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E. H. Little Dies Friday Following Long Illness

Earl H. Little, 50-year-old farmer of the Westway Community, died Friday afternoon at the Deaf Smith County Hospital following a long illness. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at the First Baptist Church of Hereford with Rev. M. D. Rexrode of Summerfield officiating, assisted by Rev. R. H. Cagle, pastor of the Hereford church.

Mr. Little, born May 26, 1894 in Oklahoma, had been a resident of Deaf Smith County since 1926, when he moved here from Montague County.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Grace Little, two sons, Lt. Wayne B. Little of Sioux City, Ia., and E. H. Little, Jr., of Westway, and a daughter, Mrs. Leland McMurray of Westway.

Relatives here for the funeral included Mrs. Jimmy Day of Atlanta, Ga., Mr. and Mrs. John Winters of Douglas, Okla., Mrs. Curt Griffin of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Little and Sammy of Gunnison, Colo., W. E. Bransford of Ardmore, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Jim Walker and Monty of Nocoona, Pvt. Leland McMurray of Brownwood and Lt. and Mrs. Wayne B. Little of Sioux City, Ia.

Merchant Marine Recruiter in Amarillo

A representative of the U. S. Maritime Service, Ensign Yale V. Clark, is now in Amarillo at the United States Employment Service Office to interview men interested in volunteering for service in the Merchant Marine. Courageous, physically fit men 17 to 18 and 26 to 50, not under production orders or engaged in essential war work are eligible for Maritime Service enrollment. Qualified volunteers will be trained for sea duty in the Deck, Engine, Stewards, Radio, Purser and Pharmacist Mate's departments.

With American supply lines being stretched further by the day the need for more trained men for the Merchant Marine is immediately urgent and continuous in order that Army and Navy needs at the fighting fronts may be delivered on time. Ensign Clark requests that prospective volunteers have their birth certificates available for inspection when interviewed.

Will Move to Colorado

Mrs. Ola Sheets is making arrangements to move to Springfield, Colo., in the very near future.

Mrs. Sheets will make her home with her son, Chester, who owns a cattle ranch and farm, not far from Springfield. She also plans to visit her son and a daughter, Oble Sheets and family and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Reid, for a while.

Thelma Marie Turner of Mulshoe, visited friends here this week.

LOCALS

Mrs. Melba Milder and Miss Doris Moody were in Clovis, Wednesday.

Mrs. Boots Deathridge was shopping in Hereford, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Reeve drove to Pampa, Sunday and visited their daughters, Miss Mary Reeve and Mrs. Floyd Hume, who have been teachers in the Pampa schools, and enjoyed with them their school picnic.

Mr. Reeve returned home Sunday evening and Mrs. Reeve remained in Pampa. She and her daughters will return to Friona the last of the week.

Shackelford Now Captain

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Shackelford received word this week informing them that their son, Lt. Gordon Shackelford, has been promoted to the rank of Captain. Capt. Shackelford is now stationed at Fort Sam Houston near San Antonio.

Our congratulations to Capt. Shackelford and also to his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lewis had as their guests, last week, Mrs. Lewis' mother, Mrs. Jones, of Greenville, and her sister, Mrs. White, of Celeste.

Misses Charlene McFarland and Doris Ann Lange, visited friends at Lubbock the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spring and Mr. and Mrs. Sloan Osborn are vacationing in Arkansas, this week.

Home on Furlough

Mr. and Mrs. Folster Rector and other relatives of Floyd Rector were surprised when he appeared at his home on Tuesday morning to spend his furlough with them.

Floyd is now a member of the Merchant Marine and on his return to the States was given a furlough.

Pvt. Leroy Johnson left this week for his post of duty after spending his furlough with home folks.

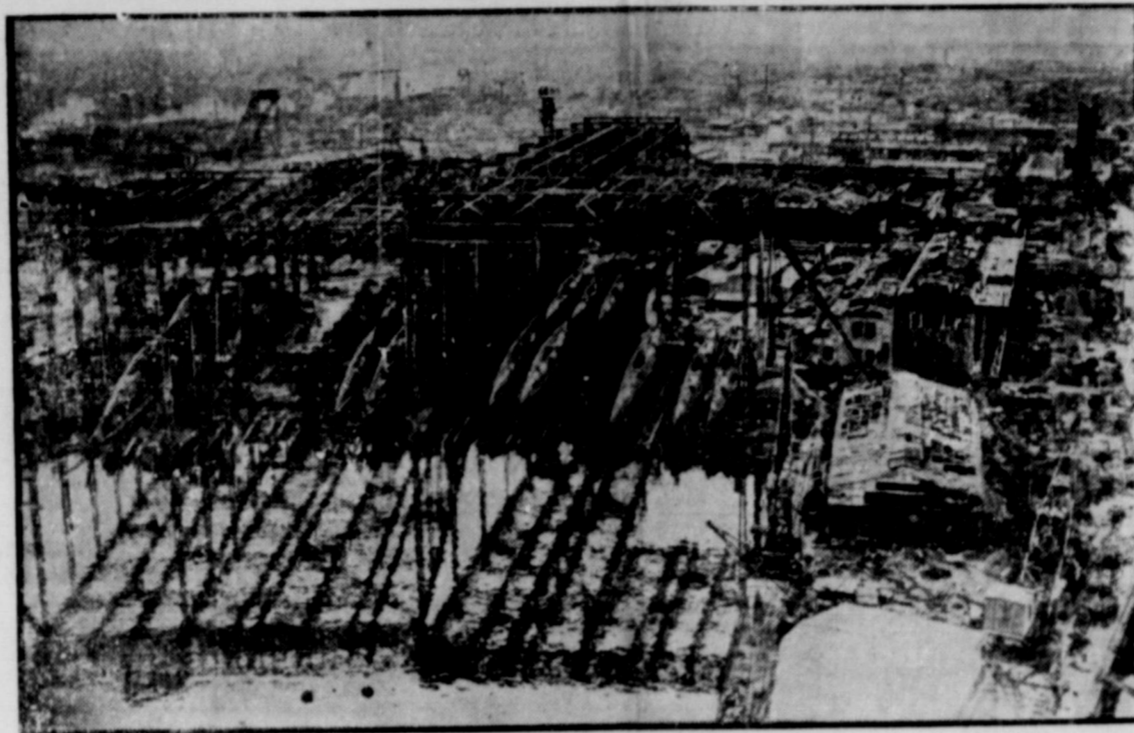
Mrs. Keith Blackburn left Saturday for Oceanside, Calif., to join her husband who is stationed there.

Capt. William McLean, who is returned from overseas, visited his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. George McLean here last Saturday.

Mrs. Wanita Taylor and small daughter, Judy, enjoyed a birthday supper in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Price Tuesday night.

County Commissioners Bill Phipps and Floyd Schlenker spent Wednesday in Lubbock where they were joined by the other two commissioners, looking after the county's business in regard to more paved highways for the county.

Wolfpack Stranded



Fourteen completed U-boats can be counted on the ways of this shipyard at Hamburg, Germany, all stranded by unconditional surrender. Scars of many aerial bombings can be seen on buildings at right. (British Official photo.)

M. W. Moody Dies Friday Following Heart Attack

The entire Friona community was saddened when it became known that M. W. Moody had died suddenly at his home southeast of Friona, on Friday of last week at about five o'clock P. M.

Mr. Moody had apparently been in his usual health until the noon hour when he stated to his daughters that he had been suffering with his heart, and refused to eat dinner. He had been engaged at unloading some machinery from his truck and left the house and returned to his work, when at about five he was seen lying across some of the machinery where he had fallen, death having apparently come instantaneously.

Funeral services were held at the Friona Methodist Church at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, conducted by the pastor, Rev. E. A. Irvine, assisted by Chaplain L. L. Hill.

Murray Wayne Moody was born in Wise County, Texas, March 11, 1897, and died May 18, 1945 at the age of 48 years, 2 months and 7 days. He was married to Miss Vinita L. Collier, October 11, 1908, and to the union were born six children, two having preceded them in death. Mrs. Moody passed away on March 17, 1943.

He was converted at an early date and united with the Methodist Church, of which he remained a true and active member until his death.

He is survived by four daughters, Mrs. J. R. Lawson, of Wellington, Doris Fern, Grace Jo and Loueta June, all of Friona. Two grandchildren, also survive him, and two brothers, Jim Moody of Walters, Okla., and Hubert Moody, of Bartlesville, Okla., also one sister, Mrs. Claud Johnson, of Shawnee, Okla., and a host of other relatives and friends.

He had served as superintendent of the Sunday school and as steward in the church and at the time of his death was one of the trustees.

Following the services at the church, interment was made at the Friona cemetery. Active pallbearers were Pete Buske, C. L. Vestal, Folster Rector, George Stowers, Joe Poindexter and Carl Maurer.

Honorary pallbearers were A. A. Crow, H. T. Magness, Lee Edwards, J. L. Shaffer, Raymond Jones and B. T. Gallo-way.

Flower girls were Gertrude Short, Mrs. Ralph Miller, Eva Lou Jones, Jennie Irvine, Rebecca Irvine, Ellen Johnson, Zela Lee Foster, Lilly Mae Renner, Alta Mae Wilkins and Maggie Marrs.

Called Meeting
The members of the Congregational Christian church are called to meet in the church basement on Monday evening at 9 P. M. to release their present supply pastor and make whatever plans they deem wise and practical for the future.
Attest, J. L. Beattie.

Saturday is Poppy Day

On Saturday, May 26, will be our National Poppy Sale. As most everyone knows, the sale of these poppies made by our sick veterans, is their Rehabilitation Program.

All money received from these sales goes to help those who served us and gave the best they had in them to give.

Buy your poppy and wear it, thereby showing that you, in return are ever grateful for the service they have rendered, that has made them the makers of little red poppies.

Mrs. Folster Rector, Secy. of Auxiliary

The Water Story Has a Sequel

In reply to the article which appeared in the Star two weeks ago relative to people leaving their irrigation pipes open and thus draining the city supply tank during the night, comes a story bearing the exact opposite version.

People living near the said city supply tank report that they are getting entirely too much water, as the tank frequently overflows during the night and sometimes during the daytime, thus practically flooding the locality.

One man reports that his garden has been nearly drowned out and that water to the depth of two inches stood on the floor of his brooder house where he is keeping about 400 baby chicks and that the lady living in an adjoining house is obliged to take her washing to a neighbor's place in order to get the clothes dried.

The writer is not placing any blame on any person in particular, for the reason that he does not know who is to blame. Anyway our water supply, judging by these conflicting reports, seems to be copying the pattern of the weather as it is now being administered:—Too wet in some parts of the country and entirely too dry here.

Meeting of Legion and Auxiliary

The American Legion and Legion Auxiliary will have a call meeting at the Legion Hut, Friday night, May 25, at the usual meeting time.

Important business is to be attended to and all members of both the Legion and Auxiliary are urgently requested to attend.

The Legion is also sponsoring a military drill exercise at the Chieftain Field immediately following the meeting to which all present are invited.

Card of Thanks

We take this means to express our appreciation of the floral offerings, the sympathy expressed and the assistance at home and the chore work and all other assistance that came to us during our hours of sorrow in the loss of our father, Murray Wayne Moody. May God's blessing be with you as you have been a blessing to us.
Mrs. J. R. Lawson, Doris, Grace Jo and June Moody and other relatives.

Pvt. Leonard Gee, of Bovina who has just returned from overseas, visited friends here over the weekend.

Drouth Cuts All Crop Prospects

So far as the growing wheat in this locality is concerned, the situation has already become serious from the long continued dry spell.

Some farmers report that they have already plowed under a portion or all of their wheat crop, while others are talking of turning their livestock in on their wheat and thus reaping as much as possible from it as pasture.

It seems from reports that practically all local farmers have given up the idea of getting more than enough to pay for the harvesting, and even though rain should come now it could do but little if any good toward increasing the yield per acre, more than, perhaps, making plumper grain.

While this is the discouraging aspect of the wheat crop, the row crop condition is also taking on a serious aspect. It is now time that these feed and grain crops should be planted, if they are to mature grain before frost is due in the fall, and it is useless to plant while so dry.

Friona Weather

Not much change in the weather locally during the past two weeks. One day hot like summer, followed by two days cold, almost like winter.

These were then followed by one day hot like summer, then two days cold almost like winter. But all of them dry, like "Hades."

Repeat the above report for the next week and add that a part of the time the wind blew "Like Hell," as Clark Staley put it, and still no moisture, and you have a fair picture of Friona weather as it has been recently. Of course we may have a real soaker before night.

Vacation Church School Starts Program Monday

The Vacation Bible School at the Methodist Church will open Monday morning at 9:00 A. M. A fine group of workers has been selected to lead the groups in their study. The classes will begin each morning, Monday through Friday, at 9:00 o'clock and close at 11:00. We urge all parents of the community to send their children to this school. It will last for two weeks, with the closing services, Sunday evening, June 10.

Those working in the school will be Cradle Roll teachers: Mrs. Frank Spring and Mrs. Arthur Drake; beginners, Mrs. Arthur Hilton and Mrs. E. A. Irvine; primary teachers, Mrs. O. B. Ginn and Mrs. O. C. Jones. Junior teachers, Mrs. Raymond Jones and Mrs. Jake Lamp. Intermediates will be taught by Mrs. Howard Ford.

Woman's Club to Sponsor Show

The Friona Woman's Club will sponsor a picture show at the Regal theatre to promote the Bond Sale of the 7th War Loan Drive.

Watch the Star next week for more complete particulars.

Try a Want Ad!

Freight Rate Equalization Drive Started in Hereford Chamber of Com.

Beef Subsidy Program Under AAA Direction

Aimed at increasing the sale of good and choice cattle and at easing the severe meat shortage which has now become general throughout the nation, the War Food Administration this week announced a beef production payment which will be handled by local AAA offices in the same manner as the dairy subsidy program which has been in effect for some time.

According to instructions reaching the Deaf Smith County AAA office, the payment will be 50 cents per hundredweight, effective on sales beginning May 19 on good and choice cattle.

Regulations include the following points: (1) The cattle must have been owned and fed by the applicant for at least 90 days; (2) They must be sold to a licensed slaughterer; (3) Payment will be made only on cattle weighing 800 pounds live-weight or more; (4) Sale price must be at least the amount listed for minimum stabilization range for good grade cattle.

Cattlemen should start immediately to retain evidence of sales showing the above information in order to collect the subsidy payment.

The program should ease the price squeeze on cattle feeders, who say that there has not been enough range between ceiling prices for range cattle and the ceiling price allowed for finished cattle from the feeders pens.

Memorial Rites At Auditorium May 30

The Star is authorized to announce that there will be a program and Memorial service held at the Grade School auditorium, on Memorial Day, Wednesday, May 30, at 3:00 o'clock P. M., under the auspices of the local American Legion Post.

The program will consist of singing, readings and an address, by some competent speaker.

Following the program at the auditorium, the people are asked to go to the local cemetery, where the decoration of graves, accompanied by suitable services, will be performed. Other appropriate features are being planned.

The Legion invites all veterans of World War I and II and all other wars and urges their attendance at this service. In addition to all veterans, the general public is cordially invited and urged to attend.

It is suggested that all parties having relatives and other friends buried here to assist the program by coming prepared to decorate the graves with flowers or flags.

Winding up an investigation which it launched in July, 1939, the Interstate Commerce Commission Saturday ordered a complete overhaul of the present jigsaw "class" rate structure of the railroads, and pending this a sweeping ten percent reduction in all parts of the country except the East and the Far West, effective Aug. 30—thus bringing a result which was the goal of a campaign started by the Hereford Chamber of Commerce in the summer of 1938.

End result of the rate revisions will be a saving of hundreds of thousands of dollars to local farmers, who have been severely penalized by discriminatory freight rates; and it was this discrimination and the resulting loss of income to farmers, ranchers and businessmen which started the Hereford Chamber of Commerce on their campaign for rate revision nearly seven years ago. A brief, prepared by the local chamber and worked out by D. H. Alexander, then secretary, was incorporated almost entirely in the brief prepared in October, 1938 by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce when it started its fight for rate revision; and the efforts of the West Texas Chamber, which got its idea from Hereford, have been important in bringing about the new rate reductions.

According to the studies prepared by the Hereford Chamber of Commerce in 1938, West Texas had the highest rate level in the nation—185 percent of the rate in the Northeastern States. At that time, equalization of freight rates with other regions would have saved West Texans around one hundred million dollars annually; and though some adjustments were made in 1940, adjustment of the present rate structure is likely to result in even greater savings because of the vastly increased agricultural and industrial production of the region.

In 1938, it cost more to take a load of wheat from Wichita Falls to Galveston than it did to haul a load from Kansas City to Galveston. As the Hereford brief pointed out at that time, the rate structure amounted to "penalizing a farmer for living close to his own ports."

The rate structure similarly penalized businessmen who had to pay more for all merchandise shipped into the area than did merchants operating in other sections of the country.

The ruling of the Interstate Commerce Commission greatly simplifies the biggest problem of Texas and the Gulf South-west in the period of postwar readjustment by removing one big obstacle to industrialization.

Miller Sells Farm

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Miller have sold their farm seven miles north of Friona to Mr. Anthony and will give possession in the future.

The Millers as yet have no definite plans for the future.

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Westway

By MRS. MERLIN KAUL

This community has been deeply saddened by the passing of Earl Little and to Mrs. Little, the children and the other relatives we express our sincere sympathy.

Amarillo visitors Monday were Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Rickels, Mr. and Mrs. V. Skypala and Edwin, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pierce and Kelly Gray.

Mrs. Charles Calson was a medical patient in the Osteopathic Hospital in Amarillo several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Wilson went to Amarillo Friday to see Bud Hopson who underwent an appendectomy Thursday morning.

Gordon Neal Shafer, 8-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shafer, suffered a skull fracture Friday when he fell from the back of a truck on which some lumber was being hauled. The accident occurred near the Earl DeHart home. Pat Robinson came by and took him to the hospital. He is recovering satisfactorily and was able to be taken home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hughes Millard went to Colo. Thursday to be gone several days.

A supper was held at the schoolhouse Wednesday night honoring Tom Roe and son Danny, former residents who have been visiting relatives here, and Edwin Skypala who is home on furlough. After supper, visiting and forty-two games provided entertainment.

Mr. Roe and Danny left Monday to return to their home in Richmond, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Skypala and Edwin attended a family dinner Sunday at the Paul Artho home in Umbarger, honoring Edwin Skypala.

M. S. Roe has been quite ill the past week with tonsillitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shafer and family are moving this week to the Vernon Wilson tenement house.

Mrs. Ralph Johnson and baby daughter Jackie Lynn returned home Sunday night from the hospital at Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gill, Patricia and Billy of Brownfield were week-end guests of Mrs. Gill's sister, Mrs. N. D. Bartlett.

LOONEY LUKE (HE HAS IDEAS, TOO) By GEORGE



Casualty on Okinawa



An American soldier of the 7th Division's 184th Regiment, blood-spattered from head and leg wounds, clasps his hands around the neck of a Medical Corpsman as he is lifted onto a litter in the Okinawa battle. He was in great pain, but due to the head wound he could not be given morphine. The Tenth Army's 7th Division is fighting down the east coast of the island.

Looks Worried



A trifle worried is the expression of Hermann Goering, Nazi leader, and the man who ordered the Luftwaffe to raze Rotterdam and Coventry. Goering is shown at a prisoner detention camp at Augsburg, Germany. (Signal Corps Radio-Telephoto.)

Gordon Ridgeway of Ariz., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Bess Werner, his daughter Katherine and his brother Ray Ridgeway. Vella Kee and Eddie Skypala of Muleshoe are staying with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. V. Skypala while their mother Mrs. Edgar Skypala is in the hospital.

Try a Want Ad!

Special Assets



Actress Gerladine Fitzgerald's green eyes and red hair make her especially desirable as a television subject, says Dr. Lee de Forest, radio pioneer who is experimenting with television in his Hollywood laboratory. Gerladine's got other assets, too.

whole-wheat bread for 35 cents a loaf, prior to starting the cereal business.

According to the article in the Miami Herald, the enterprise is meeting with great success and Miamians are getting a thorough education on the value of Deaf Smith County products, produced from a "soil which is ideally adapted

to the growing of perfect wheat, rich in vitamins, proteins and essential minerals."

The article stated that Mrs. Allison was receiving wheat shipments through the cooperation of Fred Zimmerman of Miami, who has connections with the National Nutritional Council.

There is no moment like the present. The man who will not execute his resolutions when they are fresh upon him, can have no hope from them afterwards. They will be dissipated, lost and perish in the hurry and scurry of the world, or sunk in the slough of indolence.—Maria Edgeworth.

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Deaf Smith County Wheat Sells For \$21 a Bushel

Deaf Smith County wheat, advertised as "the best wheat in the world" is selling for 35 cents a pound in Miami, Fla., and an article in the Miami Herald for Sunday, May 13, describes the enterprise, "Health Food Shop," operated by Mrs. Nettie G. Allison, which is making big capital of the publicity received by Deaf Smith County high-mineral-content products.

Figured in terms of bushels, Deaf Smith County wheat is drawing the colossal price of \$21 a bushel in Miami, as compared to \$1.50 in Hereford.

The Health Food Shop, equipped with a mill in its display window, grinds the wheat while the customer waits, then sells the cracked cereal in one and two-pound packages. Mrs. Allison has been receiving weekly shipments of fresh-milled flour ground from Deaf Smith County wheat and has been selling

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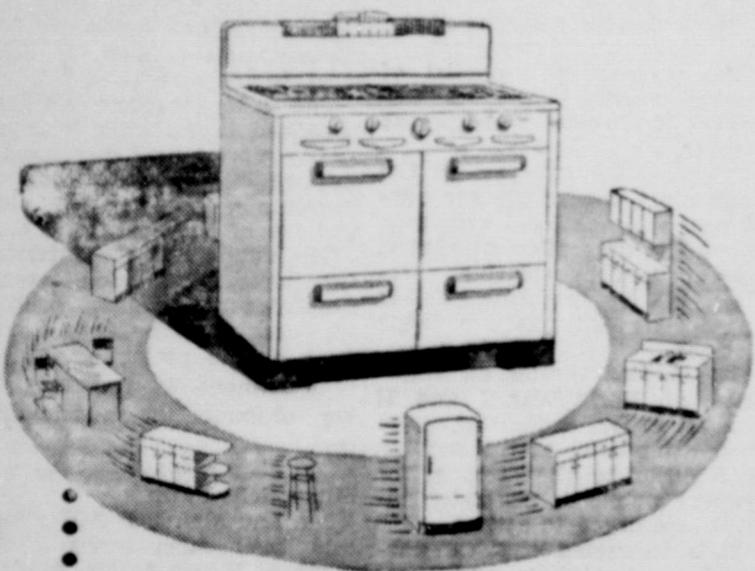
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'Ike's' Victory Smile



Flashing his victory smile, General Eisenhower makes a "V" of fountain pens used in signing unconditional surrender terms with the Germans at Reims, France. At left is Gen. Walter Bedell Smith, Eisenhower's Chief of Staff. (Signal Corps Radio-Telephoto.)

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Research Foundation Seeks Tooth Decay Immunity Factor

Establishment of a Research Foundation to discover and isolate the factors which are responsible for the low tooth decay rate of residents of Deaf Smith County was announced today by Dr. F. M. Butler, Seattle (Wash.) dentist who plans to carry out his studies in this county in cooperation with Dr. George W. Heard, local dentist who discovered the remarkable immunity to tooth decay enjoyed by Deaf Smith County people.

\$100,000 Budget Set

The first year's budget for the Foundation has been set at \$100,000, and plans call for an experimental farm well-staffed with experienced farmers, chemists and laboratory workers who

will carry out detailed tests of soils and foods in this territory. Feeding tests will be made with rats and guinea pigs and later with groups of people to obtain necessary facts, with the ultimate aim, according to Dr. Butler, of demonstrating that "children may be raised to maturity with both good teeth and good health."

Dr. Heard's original discovery, later confirmed by a two-year survey by the Dental Department of the Texas State Board of Health under the direction of Dr. Edward Taylor, early caught the interest of Dr. Butler, who for more than 20 years has worked with diet, vitamins and ultra-violet ray lamps to achieve a marked degree of success in arresting and controlling dental decay.

Because of the fact that Deaf Smith County people have a tooth decay rate only about one-tenth of that of the average for the rest of the country, Dr. Butler is convinced that Deaf Smith County is the place to find the cause and cure of dental decay.

Seek Food Formula

When the factors responsible for this "immunity to decay" are discovered, the doctors hope to be able to perfect a concentrated food formula from food grown in the Hereford district that may be used anywhere to help in the battle against the age-old and most prevalent of human ills—dental caries. It may also be possible later to find a way to introduce the "immunity factors" into other communities to bring about similar results.

Non-Profit Organization

The Foundation is set up as a non-profit organization to be financed by contributions and

donations similar to other benevolent and philanthropic institutions, and the founders report that several large donations have already been received, making a good start toward the raising of the first year's budget.

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FOR SALE: Just received shipment of 20 inch Sanders One-way Discs. These may be last we will receive. First come get them. Consumers Supply, Grand & Tlie, Clovis, N. M. 35-tfc

We have a good supply of genuine John Deere Lister Points, Knifing sweeps and one-way Discs. Also a complete line of John Deere Parts. Friona Farm Equipment Co. 37-tfc

FOR SALE: Some really good buys in quarter and half section tracts. See me at the International Harvester Building, J. B. McFarland. 34-tfc

FOR SALE: Two government granaries, of 3000 bushels capacity each. Joe Poindexter, Friona, Texas. 41-tfc

FOR SALE—A good 5-room residence, well located in Friona. See Glenn Reeve at Reeve Chevrolet. 42-tfc

FOR SALE—50 All Star Leghorn Hens, 1 year old. 50 All-Star Leghorn Hens, 2 years old. Also a 2-room house to be moved, located seven and a fourth miles southwest of Bovina. See Reeta Agee, 1 block east of lumber yard, Friona, Texas. 44-2tp

WANTED! Girl or lady to take care of baby and do part housework. Good wages. Address Box 36, Friona, Texas. 44-2tp

FOR SALE: One 14-ft. John Deere Combine. In good shape and ready to go. 3 miles south of Bootleg. Lewis Smith. 45-3tp

FOR SALE: Half section land, mile west Friona. Some improvements; 200 acres in farm, balance in grass. C. H. White, Box 162, Hereford, Texas. 44-2tp

FOR SALE: C. C. Case Tractor, with Planter attachment and Power lift. Also 9-ft. International one-way. Inquire at Miller's Variety Store. 45-1tc

FOR SALE: One good 3-row lister and planter combined with power-lift. See J. B. Shir-

SONS
In the Service

Word reached the Star office Monday morning to the effect that S-Sgt. Douglas P. Short, after spending 39 months in the Air Service overseas, has been returned to the States and would arrive at Fort Sam Houston near San Antonio, on or about May 22, prior to reaching his home here, where he will visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Short, and his sister, Miss Gerturde Short. Sgt. Short, has spent a portion of his time overseas in Australia and has seen actual combat service in several of the islands of the South Pacific.

Dear Mr. White:

I have a few minutes left before lights out, so I thought I'd write you in appreciation of your paper. I received the first copy today since I have been transferred here. I am in what is known as the Receiving Unit of Bainbridge, Maryland. I am waiting to go to Signalman's School. The school is 16 weeks of good old Navy work. The base here doesn't compare in beauty with San Diego, where I got my recruit training. I have seen Dale Treider, Price Brookfield and Billy Lynch, a boy from Amarillo. It is sure good to see someone you know and to also get a paper with some news from Friona. Keep the paper coming Mr. White, and remember LS—MPT, which in the Navy means "Live Signal Men Make Fine Targets."

Thanking you,
Jimmie Baxter.

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FOR SALE: One 14-foot cut John Deere Combine, in good repair. Foister Reitor. 45-3tp

FOR SALE: C. C. Case tractor with power lift, and one 2-row lister. Good condition. Fair rubber. T. E. Lovett, 6 miles north and 4 miles west of Friona. 45-2tp

War Workers Please Note



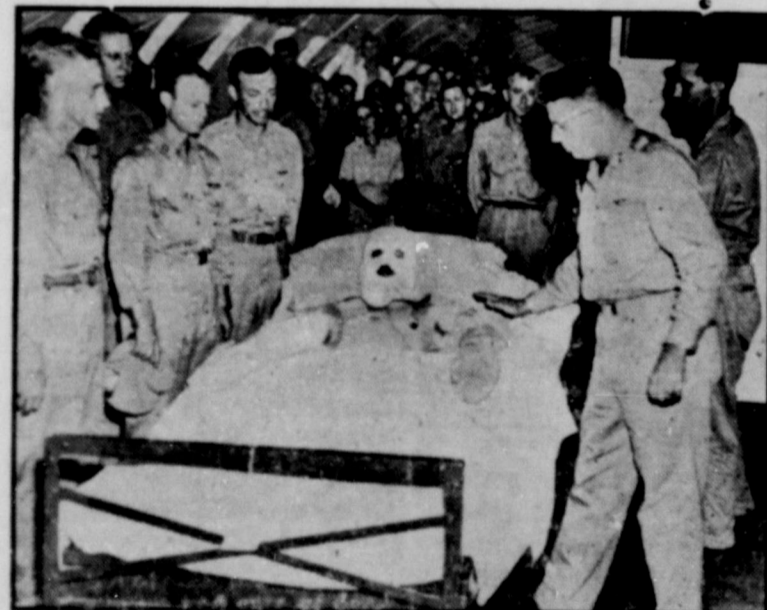
This poster is being distributed by the War Department as part of its program to shift attention of war workers to the Pacific—and to remind them that the job isn't done yet. James Montgomery Flagg was the artist. (Army photo.)

THE BRAVEST BATTLE



The bravest battle that ever was fought; Shall I tell you where and when? On the maps of the world you will find it not; It was fought by the mothers of men. —Joaquin Miller.

Highest Honor for Heroism Over Tokyo



Swathed in bandages, S/Sgt. H. E. Erwin of Bessemer, Ala., receives the Congressional Medal of Honor for saving a B-29 and crew over Tokyo; he picked up a burning phosphorous bomb and threw it out of the plane. Maj.-Gen. Willis H. Hale, right, AAF Pacific Ocean Area commander, presents the medal while Erwin's crewmates stand at bedside. (Air Force photo.)

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Chief Specialist Bob Feller, former Cleveland Indians' hurling ace, takes a practice turn on the mound at Great Lakes Naval Training Station, where he coaches the Bluejacket nine.

PERSONALS

Those who left dishes out at our house, please call for them at Miller's Variety Store. Doris Moody.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Silvertooth of Little Rock, Ark., who spent the greater part of last week here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Silvertooth, left for their home Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Silvertooth of Dumas who spent the weekend here left for their home also.

R. T. Slagle and M. M. Shirley exchanged tracts of land west of Friona last week, each giving acre for acre in the exchange, and Mr. Shirley paying Mr. Slagle for the home buildings and other improvements on his tract, there being no improvements on his original tract. The land included in the exchange was Mr. Slagle's home tract.

Mrs. Grace Hart and her daughter, Miss Eida, left Monday evening for Dallas, where they visited the Scottish Rite Hospital, where Eida was to receive examination and perhaps further treatment for the impairment of her right lower limb, the result of a light stroke of infantile paralysis, which she suffered a few years ago. They expected to return home Thursday.

M. M. Shirley has sold his Friona residence property to Ranza Boggess, a farmer living southeast of town.

Regal Theatre
FRIONA, TEXAS

FRIDAY—May 25-26
MY PAL WOLF
with Sharyn Moffett, Jill Esmond, Una O'Connor, and George Cleveland.
Chap. 11 of "Jungle Queen" Selected Shorts

SUN-MON-TUES—May 27-28-29
Deanna in her First Technicolor Triumph
CAN'T HELP SINGING
Deanna Durbin, with Robert Paige and Akim Tamiroff Selected Shorts

WED-THURS—May 30-31
It's a Breezy, Teasy Musical Honey!
EADIE WAS A LADY
with Ann Miller, Joe Besser and Hal Wright and his Orchestra. Selected Shorts

All Good Shows, Clean and Entertaining.
W. E. (Bill) McGlothlin, Prop.
"Your Pleasure — Our Job"

Mayor Glenn Reeve was a business visitor in Lubbock, Wednesday, having gone there for an interview with the ODT.

George McLean spent Wednesday over in New Mexico. George was accompanied by several other members of The Plains Historical Society, the party being in search of more historical data for the society.

The J. C. Denney sale held 20 miles west of Friona, Tuesday, is reported as fairly well attended and a success as bidding was lively and property all brought satisfactory prices.

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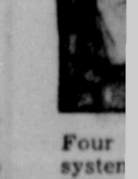
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