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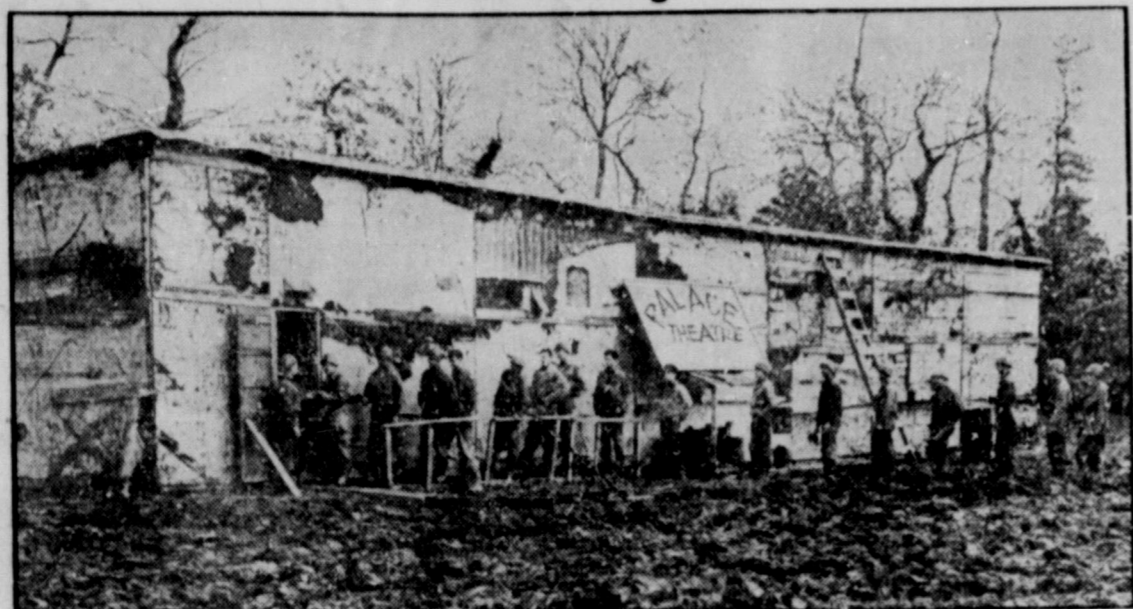
"...but one ISM in America... and that's AMERICANISM"

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## Now Showing---



The "Palace Theatre" near the front in Europe is known for miles around. Seats 400, and G. I.'s go there to see USO shows, movies, and for religious services. Ordnance men built it of scrap lumber from crates in which vehicle parts were shipped. (Signal Corps photo.)

## SONS In the Service

Word has been received from the Public Relations Office at Dallas, that Pvt. Stovall, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stovall will return on rotation furlough on or about February 10, to Ft. Bliss, after an absence of 33 months in the Southwest Pacific Theatre of action.

On arrival at Fort Bliss, he will be granted leave of absence to visit his parents, who live south of Friona.

Lt. Luther Loveless, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Loveless, who was home two weeks ago on a 19 day furlough has returned to duty to finish his training in the Marine Corps. He is stationed at Camp Pendleton, Oceanside, Calif.

I received a lovely Christmas card from Ens. Charles Lewis Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jones, of this city, a short note written on the card reads as follows:

"I am now in the Pacific with my destination, Tokio; but I shall remember you and all my friends at home this Christmas, and I hope to be with you before the next one rolls around."

Philippine Islands Nov. 25, '44. Dear Uncle John:

It has been sometime since I have written to you, and this afternoon it is raining and I am not busy, so I will write you a few lines. I have made another move, from New Guinea to the Philippine Islands, which is not a great deal different in terrain, but there is a lot of difference between the people of New Guinea and here. These people were glad to see the American people come. They do anything for us to help. I have received one copy of the Friona Star since I landed. Our mail has just caught up with us, so I think I'll be getting another and I'll do what I can to thank you for the paper. Hope you had a nice Thanksgiving. I had

## Dated Dec. 15, Tax Payments Due on Jan. 15

Fourth installment payment statements sent out last week by the collector of internal revenue at Dallas have caused some confusion among filers of declarations of estimated income tax, S. L. Mayo, deputy collector at the Dallas office announced Saturday.

The payments are not due until Jan. 15, although taxpayers may pay them any time before that date, the collector said.

Originally, the final installments were scheduled to be due on Dec. 15, but Congress extended the date to Jan. 15, 1945. The statements, printed before Congress made the change, still show the Dec. 15 date, and efforts of the collector's office to overprint the date with a mimeographed "Jan. 15" seem to have added to the confusion, the collector said.

turkey and all that goes with it. I better close for this time, and thank you again. Hope it finds all of you in fine health. It leaves me in perfect health. As ever,

Virgil H. Weis  
I am sending you a Xmas greeting. Hope you like it.

At a Mediterranean Bomber Base—The 12th Air Force, B-26 Marauder Group of S-Sgt. Winford F. Perry Friona, Rt. 2, has been awarded the Croix de Guerre with palm by the French ground force in Italy. Oldest medium bomber outfit in the Mediterranean theatre, the group was cited in an order by Gen. Charles DeGaulle, commanding an entire Marauder wing. It is the only AAF unit to be decorated in this war by both the United States and the French governments, having previously been cited twice by President Roosevelt for the accuracy of its attacks on Rome and Florence rail yards.

## Caywood Farm Sale Stated for Wednesday

M. G. Caywood announces that he will sell his complete stock of farming equipment and a large number of dairy and beef cattle and other livestock and miscellaneous farm equipment at a sale to be held next Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 20, beginning at one o'clock.

The Caywood place (formerly known as the Paul Mathers farm) is located seven miles west of Hereford on the Harrison Highway, then two miles north.

A complete sale bill is printed on page five of this week's Brand. The sale will be auctioned by Brumley and Otten with E. C. Eubanks as clerk.

## Gas Rations Due To Tighten Up

Gasoline Panel members in each of the 71 War Price and Rationing Boards have been instructed to screen all applications for gasoline carefully in an effort to keep gasoline issuance in this District within the allocation, according to Ely Fonville, District OPA Rationing Executive.

Petroleum Administration for War has announced that gasoline demand is running 89,300 barrels per day over allocation for the first half of the current quarter. "The trend is seriously unfavorable when you recognize that normally the average declines in the colder period of this quarter. Our weather has been favorable this year and it is doubtful that the most unfavorable weather will cut consumption to the point that we will be within our allocation at the end of the quarter," Fonville explained.

Instructions to Local Boards pointed out that due to the extreme shortage of gasoline and the great demand for it by the armed forces, it is necessary that every Gasoline Panel follow regulations exactly and make every possible attempt to stay within the allocation for the District.

## Protein Feeds Now For Sale Without Purchase Certificate

The government order requiring a certificate for purchase of protein feeds has been revoked, it was announced this week by F. G. Collier of the Deaf Smith County AAA office, who states that protein feed purchases may now be made without any restrictions.

Revoking of the order was made possible by larger supplies of protein meal and cake, and supplies of most such feed supplements are now believed to be ample; though other types of feed may still have to be substituted for cottonseed.

### Home on Leave

Mrs. Rasberry and Mrs. Sherman Dufur, whose homes are several miles northwest of Friona, were visitors at the Star office Monday afternoon. Mrs. Dufur stated that her son, Seaman James William Dufur, who is with the U. S. Navy, and now stationed at Camp Waldon, Farragut, Ida., returned to his camp last week after spending a two-weeks leave.

## Voco Club Has Xmas Concert

A Christmas Concert will be presented by the Friona "Voco" Club of the Mattie Mae Swisher Studio of Singing, on Wednesday, December 20, at the Grade School Auditorium.

The program will consist of traditional and modern Christmas carols; solos by the students; play songs by the younger members and chorus singing by the entire group. A social will be held in the school cafeteria following the program.

Students participating in this concert will include Oleta Lloyd, Doris Jane McFarland, Sally Osborn, Denotese Magness, Dean Buske, Don Edwin Lewis, Juanita Roden, Irene White, Jo Nell Pittman, Betty Jones, Joyce Ann Miller, Alta Mae Wilkins, Doris Stovall, Wynona Carter, Yvonne White, Lilly Treider, Gertrude Euler, and Edd Uri Talbot.

The general public is cordially invited to attend this concert.

## Farm Labor Program Outlined by McElroy

The farm labor program has been extended until June 30, 1945 according to the information received by L. H. McElroy, county agent. In the farm labor program is included the Prisoner of War labor which has been very valuable to the farmers in Parmer County in harvesting their grain sorghum and other general farm work. Farmers who anticipate the need for Prisoner of War labor during the next three months should make their application now in order that the prisoners will be available. There is some possibility that these prisoners may be moved to some other area should the need for them in this area not be shown. Mr. McElroy urges that everyone who possibly may need these prisoners even for a few days should designate their need in form of a request at the County Agent's office and they may be used at any time desired during the next 90 days.

## Four Methods of Control for Bangs Disease

Brucella Abortus, Bangs disease or contagious abortion cost stockman heavy losses in cattle, reduce milk production, lose calves prematurely and endanger human health, according to L. H. McElroy, county agent. Cattle infected with this disease may transmit this germ in raw meat, dairy products or by contact to human beings, causing undulant fever. Unfortunately there is no specific remedy for use against this disease in animal or in man.

Symptoms of this disease are well-known; however they cannot always be diagnosed by a premature birth. The only certain diagnosis for the disease in animals is the agglutination test which has to be done by a laboratory. Cattle having contagious abortion or bangs disease usually become immune in the second or third year after they have had the disease. This fact has sold many drugs, chemicals and medicinal compounds as a curative agent, the cure coming from nature in building up immunity within the animal rather than from the treatment.

The Bureau of Animal Industry recognize four methods of control and eradication which are: the test and slaughter; calf-hood vaccination; sanitary control or herd management, and test and segregation.

Mr. McElroy states that anyone in Parmer County interested in having their cattle tested for this disease come by the County Agent's office in Farwell and sign the agreement with the Bureau of Animal Industry under the test and slaughter control eradication program.

## Sudan Tests Now Handled in Amarillo Laboratory

Because of the shortage of help at the State Seed Laboratory at Austin, the laboratory is

## Night Watchman Team



Charley Jones, pictured above with Queen, his faithful German Shepherd dog, recently resigned as night watchman in Friona after more than 13 years on the job. During six of those years, he was accompanied on his nightly rounds by Queen.

## Staff Sgt. Meade Receives Medal



S-Sgt. Wilbur M. Meade of Friona was recently awarded the Expert Infantryman's badge for proficiency in all duties required of a soldier in carrying out his duties as an infantryman. After a series of rigid tests, Sgt. Meade averages were found to be in the higher brackets, entitling him to wear the coveted Expert Infantryman's badge.

Sgt. Meade is a son of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Meade of Friona and is a graduate of Friona High School, class of 1934. He was a letter man in track and basketball. He was inducted into the Army in March, 1941, and is at present on duty with the 97th Infantry Division at Camp Cooke, Calif.

### Has Part in Campus Play

Miss Ouida Shaffer of Friona recently took part in the "Gay Nineties" show, an all-campus production, at West Texas State College at Canyon.

Miss Shaffer, who graduated from the Friona High School, is a freshman in the college. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Shaffer of Friona.

no longer able to handle sudan testing for farmers wishing to qualify for incentive payments and loans, it was announced this week by F. G. Collier of the Deaf Smith County AAA. Seed for testing may now be submitted to the Amarillo Grain Exchange, Collier said.

A laboratory analysis of the seed is required before the \$3.50 an acre incentive payment is made, and analysis of grain for both purity and germination is required for a loan.

## Seniors Present Play Dec. 15th

The seniors present their annual play Dec. 15 in the grade school auditorium. It is a three-act farce-comedy which will leave the audience in a hilarious uproar.

Cleola Hurst who carries the leading part is Ma Brannigan, a shrewd, energetic country woman of sixty.

Catalpa Tapp, played by Shirley Maurer is a slipshod and hillbilly servant of sixteen. Betty Brannigan, characterized by Betty Massey is a fifteen-year-old granddaughter of Ma Brannigan.

Dick Brannigan played by James Word Baxter is a humorous, lovable youth who is Betty's brother.

Bildad Tapp portrayed by W. B. Norwood is a gaunt hillbilly, father of Catalpa.

Kingston Campbell, a superficial youth of twenty with effeminate good looks is played by Truell Wayne Hyde.

Augusta Campbell, a stout middle-aged woman of society, and the mother of Kingston, is played by Marianne Haney.

Cyrus Scudder, a stout and pleasant looking man of sixty; played by Leroy Johnson.

Jeff Scudder, a fine appearing young fellow who is very much in love with the heroine, is played by Bob Roden.

Kaye Brannigan, a beautiful brunette of twenty who is very much refined since she has been away to college, is played by Nola Faye Smith.

The admission will be 15c, 25c and 50c. The curtain will rise promptly at 8:30 p. m.

## Miss Shackelford in Music Festival at TCU

FORT WORTH—Miss Nancy Shackelford of Friona is one of 135 Texas Christian University students who will take part in the annual Music Festival, scheduled for Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 17, 18, 19.

This year the School of Fine Arts is presenting a Handel Festival, in conjunction with the Southwest Baptist Seminary.

### Visiting Relatives Here

Miss Ethelda Watkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Watkins of Brownwood is here visiting relatives and other Friona friends. Mr. and Mrs. Watkins formerly lived at Friona and Miss Ethelda attended school here. She says they are getting along nicely at Brownwood, but she likes Friona better. She has two brothers in the Armed Service.

### Try a Want Ad!

stationed on the U S Shangri La, when not on the mainland. The card also gives the picture of the Shangri La, and the U. S. merchant vessel where Jacob serves. Mr. Rotchstein is in the newspaper and printing business in California, and his wife is now at Friona with her parents. She plans to make her home here, so as to be near her aged parents.

## FOLKS in Uniform



"I AM Smiling!"

## TICKLERS





**The Friona Star**  
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**Summerfield**  
 MRS. GUY WALSER

Sunday school was attended by 69 Sunday morning. Our pastor is recovering from a tonsillectomy and was unable to preach.

Our community received a snow last week which is still on the ground in some places. The farmers are wishing for some pretty weather now for a while so they can finish threshing and stacking their feed.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Euler and family and Mrs. B. K. Greeson were recent visitors in Amarillo.

R. A. boys met at the church recently for their meeting. Those present were Wendell Roberson, Bradley Lookingbill, Wayne Walser, Jimmie and Billie Lookingbill, Wayne Wilcox and Jim Suttles.

Several from here attended

the football game at Hereford last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Turner and daughter of Friona spent a few days in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Coker and family this week.

Mrs. Laura Shaw spent the Thanksgiving holiday at her home north of Hereford.

Mrs. Guyeth Bogle of Lubbock spent the Thanksgiving holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lance and family.

Our community extends our sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Stanfield and family in the recent death of their son Horace B. Stanfield who was killed in an airplane crash.

Mrs. Lloyd Lookingbill and Mary and V. C. Hopson of Hereford and L. H. Lookingbill were visitors in Amarillo last Saturday. L. H. and V. C. attended the football game in Amarillo that day.

Mesdames L. L. Cannon, M. D. Rexrode, Jim Clark, L. B. Lookingbill, C. R. Walser, Guy Walser, O. B. Sumner and B. E. Roberson were hostesses, Dec. 1, at a shower at the Summerfield church honoring Mrs. Luther Faust, a recent bride.

Mrs. L. L. Cannon, had charge of the guest book, Mrs. O. B. Sumner the entertainment. Mrs. Jim Clark gifts and Mrs. Guy Walser poured tea.

Mrs. Brandon and Mrs. Laura Smith and daughter of San Benito, are visiting their daughter and sister, Mrs. Walk Boston and family.

Mrs. Cleo Wade of Oklahoma City is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Atchley and family.

The Summerfield Study Club met at the school house Thursday with Mrs. C. R. Walser. Mrs. Mack Noland had charge of the program. Those present were Mesdames Ray Johnson, Lee Curry, O. B. Sumner, L. H. Lookingbill, Charlie Noland, D. C. Walser, B. E. Roberson, Mack Noland, Walk Boston, Guy Walser, L. B. Lookingbill, C. R. Walser and three visitors, Mrs. Brandon and Mrs. Smith of San Benito and Mrs. W. H. Walser.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Johnson and Billie Ray and Mrs. Clara Freeman of Hereford spent the Thanksgiving holiday in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Lookingbill and L. B. Lookingbill were business visitors in Amarillo last Wednesday.

J. W. Cox of Arizona, who is an airplane inspector at an Arizona plant, visited in the J. A. Noland home Sunday. J. W. Cox is Mrs. Noland's nephew

and used to live here several years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McCausland and daughter of Hobbs, N. M., were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McQueter several days recently.

Miss Dorothy Roberts left Tuesday for Hunter College, N. Y., where she will enter training for the WAVES.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Turner and daughter and Mrs. Roy Coker and Bob were visitors in Amarillo Tuesday.

Several were absent from school last week because of bad weather and also sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Albert Springer of the Friona community visited in the B. A. Atchley home Sunday.

W. H. Walser and C. J. Lance moved some things to Lubbock for Jessie Lindsey last week.

**Army to Sell Property At Clovis Camp**

All improvements and property situated at Camp William C. Reid, Clovis, N. M., will be sold on Dec. 30, it was announced this week by Brig. Gen. E. H. Marks, division engineer, Southwestern Division of Army Engineers. General Marks stated that Camp Reid, a railroad battalion training camp, was no longer needed and has been declared surplus by the War Department.

Principal improvements to be sold consist of 73 buildings of "theater of operations" type construction. Property items consist of a large number of gas unit heaters of all types, lighting fixtures, electric refrigerators, mess tables, kitchen ranges and water coolers. Also to be sold are the power, light, sewer and water and gas distribution systems.

Persons interested in submitting bids may secure detailed information and bid forms at the U. S. Engineer Real Estate Office in Albuquerque, and Engineer personnel will be at Camp Reid to show the property offered for sale.

**V-Mail Bond Certificates**

If you wish to give a bond to a fighting man for Christmas a special V-Mail form has been

provided so that you can notify him of the gift. Attractive Christmas folders are also available for packaging gift bonds.

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**DO THIS!**

CHECK IT OVER. If any parts are worn and need replacement make a list and order them now. As you ride out of the field with your harvesting done there's no better time to plan needed repairs. You've just been working with your equipment and every detail of its operation is clear in your mind. If you wait until next season you're bound to forget many of the important little things that make a big difference.

Order the parts you need now and they're sure to be ready for you when you start the next big job. Specify genuine IHC parts to keep your machines as good as new.

We're here to serve you with parts and expert repair service. Our men know your equipment down to the last nut and bolt. When they fix it for you they do it right. And our charges are reasonable. This is a McCormick-Deering shop.

Parmer County Implement Co.  
 TELEPHONE . . . 28

**Give 'em a break during the holidays!**



Thousands of men and women in service will take a furlough trip home for Christmas. For many of them it will be the last time they will be with their families for an indefinite period of time. Of course, we want to provide them with space on our trains for comfortable trips to and from their homes. To do this—with our limited

passenger equipment and unprecedented volume of civilian travel—we must again ask your cooperation and friendly understanding. As you can adjust your going and coming with more latitude than men and women in service—please—postpone your train trip until after the holiday period to enable us to provide accommodations for our soldiers, sailors and marines on Christmas furlough.

SANTA FE SYSTEM LINES  
 "ALONG THE ROUTE TO TOKYO"



**This is probably the first time you've ever seen War Bonds fishing**

That man in the boat up there is Bill Brown. In about five minutes he's going to land the biggest bass in the world—well, almost the biggest.

The time is 1954. And even Mr. Brown doesn't know yet about the big one he's going to land. But Bill is working hard today—in 1944—saving money—and buying War Bonds and still more War Bonds. After all, the Browns have two boys in the Navy and as he says, "It's little enough that we do, but it's the best we know how."

The happy side of Mr. Brown's saving is that he's laying the ground work for a secure old age for his wife and himself. And according to Mr. Brown, "that means fishing."

1944 is a good year for saving money. Be-

cause of the war there is a shortage of purchasable material. Because of this shortage prices are higher and dollars can't buy as much as they probably will 10 years from now, say. If you will plan your saving now—work it out with pencil and paper—your spending later will be more profitable to you and your family. And the best way to save now is to buy War Bonds. Another good way is to add regularly to your bank account so that you will have ready cash for emergencies.

Your bank account may help you to hold your War Bonds straight through to profitable maturity.



Help the nation's efforts to keep your living costs DOWN, the buying power of your dollar UP.

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**THE FRIONA STATE BANK**  
 MEMBER FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION

**PUBLIC SALE!**

As I am leaving Friona I will sell at public auction at my place located 1 Block South of Highway 60 and North of the Consumers in Friona, Texas . . . on

**Thursday, December 21**

Beginning at 2:00 p. m., the following described property:

**Cows . . .**

- 18 Jersey Cows, ages ranging from 2 to 8 yrs. These cows are among the best producers, some milking now and some to be fresh soon.
- 6 Yearling Heifers and Steers.
- 4 2-year-old Steers.
- 4 Calves.
- 1 Kid Pony, age 6 years, gentle.

**Farm Machinery . . .**

- 1 3-Row John Deere Lister.
- 1 3-Row Lister-cultivator.
- 1 4-Section Harrow.
- 1 Letz Feed Mill.
- 1 Basin Digger for Plow.
- 1 Hammermill Belt.

- 1 Fence Charger.
- 1 2-Wheel Stock Trailer.
- 1 De Laval Milking Machine.
- 2 Stock Feeders.
- 1 Barrel Stock Molasses.
- 1 Roll of Fence Pickets.

**Miscellaneous Articles . . .**

Scoop Shovels, Pitch Forks, Hole Diggers, Wire Stretchers, Halters, Yokes, Wearers, Chains and other articles too numerous to mention.

**Chickens . . .**

- 2 Dozen.

**Miscellaneous Furniture . . .**

- 1 Chest of Drawers and Trade-in Furniture.

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- No. 2. Attractive Scale of wages.
- No. 3. Men will be considered for work even if they cannot remain away from their farms for more than four weeks.
- No. 4. Dormitory Facilities for men, \$2.80 to \$3.75 per week.
- No. 5. No Birth Certificate necessary except for 18 and 19 year olds.

### Westway

By MRS. MERLIN KAUL

Mrs. Bird and Mrs. Norman are beginning work on a Christmas program which will be given on Sunday night, Dec. 24 at the schoolhouse. There will be a tree and an exchange of gifts.

Mrs. Moody Stephan has been appointed to see about the tree. Mrs. Joe Landers and her committee will have charge of the decorations, and Mrs. Roy Lee Wilson, Mrs. A. C. Pierce and Mrs. Clarence Morrison have charge of the treats.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Little left Wednesday for Dallas where

Earl went for medical attention. A telegram from Mrs. Little on Monday stated that Earl had undergone an operation that day and his condition was good. Mrs. Leland McMurray is staying with Junior while their parents are away.

Mrs. Merlin Kaul worked in Miss Oliver's office several days last week.

Mrs. Estel Wilson came from Abilene Saturday to visit her husband who is working for Vernon Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Kaul and boys were callers in the W. S. Rice home in Hereford Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Cox, Doyle and Elaine were Amarillo visitors Saturday.

J. B. Little is visiting his daughter Mrs. John Winters and family in Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jones have leased their farm on Harrison Highway and are moving to Hereford where they have recently purchased a house. They are having a sale Saturday of this week.

The Home Demonstration Club Christmas party was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. S. Rice at Hereford.

### Want Ads

#### FOR SALE OR TRADE

SEE what you are getting. A picture is deceiving. SAVE Agent's Commission. Clovis Monument Co., 209 W. Grand Ave., Clovis, N. M. 18-1tc

FOR SALE or Rent: One good two-room house, near school building in Friona. See Mrs. Dela Palmateur. 21-2tp

FOR SALE: Two 2-year old Hereford Bulls. J. T. Guinn, Rt. 2, Friona, Texas. 25-2tp

LOST or STRAYED: One light Jersey cow, with short crumpled horns. Please notify Willis Parker, Friona. 22-1tc

FOR SALE: Unimproved half section, 12 miles north of Friona. Price: \$16.00 an acre. See us for cheap lands. M. A. Crum, Friona, Texas. 22-1tp

FOR SALE: 1 regular I H C Farm—all in A-1 condition on rubber, with the following attachments: Lister and planter; cultivator, knives and sweeps. One 4-section harrow; One 6-foot I H C one-way plow; One I H C 16-hole, steel box wheat drill; All this machinery in good condition. Priced at \$1,150.00. See Keith or Claude Blackburn, Friona, Texas. 22-1tp

### They Know What Your \$18.75 Means



Lt. Alex Sabo, left, of Buffalo, N. Y., and T/Sgt. Herman Straussner of Brooklyn, N. Y., look approvingly at a Sixth War Loan poster in New York City, for they know what your \$18.75's mean in weapons that keep the Allies moving ahead with less cost in blood. Lieutenant Sabo was wounded three times serving with a tank destroyer unit in Italy, got the DSC for action in routing two German Tiger tanks. Sergeant Straussner, an aerial engineer on a C-47 and veteran of 299 missions, got a DSC for 200 combat hours over India and Burma; he also holds the Air Medal and two French decorations.

There's many a slip 'twixt the cup and the lip—  
So says the old time saying;  
But your wash will be done and dried in the sun,  
For, you see, there'll be no delaying—at.

**HOULETTE'S HELPY-SELFY LAUNDRY**  
"We Take the WORK Out of Wash"

**THERE IS ONE MORE WEEK...**

and a day, or seven more SHOPPING days in which to do your CHRISTMAS shopping... BUT, do not wait... BUY TODAY... a supply of

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ARTHUR DRAKE, Manager

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It's enough to fill 120,000 tank cars—a train 1,000 miles long.

It's enough to fill an 8-inch pipe line that would circle the earth three times at the equator.

It's enough to fuel 400,000 Flying Fortresses for a round trip flight from Britain to Germany.

That's a billion gallons of 100-octane gasoline! But it's more than that. It's the effort of the 14,000 men and women of Humble Oil & Refining Company, who are today celebrating the production of the one-billionth gallon of 100-octane aviation gasoline at Baytown refinery—a remarkable feat in the history of the petroleum industry.

It is one of the wartime contributions of the 14,000 men and women of Humble—scientists, drillers, roustabouts, stenographers, pipeliners, technologists, truck drivers, geologists, glassblowers, stillmen and those working in hundreds of other occupations.

Here is a partial list of their accomplishments to date:

- FIRST** to produce at one refinery a billion gallons of finished 100-octane aviation gasoline. The Baytown refinery has produced more 100-octane aviation gasoline than any other plant in the world.
- FIRST** to produce synthetic toluene. The Baytown Ordnance Works, first to synthesize toluene from petroleum, has supplied the toluene for at least one out of every two bombs used by the United Nations since Pearl Harbor.
- FIRST** in the production of crude oil. Humble Oil & Refining Company is the nation's largest producer of crude oil, and is currently supplying about one-fourth of the increased production required for war as measured by the gain since 1941.
- FIRST** in the transportation of petroleum. The Humble pipe lines transport more oil than any other system, handle one barrel in every seven of the domestic supply.

These accomplishments climax a quarter century of development, planning and team work of a great organization. The men and women who made them possible are behind the billion gallons of 100-octane aviation gasoline. They are behind whatever America needs of them for victory.

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We are Always Replenishing our Stock of

Building Materials

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O. F. LANGE, Manager

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so that ALL may see our HAND, you will find that WE are PLAYING THE GAME FAIR AND JUST. And that it is OUR ambition to serve our patrons Honorably, Promptly and Satisfactorily with Expert MECHANICAL SKILL and genuine

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Come in and "Bide a Wee"

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## County Far From Quota As 6th War Loan Draws to Early Close

The Doughboy Miracle  
"Every American ought to do at least one hour of combat duty—in infantry style."  
"That's not a practical idea

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### CAN'T SLEEP—

No need to lie in bed—worry and fret because CONSTIPATION or GAS PRESSURE won't let you sleep. Be sensible—get up—take a dash of ADLER-I-KA

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and we know it. But until a man has done a doggie's job he simply does not know the score. He doesn't know how danger punishes the human nervous system. He can't imagine what it's like to creep down a street of empty houses wondering if they are really as empty as they look.

"Hearing window shades flap and doors creak and expecting the crack of Karabiner or the burp of a Jerry machine gun—the last sound on earth."  
"He doesn't know how much guts it takes to move forward a yard, a foot, an inch. How a second can seem a year and a minute an eternity."

"Until he's lived and fought in the mud and the blood, he can't realize what an all-time miracle a doughboy is. To stick in there day after day. And night after night after night. "Until then, the nation can't realize—as it cheers the greatest backfield of the greatest team in its history—the job being done by the muddy, bloody men of the line."

And to conclude the editorial with its immediate point for Hereford and Deaf Smith Coun-

## Conservation Exchange

News of the Deaf Smith County Wind Erosion District

Deaf Smith County Wind Erosion District cooperators are solving the labor shortage problem by installing well planned irrigation systems on the farms. They report a well planned system not only saves time and labor but it also affords a better job of watering the crops with a minimum amount of water.

G. W. Newsom, east of Hereford, recently completed irrigation ditch guide lines for 160 acres of wheat under the supervision of Soil Conservation Service technicians. A portion of Newsom's farm had been surveyed for irrigation purposes prior to this time.

Newsom reports he got a more uniform water distribution with less erosion and labor from well planned and surveyed ditch lines than when he guessed at the guide lines.

W. G. Harris who lives in the Summerfield community is planning an additional irrigation system on an adjoining section of land. He has made application to the Deaf Smith County Wind Erosion District for assistance in locating a new well. At the request of Harris, assistance was furnished last spring by Soil Conservation Service personnel in locating an irrigation well for watering row crops. He plans to water feed crops and wheat with the new well.

Fred H. Miller has completed a stock tank on his ranch in the Walcott community which will furnish stock water throughout the year during ordinary times. The pond which cost approximately \$150, is 140 feet long,

## Pin-Point Pointer



Cover of secrecy is finally lifted to show you the famous Norden bombsight—now that the Germans have seen it on downed bombers. This is the instrument responsible for pin-pointing targets from way up. (AAF photo.)

60 feet wide and 10 feet deep. It will hold more than 200,000 gallons of water.

The only supply of stock water Miller had on his place before the construction of the reservoir was a windmill located on one side of his cultivated land which was used for supplemental pasture. The tank was dug in the center of an old lake bed in the middle of his pasture in order to reduce the distance his cattle must travel for water. By this improve-

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Stamp 40 in book 4, good for 5 lbs. canning sugar through Feb. 28, 1945.  
**SHOES**—Airplane stamps, 1, 2 and 3 good indefinitely.

**PROCESSED FOODS**  
Blue 10-point stamps A8, thru Z-8, and A-5 thru W-5 good indefinitely. X-5 thru Z-5 and A-2 and B-2 valid Friday.  
**MEATS AND FATS**  
Red 10-point stamps A8, thru Z-8, and A-5 thru P-5, good indefinitely. Q-5 thru S-5 valid Dec. 3.

**HOSPITAL NOTES**

Billy Byers, surgery, Dec. 13.  
Wirt Phillips, injury, admitted Dec. 12.  
Mrs. J. N. Hollis, maternity, boy, Dec. 7.  
Mrs. Margaret Helfner, medical.  
Mrs. Fern Barnett, medical.

Jack Pinckert, improving.  
Mrs. Gene LeGrand, maternity, girl, Dec. 12.  
Mrs. Wayne Evans, maternity, boy, Dec. 11.  
Mrs. C. S. Crow, maternity, girl, Dec. 11.  
Mrs. Carl Lee, surgery, Dec. 13.  
Mrs. Lilburn Ray, maternity, girl, Dec. 9.

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**SATURDAY, DEC. 16th**  
Beginning at 2 O'clock p. m. Friona Texas

**CATTLE**  
(All of these cows are tested)

1 Holstein Jersey Cow, Age 3, 3½ gallons.	1 White Jersey Cow, Age 5, 4½ gallons.
1 Brown Jersey Cow, Age 4, 5 gallons.	1 Blue Jersey Cow, Age 5, heavy springer, 4 gallons when fresh.
1 Yellow Jersey Cow, Aged, 4½ gallons.	1 Brown Jersey Cow, Age 4, Heavy Springer, 3½ gallons when fresh.
1 Yellow Jersey Cow, Age 5, 5 gallons.	1 Spotted Jersey Cow, Age 4, 4 gallons when fresh.
1 Yellow Jersey Cow, Age 5, 4½ gallons.	1 Brown Jersey Cow, Age 4, 3½ gallons.
1 Holstein-Jersey Cow, Age 4, 4½ gallons.	1 Yellow Jersey Cow, Age 4, 4 gallons.
1 Yellow Jersey Cow, Age 5, 5 gallons.	1 Brown Jersey Cow, Age 4, 3½ gallons.
1 Holstein-Jersey Cow, Age 4, 4½ gallons.	1 Springer Heifer.
1 Blue Jersey Heifer, Age 2, 3 gallons.	2 Yearling Heifers.
1 Black Jersey Cow, Age 5, 4 gallons.	2 Heifer Calves.
1 Brown Jersey Cow, Age 4, 3½ gallons.	1 Jersey Yearling Bull, purebred.
1 Brown Jersey Cow, Age 5, 4 gallons.	
1 Brown Jersey Cow, Age 5, 4½ gallons.	
1 Spotted Jersey Cow, Age 6, 4 gallons.	
1 Yellow Jersey Cow, Age 4, 4 gallons.	
1 Brown Jersey Cow, Age 5, 4½ gallons.	
	1 Spotted Shetland Pony.

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- 1 Double Unit Universal Milking Machine, been in use 18 months.
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