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LIBRARY NOTES

By Mrs. C. A. Burton

We are hearing much about the disposition to be made of surplus property at the close of the war, and News Notes of the Texas Library Association reminds us that there will be millions of army camp library books to be disposed of. You remember how we gathered them up in the Victory Book

Campaign. Carl Vitz, president of the American Library Association, has proposed that these books be used in starting rural public libraries.

We are reminded that there are thirty five millions of rural and small town Americans who have no local public libraries. The proposal is that the surplus books which will be left when the thousands of camps are closed be transferred to the states and territories for establishing libraries

as the best means of conserving the investment in them. If sold as second-hand books they would bring very little; but if allotted to the states by the U. S. Office of Education and pro-rated as needed, they would make a beginning toward a large number of rural and small town libraries. These camp libraries have been of untold value to our servicemen, and may prove just as valuable to communities.

McCloskey General Hospital at Temple uses the Public Address System for brief book talks twice each week in addition to informal talks to small groups—book reviews—several times a week.

The Rockefeller Foundation has made available \$850,000 for foreign library projects. We have libraries in many distant lands and plans are being made for many more. The staff in the American Library in London has grown from 5 to 14. A list of books interpreting Great Britain to the U. S. is soon to be printed and distributed.

Dale Carnegie of "How To Make Friends and Influence People" fame was recently married to a Tulsa, Oklahoma girl. You will recall that Governor Dewey found his bride at Sepula, Okla.

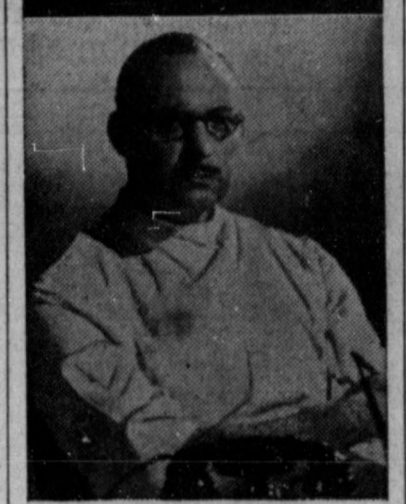


Texas fighting men of the famed 36th division grow furious when they hear predictions that "the war is just about over." They know better, and tell an authentic story that graphically proves their point.

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.

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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. Faron 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. Townler, he took with him two Texas heroes of the 36th, Corp. Richard Reno and M/Sgt. Bill Wasko. Reno and Wasko were more

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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 war 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, Texas, 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 'chute 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 Salins, 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 litter-bearers and insisted upon helping other wounded men.

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

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By the Apostle

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In order to overcome the incon-

venience of a shortage of household appliances, a wealthy old bachelor married his cook. Now he has a fireless cooker.

The "big head" always winds up with a big headache.

The greatest tragedy is the murder of a beautiful theory by a gang of brutal facts.

The average person is not a skilled judge of a zoo, but he doubtless would say that the

scarcest animal of all time right now is the Camel.

Sorry, folks, but paper is limited, and consequently the space allotted to the Old Apostle is also limited. See you next week.

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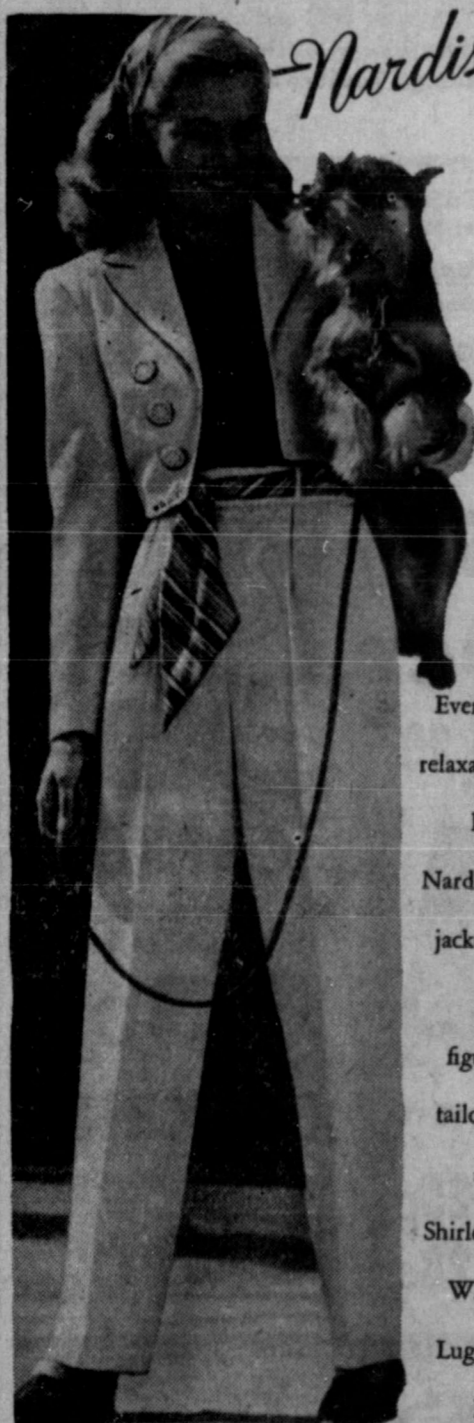
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Due to the bad weather Sunday morning, not many attended Sunday school. Let's all come out next Sunday morning.

Miss Dorothy Faye Terry is a patient at the Clinic Adair Hospital having underwent an appendectomy a week ago. Her condition is satisfactory.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morrow and Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Crofford spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cannon.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bulman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wood.

Mr. George Terry spent Wednesday in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Pittman have received a letter from their son, Allen, first word since August. He is somewhere in Italy.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Eddings and Joyce spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Pittman at Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Allen spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Milton Dunn at Goodnight.

Mrs. C. J. Talley is visiting her daughter at Pampa this week.

**LELIA LAKE**

Miss Rita Zoe Davis of Childress spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Davis and family.

Miss Margaret White of McLean left Sunday after visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. White.

Rev. J. R. Naylor and family of Stinnett spent several days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Naylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Tucker of Pampa spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Young.

Cpl. and Mrs. Boner Howard of Lubbock visited relatives here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Howard and Richard of Anton left Sunday after visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Lewis and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Chenault of Amarillo spent Sunday with relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Jones of Farwell spent several days last week with her father Will Mace.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cates of Spearman came Friday to visit in the home of her sister, Mrs. Adell Williams and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Warren of Borger visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Adell Williams.

Mrs. Frank Crancy and Mrs. Kenneth Lafon of Dallas spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Reynolds.

Mrs. Sam Roberts and Mrs. H. R. King were hostesses Saturday evening with a dinner party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam

Roberts. Those to enjoy the delicious meal and games of 42 were Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Pool, Mr and Mrs Quinn Aten, Mr and Mrs. Luther Butler, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Rice Batson, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Leathers, Sam Roberts and the hostesses, Mrs. Roberts and Mrs. King.

There was a pie supper at the school house Friday evening for the benefit of the basketball boys. The pies were auctioned by Charlie Young and \$34 was raised.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Howard of Anton left Tuesday after visiting with friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hall and Mrs. John Reed and son went to Abilene Saturday. Mrs. Reed is joining her husband who is stationed there.

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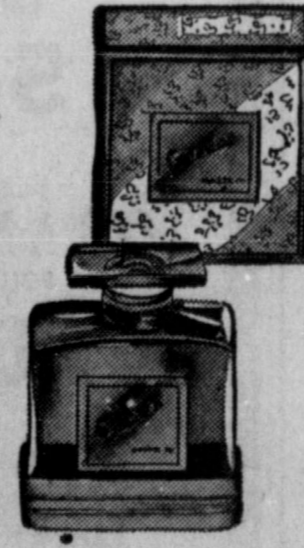
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## KAPPA KAPPA SORORITY PRESENTATION DANCE

Hotel Clarendon was the scene of one of the loveliest and most enjoyable social affairs of the season Friday evening when members of the Kappa Kappa Sorority entertained at their annual Presentation Dance.

The 1944 members presented at this occasion were: Mary Ann Bromley, Betty Jean Brown, Edna Lou Lamberson, Mary Nell Hanks, and Treva Nell Trussell.

These members entered with the following escorts: Charles Davis, Junior Lane, Brack La Grone, Arvis Davis, and Sidney Harp under an arch covered with huge white chrysanthemums and evergreen. Two white chrysanthemums in the center of the arch held the red letters "K.K."

Jean Porter, the sorority president, presented the new members in front of an eight foot "K" which was covered with red and white carnations and evergreen. The following big sisters presented them with wrist corsages: Dorothy Jean Tatum, Melba Ruth Grady, Alma Jo Mosely, Klyda Wilson, and Beverly Stricklin. Tall candelabra stands stood on each side of the "K." The tapers were lighted by Ruth Patman and Kathleen Grady immediately before the presentation.

Refreshments of cakes, mints, and punch carrying out the sorority symbols and colors were served. Favors were tiny cocktail umbrellas which held cherries on end of handles in punch cups. Napkins were imprinted with Kappa Kappa Sorority.

Marilyn Bartlett and Dorothy Jean Tatum presided at the punch bowls. They were assisted in serving by Melba Ruth Grady, Alma Jo Mosely, Klyda Wilson, Jean Porter, and Mrs. Rufus White.

Members and guests attending were: Helen Porter, Billy Lowe, Dorothy Anne Kennedy, Pvt. James Earl Hott, Ruth Patman, W. S. Carlile, Kathleen Grady, Bob Bentley, Edith McCrary, Donald Beard, Beverly Stricklin, J. R. Morgan, Johnnie Johnson, Ray-

mond Adams, Jean Porter, Manly Bryan, Betty Rhodes, Lee Shelley, Alma Jo Mosely, Gene Harrison, Klyda Wilson, Junior Mann, Mary Ann Bromley, Charles Davis, Treva Nell Trussell, Sidney Harp, Mary Nell Hanks, Arvis Davis, Betty Jean Brown, Junior Lane, Edna Lou Lamberson, Brack La Grone, Elise Norwood, Robert Naylor, Sue Smith, Jack Ballew, Louise Underdown, Douglas Lowe, Cora Lee Muse, Tommy Saye, Pat Alverson, Claude Hearn, Billie Jean Knox, Carl Bennett, Marilyn Maher, Calvin Merchant, Marilyn Bartlett, Kenneth Hunt, Tom Goodner, Max Keys, Bobby Parker, Harry Blair, Jimmy Douglas, A/S Billy Jack Shelley, James Wesley Palmer, Donald Bailey, Billy Ray Armstrong, and Billy Roy Blackman.

Sponsors were: Mrs. Rufus White, the sorority sponsor; Mrs. M. C. Goodner, Mrs. Glenn Hess, Miss Lucile Polk, Miss Maurice Berry, Mr. R. E. Drennan, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Larimer, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Burton.

## ARVAZENE SMITH HONORED WITH BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Victor Smith honored her daughter, Arvazene, with a surprise party on her 13th birthday, Dec. 1st.

The guests first met in the home of Ardith Warren, then all went in a group to the Smith home. The guests sang "Happy Birthday To You," before the honoree was aware of their presence. Games were played then the gifts were opened and admired.

Refreshments of sandwiches, birthday cake and coca-cola were served to the following:

Ardith Warren, Ruby Jo Kidd, Ladelle Cox, Mae Morris, Betty Jean Decker, Betty Jean Naylor, Wynell Smith, Nita Heath, Phyllis Gamble, Delene Blair, Wanda Cornell, Allie Mae Goodman, Ira Jean Estlack, Jo Ann May, Sherrill Rolls, Arvazene Smith, Leo Underdown, Jack May, Rex Bradford, Bert Barnes, J. J. Losson, Richard Maxey, Jerry LaGrone, Buster Bain, Chester Seaton, Bob

Clifford, Fred Molesworth, Gene Bryan, Clyde Price Jr., Billy Oiler, Walter Warner, Billy Chilton. Out of town guests were Emma Jean Mears of Lubbock, Joveta Maxey of Amarillo. Billy Kidd and Mrs. Ottis Rolls assisted the hostess.

## BOOK CLUB HEARS REVIEW OF LIFE OF NOTED SINGER

Mrs. M. R. Allensworth and Miss Lucile Polk were hostesses to the Book Club Tuesday afternoon in the Fellowship Hall of the Methodist Church.

Mrs. Lloyd Shelton reviewed "Your Only Human Once" by Grace Moore. This book is an autobiography of the prima dona tracing her life from childhood through the various stages of training to singing in musical comedies and with the Metropolitan Opera. Her career has centered in New York, Paris, the French Riviera and Hollywood where she has appeared in a few pictures.

Members attending were Mrs. W. E. Ray, Miss Maurice Berry, Mrs. Rayburn Smith, Mrs. Lloyd Shelton, Mrs. Hoggatt, Mrs. Bill Thornberry, Mrs. Elba Ballew, Mrs. J. R. Porter, Mrs. Walter Clifford, Mrs. Rolle Brumley, Mrs. C. B. Morris, Mrs. B. C. Antrobus, Mrs. Bill Bromley, Mrs. Frank Phelan, Mrs. Chas. Lowry, Mrs. B. G. Watson, Mrs. Frank White, Mrs. L. N. Cox.

Guests were Mrs. Marguerite Goodner and Mrs. Turner.

The next meeting will be the annual Christmas party and will be held in the home of Mrs. Frank Phelan.

## MISSIONARY SOCIETY POSTPONED

Mrs. L. Guy Ament, president of the Womens Missionary Society of the Christian church, announced this week that their meeting scheduled for this week was postponed due to bad weather and would meet Wednesday, Dec. 13th at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Roy Clappitt.

## PATHFINDER CLUB

The Pathfinder Club will meet in the Fellowship Hall at the Methodist church Friday afternoon at 4:30 with Mrs. Harold Phelps and Mrs. W. H. Patrick as hostesses. They will have their Christmas program at that time.

Mrs. Wendell Smith and Mrs. Eva Draffen were Amarillo visitors Saturday.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means in thanking our many friends for their kind deeds during the illness and death of our dear mother and sister, and for the beautiful floral offerings. May God's richest blessings be upon all of you in our sincere prayers.

Children and Sisters of Mrs. Alice Townson

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Merchant of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Merchant and daughter Jacqueline of Pampa visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cal Merchant and Pvt. Virgil Merchant here Wednesday.

Mrs. Mary Stegall who has been in the St. Anthony Hospital at Amarillo the past 3 years is not doing so well.

Sgt. Rufus White arrived here this Thursday morning to visit his wife and homefolks. He is in the Finance Dept. in San Antonio.

Mrs. Cecil Heard of Ft. Worth spent the week end with Miss Lucile Polk.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Merchant and Mr. and Mrs. Philip Gentry of Amarillo attended the funeral of Dr. C. G. Stricklin here Monday.

Mrs. Ruth Wheat of Seymour attended the funeral here of Dr. C. G. Stricklin, Monday.

Mrs. O. Bullington of Weatherford is visiting her niece, Mrs. Phelan.

Geo. Watson of Lubbock Tech spent the week end with homefolks.

Miss Edgar Mae Mongole and Dr. B. L. Jenkins left Monday with Mrs. J. E. Mongole for Ft. Worth where she will receive medical treatment at the Harris Hospital.

Mrs. Bob Donnell and children, Roberta and Billy spent the week end with Bob's mother, Mrs. Donnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Combest and family of Crane visited in Clarendon Sat. They are moving to Pampa.

Mrs. Jack Boren of Lubbock spent week end with June McMurry returning home Wed.

Mrs. Clyde Butler attended a T. E. L. class party at Claude at the home of Mrs. Arch Finley, last week.

Grundy Bryant of Rotan, N. M., an old friend of Mr. and Mrs. Cal Merchant, is visiting in their home this week.

Miss Emma Jean Mears spent the week end in the V. L. Smith home.

Peggy Weidman has returned from visiting her homefolks in Kansas, over the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Howe of Spokane, Washington are visiting home folks.

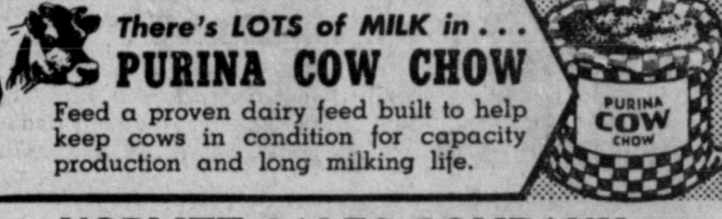
**Ready For Advanced Training**  
Murrell G. Landreth, A. C., son of Rev. and Mrs. E. D. Landreth, recently finished his basic training at Marana Army Air Field at Tucson, Arizona and has been transferred to Luke Field, Phoenix, Arizona for advanced training. Rev. and Mrs. Landreth have recently moved here from Lamesa. He is District Superintendent of the Methodist church.

## NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Patman announce the arrival of a 6 1/2 lb. grandson born Nov. 24 to Mr. and Mrs. Allen Patman at Dayton, Ohio. The little grandson has been given the name, William Allen. Mr. Patman is a Warrant officer in the Army.

Gilbert Bryan has returned to Hobart, Okla. after a two weeks visit with homefolks.

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# THE BRONCHO RANGE

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### CORRIDOR COMMENTS

Just who is the certain person who drives his car all over Main Street hill? Especially when it gets dark.

What were Edith and Donald doing in the football park Sunday afternoon? Information please?

Some girls we know surely seem to be hearing regularly from Great Lake, Ill.

Why has everybody fallen down in school work this six weeks? Kids, are you feeling all right.

How come Jerritt David saying Ruby Jo Kidd is a gossip? Kidd, can you explain this?

Flash!! Billy Ray Graham has named his "36" Ford, "Lap Ear".

Why is LaVerne Darden so worried lately? Could it be because Frank hasn't written?

Say, won't Carrol Bromley be home Christmas? Kat, what are you "gonna" do?

Flash!! Billy Ray Graham, LaVerne Darden, Barbara Bell and someone else were seen Tuesday night "putting" around in "Lap Ear."

Who's the Sophomore that's singing "I'm only a Sailor's Sweetheart," I hope?

Who's the Senior that doesn't like formal dances well enough to go?

What seems to be wrong with Raymond's nose lately? Be more

careful Johnnie.

Lou and Sue have been singing a certain little song which contains 290 verses. What is it, girls?

Why are Jack Ballew and Douglas Lowe so happy lately? Tell us the secret, boys.

Two boys were seen following some "slumber party girls" Monday night.

Jitterbuggin' is fun, but it is a lot more fun on a certain girl's front lawn. Eh, Bert and Jack.

Someone broke the highjumping record. Clearing a four foot stone fence isn't very easy, is it?

Did a certain girl enjoy the dance Tuesday night? This girl is better known as "The Queen of Sheeba".

We saw a lot of unhappy lads at the dance Tuesday. Could it be that some certain people were missing?

Jim didn't go to the dance. Enjoy the show?

Thursday night was a very interesting night. We heard that some boys had their stories all fixed. Did you have fun?

What certain girl just hates a certain Sophomore boy? It happened Thursday night.

Ardith who was that man we saw you with Thursday night? Leo? Or Leo and a red-head?

C. T. how are you and Syble getting along?

What letter was it that Bert got from Wynell that Phyllis wrote her? Could it be private or public, truth or fiction?

What out of town girl was Chilton after last week-end? It couldn't have been a girl from Lubbock, could it?

Bert, we heard that you and L. J. M. had a lot of fun Friday night, MMM could be.

Why was it that Ruby Jo Kidd had so much fun Friday night? Couldn't have been because Jerry LaGrone was at the party?

We are glad to have Jack and Robert Semrad back with us this week and also Billy Jack Shelly. We enjoyed your visit, Jack.

Why is Melba Ruth in a flutter? Could it be because of that certain Sailor from Fort Worth coming up Tuesday?

We saw Treva Nell and Sidney Harp at the dance Friday night. They ought to do that more often, oughtn't they?

You girls are going to have to teach these boys how to dance? Or do you like the fish pond better?

How come Jiggs was with Melba Ruth Saturday night? Could be!

The wolves were on the loose Sunday night!! Was it because they couldn't find the girls or just didn't want to??

Why didn't Billy Jean Knox get home 'till 2:30 Saturday morning? That Casanova Bennett!!

We missed Mrs. Cox from school Thursday and Friday.

Jr. looked awfully lonesome at the dance by himself Saturday night! Where was Klyda Fern?

"Prissy" Underdown was always winking at the same person Friday in Chapel. Who could it be?

By the way what was she and Ruby Jo Kidd fighting about the other day? Could it be Memphis again?

### CHAPEL

A very interesting chapel program was given Friday the first period by the Sophomore Class.

First on the program was a play named "School Spirit On Trial." The cast was as follows: Judge—Jimmy Howze; Prosecuting Attorney—Bert Barnes; Attorney for the defendant—Sam Lowry; Witnesses—Wanda Cornell, Delene Blair, Billy R. Armstrong, Dwaine Hudson; Defendants—Sue Smith, Louise Underdown.

Next, Nita Heath played a piano solo, "Valcik," which was followed by the reading of an original poem by Nelda Harrison.

Ardith Warren, Louise Underdown, and Ruby Jo Kidd then sang a vocal trio, "Pretty Blue Eyes." They were accompanied by Nita Heath.

A piano solo was then played by Juanelle Stevenson.

Last on the program was a vocal duet by Ruby Jo Kidd and Ardith Warren. They sang the ever popular "Indian Love Call" and were accompanied by Nita Heath.

Everyone enjoyed the program very much and thank the Sophomores for presenting it.

### ADVICE TO THE LOVE-LORN

Dear Know-it-all,

What can a girl do to improve her frame of mind when she just knows she'll get a letter from Borger, and all she gets is a Wheaties box top with "Love, Paul" scribbled on it?

Heart-broken Mary

Dear Heart-broken Mary,

Well, I'll admit that is a pretty low trick to play on one's best girl friend, but I'm sure he just did it in fun. Maybe you'll get a nice long letter tomorrow.

Know-it-all

Dear Know-it-all,

Please tell us what to do. We're worried, frantic, since the faculty made the new ruling about 3 tardies counting off a point on every grade. How in the world are we going to smoke a cigarette now and then?

Some worried "Wolves"

Dear Worried Wolves,

It does look pretty serious, doesn't it? I guess you'll just have to exert some strong will power and wait until noon. I do hope there won't be any nicotine fits. But maybe the cigarette shortage will take care of your trouble.

Know-it-all

Dear Know-it-all,

Please don't blame me if this is an "ambigious" letter. But since with "enthraling" charms, which sometimes cause "delirium" or "libellus" accusations, I feel that this is an opportune time to write you.

Since I am not an "idealist," nor yet a cynic, some people suffer from the "illusion" that I have no ambition. But, in my "frenzied" state of mind, I see through the "frustration" and find that I am not "recalcitrant" nor a "procrastinator." I try to instill into my associates' minds the "justification" of my "apostasy," which might "enhance" their learning.

The long and short of it all is, our "pedagogue," Mrs. Goodner, is giving us a vocabulary drill.

Senior English Class

Dear Senior English Class,

I understand perfectly!!

Know-it-all

**SAH - SWEET MYSTERY**

This is the story of two "innocent" little old high school girls, two boys, and a sailor. For its name we have "Give a Sailor a hand and he'll take more" or "Early to Bed and Early to Rise keeps little brother out of devilment."

While all the details are not available (thank goodness) this much has been revealed.

One of the dashing young heroes threatens? "If you tell, so help me, I'll—"

A curvaceous heroine replies with venom in her voice? "I didn't say a — thing."

The coy brunette agonizes? "It's all rumor—I hope"

The sailor has went.

The coy brunette enlightens: "The paper is sometimes sent to members of the armed forces."

The villain (oh yes, we simply must have one) is the one who put this in the paper.

**SOUTH WARD**

The fifth grade is making health posters from letters which they cut themselves.

The third grade is learning some Christmas songs.

Miss Mongole's room is beginning their Christmas border and are singing some Christmas songs.

Glenn Wallace had a birthday party at school. He received many gifts.

Several have been absent from Miss McGowan's room with colds.

**JR. HIGH**

Rex Bradford came to school Monday morning with a black eye. He says he ran into the barn? The red cross gifts were plenty.

ful. Elba Jean was loaded with soap and tooth paste.

Elba Jean and Doris spent Thanksgiving in Dallas.

A few liked their pictures, a few didn't.

Joyce Allen is back in school after being sick for sometime.

Fred Molesworth lost his picture, but he found them in his history book. He said that is where you find all great men.

AT FIRST SIGN OF A

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<b>MILK</b> 6 Small	<b>25c</b>
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### United Gas In Reorganizing Program

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The mortgage which was filed here is being similarly recorded in every county in which United Gas owns property.

The reorganization plan has for its purpose the simplification of the capital structure of the United Gas Corporation by converting it into a company whose capital structure will consist only of par value common stock and bonds. It will enable United Gas to further conform with the provisions of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935.

The complete sale of the \$100,000,000 bond issue was made through private sales to fifty purchasers including insurance companies, benevolent institutions, universities, pension trusts, and fraternal and denominational organizations scattered throughout the country.

Geraldine Summers entered Northwest Texas Hospital at Amarillo last week for a major operation. She is doing nicely since the operation and will be in the hospital for some time. Her mother, Mrs. R. A. Summers, is with her.

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### Used Passenger Car Tires Not Rationed

Because of their poor quality and spotty distribution, the few used passenger car tires still in the hands of tire dealers were removed from rationing December 5, the District Office of Price Administration has announced.

Because rationing of the few tires had become an unnecessary burden on local boards and because most of the used tires still available need repairs and recaps to make them serviceable, the decision was taken to remove them from ration controls.

Used truck tires will continue under rationing, however, officials emphasized.

All tires, both new and used, are under price control, it was pointed out. Purchasers should check to see that dealers have the maximum prices of tires posted and note the ceiling price of any tires they intend to buy.

In removing used passenger tires from rationing, OPA also changed the definition of Grade I tires to include factory seconds and tires made of reclaimed rubber. Both of these types, as well as new and undamaged synthetic



rubber tires will continue under rationing. Cecil Killough awns down from Amarillo last week quail hunting.

**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 shifts to synthetic rubber mean, the Board explained, some sacrifice in quantity and quality, but such is an essential price to pay to conserve natural rubber.

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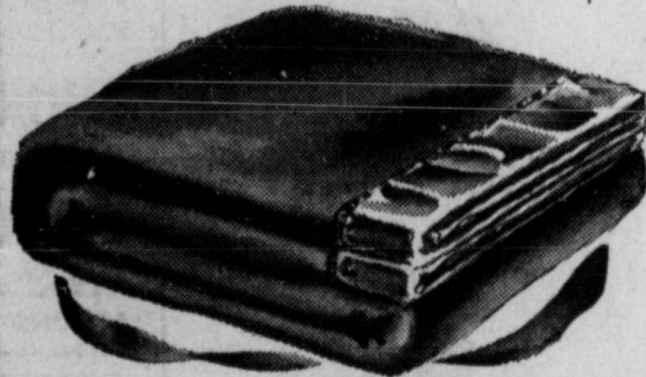
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exterior temperature changes. The complete cloud height determining system, which consists of a ceilometer, light projector and special recorder, was designed by the U. S. Weather Bureau in conjunction with General Electric illuminating engineers. The invisible beam is shot up to the cloud base by the projector. The ceilometer, actually a photoelectric scanning device, indicates the location of energy reflected from the cloud base. The ceiling height is then computed by triangulation.

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WORTH WHILE COMMENTS BY COUNTY AGENT Charles O. Reed

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down; corn, 5,457,000 acres, eight per cent up; oats, 1,850,000, unchanged; barley, 351,000, unchanged...

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### Quail Hunters Warned

A word of caution was expressed by Col. Samuel W. Van Meter, commanding officer of Childress Army Air Field this week to quail hunters bagging birds near and around the boundaries of the field's bombing ranges.

The ranges are easily identified by large signs placed one-half mile around each restricted area. A 20 foot wide guard also extends around each range.

"Do not, under any circumstances enter the practice-bombing area," warned Col. Van Meter, "either during the day or at night. If it is absolutely necessary that access to or across a range be had, permission must be obtained in writing from the range officer, CAAF, Childress, Texas.

To property owners and others, Col. Van Meter warned that rare cases of mechanical failures have released practice bombs outside the target areas. Persons finding a bomb are warned not to touch it. Report the location to the CAAF range officer, Lt. Leonard C. Becker, or Lt. Vann B. Mitchell, bomb disposal officer and a demon-

stration detail will be dispatched immediately to remove it.

Col. Van Meter expresses his thanks to residents in the bombing range vicinities for their cooperation since training started at the school. "And while this cooperation continues," he added, "we have nothing to fear for the future."

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**ASHTOLA**  
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**SCHOOL NEWS**  
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We are swimming around like little frogs and are barely able to "coak" this morning.

Several of our "fellow buddies" have been out for various reasons. We hope they will be back in school soon.

Those of us that have been present, have been working very diligently. Adjectives have been a barrier to our little minds, however, Louise Corbell has done a very good job. Pass your judgment on her story.

**MY PET, SPOT**  
 Spot is a very friendly kitty. He is so playful and not a bit shy. He is so adorable with his little

pink nose and matching pink tongue.

Spot has such loving greenish eyes that sparkle when you pet him. I love to stroke his sleek silken hair that is dotted with black and white spots, hence the name spot.

This plump little fellow is always sticking his nose into places where he shouldn't. One day he slipped into mother's room, got her yarn from her sewing basket, and went scampering over the house with the ball of yarn.

Not only do we have good language techniques, but we can take new words in spelling and make short stories in "nothing flat."

**A PATIENT**  
 Mary Evelyn Brinson

The nurses at the hospital "assures" the "patient" that she will get along just fine as she has a "condifent" doctor. The patient informed the nurses that "unnecessary" noises were not "favorable" for her.

The "physician" performed several "experiments" on her. He used "mechanical" devices on her and was quite "fortunate" in his results. His "remedy" toward good health was "economy" first.

Mrs. Henry Wilson has been resting up in the hospital at Groom. She got to come home Saturday for a few days. We understand that she will undergo a serious operation in two weeks. We wish her the best of luck.

We regret to say that Jerry Faye King's grandmother from Childress passed away last Thurs.

**CHRISTMAS TREE SUPPLY AMPLE**

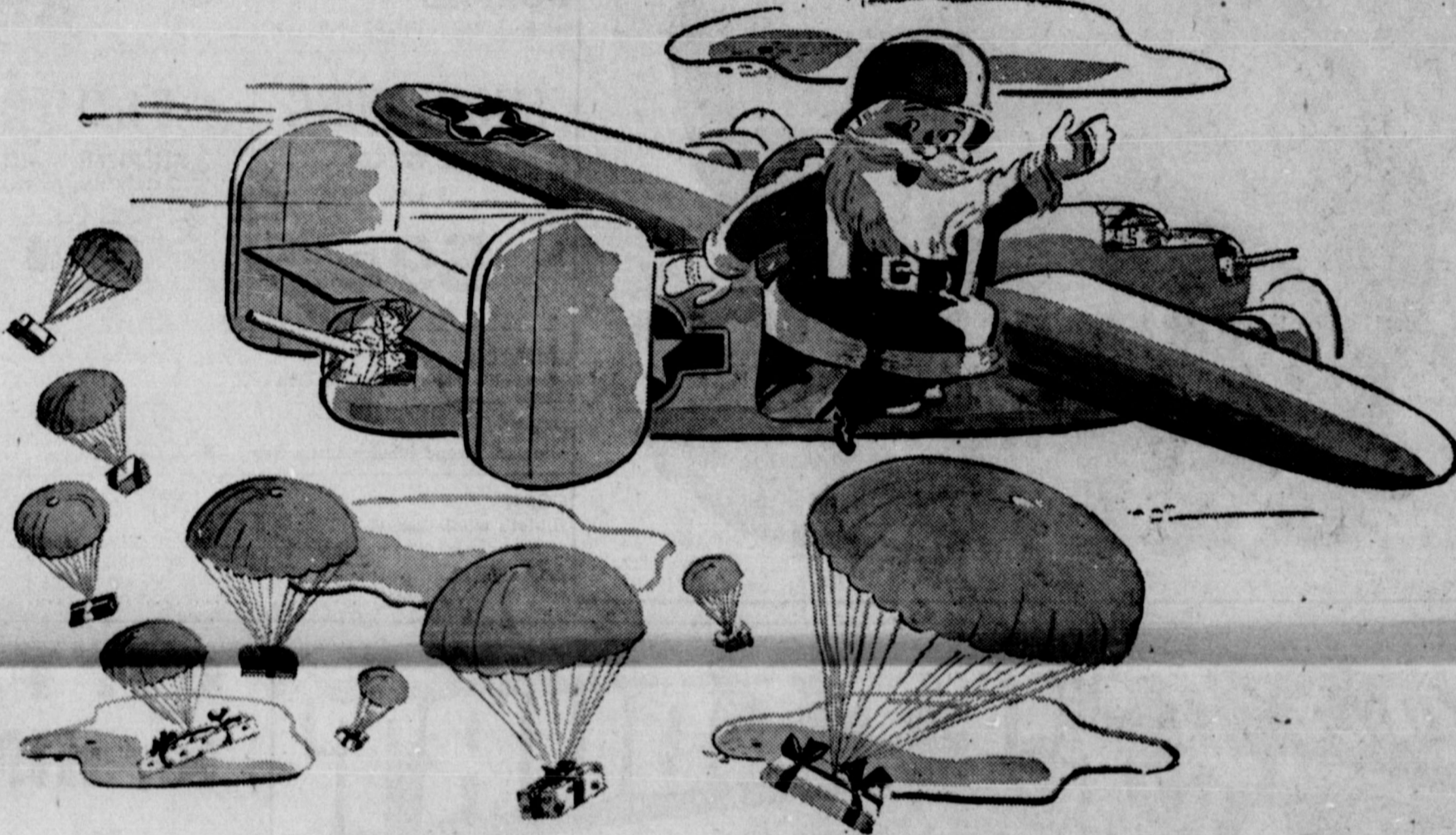
The supply of Christmas trees in 1944 will probably be ample to satisfy holiday needs of Americans, according to data given the Office of War Information by the War Production Board, Department of Agriculture and Office of Defense Transportation. At the same time, however, buyers are warned against "over-zealous buying" as that might create an artificial shortage followed by a waste of trees. In 1943 consumer anxiety about the family tree, which began with slow deliveries to retailers, led to high prices followed by a glut of trees near on Christmas Eve and a sizeable leftover had to be destroyed. The trees sold for practically nothing Christmas time. Many surplus 1944 supply should be about that of last year.

**HOME LOANS TO VETERANS SPEEDED**

American communities have a stake in the fact that the Federal Housing Administration has acted to speed the making of insured home loans to veterans by private institutions under the terms of the G. I. Bill of Rights. The FHA is now accepting at its field offices from private lending agencies applications for the insurance of principal loans supplemented by loans under section 505 of the G.I. Bill. These are cases where the Veterans Administration guarantees an equity loan not to exceed \$2,000, and where the principal loan, which must comply with FHA regulations, is insured by FHA. The Federal Agency seeks all possible protection of veterans in what may be the most important single financial transaction in their life.

**VICTORY PLEDGE OF AN AMERICAN**

I am an American. I and my sons have a big stake in victory. While my sons are fighting for freedom, I will work hard here at home that food and weapons in abundance will ever fight on the side of America.



## Santa's on His Way --- Shop Early NOW! --- at NORWOOD'S

- LARGER SELECTION**  
 The earlier you shop, the better and more extensive the selection of our Quality Merchandise—Come in today and choose your Christmas Gifts.
- MORE COMPLETE STOCK**  
 If you shop now before our gifts have been picked over, you will be much more satisfied with your selection --- it's at its best today!
- BETTER SERVICE**  
 The earlier you shop, the fewer competitors you'll find bidding for the service of the clerks -- shop now at Norwood's and receive better attention.

HERE ARE JUST A FEW OF THE MANY ITEMS TO SELECT FROM

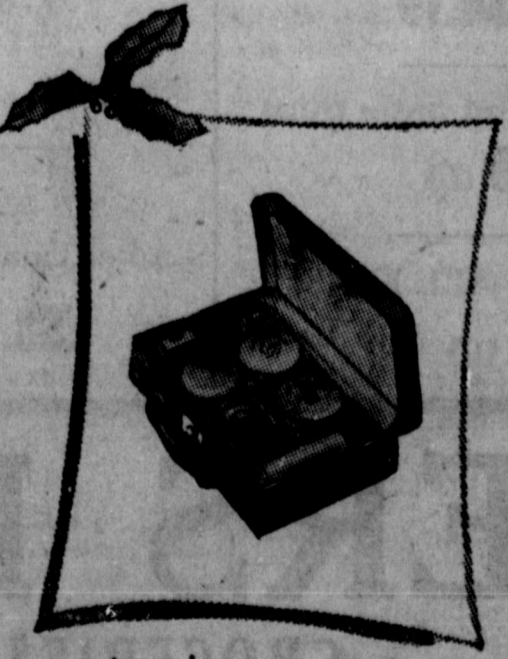
- EVENING IN PARIS OR COTY SETS or Separate items.
- LOVELY DRESSER SETS
- BATH POWDER
- POWDER MITTS
- COMPACTS - BOXED SOAP
- VANITY CASES
- MEN'S ZIPPER CASES
- MILITARY SETS
- SHAVING SETS & LOTIONS
- BILLFOLDS

THE GIFT WITH A FUTURE

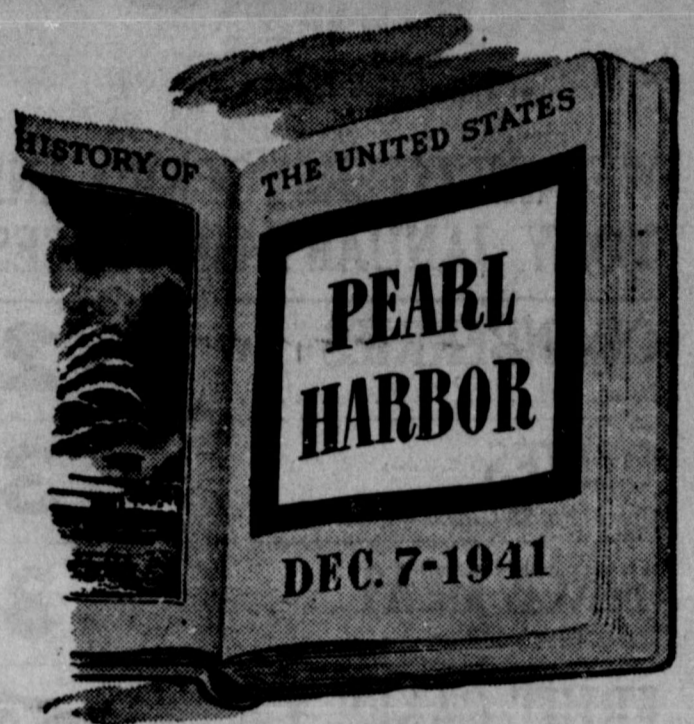
- A WAR BOND IN EVERY STOCKING

EVERY ITEM BEAUTIFULLY GIFT WRAPPED  
 GIFT WRAPPINGS — PAPER — TWINE — SEALS, etc.  
 CHRISTMAS TREES --- TREE DECORATIONS

- KINGS DELICIOUS CHOCOLATES
- CORY COFFEE MAKERS
- PICTURE ALBUMS
- SCRAP BOOKS
- PLACQUES
- BIBLES
- STATIONERY



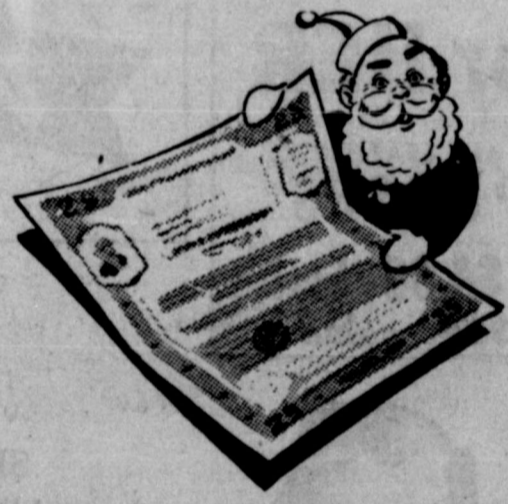
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## REMEMBER DECEMBER 7

Today, we are passing the third milestone in another war --- a terrible bloody war, fighting all over the world in order to restore a peaceful United States to her pre-Pearl Harbor status.

The Japs have enlarged our ambitions with the passing of each day. As these days go by, we are ever thinking of the cruelties and hardships the Japs have caused our men to feel during the past three years. None of us should have to be reminded to buy those extra War Bonds in remembrance of that horrible day, Dec. 7th.



★ ★ The Gift with a Future

Flowers soon die, clothes wear out, and money is usually spent foolishly --- BUT --- for the gift that will gain in value, one that will grow with each passing year, you can't beat Uncle Sam's WAR BONDS! We're not mentioning the fact that at the same time it's insuring America against losing the war, and we're not saying a word about the munitions and machines of war our boys need to back them up. It's up to you!

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