

NEWS from the BOYS IN SERVICE

PREEMAN TATE has written the book part in the invasion of Iwo Jima. He was unable to give details of his part, but he will. His letter was written on 24th.

ROY THOMAS has arrived from Panama, Cuba to visit his mother and sisters.

LIEUT. HOMER SANDERS writes to his parents that he is in France. It is a pretty hard and hard to realize that they are raging if it were not for the noise in the distance.

Am Hunts received word that son Alfred, who has been in France making normal adjustment.

CAPT. J. R. CLANNAN writes he tried to find Garner Guest at the Naval Hospital but he had been discharged and gone to duty. Clannan will have to spend sometime yet in the hospital but says not to worry.

FC. JACK D. HARRIS, was in France recently, according to word received by his father, Grover Harris of Brice. In a letter to his parents, Jack said, "I was slightly injured in France but am now in England in a hospital. Don't worry about me for I will be OK shortly."

CR E. BELL writes from Brice, Iowa: "Dear Roy, Just in case you don't know I have changed again for three months. Though the chances seem good for a fellow to complete Naval training now."

It is hard to get on the ball after a twenty day leave, which is very short.

This is a pretty country, but as people, I will take my home.

Evidently my letter reached Anis before the notification of my being wounded. I am glad that, because she probably would have been very upset.

I am getting along fine. I am receiving excellent care and can get everything that I want.

It seems that they will probably keep me here for a while, so you can address my mail to the above address."

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How are you Mother? Have you been laying around sleeping too much. Ha! not if I know you.

I know nothing to tell you except a few minor things like this is a beautiful place. I've been to London and many other cities, quite interesting too, not like good old Texas, but interesting nevertheless.

I haven't gotten the Silverton paper in a long time and I do miss it.

But please do tell everyone "Hello" for me until I can do it for myself."

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The natives are having a sing sing today and there are fifteen tribes beating their drums, dancing and singing. It is more like an Indian dance.

We should get paid next week but it comes when they get ready to hand it out.

I don't think I will get a furlough as it takes about two months to get a bunch off and only two out of the company goes at a time.

I haven't gotten any mail in a few days but I sure bunches up.

We have a good football team and there isn't much doubt but that we will win the league in the regiment.

I saw Raymond as the sing sing this morning but didn't talk to him. Well I will write when I learn something to tell."

Two McIntyre Brothers In Service



... PFC. LEE McINTYRE son of Mr. W. H. McIntyre has been in service 16 months. He has been in England three months.



... WILLIAM McINTYRE son of Mr. W. H. McIntyre has been in service 5 months. He is in Headquarters Mastr Co. at Camp Lee, Virginia. His wife and son live in Tulsa.

News from Boys in Service

CAPT. J. R. CLANNAN, husband of the former Anis Fowler, writes to the Fowlers from a Naval Hospital in the South Pacific: Dear Folks: I received your letter dated July 11 today, the first I have received in quite some time. I surely was glad to hear from you.

I received your letter about Anis before the notification of my being wounded. I am glad that, because she probably would have been very upset.

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Sergeant Virgil V. Crow, of Silverton, Texas, is one of the non-commissioned officers in the automotive pool at this AAF station.

As a mechanic it is Sgt. Crow's duty to see that all vehicles are kept in excellent running order and that each truck, jeep and motor car is inspected regularly.

Sgt. Crow, who has been in the military service approximately twenty-two months, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman S. Crow. He

has been in this theater of operations thirteen months.

LEE YATES writes from France July 7th. "Dear Folks: Hello how is everybody in Texas fine I hope. This leaves me just fine."

This is the first letter I have written in a few weeks and I haven't received any but I hope to soon.

I'm in France now and everything is just fine.

How is Merline and Modine? I would bet they are having lots of fun while school is out. Tell them I said for them to write me a letter.

I haven't written Grandmother in quite awhile, so be sure and tell her hello and hope she is well.

Well I must close for this time so be sure and answer real soon."

RILEY YATES writes from Mass. "Well here I am at a different camp 14 miles from Boston. We are about 3 miles from Lyon. Also I am in the same troop but we aren't in the 30th Cav. anymore. We are just a troop by ourselves."

How's everything at home. I am O. K. Have a cold but that's nothing to worry about.

I received a letter from Lee the other day. He's O. K. but he's busted to a Pvt. now.

I'm still looking and waiting for my furlough.

I bet it's hot at home now. A buddy of mine from Texas - Beaumont-was there for 17 days. He said it sure was hot.

We are living in regular barracks here but it is a small camp. Its about a half mile to the beach and its sure god swimming too. Tell everyone hello for me."

TED WYNN, (the army) has it Lieut. Lonnie V. Wynn has seen a lot of vicious fighting. The following letter gives a very vivid description of the fighting he has seen:

Corsica
Iwana, Carver and all:

Your V-mail came in twelve days, which isn't bad at all. I certainly am glad for you about the good harvest. I still feel almost a personal interest in the place, you know. Did you sell the wheat, and how much did you get for it? How much will the well cost you? Did everyone's wheat average as good as yours?

I wrote you a short note a few days ago, and said I would write more. There really isn't much to write about, but I think it is permissible now to tell you about my "Baptism of Fire". It happened in the battle of Elba. That is a small island between here and the Italian mainland. It didn't receive much mention in the papers, but according to British and American troops who participated in it, as well as North Africa, Sicily, and Anzio, it was the bloodiest of the lot.

It was principally a French show, but it was spearheaded by British Commandos. Of the first hundred and twenty-two British Commandos who went ashore, only six lived. Almost the first entire wave of the infantry was wiped out.

The second wave, (I was in the third wave, thank God) had better luck, and succeeded in establishing a bridgehead of a sort. After about three hours of fierce fighting they

Memorial Services For Pvt. Nig Smith

Memorial services will be held Sunday for Pvt. Nig Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Smith and brother of Mrs. W. L. Brian.

Pvt. Smith was killed in action in Normandy June 9, 1944. He was 24 years old.

The service which will be held at the First Baptist Church will be held by Rev. C. J. Coffman.

MRS. O. T. BUNDY TO HEAD LOCAL PARALYSIS CHAPTER

Mrs. O. T. Bundy was named Monday night as chairman of the Briscoe County Chapter of the National Infantile Paralysis Foundation. She succeeds Roy Hahn who has been local chairman for the past two years.

The election wound up a meeting on the H. S. Sanders lawn, at which several Briscoe County folks were guests of Mrs. George Pittman, state representative of the National Foundation. Mrs. Pittman gave a very interesting talk on the "Relation of the Local Chapter to the National Foundation" in which she told of the astounding growth of the organization since it was first organized.

Silverton folks attending the open air meeting, at which a splendid chicken supper was served were: Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Tull, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Crass, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bomar, Mrs. D. O. Bomar, Dr. and Mrs. O. T. Bundy, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Whiteside, Mr. and Mrs. W. Coffee Jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lyon Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Jake Honea, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Sanders, Mrs. Pa Pavlicek, Miss Margaret Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hahn. Other attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Coffee of Orange, Texas; Mrs. George Pittman of Dallas, and Miss Morrill of Dallas.

Officers elected for the coming year were:
Chairman - Mrs. O. T. Bundy
Vice-chrm. - Mrs. T. R. Whiteside
Vice-chrm. - H. S. Sanders
Secretary - Mrs. T. T. Crass
Treasurer - Bill Middleton
Executive Committee:

T. T. Crass, chrm., T. R. Whiteside, Clarence Anderson, Tom Bomar, Jake Honea, H. S. Sanders and W. Coffee Jr.

TED WYNN LETTER (cont.)

had pushed in more than a mile. Then we went in to establish communications.

Snipers bullets were pinging every place, and artillery shells, mostly friendly from our own boats, were roaring overhead. Two of my friends were injured. We had a good protective covering of spitfires and P-47's. I saw only one enemy plane, and I saw it shot down by two American P-47's.

The entire operation lasted some fifty-six hours, and naturally I can't describe the emotions I experienced during that time. A great deal of the time I was just plain scared; sometimes I was angry. Later we received a nice letter of commendation from the French General, but all in all, I don't care for any more forward echelon work.

Considering the intensity with which the war all over the world is being fought, I don't see how it can possibly last much longer. I believe Germany will be knocked out in a few months, and I think the whole war will end in 1945. I think even the politicians are becoming tired of war now. The only people left who would like to continue the fight are the professional soldiers, and we have very few in the American army.

I'm going to Rome soon, and I sure wish J. W. could be with me. I know he would enjoy it very much. It has hardly been touched by bombs or guns. Will send you some souvenirs, if possible.

Regards to everyone,
Ted

A. G. TADLOCK who is stationed at Liberal, Kansas visited his wife and baby here this week.

Announcements were received here Wednesday telling of the graduation of Vance Burson on August 4th. Vance will graduate from the Army Air Forces Advanced Flying School at Moore Field Friday Morning August 4th at eleven o'clock. Upon his graduation Vance will receive the rank of Lieutenant. Moore Field is near Mission Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Neese of Corpus Christi are the parents of a daughter born July 23rd. She has been named Lucille Jean.

Former Silverton Boy Killed In Action

Roy Bechtol son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bechtol has been reported as killed over the Marianas Islands. Roy attended school here and his father ran the Panhandle Lumber Yard. The following is an account of the accident taken from the Amarillo News.

Flak Ends Life of Naval Pilot
The Navy plane was hit by anti-aircraft fire while in a dive over the Marianas Islands and crashed into the ground, killing Roy Bechtol of Amarillo.

Thus the recent death of the Amarillo flier has been described by his commander, Bernard M. Stearn.

The two men flew together on all of their combat flights, their planes side by side.

"We were attacking one of the Marianas Islands, and had commenced our dive, intending to drop a bomb," the commander wrote the flier's wife.

"Beck's plane was hit in the tail by Jap anti-aircraft and went straight into the ground. At the speed we were making, the thing happened in an instant. There is no possibility of his having gotten out of the plane."

The Navy flier was 23 years old and a graduate of Amarillo High School. His parents Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bechtol now live in Lubbock.

He attended Texas Technological College, and enlisted in the Navy in 1942. He was graduated from the Naval Training School at Corpus Christi and received advanced training in Florida, Chicago and Norfolk, Va. He married Miss Billie Jo Jones of Lubbock in April of 1943.

He had shot down four Jap planes and had been recommended for the Distinguished Flying Cross the Air Medal and a Gold Star.

"The Navy has lost a superior fighting officer, and all of us have lost a friend," Commander Stearn said.

SGT. "SHORTY" BINGHAM, has arrived safely in England according to a letter received here Friday by his father, J. D. Bingham.

Capt. Geo. Valek, brother of Mrs. Frank Havran is back in the States after two years of overseas combat duty. The Havrans are expecting him on a visit soon. He has a 30-day leave.

GARNER GUEST was released from hospital on July 23rd. He received shrapnel wounds in the battle for the Saipan Island. He was released the day that 5,000 Marines were sent to the Tinian Island and he is probably one of this number fighting there.

H. C. McCormick and his granddaughter Charlene of Floydada are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brock.

WANT-ADS

FOR SALE - Washing machine. Good condition. **NEWS OFFICE**

STRAYED - 5 Herford Steers. Missing 2 or 3 wks. O-Bar left hip, or a swinging circle on left hip or shoulder. 13-4tp
L. E. CUZZEN
Box 223, Silverton, Texas

FOR SALE - The Havran Building in Silverton. Three large business rooms on ground floor. Upstairs - good living quarters and office rooms. On two lots. See R. F. Stevenson or Frank Havran

FOR SALE - 1937 Ford Pickup. Good rubber. 15-2tp
VINCENT SMITH

WANTED - good portable typewriter; also coal-wood cook stove and wardrobe trunk. 16- 1tc
Mrs. W. Coffee Jr.

PLENTY OF THE NEW extra thin Air Mail Stationery at the News Office. \$1.50 printed.

FOR SALE - 320 acres of good land. 300 in cultivation. 18 miles west of Silverton. 16-2tp
Owner, C. M. DRAKE
Tulsa, Texas, Route 5

FOR SALE - 1 International 15-30 Tractor. 16-11tp
Durward Brown

FOR SALE - Meadows Washing machine -32-volt electric; also Round Oak Coal Range Stove. Mrs. D. T. Northeutt 16-11tp

FOR SALE - 1 brooder house 12x12, floored; 1 chicken house 14x20 practically new; 4 Jersey cows, good milkers. 16-2tp
George Seaney

Mother to Receive Missing Son's Medals

SUBSCRIPTION LIST IS 100 PERCENT PAID UP

Saturday wound up the Summer Bargain Offer on the Briscoe County News and very few subscribers failed to renew their paper. More new folks were added than dropped off, which makes it possible for us to say again that the list is the largest it has ever been. The circulation of the paper has gained some 250% since the present owner came here in 1936. We are very proud of this support, and thank you very much. Since last week's paper the following people have paid up:

- D. L. Young
- Jim Stevenson
- Manley Wood
- Willson & Son.
- Ben Martin
- Lee D. Bomar
- Aulton Dusham
- Loyd Heim
- T. G. Olive
- Doc Peugh
- Mrs. Lona Lawrence
- Mrs. Mack Neese
- Bob Dickerson
- D. G. Joiner
- W. W. Melton
- Wesley Sykes
- George Jones
- Ira Bean
- Mrs. A. G. Tadlock
- H. T. Gill
- Mrs. Ola Mills
- Vernon Mills
- J. W. Kendrick
- Murray May
- Mrs. Ruth Cline
- Mrs. J. R. Guest
- R. N. Sheid
- T. W. Whiteside
- Aurelia Sanders
- Bob Hill
- Paul Reid
- Warner Reid
- Bruce Womack
- Mrs. Alex Snowden
- Mrs. A. F. Van Meter
- S. W. Public Service Co.
- Dr. Roy McCasland
- Henry Teubel

This week we are making an entirely new mailing list. Every name will be typed and there no doubt will be several errors. Please if you see any error on your address this week, let us know at once that we may correct it. We will use an entirely different system of addressing the papers and need your cooperation.

BOND CLUB MEETS

The Bond Club met Friday, July 28 with Mrs. True Burson with nine members present. Mrs. O. T. Bundy drew the bond. The next meeting will be with Miss Anna Lee Anderson on August eleventh.

THE WATERPROOF CARTON GOES TO WAR

The reason behind the scarcity of cartons for civilian use is of course the vast needs of our Armed Forces. But the use of waterproof cartons goes even beyond the shipping of war materials as we learned in an interesting conversation with an official recently. When the numerous supplies of war are unpacked the cartons are not discarded. Instead, in our far-flung outposts, they "double-in-brass" and do another important job.

The establishment of a Post Exchange is one of the most important tasks to be done when our troops land. Materials for building are usually lacking—so our resourceful troops construct PX's of the very cartons which protect war materials enroute!

Three sturdy walls are erected from cartons of writing tablets and paper. A tarpaulin is flung over the top to serve as a roof. As writing tablets and envelopes are removed from some cartons, the empty spaces are used as shelves to hold cigarettes, tooth paste, candy etc., so necessary to the physical and moral well-being of our troops. And presto—a new POST EXCHANGE—ready for business within a few hours after the landing! Naturally, in the teeming jungles of tropical islands—in the perpetual dampness of the Aleutians, the waterproof



Staff Sergeant Alton B. Walker is still listed as "missing in action" and this week his mother, Mrs. E. C. Newman, received a letter telling her that her son had won the Air Medal with three Oak-leaf clusters and the Purple Heart award for wounds he received last September. The following letter is self-explanatory:

My dear Mrs. Newman:
I have the honor to inform you that, by direction of the President, the Air Medal and three Oak-leaf Clusters, representing three additional awards of the same decoration, and the Purple Heart have been awarded to your son, Staff Sergeant Alton B. Walker, Air Corps. The citations are as follows:

AIR MEDAL AND THREE OAK LEAF CLUSTERS

"For exceptionally meritorious achievement, while participating in twenty separate combat missions over enemy occupied Continental Europe. The courage, coolness and skill displayed by this enlisted man upon these occasions reflect great credit upon himself and the Armed Forces of the United States."

PURPLE HEART

"For wounds received in action against an enemy of the United States 7 September 1943, while serving as Left Waist Gunner on a B-17 Airplane on a combat mission over enemy occupied Continental Europe."

Since these awards cannot be formally presented to your son at this time, the decorations will be presented to you. The Air Medal, the three Oak-leaf Clusters and the Purple Heart will be forwarded to the Commanding General, Eighth Service Command, Dallas, Texas, who will select an officer to make the presentation. The officer selected will communicate with you concerning your wishes in the matter.

May I again extend my deepest sympathy.

Sincerely yours,
J. A. ULIO,
Major General
The Adjutant General

Evangelist



REV. ORBIN TURNER is holding a summer revival at the Methodist Church. Rev. Turner is a former Silverton man.

features of both the cartons and the sealing tape are most important. When Victory is won, these products will be available for the varied needs of peacetime industry. In the meantime, they're winning laurels on every front of the war.

Will Murray of Tuttle is visiting his sister Mrs. Dick Bomar.



PFC. BUSTER THOMAS of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Thomas of Quitaque, has been in service almost two years. He is with the Air Corps and stationed in Ireland at the last fighting. His wife and baby daughter live here. He has never seen the baby which is 7 months old.

ROY MONTAGUE writes to the folks from a rest camp in the Pacific:

Central Pacific
Mozelle, Received your letter. I was very glad to hear that you are doing fine. I am doing myself, but will certainly be when the day comes when we will be home again.

We have moved to another island. I last wrote. It is not far from the one I was recently on, so climate is the same. But the difference in the islands themselves is really a nice change. On one we have beautiful palm trees with coconuts on them. A sandy beach and the nicest water I ever went swimming in. There is a small raft a little from shore. We go out to it and although the water is 20 feet deep you can see bottom as clear as day.

It's one does much work here. Just a resting place for the day. I work only every other day not hard then. I don't imagine the little picnic will last much longer and the next place will be as wish we were back here.

We had a V-mail letter from D. J. We didn't get to see each other. There is not much to tell. I will close. Roy Montague

DAVIS, husband of Mrs. Davis is receiving his initial naval training at the U. S. Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

"boot" training consists of instruction in seamanship, military and general naval procedure.

During this period a series of aptitude tests will be taken by him to determine whether he is to be assigned to a Naval School or to immediate active duty at sea.

Recruit training completed, seaman will spend a period of 24 hours at home.

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SUCH DAYS! They are really
 too hot to handle. But the nights,
 if you stay awake enough to see,

are cool and nearly cold.
 SOME OF THESE BOXES in
 locker plants must not be prac-
 tical. I was talking to Gordon
 Alexander and he had some beef
 in the Quitaque locker plant. He
 had more than his box would hold
 so he put some in Orlin Stark's
 box. And said he, "I lost that."
 I suppose that something went
 wrong with the freezing element in
 Stark's box. That is the only way
 I can think of that he could lose
 meat in a cold storage plant. On
 the other hand, Stark might have
 noticed that the box was not do-
 ing just right and took it out to
 save it.

I ASKED THE price of an office
 chair up at Coffee's yesterday.
 "\$30.00", said Junior, and he
 didn't even act like it hurt him
 when he said it. "Well", sezzi, "It
 would take me too long to do \$30
 worth of sitting around." . . . And
 right there Coffee let me have it.
 He snorted, "Huh! Brother Hahn,
 you must have an awful low rate
 on your settin' around." He kinda
 clipped my wings so as to speak
 before I got started. But he can
 be watching, for by next week
 maybe I'll have thought of some-
 thing to say back to him.

TOM BOMAR IS trying to put
 a new light on those three votes
 he got down at Antelope. He says
 now that he made a house-to-
 house canvass down there getting
 acquainted. It was getting late
 and he thought he'd just skip the
 last three homes. That, dear read-

er is campaigning.
 HEARD ONE TODAY about
 Justice in early days. An old boy
 was accused of cattle stealing. The
 judge heard the accusation and
 said, "Guilty". But judge, you
 haven't heard the other side of the
 case," said the defendant's lawyer.
 "I never listen to but one side of
 a case," said the judge. "If I heard
 both sides it might confuse me in
 making my decision."

AND IF YOU doubt that Sil-
 verton is at war, go back and read
 the front page again. Nearly ev-
 erything on it is of the boys in
 service—wounded, missing, killed,
 in action—those headlines are ve-
 ry common in the Briscoe County
 News these days. It gives a fellow
 sitting at home a very definite
 feeling of futility and uselessness.



The Texan's share in this war
 is truly a big one. Of every 18 men
 in the Army, Navy and Marine
 corps one is a native of the Lone
 Star State. Recent reports show
 approximately 650,000 Texans in
 the services.

Every dispatch from the fight-
 ing fronts reminds us that the de-
 scendants of the heroes of the Al-
 lamo are first-string scrappers.
 The recruiting officer who told
 the boys up north that they should
 "join the army and help Texas
 win the war" was not too far from
 the truth!

Here's the latest on some of the
 Texas fighting men:

Capt. John A. Paul of Kerrville
 is wearing a bronze star won in
 the hard fighting at Bougainville.
 Lt. Bill Hogan of Clarksville, now
 recovering from wounds, has been
 awarded the Distinguished Service
 Cross for heroism in wiping out
 an anti-tank gun crew . . . and the

Willys
 builds the
 dependable
Jeep
 V Light Truck
 V Passenger Car
 V Light Tractor
 V Power Plant

same medal has gone to Lt. Del-
 bert C. Gates of Joinerville, with
 a citation which attests his "extra-
 ordinary heroism" in fighting off
 a Jap attack while armed only
 with an automatic rifle.

Lewis Schatz of Dobbin, who is
 back home for hospitalization af-
 ter being twice wounded in Italy,
 met his brother, Pfc. August Sch-
 atz, at Salerno, August is still in
 Italy chasing the retreating Nazis.
 "Lucky Boots" have carried Lt.
 E. W. Bridwell of Winters through
 23 bombing missions over Europe.
 The high-heeled Texas footgear,
 first worn by Capt. L. A. Brumley
 of Del Rio, were passed on to Lt.
 Bridwell. When he completes his
 flying stint, they will go to Lt. Bob
 Deveny of Waco, who thinks they
 will bring him good luck too.

"Commando" Kelly, the Yankee
 Irishman who became a Texan and
 won the Congressional Medal of
 Honor by fighting heroically with
 Texas' 36 th division, stopped off
 in Austin recently to thank the
 "home folks" for their contribu-
 tions to the war effort.

"We know Texans are behind
 us," he told Wayland D. Towner,
 manager of the United War Chest
 of Texas, "because we got Na-
 tional War Fund services even up
 close to the front lines. USO camp
 shows, War Prisoners Aid and
 other agencies are doing a great
 job, thanks to the \$5,000,000 given
 by Texas last year. Keep up the
 good work, and we'll keep hitting
 the enemy hard."

The Nazis in Normandy made a
 mistake when they made a Texan
 mad one day last week. When a
 German bazooka knocked out his
 tank, Lt. Dick Martin of Fort
 Worth got sore, jumped on top of
 the stranded machine, cut loose
 with a sub-machine gun, and per-
 sonally killed 35 Nazis.

Lt. Dan Gilmore, whose home is
 Luling, has made six bombing runs
 over Berlin, and still is in there
 pitching. Now he holds the DFC
 for heroism and the Air Medal
 with three Oak Leaf Clusters.

Lt. Neilan Bemis of Denison is
 towing more glider troops to France
 after winning the DFC with clus-
 ter . . . Lt. Winfred Alfred of Com-
 merce is back home after 28 mis-
 sions over Europe as a Flying
 Fortress pilot . . . Sgt. Julian Bark-
 man whose home is near Tex-
 arkana, has been taken prisoner
 by the Germans. But his lot will
 be made easier by War Prisoners
 Aid, National War Fund agency
 which provides sports equipment
 and other supplies for our men
 behind enemy barbed wire.
 One of the youngest generals in
 the Army is C. D. "Casey" Vincent,
 veteran fighter pilot. He's only 29
 but strictly a Texas fighting man
 His home is Gale.

Politeness is small price to pay
 for the good will and affection of
 people.

At least this war has produced
 one good result: when you buy a
 new shirt it is held in its folded
 condition by bits of gummed pa-
 per instead of by innumerable
 pins. The only way to find all the
 invisible pins was to put on the
 shirt and—get scratched in three
 or four places.

**Prescription Filled
 Over 15 Million Times**

Recommended to do just two things:
 relieve constipation and gas on the
 stomach.
 This successful prescription is now out
 up under the name of ADLERIKA.
 Get a bottle of Adlerika next time
 you stop at your druggist's and see
 for yourself how quickly gas is re-
 lieved and gentle but thorough bowel
 action follows. Good for old and young.
 Get Adlerika from your druggist today.
BAIN DRUG STORE

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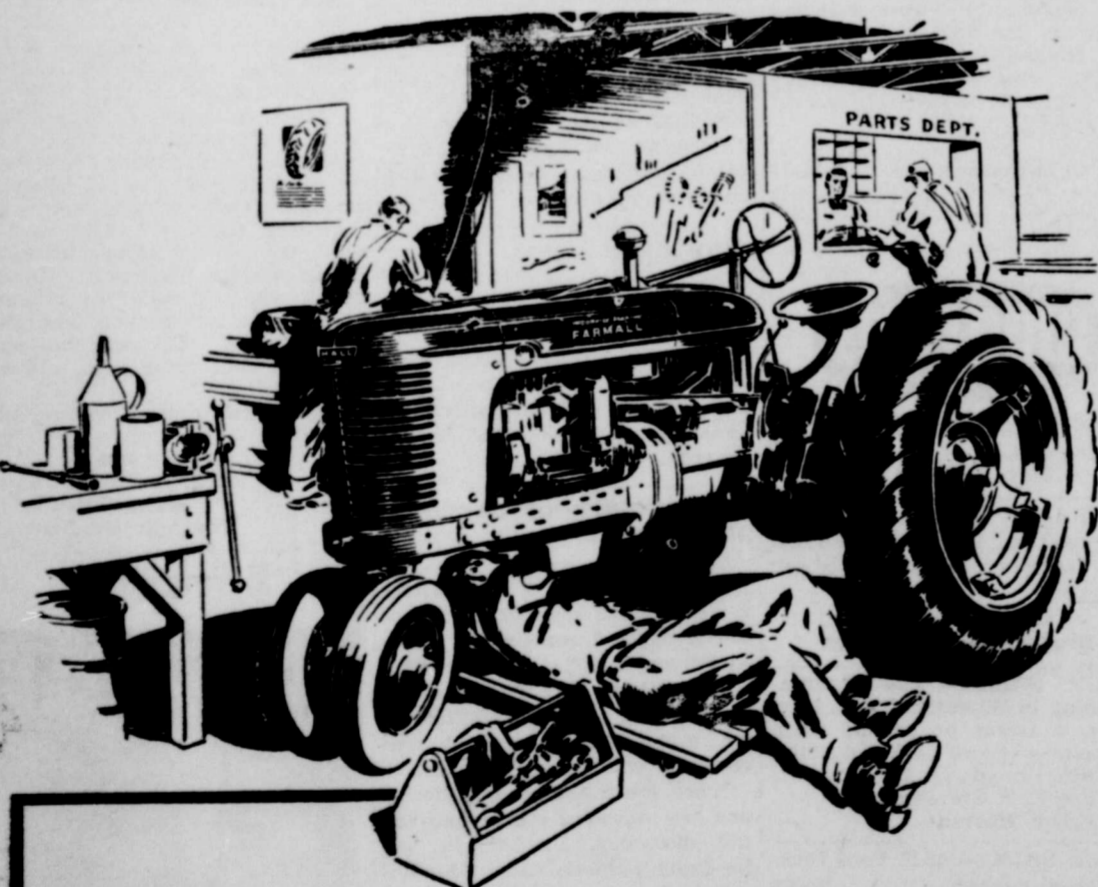
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Local Happenings

and Mrs. Frank Howlett and guests of Mrs. Ruth Watleys.

Those attending the meeting of Veterans of Foreign Wars at a Sunday were Dick Bomar, George Jones, Milt Jasper and Ed Bell.

Mrs. Annie Stallings and Jo Ann Mas of San Antonio are here on relatives.

Mrs. I. N. Chitty, Mrs. Pete and children, Mrs. Arvin and Brenda attended bus-ness in Tulsa Saturday. They also in Mrs. J. D. Tuttle and J. and Mrs. W. A. Adams.

Willet McDonald of Blue Texas and Mrs. Nora Genlockney visited in the L. Chitty home Sunday.

Bobby Brock celebrated his 8th birthday Tuesday afternoon with party. After an afternoon of games, Bobby opened his gifts and presents of Birthday cake, cream and punch were served. Sharon Gilkeyson, Colin Hahn, Clemmer Betty Brown Donetter, Buford Clemmer, Char-McCormick of Floydada and by and Mona Brock.

and Mrs. Offie Wallace left Friday evening for their home in Brathmore, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. Neese and boy went with Mrs. Neese will make her home with her parents while George is in service.

SGT. ROY THOMAS wired mother Mrs. Perry Thomas Sr. he was now in Pratt, Kansas and would be home on a furlough in a few days. Roy has

been in Havana, Cuba for the past year.

A few of those who have been in the Plainview Sanitarium the past two weeks are Carol Brown with a broken leg; Mrs. Lee D. Bomar, operation; Mrs. P. D. Jasper, ill; Mrs. Mart Self, operation; Mrs. Strange, operation; and Bernice Welch.

Mrs. Ruth Cline visited here the past week. She has been in California with her children. She left Monday for Holliday.

Mrs. J. R. Guest spent last week in Amarillo with her daughter Miss Ona Dell Guest.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Burrus of Olton are visiting their son Roy and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Joslin and children and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Brown and children of Plainview spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Judd Donnell.

Mrs. Cecil Joslin spent a few days last week with her sister Mrs. Judd Donnell.

Orville Turner of Canyon is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Judd Donnell and other relatives.

Mr. J. R. Foust and Mr. Hazelwood of Amarillo came Friday to get Mrs. Foust who had been visiting here. Mr. Hazelwood is visiting in South Plains, while Mr. and Mrs. Foust returned to their home Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Hill, Mrs.

Betty Tillery and baby, and Beth Higgins spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Hill.

Mrs. Herman Robinson and baby arrived home last Thursday from visiting in Muleshoe and Amhurst.

Mr. and Mrs. Burrell Mills and family of Seymour, Tex. and Mrs. Mary Bell Clement of Megargel visited last week with Mrs. Ola Mills.

Reverend Orbin Turner of Gainesville arrived Monday to hold the Methodist revival which is now in progress.

Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Tidwell and Mr. and Mrs. John Tidwell of Seminole went to Munday Sunday where they attend the memorial service for their nephew Ralph Tidwell, who was killed on D-Day. Services were from the First Baptist Church at Munday.

Mrs. Arthur Phillips left Monday for California to rejoin her husband, who is with the Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Coffee of Orange, Texas is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. Coffee Jr. Mr. Coffee is an inspector in the Navy Yard at Orange.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Brown have moved to the Coffee apt. Mrs. Finley moved to the Brown home which she has purchased Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Holt were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Stephens Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Willis and Roy Brazil of Holbert, Okla. are visiting their aunt Mrs. H. G. Finley. Mrs. Finley plans to return home with them the latter part of the week.

Mr. S. A. London was taken back to the Plainview Hospital Monday evening.

Miss Grace Hughes is visiting in Gainesville this week.

Mrs. Richard Hill, Mrs. Jess Brannon and Jo Lynn Brannon left Monday to visit relatives at Waco, Galveston and Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert London were in Tulsa and Plainview Monday.

The L. T. D. club met Friday

afternoon with Mrs. Roy Hahn. Mrs. Emery Mills was welcomed as a new member to the club. The "guess what" bath powder, was guessed by Mrs. Dutch Tidwell. War stamps ere drawn by Mrs. Ware Fogerson. Mrs. Troy Burson and Mrs. Clarence Mast were guests for the occasion. A cooling refreshment plate was served to Mesdames Johnny Lanham, T. T. Crass, J. W. Lyon Jr., Ware Fogerson, Dutch Tidwell, Clarence Mast, Troy Burson, Emery Mills, and Robert Hill. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Dutch Tidwell on August the eighth.

Those attending a picnic Sunday evening at the Plainview park were Mr. and Mrs. George West, Mr. and Mrs. Louie Kitchens, Miss Polly Steele, Mrs. Vincent Smith and son, John Montague, Mr. and Mrs. Willie West and family, Mr. and Mrs. Durward Davis and family, Mrs. Paul Stanford and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Davis of Kress.

Joan and Billy Morton of Canyon spent ten days with their grandmother Mrs. Billy Dickerson. They went home Friday.

Mary Craft, Betty Craft, Frances Tennyson, Oneta Henderson, Othel Welch, Bennie Gardner and Alma Jewel Leuty left Monday for Ceta Glenn to spend the week at the Methodist Encampment. Mr. Gardner and Rev. Craft took the girls over.

Erma B. Folley and Oneta Henderson spent the week end in Hollis, Okla. in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Vaughan.

Misses Opal and Ruby West attended the annual Gamma Phi reunion at the Herring Hotel in Amarillo.

Karlyn Mills of Magdalen, N. M. came Friday for a weeks visit with his grandmother Mrs. Ola Mills. He is Vernon's son.

A little girl of five was entertaining while her mother was getting ready. One of the ladies remarked to the other with a significant look, "Not very p-r-e-t-y," spelling the last word. "No," said the child quickly, "but awfully s-m-a-r-t."

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H. J. R. No. 18
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION
 proposing an Amendment to Section 9 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by changing said Section 9 so as to provide that the Commissioners Court in any county may re-allocate the county tax levies authorized in said section by changing the rates provided for any of the purposes authorized in said section by either increasing or decreasing the same, but in no event shall the total of such taxes exceed eighty (80) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation for any one year; providing that before such Commissioners Court may make such re-allocations and changes in such levies that the same shall be submitted to the qualified property tax paying voters of any county as herein provided, such re-allocations and changes shall remain in force and effect for a period of six (6) years from the date of the election at which same shall be approved, unless the same again shall have been changed by a majority vote of the qualified property tax paying voters of such county, voting on the proposition, after submission by the Commissioners Court at a general or special election for that purpose; providing that this section shall not be construed as a limitation on powers delegated to counties, cities or towns by any other section or sections of this Constitution; fixing the time for the election for the adoption or rejection of said proposed Constitutional Amendment; making certain provisions for said election and ballots thereof and the method thereof; directing the issuance of proclamation therefor; prescribing certain duties of the Governor of the State of Texas; and making an appropriation to defray the expenses of said election.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
 Section 1. That Section 9 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be so amended that the same will hereafter read as follows:
 "SECTION 9. The State tax on property, exclusive of the tax necessary to pay the public debt, and of the taxes provided for the benefit of the public free schools, shall never exceed thirty-five (35) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation; and no county, city or town shall levy more than twenty-five (25) cents for city or county purposes, and not exceeding fifteen (15) cents for roads and bridges, and not exceeding fifteen (15) cents to pay jurors, on the one hundred dollars valuation, except for the payment of debts incurred prior to the adoption of the Amendment September 25, 1883; and for the erection of public buildings, streets, sewers, waterworks and other permanent improvements, not to exceed twenty-five (25) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation in any one year, and except as is in this Constitution otherwise provided; provided however, that the Commissioners Court in any county may re-allocate the foregoing county taxes by changing the rates provided for any of the foregoing purposes by either increasing or decreasing the same, but in no event shall the total of said foregoing county taxes exceed eighty (80) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation, in any one year; provided further, that before the said Commissioners Court may make such re-allocations and changes in said county taxes that the same shall be submitted to the qualified property tax paying voters of such county at a general or special election, and shall be approved by a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters, voting in such election; and provided further, that if and when such re-allocations and changes have been approved by the qualified property tax paying voters of any county, as herein provided, such re-allocations and changes shall remain in force and effect for a period of six (6) years from the date of the election at which the same shall be approved, unless the same again shall have been changed by a majority vote of the qualified property tax paying voters of such county, voting on the proposition, after submission by the Commissioners Court at a general or special election for that purpose; and the Legislature may also authorize an additional annual ad valorem tax to be levied and collected for the further maintenance of the public roads; provided, that a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters of the county voting at an election to be held for that purpose shall vote such tax, not to exceed fifteen (15) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation of the property subject to taxation in such county. And the Legislature may pass local laws for the maintenance of the public roads and highways, without the local notice required for special or local laws. This section shall not be construed as a limitation of powers delegated to counties, cities or

towns by any other section or sections of this Constitution."
 SEC. 2 The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at a general election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the seventh day of November, 1944, at which election all voters favoring the proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the following words:
 "FOR the Amendment to Section 9 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to provide that the Commissioners Court in any county may re-allocate the county tax levies authorized in said section by changing the rates provided for any of the purposes authorized in said section by either increasing or decreasing the same, but in no event shall the total of such taxes exceed eighty (80) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation for any one year; providing that before such Commissioners Court may make such re-allocations and changes in such levies that the same shall be submitted to the qualified property tax paying voters of such county at a general or special election, and shall be approved by a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters, voting in such election; providing that if and when such re-allocations and changes in such county tax levies have been approved by the qualified property tax paying voters of any county as herein provided, such re-allocations and changes shall remain in force and effect for a period of six (6) years from the date of the election at which same shall be approved, unless the same shall have been changed by a majority vote of the qualified property tax paying voters of such county, voting on the proposition, after submission by the Commissioners Court at a general or special election for that purpose; and providing that this Amendment shall not be construed as a limitation on powers delegated to counties, cities or towns by any other section or sections of the Constitution."
 Those opposing said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the following words:
 "AGAINST the Amendment to Section 9 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to provide that the Commissioners Court in any county may re-allocate the county tax levies authorized in said section by changing the rates provided for any of the purposes authorized in said section by either increasing or decreasing the same but in no event shall the total of such taxes exceed eighty (80) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation for any one year; providing that before such Commissioners Court may make such re-allocations and changes in such levies that the same shall be submitted to the qualified property tax paying voters of such county at a general or special election, and shall be approved by a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters, voting in such election, providing that if and when such re-allocations and changes in such county tax levies have been approved by the qualified property tax paying voters of any county as herein provided, such re-allocations and changes shall remain in force and effect for a period of six (6) years from the date of election at which same shall be approved, unless the same shall have been changed by a majority vote of the qualified property tax paying voters of such county, voting on the proposition, after submission by the Commissioners Court at a general or special election for that purpose; and providing that this Amendment shall not be construed as a limitation on powers delegated to counties, cities or towns by any other section or sections of the Constitution."
 If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast are in favor of said Amendment, the same shall become a part of the State Constitution.

SEC. 3 The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and shall have the same published as required by the Constitution for Amendments thereto.
 SEC. 4 The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

H.J.R. No. 8
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION
 proposing an amendment to Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding thereto Sections 51-e and 51-f; Section 51-e providing that cities and towns in this State shall have the power and authority to provide a system of retirement and disability pensions for their employees, provided, however, that no pension system shall be set up in any city until it has been approved at an election by qualified voters entitled to vote at an election on the question of the issuance of tax supported bonds; Section 51-f providing that the Legislature shall have authority to provide a system of retirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of cities and towns to operate State-wide or by districts under such a plan and program as the Legislature shall direct and shall provide that participation therein by cities and towns shall be voluntary; provided that the Legislature shall never make an appropriation to pay any of the cost of any system authorized by this Section."
 SEC. 2 The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State in November, 1944, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon, "For the Constitutional Amendment providing that the cities and towns in this State shall have the power and authority to provide a system of pensions for their appointive officers and employees," and "Against the Constitutional Amendment providing that all cities and towns in this State shall have the power and authority to provide a system of pensions for their appointive officers and employees." All ballots at such election shall also have printed thereon, "For the Constitutional Amendment giving authority to the Legislature to provide for a system of retirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of the cities and towns" and "Against the Constitutional Amendment giving authority to the Legislature to provide for a system of retirement

and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of cities and towns." Each ballot shall scratch out two (2) of the clauses on the ballot, leaving two (2) expressing his vote on proposed Amendments.
 SEC. 3 The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and shall have the same published as required by the Constitution for Amendments thereto.
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GIRL SCOUT NEWS
 The Senior Girl Scouts met at the home of Mrs. D. T. Northcutt Monday afternoon. Those present were: Betty Nan Burson, Thelma Jean Mercer, Erma Lee McJeanne Dudley, Mrs. Tony Burson and two visitors, Geraldine Smith and Jean Northcutt. The girls had a short business meeting and then worked on some ideas using water painting. When this activity was finished, delicious refreshments consisting of sandwiches, cake and punch were served.
 It was decided to sell lemonade and cookies in Clyde Wright's former office on Saturday, August the fifth.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Daniel visited Mr. and Mrs. Malcomb Daniel and son Sunday and Sunday night.
 Billy Dickerson of Canyon, Don Daniel of Floydada visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Daniel and Billy Dickerson last week. Don, the grandson of the Daniels, is Billy's their great nephew.
 Don Daniel of Floydada visited Susie and Joe Anderson Friday night.
 Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Childers and Lillie B. Brooks visited brother, G. W. Childers in Erv County. Pvt. Ted Childers spent the week end with them there.
 Mr. and Mrs. Lem Weaver visited to Amhurst Monday evening.

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