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Geo. F. Simmons Japanese Prisoner

Mrs. Frank Henderson, sister of Geo. F. Simmons, received a telegram from the War Department last Friday stating that Geo. Philippine Islands. It is presumed that he was captured in the Bataan battle as the last time they heard from him he was in a hospital ward there, and this was just before the attack on Bataan. The telegram gave no further information but said that a letter was following the telegram. George is the son of John Simmons of Dimmitt.

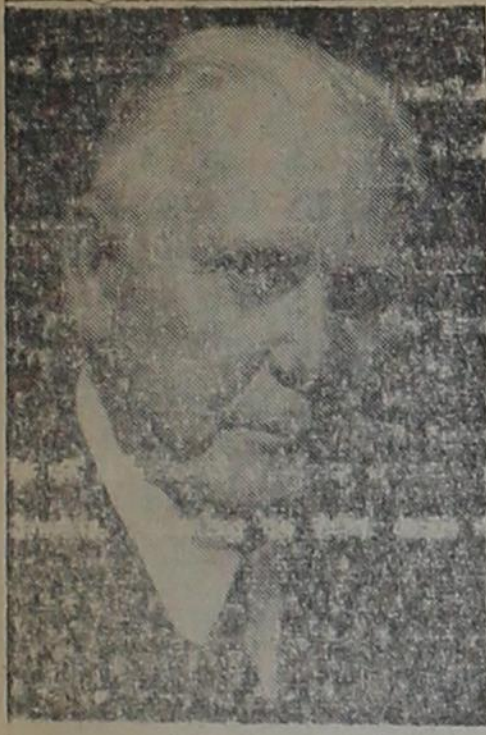
He has another brother, Othel who is in the Army and is stationed somewhere in Alaska. George has been in the Army for several years, and was home two years ago on a visit.

VISITING PREACHER AT METHODIST CHURCH SUNDAY NIGHT

Rev. Will C. House, District Superintendent of the Amarillo district will preach at the Local Methodist Church next Sunday night at 8:00 o'clock.

Among many other duties, Rev. House visits each pastoral charge in his district once each quarter and conducts a business conference with the pastors and representative members of the congregation. Sunday is the occasion of the first quarterly conference for this year. The conference will be held at Northwest Texas on Nov. 15. The local pastor extends a welcome to every one to hear Bro. House next Sunday night and remain for the conference session.

To Inaugurate Radio Series



Dr. Geo. W. Truett, pastor of First Baptist Church, Dallas, Tex. and past president of the Southern Baptist World Alliance, will inaugurate the third annual Baptist Hour series of radio sermons at 7:30 a. m. (8:30 a. m. Eastern time) on Sunday morning, January 3, over Station WFAA. He will speak on "Christ's Answer to World Needs."

The Baptist Hour for 1943, according to S. F. Lowe, chairman of the Radio Committee of the Southern Baptist Convention, will consist of thirteen sermons by outstanding Southern Baptist pastors and leaders. These will be delivered from January 3 through March 28 over an independent network of 35 stations in 16 southern states, or the general theme, "American Christians and World Crises." Stations KPRC, KWKH, WFAA, WHAS, and WSM will carry the entire series.

The series has become a popular religious radio feature, according to Dr. Lowe, who reports that the 1942 broadcasts from January through March elicited more than 50,000 letters.

In addition to Dr. Truett, January speakers include: January 10, Dr. R. C. Campbell, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Columbia, S. C.; January 17, Dr. E. D. Head, president of Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Fort Worth, Texas; January 24, Dr. O. T. Blunkley, Professor of Religion, Wake Forest College, Wake Forest, N. C.; January 31, Dr. Francis P. Gaines, president of Washington and Lee University, Lexington, Va.

The speakers for February will be: February 7, Dr. J. Clyde Turner, pastor of First Baptist Church, Greensboro, N. C.; February 14, Dr. Turner; February 21, Dr. Turner; February 28, Honorable Pat M. Neff, president of Southern Baptist Convention.

The speakers for March will be: March 7, Dr. R. G. Lee, pastor of Bellevue Baptist Church, Memphis, Tenn.; March 14, Dr. Lee; March 21, Dr. Lee; March 28, Dr. Ellis A. Fuller, president of Southern Baptist Kentucky.

EARL C. WAJDE PROMOTED TO CORPORAL

Fort Bliss, Texas—January 2, 1943. The promotion of Private Earl C. Wajde of Dimmitt, Texas to be a Corporal in the service here was announced today by the Public Relations Office. The promotion is effective at once, and comes in recognition of his meritorious application to duty.

Wilfred McCormick,
Capt. Cavalry,
Public Relations Offices

FOOD FOR FREEDOM

At a meeting of the Supervisors of the Castro Wind Erosion District last week all the resources of the District were pledged to help the farmers produce greater amounts of food and other war crops.

Recognizing that personnel and equipment in the District is limited the Supervisors adopted a plan designed to use the men and equipment to the greatest possible advantage. A tentative schedule of both farm planning and construction work is being set up and insofar as possible all work requested in a community will be done before moving to other communities. With the cooperation of the farmers in this matter it will greatly increase the amount of work that can be accomplished.

Mr. Orbin Nowell was snowbound at the time of the meeting and was unable to attend. When contacted, he said, "The most effective control of erosion can be had only when all farmers in a community protect their land." Sound land uses and cropping practices will not only give the greatest yields now in this emergency, but will protect the land from erosion and keep it productive in the years to come. It is hard for a farmer to protect his own land when his neighbor allows his land to blow or his water to run off.

The Supervisors, who are R. A. Axtell, Chairman; Orbin Nowell, Secretary; W. A. Springer, and E. J. Wilhelm, request that all farmers who desire assistance with their Conservation Programs contact them, their commissioner, or the Soil Conservation Office as soon as possible so that all work in your community may be planned ahead. They also ask that you discuss the work and your plans with your neighbors so that you may both benefit from the work.

METHODIST CHURCH

"I never attend church myself" said a gruff spoken man, "but my wife and kids do, and I wouldn't move them into a place where there wasn't a church. I believe in 'em and pay to 'em if I don't attend." That's true with most men. They "believe in 'em and wouldn't live in a place where there isn't one," but if it is worth that much to our Community, we should take an active interest in seeing that it is kept alive and growing. With the world crashing about us let us see to it that things of first importance shall not be because of our lack of interest and support. Give the Church the place it deserves in your life. Attend church somewhere Sunday.

You will always find a welcome at our church.

Sunday School 10 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Epworth League 7:15 p. m. W. S. C. S. Monday 3 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday 8 p. m. Rev. Will C. House will preach Sunday night.

Ural S. Sherrill, pastor

LIVESTOCK VETERINARIAN IN DIMMITT JANUARY 12th

D. T. O. Booth, chief Veterinarian of the Livestock Sanitary Commission will be in Dimmitt on Tuesday, January 12th at 2:00 p. m. at the court house to talk to farmers and cattlemen on livestock diseases of all types of farm animals. Dr. Booth has had wide experience and is considered the outstanding Veterinary authority in Texas according to M. U. May, county agent of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service.

Every farmer having livestock of any kind is urged to attend this meeting for information might be obtained that will enable livestock losses to be lowered.

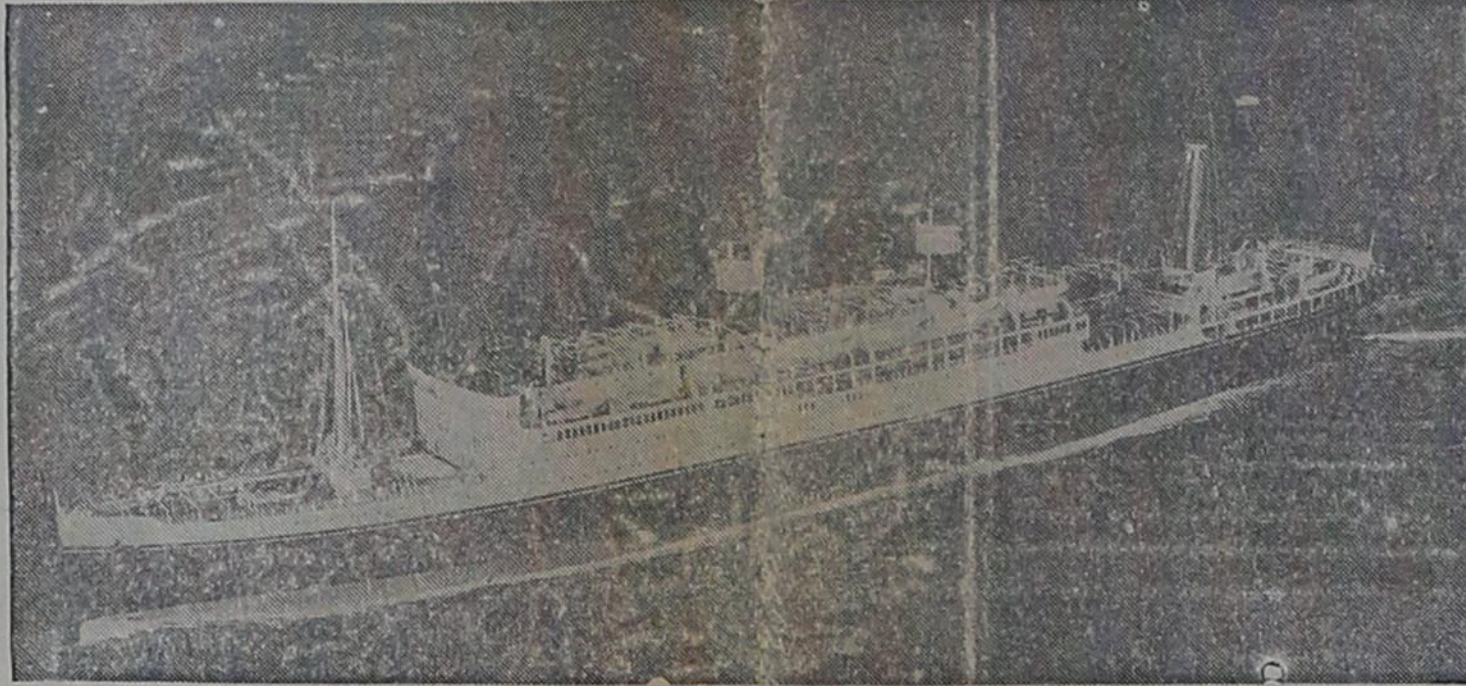
Any farmer having questions of any kind pertaining to sick livestock will have an opportunity to get the wise of Dr. Booth which will enable them to prevent lot of diseases before their animals take them.

This meeting is in line with the Food for Victory Program states county agent May for every animal saved will be that much more beef, pork, or lamb that will be available to help defeat the Axis.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Buckmaster were visitors in Rotan, N. M. last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Borden were Plainview visitors Saturday.

NAVY PERFORMED MIRACLE AS SHE SANK



WASHINGTON, D. C.—When the 21,936-ton President Coolidge (above) went down after striking a mine in the South Pacific, only four men of the estimated four thousand troops aboard the transport were lost, thanks to the efficient rescue operations of the Navy's accompanying craft. The liner was apparently enroute to American South Pacific bases with men and equipment when she hit the mine.

OFFICE OF PRICE ADMINISTRATION LISTS DATES

The Office of Price Administration today listed important rationing dates as follows:

Coffee: Jan. 3—Last day for using coupon No. 27 in war ration book 1 for purchase of coffee. Coupon No. 28 becomes valid Jan. 4. It will be good for one pound of coffee and valid until Feb. 8.

Sugar: Jan. 5—Last day on which institutional and industrial sugar users may register a ration board for January and February allotments.

Jan. 31—Coupon No. 10 in War

ration book 1 is good for three pounds of sugar through this date. Mileage, Gasoline and tires; Jan. 21 Last day for using No. 3 coupons in "A" books. No. 4 coupons become valid Jan. 22.

Jan. 31—Last day for temporary "T" coupons to be issued directly by ration board. Beginning Feb. 1 "T" rations will be issued on the basis of ODT certificates of war necessity. All motorists must have tire inspected by this date.

War ration book 1: Jan. 15—Last day for obtaining this book. Book No. 1 originally issued for sugar but now good also for coffee, will be used for coffee, will be used in obtaining subsequent books.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to take this means to thank the many friends we are leaving for the kindness and thoughtfulness shown toward us in the many years we have been able to live here.

We had to leave Castro county due to reasons of health and know that we will never in our lives find such true and loyal friends as we have had here.

Due to lack of time it was impossible for us to see all of our friends before leaving but the many kind notes shown to us for so long shall always be remembered and be an inspiration to our lives.

It has been the hardest task of our lives to leave our home and especially the finest friends people could possibly have and in leaving we are full of gratitude for the kind and thoughtful things done for us for so long.

Colin and Betty Walton

FIRST BAPTIST OF DIMMITT TEXAS

Sunday School at 10:15 A. M.; B. T. U. at 7 P. M.; Worship Services at 11:30 A. M. and 8 P. M. Midweek services at 7:30 P. M. Wednesdays.

The pastor began two series of sermon last Sunday. These will continue through the Church Loyalty Campaign which closes Mar. 7. The series for the morning services is grouped around the general subject "Back to Bethel" and has to do with church attendance and the blessings which have been experienced by those who attend, using Scripture examples. The series for the night services is based on the Ten Commandments; the second commandment will be the subject for Sunday night.

For midweek services, the pastor is leading in a study of the book of Revelation. These studies are being greatly enjoyed by those who come and enter into discussions. The book of Revelation has a peculiar appeal and comfort for Christians during this stressful time.

All who will, are urged to come to our services and enjoy these things with us. The work of the Lord in Dimmitt depends upon the faithful work of the people of our community. Are you in your place on the Lord's Day?

WALTON'S GIVEN SURPRISE FAREWELL PARTY

Friends of Colin and Betty Walton paid tribute to them on Saturday night with a surprise gift of a set of silverware and a new hat. The Walton family has been retiring in service to Castro County and will be missed by the absence of their fine work for the county.

Mr. Walton has been a member of the board of supervisors of the Soil Conservation District, member of the Tenant Purchase farm committee and has probably doctored more sick livestock than any man in the county without charge.

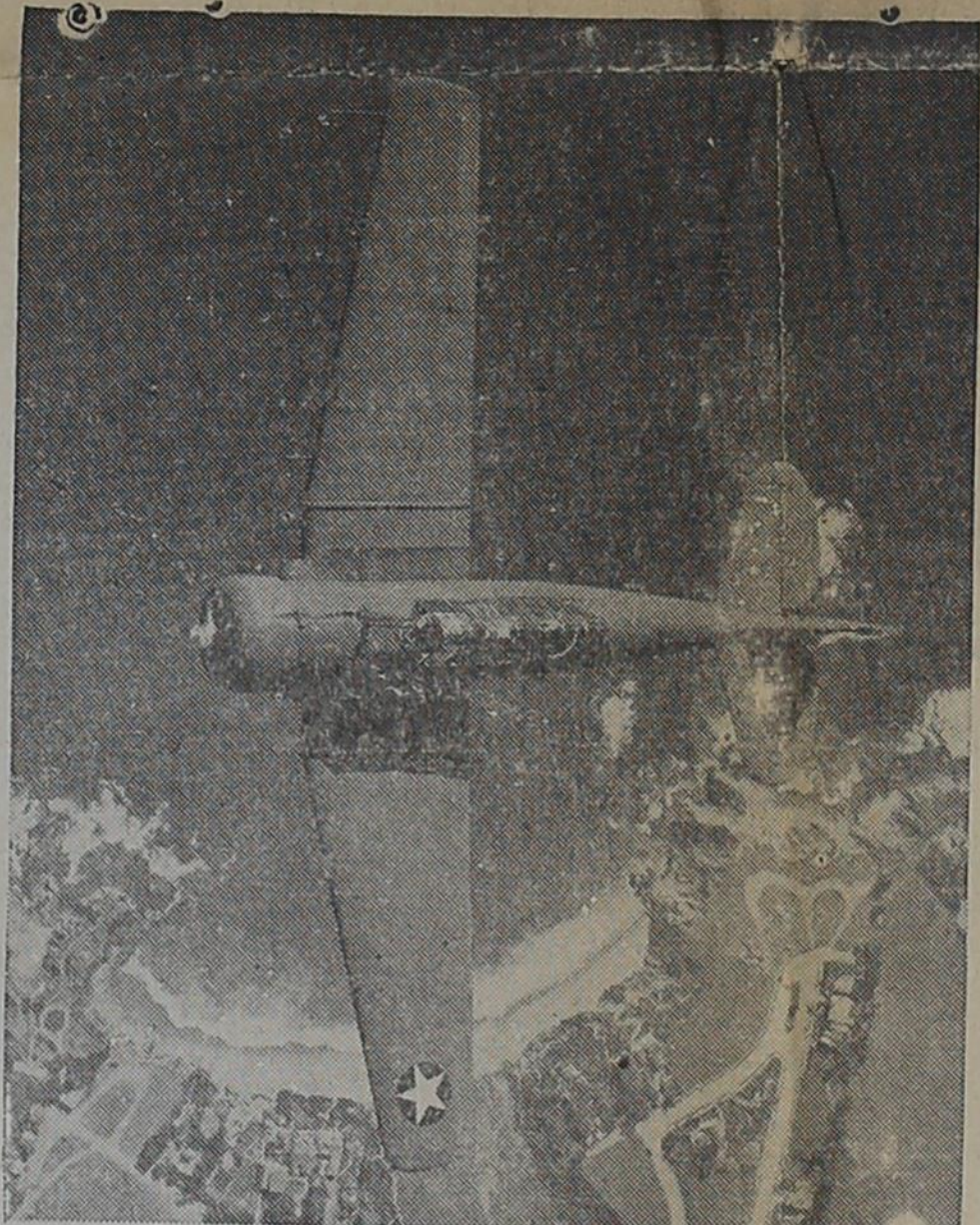
Singing was the entertainment and music was furnished by the Mayfield brothers. The gift was presented by Ross Summers.

Those present to pay tribute to the Waltons were: the following families; Ross Summers, Jack Summers, Melvin Summers, Elbert Summers, Mayfield family, Ascue Dadds, aban Galloways, Roy C. Luck Elmer Dixons, E. O. Dixons, Glen Hickmans, L. A. Hudsons, M. U. Mays, U. S. Sherrills, George Webbs, J. R. Gollehons, and Ted Cox.

Mrs. Lena Dee Thompson of Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thompson and son Johnny of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Austin and Lena Mae of Hart and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Pylant and daughters Wincy and Patsy of Lockney have been visiting this week at the Thompson Grocery with Lillamae Thompson and Fae Sweatt.

Junior Rothwell underwent a major operation at the local hospital Wednesday. Latest reports are that he is doing fine.

The Texan



Texas had a namesake in the air today after J. H. Kindelberger, president of North American Aviation, Inc., announced that the combat trainer made in Texas by his firm had been named in honor of the Lone Star State.

Previously the ship, which is being manufactured in the first war time aircraft plant to be constructed in the state, was known as the AT-6 to U. S. Army pilots, the SNJ to the Navy, an as the Harvard to British forces. It comes close to being the most universal plan manufactured in the United States since the pilots of 26 nations are training in it.

The Texan is powered by a Pratt and Whitney engine and is fully equipped with two-way radio, retractable landing gear, variable pitch propeller, bomb-racks and Machine guns.

In a telegram to Gov. Coke Stevenson, pointing out the reasons why the name Texan was chosen for the trainer, Mr. Kindelberger said that Texas ranks high in the number of Army flying fields, and in the number of officers and men it has sent into the Air Forces. He also pointed out that a high percentage of all fliers received part of their advanced training in the Texan.

In a recent discussion of planes, an Army Air Force pilot compared the Texan to a good cow pony. "Just give it its head," he said "and it will take you home. It's tough, dependable and fast. It's nothing but right that such a ship should be built in Texas by Texans. Recently employees of the Dallas plants of North American Aviation were awarded the Army-Navy "E" for excellence in production.

Year's Summary Of Home Demonstration News

try-treasurer was present at all except two meetings. A total of 26 training or committee meetings were held with a total of 114 attending. Three other meetings of an educational nature were held with total attendance of 53; 2 recreational meetings were held with a total attendance of 70.

The outstanding accomplishments of each council committee were:

- I. Finance — Mrs. Frank Sheppard Northedge Club, Chairman.
 - A "42" party was held in January.
 - A Saturday's Market was held in June.
 - A Refreshment stand was held at the County Fair in October.
 - In order to save travel, some financial ventures planned were not carried out, and clubs contributed funds to council.

II. Yearbook—Mrs. Noel Gollehon, Midway Club, Chairman.

- In March and April the committee began formulating suggestions for programs along major phases possible.
- In September a survey was planned to determine the most popular phases of work and programs for 1943.
- In October, the committee tabulated results on the survey and in October and November plans for the yearbooks were completed.

III. Education—Mrs. Barber Eubanks, Midway, Chairman.

- Castro County was 100 per cent on the educational fund contribution.
- The committee assisted in preparing a radio program on "Whole Grain Products"; this program was presented over KFYO in January of 1942.
- The committee helped plan Home Repair Clinic held in May.
- Five women attended the district Texas Home Demonstration Association meeting in Lubbock.
- Three women attended the state Texas Home Demonstration Association convention in Fort Worth. Mrs. Noel Gollehon read the script for District 2's part in the resume pageant of Home Dem. work in Texas which was presented at the convention.

IV. Expansion—Mrs. Leon Winders, Flag, Chairman.

- Hart Club held "Open House" in July and enrolled 5 new members.
- Increase in membership in the other 4 clubs during the year was 5.

V. Exhibit—Mrs. Emil Huseman, Nazareth, Chairman.

- These window exhibits were arranged during the year: Victory Gardens, Sweetening Without Sugar, Grade Labels, Canning Equipment.
- An exhibit was arranged in the H. D. Agent's on "Drying Foods".
- Castro County Fair exhibits carried out several of the phases of the Victory Demonstration. They were: Produce More Food, Get Your Money's Worth from the Food You Buy, Buy War Stamps and Bonds, Home Recreation, Save Waste Fats.

GENERAL SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES

A general summary of the work of the H. D. Agent in 1942 shows that 223 home visits were made to 105 different homes. Approximately 607 office calls and 43 telephone calls were received; 60 news stories were published; 1425 bulletins were distributed; and 3 radio scripts were broadcast or prepared for broadcasting. 39 training meetings were held with a total attendance of 284. 101 method demonstrations were held for adults with an attendance of 1916; 33 method demonstrations were held for 4-H club girls with a total attendance of 654. 8 meetings were held at result with an attendance of 79. 10 achievement events were held for adults with an attendance of 48. 50 other meetings not already mentioned were participated in by the H. D. Agent.

4-H CLUB ACTIVITIES

Attention was centered on gardens and fruit in the 4-H Club Home Food Supply program in 1942. 95 girls had garden and fruit projects; most of the fruit projects were strawberries or tomatoes, or both. 95 girls earned a total of 10,925 qt. food. Families of approximately 50 4-H Club girls have improved storage space for the food canned by the girls.

Castro County 4-H Club girls worked on Bedroom Improvement in 1942 for the first time in several years. 95 bedrooms were reported improved, involving a total of 475 articles furniture added or refinished, curtains added, rugs added on wall papered or painted.

In 1943 4-H Club girls will carry Garden and Clothing projects with some work continued on bedrooms.

CO. HOME DEM. COUNCIL

Nine regular meetings of the Co. Home Dem. Council were held in 1942 with an average attendance of 9 women, representing on the average 4 of the 5 clubs in the county. The chairman was present at every meeting and the secre-

125 Home Dem. Club women and 125 4-H Club girls of Castro County were on the forward march toward Victory during 1942, says Ava A. Grindstaff, Co. Home Dem. Agent of the Texas A & M College Extension Service. These women and girls are war workers on the home front, and 1942 saw them contributing to the war effort by home production and preservation of food, by planning and preparing nourishing meals to build a strong healthy people, by caring for and repairing home equipment, by helping relieve the farm labor shortage, by helping their families and neighbors to be cheerful, and by taking part in such war activities as buying war bonds, and collecting scrap rubber and metal. All of these contributions are embodied in the Victory Demonstration's Pledge, which has been signed by 142 Home Dem. Club members and 4-H Club girls of Castro County.

HOME FOOD SUPPLY DEMONSTRATION

The Home Food Supply program in Castro County in 1942 placed major emphasis on production, preservation, and preparation of fruit and vegetables.

In the year just passed the average Home Dem. Club member in Castro County produced 13 varieties of vegetables, an increase of 3 varieties over 1941; set 111 straw berry plants, 6 hills rhubarb, 15 grape vines, and 9 fruit trees; raised 218 chickens; canned 170 qt. vegetables, 63 qt. fruit, 15 qt. meat; krauted and brined 23 qt. food, stored 200 lbs. meat in the freezer locker and stored 3 1/2 bu. vegetables in mounds or sand. According to average reports, 63 women have made fall gardens, 23 of whom do not usually do so. 21, 250 qt. vegetables, 7,875 qt. fruit, and 1,875 qt. meat have been canned by Home Dem. Club members, and 3,500 qt. food have been canned by club women in 1942. 32 women improved storage space for food; 60 families improved poultry houses, brooders, or poultry equipment. 70 Home Dem. Club members reported that the diets for their families meet the Texas Food Standard requirements.

The Home Food Supply program for the New Year will be a general one, emphasizing home production and preservation and preparation of foods needed for maximum health.

LANDSCAPE IMPROVEMENT DEMONSTRATION

A landscape improvement demonstration was carried in Castro County in 1942 for the first time.

Two families, J. B. Brannon and Barber Eubanks, received experimental windbreak and ornamental plantings from the Woodward Experiment Station in Woodward, Okla. Twelve families received a total of 900 trees for windbreak planting from the Shelterbelt Nursery at Childress.

Seventy-five yards were improved in some way. Reports show that a total of 1397 windbreak trees were planted by 19 people; 271 ornamental trees and shrubs were set by 22 people; 169 roses were set by 28 people. Nine people reported building or repairing walks or drives. 15 people have partially or entirely sodded yards this year, and outdoor living room furniture has been added by our families.

Although clubs will not place emphasis on Landscape Improvement as one of their major phases of work this year, landscape demonstrations already started will be continued. Clothing demonstrations will take the place of landscape in the club programs.

BOOK CLUB TO MEET WEDNESDAY

The Book Club will meet Wednesday, Jan. 13th at 3:30 P. M.

Mrs. Barber Eubanks will give the review.

The club plans to extend an invitation to the women of each Castro County community during the year. The women of Bethel and Midway communities are invited to share the review with us.

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Dorothy Wrenn Simmons returned to Canyon College.

HAVE FAMILY REUNION CHRISTMAS

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Duran had a grand Christmas, they had a family reunion, all the children were home. PFC Kester C. Duran of Rooker Alabama, Pauline Duran who is teaching at Corona, N. M. Letha Lee Duran of Lawton, Oklahoma, she has been working at Fort Sill for the last two years, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Ritchey and little daughter Elizabeth, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Burch, Crystal and little grandson Claude Ellis.

Our Father in Heaven we pause to thank Thee for the joy of being together as a family.

Since Kester and Letha Lee had to take the bus along with C. W. th family went to Tulia and had Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Ritchey Sr. which was enjoyed so much. And such a Turkey dinner an all the Fixings.

Kester as just 12 hours ahead of all the washouts, such as they have down there.

Mesdames H. C. Baird, Ullman Hunter and Miss Mar Ann Baird spent Tuesday with Mrs. R. B. McHorse of Muleshoe.



JUMBO

Miss Mary Ann Baird returned Sunday to Vernon to teach after spending the holidays at home.

Members of the Women's Auxiliary entertained their husbands with a dinner party Friday evening in the home of Mrs. H. C. Baird. Enjoying the affair were messrs. H. C. Baird, Clem Gilliam, Sam and Ullman Hunter and Miss Mary Ann Baird.

Mrs. Clyde Renfro and O. C. are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Blankinship of Siloam Springs, Arkansas.

Members of the House of W. A. Hunter enjoyed a New Years dinner in Hereford Sunday. Present were the families of Kenneth, Sam Finis, Addison and Ullman Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Simpson and children, R. L. Nunn of Hereford, a brother of Mrs. W. A. Hunter.

WANT ADS

WANTED—Reliable lady or girl to do housework.—Mrs. Brashears Hotel.

Dr. R.F. McCasland
DENTIST
Heard and Jones Building
TULIA, TEXAS

FLAGG RED CROSS
The Flagg Red Cross met Tuesday, work was done on the blue shirts, one quilt was finished. Several visitors from Bethel were present: Mrs. E. R. Rothwell, Mrs. Jim Bagwell, Mrs. Vern Lust and the Flagg members. Every one is invited to come each Tuesday after noon.

Pvt. Carl Burnam of Sheppard Field, Texas, Mrs. Homer Norwood of Santa Rosa, N. M. and Mrs. T. D. Gunnells of Tucuman, N. M. are visiting in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burnam Sr. Mr. Burnam has been sick for some time but is some better now.

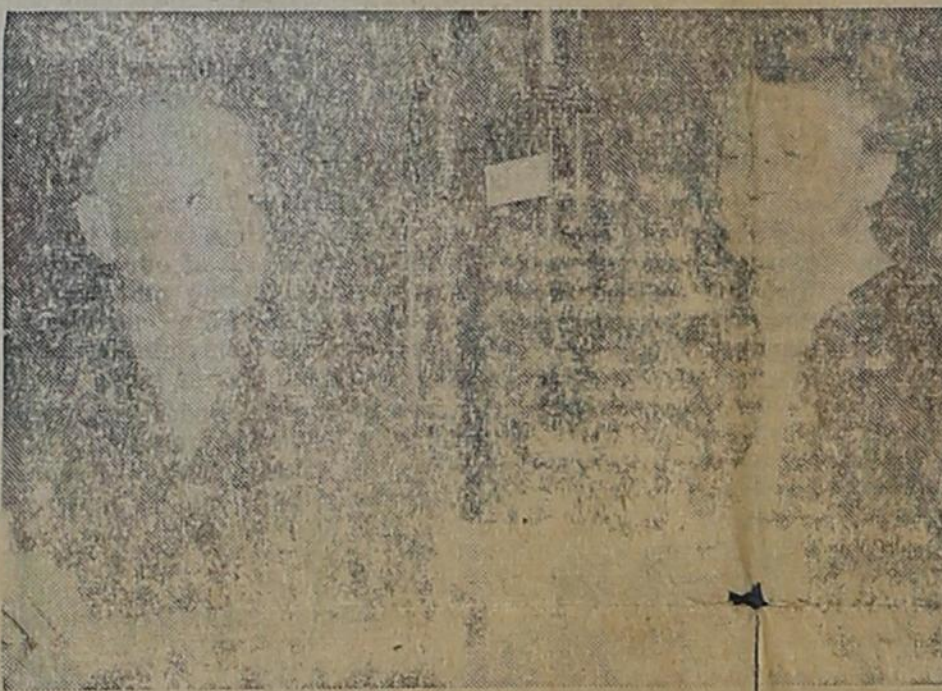
Sgt. Rodney M. Gassett who is stationed at Douglas, Ariz. arrived Monday for a visit with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Gossett.

FOR SALE—150 acre farm 11 miles southwest of Dimmitt. 150 in cultivation, small 3 room house, good out buildings and good water. 50 acres in wheat, looks good. If interested write, M. L. Hubbard, Mena, Ark. 4c

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FIRST LADY AND QUARTERMASTER GENERAL SHARE HONORS ON BROADCAST



WASHINGTON, D. C. — Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt gave a report to the M. I. on her visit to the 10th Army in a coast-to-coast broadcast, as she did in London as food in the War. Before she said in referring to a lady in England "If you bring some friend a gift from this country, say a box of hard candy or of chocolates, they thank you as they might have thanked you in the past for a diamond bracelet." On the same program Major-General Edmund B. Gregory, Quartermaster General of the United States Army, said in part, "Army nurses always find that the American soldier is a better fighting man when candy is a part of his diet."

Castro County's Service Men

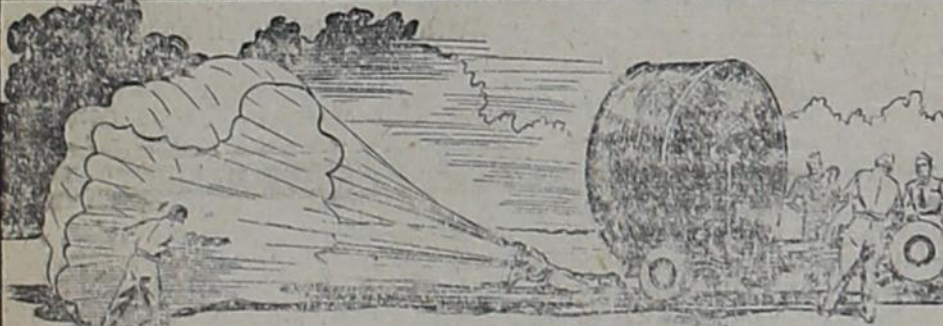
- ACKER, Robert—Hollywood, Fla.
- ACKER, Pvt. Heman—New Orleans, La.
- ANDREW, Pvt. Cyrus—Camp Barkley, Texas
- ANDERSON, Corp. J. D. Charles town, Mass. Gen. Lel.
- AYERS, Pvt. Bjell O.—Gadsden, Alabama.
- ARMSTRONG, Pvt. Clarence W.—Enid, Okla.
- BAIRD, Hubert care Postmaster, Seattle, Washington.
- BEAVERS, P.F.C. Clifford—Comp Edwards, Mass.
- BUSSEY, Pvt. A. F.—Kearns, Utah
- BICE, Sgt. Tom— Ft. Hamilton New York
- BURNAM, Pvt. Carl A.—Sheppard Field, Texas
- BELLINGHAUSEN, Pvt. William H.—Camp San Luis Obispo, Calif.
- BIRDWELL, Norvelle Hawkins—Great Lakes, Ill.
- BINZEGGER, Pvt. James—San Diego, Calif.
- BLANTON, M R W T c-o Postmaster, San Francisco, Calif.
- BOWDEN, Pvt. L. B. Chicago, Ill.
- BRADDOCK, Pvt. Charles—Burbank, Calif.
- BROCKMAN, PFC Ernest G.c-o Postmaster, New Orleans, La.
- BROCKMAN, Pvt. Louis H.—San Luis Obispo, Calif.
- BROCKMAN, Victor A.—Orlando, Florida.
- BROWN, Pvt. Harry E.—c-o Postmaster San Francisco, Calif.
- JONES, Pvt. Martin—c-o Postmaster, Seattle, Washington
- BORDEN, Blanton B.—Great Lakes, Ill.
- BOOTHE, N. T.—c-o P. M. San Francisco, Calif.
- CARNES, Pvt. A. F.—Fort Bliss, Teyas
- CHANDLER, Pvt. Aaron—Fort Clarke, Texas
- CONNER, Quannah—Portsmouth, Virginia
- COOPER, Sgt. Earl F.—c-o Postmaster, Seattle, Wash.
- COX, A. S. James Walter—San Diego, Calif.
- CRUSE, Pvt. Royal G.—Lubbock, Texas
- CURTIS, Corp. Jack, —Lubbock, Texas
- CRUSE, PFC Charles H. San Antonio, Texas
- DAVIS, S-Lt. John G.—Stockton, Texas
- DEMPSEY, Corp. Leonard I.—c-o Postmaster, San Francisco, Calif.
- DIETZ, Richard—Seattle, Wash.
- DODD, Cpl. Harley H.—Camp McCoy, Wis.
- DURAN, Pvt. Kester C.—Camp Rucker, Ala.
- EASTER, Sgt. John F.—Waco, Texas.
- EHLI, Pvt. Geo.—Lubbock Tex.
- ESTES, Bob.—Stamford, Texas
- EBELING, Jack D.—San Francisco, Calif.
- EWING, Pvt. A. N. Camp Carson, Colo.
- ESTES, Leint. Greer—Camp Blanding, Florida
- FLIPPIN, John W.—Camp Bowie, Texas
- FERGUSON, Roy B.—Camp Tyson Calif.
- FLIPPIN, Wilburn V.—Address unknown
- GATEWOOD, Sgt. L. C.—New River, N. C.
- GEORGE, Charlie Joe,—Great Lakes, Ill.
- GLENN, O. R.— San Francisco, Calif.
- GUGGEMOS, Vincent—Lubbock, Texas
- GLENN, Pvt. John G.—Waco, Tex
- GOOWIN, Pvt. John—Lubbock, Tex
- GEORGE, Charlie Joe—Seattle, Washington
- HABERER, Pvt. Jerrell L.—Lubbock, Texas
- HARDIN, Pvt. William A.—Lubbock, Texas
- HACKLEMAN, Corp. Rondie,—Lubbock, Texas
- HICKMAN, Corp. Kelton J.—Fort Dix, New Jersey
- HOLLAND, Garnett F.—Fort Sumner, N. M.
- HOWELL, Charles G.— Pearl Oarbor, T. H.
- HUCKABAY, PFC Robert C.—c-o Postmaster, New Orleans, La.
- HUGHES, Pvt. John C.—Fort Bliss, Texas
- Fort Ord, Calif.
- HYATT, O. G.— Sacramento, Calif
- HUSEMAN, Pvt. Vincent,—Camp Young, Calif.
- HYLAND, Bert,— Address Unknown
- HYLAND, Gervase,—Address Unknown
- HUCKERT, Pvt. Mike—Ft Warren, Wyo.
- HYATT, PFC Leonard—Dyersburg, Tenn.
- HUCKERT, Louie N.—Tulore, Calif.
- HOCHSTEIN, Pvt. Eugene L.—Sheppard Field, Texas
- Lakes, Ill.
- HABERER, PFC Roger E.—Lubbock, Texas
- JAMES Glenn,—Sacramento, Calif
- JONES, Corp. Lyman A.—Ptndleton, Oregon
- JOHNSON, Wilbert T.— Pearl Harbor, T. H., Hawaii
- JONES, Pvt. Martin—c-o Postmaster, Seattle, Washington
- JORDAN, Pvt. Wesley T. Seattle, Wash.
- JOHNSON, Cadet Clay—St Marys College, Calif.
- KELLEY, M. A.—Lallos, Texas
- KING, Pvt. Billie J.—Las Vegas, New Mexico
- KNOX, Ted,— Pearl Harbor, Hawaii
- KITTRELL, Pvt. Wilford,—Fort Bliss, Texas
- KITTRELL, Weldon B.—March Field, Calif.
- LEINEN, Sgt. Robert A.—Camp White, Ore.
- LANE, Pvt. Mathew Jr.—Lubbock Texas
- LAYMAN, Clifford E.—Jacksonville, Florida
- LEINEN, Pvt. George C.—Camp White, Ore.
- LITSCHE, Pvt. Rudolph, Seattle, Wash.
- LOONEY, Pvt. Harry E.—Enid, Okla.
- LOUDDER, Pvt. Leslie— San Francisco, Calif.
- MOBLEY, Sgt. Odis R.—c-o P. M. New York, N. Y.
- MCGINNIS, Charles E.—Las Vegas Nev.
- MOORE, Pvt. Joe B.—Randolph Field, Texas
- MONTGOMERY, Willard C.—Lubbock, Texas
- MOBLEY, Troy.— San Diego, Cal.
- MURPHY, Vance H.—Camp Wallace, Texas
- MERRITT, Pvt. John—Oklahoma City, Okla.
- MERRITT, Pvt. Claude —Camp Barkley, Texas
- MATHEWS, Lawrent C.—San Diego, Calif.
- MORRIS, Pvt. Willard G.—Camp Davis, N. C.
- MEACHUM, Sgt. W. A.—Pendleton, Oregon.
- NEWTON, Pvt. Thelbert R.—Lubbock, Texas
- OTT, Pvt. Billy,—Camp Gruber, Tex
- PAYTON, Pvt. Artie L.—Philadelphia, Penn.
- POHLLMEIER, Pvt. Edwin —Wichito Falls, Texas
- POWELL, Sgt. Jas. W.—Fort Bliss, Texas
- POHLLMEIER, Pvt. Edwin—Fort Ben Harrison, Ind.
- POWELL, Aux Orpha M.—Fort Des Moines, Iowa
- PIERCE, PFC Orval F.—Waco Texas
- PHOLMEIER, Pvt. Paul—San Antonio, Texas
- PATTERSON, E. E.— Pearl Harbor, T. H. Okla.
- RANKIN, Ch. Melvin A.— c-o P. M. N. Y., N. Y.
- REDWINE, James D. San Francisco, Calif.
- RIPPY, Pvt. R. L.—Ogden, Utah
- RIPPY, a-c A. A.—Lafayette, La.
- RIPPY, Lt. J. S.—Greenville, S. C.
- RIPPY, Pvt. E. T.—Sheppard Field, Texas
- ROPER, Pvt. Samuel H.—Inglewood, Calif.
- RAWLINGS, J. C.—New Orleans La.
- RAY, Pvt. Troy C.—Lubbock, Tex.
- RICE, L. J.—Lubbock, Texas
- ROTHWELL, Billy Joe —Great Lakes, Ill.
- SANDERS, PFC Charley F.—San Luis Obispo, Calif.
- SCARBROUGH, Pvt. U. Dale—c-o P. M. N. Y., N. Y.
- SUMMERS, Trellis C. Memphis, Tenn.
- STEJERT, Pvt. Louis J. Lubbock, Texas
- STEWART, Joe Erwin—San Diego Calif.
- STATION, Pvt. Harvey D.—Camp Beale, Calif.
- SCHULTE, Pvt. Waltr F.— Camp Barkley, Texas
- SCHACHER, Pvt. Arnold A.—Freeport, Texas
- SCARBROUGH, Pvt. Wilbur H.—Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.
- SHORT, Sgt. Geo. Fort Bliss, Tex.
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- SCHMUSCHER, Pvt. Arnold A.—Sioux Falls, S. Dak.
- SHANNON, Pvt. L. F.—Camp White, Ore.
- SINCLAIRE, Pvt. Billie B.—Lubbock, Texas
- SHARBUTT, Lowell,— Norfolk, Virginia.
- SHEFFY, Ted K.—c-o Fleet P. M. San Francisco, Calif.
- SHEFFY, Bob W.—c-o Fleet P. M. San Francisco, Calif.
- SIMMONS, Sgt. George—(Somewhere in the Philippines)
- SIMMONS, W. O.—c-o P. M. Seattle, Wash.
- SIMPSON, Mid. M. L.—N. Y. N. Y.
- STAYTON, Pvt. Chas. D.—Camp Walters, Texas.
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- Sheffy, Raymond Everett Jr.—San Diego, Calif.
- SINGER, Elton B.—Lubbock, Tex.
- TATE, Staff Sgt. C. F.—Mathers Fied, Calif.
- THOMAS, Pvt. Loran—Ft. Meade, Maryland
- UMBERSON, Sgt. Dee A.—Watertown, South Dakota.
- WALKER, Raymond—Curtis Bay, Md.
- WEBB, Elct. K. M.—Farragut, Idaho
- WAGGONER, Tech Sgt. Leo R.—March Field, Calif.
- WAGGONER, Jay Paul—San Ditgo, Calif.
- WEBB, Lieut. Millard A.—Roswell New Mexico
- WILLIAMS, T-Sgt. O. V.—Walla Walla, Wash.
- WILHELM, A. P. Donald L.—San Diego Calif.
- WESSON, A. S. Robert Preston—Balboa, Canal Zone

BULL SELLS FOR \$14,100



BRANTFORD, ONTARIO, CANADA—Photo shows a scene at the dispersal of the Trailynd herd owned by G. M. Clemons of Brantford, where the yearling Holstein bull, Montvic Renown, was sold for \$14,100 to a Chicago company. Renown's great-grandfather, Johanna Rag Apple Pabst, topped this price in 1926 when he sold for \$15,000. Mr. Clemons, the proud owner and Secretary of the Holstein-Friesian Association of Canada is shown right, and representing the buyer is M. Cation, second from right.

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Castro County News

SOVIETS SHOVE BACK NAZIS IN DON AREA



RUSSIA—Red infantry fighters attack Nazis in the Don arch, west of Stalingrad. Latest reports say that the Soviets are developing their gains in the Surovikino area, 90 miles west of Stalingrad after punishing tank battles. Although many Nazi troop and transport planes still manage to penetrate the area, the number is being lessened.

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PATRIOTISM

Does Patriotism mean to you
The things that it should mean?
Or in your mind is it not quite
clear
That it isn't an ordinary thing.

Does the flag that flies in the air
Make you feel as never before?
Is that banner that waves everywhere
Is it something you really adore?

Does the Patriotic songs you sing
Ring in your heart loud and clear?
If the answer is yes to these ques-
tions
Its Patriotism, Have no fear.

This poem was written by Hazel
McMahon in English IV.

SCIENCE NEWS

The Science class of the High School are experimenting with white rats. They are feeding part of them the diet that is served to the students in the lunch room, and milk. Then they are feeding the others just part of the diet, which is very poor. The litters of the rats that are fed just part of the lunch room diet have already died. Those of the rats that are fed the lunch room diet plus milk are living and are now getting white. These that they have now were born December 24, 1942

DO YOU WANT A BABY?

New Vitamin Combination Brings Hope to Childless Homes

Nothing equals a baby to bring complete unity and happiness into the home and the husband and wife together in a stronger bond of enduring love and mutual interest. Divorce is rare in the homes of couples that have children.



Unhappy wives, childless due to relievable functional weakness may now enjoy the desires and activity of Nature's most wonderful creation—a normal, fully-developed, vigorous woman. A sensational new vitamin treatment specifically for women may be just the thing needed by the childless wife and quickly bring the happiness of a baby in the home. It is, of course, absolutely harmless.

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HAVE YOU EVER BEEN IN LOVE? HOW DID YOU FEEL?

Harriet Huckabay: Yes, its an itchy feeling around the heart you can't scratch.

Juanita: Love? What's that? I just heard it was a feeling you feel when you feel you're going to have a feeling that you never felt before.

Sis Ferguson: How should I know it takes two to be in love and men are rationed, now.

G. D.: It's the grandest feeling on earth. It ruins your appetite and keeps you awake at night.

Marvin: I was two years old when I was in love (in my prime) and I've forgotten how it feels.

Miss Rudkins: That's what I've been trying to decide for the last five years.

Allorah: Just ask Hazel and Raymond, they should know.

Howard: I was in love once. I was so much in love that when I saw her I didn't know whether it was night or day, (but that was in the days of long ago.)

Virginia: If you're in love it makes your feet burn, it cuts your breath off, makes your back itch. (At least that is what Allorah told me.)

Rayford: Love, I'm all washed up with that stuff.

Glenn Godfrey: Yes, I felt very good.

Wana: I don't know just yet.

Raymond: Yes, it seems that when I'm away I can't wait till I get back (speaking of my little brother).

John Curtis: No, but I hear it is catting.

Bill Birdwell: Yes, about two or three times, but always felt different every time. It makes a slow burnings ensation in your toes.

Jo Wesson and Jo Ella Broadstreet: They say it makes you act goofy. I suppose we've always been in love.

Kenneth Jackson: Huh, me in love what's that stuff?

Chubby: That's kid stuff. Don't be in love.

Ruby Morris: Yes, it may have been infatuation, but it sure felt wonderful!

Ollene Shepard: Well do I have to say? Or should I say, did you have toak?

C. B. I.

Marvin and Dorothy Mobley seemed to be enjoying the party at Barbara's last Friday night... and they weren't the only ones... either, it seems! The couples at the party were: "Hot" and Norma H., Marvin C. and Dorothy Mobley, Bill Parker and Corene, Max Gilberth and Bobby Jean, Willard and Louise, Glenn W. and Lucille, and C. C. and Wana.

What's the matter, Lucille, is Glenn losing interest? At the party last Friday, he seemed to have turned to a cute blond.

Gene and Mary Nell were at the movie last Thursday night. New Years Eve kept quite a few Dimmitt students up judging from the red eyes and black circles the next day.

Melba Cone, Harold Dameron, Bobby R. Birdwell and Charlie were together last Saturday night. Harold Stephens was seen with Jo Ella Broadstreet Thursday and Saturday nights. Last night, the fourth, she received a phone call from Harold Clark.

The snooper didn't do so good this week as you can see. Gas and tire rationing seems to have slowed things down a bit.



"AH LOVE"

My isn't love a wonderful thing? You see beautiful girl and your heart goes "bing".

Waddling along, you ask when she ate,

If she says "no", you ask her for a date.

Theol pocket book is very lean You ask your dad for a loan,

He says you have been very mean, But he gives you a buck and you work your fingers to the bone.

Ah, tonight is the night of nights! You dress up and avoid all fights.

There you meet her between 18th and 19th on Chestnut street.

In these ow you cuddle up close. My, isn't she sweet!

On the way home you buy her a rose,

At her doorstep she gives you a kiss,

To your self you say, "I'll not be happy till I Mrs. that Miss."

Continuing on home you are walking on air,

While little dandruff dances in your hair.

By Marvin Sherrill

EXCHANGE COLUMN

"After he kissed you three times—then what?"

"Well—then he started to get sentimental."

Before the bar of justice one wife brought charges of desertion and nonsupport, Mose Brown meekly admitted his guilt and offered nothing in ter tenulation except that the lady talked too much.

That's no excuse for desertion, Mose," the court said. "Don't you know that the constitution guarantees every woman the right to talk ill shew ants to."

"Yassuh, Jedge. I knows it do. Only Lucy she never stop talkin'.

She keep it up stiddy, mo'nin', noon and night, day in, day out, till it git so I jest can't stan' it no more, Jedge."

His mournful earnestness impressed to court. "She does? What oes she talk about?"

Mose wagged his head sorrowfully.

"Jedge, suh," he said, "She don't say."

Chided because he took little exercise, George Burns said: "But I get plenty of exercise. Every week I go to the horror movies and let my flesh creep."

I kissed my first girl and smoked my first cigarette the same day. I haven't had time for tobacco since.

Two versions of English King's English: I am impressed by your words.

Slang: You chatter racks me. Women are like elephants. I like to look at 'em but I'd hate to own one. (Will Rogers)

"Do you suggest he is a thief?" asked a council. "I couldn't say he's a thief, suh, said the witness. "But if I was a chicken, I'd sure roost high."

REPORTERS

There are all kinds of reporters. There are those who put fourth every effort to get a story in first. These reporters are best reporters and are generally recognized by their superiors.

There are the reporters who do not care if the story is in on time or if it is accurate. They take their easy time about their work. They stay around the office all time, hoping a story will come to them.

There is another type of reporter who has to be driven by his work but we, there porters of our school paper, are trying to be the successful type. This can be done by keeping wide awake and watching for stories, that would interest the public. By getting our stories in on time and doing our best, we wish to make our paper one of the best.

It's common sense to be thrifty. If you save to be thrifty. War Bonds help you to save and help to save America. Buy your ten per cent every pay day.

CAN YOU IMAGINE

Mary Evelyn getting a letter from her grade school boy friend.

Miss Morris suggesting the question of the week.

Joe Ella never being in love.

Faye Armstrong getting a sweet-heart bracelet from Louisiana.

Hazel writing a poem on patriotism.

Alvin Frazier fixing a typewriter.

Harriet Huckabay going with Gene Watson once more.

Miss Merritt flirting with the boys when she was going to school.

Joe Wagley going with a Plainview girl during the holidays.

Wilma Cruise staying out 'til four on a Saturday night.

Charles Warnock drinking—water Marilyn and Joline wearing paper hats in Home Ec.

Patsy Lou reducing Billie Jean holding hands in the study hall with Bill Graham.

The Flagg and Sunnyside Buses getting to school before 10:15 or the Jumbo Bus getting to school.

Juanita having a diamond-and saying her Aunt gave it to her.

Billie Simpson having a sophomore's diamond ring.

Jack Smith giving Barbara Hunter a diamond.

J. A. Bagwell learning how to milk cows from the Life Magazine.

G. D., Raymond, Kenneth and Bob Beck opening people's front doors New Years Eve.

Betty Hastings staying out until 2:30 on Dec. 31.

Hazel, Jo Ella, Martha Jo, and Mary Evelyn being sleepy Friday morning—could it be the effect from the night before.

Callie being with Bill Graham Thursday evening.

LIONS CLUB ENTERTAINED
Tuesday, some of the Dimmitt High School girls entertained the Lions Club with several vocal numbers.

The girls, Mry Nell Earnest, Mary Alice Sherrill, Callie Hicks, Harriet Huckabay, Sue's heffy, and Juanita Singer sang "God Bless America," and "Last Night I Said A Prayer." They were accompanied at the piano by Juanita.

The numbers were enjoyed very much by all the Lions present, and extended the girls a standing invitation to come again soon.

HEALTH NOTES

Emphasizing the urgent need for parental supervision of all phases of child health, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer said today, "Much of the impaired eye-

sight of advanced years could be prevented if sufficient interest in early life were applied and a temporary correction by means of glasses made when required."

Parents, Dr Cox asserted, should be watchful for conditions in the child such as frowning, squinting, persistent headache, eyeache, and watery eyes. If the youngster reads too closely or too far away from the face, that situation may also be significant of trouble.

"No child fancies wearing glasses, nevertheless, it is the obligation of those responsible for the future of young folks to have their eyes examined by a reputable specialist if any doubt arises that normal vision does not exist. It is much better for a child to wear glasses for a few years during early school life than to have permanent defective vision in later life," he declared.

According to the State Health Officer, any acute condition of a child's eye calls for immediate treatment either by the family

KNOW OUR SENIORS TO SUE

There's a girl in Dimmitt High. Sometimes she's a wee bit shy; Golden blonde is the color of her hair.

And her complexion is very fair. A member of the senior class is she.

And very popular, too, you see; A member of a gang of six. With other's she likes to mix.

Drinking sodas at the drug. She really likes to cut a rug; Full of pep and energy.

Is this girl, Sue Sheffy. All her friends like Sue.

'Cause she's got something really new; A personality sublime she has.

And we know that it will last.

GAME WITH THE EYES

Th Bobcats beat the Eyes by a narrow margin of one point. This was a hard fought battle from beginning to end, but the Bobcats came out victorious. The score of this game was 27-26. John Curtis was again high point man.

Boys playing in this game for Dimmitt were: John Curtis, Bill Birdwell, Tom Mayfield, Thomas Earl Harris on, Eugene Watson, Leo Ashcraft, and Louis Wilkerson.

The boys playing with the eyes were, Harold Stephens, C. J. Johnson, Dan Boothe, Dent Bradley, Arlie Mayfield, and Bob Beck.

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SIX NATIONAL CHAMPIONS



CHICAGO, ILL.—Six national champions in 4-H food preparation for Victory saw how they cook in the army during a visit to the Quartermaster Depot here while at the recent 21st National 4-H Club Congress. From left, Ada Carter, Tintah, Minn.; Margie Lee Duck, Liberty, Miss.; Pauline A. Johnson, Ascunetey, Vt.; Eileen Reiquam, Collins, Mont.; Phyllis J. Combs, Frankfort, Ind., and Ludell Anderson, Crossroads, New Mex. The winners told Col. Isker, center, they averaged 18 years in age and 7 1/2 years in club work, and had prepared 33,000 dishes, made 6,700 bakings, canned 3,500 pints and prepared and served 11,700 meals. Five also were junior leaders. Each received a \$100 college scholarship from the Servel Home Economics Department, which also gave them and 31 other state champions their trips to Chicago.

Information about instructor positions may be obtained immediately from Lieut. Thomas A. Otto Army Air Field, Amarillo, Texas

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

To wish you a Happy birthday.
Mrs. Penn January 5
Bob Powell January 8
Ruth Drake January 8
Marilyn Gollehon January 10
Larue Hix January 14
Mary Gene Dyer January 15
Wilda Bales January 16
Jo Ella Broadstreet January 16
John Curtis January 17
Merle Matthews January 18
Thelma Sheppard January 19
Billy Jones January 21
Anne Sheffy January 23
Glenn Godfrey January 24
Jack George January 28
Bonnie Drake January 28
J. R. McDermitt January 29
James Perry Cayton January 29

WOMEN OF WEST TEXAS TO BECOME INSTRUCTORS

Women in West Texas and Oklahoma now have the opportunity of teaching soldiers to keep Uncle Sam's giants of the air, the magnificent Flying Fortresses, in fighting condition.

The United States Army not only is recruiting women to act as instructors in bomber maintenance, but is training them, at full pay, to become instructors. A successful applicant becomes a Junior instructor at a salary of \$2,000 a year.

Any woman, whether she has worked before or not, can qualify if she has completed high school and has attended college for one or more years. Even educational requirements can be waived in the event the applicant has exceptional qualifying experience.

Teaching experience is helpful, but not required. In lieu of a year in college, a woman may have had a year of technical experience in aircraft mechanics, automobile mechanics, or aircraft engine mechanics; a bachelor of science degree in electrical, aircraft or civil engineering; a bachelor's degree in trade and industrial education or vocation education; a Civil Aeronautics Administration airplane mechanic's or airplane engine mechanic's license.

An applicant must be at least 20 years of age. There is no maximum age limit. If a woman has speech defects or impediments, if she has normal hearing without hearing aids, and if she has no physical defects great enough to interfere with an 8-hour teaching day or the ability to move about freely, she will not be barred from consideration.

Men, too, will be accepted as instructors, but only if they are classified under Selective Service in 4-F or in 3-A and have dependents. Most of the 1,200 vacancies at Amarillo Field, however, will be filled by the appointment of women.

Each successful applicant will undergo a training period of from three to six months, at the end of which she will be qualified to teach one phase of the maintenance of a Flying Fortress. She will work one of three shifts: from 12:00 midnight to 7:45 A. M.; from 8:00 A. M. to 3:45 P. M.; or from 4:00 P. M. to 11:45 P. M. The shifts are rotated so that no individual is required to work at night all the time.

Transfer to instructorship from employment with other federal agencies can be made with the approval of the Tenth Civil Service Regional Office, New Orleans. Training will be at Amarillo Field where dormitory facilities for single persons or married persons without families soon will be available.

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BOBCATS VICTORIOUS

The Dimmitt vs Olton basketball games ended with two victories for the Bobcats. The game won by the "A" teams was close with a 26 to 23 score. Curtis was high point man with 12 points. Birdwell was next with 0. The next high was Stinson of Olton, who scored 9 points. He was Olton's outstanding man, as Curti and Birdwell was for Dimmitt. At the first of the fourth quarter the Bobcats were 30 points behind.

The B team won by a wider margin with a score of 21 to 11. Cook of Dimmitt was high point man with 13 points. Boech of Olton was next with 7 points. Cook and Stew art did some nice guarding, while Watson, Wilkerson and Ashcraft held their men scoreless throughout the game.

BETHEL

Mr. and Mrs. James Bradford of Amarillo spent a part of the Xmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lust.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Dorlac of Albuquerque, N. M. spent Xmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Benton.

Miss Carrie Neil Russell, Charles Henry and Herbert Howell returned Sunday from Vera, Texas where they spent the holidays with Miss Russell's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Davis moved to their home in the Easter community last week. We regret very much to lose them, but our loss will be Easter's gain and our best wishes go with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Benton and daughter of Plainview visited in the home of his brother, J. C. Xmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Williams and Glenn spent Xmas day with her mother and sisters in Plainview.

Miss Lula Williams of Olton spent the week-end in the J. G. Williams home.

Mr. and Mrs. Moss Howell and Patricia visited with their parents and other at Bula Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray McIntire and Devonna of Floydada and Miss Grace Marie Bagwell of Pampa spent Xmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bagwell.

Mrs. Jim Bagwell visited with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Allman in Hereford Tuesday. Mr. Allman is very ill in the sanitarium there.

Miss Edith Neils spent this week end with her parent at Black.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunn of Hereford visited in the homes of their daughters, Mrs. Leland Smith and Mrs. Ivor Bagwell last week.

Jim Bagwell and family visited Sunday in the Geo. Bagwell home.

Mrs. Lelnd Smith was on a sick list last week, but is slowly recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Bagwell visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Bagwell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Sinclair were home from Lubbock Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Kay Roberts visited in the Leland Smith home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cruse to visit their little daughter, Connie, who is in the Dr. there. They will visit relatives while there.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Rothwell and Mrs. J. C. Benton were guests in the J. C. Williams home Sunday.

Miss Carrie Neil Russell visited Sunday in the home of I. Moss Howell.

SERVICEMEN REAP WHAT THE USO SEWS



CHICAGO, ILL.—Most frequently used free service of one of Chicago's USO downtown clubs is the mending service. Soldiers, sailors, and marines, with holes in their pockets, ripped seams, brand new chevrons—problems that only a woman with needle and thread can solve—line-up to be sewed up. USO volunteers do the work.

A WORLD OF FOOD

LEO REINER

SOME CANADIAN BAKERS APPLY ALPHABET NOODLES TO THE TOP OF BREAD BEFORE BAKING TO INDICATE THE VITAMINS IN THE LOAF!

THAT'S SO FOR A WAR STAMPS!

THRIFTY HOUSEWIVES ARE SAVING DOLLARS THESE DAYS BY ENLISTING THE KIDS TO GIVE THE FAMILIES SHOES THE OL' SHINOLA. A DIME'S WORTH OF SELF-SHINING WAX LIQUID POLISHES AND PROTECTS 'EM ALL.

IN TOKYO WE... A SNAKE IS CONSIDERED AN IDEAL CURE FOR TUBERCULOSIS, BRUCELLOSIS, CANCER AND EVEN GONORRHEA. MORE THAN 1000 REPTILES WERE FORMERLY EATEN EVERY DAY IN SINGAPORE.

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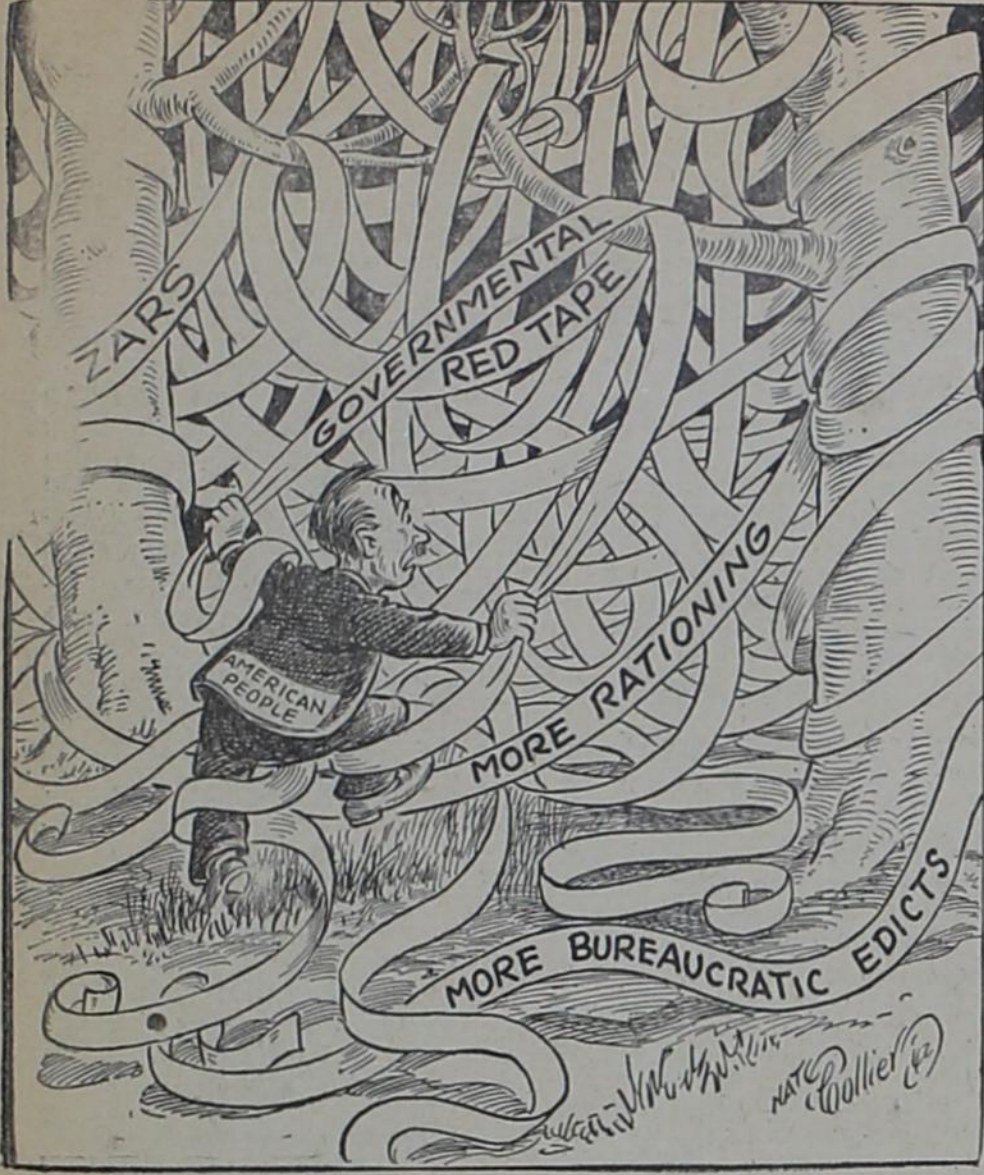
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TOUGHER GOING AHEAD



COUNTY CAN SAVE STEEL FOR 424 MACHINE GUNS

Castro County housewives can save enough steel for 424 machine guns simply by replacing one can of fruits or vegetables a week during the next year with fresh or home-packed produce...

Bill Boothers, Fred Walkers Floyd Iveys, Gene Iveys Pete Coke and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bradford were hosts at a supper party Friday honoring Loran Thomas...

CEILING PRICES FOR MILLS

Ceiling prices for mills and other processors of soybean, cottonseed and peanut oil meals and oil cakes in carload lots became effective Dec. 29 at the same levels as those set under their contracts with the Commodity Credit Corporation...

Some provisions of the general maximum price regulation also were simplified and restated to set differentials and profit margins for sales by processors of less than carload lots...

The purpose of the order, the district office was informed, was to help bring about a \$3 to \$4 per ton reduction on costs of all oil meals and oil cakes to individual farmer-feeders.

GASOLINE DEALERS TO RAISE GASOLINE PRICES

Some gasoline dealers of West Texas are allowed to raise gasoline prices under action taken by the OPA establishing a minimum operating margin of three cents a gallon at filling stations...

As part of the OPA program to aid small business establishments to withstand war time restrictions the OPA has extended to gasoline dealers in all states the same provisions which heretofore have been in effect only on the east coast where gasoline rationing began last summer.

Before opening of mileage rationing, some filling stations in West Texas were able to operate profitably on gallonage margins or less

ANNOUNCING

THE OPENING OF THE

WHITE ROSE CAFE

WHERE FRIENDS MEET AND EAT

JOHN BROADSTREET — PUG DANIEL

than three cents and their prices were frozen at the lower levels, with bulome of sales reduced by rationing, such stations are hard pressed to make operating expenses, district officials said.

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Mrs. Teague, Mrs. Floyd Ivey, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ivey and girls were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Olen Ivey.

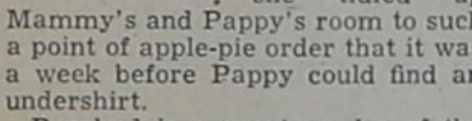
THE TIMID SOUL By Webster



Advertisement for 'I DON'T KNOW WHY I CARRY LIFE INSURANCE' featuring a man's portrait and policy details.

WOMEN AT WAR

Rosebud is eight, and the most beautiful shade of caramel fudge. To her loving Mammy and Pappy she is known, on approximately alternate days, as 'Angel' and 'You devil child'.



Mammy's and Pappy's room to such a point of apple-pie order that it was a week before Pappy could find an undershirt.

Rosebud is a great reader of the newspapers. Mammy and Pappy don't take one, but there are plenty of perfectly good newspapers blowing round Vinegar Hill.

Mammy was engrossed in a particularly big washing. Rosebud was as quiet as a mouse and Mammy forgot about her until, coming in from the yard with her arms full of dry sheets, she encountered her child with a large hammer in her hand.

But what was done was done. In Rosebud's other hand was another tooth. Her mouth was stretched in a broad if slightly bloody smile.

Say yes. Take your change in War Stamps. Your investment in War Bonds today will save a payday for tomorrow.

Mr. and Ms. Earnest Jones visited Charlie Jones at Springlake.

Specials Friday-Saturday

Table listing special prices for CRISCO, NEW WAY BLEACH, TOMATOES, MAGIC WASHER, SOAP, JUICES, and PECANS.

PRODUCE

Table listing produce prices for SPUDS, GRAPEFRUIT, ROAST (Beef), CHEESE, and PORK CHOPS.

M SYSTEM SAVES FOR THE NATION

GLEO Mr. J. H. Winkle is improving at this time. Mr. and Mrs. Pete Johnson of Sunnyside were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hestand.

Advertisement for E. B. Black Co. featuring furniture and undertaking services.

FLAGG

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Walker have moved to Altus, Okla. Louis Coke doing the moving, Billie will stay here until after mid term exams.

Mrs. Sid Sheffy was hostess to a party Thursday eve, honoring Sid's and Mrs. Gene Ivey's birthday. Mrs. Earnest Jones and Mrs. Gene Ivey furnished music for old time songs dedicated to the "old timers".

SHARING SWEETS

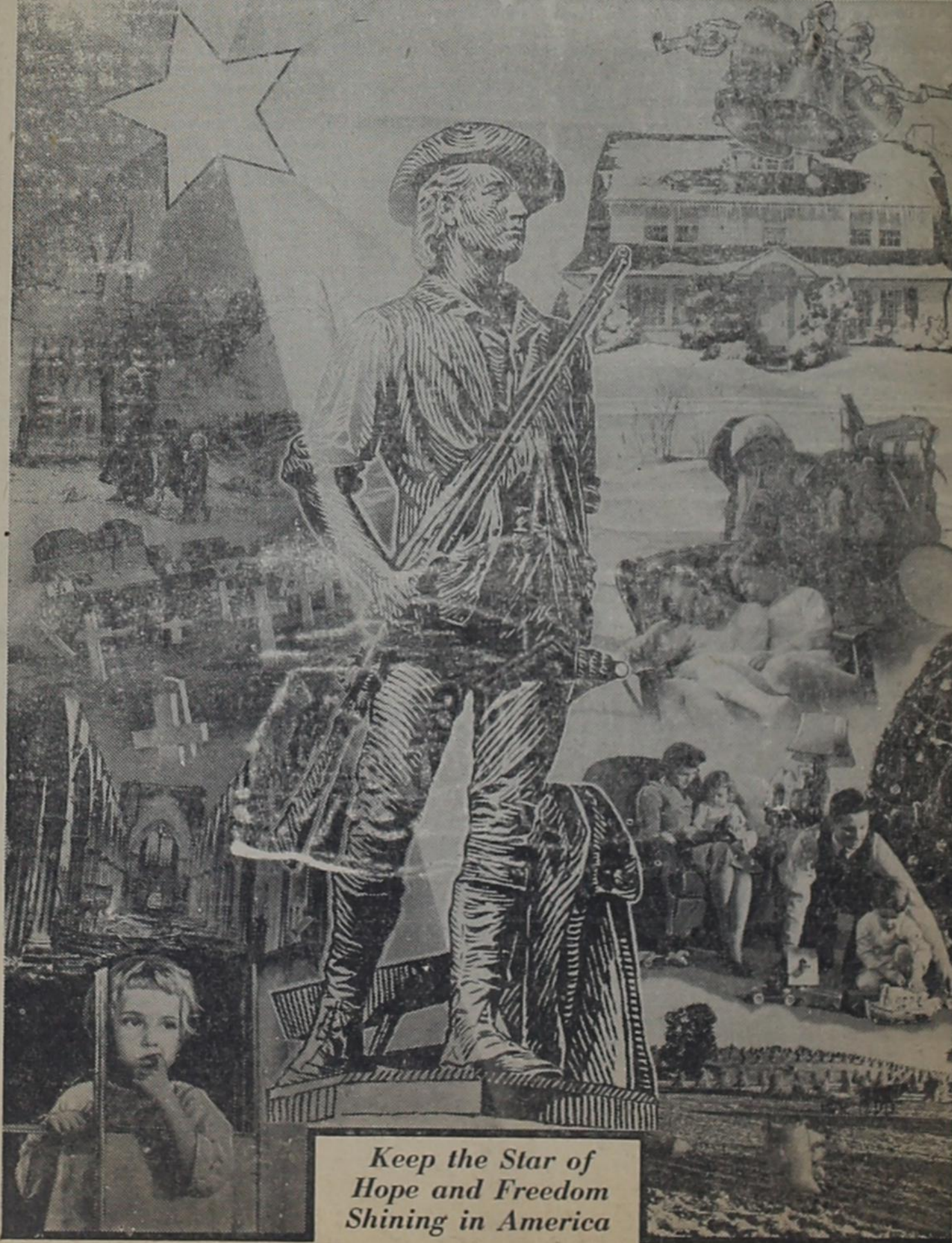


CHICAGO, ILL. — Yeoman Eric Rupp and Roslyn Nowak are enjoying themselves at a historical exhibit of Christmas candy. In the only candies available at Christmas dinners were stick molasses taffy, lozenges, m drops, shown on first tier.

Advertisement for a fish product with the headline 'I Wouldn't Be Here Now If I Had Kept My Mouth Shut'.

Lubbock Army Flying School—The above friendly reminder is passed on to the civilian public that it will better serve the United States and her Allies by keeping mum, as far as military news is concerned.

Be Thankful-Be Merry-Be Happy-Because You Live in America



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