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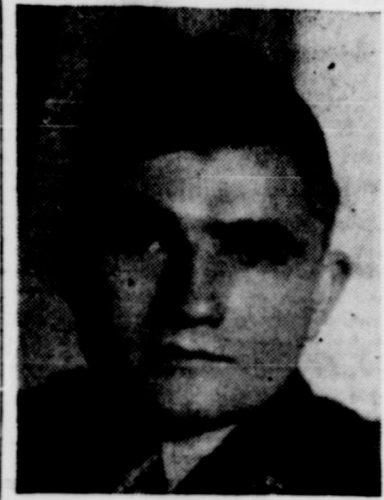
Haskell, Haskell County, Texas.

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Artist Revival Will in Sunday

Revival Meeting of Baptist Church will be held in the auditorium on Sunday August 12 and continue through Sunday August 26, and plans to advance interest indicate the two-week meeting will be one of the most successful held in many years. The evangelist for the revival will be Rev. E. T. Miller, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Dallas. A former resident of Haskell, he surrendered to the living in Haskell, Texas, and those at the revival services will have a great deal of interest in his work. This is the first time in many years that a revival will be conducted in the auditorium. The scarcer makes it impossible to have the necessary seats for the revival. A cooling system has been installed in the auditorium, making the building comfortable during hot weather. The service will begin at 7:30 p. m. and the evening service will be held at 8:00 p. m. Plans are being made to have the assurance that service will be held promptly at the time announced.



Now in the Philippines with an Army Engineer's Battalion, Pfc. Walter Moeller recently wrote his parents that he arrived in the Islands about a month ago, and that he found the country pleasant. Entering the service three and one-half years ago, Moeller trained at Army camps in California, Washington and Texas before going overseas.

Final Rites For David W. Fields Held Tuesday

David W. Fields, member of a prominent pioneer Haskell county family and the son of Mrs. Sallie Fields of Rochester, died Wednesday August 1 in a Veterans Hospital in West Los Angeles, Calif., where he had been a patient for several weeks suffering with a throat infection. Mr. Fields, a veteran of World War I, had been living in California for a number of years. For some time he had been working as a contractor for the government. He was 56 years old.

The body was shipped to Haskell for burial, with funeral arrangements in charge of Hobbs Smith funeral home, Rochester.

Funeral rites for Mr. Fields were held at the First Christian Church in this city Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Rev. Thompson of Stamford conducting, assisted by Rev. Charles Jackson, pastor of the First Methodist Church in Rochester assisting.

Interment was in Willow cemetery, and military honors were accorded at the graveside by a firing squad from Co. A, 17th Bn., Texas State Guard.

Pallbearers were Ted Whitesides, Ernest Michael, John Michael, Jack Alvis, Bill Taylor, Hap Smith, Ben Charlie Chapman, R. J. Paxton, Worth Buckner.

In addition to his mother, Mr. Fields is survived by three brothers, Ray and Judge Fields of Los Angeles, Calif., Paul Fields of Austin, Texas, and a sister, Mrs. T. F. Lee of Petersburg, Texas.

Demonstration On Frozen Foods Planned

Assistance with problems of preparing foods for freezing will be given by Edna Minick, Associate Farm Security Supervisor in this county, and Louise Newman, County Home Demonstration Agent, at the Homemaking Cottage in Haskell on Saturday August 11 in a meeting beginning at 2:30 p. m.

Demonstrations on the preparation of poultry, vegetables, and fruits for freezing as well as the cooking of frozen foods have been planned.

Patrons of the local locker plant who are interested are especially invited to attend this meeting.

PVT. AND MRS. CROW VISIT RELATIVES

Pvt. and Mrs. Elton L. Crow were visitors last week in the home of his mother Mrs. Henry Crow and other relatives for several days. They also visited her mother and brother and other relatives at Plainview. Pvt. Crow is attached to the 701st M. P. Battalion, Fort Custer, Mich. He has been in the service almost a year. He will report back to Fort Custer for reassignment. Mrs. Crow returned to Battle Creek, Mich., with her husband.

11 MEN ARE PLACED IN I-A

Eleven men were placed in I-A by the Local Board in sessions held August 1 and 8, fifteen were listed as having been inducted recently, and thirteen discharged. Six were classified I-A(B) (available for limited service) and eleven were placed in deferred classes.

Placed in I-A were: John P. Smith, Clinton T. Aaron, Clifford Bentley, Orlford N. Profit, James T. Medford, R. L. Stubblefield, John P. Moeller, Charles H. Lancaster, Johnnie L. Norman, A. J. Patterson, Lloyd M. Hunt.

Classified I-A(B): Hubert D. Alexander, David N. Patterson, D. A. Corley, Dwight E. Griffin, James R. Evans, Thomas E. Whittemore.

Changed from 2-B to 2-A: Albert B. Pitman, William A. Foil, Ollie B. Gilleland.

From I-A to IV-F: William C. Barton, Lynnol R. Wilcox, Lonnie G. Walker, Boyce D. Foil, Gene Shackelford, James H. Freeman.

Classified IC (inducted recently): Joe L. Fletcher, Donald R. Burleson, Billy G. Johnston, Lloyd D. White, Lawrence A. Seelig, William E. Mansker, Wm R. McLennan, Vernon L. Teaff, John W. Hindman, Ricardo Mendoza, Hartsill T. Everett, Eugene C. McNellie, Edward L. Terrell, Jessie G. Smart, Onnes N. Kirkpatrick.

Discharged: Steve P. Kelley, Robert C. Reeves, M. B. Underwood, Sidney A. Muhle, Delbert T. Hayes, Claud E. Blackwell, K. D. Fought, Eskell H. Tidrow, Ernest S. Hamilton, William D. Giles, Hooper T. Wilkinson, Chas. A. Wood, Ronald L. Richardson.

Pfc. R. T. Landess at Geiger Field, Wash.

Geiger Field, Wash.—Pfc. R. T. Landess, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Landess of Haskell, Texas, has begun training as an Aviation Engineer at the Air Forces at Geiger Field, Spokane, Washington, according to word received today from Colonel James W. Park, Commanding Officer of this base.

Some of the skilled subjects that are taught by the AAF Aviation Engineer School are repair and operations of automotive equipment such as tractors and graders used in airport construction, draftsmanship, camouflage technique, carpentry, operation of highway construction equipment, which is used in the building of airport landing strips, surveying and the knowledge of the operation of weapons. Almost equal emphasis is placed on knowledge of weapons. The Commanding Officer stated, because Aviation Engineer units often operate on the heels of invading troops and must be prepared to help clear airport sites of the enemy if necessary or to defend their engineering work in case of attack. Some of the weapons studied are the 50 calibre machine gun, the mortar, bazooka, rifle, carbine and pistol.

Upon completion of his training the new Aviation Engineer soldier will be assigned to an Aviation Engineer unit. These units are an integral part of the Army Air Forces and have as their mission the performance of all engineer work needed by the Air Forces in all theaters of operations. The unit must be able to construct, maintain, camouflage and defend air-dromes ranging from huge base airports behind our lines to those hastily constructed fields at the front lines. Aviation Engineers have already taken part in almost every operation of the Air Forces and at present are stationed all over the world from the jungles of Burma to the Southwest Pacific.



CLIFFORD LEWELLEN, EM 3-C

Haskell Sailor On Ship Attacked by Suicide Planes

Relatives in Haskell this week received word that Clifford E. Lewellen, Electrician's mate, third class, was one of 30 who received commendation for bravery during the Jap suicide attack on General MacArthur's command ship, the U. S. cruiser Nashville. He also received the Purple Heart for wounds received during the attack. The attack took place Dec. 13, 1944, while the vessel was conveying American invasion forces to Mindoro in the Philippine Islands.

Son of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lewellen of Haskell, he entered boot camp at Santiago, Calif., in February 1944 and was assigned to overseas duty in April 1944.

While his ship was being repaired he spent short leave with his wife and children in Dallas, where he was a member of the police force before entering the service. While on leave his sisters Mrs. E. B. Calloway and Mrs. Lynn Toliver, and brother, Frank Lewellen of Haskell, visited him at his home in Dallas. He is now back on duty in the Southwest Pacific on the repaired Nashville.

Farm Bureau To Meet Here Aug. 13th

The Haskell County Farm Bureau plans to hold a very important meeting at the Fair Grounds in Haskell on Monday, August 13, 1945, at 9 p. m., according to Roy Weaver, president.

Cal McCurdy, District III Farm Bureau Director, and David R. Reynolds, American Farm Bureau Federation, will be present at this meeting.

The public is invited and ice cold watermelon will be served to all present.

Will Demonstrate Packing Foods For Shipping

As third in a series of meetings for towns without Home Demonstration Clubs, Louise Newman, County Home Demonstration Agent, will present "Packing Foods for Overseas Shipment" in Weiner August 14 at 2:30 p. m. Those planning to pack and seal foods should see Mrs. Monke for recipes and materials to be used at the meeting.

VISITING IN AKINS HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bell and daughters of Fort Worth are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Akins and other relatives and



Pfc. Dale Dunlap, who is stationed in Lambark, Austria, with the 65th Division of the U. S. Army, sent the above picture in a letter received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Dunlap, this week. It is the first picture they have received since he went overseas in January, 1945. Pfc. Dunlap received his training at Camp Shelby, Miss., and Fort Sill, Okla. He served in the European theater of operations under General Patton, and he is now guarding German prisoners of war. His wife lives in Rule.

Local T.S.G. Unit Plans for State Maneuvers

Officers and a majority of the enlisted men of Company A, 17th Battalion, Texas State Guard, will attend a three-night training school to be held at Munday Aug. 29 to 31 in preparation for the State maneuvers in Wichita Falls Sept. 1-2, and training phases to be stressed at the school and on maneuvers were outlined in the weekly drill and meeting Tuesday night at the armory on the CWT fairgrounds.

A portion of the drill period was devoted to additional training in interior guard duty and procedure for military funerals under direction of Sgts. Williams and Neely.

Additional equipment for use in the State maneuvers was issued Tuesday night, and Capt. Dennis Ratliff, commanding Co. A, announced that the local guard unit had been provided an Army truck for conveyance of personnel to the three-night school at Munday and on maneuvers.

A group was also appointed to prepare a firing range for the local Company, to be located on the Royall farm a few miles from town. The range will be available for use by the week-end, according to plans announced Tuesday night.

Awarded Expert Infantryman Badge

Camp Fannin, Texas.—Private Raymond B. White, of Haskell, has been awarded the Expert Infantryman Badge for proficiency in weapons, tactics, physical condition and leadership at the Infantry Replacement Training Center here.

Pvt. White is a trainee in Company D, 54th Battalion, Eleventh Training Regiment in the IRTC. The Expert Infantryman Badge, which authorizes \$5.00 additional pay per month to enlisted men, is awarded Army Ground Force officers and enlisted men who qualify successfully with several Infantry weapons, complete arduous physical tests and such phases of Infantry training as scouting and patrolling and demonstrate leadership in the field.

Haskell Schools to Begin 45-46 Term Sept. 10th

MATTSON SCHOOL TO BEGIN AUGUST 27

Supt. H. H. Holmesley announced this week that the Mattson rural high school will open Monday August 27th for the 1945-46 term. He stated that numerous repairs had been made on the buildings and grounds. Among these were ground cleaning and leveling, painting the teacherages, lunch room, and the high school building. A new roof has been placed on the school building and numerous other repairs are being made.

The faculty for the year will include Mrs. Lavern Holmesley, Mrs. J. D. Roberts, Jr., Mrs. Mary Merchant, Mrs. Mabel Derr, Mrs. Neta Oldham, Miss Effie Farmer. Another teacher will be added to the faculty as soon as one can be obtained.

Supt. Holmesley stated further that he had everything in readiness for the opening of school. The community spirit is the best ever and everything points to a most successful year.

American Legion Meeting To Be Held Friday

An important meeting of the Press Rogers Post, American Legion, will be held in the district courtroom Friday night, August 10, at 8:30 o'clock, to which all war veterans are invited. A special invitation is extended to veterans of World War II to attend the meeting. All servicemen home on furlough are also urged to attend.

Principal purpose of the meeting will be to elect officers of the local Legion Post for the coming year. Other matters of importance to veterans and servicemen will also be discussed.

Revival at Curry Chapel to Begin Friday

A revival meeting will be held at the Curry Chapel missionary Baptist church beginning Friday August 10th, with the Rev. Oscar Byrd of Arizona as the evangelist. He is a former pastor of the East Side Baptist Church and is recognized as an outstanding evangelist.

The services will be held outdoors, and comfortable seating arrangements have been provided to accommodate a large crowd. The public is invited to attend each of the services.

RETURN FROM VISIT IN NORFOLK, VA.

Mrs. H. A. Barnard and Mrs. O. S. Covey and daughter LaVerne returned Friday from Norfolk, Va., where they spent two weeks visiting friends and relatives. They were accompanied on the trip by Mrs. Leroy Williamson and her brother John McCown of Luaders who visited their brother, Sgt. Aubrey McCown of Fort Monroe, Va. Mrs. Covey and LaVerne spent a week-end in Washington, D. C., visiting a friend of LaVerne's, Lt. Don Bruno. Mrs. Barnard visited in the home of her uncle, James Thomas.



Pvt. I. A. Lee Jr. of this city, is now stationed in Florence, Italy, with an Engineer's unit in the 5th Army, according to letters received by relatives and friends here. Pvt. Lee entered the service in September 1944, and received his training at Camp Fannin, Texas. He was home on furlough in March and sailed for overseas on April 5, landing at Naples April 14. His wife and their son Billy James are making their home in Haskell for the duration.

Stamford Man New Scout Executive For Area

John O. Harrison of Stamford has been added to the Executive Staff of the Chisholm Trail Council, Boy Scouts of America, it has been announced by Paul M. Ireland, Council Executive.

Harrison takes the place of Robert H. Eastus, Jr., Field Executive of the Council living at Stamford who will move to Abilene for a new assignment around September 1st.

Harrison will be responsible for Field Service in Jones and Haskell counties.

Until recently, Harrison served as Director of the Ground School of the Stamford Flying School, and he is well prepared to accept this new executive position with the Boy Scouts of America. He became a Tenderfoot Scout in Ft. Worth and rose to the highest rank, Eagle Scout. He also served as Scoutmaster and Sea Scout Skipper in Fort Worth. While living in Stamford he has served as an Assistant Scoutmaster.

Harrison will give special attention to the development of the Senior Scout Program in the entire Chisholm Trail Council. He will also attend the National Training School for Scout Executives in October in New York City and Mendham, New Jersey at the Schiff Scout Reservation.

Veteran of 28 Months Overseas Given Discharge

H. T. Wilkinson, recently discharged from the Army after four and one-half years of service, with 28 months of that time spent as a First Sergeant in the European theater of operations, arrived home Friday of last week. He was a member of the 645th T. D. Battalion with the 45th Division.

He landed at Presque Isle Army Air Field July 19 aboard an Air Transport Command Plane of the North Atlantic Division's Snowball Fleet. He was flown from Munich to Casa Blanca thence to Presque Isle, Maine.

He has been awarded the following medals and decorations: Bronze Star Medal, EAME Campaign Ribbon with 5 battle stars and one Bronze Arrowhead, American Defense Service Ribbon and the Good Conduct Medal.

His wife is the former Rozelle Jones of Weiner.

Completes Course at Minneapolis Navy School

Paul W. Roberts, AMM(P) second class, USN, accompanied by Mrs. Roberts and their daughter Paula Jo, arrived Tuesday evening from Minneapolis, Minn., for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam A. Roberts. They came by way of Fort Worth and were accompanied from that city by Gayle Roberts, Tarrant county Home Demonstration Agent, who is also visiting in the home of her parents.

Aviation Machinists Mate Roberts has been at the Naval Air Station in Minneapolis for the past two months, attending a PB4Y2 line maintenance school. Completing a specialized course, he is being transferred to Alameda, Calif., Naval Air Station.

Death Claims Mrs. Wanda Caldwell Wednesday

Mrs. Wanda Jean Caldwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Barton of this city, died Wednesday morning at 3 o'clock in the Haskell county hospital, where she had been a patient for several days after undergoing surgery.

Her husband, Corporal Alvin E. Caldwell, is with U. S. Army forces somewhere in France.

Wanda Jean Barton was born October 9, 1926, in this city and had lived her entire life in Haskell. She had been a member of the Baptist church since the age of 12 years.

She married Cpl. Caldwell April 3, 1944, while he was stationed at Camp Bartley, Abilene. After he left for overseas service, she had made her home with her parents.

Immediate survivors in addition to her husband, are the parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Barton, a brother, Sgt. Buford Barton of Camp Hood, Texas, and a sister Geraldine Barton of Haskell.

Funeral arrangements for Mrs. Caldwell had not been completed Thursday afternoon, awaiting possible word from her husband. Arrangements will be in charge of Holden funeral home.

Singing Will Be Held Sunday At Roberts

Singers of Haskell and adjoining counties have been invited to attend and take part in a singing program at the Roberts Church Sunday afternoon beginning at 3 o'clock.

Those in charge of arrangements for the program are planning for a large attendance, and the event is expected to be one of the best held in this section in several months. Singers from Throckmorton and other neighboring towns have accepted invitations to attend, and a special part on the program will be given by visiting singers, it was announced.

Plenty of new books will be available for all who attend the singing, sponsors of the affair said.

MAHON TELLS OF LONG WORK ON NEW BOMB

Following the announcement by President Truman of the new atomic bomb, Congressman George Mahon made known some of the inside facts in connection with the production of this deadly and spectacular weapon.

The eight man subcommittee on Military Appropriations of which Mahon is a member providing the federal funds for the project, beginning in the early days of the war. It was necessary to maintain the secrecy of the project in order to deny to the enemy any knowledge of it. The Committee devised a way to provide funds for the project without even making known to the

Congress that such an undertaking was in operation.

In commenting on the new weapon Mahon said, "Our Committee has been working on the project for more than three years. General Marshall assured us of his faith and the faith of the President and qualified experts in the project and we backed it, providing the funds, feeling that if the two billion dollar experiment was a success it would shorten the war and save lives. That apparently is what is to happen.

"Finally after months of impatient waiting for the production of the first bomb, Secretary of War Stimson came to the Capito-

last May and asked for a secret meeting with five members of our Committee. He said that the first bomb was about to be produced and that the chances for success were better than 99 per cent. He requested that we proceed immediately to Oak Ridge, Tennessee and inspect the plants there.

We were flown to the plant and escorted through the different facilities by Major General Groves, the manager, and a group of scientists. I was amazed by the huge size of the project. It was unbelievably big and the complicated process for the production of the bomb were astounding. We were cautioned as

to secrecy and shown the whole works. The processes are not only secret, they are incomprehensible to the layman. The final product is a very offensive looking substance, but its power defies description. It will be up to the President to decide just how much information can be made public.

"The bomb has such terrific power it poses a threat to civilization itself. America must stay far ahead in scientific research or face destruction. Our plans for future protection must be well laid. We must not only insist upon an organization for world peace, we must demand it and make it work. That is the only hope for civilization."

RETURN FROM VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. Covell Akins have been vacationing for the past week. They visited relatives in Grand Prairie and Fort Worth, and then went to Buchanan Dam on a fishing trip.

Resident Thursday Gene

Mrs. Manta Patterson, of this city from 1890, is home in that city following a brief illness.

the daughter of Mr. P. G. Yoe, born Sept. 18, 1890, in Austin, Texas. In 1890 moved to Haskell, and died with the early day of this section. She H. Patterson in June, they were engaged in business here for a number of years before moving to Abilene. Mrs. Patterson died in 1932.

service for Mrs. Patterson held at Elliott funeral home Friday afternoon, conducted by C. C. Ashford, pastor of Side Baptist church. was brought to this city of service was held at the home of Mrs. H. H. Patterson of this city officiating was beside the her husband, with Holman home in charge of the services.

Survivors are six Perry B. Patterson and Mrs. Dan, of Bell County, Texas; Mrs. Corbus Christ; Mrs. Gowan, San Francisco; two sisters, Mrs. Thulene; Mrs. Perry Donohoo of Texas.

HOME OF MRS. CLIFF

Mrs. Paul Pearson and Dan, of Bell County, Texas; Mrs. Corbus Christ; Mrs. Gowan, San Francisco; two sisters, Mrs. Thulene; Mrs. Perry Donohoo of Texas.

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VACATION IDA

ward Wilson, Mrs. Cecil and Miss Geneva Thompson, vacationing in Florida.

August 7th Third Anniversary of Marines Landing on Guadalcanal

Three years ago—on August 7, 1942—at 9.05 a. m. American Marines rushed ashore at Guadalcanal in America's first D-Day of this war.

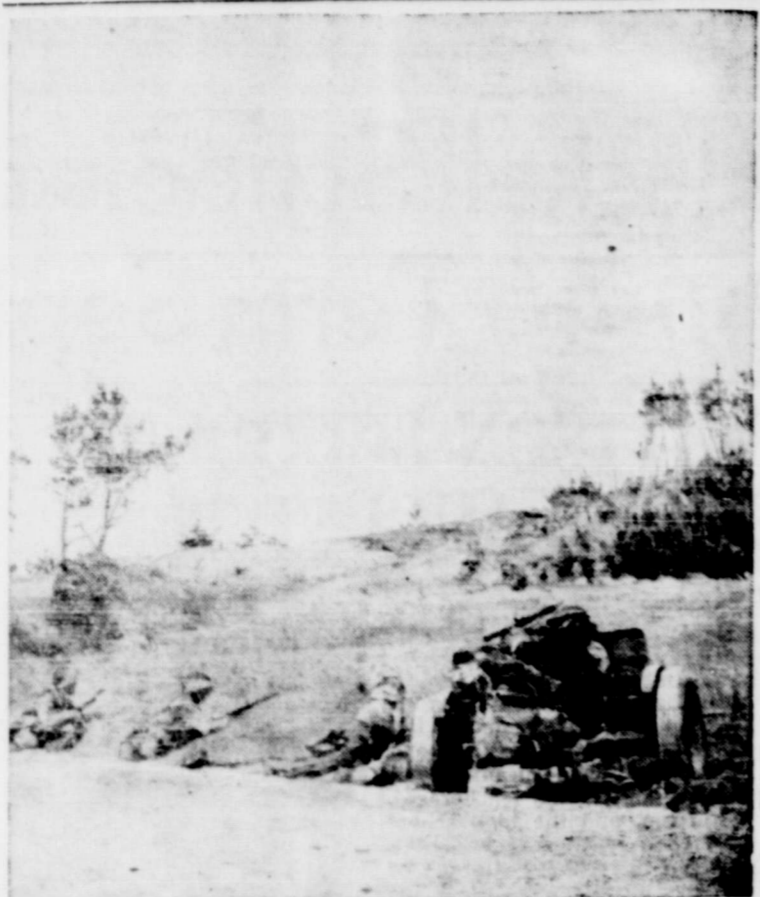
At approximately 6 a. m. a U. S. warship had fired the first shot of the battle and the first shot of America's counter offensive against the Japanese. The ensuing bombardment lasted three hours. Enemy installations now are softened up for weeks in advance.

When the Higgins boats, bearing young and untired Marines, hit Lunga beach, the members of the First Marine Division raced inland to take positions directly opposite the Japanese airport. This airfield was later to become known to every American as Henderson Field, named in honor of Major Leifton N. Henderson, the Midway Battle air hero.

The first few hours after the landing saw no enemy resistance. The first American casualty is said to have been a Marine who cut his hand opening a coconut.

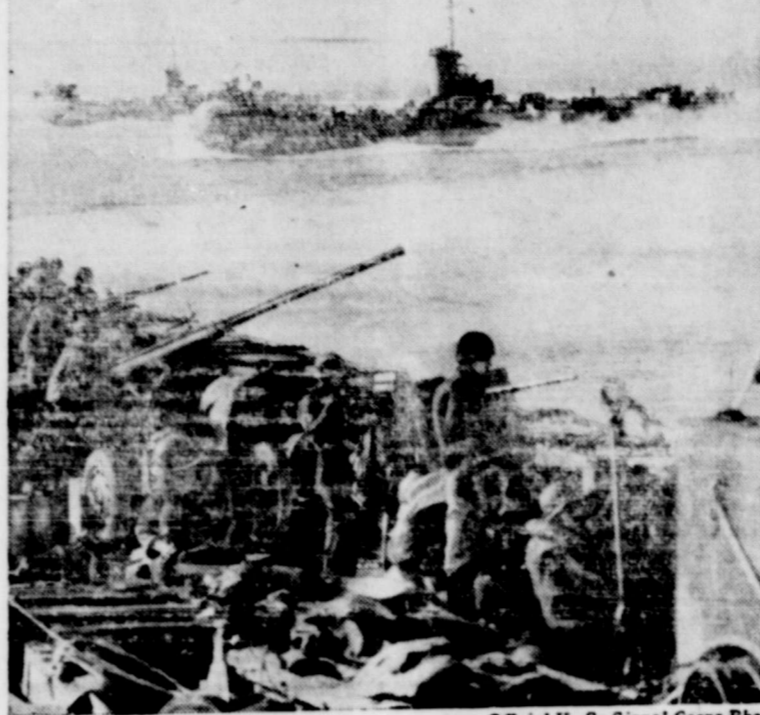
Other landings were being made at Tulagi, in the Florida Islands north of Guadalcanal, at Tananobago and Gavutu.

All the Marine actions were under the direction of Major General Alexander A. Vandegrift, now a full general and Commandant of the Marine Corps. He was



Official U. S. Coast Guard Photo

Marines, moving field pieces up a road on Okinawa, flatten out as sniper fire, from the hill in the background, rakes across the road. Two Japs lying in ambush, were killed after a short encounter.



Official U. S. Signal Corps Photo

Two LCI's (Landing Craft Infantry) from a vast armada of American ships head for a beachhead on a Pacific Island.

became the first 26-plane ace of World War II. He holds the Congressional Medal of Honor for his



Stymie Law

On V-Day, when fighting ends and the peoples of a plundered world begin shouting their joy and gratitude in a thousand tongues, aerial bombs and floating mines are going to seem pretty cheap. All treacherous and destructive machines will appear in their right light again. Their values will show as minus quantities. Then slow, cautious men will set to work getting rid of them.

But there are instruments of war more treacherous than floating mines, more ruinous than any block-buster ever devised. Uncle Sam will have one of these on his hands when war ends unless Congress does something about it. It is trained on American factories and farms now, ready to start a bombardment on Armistice Day and nothing can eliminate the serious menace but new legislation.

Congress Can Save.

The United States has a law against progress. It was not enacted to stop scientific and industrial development but, if it stays on the statute books in peace time, even for a short while, it will be a government freeze of creative work. It was passed five years ago to raise money for national defense and keep war-mongers from profiteering on the misfortunes of other people.

I am not criticizing the purposes of the act. America had to raise revenue quickly for defense, and right thinking people did not want to see a new crop of war-lords enriched with blood-money. Just the same, there ought to be a new act, worded to take effect on the day of victory, repealing certain provisions in the 1940 tax law which are war measures, ruinous to any people at peace.

Kills New Business.

The sense of the law is this: Add up all the profit a firm made in four pre-war years, 1936-1939 inclusive; figure 25% of the total and call it a sample pre-war year's profit. If a corporation earns more than that in any year of war, it must pay the government 85% of the difference in a special tax.

Small business concerns can't grow if the law stands. Really big corporations can escape being devastated. Some will want to expand further and can't, but they can stay big. Here is why: by percentage, not much of a giant corporation's business is ever new business; its profits (however big) grow slowly. Small firms, not so. What will be the net result?

Service to Humanity.

Thrifty little enterprises like you and I might form will be paralyzed. They can't expand because their dollars of increased profit will be split two ways, 15c to keep, and 85c for the government. Many will die, as losses on development of new products wipe out their meager capital. Huge firms, which have no need for substantial growth, can develop new products with no risk to their strong financial position.

A big company's losses on new developments can be used to reduce taxes on profits from old business. In this way, government pays more than four-fifths of such losses for big concerns. It must be remembered, however, that big corporations are too few to solve the nation's post-war employment problem.

Small companies employ more than 80% of the nation's workers. They handle the lion's share of our national income. What their employees eat makes farm prosperity. If these little firms see a chance to earn a profit, they will get ready for peace. . . . new business and new jobs in large numbers. But if until V-Day they remain scared to expand, America is stymied and so is the world.

which is now rocking the very foundations of the Japanese empire.

August 7, 1942, also marked the beginning of the end of a Japanese dream.

Military observers have called the struggle for Guadalcanal one of the most important battles in world history, and the men who fought there the champions of our civilization.

To continue the prosecution of this war and keep faith with the Marines who fought at Guadalcanal, the Corps' fighting strength must be kept up to par. Captain Robert E. Rain Jr., officer in charge of the Marine recruiting and induction office in Dallas, said that vacancies exist in the Marine Women's Reserve. He added that 17 year old youths can voluntarily enlist.

Improved Credit Service Available To Farmers

W. H. McCandless, Secretary-Treasurer of the Haskell County National Farm Loan Association, on his return from a meeting in Lubbock of secretary-treasurers in this part of the state, said that amendments to the Federal Farm Loan Act will provide improved long term credit service to agriculture.

"The amendments permit Land Bank loans of 65 per cent of the normal agricultural value of a farm or ranch," he said. "The legislation also permits the Land Bank under certain conditions to purchase notes and mortgages of the Federal Farm Mortgage Cor-

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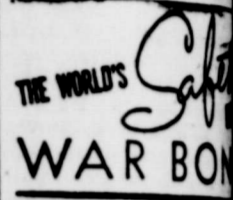
poration. This would reduce the interest rate on Land Bank Commissioner loans acquired by the Land Bank from 5 per cent to the Land Bank's rate of 4 per cent, and also give the borrower the advantage of having only one creditor."

"Other provisions in amendments to the Farm Loan Act will speed up closing of loans through the association on long-term Land Bank loans. These betterments are the result of continuous effort by the associations and the Land Bank to improve their service to agriculture. During the past two years the Haskell County N. F. L. A. received \$15,000 in dividends from the Land Bank, of which \$7,500 was put into the association's reserves and \$7,500 was paid to farmers and ranchers in this territory in stock dividends." The

dividends makes the Federal Land Bank 4 per cent per annum.

ON HONOR ROLL AT BUSINESS SCHOOL

Mrs. Ida Lou Gray, attending Draughton's Business College, Abilene, Texas, is a high ranking student whose name appears on the honor roll of the school this month.



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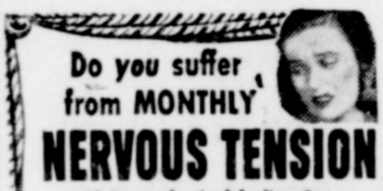
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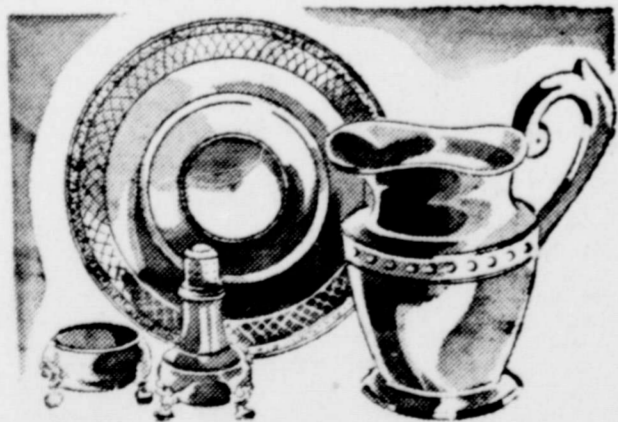
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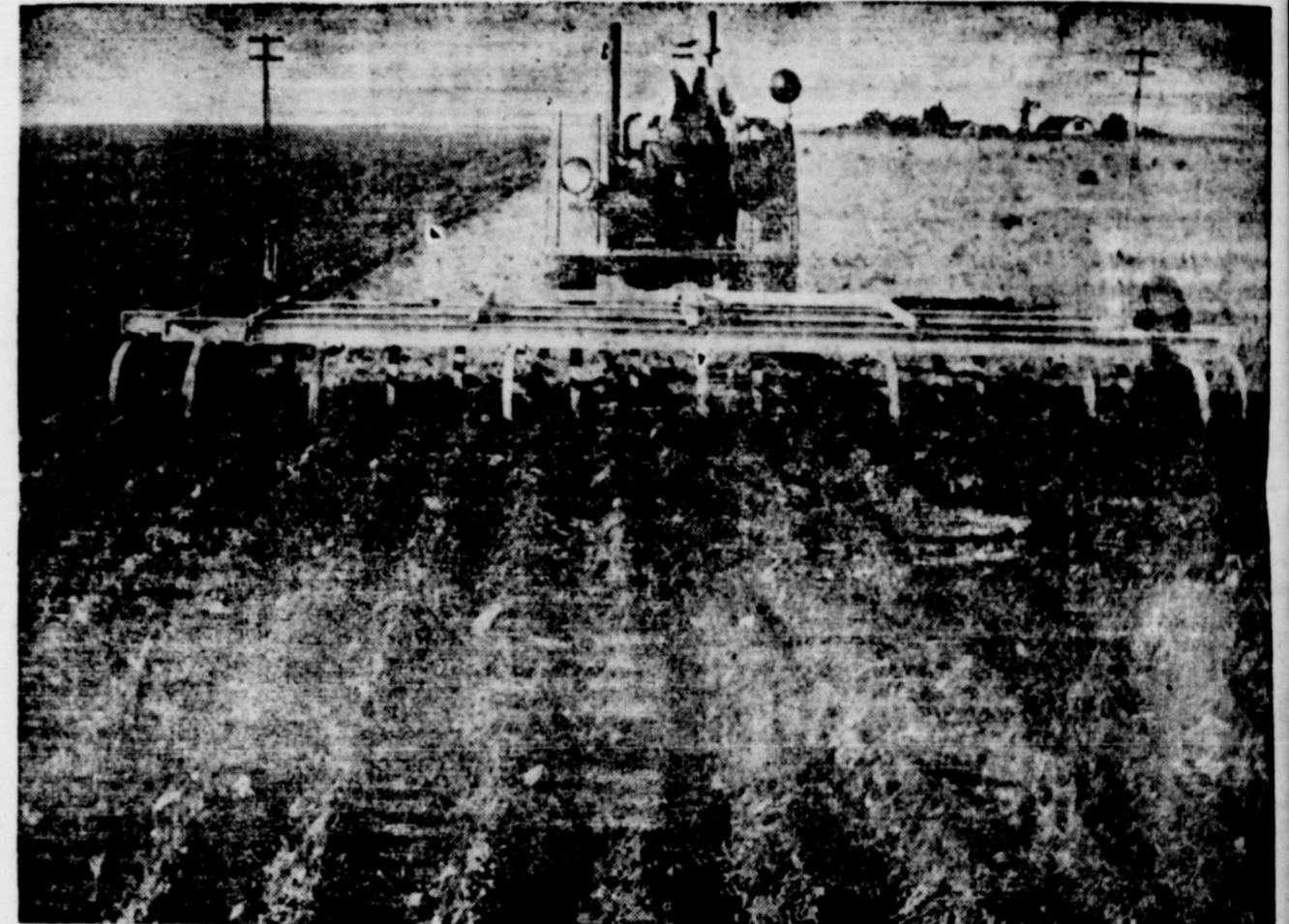
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Weinert News

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Pvt. Harold L. Stone, Jr., Gulfport, Miss., 20, smiles because War Bonds healed his arm, fractured by a bullet in France. He had been searching houses for Nazi and was crawling out to escape enemy shelling when the blow struck.



Sgt. Norris Pendergrass, Roseburg, Ore., 21, suffered a broken leg, broken jaw and flesh wounds when Nazi threw a grenade into tank in which he was riding. All his wounds are mending satisfactorily because War Bonds provided him with the best medical care overseas and in America.



Permanently washed out of the war when a rifle grenade blew up close to his left foot in France, P.F.C. Martin Grubanowitch, 20, Milwaukee, Wis., of the Rangers says War Bonds are the best investment people can make. They are restoring him to civilian usefulness. He says buy War Bonds.



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Q. My brother is a civilian employed by the War Department overseas. He wrote us that he was injured and received the Purple Heart. Can civilians get this decoration?
A. Yes, United States civilians serving with the Army who receive wounds as the result of enemy action which necessitate treatment by a medical officer are eligible to receive the Purple Heart.

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RULE NEWS

HERE AND THERE

Lt. Clois Henry of Monroe, La., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Henry in Rule last week.

Mrs. Virgil Hunt, Mrs. I. W. McCain and son Herbie visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. Margie Westbrook in Fort Worth last week.

Mrs. Ewell Kittley and Mrs. Ida Hunt were shopping in Haskell Friday.

D. P. Fuller of Haskell was a Rule visitor last Thursday.

Miss Wynona Wofford of Stamford visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Carroll in Rule last Thursday.

Mrs. Emma Glover of Ft. Worth visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Webb and other relatives in Rule recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Denson had as their guests last week and their daughter Cadet Nurse Billie Jean Denson of San Angelo and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rufe Denson of Guthrie.

Mrs. Alex Green and daughter Wanda Nelle of Haskell were the week end guests in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Kittley.

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THE ARMY ANSWERS YOUR WAR PROBLEMS

Your questions on allotments, insurance, legal problems or other matters as they relate to Army personnel and their dependents will be answered in this column or by letter. Write Headquarters, Eighth Service Command, Dallas, 2, Texas.

Q. My son has 105 points, but he writes me that his job is essential and that he will not be discharged. Does that mean he will have to stay in the Army until the war with Japan is over?

A. Not necessarily. The Army is continually training replacements, particularly for those jobs which are classified as essential. As soon as sufficient replacements are available for these positions, men with high numbers of points will be released.

Q. Do soldiers who have been awarded the Congressional Medal of Honor have any special Army privileges?

A. Yes. They receive two dollars per month additional pay and may, at any time, request and receive a discharge.

Q. When a soldier divorces his wife, can he stop her family allowance?

A. Yes, unless the divorce decree stipulates that he shall pay alimony to her. In that event, she may receive a family allowance.

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PFC Wensee, 21, La. can smile because he has replaced his left arm with a machine gunned.



Marine PFC Albert Bolduc, 20, Ansonia, Conn., is getting around again after shrapnel fractured his right leg in the Saipan invasion. He urges folks to buy War Bonds and hold them to help treat other men now suffering from Nip shots.



Wounded while in the repair shop when his ship was hit by enemy plane, Cornelius Regan, 21, S 1/c, Bayonne, N. J., pleads for more War Bond sales to furnish medical supplies to mend others' wounds. Shrapnel sent him to the hospital.



Ensign Marion Burbridge feeds wounded Marine Corporal Joseph Blasko, 23, Scranton, Pa., who suffered a fractured femur of his left arm when struck by shrapnel at Iwo Jima. Food, equipment and medicine are supplied to thousands of wounded Navy personnel through the purchase of War Bonds. The need will continue until Japan is defeated. Bond buyers profit from the restored health of service men as well as from interest payments.

U. S. Treasury Department

LOOKING AHEAD

GEORGE S. BENSON
President—Harding College
Searcy, Arkansas

Dead Wood
20's I had frequent small but old and manufacturing corporations lunched with a gray-haired, the superintendent quite unhappy. They biggest contract. The was a young and firm whose needs had too large for the old to supply.

sons-in-law. I don't see any of this twice a year but they draw salaries as big as mine. We can't buy new equipment. Sometimes we are hard put to pay for current materials promptly.

This was 25 years ago when a lot of ranting (not altogether unjustified) was heard about the "idle rich." But the tables have turned. America's threat now is "idle poor." This is more dangerous because the poor are more numerous. Idle hands can ride any business to the ground because they retard production. In different workers are no less guilty than pampered payrollers.

Public Enemies
I was much impressed by an article in the Houston Press a few weeks ago, written by a returned service man. He had started to work in an office soon after he was discharged and, six weeks later, penned his contempt for civilian workers, men and women. They systematically fritter away 50% of their working time, he charged. They can do it because of the scarcity of workers.

There is an imported, alien doctrine that capitalists will make too much profit for the good of the public unless workers retard production some way. It is venomous. National enemies at whom American soldiers are thrusting bayonets today are relatively harmless. They are much less liable to do humanity permanent harm than the slick saboteurs who are...

ness in the minds of honest workers.

Work and Live

America's unique place among world powers, the singularly high standard of living among American workers and farmers, our national income and our national safety, depend on work. Ability and willingness to make things well and make them fast have put the United States on top of the world. It is the secret of American prosperity, but in a startling degree our people are being led away from the idea.

The world soon will be a market for manufactured goods, a market for millions of people in poverty. If America fails to supply their needs, quickly and at a price (possible with efficient production) then cheap-labor countries will take the business. Dead wood can cheat Uncle Sam out of world trade and leave us to stew again in our own over-supply, with low wages and poor living conditions which we don't want and which aren't necessary.

Frozen Hopes

Saying what a man earns, expressing it in cents per hour or dollars per year, does not tell much about the measure of prosperity he enjoys. Good living depends on so many things that change from time to time and differ from place to place. Prosperity depends, in very large part, on what people must pay for the things they need and want.

Putting the conveniences and luxuries of life in reach of a large number of people helps to build a nation's prosperity. Franklin's discovery of electricity became a great discovery when electric lights began costing less than oil lamps. The automobile became a great invention when cars were priced down where only rich people could afford to own carriage horses.

Paying for Service
Plain people pay richly for favors; plain people are so many. Names like Edison, McCormick and Ford stand for huge estates because these men did a real service for a lot of plain people. It is because they hoisted a wholesome standard of living in a free country. Thousands of men have done the same thing on a smaller scale and profited handsomely.

Actually, the thing that inspires mechanical inventors to invent, the thing that fires scientific explorers to explore, is the chance to earn from a free people the rich reward for a valuable service. Once upon a time in the United States of America men who had ideas could afford to develop them. They can't do it now. How I hope those days soon return.

Big Ideas on Sale
Edison, McCormick and Ford didn't need to hawk their ideas, neither did Bissell, Denton, Parker and O'Sullivan, but Foster Gunnison had to sell his. Gunnison's inventions came later. Do you ask, "Who is this Gunnison man?" Well, he is a great inventor, not yet famous. But, unless I miss my guess, he is America's post-war Henry Ford.

Gunnison invented a prefabricated house and worked out a plan to build it in mass production. His units were scientifically constructed, insulation built in, thoroughly modern in every detail. Individually, his house models are so different that a tourist might drive past 100 of them in a row and never guess that they were drawn by the same architect.

Alike and Different
I could talk for hours about Gunnison houses. They come in eight sizes with great variety in looks. They are far better than any house possible to build of old-line materials in any community for the same money. They have everything from bathtub to garbage grinder, economy and convenience; a poor man's palace, amortized to \$1 a day. But the inventor sold to the U. S. Steel Corporation.—Why?

He lacked capital and, under today's tax laws, never could make much profit. The giant corporation can run the project in the red and deduct early losses from war profits, most of which the government will take anyway. Unless our war-time tax laws are changed, every fertile idea in this inventive nation will have to hatch under the wing of some huge corporation that exists already.

RETURN TO HOME IN MORTON, TEXAS

Mrs. James St. Clair and children of Morton, Texas returned home Friday after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fouts and her sister, Mrs. Harold Spain.

VISITING RELATIVES IN RULE

Mrs. Callie Burt and daughter Rose of Houston, are visiting Mrs. Burt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Mowell, her brother, William Mowell, of Rule, and her sister, Irene Rike.

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Uphold Wages

Everybody who is willing and able to work is working harder these days; moving faster during regular hours and putting in overtime. Pressure of war, shortage of workers and prevailing high wages are the cause. A larger personal income, beneficial to all classes, is one of the direct results. We would all like to carry this feature over into the post-war years.

Philip Murray of the CIO had the right idea when he went to President Truman a few weeks ago and asked for a 20% increase in basic wage rates. Average wages in the United States at that time were \$1.04 an hour. This may seem high enough but it can't last. As soon as the war is over, labor's income will decline some, in spite of everything that can be done about it.

Losses to Labor.
Bonuses will disappear when the pressure of government contracts is removed. Working weeks will be shorter. Overtime will shrink to the vanishing point. Besides, high-wage munition factories will close down and their employees will take work where wages are lower, some on farms. If the basic wage scale is not higher when war ends, labor's income will suffer too much.

Farmers have hard times when factory workers do. The wage earner's dinner table is the farmer's market, so nobody is more interested in high wages in factories than the farmers themselves. Agriculture and labor, both big segments of Americans, are right behind Mr. Murray for good wages immediately after the war because prosperity for many years will depend on it.

Bug in the Lotion
The only disappointing detail in connection with the CIO's campaign for post-war prosperity is this: Mr. Murray's first move was an effort to make high wages legal rather than to make them possible. Lawgivers have been trying for centuries to make people pay what they didn't have. It can't be done. It makes no difference what the wage scale is if the employer can't meet it.

A high basic wage scale recorded upon the ponderous pages of federal statute books will not buy milk for any working man's baby. Folding money in the pay-envelope, however, will do the trick. Any employer will put cash in his workers' hands, in steadily increasing quantities, so long as he can still show a profit on the products that his organization ships out from his factory.

Congress Has Key
There is a happy solution to this wage problem. If plant owners can be enabled to install new, modern equipment as needed, factory output per man-hour will increase steadily. This justifies better wages without raising prices and this is the combination that makes quick markets and prosperity. Problem: Will Congress let industry buy new machinery?

Still in force in America are our war-time tax laws, taking over 90% of corporation earnings. They make profits in business thin and uninteresting to investors; increased production next to impossible. Congress holds the key. Plenty of good jobs at good pay can develop after the war if new tax laws are prepared now and announced now to take effect the day Japan surrenders.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Lewis and children, Gene and Betty Sue of Hawley visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Paxton Saturday.

Things you want to know ABOUT TIRES

Q. When will tires be available again without ration restrictions?
A. Experts predict that new tires will not be available without restriction until after final victory. The big job today is make your present tires last.

Q. How can I make my tires last to see me through until new tires are available?
A. Stop at the sign of skilled service. Our trained tire specialists will give your tires complete, regular tire inspection and expert, prompt service.

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To lower the incidence of undulant fever all dairymen are asked to cooperate with the State Department of Health by removing cattle infected with Bang's disease from their herds as soon as the disease is discovered. Even if the milk is made safe for human consumption by pasteurization, infected cows are still a menace to health since they can transmit the disease to healthy animals and to their owner and other persons who handle them.

"Undulant fever," Dr. Cox said, "is one health menace we can eradicate in our State through absolutely safe milk supplies from dairy herds free from Bang's disease."

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U. S. COAST GUARD

The United States Coast Guard was 155 years old August 4. One succinct sentence or even a short paragraph is far too inadequate to sum up 155 years of service—especially the service of the United States Coast Guard, which since its inception by Alexander Hamilton as the Revenue Cutter Service has participated in eight wars, and has carried on peacetime activities ranging from lifesaving, tending of 40,000 aids to navigation, to merchant marine inspection and air-sea rescue.

Religious Education, sponsor of the program.

Using the theme, "Character for a Free World," 40 Protestant denominations and 133 state, provincial and city councils of churches and religious education will cooperate for community-wide observances.

"America today enjoys an enviable position among the world of nations," Dr. Ross declared. "Her place in the life of the world has stemmed from the fact that her institutions, social patterns, and policies have been founded on spiritual foundations. Her ability to maintain world leadership will depend upon the quality of her internal life and the extent to which she is true to her Christian heritage."

GOOD ADVICE TO RETAILERS

There is probably no better posted man in the United States on the art of retailing, than Dr. Paul Nystrom, president of Limited Price Variety Stores Association, and professor of marketing at Columbia University.

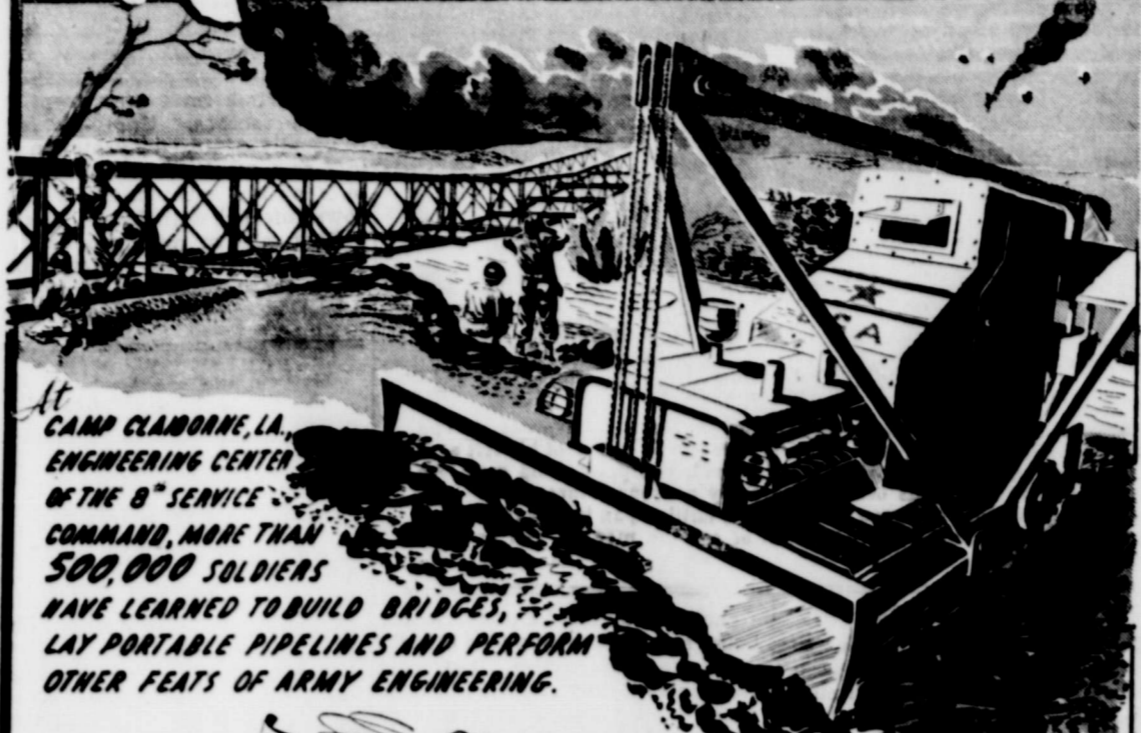
He says that the small store owner's role in postwar distribution is "doing a better job of storekeeping than he ever did before."

From this standpoint, the small store is in exactly the same position as the largest chain store, and both will succeed or fail by the same techniques.

Specifically, Dr. Nystrom points out that the little retailer can improve his display, improve his selling technique, and improve his choice of merchandise to meet the requirements of his particular customers.

Small retailers who heed such advice need have few worries about competitors.

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MAY 1904

LOOKING AHEAD
GEORGE S. BENSON
Principal—Haskell College
Sentry, Arkansas

HASKELL COUNTY HISTORY

Brief Items Taken from Old Copies of The Free Press

20 Years Ago—August 14, 1925

Carpenters are busy this week remodeling the front of the Haskell theater, which will make it much more attractive when the work is finished.

A group of Hamlin boosters, traveling in a caravan of 30 cars, visited Haskell Monday for the purpose of advertising a three-day picnic to be held in that city next week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Waldrop and children and Mrs. M. S. Pierson of Abilene spent several days in Haskell this week visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pierson.

County Agent W. P. Trice has returned from College Station, where he attended the annual Short Course held at Texas A&M College.

Work is progressing rapidly on the new city water well being dug just south of the square, and Water Superintendent H. J. Hambleton expects to complete the well within the next ten days.

Considerable repair work is being done on the Jud Gin to place it in shape for the expected heavy run this season.

Judge and Mrs. L. D. Ratliff and daughters Marjorie and Frances have returned from a vacation trip to Galveston, Houston, Waco and Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Hudson and Virgil Reynolds spent several days in Fort Worth last week.

D. L. Cummins Jr., is home from Austin, where he has been attending a military school.

Miss Madeline Harrison of Denton is visiting the families of W. B. and R. L. Harrison this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kendrick

and son Fred have returned from Winters, where they have been visiting their daughter and sister, Mrs. Dewey Speers.

Mayor Hardy Grissom has returned from St. Louis, where he bought the fall stocks of merchandise for the Grissom stores.

The Posey & Hunt grocery has added a meat market to their

store.

T. W. Johnson reports the sale and delivery this week of a new Saxon Six automobile to Prof. H. E. Bell of this city. E. E. Marvin also sold and delivered this week a new Studebaker to Rev. Miller of Rochester.

S. A. Huskey, who recently took over the Haskell Bottling Works, states that his business has more than doubled during the past few weeks and he contemplates adding considerable new equipment to take care of the increased patronage.

Miss Vivian Smith has returned home after spending several days in Anson with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Dietzler of Altus, Okla., visited Mrs. J. S. Rike and other relatives here this week.

Officers at Giddings, Texas, arrested and are bringing to Haskell a man charged with complicity in the burglaries at Weinert a few weeks ago.

Judge J. E. Poole returned this week from Austin, where he attended the meeting of the Farmers Institute.

City Marshal Alex Edwards arrested a negro man Monday, who was carrying a pistol. After relieving the negro of his artillery, Marshal Edwards started with him to the courthouse, when the negro broke and ran eluding the officer.

At the rate of speed he was making when last seen, the colored boy should be in Canada by now, the officer declares.

The Haskell Telephone Company plans to put in a telephone at Wagon Creek, mid-way between Throckmorton and Seymour. It will be free to the public and will be a great convenience to freighters and automobilists who may need assistance or want information.

R. C. Couch of the Haskell National Bank, who has been nursing a severe case of the mumps for several days, is reported much improved.

Mart Clifton left Wednesday evening for Fort Worth. He will bring back a new Hudson Six car recently purchased by his father, M. A. Clifton.

It is estimated the profits of the Texas cattlemen this year, because of the increased value of cattle, will be about ten million dollars. This is in addition to the usual profit, and is quite an addition to the income of the stockmen.

The U. S. warship Marblehead has been sent to the Mediterranean for the protection of American interests in Syria.

D. W. Courtwright, in an advertisement, announced that because there had not been a market for cotton in Haskell in previous years he had made arrangements for money with which to buy cotton this fall, that he would take all that was offered at the best price the market will allow.

Some one has brought a bunch of East Texas mosquitoes across the quarantine line, and as a result all the native mosquitoes have died of Texas fever.

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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION WEEK

Protestant churches and other religious agencies of rural and urban areas of the United States and Canada will unite in the observance of the 15th annual Religious Education Week, September 30 to October 7, giving emphasis to the building of Christian character, it was announced by Dr. Roy G. Ross, general secretary of the International Council of

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Paying Parliament

How would you like to be elected to the board of governors of the finest country club you ever saw? Unless you are an exceptional person, you can't afford such a job. It uses a lot of time and there's no salary connected with it. Helping to boss a lovely palace in the middle of a big playground is fun (I imagine) but it's an expensive pastime.

People who habit such spots to enjoy their spare time are in the financial upper brackets. If they work at all, they do things they enjoy doing, or perhaps they do a few jobs nobody else can do as well. Such wealthy people are usually competent but they engage others to handle their routine work. This leisurely class is growing steadily smaller, but it still exists.

Work Well Done
A rich country club is proverbially well managed. It does not need to economize and cut corners, but that's only part of the story. It is governed by men of singular ability with spare time, who like their club and take personal interest in it. They have no better minds than men who hustle for business and use their wives for stenographers, but excellence thrives on calm deliberation.

By the way, Mrs. Harry S. Truman used to serve her husband as secretary when he was senator from Missouri. The President told it himself to the press while he was discussing the proposal to allow additional expense pay to representatives.

It would be hard to find stronger testimony that members of the Congress of the United States need better compensation for the work they do.

No Time to Think
In every practical sense, members of Congress have been elected to the board of governors of the world's grandest country—not a country club. They represent important segments of people who have chosen them to help boss (not a playground) the most influential power under the shining sun, and, until early last June, they got \$10,000 a year—the pay of a junior executive.

One of America's ugliest habits is criticizing Congress for shortcomings that result directly from being poorly paid. No one man can study all the profound issues congressmen must vote on, and no \$10,000 man can afford to pay experts to digest them. Often congressmen use precious hours doing chores for people back home because they can't afford enough competent assistants.

A Good Man's Job
Many sons labor intemperately. Rep. Doughton, who is past 81, rises regularly at 5:00 a.m., and starts his 12-hour day at 6:30; this after 34 years in the House and 14 years chairman of the Ways & Means Committee. What \$100,000 official of industry claims to be worth more to his firm than Doughton is to his state and nation? American legislators are top-flight, except in pay.

Must we send rich men to Congress because poor men lack funds to finance the job, or can't afford to maintain an extra home in wealthy Washington? Do we want incompetents on Capitol Hill who stay there because they could never earn so much anywhere else? The answer is "no" of course; America can afford the best. Then congratulate your congressman on this increase and don't let him wait 20 years for the next one.

WAR BONDS in Action



Official Navy photo. Conference, Navy Secty. Forrestal discusses war in Pacific with Vice Admiral R. K. Turner (left), Gen. H. M. Smith, USMC, and Rear Admiral Harry Hill (right) on the deck of ship War Bonds helped provide.

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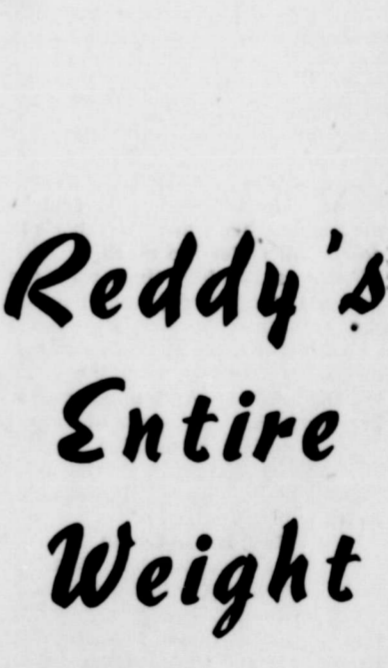
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FOR SALE— 200 young hens and pullets, \$1.00 each if all are taken. 15 acres of land with 6 room house, good hog pasture, plenty of outbuildings, located 2 blocks west of Tysinger station. J. J. Jowers. h10p
FURNITURE FOR SALE—
FOR SALE— Ice refrigerator. See or call Mrs. W. O. Whitley. Phone 191. h17p
FOR SALE— Good pre-war gas range. Apply at Gratex Service Station. h10c
FOR SALE— Oil burning Super-refrigerator. See Mrs. C. C. Middleton. h10p
FOR SALE— Iron bedstead, spring, mattress. See Mrs. Woodrow Frazier or phone 162. h10c

FOR SALE— 5 cubic foot Electric Refrigerator, completely rebuilt, A1 condition. H. C. King, Haskell, Texas. h10p
SEED—
FOR SALE— Hibred cotton seed. See Giles Kemp, at Tonkawa Hotel. f8fc
LIVESTOCK—
FOR SALE— Registered Jersey Bull, about 18 months old. J. T. Kirby, 5 miles northwest of Haskell. g17p
PIGS FOR SALE— Mrs. Gus Puschell, Rt. 1, Haskell, Tex. 9-20-p.
WANTED— Fryers and hens. Highest market price. Kelsey Nelson, Tonkawa Coffee Ship. g13fc
FLOOR SANDING—
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FOR SALE— Six foot M-M Combine, in good condition. Also practically new M-M 3 Disc breaking plow. See Clay Kimbrough, Jr. h10p
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FOR SALE— Easy to plug in Automatic Water Systems and 8-foot windmill, Fairbanks-Morse. Trice Hatchery. h17p
FOR SALE— F 30 Farmall with new tires; two row equipment, one-way plow, 10 disc, all in good condition. See Theo Burson. h24p
FOR SALE— Regular Farmall tractor on rubber, 2 row cultivator, and 2 row planter, new tribble disc plow, all in good shape. All \$400. See Theo Burson. h24p

LOST AND FOUND—
 LOST—22 Winchester. Initials W. O. W. carved under plate on butt of gun. Return to Free Press office. W. O. Whitley. h17p
USED CARS—
WANT TO TRADE— 41 Ford Tudor Coach for '41 Pick-Up in good condition. See car at Dennis or Delma Williams' home in Foster community. h10p
FOR SALE— '36 Ford coupe, fair condition. See J. A. (Alf) Bartley. h10p
FOR SALE— Two-ton Chain Hoist in A-1 condition. Pan-handle Garage. h10c
WANTED— Will pay the highest cash price for your car if it is clean. Any make, any model. John E. Robison at the Gratex Station. j8fc

FARMS FOR SALE—
FOR SALE— 5-room house and 2 lots, two blocks from hospital. Priced at \$1,900. See W. A. Holt. h10c
WANT TO RENT or buy a house. Must be reasonable. Inquire at Free Press. h10p
FARM FOR SALE
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FRUIT—
PEACHES IN ORCHARD— Elbertas, Indian, and other varieties. All summer until frost. 7 miles northwest of Weinert. Adolph Havran. h17p
CAN WHILE YOU CAN friends here. Acres of Peas. Miles of clean, smooth, mellow Peas and Apples. Visit us a day. SHANKS NURSERY APPLE ORCHARD Largest in Texas 1-2 Mile North of Clyde h31p
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USED CLOTHES— Look! Over 150 Ladies Dresses, sizes 14 to 44, Girls dresses 2 year to 12. Skirts, Blouses, Slacks and 50 pairs Shoes, all sizes. Coats, Slacks Suits, Sweaters, Shirts, Pants, hard-to-get items such as Men's Shorts, sizes 26 to 40, Men's and Boys T-Shirts, all in excellent condition. See these big bargains six days a week all hours, on Ballew St. first house west of Mrs. C. D. Grissom, 4 blocks west of the Presbyterian Church. Mrs. Cecil Lackey. h10c
MISCELLANEOUS
FOR SALE— Practically new \$159 stock saddle. Gratex Service Station. h10c

JOINS MERCHANT MARINES
 Hershel L. Baker of Lubbock left last week for duty with the Merchant Marines. For the present he will be stationed at Avalon, California. He has a brother, Charles, who is in the Seabees and is now in Alaska. They are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Baker of Lubbock.
SCHOOL WORK DAY AT MATTSOON AUG. 15TH
 All parons of the Mattson school district are urged to come to the school building Wednesday morning, August 15th for an all day working at the school house. Everyone is expected to bring a basket lunch and help out with the work and enjoy a day of friendly association.—H. Howard Homsley, Supt.
ANNOUNCEMENT
 My office will be closed every Thursday afternoon and open from 9-12 a. m. on Thursday mornings for special appointments only, until November 1st. Dr. Gertrude Robinson. h17c
FOR SALE— Cream Peas and quackless ducks. See Mrs. J. R. Barnett. h10p
LET ME MAKE your Well Rings, also house blocks. See me at my home three blocks north of postoffice. R. L. Greenwood. h31p

"REACHING FOR YOUR HAND, MY SON"
 My sweet, I love you yet, My eyes are filled with tears; I'm reaching for your hand down through the lonely years. I fain would hold you near, I know you understand. That in my darkest hour, I'm reaching for your hand, I'm reaching for your hand, I'm reaching for your hand, I'm reaching for your hand, I'm reaching for your hand. When comes the final hour, my Saviour will command, I'll greet you then, my sweet son By reaching for your hand. In memory of my darling son, Elmer, Jr.—Pearl Pace.
HAVE IN STOCK—
 2 Cotton Dusters.
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 Protein, with all minerals and vitamin added that are essential for production. 100 lb. sack—In Attractive Print Bag
- MARKET DAIRY FEED** \$3.00
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- MARKET GROWING MASH** \$3.80

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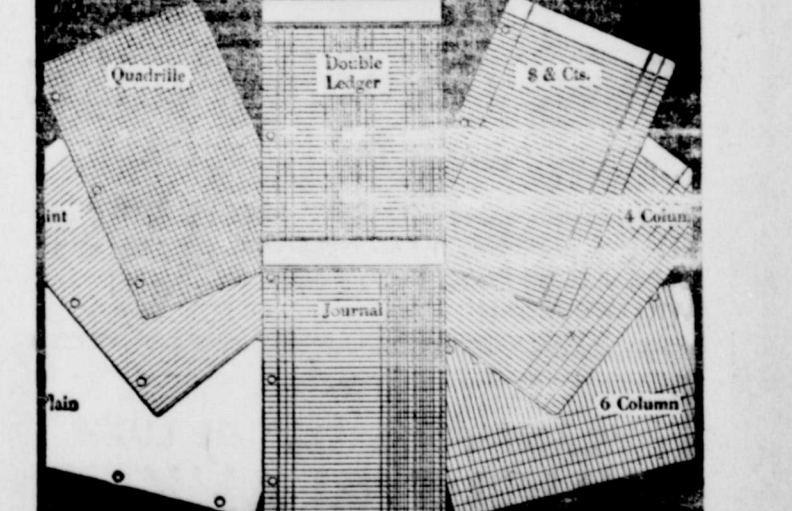
- WHEAT (little trashy, but still cheap) \$2.55
- SWEET FEED (no paper mistake) \$2.10
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- EGGS (I don't want rotten ones) 30c doz.
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Saturday August 11—
LEO CARILLO and TOM NEAL in
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Also: DOG, CAT, and CANARY

Saturday Night OWL SHOW 11 p. m.—
ALLEN JONES and GRACE McDONALD in
HONEYMOON AHEAD
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Sunday and Monday August 12-13—

EDDIE BRACKEN and VERONICA LAKE
OUT OF THIS WORLD
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Tuesday and Wednesday August 14-15—

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Thursday and Friday August 16-17—

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HERE COMES THE CO-EDS
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VISITING IN HOMES OF RELATIVES

Mrs. Lula Dyer of Vernon and Mrs. Lovie Salter of Mission are visiting this week with relatives. Mrs. Sarah Holt, Mrs. Opal Barber, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Holt, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Holt and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Holt and family of this city and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Johnson of Stamford.

RETURNS FROM VISIT IN BRYAN, TEXAS

Mrs. Ethel Kirkpatrick spent several days last week with her husband who is stationed at Bryan, Texas. He has recently been promoted to Sergeant. Mrs. Kirkpatrick returned home by way of Dallas where she joined Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bagwell of Stamford. They were accompanied home by

Mrs. Jimmie McCrary of Dallas who will visit in the home of her mother Mrs. I. W. Kirkpatrick and other relatives in Haskell and her sister, Mrs. Bagwell of Stamford.

SPENDING VACATION IN CORPUS CHRISTI

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Fouts left Wednesday for a two weeks vacation in Corpus Christi.

AAA FARM NEWS

PERFORMANCE REPORT DEADLINE

August 15th is the final date for filing performance reports for soil building practices carried out by August 1st.

Only about 50 per cent of the reports have been filed to date. Failure to report will result in loss of payment that might be due a producer for practices already carried out. Some of the practices that must be reported by August 15th include contour farming, seeding small grain on contour, summer fallow, strip cropping and green manure and cover crops.

PAYMENTS TO SELLERS OF SHEEP AND LAMBS

The following word has been received by the AAA Office in Haskell:

"Program announced today authorized CCC payments to all sellers of sheep and lambs who sell directly to legally authorized slaughterers. Sales on and after August 5 through June 30, 1946 will be covered. Payments to be made by AAA County Committee will be \$1.50 to \$2.50 per hundred weight for lambs weighing 65 to 90 pounds, \$2.15 for lambs over 90 pounds and \$1.00 for all other sheep and lambs."

All sellers should retain invoices and receipts for sales and present to AAA Office, Haskell, Texas.

HAIRY VETCH SEED

Orders have been placed with the County AAA Office for 1200 pounds of Hairy Vetch Seed by Paul Russell and H. D. Gammill of the Rochester community. Mr. Russell placed an order for 1000 pounds to be planted on his

farm northwest of Rochester. He plans to drill the seed sometime during October or November at which time he will apply about 100 pounds of superphosphate per acre.

Mr. Gammill will plant about 20 acres to Vetch on his farm southeast of Rochester. The seed are furnished farmers by the Triple A under the Conservation Materials and Service Plan.

Under this plan the seed are furnished farmers at no immediate cost. Under the 1945 program the seed cost around 13 1-2 cents per pound and the payment rate for planting the seed was 13 cents per pound. The actual cost to the farmer was about 50 cents per hundred pounds. Austrian Winter Peas are also available through the local AAA.

Anyone interested in either the Austrian Winter Peas or Vetch are urged to contact the AAA Office at Haskell for additional information. Austrian Winter Peas and Vetch have both been ordered and a small supply of each is still available.

DEEP BREAKING ON SANDY SOIL

A recent check of the performance reports filed in the County Triple A Office shows that 132 farms carried out the soil building practice of deep breaking on sandy soil. The total acreage broke was 6093 acres. This practice is only applicable to the sandy soil and Vetch carried out in the O'Brien, Cliff, Rochester, Jud and Rule communities.

The practice is for the purpose of controlling wind erosion and to increase production. Requirements are that the land be broke not less than 10 inches deep in order to bring to the surface the underlying clay.

WHEAT INSURANCE DEADLINE

A larger number of wheat producers have contacted the AAA Office this week for detailed information in regard to the 1946 Wheat Insurance Program. A higher per cent have filed their applications earlier than under previous programs.

Wheat producers have only this month to file their applications for wheat insurance as the final date is August 31, 1946.

WANT ADS

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY—

FOUND—Federal Use Tax Stamp on Motor Vehicles. Make, Plymouth. Model, 1933 Sedan. State Tag No. DF8028. Call at Free Press. h10c

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In Belgium



Sgt. Frank Moeller, above, is with U. S. Army forces in Belgium. Through error, his picture was published last week as that of Pfc. Walter Moeller, who is in the Philippines. The soldiers are cousins.

Cpl. M. S. Sellers In U.S. After 28 Months Overseas

Presque Isle, Maine.—T-5 M. S. Sellers, 23, veteran of 28 months service as an Engineer in the European theater of operations, arrived at the Presque Isle Army Air Field August 1 aboard an Air Transport Command plane of the North Atlantic Division's Snowball fleet. He is the husband of Mrs. Ernestine Sellers of Knox City, Texas.

Snowball is the name of an Army air transport operation which has been running to Europe since

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July, 1944. During the winter and spring, the outfit brought back over 7,000 litter patients from Orly Field, Paris. Currently the fleet is carrying ex-combat boys home for redeployment. Snowball also operates a line from Presque Isle, Me., to Stockholm, Sweden.

County HD Council Holds Regular Meeting

The Haskell County Home Demonstration Council met in regular session in the court room Saturday August 4 at 2:30 p. m. with a large crowd present representing eight clubs. Three clubs reported outstanding work for the month.

Committees reporting were Miss Nora Walters, Education; Mrs. Cecil Hutchinson, Expansion; Mrs. Freeby, Marketing; Mrs. Joe Holcomb, Recreation; Mrs. Louise Merchant, 4-H Sponsors.

The president, Mrs. Marshall appointed the Achievement Day Committee, Mrs. Cliff Dunnam, Mrs. Floyd McGuire and Mrs. W. E. Johnson.

Each club member will make something to sell on Achievement Day.

Miss Newman gave reports. Miss Minnick and Miss Newman will give a demonstration on frozen foods for lockers Saturday afternoon August 11 at the schoolhouse.

Plans for the encampment were discussed and completed. Mrs. Clyde Taylor gave a book review on "The Townsman."

Clubs represented at the meeting were New Mid, Mattson, Dennis Chapel, Lucky, Liberty, Bluebonnet, Center Point and Jossellett.

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