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WAR LOAN DRIVE GETS OFF SLOW START

The Sixth War Loan Drive is getting off to a slow start, T. H. Greenfield, co-chairman of the drive, said early this week. Reports from B. J. Edwards, city chairman, also gave disappointing reports concerning the drive in the city. A check from the communities was unavailable to give an accurate report this week. Greenfield said that it was necessary to take each person, each family and all combined in an effort to reach the goal of \$10,000,000. The closing date of the drive is December 16. The fighting boys are paying the Japs for Pearl Harbor. It is a long way to Tokyo for the final installments will be collected.

At home, can't fight shoulder to shoulder with our boys but can help get them get supplies by buying our share of the drive. Don't wait until you are too late to buy, do it today. The War Loan Drive should be a selling campaign, Greenfield says folks should feel some like shame when they read other counties that have already reached the goal, many of them on the first day of the drive. It is our war, too, you know.

Insurance Company Pays \$5,000 In Bonds This County

D. D. Cardwell, representative of the Southwestern Life Insurance Company was authorized to purchase \$5,000.00 in bonds for the company and give credit to Garza county's quota in the Sixth War Loan drive. The company's investment in the drive will probably exceed \$10,000 bringing their total purchases of United States Government securities since Pearl Harbor to \$49,000,000. Last year the Southwestern Life Insurance purchased bonds of credit was not given this year.

Being Bares Plan for Big B-29 Output

Seattle, Wash.—Conversion of Boeing Aircraft Company's local plant No. 2—birthplace of thousands of B-17 Flying Fortresses—into B-29 Superfortress production next March was announced by the company last week. It is stated that when conversion is complete, five huge plants—two Boeing, one Martin, and one Douglas—will be devoted entirely to production of Boeing B-29's principal weapon in the aerial war against Japan.

RATIONING CALENDAR

Stamps—Stamps No. 30, 31, 32, 33, Book IV, good for 5 lbs. indefinitely. Stamp 46, Book IV, good for 5 lbs. sugar for 1944. Canning. Books and Fats: Book IV, red covers AB through E3 and A5 through K2 valid indefinitely, good for 15 points each. L3 through P3 valid October 29. Canned Foods—Book IV, blue covers AB through E3 and A5 through K2 good for 15 points each. valid indefinitely. 55 through 60 valid November 1, 1944. News—Book III, stamps one cent each with airplane pictures. Good for one pair indefinitely. Airplane stamps three. Book IV, covers half 2 November 1.

Memorial Service for Wm. Erwert Edwards To Be Held Sunday

Memorial services for William Erwert "Skeet" Edwards will be held at the First Baptist church on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The twenty-year-old soldier, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Edwards, died in Belgium on November 5, according to a telegram received from the War Department last Wednesday. The message stated that a letter was to follow giving details of his death but to date no letter has been received.

It is believed by the family that "Skeet" must have been wounded in Germany, probably in the battle of Aachen, since information they had been able to gather from his letters led them to believe that he was in that area. He had been overseas a year and had been in the campaigns of France, Belgium and Germany.

Arno Dalby Sells Motor Freight Lines Recently

News of the sale of the shares of stock in the Dalby Motor Freight Lines, Inc., by Arno Dalby early last week is of wide interest here as Dalby is a product of Garza county even though he is now living in Lubbock and has for the past 17 years. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Dalby, until recently pioneer residents of this county. They now reside in Lubbock.

Sale of the company marks the close of a 17-year career of Dalby as president of the motor lines which grew from a one-truck concern with Dalby as the driver into a concern which did more than a million dollars worth of business last year.

Frank Griggs, new owner and president of the company, has been a resident of Lubbock for two years, moving there from Odessa. He formerly was owner of the Western Wrecking company and for the past several months has been interested in oil development activities.

Purchase involved the company's lines which run from Amarillo through Lubbock to El Paso and a Lubbock-Odessa line. A total of 148 pieces of rolling equipment was included in the sale along with the corporation stock. Terminals are still owned by Dalby. Dalby, who returned to Lubbock from Army duty on inactive status last April after two years service, said he had no definite plans for the future but would aid the new owner in getting started in the business for several weeks.

Installation Ban Put On Equipment Burning Butane

Installation of equipment burning liquefied petroleum gases will not be authorized in the future, the Petroleum Administration for War announced Friday.

PAW explained that butane-propane mixtures are used extensively as industrial fuels and as domestic fuels in homes beyond the reach of gas mains.

The move to prevent further increases in consumption of these gases is designed to meet increased military requirements for 100-octane aviation gasoline. Butane is an important component in the manufacture of aviation gasoline.

Reunion On Salpan

"Hi, Souze," was the greeting Harold Voss received from a fellow inhabitant on Salpan Island recently. The greeting came from Steve Luce who is with a U. S. Navy unit on that island. Luce, a former Post man and son-in-law of J. P. Masly, ran into Harold by accident, we understand. The two Postites had a good old "remember when" session. Harold wrote his mother, Mrs. Jessie Voss.

Miss Elaine Hibbs of Oklahoma City arrived Tuesday morning for a Thanksgiving visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Hibbs. Paul Yancy of the Purina Mills Company of St. Louis was a business visitor in Post last week.

Wounded "G. I. Joes" To Speak At Bond Rally Saturday, December 2



Pfc. McCarthy of Albion, New York, a veteran of the campaign to recapture Guam. He went overseas in March of 1944 and was with the first infantry unit to hit the island. He went through the full 17 days of fighting before he was injured and forced to return to this country.



S/Sgt. Normand O. Wright is now convalescing at Ashburn General hospital in McKinney, Texas, from wounds received in the attack on Los Negros. He participated in the New Guinea, Los Negros and Admiralty Islands campaigns. He was with the First Cavalry Division.



S/Sgt. Clyde Mayo of Nevada, Texas, is one of the oldest paratroopers in the U. S. Army. After rugged training he went overseas and was among the first troops to land on French soil on D-Day. The plane in which he was riding was hit and landed within 500 yards of a full German regiment.

Red Cross Supplies For Prisoners Have Arrived In Japan

Washington—American Red Cross relief supplies for prisoners of war are reported by the Japanese to have arrived in Kobe, Japan, from Nakhodka, a Soviet port 100 miles east of Vladivostok. It was announced by Basil O'Connor, chairman. The supplies, sent to Vladivostok last year, were moved by the Soviet government to Nakhodka and picked up by a Japanese boat.

Food, medicines, clothing, and recreational supplies were sent by the American and Canadian Red Cross societies and the YMCA from a west coast port of the United States via Russian ships to the port of Vladivostok at the suggestion of the Japanese government after other methods of sending prisoner of war supplies to the Far East had been rejected by that government.

The cargo, valued at about \$1,500,000, contained approximately 300,000 eleven-pound food packages, 2,661 cases of drugs and medical supplies, 19,500 sets of clothing, 4,260 pairs of army shoes, 7,020 overcoats, 125 cases of shoe repair materials, 21,000 sets of toilet articles, 1,000,000 cigarettes, and 299 cases of YMCA books and religious and recreational supplies.

It is understood that a delegate of the International Committee of the Red Cross met the ship on arrival at Kobe to direct the forwarding of materials to Allied prisoners of war. The International delegate has been instructed to make every effort to see that supplies are sent to camps that did not receive their share of the previous two shipments sent by the American Red Cross. Former shipments, valued at \$1,462,926 were made on two voyages of the diplomatic exchange ship, Gripsholm, in 1942 and 1943.

Rubber Problem Remains Serious

The overall rubber problem remains far from solved and allied crude rubber stocks are now at the lowest since the start of the war, the combined Raw Materials Board reports. This statement makes a distinction between the successful synthetic rubber program and the natural rubber supply. It is natural rubber that is being used faster than it can be obtained and it is natural rubber that is so needed in heavy truck tires and airplane tires—which the war uses up at an appalling rate. The upshot of this situation is the unrelaxed dependence upon civilian tire users to conserve and conserve. The shift to synthetic rubber means, the Board explained, some sacrifice in quantity and quality, but such is an essential price to pay to conserve natural rubber.

Mrs. Charles Louis Pickett is making plans to join her husband, Captain Pickett in Atlanta, Georgia, very soon. Capt. Pickett is being transferred from his station in Washington to Atlanta. He will be with the Seventh Transportation Zone. Mrs. Pickett and the two children will join him there as soon as they locate their quarters.

Nurses Needed Badly To Help Care For The Sick and Wounded

An appeal is being made to the young women of America to join the Army Nurses Corps now.

Of interest to America more than ever before is the fact that 10,000 nurses are needed immediately in order to care for the sick and wounded who will be coming home to America and who will need patient care for a long time to come. The need for nurses is so great for nurses both at home and abroad that appeals are being made by the government in order that the girls' families might encourage the young ladies to consider seriously the profession of nursing.

Additional names of former nurses are needed and should be turned in to the American Red Cross.

Nurses who enter the service are commissioned and will enjoy all rights extended to the Army Forces under the G. I. Bill of Rights.

Buy A War Bond today!

Funeral Rites For Ten Months Old Son Of V. Bradley Held

David Carroll Bradley, 10-months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bradley, died on November 26. He was born on January 15, 1944.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, November 28, at the Church of Christ, Ford Shropshire, minister, officiated at the service.

Paternal grandparents of the child are Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bradley and maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Crider.

Interment was made in Terrace cemetery by Mason & Company funeral directors.

NEW SCALES INSTALLED AT FARMERS COOP ELEVATOR

The Farmers Coop Elevator wishes the Dispatch to inform their customers that the new Recording Beam Scales have been installed. This machine is of the very latest model and has a weighing capacity of 100,000 pounds.



1621 - 1944

In 1621, after a year of life in a bountiful land, the Pilgrim Fathers set aside a day for giving thanks to God for the mercies of the year; thanks for life in a new world; thanks for the abundance of the harvest.

What a feeling must have been in the hearts of those forefathers of ours when they thought of the voyage across an almost uncharted sea and the founding of homes in a world so very different. Indeed they must have gone on their knees in prayer to the all powerful Deity.

For some years in this world of today, many have considered Thanksgiving as a day of entertainment, of visiting friends, of eating good food without much thought as to its provision. If we have been foolish children in the enjoyment of all the good things which have evolved from the pattern begun in Plymouth so many years ago, may we be forgiven. Of a surety, now, we are growing up in our realization that at some time or other the purchase price must be paid for everything we receive.

This year of 1944, in many homes there will be little cause, seemingly, for a thanksgiving celebration. For those left in these homes and for the edification of each and all of us, we need again to imbue Thanksgiving with an essence of spirituality.

We, like the Pilgrims of old, must rise above personalities, either of thoughtless happiness or of grim tragedy, and dedicate ourselves to the establishment of a brave new world.



Display Reveals Effect Of Control Of Food Prices

One of the most unusual displays in Post these days is the array of articles in Piggly-Wiggly store window. The display shows what effect price control has had since the war and is an interesting comparison.

Showing what \$15.00 will buy months after we entered World War II, the display is amazing when one considers the fact that \$15.00 bought only 10 five pound sacks of sugar when the United States was in World War I.

Array of articles arranged by Raymond Young, manager of the store, are as follows:

Ten five-pound sacks of sugar, five pounds rolled roast, one package pancake flour, two pounds oleomargarine, one pound shortening, four cans baby food, one pound butter, two packages post toasties, one eight-ounce package cereal, two pounds coffee, one 28-ounce package wheat cereal, three cans condensed milk, three cans tomatoes, two No. 2 cans peas, two boxes pudding mix, three boxes jello, one can spinach, two cans beans, one can apricots, one pint cooking oil, two cans beets, two cans pineapple, one-fourth pound tea, one No. 2 1/2 can peaches, two No. 2 can grapefruit juice, two 16-ounce cans cocktail, two cans tomato juice, two boxes granulated soap, one can household cleanser, three bars good toilet soap, four cans corn, one pound honey and one pound package of brown sugar.

Funeral Rites For Earl Haire Held Monday, Nov. 27

Earl Haire of Southland died at Hendricks Memorial hospital in Abilene on Saturday, November 25.

Funeral services were conducted at 3 p. m. Monday, November 27, at the Methodist church in Southland. Rev. Elmer Crabtree spoke the words of comfort and consolation to family and friends gathered for this last service. He was assisted by Rev. E. C. Armstrong and Rev. O. J. Harrison.

Mr. Haire had lived near Southland for 27 years. He was a farmer and a member of a prominent farming family.

Born June 12, 1890, Mr. Haire was 54 years old and for 20 of those years had been a faithful church member. He was also a Mason.

His immediate survivors are his wife, daughter, Norma Jane and a son, Paul Wade, in the armed forces in Panama.

Also surviving are three brothers, Clyde, Howton, and Hub, all of Southland. Pall bearers were: Glen Lester, George Sartain, Orlis Nell, Ed Cummings, Hoywood Hasting, and Sam Ellis.

Interment was made in Southland cemetery by Mason & Company funeral directors.

It's A Sure Sign That Christmas Is Just Around The Corner

Christmas is just around the corner.

So The Dispatch was reminded this week when the first Santa Claus letter was received from Anita Davies, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Davies.

The message to Saint Nick will be saved until the appropriate time and Anita may be assured Santa will get the message in ample time for Yuletide delivery. The Dispatch will print Santa Claus letters in the paper the two weeks preceding Christmas so kiddies are asked to get their letters off to Santa in plenty of time.

Mother-in-Law Of Mrs. Clarence Woods Buried In Lubbock

The mother-in-law of Mrs. Clarence Woods, the former Faye Smith of Post, was buried in Lubbock on Saturday afternoon. Funeral services were held at the Presbyterian church at 4 o'clock with Dr. Lewis, pastor, officiating. Mrs. Woods died at Kerrville where she had been for the past five weeks. Mrs. H. G. Smith attended the funeral from Post.

Bond Rally To Be Held In Post Saturday Dec. 2 At 1:30 p. m.

A special unit of "G. I. Jamboree," headed by three returned war heroes, will visit Post next Saturday, December 2, in the interest of the local bond drive for the Sixth War Loan. Accompanying the soldiers will be a military show of comedy and novelty acts by former professional entertainers and martial music by the band from Lubbock Army Air Base.

This unit is one of four such shows touring 200 Texas towns under the supervision of FBI Isley of the War Activities Committee of the Motion Picture Industry. Acting master of ceremonies will be M. M. Murphree, manager of the Granada theatre in Brownwood, Texas, and Marvin Brown, retiring District Attorney of Tarrant county.

The three service men who will speak are Sgt. Clyde Mayo, Pvt. Richard J. McCartney and Sgt. Guy B. Cohen. Sgt. Mayo from Nevada, Texas, is one of the oldest paratroopers in the U. S. Army. The 47 year old sergeant landed on the Cherbourg beach on D-Day within 500 yards of a German infantry regiment but was not seen. Mayo was injured in this landing but established contact with the French underground who helped him return to his own lines. Pvt. McCartney of Albion, N. Y. is a veteran of the campaign to recapture Guam. He was with the first unit to hit the island and went through the full 17 days of fighting before he was injured. Sgt. Cohen of El Paso, Texas, served with the First Cavalry Division in New Guinea and the Admiralty Islands. He wears two Bronze Stars for this service and was wounded in the Admiralty Islands.

This rally will begin at 1:30 p. m. Saturday, December 2 and will be held on Main Street, weather permitting. Should the weather be bad, the High school auditorium will be used.

Make your plans now to attend this "G. I. Jamboree" as a salute to the members of our armed service and what they are doing on every battle front.

Benefit Program To Be Given At Close City December 8

The Close City lunch room sponsors and school will put on a benefit program in the interest of the school lunch room fund on Dec. 8 at 8:00 p. m.

A program of several short plays and other numbers have been arranged.

A spread with the service men's names of the community will be given away at the conclusion of the program. Pies will also be sold. No admission will be charged but all contributions made to the lunch room fund will be greatly appreciated, members of the publicity committee asserted.

The committee also said "Why don't you folks come out and see just what kind of an address your wife is?" Some surprises are in store for you if you attend.

More Clothing For Italians

New York—A fourth shipment of relief materials, including 756,177 articles of clothing and 16,497 pairs of shoes, is en route to the needy people of liberated Italy. It was announced by Justice Juvenal Marchiano, President of American Relief for Italy, Inc.

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PRAYER FOR THANKSGIVING

Our Father, Thou hast abundantly
blessed this earth on which
we live with great harvests. Thou
hast provided for mankind all
things needed. This is a good land
in which we live. On this day of
thanksgiving we thank Thee for
our food, our schools, and many
churches.

We thank Thee, too, for our
country, the land of the Stars and
Stripes. May our flag ever keep
waving in heavenly breezes. May
we have grateful patriotism; may
it be rooted in the bedrock of
gratitude with deep devotion to
the institutions and high ideals for
which our country's flag is an
emblem. Help us to so consecrate
ourselves in the great heritage of
freedom that it shall be a never
fading light. —Amen.

Years ago an American, an
Englishman, and a German, visit-
ing an Oriental country, were
granted an audience by the local
potentate. Addressing the English-
man, he said, "I understand that
you are a subject of the King of
England." The Englishman bowed
and replied, "Yes, your Highness,
and I am very proud of it." Turn-
ing to the German, he said, "And
you are a subject of the Kaiser."
Ticking his heels and bowing
stiffly, the German replied, "Yes,
your Highness, and very proud!"
Addressing the American, His
Highness said, "And you are a
subject of the United States of
America." Whereupon the Ameri-
can exclaimed, "Subject, hell! I
own part of the United States of
America."

Three-way mirror: A device
found in stores by which a suit
of clothes is made to seem shabby
by a new hat, and vice versa. —
Milwaukee Journal.

Man is the only animal that can
be skinned more than once.

POST LIONS CLUB
REGULAR MEETINGS
TUESDAY 8:30 P. M.
JENNIE'S TEA ROOM
Visiting Lions Welcome

THOSE THREATENING
REFORMERS

Self-trade reformers who run
around shouting that the country
will never again accept the un-
pleasantness of unemployment, in-
adequate wages, and substandard
living conditions, as if the mere
fact of refusal will settle the mat-
ter, should feel no one. The laws
of nature cannot be swept away
by simple defiance.

Many industries are tackling the
problem of how to attain greater
productivity and more real jobs in
the surest way they know, through
scientific research and expanded
markets. During the past year,
basic industries such as mining,
oil, power and transportation have
worked harder than ever before
in preparing to bring their prod-
ucts to more people, in new
forms as well as old. Coal has
worked as hard as any industry
in this direction. Coal is used in
medicines, clothing, fertilizers,
insecticides, roofing, and count-
less other materials, to say noth-
ing of its primary function in
steaming, heating and power-
ing homes and factories. Through
organizations like Bituminous Coal
Institute it has carried on research
seeking maximum efficiency in
coal-burning heaters. It has even
developed "clean" coal as a furth-
er encouragement to consumers.

Partly as a result of these ef-
forts, the coal industry expects to
have steady jobs for over five-
hundred-thousand men when peace
returns. Scores of other industries
are proceeding along similar lines,
instead of defying nature to do
its worst, they hope to conform to
its dictates and still reach desired
objectives—through hard work
and greater production. The
threatening reformers will not
make their task any easier.

A DREAM COME TRUE

Twenty-five years ago, com-
paratively few people had even
seen an airplane, let alone over
riden in one. Flying was viewed
as a dangerous thrill at country
fairs. There was certainly no
popular demand urging forward
the development of aviation as a
practical means of transport.

Yet it was just twenty-five
years ago that the Railway Ex-
press Agency began to utilize the
possibilities of air transport. In
December, 1919, an old Handley-
Page bomber loaded with the first
"Air Express" cargo for a non-
stop flight from New York to
Chicago. News accounts of the
time note that the ship cruised at
about ninety miles an hour, and
while crossing the Allegheny
mountains, reached the breath-
taking height of 8,000 feet. Un-
fortunately, head winds so delay-
ed its progress that it was forced
down after covering 450 miles in
eight and a half hours.

Undaunted by this discourag-
ing start, Air Express has con-
tinued to expand with the de-
velopment of more reliable and
efficient means of air transport,
often in the face of derision, un-
til now it celebrates the twenty-
fifth anniversary of the first air
shipment.

The development of air trans-
portation and air cargo service
has been like the development of
many other innovations. A few
individuals with imagination lead
the way. After years of effort, a
great new industry blossoms—a
dream of pioneers comes true.

The man who hides behind a
woman's skirt nowadays is no
coward. He's either a magician or
a midget.

Ernie Pyle's Stant on the War:

Crew Returns From the
Dead in Miracle Fortresses
Crippled, Two Engines Missing,
Left Alone to Fight Nazi Air Hordes

By Ernie Pyle

(Editor's Note): Pyle recalls some of his experiences while he was with the
Doughboys during the North Africa campaign. He is now taking a long-needed
rest in New Mexico.

A FORWARD AIRDROME IN FRENCH NORTH AFRI-
CA.—You read the official communiques a few days ago
about a devastating raid by our Flying Fortresses on a huge
German bomber airdrome near Tripoli. What you didn't
read, at least in any detail, is the story contained in these
next two columns.

It was late afternoon at our
desert airdrome. The sun was
low, the air was warm, and a faint
haze of propeller dust hung over the
field, giving it
softness.

It was time for
the planes to start
coming back from
their mission, and
one by one they
did come — big
Flying Fortresses
and very little
Lightnings. No-
body paid a great
deal of attention,
for this returning
is a daily routine
thing.

Finally they were all in—all, that
is, except one. Operations reported
a Fortress missing. Returning pilots
said it had lagged behind and lost
altitude just after leaving the tar-
get. The last report said the Fortress
couldn't stay in the air more than
five minutes. Hours had passed since
then. So it was gone.

Ten men were in that plane. The
day's accomplishments had been
great, but the thought of 10 lost
friends cast a pall over people.

We had already seen death
that afternoon. For one of the
returning Fortresses had re-
leased a red flare over the field,
and I had stood with others be-
neath the great plane as they
handed its dead pilot, head
downward, through the escape
hatch onto a stretcher.

The faces of his crew were grave,
and nobody talked very loud. One
man clutched a leather cap with
blood on it. The pilot's hands were
very white.

Everybody knew the pilot. He was
so young, a couple of hours ago. The
war came inside us then, and we
felt it deeply.

As we stood on the tower looking
down over this powerful scene,
the day began folding itself up.
Fighter planes, which patrol the
field all day, were coming in. All
the soldiers in the tent camps had
finished supper. That noiseless peace
that sometimes comes just before
dark hung over the airdrome. Men
talked in low tones about the dead
pilot and the lost Fortress.

We thought we would wait a few
minutes more to see if the Germans
were coming tonight.

MISSING FORTRESS RETURNS
And then an electric thing hap-
pened.

Far off in the dusk a red flare
shot into the sky. It made an arc
against the dark background of
the mountains and fell to the earth.
It couldn't be anything else. It had
to be. The 10 dead men were com-
ing home!

"Where's the flare gun? Gimme
a green flare!" yelled an officer.
He ran to the edge of the tower,
shouted "Look out below!" and fired
a green rocket into the air.

Then we saw the plane—just
a tiny black speck. It seemed
almost on the ground, it was so
low, and in the first glance we
could sense that it was barely
moving, barely staying in the
air. Crippled and alone, two
hours behind all the rest, it was
dragging itself home.

I am a layman, and no longer of
the fraternity that flies, but I can
feel. And at that moment I felt
something close to human love for
that faithful battered machine, that
far dark speck struggling toward
us with such pathetic slowness.

All of us stood tense, hardly re-
membering anyone else was there.
With our nervous systems we
seemed to pull the plane toward us.
I suspect a photograph would have
shown us all leaning slightly to the
left.

Not one of us thought the plane
would ever make the field, but on it
came—so slowly that it was cruel to
watch.

It reached the far end of the air-
drome, still holding its pathetic little
altitude. It skimmed over the tops
of parked planes, and kept on,
actually reaching out—it seemed to
us—for the runway. A few hundred

yards more now. Could it? Would
it? Was it truly possible.
They cleared the last plane, and
they were over the runway. They
settled slowly. The wheels touched
softly. And as the plane rolled on
down the runway the thousands of
men around that vast field sudden-
ly realized that they were weak and
that they could hear their hearts
pounding.

The last of the sunset died, and the
sky turned into blackness, which
would help the Germans if they
came on schedule with their
bombs. But nobody cared. Our 10
dead men were miraculously back
from the grave.

BRINGING THUNDERBIRD HOME
The 10 men who brought their Fly-
ing Fortress home from a raid on
Tripoli, after they had been given
up for lost, undoubtedly will get
decorations. Nothing quite like it
has happened before in this war.
Here is the full story:

The Tripoli airdrome was heavily
defended, by both fighter planes
and antiaircraft guns. Flying into
that hailstorm, as one pilot said,
was like a mouse attacking a dozen
cats.

The Thunderbird—for that was the
name of this Fortress—was first hit
just as it dropped its bomb load.
One engine went out. Then a few
moments later the other engine on
the same side went.

When both engines go out on
the same side it is usually fatal.
And therein lies the difference
of this feat from other instances
of bringing damaged bombers
home.

The Thunderbird was forced to
drop below the other Fortresses.
And the moment a Fortress drops
down or lags behind, German fight-
ers are on it like vultures. The
boys don't know how many Ger-
mans were in the air, but they think
there must have been 30.

Our Lightning fighters, escorting
the Fortresses, stuck by the Thunder-
bird and fought as long as they
could, but finally they had to leave
or they wouldn't have had enough
fuel to make it home.

The last fighter left the crippled
Fortress about 40 miles from
Tripoli. Fortunately, the swarm of
German fighters started home at
the same time, for their gas was
low too.

The Thunderbird flew on an-
other 20 miles. Then a single
German fighter appeared, and
dived at them. Its guns did great
damage to the already crippled
plane, but simply couldn't
knock it out of the air.

Finally the fighter ran out of am-
munition, and left. Our boys were
alone now with their grave troubles.
Two engines were gone, most of the
guns were out of commission, and
they were still more than 400 miles
from home. The radio was out. They
were losing altitude, 500 feet a mi-
nute, and now they were down to
2,000.

The pilot called up his crew and
held a consultation. Did they want
to jump? They all said they would
ride the plane as long as it was
in the air. He decided to keep going.
The ship was completely out of
trim, cocked over at a terrible
angle. But they gradually got it
trimmed so that it stopped losing
altitude.

By now they were down to 800
feet, and a solid wall of mountains
ahead barred the way homeward.
They flew along parallel to these
mountains for a long time, but they
were now miraculously gaining some
altitude. Finally they got the thing
to 1,500 feet.

Maybe it's as the pilot said: "We
didn't come over the mountains, we
came through them."

The co-pilot said: "I was blowing
on the windshield trying to push her
along. Once I almost wanted to
reach a foot down and sort of walk
us along over the pass."

And the navigator said:
"If I had been on the wingtip I
could have touched the ground with
my hand when we went through
the pass."

All Elements Against Them

The navigator came into the cock-
pit, and he and the pilot navigated
the plane home. Never for a second
could they feel any real assurance
of making it. They were practically
right but they talked a blue streak
all the time, and missed, so often
so.

Everything seemed against them.
The gas consumption doubled,
wondering their previous supply.

To top off their misery, they had a
bad headwind. The gas gauge went
down and down.

At last the navigator said they
were only 40 miles from home, but
5000 feet more passed so though they
were driving a horse and buggy.
Dark, coming down on the sandy
beach, made the vast flat desert an
inhospitable thing. One could look an
acolyte like another.

Gems Of Thought

HOPE

Hope is like the sky at night:
there is no corner so dark but
that a perceiving eye will discover
a star. —Octave Feuillet

As wisdom without courage is
futile, even so faith without hope
is nothing worth; for hope en-
dures and overcomes misfortune
and evil. —Martin Luther

The natural flights of the hun-
an mind are not from pleasure to
pleasure, but from hope to hope.
—Samuel Johnson

It is hope which makes the ship-
wrecked sailor strike out with his
arms in the midst of the sea,
though no land is in sight.—Ovid

The good man's hope is laid far
—far beyond the away of the
tempest, or the furious sweeps of
mortal consolation. —H. K. White

THE CHRISTMAS SEALS
ARE NEEDED

Christmas Seal time is here
again. This heartwarming prac-
tice of buying cheery little seals
to help combat tuberculosis, be-
gan just forty years ago and has
since become a world-wide tradi-
tion. The Christmas Seals are sold
in 46 countries. This year, as usu-
al, they make their appearance.
In a war-torn world they are re-
assuring reminders that we live in
a civilized world after all and
humanity has a streak of goodness
in it that will not be put down.

This year, as never before, the
Christmas Seals are needed.
Tuberculosis is on the increase.
The steady progress of medical
science in the treatment of the
disease has not been sufficient to
stem the debilitating inroads of
war. Our crowded war production
centers, overwork and nervous
exhaustion have been an open
invitation to tuberculosis. The great
tragedy is that too many persons
don't realize it when the unwell-
come guest has found its way into
their homes.

Yes, the Christmas Seal has new
significance this year. It is one
means by which all of us can take
part in the fight against the re-
newed threat of man's ancient enemy
—the white plague.

Then again that impetuous fel-
low that does everything in the
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the road to Victory . . . that through it all we have up-
held the ideals we have been fighting for . . . that we
have kept our heritage of Freedom. On this Thank-
sgiving Day, " . . . let us thank the Eternal Power con-
vinced that Heaven but tries our virtue by affliction
—that off the cloud which wraps the present hour
serves but to brighten all our future days."

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In shared abundance with a world at war;
Give us this day a humble, grateful mood,
As we remember the occasion for
This day of praise. With deep sincerity
Of soul, we bring our thanks today
That in this country every man is free
To worship God, that human hearts may pray.
We pray thee, Father, grace with happiness
Our absent one who fights in freedom's name
Beyond the sea. Grant that he may possess
A living faith in thee, a soul aflame
With holy confidence. Soon may all share
The priceless gift of peace. Hear thou our Prayer.
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WOMAN'S PAGE

Mrs. E. A. Warren
SOCIETY and LOCAL EDITOR
Phone 131 at 2 1163

Reports of all social and club meetings will be appreciated. All reports should be turned in not later than Tuesday 6 p. m. each week.

Regular Meeting of Eastern Star Was Held Last Week

The stated meeting for November of the Order of Eastern Star was held Tuesday night of last week.

The impressive ceremony of initiation was performed, with Miss Margaret Weaver and Rex Everett as candidates.

During discussion of business matters it was decided to donate a White Christmas offering to the ladies in the OES home at Arlington. This offering, fruit, canned goods, cookies, etc. is to be brought at the next meeting. The ladies have asked for quilt scraps so if any Star members have scraps the local secretary, Lydia Everett, will send them to the home.

The Worthy Matron, Dezzie Power, was the delegate to the Grand Chapter meeting recently in Fort Worth and she made an interesting report of the proceedings. Other ladies who attended the session also made short talks.

The next meeting will be on December 19 and in addition to regular business there will be a Christmas program.

Religion Will Be Basis For Grade P-TA Program

Religion will form the basis for the topics of discussion when the Post Grade school P-TA meets in regular session on December 6. Mrs. Vachel Anderson and Mrs. Carl Hughes comprise the hospitality committee.

Rev. Austin Moore, pastor of the Nazarene church, will open the meeting with a prayer. Miss Irene Kral, public school music director will present a group of pupils who will sing Christmas carols.

The main topic of the program will be "The Important Place of Religion in the American Way of Life."

Clergymen of the town will be guests of honor.

Monthly Business Meeting of W. M. S. Held At Church

Both circles of the First Baptist WMC met Monday, Nov. 27 at the church for their regular monthly business meeting.

The minutes were read by Mrs. R. E. Cox, secretary. The prayer was led by Mrs. Ira Weakley. Mrs. Jim Williams, recording secretary, gave her report.

Mrs. Inez Hartel was elected sponsor for the YWA and Mrs. Gretta Cooper was elected sponsor for the R. A. Group.

Sixteen members were present for this meeting and to hear the conclusion of the book "God and Man in Mission" as presented by Mrs. Tom Bouchier.

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Neighborhood Party Given By Mrs. W. R. Graeber Sunday

Mrs. W. R. Graeber was hostess to her neighbors last Sunday afternoon from five until six o'clock with one of the loveliest parties of the year. She named as honorees the new folks who have moved into the neighborhood, Mrs. K. Stoker, Mrs. Willard Kirkpatrick, Mrs. A. R. Tyson, Mrs. L. A. Barrow and Mrs. Keith Kemp.

An atmosphere of friendliness was the keynote of the affair and Mrs. Graeber in her own inimitable manner introduced each guest in a clever discourse on that person's name. This bit of play on words was thoroughly enjoyed by all the guests. Following the hour of visiting, guests were ushered into the dining room where they were served a most delicious Thanksgiving menu. The table was laid with a lace banquet cloth and centering the table was an attractive arrangement of fruits and flowers topped by a miniature turkey. Sprays of ivy encircled the center piece and were used down the center of the table. Orange colored papers furnished illumination for the scene.

Cleverly styled place cards marked places for sixteen guests.

Climaxing the party Mrs. Graeber declared that a Fifth Columnist had been found hoarding and the things she had hoarded were to be distributed among those present. She announced, too, that the hoarder was the turkey that her guests had just eaten and that in her nest she had kept the hoarded articles. Each person was then asked to retrieve a package from the turkey's nest and upon opening the package she found a bar of candy and chewing gum. The honorees were asked to examine the nest carefully and take the extra packages. These cleverly secluded packages contained personal gifts for the honorees.

At the conclusion of the party which really was a very neighborly affair, all formed a circle and sang the old favorite song "Bless Be The Tie That Binds."

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Mrs. Cora Bush Is Hostess To Close City H. D. Club

The Close City Home Demonstration club met on Tuesday afternoon, Nov. 21, with Mrs. Cora Bush. There was four members, one visitor and Miss Manley present.

Miss Manley gave a demonstration on sewing, which was very interesting and will prove beneficial in the near future.

The next meeting will be on Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 5, with Mrs. Lola Peel and Mrs. Sadie McNabb as co-hostesses. This will be the only meeting we will have in December and will be our Christmas meeting.

Names have been drawn and we will exchange our gifts at this meeting. All members are urged to attend this meeting.

An error on the part of this reporter was made in our last report. It should have been three new members instead of one new member at the last meeting.

After delicious refreshments consisting of iced drinks, cookies and doughnuts were served we adjourned to meet on Dec. 5.

—Reporter

Mrs. A. W. Bouchier Was Hostess To Club On Last Friday

Mrs. A. W. Bouchier was hostess to the Needlecraft club last Friday with a delightful party. During the afternoon of visiting and sewing the hostess conducted a contest based on the Bible.

At the conclusion of the afternoon, the hostess served delicious pecan pie with whipped cream and cocoa to twenty-one members and one guest, Mrs. R. L. Kirkendoll. Mrs. Phil Bouchier assisted in serving.

Food is just as hot whether it is boiling fast or slowly, and fast-boiling uses more fuel.



Vitamin D is not present in the foods we eat in sufficient amounts to meet the extra demands made by pregnancy nor for the rapidly growing baby after birth. Even milk does not have this vitamin, unless it has been added to the milk, as in irradiated evaporated milk. It may be possible to obtain vitamin D from sunbaths in the summer time, but most of the year and in most places it is not enough to depend on the sun.

During pregnancy and throughout the years of rapid growth of children, fish liver oil or some form of concentrate prescribed by your doctor, should be included every day. Babies are usually given cod liver oil after the first two weeks of life and this should be continued all during the years of most rapid growth, while bones and teeth are forming and developing.

Be sure it smells and tastes fresh and has no evidence of rancidity. It is best to keep the bottle in the refrigerator. It's in a dark bottle to prevent the action of light. Cold and absence of light retard the development of rancidity.

Recent surveys made by the National Research Council have shown that even now far too many babies have rickets. In fact, rickets from a deficiency of calcium phosphorus and vitamin D, and scurvy from a lack of enough vitamin C are still common diseases of infancy. Both of these are unnecessary in the normal baby.

After the first few weeks, baby cereals fortified with B vitamins, and iron, then strained vegetables and fruits furnish vitamins and minerals in natural forms without resort to concentrates other than cod liver oil.

NOTICE

Rev. J. E. Stephens will preach at Graham next Sunday morning and evening. Please tell your friends and neighbors.

CULTURE CLUB NOTICE

Mrs. T. L. Jones and Mrs. J. R. Durrett will be hostesses to the Woman's Culture club on next Wednesday, December 6. Members who will appear on the program are Misses W. L. Davis, L. W. Kitchen, Karpe, and B. J. Edwards.

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Y. W. A. Girls Enjoy Interesting Hour On November 27

The YWA met Nov. 27 with eight present. The program was prepared by the program chairman as follows:

Song, "Sweet Hour of Prayer"; Prayer, Jerry Osborne; Special Song, "My Jesus I love Thee," by Jackie Thomas; Devotional, A Gift of Prayer, by Snowey Beacher; Scripture by Maxine Tucker; Reading, "Tell America To Go To Her Knees" by Jo Panter.

The program was closed in prayer by our sponsor, Mrs. Hartel.

Again we invite each and every girl from the ages of 15 to 25 to be present at our next meeting December 4. Our goal is still set for twenty present.

Mrs. Charlie Walden Hostess To Sewing Club Last Friday

Priscilla club members spent a very enjoyable afternoon in the home of Mrs. Charlie Walden last Friday.

Most of the members were doing crochet work. Some knitting, needlepoint embroidery, and patch work was done also.

Two visitors, Misses Stewart and Bill Wood were present, also a new member, Mrs. Jake Webb. Other members were Misses Ben Williams, Collier, Kemp, Redman, Barrow, Duckworth, Camp, Everett, Thaxton, Haws, Hobbs, and Coarley.

Mrs. Walden, assisted by her daughter, served delicious refreshments of sandwiches, pickles, potato chips, pumpkin pie and coffee.

FORMER POST GIRL MARRIES IN HOUSTON NOV. 15

Mr. and Mrs. James Samson, 2313 Thirteenth, Lubbock but formerly of Post, are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Miss Gertrude Samson, and James D. Moore, 1/2 machinist's mate, United States Coast Guard, which took place in Houston at First Presbyterian church Saturday, Nov. 14, with Rev. Matthew Lynn officiating.

Miss Carolyn Douglas of Fort Worth was the bride's attendant. Mrs. Moore, a graduate of Texas Technological college, is dietitian at Houston Memorial hospital. Mr. Moore is stationed at Galveston.

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Mrs. Tom Gates and daughter Ann spent last Friday and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Warren.

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HANFORD, CALIF.—(Soundphoto)—Above is the largest section of the big air passenger liner which disintegrated in mid-air near here crashing in parts to the ground over a one mile area and killing all of the 21 passengers and the crew of three. Flying in heavy rain, the huge plane, a DC-3 transport, enroute from San Francisco to Los Angeles, suddenly exploded and fell apart.

ALBERT HOWARD FINISHES FLIGHT TRAINING AT LUKE FIELD, ARIZONA

Luke Field, Arizona—Albert Franklin Howard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Howard of Post, has successfully completed his flight training of the Army Air Forces Advanced Flying School, Luke Field, Arizona.

At graduation ceremonies Nov. 20, he received the Army Air Corps silver wings and was designated a flight officer in the Army of the United States.

He received his pre-flight training at Santa Anna Army Air Base, Santa Ana, California, and pilot training with Army flying units at fields in the AAF Western Flying Training Command before coming to Luke Field.

Albert attended Post High school.

Mert Shelmidt In Army Hospital

S-Set. Merl Shelmidt is in the Army hospital in McKinney, Texas suffering from arthritis. He has been there three weeks arriving there from more than a year's duty in Nome, Alaska. He thinks perhaps he might get to come home a short time during the holidays.

LEGIONARIES OF POST ASKED TO ATTEND MEETING IN LUBBOCK

Charlie Walden, commander of the James C. Cole Legion Post, has received a notice of a very important meeting to be held in Lubbock on December 5 at the American Legion Hall at 8 p. m. The meeting will stress the vital points now being discussed on Universal Military Training, a subject that is uppermost in the minds of the American people now.

Representative groups from neighboring towns will attend the meeting to hear B. E. Gieske of Austin, Texas, give some interesting and informative facts on the subject. Legionaries of Garza county are advised to make their plans to attend the meeting if at all possible.

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PHILIPPINES-DAMAGED CRAFT RETURN TO DUTY

The Navy has reported on the Philippines battle which cost the Japanese more than 60 warships and said that some damaged American craft already have returned to duty. Despite the results achieved, the Navy cautioned against over-optimism.

"We must not allow ourselves to feel that this victory effectively prevented any reinforcement of the Japanese forces on Leyte and Samar, because he can still, by the very nature of the geography of the islands... continue his reinforcements at an increasingly-diminishing rate," the Navy said.

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First Letter In Over A Month Received From Junior Haws

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Haws were plenty happy Friday of last week when they received two letters from their son, Junior, who is in Germany and is with Hodge's First Army. These are the first letters they have had in over a month. One letter was dated Nov. 9 and the other the 12th. Junior said, "There is not much happening around here. Ha!" He is with a scouting party so, of course, he is seeing plenty rugged duty.

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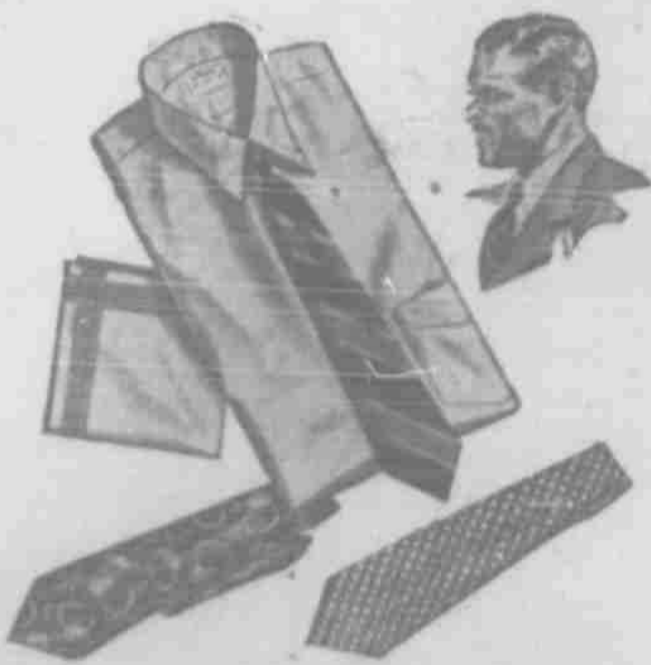
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Future Homemakers Serve Thanksgiving Dinner

The second year homemakers had their Thanksgiving Dinner on Tuesday, November 21, in the homemaking department. The meal served buffet style, consisted of baked chicken and all the trimmings. The dining table was centered with an arrangement of fall leaves, pumpkins and fruit. The same type table decorations were used throughout the department. Colorful fall leaves were used as place cards. The twenty-four girls reported a lovely time.

—P. H. S.—

Guess Who?

This week's guess who is a member of the Sophomore class. He is about medium height, has black hair, and dark complexion. He is popular and was a member of the football squad.

Last week's guess who was Louis Mills.

Junior Class . . .

The Junior Class was in charge of assembly Friday, November 17. Brother Wright of Cisco, who was holding a meeting at The First Christian church, was guest speaker. The entire student body certainly enjoyed having Bro. Wright with us.

The Junior class joined the Junior Red Cross.

—P. H. S.—

Senior Personality . . .

Harry Wood was chosen to be this week's Senior Personality. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wood. He was an outstanding football player and is an active member of the class. Harry is also in the Senior play.

—P. H. S.—

News Briefs . . .

Mary Flo Turner, a former student of Post High, was visiting the school last Friday. With her was Opal Williams.

Both of these girls are seniors at Amarillo High school. They came to Post after attending the football game at Lubbock between Amarillo and Lubbock.

—P. H. S.—

Faculty News . . .

The faculty has been busy this week, as in the usual thing, when six week's examinations roll around. Report cards will go out a day early this time, due to the Thanksgiving holidays.

A certificate recognizing the fact that all teachers are members of the State Teachers Association has been received by the High school.

Most teachers plan a very quiet Thanksgiving, though a few will take short trips.

From A to Z With the Juniors . . .

- Active—W. C. Carlton.
- Bashful—Paul Duren.
- Cute—Jimmy Chandler.
- Dopey—Dana Bostic.
- Essential—Sponsors.
- Friendly—Ganell Babbs.
- Glamorous—Nora Joe Blacklock.
- Irritable—Vernon McNabb.
- Jokester—Wayne Hundley.
- Krazy—Harriet Dietrich.
- Loud—Percy Parsons.
- Morose—Ross Blasingame.
- Naughty—Raymond Dagherly.
- Obstinate—A. C. Thomas.
- Polite—Bill Fumagalli.
- Quiet—Mary Etta Norman.
- Ready—David Buster.
- Studious—Joy Shepherd.
- Talkative—Jimmy Bird.
- Unusual—Eugene Ashley.
- Victorious—Louis Mills in winning best all-round boy.
- Wacky—Alarah Pierce.
- X-pensive—Junior-Senior Banquet.
- Young—Billie Cowdrey.
- Zenious—Joe Stokes.

Annual Report . . .

The Annual staff for the 1944-45 "Caprock" was selected recently. Wanda Thomas, Editor-in-Chief; Robert Cash, Business Manager; Billie Baker, Art Editor; Marian Edwards and Norma Hudman, Photographers. Representatives from the classes are: Senior, Iris Parker, Don Shirley, Carroll Bowen; Juniors, Joy Shepherd, Louis Mills, Wayne Hundley; Sophomores, Peggy Robinson, Alma Outlaw, Sonny McCrary; Freshman, Helen Thaxton, N. W. Stone; Eighth Grade, Ronnie Bauchier, Elsie West, J. G. Cash.

Work on the annual has not yet begun. But we are all anxious to get started and hope to have an interesting annual.

—P. H. S.—

Sophomore Class . . .

Last Thursday the Sophomore class was entertained with a skating party.

Most of the students of the Sophomore class attended. There were several teachers who attended. The room mothers, Mrs. Outlaw and Mrs. Casey, were also present.

The party was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone.

The class had the assembly program last Friday.

The program opened with songs by Alma Outlaw, Charles Ray Casey and Connie Mae Gribble. They accompanied on the guitar by Charles Ray Casey and Rufus Gerner.

The program ended with the singing of the school song.

—P. H. S.—

Library . . .

The library has several new magazines which are proving very interesting to the students. A few of the most popular are "The McCalls," "Mademoiselle," "Good Housekeeping" and "American Girl."

In the Eighth grade the most popular book this week is "Just Pally" by Webster.

—P. H. S.—

Press Club . . .

The Press club has two new sponsors, Mrs. Jones and Miss Evans. They will take turns as sponsors.

Mrs. Ray Smith, former sponsor, asked to be relieved of her duties as sponsor due to her work with the annual.

JUSTICEBURG SCHOOL NEWS

The Justiceburg school ended its third month of work Nov. 24. The pupils who have a perfect attendance record for this month are: V. A. Lobban, Jr., Jerry Ray Key, Bobbie Tidwell, Jack Almsworth, Hazel Odem, C. W. Dorman, Eva Lou Key, Janey Lobban and Betty Lou Hagood.

The school will have two holidays—Nov. 29 and Dec. 1, for Thanksgiving.

If accidents continue to increase, the postwar car is going to have to have its speedometer marked off in kilometers.

To some people the marriage tie is only a slip knot.

QUICK RELIEF FROM Symptoms of Distress Arising from STOMACH ULCERS DUE TO EXCESS ACID

Free Book Tells of Home Treatment that Most Help as it Will Cost You Nothing

Over two million bottles of the WILLARD YEASTIN EXTRACT have been sold for relief of symptoms of distress arising from stomach and duodenal ulcers due to excess acid—heartburn, sour or upset stomach, flatulence, heartburn, indigestion, etc. For a Free Book, send an 18-cent stamp to the "Willard Yeastin" which fully explains this treatment—free—

G. G. HAMILTON DRUG

Preview Of The Youth Canteen

Editor's Note—An Adult counselor gives a resume of the Youth Canteen movement as it affects the youths of Post.

Conditions are abnormal. Nothing seems to be in its proper setting. There are tensions and emergencies on all sides. Youthful living has been uprooted and rearranged which brings us to the point of what our own youth is doing.

Much is being said and done in Post with reference to the Youth Canteen. We of the adult advisory board have tried to be realists all along. Even in the early stages of the Canteen development we have seen the good of constructive criticism and the bad of idle criticism. We deeply appreciate the cooperation and help that everyone has given and are continuing to give. This cooperation is giving us a chance to develop the canteen into a real recreation center. Your interest in this community-wide project is evidence in itself of the good that can be accomplished through such an organization and we do mean "organization." The teen-agers, themselves, formed the organization, elected their own advisory board, and made their own rules, which we consider very adequate. They have committees to see that their house is in order for each meeting, that their books and magazines are well arranged, their game tables kept in repair and such games as are available placed at the disposal of those who attend.

Our thanks go to Mr. Sam Bardwell and the Double U Company for so graciously permitting our youth to use their well arranged recreation hall.

A snack bar has been built, and we are grateful to the Junior Culture club for providing sandwiches, cakes and pies for sale to the boys and girls at each meeting. Thanks also to several individuals who are donating soft drinks each week for sale.

Three new ping pong tables have also been donated as well as three C-vans and several comfortable chairs. The game tables and library shelves, as well as books, magazines, games and pictures, have been given to the canteen by interested parties. A juke box and an excellent selection of records has been placed in the hall by two local men, much to the pride and joy of the entire membership.

The cash donations which have been made and which are continuing to be made are making it possible to enlarge the recreational activities of the canteen.

We love and esteem the youth of our town and community. We think they are the finest group of boys and girls to be found anywhere. We are doing our best to help them find a place for themselves in our own community. Are you doing your part?

Miss Lucille Meador, clerk of the Selective Service Board, is a surgical patient in the Lubbock General hospital, having undergone surgery there on Saturday. Her condition is termed as satisfactory at this time. Mrs. Ollie Weakley who has been assisting in the local draft board office took over Miss Meador's duties until after the first of the year.

The banks of the Rhine have echoed to the shouts of warlike Gauls, Teutons, Romans, Franks and Normans.

The xylophone was first used as a concert instrument in 1878.



YOU DON'T HAVE TO BRING YOUR USED FATS ALL THE WAY OUT HERE. JUST LEAVE THEM WITH YOUR BUTCHER.

GRADE SCHOOL GIRLS' 4-H CLUB MET RECENTLY

The meeting of the 4-H club was called to order by the president. We then under the direction of our song leader, Roberta Boswell, sang America. The minutes of the last meeting were read, then the meeting was turned over to Miss Manley.

She showed things that would make nice Christmas gifts. They were very nice and easy to make. She made the meeting very interesting.

The meetings will convene for an hour instead of half hour as previously.

—Reporter

Mrs. B. M. Robinson and daughter, Peggy Sue, left early Saturday morning for Beeville, Texas, where they will spend ten days visiting Richard Robinson, S 2c of the U. S. Navy. While there they expect to visit in Laredo and probably make a trip to Monterey, Mexico, if it can be arranged.

Cecil Thaxton transacted business in Amarillo Saturday.

Texas gave president Roosevelt the largest majority of any State in the Union.

Eyes Tested Frames Repaired Lenses Duplicated GLASSES FITTED

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Certified Optometrist
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Lubbock, Texas

FORT McHENRY FLAG COMES OUT OF HIDING

The original Star-Spangled Banner, stored in secrecy away from Washington for many months as a wartime precaution, is again on view at the Smithsonian Institution.

The banner which flew over Fort McHenry, Baltimore, Md., in 1814 and inspired Francis Scott Key to write the National Anthem, was one of many historical objects which have been moved to safer places soon after the war broke out.

Morse's original telegraph instrument also is again on exhibition.

"There's a boy named John Simpson working here. May I see him? I'm his grandfather."

"You've just missed him. He's gone to your funeral."

Ranch Way Sulfa Powder

A sulfa drug product which prevents growth of most kinds of bacteria. Convenient stick-top can, 3 1/2 ounces, \$1.00—only a little is needed.

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Texas gave the President approximately 500,000 votes, majority and 23 electoral votes.

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Service on any make house or car radio
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Call 94 for Blondies Laundry SERVICE

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NEEDED AT ONCE FOR L. O. STOCKER CO. SEMINOLE or BORGER, TEXAS

Constructing 100 - Octane Aviation Gasoline Plant For Phillips Petroleum Company

Transportation furnished enroute to job. Top wages—long time job—Now working 60 hours a week—Time and one half after 40 hours.

LIVING QUARTERS AVAILABLE
Hiring to comply with WMC regulations
Apply At Once

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1207 13th Street, Lubbock, Texas

Seasonal Agricultural workers accepted in compliance with WMC and Selective Service Regulations

ON THE LAND ON THE SEA IN THE AIR

We Give Thanks For Our Fighting Forces On This Thanksgiving Day

R. B. DODSON

—Radio and Watch Repair—

We Are . . .

Thankful

At This Joyous . . .

Thanksgiving Time

Today, let's all give thanks to God that we still live in a great free nation, free from the Dictators that have thrown the entire world into a bloody war.

(This Store Will Be Closed All Day Nov. 30)

Hundley's Red & White

GROCERY and MARKET

THANKSGIVING

BRING JOY TO EVERY PARENT'S HEART BY NEXT THANKSGIVING HELP SPEED THE RETURN OF THEIR SONS . . . BUY BONDS for VICTORY!

N. J. LANOTTE Furniture Co.

INVEST IN THE NEXT RAID ON JAPAN!

IT TAKES PLENTY OF WAR BONDS TO BUILD B-29s

THE WAR in the Pacific is the most costly war America has ever engaged in. It's simple arithmetic. A mountain of special, costly equipment is needed. A B-29 Superfortress used in the bombing of Japan costs \$500,000 in War Bonds. And this is just one of the many extra costly implements of war needed to achieve final victory in the Pacific.

That's why the 6th War Loan Drive is so important. That's why you must back it as generously as you have every other war loan drive. Invest in the next raid on Japan . . .

BUY AT LEAST ONE EXTRA \$100 BOND

COMMUNITY PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY

V-2 Launching Site In Holland Hit Hard

A V-2 launching site in enemy-occupied Holland was demolished last night by a squadron of Australian pilots in Spitfires that power-dived into the target from 8,000 feet.

Thousands of tons of bombs were dropped on V-1 platforms but this was the first announcement of an attack on the V-2 rocket launching sites since it was disclosed they had hit England.

"Our target was a V-2 storage, erection, and launching site," one of the pilots said. "There was a lot of cloud but we finally located it in a clearing in the woods. The leader's bombs fell dead on the target. We saw plenty of explosions."

Hand-Picked Pilots To Handle Jet Planes

The pick of the nation's fliers will be trained to handle jet-propulsion planes, the War Department has disclosed.

Elkfield, California has been chosen as headquarters for the segment of the Fourth Army Air Force responsible for jet-propulsion training. The training, scheduled for next week, was announced last week.

The program has been under way for some time, but the number of planes or pilots involved was not disclosed.

Benjamin Franklin is called "The Father of the Circulating Library."

GI's To Aid Railways During Holiday Rush

Washington—Military personnel will be available again this year to help out the railroads during the Christmas rush.

Both the Army and Navy, ODT reported Monday, have authorized their personnel to take jobs with the railroads while absent on pass and during off duty periods.

Last year 60,000 service men aided the railroads in solving their manpower problems during the Christmas season.

MORE SEABEES NEEDED

The Navy disclosed Saturday it is reopening enlistments for the Navy construction battalions popularly known as "Seabees" to men between the ages of 17 and 50.

There was no announcement of the number being sought but it has been reported that at least several thousand will be recruited.

Curtailed of Seabee recruiting was announced several months ago.

Garza men are asked to contact the Navy Recruiting office in Lubbock.

Churchill 70 Thursday

London—Prime Minister Winston Churchill plans to spend his 70th birthday Thursday in the "usual way" apart from a special family dinner, No. 10 Downing St.

In 1922, there were only 22 miles of railway in Alaska.

The TEXAN'S SHARE In The WAR

Texas fighting men of the famed 36th division grow furious when they hear predictions that "the war is just about over." They know better, and tell an authentic story that graphically proves their point.

When the "Texas Division" went in at Salerno, the men were told that little opposition was expected and that they would be able to conquer all Italy in less than three months.

But at Salerno beach they were met by a withering fire of rifles, machine guns, mortars and artillery, and many Texas boys made the supreme sacrifice. The predictions of a quick victory just made the whole thing more pitiful.

Incidentally, that prediction that Italy could be conquered in three months was made exactly 14 months ago, and Americans still are dying there. So the men of the 36th get fighting mad when they hear predictions that "the war is just about over."

When Capt. Faraon J. Moss, public relations officer of McCloskey General Hospital, spoke before the Austin Lions club recently as guest of State War Chest Manager Wayland D. Tower, he took with him two Texas heroes of the 36th, Corp. Richard Reno and M-Sgt. Bill Wasko.

Reno and Wasko were more than frank in letting the Lions know what wounded service men think of those who encourage "let down" rumors on the home front. They don't like civilians who sell their bonds, either!

"Home was never like this!" That is probably what Willie Muzny of Galveston is thinking these days, as he lives in a sand-bagged foxhole in France. The army recently released a photograph showing Willie's battle-front home, with the Texan in the "doorway."

Kenneth Bennett of Pampa, who has seen much fighting in France, took time out to write a new military march, "Here Comes the Nineteenth!" Wick Fowler, Dallas News war correspondent, liked it, sent it back, and soon it will be published and played on radio programs.

When Lt. Dan Gilmore's Flying Fortress exploded during a mission over Europe, the Luling bombardier experienced one of the war's most unusual escapes from death. He had just picked up his parachute when the blast came, and was hurled from the plane with the 'cute in his hands. He fell 10,000 feet before he was able to slip into the harness and pull the rip-cord, but he finally landed safely only three miles from the German lines.

Another Texan who marked up a new sort of record was Pvt. Dan Castro of New Braunfels. Dan was advancing near Chateau Salin, France, when his rifle jammed at a crucial moment, with Nazis dead ahead. He grabbed a grenade and hurled it. Just as the grenade left his hand, a German 88 shell exploded, the blast hurling Castro into the air and wounding three of his comrades.

When Castro came down, he landed on a German "S" mine, which bounced him up into the air again.

Despite all this, and despite many wounds, he refused aid of litterbearers and insisted upon helping other wounded men.

WANT-ADS

CLASSIFIED RATES
First insertion, 2c per word; subsequent insertions, 1c per word. No ad taken for less than 25c, cash is advanced.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms and apartments, private baths and garages, reasonable prices—phone 521. Colonial Apartments.

ROOMS FOR RENT—One furnished and one unfurnished room. See Mrs. R. Hardin. 11

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—F-30 Farmall, good shape, good rubber, 2 row equipment. J. A. Willingham, 5 1-2 mi. southwest of Southland. 4tp

FOR SALE—Bundle Hegari and Kaffir Corn for sale. One mile west of Grassland. J. G. MATHIS. 4tp

FOR SALE—Six room house, modern conveniences with double garage apartment. Located in Post, near both schools. Priced to sell. C. V. O'Keefe, Glard, Texas. c

FOR SALE—7 room house in West Post. See R. A. Lancaster. 1tp

FOR SALE—Kitchen cabinet. See Mrs. Charles Louis Pickett or call 731. 1tp

MISCELLANEOUS

Family Burial Insurance—Average Family of Five Insured For 85c Per Month. Old Line Legal Reserve Insurance. MASON & CO.

WANTED—To exchange Food locker at Lamesa for one in Post. If interested see R. H. Ranson, school superintendent. c

WANTED—Yard man. See Mrs. John Herd. 1f

POULTRY RAISERS

For more eggs feed "QUICK RID" Poultry Tonic. It repels all blood sucking parasites. It is a good wormer and one of the best conditioners on the market. Sold everywhere on a money back guarantee. 8tp

WANTED TO BUY—22 Automatic Rifle. See W. Wells, Rt. 3, Post, Texas. 2tp

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NOTICE—I have a few white Testaments and Bibles that I will sell at a reduction. They will make ideal Christmas gifts. See Ford Shropshire or phone 116W. 1tp

All of which proves that Texans really are tough.
(Berlin papers please copy.)

Ranch Way Pink Eye Powder
Soothes pink eye sores. Easy to apply. Quick to act. Bottle which will for \$1.00 treats 30 to 40 cases.

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Showing at the --- Week of Dec. 1 - 7

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Friday - Saturday Dec. 1 - 2
Johnny Mack Olsen and Brown Johnson
"LAW MEN" "Ghost Catchers"
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DANGER AND DELIGHT... romance and intrigue amid the jeweled splendor of fabulous Bagdad!
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TUESDAY -- One Day Only -- Dec. 5
TAMARA TOUMANOVA - GREGORY PECK
"DAYS OF GLORY"
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You'll Shake With Laughter...
... when a spunky little girl and a handsome Yankee Ranger give a timid ghost the fitters!
Margaret O'Brien - Charles Laughton
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THURSDAY NITE -- December 7th
— 8:00 P. M. —

Bond Premiere
(ADMISSION BY BOND TICKET ONLY!)
Joan FONTAINE Arturo deCORDOVA
"FRENCHMAN'S CREEK"
... In Technicolor

REMEMBER
When Buying Your Bond Ask For Your Ticket
... No tickets sold for this performance!

Plan to Attend The...
"G. I. Jamboree!"
PLACE — Main Street — POST
TIME — 1:30 P. M. Saturday, Dec. 2nd



They Carried Guns We Buy War Bonds

That little band of Pilgrims fought with guns on this very soil to found freedom. Today our soldiers fight to preserve it—but not on our soil!

WE ARE ASKED ONLY TO BUY BONDS... WONT YOU?

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America Gives Thanks

We're Glad We Are Americans

In America we are giving thanks this **THANKSGIVING** for all the precious relationships and possessions that we have.

Let us strive on the home front to unite with more determination to defend our country from foes who would destroy it by concentrating our efforts toward a better understanding of our fellowman and his problems and by doubling our efforts toward buying more bonds... in doing this we can aid our glorious fighting forces in all parts of the world.

America is indeed thankful and grateful for our Men in Service. It is our sincere prayer that from their trials and hardships a greater America will evolve.

(Store Will Be Closed All Day Thursday, November 30th)

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