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COURTHOUSE NEWS

Marriage License

Chester Florkey and Miss Rose Parks

Michael Condels and Miss Marie Mafalda Povia

Robert A. Binds and Miss Betty Jorgenson

Odus L. Snodgrass and Mrs. Mildred Snodgrass

Dean H. Ash and Miss Betty Segneri

Deaths Recorded

T. W. Bigham and wife to USA

Lee C. Ingram and wife to Lawrence Graham

A. N. Smith and wife to Harry B. King

D. H. Culberson to Edgar Franks

J. L. Graham and wife to USA

J. D. Brown and others to Geo. Schoenewolf, Jr.

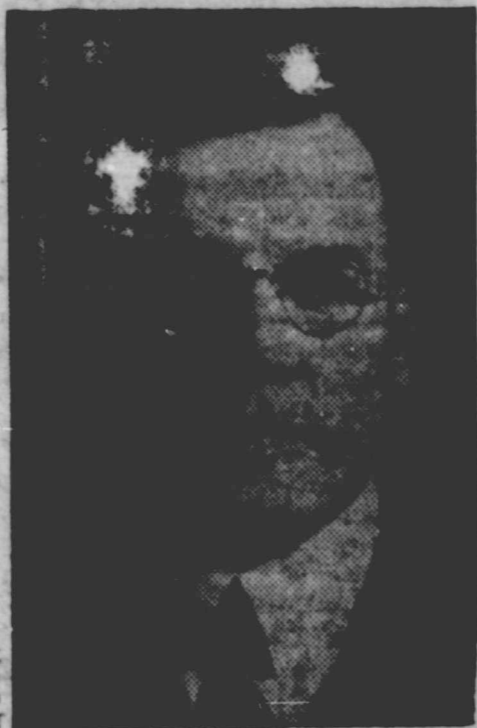
J. J. Bell and wife to J. L. Baker.

Willie Carothers and wife to U. S. A.

S. L. Powell and wife to U.S.A.

A. V. Jack Kinslow and wife to G. L. Lam

DIRECTOR OF CAMP WORK FOR TEXAS BAPTIST CONVENTION



DR. A. C. MILLER

Dr. A. C. Miller, Dallas, director of camp work of the Baptist convention of Texas will be in Gatesville over the week end and will speak to the First Baptist Church. Dr. Miller is a former Texas pastor, served as chaplain in the World War number 1, knows camp life, the soldier's problems, and is offering a vast deal of help to pastors and churches located in camp areas.

He works in connection with some 10 Baptist Centers located in as many towns and centers of Texas.

The pastor of the local church, Rev. Lawrence Hayes, extends a personal invitation from the entire church family to visiting friends to hear this outstanding preacher and denominational leader.

KILLEEN GETS WATER FROM SOUTH HOOD SUPPLY

Killeen's critical water shortage was relieved this week when the city was permitted to tap the big water main leading from the wells to Camp Hood.

The arrangement had been previously worked out with Camp Hood officials as a solution to the problem of water supply imposed on the city by its rapid growth. Present water demands are 250,000 gallons.

Novel pipe tapping machines made possible the "cut-in" without interruption to Hood's water supply.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jay Black stock announce the arrival of a son, Thomas Jay, Jr., in Coryell Memorial Hospital at 4:15 A. M. June 27. Weight, 7 lbs., 7/8 oz. The mother is the former Miss Betty Homan. The father is in the U.S. Navy, stationed in Calif. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Homan and Mrs. W. L. Hoad.

It's The Grand Old Flag, July 4th



VOC. ED. EXPERT TO EXPLAIN WITHHOLDING TAX TONIGHT

Tonight at 8:30 p. m. in the District Courtroom, W. J. Adkins of the State Department of Vocational Education will explain the withholding tax for the convenience of business men, and others interested.

The only advice, is that you bring your tax blanks and instructions, so that you may follow the discussion.

MARX, CATHEY SHOW AT PEARL CANCELLED: AT LEON JUNCTION

Originally billed to show at Pearl tonight, the Marx, Cathey Show was called off due to a

CAMP HOOD HIGH IN SAFETY: IT'S SIXTH FROM TOP

Camp Hood ranks high among Texas camps in its safety record, according to a tabulation made by Internal Security Division at Headquarters, 8th Service Command, Dallas.

revival meeting now going on at Pearl.

The same show, including Jerry Ignatz, the mouthpiece of Lester Marx, venturoquist, will go on tonight at Leon Junction.

Added attraction will be that husky singer, Elizabeth Hunt, who can run cold chills up and down your spine.

It's a big show, go out and see for yourself!

"Traffic" Here In Housing Is Gigantic

Here are some comparative figures of the housing situation here and in Waco.

From June, 1942 to June 1943, Waco had 5,400 applications for apartments or houses. They had 754 requests for rooms, all this according to the publication of the Waco Chamber of Commerce. They figure, that if all were filled, the town, Waco, would have 20,041 sleeping places which would make their population that much more.

But, listen—
During the same period, Gatesville Chamber of Commerce had 5,400 applications for rooms or apartments, and 5,201 applications for rooms. Figuring on the same basis, it would appear that the "city" of Gatesville would have something like 25,000 to 30,000 population in addition to the 3,175 we were granted by the Census Bureau, Department of something or other, in 1942. But of course, Washington just not know those facts, at least the housing authorities, or else we'd have some place to put these folks, but we haven't, and it's not our fault.

Figuring a little more, the Waco Chamber of Commerce had a fund to handle the amount of "traffic" of about \$9,000, which is more than the entire budget of the Gatesville Chamber of Commerce.

It's a wonder the Waco and Hour people don't get the Gatesville Chamber of Commerce, or some other American College.

LIVEOAK BAPTIST REVIVAL BEGINS JULY 9 CONTINUES THRU 15

Revival meeting of the Liveoak Baptist Church begins July 9 and continues thru July 15, according to Rev. Claydean Patterson, pastor.

Both day and night sessions will be held with Rev. T. J. Miller doing the preaching.

The church is located just off Camp Hood road, 1 1/2 miles from Gatesville. All men of service are welcome, as is everyone else.

Camp Hood was sixth from the top and well above the average among 27 camps in Texas for safety performance, in a tabulation made of accidents which took place in camps from January to May.

Nearly Everybody Closhin' 5th: We Are Too!

Looks that way! Why not? 'course, you can't go anywhere account gas, rubber, and maybe money, but, still you can "catch up" or just "get away from it all" and just plain lax. Maybe you could even meet the rest of the family.

Therefore, officially and an officially, the News will be closed Monday, July 5 (substituting the Fourth), and we'll print the Tuesday edition (big or little) Saturday, and if you've any hot news or advertisements that you want carried, we'd advise you to get them in not later than Saturday morning if at all possible, because it won't be at all possible to get them in Tuesday's paper Monday.

With us, there'll also be closed practically all governmental offices (don't they usually) and then, the banks, most of the other businesses. You're just not liable to catch anyone at work, even the Camp Hoods, both of them, are!

Lt. Roland Bone is visiting relatives and friends here.

Markets

Thursday, July 1,	
Oats, loose	65c
Eggs, No. 1 Candler	32c
Cream, No. 1	43c
Cream, No. 2	40c
Fryers	34c
Old Roosters	18c
Hens	20c

NORTH EAST WEST SOUTH

A SUMMARY OF WORLD, NATIONAL AND STATE NEWS

JAP FLEET MOVES OUT
Chungking, July 1 (AP). — A fleet of Jap warships was sighted steaming southward off Foochow, Fukien Province, Monday and Tuesday, the Chinese Central news agency reported Wednesday. Foochow is in Southeastern China. The destruction of the vessels was not known, it added.

U.S. MOVES UP
Washington, June 30 (AP). — The Navy announced Wednesday that combined American forces have landed on Rendova Island in the central Solomons, in what appeared to be the first stage of an offensive.

ISOLATED SICILY
N. Africa, June 30 (AP). — Striking from bases many hundreds of miles apart at targets separated by only 6 miles of water, British Bombers from the North African and Middle East commands have smashed heavily at the ferry connecting Sicily with the Italian mainland in an effort to disrupt the island's communications and to substantially isolate it in the event of invasion.

WALLACE SAYS "NO REFLECTION"
Washington, June 30 (AP). — Vice President Wallace said Wednesday night he had intended no reflection on Commerce Secretary Jones', "patriotism or his interest in the war effort" by accusing the RFC, which Jones supervises, of hampering the Board of Economic Warfare's work. "Friction in the 'high places,'" and they expect us not to get "hot in the collar".

CHINESE ALSO MOVE IN
Chungking, June 30 (AP). — Chinese Central News Agency reported Wednesday that a large section of Owchikow (Lotus Pond inlet) on the Upper Yangtze River front had been recaptured by Chinese forces.

SENATE SAYS "NO SUBSIDIES"
Washington, June 30 (AP). — Congress, handling the Roosevelt administration another legislative setback, Wednesday forbids use of subsidies to push down retail food prices ordered by the recent war roll-back ended by Aug. 1.

The Senate Wednesday night voted to revoke the death penalty which the House had passed for the domestic operations branch of the OWI, but placed a \$1,000,000 limit on the amount the division may spend for its home front activities during the new fiscal year beginning at midnight. Good, what a paper could be run on that dough!

ICKES BEGS DEPARTURE
Washington, June 30 (AP). — Sec. of Interior Harold I. Ickes appealed Wednesday night to miners still on strike in some fields to return to their jobs for the sake of the nation. Coal effort must be stepped up, he said, regardless of what about wages.

THREATS RUE DAYS
London, June 30 (AP). — Prime Minister Winston Churchill Tuesday forecast a "hot" summer in the Mediterranean, but said that the British would not be deterred by a "hot" summer from their efforts to win the war.

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Mountain News

Mrs. Robert Fisher, Cors.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jack Blanchard are the proud parents of a daughter, Peggy Gene, born June 22, Peggy weighed 10½ lbs.

Sgt. J. C. Barton, of Camp McCoy, Wisconsin, has been visiting home folks here the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Rhoades and Gladys, Mrs. Elmer Brewster and Anitney Karl visited in the Grady Flat home at Evant Sunday night and Monday.

The John Barton family all enjoyed a fishing trip on the river one night last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Barton were visitors in the M. C. Hartis home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Burt and girls visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fisher Sunday afternoon.

Ruth and Maxine Davis of Plainview are visiting Peggy Rhoades this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Veazey and Boys were callers in the Roland Blanchard home Sunday afternoon. Mrs. D. F. Collard and David of Gatesville spent a few days last week with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Robert Fisher.

Betty Jo Burt has been on the sick list, we hope she will soon be well again.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Burt were visitors in the Jo Burt home Friday Eve.

Mrs. Ernest Fisher and children visited Mrs. Jake Rhoades awhile Friday afternoon.

Liberty Church

Freeda Franklin, Cors.

Raymond Huckaby who is in the Coast Guard at Galveston is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Huckaby.

Visitors in the David Wilson home Sunday were Nolan Pruitt of Mt. Zion and Mrs. Spurlin and children and Clovis Epps.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Franklin and Ray Franklin were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Huckaby Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Miers and Jay Miers visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Powers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hamilton and children visited with Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Franklin Friday night.

Cpl. Harvey Wade of Camp Hood and Mrs. Harvey Wade of New York City who is visiting her husband here were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hightower Saturday night and Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. T. M. Latham of Lamesa are visiting their daughter, Mrs. M. C. Garren and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pruitt visited Mrs. George Dollins Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Henson and Miss Exa Turner attended the all night singing convention in Dallas Saturday night.

Rev. George Jackson of Clifton will fill his regular appointment here Sunday. Everyone has a cordial invitation to attend services.

Okley Miers spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Will Powers.

Jay Miers spent Wednesday nite with Alta Fay Wilson.

King

Mrs. Dennis Warden, Cors.

Mrs. Vernon Lipsey and children spent Sunday in the Lum Stovall home.

Miss Madeline Dickie of Gatesville is visiting her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dickie.

Rev. Joe Music preached for us Sunday and brought Rev. I. D. Walker with him.

Jo Lawan Pruitt of Gatesville is visiting in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Stovall.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Herrington and Kittye visited in the John Shoaf home Sunday afternoon.

Lum Stovall visited in the Dennis Warden home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. R. Bond and Mrs. Wells Watson and boys spent one afternoon last week visiting with Mrs. Lewis Herrington.

Mrs. Lloyd Russell and Billie spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Berryman of Gatesville.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Warden and Jo Helen of Burnett visited in the Lloyd Russell and Dennis Warden homes Wednesday. Jo Helen stayed over for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Lipsey and children visited awhile in the Lewis Herrington home Wed. nite. Jo Helen Warden and Billie Russell spent Sunday night in the Dennis Warden home.

Mrs. W. J. Berryman visited her sister, Mrs. Lloyd Russell Sunday.

Little Joyce Marie Lipsey is spending this week with her aunt, Mrs. Vernon Carroll.

Mrs. Gus Mohler spent one day last week with her mother, Mrs. John Shoaf.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Lipsey visited in the C. O. Russell home Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Carroll and Patsy Nell spent Sunday in the Vernon Lipsey home.

Bee House

Bernita Conner, Cors.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Self were happy to see their son, Pfc. Garden Self, who came in Sunday on a few days furlough. This hot Texas weather is very different from that in Washington state he said.

Others visiting in the Self home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Self and family of Peabody and Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Self and son and Derrel Gene Self.

Visitors in the A. B. Conner home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Randell Moseley and family of Peabody, Mrs. Hampton of Pearl and Mr. and Mrs. Eric Neely and Georgia of Evant.

Mack Smith visited in the Frank Gholson home Sunday.

Several from here went fishing last week.

Mr. and Mrs. N. N. Smith visited in the T. L. Conner home Sunday.

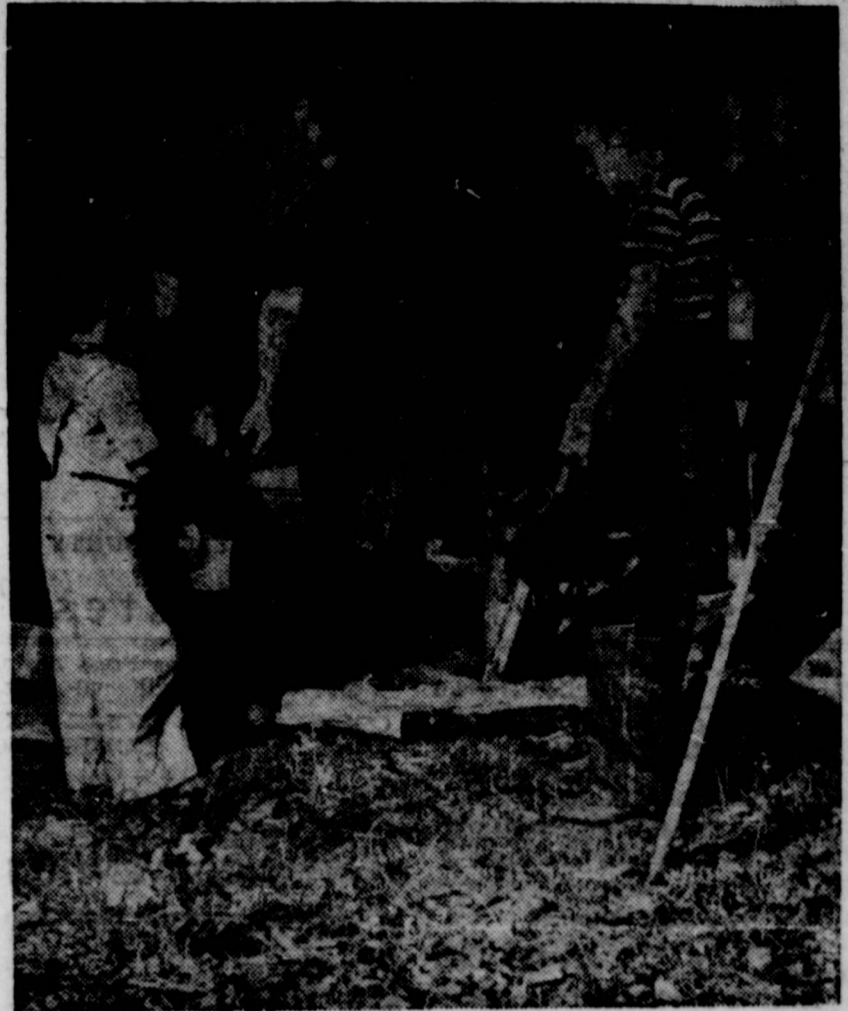
Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Perkins and Bobby of Stephenville spent last week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Conner.

We welcome Mrs. Smitherman and Bobbie Lee and Weldon into our community.

B. F. Barrington hurt his knee a few days ago when it was caught between a trailer and a gate.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Trigg of Lubbock visited relatives here recently.

Dad and the Boys Get in the Scrap



Heavy scrap from America's farms is still vitally necessary to beat the enemy. Now that good weather makes it easy to locate scrap iron, every farm can help supply the materials that make guns and ammunition.

COUNTY OFFICIALS

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NEWS



FROM

North Camp Hood

Soldiers at North Camp are all excited over the forthcoming appearance on July 1 of the great "I Dood It" man of screen and radio—Red Skelton.

Skelton and his entire company, including an unnamed movie celebrity, will entertain the personnel of North Camp at two outdoor showings in the Reservation Area at 12th street and Park Avenue at 7:30 and 9:00 on the evening of the 1st. The entire company will show at South Camp on July 2.

Auxiliaries Sidney Hedges and Louella Nichols, of the WAAC Detachment, TDC, will each sing a solo with the Skelton company, and the 1st RTC Band will provide music for the occasion.

New Co. For Tr'ng. Bn.

Lt. Col. Harry D. Bishop, who just recently returned from the South Pacific Theatre of Operations, is the new commanding officer of the 126th Training Battalion, RTC. Col. Bishop is applying many of the battle lessons he learned in Guadalcanal to the training of the men under his command.

Commenting on the wonderful spirit and fighting qualities of the American soldiers and their officers in battle, Col. Bishop said that the young second lieutenants just out of OCS make leaders of high caliber.

From Revere To A M-10

Mjr. Robert D. Rodes of Hdqs., 4th Tr'ng. Reg., RTC finds riding the Army's new M-10 tank destroyer a far cry from the days in Boston when he took the part of Paul Revere in the Massachusetts city's annual celebration of the Midnight Ride of Paul Revere. Dressed in the colonial garb, the major made the historic ride from

Charleston, Massachusetts, to Lexington, warning the countryside "that the British were coming."

The Major says he hopes some day to return to Boston and make a motorized version of the famous ride, in an M-10.

Then they would really know mused Major Rodes. Anyway, he "Rode".

Rice, Coffee, Macaroni, Plumb

... Sounds like a starchy diet, doesn't it? But those are the names of four members of Company B, 665th TDB'n BUTC at North Camp Hood.

Incidentally, Pvt. Maccarone is a native of Italy, and in fact has been in this country for only 5 years. His memories of experience in the Italian Army still are vivid and supply many interesting anecdotes.

He was in the Italian Army from early childhood, but he openly flouted "Il Duce" and his theories and in consequence finally had to flee from Italy. His one ambition now is to march in the vanguard of Allied invasion forces and thumb his nose at the would-be creator of a new Roman Empire.

Company D, 139 Shades Co. C.

Pvt. Dusty Clark, of Co D, 139th B'n. RTC, is a mighty popular man around his barracks after pitching a tight baseball game against Company C last week. The game ended in the 6th due to darkness, with D Company scoring 8 to 0. Co. D also beat C in volleyball, winning a double header with scores of 21 to 15 and 21 to 13.

Sheep-shearer Becomes Barber

"Red" Gray and Joe Walsh of Co. C, 134th TD B'n. have been drafted as barbers by the men in their company. Both have been issued bowls and are busy beautifying the coiffures of the other gentlemen in the 3rd Platoon. Red is an experienced sheep-shearer and Joe for years has maintained his reputation as the best low hedge clipper in N. Fla.

Flying Tigers? No, TD-ers

The Tank Destroyer shoulder insignia, depicting a black panther devouring a tank, has often been mistaken for China's famous Flying Tigers and for many other things, but Pvt. LaVerne Kinsman man of Detroit feels that he has heard the prize winner of them all.

Last week, while he was home on furlough, Kinsman dropped in to a soft drink parlor and while standing at the corner, refreshing himself, a somewhat woozy patron came up, stared at the shoulder patch, and leaned over to the soldier.

"Member of the Detroit Tigers, son?" he breathed, as Kinsman stood aghast.

The Grove News

Ethel Jo Grissom, Cors.

Mrs. W. B. Brazzil is visiting Mrs. Angie Magness in Dallas this week.

Mrs. Will Harper and son, Arthur Lee, of Ft. Worth and Mrs. Myrtle Lamb of Waco visited Mrs. H. A. Taylor one day last week.

Mrs. Ernest Evans of South Carolina, is visiting friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Earl Odom, Ida Lee and Ethel Joe Grissom of Gatesville, spent the week-end in the J. E. Grissom home.

Len Evans has returned home after visiting Pfc. Carl Evans of Camp Chaffee, Arkansas.

Rev. George Silar was dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Holcomb.

Mrs. Max Vaden of Wichita Falls is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Ayres.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Graham and family of Waco, spent the week end with Mrs. Johnie Graham.

Ater News

Mrs. Bertha Coward, cors.

Mrs. Robert Whisenhunt and daughter, Wilda, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Frank Farquhar and son to McDade to visit Mr. and Mrs. John Farquhar last weekend.

Mrs. Ruby Little and sons of Jonesboro spent last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Coward.

Mr. W. C. Moreland visited Mr. and Mrs. Otis Pruitt Sunday.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otha Moreland Sunday was Mr. and Mrs. Spot Brazzil of Hamilton.

Pvt. Paul Russell of Indianapolis, Ind. and wife of Fort Worth are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Russell at Levita also Mr. and Mrs. Hampton at Ireland. Paul has a 15 day furlough.

Mrs. Jake McDonald and sons, Pvt. Arvin McDonald and wife of Brownwood, D. W. of Norfolk, Va. also Mrs. Mildred Sumpter of San Diego, Calif. visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mauldin in Robert Lee, Texas last week.

Mrs. Zack Kays visited her daughter, Mrs. Cecil Buster and family near Gatesville last week. Ruberta Whisenhunt visited Mrs. Otis Pruitt Wednesday.

Misses Wanda and Bettie Joe Mauldin of Robert Lee, Texas are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jake McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy McDonald and Mrs. George Whitel and children of Freer, Texas visited Mr. and Mrs. Jake McDonald last week.

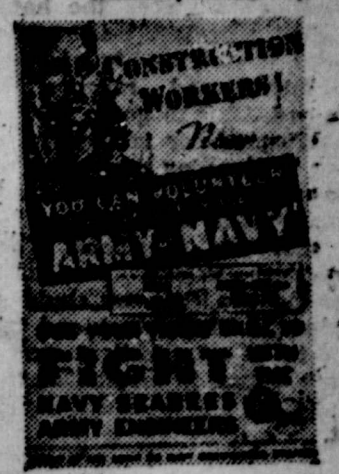
Mrs. Ralph Morgan, formerly Cleo Timmons, left Tuesday for Miss. to join her husband, Pvt. Ralph Morgan, who has been on maneuvers the past three months.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Ray visited Mrs. Sallie Ray and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Timmons Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Baker are living in Albuquerque, N. Mex. where he is employed. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Baker.

Mrs. J. T. Little and Mrs. Birdie

Coward and Delise visited Mrs. Tubert Whisenhunt Sunday afternoon.



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.... Minute Men of 1943

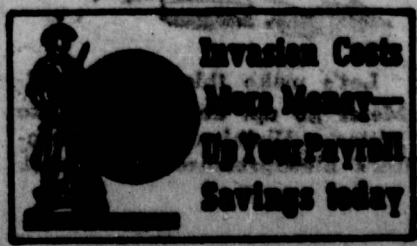
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Murray's will have the ingredients for a Big Fourth the food kind.

MURRAY Gro. & Mkt.



To Jonesboro goes the honors for this week. Thirty-six soldiers enjoyed the hospitality of Jonesboro farms and ranches last week-end. Thanks go to Mr. and Mrs. Wiegand for taking the initiative in planning this which was thoroughly enjoyed by the boys privileged to take part. There was just one drawback. There were more fellows anxious to make the trip than we could accommodate. These week-end trips prove to be an excellent way of helping a man in service, as they invariably want a return engagement.

A new feature was added to the USO service this week starting last night, an art class with a soldier teacher. Soldiers and their wives are invited to attend this class each Thursday evening.

Visiting those in the hospitals and providing automobile service where necessary for army wives to and from hospitals is one of the most appreciated services of the club. Today the USO car made a trip to Temple to bring back a young mother and daughter whose husband and father has been moved away from Gatesville recently.

Wednesday night is Hobby Nite and the organization of the Hobby Club will take place next Wednesday night. All soldiers are invited to attend the organizational meeting and make suggestions concerning their favorite Hobby and plans for the club.

A new Horse-shoe game court has been added to the club features and soldiers are now enjoying this "Western" game, and many of them for the first time.

County Line News

Mrs. D. D. Dixon, cors.

Rev. O. F. Williams preached at Cold Springs Saturday night.

Several of the young folks have been attending church at Leon Junction.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Graham entertained the young folks Saturday night honoring Pvt. Burl Spurlin, who was home on furlough.

Pvt. and Mrs. Clarence Hopson and baby and Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Wall were guest in the Tom Wall home recently.

Guest in the G. A. Dutchmann home Sunday were Mrs. Dutchmann's sister and family of Austin and her brother, Pvt. Ed Schmidt of the U. S. Army and Werner Schmidt of the Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Lambright of Waco visited in the home of their daughter, Mrs. D. D. Dixon last week.

Classified TO LATE TO BE

FOR SALE: Slightly used Lawn mower. C. D. Blackburn, Gatesville Poultry & Egg Co. 4-56-tfc

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- '41 Chev. tudor, special Deluxe, Black, radio & heater
- '41 Chev. tudor, Master, New Tires
- '41 Chev. Club Coupe, new tires
- '41 Ford Coupe, good tires
- '40 Ford tudor, Deluxe, A good buy
- '40 Ford convertible coupe, It has everything
- '40 Ford standard tudor
- '39 Ford tudor
- '39 Chev. Master Deluxe
- '38 Ford Convertable Coupe
- '36 Ford Tudor
- '36 Chev. Tudor
- '35 Ford Tudor
- '35 Chev. Tudor

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TO: W. C. Patterson, Defendant, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Coryell County at the Court House thereof, in Gatesville, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 9th day of August A. D. 1943, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 19th day of June A. D. 1943, in this cause, numbered 5144 on the docket of said court and styled Madge Patterson Plaintiff, vs. W. C. Patterson Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: That on or about the 7th day of January, 1940 the plaintiff was lawfully married to the defendant that they continued to live together as husband and wife until about March 20, 1940, when, without provocation or cause the defendant voluntarily abandoned the plaintiff with the intention of permanently abandoning and living apart from her, that to this marriage one child, Precissa Miller Patterson, was born and has been in the care and custody of the plaintiff since birth.

Wherefore plaintiff prays for judgement dissolving said marriage relation and for care of said minor and cost of suit as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Gatesville, Texas this the 24th day of June A. D. 1943.

Attest: Carl McClendon, Clerk, District Court, Coryell County, Texas. (SEAL) ???

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: Marjorie L. Ripley, Defendant, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Coryell County at the Court House thereof, in Gatesville, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 9th day of August A. D. 1943, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 7th day of June A. D. 1943, in this cause, numbered 5138 on the docket of said court and styled F. A. Ripley Plaintiff, vs. Marjorie L. Ripley, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: That plaintiff is and has been a bonafide inhabitant of the State of Texas for 12 months prior to exhibiting his petition herein. That he resided in Coryell County, Texas for at least six months next preceding the filing of this suit. That plaintiff and defendant were married on or about June

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1938, that they continued to live together until about July 1938, when the defendant abandoned the plaintiff and they have not since lived together as husband and wife. That by reason of such abandonment the plaintiff is entitled to a divorce. The plaintiff and defendant own no community property. That no child to ensue upon said marriage was said marriage. That the marriage relation still exists. That the defendant's conduct generally toward the plaintiff are such as to render their further living together as husband and wife insupportable the premises considered.

By supplemental petition plaintiff alleges that the address and residence of the defendant are unknown as asks for citation by publication, and for costs of suit and general and special relief as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

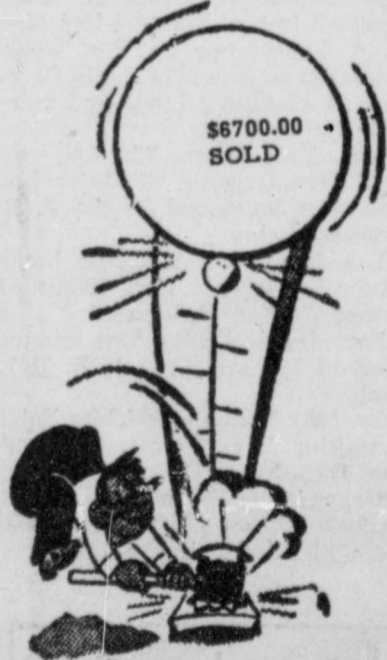
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Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Gatesville, Texas this the 22nd day of June A. D. 1943. Attest: Carl McClendon, Clerk, Dist. Court, Coryell County, Texas (SEAL) 54-56-58-60-tc

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NEWS

**Mrs. Alfred Gould Will Be
Entertained Saturday**

Mrs. A. G. Robinson will entertain with a miscellaneous shower at her home Saturday afternoon, July 3, honoring Mrs. Alfred Gould, the former Miss Erma Lee Featherston.

Everyone is invited to attend.

**WOMEN'S ACTIVITIES FOR
THE WEEK OF JULY 1**

THE MOTHER'S CLUB will meet Monday afternoon at 4 p. m. in a discussion group led by Mrs. Hutchinson on Problems of the toddler age child. All mother's with young children are invited to attend this informal meeting. For those mothers who wish it there will be a responsible person to care for the children during the meeting. A planning committee for this group met Monday afternoon at 4 p. m. in the USO with the following person present, Mrs. A. Mundragon, Mrs. A. Murdzok, Mrs. Massey, Mrs. R. Uncapper and Mrs. Hutchinson and Miss Poe.

Again the USO Sewing Club, under the leadership of Mrs. Davidson and her loyal volunteers sewed Monday afternoon at the USO on barrack bags for a battalion of soldiers who needed some mending done. Instruction was also given Enlisted Men's wives on the sewing and cutting out of dress patterns.

Attention is called to the Red Cross Pre-Natal Course being given each Monday afternoon at 2 p. m. in the Green Room of the USO.

THE RURAL AUXILIARY of the USO will meet Saturday afternoon at 3 p. m. on the Terrace of the USO. This will be the first meeting of this group with their newly elected officers.

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THE ENLISTED MEN'S WIVES Club enjoyed a picnic in Raby Park on Wednesday noon of this week. Special guests were those who aided in the recent Fashion Show. Committee responsible for the affair was headed by Mrs. G. Levy and assisting her were Mesdames G. Katz, I. Rubenstein and Goldstein.

**Mrs. Irvin Thompson
Entertained With
Miscellaneous Shower**

Mrs. Jim McGlothlin and Mrs. Winifred Cummings entertained recently with a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. J. F. Cummings, honoring Mrs. Irvin Thompson, the former Miss Gertrude Brown.

The rooms were decorated with bouquets of daisies and calla lilies. Mrs. Lookey Rose presided at the bride's book.

Punch, sandwiches and cookies were served to approximately 30 guests.

**Miss Patsy Olsen
Honored At Shower**

Mrs. Miller Stinnett and daughter, Gene, honored Miss Patsy Olsen, bride-elect of John Berry Hubbard, Jr., of Sweetwater, at their home recently, with a four course dinner. A color scheme of yellow and green was carried out.

She is the daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Pat Olsen of Camp Hood. The guests present were as follows: Mesdames Buster Cummings, Joe Ricketts, Hal Anderson, Price Neeley and Mrs. Pat Olsen, mother of the bride, Mrs. Swenson, grandmother of the bride, Miss Annis Olsen, sister of the bride all of Clifton.

Ralph Wolf, Rodeo impresario of Waco, was here, evidently looking over the situation in the interest of the Baylor University Rodeo which is held at the Municipal stadium in Waco each year.

Church Services

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
S. W. Hutton, Pastor

Sunday, July 4, the pastor of the First Christian Church, Gatesville will preach at 11:00 A. M. on "Let Bells of Freedom Ring!" At 10:00 A. M. the Bible School will meet as usual. An open hand of cordial welcome awaits soldier and civilian and all who will come.

**LATHAM SPRINGS
BAPTIST ENCAMPMENT
BEGINS JULY 13**

The Latham Springs Baptist Encampment will be held again this year at Latham Springs in Hill county, on July 13-21 with a complete program scheduled for all who attend.

Pastor for this year's encampment will be Rev. Tilson F. Maynard of Emmanuel Baptist church in Waco. Dr. H. H. Hargrove of the Columbus Ave. Church, Waco, will direct the regular Bible study, and Mr. Howard Saunders of Waco will have charge of swimming and athletics. Directed recreation will be in charge of Rev. William Jones, Coolidge. Song services will be led by Paul McCowan, Baylor graduate in the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, Ky.

Other speakers will be, Dr. C. D. Johnson, Rev. Lacy Keele, Dr. R. S. Jones, Dr. J. M. Dawson, Dr. R. M. McConnell, Mr. Lawrence Payne, Dr. R. A. Springer, and Rev. Jacob Gartenhouse.

Missionary speakers and their subjects are N. S. Blair, Argentina E. O. Mills, Japan; C. L. Culpepper, China; Mrs. J. W. Moore, China; Mrs. Eugene Sallee, China; and Rev. and Mrs. Harley Smith, Brazil. Two Baylor students, Reiji Hoshizaki and Mae Ng, will also speak.

Pastors in the district conducting vesper services during the encampment will be Rev. John Scott, Teague; A. P. Hamrick, Rosebud; W. O. Wright, Marlin; Lawrence Hayes, Gatesville; Roy Smith, Brook Ave., Waco; Robert L. Dobson, Mexia; E. Milford Howell, Meridian; Steve Philpot, Spring St. Waco; and M. O. Cheek district missionary, Waco.

**SUNDAY AFTERNOON
SINGING AT KEENER CHAPEL**

There will be a community singing beginning at 2:30 Sunday afternoon, July 4, at Keener Chapel on Highland Addition.

Everyone is invited and bring your song books.

METHODIST CHURCH
Corner Main St. & Lutterloh Ave.
E. L. Craig, Pastor

Sunday School at 9:45. Morning worship at 10:50 A. M. Evening Worship at 8:30 P. M. Prayer Meeting at 8:30 P. M. Wednesday.

Hear the pastor Sunday morning on the subject "The Need For Statesmanship". And participate in the Communion Service that is open for all who wish to have a part. Then hear the message Sunday evening on the subject of "Christ's Prayer For Men." These messages will challenge you in these days and will help you for the week that is coming. The public is cordially invited, and a special invitation goes to all strangers and Service Men and their families. You are welcome at the Methodist Church always.

The Methodist Church Nursery will be open during the morning Worship hour each Sunday for the entertainment of infants and small children of parents who want to attend the morning service at the church. Tell your friends.

Lt. Robert L. Haines will be Soloist Sunday morning.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Gaines B. Hall, Pastor

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Personals

Cpl. and Mrs. Glenn Gillen left Wednesday for Concorda, Kansas on a furlough.

K. A. Bennett of Stephenville is substituting at Perry Bros. while Mr. Howard Franks is on his va-

cation. Mr. Bennett's wife, baby and mother have been visiting here.

Sgt. James Osburn who has been in North Africa is here visiting his parents.

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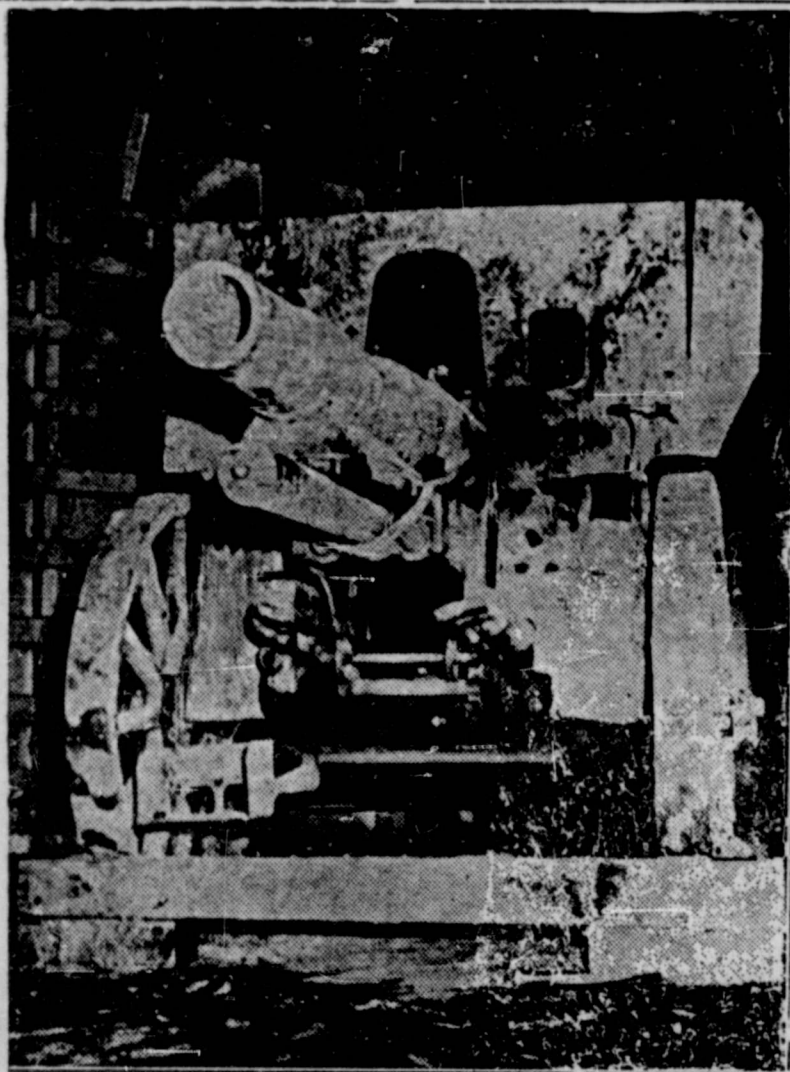
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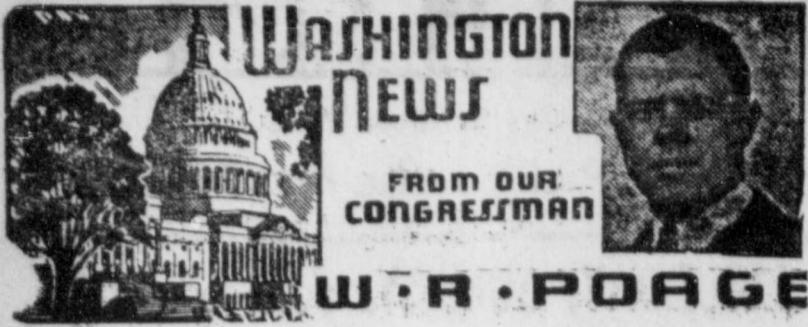


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For Freedom's Sake



June 25, 1943

Dear Friends:

By the time you read this you will have heard all of the various comment that is sure to follow today's history-making session. I have just left the Floor where less than ten minutes ago the House, by a vote of 244 to 108, over-rode the President's veto of the Connally-Smith Bill. The prompt action this afternoon was in such sharp contrast to the snail's-pace consideration that labor legislation has received for the past two years that it has left everyone a little dazed. The President's veto was not entirely unexpected although even as late as this morning some of his ardent supporters were freely predicting that he would sign the bill. I had felt that the President's statement on yesterday to the effect that he wanted power to draft men from 45 to 65 indicated that he was preparing to veto the bill. The House was considering the Commodity Credit Authorization Bill when at 3:30 P. M. we heard a rumor that the President had ve-

toed the Connally Bill. In a few minutes the word went around that the Senate had over-riden the veto by a vote of 55 to 26. Still no message had reached the House. Under the procedure a veto message is first sent to the House in which the vetoed bill originated. While this bill contained a great deal of subject matter written in by the House, it was originally a Senate Bill. Even though the two Houses have been doing their best to complete action on all the appropriation bills before July 1st, the beginning of the new fiscal year, a number of Members from New York, Philadelphia, and other cities were home for the weekend (Many of these big city Members go home every week regardless of the work of the House.) Most of these Members belong to the group that does not want any control of Mr. Lewis or any other labor leader or organization. Other members from these cities immediately began to kill time—to demand roll calls on unimportant questions and to try to adjourn the House. We had sufficient

votes to overcome all such tactics and to hastily pass the pending bill for the support of the Commodity Credit Corporation with a stiff amendment prohibiting the use of any of that money for the payment of subsidies.

As soon as this was out of the way, the roll was called on the question of passing the Connally-Smith Bill notwithstanding the President's veto. The Constitution requires a two-thirds vote in each House. It is always extremely difficult to get a two to one majority for any controversial matter, and it is doubly difficult to get it when such a vote is against the President. The fact that both Houses acted with such dispatch and with such overwhelming majorities is evidence that at long last the Congress of the United States has shown the courage to act in the interest of all the people regardless of the threat of all the big union leaders who have almost unanimously promised to defeat any Member who would vote to make the unions and their leaders responsible for their acts. It is true that it took three coal strikes and the irreparable loss of millions of tons of needed coal and hundreds of thousands of tons of vital steel before we could get enough Congressmen to vote their own convictions rather than to blindly follow the President. But today all the world knows that neither the American people nor the American Congress will indefinitely submit to the disloyal black mail of John L. Lewis.

I was deeply disappointed at the President's attitude. Just as two and three years ago, I pointed out the danger of attempting to appease our foreign foes, so am I convinced today that it is worse than folly to try to appease John L. Lewis or any other man who is willing to sabotage the war effort of America. My objection to the Connally-Smith Bill is that it doesn't go far enough. It is, based on the sound principle that no man has any right to slow our country's war effort. I believe that the "work or fight" principle mentioned by the President is perfectly sound, and is worthy of general application in time of war, but surely that principle applies to every able bodied man who is enjoying the benefits of American citizenship and should not be advocated simply as a substitute for frank labor legislation. If he is in the Army and won't fight, we have rules for dealing with him. The Connally-Smith Bill provides some of the needed rule. I voted for the Bill notwithstanding the President's veto.

Yours for Victory,
W. R. Poage.

Misses Mary Brain and Margaret Ellen Stanley of Dallas are visiting Miss Harriett Robinson.

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Purmela News

Mrs. W. S. Farris, cors

Cpl. John R. Baskin of Harvard Air Base, Nebraska is spending a furlough with his sister, Miss Mary Baskin and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Spencer announce the birth of a daughter, Alta Fadene, June 25.

Mrs. Austin Bertrand was in the Temple Hospital Thursday for a tooth extraction.

Miss Geneva Adams is visiting her sister in Los Angeles, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Farris and Joe visited Miss Ina Farris in Austin.

Miss Lorene Bundrant is visiting relatives in Lubbock.

Gaines Morgan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Morgan went to Dallas Monday for his final examination for induction in the army.

Mrs. Homer Laxson went to San Angelo Saturday to spend the week end with her son, Aviation Cadet Billy Laxson.

Mrs. Leonard Morgan went to San Antonio to see her husband Pvt. Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Adams and daughter of Lubbock are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Quincy Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Comer are visiting their son in Hereford.

Will Laxson, age 70, passed away Monday after a long illness. He leaves his wife, and two sons by a former marriage, Travis Laxson, U. S. Navy and Berkley Laxson, Dallas.

Turnersville

Mrs. Emma Jones, Cors.

Snoot McDonald and son of El Campo were recent visitors in the McDonald home.

Bill Short is visiting homefolks. Zell Pruitt of New Mexico is visiting home-folks.

Miss Alice Fay Dollins returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Dayling and children of Cross Plains are visiting in the ohnson home.

Wilson McCoy and wife of Houston were Sunday visitors in the McCoy home.

Lester Smith and family of Meridian were recent visitors in the McCoy home.

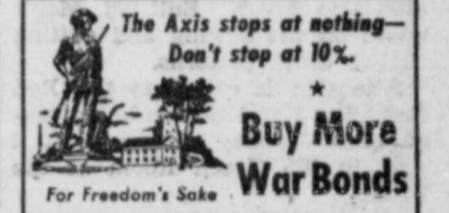
J. W. Hardie and wife and Mrs. Julius Smith were Waco shoppers Monday.

Mrs. Gene Smoot is visiting in Houston.

Mrs. Earl Adams of Clifton was a Tuesday visitor here.

Arthur Blankenship and family were Gatesville visitors Sunday.

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Jack Tobin and the Kid are touring the country exhibiting a Geek, or fake wild man.

When the Kid started his career as a "Canny", he was warned by an old timer as to the kind of life he would lead, and the types of people he would meet. So far, everything that the oldtimer told him has come true, but it is too late to turn back, the Kid is dyed in the wool Carny.

He has learned that all that glitters isn't gold, that many a dummy is dressed in a good suit, and that many a soft heart beats under a rough exterior.

We now find Jack and the Kid still exhibiting Hilda, world's strangest creature alive.

CHAPTER EIGHTEEN

The trip south was a long one and the Kid had quite a few long talks with John the Geek, and found out some surprising things about him. John had been a hobo most of his life and had hobo'd in every state in the Union, and every year prior to this one had gone up to Alaska to can fish. He'd picked apples in Washington, and oranges in California and Florida. He'd traveled plenty and didn't have a dime to show for all of it.

The Kid began to wonder if after all staying in one place wasn't the best policy, why there were fellows who had never been out of their home state who had plenty, and here was John and himself and he could name hundreds of others, who had traveled plenty and didn't have a dime. A rolling stone gathers no moss.

One nite they pulled into a little town in Arkansas and as it was raining they set their cots up in the band stand, that either is in the park or in the middle of most of the small towns, this particular one was right in the middle of the town and upon awaking the next morning, they were surprised to see that a large crowd of natives had gathered and

were standing staring at their cots. The Kid woke up Jack and the Geek and all three hastily packed their bedding and were gone from there. It's a lucky thing they slept with their clothes on.

State after state was covered and each nite brought them closer to the South until finally they arrived and pulled into a Southern Fair grounds. A few of the show people here were old friends, but there were a lot of new faces.

Here the Kid had his first meeting with what is called a suitcase promoter. That's a fellow who owns nothing, but a suitcase and advertises for show people to come on, he books with a local committee to put on a celebration and if he's honest everything goes off all right, but if he's not honest, he promises the local committee the impossible things he knows are impossible, collects as much money as he can, pays as few as he can, and takes his suitcase and silently steals away in the night. The Kid later met one suitcase promoter who hitch hiked around the country to book his promotion.

Well this particular so-called "fair" was one of these promotions and the going here was plenty tough.

Talking to the fellow sitting around the big fire that had been built from posts of the fair grounds fence, and any other wood that could be attained without too much effort, the Kid was particularly impressed by one fellow who had the guess your weight concession on one of the big shows the season just past.

"Yep, I made plenty of money last summer and spent it, but next summer I'm going to work hard and not drink a drop, I'm going to save every penny, next fall ain't going to catch me broke like this one has. Say Kid help me find some bottles, I know a bootlegger who'll give us a pint if we give him a dozen bottles." Yes, next season would sure be different, thought the Kid, next fall wouldn't catch this guy broke, not much.

Another of the fellows was wondering what the Salvation Army was going to have to eat the next day; and still another was wondering if he could make a big town the following day so he could sleep in the jail that night.

At the end of that fair the time came to settle up with the committee and the promoter didn't have any money to settle up with. They couldn't hold the independent shows, so Jack and the Kid got the Hilda Alive off the ground but for the most part the concessions and rides were left setting on the lot and the Kid remembered the words of the old Geek: "No home, no money, sometimes not enough to eat." Yes the Kid had a home to go to and was at present getting enough to eat but hadn't that old fellow also said: "I had a home too, once Kid, but now I haven't, go home now while you still have one."

Was the Kid beginning to weaken, maybe yes and maybe no. The last the Kid saw of the suitcase promoter he was boasting to a companion, "I have a good spot booked for next week and I'll have a bigger show there than I had here."

But all the spots weren't as bad as that one, and Jack and the Kid really ran into some good ones. Fairs that opened at nine o'clock in the morning when the school busses started bringing in the people from the outlying districts until late at night.

This thought the Kid was something like it, here a fellow could at least make a few dollars and maybe they'd hit that one big one that they'd waited so long to hit. Maybe it was just like the gamblers always say, one good one makes up for a lot of bad ones.

It was at one of these Southern Fairs that John decided that there

wasn't much future in playing the part of Hilda and decided to quit, but contrary to any other Geek the Kid had ever met, this one gave Jack a week's notice.

It was cold and as John kept complaining about his feet getting cold, Jack told him to leave his shoes on, big heavy work shoes they were, and a fair sized crowd was looking at the Geek and probably thinking as many people in the past had said, that the wrong fellow was in the pit, either Jack or the Kid should have been in it, and the Geek should be selling the tickets.

The Kid was "lecturing" putting his heart and soul in his talk, in fact he'd told the same story so many times that if he didn't stop and think twice, he really believed the story himself. Yes a Geek show will "get you that way" if you're not crazy when you start, it don't take long. Well as I said before he was telling how and where "she" was found, when some boy in the crowd said: "Mister, I don't believe that; look at her feet, why if she's wild, why is she wearing shoes?" But the Kid was equal to the occasion, he merely looked at the boy who'd spoken and said: "Son you look at her, why should I? You paid to see her and I didn't and besides I've been looking at her for about eight months now and frankly it isn't a very pleasant sight to me anymore. Please don't interrupt me anymore, if you were talking, I'd be too polite to interrupt you, so please show me the same courtesy."

"When the doctor first brought her here he placed her on a diet of cooked food, but she wouldn't

taste a single morsel of cooked food, lost twenty-six pounds of weight, lost her health and I really believe would have lost her life if the doctor would not have used good judgement and placed her back on her natural diet of food eaten raw. If anyone would care to ask any questions, before I feed her, I'll be only too glad to do my best to answer them."

The Kid had an answer for everything that happened on that Geek show and could make a Geek show opening second only to Jack Tobin.

That nite during the fireworks a few of the natives saw a rare sight indeed. Hilda wanted to see the fireworks so Jack told him to come on out and see them. Immediately after the fireworks, back in the pit went Hilda screaming for raw meat, just as wild as ever.

Yes, Jack and the Kid had the nerve, they needed it to do the things they did.

Union News

Vadena Hagan, Cors.

Mrs. Merion Carroll honored her father, Henry McDonald of Waco, with a birthday dinner Sunday. Those that attended were two sisters and families of Waco, a sister of San Angelo and a brother and family of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Patterson visited in the Merion Carroll home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Fowler visited in the Jim Estes and Grandmother Carroll home Sunday. Grandmother returned home with

them for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Hurbert Dyson and little son visited in the Jim Estes home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Buch Bratton and children visited in the John Hegan home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunk Eakin visited in the Sam Box home Sunday afternoon.

Otha and Johnnie Eastes visited in the Dunk Eakin home Thursday night.

Aleen Estes has returned to Gatesville to work for Mrs. Dewy Nolte, who is ill.

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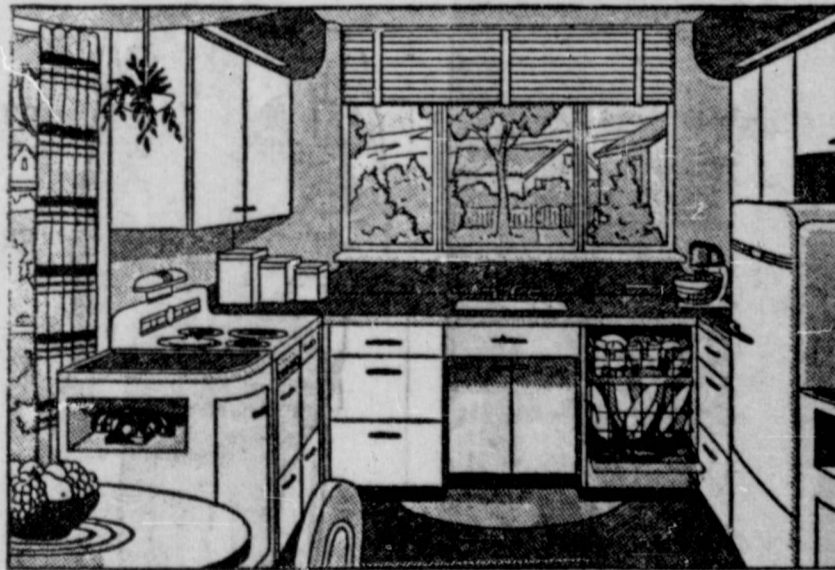
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NEWS OF OUR MEN and WOMEN IN UNIFORM

Pvt. Pat N. Hollingsworth has been transferred from Indiantown Gap, Pa. to Oakland, Calif. For the past four weeks he has been in the hospital, but is improving now.

A-C Truman W. McCorkle, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. McCorkle, of Ames, has completed his pre-flight training in Santa Anna, Calif. He has been transferred to Phoenix, Ariz. for primary training.

Douglas Pollard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pollard, left yesterday for the Marine Corps.

Pvt. Sammy Jack Horne of the Signal Corp in Athens, Ga. is graduating July 10th.

Here's a letter from Pvt. Billy Robinson, c/o P. M. New York, N. Y.

"Dear Editor:

I'm sorry to have to bother you again, but my address has changed once more and I surely want my paper for I feel lost now if I don't get to read the news from home every week. I am somewhere in North Africa and I'm feeling just fine, but would really like to see all my folks and friends at home for it has been a year since I was at home. Well, I must get to work, so I'll sign off for this time. Thanks a lot.

Sincerely, Billy Robinson.

Here's a letter from "Jim", believe it was Adams, as the party who brought in the letter didn't tell us his last name, but anyway, it's interesting reading. Oh yes, it was from J. M. Adams of Levita, who is with an Engineers Battalion in North Africa.

The letter is written to Mrs. Adams.

"Well folks, I guess you guys are wondering how I am and if I am. As the censors have let up a little, I will try to give you a brief outline of where I have been and what I have been doing.

First, I sailed from Staten Island, New York, to Belfast, Ireland, and then Scotland. Then from Scotland to Algiers, North

Africa. We were hit by a torpedo on this journey and that isn't so funny. From Algiers, we moved to Tebessa into what we called "Mud Hill". We then moved to "Cactus City". We were working roads and picking up mines. Our first major battle was in "El Geutar". That is where we met up with the "Jerries" famous 88's. Our Bivouac area there was called "Stuckie Valley" and "88 Junction". Everything in quotes are nicknames of our bivouac areas. From El Geutar we followed on thru to Bizerte.

The most startling thing I saw an Aermotor windmill. It was in the little town of Sed Janane. When I saw this mill it made me feel at home. I wanted to jump off the truck and climb the mill. If it had said "Sold by Pat Potts" I guess I would have fainted.

In El Geutar I ran into some abandoned German clothing. In this clothing I found a razor and about 35 blades. I would brag to the boys about my German razor. After shaving 3 times with it, I noticed some writing. "Gillette, Made in USA. However the blades were German made.

I could tell stories all day, but at least you know I am O.K.

Love, Jim.

First Class Seaman Elmer Sparks a veteran of the Coral Sea and Guadalcanal battles was in Gatesville recently visiting with his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Sparks. 1-c Sparks is an aviation machinist, and airplanes he worked on brought much of the destruction of enemy installations in these two battles. He was on the aircraft carrier USS Enterprise, and has now returned to the west coast where he will be attached to another ship, which we are not at liberty to identify.

Here's a letter from Pvt. Robert B. Williams, QMRTC, Bid. T-226, Co. K, 1st Reg., Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyoming.

He says: "Dear Mat: How is everything going in dear "ole" Gatesville? Here is another Gates-

ville boy writing from the "God Forsaken Land of Wyoming". The weather here for the past week is something like Texas. Has been pretty warm. A little too warm for these OD uniforms. There are two more Gatesville boys here, Ray Hollingsworth and Edwin Bales. We have completed our basic training and are now going to school. We are hoping to get a furlough soon. Boy, will I be glad to see Gatesville again.

My wife sends me ever copy of the News. Sure is good to read that good old Coryell County News and I read about people I know.

Well, I will close for this time. Hoping to see you all soon."

PECAN GROVE ANNUAL CAMP MEETING BEGINS THIS EVENING (FRIDAY)

The annual camp meeting at Pecan Grove begins Friday evening, July 2, announces Rev. Bob Morrill, Pastor Pecan Grove Baptist Church.

Rev. Lawrence Hayes of Gatesville will do the preaching during the 8 days with services morning and evening. The local pastor will direct the music.

Final preparations were made this week as to physical equipment. The tabernacle was repaired and a number of new seats were added to those already on hand. Alex Davidson, old timer in the community, predicted Monday that more campers would be on hand this time than in several years.

Youth Encampment

Monday morning of next week they will gather at Pecan Grove and run four days in connection with the camp meeting the associational Young People's Encampment directed by Mrs. Hugo Haase and Mrs. Vernon Ray.

Most of the 24 churches of the Leon River association will be represented by a group of Young people together with a sponsor for the group.

Miss Juliette Mather, Southwide Young People's leader from Birmingham, Ala., Mrs. R. S. Mathis, State leader from Dallas, Miss Blanche Groves, Missionary from China, and Dr. R. S. Jones of the Foreign Mission Board, Richmond Va. will be the inspirational speakers. Mission books will be taught for each of the age groups. The foods committee plans to feed 200 each meal for the four days.

Chief Petty Officer Ray Scruggs is visiting here from the Aleutian Islands and points in Alaska. He was formerly with the SCSS here, and is now with the Seabees.

Personals

Miss Gene Stinnett left Sunday for Boulder, Colo. to attend the University of Colorado.

Pvt. Dan Hollingsworth of the U. S. Army Air Corp, is here visiting his mother, Mrs. W. W. Hollingsworth, and friends.

Sgt. and Mrs. Millard Gillmore of Brownwood, spent the weekend with Mrs. Gillmore's parents. They were accompanied home by Miss Willia Dean Henry of Mosheim, for a short visit.

Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Richards were: Sgt. and Mrs. Millard Gillmore of Broodwood, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Henry, Willia Dean and Nellie Ann of Mosheim.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Powell of Winslow, Ariz. returned today after visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Powell and Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Goff. They were accompanied home by her mother, Mrs. S. A. Goff.

Miss Norma Joy Pollard, student of John Tarleton, and Billy Jack Pollard, student of A & M, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pollard.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Page and Mrs. J. L. Frazier of Houston and Tom Conally Hollingsworth of Waco have been visiting their mother.

Mrs. J. F. Mitchell of Sour Lake and Mrs. T. L. Williamson of Humble and Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Williamson of Dallas spent the week-end with Mrs. Jack Horne and Aunt, Annie Tucker.

Pearl News

Nada Pearl Moore, cors.

Mrs. J. A. Carswell and sons spent Sunday night and Monday with her parents of Goldthwaite. Misses Mae Jean Fleming and Dene Freeman visited friends in McGregor last week.

Thos visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Moore and sons Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Travis Manning and sons, Mrs. O. Z. Ballard, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lock and Judith, and Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Keeton. Mr. and Mrs. Les Hamilton and girls of Hamilton spent Sunday in the W. A. Bynum home.

Mrs. Leo N. Fetner is visiting her husband, Cadet Leo N. Fetner who is stationed in Wichita Falls.

Miss Isla Clay of Port Arthur spent Saturday night with Nada Pearl Moore.

Mrs. Leo Brown received a cablegram from Cpl. Leo Merle Brown who is with the famed 9th division in North Africa.

J. A. Carswell Jr., is spending this week with his grandparents, of Goldthwaite.

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