

War Fund Quota Lags On Last Day

Leo L. White, Briscoe County chairman of the National War Fund Campaign announced Wednesday that only \$1086.43 of the \$1617 assigned quota has been collected. An oversubscription of \$342.00 was made on the 1944 drive, so Briscoe County will be given credit for that which will bring the total to \$1428.43. A remaining \$189.00 must be collected by tomorrow night, November 30, if we are to be over the top. If you have not already made your contribution, you are urged to do so. Any of the solicitors or Geraldine Smith will accept your money.

We are beginning in this issue to run the names of all contributors. The list is too long to include everyone this week, so if you have made a contribution and your name does not appear below, look for it in next week's paper.

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| Hughes Radio & Electric | \$5.00 |
| Wilson & Son Lumber Co. | 5.00 |
| Bomar's One Stop | 5.00 |
| Farmer's "66" Station | 5.00 |
| Davis' "66" Station | 2.00 |
| Jim Brooks | 5.00 |
| A. C. Grewe | 2.00 |
| Alva C. Jasper | 2.00 |
| Lowell Calloway | 1.00 |
| Oliver Savage | 10.00 |
| Carl Wimberly | 5.00 |
| H. H. McPherson | 1.00 |
| P. D. Jasper | 4.00 |
| M. E. Smith | 2.00 |
| D. E. Chessir | 1.00 |
| Ralph Lemons | 1.00 |
| Donnie Hester | 1.00 |
| J. E. Wheelock | 2.00 |
| M. B. Self | 5.00 |
| Cleat Miller | 5.00 |
| W. E. Merrell | 2.00 |
| R. L. O. Riddell | 2.00 |
| John Vaughan | 10.00 |
| Ben Garvin | 2.00 |
| Ralph Garvin | 2.00 |
| Eugene Long | 5.00 |
| Jim Bomar | 2.00 |
| Mrs. V. L. Miller | 1.00 |
| Mrs. H. G. Finley | 5.00 |
| Dean Allard | 2.00 |
| Hugh Stodghill | 2.00 |
| Sid Richards | 2.00 |
| Mrs. Travis Gilliland | 1.00 |
| Mrs. M. M. Edwards | 2.00 |
| Fred Elliott | .65 |
| Mrs. Thelma Jackson | 2.00 |
| D. H. Davis | 5.00 |
| L. W. Francis | 5.00 |
| Johnnie Lanham | 2.50 |
| Joe B. Mercer | 5.00 |
| Snooks Baird | 2.50 |
| Snooks Baird Produce | 2.50 |
| Mrs. W. E. Redin | 2.50 |
| J. B. Lanham | 2.50 |
| Conrad Alexander | 5.00 |
| W. E. Schott | 5.00 |
| Henry Price | 1.00 |
| Jim Clemmer | 1.00 |
| C. L. Wright | 3.00 |
| R. E. Brookshier | 5.00 |
| H. Roy Brown | 3.00 |
| Judd Donnell | 1.00 |
| Buck Baird | 1.00 |
| Orlee Mills | 1.00 |
| Bud Perkins | 1.00 |
| George Jones | 5.00 |
| Tom Bomar | 3.00 |
| Dave Zigler | 2.00 |
| T. R. Whiteside | 15.00 |
| John Bain | 5.00 |
| W. Allard | 1.00 |
| Jeff Simpson | .50 |
| Mrs. Naomo Yocum | 1.00 |
| Faye Dunn | 2.00 |
| Herbert Brown | 5.00 |
| M. J. O'Neal | 1.00 |
| Nuke May | 10.00 |
| Sam Brown | 2.00 |
| Calhoun Turner | 1.00 |
| Sylvan Turner | 2.00 |
| Mat Weaver | 2.00 |
| W. F. Pope | 2.00 |
| R. M. Haverty | 2.00 |
| D. O'Neal | 3.00 |
| C. L. Wilson | 2.50 |
| Myrtle Graham | 1.00 |
| O. W. Mitchell | .50 |
| Carroll Garrison | 2.50 |
| Lee D. Bomar | 2.50 |
| Mrs. Raymond Bomar | 1.00 |
| Clarence Anderson | 2.00 |
| Milton Perry | 2.00 |
| Paul Reid | 2.00 |
| J. J. Vardell | .50 |
| Obra Watson | 1.00 |
| J. M. Thompson | 1.00 |
| W. A. McJinsey | 2.50 |
| Mrs. J. O. Burson | 1.00 |
| A. P. Dickerson | 1.00 |
| True Burson | 2.00 |
| J. F. Cowsar | 5.00 |
| Ed Brown | 1.00 |
| Howard Brown | 1.00 |
| Floyd Wood | 2.00 |
| Frances Christopher | 1.00 |
| Robert London | 7.50 |
| Oscar McGavock | 4.00 |
| Austin Bailey | 2.00 |
| Milton Dudley | 2.50 |
| Durward Brown | 2.50 |
| Rev. W. H. Barnett | 2.50 |
| Alvin Redin | 3.00 |
| Carver Monroe | 2.50 |
| John Lee Francis | 5.00 |
| Edwin Crass | 7.50 |
| U. D. Brown | 2.00 |
| Arthur Arnold | 2.00 |
| M. W. Hartman | 1.00 |
| Winston Hamilton | 3.00 |
| George Neatherlin | 2.50 |
| C. C. Garrison | 1.00 |
| Travis Marshall | 1.00 |
| J. W. Lyons, Jr. | 1.00 |

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Briscoe Behind In Victory Bond Sales

NOTICE
There will be a meeting of all ex-service men and members of the American Legion next Wednesday night, December 5, at the Courthouse at 7:30 o'clock. A special invitation is given those who have recently received their discharges from the service.

William Curby Home After 3 1/2 Years As Prisoner of Japs

William Curby, known to many here as Bill Gatewood, returned to Silverton Sunday after having been a prisoner of the Japanese for almost four years. Bill entered the Army in Feb., 1941. Not long after he completed his basic training in field artillery he was shipped with a unit to the Philippines to defend the Island of Bataan. With the attack on Pearl Harbor on Dec. 7, action soon started on Bataan. Detached to an infantry unit, Bill saw much hard fighting until the Allies were forced to withdraw their defense on April 9, 1942.

Escaping from Bataan on the night of April 9 by harbor boats and under attack of dive bombers, a number of troops made their way to Corregidor where they fought until they were compelled to surrender to the Japs on May 6.

As a Japanese prisoner, Bill spent 7 months in a concentration camp in the Philippines and was later shipped to Moji, Japan where he arrived Nov. 26, 1942. Thanksgiving Day. His Thanksgiving "feast" consisted of a small box of rice and a handful of dried fish. Bill was among the group of Allied prisoners who were sent to Osaka, Japan's second largest city. For two and a half years these men worked in an Osaka steel factory which manufactured war materials. They were forced to work long hours, were given little food, and lived in barracks which housed 400 men each. Diseases and deaths were prevalent in these barracks because of poor sanitation.

When the Allies began their devastating attacks against Japan's industrial centers, Bill was among the group which the Japs evacuated to the Island of Kyushu. There they were put to work in coal mines where they labored until the Japanese surrendered on Aug. 15 of this year.

From Kyushu, Bill was taken to Manila aboard an aircraft carrier. He was given medical treatment there until Oct. 9 when he sailed for the States. He is home now on a 70 day furlough and when it's up he'll report to Fort Sam Houston in San Antonio for what he hopes will be a discharge.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. G. A. Elrod, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00
Morning Service 11:00
Training Union 6:30
Evening Service 7:30
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday 7:00
There will be an ordination service for gospel ministry for Travis L. McMinn Friday night, November 30, at 7:00 o'clock.

Only \$6,431 in Series E Bonds had been sold through last week, according to official tabulation of sales recorded by the Federal Reserve Bank. This leaves more than \$63,000 to be sold before the \$70,000 Series E quota for Briscoe County is met.

An overall total of \$191,781 of all denominations of victory bonds have been sold in our county since the drive opened October 29. This is far above the \$110,000 assigned quota; however, until the Series E quota is met, we will not be over the top.

Breaking the overall total down into series, the report shows sales as follows: Series E, \$5,431; Series G \$2100; Series C, \$2500; 2 1/2 percent Treasury bonds, \$180,000; 21-4 percent Treasury bonds, \$750. Briscoe County ranks 178th place of the 254 Texas counties in the sale of Series E bonds. Adjoining counties and their ranks are: Floyd, 127; Swisher, 219; Hall 148; Motley 7; Hale, 41; Donley, 112; and Armstrong, 23.

Three Texas counties have already gone over their 100 percent quota, and they are: Sutton with 135.8 percent; Iriem with 123.7 percent; and Sterling with 120.1 percent.

Briscoe has always been a county to meet every quota, and it is hoped that this excellent record will not be broken this time.

SCOUTS FROM TURKEY AND TULIA PUT ON PROGRAM

Boy Scouts and business men from Tulia and Turkey came to Silverton Monday evening, November 26 for a "Scoutorama" or evening of contests in scout work. Turkey was represented by its Beaver Patrol, while three troops from Tulia, The Flaming Arrow, Tiger, and Cobra troops represented Tulia. Business men who were present were: Dr. M. T. Bloom, Rev. C. W. Parmenter, and George Colvin from Turkey, Henry Teubal, J. C. Adams, Henry Miller, Mack Elliot, and Mr. Hurd from Tulia. Mr. John Haynes and Earl Brook were the only outside representatives from Silverton.

Five contests were held in various types of scout work. These included patrol inspection, singing, signaling, first aid, nature study, and a stunt. The Beaver Patrol from Turkey won with a total score of 286. The Flaming Patrol from Tulia was second with a score of 271, while the Cobra Patrol had a score of 268 and the Tigers 261.

Mr. O. K. Reynolds, Field Scout Executive, was present and helped plan the program and to see it executed.

After the program, an executive meeting was held in the school office with Mr. Henry Miller presiding. Various business was transacted and plans made for the next meeting to be held in Tulia December 11.

S I-C FREEMAN TATE phoned his wife Sunday night from Seattle, Washington that he had arrived back in the States and would be home soon with his discharge.

Potters Celebrate 63rd Anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. M. Potter celebrated their 63rd wedding anniversary with a family reunion at their home Sunday, November 25.

Those attending the celebration were: Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hawkins and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Craig and family of Quitaque, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Hefner of Crosbyton, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Potter and family of Portales, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Potter of Wichita, Kansas, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Connor and two daughters of Floydada, and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Honea of Silverton. Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Potter of San Francisco were the only members of the family who were not present.

Mr. and Mrs. Potter were married November 23, 1882 at San Saba, Texas. They moved to Floyd County in 1886 and were the only couple in the county at that time. Mr. Potter served as deputy sheriff there for a number of years. For eight years they lived at Quitaque where he was postmaster. They moved back and forth from Floyd to Briscoe County until 1915 when they moved here permanently.

This couple has had many interesting experiences in their long and useful lifetimes. Mr. Potter is 86 and Mrs. Potter is 83.

ELLIS — DAVIS

Miss Latrice Ellis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Silas Ellis of Amarillo, was married to Earl L. Davis of Big Springs Tuesday afternoon, November 20, in the Fairview Baptist Church of Amarillo. Rev. Robert L. Smith, uncle of the bride performed the double ring ceremony.

Misses Mary Ann Willis and Betty Cybert sang "I Love You Truly", accompanied at the piano by Mrs. R. C. Burnett.

The altar was decked with palms and yellow and white mums, flanked with white candles in floor candelabras.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gold wool suit with brown accessories. Her corsage was of tallisman roses.

The bride was attended by Miss Peggy McMinn who wore a blue wool suit with brown accessories. She wore a corsage of American beauty rosebuds.

Mrs. Davis attended Silverton school and is a graduate of Amarillo High school and Wayland Baptist College of Plainview. Since her graduation from college she has been employed as church secretary of the East Fourth Street Baptist Church of Big Springs.

Mr. Davis attended school at Big Spring. He has recently been discharged from the Army in which he served three and a half years.

The couple will make their home in Big Spring.

FIWCHUK — SANDERS

Lt. Kay Fiwchuk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fiwchuk of Calgary, Canada, and Lt. Homer S. Sanders, Jr., formerly of Silverton, were married June 9, 1945 at the General Hospital Chapel in Paris, France. Chaplain James Dailley performed the ceremony.

A reception and dance was held after the ceremony at the Officer's Club where the wedding book was signed and a four tiered wedding cake was cut with a saber. Following the reception the couple went on a two day honeymoon. The hospital command car was placed at their disposal for their trip.

Mrs. Sanders was a physiotherapist trained at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minn. She was stationed at the Northern Sector General Hospital in London until shortly after "D" Day when she was transferred to the Paris General Hospital.

Lt. Sanders who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Sanders of Muleshoe, has been in the service four and a half years. He was stationed in the Hawaiian Islands when the Japanese attacked Pearl Harbor. After eighteen months service there, he was returned to the states for officers training at Camp Lee, Va. From there he went to England, France, and Germany.

The couple will make their home in Muleshoe where Lt. Sanders will be associated with his father in the lumber business.

Co-op Hospital Enthusiasts Meet

NOTICE
There will be a meeting of all former members of the Lions Club and all those interested in a Civic Club for Silverton at the School Lunch Room Thursday, Dec. 6, at 12:30 o'clock. Lunch will be served and the matter of organizing a Club will be discussed.

Subscriptions Still Pouring In

Guess everybody already knows about the special bargain rate of \$1.50 for the Briscoe County News. Just look at this list of those who have come in this week to put their names down for another year of real reading enjoyment.

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| Myrl Graham |
| R. G. Alexander |
| Mrs. S. B. Gilkeyson |
| Bill Gilkeyson, Sundown, Tex. |
| A. T. Brooks |
| Charles Simpson, Lockney |
| L. E. Francher, Vallejo, Calif. |
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| P. D. Thurman |
| R. M. Hill |
| E. L. Strange |
| Van Sullivan, Escalon, Calif. |
| W. A. Holt |
| Rev. J. W. Tucker Lubbock |
| R. B. Persons, Quitaque |
| Mrs. J. R. Graham, Lockney |

We are taking RENEWAL subscriptions to your DAILY papers also. Our combination offer will give you the Briscoe County News for \$1 if you renew along with the Fort Worth Star Telegram, Amarillo Daily News, or Wichita Record News. Don't wait until the last minute. . . SUBSCRIBE NOW!!!

SILVERTON DEFEATS QUITAQUE TO OPEN THE BASKETBALL SEASON

Last Tuesday evening the Quitaque boys and girls came to Silverton for the first basketball game of the season. Without having any practice both Silverton and Quitaque played a good game.

The girls got off to a poor start and at the half were trailing by several points. They were getting plenty of shots, but were having trouble hitting the basket. The second half found them with a sharp eye and the game ended with them leading 15 to 11.

In the second game the boys started off like veteran players and in a few minutes had run up several points. Bobbie McWilliams, Joe Allard, and Bobbie Bradford turned in an outstanding game and were ably supported by Bruce Price and Gene Clemmer. The game ended with a final score of 44 to 16 in favor of the Owls.

From the results of this season opener without any practice the boys should have an outstanding season.

A few of the local boys gathered up a team to play the Quitaque outsiders. They didn't fare as well as the school teams. They were defeated 30 to 24.

An enthusiastic group interested in getting a Cooperative Hospital for Silverton and Briscoe County met Tuesday night and discussed the possibilities of such a project.

A committee consisting of D. H. Davis, L. A. McJinsey, Alton Steele, Edwin Crass, Alvin Redin, Agnes Cooper, and Leo L. White was elected by the group to proceed in securing a charter to sell memberships for a hospital. This committee will meet tonight (Thursday).

A highlight of the Tuesday night meeting was a discussion on the South Plains Cooperative Hospital at Amherst led by R. T. Fredrikson a Lamb County farmer who was visiting in Silverton and was asked to attend the meeting.

A group of Farm Security Administration leaders and supervisors who are interested in seeing Briscoe County establish such a worthwhile hospital system attended the meeting and gave reports of organization plans which were following communities have surrounded.

Several local citizens were asked to express their opinions and without exception they all stated their belief to be that Silverton should and can organize and build a Cooperative Hospital if everyone in the community will do his part.

Eleven charters to sell memberships have been issued by the Secretary of state at Austin to the following communities: Crosbyton, Lubbock County, Morton, Lockney Fairfield, Hale Center, Leonard, Dimmitt, Spearman, Friona, and Wolfe City.

Quitaque has made application for a hospital charter.

December 8th Set As Date For Election Of AAA Committeeman

By George Martin

Elections will be held on December 8th. All polls will open at 8 o'clock a. m. and close at 5 o'clock p. m. The polling places are as follows:

Silverton (A) Dist. Court Room Francis (C) Dist. Court Room San Jacinto (E) Dist. Court Room Antelope Flat (F) Antelope Store Quitaque (B) Quitaque High School Kent 1(D) Quitaque High School

In each community, farmers will elect three regular committeemen and two alternates. Elected at the same time will be delegates to a county convention, to be held later, when a county committee will be elected for the coming year.

Approximately 600 farmers are eligible to cast ballots in Community elections. This number includes all farmers who are cooperating in the Agricultural conservation, or the crop insurance program.

Discussing the role of community committeemen, the county committee pointed out that soil and water conservation will continue to loom large among AAA program objectives. Under next year's program, funds will be allocated to this county and committeemen will have more responsibility in helping their neighbors to round out soil-building plans for individual farms within the scope of approved practices. This is only one of the programs for which committeemen have a great responsibility.

Solution of the post war problems ahead of us is the vital concern of every farmer. Consequently, it is to his best interest to vote in the coming election to make sure that the men administering AAA program in the county are the ones he wants to represent him.

FLOWER SHOP MOVES TO NEW LOCATION

Work is underway this week to change the location of Mrs. Watson Douglas' Flower Shop. Having operated the shop at her home since April, Mrs. Douglas is moving her place of business to the front part of the building now occupied by the Funeral Home. The OPA rationing board formerly had their office in this building which is next door South of the Silverton Cleaners.

CIVILIANS AGAIN



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MEMBER PANHANDLE
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LUNCH ROOM AVAILABLE
FOR ALL CHILDREN

There seems to be an idea that the lunch room is intended only for those children who live in the country. It is not true. Any child who wishes to eat in it may do so.

Heretofore we have endeavored to restrict the service at the lunch room to those who buy meal tickets. We expect to continue to stress this method of handling the payment, but beginning this week, any child that wishes to eat in the lunch room occasionally may do so by paying the fifteen cents instead of having the meal ticket required. Those children will not need to bring dishes. If they want to eat regularly, it will be necessary to do so. Students who ordinarily go home for lunch may find it convenient to eat at the lunch room on bad days. They may do so if they wish.

F. M. McCarty
Superintendent of Schools

SGT. ELMO DEAN BAIRD who is stationed at Big Spring and Doris Arnold of that City spent Thanksgiving here with his sister Mrs. F. M. Arnold and family.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Commissioners' Court of Briscoe County, Texas, up to 10:00 o'clock A. M. on the 10th day of Decem-

ber, A. D. 1945, in the office of the County Judge in the Court-house in Silverton, Texas, for the purchase by said County of one new Heavy-Duty Diesel Engine Motor-Grader equipped with lights and starter. No. 77 Austin-Western Motor-Grader to be taken as trade-in by bidder. Notice is also hereby given that warrants will be issued in the maximum amount of \$4,000.00, bearing interest at the rate of 4 per cent per annum, and maturing in 1947 and 1948. The Commissioners' Court of said Briscoe County hereby specifically reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

This notice is given in strict compliance with the provisions of Session of the Forty-second Legislature Chapter 163, Acts of the Regular Session of the forty-second legislature of Texas, in 1931, and all amendments thereto and pursuant to an order of the Commissioners' Court of Briscoe County, Texas.

J. W. Lyon, Jr.
County Judge Briscoe County, Tex.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To: T. J. Braidfoot, Gertrude Arnold, J. E. Arnold, Gaudalope Reeves, her heirs and assigns, Harry Braidfoot, his heirs and assigns, Fred Braidfoot his heirs

and assigns, and all other heirs or assigns of the said T. J. Braidfoot, now deceased. Defendants, Greeting: You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable Special Commissioners hereinafter designated of Briscoe County at the Court House thereof, in Silverton, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 7th day of January A. D. 1946, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in the County Court of Briscoe County Texas, on the 21 day of November A. D. 1945, in this cause, numbered 423 on the docket of said court and styled State of Texas Plaintiff, vs. T. J. Braidfoot, his heirs and assigns Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: This is a suit under the Statute of Eminent Domain wherein the State seeks to secure title to all of Lot No. 5, in Block No. 56 in the town of Silverton, Briscoe County, Texas, for the purpose of constructing a State Highway thereon as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs. Issued and given under our

hands at office in Silverton, Texas, this the 21st day of November A. D. 1945.

T. R. Whiteside
W. Coffee, Jr.
Roy Teeter

Special Commissioners duly appointed by the Court to Assess the damages done to said property.

NOTICE TO PUBLIC

The Board of Trustees of the Silverton School District will receive sealed bids for some 200 Opera Chairs at their next regular meeting at the School Building December 3, at 8:00 o'clock p. m. The bids will be opened at that time and the Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. A Check for 10% of total bid to accompany each bid.

Mail or leave your bids at the School Tax Collector's office, or bring them to the meeting. Many

of the chairs are in good condition, some not so good. They are at the school building subject to your inspection.

Board of Trustees

Rev. G. A. Elrod spent Monday in Tullia.

Sgt Charles Lindsey left Monday after spending several weeks with his wife and twin daughters. He reported back to Washington.

Those attending the Baptist Workers Conference Tuesday were Rev. G. A. Elrod, Mother Perry and Mrs. Pearl Simpson.

Mother Arnold left for her home in Melrose, New Mexico Sunday after having visited her children here for several weeks.

J. L. Self was home on a one day pass last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Garrison spent the week-end in Flomot visiting his sister and family Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hardcastle from Mederian spent Thanksgiving with the T. C. Bomars.

NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that the Haylake No. 11 School Building, in Briscoe County, Texas, will be sold by sealed bid. Said sealed bids will be received up to 10:00 o'clock, A. M. December 1, 1945, in the office of the County Judge, in the Courthouse in Silverton, Texas. Said School Building is of brick construction, and is approximately 60 ft. by 60 ft. with 12 ft. walls, and can be seen by driving east from Silverton, Texas, on State Highway No. 86, a distance of 6 miles, and then turning north 1 mile. The terms of said sale are cash. The Trustees of said Haylake No. 11 School District hereby expressly reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

Signed: Haylake No. 11, Trustees

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Announcing . . .

WE'VE SOLD OUR BUSINESS

Yes, effective January 1 the new owners will be Mr. W. Coffee, Jr. and his brother Mr. Roy Coffee.

We have been in the dry goods business in Silverton for the past 22 years. During that time we have tried to handle reliable merchandise at reasonable prices. We're grateful for our many friends which we've made throughout the years.

Beginning December 1 we'll have to make all sales for cash. If you happen to owe us an account we'd appreciate your dropping by and helping us get our books straight.

Whiteside & Co.

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Now that's great news isn't it? No more bother and worry about whether you'll have enough points for those holiday Foods you want and need—

And you won't have a bother or worry about whether you're getting the finest foods available if you make our Store Your Choice. You'll find only top quality products sold here.

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- New York Times Wire Service
- Chicago Tribune Wire Service
- Chicago Daily News Wire Service
- American Newspaper Alliance

NOTICE

The Annual Bargain Days Mail Reduced Rates are now in effect. The same low price prevails; there has been no increase. However, this year on account of the print paper shortage, the offer is open ONLY to OLD subscribers. We are distressed that we can not accept new subscriptions.

To renew, bring your label to this newspaper office. This newspaper is an Authorized Home Town Agency.

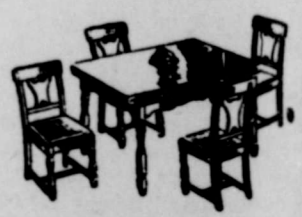
Gifts For The Home

End your shopping worries right now by making Furniture your choice.



Boudoir Chairs
In Attractive Floral Chintz with Full Flounce

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Just like You've Wanted for YOUR Home



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**CONTRACTORS' NOTICE
OF TEXAS HIGHWAY
CONSTRUCTION**

Sealed proposals for constructing 11.025 miles of Flexible Base & Triple Asph. Surf. Treat. from Floyd County Line to Silverton on Highway No. 207, covered by FAS 56 (2) Briscoe County, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 A. M., Dec. 4, 1945, and then publicly opened and read.

This is a "Public Works" Project, as defined in House Bill No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature of the State of Texas and House Bill No. 115 of the 44th Legislature of the State of Texas, and as such is subject to the provisions of said

House Bills. No provisions herein are intended to be in conflict with the provisions of said Acts.

In accordance with provisions of said House Bills, the State Highway Commission has ascertained the wage rates prevailing in the locality in which this work is to be done. The Contractor shall pay not less than the prevailing wage rates shown in the proposal for Group 3 for each or type of "Laborer," "Workman," or "Mechanic" employed on this project.

Legal holiday work shall be paid for at the regular governing rates.

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Local Happenings

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bomar and Gaylia and Mrs. Freeman Tate spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Anna Johnson in Tulia.

"Uncle Charlie" Wilson was in Silverton last week teaching a Masonic School.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Clark and sons W. L. and Burgess of Tulia spent Sunday with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Fisher.

Mrs. C. M. Strickland returned Friday from Hereford and Clovis where she visited relative.

Mrs. J. M. Thompson returned home from Lamesa Wednesday of last week where she had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Durward Schmidt and Blanche Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Durward Schmidt spent the week end in the home of Mrs. Schmidt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Shaffer and Jack of Washburn spent Wednesday here visiting friends.

Mrs. Alpha Kitchens of Fort Worth became ill while visiting her son and family during the Thanksgiving holidays and was taken to the Planview Hospital Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Dick of Clovis, Mr. and Mrs. Orice Mills, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kendrick, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bomar, Mrs. Pearl Simpson and Dick Bomar.

Mrs. G. A. Elrod was admitted to the Tulia hospital Saturday with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Douglas of Lubbock spent Tuesday in Silverton.

Mrs. Fred Darden of Clovis is here visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Smith.

Those taking Thanksgiving dinner with Rev. H. W. Barnett and daughter Josie Lee were: Marjorie Musick, J. W. Smith, and R. B. Dawson of Tulia.

Callers in the W. N. West home Thursday evening were: Mr. and Mrs. John Montague, Mr. and Mrs. George West, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wallace and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Smith and baby.

Mrs. Edith Gossett and baby are visiting her father Rev. H. W. Barnett.

Mrs. Mae Thornton and sons Pete and Chester of Hale Center visited friends and relatives here Sunday. Chester was a member of the Lost Battalion and a prisoner of the Japanese for three years.

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Bomar Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Olin Dick of Clovis, Mr. and Mrs. Orice Mills, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kendrick, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bomar, Mrs. Pearl Simpson and Dick Bomar.

Mrs. M. P. Stone left Tuesday for Ranger where she will visit her daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Carl Culpepper.

Mr. and Mrs. Gatewood Lusk and Sam Gordon of Altus, Oklahoma spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Alexander.

Mrs. Ware Fogerson and children spent from Thursday until Sunday in Matador visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Day.

Mrs. D. N. McGavock returned Wednesday from Inola, Oklahoma, where she attended the funeral of her brother Sidney West.

Mrs. Noble A. Lyde and Dee Ann spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Lyde in Plainview. Noble met them there.

Mr. J. R. Foust of Amarillo spent the Thanksgiving holidays here visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Via of Happy spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Harrison.

Mr. H. C. Doak of Hereford came Saturday to visit in the R. E. Brookshier home.

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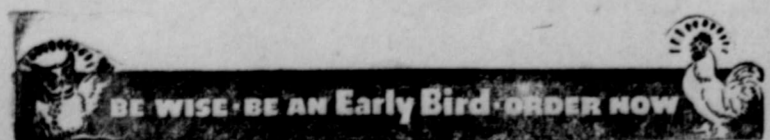
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