for the refreshments offer play practice last week.

The football field is now complete and is everybody happy!

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Junior-Senior Banquet, May 11, 1945; Baccalaureate, 8:30 P. M., May 20, 1945; Lamar Ward Exercises 8:30 P. M., May 23, 1945; Grade School Commencement.

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cement, 8:30 P. M., May 24, 1945; Commencement, 8:30 P. M. May 25, 1945.

Mrs. M. H. Goode and Mrs. Isabel Hasty entertained the Juniors with a barbecue last Saturday night out at Emerson's Bridge. Everyone reported a wonderful time.

The Basketball boys received their bracelets this week.

In the Mail Bag this week was a booklet from Sgt. Lawrence Gutierrez stationed in Switzerland. This is a lovely illustrated booklet which has been placed in the library.

SNOOPER

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Willie, we hear you have a new girl friend. Some of the girls are wondering who. You couldn't tell us, could you?

Cookie, who is your choice Bill Magill or Dudley?

This week we wish to announce Kitty's new love—we now present Earl Pierson.

We all missed Doris Duke at the dance Friday night! So did Buddy!!

Edward Chastain and Mary Nell dance divinely together.

Would Snooper really like to know who Betty Jo likes? It's still a secret. Don't get too anxious, boys.

Bob, better watch out. Ora Mae is still on the loose!

Old Snooper sees Betty Ann and J. M. doing nicely.

Carolyn and Bosco were having a big time at Dukes' house Saturday night.

The 30 pieces of silver for which Judas betrayed Christ amounts to \$11.28 in American money.



Dwight D. Thomas, vice president and sales manager of the Gulf Brewing Company since 1940, has been elected executive vice president and general manager, according to announcement by Virgil H. Shepherd, Brewery president.

Mr. Shepherd in making this announcement said, "Mr. Thomas replaces C. Rray Miller who recently resigned to resume his former connections in California. Mr. Miller was executive vice president of the Gulf Brewing Company during its four most successful years and his many friends at the Gulf Brewing Company and in Houston regret his departure."

Mr. Thomas has been associated with the brewing industry for over twelve years. His former connections, prior to joining the Gulf Brewing Company as vice president and sales manager five years ago, included principal breweries in the Middle West. He came to Houston direct from a vice presidential and sales management post with the Columbia Brewery in St. Louis, Missouri.

Mr. Thomas is very active in civic affairs. He is a member of the Rotary Club, the Sales Managers' Club and takes a very active part in the Committee for Economic Development.

RATIONING

Meats, Fats—Red Stamps Y5 Z5, and A2 through D2 are good through June 2. Red Stamps E2 through J2 are good through June 30. Red Stamps K2 through P2 are good through July 31. Red Stamps Q2 through U2 are good through August 31.

Processed Foods—Blue Stamps H2 through M2 good through June 2. Blue Stamps N2 through S2 good through June 30. Blue Stamps T2 through X2 good through July 31. Blue Stamps Y2, Z2, A1, B1, C1 are good through August 31.

Sugar Stamps—Stamp 35 good through June 2. Stamp 36 is good through August 31.

SECOND THOUGHT

IWO JIMA—The Jap prisoner tried to convince his captors of his desire to die for his Emperor—but he lost his nerve when Marines called his bluff.

Just after he was taken from a cave, the Jap motioned for a knife with which to cut his throat, according to Sgt. Dick Dashiell, Marine Corps combat correspondent.

"I think I'll call his bluff," said Marine Pfc. Reuben E. Miller of Waverly, O. He drew his combat knife from his sheath and handed it to the Jap.

The Jap drew erect, refused the knife, and marched the rest of the way to Marine headquarters stiffly at attention.

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Let there be a solemn pledge from each and every one of us . . . to double our efforts and end it quickly! Buy more bonds . . . give more blood . . . work harder . . . save more . . . do everything we can to save a life! One minute of war means many lives lost. TOTAL VICTORY AND WORLD PEACE ARE IN SIGHT . . . HELP FINISH THE FIGHT!

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