

NEWS from the BOYS IN SERVICE



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WILLIAM MCINTYRE arrived in Tullia Saturday for a twenty-day furlough. William has been in the Navy 6 months.

JOE R. AURY F 2-c, is here in Treasure Island and will spend a few days with relatives who have been in the Navy 6 months. H. Aury was here with Joe R.

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Two Silverton Boys Wounded In Action

News from Boys in Service

Well, so far, I have received four issues of the good old Briscoe County News. I really do enjoy reading it, especially the "News From Boys In Service".

Two Silverton boys, Garner Guest and Alfred Hunt, fighting on opposite sides of the earth have been wounded according to reports received here Wednesday.

ENSIGN MERLE J. MONTAGUE, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Montague received his commission as an Ensign in the United States Naval Reserve at the first graduation ceremony of the Navy's new school of indoctrination, Camp Massonough at Plattsburg, New York, following Midshipman training.

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FINLEY'S VARIETY STORE SOLD AT QUITAQUE

Mrs. H. G. Finley announces this week that she has sold her Variety Store at Quitaque, to Floyd Tiffin. Mr. Tiffin is in the Army, so his wife will run the store until his return to Quitaque.

Mrs. Joe Mercer and Mrs. Emery Mills were in Tullia Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Herman Robinson and baby spent a few days last week in Plainview with Mrs. Betty Tillery.

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W. P. Smith of Odessa, Texas will be employed at the Snowden Grocery the first of August. He is the father of Mrs. W. L. Brian. Mr. and Mrs. Smith will make this their home.

Mrs. W. W. Allard arrived home for a months visit in California on the 4th. Mrs. Allard experienced difficulty in getting a railroad reservation and after two weeks was able to get one.

J. M. HONEA PASSES AWAY TUESDAY

J. M. Honea, a resident of Briscoe County for 53 years, passed away at his home in Quitaque Tuesday, July 11. He became ill on Sunday, and all efforts to aid him were futile.

John Marion Honea was born in Cherokee County, Texas February 9, 1857. He was engaged in stock farming in Johnson County until he moved to Briscoe County in December of 1890.

He was one of the organizers of Briscoe County and he served as county commissioner in the first county commissioners court and at intervals until 1918, when he moved to Lockney for several years.

On December 25, 1881 he was married to Miss Ruby Sue Hooks in Jones County, Texas. She preceded him in death in 1932. To this union was born seven children. Of these four survive their father.

Surviving also are twelve grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren, and a host of other relatives and friends.

Mr. Honea was known to hundreds of folks all over the Panhandle, and one of his greatest interests was his friends. For a man of his advanced age, he kept close contact with the folks he knew and with the current events of the happenings of the world.

Funeral services were conducted at Silverton by Earl Cantwell, assisted by the Odd Fellows, Wednesday July 12. Interment was made in the Silverton Cemetery.

Interment was in the Littlefield cemetery. Funeral director, Mr. Hammonds, Littlefield. Pall bearers were George Seaney, Spencer Long, T. P. Iron, Clyde Lightsey, Lidge Stephens and Watson Douglas.

RED CROSS NOTES

Norman Davis, general chairman of the American Red Cross died last week. Mr. Davis had been a valuable aid to President Roosevelt, both in connection with the Red Cross and in other national affairs.

The first three Red Cross girls landed in France six days after the initial invasion to serve as recreation workers in and Allied field hospital.

Red Cross personnel are working around the clock at British docksides, serving coffee and sandwiches to reinforcement units embarking, and comforting the wounded as they return.

California led the nation in number of disasters last year with 22, most of which were fires. Other states with more than ten disasters were Pennsylvania, TEXAS, New York, Ohio, Illinois, Virginia and New Jersey.

A three-month reserve stock of American Red Cross standard food packages has been established in virtually all German prison camps.

Mrs. McEwin, Mrs. Bud McMinn, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McMinn and Mrs. Lottie Henderson were in Tullia Friday.

J. W. TOLBERT PASSES AWAY SATURDAY

Mr. J. W. Tolbert who has been ill for many months passed away at the home of his daughter at Littlefield Saturday. Funeral services were held Sunday at Littlefield. The following obituary was read at the last rites.

James Walter Tolbert was born June 10, 1873, at Yokum, Texas. He departed this life on July 8, 1944 at the home of his daughter Mrs. G. G. Pace at Littlefield, Tex. He was seventy-one years and twenty-eight days old.

Mr. Tolbert was married again in 1914 to Mrs. M. B. Tait, who was the mother of two children by a former marriage. Her children were Will Tait and Mrs. Icephine Tait Long of Silverton, who survive and are step children to Mr. Tolbert.

Services were conducted at the First Methodist Church at Littlefield. The officiating ministers were Rev. Frank York, Methodist Littlefield and Rev. T. G. Craft, pastor at Silverton.

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A WORD OF THANKS

We desire to express our thanks and deep gratitude to our many friends for their unceasing kindness; their love and sympathy; their many deeds that ministered, and their words of comfort during the entire illness and death of our father, James Walter Tolbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Long Mrs. S. G. Pace Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tolbert Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Tait & family Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tolbert

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Hill entertained with a lawn supper on Thursday evening honoring Mr. Hill's daughter Mrs. Bertha Burson and daughter who have been visiting here. Those enjoying the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hill and son, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Hill and children, Mrs. Bailey Childress, Buel Hill and Lillie B. Brooks

Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Tidwell entertained Monday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Lem Weaver who are moving to Amherst. The evening was spent playing Liverpool Rummy, Mr. and Mrs. Weaver was presented a mirror from the group. The guest list for the evening included Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mercer, Mr. and Mrs. Durward Brown, Mr. and Mrs. W. Fogerson, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hahn, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Chappell of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Lem Weaver.

George Heckman and family of Clarendon, Don Heckman of Austin, Pvt. Lowell Heckman of Camp Scott, Colorado and Roy Heckman and family and Ashel Cross and family had dinner the 4th with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heckman.

Mr. W. R. London suffered a stroke at the Plainview Sanitarium Saturday. His condition is very grave.

Back the Boys With \$

Fifth War Loan Goes Over Top

SPECIAL OFFER TO RUN THROUGH REST OF JULY

The bond drive went over the top in Briscoe County, but the drive for subscriptions at the News Office still lacks a great number of being completed.

Considering the fact that folks have had so many other things on their minds in the past few weeks, subscription renewals have really been coming in fine, and several folks have bought new subscriptions besides.

There are, however, around a hundred people who need to come in and renew sometime this month, if they are to continue getting the Briscoe County News. An entire new mailing list will be made at the close of the \$1.50 offer, and naturally, there will be no names placed on it unless they are paid up.

We want to thank the following folks for their subscription money, and hope that every issue of the News will prove of value:

- Barney Bogan, John Hutchinson, Denton Smith, W. A. McJimsey, South Plains Monument Co., P. H. McKinney, H. L. McWatters, L. A. Calloway, C. M. Jasper, U. D. Brown, Woodroe Bice, Albert Mallow, Arthur Arnold, Pascal Garrison, C. A. Johnson, J. H. Rich, Carl Crow, Warner Grabbe, Oliver Savage, J. J. Steele, Elbert Dickerson, Dick Eowrey, Hugh Stodghill, John Arnold, Mrs. Leroy Shipman, Mrs. Jewell Hodges, D. Garvin, J.W. Lyon, Jr., Bob London, Lee H. McMurtry, P. D. Jasper, Judd Donnell, D. J. Northcutt, R. B. Byrd, Poyd A. May, Mrs. W. W. Reid, T. T. Crass, Jim Cline, L. H. McMurtry, L. D. Griffin, C. E. Burson, Mrs. Arley Barnett, Roy Heckman, Mrs. L. L. Howard, H. A. Morris, Emmett Potter, Henry Heckman, Jack D. Harris, A. M. Kendrick, Erma B. Folley, W. T. Shelton, Gabe Garrison, Leroy Saul.

All subscription money received during the Bond Drive was spent for War Bonds, and to date the paper has bought one \$25 bond; two \$50 bonds, and two \$100 bonds from money collected from subscriptions.

Misses Betty Ann Taylor, Alma Ruth and Blanche Thompson of Lamesa are spending this week in Fort Worth on their vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stone are visiting in Silverton with his mother Mrs. M. P. Stone and the Edgar Cupells and other relatives and friends. They are expecting their son Billie Joe in on furlough soon.

Harold Julian who is stationed at the Dalhart Air Base arrived last week to spend his furlough with his uncle H. S. Sanders and Mrs. Sanders. His sister Mrs. Drew Swearington of Roston is also here visiting the Sanders.

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Briscoe County folks put on a splurge of last minute buying in the Fifth War Loan that put the county over the top with perhaps \$10,000 to spare. Final tabulations as to school districts is not completed and will be given next week if available.

According to the unofficial summary worked up by Chairman Sanders, bond sales for the county totaled \$171,894.55. However, this amount does not include the bonds bought at the First National Bank by the Quitaque Buyers.

Wheat harvest here slowed bond buying during the first part of the drive, and at the time of publication last week only a little over \$130,000 had been purchased. As usual, when the announcement was definitely made that the county was behind, bond buying began in earnest.

Sanders said, "On behalf of the War Finance Committee, I want to thank the folks of Briscoe Co., and those with interests in this county for the fine cooperation they have shown in making their bond investments. The men in service will be glad to learn that Briscoe County is still backing them up."

MORE ABOUT CANNING SUGAR

A second period for the issuance of home canning sugar which will run from July to December 1 of this year has been announced.

The purpose of this second period is to take care of late fruits available for canning. If you have already received sugar for home canning during the first period and can establish eligibility for additional sugar, application may be made to your War Price & Rationing Board for it, according to George H. Wilson, District Food Rationing Officer.

The rationing official stated that if you did not apply during the first period for the first allotment you may apply now and attach to your application spare stamp No. 37 for each member of your household for which you are applying. Failure to apply during the first period will not prohibit your receiving the maximum amount for home canning if you can establish eligibility for all of it.

The L. T. D. Club met with Mrs. Ware Fogerson Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Lem Weaver was the lucky lady during the afternoon and she guessed the "guess what" which was a "leave a note" box for your door. War stamps were drawn by Mrs. Weaver and Mrs. J. W. Lyon Jr. Mrs. Weaver was presented a lovely gown from the club as a going away gift.

A lovely refreshment plate was served to the following: Mesdames T. T. Crass, Lem Weaver, Roy Hahn, Durward Brown, J. W. Lyon Jr. and Robert Hill. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Dutch Tidwell.

Mrs. Claude Laudermilk and Mrs. Ben Bingham were in Tullia Friday.

Those visiting in the Emmitt Daniel home in Tullia Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Daniel, Mrs. Mary Daniel, Mrs. Clarence Anderson Susan and Joe, Mr. and Mrs. Boydston and children and Ralph Daniel of Amarillo.

Lalla Brown arrived home this week, she has received her discharge from the WACS due to ill health.

REMEMBER the Revival at the Church of Christ which begins July 28 to August 6th. W. T. Garrett will do the preaching.

Misses Alma Ruth and Blanche Thompson of Lamesa were here over the week end visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Thompson. They have been teaching summer school in Lamesa.

Misses Dorothy Cross and Lorraine Heckman are visiting in Amarillo and Clarendon.

STOUT writes from England to his wife, "I will endeavor to write you a few lines tonight to let you know that I am in perfect health and that I am really sorry I haven't written you in the past few weeks. (Next Column Please)"

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MEMBER PANHANDLE PRESS ASSOCIATION



THE OLD B. C. N. gets results—especially when it has the right kind of people to work on. Last week we listed the bond buying by districts—yesterday, Mr. A. W. Howard of Memphis called and authorized the purchase of \$1500 worth of bonds for the Howard District. Said he noticed where "we were running a little behind down there". Thanks a lot Mr. Howard. — P. S. and confidentially to Mr. Howard: A check for a buck fifty will get you the Briscoe County News for a year.

THE BOB McDANIELS are thick as flies around here. There is Bob, Sr., and Bob, Jr., and then there's Bob the Third. If Bob the Third had had any kind of luck at all, there would be a Bob the Fourth—but Bob the Fourth was a girl... Bob, Jr. always was a pretty much of a show-off, and I think that accounts for the fact that he has a daughter now who is two months younger than his granddaughter. It is now Bob, Sr.'s move.

Prescription Filled Over 15 Million Times

Recommended to do just two things: relieve constipation and gas on the stomach. This successful prescription is now put up under the name of ADLERIKA. Get a bottle of Adlerika and you stop at your druggist's and ask for yourself how quickly gas is relieved and gentle but the good bowel action follows. Good for children, too. Get Adlerika from your druggist today.

BAIN DRUG STORE

JUDGE DANIEL brung in a mess of roasting ears to Yours True?ly. He is showing off too for my roastin' ear patch hasn't even tasseled yet.

ADD THIS TO your collection of "strange uses for common words"—"I will RELUCTANTLY accept"—Roosevelt. Somebody page Mr. Webster please.

IF YOU WONDER where I got that super-shiny wax job on the car, it is one of Dave Ziegler's specials. Now every time Dave sees me he hollers "Keep her in out of the mud." He is taking as much interest in it as though it was a new born baby. Which may be the mother instinct in him. After all, he says he put in nearly two days of hard labor.

IN COMMENTING on the action of Texas Democrats, wherein they condemned the confusion and duplication existing in federal bureaus. The Banner-Press at Brenham says: "It took the war to put the bureaucrats in high gear. They have multiplied with such rapidity that it is difficult to keep up with them. But the latest authentic count revealed that in April 1944, there were 3,305,460 persons on the federal payroll, exclusive of those in the armed forces. Their number had increased 47,619 since January 1st...the manpower shortage is so acute that decrees have gone abroad that men cannot change jobs without the consent of one of these very governmental bureaus, and it would seem that the federal agencies would cut down on their personnel. But not so. After an exhaustive investigation Senator Byrd reported that "there is not a single agency of the government that is not grossly over-manned in the civilians doing cler-

ical work... the government itself is the chief hoarder of manpower by reason of the continuance on governmental payrolls of many thousands of employees not needed."

THE KEYNOTER of the Democratic Convention in Mississippi recently said, "Four million of our boys are fighting to abolish dictatorship abroad and three million bureaucrats are fighting to establish it at home. The day for pussyfooting is gone. You are either a New Dealer or a Democrat."

THE BANNER-PRESS goes on to say, "Now, in what momentous tasks are these over-stuffed bureaus engaged, that they should hoard manpower while the army and navy draft fathers and break up homes, while war plants cry for men, and civilian enterprises struggle along with skeleton crews? Well, they are the boys who killed the little pigs and plowed up cotton under the New Deal philosophy of scarcity. They are the boys who are keeping the lid on the price of oil, discouraging new production, and rationing gasoline in the name of scarcity... They are the boys who are paying sugar cane growers not to grow sugar cane, and rationing sugar because it is scarce. They are the boys who busy themselves about the ceiling prices for playing pool, while fathers are dying on the beachheads of Normandy, in Italy and in the Pacific. They are the boys who tell people they can't advertise for colored help. They are the boys, who, although Congress refused to pass a labor conscription law, issued their own decree making every male

person in the county dependent upon a federal bureau for permission to take a job.

They are the boys who issue labor decrees, telling people in this country how much or how little wages can be paid, and how many hours or how few hours men must be worked.

They are the boys who order employers to collect dues from the workers and pay them to the union leaders.

They are the boys who order the army to seize civilian enterprises under the guise of helping the war.

Yes, they are the boys who are sticking their noses into every business in the country, threatening the very existence of free enterprise.

Owing allegiance only to the rationed list now—or at least the wrath of the voters, they make their own laws, do their own investigating, and serve as prosecutor, judge and jury. From most of their decisions, there is no appeal to the legally constituted courts."

NEWS SEEMS TO be on the rationed list now—or at least some would have it so. It has gotten to the place that little local happenings are as hard to get as five dollar bills—not that we are about to offer \$5 for them. Anyway the common answer is "Well I was over to Blanktown but I guess you better not put it in the paper. It might get around to the gas board?"—which is a very foolish way to look at it.

IN THE FIRST place, the gas board probably already knows about your little trip. The grapevine telegraph is very efficient in Silverton and has nearly as large a circulation as the Briscoe County News. In the second place, trips that are not "for publication" just

shouldn't be made. The fact that it is kept from the gas board, doesn't make the car use any less gas, nor make the supply any better for the men in service.

AND SO, unless you are really flagrantly violating the OPA driving rules why you might as well be above-board about it and help out the local news page. If you insist we could probably fix it something like this, "Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Doe spent Sunday in Blanktown on business. After starting their business at the Sunday dinner table, they carried on further business discussions at the Lake near that city. Business was concluded late Sunday evening at the midnight show."

DICK GARVIN has moved his tractor repair shop to the building back of Coffee's Hardware. He has the same equipment that he had

down at Tulls and claims that he can fix anything I wonder. Heard Don Garrison asking him how much it would cost to cross a John Deere with a McCormick-Deering. That would be a pretty keen thing. It would fire four times and then coast around four times and then fire all four again. I guess Dick could do it but it would be about as well balanced as the National budget.

Vigo Park News

Mrs. Pete Jones got home Sunday afternoon from Trinidad, Colorado where she attended her neices funeral.

Lt. Vera M. Rogers left Monday night after a few days visit in the parental C. H. Rogers. She will visit her parents in Elmore City, Oklahoma before returning to her post of duty at Okmulgee, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gardner went to Lefors Monday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Gardner's brother-in-law, John H. Smith.

Gail Bullock went last week to visit her grandparents at Bice, and Antelope Flat.

Brother Menefree will be home this week from Pastor's school and will preach Sunday night and Rev. Oscar Bruce will be here Monday to help in the revival. There will also be Vacation Bible School each morning during the week for the children. Mrs. Walker will teach one class. The Lord has given us a good harvest of wheat, but there is another harvest that is white.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Couch of Childress have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Dowdy. They returned home Wednesday.

Voting Instructions

Owing to the fact that there will be many new voters this year and that Texas has a special election ballot, the following information together with a copy of the ballot, will be a guide to follow for the July Primary Election.

The voter shall vote by RUNNING A LINE THROUGH the names of such candidates as he or she shall desire to vote against and leaving the name of the candidate for whom he wishes to vote, and leaving only one name for each place. According to the Statutes of the State of Texas a check mark is no vote at all, but the voter must run a line through the name of the candidate he desires to vote AGAINST.

Sample Primary Election Ballot
July 22, 1944

I AM A DEMOCRAT AND PLEDGE MYSELF TO SUPPORT THE NOMINEE OF THIS PRIMARY

For Representative in Congress: 18th Congressional District: Eugene Worley of Shamrock LaMarr Bailey of Amarillo	For Comptroller of Public Accounts: Geo. H. Sheppard of Nolan Co. Clifford E. Butler of Harris Co. Harold K. Shelton of Harris Co.	For Sheriff, Assessor and Collector: N. R. HONEA TOM C. BOMAR
For Governor: Coke R. Stevenson of Kimble Co. Martin Jones of Nacogdoches Co. W. J. Minton of Grayson Co. Alex M. Ferguson of Grayson Co. Minnie Fisher Cunningham of Walker Co. Gene S. Porter of McLennan Co. Edward L. Carey of Harris Co. Herbert E. Mills of Galveston Co. William F. Grimes of Harris Co.	For Treasurer: Jesse James of Travis Co.	For County and District Clerk: J. E. ARNOLD
For Lieutenant Governor: Lee Satterwhite of Travis Co. Mat Davis of Upshur Co. William David Turner of McLennan Co. John Lee Smith of Throckmorton Co.	For Commissioner of General Land Office: Bascom Giles of Travis Co.	For County Judge and Ex-Officio County Superintendent: J. W. LYON, JR.
For Attorney General: Grover Sellers of Hopkins Co. Jesse E. Martin of Tarrant Co. Fred Erisman of Gregg Co.	For Superintendent of Public Instruction: L. A. Woods of McLennan Co. Earl Rogers of Hays Co. Walter Scott McNutt of Marion County	For County Attorney: C. D. WRIGHT
For Associate Justice of Supreme Court: Richard Critz of Williamson Co. Tom Smiley of Karnes Co. James B. Hubbard of Nueces Co. Gordon Simpson of Smith Co. Charles T. Rowland of Tarrant Co.	For Associate Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals for the Seventh Supreme Judicial District of Texas (Unexpired Term): Clayton Heare	For County Treasurer: PAUL REID
For Judge of Court of Criminal Appeals: F. L. Hawkins of Ellis Co. Joseph D. Dickson of Baylor Co.	For Associate Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals for the Seventh Supreme Judicial District of Texas (Unexpired Term): Clayton Heare	For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: L. A. McJIMSEY G. J. NEATHERLIN
For Railroad Commissioner: Beauford H. Jester of Navarro Co.	For State Senator 31st Senatorial District: Grady Hazelwood of Amarillo	For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 2: R. B. PERSONS
	For District Attorney 110th Judicial District of Texas: Richard F. Stovall of Floydada	For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3: BRYAN STRANGE P. D. JASPER
	For State Representative 126th District of Texas: Joe W. Jennings of Lockney Tom W. Deen of Floydada	For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4: CHESTER BURNETT
		For County Surveyor: R. F. STEVENSON
		For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1: T. L. ANDERSON
		For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 2: J. C. MAPLES
		For Briscoe County Democratic Chairman: T. R. WHITESIDE

Tractor Repair

I am now located in the Building back of Coffee's Hardware, and am equipped for all types of tractor repair. I have purchased the shop equipment from M. C. Tull, and can guarantee you a good job. Big jobs or little jobs, you are cordially invites to bring them here.

I have a nice stock of the famous **LUBE-R-FINER** For All Models Tractors "Refines your oil while you drive"

COME IN ANY TIME!!

Dick Garvin

Furniture

New Arrivals

Two Maple Finish 4-piece BEDROOM SUITES, (Bed, Dresser, Chest of Drawers and Vanity Bench, \$153.50 Both suites for \$300.00

HOME DESKS \$8.75 to \$13.95

Smith Davis Box Springs and MATTRESSES \$55.00

Other good Mattresses as low as \$6.50

Beautiful Mirrors \$3.10

Plate glass Mirrors \$6.75

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Secret of our customers' satisfaction—and our own success with damaged tires and tubes—is our new Inland Complete Tire Repair Unit and Vulcanizer. Handles any passenger tire up to 7.50 x 16 in size—and turns 'em out robust in 24 hours.

Next time you get a tack in your track—come on over. You'll like our service, our work, our prices. You'll even like the manager's smile.

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Local Happenings

Mrs. Joe McWilliams is visiting friends in Childress and relatives Wellington.

Mr. E. P. Iron of Dallas arrived Saturday night to visit with relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Hamilton Jr

were in Plainview Monday to visit several patients at the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bingham spent from Wednesday until Saturday in Canyon with Bill Bingham.

A horse stepped on Fred Brannon's foot Sunday and has caused him quite a bit of trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Dudley and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown were in Plainview on business Monday.

Jake Honea made a 'flying' trip to Wichita Falls Tuesday. He took Maurice Hand who was admitted to a State Vocational School. Hand, who is handicapped by paralysis, will study the jeweler's trade. He is the son of Mrs. F. C. Gatewood.

Mr. and Mrs. Porter Campbell of Canyon, and Mrs. Campbell of Tulia were here Wednesday for the funeral of Mr. John Honea.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Kitchens are the parents of a baby boy born July 8, 1944 at the Plainview Sanitarium. He has been named Robert Lynn.

Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Hamilton and Mrs. Hamilton's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Chappell were dinner guests of Mrs. Ada Cox's Sunday.

Mrs. S. N. Sneed and children of Amarillo spent the week end with her sister Mrs. Nash Blasengame.

Charlie Biggs of Providence was in Silverton on business Monday.

Fay Tice Bomar is home from summer school at Tech.

Mr. Raymond London of Itasca, Texas came Monday to be with his brother W. A. London who is in a critical condition at the Plainview Sanitarium.

J. A. N. Weaver fell from a go-devil and broke his arm.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hahn were in Amarillo Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bain spent Sunday in Tulia with Dr. and Mrs. Crawford.

Ed Whitfill of Lockney was a

business visitor in Silverton Tuesday.

Mrs. Iris May Peters of Amarillo spent the week end with Mrs. Dean Allard.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Tull are visiting in Plainview.

Mrs. J. B. Dudley and Mary Frances Dudley left Monday to visit Mrs. Dudley's son in Childress.

Junior Brannon left Monday for Texhoma, where he is working.

Betty and Mary Craft have been visiting the past week with relatives in Amarillo.

R. M. Hill spent the week end in Big Springs. He went there with his daughter Mrs. Bertha Burson. Mrs. Burson left from there for her home in Olymphria, Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Cowart of Alpine spent from Sunday until Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cowart. The Cowarts left for their home from Plainview Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Finley and Mrs. Kemp Cline of Amarillo spent Sunday with Mrs. H. G. Finley.

Mrs. Bill Conroe and Mrs. Ben Clematis of Matador spent Saturday night with Mrs. Ware Fogerson.

Edwin Davis, P. H. McKinney, Speedy McKinney and Orlee Mills came in from Spearman Sunday. They with Ware Fogerson returned to the North Plains Tuesday to harvest.

Mrs. D. H. Yancy is visiting her parents at Paris, Texas.

Those attending the funeral of Mr. Tolbert Sunday at Littlefield were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lightsey Mr. T. P. Iron of Dallas, Watson Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Fisher Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Seaney, Mr. and Mrs. Elma Seaney, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Grimes and Mr. and Mrs. Garvin Long.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Phillips arrived Monday to visit Mr. and Mrs.

P. H. McKinney. Phillips is in the Navy.

Mrs. Mickey Pitts is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Strange.

VIGO PARK NEWS
(Last Weeks Items)

Mrs. Lela Castleberry was visiting in Amarillo and Happy Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Crawford Jr. are visiting in the E. S. Sadler home. Mrs. Crawford came early last week. Ed came Sunday. He will help in harvest.

Vigo had about three inches of rain last week. East of Vigo it was much more measuring six inches at the Guy Todd farm.

Miss Ester Cobb was a week end guest in the Chas. Walker home.

Mrs. Amelia Hale of California is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. O. Pevehouse.

Mrs. Curtis Latham was called home last week on account of illness of her mother, Mrs. Earnest Ervin, of Whiteface. Mrs. Ervin underwent an operation at Lubbock General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hale returned from Amarillo last week and are visiting in the parental Chas. Walker home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fal Berry are up from Memphis seeing after their wheat harvest.

Attention! All Home Canners!
Before you begin your 1944 canning, Good Housekeeping Magazine advises you: use the boiling-water bath method for tomatoes and fruits only. Can all vegetables except tomatoes by the correct use of a pressure cooker to be sure of killing botulinus germs. In the last few years, cases of botulinus food poisoning have cropped up in widely different parts of the country. Buy, borrow, share a pressure cooker—but don't can low-acid vegetables any other way. If you want further information, write Good Housekeeping Magazine, 959 Eighth Avenue, New York, 19 N. Y.

Make plans now to attend the revival meeting starting July 16th and going through the 23rd. Rev. Bruce, a Methodist minister, will do the preaching.

Mrs. J. H. Tadlock of Texas City is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Gill.

If you think the world is all wrong remember it contains people like you.

ANNOUNCEMENTS
POLITICAL

The following have authorized the Briscoe County News to announce their candidacy for the office indicated, subject to the Democratic Primary, July 22, 1944:

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector:
N. R. HONEA
TOM C. BOMAR

For County Judge and Ex-Officio County Superintendent:
J. W. LYON, JR.

For District Attorney, 110th Judicial District:
RICHARD F. STOVALL

For District and County Clerk:
JOHN ARNOLD

For County Treasurer:
PAUL REID
MRS. ELEANORA SAMPLE

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
L. A. McJIMSEY
G. J. NEATHERLIN

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
BRYAN STRANGE
P. D. JASPER

For Representative, 120th Legislative District:
JOE W. JENNINGS

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
Chester Burnett

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If you need a Conveyer BUNDLE CARRIER for a McCormick Deering Row Binder, we can supply you.

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T. T. Crass, Owner

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E. Mast, M. D. (Urology)
Eye, Ear, Nose & Throat
T. Hutchinson, M. D.
E. Hutchinson, M. D.
M. Blake, M. D. (Allergy)
Infants and Children
C. Overton, M. D.
Arthur Jenkins, M. D.
Gynecology
R. Hand, M. D.

Internal Medicine
W. H. Gordon, M. D.
R. H. McCarty, M. D.
(Cardiology)
General Medicine
J. P. Lattimore, M. D.
G. S. Smith, M. D.
J. D. Donaldson, M. D.
X-Ray and Laboratory
A. G. Barsh, M. D.
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The Harvest Hands Ought to Know About Eats

We are feeding a lot of harvest hands and one told us the other day, "This is the BEST place to eat that I've found in eight years of harvesting."

Well, we don't know about that, of course, but he ought to know.

Why don't you folks come down and eat out for yourselves?

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If you are short of help, and the days are too hot and too long, then you will enjoy taking a meal now and then with us here at McCain's Cafe.

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I Want Your Vote

Dear Voters:

I regret very much to inform you that, through a misunderstanding, and lack of information, that I failed to get my name on the Ballot Sheet, as Candidate for County Treasurer. I am taking the only course that is left open for me to take, and that is to run on an INDEPENDENT TICKET. When you go to the Polls to vote July 22, I would appreciate very much if you would just write my name in under my opponent's name. (Just WRITE Eleanora Sample).

I have been a resident of Briscoe County seven years. As to my qualifications for this office, I have a High School Education, finishing my last year in Silverton High School. I have had one year in Draughn's Business College, Lubbock, Texas. Four years of experience in Silverton High School Library. Thirteen months as Stenographer in the County Clerk's Office, Silverton. I believe with this training that I could give good service.

As to Service, you will find me on the job when you need me. Just give me a chance—mark through my opponent's name, write my name instead, and I will do my best to give you the service that you desire.

Sincerely,

ELEANORA SAMPLE

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Antelope Flat News
(Last Weeks Items)

Sgt. Mildred Long of the WACS and Mrs. Cecil Carr of Paduca are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Long. Sgt. Long has been stationed at Gainsville, Texas and will report to Ozlethorp, Idaho after a leave here.

Mrs. G. W. Selmon who has been ill in a Clarendon Hospital returned home Thursday and is recovering slowly.

W. N. Bullock spent last week with his son, Loyd Bullock and family of Vigo Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Bullock and sons, Gail and Dwayne of Vigo Park spent last week end with his father, W. N. Bullock here and her father, F. E. Gibson of Memphis. Gail remained for a longer visit.

Henry Edens was in Amarillo Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Edens and daughters, Bonnie Nell and Una Beth and grandson, Jerry Melvin Gilchrist of Giles spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Edens.

Miss Pat Paynor of Amarillo spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Paynor.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Dean and sons, Dan Nelse and Zack Luther of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Evans of Clarendon and Ernest Dean Evans of Dallas and Mrs. Carl Bufkin and son of Oakland, California spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edens.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Brown had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Corbin J. Ford and daughter, Mrs. H. L. Peters of Wellington and their sons, Raymond and Arthur Ford who have been stationed in the Aleutian Islands for the past two years.

Mrs. Tom Blasingame and son Tommie of Clarendon spent the week end with Mrs. W. E. Schott Sr.

Mrs. Billie Harris and son, Gary Clifford were in Memphis Thursday.

The Antelope Quilting Club met Thursday and quilted for Mrs. Elmer Sanders.

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WANTED — Late model Maytag Washing Machine. 13-2tp
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"OPTIMIST AND PESSIMIST"

Two men sat at a table. One was an optimist, the other was a pessimist. On the table was a wine bottle. The upper half was filled with air, the lower half with wine. The optimist said, licking his lips, "It's half full." The pessimist said gloomily, "It's half empty."

They laughed. "Strange, isn't it?" said the optimist. "Same bottle. Same set of facts. Yet we draw opposite conclusions."

And then they got talking about the war. The optimist said, "See that. A hundred ten dollar bills. A thousand bucks. Sold Uncle Sam forty hogs yesterday. Top price. Sure laying it away these days. Same as everybody. If the war only lasts a couple of years longer I'll have the mortgage clean paid."

"You're crazy," said the pessimist, "what did Papa Government give you for your hogs?"

"Why, these hundred tens. Good aren't they?"

"Listen, you dope, Papa didn't give you anything for your hogs except police protection."

"Don't make me laugh."

"You won't laugh when you come to—a year or so from now. Dream on. Enjoy your nap."

"Okay, rouse me!"

"Let's have a drink first." They did. The bottle was now one-quarter full, three-quarters empty.

"When you sold your hogs, you were dealing with two men, not one. One you saw. The other you didn't. The one you saw was the purchasing agent. He gave you the \$1,000 and drove off with your hogs. The man you overlooked is a fellow named Morgenthau. He said you owed him \$250.00 income tax. Right? And you forked it over. Then he said that you ought to buy a bond for \$750.00. And being a patriotic citizen, as you are, you gave him the \$750.00 also. Am I right?"

"Right as rain."

"And then Morgenthau handed the \$250.00 and the \$750.00 over to the purchasing agent. Total \$1,000. And the purchasing agent handed the \$1,000 back to you in payment for your hogs. How much do you make on the deal?"

The optimist scratched his head. "Now, wait a minute. There's a catch in there somewhere. Guess I did get only \$750.00 for the hogs after subtracting the tax. But I got the government bond, haven't I?"

"Sure. But don't forget that it was your money and not Papa's that bought it. And that Papa gave you nothing for your hogs."

"Well, Papa will pay the bond some day, won't he?"

"Sure. If Papa doesn't tax you to death for boondoggle when the war is over, so you can still pay Papa \$750.00 in taxes, so Papa can give it back to you for your bond. You might tell Papa to take some of his bureaucrats off your neck. That would help you pay him so he could pay you."

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