

A newspaper is called upon for a number of different things. The requests are usually granted without comment.

Albuquerque, N. M. July 26, 1943.

Dear Editor: I am sure you will pitch this in the W. B. but will you send me a copy of your paper, and price list on subscription.

I have a few friends living somewhere in or around Hico, that I knew when I was only a child. And I have lost track of them. Now I'd like to see if I can locate them.

One family's name is Pruitt. There are several boys in the family, and one or two girls—maybe more—for when I moved away there was only one girl and she was grown. The boys' names were, starting from the eldest down: Jessie, Hubert, Leo, Odell, Curtis (the baby at the time I knew them), and the girl's name was Vera. Their father's name was George.

Then I knew a family by the name of Mr. Loving Lane. He had a large family also. And a Mr. Miller who had a son named William, and a Mr. Con Phillips. Do you know the whereabouts of any of these people? At the time we lived there I was Lena M. Silgar. My father was a dentist. We lived in an old two-story house owned by a man named McBeth. We lived one-half mile from the highway; it was the crossroads highway going to Iredell one way, and I think to Hico the other. It was five miles to each place. Mr. and Mrs. George Pruitt lived 100 yards from the highway. We lived a little ways across the pasture from them.

My father's name was J. N. Silgar. All the neighbors called my mother by her given name, Georgia. I have several brothers, but only a few of them were with me at the time I am speaking of. My brothers' names were Carroll, George, Jake and Ira. My sister's name was Anna.

I am now married and am signing my married name. Thank you. MRS. LENA McCALLON, Route 1, Box 413A, Albuquerque, N. M.

Another letter reprinted below refers to an article which appeared in this paper on June 25 of this year. The principals have been informed that the article was by a feature writer for the syndicated service in Chicago, used weekly in the home paper, and does not concern a local boy. The case goes to show, however, that the News Review does get around, and sometimes gets things started.

2414 McKinney Ave. Dallas, Texas July 29, 1943

Hico News Review Gentlemen:

Last week I read an article in the Marble Falls Messenger, taken from the Hico News Review, written by a Marine Sergeant, Jim G. Lucas, from the South Pacific. I immediately wrote the U. S. Treasury Department at Washington and I am enclosing a copy of my letter.

I presume Sgt. Lucas is from that community and that you may be able to contact him. He may get the Hico paper out in the Pacific. If he does, I would appreciate your printing this copy and asking you to advise if anything has been done toward helping the situation. If he doesn't receive your paper you could contact him through some of his people and find out if anything has been done.

We want to serve our Buddies and we see no reason why such a situation existing there. Surely there is room for a few pounds of nickels, dimes and quarters. I know they could make room by throwing a few cases of beer overboard (where it all ought to be).

Hoping that I may be able to serve our Buddies in any way possible, I am Yours in the service for Victory, WM. B. RAMSDALL.

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MUSSOLINI'S FALL FOLLOWS 21 YEARS OF RULE

Homeland Aflame And Empire Lost As Il Duce Quits

Assumed Power in 1922 With March on Rome.

"Better to live a day as a lion than a hundred years as a sheep." Benito Mussolini had that motto struck on an Italian coin. It was the philosophy by which he lived throughout a revolutionary career, which saw his ascension to absolute power in 1922 and his sudden and dramatic fall almost 21 years later.

Only history will tell the full story of Mussolini's fall. Suffice it to say that at the time he submitted his resignation to King Victor Emmanuel, Italian troops backed by German units were cornered in the northeastern tip of Sicily; Italy's African empire had been swallowed up by Allied armies, and the Italian homeland was being ripped by squadrons of bombers, with her great ports and cities in flames.

Again, only history will tell the full story. But on the face, Mussolini, who had lived the life of the lion, went out like the sheep.

Contrary to popular opinion, some felt that Mussolini was the real brain behind the Axis. Il Duce had been in power almost 11 years before Adolf Hitler assumed control of Germany. Mussolini's experience with the chancelleries of Europe had given him an acquaintance with continental politics long before Hitler's accession. Consequently, when the Axis began to move in Europe, it was Il Duce who had the most complete knowledge of the situation. But if Mussolini first had had the brains, it was Hitler who had the armies, it was Hitler who had the armaments and the armament plants, and before long Nazi Germany far overshadowed her smaller partner.

Using as his argument that Italy had to establish colonies for her growing population, which in later

years had been increasing at a rate of 400,000 a year, Mussolini instilled the notion of empire in the Italian people. In taking this position, the one-time pacifist, who had turned militant first in 1918 to aid the French Socialist cause, painted war as "justice, nobility and brotherly pity."

In 1935, Mussolini made his bid for the extension of Italian empire. A modern Italian army moved into Ethiopia to annex that country for colonization. But use of native troops bogged the drive and Badoglio—the same Badoglio who succeeded Mussolini—was called in to complete the conquest. After making careful appraisal of the rugged country, Badoglio removed the native troops, used Italian regulars and carried the day. Incidentally, for this Badoglio was made duke of Addis Ababa.

Even as Mussolini's campaign was in progress, the League of Nations, which had pledged mutual protection of Ethiopian territory, dabbled in action, and then finally determined to boycott Italy. Although the European nations never applied the boycott, Mussolini considered the gesture inimical, and thereafter worked for Italy's co-operation with Germany. Thus was the Axis born.

Son of a blacksmith and a revolutionist, Mussolini absorbed all of the doctrines of his early home. At 19, he was a schoolteacher, but found in the classroom little breadth for his violent disposition of action. Accordingly, he joined the Socialist ranks, from which he was expelled because of his advocacy of France's cause in the First World War.

In this connection, it has often been mentioned that the Russian Bolshevik leader, Lenin, chided Italian socialists for losing Mussolini, calling him the ablest worker they had.

Organized War Vets. If Mussolini had had any pro-communist leanings, he shucked them with the end of the war, when Italy lay in chaos, seething from industrial disorder. Mussolini moved on two fronts. First, he began organizing the World War veterans suffering from the shock of unemployment and set up as his standard: "We, the survivors who have returned, demand the right

of governing Italy." Second, he laid the social upheaval at the doors of the communists, the "Red Menace," as he called it, appealing to all of the old tradition of a Christian Italy.

During the turmoil that beset Italy, 8,000 of Mussolini's black-shirted Fascists marched on Rome. Badoglio again entered into the picture, here for the first time and on this occasion as a foe of Mussolini. "Give me a few regiments, majesty," he said, "and I will clean up these loafers in 24 hours." But King Victor refused; instead, he turned to Mussolini to restore order in the seething kingdom.

That year, 1922, marked the beginning of Mussolini's Fascist regime. The country was to be consolidated by the abolition of all political parties but Mussolini's Fascist party. The corporate state was to be created in which all trades and professions were to be represented in government by their own delegates. The Lateran treaty was consummated in 1929, restoring papal property and settling other claims to the extent of \$92,000,000, and recognizing the Vatican's sovereignty.

In all matters, Mussolini always consulted the king, being careful to preserve the impression of the king's final authority. Mussolini's diligent nourishing of this pretense undoubtedly strengthened the king's hand in that fateful hour when Il Duce resigned and Victor Emmanuel took over supreme command.

Of all the curiosities of history, Badoglio's case is among the most marked. Although generally reported an avowed enemy of Mussolini, it was he who rebuilt the shattered Italian army after the First World War; it was he who conquered Ethiopia, and was the first to set out for overrunning Greece in 1940 before suddenly relinquishing his position.

For months it was rumored that Badoglio would be the man to succeed Mussolini if Il Duce fell from power. In this case, the predictions materialized. Idol of the Italian masses, strong within the army itself and financially unconfined in political status and only outspoken in his admiration for the king, he does not bear Mussolini's trademark too vividly and might well please the Allies for negotiations.

War Won't Be Over Until Japan Finished, Industrialist Asserts

WITH THE COLORS

Lt. Harry Pinson was home last week end from Camp Hood for a visit with his wife and daughter, Patsy.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Ratliff and nephew, Bobby Ratliff, visited in Brownwood Tuesday with their son and wife, S-Sgt. and Mrs. Helen Ratliff.

Aviation Cadet Charles A. Russell Jr., who has been stationed at Brayton Flying School at Cuero, has been transferred to Waco Army Air Field near Waco.

Billy Ellis, S. 2-c, who has just completed boot camp training at San Diego, Calif., visited here from Wednesday through Monday with his parents and other relatives.

First Lieut. Benn Arnold Gleason of Camp Barkeley reported August 1 to Edgewood Arsenal near Baltimore, Md., for a month's training in Chemical Warfare. His wife and daughter remained in Abilene.

Pvt. Gall R. Bullard, son of Mrs. Ella Bullard, has been transferred from Camp Hale, near Palacios, to Camp Roberts, California. He is expecting a visit from his brother, Sgt. Winston Bullard, who is also stationed in California at Mt. Shasta, real soon.

Cpl. James O. Cole has arrived back in the United States from Australia, according to his mother, Mrs. N. C. Cole, and is recuperating in a hospital at Springfield, Mo. Mrs. Cole has hopes that her son will be able to come home soon.

If you will look in the window of the J. W. Richbourg Store, you will see an interesting picture of the United States Army. "Somewhere in California." This souvenir was sent to Mr. Richbourg by Pvt. R. J. Russell who is in the Coast Guard.

Aux. Dorothea Holladay has arrived at Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia, for primary training in the WAC, according to information from her sister, Mrs. Vernon Jenkins. Mrs. Jenkins, by the way, is now getting some help around the place from Pete, we understand.

S-Sgt. Wayne B. Langham, a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Autrey, who has been stationed at Tarrant Field and making his home in Fort Worth with his wife, has been transferred to Liberal Army Air Field at Liberal, Kansas. S-Sgt. and Mrs. Langham visited in Miami, Ariz., with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Langham, on their way to Kansas.

Cpl. and Mrs. Irvin Duckworth are now located at Fort Pierce, Florida, and have been put back on the News Review's mailing list through the courtesy of his father, R. L. Duckworth. Mrs. Duckworth is living only half a mile from her husband's camp, which is better than the distance of 17 miles from Camp Beale when they were in California.

R. J. Hodnett, coxswain in the Navy, returned to New York last Thursday after a visit here with his mother, Mrs. Eva Hodnett. Other members of the family who were here to visit with R. J. and his mother were Mrs. J. T. Sikes and baby of Fort Worth, Mrs. Clara Henderson of Mineral Wells, Mrs. Bill Lane of Hamilton, and Mr. and Mrs. Arnel Kinsey of Salinas, California.

Ike Anderson, down from Stephenville Tuesday for a visit with relatives and old friends, said that Wynama had received a letter from a buddy of Bob's, back in the States, saying that young Anderson was in a hospital in New Guinea with a light case of malarial fever. Bob, a Marine corporal, is probably pretty hard to hold down during his illness, for his family had high hopes of his coming home for a short rest after a pretty strenuous

REPORTER.

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Baptists Planning Morton Rally Day As Revival Feature

Morton Rally Day is now here! Sunday, August 8th, is the day when the goal has been set for 300 in Sunday School! Bro. Clarence Morton will arrive Sunday, and will preach for the first time on Sunday morning. "Will you be one of those to pay honor to this man of God?" asks Bro. Perkins, the local pastor.

Special services are being planned for the morning service next week. On Monday all the "older folks" are to be specially honored. Tuesday the service will be of special interest to the business people and it is hoped that all of them will be present. Wednesday is a very special service of commemoration in honor of those in service. Some of the families and friends of each boy should be in the church service to answer present for them. Slips of paper will be passed out for each one to sign their name and the name of the boy and this will be mailed to the soldier wherever he is. Will you be there? Let this be a city-wide service.

Thursday morning is dedicated to the young people of the community and it is hoped that each one will be present.

In making the announcements of these services, Bro. Perkins stated that the purpose of these services was to lead to the highest spiritual dedication possible for the people of Hico.

Bro. Dick Gwyn arrived on Monday evening and is already deeply at work with the junior and young people according to the reports of the young people themselves. It is hoped by these leaders that each young person will feel a keen responsibility for the enlisting of other young people in the kingdom service. Bro. Gwyn said to the young people, "If you will consecrate your lives to this task we can and will 'Take Hico For Christ'."

CONTRIBUTED.

Value of Serum In Treating Typhoid Firmly Established

Austin, Aug. 4.—Few conquests of science have been as spectacular and complete as those relating to diphtheria. Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, said today, "Science has firmly established the value of serum treatment in both its preventive and curative phases. However, toxin-antitoxin, or its successor, toxoid for immunization and antitoxin for cure, are serums of which the general public is even yet not fully aware."

As indicated, toxoid is the immunizing or preventive agent now usually employed. However, three or four months are required for the body to develop immunity. At that time the Schick test can be applied to determine the results of the preventive treatment.

Dr. Cox urged that children receive diphtheria immunization as early as possible, preferably as soon as they are six months old. The necessity for this immunization is recognized when it is known that two-thirds of all deaths from diphtheria occur in the age group under six years.

"It cannot be too strongly emphasized that to deprive children of this protection which science has made possible is to subject them to unwarranted and unnecessary hazards that can easily turn into a tragedy," Dr. Cox said. "Parental interest in immunization must be more widespread if the Texas death rate from this disease is to be eliminated as a cause of death."

"When a child has been stricken with diphtheria, antitoxin is the only treatment that will save his life. Also, to be effective, it must be given early in the illness and in large doses. Delay is usually caused by parents' failing to realize that any sore throat may actually be diphtheria."

B&PW Club Ladies Met Tuesday In Business Session

The Business and Professional Women's Club met in business session on Tuesday evening at the Red Cross rooms. Officers for the coming year were elected as follows: President, Mrs. Robert B. Jackson; vice-president, Mrs. J. W. Falrey; secretary, Mrs. Jack Malone; corresponding secretary, Miss Florence Chenault; treasurer, Miss Ruth Phillips; directors, Mrs. W. H. Greenleaf, and Mrs. Lawrence Lane.

The Club was very cooperative in the July War Stamp Drive. In all \$291.00 worth was sold by the members. In the sale of Stamps Mrs. Cecil Segrist sold more than any one person in town. May we pause to say she is "tops" as a citizen and as a business woman.

Our next meeting will be a social on Tuesday, Sept. 2nd, with Miss Hester Jordan, Miss Thoma Rodgers, and Mrs. S. W. Everett as hostesses.

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Fairy Baptists Declare Revival Most Successful

The revival at the Fairy Baptist Church closed Sunday morning with 19 professions of faith. Seventeen were baptized by their pastor, the Rev. Clifford Hampton.

Rev. Ralph E. Perkins of Hico did the preaching while Bro. Frank McClure led the singing, accompanied at the piano by his wife. The church was greatly blessed by the evidence of these additions, the large crowds that attended, and by calling their pastor back for another year. The membership expresses their thanks and appreciation to all who helped make this meeting a success for the Lord.

The church took a special offering of \$26.00 for the China Relief Fund. The church in conference voted to extend an invitation to Bro. Perkins to come back next year to conduct the revival, and he accepted the invitation to be there if possible.

Funeral Services Held Monday For Mrs. D. A. Izell

Miss Cora Mae Leineweber was born January 12, 1898, at Rossville, Texas, a daughter of Claude and Nancy Leineweber. She joined the Baptist Church in 1915 and was a faithful member.

She was married to David Alonzo Izell on Sunday, July 30, 1916. To this union six children were born. Mrs. Izell departed this life at the Stephenville Hospital at 5:45 o'clock Saturday afternoon, July 31, at the age of 45 years, six months and 19 days.

Surviving are her husband and five children. Fred preceded her in death February 4, 1938. Those remaining are Mrs. Doris Hamilton, San Antonio, Paul, Charlie, Bernice, an Elder of Hico.

Mrs. Izell is also survived by five sisters and two brothers: Mrs. Katie Brooks, Dilley, Texas; Mrs. Biddie Lee, Pinesville, La.; Mrs. Mary Zinsmeyer and Mrs. Mattie Orsick, Corpus Christi; Mrs. Edith Booth, San Antonio; Monroe Leineweber, Taft, and Charlie Leineweber, Corpus Christi.

Funeral services were conducted at the First Baptist Church in Hico Monday morning, August 2, at 9:30 o'clock, with Rev. Ralph E. Perkins officiating. The floral offerings were beautiful. The remains were laid to rest in the Hico Cemetery by the side of her son.

Her many friends extend their heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family.

BUY U. S. WAR BONDS-STAMPS.

Bed Bombed



Coastguardsmen don't usually die in bed. But that's what would have happened to Carl Solomon if he had been under this shell shattered blanket. He is shown poking his fingers through holes left in his bed covering after German plane attacked his ship off Sicily.

AIR FORCE GIRL

By Renee Shann

Jane Lambert, fashion artist, and Lt. "Tip" Peel-Sanders of the RAF, collide in dim London streets the night before Jane enters the WAAF. This incident starts a romance in which love and danger ride hand and hand through Europe's tortured skies.

READ IT IN THIS PAPER

Mailing Period for Overseas Yule Mail Sept. 15 to Oct. 31

The six-week period from September 15, 1943, through October 31, 1943, has been designated as the time during which all Christmas mail should be posted for Navy, Marine Corps and Coast Guard personnel on overseas duty. Arrangements have been made with the Post Office Department for special handling of Christmas letters and packages mailed during this period in order to get them to men overseas before the holidays.

To facilitate this effort, senders are requested to mark their packages "Christmas Parcel" and to pay special attention to the addressing and packaging requirements. Hundreds of packages are lost daily because senders do not wrap them strongly enough to withstand the handling through numerous postal centers and the heat of a ship's hold.

For the purpose of Christmas mail, the term "overseas" personnel means men who receive their mail through a Fleet Post Office at San Francisco, Calif., New York or Seattle, Washington. Letters and parcels should contain the name and address of sender, the name, rank or rating of addressee, and the Naval unit to which he is assigned, or name of the ship or Fleet Post Office through which the mail is to be routed.

Under postal regulations, Christmas parcels shall not exceed five pounds in weight or 15 inches in length or 35 inches in length and girth combined. Not more than one parcel will be accepted in any one week from the same sender for the same addressee.

All articles should be packed in metal, wooden or solid fiberboard, or strong double-faced fiberboard or strong fully telescoping cardboard boxes. Fireboard or cardboard boxes must be securely wrapped in strong paper and tied with twine. In addition, senders are cautioned that delays caused by the necessity for censorship will be minimized if the wrapping is secured so as to permit easy inspection of the contents.

Parcels should not include any weapons, perishables, intoxicants, poisons or inflammable articles such as matches or lighter fluid. In general the public is urged not to send articles of food, as men overseas are amply supplied.

DIES SUDDENL

Tom L. Robinson, at one time district attorney for this district, who has been practicing law at Gateville for several years, dropped dead in the courtroom at the Correll County capital Wednesday, according to information received from George Jones of Hico who was in Gateville on business.

GOVERNOR SIGNS PROCLAMATION



GOVERNOR STEVENSON'S PROCLAMATION URGES RETURN OF DEPOSIT BOTTLES. In the proclamation, just issued by Governor Stevenson, Texans are urged, during the month of August, to conserve the existing supply of returnable deposit bottles by returning them promptly to the dealers. Governor Stevenson's proclamation points out that the general public, by returning idle milk, carbonated beverage, and beer bottles, which can be sterilized for the manufacture of glass containers for food, and other items, required by the armed forces at home and abroad. Mrs. Margaret McDuffie, the Governor's personal secretary, was photographed with him at the time the proclamation was signed.

IREDELL ITEMS

by Miss Stella Jones, Local Correspondent

Mrs. Charlie Adkinson was in Hico Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davis and daughter returned Thursday from Miles, Texas, where he has been working.

Mr. Ed Dunlap and Mr. John Tuggle were in Stephenville Thursday.

Mrs. Ola Waldrip was in Stephenville Wednesday.

Lamoine Fuller, who works in Dallas, spent the week end at home.

Mr. Willie Weeks is visiting here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Wingren and children, Bobby and Susie, of Burnett visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson Saturday afternoon. They are moving to Gatesville.

Mrs. Eva Gregory of Dallas visited here this week. She is on vacation. She attended the meeting here Sunday.

Bascom Mitchell Jr. of Dallas spent the week end at home.

Louis and Vernie Heyroth visited here Sunday afternoon. They live in Kilgore.

Tom Strange, who works in Olney, is at home for a few days. He is ill with the mumps.

Mrs. Janette Williams has returned to her home in San Antonio after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wellborn.

Dorothy Ray Clepper returned to her home in Dallas Monday after a visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Tidwell.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Turner of Dallas and his sister, Mrs. Emily Schoemaker of Arlington spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Turner.

Mrs. Nettie Meador of Hico visited her nieces, Mrs. T. M. Tidwell and Miss Nannie Lawrence, this week.

Mrs. Rena Davis of Meridian and her sister, Miss Ona Miller of Dallas spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Miller.

Mrs. Josie Bagbey of Glen Rose is visiting her brother, Mr. Locker.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McLoughlin are here visiting relatives. They live in Orange.

Pvt. Robert Heyroth, who is in camp at Wichita Falls, spent the week end with his wife and sister, Mrs. J. D. Gregory.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pace have moved to their new home they recently bought.

Paul Patterson, who works in Dallas, spent Sunday and Monday with his parents.

Mrs. Pat Poinac spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. McElroy, near Hico.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Montgomery of Pervin spent the week end with their daughter, Mrs. Jim Davis and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Heyroth of Walnut Springs visited his daughter, Mrs. Gregory, Sunday and to be with his son, Robert.

Albert Hensley is working in Brady.

Mrs. James Woody and daughter, Katie, of Waco visited here Sunday and attended the Methodist revival.

Miss Thelma Sowers is staying with a lady in Glen Rose.

Mr. WHI Roberson spent the week end in Meridian with his mother, who is ill.

Mr. Charlie Myers and son, Bruce, of Fort Worth spent the week end here.

Mrs. Clara Golden of De Leon is here visiting friends.

Mrs. Sue Whitley, who works in Waco, came in Saturday for a visit with her friends.

Mrs. Wilburn Phillips remained Sunday from Stephenville Hospital and is getting along fine.

Miss Merline Flannery and John D. Smith, both of Iredell, were married Saturday at 7:30 p. m. at the residence of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tidwell. Rev. Jno. P. Cundieff read the ceremony. The living room was decorated in pot plants. A few of the relatives were present. John D. is the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Smith, was born and reared in Iredell and finished high school here. Mrs. Smith is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Flannery. She went to Iredell High School but never finished. Their friends wish for them much joy and happiness.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Fouts and baby of Dallas spent the week end here.

Mr. Hamp Worrell and son of West Texas is here visiting.

The Methodist meeting closed Sunday night. Several were converted and joined the church, and several joined by letter. The meeting was a good meeting, with big crowds at every service. A nice shower of groceries and dry goods were presented to the pastor and family Saturday night.

I have been on the sick list this week and news is a little scarce.

Mrs. Stanley Anderson of Wichita Falls is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Musick got a telegram Monday that their son, Phinis, was very ill in Camp McCov, Wisconsin. Mr. and Mrs. Musick left at once. It is hoped they will find him well if not very much improved.

Any excuse you can give for not upping your payroll savings will please Hitler, Hirohito and puppet Mussolini.

We appreciate the kindness and sympathy shown by the friends and relatives in our grief of sorrow at the loss of our beloved wife and mother. May God bless you all.

D. A. IZELL & CHILDREN.

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

ARE YOU DOING YOUR PART?



One of the most essential articles of equipment for our soldiers is his canteen. In equatorial countries and in other warm climates they are particularly important to the welfare of our fighting men.

The canteen, now being largely manufactured of plastics, costs about 63 cents. The canvas cover . . . about 61 cents or 64 cents in all. Your purchases of War Bonds, or People's Bonds, will buy many of these for our men in the Solomons or in Africa where they are badly needed. Buy War Bonds.

The First National Bank HICO, TEXAS "Fifty-three Years In Hico"

Back Springs

By Lorene Hyles

Mrs. Lucille Snyder visited Mr. and Mrs. Ira Johnson and family Sunday.

Miss Anita Oakley visited Miss Mary Nell Jones in Hico last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Knight visited Mrs. Ellis and family at Hico Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Hyles and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hyles and family Sunday afternoon.

Those visiting in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Will Parker and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Shook and family Sunday were Miss Mary Joyce Parker and Mrs. Frances Wortham of Fort Worth, Mr. O. L. Shook of Dallas, Mrs. U. C. Tunnell and sons, Jerry and Maurice, of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Tunnell and son, Delwin, of Tahoka, Mrs. Lawrence Price of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Shook of Rockwall, Mrs. Torson and daughter, Diane, of Meridian.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hanshaw and daughter, Rosa Lee, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Grant and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Proffitt and family of Hobbs, New Mexico, visited Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Parker and family Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Funk and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy and family Sunday afternoon.

Gordon

By Reba Nell Perkins

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey West visited her brother in Hico Sunday.

Mrs. Hugh Harris visited relatives in Fort Worth the past week.

John D. Smith and Miss Murlene Flannery were married Saturday afternoon by Rev. Jno. P. Cundieff at the home of Mrs. John Tidwell. Everyone wishes them a happy and prosperous life.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Chaffin visited Mr. and Mrs. Wince Perkins Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Willis Phipps and children of Meridian spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Phipps. Mr. and Mrs. Phipps returned home with them Sunday for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Land of 131 South Morocco Avenue, Dallas, and Mrs. J. D. Lane of 811 Buckalow St., Dallas, visited here a few days, returning Tuesday afternoon.

C. H. Miller was in a day or two last week. His son, C. B. Miller and wife took him to Glen Rose Sunday morning for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Marlon Elkins left Tuesday for San Francisco, Calif., to visit their two sons, Johnnie and Marvin Elkins, and their families. They expect to be gone for about a month. As Marion put it, "May not be back at all."

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Giesecke of Duffau were in our vicinity Tuesday getting something to eat.

James Howerton of Waco is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Howerton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Giesecke of Dallas were here last week, and looking after business matters and on a short vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Higginbotham have moved to their farm, which they recently bought from Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Glover. They went to some expense in remodeling it, and they are enjoying the fruits of their labor.

CARD OF THANKS

We appreciate the kindness and sympathy shown by the friends and relatives in our grief of sorrow at the loss of our beloved wife and mother. May God bless you all.

D. A. IZELL & CHILDREN.



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It's patriotic—and practical—to search for and return to your neighborhood dealer, empty MILK, BEVERAGE and BEER BOTTLES. You'll have your original deposit refunded . . . and what's more, you'll help your family and friends by assuring a greater supply of the liquids

for which these idle bottles are needed. MILK, BEVERAGE and BEER BOTTLES are sanitarily reesterilized right away by the bottlers. Return all these "stray" bottles in your home today and you'll help conserve vital material, machinery and manpower needed for the War Effort.

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As Well As At Our Texo Store In Hico

This new outlet was opened and is operated for the convenience of our growing list of customers who are more and more realizing the advantages of using Texo Feeds.

"Stay With Texo and Texo Will Stay With You"

"APPRECIATION DAYS"

SATURDAY, AUGUST 7 (First Saturday) is Appreciation Day at our Hico store, when valuable prizes are distributed to our customers in appreciation of their patronage. A similar event is held at our Carlton store the Third Saturday of each month. Ask at either store for details, and BE ON HAND!

Keeney's Hatchery & Feed Store

MRS. G. C. KEENEY, Mgr. HICO and CARLTON Dealer for TEXO FEEDS

# Feel Sluggish . . .

—OR UNDER THE WEATHER?

During extreme temperatures such as we are having now, you often find that you feel unusually sluggish and tired. Of course if there's something really, wrong, you should see your doctor and bring his prescription to us for prompt, accurate filling.

But sometimes you will find that the system only needs toning up. We have a variety of reliable products for this purpose, newest of which is

## VITAMIN-PLUS

The Nationally Advertised Product

You've heard about it on a popular radio program. Come in and let us tell you more about this and other items that will help make summer weather more bearable and life more enjoyable.

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Cosmetics • Toilet Soaps

"COOL OFF" EACH DAY  
WITH A DELICIOUS DRINK AT  
OUR FOUNTAIN

## Corner Drug Co.

An investment in the future . . .  
U. S. WAR BONDS AND STAMPS!

## "Meet the People . . ."

(Each week in this space will be presented a picture and word portrait of someone whose name is news.)



General Henri Honore Giraud

• "I am surrounded by a hundred German tanks. I am destroying them one by one."  
• Thus wrote General Henri Honore Giraud, as the French nation crumbled before the onslaught of the once mighty German army in 1940. Giraud was captured and, as is his custom, he escaped. The tall French General has become famous for his numerous escapes from the Germans and for his intense hatred of France's enemies.  
• In World War I, as a captain, he was captured and recaptured before he managed to return to France.  
• As commander in chief of 300,000 French troops in Africa and co-president of the French committee on national liberation, Giraud appears to be a clear headed French hero whose main objective is to rout the Axis. During a recent visit to America he told a press conference that:  
• "I can give you the pledge that France will be at your side to liberate the Pacific from Japanese domination even as she will remain with you to build a peace that will be lasting and just but also realistic."

### THIS AND THAT

By JOE SMITH DYER

#### TRY THIS:

"They are all jealous of my advancement," said a young business woman recently. "What can I do to make the others in my office be decent?"

The answer is: Do nothing; ignore these business jealousies for to show that the attitude of associate workers can annoy you is to acknowledge an element of inability to handle your work.

Jealousies in the business world will always exist.

If the ambitious, fearless and industrious worker qualified before obstacles in business procedure there would be no result attained to warrant the jealousy of associates.

So there, if you can rise to a position that makes you a target for jealousy, surely you can contrive to serenely hold that position in the face of trifling annoyances; and the most simple method by which to eliminate jealousy is to simply ignore it.

#### ACCIDENTS IN THE HOME:

If John Howard Payne's line was written today it likely would read like this:  
"There's no place like home—to get injured."

Out of 8,700,000 accidents to folks in this country in 1942 over 2,000,000 of them occurred in "the dearest spot on earth—home."

We fall down the stairs, we slip on a cake of soap, stick a needle in our thumb, burn our hand on a hot iron or cut our foot on broken glass. Someway or somehow the home-hazards just will happen.

In 1942 there were 19,568 people who lost their lives in accidents that took place in the confines of their own homes.

#### FROM MY DIARY, 1932:

July 23rd, 2 p. m.  
I arrived at sun-up this morning in Palermo and now I'm sitting on the balcony of the Hotel Regina waiting for a guide to take me up to Monreale and to the finest cathedral, south of Rome.

July 24th, 8 a. m.  
I stayed all afternoon in the cathedral yesterday. Two brothers built it and one worked on the interior and the other worked on the

exterior. When it was completed the one who did the outside work thought that his brother's work on the inside was so much better than his that he killed himself. The other brother brooded over this and, months later, he killed himself also. After seeing the cathedral I wonder if this story is true.

July 26th, 11 p. m.  
Today I drove to Cefalu through orange groves and olive orchards. Looking back, Palermo sat upon a high hill with smoke coming from a dozen stacks which loomed black against the blue Italian sky. Had lunch at Malazzo and on the way back to Palermo I stopped in Vulcano and bought a hand-carved cigarette box for Tim.

Tonight, after dinner, I rode in a native cart to the Open Opera which is held nightly on Palermo's great square. The music was fine and the singing was excellent. Over all was a huge moon which lent added color to the whole affair.

And last week Palermo, Sicily's great city, came before the hand of something else that's great—Uncle Sam's fighting men.

If the kicker would kick himself it would do a lot more good.

Are you fighting mad about this war? Does it mean anything to you personally? Then dig down and buy more and more War Bonds.



## Mess Sergeant of the HOME FRONT

# A HEALTHY NATION is A STRONG NATION!

Feed your family the RIGHT foods . . . foods that are high in vitamin content. Every member of your family has a job to do and needs all his energy to do it!

Serve our high quality staple and fresh foods and home-killed meats at all your meals . . . it will pay high dividends in health. Be sure to visit our store this week and do your food shopping . . . you'll find you spend less and it takes less points if you buy TOP QUALITY FOODS!

# RATLIFF BROS.

GROCERY — MARKET

### PRODUCE QUALITY EGGS . . .

There is too much loss in food and money not to produce quality eggs. The weather is hot and lots of eggs are showing the results. Be sure to gather them regularly, keep them in a cool place, and market them as often as possible.

SWAT THAT ROOSTER!

BRING US YOUR

# CREAM

WE ARE PAYING

# 50c lb.

In the Market Every Day for All Kinds of

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"Always a Square Deal"

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As cars grow older they need extra special care. Don't wait for squeaks to show up before having your car lubricated. Get Mobilubrication every 1,000 miles or every two months, whichever comes first. If you can't remember the last time you had your car lubricated, the safe thing to do is come in now.

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BILL McGLOTHLIN Mgr.

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Your Friendly MAGNOLIA DEALER

YOU MAY still purchase GAS-BURNING APPLIANCES if . . .

1 The appliance to be purchased contains less than 50% of metal by weight, such as certain types of clay-back space heaters, or

2 The appliance to be purchased is used equipment, or

3 You obtain specific authorization for the purchase from a District Office of the War Production Board on Form WPB-1529 for commercial equipment, or on Form WPB-2631 for residential equipment, or

4 Your present equipment is beyond repair, or

5 The order covering the appliances to be purchased is rated A-10 or higher by the War Production Board.

WE HAVE the appliances—ALL MANUFACTURED BEFORE THE WAR and AVAILABLE NOW WITHOUT ANY INCREASE IN COST—

and first-hand information governing their sale. We will be glad to furnish you with the necessary forms and will assist you in completing them.

COME BY AND SEE US FOR FURTHER DETAILS

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Use Natural Gas for Cooking, Water Heating, Refrigeration, House Heating  
Telephone 144

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Hico, Texas, Friday, Aug. 6, 1943.

#### DANGER . . .

The war news has been so good in recent months that most of us give less and less thought to the possibilities of bombings or serious acts of sabotage in this country. As a result, many town defense organizations, which a year ago bristled with activity, are now relaxing.

It is comforting to think that the danger of war coming to this country is over, but it is quite possibly a false comfort which our people will pay for dearly if they put too much faith in it. When we have defense organizations built up all over this country while there still is any danger. And they should realize that it is just the kind of let-down which is going on now which will invite our enemies to take a blow at our nation.

We are all glad to know that the Germans, the Japs and the Italians are being thrown back on all fronts. But it must not be forgotten that they still have plenty of equipment and could, if they wished, still attempt raids on this country.

**TODAY and TOMORROW**  
—by—  
DON ROBINSON

**'IF' . . . solutions**  
If each farmer in this country would spend three days between now and the end of the year harvesting a crop of timber from his woodlands, the threat of a serious pulp paper shortage would be overcome.

If all the housewives of the country would turn in every tin can they are in the habit of throwing away, our tin problem would be nearly solved.

If all of us would spend 10 per cent of our income for war bonds and stamps, the wartime financial problems of the government would be pretty well under control.

If each household would contribute a pound of fat to the fat drive each month, it would take care of our needs for munition-making and for soap manufacturing.

If each motorist would figure out how to cut his gasoline consumption down by as little as one gallon a week, it would do a great deal toward ending the fuel problem in the East and would also ease our rubber crisis.

#### VOLUNTEERS . . . whips

So far, our government has managed to keep its requests for co-operation on a voluntary basis. In Germany, if more pulpwood was needed as it is here today, Hitler would probably issue an order that every farmer spend three days cutting wood and would provide a severe punishment for those who didn't obey.

But in this country we don't believe in getting co-operation by threats. So instead of ordering farmers to cut pulpwood, a big advertising and promotion campaign will be carried on to appeal to the patriotism of farmers and to explain to them how it will help win the war if each of them will harvest a crop of wood.

This method may be slower and less productive, at first, than the Hitler method. But in the long run, as the importance of this contribution spreads, our farmers will undoubtedly show Hitler, once again, that a lot more can be accomplished by voluntary methods in a free country than by using a whip.

#### UNIFORM . . . gentlemen

One thing this country will need after the war is something which builds good behavior like a United States uniform does. In the town in which I live there used to be a gang of boys who hung around in front of the bank every night and were always getting into some kind of trouble. No one in town had much respect for them and they seemed well started on the road to being bums.

But the other day I saw three of them in uniform and they looked like the finest young men you would ever want to meet. They walked with a new assurance, they had dropped their fresh-way of talking and they had suddenly acquired all of the earmarks of gentlemen.

After talking to them for a few minutes I began to wonder if they would go back to their old habits if they took off their uniforms and put on some old clothes. I decided that the army has probably done them a lot of good but that the big reason for their change was the uniform itself. When they were civilians they didn't have much respect for themselves, but as soon as they put on that khaki uniform they felt that they were "somebody" and must live up to their new role.

It is not saying that men in uniform always behave themselves, but there is no doubt that they do a lot better job of it than they would if they were in civilian clothes.

**RESPECT . . . drinking**  
You hear talk about soldiers and sailors doing a lot of drinking and general carousing when they get to the big cities. But my observations indicate that this talk is without foundation.

Of course, when thousands of them go to a place like New York for the sole purpose of squeezing all of the enjoyment they can into a few hours of leave, there are bound to be a few who imbibe too freely. But even in Times Square, New York, where there are probably more soldiers per square mile than anywhere outside of a military camp, drunkenness among men in uniform stands out because it is so exceptional.

Furthermore, when a soldier or sailor is seen walking unsteadily down the street, other men in uniform make it evident that they are annoyed with him. They have a high esteem for the uniform they are wearing and they don't like to see it treated with disrespect.

**PRIDE . . . reputation**  
After the war, when these young men go back to being plain John Smith and Tom Jones—when they can no longer identify themselves with the crusading force which brings their finest characteristics to the surface—they are apt to pick up where they left off in civilian life. At least they are unless the big companies for which many of them will work and the organizations to which they will belong can somehow instill in them the same feeling of pride of association which they feel as members of the armed forces of their country.

Even before the war this type of feeling was instilled in the salesmen and contact men for some business firms who were made to feel that the reputation of their company depended upon their actions.

One good example is that which the gasoline companies did in advertising the courtesy and service given by their station attendants. With that advertising to live up to, the men who worked in the service stations attracted great public respect to themselves. This was emphasized by Dr. Robert A. Millikan, prominent American educator and Nobel prize winner, who, after traveling through our country, said: "Service station men have improved the manners and courtesy of the American public more than all the colleges in the country."

## Saturday Shopping at 'The Corners'



### SUCCESSFUL PARENTHOOD

BY MRS. CATHERINE CONRAD EDWARDS  
Associate Editor, Parents' Magazine

### FASHION for today

BY PATRICIA DOW

8402  
8-16 yrs.

Well-Dressed  
Pattern No. 8402—Just as sweet as can be for the 8 to 16-year-old. Clinging basque top, full skirt and yards and yards of ric-rac.  
Pattern No. 8402 is in sizes 8, 10, 12, 14 and 16 years. Size 10 takes 2 1/2 yards 39-inch material.

### Your BRAIN BUDGET

1—What two items have been added to the list of gifts which may be sent to prisoners of war and civilian internees?  
2—The (a) 67th; (b) 90th; (c) 78th congress recently recessed for the summer?  
3—How many states have given women the right to serve on juries?  
4—The WAITS serve under the direction of the Army Air Force. What is their unabbreviated title?  
5—What famous Allied military leader was made chief commander of the revived Legion of Merit?

ANSWERS—  
1. Books and tobacco. 2. 28 states. 3. 28th congress. 4. Women aircraft instrument technicians. 5. Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek.

### Your BRAIN BUDGET

1. The Siculi or Sicels, for whom the island of Sicily is named, conducted one of the earliest invasions of this area. Was the approximate date of this invasion (a) 1,000 B. C.; (b) 400 B. C.; or (c) 500 A. D.?  
2. What type of good luck charms did General Eisenhower carry during the Sicilian landings?  
3. What two men were July and August named after?  
4. The biggest ocean waves are (a) 20 feet; (b) 43 feet; (c) 50 feet high?  
5. Who is General MacArthur's chief of staff?

ANSWERS:  
1. 1,000 B. C. 2. Julius and Augustus Caesar 3. Seven old romans 4. 43 feet 5. Major General Richard Sutherland

## Dale Carnegie

Author of "How to Win Friends and Influence People."

### NO RULE FOR THE AMOUNT OF SLEEP WE NEED

I have a letter from a young man in Indianapolis saying that he feels he is handicapped because he is able to sleep only four or five hours a night. He fears this will lower his vitality and slow him down in the race for financial rewards.

Professor Kleitman of the University of Chicago, and one of our recognized authorities on sleep, says that the amount of sleep is not so important as the quality of the sleep. In other words, it's better to sleep four hours, deep and peacefully, than eight lightly.

Two things are necessary to keep in mind. One is that sleep is much a matter of habit. Second, it depends on the person. It cools right down to this: some people need more sleep than others.

Toscanini, considered by many to be the most brilliant living conductor of orchestras, has slept on short rations all his life. He considers five hours of sleep a good night's repose. He gets up at six o'clock in the morning; twenty minutes later, he is at his piano. He has been doing this for years; in fact, he is 73 years old, and his vitality is a source of astonishment to his friends.

Charles Edison, acting secretary of the navy, who is a probable candidate for governor of New Jersey, is another hard-working man who gets along on astonishingly little sleep. Five hours is a good night's rest for him. But his father was famous for that; his father was Thomas A. Edison, the inventor.

The secret of Thomas A. Edison's ability to get along with so little sleep, was that he rested and cat-napped in the daytime. Sometimes for only a minute or two; but it was enough to relieve the strain.

Our ambassador to France, William C. Bullitt, bears a tremendous responsibility. But he is able to do it on only four hours of sleep at night. He gets up at half-past four; breakfasts at five; an hour later he is plowing into his day's work. And he is not only doing it now, while there is a war, but he has been doing it all his life. Yet he is rarely sick; and rarely complains of being tired.

So, young-man-who-wrote-me-the-letter, don't worry if you sleep only a few hours a night.

In conclusion: if nature intended you for a five-hour-a-night sleeper, take your quota and don't worry?

### ABOVE the HULLABALOO

By LYTTLE HULL

The Greatest Military Blunder of All Time

A little over two years ago, on June 22, 1941, Adolf Hitler declared war upon Russia and to this day no one outside of Germany—and maybe Russia—seems to know why. Of all the reasons given out by Hitler and by Ribbentrop in their proclamations of that day, there does not appear to be one of sufficient weight to have made such a hazardous step necessary to the German strategy.

### AMERICAN HEROES

BY LEFF

Buy United States War Bonds and Stamps

### FOR VICTORY BUY UNITED STATES WAR BONDS AND STAMPS

Buyman Epstein knew that after wounding a man the Japs around Bataan were withholding their fire, using the injured soldier for bait until someone would take the bait. Yet again and again he kept out under sniper fire to rescue wounded comrades until at last the Japs got him. "That kid was the best," his commander said of determined little Bymie Epstein. Are you buying War Bonds as determinedly?

U. S. Treasury Department.

# Personals.

Mrs. Page Barnett is visiting this week in Fort Worth with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Falls.

Mrs. Delmar Yarbrough and son, Anson, of Dublin spent the week here with her mother, Mrs. Roy Massingill.

Mrs. Floyd Walker of Stephenville visited here last Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Lee.

Miss Lucy Hudson came in from Austin Thursday for a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Simpson and family, who have been making their home in McGregor, moved back to Hico Monday.

Mrs. A. Alford accompanied her daughter, Mrs. H. L. Roddy, and children to Tahoka for a visit last Saturday.

Watt Ross, who is employed with Consolidated-Vultee in Fort Worth, spent the week end here with his family.

Miss Mildred Bobo and her mother, Mrs. Mary Bobo, returned to Fort Worth Monday after a visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bobo.

Miss Emma Brewer returned Monday from Cleburne where she had been visiting the past few weeks with her niece, Mrs. L. Reager.

Mrs. W. L. Isbill, who has been at her home for the past year, was carried to Dallas in the Herndon ambulance last Friday, where she will receive treatment at the Baylor Hospital.

Lusk Randall and Barto Gamble are in the market for larger hats, since having a namesake. A little son, Lusk Barto, was born Saturday night to Mr. and Mrs. Arvey Howerton.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Cheek moved last week from the home of Mrs. Lily Bingham to the home of Mrs. Simon where they have an apartment. The Simonton residence is undergoing extensive repairs.

Mrs. Roline Forgy, who is employed at the Consolidated-Vultee lumber plant, returned to Fort Worth Monday after spending the week end here with her mother, Mrs. J. R. McMillan. She was accompanied to Fort Worth by her sister, Pansy.

Mr. and Mrs. Noel Spaulding and five sons of Killen, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Dolden of Camp Wood, spent the week end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Spaulding. Mrs. Spaulding and son and Mrs. Dolden remained for a week's visit.

B. J. Barrow of Houston sent along with his perennial subscription payment, a nice note bearing his personal regards. And to show that he is an astute reader of the home paper, he remitted the proper amount at the new rate, without any notice of expiration having been sent him.

Mrs. J. J. Leeth fell from the back steps at her residence last Friday and received an injury to her hip. She was carried to the Stephenville Hospital Saturday for treatment and after finding that her hip was not thought to be broken, she returned home Saturday afternoon but is confined to bed suffering bruises. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Sorley and family of Cranell's Gap and Mr. and Mrs. George Leeth of Hamilton visited with her through the week end.

ROSS SHOP, Jeweler. 45-tfc

## Give As Much Time As Convenient

Due to shortage of labor and other war conditions our customers are kindly asked to give us a few days on cleaning orders whenever possible. We will give prompt service when requested, of course, but you can help us a lot by giving us more time when you can.

Our most careful attention is still given to both ladies' and men's garments—no let-down in the quality of our work, whatever, and remember we appreciate your business.

### Everett's Tailor Shop

— Phone 49 —

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Wiseman were business visitors in Dallas Thursday.

Burton and Charles Hooker of Fort Worth were in Hico Thursday visiting with old friends.

Mrs. Roy Massingill, Mrs. W. L. Simpson and Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Hall and children, Jim, Luther, and Lucille, were called to Kirkland last Friday on account of the death of their brother-in-law and uncle, John W. Adams. Funeral services were held Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Adams are former residents of Hico, having moved to Kirkland two years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Horton and family of San Antonio spent the week end here with his grandmother, Mrs. Mary Horton, and other relatives. They stopped in Killen for a visit with his father, A. D. Horton, who had just returned from a Temple hospital where he had been ill for the past two weeks. They were accompanied home Monday by Mrs. Horton who will visit several weeks with them in San Antonio.

Kal Segrist came down Saturday for a week end at his ranch to rest up from his strenuous duties as constable of the Oak Cliff precinct. He was accompanied by Gentry Dugat, purchasing agent for the Dallas County government, who plans to come through Hico again this week end with Mrs. Dugat and others on the way to Pettus, Texas, for a vacation at the ranch where he was born and which he owns.

Miss Stella Jones, the News Review's efficient and loyal correspondent at Iredell, who visited in Hico two days last week, included a note with her news this week that she was "feeling pretty good, much stronger today" after a recent illness. She became ill after returning to Iredell by bus last Thursday, and "had a spell" after church and had to be brought home in a car after church that night. She remained in bed all the next day, but was improving the first of this week. Her many friends are hoping she will take her doctor's advice to "slow down" so that she may continue her writing for many years to come.

Monday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Roberson were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Deskin and daughter, Maxie Jane, of Abilene; Lt. W. A. Deskin Jr., of Tarrant Field, Fort Worth; Mrs. W. A. Deskin Jr. and baby, Roxanna, of Duffau; Mrs. J. V. Starnes of Stephenville, and Billye Jean Dean of Cisco.

Mrs. Temple Guyton and daughter, Gail, left Thursday for Cleveland, Ohio, where they will make an extended visit with relatives. Temple and family have been here for several weeks visiting his mother, Mrs. J. A. Guyton, and he expects to return to his work at Lake Charles, La., at the close of his vacation.

Roger and Mable Bailey have written from Dalhart, where they went last week intending to make their home, instructing the News Review to "hold everything" on sending their paper to that address. We won't quote Mabel's letter, for it might offend the Dalhart Chamber of Commerce, but she intimated they were heading back to Corpus Christi. More later.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tabor and daughter moved to Stephenville this week for Swift & Company's plant in that city. He replaces Hudson Smith, former Hicoan, who was transferred to Denton. Also Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Johnson and family are moving to Stephenville, where he will be employed by Swift & Company. L. A. Wheeler is Swift's new manager at Hico.

Oscar Burton, general manager of the Gulf States Telephone Co., and C. W. Jacobs, auditor for the same company, both of Tyler, were in Hico on business Wednesday. Together with Miss Fannie Wood, Gulf States local manager, they visited the News Review office and were each treated to a rare bottle of hoarded Coca-Cola in hospitable appreciation of their pleasant visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rusk moved this week to the Earle Harrison home, which they recently purchased. Mr. and Mrs. Grubbs, who had been occupying the Harrison residence, returned to their home in Fort Worth until they make further arrangements. Mr. and Mrs. Morse Ross moved to the Rusk home, and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Wheeler moved from Stephenville to the house vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Ross. Mr. Wheeler is the new manager of Swift & Company's plant in Hico.

**That Good Old**  
**STUDIO FAMILY GROUP**  
Photograph.

Nothing to take the place of this kind of picture.

We are at your service.

**Wiseman**  
Photographer

## Church News

### Church of Christ

There are three distinct dispensations in God's dealings with Mankind—Patriarchal, Jewish, and Christian. The laws governing people change with the change of dispensation. Especially is this true concerning the change to the Christian age. John says: "The law came by Moses, but grace and truth came by Jesus Christ." (John 1: 17). This teaches the law of Moses is not grace and truth and grace and truth is not the law of Moses. In fact, the New Testament teaches the law of Moses was abolished (Col. 2:13-14) and the truth was ushered in for this age of the world.

The church has made arrangements with Bro. Telesforo Cawyer of Stephenville to preach next Sunday morning and every second Sunday for the coming year. Come and hear him.

Other services as usual.  
STANLEY GIESECKE, Minister.

### Methodist Church

Rev. George F. Kornegay of Fort Worth will preach at 10 a. m. Brother Kornegay is the Superintendent of Supernuminate Homes for the Central Texas Conference. He will take an offering for the homes. Funds provided are used in keeping the homes of our aged ministers in repair. Let's everybody bring some kind of offering for this worthy work of our church.

Sunday school at 10:45 a. m. Come to the preaching service and stay through the Sunday school class period. Our Baptist friends are aiming at 300 in their Sunday school. How high will we go on the same day? It will depend on each of you as to how many we shall have.

Youth fellowship meeting at 8:00 p. m.

There will be no evening service as we shall follow the custom of dismissing our evening services during the Baptist meeting.

FLOYD W. THRASH, Pastor.

### Baptist Church

Bro. Dick Gwyn arrived Monday afternoon, and has already won the hearts of the folk in Hico. His deep Christian character and gracious sense of humor have endeared him as the right man for our services. He has a wonderful voice. The entire community is invited to hear him sing as well as to help in the congregational singing. If you would be of a great help in this meeting, find your place in the choir and help to make the music as it should be.

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and will be in the pulpit from Sunday morning on. We invite all to come and hear again the truths of God brought from the lips of this man to whom you need no introduction.

Monday at 3:00 p. m. is Royal Service program in W. M. S. and on Friday the ladies will go to the Associational W. M. S. meeting at Hamilton.

The pastor requests the prayers of all Christians and their earnest effort in helping to take Hico for Christ.

CALL NO. 7 if you need transportation to or from church. Invalids of those physically unable to get out of the cars may drive their cars in the alley from the east and park their cars in the grounds.

RALPH E. PERKINS, Pastor.

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## A Vital Message To All Shoe Buyers

FROM THE

# International Shoe Company

Because there has been considerable misunderstanding regarding the quality of shoes now available to civilians, it is important that you become acquainted with the facts.

Perhaps this message from America's largest manufacturer of shoes will be helpful to you.

At present, our Government has first call on shoe materials. Millions of pairs of shoes are being manufactured annually for our armed forces. These shoes are built according to rigid government standards. Only the best materials and skilled workmanship are suitable. Neither you nor we would have it otherwise. Victory demands it.

But—does that mean good shoes—dependable shoes—are not to be had by civilians?

Not at all—you can still buy good shoes. The honor and integrity of the International Shoe Company stand behind that statement.

We, as well as other shoe manufacturers, could make more shoes were we willing to disregard quality—but quality is the essence of this message—and this company is determined not to use present conditions as an excuse for lowering the moral standards of its products, which are maintained for more than forty years.

Despite heavy demand from our armed forces, there is still a sufficient quantity of good, serviceable shoe material available to meet essential civilian requirements. We assure you that we will continue to manufacture shoes that will return full value for your dollar—and satisfactory shoe mileage.

You may continue to have confidence in the shoes made by men, women, and children by this company. We shall keep up with the wearers of our shoes.

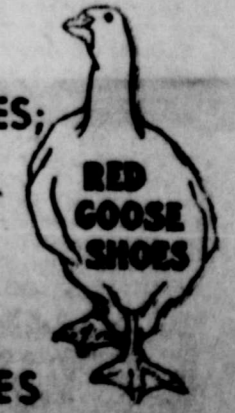
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This Week IN WASHINGTON

Washington, D. C. (NWNS)—The wave of optimism which spread over our country following our success in Africa and then in Italy has been inflated to such an extent by the ousting of Mussolini that our war leaders are plainly worried.

The effects of this over-optimism are obvious on all domestic fronts. Civilian defense organizations are letting their activities drift. Motorists, who have been trying to conserve their worn tires for the duration, are taking a chance on getting new tires soon.

In Washington, where the present power of our enemies is known, there is no such optimism. Our war leaders do think the crisis is fairly certain, but they have no illusions about the size of the job which must still be done before the Axis can be brought to unconditional surrender.

As for rubber, William M. Jeffers, our nation's rubber director here, says the nation's supply of usable tires is dwindling rapidly and that there isn't much chance of having many synthetic tires until mid-1944.

As for gasoline, although the situation has been greatly confused by contradictory announcements by various Washington officials, the facts seem to indicate that any increased use of gasoline in the East will reduce the supply going to our armed forces or will enhance the shortage of heating oil available for next winter.

It is feared by some officials here that the encouraging news we have had lately will make the going harder in the campaign to decrease the rate of absenteeism in factories and will slow up the drive, soon to get underway, to get millions of women to take essential jobs.

The treasury fears that the good news may also retard the sale of war bonds at a time when a drive for the greatest sale of government bonds in history is being planned for September.

War leaders here consider it natural that our victories are arousing the people to a point where they are eager for the kill, but they are pointing out that the final victory is not yet within easy reach and the time it will take to bring it about will depend, to a large extent, on the people's willingness to keep fighting on the home front.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

God Shows His People the Way. Lesson for August 8; Exodus 13:17-22; 17:22a.

Golden Text: Exodus 15:2. It was well that God showed his people the way—the direct route to Canaan would have brought them as once into a clash with the warlike Philistines and the escape of bondmen was poorly prepared in training or equipment for war.

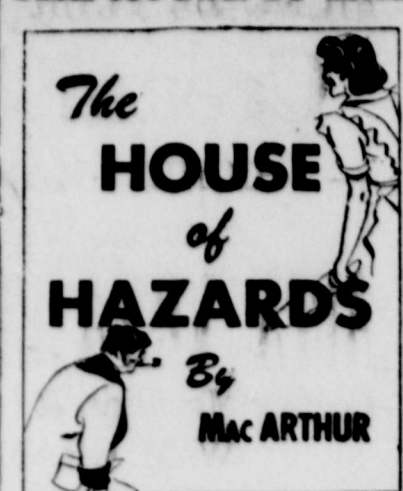
As they approached the sea, the Israelites found themselves in a trap. Pharaoh and his host were behind them and the sea was before them. Escape seemed hopeless. And the people reproached Moses that he had led them into the wilderness to perish. The 15th chapter of Exodus tells of the miraculous crossing of the Red sea and of the destruction of the pursuing Egyptians in the returning waters.

On the farther shore, Moses and his people sang their song of deliverance, celebrating the overthrow of their enemies and expressing their faith in Jehovah. And Miriam, sister of Moses, and the women with timbrels and with dances, repeated the theme.

Let us sometimes wait on preparation to do the Lord's working though we must take more time and pursue a longer way to the goal. And let every achievement in God's name lead us to praise him and to strengthen our faith for larger achievements in the future.

War bonds should mean something more to you than just "a good sound investment." Figure it out yourself.

THE HOUSE OF HAZARDS



The HOUSE of HAZARDS By Mac ARTHUR

CHAPTER I

Stella said for the third time: "I wish you'd tell me where you're going this evening."

Jane leaned forward for a better view of herself in the triple mirror on Stella's dressing table.

"Please tell me, Jane," Stella said unhappily. "I wish I didn't have to go to this wretched dress shop."

Jane smiled. "I'm feeling perfectly miserable about you."

Stella ran a comb through her hair. She said unhappily, "I wish I didn't have to go to this wretched dress shop."

After all, Jane reflected honestly, it was entirely her own fault that she was going to spend the evening alone. There were a dozen people she could have seen if she had only chosen to make arrangements to meet one or other of them.

Jane was a fashion artist, and Stella a free lance journalist. They had shared an apartment together for some three years. Neither was making much money in those days.

Stella was a year later, brought Jane up with a jolt when Clive Forbes, who had been running around with her had very nearly persuaded her to slip across to Paris with him for a week-end.

She prevented it by the simple expedient of quietly appropriating Jane's passport. They had had a bitter quarrel and Jane threatened to apply for a new one, but somehow she didn't and before many days had gone by she thanked Stella, a little shamefacedly, saying that of course she'd been right.

Now Stella would be going to live alone, and Jane would be leaving her because tomorrow she was joining the Women's Auxiliary Air Force. Always Jane had said that if war came she'd feel she must do something more worth while than sketching hats and dresses.

The W.A.A.F.'s were appealing for girls of good education and irreproachable integrity for special services. She went to Victory House, was approved by the board there and told to undergo a medical examination, which she passed.

"I'm going to join up in one of the women's services. There must be some useful work that I can do."

"That's very generous of you. But I was bargaining along much too fast to get something like that. You must let me get a taxi and drop you wherever it is you're going."

"I'm not sure, I say, are you quite sure you're not hurt?"

"Well, at least you must feel a little bit shaken. You must let me get a taxi and drop you wherever it is you're going."

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AIR FORCE-GIRL By Ren'ee Shann

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"I was very badly burnt." "So was I, once. This evening, the girl who let me down... that was nothing." He laughed. "It merely put me in a bad temper, but if I were to see very much of you, I should be very glad to see you."

"No, no!" She gave a low laugh. "And that being settled, let's talk about ordinary sensible things. Tell me, do you like flying? Will it be a long war? What's your rank? Not your name—your rank?"

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# WANT-ADS

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## Wanted

WANTED: 2-wheel trailer, priced reasonably. Good tires not necessary. Noah Herring, Rt. 5, Hico. 11-1p.

WANT TO BUY few young turkeys. H. K. Boyd, Route 3, Stephenville. Phone 3512. 11-4p.

WANT TO BUY small gentle pony for children. Mrs. Eileen Copeland, Route 1, Hico. 10-2p.

WANTED: 6-room house with bath, electric wiring, to move to Stephenville. Write Box X, care of the News Review. 9-2c.

WANTED: More listings. For quick sale of land or any kind of property, list it with Shirley Campbell. 39-tfc.

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## 'World One Family'



Vice President Henry Wallace is pictured as he told a meeting of civic and labor organizations in Detroit that America's destiny in the coming peace plans calls her to world leadership. He said that this leadership must concern itself with world welfare rather than power politics and that application of the four freedoms must begin at home.

## Falls Creek

By Virginia Coston

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Gandy and family of Fort Worth and Mrs. Frank Gandy of Hico visited Mrs. W. W. Foust a while Tuesday morning.

Several from this community attended the revival at Fairy.

Misses Jean Weisenhunt, Jacqueline Gano, and Mary Nell Jones, and Bro. Dick Gwyn visited in the Allen home a while Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Moore and family spent Sunday in Hico with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Moore, and his sister, Miss Mary Moore of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Ryan and son visited in the Coston home Saturday night.

Pvt. Alto White of Camp Hood spent the week end here with his wife.

Pvt. Sam D. Martin spent the week end here in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Martin.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Gollightly Sunday night were Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Mayfield, Mr. and Mrs. John East, Mrs. S. O. Durham, and Mrs. Dora Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hardin and daughter, Reta, attended church at Alexander Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Haley and children and Reta Hardin visited relatives Saturday near Lawn.

Florine Havens of Fort Worth spent the week end here with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roberson of South Texas are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Wolfe visited Mr. and Mrs. Edd Hatchett of near Alexander Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gollightly have been attending the bedside of an uncle of Mrs. Gollightly, Mr. Jones Jordan of Hico, who is in the Stephenville Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stipe and children, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mackey and son, Royce Lee, attended a family reunion at Walnut Springs Sunday.

Don't spend your pay in competition with your neighbors for scarce civilian goods. Save America, and you will save America from black markets and runaway inflation. Buy more Bonds every payday. How many bonds? Figure it out yourself.

Jess Flores, hurler for the A's, believes pitchers would get as many hits, proportionately, as their teammates if they were allowed to engage in daily batting practice.

Jim Sheppard of the old Chicago Nationals drew 147 passes in 156 games in 1911. Sunday ball was legalized in Pennsylvania in 1934.

Johnny Frederick, Brooklyn, pinch-hit six home runs in 1932.

Thirty bases on balls were yielded by Detroit and Philadelphia Athletic pitchers on May 9, 1916—a record which still stands.

And Rube Waddell, pitching for the A's, fanned 343 batters in 1904.

## Clairette

By Mrs. H. Alexander

The funeral was held here Tuesday for Mrs. Nelly Pike Stanford who at the time of her death was making her home with a son, C. C. Stanford at Healey, Texas. She was born near Springfield, Ill., June 2, 1849 and died August 2, 1943, making her 94 years, one month and six days old. She came to Texas when a child, and was married to John Newton Stanford of Dallas County in March, 1866. To this union were born twelve children, four of whom survive: W. T. Stanford, Clairette, L. M. Stanford, Stephenville; J. C. Stanford, Wichita Falls, and C. C. Stanford, Hedley, Texas. She is also survived by 25 great-grandchildren and 16 great-great-grandchildren. She was converted in 1899 and joined the Methodist church. Rev. W. H. Hogg conducted the funeral services, and Womack Funeral Home of Memphis was in charge of arrangements. After the funeral service at the Methodist church she was laid to rest in the beautiful Clairette cemetery, one mile west of town.

Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Havens and son, Tull, and Grandfather R. M. Alexander attended the graduation of Cadet Jake Havens at Blackland Flying Field, Waco, last Friday, July 30th. After the graduation Second Lieutenant Jake Havens and wife came to Clairette and spent a few days with Jake's parents. They left Wednesday for Fort Worth, where he will enter transition training.

Mrs. Sam Wolfe and son, Sam Jr. of Dublin spent the week end here visiting relatives.

Several from here attended the show at Hico Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Alexander are at Fort Worth, where their little grandson, Lynn Paul, is suffering with infantile paralysis. Last reports were that he was resting some better.

Mrs. R. W. Sherrard and a daughter who is employed at Mineral Wells left Monday to visit Pvt. Billie Sherrard who is stationed at Camp Wallace, Texas.

Pvt. Alto White of Camp Hood spent the week end here with his wife.

Pvt. Sam D. Martin spent the week end here in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Martin.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Gollightly Sunday night were Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Mayfield, Mr. and Mrs. John East, Mrs. S. O. Durham, and Mrs. Dora Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hardin and daughter, Reta, attended church at Alexander Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Haley and children and Reta Hardin visited relatives Saturday near Lawn.

Florine Havens of Fort Worth spent the week end here with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roberson of South Texas are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Wolfe visited Mr. and Mrs. Edd Hatchett of near Alexander Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gollightly have been attending the bedside of an uncle of Mrs. Gollightly, Mr. Jones Jordan of Hico, who is in the Stephenville Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stipe and children, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mackey and son, Royce Lee, attended a family reunion at Walnut Springs Sunday.



Helen Perry, national women's backstroke swimming champion, is a WAVE. Jackie May, who later became a big league southpaw with the Reds, won the most games in the Pacific Coast league in 1922 with 35, and the very next year lost the most, 22. . . . No active player is eligible for the Hall of Fame in Cooperstown, N. Y. . . . The highest average for a batting champion representing the Brooklyn Dodgers was .368 for O'Doul in 1932.

The infield fly rule—much debated—is easy to understand. If, with men on first and second, or all the bases, before two are out, the batter hits a fly ball which reasonably can be handled by an infielder—except line drives—the batter is out automatically and the runners move at their own risk. . . . It took Frank Keliher, Syracuse outfielder, a full year to hit a single in the Buffalo ball park. Until June 24 he had hit nothing but doubles and home runs there.

Jess Flores, hurler for the A's, believes pitchers would get as many hits, proportionately, as their teammates if they were allowed to engage in daily batting practice. . . . Jim Sheppard of the old Chicago Nationals drew 147 passes in 156 games in 1911. . . . Sunday ball was legalized in Pennsylvania in 1934. . . . Johnny Frederick, Brooklyn, pinch-hit six home runs in 1932. . . . Thirty bases on balls were yielded by Detroit and Philadelphia Athletic pitchers on May 9, 1916—a record which still stands. . . . And Rube Waddell, pitching for the A's, fanned 343 batters in 1904.

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- 5 Keep cold control at lowest setting necessary to assure safe temperatures.
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### Big Baby



The biggest baby ever to be born at the New England Sanitarium in Stoughton, Mass., is attended by Nurse Ruth Gloor, Miss Knight, the baby, weighs 15 pounds. She is Mrs. Florence Knight's ninth child.



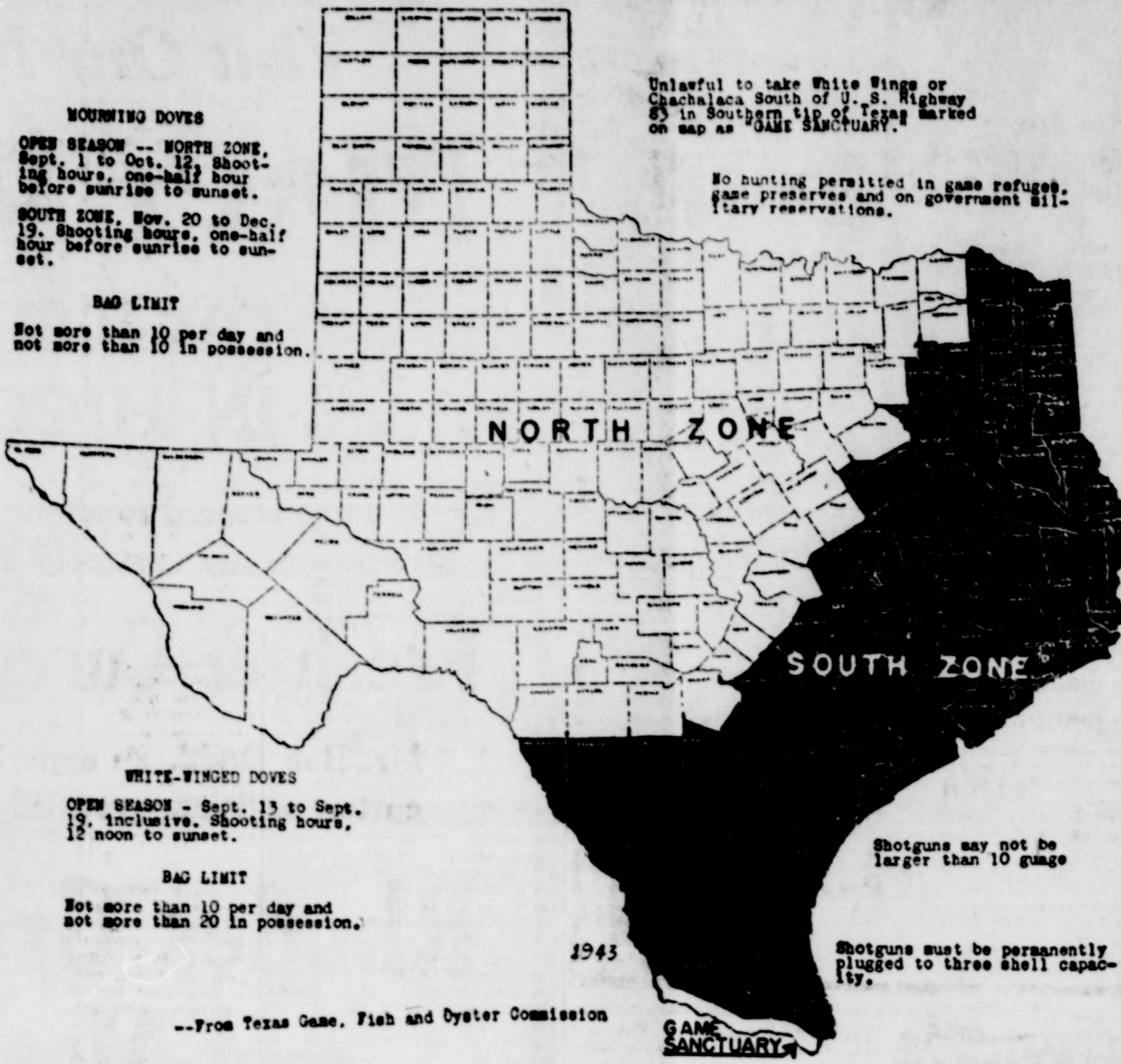
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### WITH THE COLORS

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tussle with the Japs. His friends wish for him an early recovery, and the best of luck in securing a furlough. His last visit was cut short by the fact that he had only arrived for his visit when Pearl Harbor was bombed. It made him so mad he rushed to Fort Worth and caught an army plane for the West Coast without even waiting for orders.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Leach informed us this week that his brother, Herman Leach, stationed at Camp Pinedale, Calif., has been promoted to staff sergeant.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Gamble were in Fort Worth Sunday for a visit with their son, Cpl. William D. Gamble, who is at Tarrant Field Hospital recuperating from a recent operation.

Lieut. Clinton Beck spent several days here last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Beck. He was accompanied by a friend, Lieut. Ralph Benner. They have been stationed at San Antonio, but are being transferred to Ballinger for basic pilot training in the Air Corps.

Raymond Hefner, yeoman second class stationed at the submarine base in Hawak until recently, now is on a ship according to a change in address recently received by his parents in Hico. Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Hefner Sr. Raymond evidently considers his station fairly permanent and his job steady, for he marked out the "Five Days" on the return air-mail envelope, and substituted "One Year."

Lieutenant (J. E.) Harry Hudson called his wife last week with a very indefinite address, "Sans Origine." Sort of a "Love from Nowhere" proposition Food said, but she and the rest of the family were greatly relieved to hear from the junior looney for the first time in over a month—the first word they had received from him since he put out to sea as an officer of the armed guard on a Merchant Marine vessel.

J. Carroll Smith, Bomb. Sqdn. APO % San Francisco

Dear Mr. Holford:

In all probability, my mother has written you about my change in APO. If not, I'd like very much to get it straightened out so I may keep getting the paper regularly. Even though I have been several years since I have lived in Hico, I still consider it my home town paper and enjoy it as much as if I still lived there. I always enjoy your column, "Here in Hico," but the best is "With the Colors." After reading those two columns I read the personals and then Miss Stella Jones' news. All in all it's a d-- good newspaper.

Life here, Holford, is really something to talk about. We live in a six-man tent pitched under the branches of a cocconut tree. We wash from a canvas basin supplied from a canvas bucket. We sleep on folding cots over which hangs a mosquito net—the most valuable piece of equipment I own. When you go under it at night,

you swing your flashlight up and down inside the net to hunt out and kill whatever varmints have taken hiding during the day. You run across a variety of spiders and things that crawl which no man outside the halls of science ever dreamed of.

Outside of soldiers and natives, there isn't anybody else here. There are no stores of any sort, but you can relieve the canned food meals with an occasional beer... no highballs, though.

I wish I could talk about the war the way it is going and what the more thoughtful men here think about it all. But that's an impossibility. Meanwhile we're all anxiously watching the rising stream of production at home. A lot depends on you folks back there... even our morale out here. We get pretty disgusted to hear about unprovoked strikes on jurisdictional grounds, and petty complaints about the small sacrifices people are called on to make in comparison with what we are all going through. But such is life. Anyway, we are going to stick it out to the end, and we're going to win, too.

I was recently down in Durward Lane's and Curtis Fairley's territory, but was unable to find them. Time was limited and I didn't exactly know what company they were in. If it is possible I'd like for you to send me their addresses. I know it will be possible for me to see them soon. Outside of them I know no others in these parts from around there.

There was a newspaperman here from Hamilton County... Indian Gap. He later wrote for the Houston paper named Clements. Anyway he was on the Christmas raid on Wake Island. He knew as many people in Hamilton County as Mr. Porter does.

I believe I have completed the mission I started out on, so I'll just get off the beam for a while. The most important thing is that you get my APO right for I don't want to miss too many of my papers. Thanks very much for all.

Your friend,  
CARROLL  
Naval Air Tech. Tr. Ctr.  
Norman, Okla.  
August 2, 1943.

Dear Mr. Holford:

Will try to write a few lines after so long a time. Was intending to write last week, but in this place it is better late than never.

The Navy is still treating me as fine as could be expected—especially the cooks. I have gained 16 pounds now, making the scales tip 206. It is really making me feel good, too. About the only thing I have found wrong is that it is entirely too hot to suit me—seems hotter than Texas.

I'm really sorry I didn't drop in to see you last week while I was in Hico, but I did not have but very little time to spend. Things have really changed in the last two months.

Just received the N. R., which I look forward to every Monday. It seems the Hico and Duffau fellows are scattered to the far corners of the world now, doing their best, and here's hoping everyone does his job—including those on the home front—for without those bonds and stamps, we would be in a hole. But with them it's going to be too bad for Hitler. Tojo and

Mussolini—who already has one foot in it.

Well, it is time for me to go, for I hear the guard list being called (of all things to hear, too!)

Keep the home fires burning!

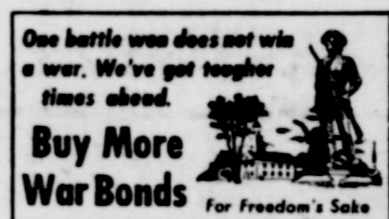
Yours,  
LOUIS GIESECKE JR., S 2-c.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Barnett, Rt. 4 Hico, received the following certificate from their son Saturday: "University of Kansas, Lawrence, United States Naval Training School Machinist's Mates. This is to certify that Thomas Jefferson Barnett has satisfactorily completed the Machinist's Mates Training Course of sixteen weeks as authorized by the United States Navy and conducted by this University, July 24, 1943."

T. J. is now fireman second class and was transferred to San Diego, California.

Another son, Sgt. Harold Barnett, is serving as a mechanic in North

Africa and a daughter, Mrs. James Moore, who is employed with Consolidated-Vultee in Fort Worth, is here to spend her two-weeks vacation with her parents.



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GEORGE TABOR.

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### OLIN H. D. CLUB MET WITH MRS. KENNEDY LAST WEEK

The Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. W. G. Kennedy in the Olin community Thursday afternoon, July 29.

Home-made yeast bread was demonstrated by our program chairmen, Mrs. Dan Halle and Mrs. Fred Gromatzky. Many points were brought out and discussed, such as keeping your bread the right temperature, also your oven, and the test when bread is ready to punch down. Recipe books for making home-made yeast breads were given to everyone present.

Hot bread with butter and jelly was tested by all and seemed to be very successful.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Hunter Newman on

August 19. Our agent, Miss Gwendolyn Jones, will be in charge of the program which will be on the use of peanuts in the diet.

Those present at the last meeting were Mrs. Emmitt Basha, Mrs. Hunter Newman, Mrs. Fred Gromatzky, Mrs. Melvin Steg, Mrs. Robert Jackson, Mrs. Dan Halle, and a visitor, Mrs. John Patterson, also Misses Bill Louise Jackson, Gloria Jean, Mavis Gromatzky, and Eva M. Graves, and the hostess, Mrs. Kennedy.

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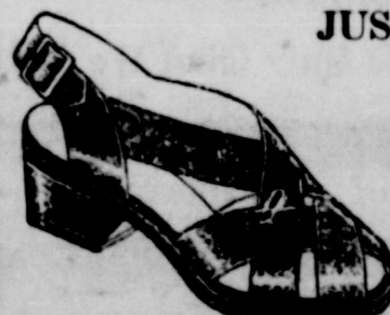
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