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# The Memphis Democrat

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—Buy War Bonds

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## Half of Quota in Third War Loan Reported Today

### Who Dares Not To?

The Third War Loan has been extended through October 2. Hall County lacks almost one-half of the quota of \$642,300 assigned to us.

The quota is big . . . so is the invasion we have all and the invasion we now have. We asked for we've got it . . . so let's do our share.

These two remaining days of the Third War let's go buy ANOTHER Bond so that the boys will know that we are with them. As John Mack said, "Who Dares Not To?"

## Lakeview Eagles Downed Friday By McLean Squad

### Eagles To Meet Wellington Skyrockets Friday Night On Powell Field

In spite of playing a hard game the Lakeview Eagles were downed by the McLean squad by a score of 7-0 in the game Friday night played on the Lakeview field.

During the play, McLean made nine first downs and Lakeview six. George Johnson made the touchdown for McLean in the second quarter and James Barber ran for the extra point. After this score, McLean took possession of the game.

The Eagles will play the Wellington Skyrockets Friday night in Wellington with the probable line-up the same as in the other games.

## Texas State Guard Attends Maneuvers At Matador Sunday

### Twenty-five Members Of Memphis Unit Aid In Defense Against Cadets

Members of the Texas State Guard of Memphis, Turkey, Childress and Quanah attended maneuvers on the Caprock near Matador Saturday night and Sunday. They staged an offensive drive against the Childress Army Air school cadets.

Under the command of Maj. Morris Higley of Childress, the State Guard assembled at a bivouac area Saturday night and attempted to capture the cadet camp in an assault which was scheduled for 6:30 Sunday morning.

Umpires of the maneuver, Capt. W. H. Evans and J. G. Bristow of CAAF, complimented the guard for their plan of attack. The defense base was well defended, however, the cadets having advantage of terrain and cover.

The State Guard was transported to and from maneuvers by CAAF trucks.

Attending from the Memphis unit were: Lt. Carl Harrison, Lt. Robert Devin, 1st. Sgt. George Thompson, Sgts. O. R. Saye, Louis Wheat, G. M. Dial, Corps. Homer Tucker, J. J. Bice, Marvin Webster, Pvt. Jack Hightower, Allen Grundy, Glenn Thompson, J. P. Godfrey, Ed Smith, Ed Hutcherson, Gene Lindsey, Alfred Paschall, Kent Archer, H. C. Klutz, Ed Stanley, Edgar Spradlin, William E. Clark Jr., Frank Smith, M. M. Morris.

## Dr. and Mrs. Baker Go To Honey Grove

Dr. J. Thompson Baker, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Memphis for the past five months, resigned from that position last week. He and Mrs. Baker left Wednesday for Honey Grove where he has accepted the pastorate of the Presbyterian Church.

Rev. James Aiken of the Amarillo Presbytery will be here Sunday to preach and is making this an official visit to assist the pulp committee in selecting a new pastor.

## 520 Bales Cotton Ginned in County

Census report shows that there have been 520 bales of cotton ginned in Hall County from the crop of 1943 prior to September 16, stated C. Lee Rushing, special agent of the Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.

This figure compares with 238 bales ginned in this county at the same time during 1942. Farmers and cotton merchants say that the long drought during the summer months caused the cotton to mature too rapidly for a very good yield.

## Clean Rags NEEDED BY CAAF

Clean rags are needed by the mechanics at the Childress Army Air Base in cleaning motors and other equipment, stated Lt. Arnold A. Maes.

Anyone having rags they do not need and would like to help out, contact Lt. Maes at 217 16th St., Memphis or call phone 276.



This thrilling action shot of two wild caribou dashing across the Alaskan wastelands was taken from Jack Lamb's sensational technicolor motion picture of big game hunting, trout fishing and the stupendous scenery of Alaska, with which the famous sportsman will appear in person in Memphis high school auditorium on Thursday, October 14, at 8 p. m. Through the efforts of the Memphis Democrat this great show will be free to the public. Thousands have jammed the largest auditoriums in the country to see this amazing picture. Put October 14 down as a "must" on your date list. You'll be sorry if you miss it.

## Former Memphis Boy Is Killed In Action Sept. 16

### S. Sgt. E. G. Christensen, Jr. Was Gunner On Flying Fortress; Based In England

Staff Sergeant E. G. Christensen, Jr., 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Christensen Sr. of Big Spring, Texas, was killed in action on September 16, according to an announcement by the War Department.

Christensen was a gunner on the Fortress, "Iza Angel II," and was based in England where he had been for three months. He was a graduate of Big Spring high school. Beyond saying that he had been killed in action, the War Department gave no details.

Christensen's family lived in Memphis for many years before moving, first to Medina Valley about six years ago, and to Big Spring three years ago. E. G. Jr. was born in Memphis and attended school here. His grandmother, Mrs. Georgia Casady lives at Hedley and has seven grandchildren in the service. He has three aunts, Mrs. E. M. McQueen and Mrs. E. L. Trulove of Hedley, and Mrs. Madge Pool of Lelia Lake.

Mr. Christensen Sr. saw service in World War I and was a member of the American Legion post during his residence here.

According to a press story in the daily papers Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Christensen Sr. mailed a Christmas package to their son, Sgt. E. G. last Thursday. Next day they received a picture from him, showing him and the crew of a Flying Fortress beside a Nazi plane they had downed. Saturday they had word of his death.

Think before you ink.

## Parent-Teachers Meet In Amarillo

The fall Board of Managers meeting of the Eighth District Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers was held last Saturday in Amarillo. Twenty-five members from the district were present, stated Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard, president.

Routine business was taken care of and an informative discussion of the Federal Aid Bill was given by Supt. Cryer of Borger and Principal Shelby of Amarillo.

Those attending from this section of the district were: Mrs. Kinard, president; Miss Mary Foreman, radio chairman; Mrs. E. L. Clark, mental hygiene chairman, all of Memphis and Mrs. R. E. L. Patillo, vice president of Childress. Mrs. Maynard Drake of Amarillo is the recording secretary of the district.

## S C Supervisor To Be Elected Oct. 5

October 5 has been set as the date for the elections to be held in each soil conservation district subdivision within the state, to elect a supervisor.

Election of supervisors in Hall County will be held within each subdivision at the following places on October 5 at 8 o'clock:

No. 1—Memphis at courthouse, Ed Leary, chairman.

No. 2—Arlie, see C. E. Fletcher.

No. 3—Turkey, at City Hall.

No. 4—Tell, see Wilbur Williams.

No. 5—Kirkland, see W. P. Close.

If the outlook seems black, try the uplook.

## Mason Pleads Self Defense; Loren Lee Given Three-Year Suspended Sentence

Son Mason, negro, was given a two-year sentence in the penitentiary for the killing of Red Bishop, negro, at Estelina last March in district court this week.

Mason's plea was not guilty on grounds of self defense. J. M. Elliott and W. J. Bragg were attorneys for the defense and Sam J. Hamilton, district attorney, for the State.

Serving on the jury were Z. H. Joutet, Brice Webster, Tomie M. Potts, C. T. Johnson, O. E. Bevers, Seth Tallmeyer, Claude Harris, David Hudgins, J. T. Clayton, M. J. Draper, J. T. Nelson, O. S. Callahan.

Loren Lee was given a three-year suspended sentence for theft. He pleaded guilty before the court.

The case against Leroy Clements for cattle theft was continued to next term of court.

## Mrs. W. V. Coursey Elected Librarian Of Carnegie Library

At a meeting of the Carnegie Library Board Tuesday evening, Mrs. W. V. Coursey was elected librarian to take the place of Mrs. Anna Guill, who resigned after serving for two years.

Mrs. W. C. Mlam, acting librarian, gave the following quarterly report:

Books issued for home study, 2726; adult fiction, 973; juvenile fiction, 981; magazines, 612; non-fiction, 160; readers, 143.

Members present at the meeting were: Mrs. D. A. Grundy, Mrs. Sid Baker, Mrs. C. S. Compton, Mrs. Luther Barnes, Mrs. W. C. Milam, W. C. Davis, T. M. Deaver, Byron Baldwin and M. E. McNally.

## Tests Show Ample Supply of Good Water Near Town

## BOBCATS SMASH CYCLONE SQUAD FRIDAY, 27-0

## Bobcats Backfield Keeps Cyclone From Scoring

By GENE ROBERTSON

The Memphis Cyclone went down under a wave of defeat Friday night, September 24 when they met the strong Childress Bobcats on their field. With Capt. Bill Gravelly leading the team, the Bobcats tore the Cyclone line to ribbons with spectacular end runs and runs off tackle, although little play went through the center of the line.

First quarter: On the opening kick-off Childress fumbled the ball and it was recovered by Memphis. Memphis was held for downs and punted on the fourth to the Childress 11 yd. stripe. On the return punt out of danger, Childress covered a fumble from Hanvey, playing safety. With the ball again in possession of the Bobcats, they gained steadily down the field for the first touchdown; Gravelly skirting around left end from the Memphis 18 yd. line. Point converted. Later in the quarter, Gravelly faded for a pass, but couldn't find a receiver and again runs around end for the second touchdown for the Bobcats. Score: Bobcats 14, Cyclone 0.

Second quarter: The Cyclone came back with clear confidence to score in aerial attack from Sherley to Sargent. Vandeventer (Continued on page eight)

## Ralph Howe Speaker For Lions Club

The Memphis Lions club met Tuesday noon with good attendance and three visitors, W. B. Hooser, Rev. E. L. Yeats and Rev. Jeff M. Moore. Rev. Moore stated that he plans to move his membership in the Lions club to Memphis.

Ralph Howe gave an interesting discussion on the set-up and working of the Production Credit Association.

## Two-Year Sentence Given Son Mason In Killing Of Bishop

Glen Barker, son of Mrs. R. L. Barker and the late Rev. Jess Barker, was killed in England, September 22, according to word received by Mrs. Barker this week.

The best information that could be secured was that Barker, it was stated that if while on inactive duty. In the telegram received by Mrs. Barker, it was stated that if possible, after the war, young Barker's body would be shipped back to the United States.

The family lives in the Buffalo Flat community near Turkey.

## LAUDE'S COMMENTS

By J. C. W.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY—  
September 25—L. T. Offield, 83.  
September 28—Jerry Ann Smith.  
September 29—D. H. Davenport of Lakeview, C. L. Rushing, J. R. Nelson.

Just a reminder that Jack Lamb and his technicolor motion picture of Alaska will appear in Memphis the night of October 14 under the sponsorship of The Democrat. This affair will be free, and no one in this area can afford to miss seeing it.

Rains come and rains go. The one Wednesday morning early was certainly fine. This county would have had much better crops if such a rain had fallen sometime in August. But mortal man can't control the weather.

Hall County is far behind the quota in the War Bond drive. The drive will close Saturday, October 2, and every \$25 bond or larger bought between this and Saturday night will help a lot. The boys over there are giving their all—sacrificing to the nth degree. It is not a sacrifice to (Continued on back page)

WANTED TO BUY  
Beans and blackeyed peas, crowder and other dried peas. Have the lot for hand picked house at 1906 Ave. E., Memphis, Phone 4251.  
R. BARRON COMPANY  
Largest Black-eyed Pea Processor

NOTICE  
Mattress you have on your outside can be made reasonable cost. Buy and fluffy for wash me at once as ticks are scarce. Maybe that's on your bed can be n. I do lots of beds same cover. You can ng me at once. I also tresses, all sizes.  
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1100 N. St., 9 blocks are, Memphis, Tenn. M day or night.

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COWBOYS  
NTED—Cowboys with beds, feed shocks, couple for headquar h. Phone 9633 Amarillo 537 Amarillo Building.

WANTED—White pick cotton. Will n furnished house. Write E. E. Posey, Memphis, Texas.

of \$385,000.16 in actual invested in bonds pening of the Third War umber 9. This is a little of the quota.

for ending the Third has been extended Saturday, October 2, ds are urging every per- another bond during remaining days.

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and cloudy weather for ys preceded the rainfall es as recorded Tuesday J. J. McMicken, local t weather observer.

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Bonds—Buy Bombs—

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School Girls

form of patriotism here last week when school girls were loaned Davis to the local draft assist in completing the required by national

etty Solomon and Miss it were the girls who last week in the draft ice—without pay. This will give the Selective ystem in Washington a picture of every man of if he is in service or if why.

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al Meet At bly Of God

Coxe, pastor of the As- God church, announces rival meeting will start that church, conducted H. Coxe.

ival starting Thursday will continue through October 17. There will g services but services d each evening.

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PLASKA

By MRS. E. E. FOSTER

Mr. and Mrs. Auval Nabers and son William Lowell returned to their home Tuesday after visiting several days with Mr. Nabers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Nabers.

Mrs. Buck Grant and children of Conway visited Mrs. Mary Katherine Standfield Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Maurice Grant of Fort Worth visited Mrs. John Smith Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. G. P. Owen, Mrs. C. W. Jones, Mrs. C. C. Cunningham and Mrs. E. E. Foster met at the Baptist church and quilted for the Red Cross Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ona Provence and family of Spring Lake visited Mr. Provence's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Provence, Monday night and Tuesday.

Mrs. A. S. Harwell visited Mrs. C. C. Cunningham afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Vallance and family of Fort Worth came Thursday to visit his mother, Mrs. Pearl Vallance.

Mrs. H. S. Foster went to Abilene Thursday to visit her mother, Mrs. J. H. Ball.

Carroll Hignight and Doyle Hall made a business trip to Paris Sunday.

Mrs. Doyle Hall and children spent Sunday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Crawford.

W. E. Murdock and E. J. Galloway, who have been visiting relatives in California for several days, returned Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith were business visitors in Amarillo Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Hodges and family of Memphis spent Sunday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. I. McWhorter.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bray visited Mrs. J. T. Martin Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Smith and Mrs. E. E. Foster visited Mrs. W. L. Nabers and Mrs. E. J. Galloway Tuesday afternoon.

Norma Jean Nabers of Lesley visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Nabers a few days the past week.

K. D. Nabers of Lesley and W. L. Nabers went to Fort Worth Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ragan and daughter Nelda May of Lesley visited Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Ellis Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rea of the Pleasant Valley community spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rex Rea.

Mr. and Mrs. Hub Holt and family of Pleasant Valley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Whitfield.

Pvt. Leon McWhorter of Shepherd Field, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. I. McWhorter, the past week-end.

Dr. and Mrs. Creed Orr of Littlefield visited Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Orr Sunday.

M. and Mrs. W. K. McMaster and family and Cleve Mae Tiner spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bever of Lakeview.

The vice president, Mrs. Bob Tiner, was in charge of the W. S. C. S. Monday afternoon at the Methodist church. Members present were Mrs. Melton Orr, Mrs. Walter McMaster, Mrs. Bob Tiner, and Mrs. Hoyette Hodges.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyette Hodges attended the Lakeview-McLean football game at Lakeview Friday night.

John Murdock and Ed Murdock went to Childers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Foster and children and Mrs. R. P. Martin of Memphis visited in the D. V. Sasser home Sunday afternoon.

Gwendolyn Martin and Jonnie Campbell spent Sunday with Billie Frances Murdock.

Mrs. Ed Murdock, Mrs. E. J. Galloway and Mrs. Eldon Spannagel visited in the John Murdock home Sunday afternoon.

Those visiting in the T. J. Brock home Sunday were Pvt. Jack Wheeler of San Francisco, Kathleen McMaster, Thelma Grace Whpeler and Fay Adeock of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Muriel Lemons and family of Brice, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wheeler and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Martin and family and Rev. Richardson of Turkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Williams and family of Lakeview and Mrs. Bertie Cassell of Pampa visited in the E. E. Foster home Sunday night.

—Buy Bonds—Buy Bombs—  
Every month American housewives are turning in eight to 10 million pounds of waste fats.

Do not hide today's sin behind tomorrow's cloud.

.Tree Dwellers.



Signal crewmen sit in their camouflaged searchlight headquarters high over a New Guinea beach, waiting to flash a war message to offshore forces.

LAKEVIEW

(Editor's Note: The writer of these items did not sign his name. The Democrat does not have a correspondent from Lakeview and would like to know who the writer is, so that we can furnish stationery and envelopes.)

Everyone in this community is busy gathering their crops.

Supt. and Mrs. Deering and children visited in Wheeler and Shamrock last week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Cope and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Springer and Don visited in the Dewey Martin home Sunday.

Ethel Smith and Birdie Jones visited in Memphis Sunday evening.

J. H. Boren, Ina Boren and Mrs. John J. Woods and son visited Mr. and Mrs. Berry Stevens Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Vaughn and daughter visited the last two weeks in Hollis, Okla.

Kleber Wells and family of Anton visited last week end with Del Wells.

Singing every second and fourth Sunday evenings at the Methodist church. Every one is invited to come.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thomas of Ranger was buried at Union Hill Monday afternoon.

G. M. Bugbee of California is here attending to business and visiting in the W. M. Cofer home at Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Allen of Memphis visited in the Lakeview community Sunday evening.

Mrs. M. O. Summerville of Spearman has been visiting here with friends.

Della Crozier made a business trip to Amarillo Saturday.

Mrs. Payne, who has been visiting her son at Corpus Christi, returned home last week.

Shower for Mrs. Spear  
A shower honoring Mrs. Ben Spear was given in the home of Mrs. W. C. Ragan. Hostesses were: Mesdames W. C. Ragan, Tom Scoggins, Dewey Martin, Walter Cofer, and Robert Gresham.

Sandwiches, lemonade and cookies were served to Mesdames Pauline Gillespie, Henry Moore, B. F. Cope, M. J. Sinters, R. M. Holcomb, Everett Sinters, Mack Cofer, S. C. Denton, O. A. Sturdevant, G. W. Blewer, E. L. Blewer.

Sending gifts were: Charlie Crozier, Earl Duke, Bill Gowdy, Jim Gowdy, Culling Taylor, Evert Lawrence, Will Weddle, Lum Bevers, Oscar Spear, Mrs. Bragg, J. S. Hartsell, Christeen Spear, Bettie Jo Spear, Erma Jean Spear, Ben Spear, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart of Crosbyton.

Miss Vada Faye Holland of Amarillo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cal Holland last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Mick Clark of Dallas returned home Friday after a few days visit here with her sister, Mrs. Edwin Murff, and us in Cal Holland. Miss Pat Holland returned home with them for a few days visit.

Mrs. Juanita Heatherly and son of Clarendon, visited Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Estes, and sister, Mrs. Boyd Dickson.

Sgt. Virginia Lemons returned Tuesday to Colorado Springs, Colo., after spending a few days leave with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hope Lemons.

Mrs. D. B. Gage had as guest last week her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Caldwell of Estelline, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Strick and baby of Port Arthur and Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Caldwell and two children of Amarillo.

Sgt. and Mrs. Marion Cross have returned to Vancouver,



Here Jack Lamb holds an 8-pound rainbow trout in the Alaskan wilds. In the wild, unnamed rivers of Alaska. Lamb often caught 300 trout per day as big as this or larger. The famous sportsman is coming to Memphis high school auditorium on Thursday, October 14, 8 p. m., for a personal appearance with his breath-taking pictures of the Arctic. Lamb dared death and untold suffering for months to make these pictures of the world's last frontier. More than 20,000 people saw this picture in Amarillo. Start now making plans to see it. Through the efforts of The Memphis Democrat this spectacular picture will be free to the public here.

Dead-Eye Helen.



Using her accuracy on the production front is Mrs. Helen van Gaston, national women's rifle champion, shown shooting rivets into the wing of a cargo plane at the Pullman-Standard Car Manufacturing Company at Chicago.

BRICE

By MRS. D. S. JOHNSON

Mrs. J. C. Johnson and children and Mrs. Joe Wood and Jo Anno spent the past week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hartzogg of Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Murff have returned home after spending several weeks at Dimmitt with their daughter, Mrs. Claud Mixon and family.

Mrs. Bertie Sanderson and son Louis of Memphis visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Gibson Sunday.

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Wash., after a visit here with their parents.

Miss Billie Salmon of Amarillo spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. L. Salmon.

Murry Cross left Friday for Florida after spending a few days leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Cross.

Those visiting in the Hilburn Gattis home are his parents, Rev. and Mrs. G. H. Gattis of Brookstone, Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Gattis of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Knight of Santa Fe and G. H. Gattis Jr. of the Navy. G. H. flew across country with his brother, Capt. Houston Gattis of the Air Forces.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Youngblood had as guests this week, their sons, Dr. Wyade Youngblood of Stamford, a daughter, Mrs. Frank Harrison and family of Amarillo, and daughter, Mrs. Meade Hale and family of Dimmitt.

Sgt. C. R. Cross has returned back for service after a four weeks visit here with his parents. He left Saturday and will go to Virginia. Sgt. Cross doesn't know if he will be sent back or across immediately. If he is not he thinks it would be grand to be stationed anywhere in Texas.

Basket Supper Given for Service Men and WAC  
A basket supper was given in the auditorium Thursday night honoring five boys, who are in service, and one WAC, Sgt. Virginia Lemons of Colorado Springs, Colo. The boys honored were Sgt. C. R. Cross who has spent several months overseas, Sgt. Marion Cross of the medical corps, Murry Cross of the Coast Guard, Corp. W. E. Shepherd and technician 4th grade J. V. Shepherd, both of the air forces.

Visitors at the supper from other communities were Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Davenport and children, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Holt, Mr. Derring, Mrs. W. E. Shepherd and Clyde Shepherd of Lakeview, Tom Smallwood of Dumas and Mrs. Dalton Howard of Clarendon.

WEATHERLY

By COLLEEN WEATHERLY

A. B. Stephens was in Spur on business Thursday and Friday.

S. S. Coleman and daughters were Turkey visitors Sunday.

Mrs. H. S. Gardenhire and children of Lakeview spent Thursday night with Mrs. A. J. Weatherly.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Weatherly and son Jim Charles visited in Turkey Sunday.

Betty Jane Swarengen spent

Thursday night with June Lee Weatherly.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Burke of Oklahoma is visiting with their daughter, Mrs. John Imel.

Faye Williams visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Stephens Thursday night.

T. J. Cummings has returned to camp after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cummings.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Weatherly and family visited in Dickens with Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Wiley Saturday night and Sunday.

A. B. Stephens and sons, Jimmie Joe and Billy Rex, were Memphis visitors Saturday.

O. L. Goldsmith and sons, Mrs. A. J. Weatherly and June Lee visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Gardenhire of Lakeview Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Adams and family visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Stephens Sunday.

Mrs. A. J. Weatherly and June Lee spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Weatherly.

Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Perkins were Turkey visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wellman and family visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Hartwell Sunday.

—Give to the USO—  
CARD OF THANKS  
We wish to thank our many friends for the kindness shown during the illness and death of our darling baby and grandbaby. We also thank the hospital staff. We are also indeed thankful for the beautiful floral offerings. May God's richest blessings be bestowed upon each of you.

Mr. and Mrs. Loran Denton and children.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rice  
Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Denton.  
—Buy Bonds—Buy Bombs—

Locals and Personals

Dave Roberts of Houston spent a few days here last week visiting old friends and neighbors. Mr. Roberts came to Hall County in 1889, and lived here until a few years ago.

George Bugbee of Redlands, Calif., came last week to look after his farming interests in the Deep Lake community.

Mrs. Watt Wilkinson and children, Larry and Carol Ann, went Saturday to Throckmorton for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wilkinson.

—Buy Bonds—Buy Bombs—  
Average human being more than 2,250,000,000 a lifetime of 60 years.  
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CARD OF THANKS  
We wish to thank our friends for their sympathy and kindness in the hour of our loss.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wilkinson and Grandparents.

—Buy Bonds—Buy Bombs—  
First Aid for Sour Stomach  
ADLA TABLETS  
Tarver's Pharmacy and Durham-Jones Pharmacy

Mrs. J. S. Tudor, Mrs. returned Monday and their grandparents and grandmother, Mrs. J. B. son of Newcastle.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry and daughter Suzanne visited last week-end and Mrs. Leon Gilreath.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon and son Jack visited night in Clarendon with Mrs. Frank Phelan.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. and Mrs. J. E. Neel of visited here Sunday with George Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Mrs. Mozell Stout and Mrs. Reece were Amarillo Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Granbury came Monday visit with his parents, Mrs. Henry Guest.

J. C. Ross returned from Amarillo where he with his wife who under operation there recently reported to be doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin attended the funeral Mrs. Louis Case in Dumas. Mrs. Case was killed in wreck in New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. George sons, Charles and Raymond business visitors in Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee visited Wednesday of last Amarillo with his sister, P. McKinney.

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### NEWS about boys in the Service

#### BOYS IN SERVICE

The following are excerpts from letters written to Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Martin by Corp. D. P. Denson. He entered the service July 27, 1940 at the time Martin's son, Raymond, entered. At the time Corp. Denson wrote these letters he was in Sicily.

**Hello Martins:**  
After not getting any mail from you in quite a period of time, it finds me here in Sicily after fighting in my first battle and expect plenty more to come. Now I can see just what war really is when it comes to any country and it is great to know it will not be in our own country if there is any way to prevent it.

Aug. 5—Now the people in Sicily are going through a jobless life along with no clothes and no food except what they raise. They seem very fed up with this way of living and all want to go to America as most have relations there now.

Aug. 23—Well, I can only say the people in Sicily are having a pretty hard life as the Germans worked them quite a lot and promised their pay later. Now they can't collect as there are none left to get it from and their transportation is a horse, mule or an ox. Some have cars that are about to fall apart.

Sincerely,  
D. P. Denson.

Sgt. Wayne D. Loury, recently promoted to that rank from corporal, has returned to Camp Campbell, Ky., after spending a ten day furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Loury, and his wife. Sergeant Loury was accompanied to Amarillo by his wife and parents and his parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Privitt of Childress. Mrs. Loury remained in Childress with her parents.

Staff Sgt. C. R. Cross Jr., left for Newport, Va., last Saturday to report, probably to go overseas to join his comrades. He came over from Africa as a guard on a ship loaded with prisoners from North Africa, and was given a

month's leave of absence which he spent with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Cross Sr. of Brice. His brother, Murry L. Cross, third class gunner's mate, in the Coast Guard Air Corps at St. Petersburg, Fla., obtained a furlough in order to be with his brother, C. R. Jr. while here. He returned to St. Petersburg this week end. He has been in service seven months and this was his first trip home.

Jack Edmondson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Edmondson of this city, received a promotion from Lieutenant to Captain September 20 at the Corsicana Air Field.

Pvt. Jack Drake of Camp Campbell, Ky., came Sunday for a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Drake. Private Drake drives a tank in the tank corps.

Pfc. Warren G. Adams left Sunday of last week for Camp Breckenridge, Ky., after a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Adams. He was stationed at Nashville, Tenn.

E. W. (Buck) Gillenwater, son of Mrs. E. W. Gillenwater, left Sunday for Dallas where he was called for active service in the U. S. Naval Reserve. He has been attending Texas Tech, Lubbock.

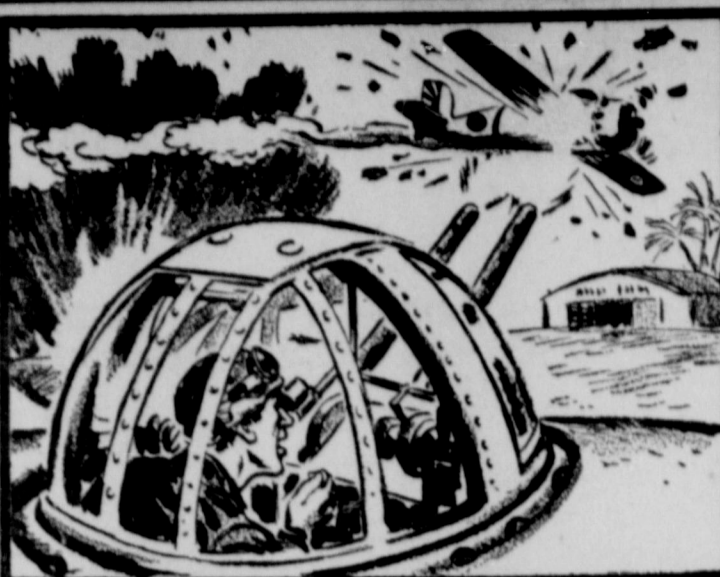
Sgt. Dorah L. Adams, son of W. M. Adams of Lakeview, is an engineer on a heavy bombardment crew now in training at the Army Air Base, Casper, Wyo. Following completion of his training at Casper, he will be sent overseas to a combat area where he will help take up the fight against the enemy.

Corp. Wyman E. Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Davis of Newlin, has completed training and has been graduated from the school of the Army Air Forces Training Command at Chanute Field, Ill. While attending this school, he received instruction in the instrument specialist course and in various technical operations vital to the maintenance of the country's fighting planes.

Pvt. Tom Bob Harrison of Sheppard Field visited here Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Harrison.

John Sargent returned to his home here Sunday after receiving a medical discharge at Camp Fannin, Tyler. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Sargent.

## AMERICAN HEROES BY LEFF



Captain Anthony Hollub manned the top turret guns of his grounded plane to return the fire of the Jap air attack on Clark Field in the Philippines. Exposed to strafing planes, the New Mexico captain ran across the field for more ammunition when it was exhausted. He was ready to sacrifice his life to keep his guns blazing. How much can you invest in Payroll Savings to help heroic fighters like Hollub to keep firing?

Sgt. Noy Crabb left Sunday night for Denver, Colo., after a visit here with his sister, Mrs. Bill Johnson, and friends. Sergeant Crabb is a gunner instructor at his camp.

Technical fifth grade Coy Davis of El Paso came Tuesday for a visit here with his wife and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Davis. T. Corporal Davis is a male nurse in a hospital. Mrs. Davis met her husband in Amarillo.

Technical Sergeant Herschel Montgomery left Wednesday for Fort Bliss, El Paso, after a visit here with friends. He also visited in Shamrock with his parents and other relatives.

Capt. and Mrs. A. L. Gailey of Abilene left Sunday after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard. He is stationed at Camp Barkeley, Abilene.

Aviation Cadet Evan Roberts Jr. left Tuesday for Pasadena, Calif., after a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Roberts. He will receive further training in meteorology at California Tech. He has recently completed a course in pre-meteorological at University of New Mexico.

Arthur H. Brown has been accepted by the aviation cadet examining board of Amarillo Army Air Field for air crew training in the Army Air Forces. He is awaiting transfer to a college or university for academic training.

Pfc. Brown and wife are making their home in Amarillo where he is stationed at present at Amarillo Army Air Field. Mrs. Brown is the former Miss Betty Callahan.

Sgt. and Mrs. Dick Shelton of McCook, Neb., left Tuesday night after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Meacham.

Lt. and Mrs. Roland Howe and daughters of Alva, Okla., left Sunday after a visit here with his brother, Ralph Howe and family.

William Dennis Walker, A R M 3-C, and Mrs. Walker and son Billy spent Tuesday in Memphis visiting friends and relatives. Walker is stationed at Memphis, Tenn., in the Naval Air Corps.

Ensign Billy Fred Rasco came Wednesday for a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Rasco. He is stationed at Floyd Bennett Field, N. Y., in the Aircraft Delivery Unit of the Naval Air Corps.

Lt. Floyd D. Roan is visiting at Newlin with his sister, Mrs. Manuel Burnett. He is a radio operator in the U. S. Army. Lieutenant Roan was injured at Guadalcanal and has been in Temple in a hospital.

Gunner's Mate 3rd Class Hiram Wood came Wednesday for a short visit with his mother, Mrs. Silas Wood. This is the first leave Hiram has had since he joined the Navy in January, 1942. He has seen action in the Pacific during the past twelve months and will report back to San Francisco next week.

Pfc. Zady Belle Walker of Camp Pickett, Va., came Wednesday for a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Walker. Pfc. Walker is in the WAC.

Pfc. and Mrs. Robert E. Higginbotham came Wednesday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Walker. Pfc. Higginbotham is stationed at Amarillo Air Field and Mrs. Higginbotham is teaching school in Borger. She is the former Mary Katherine Walker.

Two presidents of the United States, Jackson and Hays, were born posthumously.



Future Readers of The Democrat

Rev. and Mrs. Cordell Bales of Abilene are the parents of a girl born September 16. She was named Adrea Lee and weighed 6 pounds and 3 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Reynolds are the parents of a girl born September 25. She weighed 6 pounds and 4 ounces.

Frank was born September 29 to Mr. and Mrs. Julian Ivarra. He weighed 5 1-2 pounds.

A girl was born September 27 to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Adams. Barbara Gene weighed 8 pounds and 11 ounces.

Lana Kann was born September 28 to Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Payne of Lakeview. She weighed 6 pounds.

## PARNELL

By MRS. GEORGE WEATHERLY

Grace Wise and son Adrian of Houston visited Mr. and Mrs. Eric Trapp Saturday night.

Mrs. Red Spradlin and daughter of Memphis and Mrs. J. L. Marcum and daughter Mary of Estelline visited Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Weatherly Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd McCulloch were Parnell visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Bruce and Mrs. Buri Bruce and children visited in Amarillo last week.

Mrs. Josie Moore of Amarillo visited her daughter Shorty Nivens last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ferrel were Memphis visitors Saturday.

Joe Marcum of Amarillo spent the week-end with his family here.

Mrs. Bob Mothershed was a Memphis visitor Monday.

Junior Potts, who was in a car wreck Saturday night, is able to be up and about, it is reported.

Carl Hill made a business trip to Vernon Sunday.

Mrs. W. E. McGlocklin spent several days with Mae Weatherly last week.

Mrs. Buri Bruce and children and Mrs. Cab Huffmaster and children spent the day with Mrs. George Weatherly Monday.

Mrs. Joe Marcum and Mrs. T. M. Wyrick went to Estelline Saturday night.

## ESTELLINE

By MRS. FRED BERRY

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Adams Sunday were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Richburg and daughter of Lakeview, Miss Vernice Spencer, Mozelle Gowdy of Memphis.

Ray Dale Baccus and A. J. Berry returned Tuesday from Dallas.

Mrs. Swain and son returned to their home in Fort Worth after a visit here with her parents.

Mrs. J. W. Hawkins, Katie Phillips and Dr. P. L. Vardy attended a zone meeting at Kirkland last week.

Mrs. Perry Hale and children spent the week-end in Estelline last week.

Mrs. Cliff Grundy of Sudan spent the week-end here with friends.

## RED CROSS CHAPTER CANNOT ACCEPT PRIVATE ORDERS FOR XMAS PARCELS

The Hall County Red Cross chapter cannot accept private orders for special Christmas packages of United States servicemen held prisoner in enemy countries, E. N. Hudgins, home service chairman of the chapter, announced today.

The American Red Cross is preparing 10,000 special Christmas boxes for distribution to United States prisoners, but these are being paid for by the army and navy and none are available to fill special orders from relatives of prisoners.

Individuals who are next of kin of prisoners held in Europe, however, may mail Christmas gift parcels directly to those prisoners by using labels provided by the government, but these packages must be mailed immediately to insure their receipt by Christmas, because approximately three months are required for delivery he pointed out.

Labels for such parcels are furnished by the United States post office to the next of kin as soon as the government is notified of a prisoner's name and the address of his internment camp. It is not necessary to request the labels, but they are provided only to next of kin.

One of these labels is provided each 60 days and they may be affixed to gift parcels for prisoners. This applies only to prisoners in Europe and not to prisoners of the Japanese, Hudgins explained. He said that Japan has not yet agreed to the transmittal of packages to persons it holds prisoner.

Standard food parcels contain lunch biscuits, cheese, chocolate, cigarettes, coffee concentrate, corned beef, dried fruits, liver

paste, powdered milk, oleomargarine, orange concentrate, pork luncheon meat, salmon, soap and sugar. United States prisoners of war in Europe receive one standard food parcel each week. Contents is provided by the United shipment, and distribution are the responsibility of the Red Cross.

Special Christmas packages differ from the standard parcels in that they contain baked ham, fruit cake, fruit bars, jam, army spread, peanut butter, sugar coated and sweet chocolate, hard candy, candied nuts and one game, in addition to cheese, coffee and cigarettes.

"Gift packages for prisoners must weigh no more than 11 pounds and be no more than 18 inches in length and 42 inches in combined length and girth," Hudgins said. "Perishable articles will not be accepted for mailing and fragile articles should not be included."

The following are suggested by American Red Cross as items which would be appreciated by prisoners of war: Toilet articles, soap, towels, wash cloths, tooth brushes, razors and blades, shaving mirrors, chewing gum, nail clippers, safety pins, pencils, pillow slips, sheets, socks, belts, shirts, underwear, handkerchiefs, small games, footballs, basketballs, dried fruits, vegetables and soups, bouillon cubes, malted milk tablets and sugar. Foods must be securely wrapped in cellophane or cardboard containers. No more than one pound of sugar should be included and this should be in a strong paper bag or a cardboard box.

Standard food parcels contain lunch biscuits, cheese, chocolate, cigarettes, coffee concentrate, corned beef, dried fruits, liver

The chickadee is able to hang upside down when hunting insects on a tree.

## Prayer Books To Men In Service By Methodist

Ninety-six Prayer Books have been sent to men in service by the Methodist Episcopal Church. This movement is sponsored by the Methodist Episcopal Church and all members of the church who are in service and requested the church to send the books. About these books were sent to the men in the United States.

## ATTEND CHILDREN'S FOOTBALL GAME

Among those attending the Memphis-Childress football game in Childress Friday night were: Robert Johnson, Jack McMurry, Harold Stilwell, Jackie Potts, Jones, Curtis Goffred, Mrs. Carl Eudy, Lloyd Joe Crump, E. E. Robertson, Cadet Evan Roberts, Ann Roberts, Darlene Stilwell, Laurel Smith, Roselyn Williams, Jones, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. and Mrs. Gene Lee Whaley, Gene Robertson, C. Robertson, Vivian Mae Robertson, Ted Edmondson, Mrs. E. W. C. Davis, William Mason, Mr. and Knight, Bill George, Arlis McBel, Lavers Betty Sue Crump.

America will need nurses in 1944, or 1945, than are now available. The twofold or even a bird ventriquoist.

## WEEK-END SPECIALS

COFFEE, Folgers, 1 lb. jars	33c
SUGAR, Pure Cane, 5 lbs. 37c; 10 lbs.	73c
FLOUR, Amaryllis, 10 lbs. 59c; 25 lbs.	\$1.27
CRISCO, 1 lb. jars	26c
BAKING POWDER, 1 lb. Calumet	18c
MILK, Pet or Carnation, cans	5c and 10c
SALT, Morton's, 2 boxes	17c
RICE, 2 lb. box	25c
CRACKERS, 2 lb. box Saltines	32c
VINEGAR, quart flask, pure apple	14c
WHEATIES, 2 boxes	23c
POST BRAN or GRAPENUT FLAKES, box	10c
RAISIN BRAN, 2 boxes	23c
SOAP, P & G or C W, 6 large bars	28c
SOAP, Camay or Palm Olive, 3 bars	23c
SOAP, Ivory, med. bar, 7c; large bars, 2 for	23c
MAGIC WASHING POWDER, box	25c
OLD DUTCH CLEANSER, 2 cans	17c
STARCH, Faultless, two 10c boxes	17c
HYPRO, quart bottle	18c
TOILET PAPER, White Fur, 4 rolls	24c
PAPER TOWELS, Scot, 2 rolls	23c
TOMATO JUICE, Kuners, No. 2 can	12c
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, 46 oz. W S	31c
SOUP, Campbells Tomato	9c
SOUP, Campbell's Vegetable, New Style	15c
TOMATOES, Concho, No. 2 can	12c
ENGLISH PEAS, No. 2 can Mission	16c
SPUDS, No. 1 Colorado, 5 lbs.	22c
SWEET POTATOES, Extra Nice, lb.	7 1/2c
COOKING APPLES, Romes, lb.	9c
GRAPES, Fancy Tokay, lb.	15c
LEMONS, nice size, dozen	27c
ONIONS, White or Yellow, lb.	6c
CABBAGE, hard heads, lb.	5c
CRANBERRIES, new crop, qt.	30c
CELERY, nice stalk, lb.	18c
FRESH TOMATOES, lb.	14c
CARROTS, nice bunches	6c
GREEN BEANS, fancy, lb.	15c
CREAM PEAS, Home Grown, lb.	9c

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<b>PEARS</b> Colorado Bushel .... \$3.75	<b>CRANBERRIES</b> Eatmor Qt. .... 30c	<b>GRAPES</b> Fancy Tokay Lb. ....

- Potato Chips, Morton's, Large Package
- Coffee, Folgers, Drip or Regular, 2 lbs.
- Light Bulbs, 25 to 60 Watt, each
- Grape Punch, No points, quart
- Fruit Cocktail, White Swan, 27 points, No. 2 1-2
- Apple Juice, 14 oz. bottle, no points
- Beans, Cut Green, No. 2, 10 points

<b>Laundry Soap</b> Laundry, P & G 6 bars .... 25c	<b>Ivory Soap</b> Guest Small bar .... 5c	<b>MEAL</b> Yukon White 25 lb. bag
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- Paper Towels, Fort Howard, roll
- Theme Paper, 6 packages
- Candy, Lemon Drops, 12 oz. package
- Pineapple Juice, 46 oz can, 22 points
- Kraft Dinner, 3 for

<b>HOT BARBECUE</b> 8 points Pound .... 35c	<b>Brick Chili</b> Home Made, 7 points Lb. .... 35c	<b>Dry Salt Fat</b> 4 Points Lb. ....
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## Press Paragraphs

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### Young People for Clerks

All over the country young people are filling in as clerks in the stores to take the places of older persons absent in the service or in war work. Many of these boys and girls are developing into splendid clerks and sales people. There are a number in the local stores. For the most part they are bright, alert and accommodating. As is to be expected there are a few who are outstanding. They know the merchandise they have to sell, where to find it and the price. It is a pleasure to be served by these eager, courteous young people. Their avid interest in their work and their eagerness to serve makes trading with them a pleasure.—Tulia Herald.

The News has criticized the idea of inducting pre-Pearl Harbor fathers until all available single men and married men without children have been taken into the army. However, we became very suspicious when Senator Wheeler introduced his resolution to stop induction until the first of January. Wheeler has shown himself to be such an unwise and irate isolationist, and would like to run for president on such a platform, that we cannot become enthusiastic over his proposal.—Canyon News.

Some folks seem to be so constituted that they find fault with everything. Nothing seems to suit them. Nothing is done right by anyone. Such persons should make good inspectors in war plants. Nothing short of perfec-

tion would please them and even the perfect would be viewed with suspicion.—Foard County News.

A customer went into Steve Owens' complicated store and asked that worried man to define priorities.

At first, the sweating Steve looked like he was going to cuss the man out and then he grinned and said: "Priorities is something you must write on orders to get what there isn't anything left of but."—Wellington Leader.

That great big hunk of McAlester coal on the dock over at John Bista's can throw off enough heat to warm your house for about three weeks. It weighs more than you and I put together—735 pounds, to be exact—and if you and I together tip the scales at anywhere near that much, you had better go on a diet.—Paducah Post.

After this, we won't be surprised by anything less than a banana tree bearing splits. Mrs. Ed Dziuk, who lives two miles south of Hereford on the Dimmitt highway, has been reading about the unusual garden produce grown in Hereford and has added her own contribution. She has some bluebonnets in bloom now, and a fig tree which actually bore figs last year.—Hereford Brand.

### Slow Down Driving

Thirty-five miles an hour is being generally observed by automobile owners, though you will still find folks whizzing by you in the old order. It is not the majority who are so careless with their tires, gas and patriotism. There is still the fellow who is hard to convince and says he couldn't drive slowly if his life depended on it—and it usually does.

## First Come, First Serve



Many of us in Scurry County who have complied with the requested 35-mile speed are seeing more of the scenery, taking better care of our lives and finding this rate a little less nerve-racking. When you get used to it, then going over the speed limit seems like old-time speeding used to feel. Some cities are cracking down on the violators, and the result is frequently the loss of ration books. Try the 35-mile gait yourself, in case you haven't tried it—and you won't mind it, after the first 10 miles.—Scurry County Times.

## Town and Farm In Wartime

(Weekly News Digest prepared by the Rural Press Section, OWI News Bureau)

### Market Turkeys Now

Farmers are urged to market their turkeys as soon as possible so that the American armed forces overseas can have typical Thanksgiving and Christmas dinners. In a joint statement, Maj. Gen. E. B. Gregory, quartermaster general, and Marvin Jones, war food administrator, appealed to farmers to "go over your turkey flock carefully now with a view to offering as many as possible for sale to the government. Send them to your processor as early as possible. If you don't know where to market them, contact your nearest war board office or Quartermaster Market Center."

### To Issue Ration Book Four

War Ration Book Four, which will last approximately two years, will be issued to more than 120 million persons, through school house distributions during the last 10 days of October. OPA has announced. The book combines point and unit stamps. It has eight pages containing 384 stamps, printed in blue, red, green and black.

### Pre-Induction Training for Boys

More than one million 16 and 17 year old boys will be enrolled in voluntary civilian pre-induction

training courses in the nation's schools this fall, according to the War Department. Representing an enrollment of more than half of all the physically able boys at these age levels, the students are taking courses that will prepare them for more effective service in the armed forces. Officers at army reception centers record all pre-induction training on the soldier's permanent record card. This training is taken into consideration in making assignments to further training and army jobs.

### Give Soldier's Serial Number

The public is asked to use a soldier's army serial number in every case where inquiries are made to official agencies concerning either officer or enlisted personnel. Much time and material is wasted if the number is not given, according to the War Department.

### U. S. Casualties to Date 105,205

Announced casualties of the United States armed forces from the outbreak of the war to date (whose next of kin have been notified) total 105,205, according to War and Navy Departments. This total includes: dead, 20,104; wounded, 28,226; missing, 32,905; prisoners of war, 23,970.

## Legal Notices

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF S. F. BIGGERS, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original letters of administration upon the estate of S. F. Biggers, deceased, were granted to me, the undersigned, on the 9th day of August, 1943, by the county court of Hall County. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. My residence and post office address are c/o Sheriff's Department, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

ROSS BIGGERS,  
Administrator of the Estate of S. F. Biggers, deceased.  
15-11

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF S. E. THOMASON, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original letters of administration upon the estate of S. E. Thomason, deceased, were granted to me, the undersigned, on the 13th day of September, 1943, by the county court of Hall County. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. My residence and postoffice address are Memphis, County of Hall, State of Texas.

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## WOMEN WORK

By INEZ BAKER

Such a lovely letter from Sgt. Jacquelee McMurry of WAC Hq. Det., Conway, Ark. How I would like to share this letter with you but she said it was a personal letter and had not been censored for publication. This much may be told, Jacquelee is making good and is proud to be serving her country. When this horrible war is over the story of women's part, as well as that of men, in the service may be told. We shall know then the great things women have done for their country. And there will be gold stars for them for some will have purchased with their lives my right, and your right to freedom.

Colleen Baker: "I expect to make the best nurse Memorial hospital has ever trained." Colleen and Betty Sue Lindsey, Memphis girls, are now in training in U. S. Cadet Nurses corps at Memorial Hospital, Houston. Both are highly pleased with their work.

Mrs. Winfred Wilson, representative of U. S. Nurses Corps in Hall County, has received late information concerning this branch of the service and will be glad to assist any one who is interested. High school graduates between the ages of seventeen and thirty-five are eligible.

Repeated calls are coming in for hospital articles. One thousand items have been asked for from Hall County. Check up and see what you can do. Hotwater bottle covers, ice bag covers, bed pan covers, bathrobes, afghans, bed-jackets, bed shirts, card covers, bedside bags, fracture pillows, pillow cases and cushion covers, are among the things needed. You may find materials at home to make many of these things or new prints, muslin, Indian head or ticking may be given if you want to do something to help the county meet this call.

## Locals and Personals

Miss Janice Anthony of Dallas left Sunday after a visit here with relatives and friends.  
Mrs. Bill Johnson left Monday for Elk City where she will join her husband who is employed there.

Mrs. Claud [unclear] from Sunday until [unclear] her sister in Lubbock.  
Mrs. Allen Dunbar [unclear] rillo visitor Wednesday week.

Miss Ruth Whaley [unclear] came Sunday for a [unclear] her mother, Mrs. T. L. [unclear].  
Kate Dalton Williams [unclear] book visited here [unclear] with her parents, Mr. [unclear] M. Dalton.

Mrs. H. Gilmore and [unclear] Pauline of Turkey [unclear] Sunday with their [unclear] more and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. [unclear] Mrs. J. R. Jones of [unclear] returned Saturday from Floydada with Mrs. [unclear] I. W. Cudd, and in [unclear] her daughter, Mrs. E. [unclear].

Dr. and Mrs. P. L. [unclear] Estelline were [unclear] Monday.

Mrs. Bernie Davis [unclear] Rodney of Paducah [unclear] Sunday with her [unclear] Mrs. J. G. Gardner.

Mr. and Mrs. Adner [unclear] er and Mr. and Mrs. [unclear] lach visited Sunday [unclear] with Mr. and Mrs. [unclear] field.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. [unclear] Denny of Abilene [unclear] last week-end with [unclear] Mrs. Mrs. Bob [unclear] Mrs. Ora Denny.

J. P. Woodall of [unclear] Sunday after a visit [unclear] daughter, Mrs. Mary [unclear].

A. O. Wines was a [unclear] tor in Lubbock [unclear] Saturday.  
Miss June Edmond [unclear] last week-end in [unclear] friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl [unclear] daughter Linda of [unclear] here Sunday with [unclear] Mrs. B. F. Denny.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem [unclear] and Wallie and Jim [unclear] Dimmitt visited here [unclear] Mrs. Gilliam's sister, [unclear] Alexander and husband, [unclear] Wallie Clayton are [unclear] Mrs. Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. John [unclear] Marjorie Don Stone [unclear] day in Childress [unclear] Mrs. Jim Martindale.

## Real Estate TRANSACTIONS During Week

C. O. Davenport to Eula Boren, lot 4 and W 50 feet of lot 3, block 1, Nabers addition, Memphis.

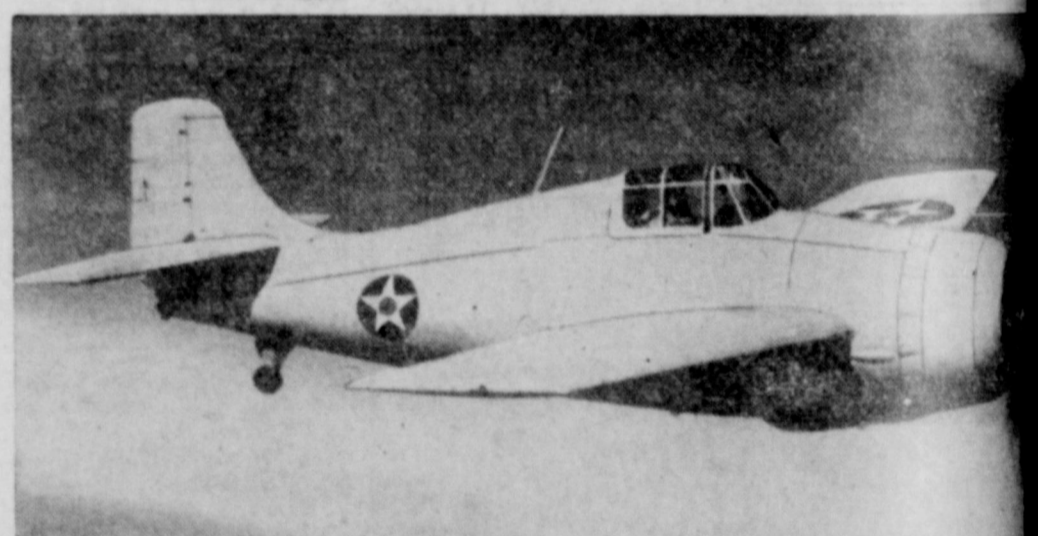
Thad Fowler to Alpha Ellis, lots 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, block 38, Newlin.

Elmer Turner to W. D. Fuston, N 195 acres of E 390 acres of section 292, block S-5, D&P Ry. Co. survey.

Joe C. Webster to E. W. Godfrey Jr., S 110 feet of lots 7 and 8, block 1, Read's addition, Memphis.

Mrs. J. A. Porter et al, to G. M. Bass, SW 1-2 of block 3, Shad's addition, Memphis.

Buy Bonds—Buy Bombs—  
Mrs. F. A. Limer visited last week in Houston with relatives.



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# ER OUTLINES INCOME TAXES ESTIMATES FOR FARMERS

W. B. HOOSER

How much will you pay as you go tax on your 1943 income? Answer: No, you will not pay a collection device on your 1943 income and method of your income and victory tax, we still have the revenue bill passed in 1942. The rates have changed, and taxable income is based on the 1942 income.

When must a farmer file his 1943 tax return? Answer: On or before December 15, 1943, he must file an estimated return. Between January 1, 1944 and March 15 he must file his final return. Each return will be for the entire year 1943. The March 15 return will provide a chance to correct errors in the December estimate.

Where will a farmer get proper forms on which to make his 1943 estimate? Answer: Forms will be available in banks, post offices, county agents' offices and other usual places in the county. Of course, a farmer may write for his forms directly to the Collector of Internal Revenue at either Dallas or Austin.

How will a farmer pay his 1943 tax liability? Answer: It must be paid on or before December 15, 1943. All payments he has made during the year whether in lump sum on March 15, 1943, or in installments will be deducted from his tax bill. This is to say, a farmer will now pay the difference. Let us say his tax bill is \$100 as figured on December 15. During 1943 he paid \$50 on what he considered his 1942 tax liability. Thus, all payments under the new law will be allowed as payments on his 1943 taxes. This means he still owes \$50 that must be paid on December 15.

Do farmers have the same taxable incomes and personal deductions as last year? Answer: They do for their income tax. However, the victory tax was not paid in 1942. It began January 1, 1943. In figuring his victory tax he is not allowed personal deductions like contributions to the church, interest and taxes on personal residence, etc. Only business deductions are allowed.

What deductions are allowed for family status? Answer: Income tax allows \$1200 for married couples, \$500 for single persons and \$350 for each dependent. For the victory tax a married couple receive an exemption of \$1248. For a single person the exemption is \$624. A deduction for dependents is not allowed as such for the victory tax, but credit is given in the postwar rebate.

Is the farmer penalized for making an error in his December 15 estimate? Answer: Not unless his estimate on December 15 is 33 1-3 percent under the final return. The error is determined by comparing the estimated tax of December 15 with the actual tax still calculated like before on March 15 of the following year. There is no penalty for over estimating the return.

How much is the penalty? Answer: Usually 6 percent. For example, let us say the farmer estimates his tax liability on December 15 at \$55 but on March 15 he found it should have been \$100. The \$55 estimate is more than 33 1-3 percent below the actual return, thus a penalty of 6 percent of \$2.70 would be assessed on the difference in this example of \$45. The interest is imposed on the total amount of under payment, not just amount below

33 1-3 percent.

How is the rebate or postwar credit of the victory tax calculated? Answer: Married couples get a postcredit of 40 percent of their victory tax. A single person gets 25 percent. A deduction of \$100 or 2 percent, whichever is smaller, of the victory tax is added to the postwar credit for each dependent.

How can a farmer use his postwar credit? Answer: He can wait until the war is over and collect it or he may use it as a deduction against current tax liability if during the tax year he has spent a sum equivalent to the credit due, for war bonds, payments on life insurance policies, and payments on debts incurred prior to September 1, 1942.

Is the 1942 tax payment forgiven? Answer: Not unless the tax liability is \$50 or under and the 1942 tax liability is smaller than the 1942 liability. An important point to remember is that the larger tax due is considered to be 1942 and all or a portion is skipped. If the smaller year's tax bill, which in most instances will be 1942, is above \$50 then only 75 percent or \$50, which ever is larger, is forgiven by the government.

How and when is the tax liability for 1942 paid? Answer: One-fourth of the total bill may be paid in two installments on March 15, 1944 and March 15, 1945. Of course, all tax due can be paid on March 15, 1944, if the farmer so desires.

Is the farm operator exempt from the withholding provision? Answer: Yes, he is not responsible for tax payments of his laborers.

Important Announcement: A new Texas Extension Service leaflet entitled: "Pay-as-You-Go In-

## Pre-Flight Training



As if a Navy aviation cadet wasn't busy enough studying at Chapel Hill, N. C., Pre-Flight, they tend their own victory garden on the side. Here you see a couple of them bagging some big ears for chow while they learn to be baggers of enemy planes. (U. S. Navy Photo.)

come Taxes on the Farm," probably will be ready for your use by September 1. This leaflet will help farm families have a clearer understanding of the need for higher taxes, the reasons for the "pay as you go" plan, and the mechanics in filing and paying this year's taxes.

Seaweed was used by the Germans in world war one to seal grenades.

## Locals and Personals

Mrs. John H. Sharp went Saturday to Odessa for a visit with friends.

Tom Draper and Charlie Drake were business visitors in Amarillo Friday.

Sam Anisman of Borger visited here Sunday with his brother, A. Anisman and family.

Lonnie Edmondson of Lubbock visited here last week-end with his wife.

Miss Ruth Stice visited last week-end in Amarillo with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Stice.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. L. Patillo of Childress visited in Memphis Thursday of last week.

Don Q. Tarver left Thursday of last week for Manhattan, Kan., where he will attend Kansas State Agriculture college. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Tarver.

Nelson Combest of Amarillo, underwent an appendectomy in a local hospital last week. He is reported to be doing nicely.

Mrs. Marjan Crump came September 15 to make her home here with her daughter, Mrs. Claude Prather. Mrs. Crump has been living in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. K. T. Boone of Amarillo visited here last week with their daughter, Mrs. Jeff Moore and husband. Mr. Boone is yard foreman of American Zinc Smelter.

Mrs. Laura Campbell and Mrs. Tom Salem were Amarillo visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Morgensen were business visitors in Amarillo Friday of last week.

## "PYORRHEA" MAY FOLLOW NEGLECT

An Astringent and Antiseptic that must please the user or Druggists return money if first bottle of "LETO'S" fails to satisfy.

Tarver's Pharmacy

Mrs. Charles Manoushagian and daughter Linda left Friday of last week after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Pyle.

Mrs. Ben Clonts of Fort Worth left last week after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Claude Prather and family.

Mrs. Lila Neal Kennedy of Carlsbad, N. M., is visiting at Lakeview with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Neal.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Graham of Arlington are visiting here this week with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Vogle and son Teddy of Dalhart and Mrs. H. L. Vogle and Mrs. B. W. Grozier of Snyder, Okla., visited here last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Morgensen.

Hubert Jones returned Monday from Houston where he visited with friends and relatives.

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"... they are puzzled... and homesick..."

"... the gap... when they did not come back..."

"I have seen the supplies come in..."

"... the destruction steel and fire can do..."

"... and claw their way into a hostile coast..." (Sicily)

"... to get this horrible thing over with... quickly..."

# JOHN STEINBECK CABLES FROM LONDON

"I HAVE SEEN the soldiers come down from the ships and stand in long lines on the docks, their 'B' bags on their backs and their rifles slung over their shoulders."

"I have seen the supplies come in by the hundred shiploads, locomotives and tanks and trucks—acres of boxed food and great mounds of hams, shiploads of bombs stacked in from keel to hatch and all materials that we need at home—steel for bridges and buildings, food for our own people, material enough to make all America well fed and well housed and well clothed."

"I have seen the men climb into the Fortress in the early morning and fly away waving with elaborate nonchalance and I have seen the gap in the mess when they did not come back and the empty bunks, the blankets thrown aside as they threw them, and the framed photographs on the steel lockers."

"The men have gone up the gangway again to go into action and they jump from landing barges to a beach, strewn with the bodies of their own people, and they claw their way like animals into a hostile coast."

"I have seen the hospitals with the mauled men, the legless and blind, the fingerless hands and the burned faces—all the destruction that steel and fire can do to a man's body and mind. In God's name, what is it for except to get this horrible thing over with as quickly and as thoroughly as possible? And if this is true, it should not be a matter of 'Who will lend his money?' but 'Who dares not to?'"

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Comments—

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buy bonds—it is an investment. Let's all do our best, and then some.

According to reports of the two test water wells, drilled north of town the past few days, Memphis may be assured of an adequate supply of water, and should immediately begin postwar planning toward securing factories and concerns that will mean greater payrolls. We shouldn't wait until the war is over, for other places will get busy then. Now is the time to get all the preliminary work done.

Alaska—

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fairly made the audience gasp—especially feasts of caribou steak, platters full of ptarmigan and tired men eating their fill—and restaurants did a big business after. The wild meat made everyone hungry.

Jack Lamb is more than a master fisherman. He is a twenty-four-carat showman, matching the diamond he wears in his sports shirt. Pictures of his fishing in streams where salmon, greyings and trout of whale-size played about his feet, made Shawnee's sportsmen anglers sit bug-eyed. They bought hundreds of Jack's book on "How to Catch Game Fish."

The Alaska picture was taken between June and September of 1941. The technicolor photography was superb. Mountains soaring into the clouds furnished background for highly-colored tundra the rugged rocky slopes, and chains of lakes disappearing in the far distance. Alaska has some 20,000 lakes, many of them never seen by white men.

Gene Howe of Amarillo and Doctor Bribach of Atchison accompanied Lamb on the trip from which he brought back 24,000 feet of technicolor film. The salmon fisheries and canneries along the coast of Alaska, where 95 percent of the world's salmon is packed, were of special interest to the women who are worrying over ration points. Until the Alcan highway was built, Alaska had only 400 miles of roads.

As a narrator, Jack Lamb is a wonder. His descriptions of the beautiful scenery unrolled before 4,500 pairs of eyes added zest to the entertainment.

Palace

Saturday Only— "It's a Great Life" Penny Singleton Arthur Lake

Saturday Nite Preview, Sunday and Monday— "Salute For Three" Betty Rhodes MacDonald Carey

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday— "Background To Danger" George Raft Brenda Marshall

PALACE AND RITZ BARGAIN DAY Every Friday "Sherlock Holmes and the Secret Weapon" Basil Rathbone Nigel Bruce

Ritz

Saturday Only— "Riders Of The Northwest Mounted" Russell Hayden Bob Willis

Saturday Nite Preview, Sunday and Monday— "Headin' For God's Country" William Lundigan Virginia Dale

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday— "Yanks Are Coming" Mary Healy - Jackie Heller

Jack Lamb's business is public relations man for the Mellon interests who own the Gulf Oil Company. He gets paid a gosh-awful salary for doing nothing else but fishing and hunting, taking pictures, and showing them in Gulf territory—which does not include Kansas. Jack says he gives people itching feet, and they buy gasoline to go places hunting and fishing.

Bobcats Smash—

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er took the ball and spun off tackle down to the Bobcats 13 yd. stripe. A short pass from Sherley to Miller in the flat put the ball on the 10 and the Cyclone was held for downs. The quarter ended shortly with a run from the 10 yd. line to the 40 by Harris of the Bobcats.

Third quarter: In the third period the Bobcats pushed the Cyclone back to their own 20 yd. line and blocked Sherley's punt which bounced crazily over the Cyclone goal line. The Bobcats cover for a touchback and point is converted. Score: 21-0.

Fourth quarter: The Bobcats heavy punishment came back again in the final period, as they started down the field for another score. First Gravley and then Morgan, who went over for the third touchdown of the game and missed extra point. The game ended soon with the ball in the Cyclone's possession on their own 14 yd. stripe.

Childress made 9 first downs to 6 for Memphis.

Substitutes in the game were: Childress, Lewis, Shofner, Goodson, Barry, Moore, Privitt, Carter, Kiker, Felton. Memphis Smith, Billington, Erwin, Bell.

Officials for the game were: C. Huffstetler (Texas Tech), referee; C. M. Brown (McMurry), umpire; Bullet Gray (Texas) head linesman.

Starting line-up for the Cyclone was: Hancock, le; Bruce, lt; McMillan, lg; Lamkin, c; Ballew, rg; Mauck, rt; Sargent, re; Vandeventer, lb; Miller, rh; Hanvey qb; Sherley fb.

Tomorrow night the Cyclone will meet the powerful Quannah Indians at Quannah.

Cigarettes—

(Continued from page one)

Since then, the Lions club has been sponsoring this movement and one shipment has been made and another is expected to be made shortly.

"This should erase any doubt that any of you might have had as to whether the boys were really receiving cigarettes or not. We hope to have enough money in the jars scattered around town to send a big shipment this week. These cigarettes can be sent to any foreign country except possessions of the United States, at the rate of five cents per package and a message of not more than 20 words may be included," stated members of the Lions club.

Baptist Pastor Is Rotary Speaker

Rev. Jeff M. Moore, new Baptist pastor, was guest speaker at Rotary luncheon Tuesday. He spoke on the "Unusual Qualities That Make America Great." He has a pleasing personality and easy manner of speaking, and his speech was well received, Rotarians declared.

Prexy Alexander and Temple Deaver made appeals for the bond drive at the close of the program.

Done Your Christmas Shopping Yet?



Santa Claus poses at the Chicago Merchandise Mart to remind you that Christmas packages for service men overseas must be mailed early—by Oct. 15 for the Army, by Nov. 1 for the Navy, Marine Corps and Coast Guard.

Ministerial Alliance Has Meeting Monday

The third Monday of each month at 10 o'clock is the time set for regular meeting of the Ministerial Alliance, announced the newly elected secretary, Rev. T. T. Posey.

At the meeting Monday, Rev. E. L. Yeats was elected president and Rev. Posey secretary. Others attending were Rev. Jeff M. Moore, pastor of the First Baptist church, Rev. John C. Cox, pastor of the Assembly of God church, and Rev. Paul H. Cox, evangelist of the Assembly of God church.

Following the business meeting, Yeats brought a short address to the other pastors.

Fire Prevention Week October 3-9

Every city and community should take advantage of the publicity afforded by Fire Prevention Week (Oct. 3-9) to make a thorough examination of every building for possible fire hazards, R. B. Harper, president of the Texas Safety Association, believes.

Roaper pointed out that despite rigid fire inspections, tragedies such as the recent Houston hotel fire which claimed over 50 lives still happen. He urged municipalities to take time out from the fast pace of living caused by the war to see that as many lives on this side of the ocean as possible can be saved.

"We should turn our attention not only to schools, theatres, and public buildings, but to our own homes," he declared. He pointed out that the public places in most cities are watched by fire officials, but the home safety angle is up to the families themselves.

Roaper reminded that last year 8,000 persons in the United States lost their lives due to burns, for a death rate of 6.3 per 100,000 population.

Katherine Hawthorn of Abilene visited last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Barber.

Dr. and Mrs. W. Fitzjarrald of Hollis, Okla., visited here Sunday with his brother, Dr. J. W. Fitzjarrald and wife.

PATSY RUTH RICHARDS HAS OPERATION ON ARM

Patsy Ruth Richards, 13 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Richards, was taken to Dallas Sunday for an operation on her right arm that she broke at high school on September 6.

The operation was performed Tuesday and Patsy Ruth is reported to be doing nicely.

Legal Notice

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Notice is hereby given that Dwelling insurance policies Nos. D 10001 to 10025 Inclusive; Windstorm policies Nos. SW 30001 to 30025 Inclusive; and Automobile policies Nos. A 501 to 525 Inclusive; of the American Home Fire Assurance Company of New York City, N. Y., assigned to the Bruce & Holland Agency of Estelline, Texas, requiring for their validity the countersignature of a duly authorized and licensed agent, have been lost. Since these policies have not been countersigned, issued or accounted for, nor any premium received thereunder by this Company, they are valueless and void. If found, please return to the office of the Company, 111 William Street, New York City.

No claim of any nature purporting to be based upon any of these policies will be recognized by the Company.

AMERICAN HOME FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY 15-3c

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

IT IS UNLAWFUL FOR THE FOLLOWING ACTS TO BE COMMITTED: Double Parking of automobiles in Fire Zone of the City of Memphis, and to park within 15 feet of fire plug, and double parking in the business district of Memphis.

Riding bicycles on the sidewalks anywhere in the City of Memphis, and the parking or leaving bicycles on the sidewalks. Places to be provided to park bicycles.

The blocking of sidewalks with any object movable or immovable.

Automobiles are allowed to park for the purpose of loading and unloading produce or groceries, but there must be some one in the vehicle capable of driving the said vehicle in case it must or should be moved to allow some other vehicle to back out of the regular parking line,

Lost

LOST—Black Shaefer fountain pen. Name of Grace Ezzell inscribed on side. Reward.

For Sale

FOR SALE—Seven room brick house and wrecking yard. Priced to sell. John L. Brewer. 13-tfc

AUTOMOBILES

FOR SALE—Buy from owner and original purchaser. 1941 Oldsmobile Eight, Deluxe Four Door Sedan, Hydromatic Drive, Radio, underseat heater, defroster, 5 excellent tires, low mileage, finish like new.

1941 Chevrolet Tudor Deluxe Sedan, radio, heater, low mileage, good tires, finish like new.

These cars have had the most careful care and are in perfect condition, an opportunity to purchase cars of this type don't come often.

A. M. TAYLOR, Clarendon, Texas 15-3p

FOR SALE—Farmall regular tractor and equipment. 1 mile north, 1 1-4 miles west of E.H. Owen Scoggins. 15-3p

FOR SALE—Two electric radios. Louis Curry, phone 85W, 1116 Robertson St. 15-2p

FOR SALE—1933 Chevrolet truck. Also wagon. O. C. Stilwell. 15-2p

FOR SALE—1938 Ford pickup. Good rubber. Dan Dean, Brice, Texas. 15-3p

FOR SALE—130 acre farm, 85 acres in cultivation. Will sell crop and stock. O. I. Mercer, Route 1, Lakeview. 15-4p

FOR SALE—320 acres 2 miles north McKnight, 200 acres in cultivation. Also several quarter sections. W. P. Cagle Jr., Box 104, Clarendon, Texas. 14-3p

FOR SALE—Team of matched bay horses, work anywhere, gentle. Walter McCracken, Lakeview. 16-3p

FOR SALE—Windmill and well pipe. Inquire at Democrat office. 16-tf

FOR SALE—Just received car of wagons. Call at once if you need a wagon. Thompson Bros. Co. 1c

FOR SALE—Case Broadcast binder, good condition, ready for cutting. A. O. Phillips, Memphis, Star route. 16-2p

CHRISTMAS CARDS—of the very latest designs at The Democrat office. Place your order early. Samples on display at the office. tfc

FOR SALE—Five room modern house, 1 block land, 509 S. 14th Memphis Heights; 600 white Leg-

and the time of such parking must not exceed 15 minutes.

Regulations governing street parking also applies to alley parking.

Driving over fire hose during a fire is unlawful and will not be tolerated.

It is also unlawful for any person or persons to break glass bottles and other glass containers and toss the same on a public street or alley.

The City Park and Library Park will be closed at 12 o'clock Midnight and re-opened at 7 a. m. All parties or persons in either of said parks will be expected to leave said parks at the hour mentioned herein, or else.

All of the above will be enforced. DONE BY ORDER OF THE CITY COUNCIL.

Edd McCREARY, Chief of Police

Classified

horn hens, 2 heifers with young calves; one-row A C tractor, A-1 condition. W. T. Phillips, Phone 306J. 14-3p

W. H. HAWTHORNE Mattress Factory, renovating, new mattresses. Will make small loans on automobiles. W. H. Hawthorne, Memphis, Texas. 10-tfc

FOR SALE—Two-row McCormick Deering binder, like new. See F. E. Monzingo. 14-tfc

FOR SALE—Good team of mules, wagons and harness; would consider trading for cattle or hogs. W. H. Moreman. 14-3p

STATIONERY—Bonnie Brae, the latest in fancy stationery, either plain or printed. Makes acceptable gifts; especially nice for boys in service. Order now. tfc

FOR SALE—Two wagons and a 4-wheel trailer in good condition. O. S. Callahan. 14-3p

FARMS See this 640 acre farm 7 or 8 miles of Memphis, 540 acre cultivation, fair improvements, a good buy at \$30.00, terms.

118 acre farm N Wof Lakeview, 100 acres cult, fair improvements, soft water. Priced at \$35. A small farm worth the money.

143 acre farm in Lakeview community, 123 acres cult, ordinary improvements, price only \$35.00.

640 acre stock farm, 10 miles of Memphis, 180 cult, good improvements, soft water. A good buy at \$20, terms.

1 1-2 acre chicken farm on highway near Memphis, a 4 room house and 3 room house, fenced chicken yard, price \$1000. Will take some trade.

CITY PROPERTY If you want a home 3 blocks of square, see this 7 room house on 6th street, \$3500. Cash payment \$1700, balance like rent.

Brick veneer 6 rooms and basement, well located, close in to business, \$7,500.

A dandy brick veneer dwelling, \$5000. This price is about one-half the cost of replacement. Good terms.

Good 6 room stucco, well located \$4,000

5 rm stucco good location \$3,250

5 rm frame close in to sq \$2,650

6 room frame on 14th St. \$2,500

6 rm frame close in \$2,000

6 room frame needs some repairs \$1,000

4 rm stucco needs repairs \$500

9 rooms frame, 2 apts. \$1,750

If you contemplate buying a home, see us, you will pay more later—buy now.

DELANEY AGENCY, Phone 151 All Kinds of Insurance 1c

For Rent

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms. Also have four cows out for their feed. Would find pasture for hogs at 520 Harrison.

Wanted

WANTED—Sewing. Mrs. E. Ellerd, 209 S. 11th St.

WANTED—Boll pullers, home to live in and pay any price. Phone 412. Potts, Memphis, Texas.

PERMANENT WAVE, your own Permanent with Kurl Kit. Complete outfit including 40 curlers and poo. Easy to do, absolutely less. Praised by thousands. Including Fay McKenna, movie star. Money back if not satisfied. Pharmacy.

WANTED—Tricycle year old girl. Mrs. F. Lakeview.

INFORMATION WANTED concerning relatives of a named Irene Hawkins adopted by Mr. and Mrs. Shaw of Childress, Texas. Communicate with Irene well, 2317 Dodson Avenue, Nashville, Tennessee.

WANTED TO BUY Dried beans and blackeye brown, crowder and varieties of dried peas. Hand facilities for hand picking. Warehouse at 1906 Ave. Bock, Texas. Phone 4211. L. R. BARRON COM. Texas Largest Blackeye.

NOTICE That mattress you have summer outside can be at a reasonable cost. It soft and fluffy for winter. See me at once as ticks fully scarce. Maybe that have on your bed can again. I do lots of beds the same cover. You can see me at once. I have mattresses, all sizes.

MILLER MATTRESS West Noel St., 9 blocks square, Memphis, Texas. 365M day or night.

Help Wanted WANTED—Cowboys with and beds, feed shopman, couple for headman, phone 9633. Apply 537 Amarillo Building.

HELP WANTED—White to pick cotton. Will room furnished house. cow. Write E. E. Power, Memphis, Texas.

Open Sundays

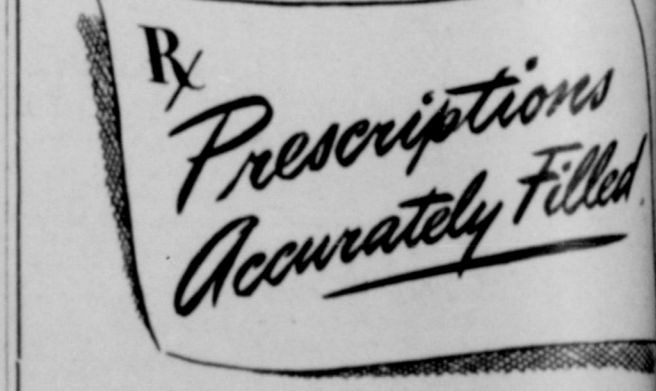
Hereafter our cafe will be open regular hours Sundays. We invite you to come in for one of our special Lunches.

HAYES CAFE Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Hayes

Good Ol' Helmer



Wounded in the head and shoulder but still alive—thanks to his helmet—is Pvt. R. N. Wolford after a shell landed within 20 feet of him during a battle in the Mediterranean area. He shows some of the holes pierced by the four pieces of steel. But the headgear stopped them in the nick of time.



Have your doctor's prescription filled at a pharmacy. We guarantee a conscientious pharmacist preparing your medicine at reasonable prices. Ask that you bring in the prescription and call for it filled? War time conservation and government have compelled us to curtail delivery service as much as possible.

DURHAM-JONES PHARMACY