

# STERLING CITY NEWS-RECORD

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## Sterling Marine Said He Would Die for His Flag And Country-Back in '40



**Corporal Durwood Rhoden, U.S.M.C., KILLED ON SAIPAN**

Cpl. E. Durwood Rhoden, U.S. M.C., who was killed in action by the Japs on Saipan recently wrote and delivered a speech while he was a senior in Sterling City High School in 1940 entitled "AMERICANISM." In the speech he declared that he would die for his country if necessary. Durwood paid the supreme sacrifice. His speech, delivered in March, 1940 and took first prize, was as follows:

### AMERICANISM

As I see the Stars and Stripes of our flag, I am more thankful than ever that I live in this great country of ours, and thankful too for that which our flag stands for—liberty and justice for all.

We should be glad that we live in a country where one can lie down to sleep without the fear of crashing, destructive bombs killing, maiming and destroying our homes and cities. Where every American citizen has the privilege of freedom of speech, freedom of press and freedom of religion without fear of a firing squad or the gallows at dawn. Of course America is not perfect and never will be. She has some very bad points; for example, the slums of New York City and other great cities throughout the nation, and the corrupt city governments that sometimes cause these conditions, but steps are being taken to wipe out these blotches, whereas in Europe things become worse day by day.

We should all do our part to make our country a better place in which to live. Remember those people which were the first to settle on the New England coast and the hardships they had to endure. Remember the War for Independence with England. We admire those who fought in this uneven struggle for freedom. They went through untold hardships without the proper food and clothing for any army, but they were fighting for a just cause and the War for Independence was won. After the War for Independence, men sold their rich New England farms and headed into new perils and hardships to build new homes in a new country. Then came the greatest tragedy in American history, the Civil War, where brother fought brother and the country was almost destroyed. But after

## Jeff Davis Starts Contracting Fall Lambs

Jeff Davis, Sterling livestock dealer, has opened the lamb buying market by contracting for approximately 16,000 head of feeder lambs for fall delivery. Jeff will ship these lambs to the feed pens and wheat fields.

The lambs were all bought here in Sterling County from Aaron Clark, J. T. Davis, J. L. Glass, George McEntire, Jack Mims, W. B. Atkinson, Claude Collins, and Fowler McEntire.

As far as we know, this is the first contracting for fall lambs in the state.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Roy Morgan of Rankin were visitors at the D. C. Durhams the first part of the week.

1st Lt. C. T. Ducote spent last week-end at his wife's parents, the W. W. Durhams. Lt. and Mrs. Ducote and their little daughter, Linda Jean, returned to Eagle Pass Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Brown are attending a Boy Scout leaders meeting today at Camp Fawcett near Uvalde. Ted is district finance chairman.

the last shot had been fired and the last slave had been freed, these people re-united and once more began to rebuild their country. Next came the World War. Thousands of our young men were killed and more thousands were crippled for life, but they were fighting for an honorable cause, their rights and their country.

Now there is another war in Europe. I shall do all I can to prevent my country from entering this war, but if my country should choose to enter I will follow and die, if need be, for my country and my flag.—Durwood Rhoden.

Cpl. Rhoden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Rhoden, now of Kerrville, received the following letter last week from the Marine Corps Commandant:

July 17, 1944

My dear Mr. and Mrs. Rhoden:

It is a source of profound regret to me and his comrades in the Marine Corps that your son, Cpl. Emmett D. Rhoden, U.S.M.C., lost his life in action against the enemies of his country and I wish to express my deepest sympathy to you and members of your family in your great loss.

There is little I can say to lessen your grief but it is my earnest hope that the knowledge of your son's splendid record in the service and the thought that he nobly gave his life in the performance of his duty may in some measure comfort you in this sad hour.

Sincerely yours,

A. A. Vandergrift

Lieutenant General, U.S.M.C. Commandant of the Marine Corps

## Results of Democratic Primary Held in Sterling County July 22

### J. L. Copeland, 74, Dead Funeral Rites Held Monday

John L. Copeland, 74, Sterling City ranchman, died in a hospital at 12:05 a. m. Sunday where he had been undergoing treatment for the past six days.

Funeral services were conducted from the First Methodist Church at 3:30 p. m. Monday with Rev. Ed. Lovelace officiating. Internment was in the Mont Vale Cemetery with Lowe Funeral Directors in charge.

Mr. Copeland was born in Georgia June 14, 1870.

Survivors include the widow; three daughters, Mrs. Lee Newcomb, Dallas; Mrs. James Turney, Sterling City, and Mrs. Ernest Solat, San Angelo; two sons, John, Jr., and C. J., Sterling City; one grandson, Larry Turney, Sterling City; one brother, C. J. Copeland, Sterling City; and two sisters, Miss Fannie Copeland, Sterling City, and Mrs. Elizabeth Lawrence, Fayetteville, Georgia.

Active pallbearers were Jim McCabe, Ralph Bynum, Homer Pearce, Claude Collins, Seth Bailey, Dr. W. J. Swann, John Walraven, and Ernest Herring.

Honorary pallbearers were R. P. Davis, J. S. Cole, W. L. Foster, W. Y. Bengé, Porter Henderson, R. P. Brown, B. F. Brown, Hal Knight, Dr. F. T. McIntire, Dr. K. P. Round, Dr. R. L. Powers, Dr. E. L. Mee, Marvin Churchill, M. C. Mitchell, O. D. Collins, Leo Rodde, Frank Vancourt, Bob Hewitt, Riley King, H. E. Wtaker, L. McCarty, T. O. Simpson, Vern Davis, Will Millican, and Roland Lowe.

### A. A. A. Fire Guards

Fireguards must not be less than 10 feet in width and must be constructed by exposing the mineral soil by plowing furrows or by other mechanical means. All vegetation in the fireguard must be destroyed. Proper arrangements must be made to prevent erosion and gullyng and the fireguard otherwise maintained throughout the year.

Payment for the establishment of fireguards cannot be made until erosion and gullyng have been controlled by the establishment of diversion dams or other approved methods. The rancher will be paid \$4.00 per mile for establishing fireguards and \$3.00 per mile for maintenance. Payment cannot be made on the same acreage during the program year for both establishment and maintenance.

Applications for fireguards must be made at the local A. A. A. Office in the courthouse and no work is to be started until approval by the A. A. A. Committee is made.

### Lambs To Ft. Worth

Bill and Lee Reed shipped three truck loads of fat lambs to the Ft. Worth market this week. The lambs averaged 79 pounds and brought 13½c.

Other shippers to Ft. Worth this week included Riley King, 1 load lambs; Forrest Foster, 1 load lambs; Rufus Foster, 1 load of lambs; Herbert Cope, 1 load of lambs; and Claude Collins, 2 loads lambs (brought 13c).

These lambs were all trucked by Ted Brown, local trucking contractor.

### County Democrat Convention Next Saturday

Homer Pearce, County Democratic Chairman of Sterling County, announced this week that the County Convention will be held at the District Courtroom this coming Saturday, July 29, at 3:00 p. m.

At this convention a delegate to the State Convention will be elected. Chairman Pearce says important meeting should be attended well by local citizens, with an interest in the party and coming election.

The boys who reported to the Marines Sunday, gathered at John Reeds rodeo pens Saturday and roped goats. They wanted to fling a rope once more and then for the Japanazis.

Mr. and Mr. Ted Brown, Norvin and Paschal, and Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Brown, took Lavon Johnston to his home last week in Artesia, New Mexico, and visited with Mrs. B. C. Johnston, Ted's sister.

### WAR BONDS in Action



U. S. Coast Guard Photo  
A wounded Jap prisoner learns about American medical care as he is swung aboard a U. S. Coast Guard transport at Makin.

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U. S. Treasury Department

In the only two contested County offices, Vern Davis was reelected sheriff, tax assessor-collector, over John Skeete, and W. W. Durham was elected county and district clerk over Mrs. Leah Wyckoff.

The Democratic Executive Committee met at the courthouse on Tuesday, July 25, with a majority of the members present for the purpose of canvassing the returns of the primary election held Saturday, July 22.

After checking the returns of the seven precincts, the results were as follows:

For Governor: W. J. Minton, 3; Gene S. Porter, 8; Alex M. Ferguson, 1; Coke R. Stevenson, 298; William F. Grimes, 4; Edward L. Carey, 0; Martin Jones, 5; Herbert E. Mills, 5; Minnie Fisher Cunningham, 18.

For Lieutenant Governor: John Lee Smith, 205; Lee Satterwhite, 81; William David Turner, 17; Mat Davis, 17.

For Attorney General: Grover Sellers, 166; Jesse E. Martin, 125; Fred Erisman, 28.

For Associate Justice of Supreme Court: Charles T. Rowland, 63; James B. Hubbard, 39; Richard Critz, 104; Tom Smiley, 27; Gordon Simpson, 76.

For Judge of Court of Criminal Appeals: Joseph D. Dickson, 136; F. L. Hawkins, 180.

For Railroad Commissioner: Beauford H. Jester, 369.

For Comptroller of Public Accounts: George H. Sheppard, 291; Clifford E. Butler, 20; Harold K. Shelton, 9.

For Treasurer: Jesse James, 371.

For Commissioner of General Land Office: Bascom Giles, 363.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction: Walter Scott McNutt, 98; Earl Rogers, 85; L. A. Woods, 129.

For Commissioner of Agriculture: J. E. McDonald, 219; Virgil E. Arnold, 28; Edgar E. Hunter, 70.

For Associate Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals in and for the Third Supreme Judicial District of Texas: J. H. Baugh, 370.

For United States Congress, 21st District: O. C. Fisher, 370.

For State Representative, 91st District: Cecil H. Barnes, 158; Burke T. Summers, 173.

For District Attorney: Robert G. Hughes, 369.

For District Judge, 51st Judicial District: John F. Sutton, 268; W. S. Leslie, 103.

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Tax Collector: V. E. Davis, 350; John Skeete, 19.

For County Judge: G. C. Murrell, 377.

For County and District Clerk: W. W. Durham, 228; Mrs. Leah Wyckoff, 145.

For County Treasurer: O. M. Cole, 372.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: R. T. Foster, 262.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 2: Herbert Cope, 22.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3: L. R. Knight, 53.

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 4: W. N. Reed, 38.

For Justice of the Peace: A. W. Dearen, 280.

For County Chairman Demo-

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# Lilly May Helps Him Aim His Gun at the Nazis

## Pvt. Jim Roberts Is a Real Sharp Shooter

"Up on the Anzio beachhead," said Pvt. Jim Roberts, 29, a 45th Infantry Division doughboy from Sterling City, "I really sharpened up my shooting eye."

A rifleman who fought on the beachhead for four months and who previously had seen rugged combat with the 45th in southern Italy and Sicily, Roberts has returned to the United States. An interview with the Texas sharpshooter was released by the War Department last week.

"At Anzio," said Roberts, "I was grateful to Uncle Sam for giving me the best shooting iron a doughboy can have—the M-1 rifle. A good many times, it made the difference as to whether I'd go on living or whether the Heinie who was shooting at me would be the survivor."

"Sometimes in combat a man gets to talking to himself, and at times when I'd get a good bead on a Jerry sniper or machine gunner and let him have it, I'd say 'There's another one for Lilly May.'"

Lilly May is Mrs. Roberts. The tall rifleman, who wears the Purple Heart and the Combat Infantry Badge, planned to spend a furlough in Sterling City with his wife.

Roberts was wounded during the successful American attack on Piedmonte, Italy, shrapnel tearing into his leg but failing to halt him in his advance with the rest of the company.

"After we took the town," he said, "the medics fixed me up and in a few days I was as good as new."

Roberts gives "Lilly May" credit for bringing him out of what he feels was his narrowest escape in months of combat crammed with narrow escapes.

"A Jerry 88 shell just missed my head," he grinned. "It whizzed by with a whoosh and a big wind and lit right behind me. But it was a dud and just plowed into the ground without going off. I turned to my buddy and said, 'Boy, Lilly May must have been praying for me when that thing came over, because if it had exploded we wouldn't be here anymore.'"

In addition to the Purple Heart and the Combat Infantryman Badge, awarded for exemplary conduct in action against the enemy, Roberts is entitled to wear a Presidential unit citation, bestowed upon his outfit for its victorious battle against a numerically superior German force at Piedmonte.



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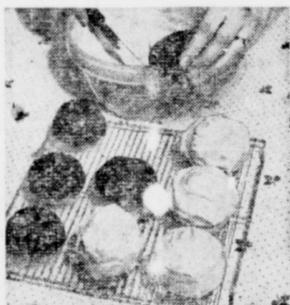
When using a pressure cooker, care must be used to avoid scalding by steam. Don't remove the cover until the pressure gauge registers zero.

### But It's True



WTVU Service

### Little Spiced Cakes Are Tempting Dessert



Little spiced cakes provide tempting variety for the dessert bill-of-fare, says the Home Cooking editor of Capper's Farmer, a publication of national circulation.

These cakes require only 1/2 cup of sugar and are topped with a toothsome frosting that uses no sugar at all.

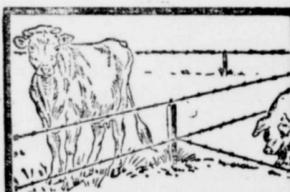
1/2 c. shortening 1/2 tsp. cinnamon  
1/2 c. sugar 1/2 tsp. nutmeg  
2 eggs, beaten 1 c. sour milk  
1 c. molasses 1 tsp. grated lemon rind  
3 c. flour 1 c. raisins  
1 tsp. soda  
1/2 tsp. cloves

Cream shortening and sugar. Add eggs and molasses. Sift dry ingredients and add alternately with milk. Add lemon rind and raisins. Bake in greased cup cake tins for 20-25 minutes or a 2-pound loaf pan, for 40 minutes, in moderate oven (350°). Makes 3 dozen cup cakes. Frost with Fluffy Frosting:

2 egg whites 1/4 tsp. salt  
1 c. light corn sirup 1/2 tsp. vanilla

Beat egg whites and salt until frothy. Add corn sirup in fourths, beating until frosting is thick and holds a peak. Beat in flavoring. The stiffness can be controlled by adding more or less sirup.

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## Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Walraven and son, Michael, visited Joe's parents, the John Walravens, here Monday. Joe works at Goodfellow Field, San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cates returned home Monday from a two weeks visit in Brady and Fredonia, visiting Mr. Cate's brother and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Austin of Dallas visited Judge B. F. Brown here last Friday. Mr. Austin is the Grand Master of the Grand Masonic Lodge of Texas.

John Cass went to the Veterans Hospital at Amarillo Monday night for a physical check-up.

Claude Collins sent two truck loads of fat lambs to the Fort Worth market Monday. They averaged 69 pounds and brought 13c.

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## Baptist Adult Picnic

The adult department of the First Baptist Sunday School enjoyed a picnic on the picnic spot on the Concho at Nick Reed's ranch Tuesday evening. A supper of barbecued mutton, tomatoes, onions, beans, son-of-a-gun, potato salad, iced tea, ice cream and cake.

Horse shoe pitching, washer pitching, forty-two, darts, etc. provided entertainment for the more than fifty persons attending the affair.

## The Lions Club

Mrs. Tommie Johnson played two piano selections at the Lions Club luncheon Wednesday. A. T. Bratton gave a report on the proposed terracing of the city park. It was agreed to furnish a flag for the honor roll on the courthouse lawn and a new frame for the service men's pictures in the Utilities Company window. C. H. Davis, new president, presided for his first time.

Mrs. D.P. Glass and Mrs. Seth Bailey served the luncheon.

## Donalsons Run Theatre Two Years

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Donalson have operated the Palace Theatre here for the past two years, the second anniversary being passed Tuesday of this week, July 25.

The present managers, Mr. and Mrs. Donalson, expressed their thanks and appreciation for the good patronage they have received.

## Steak Fry

J. T. Davis entertained with a steak fry at his ranch Monday evening. Present were Vic Pierce of Ozona, Frank White of San Angelo, Vern and Jeff Davis, and Jim Hinshaw of Sterling.

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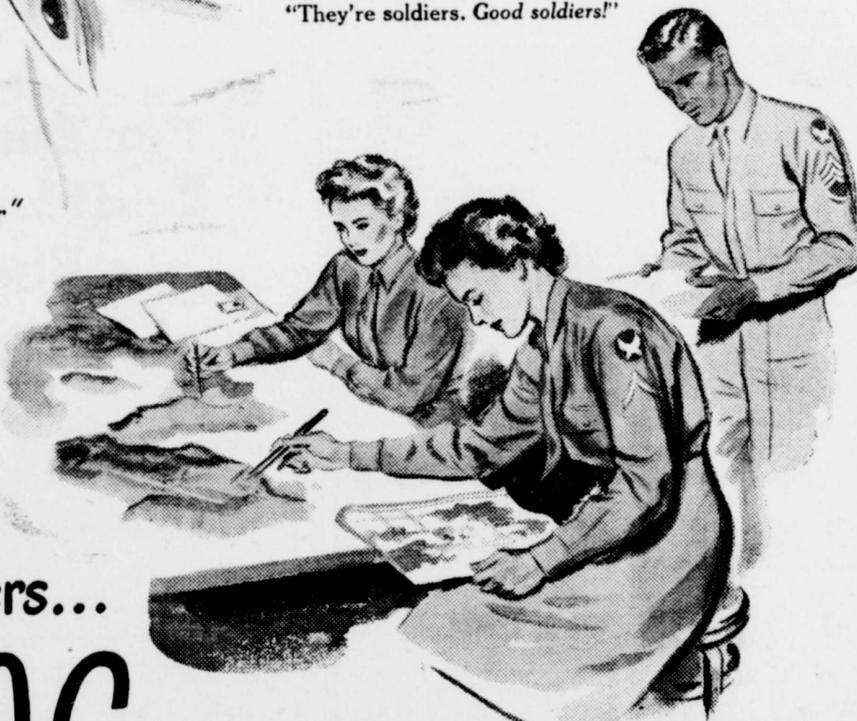
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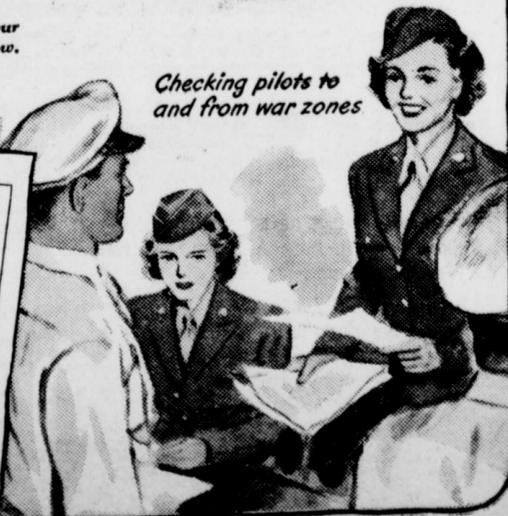
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## Red Cross Workers

Red Cross workers in the surgical dressing unit were as follows: Monday night -- Mmes. Henry Malloy, Lester Foster, W. S. Nelson, Harvey Hennigan, Bill Reed, Seth Bailey, Lee Hunt, Templeton Foster, Lee Augustine, H.W. Hart, Joe Emery, Sterling Foster, Tommie Johnson, Fowler McEntire, Herbert Cope, H.L. Pearce and G.C. Murrell.

Tuesday afternoon--Mmes. Henry Malloy, W.S. Nelson, D. Hall, Lura McClellan, Sterling Foster, Lester Foster, Seth Bailey, Rufus Foster, W.B. Allen, Martin Brown, H.W. Hart and Bill Reed.

J. T. Davis was among Sterling Countians attending the Angelo Sheep Sale and Show Tuesday.

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## Palace Theatre

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Friday & Saturday, July 28-29

### "Crazy House"

Olson and Johnson  
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### "Frontier Law"

Buster Crabbe

Sunday, Monday, Tuesday  
July 30, 31, August 1

### "The Iron Major"

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SUNDAY MATINEE  
3:00 P. M.

## LOCAL ITEMS

Spud Tatum, Sterling County Agent, judged at the San Angelo Sheep Show Tuesday and the Junction Sheep Show Wednesday. His family accompanied Tatum to the shows.

Miss Ruth Cole left Monday night to visit her sister, Miss Lilly May Cole, in Amarillo.

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J. S. Cole, cashier of the First National Bank, is taking his vacation.

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Lt. Pug Garrett, Lt. and Mrs. Jack Yates all of Midland AAF and the Bill Cushings of Goldsmith visited the Robert Fosters last week-end.

The Arthur Findts of Clairmont visited the Oscar Findts here on Thursday of last week.

Z. E. Black and son, Buddy, of Dallas, left Tuesday after a visit here with Mr. Black's father, M. Black.

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## Three Sons of Nick and Lula Gonzales in Army



Pvt. Esias Gonzales . . at Fort Bliss



Pfc. Manuel Gonzales . . . Shipped



Pfc. Ralph Gonzales . . With the AAF in England

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## To Sterling Voters:

**My Thanks and  
Appreciation for Your  
Votes and Support  
in the Election.**

W. W. Durham

## Bicycle Tires with Tube \$3.50

(NO CERTIFICATE REQUIRED)

**Metal Lunch Kits  
with Thermos Bottle**

**LOWE HARDWARE CO.**

Nick and Lula Gonzales have three sons in the U. S. armed forces—Pvt. Esias, 18; Pfc. Manuel, 20; and Pfc. Ralph, 23. Two are across—Ralph has been in England four months, Manuel was shipped from New York recently, and Esias is in Fort Bliss.

Ralph's Chaplain, Capt. Herbert Minga, wrote last month from England, saying Ralph was the most faithful attendant he had in Chapel Services, and that he

was a fine boy and good soldier.

Manuel sent his excess baggage home and was shipped out recently from New York. He had been stationed at Ft. Meade, Maryland.

Esias finished a special course at Ft. Sam Houston June 30 and is now in basic training at Fort Bliss.

All boys have received complimentary notices from their officers, from Ralph, who has been in the

# Looking Backward---

## 27 Years Ago

Taken from the files of the News Record, July 27, 1917.

Master Durham Durham, this week, disposed of his entire holdings in the shine emporium at the Sanitary Barber Shop to Master Trinnon Revell. The deal has been pending for several days, but was not consummated until yesterday. We failed to learn the terms of the transaction. While we regret Durham's retirement from business, we bespeak well for Master Revell.

R. P. Brown, this week, sold D. D. Davis a new model five-passenger Ford automobile.

We learn that Sam Morgan has sold his cattle and leased his pasture to W. E. Allen.

Marvin and Raymond Churchill placed their names on the honor roll last week by enlisting in Company H, Sixth Infantry at San Angelo. This makes eleven volunteers from Sterling in all branches of the service.

### North Concho River Soil Conservation District News

W. N. and L. R. Reed had 500 cross bred lambs on the Fort Worth market Monday which averaged 79 pounds each and sold for \$13.50 per hundred. Forty-five dry ewes weighing 126 pounds each, also included in the same shipment, sold for \$5.00 per hundred. These were March lambs out of aged Rambouillet ewes and Suffolk bucks. The 500 shipped represents 93% of all crossbred lambs, only 7% being cut back before loading out.

A 94% lamb crop was marked up from all ewes bred to Suffolk bucks. The ewes sheared an average of 9 1/2 pounds of wool which sold for 50c per pound. These ewes were grazed and the lambs produced on range stocked at the rate that the range vegetative survey reveals that the range grasses in their present condition are capable of producing.

Tommy Humble shipped 167 lambs and 38 dry ewes to the Fort Worth market this week. By removing this stock from his range he is increasing the available feed on his ranch in the form of range grasses which will be used profitably to condition his ewes for fall breeding.

Construction of fireguards on the contour where possible or with adequate blocks to prevent erosion if run on sloping areas, and proper maintenance of these fireguards from year will greatly reduce the possibility of loss of large areas of range grasses by prairie fires.

Mrs. H. D. Spalti and her son, Duncan, who have been in the Shannon Hospital with virus pneumonia, are due to return to Mrs. Ruth Allen's home early next week. Mrs. Spalti is the daughter of Mrs. Allen.

Mrs. Worth Durham underwent a goiter operation at the Shannon Hospital last Saturday. She is recovering nicely.

## Daughter to the Finis Westbrooks

### Janette Lou

The Roy Fosters are now grandparents. The stork delivered a six pound girl to Mrs. Finis Westbrook last Sunday at the Shannon Hospital in San Angelo. Papa Finis is stationed at Concho Field, San Angelo.

The paternal grandmother is Mrs. Hazel Westbrook of San Angelo.

Both mother and daughter are doing nicely. The baby was named Janette Lou.

## Mexican Baptist Church to Be Dedicated

EVERYBODY INVITED

The new Mexican Baptist Church will be dedicated with all day services beginning Saturday morning at 10:00 o'clock. Although not completely finished, the dedication service will be held.

Rev. Elesio Rios is the pastor of the church.

## Election Results

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cratic Executive Committee: H. L. Pearce.

For Member Democratic Executive Committee, Precinct No. 1: J. S. Cole; Precinct No. 2: T. F. Foster; Precinct No. 3: D. M. Brown; Precinct No. 4: Riley J. King; Precinct No. 5: George H. McEntire; Precinct No. 6: Mrs. W. N. Reed.

Captain James Knight, A.A.F., and his wife and daughter, Jo Ellen, spent Wednesday night at the Hal Knights. Captain Knight, who is Hal's brother, is being transferred from Great Falls, Montana to Greensboro, South Carolina.



U. S. Coast Guard Photo  
Here are some of the boys who took Tarawa and the Marshalls. You equipped them with your War Bond purchases. Some of them may never come back, but we can do our best to bring them back . . . Buy War Bonds and Hold 'em!  
U. S. Treasury Department

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### Baptist Church

Sunday

A. m.  
10:00 Sunday School lesson  
11:00 Worship Service  
P. m.  
7:30 Training union  
Monday afternoon  
3:00 Missionary Society

Wednesday

4:15 Sunbeams

Come to these services, you are welcome, and you will enjoy the fine fellowship and hospitality of all our people.

Claude Stovall, pastor

### Methodist Church

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Morning worship, 11 o'clock

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## Cecil H. Barnes Representative-Elect



Wishes to thank you for your votes and expression of confidence. You have been most kind and I shall make the people's interest my rule of action.

I admire the fine vote polled by my opponent. I wish to commend him for the fair race he made. I am happy that our race was a friendly one. I wish him well and will always be happy to see him.

My ideal to serve my District well transcends and erases any human tendency to hold a grudge against any who did not vote for me. I want your cooperation in all right purposes, and expect to deserve your respect only by rendering conscientious service.

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