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"Without offense to friends of Cross Plains exactly as it goes."

## SATURDAY'S BOND RALLY BIG SUCCESS

OVERALL SALES ROSE TO \$97,750; SERIES E SALES WERE \$84,250

(Ed's Note—This paper had been informed that the overall quota for Cross Plains was \$71,000 and had therefore passed it on to you at that figure. But we have since been told that this was not all maturity value. The Series E quota was \$49,000 issue value, and which would amount to about \$61,000 maturity value. The difference between the overall, \$71,000, and Series E, \$49,000, came to about \$22,000 which was Series F and G and that amount added to the Series E maturity value, made the quota stand at about \$83,000 overall.)

Cross Plains rung the bell again Saturday when the Seventh War Loan bond quota of \$85,000, maturity value, was topped and oversubscribed, with total sales amounting to \$97,750, maturity value.

The rally got off to an inspiring start with the blowing of the siren, as a signal to gather, followed by a number of fast-stepping musical airs by the Camp Bowie Military band.

The rally was opened with Rev. D. E. Simpson leading in prayer, after which the local chairman, F. V. Tunnell, presented the county bond chairman, B. H. Freedland, Mr. Freedland in turn presented Major David J. Evans, of Camp Bowie and formerly of Camp Barkeley, who has conducted several rallies here.

Major Evans had charge of all bond sales, and being the live wire that he is, carried on the rally in splendid style, while citizens of this area purchased bonds in denominations from \$10,000 down to the \$25 size.

After the rally the Major, members of the band and others helping with the rally, were honored with a supper at the Baptist Church.

Cross Plains has never been known to fall down on any worthwhile effort toward the speeding of victory and the making of a lasting peace.

Callahan county and Cross Plains boys may rest assured that the folks here at home are backing them one hundred percent, every day and in every way.

We are grateful to Major Evans and the Camp Bowie band for their great assistance in helping put this Seventh War Loan rally over the top.

Marvin Hunter, editor of the Bald Star, and his father, Marvin Hunter, Sr., of South Texas, who is visiting here, were visitors in Cross Plains last Saturday afternoon.



### Home On Furlough

Cpl. Merlin Franke of Hunter Field, Ga., is spending a 20 day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Franke, who live south of town.

### Posthumous Award Of Afton C. Adams Received By Wife

The Purple Heart, posthumously awarded Pvt. Afton C. Adams, has been received by his wife, Mrs. Mary Adams, here. A certificate explaining the awarding preceded the medal by several days.

The certificate, in part, stated that Pvt. Afton C. Adams was being awarded the Purple Heart for wounds received in action in Italy which resulted in his death May 23, 1944.

Word was received by Mrs. Adams on July 4, 1944, from the War Department stating that he was missing in action, and official confirmation of his death was received here April 17, 1945.

Chase, as he was known here, was an employee of the Review for a number of years before enlisting in the Army in March, 1943. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Adams, long-time residents of this city.

### List of Grand Jurors For June Term of District Court Given

The list of persons selected by the Jury Commissioners of the District Court of Callahan County, Texas, at the February Term, 1945, to serve as Grand Jurors at the June Term, 1945, of the said District Court, appear below:

- J. H. Hall, Cross Plains; Archie Nichols, Baird; T. O. Dulaney, Clyde; W. L. Bowlin, Baird; A. E. Dyer, Baird; R. P. Morrisett, Lumban; Hugh McDermott, Cross Plains; J. W. Caldwell, Rte. 2; Clyde R. F. Joy, Cottonwood; Earl Smith, Cross Plains; W. O. Strickland, Putnam; V. L. Lowry, Putnam; S. S. Nichols, Enla; E. P. Foster, Atwell; Chas. D. Starley, Opalin; Ray Wilbank, Hart.

### SGT. THEODORE H. RAY STATIONED AT LUBBOCK

LUBBOCK ARMY AIR FIELD, Lubbock, Tex.—Sgt. Theodore H. Ray, son of Mrs. Myrtle Bibb of Cross Plains, is now stationed at this big AAF instructors school for instrument pilots.

Sergeant Ray went overseas in September 1942, and returned in March 1945. He was in supply with the 5th Air Force, and prior to that had served with the Eighth Army in Egypt, Africa and Italy; and the 14th Air Force in China.

He has been assigned to duties at Tech Supply at IAAF.

### Have Sunday Guests

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Watson had as their guests Sunday Mrs. G. W. Pierce and daughter of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Watson and daughter of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Watson and daughter of Baird, and Mr. and Mrs. George Watson of this city.

### E. L. Laminack Dies Tuesday; Final Rites Held Wednesday

Final rites for E. L. Laminack, 74, were held Wednesday afternoon, May 30, at 4:30 o'clock, at the Sabanno Presbyterian Church.

Mr. Laminack succumbed at his home in Nimrod, Tuesday, May 29. He was born in South Carolina on May 17, 1871, and moved to Texas in 1906. He united with the Presbyterian Church early in life and had been a devoted Christian until death.

Interment was made in the Sabanno cemetery.

Survivors include his wife, one daughter, Mrs. Alice Johnson of Abilene, two sons, Moody of Cisco, and Walter of Nimrod, one sister and two brothers, and eight grand children.



### Eligibility For Pacific Combat Is Explained

PARIS—American combat veterans in the European theater of operations who also fought "in actual combat" in Sicily, Corsica, Sardinia or Italy, will not be sent to the Pacific unless they volunteer, Supreme Allied Headquarters has announced.

The rule applies only to enlisted men. Earlier Gen. Eisenhower announced that troops who fought in both Africa and Europe would not be sent to the Pacific.

Supreme Headquarters also announced that reinforcements in depots located in areas for which battle participation credit is given are eligible into Bronze Stars and five-point credits on adjusted service rating scores.

### SGT. LEONARD PILLANS AWARDED AIR MEDAL RECENTLY IN ENGLAND

AN EIGHTH AIR FORCE BOMBER STATION, England—Staff Sergeant Leonard P. Pillans, 34, of Cisco, Tex., Route 4, has been awarded the Air Medal for "meritorious achievement" while taking part in the recent Eighth Air Force bombing attacks on Nazi airfields and railroad marshalling yards in coordination with the tank and infantry thrusts at the heart of the crumbling Third Reich.

The airman displayed "courage, coolness and skill" while serving as a left waist gunner with the 490th Bomb. Group, a B-17 Flying Fortress unit of the Eighth Air Force.

Sergeant Pillans is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Pillans of Rte. 4, Cisco.

### VISITING HERE

Mrs. J. I. Lawrence and granddaughter, Yvonne Melton of Baird, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Buckingham and children of Ganesville are visiting their mother and grandmother, Mrs. J. P. Henderson, who is very ill.

### Final Rites For Mrs. H. C. Garrett Held Here Saturday

Funeral services for Mrs. H. C. Garrett were held Saturday morning, May 25, at 10 o'clock from the Jayton Methodist church with the pastor there officiating.

Mrs. Garrett died at her home in Jayton May 24, following an illness caused by falling and breaking her hip three months ago.

She was born in Couchatou Point Barge, Red River county, Louisiana, December 24, 1850, moving to Texas at the age of 21. She had resided in Cross Plains for 25 years prior to moving to Jayton, Tex., 13 years ago. She was at the time of her death 94 years and 5 months of age.

On January 4, 1872, she was married to H. C. Garrett in Bell county, who preceded her in death by twenty years, passing away December 24, 1924. Mrs. Garrett united with the Methodist Church at the age of nine years.

She is survived by five daughters, Mrs. J. M. Riley of Lamesa, Mrs. P. W. Lane of Jayton, Mrs. J. P. Baum of California, Mrs. H. H. McDermitt and Mrs. John Alken of Cross Plains; three sons, D. L. Garrett of California, W. J. Garrett of Jayton, and R. B. Garrett of Lamesa; and a number of grand children, great grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren.

Out of town relatives attending the services were C. V. Alken, Mrs. Billy Ruth Brock and Mr. and Mrs. Hulian Barr, all of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Richardson of Ft. Stockton, and Clyde Bingham of Spur.

The body was brought from Jayton to Cross Plains by ambulance, and interment was made in the local cemetery with Rev. D. L. Barnes having charge.

### Rev. D. E. Simpson Resigns Pastorate Moves To Llano

Rev. and Mrs. D. E. Simpson and children left Tuesday, May 29, for Llano where Reverend Simpson has accepted the pastorate of the Baptist church. He offered his resignation here on Sunday, May 20, to become effective May 27.

Reverend Simpson and family had been here only about 10 months, moving from Austin in July, 1944. Members of the Baptist church and friends of the family regret their leaving, but wish for them the best of everything in their new home and church life.

### JIMMIE KATE HOWELL UNDERGOES OPERATION IN FT WORTH HOSPITAL

Miss Jimmie Kate Howell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Howell of this city, is reported to be convalescing normally after undergoing a major operation in Harris Memorial Hospital, Fort Worth, on Saturday, May 28.

Friends wish for her a speedy recovery, and hope that she will soon be able to return home.

### Attend Picnic at Sidney

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cox and daughter attended a picnic at Sidney Sunday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Cox, honoring their son Loyell Dean, of the Navy, and nephew, Travis Ferrell, of the merchant marine.

The picnic supper was served to some 30 guests. Both boys, nephews of Mr. Cox, are on leaves while their ships are being repaired.

### Leases Cafe

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Kirk of Sar Angelo recently leased the cafe here known as Mc's Cafe, owned by Mrs. Della McAllister.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirk assumed management of the business Monday morning, May 28.

Mrs. Joe White and children of Odessa are visiting her mother, Mrs. D. T. Little this week.

### "A" Card Holders to Receive 50 Percent More Gas, June 22nd

According to an announcement from the County War Price and Rationing Board, A-16 gasoline coupon value will increase from four to six gallons effective the 22nd day of June. "B" card ceiling, which becomes effective the 11th of June, will go from 475 to 650 miles.

The Board will continue handling new applications and renewals for "B" card holders and those processed until June 11th will be for the full renewal period on present regulations basis. Applicants where eligible for increase in "B" ceiling should not apply to local boards before June 11. Existing oversubscription of gasoline rations makes it imperative that present regulations be strictly adhered to.



T-Sgt. M. W. Huntington

### Local Marine Fights In Iwo Jima Battle; Now Resting Up

By T-Sgt. Nelle T. Roberts, Marine Combat Correspondent

SOMEWHERE IN THE PACIFIC (Delayed)—Marine Technical Sergeant Morris Wayne Huntington of Cross Plains, Tex., is in a rest and rehabilitation camp here after participating in the bitter battle for Iwo Jima. He has spent four of his five years with the Marines on duty in the Pacific.

"The Pacific seems to be in my blood," he declares. "If it's not, it will be by the time I get back!"

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph C. Huntington of Cross Plains, Sergeant Huntington is enlisted chief of a headquarters unit of the Fifth Amphibious Corps. His unit participated in the campaigns for the Gilbert, Marshall and Marianas Islands prior to the Iwo Jima battle.

Sergeant Huntington entered the Marines in 1940 after graduation from the Cross Plains high school where he was a member of the school band, played basketball and tennis, and was active in dramatics. His wife, the former Miss Josephine Anse Maricovich, lives at Route 2, Delano, Calif.

### SEVEN MEN REPORT TO FT. SAM HOUSTON FOR ARMY INDUCTION

Seven men from this county left Monday, May 28, for Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, to be received into the army. They are as follows: Tom McNeel, Jr., Glynn White, Tommie and Johnnie Lee, Truett Holly and Elmer Raugh.

### LEO VARNERS LEAVE FOR CALIFORNIA

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Varners and family of Ballinger, were in Cross Plains the past week visiting with relatives and friends. Mr. Varners was a teacher in the Ballinger public schools the past term.

They left this week for San Diego, Calif., to visit with her parents, after which they will go to Los Angeles where Mr. Varners will attend U.C.L.A. for two months, working on his masters degree.

### Returns To Ship

Robert C. Baker Sic, son of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Baker of Burkett, left Tuesday for Los Angeles, Calif., after having spent a 30 day leave here with his parents and friends. Bob, as he is better known here, had completed 15 months service in the Pacific prior to his recent leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stephens and son of Abilene were week end visitors here with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Stephens, while enroute to Austin.

### Bronze Service Star Awarded To Sgt. Raymond Hounshell

A NINTH AIR FORCE SERVICE COMMAND UNIT, Germany—For the participation in the Normandy campaign Sergeant Raymond Hounshell and members of his ninth air force service command unit add a Bronze Service Star to their already numerous commendations and awards.

The qualifications of Sergeant Hounshell and his unit were firmly established by their arrival on the Normandy beachhead in early July 1944. They carried on their duties under enemy air activity in this zone until the latter part of that year at which time they moved further into the continent.

Sergeant Hounshell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Hounshell, Rte. 2, Cross Plains. His wife, Mrs. Helen Hounshell, lives in Denver, Colo. He entered the service in November, 1941, and has served 15 months overseas.

The Ninth air force service command, with which he serves as a quartermaster repair and laundry technician, is responsible for the supply, repair and maintenance of the powerful Ninth Air Force which so effectively coordinated with allied ground troops in their conquest of the enemy.

### PIONEER BOY WHO USED A JEEP TO ROUND UP GERMANS, IS AT HOME

Rising Star Record

T-5 Lloyd Freeman, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Freeman of Pioneer, is enjoying a 45-day furlough with home folks after spending a little more than two years with the 36th Division fighting the Germans in Italy, France and Germany.

Lloyd was with the 36th in the landing in the southern part of France, and had the distinction of being mentioned in a story by one of the war correspondents, as rounding up a bunch of German prisoners on D-Day and driving them to the cage in front of his jeep. Asked about it while here, Lloyd said, "Aw, that was nothing, those Jerries were members of a labor battalion and mostly unarmed and were plenty glad to be captured."

While here it was noted that he was wearing the Purple Heart and four stars for participation in that many major actions. Asked if he had enough points to be discharged he said he believed he had and after a little checking, accounted for more than 120 that he would be entitled to.

### NEPHEW OF LOCAL LADY LIBERATED FROM PRISON CAMP IN GERMANY

Mrs. Pat McNeel received word last week that her nephew, E. W. (Dub) Dennis, Jr., had been liberated from a German prison camp. He was taken prisoner in April, 1944. His parents live at Iran, Tex.

### CHARLES TOLLESONS VACATIONING HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tolleson of Los Angeles, Calif., arrived here the latter part of last week to spend their vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wright of Cross Plains, and other relatives in Cross Plains.

Mr. Tolleson has been employed by the Government for the last fifteen years, and this is the first time they have been home during that time.

### SGT. JOHN CAMPBELL RECEIVES INJURIES

According to word received by John Campbell of Burkett, his son, T-Sgt. John C. Campbell, who is convalescing at an AAF hospital at Spokane, Wash., is suffering from injuries sustained in a motorcycle accident. He recently returned from overseas after serving nine months as a gunner on a B-17 Flying Fortress with the 8th air force.

### Parents of Baby Girl

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Johnson of Midland, formerly of this city, announce the birth of a baby daughter, born Friday, May 25, in a Midland hospital. The young lady weighed 8 pounds and 5 ounces, and has been named Peggy Joyce.

Mrs. Johnson is the former Peggy Jo Freeman, daughter of H. C. Freeman, Jr.

Pvt. A. G. Merryman of Camp Hood visited his wife and children here last week end.

### VIEWING... PROMOTING

long-awaited grocery fixings that Tom Cox has been talking about have finally arrived and are installed in the most convenient places in his store, thereby making it easier to find items needed with less trouble. The arrangement of his stock is in wonderful looking from our side of the aisle.

It has been rumored that M. E. Howell would not sell his feed, seeing as how the feed in which he has been keeping is now out of his hands, says that he will continue to sell in the future as he has in the past. The feed will be kept in the same building his grocery is in. It says in his ad, will be found on another page of this paper, that he has feed of it.

### Ramey and Maurice Neitzey Wed in Marriage

Mrs. J. R. Ramey of Wood announced the marriage of her daughter, Ruth, to Pvt. Maurice Neitzey, Jr., on May 18, 5 p. m. with Rev. Paul B. reading the single ring ceremony at the First Baptist Church here, Tex. Mrs. Jack Welch, of the bride, and Pvt. Lewis Miller of Porta Rico were the attendants.

The bride wore a white suit with accessories and a red rose-arrangement.

Mrs. Neitzey is a 1944 graduate of Cross Plains high school, and finished one semester at Simmons University in Abilene. She was later employed in the State Bank at Abilene.

Mrs. Neitzey is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Neitzey, Sr., of Abilene, D. C., and a graduate of the Fork Union Military Institute at Fort Union, Va. He is stationed at the Amarillo Air Base, Amarillo, Tex.

### EDITOR CLEM

By Ralph Kemp

Jim Newton of Cross City when to Kings Daughter Hos Temple, Thursday, May 21, she will receive treatment.

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Cpl. Merlin Franke

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**WALKER RICHARDSON HAS UNDULANT FEVER**

Walker Richardson of Coleman, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Sims of this city, has been seriously ill for the past week suffering from undulant fever. Mr. Sims visited him Sunday and reports that he is recovering slowly.

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**Homemaking Girls Continue Course In Summer Months**

Thirty-two girls who were enrolled in the Homemaking department of the local high school during the regular term of school will continue their work this summer. For a girl to be eligible for the summer course she must have spent at least one full year in the homemaking department during a regular school year. These girls will have at least one project to complete, and if satisfactorily done will receive one-half credit. This does not take the place of any regular course in Homemaking, but is an additional credit and can take the place of any elective course.

"We in the Homemaking field," says Mrs. Galloway, local instructor, "realize the problems a girl will face as an adult in business, as

a wife or mother, as the case may be, and we are anxious to prepare her to take on these responsibilities so that she may successfully fill her place in a community and be a credit to her family." Practice at home is one of the best methods for her development.

Some of the projects chosen by the girls, as worthwhile learning experiences and at the same time something that will be of help to their families, are: Re-styling of garments, continuation of poultry and garden projects carried during school, preservation of food consisting of freezing, drying, and canning; planning, buying, preparing and serving meals; and yard improvements.

Mrs. E. E. Thate of Abilene spent part of last week here with her father, Mr. Hugh Edington, who has been ill.

**FOLKS** By R. M. Brinkerhoff



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**Department Of Agriculture To Aid In Determining Guaranty Of Farm Loans Returning Vets Under G. I. Bill of Rights**

Brig. Gen. Frank T. Hines, Administrator of Veteran's Affairs, recently announced that under authority given him in the Servicemen's Readjustment Act of 1944, he has designated the Department of Agriculture as cooperating agency to aid in determining whether guaranty of farm loans should be approved for veterans.

Regulations governing the guaranty of farm loans were issued by General Hines and Charles F. Brannon, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, at a press conference recently, according to Nathan A. Waldrop, FSA Supervisor for this county.

Issuance of the regulations followed extensive consultations by the Veterans Administration with the Department of Agriculture and with national organizations representing interested groups, such as farmers, bankers and insurance companies. The guaranty of loans by the Administrator of Veterans Affairs will be the result of close cooperation between the Veterans Administration and the Department of Agriculture, with the facilities of the department largely employed in implementing this part of the loan features of the "G. I. Bill of Rights."

Where a veteran is not familiar with farming conditions, or available land in the community he wishes to settle in, his first contact will be with the Veterans' advisory committee, which will function in conjunction with the county agent's office. These advisory committees, which will give free advice to interested veterans, will consist of successful farmers and business men who are thoroughly familiar with local conditions. These committees will help veterans to select farms that can be purchased at prices that permit profitable operation and will give the veteran every chance of repaying the loan.

This committee will operate primarily to protect the veteran from unwise investment that might result in saddling him with debt for a number of years, because of changed conditions while he was away from home and to assure that he has a reasonable chance of success if he makes a loan.

**V-E Day Statement By Judge Marvin Jones War Food Administrator**

American farmers will not stop work to celebrate our victory in Europe. They are devoutly thankful that one phase of the war is over, but they know that the needs for food are as great as they ever were. They also know that their war job must go on day and night until victory is won. All of us would do well to follow their example.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bryan and daughter of Hot Springs, N. M., are visiting Mrs. W. L. Bryan this week.

Patronize Local Merchants



Texas at home, proud of part their fighting men, are celebrating the defeat of Germany and taking V-E Day in their stride. They took no time for celebrating the bitter months of the year ahead before Japan is to be taken care of. They paused only for a prayerful hitch a hike, then they resumed the task of their fighting sons and daughters. Everywhere they realize any slow-up in work, in clearing in bond-buying, in other more e-Texas and other lives lost.

Texas of the famed division set new records in the last week when they spearheaded the final allied drive against fanatical Germans caught in stand pockets. They added hundreds more to the list of heroes taken by the division, and their battle achievements by capturing German General Rundstedt, the former commander of Hitler's western front.

The high-ranking Nazi planned the surprise attack on the bulge last December, told his story that he was retired, and the story was borne out by the fact that he was in civilian clothes taken.

If all the Germans forced "retirement" by the 30th were laid end to end, it would probably be good for the World. The line would be long enough to reach around Hitler's nose, but now beaten humiliated.

A Texan also helped capture infamous Dachau prison, where Nazis held more than 22,000 women and children in conditions too horrible to describe.

When men of the 42nd and 88th Divisions rolled up to the infiltration camp on tanks, machine rifles and every other sort of vehicle that would carry the load, Col. Walter Fellous of the 42nd was in the front of the line, and his fellow Americans took over the horror camp, freed its herds of pitiful captives.

And back home in Texas, a law was issued against any person at the end of the European war. Judge Ben H. Powell, president of the United War Chest of the county, reminded Texans that the end of the war . . . that against . . . still must be won before men can come home to their laurels.

"Our boys will be thanked the Pacific as soon as possible," said, "and must keep on fighting until the Japs are completely crushed. They will strike hard and fast, and hard and fast attack necessary to end to the war—and fewer American casualties.

"It is our job here at home to strike hard, too, in our own way to support our fighting men. Our war chest is now laying out its annual drive for funds, which to support the USO, Prisoners Aid, and the agencies of the National War Reliefs, which serve our fighting men, allies, and war victims throughout the world.

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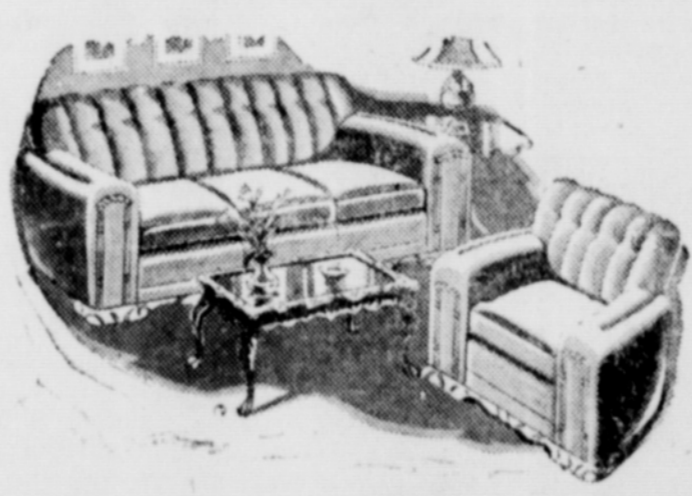
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Texans at home, proud to part their fighting men from the defeat of Germany and to take V-E Day in their stride, realizing the bitter months of war lie ahead before Japan is brought to her knees, they took no time for celebrations. They paused only for a prayerful hitch a hike, then they resumed the task of bringing their fighting sons and daughters home. Everywhere they realized that the boys may slow-up in work, in caring for their families, in bond-buying and in other ways, more of Texas and other states' lives lost.

Texans of the famed 36th Division set new records in the last week when they spearheaded the final Allied drive against fanatical Germans caught in stand pockets. They added hundreds more to the list of heroes taken by the division, and they captured German General Kuntstedt, the former commander of Hitler's western front.

The high-ranking Nazi, who planned the surprise attack on the West, told his captors that he was retired, and that he was in civilian clothes when taken.

If all the Germans forced into "retirement" by the 36th Division were laid end to end, it would probably be good for the World. The line would be long enough to reach around Hitler's own neck, but now beaten humbly.

A Texan also helped capture an infamous Dachau prison, where Nazis held more than 32,000 women and children in conditions too horrible to describe. When men of the 42nd and 43rd Divisions rolled up to the concentration camp on tanks, machine rifles and every other sort of weapon, they would carry the bodies of the prisoners to the front of the line. Walter Follenp of San Antonio and his fellow Americans took over the horror camp and freed its herds of pitiful prisoners.

And back home in Texas, a law was issued against any person at the end of the European war. Judge Ben H. Powell, presiding over the United War Chest at San Antonio, reminded Texans that the end of the war . . . that against the Axis . . . still must be won before men can come home to receive their laurels.

"Our boys will be thanked for the Pacific as soon as possible," said, "and must keep on fighting until the Japs are conquered. We will strike hard and fast, and hard and fast attack means an early end to the war—and fewer American casualties."

"It is our job here at home to support our fighting men. Our war chest is now laying out its annual drive for funds to support the USO, Prisoners Aid, and the Red Cross, which serve our fighting men, our allies, and war victims throughout the world."

"As the fighting men do their job abroad, so must we do our job at home!"

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These children are making their plans NOW!

You can see by the expression on their faces and the material in their hands that these youngsters are preparing for greater achievements in the future.



# Are You

Preparing your business for greater prosperity in the future, too?

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Miss Earline Sillex is here visiting with her aunt, Miss Alice Bryson.

Mr. and Mrs. Tilt Weaver of Pycote are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Burchfield.

Mrs. A. D. Calhoun and Omie Smith were Abilene visitors Thursday.

FOR SALE: Guitar in good condition, has been used two months. Price \$15.—Mrs. Effie Wilkins. (1p)

PAPER CLIPS, Staples, Gum paper, Index cards and many other useful items.—Review.

Mrs. Garland Lilly and children of Camp Hood are spending this week with Mrs. Lala Havener.

Patsy McNeil, who has been attending school at Denton, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Craig McNeil.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Weaver and child of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Burchfield Wednesday.

Thomas Edmondson of New York spent Monday and Tuesday here with his brother, O. B. Edmondson, and wife.

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Coleman, Texas

# West Texas Chamber of Commerce Has Been Very Active in Securing ICC Freight Rate Reduction For Texas and the Southwest Area

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce, pioneer and a leader in a six-year war to bring equality in freight rates to Texas and southwestern territory, is not resting on oars or laurels. While pleased over the May 15th history-making order by the Interstate Commerce Commission to the nation's rail carriers to institute uniform freight classifications and work out inter-territorial rate scales knocking out all discriminations and bringing parity to all sections, the regional chamber warns that the fight has just begun, calls for continued cooperation of all affiliated and allied agencies, and announces it is launching the following 3-point program:

1. To help organize and actively participate in hearings working out the Commission's order on sections.
2. To investigate further proceedings on a system of uniform classifications.
3. To explore the entire field of commodity rates in order to win equality with their sections on like commodities moving in volume.

"We therefore have just begun to fight, and this is to ask for the continued cooperation and support of our affiliates," said the WTCC and its affiliated Freight Rate Equality Federation in a May 26th letter to the chamber's 176 directors, the 136 organizations linked into the FREP, and to all chambers of commerce in West Texas. Signers were Presidents E. W. Hardin and J. M. Wilson of WTCC and

At present, Texas class rates—those covering mainly manufactured articles moving in less-than-carload volume—average 60 percent higher than in the East. The ICC reduces freight by 10 percent in Texas, south, southwestern and other territories east of the Rockies while raising Eastern levels by a like 10 percent, both effective beginning August 30. This works out, say Bamden and Byars, to reduction of the present 60 percent disparity to around 34 percent. The order goes further, however, in ordering that the entire difference must be removed as soon as tariffs can be worked out and submitted to the Commission accomplishing this result.

The WTCC-FREP letter to affiliates said "We want to again assure all that it is not our intention and purpose to hurt the railroads and deprive them of needed revenues. To the contrary we honestly feel that rate uniformity will be tremendously helpful to railroads. In addition there can be no doubt that freight rates equality will add tremendously to the spendable income of our producers and consumers, and will greatly enhance the industrial possibilities of our territory."

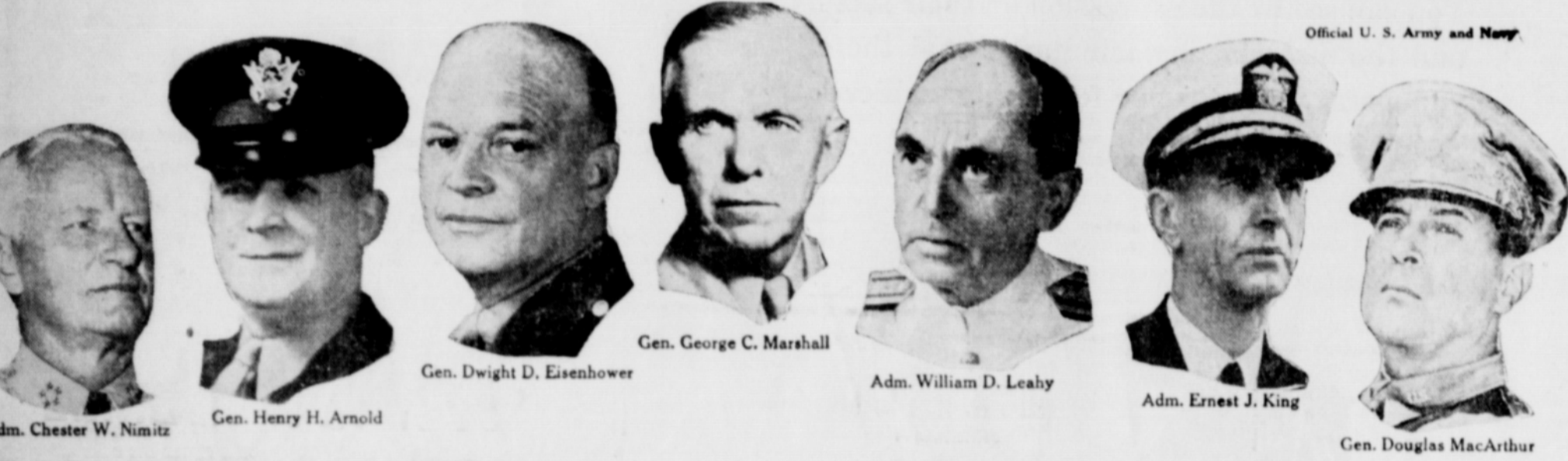
### Discriminations Partly Off

Bamden and Ed. P. Byars, of Ft. Worth, who has represented the two organizations as rate counselor since inception of the parity campaign, are at work on a point-by-point analysis of the ICC's 254-page decision. Their conclusion is that it gives Texas complete parity with other sections in freight classification but only part parity in class rates, overcoming around 20 percent of the 60 percent differential that has existed against Texas and in favor of northern and eastern states for nearly 60 years. However, they believe the ruling opens the door for complete rate parity.

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Cross Plains Has Oversubscribed the Quota Assigned In The SEVENTH WAR LOAN — This Quota Was Met In The Same Manner In Which All Quotas Given Her For The War Effort Have Been Fulfilled. Cross Plains Has A Record Any Town Would Be Proud To Have, and Should Receive The Highest of Praise. BUT This Is No Time To Let Up. Let's All Put Forth Even Greater Efforts To Successfully Whip The Japs!



Adm. Chester W. Nimitz, Gen. Henry H. Arnold, Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, Gen. George C. Marshall, Adm. William D. Leahy, Adm. Ernest J. King, Gen. Douglas MacArthur

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YOU ARE being asked to lend more money than ever before—in the 7th War Loan.

These men can tell you why.

They can tell you of a whole new air force in the building—huge new bombers and fast new jet-propelled planes coming off the lines by thousands.

They could show you why it is cheaper and quicker to give our Pacific Forces entirely new equipment sometimes—instead of shipping tanks and guns from Europe.

They can, in short show you 101 ways in which your dollars are needed more than ever to bring America's might to its full strength—so that we may crush our foe the faster, make an end of killing, and bring our men back home.



## Will you tell these men "I can't afford to buy my share"?

THE GENERALS and admirals can show us why our money is needed—more money than before.

But other men can show us something, too.

They're the men with twisted, crippled limbs... with clever iron hooks instead of hands. The blind men... the men with scarred, seamed faces. And perhaps worst of all, the men with blasted, darkened minds.

They can show us, clearly, how small is any sacrifice we make in lending money.

If you have an income, whether from work, land, or capital, you have a quota in the 7th War Loan. Find out what that quota is—and make it!

FIND YOUR QUOTA . . . AND MAKE IT!		
IF YOUR AVERAGE INCOME PER MONTH IS:	YOUR PERSONAL QUOTA IS: (CASH VALUE)	MATURITY VALUE OF 7TH WAR LOAN BONDS BOUGHT
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210-225	131.25	175
200-210	112.50	150
180-200	93.75	125
160-180	75.00	100
100-160	37.50	50
Under \$100	18.75	25



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normal over a period of several days. Fever may be absent for some days and come back again in the same way as before registering higher each day and then gradually going lower. The patient's temperature chart will resemble smooth waves or undulations. The appearance of the temperature curve in typical cases has given this disease the name undulant fever.

Undulant fever is one of the infectious diseases known to be transmitted from animals to human beings. In dogs and cows the germ produces great economic loss because it causes contagious abortion. When this same germ invades the human body, the resulting disease is undulant fever. Prevention is dependent upon (1) eradication of the disease in farm animals, (2) careful pasteurization of dairy products, and (3) avoidance, in so far as possible, of direct contact with infected animals.

YOU, TOO, ARE ON DISPLAY . . .

Though you may not have as many suits to wear the man in the window . . . you are just as much the public eye.

Your clothes reflect you in your business contacts, as well as in social contacts. Are your clothes selected from wear and that dingy, unclean look by frequent cleaning?

You'll like our modern methods, pleasant service, all around "know how" experience.

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FOR SALE: Farmall 20 tractor, fully equipped with extra bedding attachment. New paint job, good condition. J. A. Bamden, near underpass between Coleman and Santa Anna. (1p-7)

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FOR SALE: 4 room house.—See Mrs. Marion Harvey. (1p-7)

FOR SALE: good sound, bay color, work horse, about 7 years old.—A. Strackelbein, Hte. 2. city. (2p)

WANTED: will pay \$20 per week and room and board to dependable housekeeper and help care for twin babies.—Mrs. Sue Benson, Kermit, Tex. (1p)

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS. To all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of the Estate of O. T. Laws, Deceased, No. 1329, Mrs. Daisy Laws, Administratrix thereof, has filed in the County Court of Callahan County, Texas, on the 25th day of May A. D. 1945, her Final Account of the condition of the Estate of said O. T. Laws, Deceased, together with an Application to be discharged from said estate which will be heard the 18th day of June A. D. 1945 at the Courtroom of said County, in the City of Baird, Texas, at which time and place all parties interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate are hereby notified to appear and contest said Account and Application of the said Mrs. Daisy Laws, Administratrix if they see proper to do so.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Baird, Texas, on the 25th day of May A. D. 1945.

LESLIE BRYANT  
Clerk County Court, Callahan County, Texas.  
By Johnie Robinson, Deputy.

REMEMBER, DAUGHTER GLADIOLA PANCAKES BREAKFAST, GLADIO DUMPLINGS FOR DINNER, AND GLADIOLA DISC FOR SUPPER. YOU'LL STILL BE IN A ON YOUR ANNIVERSARY!

### Pinup Baby Given War Bonds



THE WINNER—Little 15-month-old Marilyn Cheryl Meyer of New Jersey, official pinup girl of the USS New Jersey, was richer in War Bonds through donations by the crew of the USS New Jersey in obtaining her future education. Governor Walter E. Edge presented the child's father, an Army Air Corps pilot, his 1st war in Germany. He has never seen his little beauty ever since her mother, Mrs. Harry C. Meyer.

### SKEETS By Dow Walling



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## IN UNDLANT TO BE EXPECTED THIS SEASON

...This is the season ... increase of undulant fever ...

...undulant fever patient ... chills, sweats, and ...

...often continue for a ... weeks before recovery ...

...though you may not have as many suits to wear ...

...Your clothes reflect you in your business contacts ...

...You'll like our modern methods, pleasant service ...

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...FOR SALE: Capable, experienced ... work on stock farm, Good ...

...SALE: the Charley Baird ... Drosy.—See J. L. Ferrell, ...

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## RATION NOTES

...Prepared by the Rural Press ... Section of OWI

...REMINDEES MEATS, FATS: Red stamps Y5, Z5 ...

...PROCESSED FOODS: Blue stamps H2 ...

...CIVILIANS AT WAR The Government needs and asks ...

...More Gasoline For Civilians In June Victory in Europe has made possible ...

...BABY CHICKS THIS WEEK Texas, U. S. Approved Baby Chicks ...

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...BUILDINGS FOR SALE The trustees of Admiral School District ...

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## Cottonwood News

MRS. S. B. STRAHAN

...Arnet Bennett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Bennett, who attends ...

...Simultaneously with the furlough ending of Coxswain Albert Lovell, Mrs. Lovell was notified of the ...

...Mrs. Ross Reppess and Pat of Godlet are visiting Mrs. Reppess' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Brook.

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## Pfc. Elbert J. Nation Receives Discharge After 3 Years Service

Pfc. Elbert J. Nation has received an honorable discharge from the Army, after having been overseas since 1942.

...Private Nation went overseas in April, 1942, with the veteran 32nd, Red Arrow Division, which has been in line almost half of the total time the United States has been at war.

...Mrs. S. E. Archer, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Melvin Hargrove in Levelland has returned home.

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## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to each and everyone who so kindly assisted us through the illness and death of our beloved wife and mother.

...May God's richest blessings rest upon each and every one of you.—Mr. William Fore, Mrs. Vernon Falkner, Mrs. Albert Lovell, Mrs. J. R. Cowan, Lloyd Fore, and Floyd Fore.

...MRS. ROY LAWLESS HONORED WITH SHOWER On Thursday afternoon, May 24, Mrs. John Adair and Mrs. Henry Wilks honored Mrs. Roy Lawless with a shower in the home of Mrs. Adair.

...Receiving rooms were attractively decorated with bouquets of spring flowers. After an hour of various entertainments, guests were served chicken salad, potato chips, olives, cookies and lemonade.

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LISTEN, SON— IF YOU WANT TO ENJOY TRUE WEDDED BLISS SEE THAT A BIG SACK OF GLADIOLA FLOUR IS IN TH' KITCHEN ALL TH' TIME!

HOLD ON! DON'T START IN DOUBLE WARNERS TILL I GIVE YOU THIS SET OF GLADIOLA FLOUR RECIPES. THEY'RE TH' CORNER STONE OF HAPPINESS IN OUR HOME!

TO BRIGHTEN EVERY BAKING HOUR, JUST BAKE WITH GLADIOLA FLOUR!

HOW THERE'S A BRIDE THAT'S STARTING OUT RIGHT— IF SHE JUST FOLLOWS THAT ADVICE!

YOU BET! THOSE LIGHT, TENDER, CRUSTY BROWN GLADIOLA BISCUITS SURE DO KEEP TH' COURSE OF TRUE LOVE RUNNIN' SMOOTH!

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...RE, SKEETS. WE'LL T THIS ON ALL THE CES IN TOWN! THE PS WON'T DARE STOP US!

...DRE IS



...ED yard work: will do your work here in town. My desire please you.—J. D. Furry. (8tp)

...LESLIE BRYANT Clerk County Court, Callahan County, Texas. By Johnie Robinson, Deputy.

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- 33 BLEACH, 2 for 23c WASHO, Large Box - - 22c
- RED & WHITE FLOUR 25 POUND BAG - - \$1.12
- Red & White Soap Flakes, Lge. box - 23c TOMATOES, No. 2 Can, 2 for - 25c
- PEANUT BUTTER - 24 OUNCE JAR - - 30c
- GOOD LUCK OLEO - PER POUND - - 20c
- WAMBA COFFEE - 3 POUND JAR - - 95c
- CORN, Our Value, No. 2 Can, 2 for - 25c CHEERIOATS, Large Box, 2 for - 25c
- BOLOGNA - PER POUND - - 25c

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- Toilet Tissue, R&W, 1000 sheets, 3 for 25c LETTUCE, Large Head - 11c
  - GRASSHOPPER SYRUP - PER GALLON - 60c
  - KILL-KO FLY SPRAY - PER QUART - 40c
- Red & White Store**  
M. E. (Happy) Howell

### 15th Texas Cowboy Reunion To Be Held On July 2, 3, and 4th

STAMFORD — Final preparations have been completed by all committees for the opening of the 15th annual Texas Cowboy Reunion to be held on July 2nd, 3rd, and 4th.

Invitations have been extended to chambers of commerce, county judges, Post Masters and ranch foremen to appoint cowgirl sponsors to the Texas Cowboy Reunion.

\$2,500.00 in cash monies with many saddles, and other items as prizes for the various events has been announced by W. G. Swenson, president.

The fourth annual showing of the American Quarter Horse Association will be held during the Reunion. Roy Arledge, chairman of the Quarter Horse Show, reports that much interest is being shown with inquiries and entries already pouring in.

The "Old Timers" — The Texas Cowboy Reunion Association will hold their annual meeting on the same dates as the Reunion, announces Mr. Chas. Cosmbs, secretary of the organization.

### New Subsidy Rates and Regulations On Beef and Pork Listed

Highlights of War Mobilization Director Vinson's new meat control plan to encourage slaughter of cattle and hogs and to improve meat distribution are as follows:

- To assure cattle feeders protection against price changes, there will be no downward revision in the over-riding ceiling prices or in the maximum of the stabilization ranges for beef cattle, except bulls, without at least six months advance notice to producers.
- Effective May 19, 1945, the Commodity Credit Corporation will make a payment to the seller of 50 cents per hundred pounds on AA and A grade cattle sold for slaughter weighing 800 pounds or more, which have been owned by the seller thirty days or more.
- The Defense Supplies Corporation will increase the pork subsidy payment 40 cents per live hundred weight, retroactive to April 1, 1945. This rate will be continued in effect only until completion of a more thorough accounting study, following which the payment rate will be adjusted (not retroactively), and a provision will be included for reduction of the subsidy as hog prices decline. Effective as of April 1, 1945, the total pork subsidy will be \$1.70 per live hundredweight, as compared with the previous rate of \$1.30.
- Subsidy payments on all grades of cattle will be increased by the Defense Supplies Corporation 25 cents per live hundredweight, effective June 4, 1945. Payments are subject to the withdrawal of 4 cents of the subsidy for each 5 cent decline in the average drove costs from the maximum to the minimum of the stabilization range, with a minimum subsidy payment of 25 cents per hundredweight. The new subsidy rates are as follows:
  - Grade AA — \$3.00 per cwt.
  - Grade A — \$2.95 per cwt.
  - Grade B — \$1.90 per cwt.
  - All other grades — 1.25 per cwt.
- The above rates are applicable to both processing and non-processing slaughterers. Effective June 4, 1945, the additional subsidy for non-processing slaughterers of cattle will be 40 cents per hundredweight.
- Set-aside orders for Government purchases of meat will be adjusted by the War Food Administration so that a greater proportion of the Government requirements will be drawn from those federally inspected plants which are slaughtering more than their normal proportion of the total slaughter. In filling Governmental requirements, more meat will be taken from the plants with a heavy slaughter and loss from the plants with light slaughter.
- To make it possible to keep livestock in the hands of those operators who comply with OPA price ceiling regulations, and to eliminate black market operations, the Office of Price Administration and the War Food Administration will develop a plan by June 15 to show the movement of all livestock through public stockyards and public sales yards, so that information as to the destination of all such livestock will be available, and baby.

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You don't have to worry and fret because CONSTIPATION or GAS PRESSURE discomforts won't let you eat. Instead of feeling nervous—blue or bewildered, take a dash of

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7:45 a.m.	7:50 a.m.
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4:00 p.m.	4:05 p.m.
7:40 p.m.	7:45 p.m.

Ross Motor Coach

### Pioneer News

MRS. J. J. RAGLAND

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Duncan and daughter of Brownwood, and Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Harris were in Abilene Sunday at the bedside of their nephew, Bobby Montgomery, who is seriously ill at a hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McCord of Houston have been visiting his mother, Mrs. J. C. McCord, and sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Huckabee.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Fleming of Kermitt are visitors in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Fleming.

Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Umberson of Monahans visited last week in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. The Plumlee. Her sister, Mrs. Calvin Lackey, and son returned home with them for a few days visit.

Mrs. J. J. Ragland will gather the news during the absence of Mrs. W. E. Rodgers.

Mrs. Florence Fleming of Fort Worth and daughter-in-law, Anna Lee Fleming, visited Mrs. Henry Fleming Wednesday last week.

Rev. Rodgers and son, Buddie, made a business trip to Brownwood Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. C. W. Graves has been on the sick list most of this week.

Miss Dorothy Taylor of Lubbock was a guest of her aunt, Mrs. W. R. Gibson, Sunday afternoon.

Winnie Gibson is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Anderson, of May.

Mrs. C. W. Graves and daughter, Mrs. J. J. Ragland, spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Jim Creamer.

Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Rodgers and Buddie left Monday for a month's vacation to see all their kiddies at La Harpe, Kans., Amarillo, Tex., and Kentucky. Their daughter, Mrs. W. B. Cochran of Borger, will accompany them to Kansas and Kentucky.

### ANXIETY HEREFORD SALE TO BE HELD AT JACK FROST'S RANCH

SWEETWATER — Final organization and first formal meeting of the Anxiety Hereford Breeders Association of America will take place here June 7 on the eve of a sale and gentlemen's party at Jack Frost's White Hat Ranch near Blackwell June 8 and 9. E. Glenn Ross of Goodlett, Tex., is president and B. Pete Starnes of Sweetwater is secretary.

Frost, who is president of the Greater Pan-American Hereford Exposition and who recently completed his second term as president of the Texas Hereford Association, has invited cattlemen from all over the country to his ranch. Three hundred females will be offered, making it the largest female sale ever held by a single breeder.

Cattlemen from eighteen states and Mexico have already accepted invitations and hundreds will make their headquarters at Sweetwater during their visit.

Mrs. W. J. Gray left for California Friday, May 25, for a visit with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Bill Gray, and baby.

### CROSS PLAINS, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS

### VIEWING... PROMOTING



1945 GRADUATES OF CROSS PLAINS HIGH School. Eloyse Sandfer, Tommie Lerle Conlrow; A. J. McCain, superintendent of schools; Dorothy Ripper and Maxine Strong, 3rd row; Todd Newton, Dixie Respass, Herman Moore, Champion, Imogene Gage, A. H. Rinzhoffer, mates not included in the picture are Coleman Earnest Clark. Earnest was called to active

### Returns from Italy Overse

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Boyd, Jr., in written on May 31, in France and something happier revive his comrade lieutenant in the 1st part of May.

J. P. joined the was assigned to unit, but at a late fered to the air stationed at Big Springs, and fore going overse.

The letter in pa "Just a few line that I am getting in another week, pens, I will be a in the infantry. I thing so far, and our uniforms."

"Since the war citizenship has b tell you more I imagine that you to know how I ex left New York on the Queen Mary Gourock, Scotland. From there we England, just out Jim Buckley live or places where England were Birmingham, Nottin Swaidon and Ramsbury we Fe February 20th of was stationed in I came here. Thi of my whereabouts be you can find so a map."

J. P. held the r avant before being Fontainebleau, Fr weeks ago.

### CPL. BOYCE STRONG

Pictured is Cpl. Boyce Strong, who arrived here Monday, May 28, to spend a thirty day furlough with his wife and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Houston Strong.

Strong, who is a gather on a ten-man Liberator bomber, has been based in Southern Italy with the 15th Air Force. His group has attacked enemy installations in Yugoslavia, Austria, Northern Italy, Czechoslovakia, and the Reich itself. He has participated in missions over the oil refineries of Bruix, rail centers at Vienna and Munich and other military and industrial targets through Germany.

His wife, Mrs. Oneta Strong, who has been making her home in Breckenridge, met him in San Antonio and returned here to spend his furlough with him.

### Sgt. Don R. Helberg Unexpectedly Comes Home From Italy

Sgt. Don R. Helberg surprised his family May 31, with his unannounced arrival home in Coleman from the European Theater of war. His wife, the former Mollie Swafford, and two sons, Don L. and Ray G., have been making their home here the past six months.

An engineering crew chief with the 455th Bombardment Group of the 15th AAF, Helberg has been overseas two years, based in Italy.

He has declined a discharge, with more than one hundred points to his credit, and chooses to help finish the war, however he does not expect any further overseas assignments.

Sergeant Helberg wears the ETO Campaign bar with seven stars and Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Distinguished Unit Badge, in lieu of the second citation for outstanding performance of duty in armed conflict. The B-24 of which he was crew chief, successfully made 85 missions over enemy territory.

Helberg has been in service three years and will return to Miami, Fla. for further assignment at the expiration of a thirty-day furlough here and in Coleman.

### Mrs. J. C. GARRETT STAINS BROKEN ARM

Mrs. J. C. Garrett, who lives in north part of town, received a new right arm just above the elbow Tuesday afternoon, when she was from the bank porch of her home.

She was attended by a local physician and is progressing as well as can be expected, according to reports.

Jack Whitehead has purchased "National Barn Dairy" and moved his fruit and vegetable stand to that location. The building is being utilized as residence.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Berger, Jr. and son Mrs. are in the 1 Mrs. Paul Luttsen week visit.

# THE 7<sup>TH</sup> WAR LOAN IS ON!

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400-450	112.50	150
450-500	93.75	125
500-600	75.00	100
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—ALSO—

SHORT SUBJECTS

COMING SOON

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"Our Heart's Were Yours"

"Mark Twain"