

AROUND A TOWN

Sights and Faces Seen

Latest notes on the cigarette shortage: A press wire story states that there is no tobacco shortage; it's a shortage of paper to make cartons. Which may not be comforting and points no special moral except maybe to get your paper into the scrap drive—or else start smoking it.

The speakeasy era was strictly before our time, but according to the movie versions—buying a drink during the "roaring twenties" was somewhat like buying a package of cigarettes today. The purchase is on the "knock three times and ask for Jake" style.

Meade Haile sold his drug store this week, but he's having a hard time becoming a gentleman of leisure. He says he used to dream about NOT having to get up and go to work—and then he sold the store, and has been waking up at the usual hour ever since.

It looked very natural—and pleasant—to see Jiggs Hartman back at the checking counter at the Cashway store this week. Jiggs is on furlough from the Army and is getting in his hand at his old civilian job, just so he won't forget how.

Frankly, we don't know whether want-ads find lost radio books; but Jim Kirby lost some books that no want-ad will ever find. He plowed them under, somewhere in a large field—and we hear it took a lot of searching of ration law to discover whether he was required to advertise for the books. Commonsense won out over the red tape, and no advertisement was required.

October Flower Show Slated by Garden Club

Because the Cogdell Motor Company Building was not available last Friday, the scheduled date of the Garden Club's summer flower show, the show will not be held until October, it was announced today by Mrs. A. L. Manjeot, Garden Club president.

Though exhibit space could have been arranged this week, it was decided to postpone the show because hot, dry weather have had a bad effect on Hereford flower gardens and exhibits at this time would not be of top quality.

The show to be held in the late fall sometime in October, will feature chrysanthemums. Other late flower shows for gladioli and dahlias will also be in peak exhibit form at that time, and the Garden Club is anticipating a successful show.

Grand Jury Indicts Fox in Jones Slaying

After returning an indictment in the J. W. Fox case, the Grand Jury of the 69th Judicial District Court, now in session in Hereford, recessed on Monday to reconvene on Aug. 21 to consider other Grand Jury Business.

The indictment returned states that "on or about the 12th day of July, 1944, J. W. Fox did then and there unlawfully, voluntarily and with malice aforethought kill C. F. Jones by shooting him with a pistol."

The case against Fox will probably come up in the current court session, and probably after a new judge has definitely accepted the appointment to fill the unexpired term of Judge James W. Witherspoon.

Members of the grand jury are Fred S. Barrett, Frank Bezner, N. G. Elliston, C. R. Sowell, Ben E. Wesley, Mont E. Baker, Joe Ballinger, C. D. Carnahan, A. T. Case and L. L. LeGrand. Mont Baker is foreman of the grand jury.

Labor Demands Quicken as Spud Harvest in High

With more than 450 Mexican laborers already at work in the Deaf Smith County potato harvest, labor needs are still acute, it was reported this week by County Agent A. R. Bateman, who says that every effort is being put forth by the labor office of the Extension Service to move the necessary labor into this area.

Continued hot, dry weather has rushed the maturing of the early potatoes and digging is now started on most farms and on others the only delay has been the lack of sufficient hands to do the job.

According to Mr. Bateman, the local labor office, under the direction of Herman Ford, sends in reports on labor needs to a regional office in Plainview, which in turn contacts College Station, where day-to-day reports on labor supply and demand in all Texas counties are kept. County agents are then notified how to route surplus labor into labor-short areas.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. London, surgery, July 29.
Mrs. Norman, maternity, July 31.
Mrs. Griego, maternity, July 31.
Mrs. C. C. Van Zandt, minor surgery, August 3.
Mr. Robertson, injury.
Mrs. F. L. Bogle, broken hip.

ENDORSE NATIONAL PROGRAM Unity Prevails at County Demo Convention

Condemning the action of already chosen Electors in failing to pledge their votes for the choice of the majority of Texas Democrats, the Deaf Smith County Democratic Convention meeting Saturday chose a delegate to the state convention to work for choice of electors who will support the duly chosen party nominees.

The local convention was conspicuous by the absence of controversy and delegates were unanimous in their choice of R. L. Thompson as delegate and Knox Kinard as alternate to the State Convention which will meet in September to try to iron out the difficulties which began in May when warring factions of Texas Democrats split the party ranks.

Regular Democratic electors have announced their intention of voting against the national ticket regardless of the trend of the popular vote in Texas unless certain conditions were met by the National Party Program—and the war in the Democratic party took on power at the National Convention when two delegates—the "regulars" and the Pro-Roosevelt group attended—and the regular delegation walked out after the convention had voted to seat both delegations and divide the vote between the two.

According to reports of county conventions from throughout the state, Pro-Roosevelt delegates are slated to hold the upper hand at the September Convention; but the going will not be peaceful and the State meeting will be far from one-sided. Resolutions adopted . . . The following resolution was adopted by the Deaf Smith County Convention: "WHEREAS, the Electors of the State Democratic Convention held at Austin, Tex., May 23, 1944, were chosen with the express permission of the Convention that if certain conditions were not met by the Democratic National Convention at Chicago that such Electors

Death Claims W. M. Cogdell, 44-Year Resident

W. M. Cogdell, 86 years old and one of the earliest residents of Hereford, died at his home here last Thursday night following a long illness.

Mr. Cogdell, who came to Hereford in 1900 and operated one of the first stores in the new town, had taken an active part in business, civic and religious activities of the community during his long residence. He served as county clerk for four years, beginning in 1908; and after his retirement from the office engaged in the hotel business for many years until failing health forced him to retire from active business life. He was a charter member of the Hereford Presbyterian Church and had served faithfully in many phases of church activities.

Born Mar. 12, 1858 in North Carolina, Mr. Cogdell came to Texas in 1870. He was married to Lizzie B. Carpenter in 1890 at Wichita Falls; and survivors besides his wife include three sons, C. B. and W. B. of Hereford, and L. Frank M. Cogdell of the Santa Ana (Calif.) Army Air Base, and a granddaughter, Mickey Cogdell of Abilene.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at the Presbyterian church, with Rev. James Alken Jr., and Rev. J. R. Sharp of Canyon, a former pastor of the local church, officiating.

Interment was at West Park Cemetery.

Speech Recital Open to Public

A program which promises to provide good entertainment for the artistically minded public will be given at the Methodist Church Friday night at 8:30 o'clock by members of Miss Irene Crawford's midsummer speech class.

The program which will depict the art and music in poetry will feature famous pictures and an added feature will be accompaniments on the organ. Miscellaneous numbers will be included dividing the program between serious recital selections and popular material.

All interested persons are invited to attend.

FFA Camping Trip to Be Planned at Friday Meet

Plans for an FFA Encampment, to be held from Aug. 14 to Aug. 20 will be perfected at 9 o'clock tomorrow night at a meeting of the Future Farmers organization at the high school. It was announced today by Lloyd Manjeot, FFA president.

All boys interested are invited to attend the meeting. Manjeot said, stating that complete plans for the camping trip will be worked out.

Bond Sales Report

The Bond Sales Committee of Deaf Smith County wishes to make the following report of the final results of the Fifth War Loan Drive:

The total amount of all bonds sold during the drive was the sum of \$470,013.95 and the total amount of "E" bonds sold during the drive was the sum of \$190,167.00, which means that we were well over the top on both the total amount and the amount of "E" bonds.

We would like to see each of you and thank you personally for the part you have had in helping put this drive over, but since we cannot do that we take this opportunity of thanking you. It is because we have the good people of this county to deal with that makes these drives easy to put over. Again, we say we thank you.

Deaf Smith County War Finance Committee.

Record Heat Wave Holds Area in Grip

The thermometer at the West Texas Gas Company has been broken since August (maybe anticipating the record heat wave) and no official temperature readings have been taken in Hereford; but officially or unofficially, well-baked citizens are agreeing that the past week's temperatures have set a record—and according to official forecasters, no relief is in sight for the next few days.

Temperatures have passed the hundred degree mark every day this week, with a maximum of 105 reported in this territory on Tuesday. The Kerr Hardware (Continued on Page 12)

Portales Man Buys Haile Drug

Purchase of Haile Drug by C. H. Smith of Portales was announced here Monday and Mr. Smith assumed active management of the store Tuesday morning, Aug. 1. He was accompanied by Mrs. Smith who will assist him in the store.

"We expect to keep the same help and to maintain the same type of dependable service," Mr. Smith said, pointing out that he will continue to feature Walgreen products along with other nationally known merchandise.

"We will also retain the prescription files of the store and will offer complete prescription service."

Mr. Smith is an experienced drug store man, having been in the business for the past 16 years, operating stores at Leveland and at Portales.

Meade Haile, founder of the present Haile Drug, came here seven years ago and purchased Brooks Drugs, then located on the east side of Main Street. In 1939, he moved into the location which the store now occupies, installing one of the most modern small-town drug stores in West Texas.

Mrs. Gray's Father Dies at Crosbyton

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gray returned Sunday night from Crosbyton, where they attended funeral services on Friday afternoon for Mrs. Gray's father, B. W. Ellison, 85 years old. Mr. Ellison, who died suddenly, passed away last Wednesday night at his home in Crosbyton.

A resident of Crosbyton since 1907, Mr. Ellison built the first home erected in the town. He had farm and residence property holdings and had continued active in the management of his business until the time of his death.

Survivors include two sons, Cap Ellison of Bluff, N. M., and Lige Ellison of Crosbyton; and four daughters, Mrs. John McDermitt of Tucumcari, N. M., Mrs. Bill Reed and Mrs. John Harvey of Crosbyton and Mrs. Gray of Hereford.

Ration Reminder

GASOLINE — Stamps A-12 valid through Sept. 21.
SUGAR Stamp No. 30-31 and 32, each good for 5 lbs. Valid indefinitely. Stamp 40 in book 4, good for 5 lbs. canned sugar through Feb. 23, 1945.
SHOES—Alpink stamps, 1 and 2, good indefinitely.
PROCESSED FOODS—Blue 15-point stamps 44, thru 2-3, and 2-5 valid indefinitely. B-5 thru 2-5 valid Aug. 1 and remain good indefinitely.
MEATS AND FATS—Red 15-point stamps 45, thru 2-3, good indefinitely. A-5 thru C-5 become good July 30 and remain valid indefinitely.

Witherspoon Resigns As Judge Of 69th Judicial District



James W. Witherspoon, whose resignation as judge of the 69th Judicial District was announced this week.

District Judge James W. Witherspoon, who has served on the bench of the 69th Judicial District since Jan. 15, 1940, has mailed his resignation to Governor Coke R. Stevenson, who Tuesday appointed John H. Aldredge of Farwell to Witherspoon's unexpired term. Aldredge has not yet made a definite statement as to his acceptance of the office.

Judge Witherspoon, who served as district attorney from January, 1933, to January 15, 1940, was appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late Reese Tatum. At the next succeeding general election he was elected to fill Judge Tatum's unexpired term which ended on Jan. 1, 1943, and in November 1942, was reelected for a full four year term, which would expire in January, 1946.

In making announcement of his resignation, Judge Witherspoon said: "For several months I have been considering resigning the judgeship and resuming the private practice of law, and when my successor qualifies I will resume law practice in Hereford in the same offices in which I commenced my legal profession in 1929, following my graduation (Continued on Page 12)

Harry Taylor New Legion Commander

Harry Taylor, former first vice-commander of the Hereford American Legion Post, was chosen commander this week to succeed R. C. McGilvary, who has headed the post activities for the past year.

Other officers elected were: D. Kelson, 1st. vice-commander; Jack France, 2nd. vice-commander; C. C. Acker, finance officer; Claude Ricketts, service officer; L. H. Foster, adjutant; and James Aiken, Jr., chaplain.

In addition to Mr. McGilvary, past commander, other officers who have served the post for the past year include Harry Taylor as 1st. vice-commander; W. J. Smith, 2nd. vice-commander, and C. O. Wilkins as service officer.

Land Auction Featured At Smith Farm Sale

Auction of a 327-acre, irrigated farm, complete with all improvements including a four-room modern house, is the featured item at the E. C. Smith farm sale to be held at the Smith farm, 12 1/2 miles northwest of Hereford, Saturday afternoon at one o'clock.

Also included in the listing is a good assortment of farm implements, Jersey and White-face cattle and some hard-to-get miscellaneous items. A complete sale bill is printed on page 2 of this paper.

Paul Lyons Risks Life in Fighting Fire on Bomb-Loaded B-17 in England

Sgt. Paul F. Lyons of Hereford, together with two other ground crew men at an Eighth AAF Bomber Station somewhere in England, has been credited with stepping into a heroic role when he helped put out a fire spreading rapidly through a Flying Fortress loaded with 6,000 pounds of high explosive bombs.

Risking their own lives and unmindful of the existing danger, Lyons and his comrades saved from destruction not only the B-17 on which they were working, but the lives of numerous other engineering workers asleep in tents less than 40 yards away and damage to Fortresses parked in dispersal areas all around the burning aircraft.

According to the news story from the English bomber base, Staff Sgt. Donald A. Woodrich, an armament worker, was in the bomb bay when the Fort caught on fire; Cpl. Vinol O. Lawson was working on the fuel hose of the No. 1 engine and Sgt. Lyons was in the cockpit of the big plane, running up the engine and checking the fuel pres-

sure gauge during the pre-flight period just before a mission take-off. As the engine gained acceleration, the fuel hose was blown off the pump, spurting 100 octane gasoline which burst into flames. The men grabbed hand fire extinguishers and began to put out the fire. To do this it was necessary to pound a hole through one side of the engine's metal covering; and in the meantime fumes had spread to the induction system inside the left wing. Although this system exploded with a reverberating shud, the sweating trio stuck to their jobs and put out the flames in the wing.

"If these men hadn't fought the fire to a standstill and stuck to their jobs," said Lt. W. G. Alexander, squadron engineering officer, "the entire ship would have been destroyed with its bomb load. What would have happened to the men nearby and the other ships in this area is only a matter of conjecture. These men took a terrific risk and displayed great heroism."

Sgt. Lyons is a son of Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Lyons of Hereford.

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Do You Remember?

July 29, 1944
The Deaf, Blind, Deaf-Blind seems to be spending its energies toward establishing a forest in the Panhandle section where heretofore no forest has grown... with a view to the preparation and planting of from 10,000 to 15,000 acres.

Mr. Bryan has cast another bomb into the democratic camp by declaring his intention of inaugurating a campaign favoring the government ownership of public utilities as soon as the election is over in November.

Democratic nominees for Congress from Texas are Morris Sheppard, M. L. Brooks, Gordon Russell, Choice B. Randall, Jack Beall, Scott Field, A. W. Gregg, John M. Pinckney, Geo. F. Burgess, Albert S. Bursleson, Foot L. Henry, O. W. Gillespie, John H. Stephens, Jas. L. Slayden, Jno. N. Garner, Wm. R. Smith.

The following members of the Hereford Band went to Canyon City Monday afternoon and will furnish music during the reunion: Archie Conrad, George Floyd, Tom Carter, Raleigh Hough, Edgar Irmon, Luther Hough, Claude Witherspoon, A. C. Bratton, Leslie Robinson, W. E. Rush and Clyde Brown.

Carrie Nation is not having the smooth sailing in Kentucky that has characterized her sa- tyron smashing in Kansas. She was knocked down twice in a Kentucky town last week, first by a boy from whose mouth she snatched a cigarette, later by a saloon proprietor at whom she was hurling her bitter invectives.

The strike situation between the packers and their employees seems to have gone beyond the point where reconciliatory me-

thods can be instituted. The packers are determined to use their millions to win the fight.

JULY 31, 1934
Earl W. Wilson was named as the Democratic nominee for county judge over Judge W. E. Dameron at Saturday's election. County Commissioner J. E. Hill was reelected over Troy Womble and J. C. Allred was also returned as commissioner of precinct four over his opponent, B. J. McCaskey... Judge Felix Robertson of Dallas continued to increase his lead in the governor's race with second place on the ticket appearing certain for Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson.

A real, old-fashioned Hereford picnic was decided on this week by the business men of Hereford. The date selected was the second Sunday in August and the reason for that date was the fact that the county singing convention is scheduled to be held on the east side of the courthouse lawn on that day.

An outstanding event of the social season and one of the most beautiful home weddings in Hereford for many years was that of Miss Pauline Haislip and Mr. Buford Farmer, solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hawkins last Thursday evening.

Recent changes involve three well-known real estate men here, Ashbrook and Wilson having dissolved partnership, Mr. Wilson embarking in the insurance and real estate business for himself. D. F. Ashbrook and W. S. Williams have formed a new partnership and are moving upstairs over the First National Bank.

THIS WEEK... AT THE USO

Have you seen "8 Ball"? Have you talked with any one who has seen him? We heard that he came to our camp from Camp Maxie with four of the men and that he causes quite a commotion whenever he is around. He goes to mess with the boys and even rides the bus. But did you ever see him? We will pay a reward to anyone who brings him into the USO.

The men who came into Hereford from Camp Maxie are a very friendly group and they have seen quite a bit of the world. Some have been in the Pacific for over two years, some stationed in Iceland, England, Africa,

and South America. They don't talk about it unless you ask them but it is interesting when they will tell something of their experiences.

Since last going to press we have received cards from Jennie Javor, Louis Kott, Joe Yanonis, Dick Minervinni, Bob Tremallo, Jerry Angelastro, and John W. Buck. Buck is on his furlough and will be back the 4th but the other men are deep in Mississippi where no one has a dry stitch on his back. We gathered from their remarks that they would much rather be "deep in the heart of Texas," and preferably in the USO at Hereford.

Our thanks to Frank Williams who worked on our broken down nickelodeon until it worked. He visited G. W. Smith's shop on Miles Ave. and found some necessary parts, which George donated to the USO. Thanks Mr. Smith.

The USO Council voted at the last meeting to allow dancing to the nickelodeon in the back part of the club one night a week from 10 to 11:30. It will not be a scheduled dance but any one in the club at that time will be allowed to dance if they so desire. At home the young folks roll up the rugs and take a few whirrs around the room. In their "home away from home" we will fold up the ping pong tables and enjoy a whirl or two, Friday, Aug. 4, will be our first such night and if there is a desire for more we will continue it on each Friday during August.

The records are not so good so if any of you have some good dance records we would appreciate the loan of them.

The entertainment committee met last night—too late to get the program in this column.

Conservation Exchange

News of the Deaf Smith County Wind Erosion District

Six Deaf Smith County farmers have made applications this week to the Deaf Smith County Wind Erosion District for assistance in improved methods of irrigation water application. The cooperators asking for this service are: W. P. Caraway, Alfred May, W. F. Gillis, C. C. Stewart, W. H. Johnson and L. A. Smith.

The Soil Conservation Service technicians assigned to this district are aiding these farmers in running ditch lines to irrigate feed crops.

Because of reported high financial returns and small amount of labor required, Leo Forrest and J. W. Seale, Deaf Smith County cooperators, are showing an interest in irrigated legume grass pastures. These farmers are planning to plant the pastures the latter part of August.

Information concerning seed cards will be sent out to the girls and sponsors in time to get ready for the events. In the meantime we need some more girls at the USO.

We are glad that Adeline Koelzer is recovering from her automobile accident. We are missing her. Hurry back Adeline.

And now comes a card from "Section 8 Stormy." We quote "No cookies here, No Mrs. Olson here, no Hereford here, and worst of all not even a breeze. Help, get me out of here! All the boys talk of Hereford as heaven now. Regards to all the nice people of Hereford."

Dawn

by MRS. CARL WIMBERLEY

Attending the Boy Scout encampment at Ceta Canyon are Carroll and Pat Miller, Augustine Ortega and Hershel Miller, Jr.

The Home Demonstration Club met at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Bentley Tuesday afternoon. Miss Sadie Lee Oliver discussed canning. The next meeting, Aug. 22, will be at the home of Mrs. H. V. McCabe.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. May and Miss Elouise and Virginia Brumley returned home this week from a vacation trip to points in New Mexico.

Mrs. Johnnie Womble and sons and Mrs. Baker Womble and Sally returned home Wednesday from a trip to Colorado Springs. They visited Pike's Peak, the Garden of the Gods and other points of interest near there.

The newly organized Women's Missionary Society met in the home of Mrs. Hardy Stevens Thursday afternoon. Among those present were Mesdames T. F. Fain, Lloyd Bentley, Minnie Smith, C. Aubrey Wimberley, Edgar Lemmons, William Wimber-

Miss Wilma Ruth Baber of Wichita Falls, who has been attending West Texas State College, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. Aubrey Wimberley last Sunday. Mrs. Owen Stagner of Hereford called in the Wimberley home Saturday.

Mixtures, seeding rates, planting instructions, the amount and frequency of irrigation may be obtained from the Soil Conservation Service office in the Deaf Smith County Courthouse.

H. E. Miller, M. B. McGaughey, T. W. Roberson and Mack No- land received district assistance last week in locating irrigation ditches on their farms.

Officers for the society include Mrs. C. Aubrey Wimberley, president, Mrs. Hardy Stevens, vice-president and Mrs. J. D. Pruitt, secretary and treasurer. Meetings are held the second and fourth Thursdays at 3:00 p. m. Everyone interested is invited to be present. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Carl Wimberley.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Walton entertained a group of friends with a picnic on the creek Sunday afternoon. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. McCabe and family, Stanley McKenzie, Miss-

es Mary Frye, Myrtle and Shirley Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Walton and family.

Jed Miller, who has been stationed at Arlington, has been sent to the Great Lakes Naval Training School. Mrs. Vernon H. Baker and son Johnnie of Goodland visited this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wimberley. Both Mr. and Mrs. Baker will teach at Goodland this year.

Miss Joyce Carr of Canyon spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Miller. Miss Ruth Ford and Miss Myers of Canyon called in the Miller home Thursday.

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Implements

- 1 1941 Ford Tractor.
- 1 1941 Ford Cultivator.
- 1 New Ford Moldboard Plow.
- 1 6-Ft. Angel One-Way Plow.
- 1 M-M Combine, 12-ft. on rubber, re-conditioned.
- 1 3-Section Harrow.
- 1 Ford Lister and Planter, '41.
- 1 Ford Ditcher.
- 1 Massey-Harris Wheat Drill, 14-inch.

Livestock . . .

- 1 Saddle Horse.
- 11 3-year-old Cows, 6 calves, White-face.

4 Mixed Milk Cows with calves.

- 6 Jersey Heifers, yearlings.
- 1 Whiteface Yearling Bull.
- 1 Whiteface Yearling Heifer.

Miscellaneous . . .

- 1000-Gallon Butane Storage Tank.
- 3000-Gallon Overhead Storage Tank.
- 1937 Ford 1 1/2-ton Truck.
- 1 2-Wheel Stock Trailer.
- 1 20x60 Galvanized Barn.

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thousands dropped over France in an effort to keep the people in line. Here's what Hicks has to say:

"I'm not far behind the lines. I can't hear the rifle fire but the artillery is giving them hell. I've been up on the front several times. It isn't much fun up there. There is a steady stream of prisoners coming in. They look just like high school kids. They captured one the other day only 14 years old.

"I'll be glad when the cigars get here. A cigar is something that I've yet to see over here.

"We were up observing fire the other day and there was a general with us. They started throwing shells back at us and it was worth a month's pay to see him hit the ground.

"I swapped a German rifle for a radio. It is about as big as your camera. It isn't so hot according to the radio you have at home but we wouldn't take a million for it here. I've a most wonderful fox hole. All the comforts of home. Straw and cardboard under me and a raincoat and shelter half over me. No one needs tell you to dig a fox hole or keep your gun clean. Those are two things you spend a lot of time doing.

When the boys write about them, all fox holes seem to be wonderful. We understand some of them are fixed up pretty swanky. How about some descriptions of the fox holes you guys have?

BACK ON THE HOME FRONT, the folks do about as much griping as the G.I.'s, but likewise, they generally settle down and get their particular job done. Wheat harvest is pretty well on the decline and very little wheat was lost. Women are working in the fields and have been driving trucks—and doing a swell job—quite a few hayfever victims are

fussing because the weeds have gotten completely out of control in the courthouse lawn is one beautiful mass of dandelions . . . 14-year-old girls as waitresses and soda skeets are making more than a GI salary . . . labor shortages and thunderstorms have resulted in considerable light and power trouble, which is disconcerting if you happen to be unloading wheat or in the middle of a mystery story . . . cigarettes come in around noon Wednesdays and the town is out by Thursday night . . . cigars are even more scarce than cigarettes . . . the liquor shortage is so bad that gin and rum bottles are practically all you ever see along the gutters. . . the Deaf Smith Democratic Convention voted to support Roosevelt and Truman, although some Texas counties are still "out of line" . . . potato harvest is going full blast. . . most of the old crowd who went fishing in Colorado are on the job or in the service. . . very few vacations this year.

If you think the town is practically depopulated and empty due to the number of men and women in service you are decidedly wrong. A lot of boys indicate this in letters—especially when they have been overseas a good while. Actually, there are more people in Hereford now than ever before in history.

It has been plenty hot here this week, but had been exceptionally cool until this recent spell. . . the gardens are not doing so well, but people still have plenty to eat and wear . . . in fact, the average is probably better than before the war . . . Hereford has never yet failed to make any quota asked; this is the case with most West Texas towns, although a few have fallen down . . . everyone thinks you guys are doing a swell job and most people figure you will

Be home for Christmas dinner . . . we all hope so!

SOCIETY

Piano Students Give Recital

Students of music under Miss Thelma McMinn, teacher of piano, gave their final recital at the First Baptist Church Monday afternoon. Miss McMinn will rejoin Central School Faculty in September after a three year leave of absence.

Those appearing were Sharon Dee Moore, Mary Katherine Carroll, Gayle Roberson, Ann Halle, Pat Kerr, Beverley Ann Eldridge, Myra Jo Sowell, Dixie Young, Wilma Jo Robertson, Louise Young, Dona Jean Stagner, Elaine Thompson, Nan Longbottom, Lawrence Owen, Kathryn Davis, Evelyn Jean Benson, Wanda Sue Wimberley, Abbie Longbottom, Alma Faye Knox, Inez Tucker and Audrey Hood.

Other summer students were Jo Anne Smith, Marcella Blue, Mary Lou Benson, Mildred Henry, Geraldine Henry, Barbara Ann LeGrand, Lila, Marcia and Betty Robbins, Nancy and Geraldine Patterson, Mary Estelle LeGrand, Patsy Longbottom, Betty Jean Wade, Doris Goldston, Charlene Walker, J. Roy Crutchfield, Juanita Upton, Earline Plank, Betty Shockley, Rosemary Phillips, Sandra Curtis and Louis LeGrand.

COTERIE CLUB MEETS

Mrs. Jas. W. Witherspoon was hostess to members and guests of the Coterie Club at her home on Lawton Avenue Friday afternoon. Guests playing with members were Mrs. C. J. Crump and Mrs. J. S. Maxfield. Mrs. Grant Fuller won the defense stamp

MRS. GLENN SNYDER ENTERTAINS CLUB

Mrs. Glenn Snyder entertained the Tuesday Bridge Club with a bridge luncheon Tuesday. Phlox in shades of deep purple were used about the house and small tables for the luncheon were centered with arrangements of verbenas and petunias. Mrs. Norman Harris received the guest prize for high score and Mrs. Travis Dameron played high for the club award.

Guests of the club were Mrs. Harris, Mrs. J. R. Allison and Mrs. Meade Halle.

Members attending the luncheon party were Mesdames Colby Conkwright, W. M. Emmons, Travis Dameron, C. H. Dyar, W. J. Stenford and the hostess.

award for high score.

Members of the club present were Mesdames Knox Kinard, Grant Fuller, Frank Lucas, Howard Gault, C. F. Moore, Lee Benefield and the hostess.

Two Visitors Are Favored

Mrs. Seth B. Holman honored her niece, Mrs. Rufus Dodgen of Shamrock and Mrs. Clayton Heare of Amarillo, both house guests of Mrs. Henry Benson, at a bridge-luncheon Tuesday.

Roses predominated in decorations for the event with informal arrangements of garden flowers as necessary blossoms. At the conclusion of contract games guest prizes were given and Mrs. H. A. Close won the high score award.

A plate lunch was served at twin tables to the following guests: Mesdames Henry Benson, H. K. Fox, W. L. Davis, H. A. Close, Jimmie Gillentine, Everett Lawley, and out-of-town visitors. Mrs. J. A. Pitman and Mrs. A. R. Bateman were luncheon guests.

Coffee Is Given

Mrs. Henry Benson honored Mrs. Dodgen and Mrs. Heare at a coffee Wednesday morning.

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City Commission of the City of Hereford, will meet on Tuesday August 16th, 1944, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., at the City Hall, for the purpose of considering its budget for the ensuing fiscal year, and for the purpose of holding a Public hearing on such budget, at which time any Tax Payer may appear and participate in such hearing.

DATED this the 29th day of July, A. D. 1944.

E. S. IRELAND,
Mayor, City of Hereford, Texas.
31-308

A Few Words of Sincere Thanks

There is still a Haile Drug Store in Hereford, but it is now being operated by C. H. Smith of Portales—following completion of a deal on Monday, July 31st.

This is not an easy announcement to make, nor was it easy to complete the sale . . . for the past seven years, it has been a genuine pleasure to serve you in the drug business, the past five years of which have been spent in our new location. We have all been proud of our modern store these years . . . and during the thousands of hours spent there, you may rest assured that your friendship, your goodwill and your ever-willing cooperation have meant equally as much as your business.

However, I am convinced that the new owners will give you the best possible service under existing circumstances . . . for they are experienced drug store men — and I know that you will show them the same considerations you have always shown me.

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MRS. JOHN McLEAN, Society Editor Phone 181

Miss Bernadine Phillips Marries Corporal Gay W. McReynolds Here

Miss Bernadine Phillips, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Phillips, and Opl. Gay W. McReynolds, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. McReynolds of Clovis, N. M., were married Sunday morning at ten o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Phillips.

The ceremony, read by Rev. Marvin Boyd, took place in the presence of only a small group of relatives and friends of the couple. Greenery and all white flowers graced the improvised altar before a large window. White tapers burned in candleholders.

Attendants were Sgt. and Mrs. Paul Sammons of Pecos.

The bride was married in a simple navy blue sheer crepe dress with white Irish lace collar and cuffs and worn with all white accessories. She carried a white Bible and white gardenias.

Miss Thelma McMinn gave a prelude of piano music and played softly during the ceremony. She also played the wedding marches.

After the ceremony refreshments were served from a decorated table centered with a two-tiered wedding cake topped with two white wedding bells. The first piece of cake was cut by the bride and groom. Miss Mary Fugg of Canyon served the cake and Miss Nedra Evans served punch.

The couple departed on a short trip, after which they will go to Pecos where he is stationed with the Army Air Corps.

Mrs. McReynolds is a graduate of Hereford High School and of W. T. S. Canyon. Opl. McReynolds was employed with the Santa Fe Railroad System in Pecos, N. M., before entering the armed service.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding included Mr. and Mrs. W. T. McClain and son Gene, Mrs. O. G. McClain, Mrs. W. J. McClain, Mrs. Helen Farmer, Miss Mae Worth and Miss Pearce, all of Amarillo, Misses Mary Bugz and Nedra Evans of W. T. S. Canyon.

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BRIDGE-LUNCHEON ENTERTAINS CLUB

A bridge luncheon entertained members of the Wednesday Luncheon Club last week. Mrs. W. M. Emmons was hostess at her home on East Third Street. Red roses and red zinnias made a pretty floral arrangement for the luncheon table. After the luncheon Mrs. Homer Fox was high player for the score award. Mrs. W. C. Pitman was a special guest.

Members present were Mesdames W. L. Davis, J. C. McCracken, C. C. Acker, Jimmie Gillentine, Oscar Easley, Homer Fox, Alton Fraser and the hostesses.

SUMMERFIELD BRIDE IS NAMED HONOREE

Gifts were presented to Miss Edith Neill whose marriage to Sgt. John Graham took place Sunday, at a shower given at the Baptist Church in Summerfield Thursday. Hostesses included Mesdames L. H. Lookingbill, J. B. Noland, Ray Johnson, Roy Euler, Lee Curry, L. B. Lookingbill and Tandy Legg. Making up the receiving line were Mesdames Lee Cury, B. E. Roberson, W. A. Neill, mother of the bride, the honoree, Hub Ray and Misses Berthamie Thomas and Carrie Neal Russell.

An enjoyable program was presented by Carrie Neal Russell, Mary Lookingbill and Billie Ray Johnson, Mrs. Roy Euler and daughter Betty were in charge of the gifts. Mrs. Marvel Upton and Miss Mary Lookingbill presided at the punch bowl and Miss Pearl Prachar was in charge of the register.

Those attending were Mesdames B. K. Greeson, Elbert DeLozier, C. B. Thomas, R. D. Lance, Earl Lance, W. H. Waiser, Bagwell, D. C. Waiser, W. C. Neill, Lust, Frank Lookingbill, Ky. Lawrence, B. C. Roberson, L. L. Cannon, W. B. Boston, O. B. Sumner, M. D. Rexrode, Bill Smith, Glenn Roberson, Obe Roberson, Misses Mabel Cannon, Gayle Roberson, Betty Euler, members of the house party and the hostesses.

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MRS. B. A. WEST

Forty-three persons attended a dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. West Sunday in honor of their son Fred, who left for the Navy, Aug. 2. Those who attended were Mr. and Mrs. W. O.

Marsh of Snyder, Tex., Mr. and Mrs. A. E. West and family of House, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Lewis West and family and Mrs. Doyle Jones and son all of Post, Miss Ruby and Viola Cummings of Stinnett, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Morton and family of Hereford Mr. and Mrs. Floyd West and family, Willie Kliever, Jack Gustoff of Fort Worth, Mary Elvyn and Patsy Hammock and Glen Fortenberry of Adrian.

Most of the farmers in this community are through cutting wheat and are plowing their wheat land.

Jumbo

MRS. SAM HUNTER

Ernie Morley of Toledo, O., who has been spending his vacation on the Metcalf farm here, went to Amarillo Tuesday to meet his wife who will also visit here for a few days. Mr. Morley is a civilian flying instructor with Tom Metcalf in Toledo.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Matthews of Clovis visited in the L. A. Matthews home last week end and were accompanied home by Mrs. Howard Bishop, who remained for a two day visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Wayne Adams left last week for a visit to Mrs. Adams' relatives in Okla. She will remain there, as Lonnie Wayne expects to be inducted into the army soon after his return. Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Adams, who have lived in this community for a good many years are planning to move away soon after their sale of farm equipment next Thursday.

Mrs. P. H. Dyer, who has been in Temple for three weeks, is reported improving, but is remaining for observation.

Mr. Connor of Archer City, the father of Mrs. L. A. Matthews arrived Tuesday for an extended visit in the Matthews home.

LEGAL NOTICE

H. J. R. No. 8

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding thereto Sections 51-e and 51-f; Section 51-e providing that cities and towns in this State shall have the power and authority to provide a system of retirement and disability pensions for their employees, provided, however, that no pension system shall be set up in any city until it has been approved at an election by qualified voters entitled to vote at an election on the question of the issuance of tax supported bonds; Section 51-f providing that the Legislature shall have authority to provide a system of retirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of cities and towns to operate Statewide or by districts under such plan or program as the Legislature shall direct and shall provide that participation therein by cities and towns shall be voluntary; provided that the Legislature shall never make an appropriation to pay any of the cost of any system authorized by this Section; providing for an election on the question of the adoption or rejection of such an amendment and making an appropriation therefor; providing for the proclamation and publication therefor and prescribing the form of ballot.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto Sections 51-e and 51-f, which shall read as follows:

"Section 51-e. Each incorporated city and town in this State shall have the power and au-

thority to provide a system of retirement and disability pensions for their appointive officers and employees who have become disabled as a direct and proximate result of the performance of their duties, or have passed their sixty-fifth birthday, or have been employed by such city or town for more than twenty-five (25) years and have passed their sixtieth birthday, when and if, but only when and if, such system has been approved at an election by the qualified voters of such city or town entitled to vote on the question of issuance of tax supported bonds; provided that no city or town shall contribute more than the equivalent of seven and one half (7 1/2) per centum of salaries and wages of the officers and employees entitled to participate in its pension system, and that said officers and employees shall contribute a like amount; and this Amendment shall not reduce the authority nor duty of any city or town otherwise existing.

"Section 51-f. The Legislature of this State shall have the authority to provide for a system of retirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of cities and towns to operate Statewide or by districts under such a plan and program as the Legislature shall direct and shall provide that participation therein by cities and towns shall be voluntary; provided that the Legislature shall never make an appropriation to pay any of the cost of any system authorized by this Section."

this State shall have the power and authority to provide a system of pensions for their appointive officers and employees." All ballots at such election shall also have printed thereon, "For the Constitutional Amendment giving authority to the Legislature to provide for a system of retirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of the cities and towns" and "Against the Constitutional Amendment giving authority to the Legislature to provide for a system of retirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of the cities and towns." Each voter shall scratch out two (2) of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the two (2) expressing his vote on the proposed Amendments.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and shall have the same

published as required by the Constitution for Amendments thereto.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

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- SPRY** 3-Lb. Jar 68c
- SWAN** Large Bar 9c medium Bar 6c
- TISSUE** Gauze — Roll 4c
- WINDEX** A window cleaner—Small bottle ... 13c
- DOG FOOD** Pard — Box 10c
- COFFEE** Arnholtz — Lb. 29c
- RAIN DROPS** Large Box 21c
- SALAD DRESSING** Lady Betty — Quart 34c
- WESSON OIL** Quart 51c
- SNOWDRIFT** 3-Lb. Jar 67c

- COFFEE** Golden Light — Lb. 29c
- BAKE-RITE** 3-Lb. Carton 65c
- TOILET SOAP** Camay; bars 3 for 19c
- OXYDOL** Large Box 23c
- POST TOASTIES** Giant Box 12c
- MATCHES** Carton of 6 Boxes 23c
- GREEN BEANS** Killians—No. 2 Can 15c
- CORN** Tama, Cream Style—No. 2 Can 10c

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- VINEGAR** Joye — Gallon 39c
- RITZ** 1-Lb. Box 21c
- CRACKERS** Premium — 2-Lb. Box 31c

- FLOUR** PURASNOW, 25-LB. SACK \$1.05
- PORK & BEANS** ARMOUR'S, Big 2 1/2 Can. FOR 19c
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LOCALS

Mrs. E. B. Hedrick left Thursday for Palestine to spend a month there with relatives.

Mrs. Seth B. Holman returned Saturday from a visit with relatives in Plainview and with her brother, Harvey Cash, and family in Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Kerr, formerly of Hereford and now of Canyon, spent the week end in Hereford visiting with their

children, Mrs. Clay Ridgway, Mrs. Robert Birchfield, Will S. Kerr and Reavis Kerr.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Beyer of Amarillo were here Sunday to see his father, J. E. Beyer, who was injured in a car accident last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hawkins and little son of Austin have been recent visitors in the home of his mother, Mrs. D. W. Hawkins.

Dr. B. M. Wiltshire left Friday for the west coast where he will be assigned for further duty in the U. S. Army. Mrs. Wiltshire and daughter Patsy will join Captain Wiltshire at his new base.

Mrs. Wm. Bell and children of Oklahoma City have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Teter.

Mrs. T. H. Coursey has arrived from Dallas to make an indefinite stay with her daughter, Mrs. W. L. Davis, and family.

Attend Conference

Young people from three districts are attending the Older People's Conference being held in Ceta Glen this week. Lubbock, Plainview and Amarillo districts of the Methodist church are conducting a joint meeting where study courses in religious training, recreational activities and program planning are being held. Rev. and Mrs. Marvin Boyd and Miss Naomi Hare are representing the Hereford organization. Rev. Boyd is conducting one study course.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Danforth returned Sunday from a week end trip to Espanola and other points in New Mexico.

Miss Katherine Hicks of Little Rock, Ark., is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Beyer. She plans to visit with other relatives in Garden City, Kans., before returning to her home.

Mrs. H. C. Patterson of Wilmington, O., arrived last week for a month's stay here with relatives. She is a guest of her sisters, Mrs. Wirt Phillips and Mrs. Phil Radovich.

Two old-time residents of Hereford spent a few hours in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mont Baker Thursday. They were Mrs. Valentine Colthorp of Amarillo and son, Cpl. Erlon Colthorp of Lowery Field, Denver, Colo.

Miss Dettie Albracht and Miss Monica Albracht left Monday for a two-week vacation trip to California where they will visit relatives.

SONS In the Service

Plummer Promoted

Allen G. Plummer of Hereford, has been promoted to the grade of Technician Fifth Grade, according to recently published orders, at his base somewhere in Italy.

T-5 Plummer, who has been a member of the United States Army since January, 1942, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Plummer of Hereford High School and a 1942 graduate of Texas A and M College. Plummer was an agricultural worker before his entrance into the military service.

Today, wearing the Army Good Conduct Award and the Middle East-African-European Theater Ribbon with one bronze campaign participation star, T-5 Plummer is with a Fifteenth Air Force Service Command quartermaster trucking company, helping maintain the continual supply of food, ammunition, bombs, and spare parts that are used by the Fifteenth Air Force in its attack against the enemy.

Promoted to Staff Sgt.

Jesse M. James, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert James of Hereford, has been promoted to the rank of staff sergeant, according to an announcement from 15th AAF Headquarters somewhere in Italy.

A nose turret gunner, Sgt. James is a member of a Liberator bombardment group that has seen plenty of action over Southern Europe. He has flown on 32 combat missions, taking part in the blasting of such important targets as the Ploesti oil refineries and Nazi-held airdromes and rail yards in France, Germany, Austria and Roumania.

Sgt. James entered the Air Corps on Jan. 3, 1943. He received his gunnery training at the Army Air Base, Ft. Myers, Fla.

Stationed at Carlsbad

Lt. A. L. Hallum graduated from Instructors School at Midland and is now stationed at the Carlsbad (N. M.) Army Air Field as an instructor of cadets in the flight line. Lieutenant Hallum, the son of Mrs. F. S. Smith of Hereford, was in combat service in the Southwest Pacific, from May, 1943 to April, 1944.

Writes from India

The Command Post, army newspaper published for the India-Burma theatre, has taken cognizance of the letter-writing problems of GIs and published a ready-made letter for "Mom," back home, telling her all about the GI routine in India. Pfc. Edwin R. Skypala, son of Mr. and Mrs. V. Skypala, sent a copy of the letter to his mother—and among other facts of interest are included:

"I wish you could see the way they grow and sell fruit in India. They are not the kind of bananas we get in America . . . but are smaller and sweeter. Here you buy a ripe, juicy pineapple any time you want to. Vendors sell them on the street. They peel them right before your eyes and lay slices out in a basket, which, however, isn't the best way to buy them. It's best to buy the whole pineapple and peel it yourself. This goes for coconuts also.

"Some things grown in India are considered delicacies, but they don't always appeal to Americans because you have to acquire a taste for them. In this class is a type of sweet potatoes, which doesn't taste like ours at home but isn't bad when you get used to it. We have fried chicken which nobody has any trouble

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Flutt last week were Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Spiller and Mrs. Burton Phillips of Albuquerque, N. M. Other guests included Lt. Eugene Sweeney of New York City and the Flutt's son, Lyle, who is attending Amarillo Junior College.

From Tyler

Here the first part of the week as guests in the F. H. Oberthier home were their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Lawrence of Tyler and their son, Lt. Bill Lawrence of the U. S. Army Air Corps.

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Engman Spends Leave

Harry Engman, Jr., S 1-c, arrived Sunday to spend a seven-day leave with his mother, Mrs. Harry Engman, and family. He was met here by Mrs. J. B. Gould and daughter Linda Gay of Fort Worth.

Harry has completed 14 months of sea duty and has participated in several major battles in the South Pacific. He recently visited his brother, J. B. Gould, SK 1-c, on the U. S. S. Tennessee during the battle of Saipan. He will return to San Francisco for assignment.

At Beaumont Hospital

Pvt. Claude D. Goldston, son of H. D. Goldston of Hereford, is at the William Beaumont General Hospital in El Paso, where he is recovering from a major operation.

Pvt. Goldston, who took part in campaigns in North Africa and Italy, was returned to the States from England.

Truckin' A Good Job

Pfc. Willis C. Julian of the U. S. Marine Corps, found truck driving a pretty routine job when he first joined the Corps—but he now likes it fine and in fact plans to go into business for himself when he gets through truckin' for the Marines.

These facts about Julian's postwar plans are contained in an article on postwar planning by U. S. Marines contained in the August issue of "The Leatherneck," official magazine of the Corps.

Bethel

MRS. E. R. ROTHWELL

Albert Sinclair and Charles Henry Howell left Friday for Liberal, Kans., to visit Pfc. and Mrs. Billy Brooks Sinclair for a few days.

Miss Wanda Marie Allmon of Hereford visited last week with her aunt, Mrs. Jim Bagwell.

Mesdames Vern Lust and Ivor Bagwell, Grace Lust, Marlene Rothwell, Elzada Smith, Nelda

Jean Bagwell and Latrelle Bagwell attended a bridal shower at Summerfield last Thursday given in honor of Miss Edith Neill.

Mrs. Fate Shannon has received several letters from her husband Pfc. Fate Shannon since his arrival in England. Leland Smith and family were Hereford visitors Saturday.

Jackie Copeland and Jesse Burch spent last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Copeland.

Mrs. Jim Bagwell and Mrs. Vern Lust went to Amherst last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Williams of Kress visited in the home of his uncle J. C. Williams Friday.

J. C. Benton of Mountaineer spent Sunday night in the home of his brother-in-law E. R. Rothwell.

He attended the funeral of his

brother Clem Benton of Dismitt.

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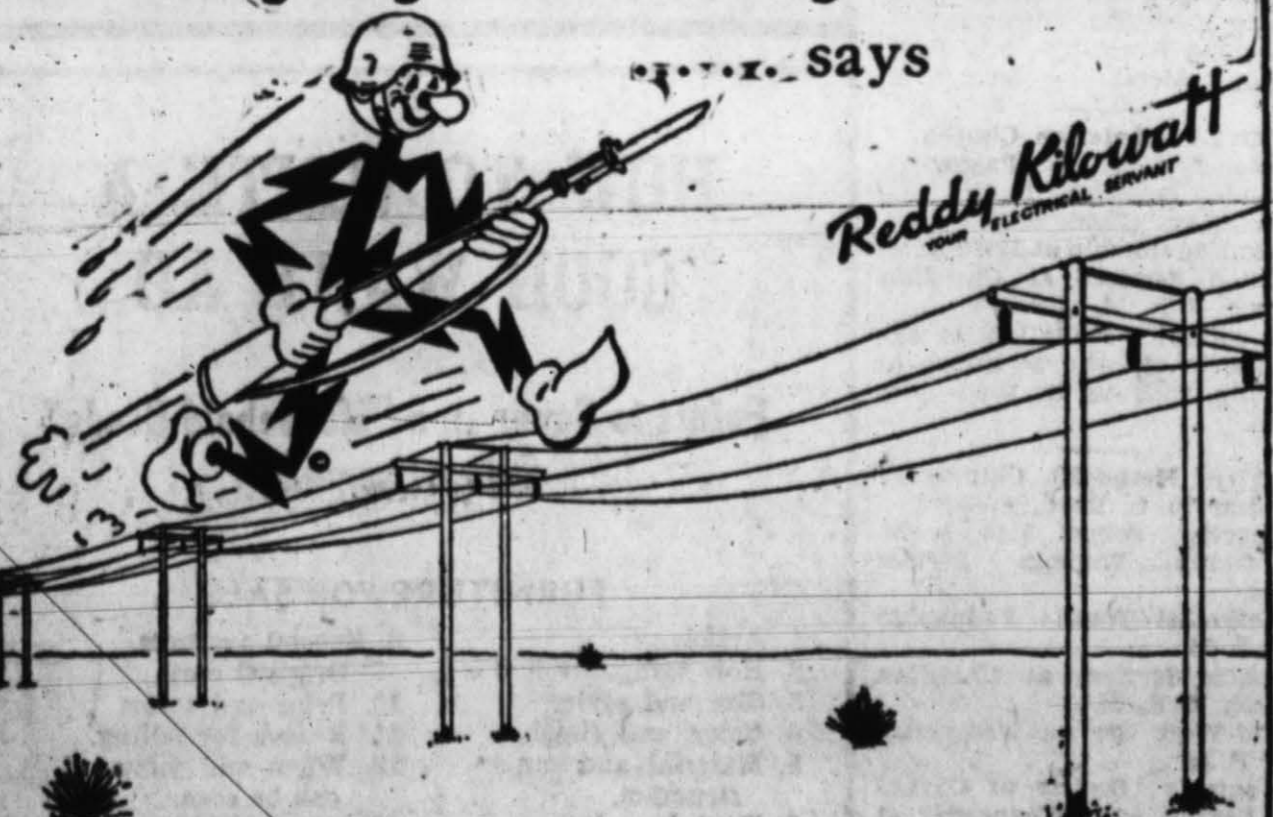


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that both our armed forces and our home-front workers need in the big push for final Victory. In the home, too, you'll find me running all kinds of appliances so that women can spend more time doing their share.

I'm despoing everything I can to working for Victory—and I've never been too little or too late. Yet you haven't had to go without any services elsewhere just because I was doing war work.

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AT THE PRESENT TIME we are putting up special packages of Cream O' Plains ICE CREAM . . . especially for you to take home. We hope to continue this packaging throughout the remaining Summer Months . . . and we believe you will agree that our Ice Cream is far above the average.

Chocolate, Strawberry or Vanilla

AT THE FOLLOWING DEALERS:

Candy Kitchen
City Drug
Close Drug
Halle Drug
Ike's Cafe

Hereford Locker &
Cold Storage
Hereford News Stand
Lucillo's Cafe

Cream O' Plains Ice Cream
manufactured by

THE HEREFORD CREAMERY

FROM CREAM PRODUCED IN THIS TERRITORY!

NO RETAIL SALE AT THE CREAMERY . . . except 1/2-Gallon and 1-Gallon Packs especially for parties . . . Phone 680 in advance for party needs.

Classified Ads

"Buy What You Want — Sell What You Don't Need"

INFORMATION — RATES
 20 per word — 1st insertion
 (cash discounts follow)
 15 per word — add. insertions
 (any ad which goes on our
 books will take the regular 2c
 per word rate — no matter how
 many times published.)
 The cost of any number of
 words can be easily computed at
 this rate. Tables below show sev-
 eral ad costs.
 Minimum Charge is 12 Words
 or 24 Cents.

FOR 12 WORDS	
1 time	24c
2 times (cash)	36c
3 times (cash)	48c
FOR 15 WORDS	
1 time	30c
2 times (cash)	45c
3 times (cash)	60c
FOR 25 WORDS	
1 time	50c
2 times (cash)	75c
3 times (cash)	\$1.00

Out-of-town ads must be ac-
 companied by cash — if they will
 not be published.
 No ads taken after 10:00 A. M.
 Thursdays.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE: Nice small divan,
 Mrs. Jack Bradley, 1008 East
 15th St. 31-1tp

FOR SALE: Mercury motor with
 engine carburetor and cooling
 system and one to one ratio
 geared head. Jack Bradley,
 Phone 184-J. 31-1tp

FOR SALE: Buttermilk for hog
 feed. Hereford Creamery. 21-tfc

FOR SALE: One practically new
 row Meyer potato sprayer. See
 write Ollie L. Williams, 3102
 Harrison St., Amarillo, or phone
 Amarillo 9235. 30-tfc

FOR SALE: 20 three star white
 Wyandotte hens; 1 year old, \$1.25
 each. Mrs. O. T. McKee, 209 J
 Street, Phone 62-J. 31-1tp

FOR SALE: Two 22-36 Interna-
 tional Wheat-type tractors on
 steel completely overhauled this
 year; two 9 ft. 24-inch disc one-
 way plows; one International
 three or four row Hester-type
 drag planter; one shop built
 Home wheat plow. All priced to
 sell. L. P. Jeffreys, Phone C-0
 Roy Hill, Morton, Texas, or
 phone 9695, Lubbock, Texas.
 30-2tp

FOR SALE: One 1939 model CC
 Case tractor with 4-row cultiva-
 tor, tool-bar lister; one 1944
 model John Deere tractor, 12x38
 rubber, Phone 471-M. 31-2tp

FOR SALE: In Sacramento
 Valley, Calif., 318 acre improved
 farm, 275 acres in cultivation.
 Running water, wheat, oats, bar-
 ley, corn, alfalfa, fruits, vegeta-
 bles. \$20.00 per acre, cash, and
 no fooling. Will McCoy, Friona,
 Texas. 30-2tc

FOR SALE: One Underwood
 typewriter. Mrs. R. E. Edwards,
 139 G Ave. 31-3tp

FOR SALE: Three young Ches-
 ter White boys, subject to regis-
 ter and ready for service. E. S.
 Heath stock. Moody Stephan,
 Westway. 30-3tp

FOR SALE: One 12-ft. John
 Deere tandem disc, practically
 new. Mark Benefield, 2 miles
 west on Harrison Highway.
 31-tfc

FOR SALE: Good 10-ft. Oliver
 one-way with power lift. T. E.
 Seliger, phone 661-R. 30-tfc

FOR SALE: One registered
 Shetland pony, year old May
 25, 1944, \$40. Bay filly, about 6
 years old. Excellent saddle pony,
 \$75. Ed Dzik, 2 miles on Dim-
 mitt Highway. 31-2tp

FOR SALE: One IHC Power
 Drive No. 17 Potato Digger in
 A-1 condition; has all new
 chains and new chain bearings.
 Call 58 or write Autrey Imple-
 ment Co., Melrose, N. M. 30-3tp

FOR SALE: About 10 dozen fruit
 jars. Price "eat and come and get
 'em. 306 B Street. 31-1tp

FOR SALE: Some piggy gilts.
 Also some sacks. Rube T. Adams,
 at Hereford Poultry and Egg.
 30-tfc

FOR SALE: Mercury motor and
 Johnston gear head. Both in
 first class condition. Frank Bez-
 ner. 31-3tp

FOR SALE: 1941 Buick H. T.
 Magness, Friona, Texas. 28-4tp

FOR SALE: By owner, 1940 4-
 door Buick sedan. Two-tone blue
 grey. A beautiful car. Good con-
 dition, good tires. Always used
 as family car, no rough usage.
 A car well worth price asked.
 Phone 17 or write Box 147, Dim-
 mitt, Texas. 31-2tp

FOR SALE: One 6-disc IHC sod
 plow; One 6-ft. Sanders one-
 way; three 4-ft. drag harrow
 sections; one 2-row power lift
 John Deere lister; one 2-row
 loose ground IHC planter; one
 IHC power binder; one 1-row
 John Deere lister; one iron
 wheel bundle wagon and rack.
 C. R. Walker, 8 miles northeast
 Hereford on Highway 80. 29-3tp

FARMERS—RANCHERS
 We now have the following
 items in our yard:
STOCK TANKS — any size—
 made up with steel bottoms
 if desired.
**TWO 2500-GAL. Upright Wa-
 ter Tanks** — several smaller
 ones. We can make them to
 order.
3-16" TANK STEEL in 5'x15'
 5'x10' and 6'x15' sheets.
 Plenty of reinforcing steel.
**American Pipe & Junk
 Company**
 910 W. 4th St.—Phone 9166
 Amarillo, Texas 29-3tc

FOR SALE: 400 bushels rye seed;
 150 White Leghorn Hens; 1 sta-
 tionary gas engine; 9-ft. tandem
 disc. Also have 6-ft. Moline one-
 way to trade for 10-ft. Oscar
 Hunt. Inquire at Brand office.
 31-2tp

WANTED TO HIRE: Women or
 children to work in truck patch
 gathering vegetables. See Virgil
 Morrison, 1 3-4 miles south
 Hereford or inquire at Labor of-
 fice. 31-tpt

FOR SALE: Duplex. Seven rooms
 and bath. 406 W. 4th, Mrs. Ella
 Burdine. 31-1tp

FOR SALE: Section of land
 within 14 miles of Friona, price
 \$20 per acre. Can give possession
 if sold at once. M. A. Crum Fri-
 ona. 31-2tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE: Two
 room house, lot 55x200, 212 Lake
 St. Reasonable. Inquire at Tay-
 lor's Blacksmith Shop. 31-2tp

THIS WELL-LOCATED
 8-room house is 2 blocks from
 business district, it has fine
 lawn and trees. Excellent
 home or rooming house. Price
 \$5250. Good terms.
 4-room house and bath, for
 \$2350. \$1,000 cash, balance
 like rent.

CLAUD HIGGINS
 Phone 668-J 31-3tp

FOR SALE: Our home on Lake
 Street. 5-room modern house,
 well with windmill, trees, shrubs,
 garage, wash house, chicken
 house, 2 basements, cow shed.
 Investigate K. C. E. Tice. 30-2tp

FOR SALE: 200 acre improved
 farm located 4 miles north, 3
 west and 3 north. Good well, 80
 ft. to water. J. R. Higgins. 30-4tp

LOST and FOUND

LOST: Billfold containing so-
 cial security card and Santa Fe
 pass, Please return to Fidel Or-
 tega, Dawn, Texas. 31-1tp

LOST: Two food ration books,
 Nos. 3 and 4. Chas. Dean, Gen.
 Del., Hereford. 31-1tp

LOST: Yellow Jersey Heifer,
 about 10 months old, strayed
 from our place Wednesday, July
 26. Notify Jack Flowers. 31-1tp

LOST: Bank statements belong-
 ing to R. H. Parker and Mrs.
 Monroe Parker. Finder please
 leave at Brand office. 31-1tp

LOST: International truck rim,
 July 21, between Hereford and
 Bootleg. Brumley Hog Company.
 30-2tc

LOST: Billfold containing money
 and important papers. Initials
 W. E. G. in gold inside. Keep
 money. Return billfold to Opal
 Gardner, Hereford, Texas, Rt. 2
 or The Brand. 30-2tp

LOST: One light Whiteface 2-
 year-old cow and calf. Branded
 J on left hip; calf unbranded. If
 found please notify Jim Bob Al-
 lison, Box 309, Hereford. 30-3tp

LOST: Pair of semi-rim glasses
 in green case. Please return to
 Brand office or Box 202, Here-
 ford, Texas. 30-2tp

LOST: Chevrolet wheel and
 Ward's Riverside first quality
 6-ply tire size 6:00x16 No.
 127XU128, between Hereford and
 Dimmitt or between my place
 and town on July 31. Liberal re-
 ward offered for its return. W. P.
 Axe, Route 3, Hereford. 31-2tp

LOST: Between Hereford and
 Amarillo, red Shepherd dog;
 white markings, collar, license
 tag. Answers to "Lucky". Reward.
 A. D. Gugenheim, 2216 Lipscomb,
 Amarillo, Phone 2-4785. 31-1tc

LOST: Bay horse branded S up
 and S down on left shoulder.
 Gilbert Hooper, Kelso, Phone
 152-W. 31-1tp

FOR RENT: To adults only a
 one to four room furnished
 apartment. Bills paid. Also bed-
 rooms. Phone 147. 31-1tp

LOST: Ration book No. 4 for
 Virgil Neal Morrison. Leave at
 Hunter's Grocery. 31-1tp

LOST: Billfold containing "T"
 and "E" gas ration coupons and
 other papers belonging to West-
 ern Sheetmetal and Roofing Co.
 Return to Ben Shreve. 31-1tp

FOR RENT

FOR RENT: Furnished apart-
 ment. 306 East 10th. 31-1tp

FOR RENT: Furnished apart-
 ment. Frigidaire and radio. No
 children. Also bedrooms. Wil-
 liams residence. 612 E. 11th St.
 31-1tp

NOTICE

**Local Hauling
 DRAY SERVICE
 Dependable Service
 H. E. Wester
 Day Phone 4 — Night 9007
 19-tfc**

**Cattle
 HAULING
 WE HAUL ANYWHERE
 PHONE 263
 C. E. Beauford
 29-tfc**

LEGAL NOTICE
 MONITION
 IN THE UNITED STATES
 DISTRICT COURT

For the Northern District of Texas
 United States of America vs. 25 Sacks
 Malted Wheat Flour, No. 440-Civ.

In obedience to a Warrant of Seizure
 to me directed, in the above-entitled
 cause, I have seized and taken into my
 possession the following-described food
 to wit: 20 sacks, each containing 100
 pounds of an article labeled in part:
 "Full Strength Tolerance Tested Malted
 Wheat Flour Bleached, (made exclusively
 from wheat) The Kansas Milling Co.,
 Wichita, Kansas, 100 pounds Net Weight." For the
 causes set forth in the libel now pending
 in the U. S. District Court for the Northern
 District of Texas at Amarillo I hereby
 give notice to all persons claiming
 the said described food, or knowing or
 having anything to say why the same
 should not be condemned and forfeited,
 and the proceeds thereof distributed ac-
 cording to the prayer of the libel, that
 they be and appear before the said Court,
 to be held in and for the Northern Dis-
 trict of Texas, at the United States
 Court Room, in the City of Amarillo on
 the 18th day of September, 1944, at
 10:00 o'clock on the forenoon of that
 day, if the same shall be a day of juris-
 diction otherwise on the next day of
 jurisdiction thereafter, then and there
 to interpose a claim for the same, and to
 make their allegations in that behalf.

JAMES R. WRIGHT
 U. S. Marshal Northern Dist. of Texas
 By William F. Lampe, Deputy.
 28-4tc

HOMES!
 Several highly improved
 acreage tracts.
 Three houses priced at
 \$2,500 each.

CLAUD HIGGINS
 Phone 668-J 30-3tp

DECENT 160 ACRES
 Irrigation district, part
 grass. \$17.50.

CLAUD HIGGINS
 Phone 668-J 29-3tp

These Will Please You!
 Two highly improved farms,
 \$50 per acre.

CLAUD HIGGINS
 Phone 668-J 29-3tp

These Are Real Buys
 Choice section irrigation dis-
 trict, \$30. Also section half
 grass, half cultivation.

CLAUD HIGGINS
 Phone 668-J 29-4tp

GOOD TERMS!
 On 5 small tracts ranging
 from 80 acres to 200 acres.
 Three of these places improv-
 ed.

CLAUD HIGGINS
 Phone 668-J 29-4tp

These Are Nice Homes
 Two improved irrigated
 farms, \$60 per acre.

CLAUD HIGGINS
 Phone 668-J 29-3tp

IMPROVED
 and unimproved small acre-
 age tracts. Some under
 irrigation.

CLAUD HIGGINS
 Phone 668-J 29-3tp

BUSINESS LOT
 Choice business lot, priced at
 \$600. Terms if wanted. Resi-
 dences and lots; also small
 acreages.

CLAUD HIGGINS
 Phone 668-J 29-3tp

FOR SALE: Five-room duplex
 at 218 B Street. See C. I. Rudd.
 29-3tp

PLENTY CHEAP
 This 480 acres fifteen miles
 from Hereford in irrigation
 district at \$22.50.
 Grass land from 160 acres
 up. Priced reasonable.

CLAUD HIGGINS
 Phone 668-J 30-3tp

**RANCHES and
 IRRIGATED FARMS**
 GOOD IMPROVED or unimproved ir-
 rigated farms near Hereford.

CHEAP FARMS in dry-land areas.
 ALSO A NUMBER of good homes and
 city property.

P. J. (Jack) ROSE
 REAL ESTATE—PHONE 311-W
 Hereford, Texas P. O. Box 400 34th

HOME FOR SALE
 On account of wife's health,
 will sell home or trade
 for land. See

J. L. FUQUA
 30-4tp

BRICK BUILDING
 Good location. Paying a good
 rate of interest on invest-
 ment. Has never been vacant.

CLAUD HIGGINS
 Phone 668-J 31-4tp

FRANKE WILDE
 on Hereford-Canyon Highway,
 6 miles out from Hereford
 31-1tp

**"Keep on the
 Right Side"**

Insure that Automobile
 to be Sure of the
 Right Side
 . . . and SAFETY!

**JOHN McLEAN
 AGENCY**

Announcement

**WE NOW HAVE
 CULL
 POTATOES**

For Livestock Feeding

**15c
 PER HUNDRED**

Howard Gault
 30-3tc

WANTED

**WHAT . . .
 No Cameras?**

No sir, I guess people just
 don't want to sell their
 cameras. I don't want to
 sell mine either. I like to
 take pictures . . . and with
 the shortage of film, I
 don't want to "muff" any
 shots. Is your camera tak-
 ing the kind of pictures
 you want? If not, bring it
 around to me and we'll go
 in a huddle and see if we
 can't make your camera
 take better pictures.

R. S. Scott
 At The Brand

FOR SALE

2 broadcast, power take-off
 10-ft. McCormick Deering
 binders; on rubber, run one
 season only.

2 15-ft. Home plows on
 rubber.

1 Case Separator, good as
 new.

See all at my headquarters
 17 miles northwest of Here-
 ford.

L. B. GODWIN
 30-tfc

Nipped in the Nick of Time



American invaders on Biak Island off New Guinea nailed this Nip just in time—he's got a grenade in his hand, but apparently didn't get a chance to throw it. (Signal Corps photo.)



Sen. Harry S. Truman of Missouri looks mighty pleased over being Democratic nominee for vice president. Mrs. Truman, left, and daughter Margaret seem to feel that way too.

Land!

If you have land to sell get us to

SELL IT AT

AUCTION

We have sold land for others AT AUCTION!

We Can Sell It For You!

We are booking FARM SALES . . . at any time!

B. E. BRUMLEY Phone 9024-F-4 Hereford, Texas

LLOYD OTTEN Phone 6769 Amarillo, Texas

**HOW TO WRITE A
 GOOD WANT AD**

Points to Cover in a "Household Goods" Advertisement

FURNITURE FOR SALE

- Article.
- How many.
- Size and style.
- Color and finish.
- Material and construction.
- Used how long.
- Conditions.
- Special features.
- Original cost.
- Price and terms.
- Reason for selling.
- When and where it can be seen.
- Name, address and phone number.

EXAMPLE

LARGE Overstuffed Davenport
 Soundly built, hardwood frame,
 full-spring-and-web construction
 Taupe mohair cover, three loose
 cushions. Used 8 months, shows
 no wear. Cost \$80. Moving to
 smaller house. Your opportunity
 at \$35. Call at residence any day
 except Sunday, 6872 Washing-
 ton Ave., Cass City, Phone 777.

State-Wide Report on Teacher's Pay Gives High Place to Hereford School

Average salaries of teachers in Deaf Smith county are higher than those in either Castro, Farmer, Oldham or Randall Counties, it was revealed this week in a tabulated statewide study of teachers' salaries conducted by the Texas State Teachers Association.

The figures, based on information available in December, 1943, show total enrollment in both common and independent school districts; the number of teachers employed; number of salaries below \$700, below \$1,000 and below \$1,200; average salary for regular teachers, vocational teachers and administrators, together with the average teacher-pupil load of the common schools and the independent schools. Final figure in the tabulation is the amount of money required to bring all schools in the county up to a minimum salary of \$1,200 per year.

Deaf Smith County has six common school districts and one

independent school district, employing a total of 37 teachers. Two teachers in the common school districts receive less than \$1,200 a year. The average salary of all teachers in the common schools is \$1,202 per year and \$1,402 in the Hereford independent School. An expenditure of \$570 would be required to bring salaries in the Common Schools up to the \$1,200 minimum average.

As tabulated in the report, an additional expenditure of \$7,509 would be required to bring all Farmer County salaries to the minimum; \$3,625 would be required in Castro County; \$2,890 in Oldham County and \$2,710 in Randall County.

As pointed out by the State Teachers Association, the loss of thousands of well trained teachers during the last two years has caused a crisis in Texas education and it now seems that the situation will not improve during the coming school year.

THAT'S MY POP... by GEORGE

DAUGHTER, JUST BECAUSE I CAME DOWN HERE TO THE SWIMMING HOLE DOESN'T MEAN I'M GOING INTO THE WATER!!! I LOATHE BLOOD SUCKERS, BROKEN BOTTLES AND CRABS; I WOULDN'T GO IN THE WATER FOR A MILLION BUCKS!!



COME HORNETS CHANGED HIS MIND -- THAT'S MY POP!!



The Hereford Independent District, as emphasized by the report, is considerably ahead of most neighboring schools in the average of teacher salaries; and the common school districts, while failing to pay the minimum on several salaries, still have a better record than the average. Main problem of Hereford school is the relatively high teacher pupil load, an average of 43 students instructed by each teacher in the city schools, and gives emphasis to the problem of overcrowding recognized by local teachers and school administrators. This problem cannot be fully met until after the war, when expansion of the school plant may become feasible; but in general local school patrons can point with pride to the local set-up as revealed in the state wide comparison.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our deep appreciation for the many kindnesses shown us at the time of our recent loss. Your thoughtfulness will be remembered always.

Mrs. W. M. Cogdell, Charley, Blake, Frank and Marie Cogdell.

Transparent Purse



Something new in accessories: trial attorney Freida B. Henneck of New York City displays a transparent purse of plastic. Note: you've got to be tidy to carry one.

Building Restrictions Tighten on Farm Constr.

New restrictions on farm building, announced this week, reflected the continued seriousness of the lumber supply situation and promised considerable tightening of building regulations for farmers. The County AAA Committee, must act on all applications for farm building materials and certificates

approved by the committee can then be submitted to dealers.

Essentially the new program calls for building only to replace farm buildings destroyed by fire, flood, etc.; for buildings necessary to protect farm products and for minor maintenance and repair. Limited construction also is authorized for labor housing purposes; and farmers must have certificates approved by the county AAA committee before building material can be released.

Farmers desiring to make building repairs, etc., may see their regular lumber dealers for complete details as to how to apply for materials.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincerest appreciation for the kind words and thoughtful deeds of our friends and neighbors at the passing of our beloved wife and mother. May God bless you in your every effort according to his will.

W. A. Knox
L. R. Knox
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Knox
1st. Sgt. and Mrs. Marvin Knox
Pfc. and Mrs. Stanford Knox
Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Brumley
Mr. and Mrs. Dick Fly.

31-ltc

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere appreciation and thanks to everyone who contributed to us in any way during the illness and death of our dear mother and grandmother, for the beautiful floral offerings, card, letters, also the delicious food served to us in the Ashcraft home. May God's richest blessings rest on all of you.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Smith and family.
Mrs. Lacy Whitcomb,
Mrs. J. T. McCormick,
Mrs. C. B. Hughes,
Mrs. Payne and R. B. Johnson.

31-ltc

Miss Rosella Albracht returned Monday from a Catholic Youths Conference held recently in San Antonio.

Roy Hume of Detroit, Mich., arrived by plane Wednesday for a visit here with his sister, Mrs. Glenn Weir.



KEEP ON...
Backing the Attack!
WITH WAR BONDS

It's Thrifty to have your car TUNED UP and Checked Regularly



and we will do the job right. Proper care will save you money and stretch your gasoline miles.

BRING US YOUR Battery Troubles

Headquarters for "Delco" and "Willard" Batteries

Crump BATTERY and ELECTRIC CO.
PHONE 284

Now is the Time to HOARD COAL!

COAL SHORTAGE LOOMS

Will You Be Caught Unprepared?

W. P. B. predicts a coal shortage of 20,000,000 next winter. Mines and railroads are in a position to supply coal now, but it cannot be shipped until orders are placed. Fill your bin now while coal is available in the better grades, and while equipment and manpower is on hand to deliver it. It's your only insurance against a fuel shortage in your home this winter.

OUR BINS ARE NOW FULL!

20-inch, 22-inch and 26-inch

Discs

SWEEPS -- PLOW PARTS

Gasoline, Oils, Greases, Stock Salt and Shelf Hardware.

Consumers

FOR BETTER SERVICE -- BIGGER DIVIDENDS

The VOGUE's mid-summer Clearance!

A specially selected group of merchandise MARKED DOWN for our Mid-Summer Clearance... Values that are suitable for wear Right Now, and many of which offer you an opportunity to save on your Fall Needs.



ONE GROUP DRESSES

Values to \$24.95, To Clear At \$10

ONE GROUP DRESSES

Values to \$16.95, To Clear At \$5

CLEARANCE OF SLACK SUITS

including one group to Clear at

Half Price!

The Vogue

Ready-to-Wear and Millinery

Keep Those Letters Coming!

That boy in service, whether he's still in the States or Overseas, is hungry for news from home. You help his morale when you keep letters coming regularly to let him know you're thinking of him and doing your best to keep him posted on family and local news.

AND HE'LL BE PROUD TO RECEIVE

Personalized Letters

with your name or monogram stamped on attractive stationery.

WE HAVE A COMPLETE STOCK

AIR MAIL... V-MAIL... and Heavier Papers
Prices from \$1.00 to \$4.25

And How about Some Stationery for the Boy Himself? He'll like it!

The Hereford Brand

Truck Tire Quota Slashed One-Third

Only 416 large truck tires will be available for the entire 71 counties in the Lubbock OPA District during the month of August, Howard R. Gholson, district director, announced today. The June quota was 1,473 and the July quota was 1,472 making the quota for next month less than 30 per cent of the previous quotas.

The number of truck tires of size 8.25 and larger available for rationing in August is the smallest since rationing began. The national quota, certified to the OPA by the Office of the Rubber Director, will be only 60,000 tires. Reasons given by the Office of Rubber Director for the dras-

tic cut in heavy truck tire quota are demands of military services, diversion of military and manpower from production of truck tires for civilian use to production of large size airplane tires, and a shortage of manpower skilled in the manufacture of these large size heavy duty tires.

Gholson stated that since the August quota is too low to permit setting a quota for all rationing boards as in the past, a temporary expedient has been adopted.

Under the temporary plan, truck and bus operators are to continue to apply for tires to the local boards. Instead of the board passing finally on the applicant's needs, the application will be routed to a special truck tire rationing panel being set up in the district for approval. This panel will issue the certificates

and return them to the local board for delivery to the applicant.

Since it is inevitable that some trucks must go off the road because of lack of tires the panel must make certain such trucks are not those essential to the war effort and the civilian economy.

LEGAL NOTICE

H. J. R. No. 18

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an Amendment to Section 9 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by changing said Section 9 so as to provide that the Commissioners Court in any county may re-allocate the county tax levies authorized in said section by changing the rates provided for any of the purposes authorized in said section by either increasing or decreasing the same, but in no event shall the total of such taxes exceed eighty (80) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation for any one year; providing that before such Commissioners Court may make such re-allocations and changes in such levies that the same shall be submitted to the qualified property tax paying voters of such county at a general or special election and shall be approved by a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters, voting in such election; providing that if and when such re-allocations and changes in such county tax levies have been approved by the qualified property tax paying voters of any county as herein provided, such re-allocations and changes shall remain in force and effect for a period of six (6) years from the date of the election at which same shall be approved, unless the same again shall have been changed by a majority vote of the qualified property tax paying voters of such county, voting on the proposition, after submission by the Commissioners Court at a general or special election for that purpose; providing that this section shall not be construed as a limitation on powers delegated to counties, cities or towns by any other section or sections of this Constitution; fixing the time for the election for the adoption or rejection of said proposed Constitutional Amendment; making certain provisions for said election and ballots thereof and the method thereof; directing the issuance of proclamation therefor; prescribing certain duties of the Governor of the State of Texas; and making an appropriation to defray the expenses of said election.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 9 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be so amended that the same will hereafter read as follows:

"Section 9. The State tax on property, exclusive of the tax

necessary to pay the public debt, and of the taxes provided for the benefit of the public free schools, shall never exceed thirty-five (35) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation; and no county, city or town shall levy more than twenty-five (25) cents for city or county purposes, and not exceeding fifteen (15) cents for roads and bridges, and not exceeding fifteen (15) cents to pay jurors, on the one hundred dollars valuation, except for the payment of debts incurred prior to the adoption of the Amendment September 25, 1883; and for the erection of public buildings, streets, sewers, water-works and other permanent improvements, not to exceed twenty-five (25) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation, in any one year, and except as is in this Constitution otherwise provided, however, that the Commissioners Court in any county may re-allocate the foregoing county taxes by changing the rates provided for any of the foregoing purposes by either increasing or decreasing the same, but in no event shall the total of said foregoing county taxes exceed eighty (80) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation, in any one year; providing further, that before the said Commissioners Court may make such re-allocations and changes in said county taxes that the same shall be submitted to the qualified property tax paying voters of such county at a general or special election, and shall be approved by a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters, voting in such election; and, provided further, that if and when such re-allocations and changes in the aforesaid county taxes have been approved by the qualified property tax paying voters of any county, as herein provided, such re-allocations and changes shall remain in force and effect for a period of six (6) years from the date of the election at which the same shall be approved, unless the same again shall have been changed by a majority vote of the qualified property tax paying voters of such county, voting on the proposition, after submission by the Commissioners Court at a general or special election for that purpose; and the Legislature may also authorize an additional annual ad valorem tax to be levied and collected for the further maintenance of the public roads; provided, that a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters of the county voting at an election to be held for that purpose shall vote such tax not to exceed fifteen (15) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation of the property subject to taxation in such county. And the Legislature may pass local laws for the maintenance of the public roads and highways, without the local notice required for special or local laws. This section shall not be construed as a limitation of powers delegated to counties, cities or towns by any other section or sections of this Constitution."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at a general election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the seventh day of November, 1944, at which election all voters favoring the proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the following words:

"For the Amendment to Section 9 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to provide that the Commissioners Court in any county may re-allocate the county tax levies authorized in said section by changing the rates provided for any of the purposes authorized in said section by either increasing or decreasing the same, but in no event shall the total of such taxes exceed eighty (80) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation for any one year; providing that before such Commissioners Court may make such re-allocations and changes in such levies that the same shall be submitted to the qualified property tax paying voters of such county at a general or special election and shall be approved by a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters, voting in such election; and when such re-allocations and changes in such county tax levies have been approved by the qualified property tax paying voters of any county as herein provided, such re-allocations and changes shall remain in force and effect for a period of six (6) years from the date of the election at which same shall be approved, unless the same again shall have been changed by a majority vote of the qualified property tax paying voters of such county, voting on the proposition, after submission by the Commissioners Court at a general or special election for that purpose; and providing that this Amendment shall not

be construed as a limitation on powers delegated to counties, cities or towns by any other section or sections of the Constitution."

Those opposing said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the following words:

"Against the Amendment to Section 9 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to provide that the Commissioners Court in any county may re-allocate the county tax levies authorized in said section by changing the rates provided for any of the purposes authorized in said section by either increasing or decreasing the same, but in no event shall the total of such taxes exceed eighty (80) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation for any one year; providing that before such Commissioners Court may make such re-allocations and changes in such levies that the same shall be submitted to the qualified property tax paying voters of such county at a general or special election and shall be approved by a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters, voting in such election; providing that if and when such re-allocations and changes in such county tax levies have been approved by the qualified property tax paying voters of any county as herein provided, such re-allocations and changes shall remain in force and effect for a period of six (6) years from the date of election at which same shall be approved unless the same shall have been changed by a majority vote of the qualified property tax paying voters of such county, voting on the proposition, after submission by the Commissioners Court at a general or special election for that purpose; and providing that this Amendment shall not be construed as a limitation on powers delegated to counties, cities or towns by

any other section or sections of the Constitution."

If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of said Amendment, the same shall become a part of the State Constitution.


Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and shall have the same

published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

31-4tc

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We are won—or lost—by whole peoples, not just by soldiers.
A soldier is worthless if he cannot feel every moment of his dangerous life that the folks at home are doing their utmost to back him up.

Blood and tears and sweat and toil don't mean a thing if they do not come from everybody. Being "confident of ultimate victory" is all right enough if you're helping to win that victory. The war will not be a breeze. It will be long and tough and tiresome.

Our enemies are not dolts and cowards. They are cunning... and courageous in a nasty sort of way. They can be licked. They will be licked. Americans can fight... Americans will fight... every one of us... everywhere... in every way!

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Statement of Receipts & Disbursements OF THE Ford Common School District No. 7 FOR THE YEARS OF 1942-43 and 1943-44 Also Budget Estimate for the Coming Year of 1944-45 This Statement Prepared as of August 1st, 1944

	School Yr. 1942-43	School Yr. 1943-44	Budget Est. 1944-45
RECEIPTS:			
Cash on hand September	\$	\$1,311.43	\$
State Apportionment	2,433.36	2,178.67	2,000.00
County Available	104.40	102.00	100.00
Current Taxes	9,880.73	9,839.70	19,500.00
Delinquent Taxes	3,326.98	541.86	200.00
Transportation, etc.	235.31	231.48	200.00
Total Normal Receipts	15,980.78	14,205.14	22,000.00
ADD:			
Sale of Property	514.60		
Bank Loans		5,000.00	
Grand Total Receipts	16,495.38	19,205.14	22,000.00
DISBURSEMENTS:			
Teacher Salary	1,200.00	1,125.00	1,260.00
Tuition	3,971.50	3,364.75	4,000.00
Fuel	119.48	84.00	100.00
Bus operating Expense and Repair	3,901.45	6,540.00	6,000.00
Bus Drivers' Salary	3,780.00	4,725.00	5,040.00
Insurance	212.90	386.77	320.00
Miscellaneous General Expense	242.33	94.84	160.00
Total Operating Expense	14,027.66	16,320.86	16,880.00
ADD:			
Purchase of New Bus		3,098.07	
Repayment of Bank Loans	1,100.00		5,000.00
Interest Payments	56.29		175.00
Grand Total Disbursements	15,183.95	19,418.93	22,000.00

Petition has been filed, and the order issued and posted, for an election to be held in Ford Common School District No. 7, on Saturday, August 12th for the purpose of voting on the proposition of authorizing a school tax levy of not exceeding ONE DOLLAR on the hundred-dollar valuation. The publication of the above financial statement has been authorized in order that you, the school patrons and tax payers of the district, may be able to study same and thereby be in a position to more intelligently cast your vote on the proposition of increasing the school tax. The Budget Estimate for the year 1944-45 is based on a tax levy of ONE DOLLAR.

Polling places for the August 12th election will be at the following school houses within the district: Ford, Daniel and Progressive, and at the residence of Cord Hammock.

Castro Pioneer Dies at Age 91

Last rites were held at the Methodist Church in Dimmitt last Thursday for Mrs. J. Z. Smith, 91 years old, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. B. Hughes, at Cleburne on July 26. Rites were held at the Methodist Church with Rev. Ural S. Sherill, pastor, officiating, assisted by Rev. C. W. Williams, pastor of the Dimmitt Methodist Circuit. Interment was made in the Dimmitt Cemetery.

Mrs. Smith, who was born in Osage County, Missouri, in 1853, came to Castro County in 1905 from Hunt County, Tex., where she had moved in 1886, 14 years after her marriage to Mr. Smith. One of the true pioneers of the Plains section, she could look back on a life rich in experience and service.

She had made her home in Castro county until three years ago when she moved to Cleburne. In poor health for several years, she had been critically ill for the past four weeks.

Survivors include four daughters, Mrs. R. B. Johnson, Childress; Mrs. J. T. McCormack, Wichita Falls; Mrs. Lacy Whitcomb, Houston, and Mrs. C. B. Hughes, Cleburne; one son, Glenn Smith of Dimmitt; nine grandchildren and four great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by Mr. Smith in 1934.

Pallbearers were J. T. Smith, J. G. Davis, Earl Lust, Vern Lust, Kay Roberts and Percy Estes.

Flower bearers were Mesdames J. T. Smith, J. G. Davis, M. D. Rushing, Earl Lust, E. R. Rothwell, Percy Estes, Jim Bagwell, Bryan Sinclair, Williams, Harry Rothwell and Kay Roberts.

Selective Service NEWS

1-A (H)
(Available for military service but past 38 years of age.)
John Carl Watson.

2-B
(In essential war production work.)
Derwood Burnice Luck, John H. Burns.

2-A
(In work contributing to the war effort.)
Burl Everett Settle.

2-A (F)
(Not physically qualified for military duty and engaged in work essential to the war effort.)
Robert Bruce Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Knox Kinard made a business trip to Vernon this week. They were accompanied by Mrs. Kinard's sister, Miss Aline Walker of Dallas.

Westway

By MRS. MERLIN KAUL

Mrs. Charles Hood and daughter Audrey returned Friday from Electra, where they had gone to attend the funeral of their nephew and cousin Clifton Williams.

Clifton Williams was 17 years of age. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Williams of Electra. Death resulted from a car accident in which his father and mother and a boy friend were badly injured. Funeral services were held at Electra Sunday afternoon and burial was at Wash-tl.

Mr. Williams until recently was a partner with Mr. Hood in farming here and the family has been here often.

Mrs. Grady Wilson underwent a major operation last Tuesday at the Osteopathic Hospital in Amarillo. She is getting along nicely. Her husband and her daughter Mrs. Hughes Millard, have been staying at the E. B. Osburn and John Johnson homes to be near her.

Aldon Hawks, Jr., of Elizabeth Colorado has been helping his uncle, Manuel Hawks during harvest.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Pierce were supper guests Wednesday night of Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Kaul and boys.

Mrs. Walter Teats and daughters Esther Elizabeth and Marilyn and Miss Elizabeth Piper of Pittsburgh, Pa., were guests Sunday in the Merlin Kaul home. The party was enroute to Calif., where Mrs. Teats and her daughters will make their home at Riverside. Colonel Edward Teats, co-pilot of the plane which evacuated Gen. McArthur from Corregidor, is a nephew of Mrs. Teats. He is now on duty in India. Miss Piper is instructor in English at Geo. Westinghouse High School in Pittsburgh. She will visit her nephew Lt. Chas. W. Cullings, chief engineer on the U. S. S. Cimarron, at Hollywood and other relatives and friends before flying back to Pittsburgh.

Mrs. George Roberson of Wyche, Mrs. Manuel Hawks and Mrs. Merlin Kaul went to Amarillo Friday to see Mrs. Grady Wilson at a hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Pierce and son Randall left Monday for their home at Cyrene, Mo., after a two weeks visit with relatives and friends.

Miss Neelie Reed went to Friona Thursday to visit at her home there before returning to her work at Clovis, N. M.

G. C. Hartman, Jr. (Jiggs) who is home on furlough was a

visitor Tuesday morning in the A. C. Pierce home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Echols of Hart Camp are visiting in the home of their daughter Mrs. Wm. Ponder.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Miles returned to their home at Denton Thursday after spending a month with their daughter Mrs. Charley Burk and Mr. Burk.

Mrs. Roy Landers of Olton is a guest this week in the Joe Landers and R. M. Gunn homes. Miss La Veta Meeks of Muleshoe was a guest of Eva Smith Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Leland McMurry moved her furniture Saturday from her apartment in Hereford to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Little. Her husband was moved last week from the POW Camp here to Brownwood, where she plans to join him soon.

Pvt. Leland Rutter is home on furlough from Pensacola, Fla., for a visit in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Rutter.

Rea Cox will leave this week to enter service in the Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Moody Stephan and children were visitors in the J. H. Patrick home near Summerfield Sunday afternoon.

Marjorie Morrison started to work last week at the City Drug Store at Hereford.

Mrs. Maurice Tannahill and Gary went to Lockney Saturday and on Sunday morning Mrs. Tannahill and her mother, Mrs. Francis Carthel went to Floydada where Mrs. Carthel had her teeth pulled. Mrs. Tannahill and Gary returned home Monday accompanied by Barbara Carthel and Elizabeth Ann Tannahill who will spend the week here.

Doris Roberts of Summerfield spent the week end with Helen Jo Wilson.

Mrs. Guy Lawrence and daughters of Hereford spent Thursday in the R. M. Gunn home.

Mrs. L. B. Wolfington, Nellie, Iva May and Beulah Lee went to Tecumseh, Okla., last week to visit relatives.

A collision of a truck with a combine on Harrison Highway Saturday afternoon resulted in a great deal of damage to the combine but no one was injured.

Rev. W. S. Armstrong, pastor of the local Baptist Church announces that the annual Revival meeting will begin on Sunday night, Aug. 13. Rev. M. O. Row of Southland will be the evangelist. Everyone is invited to attend the services.

Harry Engman, formerly in the cafe business in Hereford, has recently purchased a cafe in Klamath Falls, Ore., according to information received Friday by Mrs. Engman, who is in charge of Hereford business interests of the family.

Progressive

By LUCILLE PARK

Mrs. Clyde Russell came home from the hospital Friday. We hope she is able to be up again soon.

Mrs. Archie Daughtry and daughter Sue of Yeso, N. M., visited Mrs. Clyde Russell and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Ricketts the past week end.

Sgt. Pete Navintoff of the P O W Camp spent a day in the Gregory home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Parsons of Okla., are visiting their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Parsons, Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Buck Parsons were hosts to a group of friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pleasants of Donna, Tex., were guests Sunday in the J. L. Park home. Mr. and Mrs. Pleasants were former residents of this community.

Millard and Augustine Gregory attended a picnic Sunday in honor of Leland Rutter who is home on furlough. The picnic was at Sulphur Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Parsons and family and his parents went to Friona Wednesday to visit relatives.

Miss Lucille Park attended a shower for Mrs. R. L. Dowell, Jr., on Friday of last week.

LEGAL NOTICE

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS TO Z. O. FAUGHN, defendant in the hereinafter styled and numbered cause:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the District Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas, to be held at the court house of said county in the City of Hereford, at or before ten o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance hereof; that is to say, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of Monday the 18th day of September 1944, and answer the petition of plaintiff in cause

No. 2663 in which Madlymne Faughn is plaintiff and Z. O. Faughn is defendant, filed in said court on the 1st day of May 1944, and the nature of which said suit is as follows:

For divorce, plaintiff alleging she was married to defendant on or about January 8th, 1943 and they lived together as husband and wife until on or about April 26th, 1944, when, by reason of the cruel treatment by defendant to plaintiff she was compelled to permanently abandon him which, said cruel treatment, being of such a nature as to render their further living together as husband and wife insupportable. That one child was

born to said union, a girl now about 6 months old, now with plaintiff.

Plaintiff prays for divorce and custody of the above mentioned child.

WITNESS: Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court in office in Hereford, Texas, this 1st day of August 1944. R. L. THOMPSON, Clerk of the District Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas. (Seal) 31-4tc

Miss Charlotte Word of Clarendon, member of Hereford School faculty, is visiting in the home of Rev. and Mrs. James Aiken.

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NOW, WE ADMIT this may be a reflection on Grant . . . but it certainly isn't any reflection on the way we do Wash Jobs. We also admit that we some times have to turn down wash jobs, due to the demand . . . and although we are sorry, Grant, we guess you'll just have to grin and blink, because as long as we do wash jobs . . . they're going to Shine—and SHINE PLENTY!

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NEWS from VEGA

Mrs. Bob Armitage, Correspondent

All Day Meeting At Vega Catholic Church

The Vega Catholic Church will have an all-day exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Sunday, August 6. The meeting will open with Mass at 8 o'clock A. M. and will close with the benediction at 8:00 o'clock P. M. with Father Hancock of the Sacred Heart Cathedral in Amarillo in charge.

M. R. McNabbs Buy Vega Red and White Store

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. McNabb have purchased the Red and White Store from Mr. and Mrs. Vern Helmig, effective Aug. 1. Mr. and Mrs. Helmig, who bought the Jess Gles place three years ago, will devote all their time to the farm. Mrs. McNabb has been connected with the store for several years and will continue to render the same service to customers as in the past.

Daughter Born To M. and Mrs. L. R. Loyd

M. and Mrs. L. R. Loyd announce the arrival of a daughter, born July 26 at North West Texas Hospital in Amarillo. The baby has been named Phyllis Ann and her weight at birth was 8 lbs, 12 3-4 ounces. Lt. Loyd is a pilot of a B-24 Bomber, stationed in England and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Loyd of Vega. Mrs. Loyd is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Dewees of Vega and is making her home with her parents for the duration.

Vega W. S. C. S. Meets In Amarillo

Mrs. Emma McNabb entertained the members of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Vega Methodist Church in her home at 820 Mississippi Street in Amarillo Thursday afternoon. Mrs. A. F. Linger, formerly of Vega but now of Amarillo, led the devotional and Mrs. R. D. Swanson had charge of the program on "Medical Work in Africa." Amarillo guests during the afternoon were Mesdames A. F. Linger, Cora Jinks and Eula Formby. Guests from Vega were Mesdames R. L. Thompson, R. D. Swanson, John Van Meter, Roy N. Ivy, Bessie Montgomery, D. W. Clark, Donald Brown, R. M. Thompson, J. W. McKendree, C. E. Mathes, R. A. Armitage, N. E. Wiseman, Bill Tolbert, and Roland Loyd. The hostess was a former member of the Vega Society.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Leslie of Childress are visiting in the home of Mrs. Annie Gault this week. Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Carpenter and children of Amarillo visited in the Ben Hill home Monday. Little Kay Gault received a severe cut on her head Thursday when she lost her balance while standing on a chair. She reached for her mother and caught the blade of a butcher knife her mother was using to cut up a chicken. Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Ivy of Amarillo were guests in the Jack Ivy home Sunday. Mrs. Dudley Green and children of Hereford were guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Scott last week. O. C. Bailey of Lockney and Mrs. Nadine Harper of Amarillo were guests in the J. T. Singleton home Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Price of Joliet, Ill., were guests in the E. L. Krahn home last week. Mrs. Phillip McGahey and sons, Miller and Phillip, Jr., of Albuquerque, N. M., are visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Miller. Cpl. Ben Hill, Jr., who is stationed in New York is visiting in the home of his father this week.

C. E. Winder returned to Vega Friday from Gruver, where he visited with relatives. Yvonne Sammann of Lockney is visiting in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Landrum. Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Swanson and daughter, Billy Marclie, Francille Stewart, Audrey Jean Mecaskey, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Morris and son, Roger, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ivy and children, Roy, Jr., and Sue, spent the day Sunday at Buffalo Lake. Miss Billye Money of Canyon is a guest of Miss Betty Jean Morgan this week. Mrs. Vida Cook of McLean is visiting in the homes of Mrs. C. L. Morris and Mrs. Jim Sprouse this week. Mrs. L. W. Landrum and her brother, C. D. Dillingham of Escalon, Calif., visited in Pampa Friday. Roy Horrell left Thursday to accompany the body of his mother, who died Wednesday in Stratford, to Illinois for burial. The deceased is also the mother of Mrs. E. E. Duncan and Mrs. O. O. Sluts of Vega. Mr. and Mrs. John Helseman, pioneer residents of this territory, have moved from their farm southeast of Vega to make their home at 1714 Jackson street in Amarillo.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Leslie of Childress are visiting in the home of Mrs. Annie Gault this week. Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Carpenter and children of Amarillo visited in the Ben Hill home Monday. Little Kay Gault received a severe cut on her head Thursday when she lost her balance while standing on a chair. She reached for her mother and caught the blade of a butcher knife her mother was using to cut up a chicken. Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Ivy of Amarillo were guests in the Jack Ivy home Sunday. Mrs. Dudley Green and children of Hereford were guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Scott last week. O. C. Bailey of Lockney and Mrs. Nadine Harper of Amarillo were guests in the J. T. Singleton home Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Price of Joliet, Ill., were guests in the E. L. Krahn home last week. Mrs. Phillip McGahey and sons, Miller and Phillip, Jr., of Albuquerque, N. M., are visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Miller. Cpl. Ben Hill, Jr., who is stationed in New York is visiting in the home of his father this week.

C. E. Winder returned to Vega Friday from Gruver, where he visited with relatives. Yvonne Sammann of Lockney is visiting in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Landrum. Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Swanson and daughter, Billy Marclie, Francille Stewart, Audrey Jean Mecaskey, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Morris and son, Roger, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ivy and children, Roy, Jr., and Sue, spent the day Sunday at Buffalo Lake. Miss Billye Money of Canyon is a guest of Miss Betty Jean Morgan this week. Mrs. Vida Cook of McLean is visiting in the homes of Mrs. C. L. Morris and Mrs. Jim Sprouse this week. Mrs. L. W. Landrum and her brother, C. D. Dillingham of Escalon, Calif., visited in Pampa Friday. Roy Horrell left Thursday to accompany the body of his mother, who died Wednesday in Stratford, to Illinois for burial. The deceased is also the mother of Mrs. E. E. Duncan and Mrs. O. O. Sluts of Vega. Mr. and Mrs. John Helseman, pioneer residents of this territory, have moved from their farm southeast of Vega to make their home at 1714 Jackson street in Amarillo.

Summerfield

MRS. GUY WALSER

Sunday School and church was attended by 84 Sunday morning. There were several visitors present. They are always welcome.

Mrs. Claudie Brown and family of Hereford spent the week end with relatives here.

Misses Mary and Jessie Hays of Hereford were Sunday guests in the Davison home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tandy Legg, Mrs. O. B. Sumner and Mrs. Roy Euler were visitors in Amarillo Monday.

Misses Berthamae Thomas of Clarendon and Carrie Neal Russell of Seymour spent last week with Miss Edith Neill. Miss Joanne Russell of Seymour also spent part of the week.

Everybody around here has been busy the past week plowing the wheat stubble and working their row crops. The row crops are needing rain.

Mrs. W. B. Boston and Larry visited friends at Friona Thursday.

Mrs. Ross Roye and family moved to Borger last Thursday

Marriage Rites Join Miss Neill And Sgt. John A. Graham Sunday

The marriage of Miss Edith Neill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Neill of Summerfield, and Sgt. John Austin Graham, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Graham of Farwell, was solemnized Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Roberson with the Rev. Paul Tripp of Farwell officiating at the double ring ceremony. The improvised altar was banked with roses and ivory tapers in candelabra. Baskets of gladioli were placed at each side. Miss Carrie Neal Russell and Miss Gayle Roberson gave the wedding music. The traditional wedding marches were used. Miss Joanne Russell sang "O Perfect Love" and "I Love You Truly" and "Liebestraum" was played softly during the ceremony.

Miss Berthamae Thomas was the bride's only attendant. She was dressed in blue taffeta and net and wore a corsage of red roses. Raymond C. Ross of Morton served his brother-in-law as best man and little Miss Ray Ann Ross, niece of the bridegroom, carried the rings on a

white taffeta pillow. She was dressed in blue net. The bride wore a gown of white satin with a soft basque and full skirt. Her fingertip veil was of illusion and she carried a bouquet of white gladioli and blue forget-me-nots. For something old she wore a gold cross belonging to the bride-groom's mother and she held a Bible brought from the Holy Land and belonging to the bride-groom. Reception Is Held Following the wedding a reception was held. The bride's table was centered with the two-tiered wedding cake topped with miniature bride and groom. Dahlias and gladioli were used in decorations. Sgt. and Mrs. Graham will make their home at 1619 Eighteenth Street, Lubbock, after a short wedding trip. For traveling the bride selected a brown and white linen suit with which she wore white accessories, and a gardenia corsage.

Mrs. Graham is a graduate of Merkel High School and of Wayland College. She also attended W. T. S. C. Canyon and the past year she has been a member of the Farwell Public School Faculty.

Sgt. Graham graduated from the Farwell High School and also attended W. T. S. C. Canyon. Before entering the armed service he was a pre-med student at Texas Technological College, Lubbock. At present he is stationed at the South Plains Army Air Field at Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Hub Roy and son of Merkel visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Neill and her sister, Mrs. B. E. Roberson and family attended the wedding of her sister, Miss Edith Neill to John Graham who is a member of the Army Air Corps, stationed at Lubbock, Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Roberson.

Miss Betty Mae Walsler fell Saturday night and cracked her collar bone.

Floyd Coker left Tuesday for Oklahoma City where he will take his physical examination for the Navy.

Mrs. L. H. Lookingbill and Miss Porter Johnson and Mrs. Winnie Porter of Waco and W. L. Johnson of Hereford attended the funeral of Louis K. Bufkin, a nephew of Mr. Johnson, in Amarillo Monday.

Mrs. Ray Johnson entertained Wednesday morning with a lawn, ecke party in honor of Miss Edith Neill and her house party.

Those present were Misses Edith Neill, Berthamae Thomas, Carrie Neal Russell, Pearl Prachar, Gayle Roberson, Billie Ray Johnson and Mesdames B. E. Roberson, Hub Ray, Roy Euler, Tandy Legg, Ross Roye, L. B. Lookingbill, Marvel Upton, L. H. Lookingbill, Lee Curry, M. D. Rexrode and the hostess.

The L. F. Carter baby was on the sick list this past week.

Prayer Services Early morning prayer services are being held by members of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church during the month of August. Services are held each Tuesday morning at 9:00 o'clock and all interested persons are invited to attend.

SONS In the Service

Burleson in England

In a recent letter to his mother, Mrs. Leona Burleson, Jo Ed Burleson, a member of the 508th Parachute Infantry, who took part in the invasion of Normandy on June 6th, states he is now back in England and is enjoying a brief respite from the foxholes and hedgerows of Normandy. "I have a broken ankle," he wrote. "After its being X-rayed they found it was broken instead of just sprained, as I thought. Imagine walking all over Normandy on a fractured ankle." Though Pvt. Burleson states he was never so glad to see any one place in the world as he was to see England again, yet he feels prices for some of the essentials, such as laundry, etc. are just a little high; however, since they have found out the Yanks will pay these high prices, they just naturally charge them and make it stick.

Weldon Beene Home

Weldon Beene who has been overseas for the past 20 months, has been visiting his grandmother, Mrs. J. W. Beene, and other relatives here. He is Seaman First Class and has served in various parts of the South Pacific. He will report for duty on the East coast soon.

House guests this week of Mrs. Henry Benson are Mrs. Rufus Dodgen of Shamrock and Mrs. Clayton Heare of Amarillo.

Mrs. Edna Jett and daughter Jo Anne left yesterday for Portales, N. M., for a two day stay with friends.

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Jimmie Tomlinson, niece of Mrs. Henry Hastings, is visiting in the Hastings home this week. Her home is in Tullia.

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Bridal Shower Given in Honor Of Miss Phillips

Mesdames Henry Hastings, John Olson, Jimmy Allred, Lawrence Womble, C. P. Cockrell, Carl Oldham, and Jack Wright and Misses Ann Cockrell and Marjorie Alderson entertained Thursday afternoon with a bridal shower honoring Miss Bernadine Phillips whose marriage to Cpl. Gay W. McReynolds took place Sunday morning.

The entertainment was held at the home of Mrs. Hastings where profusions of garden flowers were used in decorations. The refreshment table held an arrangement of large red dahlias with flanking white tapers at one end of the table. Mrs. Lawrence Womble presided. Miss Ann Cockrell was in charge of the hand painted guest book and other hostesses assisted in the dining room and showed the gift

JUSTAKRD CLUB MEETS

Justakrd Club members were entertained at the home of Mrs. Henry Sears on Wednesday afternoon last week. Guests enjoying games of contract with members were Mrs. W. A. Teter, Mrs. William Bell of Oklahoma City and Mrs. Knox Kinard.

Defense stamp awards in the games went to Mrs. Grant Fuller and Mrs. Bell.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Grant Fuller, Mrs. N. E. Millburn, Mrs. J. S. Maxfield, Mrs. Jas. W. Witherspoon, Mrs. C. J. Crump and the special guests.

SEWING CLUB HAS LUNCHEON MEET

Elite Sewing Club members were entertained at a luncheon given at the home of Mrs. Edna Jett Thursday. Flowers, lovely food and pleasant conversation made the event an enjoyable affair and in the afternoon members quilted a quilt for the "Boys Ranch" near Amarillo.

Those present were Mesdames Henry Williamson, Lyle Blanton, C. C. Cox, T. E. Seigler, E. E. Fridley, Henry Kendall, J. C. Cummins, Frank Terrell, Ross Fuller, J. O. Newell and the hostesses.

Those attending the shower were Mesdames Charles Anderson, R. J. Naylor, A. H. Davis, R. G. Blue, L. Z. Oldham, C. O. Phillips, Robert Thompson, Carl Williams, H. G. Conkwright, W. L. Alexander, Vivian Major, Troy Womble, R. L. Dowell Jr., Joe Kendall, Doyle Rose, Louie LeGrand, L. C. Smith, Aaron Rose, L. H. Shore, James R. Higgins, P. J. Rose, Ollie Brady, A. O. Thompson, Geo. Griffith, Worth Covington, T. W. Alderson, W. T. McLain and O. G. McLain of Amarillo, Miss Geraldine Kendall and the honoree.

Many sent gifts who were unable to attend the shower.

FOLKS in Uniform



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Gift Party Is Compliment To Recent Bride

Mrs. R. L. Dowell Jr., a recent bride, was honored at an attractively appointed gift party at the home of Mrs. W. E. Dunlap Friday afternoon. The honoree is the former Miss Nona Deen Rose.

Hostesses included Mrs. Dunlap and Betty, Mrs. Phil Radovich and Phyllis Jean, Mrs. Fred Barrett and Margaret, Mrs. Joe Kendall and Geraldine, Mrs. John Sexton and Billie Earline, Mrs. Carl Frye and Earle Rae, Mrs. T. W. Roberson, Mrs. Henry Williamson, Mrs. Harry Lomas, Mrs. W. A. Dobbins and Mrs. Hall Beavers.

A pink and white theme was carried out in decorations with garden flowers and roses in those colors centered the refreshment table. Betty Dunlap, Frances Gollehon, Billie Louise Sexton and Phyllis Jean Radovich poured and Geraldine Kendall presided at the bride's book.

The informal program accented an Army Air Corps theme, indicative of Lt. R. L. Dowell Jr.'s army duty. Frances Gollehon entertained with two vocal solos "Silver Wings in the Moonlight" and "I Love You," Phyllis Jean Radovich read, "The Flying Newsboy" and Miss Margaret Barrett gave piano music. Betty Dunlap gave a toast to the bride.

Those present for the party were Mesdames W. J. Stanford, E. J. Reynolds, R. A. Daniel Jr., Geo. Griffith, E. L. Brady, Bonnie Brumley, R. L. Thompson, J. J. Clark, Marvin Boyd, N. E. Gass, Troy Womble, Chas. Newell, Ollie Brady, A. O. Thompson, L. H. Shore, D. C. Laird Jr., P. J. Rose, Glenn Boardman, Homer Hamilton, W. B. Sowell, Earl Phillips, Boyd Longon, R. C. McGilvray, Vivian Major, T. J. Carter, A. L. Manjot, C. C. Cox, Carl Williams, John Renfro, L. L. Womble, C. O. Phillips, R. B. Hutson, Jeff Roberson, O. L. Click, D. H. Alexander, Doyle Rose, and Misses Mary Brady, Ela Alkmen, Lucille Park, Texie Ruth Reynolds, Cornelia Hamilton, Bonnie Miller, Irene Crawford, Ellen Posey, Mary Ann Acker and the honoree.

Miss Christine Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Smith, has gone to Oklahoma City to enroll in Hill's Business College. She is a 1944 graduate of Hereford High School.

DORIS LEE SINGER IS BIRTHDAY HONOREE

Little Doris Lee Singer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Singer, celebrated her fourth birthday at a party last week. The honor party was given at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Alexander, with little playmates sharing in the celebration.

Games entertained the tiny tots; favors were presented; and four birthday candles which topped the cake, were blown with all present participating.

Later the cake and ice cream were served to Linda Phillips, Mollie Bett Ray, Sue Kirby, Carolyn Kirby, Eugenia Knox, Carolyn Knox, Sandra Singer, and the little honor guest, Mrs. Singer assisted her mother with the serving.

DEPARTMENT GROUP HAS GET-TOGETHER

The older young people's group of the Young People's Department of the Methodist Church was entertained at a get-together, for some who had been away for awhile, given by Miss Irene Crawford, head of the department, at her home on Wednesday evening last week.

Besides other entertainment features, A. O. Thompson showed moving pictures of flower gardens in Hereford and the ice-cream in which many of the group saw themselves on the screen.

Attending were Betty Dunlap, Nona Deen Dowell, Naomi Hare, Margaret Hare, Jennie Marie Brittain, Madeline Faughn, Virginia Griffith, Virginia Earle Staggers, Pvt. Frank Davis, S-Sgt. Kleifer, Pfc. D. O. Kauffman, Mr. Thompson and the hostess.

ELECTION NOTICE

Notice is here given that an election will be held on Saturday, August 12, 1944, in the Ford Common School District No. 7 of Deaf Smith County, Texas, by the resident qualified property taxpayers voters thereof, for the purpose of voting on the proposition of increasing the district school tax to not exceeding ONE DOLLAR on the hundred dollar valuation of all taxable property assessed therein. Polling places will be at the following school houses within the district; Ford, Daniel and Progressive; and at the residence of Cord Hammock.

Fred W. Baird, County Judge 31-1tc

COURTHOUSE RECORDS

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Frank D. Vaughn to Mrs. Ida M. Vaughn, N 150 ft. of Blk. 16, Evans Addition to Town of Hereford.

H. M. Beach and Georgia Beach to Cleo C. Porson, E 50 ft. of Lot 9, Blk. 7, Womble Addition to Town of Hereford.

Earl McCurdy, James McCurdy, Alta Bowden, J. B. Bowden, Irple Davlin, J. G. Davlin, Essie Sours, Henry Sours, Lawrence McCurdy, Lloyd McCurdy, Verlin A. Dalton, Mary Estelle Dahler, Harold Edwin Dahler to J. R. McCurdy, the following tracts of land:

1st. In Potter County, Tex.

1. All that part of Lot 2, Blk. 127 of Original Town of Amarillo.

2. Lots 9 and 10, Blk. 24 of Original Townsite of Bush.

3. Lot 8, Blk. 11 of Humphreys Highlands Addition to Amarillo, Tex.

2nd. — In Deaf Smith and Pamer counties.

1. All of Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, Blk. 2, Dodson Sub. of Blk. 4, Evans Addition.

2. All of the National Cattle Co's. undivided interest (2339-4550) in and to E 130 acres of Section 2, League 2, Gregg County School Land.

Ray Suit and Emma Elizabeth Suit to Mrs. Maude Montfort, part of Lots 8 and 9, Blk. 21, Whitehead Addition to Town of Hereford.

A. B. Edwards, Jr. to H. W. Barton, all of Section 25, Twn. 4N, R 2E, Cap. Syn. League.

A. B. Edwards, Jr. to H. W. Barton, S 1-2 of Section 30, Twn. 4N, R 3E, Cap. Syn. League 404.

Lora M. Long to Frank W. Lookingbill and Lena Lookingbill, all of Lots 9 and 10 and N 1-2 of Lot 8 of L. A. Hough Sub. of Blk. 33, Evans Add. to Town of Hereford.

Ralph T. Roden and Marie Roden to J. M. Teague, Jr., W 1-2 of Section 12, Blk. B.

Shade Ratcliff, S. R. Ratcliff, Mary Flowers and A. C. Flowers through the agent and attorney in fact, A. G. Ratcliff, Jr., and A. G. Ratcliff, Jr., individually, to R. H. Parker, W 114 ft. of Lot 17, Blk. 5, Womble Add. to Town of Hereford.

H. Rietman and Emma Rietman to T. J. Carter, W 1-2 of Section 19, Twn. 5N, R 4E, Cap. Syn. Sub.

Herbert Harold Hoover to Charley Hoover, all of Section 18, and W 1-2 of Section 7, all in Twn. 4N, R 3; S 1-2 of Section 1; N 1-2 of Section 2; N 1-2 and SE 1-4 of 12; NW 1-4 of Section 11 and E 1-2 of Section 13; E 1-2 of Section 14; N 1-2 of Section 23, all in Twn. 4N, R 2E, Cap. Syn. Sub.

Charles S. Inman and Dora Inman to Mrs. May Walker, Lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 41, 42, 43, 44 and 45, all in Blk. 3, Burk Sub. of Blk. 17, Mabry Add.

J. W. Clark and Ida M. Clark to John Renfro and Criss Renfro, all of Lot 6, Blk. 63, Town of Hereford and Additions.

Land Bank Commissioner and Fed. Farm Mort. Corp. to A. E. Benson and wife Lucille Benson, deed of trust.

Fed. Land Bank of Houston to H. H. Miller, deed of trust.

Gulf Oil Corp. to Jacob R. McCurdy and Stella McCurdy, any or all rights acquired or held under terms of oil, gas and mineral lease to 130 acres in Survey 2, League 2, Gregg County School Lands.

Standard Savings and Loan Association to B. S. Wright, deed of trust.

Deaf Smith County Wind Erosion Conservation District to E. L. Naumann, NE 1-4 of Section 96, Blk. K-7.

Land Bank Commissioner and Fed. Farm Mort. Corp., through their agent and attorney in fact, Fed. Land Bank of Houston, to Joe Brorman and wife Margarete Brorman, deed of trust.

Land Bank Commissioner and Fed. Farm Mort. Corp. by their agent and attorney in fact, Fed. Land Bank of Houston, to Oscar E. Easley, deed of trust.

W. J. Hacker to Ray Suit and Emma Elizabeth Suit, N 30 ft. of W 100 ft. of Lot 8 and S 40 ft. of W 100 ft. of Lot 9, Blk. 21, Whitehead Addition.

C. R. Smith to Joe H. Green, Lot 3 of Assessor's Sub. of Blk. 45, Town of Hereford and Additions.

John H. Patton to Arch Conklin, deed of trust.

L. M. Beavers to Arch Conklin, part of Lot 10, Blk. 7, Womble Addition.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sanders of San Antonio and Mrs. Paschal Lutes and daughter, Thelma Lee, of Alvin, Tex., are visiting Mr. Sanders' father S. J. Sanders and his sister, Mrs. Bessie L. Smith.

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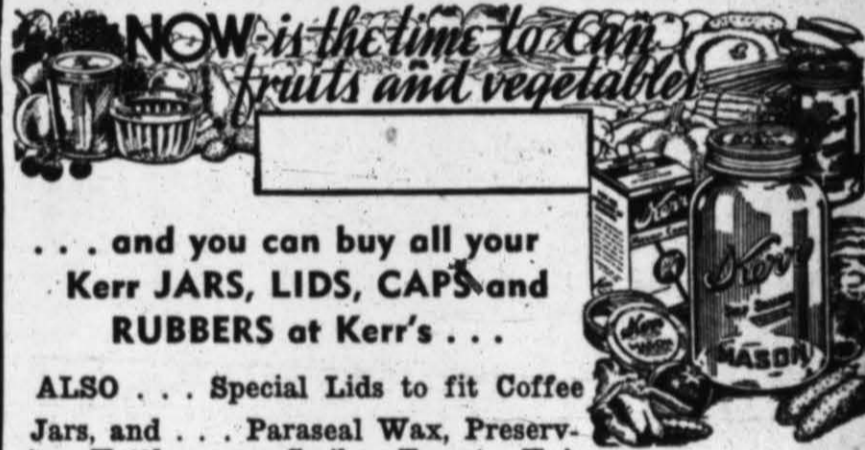
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Examining Trial Presents Facts in Jones Slaying

J. W. Fox, charged with murder in connection with the pistol slaying of C. F. Jones at the tent town near Hereford on July 12, was admitted to bail of \$5,000 at the examining trial held Friday morning at the county court room with Judge Frank Baird on the bench.

From the testimony of four witnesses—Allen Johnston and C. L. Fox, who accompanied J. W. Fox to the scene of the killing; Constable Joe Bishop, who investigated the case on the night of July 12; and Dr. R. R. Wills, who attended Jones—a fairly clear story of most events connected with the murder was brought out. The defendant who was represented by Attorney W. H. Russell, did not testify. County Attorney Carl Gilliland questioned the witnesses.



RAY MILLAND and GINGER ROGERS are starred in "Lady in the Dark", screen adaption of the Moss Hart play which was a long-time hit on Broadway. Ginger has the Gertrude Lawrence role of the successful magazine editor who is not so successful in her private life until she takes her problems to a psychiatrist and solves them all in a series of technicolor musical dreams. In the supporting cast are Warner Baxter and Jon Hall. It's the week-end feature at the Star.

As brought out in later testimony, Johnston made arrangement for Fox to make a purchase of wine for him in Amarillo; and the witness stated that when he saw Fox that night, sometime around 11 o'clock, and Fox invited him to come "for a little ride," he thought that they were going to pick up the wine.

In the car were Fox and his son, C. L. Fox; and the group drove south, across the railroad tracks to the tent town where the Jones family was living. When the car stopped, J. W. Fox called Jones by name; and when Jones came out of the tent, said something about getting his wine.

By this time, Johnston said, he himself had gotten out of the car; and he saw another man come out of the tent behind Charley (Jones).

"I didn't see Fox pull a gun; in fact I didn't see him with a gun," Johnston says of the next action, stating that he saw C. L. Fox grab for his father; then saw a flash go up, into the air, as the first gunshot sounded. According to his testimony, Johnston then started walking back to town and cannot testify to seeing any other shots fired. He heard "four or five" more shots, he states and says that there was a brief interval between the first two shots (one of which he saw fired) and the last series. He states that he did not see Homer Roberts (the murdered man's son-in-law) grapple with Fox; and he further states that he had never met Jones, Roberts or C. L. Fox before the night of the killing.

Drove Car To Scene
C. L. Fox, son of the defendant, told substantially the same story as that of the first witness, stating that he had not seen J. W. Fox on July 12 until that night, sometime between 10 and 11 o'clock, when his father came to

C. L.'s home, about four blocks west of the J. W. Fox residence, woke his son and asked him to "run me down to the house right quick."

At the house, the senior Fox went in and came back out almost immediately; and they picked up Johnston, who was lounging at the carnival across the street from the Fox home. The witness stated that he did not know C. F. Jones and that his father directed him how to drive to reach the Jones tent. The witness also stated that he did not know the purpose of the mission except that his father mentioned collecting some money.

Stating that he saw his father pull the gun out of his shirt, Fox said that he made a grab for the weapon after the first shot was fired into the air and that the second shot hit him in the shoulder.

"My arm was pretty weak," the witness said, "and I knew I couldn't get that gun; so I left and ran back north, across the tracks, to my dad's house; I then heard three or four shots, fired close together." Fox said that Jones' son-in-law, Roberts, was trying to help him get the pistol.

Three Wounds on Body
Joe Bishop, constable, said that he was parked at Tom's Cafe, when a truck came by; a man got out to tell him of the shooting and to say that he had the injured man in the truck, taking him to the hospital. Bishop went to the hospital to help take Jones from the truck; and later, accompanied by Sheriff J. O. Newell and City Marshal Ed Curtiss, went out to the tent to investigate the scene of the crime.

The driver of the truck, Bishop said, handed him the pistol from which the shots were fired. Dr. R. R. Wills, describing the

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from law school.

"Whatever degree of success I have been able to make while serving in these two offices I owe to the splendid cooperation of the lawyers who have practiced with and before me, as well as to that of all the officers and people in and out of the District—they will always have a warm place in my heart and memory, and my office will always be a place to welcome them."

Commenting upon the appointment of Judge Aldredge, Witherspoon stated as his sincere wish that the people of the district render all possible assistance to the new judge. "The value of a judge to the people," Judge Witherspoon pointed out, "Depends greatly on the amount of cooperation given or withheld."

Record Heat

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thermometer, located across the street from the post office, was registering 105 at noon yesterday; and such winds as blew provided no relief from the heat.

With wheat harvest practically complete, farmers are now eager for rain for the row crop, which is needing moisture badly; and yards and gardens are taking a real beating from the withering heat. In town, water pressure has reached a season's low as residents turn on the water to try to save flowers and gardens.

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Risking Court-Martial



"Radar," black cocker spaniel pet of the Marines in the Marshall Islands, is under threat of court-martial for this business—giving aid and comfort to a Jap chicken he struck up an acquaintance with. (USMC photo.)

Objective: German Soil



Here are three of the chieftains directing the Red army's triumphant advance westward toward German soil: Gen. Ivan C. Bagramian, left, 1st Baltic army; Gen. Andrei I. Yeremenko, 2nd Baltic army; Marshal Konstantin K. Rokossovsky, 1st White Russian army.

A Challenge to Box

THE OLD SYSTEM
vs.
THE NEW

S. L. Harman, a Hereford merchant, aged 65, a former boxer, indicated under the old system of boxing and not in practice, hereby issues a challenge to box any Hereford resident of Hereford who has lived here at least three years.

Harman says he has never boxed in a roped ring, however, on a challenge he will do his best to comply with the latest rules on boxing, and will take on anybody regardless of age.

He wants it to be a three-minute bout with one minute rounds.

The loser to forfeit a \$50 War Bond to the winner.

Harman states that he had had no training in boxing for thirty years, but is convinced that the old system under which he trained is far ahead of the present system. Come on if you want to try it out.

S. L. Harman.

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