

So This Is, or Was, Hiroshima



An aerial view of the Japanese city of Hiroshima, an important industrial center and military base, which was the first target to be hit by the new atomic bomb, announced by President Truman. The following morning the Japs admitted extensive damage done by the new "bombs." Only one bomb was dropped and sixty per cent of the city estimated destroyed.

All-Risk Insurance Is Offered On Wheat

All-risk insurance on your winter wheat crop is being offered this year. The Federal Crop Insurance Corporation will insure your wheat, on a non-profit basis, against all unavoidable risks. But applications covering at least fifty farms—or one-third of the farms in the county, whichever is less—must be received before the insurance is available in your county. So it's up to Parker County Farmers to make the program work—to put the farming of the State on a firmer foundation. With crop insurance, you can check weather hazards off your list of worries. Your crop insurance will be protected against such natural hazards as drought, winterkill, hail, rain, insects, plant diseases, and frost. Farmers can get all-risk crop insurance on their winter wheat this year for the first time since 1943. He can choose between two contracts—one, covering up to seventy-five per cent of the average yield the other, up to fifty per cent. Both contracts are for a three-year period. The farmer can pay his premiums each year by cash or by premium notes.

If you'd like to find out more about the program, or if you would like to file your application now, drop by the county Triple-A office. Be sure to get your contract all signed, sealed, and delivered before the closing date in Parker County. That's September 1, 1945, or your own seeding time, whichever come up first on the calendar.

Football Practice To Start Sept. 1st.

Coach Jack Williams of the Farwell High school, today announced that football practice would start at the local school on Saturday, Sept. 1st.

He invited all boys who are interested in football for the coming season to report at the high school gymnasium at ten o'clock Sept 1st, where they will be issued their equipment. All such boys must have their own shoes, socks and straps, he said.

Farwell will play six-man football this season, Coach Williams said, with the hope that enough men could be developed this year to enlarge to 11-man team next season.

Over the main entrance to a hospital near Boston is this inscription: "Man tends. God mends."

TO OUT-OF-TOWN SUBSCRIBERS

Under new policy, a charge of 10c is made for change of address. Please include this when you notify us of such change. Otherwise, The Tribune will not be forwarded to new addresses.

Source of Revenue On Way Out

That "ole gray mare" which has been a source of revenue for the want ad department of The Tribune for the past few months because of her wanderlust proclivities, is soon to cease to be a source of income to this newspaper.

So stated Luther Moss this week, who said that once he located her again he was going to get rid of her for good.

She has been one of our most steady customers and we regret to see her on her way out.

Parmer Dischargees File Their Records

Parmer County continues to have a high batting record on the number of dischargees filed, with the clerk's office listing three new ones during the past few days, as men are relieved from service.

Pfc. Alexander T. Stowers, of Friona, is now in civilian clothes, following his discharge from Fort Sam Houston on August 9th. Stowers had been in uniform for approximately five years, spending the past nine months overseas.

He holds the European-African-Middle East Service medal, the American defense medal, and the good conduct medal. While in service he was an ambulance driver with the 17th Airborne Division.

Discharged from Fort Bliss on August 7th was S-Sgt. Alden T. Henderson of Farwell, who had put in three years overseas with the 46th Engineer Construction Battalion.

His campaign stars include the East Indies, Papuan, New Guinea, Southern Philippines and Luzon, in addition to which he wears the Bronze Star, the division unit badge, the good conduct medal, American theatre medal, American defense medal, a bronze arrowhead signifying an invasion, and ribbons of the Asiatic-Pacific theatre and Philippine invasion.

S-Sgt. Willard H. May, of Friona, was discharged from Camp Chaffee, Arkansas, on July 22nd, after one year of service overseas with the 693rd Field Artillery as a mess sergeant. He had been in service for four years.

Special citations include the bronze star and good conduct medal, and his campaign ribbon bears stars signifying action in Northern France, Normandy, Central Europe, and the Rhineland.

GO TO CALIFORNIA

Mr. and Mrs. A. Beckman, who returned here in July from Hot Spings, N. M., where they spent the winter, have gone to Pasadena, Calif., where they plan to make their home.

Amendment Vote Comes Saturday

Texico Faculty Ready, Farwell Lacks 2

Free Barbecue Will Feature Dairy Show

With the largest list of animals ever to be exhibited expected to arrive for competition, the Parmer County Dairy Show will open its doors in Bovina next Wednesday, August 29th, for the third annual showing.

The show, open to registered Jersey, Holstein-Friesian and Milking Shorthorn breeds, will continue through Friday, August 31st, with cattle to be removed from the show barn after 4 o'clock the final day.

Featuring the opening day of the show is the butterfat production contest, with two tests to be run on the cows entered, morning and evening. Thursday will be highlighted by the judging and a free barbecue, sponsored by Bovina merchants, at the noon hour, and the show barn will be open all day Friday for visitors who wish to see how the various animals placed in competition.

Classes Outlined

In the butterfat production contest, two classes are listed: (1) cow four years and over and (2) cow under four years. Prizes will be \$10, \$7.50 \$5 and \$3, with a banner to go to the champion of the two classes.

A total of \$117.50 in prizes has been arranged for the Jersey department, with 18 different classes for the animals. Cash prizes will be awarded for first, second and third places in all departments except get of sire; and junior, senior and grand champion animals will be selected, with banners as additional awards. In the get of sire competition, first prize will be \$5 and second \$2.50.

The Milking Shorthorn and Holstein-Friesian departments also draw \$171.50 each in awards, with the same classifications as those arranged for the Jersey department, the show booklet reveals.

The 4-H club boys will have their own department, with \$120 to be presented in prizes. Record books covering the demonstration must be handed to the department superintendent at the time of or before entering the animal, and club entries will be judged with regular entries in order to save time. They will be listed according to their relative placing with other club entries in the proper classes.

Escapes Injury From Fall Into Cess Pool

Mrs. S. C. Hunter, pioneer Texico resident, was returned to here Tuesday morning from a Clovis hospital, where she was under observation and treatment for a 24-hour period for injuries, described as only minor, suffered when she fell into a cess pool on the north side of the Cruise building in Texico.

She received several small lacerations and body bruises in the horrifying experience of having the earth fall from under her and plunging some 10 feet to the bottom of the pit. Her cries for help reached the ears of Mrs. Rip Snodgrass, who she was soon rescued with the help of a lariat rope.

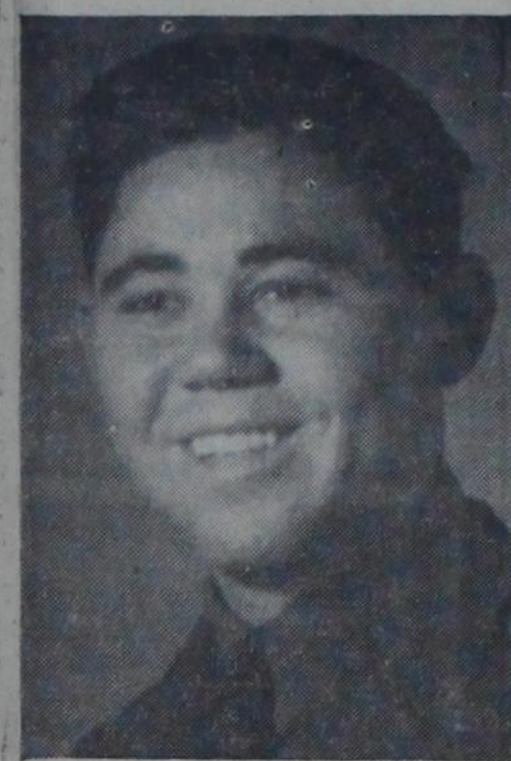
Mr. Hunter said that the pit into which his wife plunged was shallow and was used only for bath water disposal. Fortunately, it contained only a little water. Debris of rotten timber and chunks of earth tumbled in with the victim, and it is believed that this was responsible for the body bruises she sustained.

Mrs. Billington Goes to County Agent's Office

Mrs. Morgan Billington, who resigned her position as clerk of the Farwell postoffice last week after three years, announced this week that she was to be connected with the County Agent's office in Farwell.

Her duties will begin there on Sept. 1st, she stated.

Five women in the University School of Law have been initiated recently into Kappa Beta Pi, honorary legal fraternity for women.



THOMAS LEE RAY WILKERSON son of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Wilkerson of Bovina, who recently has returned from overseas duty.

General Rain Falling Here Wednesday

What appears to be the most general rain that has fallen in this area of the Plains country, began falling here Tuesday afternoon and was continuing at the time the Tribune was preparing to go to press Wednesday morning.

R. V. Ham, local weather observer, said the moisture had amounted to .95 of an inch at 8:00 a. m. Wednesday, and a steady drizzle was continuing at that time.

Reports from over the county said that the rain was even heavier in some localities, with a deluge falling from the Doolittle farm north of Texico, where estimates of a six-inch rain are being heard. August moisture in Farwell has amounted to 2.93, according to weatherman Ham. The rain will insure a heavy planting of wheat on the thousands of acres of barren crop lands in this section which has not been seeded up to now because of dry weather.

Inductions of Young Men To Proceed

With indications that calls will be somewhat reduced in the future, it was announced today at the office of the Local Board in Farwell that inductions of young men under 26 years of age could be expected to continue.

The September call has not yet been received here, but the board members generally expressed the opinion that it would be somewhat lighter than in recent months, and it is further predicted that all inductions in the future will be made up of young men who have just attained their 18th birthday. "But this is a mere speculation," one board member hastened to explain.

Job control of all men over 26 years of age is out, and hereafter any man beyond this age limit is at liberty to engage in any occupation he chooses, it was announced.

Another regulation that was greeted by local board members with a sigh of thanks, has to deal with applications for discharge from the armed forces. Hereafter, the local board will not be asked for a recommendation on discharge applications unless it is clearly shown that the applicant for discharge was inducted through an error on the part of his draft board.

This does not mean that men in the armed forces may not proceed with discharge applications, but that the local boards will not be consulted with reference to the grounds for the applications.

DRAFT BOARD TO MEET

Mrs. Bessie Lee Heneman, clerk, today announced a meeting of the local draft board to be held on Friday afternoon, August 24th.

With the opening of both local schools set for Monday, Sept 3rd, the Texico School faculty is complete and the Farwell school still needs two members to complete the staff, it was announced this week.

Supt. B. A. Rogers of the Texico school, completed his faculty some several days ago with the acquisition of an agricultural instructor. Other places on the staff had been filled some time ago.

Supt. of the Farwell schools, H. A. Clift stated the first of the week that he still needed two teachers to complete his force, and he is still on the lookout for a primary instructor and an English teacher in the high school.

Registration of both grade and high school students will be conducted at the Texico school on Friday, August 31st, starting at 1:30 (CWT). In Farwell, Supt. Clift said that the registration of the high school students would be carried out on Friday, with more specific information as to the hour to be announced next week.

Clift said that he was hoping to have his faculty completed by the opening date, but added that he was finding it extremely difficult to find the two existing vacancies. He said that his investigations had led him to conclude that the teacher shortage is even more serious this year than since the beginning of the war.

Announces Faculty

Supt. Roges of the Texico school, announced the personnel of his faculty members as follows:

C. E. Sanders, math and social science; Mrs. Hershel Arnold, commercial and English; Mrs. Gladys Murphy, English and social science in junior high school; Mrs. Jimmie Allman, home economics and English; Tom Hudson, vocational agriculture and science; B. A. Rogers, math and government.

In the lower grades will be the following: Mrs. B. A. Rogers, Mrs. Viola White, Mrs. Regina K. Neill and Miss Mable Davis.

Supt. Rogers said the school lunch program will be continued this year, following considerable improvements in this department during the summer months, including the installation of a new electric refrigerator. Two cooks will be employed in this department, but as yet no selections have been made to fill these places, and Rogers suggested that anyone interested should get in touch with the Texico school board at once.

First Inductee From Parmer Gets Discharge

S-Sgt Earnest Arthur Brannon, who holds the distinction of being the first inductee from Parmer County under the Selective Service System, has been granted an honorable discharge and reported to the office of the local board here Tuesday.

A Tribune reporter made an effort to contact him for an interview but was unable to do so. He was described as being the "most decorated man" to be seen here since the war began. He lives at Friona.

Texico-Farwell Has Quiet Celebration

Texico-Farwell itself did little celebrating when the momentous news of the end of the war was announced, except to breathe a prayer of thanksgiving and to close up shop for a day or so. Government offices were closed for two days, while most local businesses reopened last Thursday.

Special services were held in local churches on Sunday as a tribute to those who had and could come home and to those who would never come back.

As those at home actually began to believe the war was over, the first concern among most people was when the boys would be home, and what system of discharging would be established to relieve those who had spent months and years in uniform, both at home and abroad.

REOPENS GARAGE

Karl Gast has reopened his garage, known as Karl's Auto Clinic, after a two-week suspension while he was taking a much needed rest.

Voters of Parmer County will journey to the polls on Saturday, August 25th, to cast their votes for or in opposition to four proposed amendments to the constitution of Texas, in a special election being held throughout Texas on that day.

During recent years virtually all proposed amendments to the Constitution have been approved by the voters, but it appears likely that 3 of the issues will be defeated in Saturday's voting. There is little or no opposition to the amendment granting members of the armed forces the right to vote and it is believed that this amendment will be adopted.

The hardest fight is being made on the amendment that would increase the salaries of members of the State Legislature to \$10.00 a day, and hike the pay allowance for mileage traveling to and from the state capital. It is being contended that such an increase would give members of the Texas Legislature the highest salary schedule of any state in the union.

Opponents of amendment No. 4, including Senato W. Lee O'Daniel, claim that its adoption would actually result in the old-age assistance checks being reduced instead of increased.

The Texas Bar Association has endorsed an amendment that would increase the Texas Supreme Court to nine members, instead of the present three members. Strong opposition to the amendment is being voiced over the state because of the additional cost to the taxpayers.

County officials stated this week that the election booth in the various precincts would be set up at the customary places, with the school houses being named as the voting places in all precincts except Farwell, where the voting will be done at the Court House.

Below is a brief resume of the proposed amendments to the Texas Constitution to be voted on August 25th, 1945 and is given herein as each amendment will appear on your ballot:

Amendment No. 1.

This amendment provides that during the time the United States is engaged in fighting a war, or within one year after the close of the calendar year in which said war is terminated, no person, who at the time of holding any election in this state authorized by law, or who, within 18 months immediately prior to the time of holding and such election was, a member of the Armed Forces of the United States or of the Armed Forces Reserve or the United States Maritime Service or the United States Merchant Marine, is required to pay poll tax, or to hold a receipt for the payment of any poll tax assessed against him, in order to vote at any election. The foregoing amendment, if adopted, does not give any person the right to vote who is a member of the regular establishment of the United States Army, Navy or Marine Corps.

Amendment No. 2.

This amendment provides that members of the Legislature shall receive \$10.00 per day during their tenure of office, and in addition each member shall receive not to exceed \$2.50 for each 25 miles as mileage in going to and returning from the

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Texico Soldier Cited In New Caledonia

With the U. S. Army Forces in New Caledonia—The Meritorious Service Unit Plaque has been awarded to Company A, 3119th Signal Service Battalion, of which Private First Class Andrew M. Williams is a member. His mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Williams, resides in Texico, New Mexico.

Cited for "superior performance of duty and the achievement and maintenance of a high standard of military and professional proficiency," the unit received the award Murray, South Pacific Base Commander.

Before being redesignated in September, 1944 as Company A, 3119th Signal Service Battalion, the Company served at this base from the early part of 1943 as the 831st Signal Service Company.

During 3 years overseas service at this French-owned island of New Caledonia, his unit has installed and maintained signal equipment for the Army units stationed at this important base of supply.

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OKLAHOMA LANE

Misses June Christian, Bobbie Lou Kent, Bessie Ruth Caldwell and Mr. J. W. Hromas were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wendol Christian.

Miss Carretta Grissom was a Monday visitor of Miss June Christian.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Henson and family of Portales, visited friends and relatives here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Cochran are proud parents of a girl, born Saturday.

Mrs. Tom Lindop Visited Mrs. Turner Paine Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubbell and Beverly and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Kedden and Joy attended the show in Clovis Sunday.

Mr. Tom Foster returned to his home Sunday from Lubbock where he had undergone a major operation over a week ago.

Mrs. Oscar Hubbell received a badly sprained ankle the past week in a fall. She is able to get around at this writing.

The Young Married Peoples Sunday School Class of the Methodist Church met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oris Hubbell the past Tuesday night to lay plans for their monthly meetings. The next meeting will be in the class room at the church with Mrs. Billy Sudderth and Mr. Melvin Sudderth on the entertainment committee; Mr. Conrad Nelson will be in charge of the Devotional, and Mrs. Tom Lindop and Mrs. Eddie Redden will serve on the refreshment committee. This class is made up of young married people of all denominations, and we invite any young people who do not have a home church to come and worship with us every Sunday at 11:00 war time. The teacher is Mrs. C. C. Christian with Mr. Awen Patton assistant.

The Friday club met with Mrs. J. T. Jones with only four members present. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Ernestene Lowell on August 31st.

Mr. Charlie Johnson and daughter visiting relatives in the community.

Mrs. Bedford Caldwell and children returned Friday from Lubbock where they had been visiting for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Gennens have returned from a short vacation trip to the mountains of New Mexico.

Miss Jean Patton has returned to her home after visiting in Amarillo for the past three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Foster of Clovis visited in the Tom Foster home Monday.

PLEASANT HILL

Mamie Hightower spent the week end visiting and shopping in Amarillo.

Mrs. H. M. Hopper received a letter from her grandson Lt. James P. Spearman saying he had landed in the Aleutians. He will spend a year there.

Pleasant Hill School will begin Sept 3rd. Mr. and Mrs. Dickson will teach in the high school. Mr. Dickson is principal.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesters are visiting in Oklahoma.

Mrs. Floyd Bocox was called to Elk City, Oklahoma, her mother was seriously ill.

Mrs. Joe Jarrell is visiting friends in Levland, Texas.

Mrs. Minnie Curtis will leave this Wednesday for Hot Springs N. M. her son Dean and wife are taking her.

Bob and Pat Spearman will return from Carlsbad the last of the week to spend the winter with their grandparents and go to school at Pleasant Hill.

Duane, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Greathouse has recovered from an attack of infantile paralysis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parker are visiting in Colorado Springs, Colo. and looking for a location.

Mrs. Jarrell received word that her mother, Mrs. Wright, had received a stroke, but she is doing fine, she lives in Bowie, Texas.

COL. DICK DOSHER AUCTIONEER

Farm Sales A Specialty

Making Dates Now for Fall Sales



NEWS FROM OUR BOYS IN UNIFORM



LOST—Blue-gray mare, blemish on left front foot, age six years, no brands, Notify Luther Moss, Texico, N. M.

FOR SALE—Seed rye. Roy Hawkins, 3 1/2 miles west of Bovina. 41-1tp.

FOR RENT—Apartments, furnished or unfurnished. Place for cow and chickens. Mrs. M. Leftwich, Farwell. 35-tfc.

WE HAVE plenty of genuine one-way discs; sweeps and a complete stock of John Deere parts. Also, a Litz feed mill; a 10-inch John Deere mill, and some grain blowers. Friona Farm Equipment Co., Friona, Texas. 39-tfc

FOR RENT—A corral. Inquire at Sheets & Buck blacksmith shop, Texico. 39-3tp.

FOR RENT—Six room house at Hub, Texas on R. E. A. line, mail route, running water, small pasture available. See F. L. Wenner, Muleshoe, Texas. 39-3tp.

JUST RECEIVED—Shipment of gas Roper ranges. C. R. Elliott Co. Bovina.

FOR SALE: Farm land and resident's property in Texico and Farwell. List your's with me, I have the buyers. S. C. Hunter, Texico N. M.

FOR SALE—John Deere tractor, 41 Model A with tool bar, lister and planter equipment. Mrs. Thelma Jersig. 39-tp.

STRAYED—Two Whiteface steers, branded C on left jaw and reversed C on left hind leg. Notify Paul L. Jones, Rt. 1, Texico. 39-3p.

FOR SALE—New 10-ft. windmill. C. R. Elliott Co., Bovina.

WE ARE DEALERS for this territory for famous "Jeffroy Soil Control Cultivator", made in 10-13-16 foot sizes. It is the many-purpose plow; produces higher yield, at lower cost. See the plow of the Southwest at Consumer's Supply, Clovis, N. M. 40-4tc

FOR SALE—1939 Deluxe Ford Tudor, fair tires; 1936 Chev. truck, good tires; also some weaning pigs and a heavy duty windcharger, complete with tower and batteries. T. W. Bewley, 4 miles west, 2 1/2 north Lazbuddy. Mail address, Friona. 40-2tp

FOR SALE—One-row Superior wheat drill, good condition. O. C. Petree, Lariat. 40-3tp

Urges Housewives To Use Potatoes

With farmers harvesting more potatoes than the markets can handle, local housewives are asked to help move current supplies by buying generously and serving often.

According to C. B. Hodges, State Health Director, Commodity Credit Cooperation's Office of Supply, the potatoes now being harvested, while excellent food will not store for a length of time. For that reason, they must be consumed immediately, he explained.

Potatoes are not plentiful in all sections of the state, mostly because of transportation tie-ups. But in this area, farmers are sending more potatoes to market than can be absorbed, Hodges said, adding that most of them must be consumed locally if food waste is to be prevented.

The United States Department of Agriculture, to support prices to growers began buying potatoes several days ago. While this is a definite relief to farmers, housewives can also help provide additional outlets by buying and serving lots of potatoes while they are seasonally plentiful, he said.

A lot of auto accidents would be eliminated if the man behind the wheel would quit hugging the wrong curves.

STATIONED IN MILAN

Lt. J. D. Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Thompson formerly of Texico and now of California, has recently graduated from OTS in Italy, his mother writes The Tribune. He has been overseas for 18 months and is now stationed in Milan, Italy.

GETS DISLOCATED ANKLE

T-Sgt. Frank Thompson, formerly of Texico, is currently stationed at Douglas, Arizona, it is learned here. Frank has been in the hospital for the past two months with a dislocated ankle.

ASKS FOR PAPER

Karl J. Gast, more commonly known to his friends here as Smokey, writes from the Pacific that he really enjoys the home-town paper "even if it is several weeks getting out this far." He goes on to say that he is working hard and "learning a little, but did make a rate". Smokey is now a coxswain. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Gast of Farwell.

MOVES AGAIN

Capt. Wilbert White, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. White of Farwell, has recently been moved to another station. He is now located at Boise, Idaho, after spending some months at Mountain Home, Idaho.

IN UTAH

A brief postcard received here the last of the week from Cpl. Andy Marcus was postmarked in Utah, indicating that Andy had been moved—or was enroute to another assignment. He has been at Edgewood Arsenal, in Maryland, for the past two months.

LEAVES ON SUNDAY

S-Sgt. Kater Crume, who has been spending a furlough here after duty in the European theatre, left the first of the week, accompanied by Mrs. Crume. They will spend several days at Elephant Butte Lake near Hot Springs, N. M., and Sgt. Crume will report to Fort Bliss, on the 28th of this month.

SUMMERS ADVANCED

Aboard an airplane carrier, Clarence Summers, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Summers of this city, has been advanced to S-1c Rdm. He is under Admiral Halsey's Third Fleet Command.

AT FORT SAM HOUSTON

Pvts. R. L. Clark and Billy D. Baxter, both of Friona, have reported to the medical department enlisted technicians school at Brooke Hospital Center, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, to undergo training as Army

medical-surgical technicians.

The 8-week course, followed by a month of on-the-job training at an Army hospital, qualifies enlisted medical personnel to attend casualties and other bedridden and convalescent patients and further assist the medical officer.

Americans World Coffee Champs

COLLEGE STATION—Like the English and their world-wide reputation for tea-drinking, we Americans have earned the coffee consumption championship. Coffee drinking in the U. S. reached a record high last year and may go even higher next year, according to U. S. Department of Agriculture figures.

The annual coffee consumption of coffee in 1935-39 averaged 14 lbs. per capita. In 1944 it was up to 16 pounds, and so far this year it appears to be rising still.

Along with the increase in coffee drinking has gone an increased demand for better coffee. The standard of today is a good 8-ounce cup—with short brewing. Such coffee calls for precise methods of making, so many new kinds of coffee makers have come on the markets in recent years.

The Virginia Experiment Station recently tested 15 of these newer coffee makers. The types were: percolators, dripolators, and vacuum filters. In the tests, the vacuum makers scored the highest for the quality of the beverage, gave the largest measure of beverage, took the least heating time, and were the only makers in which the finest grind of coffee could be used without producing sediment in the beverage. Dripolators were scored the poorest performers of the makers tested.

OPENS CAFE IN TEXICO

Mrs. Morris Lucas, the former Miss Bessie Lee Jones, has purchased the "Pop" Phillips property in Texico, and opened a cafe therein on Tuesday of this week. It will be operated under the same name of Dusty's Cafe, and regular meals and short orders will be served to the public.

NOTICE!

NO MORE ICE DELIVERIES

On account of the shortage of ice and restrictions on transportation, we are now forced to discontinue ice deliveries. We are sorry that we cannot accommodate our patrons further in this regard, but it is something we cannot help.

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SANTA FE CARLOADINGS

The Santa Fe systems carloadings for week ending August 18, 1945, were 22,836 compared with 27,789 for same week in 1944. Cars received from connections totaled 13,339 compared with 13,942 for same week in 1944. Total cars moved were 36,175 compared with 41,731 for same week in 1944. Santa Fe handled a total of 42,261 cars in the preceding week of this year.

Then there's the soldier's young bride who asked if she should buy the gravy from the grocer or the butcher.

AMERICAN FOOD AROUND THE WORLD

NEW YORK—Meals cooked and frozen in New York or San Francisco, with vitamins and appearance intact, will be placed before post-war American air travelers in Calcutta, Singapore or wherever U. S. flak lines have the foreign ports of call. This plan has been worked out so that hungry passengers, dubious of strange foods served by the natives, will not have to adapt themselves to such conditions. A specimen dinner may include fresh pineapple cup, lobster newburg, Dutchess potatoes, light rolls and meringue topped strawberry tarts.

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ANTICIPATING POSTWAR DEMANDS, A RAILROAD COMPANY IS PLANNING DOUBLE-DECKER COACH CARS TO SATISFY THE EXPECTED TRANSPORTATION BOOM.

AIRCRAFT INDUSTRY'S NEW ORANGE-LIGHT GUNLIGHT ENABLES AIR GUNNERS TO FIRE ACCURATELY AT 400 MPH.

PRESIDENTIAL PLANE

WASHINGTON—The Presidential C-54, known to men in the service as the "Sacred Cow", which was used by General Eisenhower on his return to the United States, since it went into service in June 1944 as President Roosevelt's personal plane has flown across 44 countries. It was used to bring Madame Chiang Kai-Shek from Rio de Janeiro to New York. It is a stock model plane with an elevator and special deluxe interior and is now being used by President Truman.

VARIED DELIVERIES BY AIR

WASHINGTON—In the requests filed with the Civil Aeronautics Board for permits to operate special types of flying services there are applications to carry feed, flowers, drugs and associated commodities; general merchandise; a flyaway service to carry aircraft from producer to purchaser, fish and fish products, armored car service. The scope of these proposed operations is very wide, several embracing the whole United States.

Perking Up the Men Folks' Clothing

COLLEGE STATION—"Right now a man's civilian suit is one of the most precious garments in the home," says Mrs. Dora R. Barnes, specialist in clothing for the Extension Service. "If your husband or son is not wearing it because he's in uniform, you should see to mending it and putting it away safely."

But if your menfolk are still wearing "civvies", you and they together can make their suits last as long as possible—get every possible day's wear out of them. You can help by cleaning, pressing and mending the suit—but the men can do much to save repairs and keep their suits looking well.

Here are some tips from Mrs. Barnes on how men can help save their suits: Any suit lasts longer if it gets brushed often. Brush a suit with the grain of the cloth—inside as well as out—in and around pockets and inside of cuffs, if the trousers have cuffs.

Let the suit hang in the open air a while before it goes into the closet, especially if the closet isn't ventilated. From time to time give the suit a good out-door airing on a bright, breezy day.

Don't spoil the press by throwing it over a chair; put it on a hanger as soon as you take it off, preferably on one of those wooden hangers with broad shoulders made especially for men.

As for cleaning and pressing, you save the suit by having it cleaned before it gets too dirty. It saves money as well as the suit.

Remember that keys carried every day in the hip pocket rub against chairs and wear holes through pockets and pants. Over-loading stretches and strains pants, often tears corners. Pens and pencils in a coat or vest pocket will strain or jab holes in the fabric unless they have clips.

See that the belt is not too wide or thick to fit easily through belt loops. When too wide the belt rubs loops and makes them fuzzy.

Help your menfolk get the most wear out of their suits by helping them follow these simple rules.

Mercury Produced In Small Texas Town

AUSTIN—From the heart of the Big Bend Country of West Texas, near the little town of Terlingua has come most of the mercury produced in Texas, University of Texas geologists report.

Mining of mercury has been carried on in the Terlingua district, in southern Brewster and southeastern Presidio counties, since 1896, according to Dr. E. H. Sellards, director of the Bureau of Economic Geology at the University, and Glen L. Evans, assistant geologist in the Bureau. A

descriptive list of Texas minerals is contained in "Texas Looks Ahead", Volume I, on natural resources of Texas, published recently by the University.

"Although production records are incomplete, the estimated total for the district is between 150,000 and 200,000 flasks, containing 76 pounds of metallic mercury," Dr. Sellards said.

The ore minerals are mainly cinnabar and native mercury, although secondary mercury minerals occur commonly in nearly all deposits. Mercury is an essential metal in modern industry, being used chiefly for drugs and chemicals, in various

electrical apparatus, in anti-fouling paint for ships' bottoms, and in recovering gold and silver by the amalgamation process.

50,000 MONTHLY

WASHINGTON—The Army is using 800 air transport planes to return soldiers from Europe at the rate of 50,000 a month. A goodly share of the soldiers will, after a short leave, be flown across the country for re-deployment against Japan. Just how many will probably travel via the commercial airlines is emphasized by Col. J. M. Johnson, ODT director, who pointed out that unless one has a No. 2 priority, plane travel west-bound is going to be almost impossible during the next few months. Eastbound air trips may not be so difficult.

MORE AIRLINE PILOTS

The domestic airlines of the United States expect to obtain a needed 1,000 pilots and co-pilots under the new program of the AAF allowing the release of a limited number of military pilots for airline duty. The new pilots are needed to serve on the new routes being opened and old routes being resumed to aid the military and industrial war effort against Japan.

HER FIRST FLIGHT

LONDON—Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon, Queen of the British Empire, made her first airplane trip when she and King George flew between the Channel Islands of Jersey and Guernsey.

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5 Good Country Tricks for Saving More Used Fats

This year our domestic supply of fats and oils will be approximately one and one-half billion pounds less than last year. Right now, we are facing our worst fat shortage since the war began. To make up for this staggering loss, the government is depending on the women of America—and particularly women on farms and in smaller cities.

Every spoonful, every drop of fat is needed to help make battlefield and homefront essentials. So roll up your sleeves and do an all-out job, won't you? Clip this checklist and pin it up in your kitchen as a reminder.



- FRIED SALT PORK**—with milk gravy. Salt pork yields so much grease, you won't need it all for gravy. Pour the rest into the salvage can.
- DEEP FAT FRYING**—use the fat over and over, but when it's too dark and smelly to use any more, don't forget Uncle Sam wants it!
- ROASTS AND CHOPS**—save all trimmings (scraps from plates, too.) Keep them in a small bowl; once a week melt them down.
- SAUSAGES**—they're better if you parboil them first. Skim the fat off the cooking water—scrape the fat from the frying pan.
- CHICKEN SOUP**—chill it before you use it. Scoop off the hardened grease (soup tastes better, too!)

When the salvage can is full, take it to your butcher promptly. He will give you 2 red points and up to 4c for every pound of used fat you turn in.

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THE VETERAN'S FRIEND

GOING BACK TO SCHOOL?

Every honorably discharged service man or woman of World War II can go to school at government expense under two acts of Congress (see chart below) if the requirements are met.

Additional information can be obtained from the Disabled American Veterans national service officer in your area or write D.A.V. national headquarters, Cincinnati 6, Ohio.

PUBLIC LAW NO. 346 (G I Bill of Rights)

TO BE ELIGIBLE:

- A veteran must have served in active military or naval service on or after Sept. 16, 1940, and prior to the end of World War II.
- The veteran's discharge must be other than dishonorable.
- At least 90 days active service is required for one year of schooling.
- Veterans under 25 years of age at induction are entitled to instruction (not less than one year, not more than four) commensurate with length of service. Over 25 years of age must prove interruption or interference for one year of schooling.

WHAT YOU GET:

Tuition and necessary school expense (up to \$500) for an ordinary school year. In addition subsistence payment of \$50 a month is made to veterans without dependents, \$75 a month to veterans with dependents.

WHERE YOU GO:

The veteran may choose any recognized educational or training institution which will accept him.

FUTURE BONUS:

This law, as it stands today, provides that money spent on a veteran's education will be deducted from any federal bonus he may get.

TIME LIMIT:

- Schooling must start not later than two years after discharge or the end of the war, whichever is later.
- Educational benefits of the GI Bill terminate seven years after the war.

PUBLIC LAW NO. 16 (Disabled Veterans Bill)

TO BE ELIGIBLE:

- Disability must have been incurred or aggravated by active service on or after Sept. 16, 1940, and prior to end of war.
- Discharge must be other than dishonorable.
- Length of service and age at induction do not enter into eligibility.
- A disabled veteran is eligible for training under Public Law 16 if his disability is a vocational handicap. That is, the disability must "materially interfere with securing and pursuing employment comparable with that for which he is qualified" by education, training and experience.

WHAT YOU GET:

A single veteran receives \$92 a month plus tuition and necessary school expense. Married veterans receive \$103.50 a month plus \$5.75 for each dependent, plus \$11.50 monthly for each dependent parent. Transportation and travel expense also is provided.

WHERE YOU GO:

Any public or private educational institution pending approval of the Veterans Administration.

FUTURE BONUS:

There will be no deduction from future federal bonus for training under Public Law 16.

TIME LIMIT:

- Maximum training is four years.
- There is no deadline on starting time.
- Benefits under Public Law 16 terminate six years after the end of the war.

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More Soap Promised For Laundry Use

COLLEGE STATION—American housewives are going to have 10 per cent more "heavy duty" laundry type soaps.

According to a statement from the USDA received here, Secretary Clinton P. Anderson has made possible the increase by an order requiring manufacturers to use additional quantities of water-softening "builder" materials in their products. The order became effective August 7.

At the same time, the Department announced that army requirements for soap will be lower during the next six months. This will make it unnecessary to reduce further the quotas of fat available for the manufacture of civilian soaps, the statement said. It quotes the secretary that the quota of fat assigned to soap manufacture for civilians in 1945 is more than the quantity of fat consumed in the manufacture of soap for civilians in this country before the outbreak of war in Europe.

In announcing the order, Secretary Anderson put a quietus on rumors that soap may be rationed. "If we were to have soap rationing," he explained, "it would be necessary for me as Secretary of Agriculture to authorize it. I do not plan to issue such authorization. Operating a soap rationing program is just too great a problem to undertake now."

It would be a little easier on all of us, he went on, "if people would buy sensibly, buying only what is needed, instead of starting a run on scarce stocks. Supplies will continue to flow to retail outlets, so let's buy what we want when we need it."

By increasing the use of water-softening "builder" in their products, the statement explained, manufacturers will be able to increase the total quantity of these types of soap available to civilians by more than 100,000,000 pounds during a 12 months period without requiring the use of additional fats and oils. It explained further that the added use of "builders" would not decrease the cleansing qualities of the soap, nor does the order change in any way the present formulas used in bar soaps nor fine fabric granulated or flake soaps.



Landing Wheels of a Boeing B-29 Superfortress

You're Looking At A "Run-Down Heel"!

Out where the palm trees wave and they carve the air strips out of coral, the ground crews were going nuts.

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Result—at one time those big rubber doughnuts were being chewed up and torn to shreds in about fifteen landings!

Suppose you had to have new heels after wearing a pair of shoes only fifteen times! It would mean plenty of expense, trouble, and bother, wouldn't it? Well mister, just multiply that worn-out heel on the B-29 by all the jeeps and peeps and planes and you'll begin to get some idea of Uncle Sam's rubber troubles!

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Claimants Should File Claims Promptly

There is no possibility of loss of benefits under the old-age and survivors insurance program, said Amarillo, Texas office of the Social Security board, if the wage earner in covered employment will report to the Social Security Board field office immediately after he attains the age of 65. This, he emphasized, is of great importance to the wage earner because he needs to know the requirements necessary in filing a claim for insurance payments.

This also applies to the widow of a deceased wage earner; she, too is requested to contact the nearest Social Security Board field office and ask for the manager or some member of the staff to give her information regarding the filing of claims.

It was pointed out that the board is anxious to cooperate with claimants in every way possible to expedite the filing of claims. The claimant should notify the office as soon as possible after reaching the age of 65.

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Visual Aids Are Used In Many Schools

AUSTIN—Visual aids are definitely no longer "new-fangled" ideas. Texas educators agreed in conference here recently, at a two-day study of the production and utilization of visual aids in public schools held at the University of Texas.

The use of pictures, film strips, moving pictures, graphs, charts, maps, and other visual aids is now accepted almost as a necessity for supplementary teaching purposes, according to Dean T. H. Shelby, head of the University's Extension Division; Dr. F. E. Grossnickle, visiting professor from New Jersey State Teachers College; Dr. C. M. Reinohl, visiting professor from the University of Arkansas; and Capt. Dudley S. Moore of Camp Hood, formerly superintendent at Lampasas.

"The time has come when visual aid is a legitimate expense which taxpayers should bear in the support of the educational system," Dean Shelby said. "Public education can be more effective by the use of visual aids, and school boards should recognize the handsome returns which will come from money invested in materials and equipment."

Practical application of the use of visual aids in teaching science was demonstrated by T. V. Livingston,

principal of elementary schools at Seminole, Texas, and by Miss Eva Stapleton of North Texas State Teachers College, and Miss Hazel Floyd of Stephen F. Austin Teachers College.

Health Notes

By Texas Department of Health

AUSTIN—The State Health Department's campaign to control venereal diseases in Texas is showing highly gratifying results in the number of cases found and cured in the quarantine and rapid treatment centers.

This campaign, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, declared, has helped to keep venereal disease infections from spreading and has played a major part in aiding servicemen and civilian industrial workers to stay on the job. In fact, man days lost through such infections, in the armed forces and in industry, have been brought to an all time low and Texas can list this gratifying result among its contributions to the nation's military and industrial achievements.

In a report this week, Dr. Cox disclosed that approximately 15,000 infectious cases of gonorrhea and syphilis are being treated annually

and dismissed as non-infectious in the six rapid treatment centers now in operation. Located at San Antonio, Corpus Christi, Mineral Wells, El Paso, Waco and Overton, these hospitals have a combined capacity of 525 beds.

The staff of trained investigators who trace contacts and locate the sources of infection have been concentrating their efforts in military areas with excellent results. All contacts found to be infectious and who refuse to take treatment from their family physician are placed in quarantine and treated until cured.

There is no advantage in waiting until tomorrow, because there will be no more time tomorrow than there is today.

OPERHAUL 52 ENGINES DAILY

CLEVELAND—The Air Technical Service Command at Patterson Field, Ohio, overhauls 52 airplane engines daily. Plane engines are shipped here from all over the world. One recent arrival from India consisted of 10 carloads of war-weary engines.

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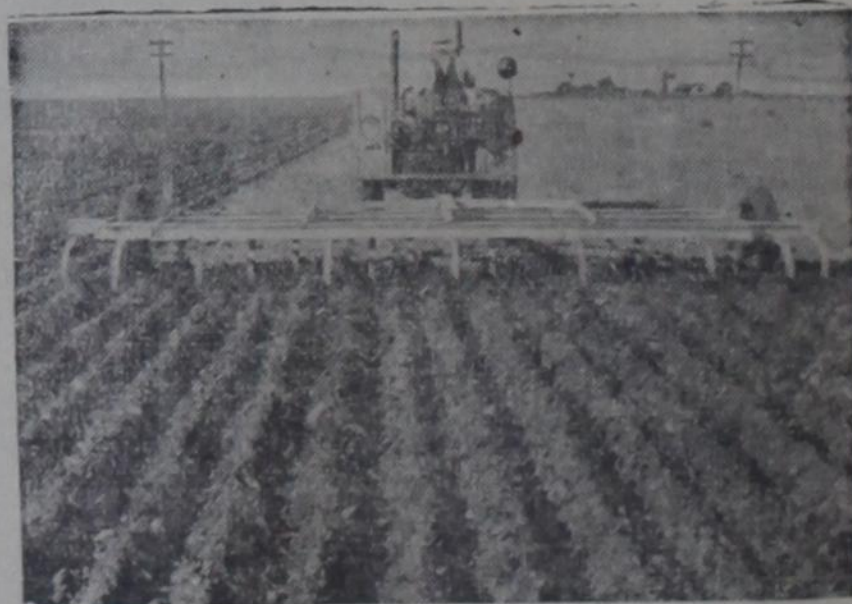
BOSTON—Installation of an air-ground radio communication station for furnishing joint service to all the airlines operating at the Logan airport marks a new policy for the domestic airlines of the United States. In the past individual airlines have in general operated their own stations.

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Recalling Admiral William P. Halsey's (insert) intention to ride the Mikado's white horse down the streets of Tokyo, the Reno, Nev., chamber of commerce decided he shouldn't be riding bareback. This silver-mounted saddle, which cattlemen acclaimed a masterpiece and costing \$2,000, has been forwarded to the Admiral to go with his recently acquired spurs.

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Local Happenings

Pre-Nuptial Shower For Bride-to-be

The home of Mrs. A. G. White, of Bovina, was the scene of a lovely pre-nuptial shower on the afternoon of August 9th, given for Mary Will Johnston, the house was decorated throughout with cut flowers. The flowers were gladiolas, sweet-peas and roses.

Refreshments of punch and Angel food cake was served to the following:

Mrs. A. B. Vassey, Mrs. Frank Pesch, Mrs. Frank Smith, Mrs. Gene Ezell, Mrs. R. D. Blalock, Mrs. T. Mrs. Wilbur Charles, Mrs. Mollie White, Mrs. Chas. Gray, Mrs. R. D. Whetstone, Mrs. Elman Stark, Mrs. Hart, Mrs. George Roberts, Mrs. J. T. Hammonds, Mrs. R. H. Lowery, Lubbock, Miss Deloris Wilson, Miss Pat Wilson, Miss Carolyn Wilson, Dan and Nancy Johnston, Rosa Lee Denny, Mrs. R. S. Johnston, Jean Danner, Mrs. Aubrey Brock, Mrs. Roy Hawkins, Mrs. Norman Wilson, Mrs. E. V. Isham, Mrs. M. L. Means, Mrs. Nettie Lee Wilson, Mrs. Lorene Jefferson, Mrs. Dottie Ward, Mrs. Francis McKinney, Mrs. John Kimbrow, Mrs. J. T. Hoppingardner, Gladys and Mildred, Mrs. Mable Newberry, Willie Ellen and Martha Williams, Mrs. Danner, Jerry Neice, Oleat Hoffman, Mrs. Glover, Mrs. Leona Steelman, Mrs. Otis White and the Hostesses—Mrs. John L. Wilson, Mrs. Frank Wilson, Mrs. A. G. White.

Those unable to attend sending gifts were—Mrs. Emmitt Tabor, Eeva Hoppingardner, Mrs. Bob Wiliford, Mrs. Shelby Bishop, Mrs. C. Ro Howard Jr., Mary E. Charles-Kaminski, Anna Bell Gray, Mrs. L. S. Pesch, Mrs. I. W. Quickek St., Hammonds, Mrs. O. W. Rhinehart, Bob and Sam Johnston, Mrs. Joyce Mrs. Julia Leake, Mrs. J. G. Hudson, Jr., Mrs. Bill Elberting, Mrs. Travis BROWN, Mrs. Troy Fuller, Mrs. J. H. Steelman and Alice, Mrs. Barbara Kessler, Mrs. Buck McCuan, Mrs. J. D. Stevens, Mrs. E. M. Ware, Mrs. W. O. Cherry, Mrs. Tom Rhodes and Dorothy, Mrs. Ward Thompson, Mrs. June Rhodes, Mrs. Nina Elgin, Mrs. Dolly Williams, Mrs. Jack Williams, Mrs. W. E. Williams, Miss Inell Elliot, Miss Weta Mae Ross, Miss Pat Danner, Mrs. Joe Langer and Marie, Mrs. E. Englant, Mrs. Van Bowen, Mrs. Lady Armstrong, Mrs. J. Sam Gaines, Mrs. Loyd Battey, Mrs. J. H. Williams, Lubbock, Mrs. Tom Hastings and Donalita, Mrs. C. R. Elliot, Mrs. Alie Godsey, and the Godsey family, Mrs. Al Berggren, Mrs. E. H. Englant and Mary Alice, Mrs. Maude Tremble and Loyce, Mrs. Ray Davies and Christene, Mrs. Albert Dragner, Mrs. Mute Crook, Mrs. L. C. Moore, Mrs. G. H. Duckson, Mrs. J. C. Denny, Mrs. Charles Ross and Mary Agnes, Mrs. J. F. Barnett, Mrs. Nell Gunn, Mrs. Lon Smith, Mrs. Bill Kyle, Mrs. Frank Ayres, Mrs. Rm. Gains, Rev. and Mrs. R. Trostle, Mrs. E. J. Caldwell and Rita, Mrs. H. L. Tidenberg, Mrs. Bill Venable, Mrs. Fred Stump, Mrs. B. F. McKinney, Mrs. J. E. Bingham, Mrs. Otis Floyd, Fricha, Donna Brito, Mrs. P. D. Barron, Mrs. R. G. Barron.

Mrs. Geraldine Campbell is visiting in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Albert Thomas, after staying several months with her husband in Louisiana.

Church Class Honors Husbands At Social

The Susannah Wesley Bible Class honored husbands and special guests on Wednesday evening of last week, with a covered dish supper and social, held in the parlor of the local Methodist Church.

Following the meal, a short program was enjoyed. Donald Joe Pipkin gave a reading, Mrs. Anne Overstreet, Miss Twila Strickland and S. C. Hunter joined in a vocal trio; and a clever set of original conundrums concerning husbands was presented by Mrs. A. D. Smith.

Present at the affair were Rev. and Mrs. Charles S. Walker and children, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Pipkin and son, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Nobles, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Hunter, Mrs. Ralph Humble, Miss Twila Strickland, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Atchley, Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thornton, Mrs. Anne Overstreet, Mrs. W. H. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Thomas, Mrs. Lena Yoder, Mrs. Ruby Dixon, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. Ezell.

Lutherans to Observe Mission Festival

On Sunday, August 26, 1945 the members of the Immanuel Lutheran Church in the Rhea community will assemble in their house of worship to observe Mission Festival. Two special services will be held. The morning hour of worship will begin at 11:00 o'clock (CWT). The service in the afternoon will begin at 3:00 o'clock. The Rev. Charles E. Wedig, pastor of Immanuel Lutheran Church, Clovis, N. M., will deliver both sermons.

The members of Immanuel Lutheran Church of Rhea and their pastor extend a cordial invitation to the public to join them in these services.

The ladies of the congregation at Rhea will serve dinner to all present.

Young People At Ceta Canyon Camp

Nine more intermediates from the Oklahoma Lane and Bovina Methodist Churches attended the encampment at Ceta Canyon last week. Those in attendance from Oklahoma Lane were: Wilma Atchley, Corine Christian, Wilma Del Doshier, Betty Foster, Gloria Kepley and Joy McDonald, with Mrs. Everett Christian going as counselor.

The Bovina group was made up of Shelby Ann Jersig, Jimmie Ware and Harold Lowrie, with Mrs. Bob Wilson as counselor. Rev. Roscoe Trostle, pastor of both churches, accompanied the groups and directed the nature lore class and had charge of the swimming pool. The week's encampment was said to be one of the best of the summer.

Two Marriage Licenses Are Issued Here

During the past week, the county clerk's office issued two marriage licenses to out-of-town parties.

On August 18th, license to wed was issued to E. C. James and Miss Mandell Partin, both of Portales.

On August 20th, license was granted to Kenneth E. Gibbons of the Clovis Army Air Base, and Miss Wanda Lee Giles. They were married by Judge A. D. Smith at 3:30 a. m. in order that he could report to his new assignment in Colorado the following day.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Scott and daughter, Beth, and Mrs. R. D. Hobbs, visited briefly in Farwell, Saturday afternoon. They were enroute to their home in Hereford after a vacation in Colorado and northern New Mexico. The Scotts formerly lived in Farwell.

Family Dinner Held In Magness Home

A family dinner was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Magness, near Farwell, the past Friday, followed by an afternoon of visiting.

Attendees included Mr. and Mrs. Muggs Magness and children, Virginia Lou, Marcella and Buck; Mr. and Mrs. Chester Magness and children Ray, Wessie, Mack and Caroline; Mrs. Velma Magness and girls, aurine Jane, Billie Jo and Katherine from Edinburg, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Staggs from Brownfield; Mr. and Mrs. Willis Magness, the host and hostess and family.

Visit In California

Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Graham and Mrs. John Graham of Lubbock, departed Thursday night for Bakersfield, California, where they will visit for several days with Mr. and Mrs. Benton Graham and family. Benton has accepted employment with an oil company and will be sent to South America shortly. Prior to his return here a year ago, he had been in South America for several years.

To Nebraska

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Henderson left Saturday morning for Grand Island, Nebraska, returning Capt. and Mrs. John Branson and young daughter, Nancy Stuart, to their home. The Bransons had spent several days visiting her parents here.

Duane Sprawls, son of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Sprawls, has been confined in the Santa Fe hospital at Clovis for the past several days, receiving treatment for an abscess under his arm.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles Walker and family visited Sunday afternoon and evening in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Carter and family, formerly of Farwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Marty Ezell and children of Muleshoe, were Sunday visitors in Farwell.

Bobby Hart is visiting this week with relatives in Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Vinyard and guests, Mrs. Belle Knight and Miss Christine Millwee, spent Sunday at Lockney, Texas.

Mrs. Belle Knight and Miss Christine Millwee of O'Donald, Texas returned home Monday after spending the week in the W. W. Vinyard home.

Jean and Peggy Rogers, A. C. Henneman, Warlick Thomas, Carey Joe Magness, Sonny Graham and Marcia Johnson enjoyed a backyard supper at the Johnson home Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Si Magness, of Edinburg, Texas, left for their home the latter part of last week, after spending several days visiting relatives and friends here.

Mrs. Dorothy Lovelace returned to work in the county clerk's office on Friday, following a vacation trip to Holdenville, Okla., where she visited relatives.

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M. A. Fields of Vici, Oklahoma, arrived here the first of the week for a visit with his daughter, Mrs. Lucy Brown, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Davis and daughter departed the latter part of last week for a brief vacation trip to Elephant Butte Lake and El Paso. They are expected home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kline returned home Saturday from Springerville, Ariz., where they went to take their nephew, Robert Bogner, who has been visiting in the Kline home the past five weeks. He was met at Springerville by his parents and proceeded to his home in Phoenix, Ariz.

Mrs. Willis Magness, Mrs. Joe Magness and children and Mrs. Velma Magness and daughters of Edinburg, Texas, spent last Thursday with relatives in Portales.

Mrs. Modena Hardberger returned last week from Morton, Tex., where she had spent several days visiting her parents and brother, James L. Young, on furlough from Navy duty at Gulfport, Miss.

Mrs. Juanita Symcox, of Plainview, arrived here Saturday night to visit for a few days with Mrs. Dorothy Lovelace.

Mrs. Bob Butler and son Robin of Muleshoe, spent Sunday in Farwell.

America To Save War Implements

DALLAS TEXAS—America's big guns and other heavy artillery artillery equipment which have brought peace to the world, may be stored in hermetically sealed containers instead of being scrapped.

In cooperation with the Army, methods and procedures for this storage program are being developed by

Uncle Sam Pins Orchids On Local Women For Saving Used Fats!

Things have really been happening to fat-salvage-collection figures since town and farm women got busy on the job! Latest official government records show that their fat savings have left the excellent record of city women "way behind."

But it isn't a drop too much. This year, we face a shortage of 1 billion, 500 million pounds of fats in domestic supplies. Tons more of war and home-front supplies made from fats are needed! Farm folks get more meat these days than most city people—so it's up to them to save the fats. Skim stews, soups, gravies. Scrape pans. Melt down meat trimmings. It all helps you fill the fat-salvage can, and you get up to 4¢ and 2 red points a pound. If you have any difficulty, call your Home Demonstration or County Agent. Approved by WFA and OPA. Paid for by Industry.



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MILLS FAMILY HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Mills and family are here this week, making preparations to move their household effects to Washington, D. C., where Mr. Mills will be employed by the government. Mr. Mills served Farmer County several months as supervisor of the local AAA office, and was called to the national capital a few weeks ago to investigate a position offered him there.

While he was in Washington, Mr. Mills and children visited with relatives in Erath County.

Local Citizens Enjoy Rationing Removal

Cries of "Fill 'er up—" at local filling stations, and "I'll take a gallon of peaches" in grocery stores over town marked the culmination of combined joy and awe at the end of the war for most Texico-Farwell citizens.

Scarcely able to believe that they could actually have a full gas tank without submitting stamps, or be able to get a whole gallon of fruit—which for most people had been so point-high that it might as well have been non-existent—local residents beamed at grocers and filling station operators when OPA announced removal of the first items from rationing.

Local grocers reported that stocks of high-point fruits and vegetables, which has stood almost untouched for months, rapidly went down before the buying spree of happy housewives.

Numerous people, who had managed to drive cars on scarce quantities of gas, piled into their autos and drove gaily around town, flinging ration stamps to the four winds.

Although meats and soap continue to be scarce, there is hardly a cross word directed to the dealer's almost-standard remark, "Sorry, none today". OPA is hinting that meat itself may soon be removed from rationing, possibly during September, which would be a boon to all concerned, providing the supply holds up to demand. Housewives are also wondering just when sugar will be sufficiently plentiful again, and in the meantime are going cheerfully about the business of substituting.

Here is the picture of what has been done in the past historic week and what is expected on a nationwide scale:

UNEMPLOYMENT—John W. Snyder, reconversion director, thinks unemployment may be 5,000,000 in three months, may reach 8,000,000 by spring.

The "full employment" bill in congress may take months to pass—if it ever does. Mr. Truman thinks it should. It wouldn't solve unemployment. It would enable the government to plan for full employment.

DEMOBILIZATION—The Army, Navy, and Marines say they will discharge 7,500,000 within the next 12 to 18 months. The government says

veterans will get preference when they apply to U. S. Employment Service Offices.

And the government's civil Service system—until further notice—will receive applications for government job for no one except veterans or federal employees laid off from some agency.

MANPOWER—Almost immediately with the surrender of Japan, the government wiped out all the controls over manpower.

DRAFT—No one over 26 years or older will be drafted now. But the draft still goes on. The army still needs 50,000 men monthly.

LABOR—The government threw off wage controls to this extent: Bosses can raise as much as they like now if it means no price increase. But unions everywhere are getting ready to demand higher pay.

Mr. Truman has asked labor and management to renew their wartime pledge to no strikes and no lockouts until—at least—after the conference of labor and management which he has called for as soon as Congress meets in September.

The president wants the War Labor Board to go out of business as soon as possible after the conference.

FOOD—Agriculture Secretary Anderson said meat rationing may end soon, perhaps in September. OPA ended rationing of canned fruits-vegetables and fuel oil but said fats, butter and sugar would still be rationed awhile.

Meanwhile the government called upon farmers for "all out" production because of food needs here and abroad.

GASOLINE—Rationing of gasoline ended, and the government said better grade gasoline would soon be available.

Sugar—Still to be rationed for some time.

Stoves—Not to be rationed any more.

Tires—more of them but still to be rationed.

SHOES—Still to be rationed. May end by Christmas.

Contracts—Army and Navy were cancelling out about \$30,000,000 in air contracts. Chopping off was throwing millions out of work. Some would go elsewhere, some would wait around for their plants to reconvert to peace time output.

MATERIALS—The War Production Board arranged to wipe out—probably by last Monday—all but 40 of its 400 controls over materials. WPB freed a tremendous amount of steel, copper and aluminum.

COAL—Army officials said they would release 120,000,000 tons of coal in the next 12 months and that this should eliminate the civilian shortage which they estimated was only 25,000,000 tons.

But officials of the government's solid fuels administration said the Army figures were wrong, that the shortage might continue through the winter.

TRAVEL—All curbs on taxi-cabs went overboard. So did bans on state and local fairs, and on conventions if they don't exceed 150 persons. The other restrictions on civilian railroad travel still stand, may be eased soon. But the government lifted restrictions on 11 kinds of sports travel.

SURPLUS PROPERTY—Surplus property officials said hundreds of government-owned plants would be taken over by private industry during the next few months.

The army has declared surplus of \$121,000,000 worth of supplies—from jeeps to pillowcases—and more become surplus in the next few months.

TAXES—Experts in Washington think taxes will be reduced—but only moderately—by Jan. 1 for all Americans.

CONGRATULATIONS—It's all right to send them by telegram again or to call for a messenger boy to deliver a package.

PRICE CONTROLS—Ceilings were lifted off scores of consumer items like jewelry and sports equipment—and were suspended on furs.

PRODUCTION—Little items like electric toasters are expected to hit the stores in good volume by Christmas but the larger things—like washing machines—won't be plentiful soon.

STATION OPENS

H. D. Roberson of Clovis has leased the service station in Texico, located diagonally across the street from the fire station, and has announced that he will be open day and night. He is handling Conoco Products.

FISHING IS POOR

W. H. Graham and a party of 3 boys, including his son, W. H. Jr., A. C. Henneman, and Warlick Thomas, returned home Saturday from a week-end trip to Eagle Nest Lake, where they reported the fishery very poor. They succeeded in landing only five trout, most of them very small fry. They also reported some tire trouble to add to their uncessful expedition.

There is one advantage to the moustache. It holds back the ice while you're drinking.

Amendment Vote Comes Saturday

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seat of the government for sessions of the Legislature.

Amendment No. 3.
This amendment provides that the Supreme Court shall consist of a Chief Justice and eight Associate Justices, any five of whom shall constitute a quorum, and the concurrence of five shall be necessary to a decision of a case. Our present Court consists of three Justices and a Commission of Appeals composed of six judges who now assist the Supreme Court without the power to vote, and this amendment, if adopted, will make the six Commissioners full members of the Court with voting power on decisions.

Amendment No. 4.
This amendment, if adopted, will empower the Legislature to increase the amount for old age assistance from \$15.00 per month, (as now provided by the Constitution) to \$20.00 per month of State funds to be matched by the Federal Government with a like amount, which in effect would be, with both State and Federal money, the pensioner could be paid an amount up to \$40.00 per month.

This amendment further provides that a maximum of thirty-five million dollars can be raised by the State for its part in expenditures for the needy aged, the needy blind and needy children under 16 years of age.

Frwell Soldier Cited For Gallantry

Pfc Onnie Baker, rifleman, son of Mr. W. A. Baker, of Farwell, is a member of the 361 infantry regiment's 3rd Battalion, which recently was awarded the Distinguished Unit Citation for gallantry, determination and esprit de corps in overcoming unusually difficult and hazardous conditions.

The battalion, a unit of the 91st "Powder River" Division, was cited for its part in the fighting near Livergnano on the Fifth Army front in Italy. Its action, the citation pointed out, set it apart from and above other units participating in the same engagement.

In a seven day battle, the battalion captured Livergnano, took 70 prisoners and killed or wounded 350 Germans, destroyed a self-propelled gun, an antitank gun, captured 10 machine guns, two trucks and small arms, mortar and artillery ammunition.

The yanks suffered 271 casualties. "Unable to use supporting armor," the citation read, "because of the terrain and enemy demolitions on the highway, the battalion successfully repelled several strong enemy counterattacks, inflicting heavy losses on the enemy, and advanced continuously through the heaviest type of enemy mortar and artillery fire.

"In a skillful maneuver, one company knifed 1,700 yards ahead through enemy lines, cutting the enemy's main line of communication and forcing the withdrawal of 300 enemy and six tanks, which had been counterattacking other elements of the battalion. This small force of only 80 men gallantly repelled fanatical, tank-supported enemy counterattacks for eight hours, even after every machine gun had been destroyed by the terrific enemy fire and ammunition had been all but exhausted.

"Another company, attempting to take Livergnano, fought into the outskirts of the town and resisted enemy counterattacks until the buildings they were defending crumbled in on them by terrific fire from enemy self-propelled guns, tanks and mortars.

"Advancing under direct enemy observation over rough, mountainous terrain," the recommendation continued, "which made it necessary to hand-carry supplies forward and made evacuation of the wounded a difficult and exhausting task, the men of the battalion overcame every natural obstacle and each fiercely defended enemy strongpoint, and succeeded in seizing Livergnano, keypoint in the enemy so called 'Caesar Line'."

Each man in the battalion received the Distinguished Unit Badge.

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