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## HASKELL COUNTY OVERSUBSCRIBES QUOTA IN SEVENTH WAR LOAN

### 17-Year-Old Boy Killed When Car Overturns Saturday Night

Dale (Buddy) Merchant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray D. Merchant who live several miles west of Haskell, was killed Saturday night at 11 o'clock when the car he was driving went out of control and overturned several times after striking the highway about one-half mile west of the Haskell county seat.

The 17-year-old driver suffered a fracture and spine injury which caused almost instant death in addition to other injuries. Ammons, his companion, suffered a severe fracture of the jaw and bruises on his head and body, but was not fatally injured. Both victims were removed from the accident scene to Haskell hospital in an ambulance with Holden funeral home in charge of arrangements.

Funeral services for young Merchant were held Tuesday afternoon at 6 o'clock in the First Baptist church in this city with Pastor, Rev. H. R. Whitley officiating. Interment was in the cemetery with Holden funeral home in charge of arrangements.

Survivors are his mother, Mrs. R. D. Merchant, two brothers, Pvt. Merchant, somewhere in the Pacific; Cleo Merchant, of Haskell, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Zahn Sr., Haskell.

### Nelson Again Proprietor of the Coffee Shop

Kelsey M. Nelson, wounded veteran and former proprietor of the Tonkawa Coffee Shop, has announced that he will resume management of the shop full time to the business as of his discharge from the service. Nelson entered the Army in 1943, and went overseas in the summer of 1944. He was wounded December 1944, during the German breakthrough.

### A. McDonald Returns to Hawaiian Islands

Arthur McDonald received last week that her husband, Arthur McDonald had arrived in Hawaii and is somewhere on the islands. McDonald is in the service two and a half years. His wife and little daughter are making their home in Haskell while he is overseas. McDonald is employed at the Bros. Store in this city.

### Highway Department Wants Double Parking Stopped



PFC. OVERBY

### Pfc. Paul Overby Awarded Silver Star

Private First Class Paul Overby of Company B, 58th Armored Infantry Battalion, recently was awarded the Silver Star Medal for gallantry in action against the enemy in Germany on March 30, 1945.

Pfc. Overby arrived home Sunday on a 30-day furlough to visit his wife and daughter, who are making their home in Stamford, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Overby. He was returned from a hospital in California for treatment of a wound in his arm.

### Haskell Woman Faces Charges At Odessa

Wanted by officers at Odessa, Texas, on a complaint charging theft, a young Haskell woman was arrested Sunday by City Marshal Harvey Ivey and held for officers from that city. The young woman had been working in Odessa recently and had returned to Haskell only a few days ago, officers said.

### Two Haskell Men Enter Merchant Marine

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### STILL A HEADACHE FOR CITY OFFICIALS

Haskell's persistent civic headache, the double parking problem, has bobbed up again to plague the City Council and traffic enforcement officials.

Latest development came this week in a letter to Mayor John A. Couch from District Engineer Treadaway of the Texas Highway Department, Abilene, which contained a request that the City Ordinance against "double parking" be enforced in Haskell, especially on the North and West sides of the square, traversed by two State highways.

Engineer Treadaway called attention to the fact that the Highway Department had agreed to maintain the two highways thru the City if necessary ordinances were enforced to regulate traffic.

### STORES TO CLOSE ON JULY 4

Wednesday July 4th will be observed as a business holiday in Haskell, with practically all business concerns in the city closing for the entire day. It was announced last week following a canvass made by the Chamber of Commerce.

### Election Ordered On Raising Tax Levy

An election has been ordered for Saturday July 28th in the Haskell Independent School District for the purpose of submitting to voters a proposal to increase the School Tax levy in the District from \$1.00 to \$1.50 for the years of 1945 and 1946.

### Cpl. Hugh Watson Returns To San Diego

Cpl. and Mrs. Hugh Watson left Saturday for San Diego, Calif., after pending 30 days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Watson of Haskell. Cpl. Watson will report at the Marine base in San Diego for reassignment, after having served the last two years and two months on the battleship U. S. S. Nevada, which has participated in six major engagements in the Atlantic and Pacific.

### That Negro Was a "Going Jesse" For A While, But It Cost Him Plenty

Hurlin Laud, a negro who was working in the Tonkawa Coffee Shop, let him elf get out of hand late Thursday night and as a result he found himself in trouble with the law.



Staff Sergeant Glydol V. Lewis of O'Brien is shown in the above photo as Maj. Gen. Lowell W. Rooks, left, pins the Silver Star Medal on him. S-Sgt. Lewis is with the 90th Infantry Division in Germany. — (U. S. Army Signal Corps Photo.)

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### SGT. R. C. POOL

Sgt. R. C. Pool, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Pool of Rule, who has been overseas 32 months in the European theater of war, writes his parents that he is taking things fairly easy now that the war in Europe has ended.

### Four Softball Games Friday

Softball fans will have the opportunity of seeing two of the fastest games of the season Friday night on Indian Field, with play scheduled to begin at 8:30 o'clock.

### Sgt. Medford Given Discharge Under Point System

Sgt. Alvin Medford, who served with the 36th Division in Italy and North Africa has been honorably discharged under the point system. He is now making his home in Haskell with his wife and daughter, and is engaged in partnership trucking business with his father, H. E. Medford.

### ATTEND FUNERAL OF LIEUT. IRWIN

Among out-of-town relatives and friends attending the funeral of Lt. Elmer Irwin Jr. in this city Thursday of last week were Aviation Student Billy Kemp and Mrs. Kemp of Enid, Okla., Mrs. Perry Parker and Mrs. John Dobbs of Wirbita Falls, Elmer Irwin Sr., of Corpus Christi, Mr. and Mrs. Raul English of Spur, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Richards of Overton, Texas, Edd Watts of Arp, Texas, John L. Pope of Overton, Miss Martell Clifton, San Antonio; Mrs. Bud Humphreys, Seymour; Lieut. T. H. Masterson, Jackson, Miss, Army Air Base.

### WAR BOND BULL TO BE GIVEN AWAY JULY 10

Haskell county's "War Bond Bull" a registered Hereford donated by Brown & Davis Ranch to be given some War Bond purchaser when the county's quota in the Seventh War Loan was reached, will be given away in this city Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, county war finance chairman R. C. Couch has announced.

Numbered tickets were given with each \$25 in War Bonds purchased during the drive, and the bull will be given away in the following manner:

Ticket stub must be present to match the ticket drawn to prove ownership. If the stub is not present another ticket will be drawn and so on until the bull is given away.

At ten minutes will be given between drawings. When the bull is given away the crowd is a kept to remain because the party drawing him may want to sell him at once and if so the auction will be held while the crowd is gathered.

Dennis P. Radliff will be master of ceremonies and T. R. Odell will introduce the donors of the registered animal. N. L. B. Davis and R. A. Brown of Throckmorton.

Judges of the drawing will be Fritz Stagemoeller of Sagerton, Jack Mills of Rule, Felix Mullino of Rochester, Bunyan Cooner of Sam Reed of O'Brien, Earnest Griffith of Weibert and J. M. Crawford of Haskell.

### Good Attendance At TSG Meet Tuesday

An increase in attendance of enlisted men was evident at the regular meeting and drill period for Co. A, Texas State Guard, Tuesday night at the Armory on the fairgrounds, when officers and men were shown two training films, last of a series of six provided through special arrangement with Camp Wolters Army officials.

Proceeding showing of the films, a detail in charge of S-Sgt. George Neely gave a demonstration on conduct of the firing squad at a military funeral.

Films shown during the evening dealt with motorized patrol and military courtesy, two phases of training which have been stressed this year.

Special guests at the Guard meetings were Flight Officer Virgil Reynolds, hospitalized veteran from the CBI theater of war, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Reynolds and grandsons, who remained to see the films.

### Film of Iwo Jima Battle Will Be Shown Here

Two cameramen were killed, one is missing and 12 were wounded in filming To the Shores of Iwo Jima, a two-reel technician short of the toughest battle of the Pacific, which will be shown at the Texas Theater Tuesday and Wednesday, July 3 and 4.

In all 106 combat cameramen were used in filming the scenes, each of the cameramen were so placed that every square yard of the action on Iwo Jima was covered.

The result was 300,000 feet of film which has been condensed into two reels of dynamic impact. It shows, without punch-pulling, how 4,000 U. S. Marines died to make a tiny eight-square mile island into a U. S. bastion.

Unforgettable color shots are night scenes of exploding American ammunition dumps, and flame throwers in action. Not the least inspiring part of the picture is the narration. Example: "They chased us off five times — we came back six."

### TWO MEN PLACED IN 1A

Two Haskell county registrants were placed in Class 1-A, three were placed in deferred classes and three men were listed as having been discharged, at the last meeting of the Draft Board.

Changed from 2-A to 1-A were J. C. McNelly and John H. Morgan.

From 1-A to 2-A—Robert L. Young.

From 4-F to 2-A(F) — Loyd Thomas.

Discharged—John T. McAda, Dee R. Holcombe Jr., James H. Reynolds.

Sixteen Haskell county men were in the most recent group to be inducted. Eight of this group were 18-year-old registrants, the remainder ranging in age up to 29, with two married men included in the group.

Those inducted were Fred Kuppatt, C. L. Storrs, J. W. Greenwood, Mark F. Emerson, Albert W. Barnett Jr., Claud E. Blackwell, K. D. Fought, Floyd D. Emerson, Edwin T. Jeter, William R. Greenwood, Billy R. Boyd, Ray W. Webb, Olen B. King, Hubert L. Riggs Jr., Vernon L. Johnston, R. L. Cox Jr.

### Milton Wilfong In Army Occupying Germany

With the 14th Armored Division, Third Army, Germany—Now serving in the occupation of Germany with the 14th Armored Division's 68th Armored Infantry Battalion, is Milton F. Wilfong of Haskell, Texas.

Wearer of the ETO Ribbon with 2 battle stars, Wilfong entered the Army in October 1942 and came overseas in October 1944.

He participated in the Vosges Mountain Campaign, the liberation of Alsace, the breaching of the Siegfried Line, and the final overrunning of Germany.

Wilfong is a graduate of Haskell High School and attended Texas A & M before entering the service.

### Cpl. Mahlon Boggs Back In States From P. I.

Cpl. Mahlon Boggs, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Boggs of this city, notified his parents in a telegram Monday that he had arrived in San Francisco and was going to Letterman Army Hospital in that city. Cpl. Boggs had been in the Philippine Islands for the past 11 months, where he served with a Signal Corps unit of the Army.

Before entering the service, Cpl. Boggs was engaged in the furniture business in Monday, and his wife and their two children are making their home in that city.

### Keeping intact Haskell county's record in meeting every goal in War Bond subscriptions during World War II, the county's quota in the Seventh War Loan has been met and oversubscribed, County War Finance Chairman R. C. Couch announced Monday after he had received and tabulated reports of Bond sales throughout the county for the preceding week.

First community in the county to meet its quota was Weibert, the county chairman said, with O'Brien close second. Both communities had the same quota and residents of the two small towns evidenced spirited interest in meeting the War Loan goals assigned their sections, Couch declared.

An added incentive for War Bond buyers was the fact that the Brown & Davis ranch had donated a registered Hereford bull to be given some Bond buyer of Haskell county when the county's quota was raised, and Mr. Couch expressed his thanks to Messrs. Brown and Davis for their contribution to the drive. "We want them to be our special guests when the registered animal is given away at the drawing," Mr. Couch said. Date for the drawing will be announced next week, the war finance chairman said.

Believing that Haskell county people will be interested in knowing the outside assistance given during the Seventh War Loan, Mr. Couch listed the following Bond purchases by non-resident companies and individuals:

The largest single purchaser was the Shell Pipe Line Corporation of Houston in the amount of \$12,000. They bought bonds in each of 105 counties or parishes where they had either property or representation. They have approximately 1350 employees, who since the beginning of the war have bought more than \$1,750,000 worth of Bonds through the payroll allotment plan and through direct purchases, and in addition to this have made other purchases through the organized bond drives. The Company is unusually proud

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### Canning Sugar Cut To 5 Pounds Per Person

The allowance of canning sugar has been cut to 5 pounds per person, and even under that meager allowance there will not be enough sugar available for every person in the county to receive that quantity during the month of July, the War Price and Rationing Board announced this week.

Haskell county has been allowed a quota of 10,000 pounds of sugar for the month of July, and already more than 1,000 applications have been filed with the Rationing Board, it was pointed out. Applications made by the average family include the allotment for four persons, so it can readily be seen that the July quota will be far short of requirements.

Procedure to be followed by the Rationing Board under these circumstances will be to issue allotments in the order the applications are received, and no person will be allowed more than 5 pounds of canning sugar.

Board members have made repeated efforts to have Haskell county's quota raised, but without success.

### Mrs. T. P. Huff Dies At Home In Earth, Tex.

Mrs. T. P. Huff, who with her husband and family made their home here for a number of years before moving to Earth, Texas, 6 years ago, died Wednesday night at her home in that city. She was 56 and had been in failing health for some time. Mrs. Huff was a sister of C. W. Bledsoe and Mrs. Carroll Thompson of Haskell.

Funeral arrangements for Mrs. Huff have not been announced.

In addition to her husband, Lois Huff, U. S. Army; Marvin Huff, in the Navy somewhere in the Pacific; Ralph Huff of San Francisco, Calif.; and three daughters, Bernice Huff and Mrs. Lorene Wheatley of Earth, Texas; and Mrs. Paul LeClaire, Lubbock.

### GOES TO BEDSIDE OF DAUGHTER

Mrs. R. L. Lemmon left Monday afternoon for Moody, Texas, to be at the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. Horace Payne, who was reported seriously ill at her home in that city.

### Sidelights From Washington

BY GEORGE MAHON

The President last week, prior to leaving for the Pacific coast by plane, made a recommendation to Congress that the law be changed so as to provide that in the event of his death or inability to act, the Speaker of the House should succeed him as President. Under existing law, the Secretary of State would be next in line. President Truman explained that this made it possible for him to name his successor, the Secretary of State being an appointee of the president. The Speaker is an elected official. He is first elected by his Congressional District and later by the representatives of the people as Speaker.

The President's recommendation was apparently prompted by the fact that in the near future he plans to make many trips by plane, somewhat hazardous in nature, including a flight over the Atlantic to the Big Three Conference. The Presidential plane is a four engine C-54. We have many of them in the Air Transport Command. In fact, every thirteen minutes of the day, a C-54 takes off on a hop across the Atlantic. Only two of them have ever been lost on the Atlantic flight. The British by mistake shot one down in the vicinity of the Azores. Another one disappeared with sixteen litter patients aboard, and no trace has ever been found of the plane or passengers. The ATC planes fly on schedule

in fair weather or foul, but the Presidential plane would only fly in good weather, thus, fortunately, reducing the hazards to the very lowest minimum.

The C-54's of the Air Transport Command will have a big part in flying home from Europe 50,000 soldiers per month. Loved ones of the men can be thankful that the trips will not only be speedy but also relatively safe.

Bringing 50,000 men home by plane from Europe per month will require a half million barrels of gasoline. The big planes require an average of one gallon per mile.

Our men who return home by boat will cross the Atlantic in five days if they are luck enough to be aboard the Queen Mary or the Queen Elizabeth. But the Victory Cargo ships which are being converted into troop carriers will make only fifteen knots and will require fourteen days.

The shifting of the war in Europe to the all-out effort in the Pacific will not only tax to the limit our transcontinental railroads, but will also gibe the Panama Canal its biggest war job. It has a talk not long ago with Gen. Joseph Mchaffey, Governor of the Canal Zone, and he said he was ready for the task.

### Ration Calendar

**MEATS, FATS, ETC.** — Book four red stamps E2 through J2 good through June 30; K2 through P2 good through July 31; Q2 through U2 good through Aug. 31; V2 through Z2 good through Sept. 30.

**PROCESSED FOODS** — Book four blue stamps N2 through S2 good through June 30; T2 through X2 good through July 31; Y2, Z2 and A1 through C1 good through Aug. 31; D7 through H1 good through Sept. 30.

**SUGAR**—Book four stamp 36 good for five pounds through Aug. 31. Next stamp valid Sept. 1.

**SHOES**—Book three airplane stamps 1, 2 and 3 good indefinitely. OPA says no plans to cancel any. Next stamp valid Aug. 1.

**GASOLINE**—16-A coupons are good for six gallons each through Sept. 21. B-6, B-7, B-8, C-7 and C-8 coupons good for five gallons each. B-6 and C-6 coupons expire June 30.

### Writes of Arrival At Island Base In Pacific

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Whiteker of this city have received a letter from their son, B. M. (Bill) Whiteker, Jr., who is stationed in the Pacific theater of war, telling them of his arrival at his new base. They had received several letters written while he was en route, but this was the first he had written since reaching his destination on June 7th. Bill wrote, in part:

"We are finally ashore, after 43 days on the ship. This is a swell place, in my opinion. It is really cool and I slept under two blankets last night. Today is just like a fall day. "Everything is going to be fine here until it rains. We are sleeping in pup tents right now, and I can see where the mud has been three feet deep here before."

"The war seems to be going along fine—it sounds just like the one did in France the latter part of June last year. We can see it at night, but other than that it is very peaceful here. Some of the men started to work this morning and the rest of us will probably begin in the morning. It looks as if we will be unloading ships for the next month or so."

"Have not heard from Clarence, though he is not on this island, according to the Army report. However, they may be here soon. We had some rough weather on the way over, as Clarence says they had. As if as for ships, I believe that I saw most of the ships in the Pacific, at one time or another. Probably saw the very one he was on if I had only known it."

Bill is an Electrician's Mate, First Class, with the 28th U. S. Naval Construction Battalion and is at present assigned to a Landing Supply Unit. Reference in the letter was made to Sgt. Clarence W. Whiteker, a brother who is in the Pacific with a bomber squadron but not yet located.

### WEINERT WAVE HOME ON LEAVE

Marcelle Therwhanger, Ph. M. Second Class, of the U. S. Naval Hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y. is home on leave visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Therwhanger and other relatives for the first time in sixteen months. Marcelle has her Certificate of Special Instruction, having completed a course for Clinical Laboratory Technique given by the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery, Navy Department, Washington, D. C. She will report back to Brooklyn for further assignment.

### HOME DEMONSTRATION AGENT'S SCHEDULE

- July 2—Aspermont.
- July 3—New Mid, 3:00 p. m.
- July 4—Lucky Club, 3:30 p. m. with Mrs. Lowery.
- July 5—Center Point Club, 3:00 p. m.
- July 6—Sunshine Club 3:00 p. m.
- July 7—Council, 2:30 p. m.

### RETURN TO PAMPA AFTER VISIT HERE

Pfc. and Mrs. Robert Lackey and daughter have returned to Pampa, where Pfc. Lackey is stationed, after spending a 15-day furlough visiting friends and relatives in Haskell.

### Weinert News

#### Sunbeam Band

The Little Helpers Sunbeam Band met at the church for their last meeting of the year, completing three years work and reaching the Standard of Excellence each year. Bill Bailey Guess presided at the business session in the absence of the president, Jenean Turnbow.

The minutes were read and approved and the roll was called by the leader.

Three visits to the sick and six good deeds for the week were reported by Courilla Mayfield.

The chart was completed for the year. The program was "Thanks For the Many Blessings." A goodnight scene was enacted with the leader as the mother and the members as the children, with the bedtime story and goodnight prayers.

Mrs. W. M. Copeland told the story, "Helpers on the Radio" and songs were sung and new verses learned.

The table was set for a meal depicting the family home, where thanks were said by each member for the food we eat.

Punch and cookies were served and all enjoyed the social around the table.

The Band is dismissed during July and August.

First Lieut. James F. Cadenhead, Jr., A. B., M. D., is at home with his parents Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Cadenhead for a few days visit from Vanderbilt University where he received his Degree of Medicine June 11th. He is to begin his internship at Medical and Surgical Memorial Hospital in San Antonio July 1.

Mrs. Beth Edwards, Misses Tiny Driggers, Billie Jones and Fawn Baldwin were visitors in Abilene Monday.

Mrs. Mildred Robertson and Oleta Weir of Fort Worth spent the week-end here the guests of Mrs. Robertson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Owens.

Dickie Weinert of San Antonio returned home Monday after a week's visit with his uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Weinert.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lofton of Abilene visited Mrs. Lofton's father, Mr. and Mrs. A. Allen Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Payne Hattox had as their week-end guest Mr. Hattox's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hattox of Anson.

The Church of Christ will begin their revival Friday night June 29th.

Pvt. and Mrs. Clyde Thackeron of Camp Maxie, Paris, Texas, are announcing the arrival of a son born June 22. Mrs. Thackeron was the former Juanelle Howard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Howard of Weinert. Mrs. Howard has gone to Paris to visit her daughter and grandson.

Conducts Machine Clinic  
Friday June 22 Miss Louise Newman conducted a Machine Clinic in the home of Mrs. M. G. Moreland. Three machines were thoroughly cleaned and oiled. Ladies present were Miss Newman, Mrs. R. H. Jones, Mrs. J. F. Cadenhead, Mrs. Pearl Brown, Mrs. Bill Johnson, Miss Jew Williams and the hostess, Mrs. Moreland. Cold pop and cookies were served by Mrs. Moreland and enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Pat Mayfield, the former Miss Aletha Liles has returned from California where she has been since her marriage to Ensign Pat Mayfield in May. Mrs. Mayfield is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lile, while Ensign Mayfield is overseas.

M. G. Moreland and son Morris G. Oran Howard, A. and John Allen were business visitors in Dallas Thursday.

Mrs. L. A. Hobgood and children Alden, Judy and Carter of Austin are spending the week with Mrs. Beth Edwards.

Misses Ira Nell Wigley and Martha Turner have returned to their home in Gober, Texas after a week's visit in Weinert with Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Moreland.

Tommy Bennett of Fort Worth is spending his vacation with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Bennett and other relatives.

Little Tommy Hirsch of Killen is visiting his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Arlos Weaver. Mrs. Hirsch is the former Miss Cornelia Fay Stewart. She is making her home in Killen while her husband is in Camp Hood.

### IS GETTING UP NIGHTS GETTING YOU DOWN?

Thousands say famous doctor's discovery gives blessed relief from irritation of the bladder caused by excess acidity in the urine

Why suffer needlessly from backaches, run-down feeling from excess acidity in the urine? Just try DR. KILMER'S SWAMP ROOT. This renowned herbal medicine, SWAMP ROOT, acts fast on the kidneys to promote the flow of urine and relieve uric acid acidity. Originally created by a practicing Physician, Dr. Kilmer's is a carefully blended combination of 18 herbs, roots, vegetables, balsams. Absolutely nothing harsh or habit-forming in this pure, scientific preparation. Just good ingredients that quickly act on the kidneys to increase the flow of urine and ease the uncomfortable symptoms of bladder irritation.

Send for free, prepaid sample TODAY! Like thousands of others you'll be glad that you did. Send name and address to Department B, Kilmer & Co., Inc., Box 1248, Stamford, Conn. Offer limited to one each. All druggists sell Swamp Root.

#### Stars Placed on Church Service Flag

At the Methodist church Sunday morning a blue star was pinned on the service flag for Howard Sloan, U. S. Army.

A gold star covered the blue in memory of Emory Ben Sloan, U. S. Army, who died of wounds in Italy April 25.

Both stars were pinned on by Mrs. Orvella Hargrove Sloan.

A gold star covered the blue in memory of Guinn Melton, U. S. Marines, who was killed on Iwo Jima. The star was pinned on by his mother, Mrs. Lark Melton.

Miss Marcelle Therwhanger, a nurse in the Navy, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Therwhanger.

Funeral service for Mrs. George Kreger was held at the Baptist Church at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon, with Rev. Walter Copeland officiating. Interment was in the Pleasant Valley cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Greenhill of Fort Worth were week-end visitors in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oman. Mrs. Greenhill was the former Gussie Caddell.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oman had as their guests Sunday Mrs. C. F. Oman, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Caddell, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Caddell and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Greenhill.

Pfc. J. C. Pickering of Port Lavaca, Texas, spent last week visiting his uncles in Weinert. He has been overseas for three and one-half years, in New Guinea and Australia. While stationed in Australia he was married to Miss Grace Bowers, who will come to the United States later. He has returned to the Bushnell General Hospital, Brigham City, Utah, where he is a patient.

Blind, Bleeding Protruding, no matter how long standing, within few days without cutting, tying, burning, sloughing or detention from business, Fissure, Fistula and other rectal diseases successfully treated. See me for Colonic Treatment

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Rectal, Hernia, Skin and Colon Specialist

### PILES — Cured Without Knife

EXAMINATION FREE  
Seymour, at Seymour Hotel, Sunday July 1, from 8 to 11 a. m.  
Munday, at Terry Hotel, from 1 to 4:30 p. m.  
Haskell, at Tonkawa Hotel, from 5 to 7 p. m.

#### RETURNS FROM VISIT IN ABILENE

Mrs. Fred Gilliam and children have returned from Abilene where they spent the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Smith. She was accompanied home by her sister, Miss Biddie Smith and Miss Syble Brasher, who spent several days in Haskell with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Lena Davis and Fran Bostick were visiting in Jayton last week.

M. G. Moreland is in Amarillo attending a Shriner's meeting in that city.

Pfc. and Mrs. Odie C. Taylor of Big Spring visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Driggers last week.

#### VISITING IN HOME OF PARENTS

Miss Martell Clifton of San Antonio spent several days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Mart Clifton last week.

#### VISITING PARENTS

Miss Elise Henson is spending the two weeks between school terms of the State University with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Henson.

#### Prescription Filled Over 15 Million Times

Recommended to do just two things: relieve constipation and gas on the stomach.

This successful prescription is now put up under the name of ADLERIKA. Get a bottle of Adlerika next time you stop at your druggist's and see for yourself how quickly gas is relieved and gentle but thorough bowel action follows. Good for old and young. Caution, use only as directed.

Get Adlerika from your druggist today. OATES DRUG STORE

#### RETURN HOME AFTER VISIT WITH GRAND-PARENTS

Glynes and Warren Ada, Okla., left Monday home after spending two weeks with their grandparents, Mrs. Claud Warren and aunt, Mrs. James E. Turner.

It is estimated that the commercial fish catch in more than 22,000,000 pounds

### YOUR CAR IS OLDER THAN YOU REALIZE

More than half of the cars on the road are at least seven years old. Even if you bought in your car is nearly four years old. It has traveled more miles, possibly, than any of your previous cars. And as it grows older it naturally needs more and more parts.

The war has taken many of our best mechanics, and we have had to train new men to replace them. Then, too, new parts have become scarce and some have disappeared entirely, so we have had to learn to repair worn or broken-down parts in place of replacing them.

Ford owners have understood these things. Your patience and cooperation are deeply appreciated.

Even after the war it will be a long time before all who want new cars can have them. The cars are that your car will have to last you longer than you think, so don't neglect it. Keep on bringing "HOME" for service.

With your continued friendly cooperation we do our very best to keep it running smoothly, efficiently and economically. We will help you get the "extra" miles that Ford built in.

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INSURANCE IN ALL ITS FORMS  
TELEPHONE 176 HASKELL, TEXAS



With this ring I thee wed...  
As the strains of Lohengrin fade away, a sparkling diamond wedding ring is placed on the bride's third finger... there to flicker for a lifetime. She views it proudly... as proudly as we offer our rings for your selection.  
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# RULE NEWS

**Camp Fire Grills**  
 Monday Camp Fire girls spent the week at Camp Weeden encampment grounds at Warren. They were accompanied by their guardian, Mrs. Candless and Mrs. Frank. The assistant guardian, Kitley and Mrs. Norvel. Mrs. E. C. Smith and the Martin spent a part of the week at the camp with the girls.

gram, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kitley, Mrs. Reginald Gibson and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Doss.

Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Davis had as their guest last week a son, Gilmer Davis of Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Westmoreland visited relatives in Anson Sunday.

**Rule Boy Scouts Attend Camp Tonkawa Camp**

Accompanied by their Scoutmaster Ben Sellers and C. O. Davis, the Rule Boy Scouts left Sunday for a week's camping at Camp Tonkawa, Buffs. Gap.

This is the second camping trip for the Scouts this summer and they are planning on another later in the summer to be at Lueders with the Lueders troop.

Scouts attending camp this week are Jimmy Henry, Everett Payne, Dennis Briles, Billy Hamilton, Bobby Bagwell, David Hunt, Roy Ottmers, Ben Sellers Jr., Connie Hines and Genelle Miller.

**Webbs Have Reunion**

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Webb had all their children home last weekend for a family reunion. First to arrive were Cpl. and Mrs. Cleo Webb of San Diego, Calif., who came in Friday. Others were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Webb and baby, Misses Hazel and Laverne Webb, Mrs. Emma Glover, Mrs. Mary Honea and son Rodney, all of Fort Worth, and Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Cross of Rule.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston Cross of Laredo were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Cross Friday.

**Hutchins-Frazier**  
 Announcement was made this week that Miss Francis Hutchins and Col. Eldon Frazier were married Thursday June 14 in Fort Worth. The ceremony was read by Rev. Christenson at the Methodist Baptist church in that city.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hutchins of Weppert but has lived in Rule the last few years where she is employed at the Farmers State Bank.

The groom is the son of Mr. Bob Frazier of Rule and is stationed at McCord Field, Wash.

**Duplicate Bridge Club**

Mrs. John Behringer was hostess to members of the Duplicate Bridge Club and guests at her home last Tuesday afternoon. In the games Mrs. Behringer and Mrs. Ben Bagwell scored high, playing north and south.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Newt Cole, Mrs. Marlin Wilson, Mrs. Sam Davis, Mrs. A. L. Foster, Mrs. Edgar Ellis, Mrs. Max Bentley, Mrs. Ben Bagwell, Mrs. John Herron, Mrs. James E. Lindsey, Miss Velma McCandless and Mrs. Bailey Post.

Miss Barbara Leon of Lubbock spent last week in Rule visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Norman have had as their guests the last two weeks their son, Sgt. Weldon Norman of Frederick, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Baugh had as their guest last week their son Pfc. Doyle Baugh of Del Rio.

Mrs. Roy Foster and daughter Dorothy May returned last week from Fort Worth where they spent several weeks visiting their daughter and sister Miss Harvey Bell Foster.

Mrs. J. E. Kitley and Billie Jean Denson visited Mrs. Raymond Denson in the Haskell hospital Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kitley had as their guest last week their son, little Miss Gwen Arnett of Whittier, Calif.

Miss Emma Jo Holcomb of Denton spent last week end in Rule visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Holcomb.

**Sailor Honored With Party**

Mrs. J. E. Kitley and Mrs. Lonnie Martin entertained with a lawn party last Friday night honoring Dick Holcomb, Seaman first class of the U. S. Navy who has been visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Holcomb. The picnic supper was spread on the lawn. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Joe Holcomb and daughter Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Martin and daughter Lonnie Lou, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kitley and son Jack, and the honoree.

**New Arrival**

Mrs. Scott White is announcing the arrival of a son Scott Jr., born Wednesday of last week in the Knox City hospital. Scott Jr. is the grandson of Mrs. James A. Lisle and Mr. and Mrs. L. B. White of Rule. Scott Sr., is serving in the Army overseas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Weinke were Rule visitors Monday.

**New Arrival**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Singleton are announcing the arrival of a daughter born June 17. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Singleton and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Reeves.

Pvt. and Mrs. Holland Bell of Pampa and Sgt. and Mrs. Hollis Bell and family of Brownwood spent last week in Rule visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Cole had as their guest last week their niece, Miss Helen Leflar of Munday.

Mrs. Newt Cole visited relatives in Gore Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. James McCain and daughter Robbye Nelle returned to their home in Pecos Friday after a two weeks' visit with relatives here.

Mrs. James A. Liles and Mrs. Tom Walls spent last week end in Camp Hood visiting their sons, Pvt. James A. Liles and Pvt. Pete Walls.

Mrs. Ewell Kitley and son Jack visited her mother, Mrs. D. M. Guinn in Sagerton last Saturday.

Mrs. Ollie Kitley and children Helen Ruth and Bobbie were Haskell visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Mason of Jayton visited relatives and friends in Rule Sunday.

Miss Mary Francis Gaunt has returned from a two weeks vacation spent in Denver, Colo.

**Moving to Abilene**

Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Hill and children Sally Fay and F. B. Jr. left Thursday for Abilene where they will live. Mr. Hill is in the insurance business in Abilene. Mr. and Mrs. Hill have both been teachers in the Rule schools and active in church and civic work. They will certainly be missed by Rule people.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Davis and Miss Donna Davis visited friends in Haskell Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Bus Hills and Mrs. Joe Smith were Haskell visitors Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Davis had as their guests last week end Foster Davis and Mrs. Davis and children of Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Kelley and son of Abilene spent last week end in Rule visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Ruben Lambert of Old Glory was a Rule visitor Thursday of last week.

**Bluebonnet Club**

Mrs. Arthur Williams was hostess to members of the Bluebonnet Home Demonstration Club at her home last Thursday afternoon. Club president, Mrs. Lonnie Martin presided for a business meeting.

The club members have been having a contest between the Reds and Blues. The Blues won and will be entertained soon by the Reds.

Miss Louise Newman, Home Demonstration Agent, gave a demonstration on preparing food for frozen food lockers. Club pals were revealed and gifts exchanged.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Sam Jennings, Mrs. Frank Seltz, Mrs. Lonnie Martin, Mrs. E. B. Lusk, Mrs. Edd Wilson, Mrs. Billy Darden, Mrs. W. L. Macoon, Mrs. R. V. Hagle, Mrs. O. J. McCain, Mrs. Edd Conner, Mrs. Guy Young, Mrs. Claud Young, Miss Louise Newman, Mrs. A. C. Denson, Mrs. Lee Cornelius, Mrs. Corbet Lytle and Mrs. Vernon Allison, and two visitors Mrs. G. E. Davis and Mrs. Stone.

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS**

To: Wilton Sowell, and his heirs Greeting:

You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 16th day of July A. D. 1945, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Haskell County, at the Court House in Haskell County, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 30th day of May, 1945. The file number of said suit being No. 7270. The names of the parties in said suit are: Mrs. Ollie Gilbert Sowell as Plaintiff, and Mrs. Edith English, et al, as Defendant. The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit:

Now comes Mrs. Ollie Gilbert Sowell, who resides in Haskell County, Texas, hereinafter called plaintiff, complaining of Mrs. Edith English, a feme sole, who resides in the County of Haskell, State of Texas, and Wilton Sowell, or his heirs whose residence is unknown to plaintiff, hereinafter called defendants, and for cause of action plaintiff represents to the court:

1. That plaintiff and defendant, Mrs. Edith English, are the joint owners in fee simple of the following described land and premises, situated in the County of Haskell, in the State of Texas, and being described as all that certain lot No. 4, in block No. 6, in the original town of Haskell, Haskell County, Texas, as shown in a plat of said town as same appears of record in book M5, pages 320, 321 and 322 of the Deed Records of Haskell County, Texas; that plaintiff is the owner of one equal undivided one-half part of said land and premises and that the defendant Mrs. Edith English, is the owner of one equal undivided one-half of said land and premises.

That Wilton Sowell, if alive, or his heirs, if any, would have some interest in said property, or at least some claim, the exact nature of which is unknown to plaintiff; that said Wilton Sowell received his portion of the estate of his father but no record was made of such settlement and such settlement not being on record a cloud is cast upon the title of plaintiff and defendant to said land; that the said defendant, Wilton Sowell has not been heard of for fifteen years by his close relatives or friends so far as known by plaintiff, and plaintiff believes and here alleges that Wilton Sowell is dead and died without heirs.

2. That plaintiff and defendant, Mrs. Edith English, are the sole owners of said land and premises so far as known to this plaintiff, and the estimated value thereof is \$2500.00.

3. Plaintiff alleges that said land and premises is not subject to partition in kind and that it will be necessary to sell said premises and divide the proceeds according to law.

4. There is some taxes due on said premises and this partition and sale is asked for subject to the rights of the taxing units, to-wit, State of Texas and County of Haskell, and the City of Haskell and the Haskell Independent School District.

Wherefore plaintiff prays the court that defendants be cited to appear and answer this petition in terms of law, and that she have judgment for the partition and division of said land and premises, that commissioners be appointed and a writ of partition issue, and for possession of that portion that by judgment of the court may be ascertained and declared to be the property of plaintiff.

Or in the alternative that she have judgment declaring the property not susceptible to partition and that same be sold by order of the court through a receiver, appointed by the court and that the funds be divided after the payment of the expenses of said sale and the costs of court between the plaintiff and the defendants as their interest may appear, and for such other and further relief, special and general, in law and in equity, that she may be justly entitled to and in duty bound will ever pray.

Issued this 1st day of June 1945.  
 Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Haskell Texas, this 1st day of June A. D. 1945.  
 (Seal) HORACE ONEAL,  
 Clerk District Court, Haskell County, Texas

# Thanks and Appreciation

We take this opportunity to express our thanks and appreciation to every purchaser of War Bonds from any and every direction in the Seventh War Loan Drive.

The people of Haskell County and especially your War Bond Committee, wish to express their gratitude to N. L. B. Davis and A. E. Brown, our generous and liberal ranch neighbors to the east of us, who donated the registered Hereford bull to be given away free in this drive. This generous gift helped to stimulate much interest in the drive and made it easier to go over the top. Their generosity will be long remembered by the citizenship of Haskell County.

The Chairman wishes to express his continued thanks and gratitude to the many loyal committeemen throughout the county who have again made it possible for Haskell county to announce "we have gone over the top." This same appreciation and thanks is extended to the many willing bond buyers who gave their support.

We also wish to thank Mrs. Ruby Smith, Mrs. Estelle Lee and Mrs. Floyd King for their assistance in writing letters and other clerical work during the Drive.

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### HASKELL GIRLS ATTEND CAMP FIRE ENCAMPMENT AT LUEDERS

Camp Wetexaca at the Lueders encampment grounds was the scene of great activity last week as thirty-one Haskell Camp Fire girls and their parents joined some two hundred Camp Fire girls from surrounding counties for a week of fun and fellowship.

Mrs. Fred Stockdale of Haskell, executive secretary of this area headed the camp, with Mrs. W. R. Pohl of Colorado City as director of camp activities. Three groups of girls were included at the camp: the Bluebirds, seven, eight, and nine year old girls, under the direction of Mrs. James A. Byrd of Haskell; the Camp Fire group, ten to junior high, supervised by Mrs. Pohl; and the Horizon group, high school and first year college girls, under the sponsorship of Mrs. Constance Griffin of Hamlin.

Campers began their day at 6:45, followed by breakfast at 7:30. From that time until the day ended at 10:00 the girls were busy with a smorgasbord, classes in nature study, hand craft, camp craft, music and swimming. A two hour rest period followed lunch each day.

The Camp Fire girls lived in sixteen cabins which had been given Indian names, according to the organization. Among these were Uta, which means oak tree; Wandacandian, worship God, the first law of Camp Fire; Wahanka, to do difficult things well; Peta, to progress; Odako, the alliance of friends; Saturka, night dancer; Tawa, help; Owassa, bluebird. Others were Wanena, Koyahan, Iwa, Tokaha, Okicipsa, Naka, Waw-an, and Neosho.

Monday's activities were highlighted by a snake dance led by the Horizon girls, in which all other girls participated. Stunts for that night included singing games and an indoor track meet in which milk bottle tops were used for discuses and toothpicks for javelins.

The day throughout the day various activities were carried on which honored Edith M. Kemp-

thorne, one of the founders of Camp Fire. At the evening assembly the girls enjoyed a costume party at which prizes were given for the most beautiful, the funniest, and most ingenious costumes. Stunts were then presented by each city represented at the camp. This was followed by a boating ceremony which climaxed the day's activities. For this ceremony all campers assembled along the banks of the Clear Fork of the Brazos River. The Bluebirds lighted candles which had been melted into small paper castles representing little boats. They then made wishes for children all over the world and launched their boats hoping their little candles would spread the flame of Camp Fire over the world. Each girl also presented the five pennies she had brought to camp, which will go to the extension of Camp Fire.

Wednesday was Bluebird day at camp and Wednesday evening the Bluebirds presented their program, received their camp honors and awards and returned to their homes.

Highlight of the week's activities was the council fire held Thursday night. At that time ranks and camp honors were given to the Camp Fire girls.

The encampment closed Friday with the Horizon girls presenting their program.

Each day the girls enjoyed between meal snacks consisting of soda pop, sandwiches, peanuts, sweet rolls, candy, cookies, fruit, cinnamon buns, birthday cake, or graham cracker sandwiches. These snacks and some of the favors given the girls were paid for with some of the money sent in from the different towns. Special favors for each girl at supper on Edith Kempthorne day were little boats made by Mrs. W. A. Lyles and Mrs. Dick Frierson of Haskell.

Mr. R. C. Couch furnished his truck in order that all girls from Haskell might go in a group to camp. Parents who attended the

# SOCIETY



MRS. HUMMEL

### LaVera Guess Bride of Sgt. Osborne Hummel

The marriage of Miss LaVera Guess of Midland, Texas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Guess of Haskell and Staff Sergeant Osborne W. Hummel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Will Hummel of East Jordan, Iowa, took place at 10 a. m. Saturday in the Hummel home, Dr. L. N. Main, pastor of the United Brethren Church of East Jordan, officiated at the single ring ceremony.

Their attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Parks, Mr. Parks having formerly been Sgt. Hummel's scoutmaster at East Jordan Troop 74. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Will Hummel, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Myers and Dr. and Mrs. Main.

The living room was beautifully decorated with arrangements of pink and white peonies and white syringa.

The bride chose a street length dress of tulle and accessories of black and white for her wedding attire. Her shoulder corsage was of pink roses.

The wedding party of 10 proceeded to the Pines where lunch was served at one o'clock. Following this the couple left for Chicago where they will spend a short honeymoon.

Mrs. Hummel attended North Texas State Teachers College 3 years and received her B. S. degree in August 1943. For two years she has been employed as a teacher of the first grade in the Midland public schools.

Sgt. Hummel has his B. A. degree in social science from Iowa State Teachers College and has had graduate work at the University of Iowa and the University of Southern California. He coached and taught school four years at Liscomb, Ia., resigning to enter professional Scouting. He was employed as a Boy Scout executive in the Wabash Valley council at Terre Haute, Ind. Since enlisting in the Air Corps he has been stationed at Midland Bombardier School in the physical training department as an instructor.

### Gwendolyn Gilliam Has Birthday Party

Mrs. Fred Gilliam entertained with a party for her little daughter Gwendolyn Ann on her fifth birthday Saturday June 23.

After enjoying games on the lawn and admiring the many gifts received by the little honoree, refreshments of pink lemonade and cake was served to:

Lorene and Florene Crow, Terry Byrum, Kay and Patricia Starr, Fanny Oliphant, John Gannaway, Linda Muriel Lane, Sandra Bass, Dana Ruth Smith, Charles Bennett, Bobbie Wheatley, Linda Gale Adams, Norma Jean Gipson, Linda Gale Spain, Robby Starr, Kendel and Sue Watson, Glenn and Jeanie Lusk, Glenda Davis, Freddie Gilliam, Robbie Lou and Sara Sue Robinson, Sherry Kay Hammond, Karene Tidwell of Baytown, Texas, and her aunt, Eddy Smith of Abilene and Syble Brahier of Abilene.

### YWA Organized At Roberts Church

The young women of the Roberts Baptist church met in the home of Mrs. Rody Sorenson Wednesday night June 20th to organize a Y. W. A.

Mrs. Elmer Wheatley, chairman of the W. M. U., met with the group.

The following officers were elected:

President—Dana Atchison.  
Vice President—Gwen Wheatley.  
Secretary and Treasurer—Mollie Basing.  
Counsellor—Mrs. Rody Sorenson.

Fern Cobb was appointed by the president as program and publicity chairman.

Meetings will be held each Thursday night following each first and third Sunday.

An invitation is extended to all young women to come and meet with the Young Womens Auxiliary.

### Demonstration On Dressing Poultry Given Club

The Lucky H. D. Club met in the home of Mrs. H. H. Hines on Wednesday afternoon June 20 at 3:30 o'clock. A demonstration on killing and dressing poultry was given by Mrs. John Baugh and Mrs. John Stockton.

Refreshments were served to the following members: Mesdames Bill Dunham, Ollie B. Vernon, Jts Bell, Ora Yarbrough, John Baugh, John Stockton, Price Hines, C. B. Doyle, John Dunn, George Smith, Boyce Foll, C. G. Stark, W. E. Penick, Bill Mason and Miss Lucy Norman and a visitor, Miss Dorothy Dunn.

The club will meet with Mrs. Bill Mason July 18 at 3:30 o'clock.

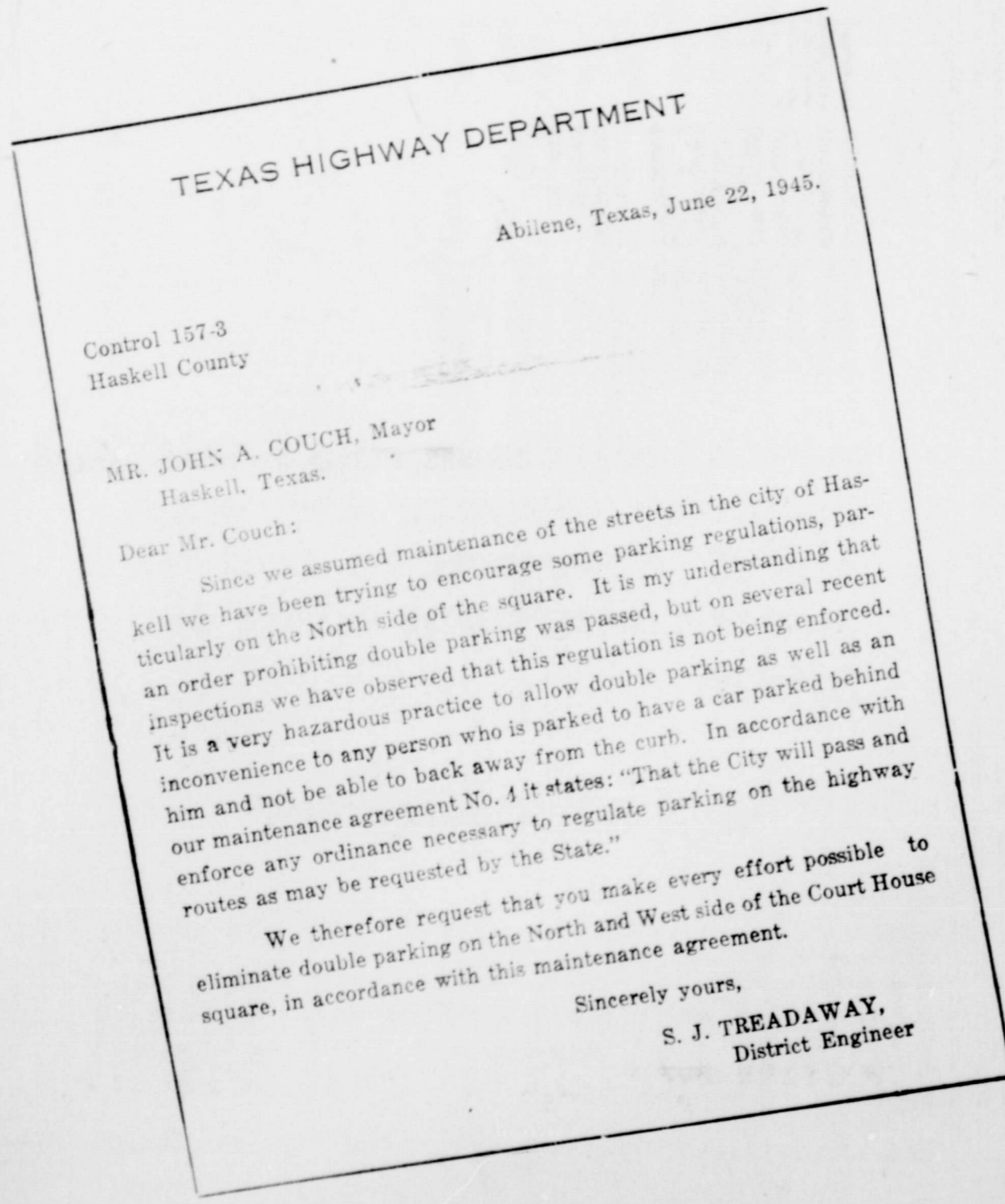
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## STATE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT REQUESTS THAT DOUBLE PARKING BE STOPPED

The following letter has been received by Mayor John A. Couch from the Highway Department requesting that double parking be eliminated... especially on the North and West side of the Court House square.

The Highway Department request is set out as follows:



The City Council earnestly urge the citizenship of Haskell County to cooperate in enforcing this regulation... for the safety and convenience of all concerned.

**THE CITY OF HASKELL**

### Kenneth Schwartz Honored With Party

On Friday June 15th Mrs. C. V. Schwartz gave a party at the city park honoring her son Kenneth on his ninth birthday.

After games were played and gifts opened, ice cream and birthday cake was served to the following: Billy Fry, Tommy Robinson, Sue New, Joan Darden, Marie Gregory, David Foll, Lloyd New, Frankie Robinson, Sarah Sue Young, Jackie Fay Bouldin, Mrs. Odria Darden, Mrs. Annie Fry, Mrs. Betty Dedmon, Mrs. Lavern New, Mrs. Gertrude Robinson.

### VISIT IN WEATHERFORD

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. A. Y. Corley spent last week-end in Weatherford with relatives and friends.

### VISITORS IN HOME OF MRS. VAUGHN

Recent visitors in the home of Mrs. Anna Vaughn of this city were Mrs. Tom Clark and son Thurman of Houston, Mrs. Claud Aaron and daughter Rosalee of Edinburg, Joe Vaughn and family of Winters, T. Sgt. Curtis Cross and wife and son from Laredo, Mr. and Mrs. Watson Hayes and two sons Kenneth and Perry of Carlsbad, N. M.

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Teachers, Classes, all out Sunday Morning 9:05 for Bible message to be delivered by Jesse Jones over Sweetwater Station. Can be heard over Public Address System in our church.

11:00 A. M. Message by Pastor "The Big Fire That is Burning"  
8:00 P. M. Message by Jesse Jones. Hear him, young people—this message to you.

**THE HASKELL CEMETERY ASSOCIATION—**

Will hold its regular monthly meeting at the Haskell Funeral Home on Wednesday July 4th at 2 p. m.

All members are urged to be present at this meeting.

C. JONES, President.  
MRS. H. J. HAMBLETON, Secretary

**Demonstration Is Given at HD Club Meeting**

Preparing fruits and vegetables for frozen lockets was the demonstration given by Miss Louise Newman when the Dennis Chapel H. D. Club met June 19 at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. Lee Woodward, chairman, reported the pineapple bought by the club members had arrived and each lady had canned a supply of pineapple.

With one visitor, Mrs. A. S. Logan, club members present were Mrs. R. E. Hutchinson, Mrs. Coyt Hix, Mrs. Durward White, Mrs. Clyde Taylor, Mrs. Ben Redwine, Mrs. G. C. Childress, Mrs. Guy Marshall and the hostess, Mrs. Lee Woodward. Next meeting of the club will be July 3rd with Mrs. Clyde Taylor.

**East Side WMS Meets Monday**

The East Side Baptist Women's Mission Society met Monday afternoon at the Royal Service program.

Opening prayer was given by Mrs. J. C. Holt, Sr. The president, Mrs. W. T. Priddy, reported the third chapter of Second Peter, the devotional.

A very interesting program was rendered on "Today's Youth" closing prayer was given by Tom Mercer.

Those present were Mrs. McGuire, Mrs. W. C. O'Connell, Mrs. Willie Andrews, Mrs. Mercer, Mrs. Clarence O'Connell, Mrs. J. C. Holt Sr., Mrs. Henderson, Miss Nell DeLoach, Mrs. W. T. Priddy and Mrs. Man Rhoads.

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MEETING OF THE WEINERT OF CHRIST BEGINS JUNE 29

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JESSE JONES TO SPEAK OVER SWEETWATER RADIO STATION

Next Sunday, July 1, Jesse Jones of this city will speak over Sweetwater Radio Station at 9:05 a. m., and in the Fundamental Baptist Church, Sweetwater, at 11 a. m. Rev. H. L. Patterson is pastor of the Sweetwater church.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Regular Sunday School monthly book review at 8:30 Friday evening June 29th. "The Years of Our Lord" by Manuel Komroff to be reviewed. Also a special explanation of the picture, "Christ Knocking at the Door."

TONKAWA COFFEE SHOP

Under the Management of

KELSEY M. NELSON

FRIENDS AND FORMER OWNERS OF THE COFFEE SHOP:

I am glad to announce that I am back in my civilian job as proprietor of the Tonkawa Shop, and I'm looking forward to seeing all my patrons and friends at an early date. At present time, and probably for a few weeks I will be required to report at an Army Hospital, but expect to be released to resume my civilian business duties by mid-July. In the meantime, I invite you to visit the Coffee Shop, for your dinners, a between-meal sandwich, or a cup of coffee with your friends.

KELSEY M. NELSON.

We will try at all time to serve you the foods that—and if your particular choice is not obtainable—we will try to have on our daily menu a variety of other suggestions.

A special invitation is extended to young people to visit the Coffee Shop for a sandwich, a cold drink or coffee. You'll find this a pleasant place to meet your friends.

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COLLEGE STATION — Firing range or Texas range—it will make little difference to the high-flying "Jeep."

Proof lies in the impressive performance of the doughty Army vehicle in the rigid on-the-roll tests it has been put through for the past six months by the engineering division of Texas Agricultural Experiment Station here at Texas A. & M. College.

Now nearing completion, the experiments give uniform indications, according to H. P. Smith, chief of the division, that the Jeep, with certain revisions and adaptations, offers definite possibilities as a combination light tractor, pick-up truck, passenger car and mobile power unit for both ranch and farm.

Typical of the scout car's feats on the range was the checking of stock within a 640-acre pasture in half an hour—a task that ordinarily takes from 2 1/2 to 3 hours on a horse. Fence inspection of another area, similar in size, for which a half a day is normally allotted, was completed with the Jeep in one hour. Gasoline consumption for the two operations averaged 18 1-2 miles per gallon.

The Jeep pulled a 1600-pound sprayer with ease over rough pasture land and soft dry lake beds on one ranch; on another, its four wheel drive was employed to haul a two-horse van with a trailed weight of 4600 pounds over difficult back roads.

Taken to a number of rice farms in the vicinity of Beaumont to determine its usefulness in the preparation of the seed bed, planting of the crop and tending of levees, the vehicle exhibited the same dependability and ruggedness that made it such an outstanding performer on world-wide battlefields.

When it was hitched to a 6000-pound land roller, for example, which its farmer-owner did not believe that the Jeep would even be able to move out of its tracks, the scout car drew it around a field with a drawbar pull of 750 pounds.

One of the first state agricultural colleges to receive governmental permission to put the military model through its paces with an eye toward peace-time use, Texas A. & M. also is conducting secret tests with a civilian version of the vehicle which has been developed by Willys-Overland Motors on the basis of changes suggested by leading agriculturists in various sections of the country.

The new model, expected to be unveiled by the motor firm sometime this summer, is designed to overcome objectionable features of the military jeep for farm use.

Sweet Potatoes Popular Item With G.I.'S

Sweet potatoes from Texas will play an important part in the diet of Pacific G. I.'s this year. Approximately 2,400,000 bushels of sweet potatoes will be dehydrated in 1945 to produce 20 million pounds for overseas shipment according to the War Department.

One of the most popular items on menus for the military forces, the potatoes are served about every tenth day in baked, candied or glazed form, according to the Quartermaster Department.

First tests on dehydrated sweet potatoes were made early in 1942. Scientists of the American Can Company being asked to work with the Quartermaster Department on various problems of packaging. The potatoes are packed in five-gallon cans specially coated for overseas shipment.

Indicative of the space saving accomplished by dehydration, officials of the Quartermaster Department say that seven and a half pounds of dehydrated sweet potatoes will serve 100 men, whereas about one bushel of the fresh potatoes would be required for the same number.

HERE FROM STAMFORD

R. B. Fowler of Stamford visited in Haskell Friday of last week.

REV. TIDWELL TO SPEAK AT BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH

The Rev. J. L. Tidwell of Stamford will speak for the Bible Baptist Church Sunday morning July 1, in the home of Mr. Tom Lowery, where services are being held regularly. Sunday School starts at 10 o'clock. A hearty invitation is extended to all.

VISITORS FROM CALIFORNIA

James Nix and daughters Jerry Sue and Barbara Ann, of Gardena, Calif., visited in Haskell this week. Mr. Nix returned home Tuesday but the daughters remained for an extended stay with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Henson.

NTAC STUDENT SPENDS WEEK-END WITH PARENTS

Dick Bischofshausen '45 graduate of Haskell high school who is attending North Texas Agricultural College at Arlington, spent the week-end in Haskell visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bischofshausen.

Munday Soldier, In Luzon Fight, Gets Promotion

With the 33rd Division on Luzon—Private Glen S. Riggins of Munday, Texas, has been promoted to private first class and awarded the Combat Infantryman Badge for his performance in action on Northern Luzon. Pfc. Riggins is a machine gunner with the 136th Infantry of the 33rd Division.

Pfc. Riggins had his first taste of combat in battles with the Japs on the Kennon Road, Vella Verde Trail, and in the Lawigan sector in the fighting near Baguic, summer capital of the Philippines.

The machine gun squad in which Pfc. Riggins serves was instrumental in wiping out an enemy strongpoint that had been holding up the advance of our troops. Pfc. Riggins was able to spot several Jap riflemen from an O. P. on a ridge overlooking the Jap positions. Under his direction, they killed many of these riflemen and our troops were able to advance and wipe out the Nips.

Pfc. Riggins attended O'Brien high school and was a farmer before entering the army in September, 1944 at Fort Sam Houston. He took his basic training at Camp Hood, went overseas in February, 1945, and has been a member of the 136th since April. In addition to his Combat Badge, he is entitled to wear the Philippine Liberation Ribbon with battle star.

Pfc. Riggins is getting ready for more combat, and is at present near Baguic. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Riggins of Munday.

CITY TO COLLECT CANS AND RUBBISH

Property owners who have cans and rubbish on their premises from the recent observance of City Clean-Up Week, are requested to notify City Secretary Belton Duncan at the City Hall and a truck will be sent to pick up the cans and rubbish.

TO STUDY IN BOSTON HOSPITAL

Mrs. Bob Healey, the former Bobbie Cass, left Wednesday for Massachusetts to join her husband who is there receiving treatment from an eye specialist and taking a course in Landscape Art in the University of Massachusetts. Mrs. Healey, who is a Graduate Nurse, will study Anesthesia in a large hospital in Boston, Mass., while there.

SUNDAY GUESTS IN MELTON HOME

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Melton of east Haskell had as their dinner guests Sunday their son E. H. and wife and children Wayne, Bettie and Joyce, and their son W. A.'s three little boys, William, Bobby and Charles from Munday, who spent the week-end with their grandparents.

MR. AND MRS. RALPH BERNARD HASKELL VISITORS

Recent visitors in Haskell were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bernard and daughter Nancy, who were guests of his grandmother, Mrs. T. E. Wright and other relatives here. Ralph is a Navy Radar Technician and is stationed at Long Beach, Calif.

MADE HONORARY MEMBER OF STATE ASSOCIATION

Former Assessor-Collector M. R. (Murry) Smith of Haskell was recently elected to honorary life membership in the Tax Assessors' and Collectors Association of Texas. The former Haskell county official now holds a responsible position in Fort Worth.

RETURN FROM VISIT IN SAN ANTONIO

T. C. Cahill of this city and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Campbell of Rule have returned from a several days visit in San Antonio with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Brevard Long and her son, Capt. Thomas Long, Air Forces navigator who has just returned from overseas service.

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Lackey Family Reunion Held Recently

Mrs. John Lackey had all of her children with her recently for the first time in several years.

They met in the homes of two daughters, Mrs. Beno Andre's and Mrs. Clifford Nicholson and a son C. B. Lackey.

A basket lunch was taken to Rice Springs Park on Sunday June 10th and after lunch the group enjoyed kokaking and swimming at the park.

Those present were the mother, Mrs. John Lackey of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lackey; Johnny and Barbara Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Beno Andre, Boyd, Melvin, Wanda, Ray and Vernay, Mr. and Mrs. David Andre, Mrs. Bill Shelton and Jerry, Mrs. Clifford Nicholson and Clifford Ray, Mrs. James Ursey and Lee, Mrs. Eva Nicholson and Morris, Lena Mae Chapman, Martha Frances Davis, Mrs. Jack Bouldin, Lyndon, Jackie Gaye and Jimmie, John Andre, all of Haskell, Mrs. Lester Davi, Allene and Wayne Lee, Mrs. Curtis Chapman and Curtis Jr., of Morton, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lackey and Ronnie Lewis of Ft. Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Jay M. Lackey, Jay Edwin and Lida Marion Dallas; Pfc. and Mrs. Robert Lackey and Patricia Ann of the Pampa Flying School, Pampa, Texas.

Meeting of Roberts WMU Held Monday

The Roberts W. M. U. met at the Roberts church Monday afternoon June 18th at 3 o'clock with nine members present.

The W. M. U. meets every first and third Monday afternoons at the church. A special invitation is extended to all mothers to attend the meetings.

ANNOUNCE ARRIVAL OF DAUGHTER

Sgt. and Mrs. Nealy O. Brown are announcing the arrival of a daughter, Neala Ann, on June 18. Sgt. Brown is at present serving with the armed forces in Germany. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Hayes of this city and J. M. Brown of Houston, Texas.

VISITING IN HOME OF FATHER

Mrs. Don Campbell and son Herschel of Harlingen, Texas, are spending the week in the home of her father, Date Anderson and sister, Mrs. Reba Gibson. Their sister, Miss Margaret Anderson of Abilene also spent the week end in Haskell.

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Attention! School Patrons..

The following letter is being mailed to all property tax payers in the Haskell Independent School District, and the public is invited to investigate the local school situation... and support the new tax at the special election which will be held on Saturday July 28th.

DEAR TAXPAYER:

The Haskell Independent School District now owes approximately \$22,000.00 in debts of an un-bonded nature. This money was spent on school buildings and equipment when the district was bonded as much as the law allowed. The expenditure of all money is on record in the office of the Superintendent, and a yearly record is kept of all money that the school district spends. These records are open for your inspection at any time.

The district now owns buildings and equipment estimated at more than \$250,000.00. The bonded debt is \$70,000.00. This is paid to date from the Interest and Sinking Fund.

The State Legislature passed a law whereby school Districts can raise local taxes from \$1.00 to \$1.50 on the \$100.00 valuation in order to clear these local debts that have been hanging over many schools. We can use all the additional fifty cents, without interfering with local maintenance, to pay off the \$22,000 debt in two years.

We, the Board of Trustees of the Haskell Independent School District, have passed in regular session a resolution which states that the additional 50c tax shall be set aside to apply on debts and the levy shall be in effect for a period of Two (2) years only.

We solicit your vote FOR a Maintenance Tax of \$1.50 for 1945 and 1946.

Signed: HASKELL INDEPENDENT SCHOOL BOARD OF TRUSTEES

- W. D. Rogers, President
W. C. Johnston.
R. L. Burton, Secretary
E. A. Howard.
A. M. Turner
Frank Spencer.
Clay Smith.

The original signed and filed in Superintendent's office.

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## PRACTICAL UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF

Anyone who has driven on the highways of the country is aware of the fact that they have taken a beating during the last several years and have been denied necessary upkeep.

In view of the fact that returning soldiers and outcasts in manufacturing have created unemployment in certain local areas, Charles M. Upham, Director-Engineer of the American Road Builders' Association, appeals for action to release government funds for road projects now that the war emergency has been relieved.

He says: "We do not claim that highway construction without limitation should start now, but we find an unemployment problem in the number of returning service men and the cancelling of war contracts."

Highway construction can be extremely flexible, as new roads are required everywhere. It can be gauged to fit those areas where demobilization and cancellation of government contracts develop a local unemployment situation. With few exceptions, materials for highway construction are no longer critical, according to Mr. Upham. He finds no shortage exists for such basic material as cement, asphalt, tar, crushed stone, sand and gravel. The WPB has modified its controls over construction machinery and such equipment will soon cease to be a problem.

## POSTWAR HEALTH PROGRAM

Expansion of the Blue Cross plan, providing hospitalization insurance on a prepayment basis to every community or area in this country, is advocated by Dr. Mor-

ris Hinenburg, president of the Greater New York Hospital Association.

Urging the development of a "more adequate health service," Dr. Hinenburg declared that the service's benefits should be extended to people in the lower income brackets. "Its ultimate goal should be to provide for as many types of illness as possible, not for twenty-one or thirty days, but for as long as the real need for hospitalization exists. Every effort should be made to establish a comprehensive type of coverage that will conform to a national plan of hospital service."

"In fashioning an adequate program of health for the nation, there must be a way to determine how voluntary hospitals, Blue Cross plans and voluntary medical service plans can combine their efforts and activities with those of government programs in medicine."

"There is a need for both, and there is room for both. Neither can nor should attempt to assume the greater responsibility of a complete program, but should bend every effort to share in the realization of this constructive purpose."

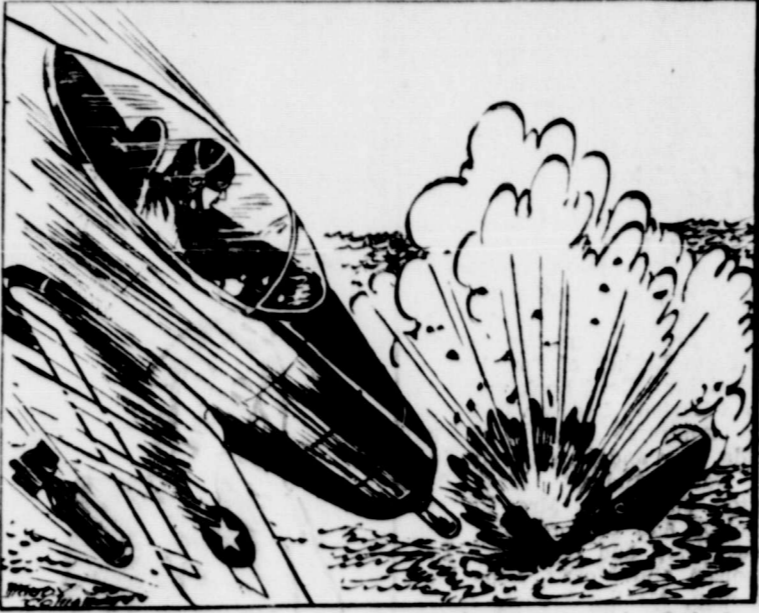
To extend hospitalization protection will involve money, and Dr. Hinenburg makes an appeal for support to employer groups, to industry, and for the continued aid of government and philanthropy in caring for the indigent and unemployed.

Dr. Hinenburg's ideas could well form the basis for one of the most constructive post-war programs that could be adopted by any community in our land.

The United States has outstripped the world in raising its standard of living by the voluntary effort and initiative of its own citizens. If it turns this same energy toward providing adequate medical facilities for all, it will soon set a record in that line.

## AMERICAN HEROES

By WOODY COWAN



PIERRE, South Dakota, can be proud of Lt. Robert Pershing Williams. Decorated with the Navy Cross and the Distinguished Flying Cross, Lt. Williams, spotting a German sub while piloting a Navy Torpedo Bomber in the Atlantic, attacked the enemy without supporting fighter planes. He released four depth charges, all of which exploded close, sinking the sub and throwing enemy personnel into the water. For his heroism and extraordinary achievement Lt. Williams received the Gold Star. War Bonds buy depth charges for such heroic service.

U. S. Treasury Department

## HASKELL COUNTY HISTORY

Brief Items Taken from Old Copies of The Free Press

### 20 Years Ago—July 3, 1925

W. E. Bizzell of Stamford has opened a Cotton Exchange in this city, with the office in charge of R. J. Hall.

Farmers and business men of the Sagerton section have created a road district and petitioned the Commissioners Court to call an election to vote on the proposition of issuing \$100,000 in road bonds to build hard surfaced roads in the district.

A man by the name of C. W. Franks, who had been working on the J. E. Mapes farm since last fall, dropped dead Saturday morning while working at a threshing on the Mapes farm.

Grasshoppers are reported doing considerable damage to crops in the Center Point community.

Sheriff Turnbow and deputies confiscated a 25-gallon whiskey still Wednesday night near the Flat Top schoolhouse. One man was arrested in connection with the seizure.

### Eugene English and Travis Everett accompanied W. J. Sowell to Amarillo Friday and spent the week-end in that city visiting Wilton Sowell.

Mrs. A. F. Holt and little daughter Mary Nell of Lubbock spent the week-end here with relatives and friends.

Miss Agnes Cox has returned from Southwestern University to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Cox.

Joe Morrison and sisters Misses Eloise and Elizabeth Morrison of Graham spent the week-end with their grandmother, Mrs. Rike of this city. They were accompanied home by Miss Catherine Rike who will spend the week in Graham.

Mrs. H. S. Wilson, who has been visiting in Kentucky, has returned home.

A new \$50,000 hotel is being planned for Albany.

An oil test has been spudded in on the McGregor farm in the northwest part of the county.

### 30 Years Ago—June 26, 1915

A. M. (Uncle Andy) Carothers left Wednesday morning for a visit in Vernon.

Citizens of Haskell are now enjoying the comforts of continuous day and night electric current. Continuous service was started on June 22nd.

A merry group of young people enjoyed a moonlight picnic at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Meadors Tuesday evening. Present for the enjoyable event were Misses Thelma Porter and Clivie Colwell of Seymour, Yettie Cummins, Ruth Walden, Ora Simmons, Mary Smith, Kate Donald, Mary Steadman, Myrtle Marr, Ruby Cahill, Sadie Killingsworth, Grace Wilfong, and Messrs. Charles Conner, Bailey Collins, Virgil

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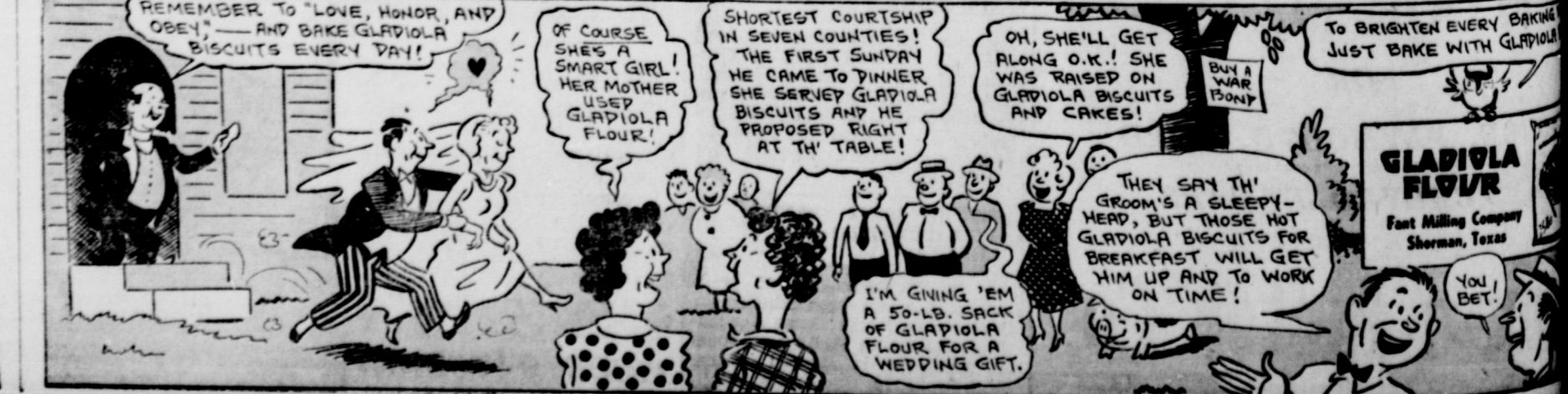


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### Lesson for July 1

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#### GOD'S JOY IN CREATION

LESSON TEXT—Genesis 1:1-5, 10-12, 16-18, 26, 27, 31.  
GOLDEN TEXT—God saw everything that he had made, and behold, it was very good.—Genesis 1:31.

The destiny of this world seems to be in the balances in our day with wicked men ruthlessly trying to destroy that which is good and upright. We are deeply concerned in our hearts that the right should triumph and that a just and righteous peace should come.

In such a day it is good to remind ourselves, as we will in our three-month series of studies in Genesis, that man did not make this world, nor is it the product of natural forces. God made it.

God, who is eternal, infinite, and

Meadors, Wynn Whatley, Walter Fox, Artie McFatter, Rice Pier-son, Sonny Neil, Bailey Post, Gordon Odell, John Pierre Payne and Clarence Rutledge.

John G. Russel of this city has purchased a new Mitchell automobile from W. A. Whatley, local dealer.

Miss Ruth Stephens is visiting her grandparents and other relatives and friends in Dickens county this week.

W. R. Hall's little girls, who have been visiting with the family of Dale Anderson left last week for their home in Plainview.

Misses Lela and Mamie Odell left Tuesday for Knoxville, Tenn., where they will attend summer school at the University.

Mrs. Wayne Perry of the south side is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Hamilton.

Walter and Bob Robertson, Lige Northcutt, Matthew Alexander and Travis Arburkle are spending the week on the Clear Fork fishing and hunting.

R. S. Nolan has purchased the J. B. Baker home near the Wright Hotel.

Practically all Haskell stores will be closed for a holiday on July 4th.

J. L. Jones of Rule has purchased a late model Franklin automobile.

### 50 Years Ago—June 29, 1895

In a recent election in Comanche county, prohibition was defeated by a big majority.

Lobo wolves are reported to be killing a good many calves in King county.

Jim Fields got home Saturday from an extended visit with relatives in East Texas.

J. N. Ellis was caught out in the hail storm Tuesday about 3 miles east of town. He says he only escaped a severe beating by getting off his horse and crouching under some heavy mesquite bushes.

Percy Lindsey left yesterday for Abilene, where he has accepted a position with a large business concern in that city.

Miss Allie Couch who has been visiting in the home of her brother George Couch, left Tuesday for her home at Henrietta.

Little Miss Mamie Draper was entertained with a birthday party Wednesday evening. Ice cream and cake was served to the large number of little folks present.

Mrs. R. E. Sherrill is visiting in Graham this week.

A. C. Foster has moved his law and abstract office to the Haskell National Bank building.

We stated last week that we would be able to tell our readers in this issue whether or not Haskell county had a valuable coal mine, but we cannot fulfill the promise. When the shaft reached a depth of 24 feet a vein of water was struck, halting the work temporarily. Work was resumed Friday and it is probable that next week we can say coal or no coal.

F. G. Alexander informs us that Mr. Matthews, who lives on the Bledsoe place about 11 miles east of town, told him that the wind Tuesday evening moved a small house on the farm occupied by Mr. Freeman, about fourteen feet from its foundation and damaged it a good deal, and that hail stones, some of them half the size of a brick, knocked holes in the roof of the building big enough for a man to put his foot through.

### VISITING IN HOME OF PARENTS

Mrs. Crockett English of Austin is visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Welsh of Haskell. Her husband, T-Sgt. Crockett English, is expected to return to the States at an early date from the European theater of war.

### HERE FROM RULE

Floyd Gauntt, Rule undertaker and furniture dealer, was a business visitor in Haskell Monday. Mr. Gauntt, veteran of World War I, is County Service Officer of Haskell county.

Knows all from the beginning, is not moved by the impulses of the moment nor staggered by the catastrophes of a day.

He made the world. He made man. He had a plan for them, and still has a plan which He will in due season work out for His own glory.

### I. God Made Heaven and Earth (vv. 1-5, 10-12, 16-18).

The biblical account of creation—"In the beginning God"—stands as a dignified, satisfactory, intelligent explanation of the origin of things, and in bold contrast to the confusing and almost unbelievable theories of men.

The best of scientists admit that they know nothing of the origin of things, and some say that they never will know. The answer to this query, with which every human philosophy opens, is the affirmation with which the divine account in Genesis opens—"In the beginning God."

Space forbids full discussion of the account of creation, but a study of it will reveal its beautiful order, symmetry, and completeness.

Compare that orderly account with the absurdities of the ancient human cosmogonies, and you have a new regard for Scripture.

### II. God Made Man in His Own Image (vv. 26, 27).

Although man has often so debased himself by sin and disobedience to God that it seems almost unbelievable, it is nevertheless true that he was made in the likeness and image of God. Because that is true, we never give up hope for him. Because of that image, no matter how deeply defaced by sin, man still may be touched by redeeming grace and restored to fellowship with God.

The likeness and image of God in man refers to a moral and spiritual likeness. Man is a living soul with intelligence, feeling and will. He is a moral being, knowing the difference between right and wrong. He is a self-conscious, personal being.

To man God gave dominion over the earth and all its potential powers. Sometimes one has been hopeful that man was making good progress in the development of the earth's resources for his own good and the glory of God. But one is sad to see how he has used this great God-given opportunity for destruction and death. Only a revival of real Christianity can bring him back to his senses. Let us pray and work for it.

Observe that the family was established as the center of man's life on earth, as God gave him a "help meet unto him." Woman was taken "not out of man's head that she should rule over him; nor out of his feet to be trampled upon; but out of his side to be equal with him, under his arm to be protected by him, and near his heart to be loved by him." (Matthew Henry).

The decay of family, social and modern substitution of social and civic units as the basis of life have led to disastrous results, one of which is juvenile delinquency. Not only do we need a revival of religion, we also need a revival of the home life of the nation.

### III. God Made All Things Well (v. 31).

When men do recognize the hand of God in creation, they often seem to feel that what He made was rather limited and defective. It would almost seem that man has been so clever about perfecting His work, developing it and making it useful.

As a matter of fact, God, who had all knowledge and whose standards are higher than man's standards could possibly be, looked over His creation and "behold, it was very good" (v. 31). It was a "finished" job (2:1).

Man has destroyed much of creation's beauty. Sin came in and marred it. What man's inventive cleverness has developed of the possibilities of this world is only a minute fraction of what is yet available. Instead of boasting, man might well be distressed at the pathetic slowness with which he has "thought God's thoughts after Him."

Instead of fighting and destroying, he ought to give his energies to building, developing, and above all, to loving God with all his heart and his neighbor as himself (Matt 22:37-40).



### GIVEN DISCHARGE FROM NAVY

Martin Virgil Conner arrived home Wednesday from San Diego, Calif., where he received an honorable discharge from the Navy as being overage.

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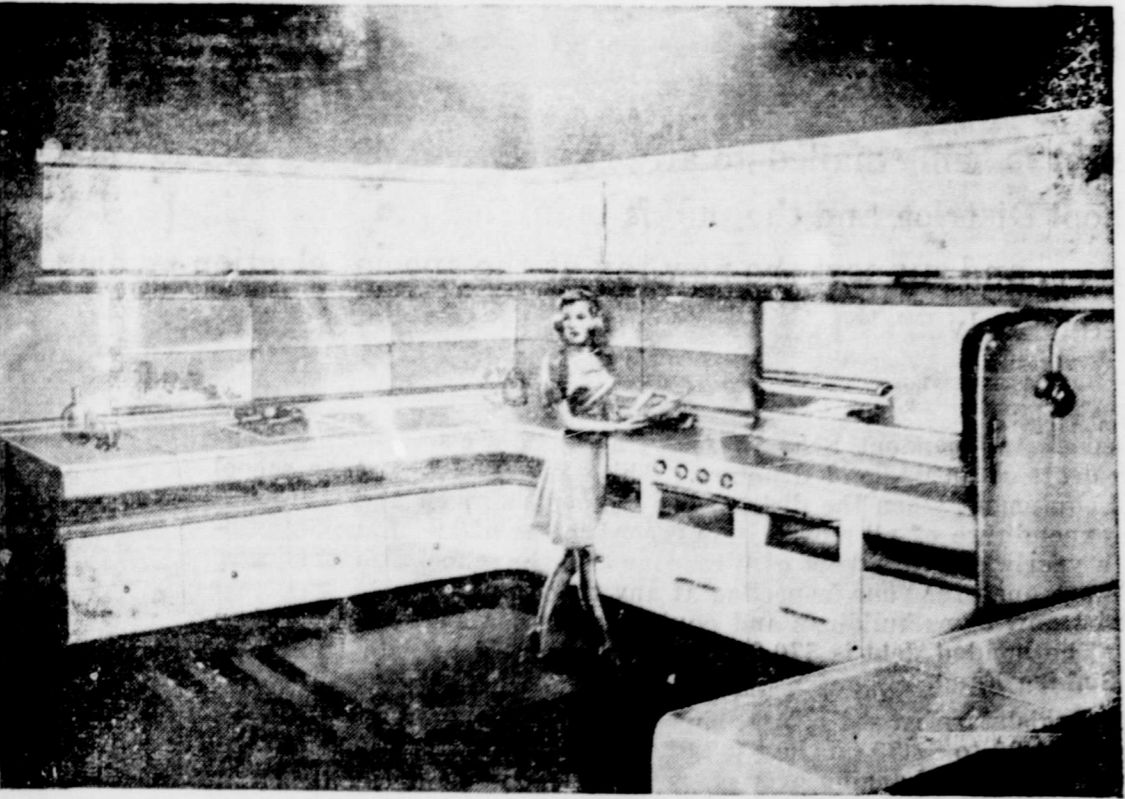
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**FRUIT—**  
**NOTICE**—We will start taking off Golden Beauty Peaches the first of next week at the J. W. B. Johnson Orchard, 7 1-2 miles southeast of Anson. \$1.50. Z. A. Staley. **129p**

**PLUMS FOR SALE**—Yellow and purple plums at my orchard 18 miles south of Stamford, 9 miles east and 2 miles south of Anson. Hard surfaced road all the way. J. C. Fielder, Avoca, Texas. **129p**

**USED CARS—**  
**FOR SALE**—1941 Nash sedan. See me after 5 o'clock. Would trade for Model A. Reba Gibson. **129p**

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**FURNITURE FOR SALE—**  
**FOR SALE**—Norge Gas Range, practically new. See J. C. Holt at W. A. Holt Grocery. **129p**

**FOR SALE**—Pre-war table top Perfection oil range, 5 burner. C. C. Campbell, Weinert, Texas. **129p**

**FOR SALE**—Electric Radio; 1-2 wheel trailer at home of Mrs. J. L. Odell, 5 blocks west of Tonkawa Hotel. J. J. Bedford. **129p**

**FOR RENT—**  
**FOR RENT**—2 room furnished apartment. All bills paid. Mrs. Linna Cunningham, Phone 245. **129p**

**FOR RENT**—Apartment with two or three rooms, large sleeping porch, and garage. One block west, two blocks north from High School building. Mrs. A. F. Brock. **129p**

**FOR RENT**—Three room unfurnished apartment. Call 296. **129p**

**FOR RENT**—North bedroom, private entrance, access to kitchen and bathroom. See Mrs. Mamie Alley or call 343-J. **129p**

**WANTED**  
**FURNISHED** quiet room wanted by elderly lady with quiet folks. See Free Press. **129p**

**WANTED**—A ride to California around the 6th or 7th of July. Dixie (Orr) Dejana. See A. C. Orr or call 207. **129p**

**1944 COTTON EQUITIES**—This cotton expires July 31 unless Congress gives more time. Charges now against this cotton are around five dollars a bale, interest and storage. To fill a mill order I can still use some equities. When this order is filled I will be out of the market; going to South Texas to buy cotton. Can use cotton located anywhere compress or warehouse. Ralph Raney. **129p**

**LIVESTOCK—**  
**FOR SALE**—Two registered Jersey cows, fresh. Rice Alvin, Star Route, Haskell. **129p**

**FOR SALE**—Piggy Gilt, one of the finest I have ever raised. Also Cream Separator. G. W. Piland. **129p**

**FARM MACHINERY—**  
**FOR SALE**—Windcharger with tower, at J. L. Tubbs place. Mrs. Clara Busby, Box 128, Haskell. **129p**

**FOR SALE**—6 volt windcharger and 3 glass batteries, with or without tower. Priced to sell. Morris Haynes, Paint Creek. **129p**

**SEED—**  
**FOR SALE**—Hibred cotton seed. See Giles Kemp, at Tonkawa Hotel. **129p**

**SOON BE TOO LATE FOR COTTON**—So see us now and make arrangements for any other planting seeds you might need. We have many varieties in stock. Can get others. Trice Hatchery. **129p**

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**FOR SALE**—A nice stock of new air condition units, in several sizes. Also complete refrigeration and air condition service and repair work. Call 443. Duke Appliance, Stamford. **129p**

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### LOST AND FOUND—

**ESTRAYED** from home of E. S. Nauert Sunday night one shepherd dog, black and white with tan feet. Finder please return to E. F. Nauert, four miles S. W. of Rule. \$10 reward offered. **129p**

**LOST**—Gold rim glasses in black case, somewhere in Haskell Sunday. Notify Haskell Free Press or J. B. Harris, Route 2, Rule. Reward. **129p**

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our thanks and appreciation to our many friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us during the illness and death of our wife and daughter. Such kindness will never be forgotten and may God bless each and every one of our prayer.—George Kreger Jr., and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pope and family of Weatherford, Tex.; Mrs. Ada Kreger and family of Weinert. **129p**

## Eclipse of Sun To Be Visible Here July 9th

On Monday July 9, at approximately 6:06 a. m., West Texans will be able to catch their first glimpse of the eclipse of the sun, which ends here about 7:38 a. m., according to astronomy experts at the Denver observatory.

For the Rocky Mountain and west-southern states, the sun will be partly eclipsed as it rises, but will reach its maximum eclipse sometime after sunrise. This eclipse will be the first total one visible in the United States since the New England eclipse of Aug. 31, 1932. Although there will be several partial eclipses before that time, the next total eclipse visible from this country, will be in 1954.

For a strip thirty miles wide through Idaho and Montana, the eclipse of the sun on July 9 will be total in the United States. There the sun will be completely obscured for about half a minute shortly after sunrise. Butte, Montana, will be the largest city in the U. S. directly in the path of the moon's shadow. Although the

### HOUSES FOR SALE—

**FOR SALE**—New 2-room house with 2 lots and a well, gas and lights. Located in O'Brien. See O. S. Covey or call 2063. **129p**

**FOR SALE**—My home in Haskell near hospital, 5 rooms and bath, rock. Call 49, Haskell, or write Larry Smith, 1033 Wilson Ave., Abilene, Texas. **129p**

**FOR SALE**—One lot 70x140 feet on brick pavement, 1 1-2 blocks from North Ward school. Abstract furnished. Belton Duncan at City Hall. **129p**

**FOR SALE**—8 lots located in the Tandy Addition, \$37.50 each, abstract furnished. J. W. Massie, at Trice Hatchery. **129p**

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all of our friends for the kind deeds and sympathy and also the beautiful floral offering. And especially do we thank Brother Whitley and the Holden funeral home for their kindness in the loss of our son and brother. May you have such friends in your hour of sorrow.—Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Merchant and sons, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Zahn and other relatives. **129p**

### CARD OF THANKS

We take this method of thanking our friends for their sympathy and kindness during the illness and death of our beloved one. Especially do we wish to thank the ladies for the dinner served.—Mrs. R. A. Stone and Families. **129p**

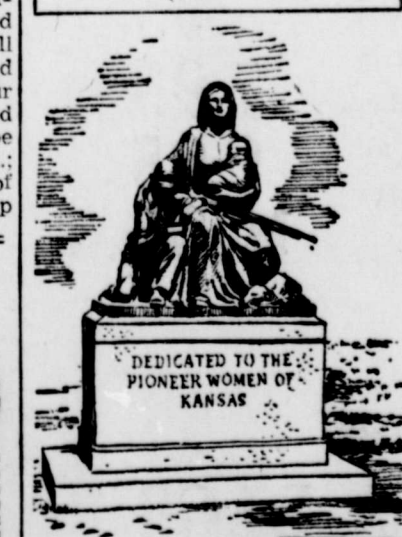
### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Commissioners Court of Haskell County, Texas, will receive bids for the purchase of one Maintainer for road maintenance work, powered by a gasoline motor. Each bid must also specify trade-in allowance on one 42-horsepower, A. C. speed control maintainer.

Bids will be opened and read at the next regular meeting of the Commissioners Court Monday, July 9, 1945. The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids submitted. **129p**

**JOHN F. IVY,**  
County Judge, Haskell County, Texas

## Bonds Over America



**KANSAS WOMEN**

Following the signing of the treaty with the Delaware and Shawnee Indians in 1854, settlers poured into Kansas. Women and children accompanied the men on steamboats, on horseback, in prairie schooners and wagons. They went to make it a home territory and courageously stayed to make permanent homes, despite the bloody years of border warfare over the slavery issue. They were strong, purposeful women who foresaw the opportunity for prosperity and good homes for future generations. Kansas has a monument to them on the capital grounds at Topeka. Their grandsons battle for an unspooled future for all the Nation and War Bond funds equip them. **U. S. Treasury Department**

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eclipse is total only for this small section of America, it can be witnessed in its partial phases from all the rest of the country except southern California.

Observatory officials at the Chamberlain observatory, Denver, Colo., have figured the times when the major scientific event begins and ends for representative cities in the U. S., such as New York, Chicago, New Orleans, Butte, Denver, and San Francisco. Times for sections surrounding each city are approximately the same.

In San Francisco at maximum eclipse only 16 percent of the sun's width will be covered by the moon, but 84 per cent will be covered in Denver. 74 per cent in Chicago, 57 per cent in New York, and 49 per cent in New Orleans. The eclipse will be total in Butte, Mont., for about 25 seconds at 6:13 a. m., mountain war time.

Actually the path of the moon's shadow is several thousand miles long. For the 1945 eclipse the path of totality will extend from its beginning in Idaho and Montana through Canada, Greenland, Norway, Sweden, Finland, and Russia, to its end, almost to Afghanistan. In about two and a half hours, a total distance of over 7,000 miles will be traversed, at nearly a mile a second. Because of this speed, the moon's shadow cannot obscure any particular spot for long. The maximum duration of totality, in fact, will be 76 seconds in Greenland, where there will probably be few spectators.

Most of the scientific research work made possible by this eclipse will have to be done in Sweden, Finland, and Russia, where the sun will be relatively high in the sky and not affected by low-lying atmospheric disturbances.

Even at 99 per cent eclipse the sun is far too dazzling to be observed with the unprotected eye. For this reason, all phases of the partial eclipse should be seen only through a smoked glass or dark film for purposes of safety and visual advantage. These dark filters are not hard to prepare, conservatory officials disclose; they can be made at any time and tested on the sun beforehand. A piece of glass smoked with a candle is satisfactory, but photographic film fogged to the right density is better.

**RETURNS TO JEFFERSON BARRACKS, MO.**

Pvt. J. C. Tidrow has returned to Jefferson Barracks, Mo., after a visit here with his mother, who has been ill for some time. His wife will make her home in Haskell while Pvt. Tidrow is in service.

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- 1 John Deere Feed Mill.
- 1 Used John Deere Combine, 6 foot, No. 12A, '41 model.

**Virgil Sonnemaker**  
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## CLOSED JULY 4TH

We will be closed July 4th, not for celebration, but in solemn observance of our Nation's independence which our forefathers fought and died for. With Japan yet to be conquered, the best way we can really celebrate Independence Day is by buying more War Bonds which will help bring our boys back to us a lot quicker.

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SATURDAY—  
**Murder In the Blue Room**

OWL SHOW—  
Starts 10:30 p. m.  
**NIGHT CLUB GIRL**

SUNDAY—MONDAY—  
JOHN WAYNE ANN DVORAK  
**FLAME OF BARBARY COAST**  
The Bawling, Colorful Story of the Queen of Hearts and  
the Ace of Gamblers  
AFRICAN DAIRY  
New Films of Hitler's Underground Retreat—of what's left of it.

TUESDAY—WEDNESDAY—  
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THURSDAY—FRIDAY—  
DANNY KAY DINAH SHORE  
**UP IN ARMS**  
In Technicolor  
Danny's dandy clowning—Dinah Shore's warbling  
Gorgeous Goldwyn girls!

### War Loan—

(Continued from Page 1)  
of the showing made by its employees and Haskell county is indeed glad to share in this by extending its thanks and congratulations for the good showing made by the Company as a whole.

Other companies and individuals and their Bond purchasers included:  
Anderson-Clayton \$1,500; Higginbotham Bartlett for Sagerton, \$5,000; Mrs. Adelaide Bush, Waco, 10,000; Mrs. S. W. Scott, San Antonio, \$1,000; Santa Fe Railway Co., \$5,000; Southwest Associated Telephone Company, \$5,000; Lone Star Gas Company, \$2,500; Perry Bros., \$2,000; Perkins Timberlake Co., \$5,000; Humble Oil and Refining Co., \$5,000; West Texas Williams Company \$5,500; Swenson Land and Cattle Co., \$2,000; Jones Dry Goods Co., \$1,300; Bacc-

er-McCarty, Monday \$2,000; Stamford Production Credit Corporation \$5,000.  
Summing up the excellent showing made in the Bond drive, Mr. Couch expressed the appreciation of the County Committee to every purchaser, and Mr. Couch expressed his personal thanks to the many loyal committeemen throughout the county who have again made it possible for Haskell county to announce that it had done its part. This, too, is extended to the many willing bond buyers who gave their willing support to their committees.

**SON BORN TO MR. AND MRS. CHAN HUGHES**  
A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Chan Hughes of Munday, Thursday June 11th in the Haskell county hospital. The youngster has been named Hiram Chandler, Jr. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Guess.

### Final Rites For Shaw Infant Sunday

Sarah Jane, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Shaw of this city, died in the Haskell hospital Saturday evening June 23 at 5:00 o'clock after living only a short time.

Funeral rites for the infant were held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 at the Paint Creek Baptist church with the Rev. A. H. Williams officiating and burial was in the Howard cemetery with Holden funeral home in charge of arrangements. Pallbearers were Alfred Grand and Garland Calloway.

Immediate survivors are the parents, a brother, Charles Wayne Shaw, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hise and Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Shaw, all of Haskell.

### CWO Hugh Ratliff Is Given New Assignment

Fort Worth, Texas—Chief Warrant Officer Hugh C. Ratliff, son of Mrs. Myra T. Ratliff, Haskell, has been assigned to duty at Lt. Gen. Barton K. Yount's AAF Training Command headquarters where he is serving as an administrative officer in the training division.  
From his headquarters here, the Training Command operates a nationwide network of flying and technical schools to provide individual training for virtually all AAF personnel, including pilots, bombardiers, navigators, gunners and technicians.

Appointed a warrant officer in May, 1942, CWO Ratliff has been in the Air Corps since 1929. He was stationed in the Canal Zone for approximately three years with the 6th Bomber Command.  
His wife, Mary Kimbrough Ratliff, lives in Haskell.

Before he was assigned to Gen. Yount's AAF Training Command headquarters CWO Ratliff was assistant personnel officer at Sheppard Field, Texas, a unit of the AAF Training Command. He is a graduate of Haskell High School.

### Cpl. Elvin Watkins Awarded Bronze Star Medal

With the 99th Division in Germany—Following is the citation which was read when Corporal Elvin Watkins, son of Mrs. Maggie Watkins, Route 1, O'Brien, was presented with the Award of the Bronze Star Medal.

Corporal Elvin Watkins, Headquarters Company, 99th Infantry Division, United States Army, for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy from June 7, 1944 to April 18, 1945, in France, Belgium and Germany. Corporal Watkins, as chauffeur for the Chief of Staff, 99th Infantry Division, has driven his vehicle faithfully and courageously through all types of weather and over all types of terrain. His coolness under fire has been an inspiration to everyone who has ridden with him. His memory and alertness in driving is reflected in that Cpl. Watkins has driven over 20,000 miles without an accident. The devotion to duty displayed by Cpl. Watkins is in keeping with the highest traditions of the Armed Forces of the United States."

**CPL. ELMORE SMITH HERE ON FURLOUGH**  
Cpl. Elmore Smith who is stationed at Tonopah, Nev., with a unit of the 4th Air Force, is home on furlough visiting his wife and parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Smith and other relatives and friends.

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### Rites Held At Weinert For Mrs. Kreger

Mrs. George Kreger, 23, resident of the Weinert section for the past six years, died in the Haskell hospital Saturday morning at 11 o'clock after a serious illness of only a few days. She became critically ill Friday and was removed from her home near Weinert to the hospital for treatment.  
Born Sept. 19, 1921, at Weatherford, Texas, she was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pope. She married George Kreger Oct. 8, 1939, and they had made their home in the Weinert section since that time. Mrs. Kreger had been a member of the Baptist church since 1936.

Immediate survivors include her husband, two sons, Bobbie Leon and Eddie Ray, all of Weinert; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pope of Weatherford; four sisters and five brothers.  
Funeral service for Mrs. Kreger was held at the Baptist church in Weinert Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with the Rev. Walter Copeland officiating. Burial was in the Pleasant Valley cemetery with Holden funeral home in charge of arrangements.  
Pallbearers were Milton Walden, Elgie Maxion, Price Cudd, Orson Shue, Washington Alexander and Ed Kreger.

### Rites Held Friday For Aged Rule Woman

Mrs. Susan F. McCandless, 83, who with her husband, the late E. T. McCandless came to Haskell county 40 years ago to make their home, died at her home in Rule Thursday June 21 at 5:45 p. m., following an illness of several months, which was complicated by advancing age.  
The aged Rule woman had been a member of the Church of Christ for 68 years of her lifetime, and had continued an active interest in the work of her church as long as health would permit.  
She was a native of Texas, born in Johnson county on April 22, 1862. After reaching womanhood she married E. T. McCandless, and they came to Haskell county in 1905. Her husband preceded her in death several years ago.

Mrs. McCandless is survived by one son, Dick McCandless of Benjamin, Texas, and three daughters, Mrs. Florence Cook, Rule; Mrs. Susan New, Lubbock; and Mrs. L. J. Valentine, Austin.  
Funeral rites for Mrs. McCandless were held at the Gauntt funeral chapel in Rule Friday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock with Rev. David Earnest, Douglas, Baugh and Raymond Van Zandt conducting. Interment was in the Rule cemetery beside the grave of her husband, with Gauntt funeral home in charge of arrangements.  
Pallbearers were Lee Yarbrough, Bill Yarbrough, Hollis Davis, E. D. Weaver, Bill Mason, Oswald Cole. Floral offerings were handled by Mrs. Margaret Reeves, Mrs. Anna Lou McCain, Mrs. Frances Davis and Miss Mary Frances Gauntt.

### Men In the Navy Must Ask For Newspapers

At the request of the Navy Department, effective July 1, in order to conserve shipping space and to prevent non-essential mailings, no subscriptions will be accepted, either new or renewal for papers going to Navy personnel, unless written request is received from the men in service, themselves.  
Relatives and friends may pay for the subscriptions or renewals, but the addressee must initiate requests therefor.  
Copies mailed in fulfillment of subscriptions which are unexpired will be accepted until the subscriptions expire.  
In other words, if you have a son or relatives or friend in Navy service, have him write, requesting his paper—otherwise subscriptions can not be accepted.

The Navy Department has also suggested that the public be encouraged to include clippings of particular interest in letter mail rather than send complete issues of newspapers and other publications.

### VISITS IN HOME OF SISTER

C. N. Porter of Temple has spent the past week here visiting his sister, Mrs. P. D. Sanders.

### WANT ADS

**TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY—**  
FOR SALE—Extra clean 1939 Chevrolet coupe. John E. Robinson at Gratex Service Station. \$29c

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**RETURNS TO NAVAL BASE IN SAN DIEGO**  
Seaman Second Class Harold Hammond left Wednesday to return to the U. S. Naval base at San Diego, Calif., after spending a week's leave with his wife and daughter in this city. Hammond, former publisher of the Rule Review and a former employee of The Press Press, entered the Navy last April.

Friday-Saturday—  
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