

D. Gage, GM 1-C
Home On Leave



L. D. (Jack) GAGE

Mrs. David (Jack) Gage, 18, former's Mate First Class of the Navy, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Gage, Sr., of Whitharral, returned home Tuesday of last week on a week's leave. He came by plane from San Diego, Calif., to Littlefield, where he was met by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gage. He has been in the service since September 24, 1943, and reported back to his Commanding Officer of the Southwest Pacific Fleet at San Francisco Wednesday, May 10. He attended Whitharral schools, and worked at the Gage Gin in spare time.

Last Rites Monday Afternoon For D. Strange, 42
Passes Away Sunday Morning As Result Of Heart Ailment

Last rites were conducted at the First Street Church of Christ, Littlefield, Monday at 5 p. m. for David Strange, 42, who passed away at the Amherst Hospital at 5 a. m. Sunday, as a result of a heart ailment, including high blood pressure, and complications.

Officiating at the services were Jack McCormick, assisted by Hall and Bro. R. L. Travis, of Ralls, Texas. Bro. Travis is a friend of the family. Interment, in charge of Hammons Funeral Home, took place in Littlefield cemetery.

Active pallbearers were: Paul McCormick, Floyd Rogers, Jim Gibson, Warner, Carroll Blackwell and Greig, while honorary pallbearers were: (Continued on Back Page)

To Be Commissioned Design June 27

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Pumphrey will have all their three sons in the Service of Uncle Sam. Ensign H. C. Pumphrey, 24, who has been stationed in England for some time, wrote his parents that he expected soon to have a Swastika on his bicycle. He purchased a bicycle shortly after going to England, and used this as a means of getting around.

Ensign (Cheese) Pumphrey of the Littlefield School at Plattsburg, N. Y., will receive the commission of Ensign, on June 27.

The third son, Paul Pumphrey, 19, who has been in the service a year, is stationed at Aberdeen, Maryland, in the Ordnance Department, and his work is testing anti-aircraft guns.

Sgt. Bud Thurmon Is Decorated For Bravery

Sgt. Bud Thurmon, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Thurmon of Littlefield, who has been overseas for the past 11 months, arrived home Saturday, May 23.

Sgt. Thurmon, stationed in England, was a ball turret gunner on a B-24, and made 25 missions over enemy territory. He won the Air Medal and Distinguished Flying Cross, and the Oak Leaf Cluster and four other decorations for outstanding service.

AIR FIELD FOR LITTLEFIELD TO BE DONATED BY CITIZENS

T-SGT. EARL F. MCCAIN MISSING IN ACTION OVER GERMAN SOIL

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McCain Receive Sad News Monday Last

Was Home On Furlough Previous To Leaving For Overseas In February

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McCain of three and one-half miles west of town received a telegram from the War Department Monday to the effect that their son, T-Sgt. Earl F. McCain, 21, is "Missing in action over Germany since April 24," and that any further information available would be sent by wire immediately.

T-Sgt. McCain was home on a furlough previous to going overseas. Mr. and Mrs. McCain are farming the Leonard Irwin place west of town, and are formerly of Fieldton.

T-Sgt. McCain was born in Cottle county, and moved with his parents and family to Lamb county on January 5, 1934. The family first located near Fieldton, and lived in the Fieldton and Hart Camp districts until they moved to the Leonard Irwin farm in December, 1942. He is a graduate of Fieldton school.

T-Sgt. McCain entered the Air Service on November 17, 1942, taking his first training at Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, where he was stationed five months. From there he was sent to Burbanks, Calif., and (Continued on Back Page)

Chas. B. Brotherton Is Awarded D.F.C.

First Lieutenant Charles B. Brotherton, 22, son of Mrs. R. A. Brotherton of Littlefield, whose husband is in the Seabees, and on his way to overseas duty, has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross for "courage and extraordinary achievement" as navigator on the Eighth Air Force Flying Fortress "Sunday Punch" during numerous bombing attacks on military and industrial targets in Germany and Nazi-occupied Europe.

Lieut. Brotherton, who also has received the Air Medal with three Oak Leaf Clusters, has helped bomb ball-bearing works at Berlin, aircraft assembly plants at Augsburg and Brunswick, industrial targets at Munich, Frankfurt and Munster, and other important targets in enemy territory. On the flight to attack the aircraft plants at Regensburg, Lieut. Brotherton's plane was subjected to some severe flak from enemy anti-aircraft guns. The number three engine of the Fortress was completely knocked out, and so badly damaged that the prop couldn't be feathered and kept windmilling—vibrating the big bomber, and threatening to break off and crash into the fuselage. However, the crew made it safely back to their home field after (Continued on Back Page)

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Capt. Samuel E. Blessing Now In Air Transport Command

Capt. Samuel E. Blessing, son of Roy Blessing of three miles east of town, is now in the Air Transport Command, stationed in Ireland, according to letters received by his wife and his father the past week, in which Capt. Blessing stated he was not getting the furlough home he expected, but hoped to get home about the end of July.

Capt. Blessing has been in the service two years and overseas 11 months, stationed in England.

He was a first pilot on a B-24, and had completed 25 missions, and was in line for a furlough, about a month ago when he cabled his father here requesting that no more mail be sent him, and that he hoped to be home soon.

Capt. Blessing has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross and the Air Medal with three Oak Leaf Clusters for outstanding service. He had been on missions over Rome and Berlin.

When his grandfather, J. M. Blessing (Continued on Back Page)



CAPT. SAMUEL E. BLESSING



MRS. SAMUEL E. BLESSING

Last Rites Monday For William J. Will

Funeral services were conducted at the Emmanuel Lutheran Church, Littlefield, Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock for William Julius Will, farmer of 4 1/2 miles northeast of Littlefield.

Rev. E. H. Riese, pastor, officiated; and interment in charge of Hammons Funeral home, took place in the Littlefield cemetery. (Continued on Back Page)

Memorial Service Sunday, May 28

The American Legion will sponsor a Memorial Service Sunday afternoon, May 28, at the Littlefield cemetery.

Fred Wright, chairman, and Oran Bell and Bill Morris compose the committee in charge of general arrangements. The American Legion Auxiliary and Boy Scouts will be among those organizations taking part in this ceremony.

Mickey Ratliff Is Establishing Used Car Business Here

A used car business, to be operated on the vacant lots between the Lamb County Tractor Co., and the Hart-Thaxton furniture store, is being established this week by Mickey Ratliff, who was connected with the automobile business in Littlefield for many years. The new business will be known as the Mickey Ratliff Used Car Co.

Mr. Ratliff has been handling used cars in Littlefield and territory for some time, and is establishing the used car lot in order to better service the public who may wish to purchase automobiles.

Virtually all the cars handled by Mr. Ratliff are eastern automobiles of low mileage and good tires. The Littlefield dealer makes regular trips to eastern states in the purchasing of automobiles.

JAMES STOKES IS COMMISSIONED ENSIGN; WILL ARRIVE HOME FRIDAY

James Stokes, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stokes of Littlefield, was graduated Wednesday from the U. S. Naval Midshipman School, Chicago, with the commission of Ensign, and is expected to arrive home Friday.

Ensign Stokes has been in the service since July, 1943; received his preliminary officers training at Pittsburg, Kans., and later schooling at Portsmouth, Va., from which station he was transferred to Chicago.

Ensign Stokes is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Stokes; he was graduated from the Littlefield High school with the 1940 class; and attended Tech College, Lubbock, three years majoring in law.

Mr. and Mrs. Stokes are among the most prominent citizens of this city. Mr. Stokes has owned and operated the Stokes Drug Store for the past 20 years. Ensign Stokes is a young man of very pleasing personality, whose character is above reproach, and who has a large circle of friends who extend congratulations and wish for him the best of luck. Ensign Stokes will be assigned to (Continued on Back Page)



ENSIGN JAMES STOKES

a ship, and following his leave home will go to his new assignment.

Awarded Oak Leaf Cluster For Bravery On Marshalls

Staff Sergeant Troy A. Hopper, son of W. L. Hopper, Littlefield, Texas, stationed in Hawaii, has been awarded the second Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a third Air Medal by Maj. Gen. Willis H. Hale, commanding general of the 7th Air Force.

Combat crew member of a 7th AAF bomber that blasted Jap positions in the Marshalls, Sgt. Hopper "displayed high, professional skill, courage and devotion to duty which reflected great credit upon himself and the Army Air Forces," the award citation stated.

Sgt. Hopper received the Air Medal for participating in strikes on Wake Island, December, 1943, and the first Oak Leaf Cluster for (Continued on Back Page)

Present Airport Being Bought As Permanent Site

To Be Known As Duggan Field In Memory Of Late Senator A. P. Duggan

Liberal donations this week from Littlefield business men and citizens made possible the achievement of an important step forward in the interests and development of this city and section.

Virtually all the necessary money was subscribed to purchase a permanent airport site for this city, and the land will be deeded to the City of Littlefield within the next few days.

Under the program the donors are purchasing the present airport property of 189.9 acres from the Gracey-Duggan interests for a cash consideration of \$17,500. This property, improved with a hangar and other facilities, is located on Highway 51 and adjoins the golf course on the south. The land has been under lease to the Littlefield Flying Club. There are seven ships housed in the present hangar.

Announcement was not made this week of any plans for immediate additional improvements at the property, but this will receive attention at the proper time.

Will Be Deeded To City

A deed to the property is being taken by C. O. Stone and W. G. Street as trustees, and the land will be deeded by them to the City of Littlefield. The field will be known and perpetuated as the Duggan Air Field in memory of the late Senator Arthur P. Duggan.

The donors have requested that the mayor, the president of the Rotary club, and the president of the (Continued on Back Page)

Gets Distinguished Flying Cross

Navigator B. M. (Buford) Humphries, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Humphries, formerly of Littlefield, but now of Las Cruces, N. M., was among officers recently in four engine Liberators who for 15 minutes bombed without opposition the Marianas Island, which fell to the Japanese Dec. 11, 1941.

Interloping Japanese were so unprepared for attack at Guam that they continued to drive cars and trucks about the L-shaped American island, even while Army and Navy Liberators overhead began to dump bombs on the enemy's installations, the report said.

"We expected to shoot our way in and out," returning pilots said. "We were amazed."

Humphries was promoted to First Lieutenant in February, and since receiving his Air Medal and Oak Leaf Cluster, was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross on April 1. He is stationed in the Marshall Islands, and is with the 7th AAF, and is Squadron Navigator on a B-24.

Showers Fall Over Area Wednesday

Showers fell over Littlefield and trade area Wednesday, adding nice planting moisture to the soil. A total of .14 of an inch fell in the Littlefield section.

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**Nephew Of R. W.
Rutherford Interned
In Switzerland**

Mr. and Mrs. Henry V. Rutherford of Amarillo received a cablegram last week from their son, 1st Lt. Bill H. Rutherford, stating that he was interned in Switzerland. Lt. Rutherford was a pilot of a B-17

Flying Fortress and evidently was forced down in a flight over enemy territory. Lt. Rutherford is a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Rutherford of Littlefield. The last letter his parents had from him was dated April 21, 1944. The cablegram was sent through a military attache at Berne, Switzerland. Lt. Rutherford attended John Tarleton college prior to his enlistment into service. He has been overseas five months and

had been awarded the Air Medal and three Oak Leaf Clusters for meritorious action against the enemy in previous combat engagements. He was serving as group leader at the time of his internment.

**Miss Mary Magee
And S-Sgt. Joe Cobb
Will Marry May 21**

Mrs. R. W. Rutherford of Littlefield was a guest at the reception and tea given Saturday afternoon by Mrs. J. E. Hartley, Miss Grace Padley and Miss Dorothy Lomax in the home of the latter hostess, 3105 Twenty-first Street, Lubbock, at which the approaching marriage of Miss Mary Magee of Lubbock and S-Sgt. Joe Cobb of Brownfield was announced.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. E. L. Pitts of Amarillo, and Misses Padley and Lomax alternated in assisting her.

In line were: Mrs. Hartley, Miss Magee, Mrs. H. L. Magee of Pecos, mother of the honoree; Mrs. Ann Cobb of Lubbock, Sgt. Cobb's mother; Mrs. C. E. Morse of Plainview; Mrs. E. N. Smith; Mrs. Tom Cobb of Brownfield and Mrs. Bob Cobb of Plainview.

Presiding in the dining room were Mesdames Mary W. Doak, Roy Riddel and Ivy Savage. They were assisted in hospitalities by Mesdames Joe Nislar, John Wherry, Walter S. Posey, Willard Kirkpatrick of Post, Jeff Watson, J. L. Teal, Mary A. Ware, J. T. Baisden and Misses Mary Lou Roberson and Aline McCarty.

Miss Claudia Neelley presided at the bride's book.
Pink and white carnations and irises were used in decoration throughout the home.

Tea napkins bore the announcement "Mary and Joe, May 21."

Guests called between 3:30 and 6:30 o'clock.
Sgt. Cobb is a link trainer instructor at Lubbock Army Air field.

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CLUBS - WOMEN'S INTEREST - SOCIAL EVENTS

Mrs. V. E. Brown Honored At Lovely Bridal Shower

One of the most delightful parties of the year was given Wednesday afternoon, May 23, in the home of Mrs. H. G. Boyles. The hostesses were Mrs. Robert Beck, Mrs. K. P. Walker, Mrs. Ted Walker, Mrs. Gaston, and Mrs. H. G. Boyles. The bride is commended for the success of the lovely bridal shower in honor of Mrs. V. E. Brown, former Miss Martha Marie Lane. About 60 guests enjoyed games of "42" and dominoes. The bride was led into a room where several girls were singing the "Bridal Song." The girls then presented her to a huge treasure chest decorated with red, white and gold crepe paper, which was laden with many beautifully wrapped gifts. The bride opened the packages, which were filled with many notes of wishes and happiness, and then turned around for everyone to see after a short "Thank You" by the honoree, delicious remnants of punch and cookies served to the following guests: Mrs. G. R. Crim; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Mann; Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Gaston, Glen and Edward; Mrs. C. W. G. Lenderson; Mrs. Pat Lenderson; Mr. and Mrs. H. Bewley and Shelby; Mrs. Bill Benson; Mr. and Mrs. John H. Edd; Mrs. Baccus and Virgie Jean; Mrs. H. Fox, Mrs. Russell Moses and Miss Dwan; Mrs. M. S. Lane and Miss H. G. Boyles and Louise; Mr. Walker and Jerry; Tray Gasper, Mary Joe and Vicks; K. P. Walker, Joyce and Charles; Littlefield Beck; Miss Zanelle Boyles; George Ann McFarland, Miss Brantner; the hostesses, Mesdames Beck, Brantner, Walker, Tray Gasper, and Boyles; and the honoree, Mrs. Brown, all of Beck Community; and Mr. and Mrs. John Boyles; Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Abbott, Sr.; Mr. and Mrs. Reed Markham and Mary Lee; Mrs. Lee Wood, and Mrs. Mary Nichols, all of Sudan; and Mrs. H. O. Bigham of Littlefield.

Landrum and Neil; Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Fox, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jaynes and Jo Ann; Mrs. O. D. Martin; Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Moses, all of Beck Community; and Mr. and Mrs. Simon D. Hay; Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Nichols; Mr. and Mrs. Nibs Warren; Miss Melba Wood, Mrs. Joe T. Salem, Mrs. Mary Bowman, and Mrs. C. A. Veren, all of Sudan; and Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Campbell, and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Jones of Littlefield; Mrs. Marvin Drake of Buda; Mr. and Mrs. Eli Lam and family of Denver City; Mrs. J. A. Allred, Mrs. Shannon Kelt of Lubbock; Mrs. James J. Risher, Jr. of Charleston, S. C.; Mr. and Mrs. Phon Lane and family of Caddo; S-Sgt. and Mrs. Doof Gracey of Fort Worth; Mrs. Wm. A. Henson of Houston; and Mrs. Gladys Landrum and Jerry of Amarillo.

Club Women Guests Of Mrs. V. S. Cassel At Bridge, Fish Fry

Mrs. V. S. Cassel was hostess to members of the Ace High Club at a fish fry and bridge at the Cassel home on West Third Street Friday at 1 p. m. Mr. and Mrs. Cassel had been visiting in South Texas and brought home some fresh fish from the Gulf. The meal was served on the four-some tables, following which bridge was enjoyed. Scoring high in the games were: Mrs. W. D. T. Storey, and Mrs. Jess Elms, while Mrs. Jack Farr bingoed. Other members attending were: Mesdames Wm. J. Aldridge, Dick Ratliff, Wm. N. Orr, Hugo Kinkler, and V. S. Cassel.

Enjoy Dinner At R. A. Wall Home

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wall entertained a few friends Friday evening at their home at Sunnydale. Guests in the Wall home for dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Brantner and son, Dal; and following the dinner others who enjoyed the evening in the Wall home were: Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bussanmus and

Maj. Wright Now At Santa Monica For Checkup And Rest

Major Tilden Wright, son of Mrs. Vernie Wright of this city, who returned recently from overseas service in England, after spending a couple of weeks here with his mother and wife and baby, is now at an Army hospital at Santa Monica, Calif., for a checkup and rest. After spending sometime with Mrs. Wright and son "Chip" at Blytheville, Ark., Maj. and Mrs. Wright and son visited Maj. Wright's mother here. Accompanied by Mrs. Wright he left April 26 for Santa Monica, Calif., while his son is remaining here with his grandmother. "Chip," suffering from a cold, was treated at the Payne-Shotwell Hospital Wednesday and Thursday of last week, but is better again.

Mrs. Frank Hicks of Farewell arrived Sunday to spend a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Connell.

Mrs. Hite Hostess At Lovely Shower Honoring Mrs. Haberer

The home of Mrs. Lena Hite at Earth was the scene of a lovely bridal shower Friday evening honoring Mrs. Jerrel Haberer. Mrs. I. Z. Anglin and Mrs. J. A. Littleton were co-hostesses.

The guests were greeted at the door by Mrs. M. E. Kelley and Mrs. Lena Hite and directed to the guest register which was presided over by Miss Mary Jo Barton.

Delicious refreshments consisting of angle food cake and punch were served from a lace covered table centered by a mirror with red and white carnations in a crystal bowl. White candles in crystal candelabra burned softly during the entire evening. The cake was served by Miss Gayle Anglin and Miss Loy Catherine Barnett served the punch. Mrs. L. Z. Anglin and Mrs. J. A. Littleton assisted with other dining room courtesies.

Mrs. Jack Rickets and Mrs. David Binkley rendered piano selections throughout the evening.

Misses Jerry Lee Montez Hudson, Dorothy White, LaJuana Kelley and Jean Wilson presented the bride with the gifts and assisted in displaying them.

Those present were: Mesdames R. E. Barton, E. S. Vaughn, Roy Haberer, C. L. Roberts, A. B. Higgins, J. A. Littleton, Jack Rickets, Sam Cearley, Donald Layman, J. M. Barlow, E. R. Hawkins, R. G. Wilson, A. C. Barton, Fred Nix, J. F. Kelley, A. M. Sanders, Ray Kelley, M. E. Kelley, Bill Lee, Marvin Sanders, Bert Howard, W. D. Binkley, J. L. Hinson, J. L. Hicks, Johnnie Haberer, Bill Welch, Clarence Kelley, P. L. Cunningham, C. C. Parish, J. J. Davis, R. G. Johns, E. C. Hudson, Sam Layman, L. Z. Anglin, Price Hamilton, W. D. Howard, C. W. Terry, Bill Morris, J. D. Newton, John Laing, A. L. Haberer, J. B. Holloman, Wayne Rutherford, C. B. Jaquess, J. H. Angeley, C. P. Parish, W. E. McGraw, Alvin Lee, Erwin Anderson, Marie Bock, H. B. Dougherty, L. H. Cupp, W. C. Stout; Misses Mary Jo Barton, Montez Hudson,

two children, and Mr. and Mrs. Delios Thrash and two sons.

D. H. Brewster Invited To Join Freshman Society

D. H. Brewster of Littlefield is one of 16 freshman men students at Texas Technological college who have been invited to join Seroll and Key, newly organized freshman honor society for men. Purposes of the organization are to encourage and reward high scholastic attainment among men members of the freshman class and to apply for a charter in Phi Eta Sigma, national scholarship society of the same type. Brewster is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Brewster, and is enrolled at Texas Tech as an animal husbandry major in the division of agriculture.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Dennis and two children of Hollis, Okla., brother and sister-in-law of Mrs. John Cary, and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Whitlock of Amarillo, sister and brother-in-law of Mr. Cary, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Cary Friday until Sunday.

Study Club To Entertain At Breakfast Wednesday

At the meeting of the Woman's Study Club held Wednesday afternoon of last week, Mrs. C. O. Stone reported the Federation News, and Mrs. C. E. Payne gave a 20 minute quiz on current events from the Time Magazine program.

Mrs. C. Frank York and Mrs. Bob Badger were elected to the Executive Board for a two-year term, and Mrs. Frank Rogers was named to fill the unexpired term of Mrs. Ben Porcher as treasurer.

The club also voted to have a miscellaneous program for the coming club year.

Plans were also discussed in regard to the Club's annual breakfast, which will close the year's work, and

which will be staged at the Methodist Church at 9:30 a. m., Wednesday, May 17.

Mrs. I. T. Shotwell, Jr., is chairman of general arrangements committee, and will be assisted by Mrs. Frank Rogers, Mrs. C. O. Stone, Mrs. C. E. Payne, Mrs. V. S. Cassel, Mrs. Sid Hopping, and Mrs. Bill Pass.

Present at the above club meeting were: Mesdames Jess Elms, L. T. Green, A. B. Haynes, Clyde Hilbun, B. R. Myers, Bill Pass, C. E. Payne, Ben Porcher, Frank Rogers, G. M. Shaw, Charles Signor, E. E. Joiner, Paul Jensen, R. A. Brotherton, J. G. Singer, C. O. Stone, W. D. T. Storey, W. G. Street, and C. Frank York.

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Amherst Homemaking Classes Present Style Show Thursday

Last Thursday afternoon, the dresses made by the Amherst Homemaking girls were judged by Miss Lois Meek, Vocational Homemaking teacher at Spring Lake, and Mrs. Veda Herrington, Vocational Home Economics major, and dressmaker. She is a teacher at the Spring Lake Public Schools.

The judges, after much consideration, awarded first prize of first year Homemaking class to Miss Norma Jean Roper. This is Norma Jean's first year here. She came from Fieldton, has proven herself an excellent student, and is very deserving of the award. The first year Homemaking students who deserve honorable mention, according to the judges, are Betty Britt, Earlene Lamb and Maxine Johnson.

Miss Virginia Ray Jones was selected as winner of the second year homemaking class. Those who contested her closely were Patsy Jean Clements and Hazel Carrico.

The winner of the third year homemaking class was Janell Mote. Janell won honors in her freshman year of homemaking. Francis Lee Grigsby was a very close second. Moneile Uelston and Mary LaGrange received honorable mention.

Mr. and Mrs. Zachary Buy Amherst Produce

A deal has been consummated this week by Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Zachary of Littlefield for the purchase of the Amherst Produce and Hatchery at Amherst from N. C. Tubbs. Mr. and Mrs. Zachary are taking possession Monday, May 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Zachary have been residents of the Littlefield area for the past 14 years, and both have had considerable experience along this line.

They will make their home at Amherst in the produce building, where modern living quarters are available.

The new owners will continue to operate the business under the name of Amherst Produce & Hatchery, and as has been customary with this concern they will handle Everlay Feeds, and ice, and buy poultry, cream, eggs and hides.

Mrs. Pat Boone To Be Guest Speaker At Amherst Saturday

Mrs. Pat Boone of Littlefield will be the guest speaker at the annual May breakfast Saturday morning of the Amherst Study Club at the Amherst Hotel.

Mrs. Boone will speak on "Racial Problems Confronting Our Nation." New officers will be installed.

A-C Wright Arrives At Majors Field

MAJORS FIELD, Greenville, Tex.—Aviation Cadet Floyd R. Wright has arrived at this AAF Training Command station for basic flight training. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph C. Wright, Route 1, Amherst.

Amherst Hospital News

Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Whetley of Brownfield are the proud parents of a baby girl born at the South Plains Co-op Hospital May 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Liley of Hart announce the arrival of a baby boy born May 5 at the South Plains Co-op Hospital.

Mrs. E. R. Louis gave birth to a baby girl at the Amherst Hospital Sunday last. The child weighed 7 pounds, 9 ounces and has been named "Nedra Sherrell." The father is stationed at Lincoln, Nebr.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Strickley of Sudan are the proud parents of a baby boy born at the South Plains Co-op Hospital May 8.

R. B. Crisp of Olton underwent major surgery at the South Plains Co-op Hospital.

Amherst Personals

Gladys Dyer spent the week end in the home of Miss Edith Lynch of near Littlefield.

Mrs. Henry King of Amherst visited friends in Lubbock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Prowell of Clovis visited Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Payne and family Sunday.

M. L. Payne and son, Bob, took a business trip to Lubbock Monday.

Staff-Sgt. and Mrs. Joe Rafferty are visiting in the home of Mrs. Rafferty's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Henricks. Sgt. Rafferty will return to Savannah, Ga., May 20, and Mrs. Rafferty will remain in Amherst until June.

Mrs. Jimmie Hartley is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Crawford. She will return to Savannah, Ga., the first of June.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Henricks, Bobbie, Mrs. Joe Rafferty and Miss Maurine Templeton were Lubbock visitors Sunday.

Mrs. J. S. Rawls visited her son, Cp. L. L. Rawls, at Camp Hood, Texas, over the week end.

Mrs. Joe B. Markham spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Nix.

Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Campbell were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Nix.

Miss Jean Campbell of Lubbock spent the week end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Campbell.

Miss Maurine Templeton and Miss Mildred Ralls were Earth visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Jess Herriage, Mrs. Oleta Fore and daughter were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Templeton.

Paul and Maurine Templeton were Lubbock visitors Tuesday.

Gerald Henricks of California is visiting in the home of his brother, L. L. Henricks.

Staff-Sgt. and Mrs. Joe Rafferty and Miss Maurine Templeton were Sunday visitors in Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Vaughn spent Sunday at Amarillo and Buffalo Lake.

Mrs. L. E. Downing visited relatives here Saturday.

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With South Plains Men In The Service

MALDEN ARMY AIR FIELD, Malden, Mo.—Completing his AAF basic flying training here this week, Aviation Cadet Bruce Wren, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wren of seven miles south of Littlefield, left for advanced flying school where he will receive further specialized training.

A final review of all work, a dance and formal parade of the entire cadet detachment were final activities here for the scores of young aviators now ready for the final steps that will soon lead to combat wings in the mighty AAF of the United States.

Behind the graduates were eight weeks of intensive flying training and ground school study. They spent long hours in cross-country, instrument and night flying; studied such ground school subjects as navigation, meteorology, instruments, communications, engines, radio-code, and aircraft recognition.

Pvt. Conrad Demel, son of Mat Demel of Pep, arrived home Monday

on a 15 day furlough. Pvt. Demel has been overseas 22 months, stationed in the combat zone of the Aleutian Islands. Although he has seen much active service he suffered only a broken finger in his combat experience. He has been in the service about 3 years. He will leave here May 26 and report to New Orleans for further assignment.

Employment Group Named By Local Unit Of Legion

At a meeting of the local unit of the American Legion held Monday night, the need for organization in connection with discharged service men seeking employment was discussed, and an employment committee elected.

The committee appointed to serve were: O. K. Woodall, Bob Badger and Arthur Mueller, any one of whom service men seeking employment may contact; or Van Clark, who is service officer of the local unit of the American Legion. Also, anyone needing help may get in touch with this committee and state their requirements.

News From The County Seat

It is thought that a defective wiring to a small chick brooder caused the destruction by fire of the car house belonging to George Richards Thursday of last week.

Fire of unknown origin destroyed the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gray, two miles east of Olton, Thursday night. The destruction of this place, known as the Judge Miller farm, removes on old land mark from this community. Judge Miller is one of the oldest settlers in Lamb county, and was first county judge when Lamb county was organized.

Pvt. and Mrs. Lavell C. Haydon spent last week in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dennis. Pvt. Haydon was recently dismissed from the government hospital at Temple, Texas, where he had recuperated from some malady, contracted while overseas. He was given 26 days leave recently.

R. P. Hair, aged 66, resident of Olton for 24 years, passed away at his home in Olton at 11 o'clock Wednesday of last week. Mr. Hair was a merchant and postmaster for a number of years; was a man of sterling qualities, loved by everyone who knew him. Surviving are his wife; five sons and one daughter; nine grandchildren; four brothers, and five sisters. The sons are: Luther of Dallas, Olen of Big Springs, Sgt. Baily Hair, somewhere in the South Pacific; Pvt. W. R. Hair, at Sheppard Field; Louis of Olton; and the daughter, Mrs. Willard Thomas, of Ft. Sumner, N. M. Funeral services were held Friday at 3 p. m. at

the Methodist Church, with Rev. J. B. Baker officiating. Burial was in the Olton Cemetery under direction of M. W. Lemon Funeral Home of Plainview.

Baccalaureate service was held Sunday night, May 7, at 8:30 o'clock for the Olton High school graduates at the high school auditorium. Rev. C. C. Griffiths of the Olton Baptist Church delivered the sermon. Music was furnished by the Choral Club.

Twenty-four High school seniors will receive their diplomas from the Olton High school this year, when graduation exercises are held Friday night at the auditorium.

Commencement exercises for the eighth grade will be held Thursday night (tonight), May 11, at the school auditorium, beginning at 9 o'clock. The entire program will be given by members of the graduating class. There are 65 members in the class this year.

All day singing at the Nazarene Church Sunday was well attended, with lots of good food, and lots of good singing.

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Pfc. Pryor Hammons Suffering From Bone Tumor Of Leg

Mr. and Mrs. Pryor Hammons left Tuesday afternoon for Oceanside, Calif., where their son, Pfc. Pryor Hammons, Jr., is confined in the U. S. Naval Hospital, Santa Margarita Ranch, suffering from a bone infection in his right leg, resulting from an injury received during his first weeks in paratroop training at Gillespie, Santee, Calif.

Pfc. Hammons has been at this hospital base since his recent furlough home for treatment for leg.

In a letter received by Mr. and Mrs. Hammons from the Mills surgeon in charge, he stated the Pfc. Hammons was suffering from a bone tumor on his leg between his knee and hip, and that it was going to be necessary to operate. Mr. and Mrs. Hammons, therefore, decided to go to Oceanside to be with Pryor, Jr., and left Tuesday.

W. C. Zachary made a business trip to El Paso Monday night, returning Tuesday night. He was accompanied by Mrs. Zachary.

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Res. B. Hutchinson, M. D.*
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M. C. Overton, M. D.
Arthur Jenkins, M. D.
OBSTETRICS
O. R. Hand, M. D.

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W. H. Gordon, M. D.*
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Twenty-Five Chapters Represented At School Of Instruction; 165 Attend

The School of Instruction for Section 3, District 2, Order of Eastern Stars, held here Monday, was well attended. There was a total attendance of 165, with 25 chapters represented, including 46 Past Matrons and 8 present Matrons. One hundred and eight certificates were granted, including 51 "A" and 51 "B" certificates. A special service was held at the Presbyterian Church Sunday evening at 8 o'clock as a courtesy to Eastern Star visitors, when Dr. A. B. Haynes addressed the gathering on "The Wise Men." A trio number, "Star of the East," was rendered by Estelmae Ira Woods, W. H. Rut-

ledge and A. B. Haynes, with Mrs. G. M. Shaw at the piano. The school opened at 9 a. m. Monday with Mrs. W. D. T. Storey presiding. Grand officers present were: Mrs. Cynthia Mae Watts, Worthy Grand Matron, Lufkin, Texas; Walter B. Baldwin, Worthy Grand Patron, Wichita Falls; Mrs. Walter B. Baldwin, Grand Warder, Wichita Falls; Mrs. Lillian Barnard, Associate Grand Matron, Lubbock; Mrs. Della Mae Moore, District Deputy Grand Matron, Abilene; Mrs. Bonnie Lee Davis, Deputy Grand Matron, Paducah; Mrs. Audra Tanner, Grand Examiner, Iowa-Park, Texas; and Mrs. Pat

Boone, Deputy Grand Matron, Littlefield. A luncheon honoring Worthy Matrons, Worthy Patrons, and Grand Officers was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Rumback at 12 o'clock noon. Mrs. Rumback is Associate Conductress of the local chapter. A covered dish supper, at which Pat Boone contributed the delicious barbecued meat, was given at 6:30 Monday evening in the basement of the local Methodist Church, at which honor guests were the Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Cynthia Mae Watts, and other Grand Officers. The food was furnished by the membership, and about 170 served. Following the supper a beautiful pageant under the direction of Mrs. Pat Boone was presented by the local chapter.

SIXTEEN SENIORS TO GRADUATE AT SPADE

The Senior class at Spade consists of 15 pupils at the present. There are five boys and 10 girls. Floyd Heard, who moved to Seymour recently will return to Spade and graduate with the class. The graduation exercises will be held on Thursday night, May 25, in the school gym. The address will be delivered by Rev. A. B. Haynes of Littlefield. The Baccalaureate service will be held on Sunday, May 21, at 11 o'clock at the Methodist Church. Rev. H. D. Seago of Wilson, Texas, will deliver the sermon.

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FOR SALE—354 acres near Needmore, Bailey County; 270 acres in cultivation. 5 room house. Priced for quick sale with possession. \$32.50 per acre. C. C. Thompson, over Graham Bakery, in Hall Building, P. O. Box 387, Littlefield. 7-1tc

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Daughter Born To Lt. And Mrs. S. E. Edwards Sunday

Mrs. J. S. Hilliard returned Sunday afternoon from a ten day trip to Fort Smith, Ark., where she visited her daughter and son-in-law, Lieut. and Mrs. S. E. Edwards. Lieut. Edwards is stationed at Camp Chaffey near Fort Smith. Mr. Hilliard had not been feeling very well and Mrs. Hilliard returned before she had planned, but reported Wednesday that he was better. Mrs. Hilliard had only arrived a short time when her son-in-law telephoned long distance stating a daughter, weighing 7 pounds 3 ounces, was born to him and Mrs. Edwards, the former Miss Betty Ann Hilliard, at the Edwards Hospital, Fort Smith, about 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. They had not named the baby Wednesday. Mrs. Hilliard had left Fort Smith Friday and arrived here Sunday afternoon a short time before Lieut. Edwards telephoned.

SPADE SCHOOL NEWS

FOY DODSON ELECTED SUPERINTENDENT AT SPADE

Foy Dodson of Olton has been elected as superintendent of the Spade school for the next year. He will take the place of R. L. Davidson, superintendent for the past three years, who resigned recently to accept the superintendency at Olton. Mr. Dodson is at present teaching mathematics and physics to enlisted men in the government school at Canyon, Texas. Mrs. Dodson was also employed as a teacher at Spade. They both have had several years teaching experience.

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200 White Leghorn Hens, Key Flock now laying.	1 Set Two Unit De Laval Milker, complete with motor and lines.
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Pvt. Gene Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs. Van Clark, who has been stationed at Fort Knox, Ky., has completed his basic training, and arrived home recently on a furlough. He left here Wednesday and will report to

Camp Polk, La., May 12. Pvt. Clark has been in the service since December 3, and has gained 20 pounds in weight, now weighing 172 pounds. He is attached to an armoured division of the Army, and has been stationed in Kentucky since January 5.

Lieut. J. E. Chisholm of the Sig-

nal Corps, attached to the Air Force, who has been stationed in Hawaii, has been transferred to Oahu Island in the South Pacific.

Sgt. Jack Norman, who is attached to a travelling unit; teaching amphibious warfare, and who has been stationed for the past several weeks at Camp White, Ore., has returned to his headquarters at San Luis Obispo, Calif. He wrote his mother here that he had a lovely trip back to California, and enjoyed going through Redwood Forest, etc.

Mrs. John Cary received a cablegram Saturday from her son, Cpl. Burr Cary, who is stationed in Australia, stating: "Letters received, many thanks. Are you alright. Please don't worry"; and also received a Mother's Day greeting by cablegram from her son, Pvt. Dennis Cary, stationed in England, as follows: "My Love and Greetings on Mother's Day, Darling."

Mrs. Lola Mae Lichte recently received a letter from Pfc. Elbert Dewberry, who has been in the service 17 months, and stationed in England over a year with the Field

Artillery as a welding mechanic, in which he asked her to say hello to his friends and customers, that as soon as the war was over he would be back with them in a bigger and better shop; and that he was staying in practice by doing the same line of work for Uncle Sam.

A brother of Pfc. Dewberry, Pfc. L. D. Dewberry, is stationed at Planche Camp, New Orleans. He spent 17 months in Iran, and has been back in the States since April 21. He suffered a heat stroke and has rheumatic heart, and previous to returning to the States spent 113 days in a hospital at Iran.

S-Sgt. Delbert Ross, who has been home on furlough since April 28, left Monday for Camp Gordon Johnston, Fla. While he was home he was notified by the government of his promotion from Sergeant to Staff Sergeant.

A-C Joe B. Alsop, son of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Alsop of Muleshoe, Texas, and brother of Jimmie Alsop, formerly of this city, was recently awarded a sharp-shooter's medal for proficiency in firing the .45 caliber automatic pistol.

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FOR SALE—3 room house, block west of ball park. Lights, water, built-in cabinet, new pre-war sink. On extra large lot. Owner leaving for Army, must sell soon. Olen Walker. 5-3tp

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390 acres, 6 miles Dickens, 1/2 mile off pavement, 250 acres cultivation, planted to wheat, house and mill, \$35.00 per acre, \$1750 cash, bal. long time, 5%. All the above loans can be paid on or before. Will take some trade in Lubbock property. Will sell these farms separately.

OSCAR KILLIAN

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FOR SALE—904 acres 22 miles north of Farwell, all in cultivation, improved, extra fine wheat and feed land; priced \$30.00 per acre for quick sale. . . .

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FOR SALE—Chicken houses and chicken pen; also a few chickens that lay now and then. Also three-room furnished apt. Phone 335. 6-1tc

FOR TRADE

FOR TRADE—Have 1940 Ford pickup in good condition, good rubber, to Trade for late model Ford or Chevrolet car. A. L. Polk, 1 mile west, 2 miles south of Roundup.

MISCELLANEOUS

WE HAVE A fed John Deere Umbrellas. Buy Genuine John Deere Sweeps to get the best. Luca & Rogers. 7-4tc

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—One three room house with lights and water, one mile out on pavement. See me at Cobb's or my home. George Vaught. 6-1tp

WANTED

WANTED—To Make Your Button Holes. Mrs. W. S. Savage. 6-4tc

WANTED—Man with family to work on farm. House furnished. Will pay wages and part crop. See Van Clark at B-C Land Company, over Thaxton Hardware. 6-1tc

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JACK ROWAN
AUCTIONEER
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BOOK YOUR SALES NOW!
SEE—
Mr. Rowan at his residence, West Second St., Opposite High School, Littlefield, or . . .
Mr. Clark at Enochs Land Building, Opposite Palace Theatre, LITTLEFIELD. Office Phone 17.

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Between the Lamb County Tractor Co. and the Hart-Thaxton Furniture Store.

Eastern Automobiles
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VISIT WITH ME!
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USED CAR CO.

PERMANENT WAVE, 58c! Do your own Permanent with Charm-Kuri Kit. Complete equipment, including 40 curlers and shampoo. Easy to do, absolutely harmless. Praised by thousands including Fay McKenzie, glamorous movie star. Money refunded if not satisfied.
MADDEN-WRIGHT DRUG STORE
Littlefield, Texas 6-10tp

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Churches

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Lee Hemphill, Pastor
Sunday school, 10 a. m.
Morning preaching service, 11:00 a. m.
Training Union, 8 p. m.
Evening Preaching service, 9 p. m.
Mid-week prayer service, 9 p. m. Wednesday.
Special Mother's Day services will be held Sunday morning. The public cordially invited to attend.

EMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH

E. H. Riese, Pastor
The Ladies' Aid meets Friday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock. Mrs. Adolph Beck will be the hostess.
Sunday school classes meet next Sunday at 10:15 a. m. A confirmation service will be held at 11 a. m.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

C. Frank York, Pastor
Church School, 10 a. m.
Morning Service, 11 a. m.

Mother's Day program with special Mother's Day Music.
Evening Worship at 8 o'clock.
Young People's service at 7:15.
You are cordially invited to attend all these services.

REV. J. LOWELL PONDER RESIGNS AS MISSIONARY

Rev. J. Lowell Ponder, District Missionary for District Nine of the Baptist General Convention of Texas offered his resignation in a letter to Dr. W. E. Barnes, pastor of First Baptist Church, Hereford, and president of the Executive Board. A special session of the Executive Board has been called to consider the matter.

Rev. Ponder is going to a similar position in District Four and will make his home in Houston, Texas.
Rev. Ponder has done an excellent piece of work in District Nine and he will be greatly missed by local Baptists. His successor has not been named as yet.

CARD OF THANKS

Words cannot express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation for the many kind acts and expressions of sympathy extended us in our recent

bereavement, the passing of our father, A. J. Walker. May God bless each and every one of you.

We especially wish to express our appreciation for the many beautiful floral offerings, and to neighbors and friends who were so kind in administering to the deceased during his illness and in preparing meals for members of the family. We also wish to express our deep appreciation to the doctors and nurses of the South Plains Co-operative Hospital.

- Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Walker and Juanita.
- Mr. and Mrs. Leon Walker and Family.
- Lt. Harry Walker and Family.
- Mr. and Mrs. Jack Walker and Family.
- Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Childers and Family.
- Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Stanley and Family.
- Mr. and Mrs. Orville Markham and Family.

Cpl. Josephine Weaver Transferred To Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga.

Cpl. Josephine Weaver left Thursday after spending ten days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Rowe. Cpl. Weaver has been stationed at Marana Field, Ariz., but has been transferred to Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., for special training.

Farmers Needing Tires Must Apply To County Agent

All farmers, truckers or others who expect to have a part in the small grain and grain sorghum harvest who must have additional tires to take part in this harvest are asked to make their needs known at the County Agent's office at Amherst, according to V. F. Jones, County Agent.

The purpose of this survey is to get some idea of the new tires that will be required for wheat and grain sorghum harvest with the hope that a separate tire pool may be set up and earmarked for harvesting purposes. The number of tires and tire sizes that will be needed for each vehicle or implement that is to be used in harvesting grain is the information desired. This information is needed in the county agent's office

We Salute American Mothers on their Day Sunday, May 14

Mother's Day this year takes on an added importance, when we stop to think of the sacrifices they are making in giving their sons to fight for Freedom.

All American Mothers, of course, we honor—and to our own Mother we pay Special Tribute.

DENNIS JONES
Operating
Dennis Jones Tire Store
Littlefield

not later than May 19. Forms for listing your needs are available at the county office.

Mrs. Mike Brewer spent the past week end with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Batton at Hereford.

BUY HOT SHOT BATTERIES AT McCORMICK BROS. AUTO PARTS. 7-2tc

WALTERS.....Your Family Drug Store

We Have Your Favorite Remedies.

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Today's Dreams are Tomorrow's Realities

TWO HEARTS DREAMING... two heads planning... some day their castle in the air will become a reality and two people will have the home they have wanted for so long. They have the faith and energy to make their dreams come true.

FOR THE HOME OF TOMORROW...

- A WONDER KITCHEN—cool, clean—New Certified Performance Gas Range to give that "precision cooking."
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- HOT WATER GALORE—A New Automatic Gas Water Heating System.
- MAGIC REFRIGERATION—The New Silent Gas Refrigerator to keep your food fresh longer.



REMEMBER... Gas today speeds war production. Use it wisely. Tomorrow it will bring new ease, new leisure, better living.

West Texas Gas Company

Announcing.... THAT I HAVE PURCHASED THE PALACE CONFECTIONERY

FROM **MRS. WOLFE SHAW** AND NOW IN POSSESSION OF SAME.
Before selling this business I enjoyed a nice business, which I appreciated very much. It was always a pleasure to serve the good people of this area.

FOR COLD DRINKS—MILK SHAKES—ICE CREAM VISIT OUR FOUNTAIN

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Littlefield Fundamental Missionary Baptist Church

Corner XIT Drive and 8th Street.
Jack Power, Pastor

"A Church That's Different"

Rev. Jack Power

PASTOR WILL SPEAK AT ALL SERVICES.

SUNDAY SCHOOL --- 10:00 A. M.
MORNING SERVICE --- 11:00 A. M.
EVENING SERVICE --- 8:30 P. M.

WELCOME

I Remember MOM on MAY 14



Her Devotion to the Past—and Her Determination for the Future Gives Us Faith

JUST a worn baby shoe . . . neglected tennis racket . . . or mellowed high school diploma to anyone else . . . but to her they are links between the past and the present. At their touch her heart beats faster and memories of your childhood come racing back to her mind's eye. Then, softly sighing, she'll close the squeaking trunk—square her shoulders and face the future. Yes, it was hard—there were dark days and selfless sacrifices to make, but in a mother's eyes they were glorious adventures. To watch you grow . . . see love and worship reflect in your eye was her reward. Unflinching her faith inspired courage and comfort in your living—gave purpose to your pursuit of happiness. Now, in a world rocked to its foundations by war, she still remains a bulwark of strength unchanged in a changing world. Her implicit faith in America and the freedoms for which you fight coupled with simple trust in your sincere efforts to do your best . . . and to succeed wherever you are—in whatever you do . . . is ammunition for your soul. It gives power to your conviction to win this war and confidence in the peace to come.

Tradition claims the second Sunday of each May as her day . . . as a tribute to the magnitude of her loving devotion. Make it another day for her collection of memories . . . try in some small measure to brighten the life of one who shaped and guided your life as an American . . . YOUR MOTHER!

- Littlefield Hospital & Clinic**
- Mileur & Ross Hatchery**
- Lamb County Electric Cooperative**
- Easy-Way Laundry**
- Phillips 66 Service Station**
GENE WILLIAMS, Operator
- Hammons Funeral Home**
- Onstead's**
- Henry's Auto Supply & Service**
- Bagwell Cleaners**
- Lamb County Tractor Co.**
FORD TRACTORS
- Birdwell Bros. Firestone Store**
- B. & B. Drug Store**
- Club Cafe**
L. M. And L. G. EASLEY
- Evins Cleaners**
- Chisholm's Studio**
- Continental Oil Company**
L. R. SEWELL, Wholesale Agent
- West Texas Cottonoil Co.**
- Union Compress & Warehouse Company**
- Norman's Feed Store**
- Littlefield Fender & Body Co**
- W. E. Heathman**
Wholesale Agent, Phillips Petroleum Co.
- Lon Campbell**
Your Oliver Farm Equipment Dealer
- McCormick Bros. Service Station**
- C. C. Thompson**
REAL ESTATE—FARM LANDS
- Piggly Wiggly Gro & Market**
- Morris & Son**
- Cary's Grocery & Market**
- City Laundry**
MR. And MRS. C. C. WALKER
- B-C Land Company**
FARM LANDS AND CITY PROPERTY
- Graham Furniture**
- O. K. Rubber Welding & Tire Shop**
- Frank Cummings**
Tax Assessor-Collector, Lamb Co.
- W. O. Hampton Store**
At Weeks-Bagwell Gin
- Payne-Shotwell Hospital & Clinic**
- I. B. Holt**
Judge, Lamb County
- Cox Machine Shop**
- Littlefield Roller Rink**
F. A. EBELING, Operator
- Littlefield Tourist Cottages**
MR. AND MRS. E. STEPHENS
- Sinclair Service Station**
C. W. GRANT, Operator
- Hi-Way Cafe**
MR. AND MRS. J. N. BOWEN
- Wilson Furniture Company**
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FEED AND GRAIN

LITTLEFIELD

RECLEANED AND
TESTED SUDAN

Mrs. S. G. Underwood returned from Austin, where she had visited relatives for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hemphill of Odessa spent the past week end in the home of Mrs. Hemphill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Cundiff.

Dr. J. R. Coen Attends Meeting Of Medical Assn.

Dr. J. R. Coen, as a delegate from the Lamb, Hockley, Bailey and Cochran Counties Medical Association, is attending the State Medical convention, which is convening at the Adolphus Hotel, Dallas, Wednesday and today (Thursday).

He left early Tuesday morning, accompanied by Mrs. Coen and daughter, Mary Jane. They plan to return to Littlefield Saturday.

While Dr. Coen is attending the medical meeting Mrs. Coen and daughter will visit relatives.

Among the relatives whom the Coen family will visit are: Mrs. Fred De Lashaw at Fort Worth, sister-in-law of Mrs. Coen, whose husband is a Chaplain stationed in New Guinea since last August; Mrs. Coen's sister, Mrs. W. E. Kreps, Dallas, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Delashaw, at Bonham, Texas.

DR. W. H. LEGATE TO TAKE POST GRADUATE WORK

Dr. W. H. Legate, local chiropractor, is leaving Sunday for Oklahoma City, where he will take a post graduate course in Chiropractic. The school will be in session from May 16 until 20, following which Dr. Legate will return to Littlefield.

—FOR VICTORY BUY BONDS—

MRS. E. S. ROWE BUYS PALACE CONFECTIONERY

Mrs. E. S. Rowe has purchased

the Palace Confectionery from Mrs. Wolfe Shaw, and is now in possession of same.

Mrs. Rowe formerly owned the business, but sold it to Mrs. Shaw,

the former Mrs. Jake Hopping, about a year ago.

Mrs. Rowe invites all her friends to visit her for their cold drinks and ice cream.

We Solicit and... Will Appreciate Your Patronage

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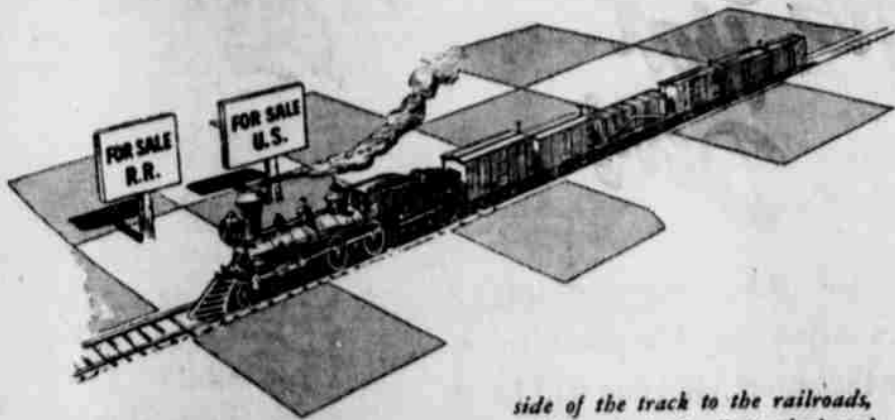
From H. C. and W. G. Thornton and Have Taken Charge of the Business.

REGULAR DINNERS . . . PLATE LUNCHES
SHORT ORDERS . . . SANDWICHES
WE INVITE YOUR BUSINESS . . . And Will Do Our Best To Render Pleasing Service.

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Open From 6 A. M. to Midnight Every Day.

The Railroad LAND GRANT



* To speed the settling of the West, our nation wanted railroads pushed across great unsettled areas to develop rich but distant regions and to bind the country together for military and other reasons.

In the 1850's and 1860's, to encourage railroads to push their tracks into the undeveloped territory, Congress granted the odd sections on each

side of the track to the railroads, with certain "strings" attached, and these grants varied in depth up to several miles.

The even sections retained by the government were for the most part sold to settlers at a substantial increase in price.

The Land Grant policy was very helpful in getting the railroads started in those early days. BUT...

Isn't it out of date today?

In return for their Land Grants, the railroads originally were required, and are still required to do so in respect of military and naval property and personnel, to haul government passengers, freight, and mail at rates far below those applicable to ordinary traffic.

Since the Land Grants were made, railroads have paid out in reduced rates on government traffic many times the amount they have received from these Land Grants.

In the case of the Santa Fe, here are the figures: In more than 80 years which have elapsed since the

Land Grants were made, Santa Fe's net realization from these lands has been about \$23,000,000. In 1943 alone, the government received from Santa Fe, in the form of rate reductions, approximately \$40,000,000.

Many governmental agencies as well as private shipper groups are convinced that the time has arrived for the entire repeal of these burdensome Land Grant requirements.

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Only in the Firestone DeLuxe Champion Will You Find:

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Drive in today. Let us inspect your tires thoroughly. Our recaps are guaranteed!

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Saves up to 30% in fuel costs. Keeps your home cooler in summer, too.

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Clearance **11c**
Especially treated to produce a fine, high polish... fast! 15x37-inch. Reg. 15c.

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Has special compartment for a thermos bottle. Sturdy metal clasp. Moistureproof.

Steps Form a Ladder!



Combination STEP STOOL

Sale! **3.98** Reg. 4.95

The tuck-away steps pull out and there's a handy ladder. White with red steps and seat.

KEEP YOUR MOTOR OIL CLEAN!

OIL FILTER CARTRIDGES

89c up

They'll prolong the life of your car. Fit most filters.



Tire Preservative
Keeps rubber tough, flexible. One pint treats ten tires.

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LITTLEFIELD

BIRDWELL BROS., Owners

FRED HELTON, Manager

Capt. Blessing—

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ing, became seriously ill. Capt. Blessing was notified by cablegram, to which a reply was received from the War Department, stating it was not probable that a furlough would be granted. Later, on his death, a second cablegram was sent, but no response was received.

Later, Capt. Blessing wrote that he would soon be home. His wife, who has been making her home in San Jose, Calif., arrived in Littlefield April 25, to be here to greet her husband on arrival. A cousin, Jimmie Zed Robinson, who also served overseas about two years, arrived home recently from North Africa; and also Sgt. O. K. Yantis, another cousin, arrived home from Hawaiian Islands on a furlough. A family reunion had been planned, but Capt. Blessing wrote that he would not be able to get home at the present time; and that he was in the Transport Ferry Command in Ireland.

Mrs. Blessing was the former Miss Betty Hunsaker of San Jose, prior to her marriage to Capt. Blessing at Ellington Field, Houston, February 6, 1943. She is a granddaughter of Mrs. M. A. Hutchinson of San Jose, Calif., with whom she makes her home. She was graduated from Notre Dame High school, San Jose, with the 1942 class.

Capt. Blessing was awarded his wings, and the commission of Lieutenant at Ellington Field in March, 1943.

Mrs. Blessing is here visiting her husband's relatives.

BUY "U" BOLTS at McCORMICK BROS. AUTO PARTS. 7-21c

W. J. Will—

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Pallbearers were: C. W. Brandt, Elder C. Hill, Adolph O. Lueck, Rufus Ogerly, Paul Manthey and Walter Hill.

Flower bearers were: Misses Lillie Neuenschwander, Elsyne Manthey, Ruth Drager, Dolores Lehman, and Marilyn Stockinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Will and family had been making their home with Mrs. Will's father, F. W. Lichte, 4 1/2 miles northeast of town. Mr. Will walked out of the house about 9:30 o'clock Thursday night, and failing to return by midnight, a search was instituted by the family, assisted by Sheriff Sam Hutson, Deputy Sheriff Sid Hopping, and Justice of the Peace S. J. Farquhar, and neighbors, but it was not until about daylight that he was found dead on the windmill on the Lichte farm; and following an official investigation a verdict of death by suicidal hanging was given. Ill health is believed to have been the cause of the occurrence.

Mr. Will was born at Welcome, near Brenham, Texas, October 4, 1899. At the age of 18 months he was taken by his parents to Rosebud, Texas, where the family made their home until they moved to Littlefield in 1928, where they have continued to live.

Mr. Will married Miss Ellen Lichte on October 9, 1929, to which union were born two children, both of whom survived their father.

Deceased left to mourn his passing his wife, Mrs. Ellen Will; two daughters, Laverne and Lois, at home; his father, Gus Will of Rosebud, Texas; also five brothers: August Will of Robstown, Texas; Ernest Will of Hamilton, Texas; Emil Will of Houston, Texas; Albert of Rogers, Texas; Ben Will of Rosenberg, Texas; and three sisters: Mrs. Gusta Kretschmer of Temple; Mrs. Bertha Flentge of Rosebud; and Mrs. Elsie Blanton of Napa, Calif.

Out-of-town relatives here for the funeral services were: Mr. and Mrs. Eldor Flentge and son, Gilbert, of near Temple; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Will and son, Leroy, of Hamilton, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Blanton and daughter, Jeanette, of Napa, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Will and son, James, of Temple; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Will of Rosenberg, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Emil Will of Houston, Texas; Mrs. Herbert Heller of Gatebo, Okla.; Mrs. Otis Geis of Gatebo, Okla.; Mrs. Olga McAtur, Hobasch, Okla.; J. C. Lognee of Faxon, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Zybur and daughter, Mammie, of Hamilton, Tex.; and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Elliott and sons, Larry and Roger, of Lubbock.

Earl F. McCain—

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received his diploma as a mechanic on B-17 planes, following which he went to Kingman, Arizona, where he completed his gunnery training and received his gunner's wings, and was advanced to Sergeant. From Kingman he was transferred to Florida and later to other camps.

At Kingman he volunteered as an aerial engineer on a B-17, and went overseas in that capacity, and was serving as such when he participated in raids over Germany. He was made a Staff Sergeant at Dalhart, and a Technical Sergeant after he went overseas.

He flew from Kerney, Nebr., with his crew for England on February 29, 1944, and this was his third mission over Germany when reported missing.

T-Sgt. McCain has two sisters, Mrs. Paul Carlisle, Baileyboro, and

Mrs. Clifton Robinson of Fieldton; and three brothers, Truman McCain of 17 miles northwest of Earth; Doyle McCain and Jimmie McCain at home.

He started in February to buy a \$100 War Bond a month, the Government keeping that much from his pay; and the parents have already received one bond, and another one is due here.

Chas. D. Strange—

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bearers were: Bob Cox, W. D. Chapman, Wylie Thornton, Ellis Foust, J. W. Emfinger, John Faubus and Don Brewster.

Mr. Strange had been in ill health a year and a half; and had been confined in the Amherst Hospital seven weeks.

Deceased was born in Tom Green County, February 19, 1902, and at the age of five years moved with his parents to Crosby County, near Ralls, where he was reared, and where he married Miss Effie Yeary on December 19, 1920, to which union were born eight children, one of whom, a daughter, died in infancy.

Mr. Strange has been a resident of Littlefield and area for over 20 years, having moved here from Crosby County in September, 1923.

Surviving deceased are his wife; and seven children, four daughters and three sons. The daughters are: Mrs. W. L. O'Neal, whose husband is in foreign service; Mrs. J. W. Estep, of Littlefield, and Wanda Faye and Gwyndolyn Sue, at home. The sons are: Charles Davis, Jr., Forrest Wade and Troy Dean, all at home in Littlefield.

Mr. Strange was also survived by three brothers: Will Strange of Ralls, George Strange of Crosbyton, and Sgt. Maj. Lawrence Strange of Phoenix, Ariz.

Out-of-town relatives here for the funeral services were: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Strange of Lamesa; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Benton of Levelland;

Air Field—

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Chamber of Commerce, whoever they may be from time to time, act as permanent trustees to handle all leases, revenue and management of the property.

The revenue from the airport is to first go into essential improvements, and anything over and above the cost of improvements will be paid back to the donors in proportion to their contributions.

A complete list of the donors will be published in next week's issue of the Lamb County Leader.

The property is ample for airport facilities for a city the size of Littlefield and larger, and the purchase of this land will be an outstanding step forward in the development of this city and aeronautics in this section.

A special committee of Littlefield citizens is in charge of the receiving of donations. This group is composed of L. C. Hewitt, W. J. Chesher, J. H. Ware, and C. O. Griffin.

Brotherton—

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fighting off attacking Nazi planes. As an enlisted man attending radio school, the AAF navigator applied for aviation cadet training. He received his wings in July, 1943, and joined this heavy bombardment group four months later. Prior to entering the armed forces, Lieut. Brotherton was a student at West Texas State Teachers college. He has three brothers in the service.

Tom of the Army Air Forces in England; Jack in the armored force training in the States, and Bob of the Navy in California. His father, a veteran of World War I, is in the Seabees, and on his way to overseas duty.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Benton, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Rankin, and Mr. and Mrs. Adolphus Blanton, all of Ralls, and Mrs. Mattie Chance of Lubbock.

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The South Plains Greatest Weekly Newspaper

Littlefield, Texas Thursday, May 11, 1944

Former Morton Man Missing In Action

Darwin McCasland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rupert McCasland of Littlefield, N. M., former Morton resident, has been reported missing in action by the War Department. The report came soon after a release telling of two more planes over Nazi planes by Lt. McCasland, running his victories over the Luftwaffe to five planes, downed within two weeks.

Heart Attack Fatal to Spring Lake Man

E. E. Smith of near Spring Lake died away at 1 p. m. Friday at his home as the result of a heart attack. Funeral services were conducted

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at the Christian Church, Spring Lake, Saturday afternoon, with the pastor officiating, and interment took place in the Spring Lake cemetery.

Home And Personal Effects Of Gray Family Lost In Fire

The two-story eight-room home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gray of one mile east and one-half mile north of Olton was completely destroyed by fire early Thursday, in which their entire personal effects, clothing and furniture were lost in the blaze.

Mr. Gray was awakened by the screams of their children, who were sleeping in the west end of the residence, and he stated that it was only seconds after he got to them and got them out that the west wall fell in.

Mrs. Gray had just been released from the Littlefield Hospital following an operation the Monday previous, and had been confined to her bed at home.

Besides Mr. and Mrs. Gray in the house at the time were their son, Elmer, Jr., 19; Willie V., 7; Lola Mae, 16, and Ima Gene, 11, and a

Mummy must've forgot to OIL IT

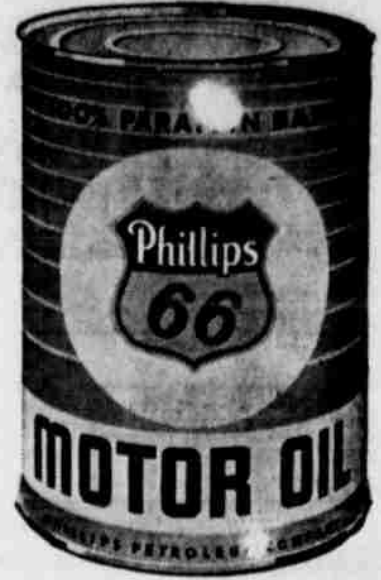


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friend of Ima Gene, who was spending the night in the Gray home. Very little clothing was saved as the children got out in their night apparel.

The residence was owned by Cpl. C. T. Hulsey of the Medical Corps, stationed at Camp Shelby, Miss., who is reported to have carried insurance on the building. No insurance, however, covered the furniture and personal effects.

David Storey Home On Furlough

David Storey, son of Postmaster and Mrs. W. D. T. Storey, who has been stationed at Camp Eustis, Va., is being transferred to Camp Reynolds, Pa., where he will report on May 15.

In the meantime he was granted a short furlough, which he is spending here with his parents.

David wired his parents from Chicago Saturday to meet him at Farewell, Texas, Sunday afternoon at 3:45, when he expected to arrive. David is attached to the Artillery, and was last home about New Year's.

Unusual Eggs Laid At Ferguson Farm

Mrs. G. H. Ferguson of three miles northwest of Spade brought to the Leader office Friday two very unusual hen eggs—both laid in the same nest at the Ferguson farm.

One of the eggs had a perfect V on the end of the egg, while the second egg had just as perfectly a formed 3, both the V and the 3 being raised up on the egg.

Mrs. Ferguson stated that inasmuch as the eggs were both found in the same nest, though a week apart, she believed the same hen laid both.

The poultry flock at the Ferguson farm are white leghorns.

Now your guess is as good as ours—whether this hen is trying to tell us that Victory will be ours in three weeks, three months or three years.

CONDITION OF REUBEN BROCK IS IMPROVED

Reuben Brock of near Fieldton, who suffered gunshot wounds Sunday of last week when a 22 rifle accidentally discharged in the automobile in which he was riding, is reported to be getting along better at the Amherst Hospital, where he

was taken in a serious condition following the accident.

It is reported that dogs had been bothering Brock's chickens and he started to go after the dogs, when the rifle in the car accidentally discharged. He is still confined in the Amherst Hospital.

Olton High School Graduation Exercises To Be Held Friday

Rev. C. C. Griffiths, Baptist Pastor of Olton, preached the Baccalaureate sermon to the Seniors of Olton school Sunday night at 8:30 o'clock.

High School graduation exercises will be held Friday night, May 12, at 8:30 o'clock. Judge E. A. Bills will be the principal speaker of the

occasion.

The diplomas will be presented by Supt. J. Ernest Jones.

In an interview Saturday Supt. Jones stated they had not then determined who would be Valedictorian or Salutatorian of the Senior Class.

Olton Juniors Entertain Seniors At Banquet Friday

The Juniors of Olton High school entertained the Seniors Friday night at the annual banquet in the lunch room at the school.

Charles Dean of Plainview was guest speaker for the evening at the banquet, which was a formal affair, and for which candle lighting was featured.

Miss Mary Beier and J. A. Stegall are sponsors of the Junior class.

The program also included a number of talks by members of the Junior class; several musical numbers and a trombone solo by Jack Ed Cummings.

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With South Plains Men In The Service

Iris Neel, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Ferguson of three miles northwest of Spade, of the 45th Division in the Fifth Army in Italy, took part in the Salerno and Cassino battles, and was wounded March 4. He has been in service four years, and overseas a year. Mrs. Neel, in the absence of her husband overseas, is living with her

parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Ferguson of three miles northwest of Spade, who recently purchased and moved to the George Carter farm.

C. E. Kemp of Littlefield brought to the Leader office a copy of the Round Rock, Texas, Leader, published September 20, 1918, during the last war, in which a letter appears which was written by Ross Kemp, a brother of C. E. Kemp, from "Somewhere in France" to his sister, Mrs. T. R. McNeese at Round Rock, Texas. This letter will, no

doubt, be of interest to our readers. It is being published below:

"Somewhere in France,"
"August 13th, 1918,

"Dear Sister:

"I will try and write you a few lines to let you know what has become of me. Well, I am still alive, but have gotten myself punctured. I got it in my left shoulder and am now in the hospital. It is pretty sore, but will be alright soon if nothing happens. We get wonderful treatment here. Don't know where I am, and don't suppose I could tell if I did know, and I don't know how long I will be here either.

"It was some battle where I was and got real warm there for a while. Now don't get excited when I tell you that I made one dutchman bite the dust. Was not more than a hundred yards from him, and couldn't have missed him had I wanted to, but you may be sure I didn't want to miss him, and on the other hand I took good aim and down he came. I don't just like the idea of 'killing,' but it was either he or myself, and I made sure to get the first shot, and it was him.

"Well, how is everyone around the old town of Round Rock by this time? I hope they don't draft any more of the boys. Do you think Tommie will be called or not? If he should, tell him to leave my watch with you, for if he takes it along and ever gets into gas it will ruin it, and if I come back I will want it, and if I don't get back he may have it. Should neither of us (if he goes) get back, give it to John or Willie as they would probably like to have it for a keep-sake, if not for its value of course. I surely got attached to my dear old time piece, and would love to see the good old seal on the back of it right now, though I would much rather see a part of the good old State it belongs to.

"Well, it is August and you will be picking cotton there soon, if not already picking. I hope you make good crops and get good prices, as everything is rather high there now I suppose. Some things are cheap here and some are surely high and cannot hardly be bought at any price, but the things that one really needs are reasonable enough and can always be had.

"Say, if I should start to tell you some of the things that I have seen, you would say I was 'romancing.' I have seen sights that really I didn't believe could be so, but they are. I guess if I ever get back I can tell you a lot of things. I have been through towns the size of Round Rock that didn't have a house left standing, and they were still shelling the remains of it.

"I have not had a letter from you for some time, but guess they will be forwarded to me. I will find out before I mail this so you will know where to write. I will close hoping it will all be over soon and we will be coming home. I am as ever,
"Your loving brother,
"ROSS KEMP."

Ross Kemp, who wrote the above letter, is operating a dairy at Austin at the present time. Mrs. McNeese is still living at Round Rock.

Pvt. Lafoy Norris, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Norris, who has been in the service about a year, and stationed at Daniel Field, Augusta, Ga., is receiving a medical discharge and was scheduled to leave Daniel Field Monday for home.

T-Cpl. Kenneth Houk, attached to the Signal Corps of the Air Forces, stationed at San Diego, left Monday to return to his station after spending since the Wednesday previous with home folks here. T-Cpl. Houk was on a 15 day furlough. He is attached to the Fourth Air Force.

The Blessing family have been expecting Capt. Samuel E. Blessing, who had completed his missions over enemy territory, and had written that he was coming home, until Roy Blessing, his father, received a letter Tuesday of last week stating he was now in the Ferry Command in Ireland, and would not be able to come home now, but hoped to get a furlough in three months time. Mrs. Samuel Blessing, expecting her husband to arrive, came here April 25 from San Jose, Calif., and has been visiting relatives of her husband since.

Mrs. S. E. Bostick of three miles east of Bula, who has been very ill with high blood pressure, and complications, is much improved, according to Mr. Bostick Saturday.

Due to his mother's illness, Pvt. J. D. Bostick, who is stationed in Hawaii, arrived home about ten days ago in response to a sick message. He will leave Sunday to return to his station.

Another son, Sgt. Lloyd J. Bostick, stationed in England, was also sent a message advising of his mother's illness, through the Red Cross, but he was not granted a furlough. The family have received several letters from Sgt. Bostick stating that he "can't hear from home—that he is awfully busy, and can't get home." The local Red Cross Saturday sent a cable to Sgt. Bostick advising him of his mother's improvement.

Cpl. Eugene C. Rader, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rader of Littlefield, is with the Radio Division of the Air Forces, and stationed in England. He has been in the Service 20 months, and overseas 7 months. He writes his mother to can a lot of stuff that he has hopes of being home by Christmas.

Morris M. Allen, husband of Mrs. Bobby Jean Allen, of Littlefield, has completed his course of studies as an aviation mechanic in the Amarillo Army Air Forces Technical Training School.

His graduation from this technical school now fits him for airplane maintenance and he will be sent to some air base where he will assist in keeping America's Flying Fortresses in the air for Allied victory.

In addition to completion of the schedule of academic and practical studies as an aviation mechanic, he has been thoroughly drilled in military tactics and defense and a course of physical training that has conditioned him to meet all requirements of an American soldier.

Pvt. Marshall Allred, who was formerly stationed at Carlisle, N. M., is stationed at Greensboro, North

Carolina. He was given a delay en-route, and spent from April 20 until the 29th with his wife and twin daughter near Spade. While here he also visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Allred, and a sister, Mrs. Roy Peek, of Amarillo. Pvt. Allred is with the Photography division of

the Army Air Corps. He has been in service since November 5, 1942. His wife and daughter are making home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fowler of Spade, while Allred is in the service.

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PERSONALS

Mrs. Earl Huston of Stanton is planning on moving to Littlefield if she can find a suitable place to live. Her husband was injured in the service, and she is now living near her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Mitchell of Hale. They sold their business and moved to Stanton, Texas.

Mrs. Andrew McGehee, who underwent a major operation at the Payne-Shotwell Hospital recently, is getting along fine.

Ernest Jones, Superintendent of the schools, was a Littlefield visitor Saturday on business.

Mrs. C. D. Kirkpatrick of the south of Littlefield are the parents of a daughter weighing 7 pounds 14 ounces, born Tuesday, May 2, at the Littlefield Hospital. She was named "Barbara Jo."

Vernon Lee Wright, 14, son of Mrs. Alta Mae Wright, suffered an attack of appendicitis Saturday, and underwent an operation at the Payne-Shotwell Hospital Saturday. He is getting along nicely.

L. L. Newman, 16, was admitted to the Payne-Shotwell Hospital Wednesday, May 3, suffering from a severe attack of pneumonia. He was returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Patterson of Morton, who has been confined in the Payne-Shotwell Hospital since April 15, for medical treatment, is showing improvement.

Sgt. and Mrs. O. K. Yantis spent the week end at Lubbock guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wright.

Diane Heinrich, 7 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Heinrich of Pep, was treated at the

Payne-Shotwell Hospital last week for a bad cold.

Mrs. Samuel E. Blessing of San Jose, Calif., has been spending the past two weeks with her husband's relatives here. She plans to return to California sometime this week.

Mrs. W. D. Hulcy of Amherst underwent a major operation at the Payne-Shotwell Hospital Thursday, and is getting along nicely.

Cpl. Gerald L. Lakey, stationed at the Lubbock Army Air Field, and son of Mrs. Bessie Lakey of Littlefield, visited relatives and friends here Saturday.

Mrs. H. F. Miller of Route 1, Littlefield, was admitted May 2 to the Payne-Shotwell Hospital for major surgery. She is getting along fine.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. McKinzie of Olton are parents of a daughter weighing 7 pounds 14 ounces, born Tuesday afternoon of last week in Lubbock General Hospital. The father is stationed somewhere in England.

Betty Jo Goodman, 14, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Goodman of Anton underwent an appendicitis operation Friday at the Payne-Shotwell Hospital, and is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Tremain of Brownsville arrived Thursday for a

week's visit with friends and to look after business interests. Mr. and Mrs. Tremain own a number of apartments in Brownsville, and apart from looking after the leasing and collecting their rent, enjoy life in Brownsville. They both look well, and state they are having a good time in the South Texas City. Mr. and Mrs. Tremain lived here for many years, and have a host of friends who always welcome them back to Littlefield.

Lanell Bishop, 6 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Bishop of Shallowater, had her tonsils removed at the Payne-Shotwell Hospital Thursday, and was dismissed from the hospital Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Banks spent Friday in Lubbock visiting Mr. Banks' mother, Mrs. H. N. Banks, who has been suffering from a gall bladder trouble. Mrs. Banks, Sr., is much better.

Mrs. M. S. Pinkerton of south of town, who underwent a major operation at the Payne-Shotwell Hospital April 25, was dismissed and went home Saturday.

Mrs. George Mayo was admitted to the Payne-Shotwell Hospital for medical treatment Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bills returned Wednesday of last week from a two

weeks' trip to Oklahoma and Missouri. They visited their daughter and son-in-law, Cpl. and Mrs. Paul Timmons, and daughter, Sally Carolyn, at Anadarko, Okla., near which City Cpl. Timmons is stationed; and also spent some time with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Penn, and daughter, Marilyn, at Springfield, Mo.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Jones of near Yellowhouse Saturday morning, weighing nine pounds. He has been named "David Lee."

Mrs. B. E. York of Morton, who underwent major surgery at the Payne-Shotwell Hospital April 24, is getting along nicely.

Sheriff Sam Hutson left Littlefield Friday for Houston on business, returning home Monday night.

Emery Glass, son of Mrs. Thomas B. Duke, of the Marines, stationed at San Diego, will complete his boot camp in about three weeks, and hopes to get a furlough home.

W. E. Jeffries, who has been ill for the past two months, is improving slowly, and is now able to be up some. He was able to walk about for the first time last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Luce spent Monday and Tuesday at their ranch

near Elida, N. M.

Mrs. G. R. Nabors of Anton is doing nicely at the Payne-Shotwell Hospital, where she underwent major surgery recently.

Mrs. Cal Harvey and Mrs. J. E. Hamilton were in Lubbock Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. S. Cassel returned home Wednesday night of last week after a three week's visit to South Texas. At Port Lavaca they visited Mr. Cassel's brothers and sisters-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. V. B. and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Cassel; and at Bloomington, Texas, they spent sometime with Mr. and Mrs. Grover Cassel, another brother and sister-in-law of Mr. Cassel.

Mrs. W. P. Houston spent the past week end with her husband's parents at Stanton, Texas. She left Friday and returned Monday.

Miss Alma Byers, who is employed by the government inspecting fruits and vegetables and juices for the Army and Navy, and who has been stationed at Weslaco, Texas, is being transferred to Cedar Rapids, Iowa; and expects to spend a week soon at home here.

Mrs. W. E. Bennett, Mrs. C. F. Copeland, and Mrs. N. A. Vaughtner of Amherst were shopping in Littlefield Friday.

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Re-election
C. L. HARRIS
- SHERIFF:
SAM HUTSON
G. M. VANN
- JUSTICE OF PEACE
PRECINCT 4:
S. J. (Sam) FARQUHAR
- DISTRICT ATTORNEY:
JUDGE HAROLD M. LaFONT
(Re-election)
- COUNTY TREASURER:
MRS. ANN BLYTHE
- COUNTY TAX ASSESSOR and
COLLECTOR:
FRANK CUMMINGS
- REPRESENTATIVE,
120th District
JOE W. JENNINGS
Floyd County
- DISTRICT CLERK:
HERBERT DUNN
- COMMISSIONER
PRECINCT NO. 3:
W. E. BENTLEY
- COMMISSIONER of
PRECINCT 4:
E. L. (Jack) YARBROUGH
- STATE SENATOR
30th Senatorial District:
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With South Plains Men In The Armed Forces

PAINE FIELD, Everett, Wash.—A Good Conduct Medal has been awarded Sgt. Glen R. Gilbert, son of L. R. Gilbert of Morton, Texas, following a year's continuous war service as an enlisted man, and for showing efficiency and fidelity. He is a member of the Air Base Unit here.

The following poem was composed by Lieut. Fuston Stevens in memory of the late Pvt. Loyd E. Fowler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fowler of Spade. Lt. Stevens was a member of the same squadron of planes as Pvt. Fowler when he was killed.

Pvt. Fowler was killed Dec. 29, 1943, in a crash of two B-24 bombers. The two planes ran together

while in heavy clouds and both planes went into spins, crashing and killing all men aboard. Lt. Stevens, who is remembered as "Fuston," is a graduate of the 1935 class of Spade. He is now in England, and is first pilot of his plane.

TRIBUTE TO A COMRADE

By Lt. Floyd F. (Fuston) Stevens
Together we've spilt the soft
Fleecy clouds,
And pointed out nose at the moon,
Wing tip to wing tip, we've roamed
o'er the world,
And we've thrilled as our four
Engines crooned.
We've fired the bright tracers
and manned all the guns,
And we've felt the ship tremble
in storms,
We've laughed at all dangers, and
thrilled once again
Just to feel the great monster
Airborne,
But now your bright smile
Is gone from my right,
I glance from my seat with a
start,
There's a blank, vacant spot
which you've always filled,
There's the same sort of spot in
my heart—
But somehow I know deep down
in my soul,
That you're bunked up with the
best,
Awaiting the signal to soar into
space
With Kelly and Wright and the
rest—
In all Pilot's Heaven, you're
waiting your turn
To ride to the great flying line,
To go roaring off into God's
Matchless blue,
To log up your day's flying
Time—
Up there you must fly
The Sweetest of Ships,
To drive the pale moon from the
Sky,
And I'm sure the Almighty
himself is C. O.
Of that Heavenly Airdrome on
High.

From the Allied Force headquarters, Mediterranean theatre, comes to the Leader a report on the "Olive Drab Cab" Company, but being a G. I. concern the proper nomenclature is "Car Company," and a large number is its distinguished trademark.

Staff Sgt. James W. Walker, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Walker of Star

Route 1, Littlefield, is one of the members of the Olive-Drab Cab Company.

This particular car company does its business exclusively for Allied Force headquarters in a North African City . . . without benefit of fare meters or the "hell-for-leather" driving technique that has become the stock in trade quality of "hackies" the world over.

Captain C. R. Joyce, 10 Brown Street, Martinsville, Virginia, the Commanding Officer of this Car Company, is proud of it and the soldiers that make it up. "They are not only good drivers and mechanics," he says, "but good soldiers as well." That this is no idle boast is ascertained by speaking with the men in the organization. They can tell of battle experiences in Tunisia, Sicily and Italy.

Providing Allied Force Headquarters with transportation for the last 16 months, the drivers have, in the main, lost the ability to be impressed or surprised by the people they are assigned to drive. Many distinguished persons have made up their clientele in this period. Ranking from President Franklin D. Roosevelt to film star Humphrey Bogart, from the highranking officers of almost every United Nation to Privates who have distinguished themselves in battle, the people who ride in the Car Company's command cars, limousines and jeeps, are all sure of a safe smooth ride as they go about their business. You don't drive for distinguished personalities without first being proved a safe and sound driver who knows his business. The "two-wheel-around-the-corner" technique is strictly out for the duration and cutting in and out of traffic is a thing unheard of.

1st Lieutenant Mitchell Rothbart, 1645 Grand Avenue, Bronx, New York, is the motor officer of the company. He claims the men have learned the patience of Job—"and they need it." The French and Arabs have no idea of traffic control, either as pedestrians or motorists. This means that to negotiate the city streets one must be skilled at the wheel, always suspecting the other fellow of congenital insanity as regards wheeled traffic, and one must keep a tight rein on the temper as pedestrians, civilian and military, blithely persist in dashing in front of your duty-bound vehicle. Lt. Rothbart sighs sadly, shaking his

head, as he says, "Driving in this town is no soft touch, but these men do a miraculous and marvelous job—miraculous considering the low accident rate, and marvelous just because they can hold onto their tempers so well when Arab kids run practically under their wheels."

AN EIGHTH AAF FIGHTER STATION, England—"He kept exploding, like a string of giant firecrackers, and finally dug into the ground," said Lt. Darwin D. (Mac) McCasland, pint-size P-51 Mustang pilot from Morton, Texas, in recounting how he scored his second victory over the Luftwaffe. He has since scored a third victory against the enemy. The 22-year-old officer, who blasted a Messerschmitt 100 into the ground on his first trip into combat three weeks previously, destroying a Focke-Wulf 190 and probably destroyed a second in a mass aerial battle that erupted over Brunswick. Fifty enemy fighters jumped formations of heavy bombers the Mustang fighter group was escorting. "Everywhere I looked somebody was shooting or getting shot at," Lt. McCasland said. "I was in a turn to the right when I spotted a FW heading the same way. That was okay with me—I was behind him. I closed on his tail and, within 300 yards, I cut loose. He whirled all over the place, but I stayed on his tail and gave him a couple more bursts. He dived into the clouds with smoke pouring out of him. I swung away and started after a Focke-Wulf who was banging away at another Mustang. I shot a few holes in his wings from 200 yards, then got so close I couldn't use my gun-

sight, so I stuck my left wing behind his tail and blasted. There was an explosion, then another in the center of the plane, and he spun into the ground and exploded again." Lt. McCasland's third victory was a week after his second. He and his flight were returning from a bomber escort mission deep in Germany. "We had started after a couple of ME-190's," he said, "but some other Mustangs got to them first. We spotted an airfield with some planes on it—already burning. There seemed to be some that hadn't been hit,

so we went down after them. I led out a JU-88 and squeezed trigger. There were a lot of explosions in the wing roots fuselage, and the plane caught I got awfully close to it, and to pull up sharply. I looked and saw the Junkers burning, several others on the field." Lt. McCasland's father lives at Elda, N. Morton, formerly was an air worker.

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