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Two Prisoners Shot Attempting Escape

Two prisoners being taken to Huntsville last Thursday night were shot in the scuffle. Sheriff Honea was driving and Sheriff Howard was in the front seat with him. The three prisoners were in the back seat, all handcuffed together.

Neese Resigns, Operator Here

T. Neese has resigned as the Southwestern As-Telephone company and her is Mrs. Leavie of Anton. Mrs. Neese had charge of the local office for years. An assistant to day will be sent to Sil-

Plaster Falls From House Ceiling

A ton of plaster fell from the ceiling at the west side of the courthouse Monday morning. Fortunately no one was in the danger zone at the time.

Pipe Bursts, Gathers Happy

A pipe in the boiler of the high school made a happy Monday morning. Another holiday, before the classes after the break.

License Dates

M. R. (Jake) Honea is driving out of the state with his office license. He will be in the state on Friday.

Service Officer Here on Fridays

Paul Miller of Tulia, Verteran's service officer for Castro, Swisher and Briscoe counties, has worked out a schedule whereby he is in Silverton every Friday.

Legion Post Will Hold Meeting

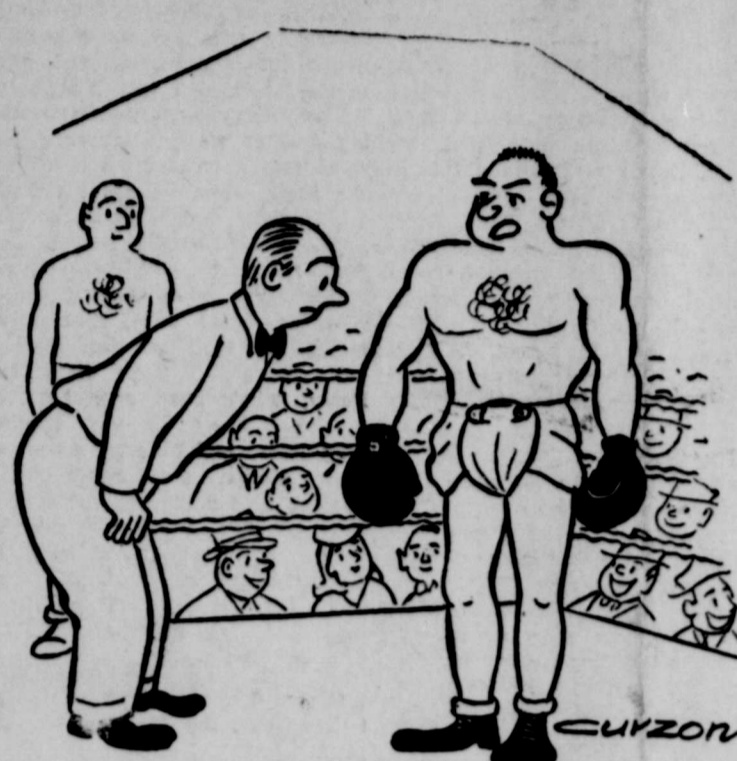
The Legion post will hold a meeting on Monday night. The meeting will be held at the Legion hall.

Clothing Drive Off To Slow Start

The clothing drive—one of the major missions of the war—is getting underway in Silverton. The drive is being conducted by the Women's Club.

Notice

The meeting of the Silverton National Association will be held on Monday night. The meeting will be held at the Legion hall.



"My wife donated all our clothes to the Victory Clothing Collection, except the baby's diapers."

Commissioners To Meet Next Monday

First regular meeting of the county commissioners' court this year will be held next Monday, Jan. 18, to instruct leaders for local troops.

Irrigation Plans Mean Extra Work For SCS Engineers

Spread of irrigation in Briscoe County is increasing the duties of the Soil Conservator and probably will necessitate the addition of another engineer here to assist H. T. Copland, county conservator and Dillard Scott, engineer.

Mrs. R. E. Dickerson Study Club Leader

On January 2, eleven members of the Women's 1925 Study Club met in the Red Cross room for a program on "International Relations".

Rev. W. C. Hinds at Methodist Church

Rev. W. C. Hinds of Plainview, district superintendent of the Methodist church, filled the pulpit Sunday night at the local church.

Notice

Property owners interested in the paving project must have their checks in escrow at the earliest possible date in order that the city may make the necessary contract with the construction company.

Notice

Mr. Earl Brock and daughter Mona were in Plainview Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ruby of Seattle, Washington visited Mr. and Mrs. Vern Bearden last week.

4-Inch Snow Falls Here Early Today

Snow, which began falling shortly before daylight, kept up intermittently until near noon Thursday and had amounted to an estimated four inches. It was of the big flake, wet variety and fell evenly, being of major benefit to wheat and pasture lands.

Cautions Farmers On Final Date For Practice Reports

Quoted below is a paragraph taken from a memorandum received from B. F. Vance State Director, Production and Marketing Administration, State PMA Office, College Station, Texas: "The practice of seeding drilled crop on the contour, if carried out by December 31, 1945 is a 1945 practice, and must be reported by January 15, 1946 to earn payment."

Girl Scout Field Representative To Instruct Leaders

A field representative of International Girl Scouts will be in Silverton on Friday of next week, Jan. 18, to instruct leaders for local troops.

Social Hour Enjoyed In McMurtry Home

On Thursday afternoon, January 3, close neighbors gathered at the home of Mrs. A. L. McMurtry for an informal hour of friendly talk and gracious hospitality in keeping with the holiday season.

Chapman Approves Jury Commission

The jury commission for the new term of district court was sworn in last Saturday by District Judge A. B. Chapman. Commissioning the commission, which will draw the grand jury and petit jury panels for the present term, are E. W. Preston, Bill Edens, J. Lee Francis and Boone McCracken.

Now It's Rodeo for Truck Drivers

Resumption of the annual Truck Rodeo for championship truck drivers, which was suspended during the war, has been announced by the Texas Motor Transportation Association, and will be held in San Antonio on May 13 in conjunction with the annual convention of T.M.T.A., May 12-15.

Bargain Offer Extended

The bargain offer of \$6.50 annually for the Wichita Falls Times or Record-News has been extended until Jan. 15, the publishers have announced. This applies both to renewals and new subscriptions. Orders may be left at the Briscoe County News Office.

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
W M U Monday 2:30

Start Work Soon On Legion Home

Ground will be broken, possibly within a week, on the \$15,000 Veterans Home in Silverton, following approval of the building plans at the American Legion meeting Tuesday night.

Polio Campaign Plans Formed

The Briscoe County Chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis met in the Red Cross room Wednesday night to plan for the coming campaign for funds for the chapter.

Let's all go over the Top!

Let's all go over the Top! It is for our children, and they must be given every chance to grow strong healthy bodies to keep pace with their alert minds.

News Service Men Making Survey for A. & M. Project

F. B. Abernathy, field representative of the Western News Service of Amarillo, was in Silverton Monday contacting county officials and business men in behalf of the proposed experiment station at Hereford.

Property Owners Eager for Paving

Plans for a 12-block city paving project costing \$15,000, given unanimous approval by the Briscoe County Development Club at its meeting last Thursday night, this week were being enlarged as property owners on other streets asked to be included in the improvement program.

Property Owners Eager for Paving

Following a detailed presentation of the proposed paving plans by Joe Mercer, who had obtained cost figures from the Loyd Construction company on two types of paving, the club voted to adopt the center type paving, which will cost property owners \$1 per front foot.

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This program calls for a 30-foot caliche base in the center of the street with a 26-foot asphalt and crushed stone topping. The contractor will put all subgrade up to permanent levels and will install the necessary drainage structures.

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City, school and county officials all agreed to the plan and will participate in the cost of the paving. The city will pay for the alley crossings and the intersections. The program calls for full or complete paving in front of the school building.

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The program as outlined by Mr. Mercer calls for paving of the street south from the Highway to the corner past the school, then east to the city hall street and back north by the courthouse square to the highway.

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MEMBER PANHANDLE
PRESS ASSOCIATION

We had intended writing something this week as to the plans, policies and ambitions of the Briscoe County News but there are a lot of activities that we want to recommend, or perhaps we should say, call to your attention.

Several have asked us to support the move for a Co-Op hospital, but we haven't been here long enough to really know what's been done to date. There is a definite trend everywhere for such hospitals but there are factors such as population, nearness to other hospitals and the availability of doctors that must be considered. We would call the attention of Chairman Leo White and his committee to a meeting scheduled in Hale Center next Tuesday, Jan. 15, when the subject of Co-Operative hospitals for smaller towns is to be discussed. Speakers will include men from the state health service and we are confident that much valuable information could be obtained if some of our people

tended the meeting

We don't want to get too excited right on the start but it is our opinion that the National Farm Loan Association set-up should be straightened out—and that the stockholders of the Silverton association can straighten it out if they will turn out Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock for the election meeting. Quitaque and Turkey, it seems, aided and abetted by some of the land bank officials at Houston and probably some of the field men and inspectors, have been trying to throw the local association a curve. We don't know their reasons, but the main point is that the Silverton association needs to be kept as a separate organization. It has been serving farmers and ranchers since 1917 and we think its 200 stockholders will fare better if it is kept out of the proposed merger with Turkey. Such men as R. C. Hutsell, W. R. Hardin, J. W. Monroe, Tom Bomar and Gordon Alexander know what the farmers and other land-owners of this area need. It is our opinion that they don't need a Turkey dominated organization telling them what to do.

It seems that personalities have had a part in the mix-up. Some examiner from the Houston bank didn't like a former secretary-treasurer. He might have had a friend in Turkey he wanted to get into a good job. Mr. Hutsell tells us that this said examiner remarked on one occasion that he and the bank officials in Houston didn't need the Silverton association any more. Just who, might we ask, was the National Farm Loan Association created to help—a bunch of officials on the federal payroll or the people on the farms and ranches who needed assistance in buying land?

Incidentally, that's the big

trouble with and danger of bureaucracy. People in public positions, especially in bureaus with board powers, in time become arbitrary and all-powerful, using their offices to promote their personal welfare and forgetting that they are servants of rather than masters of the people. There's only one antidote for bureaucracy—and that is to clean house occasionally, whether it be the Federal Land Bank or the file clerk's union in the Pentagon building.

The Development club in Silverton is going places, or we'll miss our guess. It has a very definite place in the community. Silverton is going to grow. The trade area needs to be tied in more solidly with the town. An organization, serving as a clearing house for ideas and a recruiting office for manpower, can unite the citizenship and throw solid support behind any worthwhile move.

Prompt action on the paving program is an example. Taking advantage of the fact that highway contractor is now on the ground, far-sighted citizens realized that now is the time to get paving at considerable saving to property owners. Before the contractor leaves we are likely to have most of all our main streets paved. The Legion Home is another example. The BCDC tells the Legion boys to decide on the kind of building they want—and get the work started, pledging full financial support. The result: Silverton will have right away a major paving program and dirt will be broken in another week or two on the Legion home, which will serve as a community building and benefit everyone.

Let us not forget the Victory Clothing Drive, sponsored by Mrs. Northcutt and the ladies of the March of Time Study club. The destitute children now freezing in the war-ravaged countries of the

world are not responsible for what happened. Americans have a heart; a suffering child is just that, regardless of his race or color or the language he speaks. Bring in that used clothing, all of it that you can spare, and have the satisfaction of knowing that you may keep some human being some place from freezing to death.

The annual March of Dimes drive is on now, too. Funds raised in this campaign go into the fight against infantile paralysis. Mrs. O. T. Bundy will handle this in Silverton, but there'll be more details in next week's News. However, everyone knows about the March of Dimes and the relief that it brings to victims of the dread disease. The people of Silverton, we know, will want to support this cause generously as they have in the past.

Roy Hahn won Old Tack's prize on naming the day the war would end and we've been tempted to offer a prize to the person who will name the day the new bank will open. Seriously, it looks now as if the First State bank will be doing business early next week, possibly by Tuesday or Wednesday. We want to say a word, too, about the men who are responsible for the bank. Jas. F. Smith of Memphis is rapidly being recognized as one of the smartest bankers in the Panhandle. He is a shrewd business man, and a civic leader who gets things done. When a serious housing shortage developed in Pampa he and his associates got action—they started building houses when other sat by and said they couldn't get materials. If they couldn't get lumber one place, they got it in another. They built houses. That's just a little insight into the way Jimmie Smith operates. He's a go-getter.

Heydon Hensley, who will come here as the bank's operating officer, likewise is respected in banking and business circles, as a man who lets his record speak for itself. He is one of the most courteous men we've ever known, patient and unassuming and who wants to accommodate people and help the community in which he lives. The local directors, Mr. Coffee, Mr. Whiteside and Mr. Northcutt all are substantial, progressive men, interested in Silverton and Briscoe County. It looks like a combination that is bound to win.

We can't help telling you something about Perry Whittemore,

who'll be assistant cashier and with whom you'll probably have more direct dealings than anyone else in the bank. He's just an old country boy from down at Forney, near Dallas. He didn't come here from Dallas, he came here from Forney, which is more or less a wide place in the road and your editor thinks you should know this before he tells too many people about his experiences and the things he used to do "down in Dallas". Perry is a farmer by training, but as we understand it he went into town and got a job in the bank when he got his first pair of shoes. He's fresh out of the Army and he spent a year in the Aleutians, which should make him feel at home when some of these northerners come down from the Rockies and find that barbed wire fence down up about Amarillo. Perry, who's been over here a month building shelves, scrubbing floors and otherwise getting ready, is a banker at heart, though; in fact, he's a member of which the profession should be proud. He took a holiday on New Year's Day, when there wasn't any bank there, and hung a sign on the door: Legal Holiday—Bank Closed.

Carver Monroe was just in and tells us that the deadline for the paving program is Monday, Jan. 14. That is next Monday. The contractor must know by then. Checks should be left with the city secretary on or before next Monday night. That's the deadline if you want that paving.

No offense is intended to Mr. Fowler but The News will accept contributions to buy a light bulb for the post office lobby. The News would buy it except we feel that there are others who would appreciate an opportunity to have a part in the cause.

Maybe we'll have time for some more rambling thoughts next week. In the meantime, if you have anything you want cussed, discussed or aired out, tell us about it.

The Plainview Sanitarium & Clinic wishes to announce the **ASSOCIATION OF** **Hugh B. O'Neil, M. D.** Practice limited to diseases of the heart and internal medicine.

Mesdames Perry London, Dungan and Watley returned Friday from Electra, Arlington and Corpus Christi where they spent the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. S. T. Davis and Mrs. R. S. Rousepus Christi came a few days visit with Alvin Redin.

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- Verns Cafe
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- Bain Drug

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LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. S. T. Davis and Mrs. R. S. ... few days with Alvin Redin.

mother Mrs. G. H. Hobbs of Rule. They will return this week-end.

Mrs. Clifford Allard returned Saturday from Ft. Worth where she had gone to spend a few days with her daughter Mrs. Bien.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Brookshier

had as their guests Wednesday of last week, Mr. and Mrs. Lish Stephens, Mesdames J. S. Brookshier, J. L. Bice and Pearl Simpson.

Mrs. John Adams of Tulia who has been ill at her daughters for the past three weeks became worse Thursday and was taken to Lubbock to the hospital. Mrs. Adams is the mother of A. C. Hamilton.

Mrs. Roy McMurtry entertained a few of her friends Thursday afternoon in her home. A lovely plate of Christmas cakes, candies, nuts, ice cream and punch was served the following guests. Mesdames M. C. Potter, J. L. Bice, J. S. Brookshier, R. E. Brookshier, Fred Lemons, Bob Hill, Troy Burson, Pearl Simpson, Carl Crow, George Jones and Miss Emma Force.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Coffee and Edgar Coble of Amarillo spent Sunday with the W. Coffee family.

Mrs. Richard Hill and Walter Brannon took their mother Mrs. Jess Brannon to Amarillo Tuesday for medical treatment. Mrs. Richard Hill remained over with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Stephens and family were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Holt Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ownsby and small daughter Dianne of Tulsa, Oklahoma came Saturday to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Wright. Mr. Ownsby went on to Houston to attend a Government Aeronautics School in Houston.

Major and Mrs. Dick Ford of Seattle, Washington spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Wright. They were on route from a trip in old Mexico to the west coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Stephens and children spent several days recently in DeLeon and Waxahachie, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Newman and family of Hobbs, N. M., were guests over the week-end in the home of the Bill Newman family.

J. W. Hardcastle of Meridian spent Thursday night with his sister and family Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bomar and Mary Tom.

District Judge A. B. Chapman of Floydada was a visitor in Silverton Saturday attending to matter in connection with the new term of court which opened Monday. There are no cases necessitating a convening of court at this time, he reported.

If You Want to Buy or Sell Real Estate See Me

I am a licensed realtor. Have a number of good listing—farms, homes, and ranches.

W. M. Lawrence
Silverton

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Crawford have moved to their new home recently purchased from Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thompson in South Silverton.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Daniels of Tulia spent the week end in the J. E. Daniel home.

Mrs. C. C. Garrison left Wednesday of last week for Crosbyton to spend several days with her son Keltz and family. Mrs. Keltz Garrison was taken to Dallas Sunday for medical treatment. Mrs. Garrison remained with the children.

Mesdames T. C. Bomar, and John Bain were in Amarillo Monday.

Mrs. Elmo Loyd of Goree is visiting Mrs. Wayne Crawford this week.

Mary Tom Bomar visited Ann Amason in Canyon Monday.

The Womens Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church met in the home of Mrs. Arnold Turner with eleven present. After an interesting lesson on Stewardship of Peace, a social hour was enjoyed. Next meeting is Monday January 14th at the Church 2:30 p. m.

WOMEN! WHO SUFFER FIERY MISERY OF HOT FLASHES

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EYES ARE R

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Eyesight is their most precious possession. So protect their eyes with proper lighting at all times. When home work becomes tedious and the children begin to get sleepy before bedtime, chances are, it's the lighting in your home. Make sure you have the proper-sized lamp bulb; that the bowl is clean and that the lamp is placed in the right position to avoid shadows and glare. Remember, they have only one pair of eyes to last a lifetime, so protect them always.



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TAKE A LOOK!

Just take a look through this long-range telescope and see yourself *see spring!* How's your tractor running? Well you'd had it overhauled a few months ago? Well, there's still time. Between now and the day you want to take your equipment into the field we'll make the repairs you need. Our shop is loaded—it always is these days—but we'll schedule your work and get it out on time. Just tell us what needs to be done.

You can be sure of this: Any job we do here is done right. Farm equipment is our business. We know it from the ground up. We're implement men and that means we can take your farm tools and put them back in working order. You'll find a big stock of general farm gear on hand here at all times. And from now on we'll have more new *the best*—Dixie equipment, too. Let us know what you need.

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Guests in the home of the Rev. H. W. Barnett Sunday night were his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gossett who were en route from Post to Denver where they will make their home, and Mrs. Kate Ragland of Abernathy.

Mrs. Minnie Stevenson visited her sister Mrs. W. S. Christian of Canyon Sunday.

Mrs. Dean Allard, Mrs. Nash Blasingame and Billy Don Stevenson visited with Mrs. Buster Campbell at Antelope Flat Sunday.

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Sunday and Monday ... January 13-14—

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Mr. and Mrs. Dick Higgins of Dumas and Mr. and Mrs. Odell Walls and baby visited Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hill over the week end.

The friends of Mrs. J. N. Morton will be glad to know that she is here to make her home with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hill.

WANT ADS

FOR SALE -- Sanitary toilet. F. C. GATEWOOD 2-1tp Blacksmith Shop

FOR SALE -- Three fresh milk cows—also one coming two-year old filley—light sorrel. 1-2tp AUSTIN BAILEY

WANTED -- Woman or girl to help with housework. 1-2tp JOHNNE BURSON

FOR SALE -- Dandy civilian overcoat worth the money. Size 42 may be seen at the Silverton Dry Cleaners. 2-1tp

FOR SALE -- 3 quarter-bred mares. Ages 4, 3, and 1. Thoroughbred Hampshire bore. 1-3tp S. P. Brown 1 mile North town.



NOTICE -- Silverton Masonic Lodge No. 754 will have their regular meeting Tuesday Feb. 12, at 7:30 p. m. All master urged to attend. 1-1tc C. D. WRIGHT, WM

FOR SALE -- John Deere Model A Tractor, 4-row cultivator, 7 1/2 ft John Deere one-way, 2-row slide go-devil. 1-3tp See Durward Brown

FOR SALE -- 6-foot Butane Electrolux and new Butane brooder. 2-1tc DOUGLAS FLOWER SHOP

LOST -- Parker fountain pen, appreciate return to Rev. H. W. BARNETT 2-1tp

FOR SALE -- Used Radios
1 Electric 1 6 volt
1 Battery 1 Car Radio
Used Furniture -- Cabinet and tables -- Kerosene heaters; Kerosene cook stoves; 1 White Sewing Machine; 1 gasoline iron; New Permglass water heaters; A & B. Pack Batteries. 2-1tc HUGHES RADIO & ELECTRIC

FOR SALE -- At Gilkeyson garage -- Maytag Washing machine in good condition. 2-1tc Mrs. GEORGE LEE

FOR SALE -- 1937 Ford Tudor-- ED BUTLER, Silverton Cleaners 2-1tc

ANNUAL RED CROSS MEETING FOR BRISCOE COUNTY TO BE HELD JANUARY 26

The annual meeting of the Briscoe County Chapter of the American Red Cross will be held Tuesday night January 22 at the Red Cross Room in the Court House, at 7:30 p. m.

Every member of the chapter—and that includes everyone who has contributed a dollar or more to the Red Cross in the past year, is invited to attend.

Judge C. D. Wright is chapter chairman. Officers will be elected for the coming year.

Judge Wright urged every chapter member to attend "This is your Red Cross" he said. You should learn how your chapter is being administered, and what it is accomplishing. Practically everybody in the county is a member, and we hope to have a good attendance of the men and women who contributed to our cause last year.

Mrs. Vern Bearden and daughter Mrs. Jaeger went to Amarillo Saturday to meet Cpl. Gene Jaeger, he received his discharge at Ft. Bliss. Mr. and Mrs. Jaeger plan to leave soon for Ohio where they will make their home.

MISS MAGGIE PIGG AND WOODROW COBB ARE WED

Miss Maggie Pigg became the bride of Woodrow Cobb Saturday evening, Dec. 29, about 7 o'clock. The vows were exchanged at the Methodist parsonage at Quitaque, Rev. E. B. Thompson officiating.

The bride wore an aqua suit with black accessories. She was attended by Miss Ravenel Cobb as bridesmaid, and Jack Pigg served as best man. Other wedding guests were Mr. and Mrs. Orville Cobb and son Melvin and Miss Edna Murray Tiffin.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Pigg. She is a graduate of the Flomot schools and attended business college at Plainview. She worked for about a year at Kelly Field, San Antonio, returning home last year.

The bridegroom returned home last month from 39 months overseas duty in the Pacific theatre. He entered service in June, 1942 and received his discharge Dec. 16, at El Paso.

The couple will live in the Fairmont community where he will farm Mrs. George Tibbetts place.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tip Kindrick of Slaton, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kendrick and baby of Ralls, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Kendrick of Ralls, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kendrick of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Harris and family of Hereford were guests of their parents Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kendricks Sunday.

Reunion of 36th Set for Jan. 19 In Brownwood

The first reunion of men of the famed 36th Infantry Division, the "Texas Division" which invaded Hitler Europe at Salerno, fought through the rugged mountains of the interior of Italy, and pushed the Nazis back through France, Germany and Austria, will be held in Brownwood January 19-21.

All former members of the 36th Division—and that includes veterans of the World War I Division—are invited to attend the reunion by officials of the 36th Division Association and by the City of Brownwood and the Brownwood Chamber of Commerce.

Highlights of the three-day reunion include a street parade in downtown Brownwood, memorial services for 36th Division men killed in action, several dances, business sessions and general get-togethers of the Texas soldiers.

Sunday afternoon, January 20, Governor Coke R. Stevenson will dedicate the 36th Division State Park at nearby Lake Brownwood. Major General Fred L. Walker, wartime commander of the 36th, will accept the park on behalf of division veterans.

Numerous state dignitaries, including War Department officials, will attend the reunion.

Persons planning to attend the reunion should write hotel, tourist court, home room reservation, Brownwood hotel as early as possible. Only reservations at hotels can be accommodated at that time.

Although the winter season may be both knobby and dry, single men can, in some cases, be accommodated at hotels.

We sometimes make a mistake of trying to put out fires of little trouble with the addition of fuel.

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