# **Thief Confesses**

Jose DeLeon, who stole the station wagon belonging to the seismograph crew here, and then abandoned it in Bill and Lee Reed's pasture, has been apprehended and is awaiting trial.

Sheriff Vern Davis secured a signed confession from DeLeon Monday of this week. He had stolen the car on November 28, and was caught December 3.

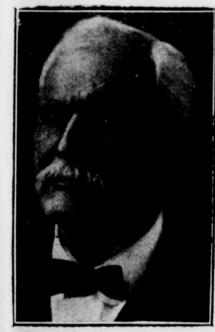


SGT. D. L. HUNT

# Wounded In **Action Again**

Sgt. D.L. Hunt, son of the Lee Hunts, was wounded in action in Germany on Nov. 28, so his parents were informed last Friday. D.L. was wounded in action by Taylor, president of Howard Payne shrapnel back in the summer and College, talked to the supervisors had gone back to front line fighting after hospitalization in Eng- Relationship to Human Welfare" land. He was only slightly wounded, according to the telegram from the War Department.

McGuire some German, French the cause and control of Soil eroand Netherlands money.



IUDGE B. F. BROWN . . .

### Attends Grand Lodge for 50th Year

Judge B.F. Brown, who has not missed a Masonic Grand Lodge meeting in 50 years, is keeping up his record. He and Homer Pearce attended the Grand Lodge in Waco this week. Homer was delegate from the Sterling City chapter.

Judge Brown, 91, has been a Mason since 1877, and a Master Mason since 1889. He has held many offices in the Grand Lodge and received the first 50-year pin that was put out by the Grand Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kellis (Uncle Bill) have gone to Riverside, California to spend the winter with their daughters and their families. The Kellises moved to Mayer, Arizona last spring.

### Station Wagon North Concho River Soil Conservation District News

Board of Supervisors: Zach Jones, Chairman L. R. Reed, Vice Chairman Foster S. Price, Secretary J. R. Mims, Supervisor J. W. Cox, Supervisor

Alfred Thieme completed his new irrigation system with the assistance of Soil Conservation Service Technicians last week.

J.S. Augustine stated that short period deferments of pastures had increased the grass cover thus reducing the bitterweed on his father's ranch.

The Bade Bros. have built two diversions to divert excess water around their water trough immediately north of the alfalfa field.

Supervisors of the North Concho | The Society elected him president. River Soil Conservation District attended the fourth annual meeting of the Texas Soil Conservation District Supervisors at College Station, December 6 and 7.

meeting the progress of soil conservation in the North Concho District. Dr. Gibb Gilchrist, president of Texas A. & M. College, welcomed the supervisors at the opening meeting. Dr. Thomas H. about "Soil Conservation and Its on December 6.

Chief of the Department of Agriculture Soil Conservation Ser-Sgt. Hunt recently sent Mickey vice and international authority on sion, Dr. H. H. Bennett of Washington, D. C., was the first speaker of the December 7 meeting. Doctor Bennett has just returned from a trip to South Africa where his help was requested in an examination of soil erosion problems and suggestions for their solution.

> Other problems of widespread interest which were discussed at the two day session were mesquite eradication, range conservation, and post war possibilities of Soil Conservation Districts.

There are 116 soil conservation and wind erosion districts organized under the state law in Texas, Farm and Ranch Census needs an covering 103,460,000 acres. Of enumerator for Sterling County. this number, 84 districts with Included in the census will be the 77,170,000 are receiving assistance from Soil Conservation Service farm land, value of implements, Technicians. Seven additional districts are in the process of organ- vested, etc. ization by land owners.

Rainfall report for th	e week are
follows:	
Bade Bros.	0.81
Lee Reed	0.75
J. T. Davis	no report
Tommy Humble	0.72
J. I. Cope	0.81
George Case	0.32
H. G. Garlington	0.65



A slow rain, amounting to one inch fell in Sterling City Mondaywith a rather high temperature prevailing. On Tuesday the temperature fell and the rest of the 25c. The cake is on display at week has been cold.

The temperature has been low enough for light freezes several made by Mrs. H. L. Hildebrand mornings.



DR. WM. J. SWANN

### Swann Elected President of **Medical Society**

Dr. Wm. J. Swann, who serves served cokes and sandwiches. this area between San Angelo and Monday night by the Tom Green-Eight County Medical Society.

The Society, composed of M. D's from this area (9 counties) met for their regular meeting and banquet at Goodfellow Field, with Lt. Col. Gilbert as host. He is com- night. J. R. Mims reported to the manding medical officer at Goodfellow Field.

# Lions Told of **Netherlands**

Peggy Hinshaw gave a reading, '20 Years Ago" and Rev. Gary Huffkis of Ballinger spoke on life in the Netherlands at the Lions Club luncheon Wednesday. Peggy's reading was to the background of soft piano music by Mrs. Tommie Johnson. Rev. Huffkis is a Presbyterian minister, now in a revival with Rev. B. B. Hestir at

Horace Donalson was also a guest. Dr. Swann got the prize.

# **Enumerator** for **Census Needed**

Otis Reed of San Angelo, District Supervisor of the Federal farm and ranch acreage, value of value of animals, total crops har-

Reed said either a man or woman could qualify for the job. A 3-day school to train enumerators will be held this month.

If you are interested call or write Reed at the courthouse in San Angelo.

# **Girl Scouts Give** Away Fruit Cake

The Girl Scouts, in order to raise money to pay current expenses (utilities, etc.) at the cabin, are putting up a fruit cake for some lucky person-who holds the winning ticket on December 23. Tickets sell for 10c each or 3 for Garrett & Bailey's store window. The beautiful ten-pound cake was and Elizabeth Hildebrand.

# 6 War Loan Over The Top By \$67,500.00

### University of Life

There were twent-five members present last Sunday night at the University of Life. The meeting was called to order by the president, Billy Hudson. A discussion of Moses was led by Mrs. Tommie Johnson.

During the recreation hour games were played, led by Dixie and Anna Lou Knight. Christmas post office has sold \$7800.00 of carols were sung by the group. Mrs. Hunt and Mrs. Ainsworth

The following people are on the Big Spring as M. D., was honored church program for next Sunday night:

> Jackie Durham-presiding Billie Sue Hallmark-scripture Eugenia Daves-prayer

All young people are urged to come and join the Univerity of Life at 7:00 o'clock next Sunday

All of the evening program will be held at the Baptist Church. ling City has been reported as Rev. W. J. McCawley will do the missing in action since November preaching.

Palace Theatre, gave a free show the Siegfred Line. He had only "The Youngest Profession" Tues- recently been promoted from Majday night, and Mrs. Tommie or to Lt. Col. Johnson, postmaster, sold War Bonds to the audience. A total of and Mrs. H.M. Mills of Alpine, \$1425.00 (maturity value) was and has a wife and son out in El sold, said Donalson.

# "E" Series Quota Lagging

Sterling County went way over the top in the 6th War Loan Drive last Saturday. Our quota was \$170,000. So far the bank has sold \$229,757.50 total and of this \$11,812.50 was in E Bonds. The E Bonds. We are over our quota by better than \$67,000.00 reported Chairman J. S. Cole this week.

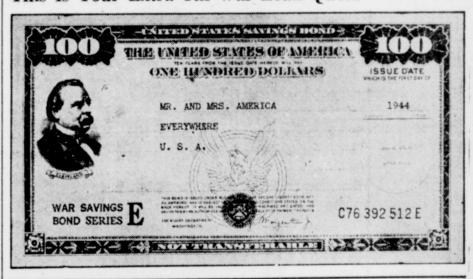
BUT we are lagging on the E Bond quota said Cole, urging everyone to buy that \$100 bond for himself or as a Christmas gift.

# Herbert Mills Is **Missing in Action**

Lt. Col. Herbert Mills of Ster-17. Col. Mills had been leading an armored column through Bel-Horace Donalson, owner of the gium and into Germany through

Col. Mills is the son of Mr.

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### Mrs. Williams's Father Dies

Funeral services for George Washington Kennedy, 102, were last Sunday. Mrs. Allen had to go held last Sunday at Elmore City, back to the hospital for a check-Oklahoma. He was the father of up. Mrs. Ruth Allen and Mrs. Mrs. F.M. Williams, owner of the Fowler McEntire are keeping the State Hotel.

Mr. Kennedy died Thursday of Allens, of last week at Garfield, N.M. He suffered a slight stroke two weeks ago. He would have celebrated the Sea Bees is now stationed on his 103rd birthday in January.

June Augustine, Texas Tech freshman, spent last week-end here ord. with her parents, the Lee Augustines.

The Worth Allens went to Dal-Worth Allen's babies-at Mrs. Ruth

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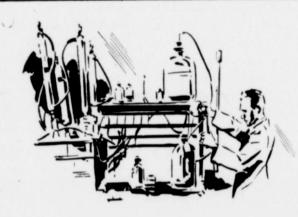
# A story that hasn't been told



### AN AMERICAN WAR PRODUCTION RECORD THAT DESERVES TELLING . . .

On December 14, at 3:00 o'clock in the afternoon, the men and women of Humble Oil & Refining Company will pause in their work to commemorate, in appropriate ceremony, a feat unparalleled in the petroleum industry: The production of ONE BILLION GALLONS of finished 100-octane aviation gasoline at the Baytown refinery.

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### OPEN HOUSE AT BAYTOWN REFINERY-DECEMBER 14-17

So that one of America's great war plants may be seen in action, Baytown Refinery is holding open house from Thursday, December 14, through Sunday, December 17. The story of the refinery at war will be told by dramatic

exhibits of petroleum was products and a great Army and Navy show of war machines and materials. Specially conducted tours will take Humble's friends and neighbors into the heart of the refinery itself. 5 533 Still 18

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## Christmas **Holidays**

Tuesday Superintendent O. T. Jones announced that the Christmas holidays had been officially say you were at home. set to begin with the close of the school on Wednesday December 20. School activities will be resumed on Tuesday January 2. The Watkins, Glenn West, Joe Alice World with Cotton", by Duggan school board decided upon these dates at its regular December meeting last Monday.

### **We Wonder**

Where La Vone, Norvin, Betty Jane, and Joe went Tuesday night and if they had a good time.

What was so interesting at Paula Sue's house Tuesday night.

If everyone was satisfied with his report card.

Why Ruby is so downcast lately. Who Dixie was flirting with Sunday night.

Who Enestine's company was Friday afternoon. Say, the car was basketball chairman for this dis-O. K.

answer Beth's question Saturday this meeting plans were meade for night.

Whom Joe got a letter from.

Why Frances was going to get had anything to do with it.

Why Mary Ann is so interested in who Peggy is taking to the Chrit- be published next week. mas banguet. . .

Why Beth doesn't like "Goodby Little Darling".

What La Vone is angry about. If "Millie" had a car full Saturday night.

### Freshman News

Plans for a freshman Christmas party are in progress. The date has been set for Monday night, December 18. As yet the place for the party is indefinite. If the gym is not available at that time, the party will be given in the home of Carolyn Foster.

The freshman class sent some flowers to Mr. W. A. Reed, ill in a San Angelo hospital.

# **Senior News**

Last week the seniors met for the purpose of being measured for their caps and gowns. The girls' gowns will be white; the boys' will be blue. The caps will have purple and gold tassels.

Recently the senior class sent some flowers to Mr. W. A. Reed, who is in a San Angelo hospital.

Prof. Davis: Is that your cigarette stub?

Student: Go ahead--you saw it

**Just Patter** 

'ole" gossip.

Say, that reminds me. Where were you Sun. night, Joe? Now don't

At the show Saturday night and running around afterward were Jackie, Norman, Neal J., Eugenia Evans, Fred, Paula Sue. And at the party were all the juniors and their Mr. O. T. Jones by Clinton Hodgguests. I heard they all "percolated" again, and does "Truth and Consequences" always pay?

We hear rumors to the effect that there will be some good old fights to get guests for the banquet. So hurry and get those reserva-

That's all for now. So I'll be seeing you.

Supterintendent O. T. Jones, trict, called a meeting at Big Spring Why Carold England wouldn't Wednesday night, December 6. At this year's basketball program. Coach A. L. Davis also attended this meeting.

Teams in this district include her ring from Willie, and if Peggy Sterling City, Garner, Forsan, Garden City, and Coahoma.

The results of the meeting will

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Norman: How much was it? Jackie: I pay three dollars a

Norman: For how long? Jackie: I forgot to ask.

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### **Grade School** News

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Mrs. Bena Davis's sister, Mrs. Herman Dean, and her son Charles visited Mrs. Davis last

Mrs. Nick Reed served ice cream and cake to the eighth grade last Thursday afternoon.

Billy Sue Hallmark was absent the first part of this week.

Trinabeth Reed was absent three days last week.

### Hi, folks. Back again with more Book on Cotton **Donated**

The Sterling school has received an authoritative illustrated book on cotton, presented by Mr. Fred Hodges. The book, "Round the and Chapman, was turned over to es. The various classes will have access to the book for obtaining information on cotton.

# New Books in Library

Sixteen new books have recently been added to the high school library. Among the books are several that deal with World War II.

The authors and titles are as Arnold, "The Commandos";

Barclay, "The Rosary"; Benson, 'Junior Miss"; Burns, "Saga of Billy the Kid"; Fox, "Heart of the Hills"; Haliburton, "Royal Road to Romance" and "Seven League Boots"; Hertzler, "Horse and Buggy Doctor"; Heyliger, "Dark Conquest"; Rawlings, "South Moon Under": Rickenbacker, "Seven Came Through"; Spence, "One Foot in Heaven"; Terhune, "Loot"; Trumbull, "The Raft".

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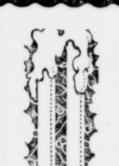
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Now our government asks us for a loan of 14 billion more dollars of which five billion dollars must come from individuals. Why? Haven't we nearly finished off our so-called Number 1 Enemy? Can Japan hold up our powerful war machine very long? Your son, brother and friend in his Pacific foxhole wouldn't raise such questions because they are up against realities, not day dreams. They kill or are killed. They pray every waking moment for a sky-darkening cover of friendly planes. They thank America for giving them the finest medical care in the world when their rendezvous with destiny in a Pacific jungle is at hand. They know the war with the Japs is just beginning.

Here are some other Pacific realities so that you will understand why there must be a Sixth War Loan and why it is absolutely necessary that it be a success:

The Allied Military Command has estimated that it will take years, not months, to lick Japan.

Japan's present army numbers about 4,000,000 with 2,000,000 more men available and fit for military service who haven't been called up to date. Another 1,500,000, between the ages of 17 and 20, are not yet subject to the draft.

The Jap Air Force is growing.

In addition to millions of native workers, Japan has a potential slave force of 400,000,000 conquered people. 50% of Japan's labor force is made up of women. Another 25% boys and girls under 20, the balance men. The Jap workday is twelve to sixteen hours with two days off a month. The Jap cannot leave his job, change it, or strike. The highest daily wage equals about three American dollars—30% to 75% of which goes to taxes and compulsory savings.

The Jap, as our men in the Pacific know, will fight to the death. As far as the Jap is concerned, the outer Empire—and the men who defend it—are the expendables. The Jap will fight the Battle from inside the inner Empire.

The Jap believes that we shall weary of war too easily and

In the invasion of France, supply ships had an overnight run to make. In the coming Battle of Japan, ships in the Pacific will have long-reached round trips that often take five months to make.

These realities are worth thinking about before you keep your home front rendezvous with a Victory Volunteer. Perhaps you will feel that the national personal Sixth War Loan objective—purchase of at least one extra \$100 War Bond—is entirely too small for you. The better we face the realities confronting our forces in the Pacific the quicker the whole bloody business will be over and the sooner we will welcome home our fighting men. That's an American reality to work for with all our dollars and our sweat.

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Admission prices, including tax, are grade school 12c, high school 18c, and adults 30c.

Hypnotism, once considered a sort of carnival side-show act, has come of age and enjoys both medical and scientific approval. Time Magazine has had two articles in recent months on the subject, stressing the important uses to which it is put today.

For many years William I. Fayssoux (pronounced Fay-soo) has been presenting programs of hypnosis, telepathy and magic. While he explains the scientific facts of hypnosis and telepathy, the program is primarily entertainmentand hilarious entertainment at that.

The performance will be given by volunteers from the audience while under the hypnotic spellthose who are timid will become aggresive, and those unable to sing will burst into song-these are two of the many hilariously comic events in the program.

In addition to the hypnosis there will be uncanny performances in telepathy and magic. The magic features the famous Harry Houdini mail escape and the Alexander Heerman Trunk illusion.

# Local Items

Mrs. W. P. Meyer, now in Marlin taking the health baths, will return home next week.

O. D. Worthy of Abilene, former postmaster here, came after his wife last Friday. She had been visiting at the Lee Augustines.

Lena Findt recently visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Thiers at Camp Allison.

Jim Copeland died in McKinney, Texas on his 90th birthday--August 3, according to word received here this week by Jeff Copeland. Jim's brother, Will Copeland, 9I, formerly of Sterling City, now lives in California.

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Church School 10:00 A. M. Morning Worship 11:00 A. M. Evening worship 7:45; union service at the Baptist Church with Rev. W. J. McCawley preaching.

Young people's discussion group to meet at 7:00 P. M.

Recreation period for young before coming to Sterling City. people following church.

Thin Air-Mail Paper and Envelopes at the News-Record.

Adding machine paper at the News-Record.

CARBON PAPER at the News Record.

Sterling Lodge A.F. & A.M. No. 728

Next Meeting Tuesday, Dec. 12, at 7:00 p. m.

Regular meetings on the second Tuesday of each month



Mrs. Rose Mary Seymour of Ballinger is now AAA secretary in Sterling County. She reported for duty on December I, filling had been torn up badly, and he is the place vacated by Mrs. Ina Sproul, who moved to San Angelo. Mrs. Seymour worked for the AAA a year in Ballinger

of Cisco moved here last week leave. Seaman 1-c Lancaster has joining Mr. Starr, Sterling County been serving with the U. S. Navy Agent.

The Noratadata Club is raising money by the fruit cake method, The cake is on display in Bailey Bros. window, and will be given away December 23, and tickets furlough, having been overseas for are being sold at 10c.

### Back from Europe

S-Sgt. Thomas Wilson, a member of the 36th Divsion that partook in the Salerno beach landing and in the battle for Rome, then made another beach-head landing in Southern France in August, has arrived in the United States for a furlough. He is a brother of Mrs. Ina Sproul. He will spend his furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wilson of Bangs, and Mrs. Sproul will meet him there. He has visited Mrs. Sproul here in Sterling City many

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Pvt. William T. Mills has written his wife here that he had been wounded in action. His left hand now in a hospital. Pvt. Mills was wounded on the German front.

"Big" John Lancaster called from San Francisco Saturday and Mrs. J. M. Starr and children said he was heading home on in the Pacific.

Sgt. J. C. Lee, son of the R. T. Lees of Winters, was here with his father last week. Sgt. Lee is on many months.

Sgt. Alvin Walraven and family of Hobbs, New Mexico, spent last week-end here with Alvin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Walraven. Sgt. Walraven is stationed at the Hobbs Army Air Field.

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John Howard Brock, CM 2-c. of the Sea Bees, son of the Will Meyers, is now stationed on Guam.

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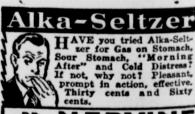
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