

U.S. To Have Record Income in 1951 and UN To Pull Out of Korea

United Nations will pull out of Korea during 1951. The United States will have the largest national income in its history."

ROGER W. BABSON

defense orders, the business volume in 1951 will be less than that for 1950. National income in 1951 will be the highest ever recorded, but the place of production and high prices will be along the line of tighter credit curbs, such as restrictions on mortgage and installment loans and increased bank reserve requirements.

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vinced that radical inflation is about to break out next year. But the "brain trusters" are overlooking the fact that the boom is already old and that it is creating badly when the Korean War broke out. War postponed the downturn which would have taken place much sooner. The date of the slide has only moved ahead.

Rushing to catch up on its neglected defense program, the Administration is anxious to shrink business volume to an unnecessary degree. Efforts at first will be along the line of tighter credit curbs, such as restrictions on mortgage and installment loans and increased bank reserve requirements.

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Civilian production will decline more than armament production will increase. The public may then cry, "This is a government-made slump; let's get rid of the controls!"

If in 1951 it becomes evident that business is declining too fast as a result of government curbs, the planners at Washington may rush their patient into an oxygen tent.

Labor Outlook Tight

Most labor groups will not be successful in getting a sixth round of wage increases in 1951. Although there may be more strikes in the first part of 1951, there will be fewer for the whole year as compared with 1950.

Tightness in the labor supply will be continued as the year wears on, particularly of highly-skilled workers.

The Taft-Hartley law will not be repealed during 1951 but may be amended. The administrators of the law will continue to wink at some of its clauses.

Commodity Prices Firm

Wholesale prices of many commodities will be marked by a mild decline in 1951 when compared with the price level for Dec. 31, 1950. In some lines the drop may be quite steep from the high levels of late 1950. Retail prices for 1951, I do not now forecast.

The year 1951 should prove an excellent time to keep a tight grip on inventories. Commodity speculation for the rise will not pay in 1951. Furthermore, our expanding stockpiles of strategic materials present a real price threat in the event of a peace scare. Such stockpiles could then

act strongly as a depressant on prices.

The cost of living will remain high during 1951. This prediction recognizes that living costs next year may be above the lower levels that existed during the first half of the year now closing.

Farm Outlook Good

Farmers' income for 1951 should average no less than that for 1950. Since the trend in the first half of 1950 was down, this forecast is not so optimistic as it might otherwise seem, for there is likely to be a weakening of the farmers' income position during the latter part of 1951.

Barring crop failures, the total supply of food available should be larger in 1951 than for 1950, since the government will

raise planting quotas as part of its attack on inflation. If the weather is extremely favorable, the government will be blamed for farm-price weakness during the latter part of 1951.

With prospects good for a rising supply of feed grains, meat should be more plentiful next year than in 1950. Prices for meat, however, will be held up by continued high national income and by military needs.

Taxes Will Be Higher

The burden of federal taxes, both corporate and personal, will be increased again in 1951. State and municipal taxes will remain high.

There will be an excess profits tax in 1951. These excess profits taxes will be milder than those in force during World War II; but they will be inflationary

and retard efficiency, economy and incentive.

There will be heavy pressure for increased federal "sales taxes" to discourage purchasing of luxury and certain nonessential goods. Congress will see the value of some such sales taxes as an inflation road block.

States and municipalities will again be under pressure to find adequate sources of revenue. Further increases in such taxes can be looked for next year with additional cities and/or states adopting sales taxes.

Despite renewed efforts to increase the long-term capital gains tax above the present 25% figure, rates will remain unchanged.

Domestic Trade Less

Credit curbs will cut into the demand for automobiles and

household equipment. Completions of fewer dwellings will also act as a damper on furniture sales.

Falling demand for hard goods should mean a stabilization of the public's spending for food and lower-priced soft goods.

The trend forecast will mean a decline in department store volume, but I predict a rise in the sales of variety chains and of drug chains.

Foreign Trade Fair

Barring new war developments, I look for continued shrinkage in our exports during 1951. Imports, however, should rise further. Total foreign trade should not be much changed, but the exporters will be on the short end of this business with

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And Down in Street

In 1900, a famous editor said that the main streets of America were making a habit of making a habit of happiness. That we were ourselves to what is, we were taking care of them, so that they fit for our souls. That we will take time to be with another, to make a habit of happiness in spite of Communism, and the Joneses."

New Year to you all!

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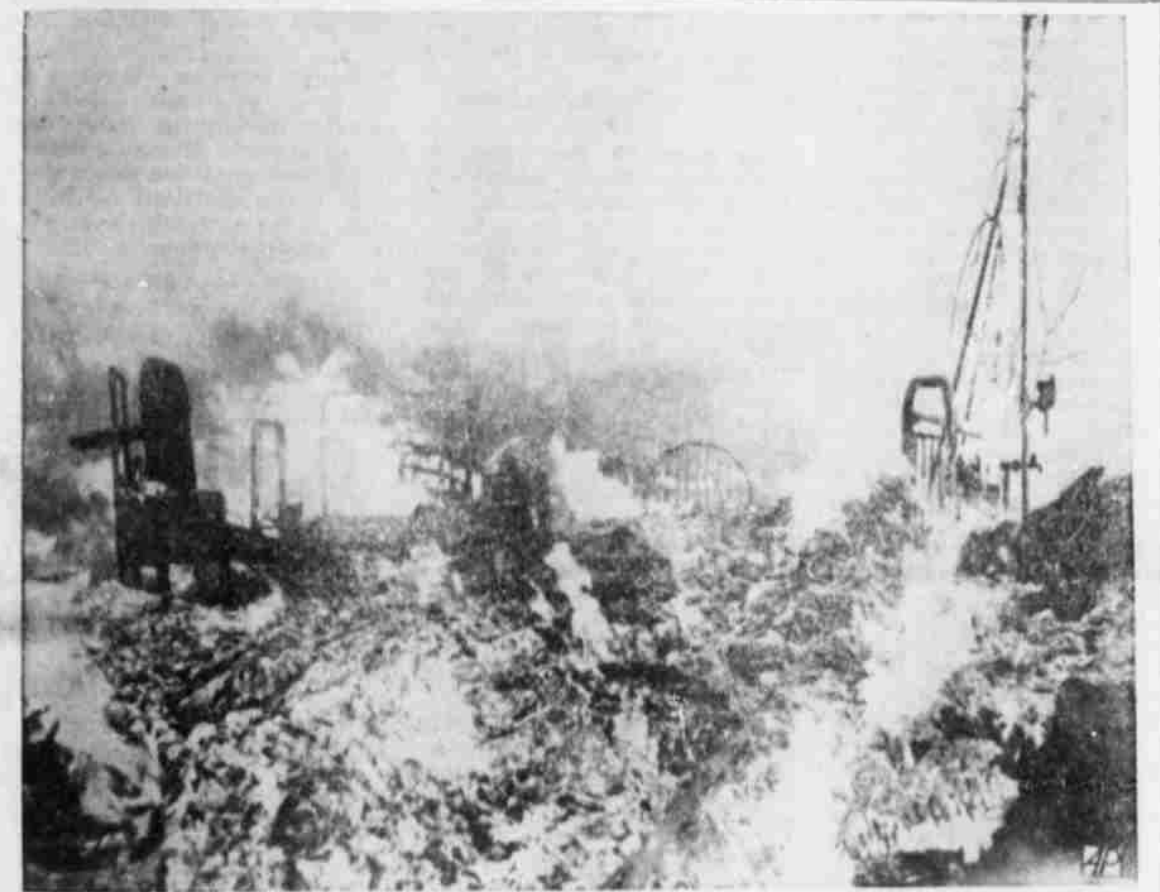
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Twenty-Fifth Year



END OF CHRISTMAS PARTY—Ten patients of the Walker Convalescent home in Amarillo, were trapped at a Christmas party and died in flames that consumed the old army barracks which housed them. Thirty-seven patients escaped, but only two of them were from the barracks shown above. The body of one of the victims can be seen in the bed frame at right.

Joneses, Bensons, Cashes, Woods Win For Christmas Residence Decorations

Interest in the residential decoration contest sponsored by the chamber of commerce was high this year with four first prizes being awarded.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jones decorated their front yard with luminous figures of shepherds and lambs for first prize on outside decorations. The Joneses live on West 9th street.

First prize for windows and indoor decorations went to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Benson, who live on West Fourth. They had a revolving Christmas tree, sprayed pink and decorated with pink balls and white lights. It was placed in a picture window bordered with blue lights.

Dick Wood received the only prize for a decorated door. The large outside Christmas tree in front of Kenny Cash's house, adorned with multicolored

Just Less than 2000 Bales In Week Make Total 14,795

Just less than 2000 bales of cotton were ginned this week as Garza county winds up most of the year's crop at 14,795 bales.

Some gin operators expect to be open two more weeks if the weather is pretty while others expect only one more week of ginning.

Total for the season at Southland is 4350 bales. Planters' gin in Post had a total of 2037 bales. Eleven hundred and ninety-five bales have been ginned at Pleasant Valley gin this fall. Cotton is practically all gone around Close City with the gin there processing 2701 bales this fall. A few more bales are expected

Most Stores Will Close in Post Monday In Celebration of New Year's Holiday

Most retail merchants who are members of the Post chamber of commerce will close Monday in observance of the New Year's holiday. Pat Ryan, chamber manager, announces.

George Elkins, 92, Is Victim of Fire In Amarillo Home

George Elkins, 92, died Friday when fire razed the building in which he lived at the Walker Convalescent home in Amarillo. He was a Garza county pioneer.

Funeral services were held for Mr. Elkins Saturday afternoon in the Methodist church in Snyder. A resident of this area for 60 years, he was a retired cattleman. After his wife died in 1936, he moved to Amarillo. He had lived in the home since April.

(See Picture at Left.)

Double Funeral Held For Wreck Victims

A double funeral service was conducted for Donald Evan Howell and Lindel Davis at 10:30 o'clock Friday morning in the First Baptist church.

The Rev. T. M. Gillham, pastor, and Forrest Meyer, pastor of the Church of Christ, officiated.

Burial was in Terrace cemetery under the direction of Mason and Hudman funeral homes.

Howell and Davis died Wednesday after the pickup in which they were riding collided with a Santa Fe freight train at the Main street crossing at 9 o'clock in the morning.

Howell was born in the Cross Roads community Oct. 19, 1930. He had been a member of the Baptist church since 1941.

He graduated from Post high school in 1949. He worked as a carpenter and farmer.

His survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Howell; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Howell of Post and Mrs. Hallie Brunson of Alamogordo, N. M.;

A brother, Nathan Clyde Howell and two sisters, Mrs. Stella Marie Davis and Miss Joy Lavelle Howell of Lamesa.

Palbearers were Jerry Smallin, Charles Bowen, Bob and Jim Braddock, Marvin Mullings, Frank Wells, Benny Wilks and Bobby Pennington.

Flower girls were Bonnie Faye and Ethel Maye Williams, Naomi Watson, Catherine Carter, Jane Preston and Mrs. Paul Preston.

Davis was born June 5, 1934. Survivors are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Davis; six brothers, Chalmers of Muleshoe, Scott of Lamesa, Floyd, Carroll, Jimmy and George of Post;

Four sisters, Mrs. R. D. Travis, Jr., of Abilene, Mrs. Nathan Howell, Jr., and Lina Beth Davis of Post and Mrs. Kenneth Huddleston of Snyder.

Palbearers were Cletus Graves, Ray Dobbs, John Gerald Bilberry, Billy Thomas Ramage, David Tyler, Darrell Stone, Kenneth Braddock and Don McFee.

Flower girls were Mrs. Billy Thomas Ramage, Geraldine Ethridge, Velva Carpenter, Marie Claborn, Neil Floyd and Elfreda Buck.

Paul Moore Is Buried Here Christmas Day

Last rites for Paul Viro Moore, a Garza county resident since 1915, were conducted in the First Methodist church at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon.

The Rev. A. B. Cockrell, pastor, officiated, assisted by the Rev. J. E. Stephens.

Special music, "Going Down In The Valley" was sung by the Rev. Mr. Cockrell, the Rev. Mr. Stephens, W. F. Presson and Billy Baker. Mrs. Warren Yancey was organist.

Hudman Funeral home directed burial in Terrace cemetery.

Moore, a farmer, died in Lubbock Memorial hospital Saturday afternoon where he had been a patient for several days following a heart attack.

He was born May 23, 1908. He had been a member of the Methodist church since he was a small boy and at the time of his death was a steward in the local church. He was a member of the Graham school board.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Carolyn, age seven and Cheryl, age five; and a sister, Mrs. Ted Ray of Justiceburg.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a sister, Mrs. Nell Caffey who died in October.

Palbearers were Bill McMahon, Bob Lusk, Charlie Smiley, Boone Evans, Glen Voss and Lester Nichols.

Members of the Berean Sunday School class of the Methodist church were flower girls.

Scouts Hold Winter Camp Jamboree Reunion, Dinner

Dr. C. C. Schmidt, camping chairman of the South Plains council, Boy Scouts of America, announced today that the council will hold two winter camps for all Scouts and troops during the Christmas holidays.

The camps started with the evening meal yesterday and will break up following the morning meal Friday. Each troop has the choice of which camp they will attend as sessions will be held at both Camp C. W. Post, here, and Camp Mammy Haynes near Silverton. No local Scouts are attending.

In connection with winter camp, a reunion of all Scouts and leaders who attended the National Jamboree at Valley Forge, Pa., last summer will be held. The first reunion was held last night at the First Methodist church in Post at 7:30 o'clock. The second reunion will be held on this evening, at the First Methodist church in Silverton, at 7:30 o'clock. Jack Lott, Gene Young and James Dye attended the local reunion.

Ray L. Howard and C. E. Wendt, Jr., council field execu-

FFA Gives Groceries To Needy Families

Three baskets of food were taken to needy families during Christmas by Post Future Farmers. The baskets contained food for Christmas dinner as well as staple groceries.

BARGAIN RATES GO OFF MONDAY

Bargain rates on the Post Dispatch and area dailies will remain in force until Monday, when they are expected to be withdrawn.

Bargain rates have already been withdrawn on the Abilene Reporter-News. Rates on the Fort Worth Star-Telegram and the Lubbock Avalanche remain in force until the first of the year.

Social Security Man To Be at Post Office

Every man or woman who has worked a year and a half under social security and who is now 65 years old or older, is eligible to receive monthly retirement payments.

Those who are covered by this provision may file their claim with the Social Security representative who will visit Post Wednesday at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. He will be in the post office.

MRS. GUESS DIES

Mrs. Jack Guess died at her home last night after a long illness. Funeral arrangements, under the direction of Hudman's, are pending.

Connell Well Is Plugged, Abandoned

Sulphur water, developing in the Ellenburger, caused Kerr-McGee Oil company to plug and abandon its No. 1 Connell, Garza wildcat 10 miles southeast of Post.

Ninety feet of drilling mud cut with sulphur water and 450 feet of sulphur water was recovered on the final drillstem test at 8066-8215 feet. A light blow of air surfaced at the beginning of the test and two hours later increased to a strong blow.

Reports were that none of the upper formations warranted testing further. Top of the Pennsylvanian was hit at 7438 feet and the Ellenburger was topped at 8013.

Rainfall in '50 Is 16 Inches

Only 16.76 inches of rain fell during 1950 in Post, according to the gauge used by the Double U company.

May was the high month of the year with 4.31 inches, followed by September with 3.99. No moisture at all was recorded in March and November and only .04 inch thus far in December.

Rainfall for February was .24; April, 1.51; June, 1.6; July, 3.21; August, 3.05; and October, .56. This year's rainfall is 16 inches under the 36.96 of 1949. It is 3.31 off from the 43-year average rainfall of 30.07 here since 1907.

There has been less rainfall that the 1950 record during 19 of those 43 years. The year 1941 had the record rainfall of the period with 43.20 inches.

Seal Coat Planned For County Highway

In view of the national emergency, the state highway commission has taken action to insure a high type of maintenance for existing roads.

In Garza county on U. S. Highway 84, from Lynn county to Post, a distance of approximately 15.6 miles, the state highway engineer is directed to proceed in the most feasible and economical manner with the work of seal coat.

The New Year...

Many people are looking forward to the New Year with some trepidation. Prospects are indeed dark. The state of the world is so uncertain and precarious that people are hard put to make plans for the new year. Once again we are snatching at what we can get, fearing that later will be too late. Panic buying is a fact of human nature that probably never will be changed. The late war taught too many people to grab what they could get now, rather than waiting for a greater good to come. We have no sugar-coated advice to give for 1951. We are hoping it will not be as bad as it looks. The outcome of the new year, as of every new year, depends on the individual. Faith and common sense can make 1951 the best year ever. No one will profit in the long run by buying expensive items he can do without. Certainly no one will profit by rushing hastily into important decisions which will have a lasting effect on his life. Forethought should be used during 1951, replacing the tragic hindsight of 1950.

Decoration Contest...

Post can boast of several civic-minded business men who have been commended in the columns of the Post Dispatch before. The residential Christmas decoration contest has proved that other citizens of Post are civic-minded also. This contest is one of the best things that has happened to Post in a long time. So many people went to some trouble to give pleasure to others with their outside decorations. Others shared their personal happiness by placing decorated trees in their windows. Cooperation on this project was remarkable. One man can take the credit for the idea and the fact that so many people cooperated with him. His idea was to make "Christmas merrier for the kiddies." As a result, the residential area of Post is better decorated than that of any town its size, we think. George Samson and everyone who decorated their house or yard are to be congratulated on the success of this project. It has certainly added to the holiday spirit in Post. This contest has shown once again that the people of Post are interested in doing something if someone will just give them something to do.

Getting Out On The LIMB...

by EDDIE the editor

NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTIONS, like promises, are made to be broken, I guess, so this year I'm going to make some that I will have no trouble in breaking, thus promoting efficiency in my personal life.

First of all I resolve to like Harry S. Truman and believe wholeheartedly that he is a fine man, besides being smart. I resolve that I shall take all blunders made by Harry in his private and public capacity as the very best things that could be done.

Since I am now selling typewriters, I resolve to go even further and let Harry have one at cost to write his vitriolic and ill-advised letters to John L. Lewis, music critics, the Marines and Congressmen on. Then there can be no question of what he said.

I further resolve never to turn down the thermostat in my office but to always have the atmosphere at the boiling point to please my reporter and book-keeper. When I begin to get slightly dizzy from the heat, I resolve that I shall not pull off any more of my clothes than has been my custom in the past, sweating it out in my undershirt.

MY NEXT RESOLUTION is to go out the front door at my office like a gentleman, closing it gently and quietly behind me. Besides all that, I am going to start taking Hadaool, so that I will have the strength to close the door gently and quietly when I come back in and the cold north wind is blowing.

Since the general public is no longer shocked, startled or even particularly interested in the pictures I have hanging in my office, I hereby resolve to take them down and replace them with watercolors—pastoral scenes and landscapes.

To further beautify my office, I resolve to replace all my utilitarian tin ashtrays with ceramic ones adorned with delicate pink roses. To maintain this refined atmosphere, I resolve to place a standing order with Bill DeWalt for a bouquet of violets or something to go in the center of the advertising desk.

I further resolve never again to pick up Jim Hundley's daily paper off the sidewalk in front of my building but to wait until someone goes to the post office. Of course, that will force me to have to wait until 8 o'clock to find out what blunders I am going to forgive Harry for.

Next I resolve to speak only American to George Samson, regardless of whether or not he can understand it. Not once during 1951 will I offer him a bottle of soapy poop.

I hereby resolve further that I am going to give each of my employes one day a week off to go fishing and the Little Woman two days to spend just as she pleases.

I WILL TAKE My Dog Bugle hunting at least once a month and let him more fully enjoy his doghood. Above all I want to be unselfish. His ears are not long but I do believe I will tie a red ribbon around his neck so I can tell him from the jackrabbits.

Furthermore, I resolve to wear all the shirts, ties and socks people have given me for Christmas so I won't offend anybody, whether I like them or not. The gift that is.

As for the other Christmas gifts I received—of a spiritous nature, I resolve to use restraint in the imbibing of such. I will share the very best quality with all, not keep it in the back of my pantry for myself. I will not give my guests only that poorer quality, blended variety as has been my custom in the past.

My next resolution is to quit using my special coins with heads on both sides and tails on both sides when I flip with Al Bird. I hate to see him lose so much money that way and I figure I might as well be honest.

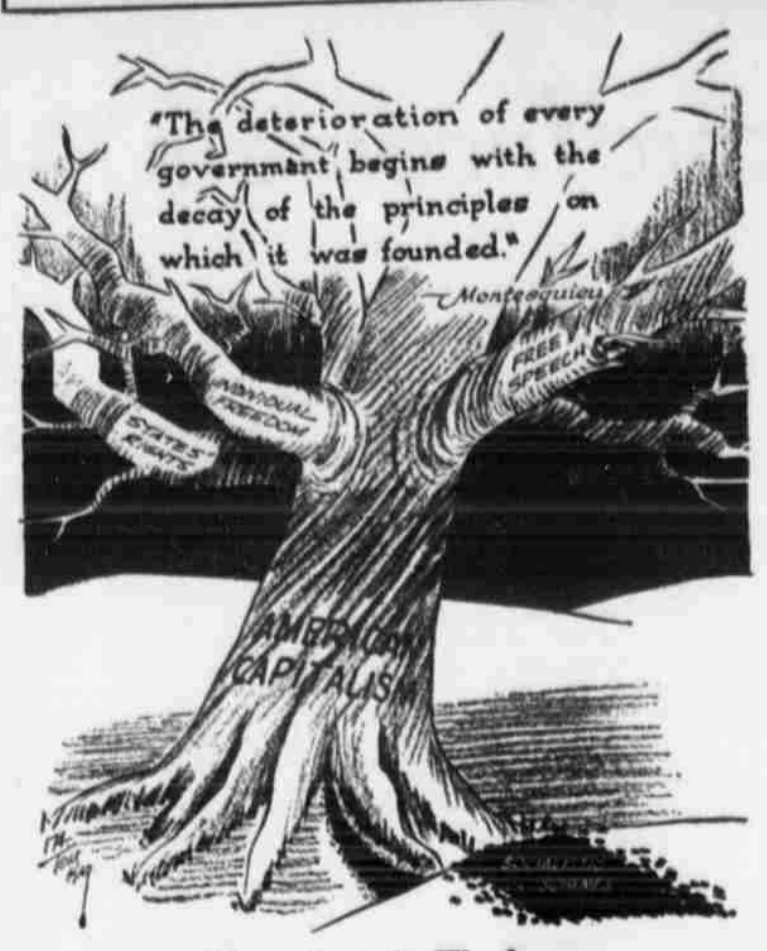
THIS YEAR I resolve to get a picture of Al's porpoise, Gertrude whom he is trying to break for his wife to ride. Then if the country is ever flooded, she won't be in any danger, Al says.

I further resolve not to write in the books at my office in green or purple ink, unless I just happen to have it in my fountain pen. I want things to look neat and I am making this resolution in order to do my part.

My next resolution, in case the world situation becomes more grave, is to go down to the beauty shop and start taking those reducing treatments so I can get back into my sailor suit. I am going to keep my black shoes shined and be ready to go at a moment's notice, even before they scrape the bottom of the barrel.

I FURTHER resolve not to buy any more expensive new equipment. Regardless of how much I need it, I will not buy it until the price calms down. I will be satisfied with my present equipment for at least three months and I resolve to resist all attempts any salesman might make to sell me more and better

THE AMERICAN WAY



Termites At Work

What Our Contemporaries Are Saying:

New School Opens
The new \$550,000 Brownfield High School building is completed and will be ready for occupancy of students for the next school semester, according to S. P. Cowan, school superintendent. Cowan said that, following Christmas vacation, the students would report to the old building when school resumes January 2, but the afternoon of that day will be spent in moving, and the first classes will be held January 3 in the new building. —The Terry County Herald.

The Right Will Prevail
We believe that it was Christmas 1944 when the "Battle of the Bulge" spoiled most everyone's Christmas and gained nothing for the Germany Army except a bit of ground which was quickly lost when the Allied Armies had time to meet the attack. In like manner the Communist Armies have a temporary advantage at the present in Korea but their advantage cannot last. We still believe in the theory that the right will eventually prevail in any eventuality and we also believe that there is no group of rattlers in the world who can match this one when it is thoroughly aroused. If the Communist nations just must have war before they are satisfied then there is nothing for this and other Democratic nations to do but to gird for war as much as we despise the thought. —The Lockney Beacon.

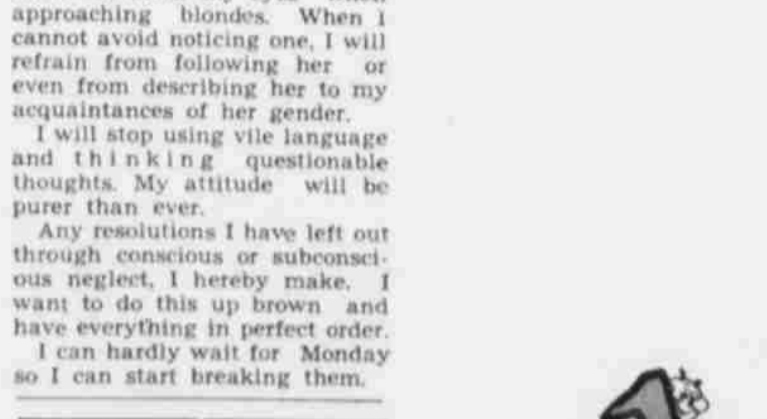
Harry Throws A Fit
Just about the time that we reach the conclusion that we shall not criticize the President along comes another letter! While we realize that the President is working under a tremendous strain, there is no excuse for him getting mad and throwing a fit. Word has been passed out that no letters will be accepted.

Be it further resolved that I will cast down my eyes when approaching blondes. When I cannot avoid noticing one, I will refrain from following her or even from describing her to my acquaintances of her gender. I will stop using vile language and thinking questionable thoughts. My attitude will be purer than ever.

Any resolutions I have left out through conscious or subconscious neglect, I hereby make. I want to do this up brown and have everything in perfect order. I can hardly wait for Monday so I can start breaking them.

With a total of 17,608 bales of cotton turned out to date by the five Haskell gin plants, total ginnings from the 1950 crop is expected to amount to around 18,000 bales, ginners estimated. —The Haskell Free Press.

When you buy coffee... White Swan Quality is your Best Economy. MORE PLEASURE PER CUP MORE CUPS PER POUND...



Happy New Year

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ROGER W. BABSON WRITES THIS WEEK

Past History Shows that America Will Come Out of Present Crisis Conditions

BABSON PARK, Mass.—Perhaps when everyone is so excited as is true today, it might be well to look at past history. There certainly have been other times when the American people were even more disturbed. Probably most readers have weathered four stock market panics.

The first scare was in 1914 when the New York Stock Exchange was closed for some months, and investors were throwing over securities without rhyme or reason. Yet, after the stock market opened again the industrial averages rose 113%, while many stocks rose much more. Stocks continued high for about two years.

The second scare came in 1921, brought about by an unprecedented sudden decline in wholesale commodity prices. This sent many concerns into bankruptcy. Yet, it was only a question of readjustment, after which employment increased and the industrial averages climbed nearly 500%, while certain stocks did much better.

The third scare came in 1929 due to the extreme overexpansion in the stock market, followed by the closing of thousands of banks,—a situation which had never before happened. Yet, faith was reestablished, and the industrial averages increased about 370%; while then again, other stocks did even better.

The fourth break came in 1937, and it was caused by the Roosevelt Administration attempting to put a planned economy on United States business. It was the first time this had ever been attempted; a severe market break followed, accompanied by unemployment, declining commodity prices, and general fear. This lasted until the war broke out in Europe when England and the Allies gave our corporations large war orders. Of course, during 1940, 1941, and 1942 the market fluctuated downward with the state of war, reaching the low point in 1942. When the war outlook changed for the better in 1942, the market began to pick up and the industrial averages

went up about 130%. The last scare came when the war was over, due to fear of unemployment. Everybody had gone to work during the war days; they liked their pay envelope, and did not want to leave their jobs. This fear of general unemployment caused merchants suddenly to cancel orders for merchandise which resulted in factories laying off more help. Contrary to all expectations, this unemployment was of short duration, and the stock market again began to climb. From 1942 to 1946 the industrial averages rose about 130%.

The country today is at a peak of a prosperity area. To be exact, we are riding 37% above the normal compared with 38% below the normal in 1933. Our normal is based upon the average of the full cycle. How long the present prosperity will last, no one knows. During the next few years our fate depends upon whether the President and his advisors say "yes" when they should say "Yes"; and say "No" when they should say "No". I sincerely hope they get on their knees and ask the guidance of God when making these tremendous decisions.

We need have no fear of the things which have brought on previous depressions. These have been remedied. Also, the stock exchange margins have been greatly increased, which should be a steadying factor, as well as the growth of investment trusts. The two factors which could cause a collapse are the acts of the political bosses of the Kremlin, and the acts of the labor bosses of the United States.

The next depression will be brought on by one of these two groups. It will come about some day, and wise are those who now have a reasonable amount in liquid funds to prepare for same. The point of this week's column however, is to show that we came out of all our previous troubles okay, and we will come out of our present troubles okay if we will keep out of debt and follow God's teachings.

Texans in WASHINGTON

By TEX EASLEY, Associated Press Washington Service

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—Once every two years representatives in congress do a lot of moving, shifting suites in the two large office buildings that stand a stone's throw from the Capitol.

The better offices go to the members with the greatest seniority. Thus it is that Texans hold some of the choice space.

First-termers as a rule are settled in the so-called "Old House Office building", an imposing white stone, 5-story structure built 40 years ago. Although it doesn't have the individual wash rooms provided in the suites of the seven-story 18-year-old "New House Office Building," the ceilings are higher and the floors are carpeted.

Many veteran congressmen prefer to remain in the "Old H.O.B.", because with seniority they may get choice spots near the front of the building and three-room suites instead of two rooms.

Each office building occupies an entire city block. A tunnel more than a block long connects them with the Capitol; a similar tunnel leads to the Senate Office building situated in the opposite direction from the Capitol. From one extreme corner of the Old House Office building to the most distant point of the Senate Office Building, one may walk underground nearly a half mile. But you don't have to walk in the Senate subway. It's equipped with an electric car system.

Speaker Sam Rayburn of Bonham and Senator Tom Connally of Marlin, by virtue of their positions as congressional leaders, have offices in the Capitol itself. Connally has a private office adjacent to the quarters of the Senate Foreign Relations committee, of which he is chairman.

With the 81st Congress in its final days, legislators who were reelected in November are looking about for better office suites, vacated by departing colleagues. Then other changes follow in a sort of chain reaction.

Rep. Tom Pickett of Palestine already has moved from the Old H.O.B. across the street to the new building to take the place of a colleague who left early. Rep. J. M. Combs of Beaumont is waiting

for a retiring legislator to get out of a New H.O.B. suite, so he can move across the street. Rep. John E. Lyle, Jr., of Corpus Christi may follow. Rep. Lloyd Benson, Jr., of McAllen is shifting from the third to the fifth floor of the Old H. O. B. to a larger suite, just a few doors away from Rep. Homer Thornberry of Austin.

The Panhandle's Rep.-Elect Walter Rogers of Pampa, in a lucky draw with other newcomers, landed one of the best spots in the Old H.O.B., on the first floor near the front of the building, close to the suite of Rep. Olin E. Teague of College Station.

Around the Capital:
The Japanese-American Citizens Committee notes that among Navy commissions sent to the senate for confirmation is that of Joe L. Akagi, a Nisei from Shelton, as an ensign.

Akagi recently completed flight training at Pensacola, Fla. The committee says that the Texan is the first Nisei—American citizen of Japanese non-citizens—to win his wings in naval aviation.

Heading back to Texas, after years of service here with the Federal Trade Commission, is attorney Joe N. Chapman of Sulphur Springs.

He came to Washington in 1941 and worked as a trial attorney in the anti-monopoly division of the FTC. During the war he served as a naval lieutenant commander. He plans to practice law in his home town.

A Geological Survey report notes that it takes 14 to 15 days for the peak of waters discharged from Morris Sheppard (Possum Kingdom) Dam on the Brazos River to reach Richmond, 600 miles away.

Unusual drought conditions in 1948 prompted irrigators in the lower reaches of the Brazos to request a greater flow of water for their rice crop.

The release waters, described as "miniature floods" when they left Possum Kingdom reservoir, dropped to about 20 per cent of the original volume by the time they reached the lower valley.

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Remembering Yesteryears...

Five Years Ago This Week
Tire rationing will end Jan. 1. Price Administrator Chester Bowles announced Thursday.

Ira (Dad) Greenfield was re-elected fire chief, with Ralph Carpenter assistant chief and Jesse Barnes, second assistant chief.

Alex Webb arrived in Post Wednesday to spend the holidays in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Webb. He was met here by his wife.

Fifteen Years Ago This Week
Scurry county officials reported Tuesday morning that no trace had been found of Truman Cannon, salesman for a Big Spring liquor wholesale company, whose bloodstained automobile was found near Snyder Dec. 19.

Names of all employables were being eliminated from the rolls of the Texas Relief Commission this week as officials prepared to close all district administrative offices Jan. 1.

A record-breaking crowd has been in Post all day today doing that last minute shopping. Not only are grocery stores at a rush business but dry goods and drug stores are crowded with people.

At the Baptist Sunday morning Otis and Miss Gladys Williams married and Sunday at Roy Odum and Miss Allison were married.

At a meeting held on the house lawn last Saturday noon two Lubbock men of the interest of the Old-Age Revolving penitentiary in Tahoka.

Thursday morning. Receipts at the local gins have declined steadily during the past two weeks as many farmers completed harvesting of this year's crop. Only a few scattered fields remain to be gathered, local ginners report. However, because of the exceptionally good price for the staple, producers are gathering all remnants of this year's yield.

Contracts for a new classroom building and a new classroom building for high school in Lamesa expected to be given soon. February, school officials have announced.

Delaware is the state with lowest elevation, around 60 feet; Colorado, aging 6,800 feet, has the highest.

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LADIES' Nylon Hose

All the New Winter shades. All sizes. \$1.49 Value. 3 Pair for

\$3.29

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100% All-Wool Robes. Wrap-Around style. Solid colors of navy or wine. . . \$7.95 Values

\$5.97

Ladies' Slips

Multi-Crepe Rayon Slips with lace trim. Size 32 to 40. \$3.98 value. White or Pink

\$2.97

Bags

LEATHER OR FAILLE — black, tan or green—all styles. 4.95 val.

\$2.97

Plus Tax

Tee Shirts

Men's White Cotton Tee Shirts. Sizes 34 to 44—Reg. 69c value.

47c

Lunch Cloths

Sunflower pattern. Fast color mercerized fabrics. Size 52x52. Regular \$3.49 Value

\$2.47

Wash Cloths

.09c

Towels

Size 18 x 30 Blue or pink. Reg. 29c Value. 4 FOR . . .

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Extra heavy Outing stripe, floral or solid.

44c yd.

BOY'S Blue Jeans

8 Ounce Sanforized Whiteback copper riveted Western style boy's Jeans. Sizes 8 to 16. Reg. \$2.49

\$1.97

BOY'S Leather Jacket

Boy's Leather Jackets—full rayon lined. Zipper closing. . . Sizes 8 to 18—Reg. 12.95 value.

\$9.97

Boy's Tee Shirts

Solid and stripes. Sizes 6 to 14. VALUES TO \$1.79

97c



5% WOOL

Blankets

Heavy Plaid Blanket with wide satin binding. Full size, double blanket—blue, pink or green plaid

Reg. \$4.98 Value

\$3.97

Cotton Blankets

Double size. Plaid of blue or pink. Reg. 2.98 Value

\$2.47

100 %

All-Wool Mat

54" and 60" width. Plaids or solids. Reg. \$2.95 Value

\$1.33

Men's Hats

100% Fur Felt Hats in brown, tan, grey, blue or Willow . . . Size 6 3-4 to 7 3-8—\$5.00 value

\$2.99

Men's Sport Coats

Men's All-Wool Sport Coats—Colors of tan, grey, green, blue or beige. Sizes 36 to 42. 19.95 VALUE

\$14.90

Men's Dress Shirts

Men's Broadcloth Dress Shirts in stripes or solid color. . . Sizes 14 to 17—Reg. \$3.50 Val.

\$2.29

MEN'S Corduroy Shirts

Men's Corduroy Sport Shirts—Grey, tan, brown or green . . . Reg. 7.50 Value

\$4.90

Men's Pajamas

Men's Pajamas in Outing or Broadcloth in stripe or solids. Reg. \$4.95 Value. Sizes A-B-C-D

\$3.97

MEN'S Sweat Shirts

Men's Sweat Shirts in heavy fleece lined. Sm. Med. or Large

\$1.47

Men's Rayon Sox

Rayon Sox in solid or stripes. . . Sizes 10 to 12—Val. to 50c

27c

Boy's Sweaters

Boys Sweaters—button or pull-on style. Solid or two-tone colors. Sizes 8 to 16—\$3.98 Value

\$1.97



Men's SUITS

Men's Suits in gabardine, shark-skin, tweeds or worsteds—Single or double breasted models in brown, tan, blue, grey or beige. Sizes 34 to 44—Values to 55.00

\$34.90

MEN'S Nylon Jackets

All-Wool quilted lining with knitted waist band. Reg. \$19.95

\$14.90

BOY'S Flannel Sport Shirts

Flannel Sport Shirts in bright fancy colors. Size 8 to 16. . . \$2.98 Value

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Children's Oxfords

One group of children's Oxfords in an odd run of sizes. 4.89 values

\$2.98

Chambray

Striped Chambray—Reg. 49c val.

27c yd.

Close City News

Please Send News Not Later Than Monday to **MRS. WILL TEAFF** Close City Correspondent

Christmas visitors in the L. R. Mason home were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mason and son, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mason and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Mason and family of Lubbock, Sgt. Benton Mason, who recently came home from Korea, and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Maxey and family of Earth and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Smith and family. Two of the Mason children were unable to be here; they are Ruby, who is in Virginia and Harvey who lives in Massachusetts.

Visitors during the weekend in the Will Teaff home were Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Watson and baby of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey R. Stotts and son and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Bayer and daughters of Lubbock, Erven Pugham of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Teaff and son and Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Roberts and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Roberts and daughters left Saturday evening to spend Christmas in House, N. M., in the home of Roberts' brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Golehon.

Mrs. Ethel Redman and children and Mrs. Lula Floyd visited during the holidays in Lovington, N. M., with Mrs. Redman's daughters and their families, the Carlos Alexanders and the Dan Berrys.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Teaff and son, Howard Lee, attended a family Christmas dinner in the home of Mrs. Teaff's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Norman, at Grassland, Tex. of the 11 children were present for the dinner. A son, Johnny, who lives in California, was unable to attend.

Miss Ora Halsell, a teacher here, is visiting this week in Odessa.

Grassburr News

Please Send News Not Later Than Monday to **MRS. H. J. TAYLOR** Grassburr Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Johns and family of Pampa were holiday guests in the home of Mrs. John's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Wilks, sr.

Christmas visitors in the J. G. Siewert home were their daughter and family, the W. Elliotts of Levelland, and Mr. and Mrs. Arval Siewert and daughter of Post.

Francis Shannon visited last week with relatives in Seymour and spent the holidays in Oklahoma.

David Buster, who attends North Texas State college in Denton came home to spend the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Maud Buster and sister, Cletta.

Mr. and Mrs. Wren Cross and Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Cross spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dietrich and family at Andrews.

The school children had a program and Christmas tree at the school Friday afternoon.

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- CHERRIES** RED—Sour No. 2 Can **15c**
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- DOLE—46 OUNCE CAN PINEAPPLE JUICE** **39c**
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- WOLF BRAND CHILI** No. 2 can **67c**
- CENTRAL—NO. 2 CAN SPINACH** 2 for **25c**
- MARSHALL—NO. 2 CAN HOMINY** 3 for **25c**
- WOLF BRAND TAMALES** No. 2 can **27c**
- WITH PORK—NO. 300 CAN BEANS** 3 for **25c**
- VIENNAS** OLD BILL No. 1/2 Can **10c**

WE WILL BE CLOSED ALL DAY MONDAY—NEW YEAR'S DAY

FRESH FRUITS & VEGETABLES

- CARROTS** CALIFORNIA LARGE BUNCH **10c**
- RADISHES** Fresh, bunch **5c**
- ORANGES** Texas **5lb. bag 45c**
- LETTUCE** Firm Heads, pound **10c**
- GREEN ONIONS** bunch **7 1/2c**
- WALNUTS** 1 pound bag **29c**
- BANANAS** GOLDEN FRUIT POUND **12 1/2c**

PIGGLY WIGGLY QUALITY MEATS

- PORK CHOPS** FIRST CUTS POUND **49c**
- BONELESS PERCH** pound **35c**
- BACON** Wilson Lakeview, Sliced, lb. **35c**
- PORK LIVER** Sliced, pound **35c**
- SPARE RIBS**, Small Meaty, lb. **55c**
- CHEESE** Clearfield, 2lb. box **75c**
- STEAK** LOIN OR T-BONE POUND **87c**

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ORANGE-AID HI-C 46 Oz. Can **23c**

- KRISPY CRACKERS**, 1 lb. box **28c**
- GOLD TIP—NO. 2 CAN GREEN BEANS**, 2 for **25c**
- HEINZ—LARGE BOTTLE KETCHUP** **25c**
- BROOKS—NO. 303 CAN BUTTER BEANS** **12 1/2c**
- HOSTESS—NO. 303 PEAS**, 2 for **25c**
- APRICOT—DEL MONTE NECTAR**, 46 oz. can **39c**

- SHELLED—1 LB. PKG. PECANS** **99c**
- MAYFIELD—303 CAN CORN** 2 for **25c**
- BAKERS—4 OZ. PKG. COCOANUT** **15c**
- CUT-RITE—125-FT. ROLL WAX PAPER** **25c**
- 6 BOX CARTON MATCHES** **35c**
- JOHNSON'S—QUART CAN GLO-COAT** **99c**

JELLO Assorted Flavors Package **50c**

- AJAX CLEANSER**, 2 for **25c**
- 60-COUNT PACKAGE NAPKINS**, 2 for **25c**
- PARD—16 OZ. CAN DOG FOOD** **15c**
- SKINNERS—PKG. RAISIN BRAN** **18c**
- SKINNERS—7 OZ. PKG. MACARONI** **11c**
- CASHMERE BOUQUET TOILET SOAP**, Bath Size, (Reg. 15c), Now **10c**
- PALMOLIVE—TOILET SOAP**, Bath Size (Reg. 14c) Now **10c**
- QUART BOTTLE PUREX** **15c**
- PETTY—2 LB.—EXTRACT HONEY** **45c**
- VERMONT MAID—12 OZ. SYRUP** **25c**
- REAGAN'S—NO. 2 CAN KRAUT** **15c**
- TUXEDO—NO. 1/2 CAN TUNA** **25c**



FROZEN FOOD FEATURES

- SNOW CROP ORANGE JUICE** 40z. Can **15c**
- SNOW CROP PEACHES**, 120z. Package **25c**
- FORD HOOK LIMA BEANS** 12 Oz. Package **25c**
- SNOW CROP PEAS** 8 Ounce Package **15c**

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HOLMES AND FRANK GILLHAM TO MARRY IN BROWNWOOD CHURCH SOON

The Rev. and Mrs. I. K. Holmes of Brownwood are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Wynon, to the Rev. M. Frank Gillham. Parents of the prospective bridegroom are the Rev. and Mrs. T. M. Gillham. The couple will exchange vows on Friday, Jan. 19 at 7 o'clock in the evening in the Methodist Baptist church in Brownwood. Post friends are being extended an invitation by way of the press.

Ammons and McKamie Are Married In Clovis, N. M.

The Weaver Ammons, daughter of Mrs. R. Justice, and Billy McKamie were married in Clovis, N. M., Saturday. The bride and groom are the Rev. Mr. Stewart, pastor of Assembly of God church, per-

Floyd Payne of Snyder, the Gaylon Youngs of Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. Ben A. Price and Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Mears and daughter, Natha Jo, were Christmas visitors in the L. P. Kennedy, Jr., home.

formed the single ring ceremony in his home at 12:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

The bride wore a navy suit with pink and blue accessories. Wedding guests were the brides' mother, Gene Hale, Opal Balue, Virgie Ammons and Mrs. Fay Porter.



MR. AND MRS. W. T. PARCHMAN TO CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING DAY

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Parchman of Justiceburg are invited to attend open house on their golden wedding anniversary, Jan. 7.

Children of the couple are hosts for the occasion and party hours are from two until six o'clock in the afternoon.

No invitations are being mailed but are being issued through the press.

Miss Darden Weds Ben H. Cockrell

Miss Margaret Darden of McCaulley and Ben H. Cockrell were married at 6 o'clock Tuesday evening in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Darden.

Miss Jeanine Martin, organist, of Loraine, played wedding selections and she also accompanied Miss Wanda Gollehon of Dimmitt who sang "Because."

The Rev. A. B. Cockrell officiated for the double ring ceremony for his son and Miss Darden. The Rev. Mr. Cockrell was assisted by his brother, the Rev. Alby Cockrell, pastor of the Petersburg First Methodist church.

Ushers were Jimmie and George Matt Darden, brothers of the bride.

After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Darden were hosts for a reception. Misses Martin and Gollehon presided at the beautifully decorated table.

Punch was served with the wedding cake to 20 relatives and close friends.

After a trip Mr. and Mrs. Cockrell will be at home at 1034 Palm in Abilene. For travel the bride chose a brown checked suit with brown accessories.

Mrs. Cockrell was graduated from McCaulley high school and attended McMurry college in Abilene. She is employed by Lester's Jewelry. Her husband is a graduate of Coahoma high school and will receive a degree in June from McMurry where he is a business major.

Gifts Exchanged At Christmas Buffet

Gifts were exchanged from a Christmas tree when employees and officials of Murchison Brothers-Brown Brothers Oil Operators held a Christmas buffet at the Legion hut Saturday.

A table lamp was presented Mr. and Mrs. Monte Moore by the employees.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Owen, Roy Wade, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Scott and daughter, Tommy, Moore and two daughters, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Ackers and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Price and children, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Rogers.

Ralph Cockrell, Mr. and Mrs. Edsel Cross and son, Butch, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Davies and son, Don, Mr. and Mrs. Edd T. Dye and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Metzler and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Stanley.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Simpson and son, Gary, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Clary, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stone, Carter White, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Johnson and sons, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Taylor and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Windham and children, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Dean and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Huff, Luther Hilberry and Johnny, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Norman, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rodgers and children, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Wade, Emmett Shedd, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Riddle and son, Jody Mason and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jones and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmo Gossett and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Don Windham and son of Post, the Glen Davis, Delmer Cowdry and Lonnie Peel families were Christmas dinner guests in the Elmer Cowdry home in the Graham community.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Kennedy, Jr. and Anita and Mr. and Mrs. Gaylon Young of Littlefield were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. H. D. Thomas in Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Taylor and Mrs. C. A. Jackson of Carlsbad, N. M., were holiday guests of the Ed Neff family and Mrs. Maysel Williams and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Edsel Cross and son and the Sid Cross family of Justiceburg visited Mrs. Cross and the Foy Winn family at Sundown Monday afternoon.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Warren Christmas Day were Mrs. Warren's brother, A. R. Tyson, and his wife of Atlanta, Georgia, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Weimhold of Levelland and Mr. and Mrs. Rob Strayhorn and son, Joe of Rotan.

Mrs. F. I. Bailey left Saturday for La Junta, Colo., where she will spend a week with her sister, Mrs. Orville West, and Mr. West.

Mrs. Gladys Hyde and Miss Nora Stevens have returned from Waco where they spent the Christmas holiday weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Strayhorn and son, Johnny, of Hobbs, N. M., visited in the Ed Warren home Saturday night. The Strayhorns were en route to Rotan to spend the Christmas holiday weekend with their parents, the J. R. Strayhorns and the Mark Stricklins.

Mrs. L. B. Whitaker and two daughters, Elaine and Kay, accompanied by Mrs. Whitaker's sister, Mrs. Cecil Long of Slaton, spent Wednesday and Wednesday night in Big Spring with another sister and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Tip Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Tate spent the holidays in San Marcos.

Trimble-Lester Vows Are Read In Clovis, Dec. 20

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Trimble of Southland are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Joy, to Joe Boyce Lester, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Lester.

The couple exchanged vows in the home of a Baptist minister in Clovis, Dec. 20.

The bride wore a grey suit with navy accessories and a pink carnation corsage.

Miss Jo Ann Trimble, sister of the bride, and Melvin Basinger were attendants.

Mrs. Lester is a graduate of Southland high school and has been employed in Slaton.

The bridegroom was also graduated from Southland high school and is engaged in farming.

After a trip to Ruidoso the couple is living at 630 W. Crosby in Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Cardwell and Mrs. Irene Rodgers, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Griffith and daughter of Lubbock spent the Christmas holidays in Snyder with the Novis Rodgers family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Sparlin and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sparlin and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. William Jackson and daughters and Dallas Sparlin attended a family reunion Christmas in McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Jude Manly and son, Jude, III, of Odessa and Price Manly of Amarillo visited over the holidays with the Jude Manlys and E. S. Stewart here.

Christmas guests of Mrs. Alice Parsons were her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Conner Parsons and two children of Williamsburg, Mo., her sister-in-law, Mrs. H. T. Parsons and her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Parsons of Graham; and her children, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Parso, Miss Jewell Parsons and Mr. and Mrs. Archie Cox and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Bowen and family of Brownwood visited relatives here during Christmas. Gayle Bowen, a student at Hardin-Simmons university, remained here for a visit with his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Bowen.

Mr. and Mrs. Clobern Pirtle and children of Pueblo, Colo., visited during the holidays with Pirtle's mother, Mrs. L. A. Pirtle and other relatives.

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SPUDS WHITE 10 Pounds	39c
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CLUB STEAK POUND	79c

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Mr. and Mrs. James Bagwell of Midland spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hudman.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edwards and daughters, Sharon and Lynn, were in Alamogordo, N. M., for Christmas, visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Edwards.

Mrs. Percy Parsons spent Christmas Eve in Muleshoe with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Aday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Herron and son, Lewis, are spending the holidays with their parents in Archer City.

Mrs. H. G. Howard of Pleasanton arrived Tuesday to spend the week with her mother and sister, Mrs. I. L. Gollehon and Vera. Christmas Day guests of the Gollehons were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gollehon of Hereford.

Holiday guests of the Percy Parsons are Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Bowden of Texarkana.

Southland News

MRS. FLOY KING
Southland Correspondent
Please Send News Not Later Than Monday to

Mrs. Bobbie Halliburton was bought home from Slaton Mercy hospital Monday where she had been a patient for several days.

Mrs. Donald Pennell and children and Mrs. Carl Cederholm of Post left Tuesday for Decatur to visit a brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Arno Albrecht and son spent the holidays with relatives in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gilliland and children spent Christmas in Fort Leonard, Mo., with their son and brother, Duane, who is in the army there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Young and daughter of Bryan spent Sunday night and Christmas day with Mrs. Young's brother, Grady King, and family and the Harry Kings.

Charles Becker, who has been stationed at Pearl Harbor with the Navy, arrived home Friday for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kellum of Idalou visited Kellum's mother, Mrs. Nettie Kellum, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Ferguson and children spent Sunday night and Monday in Post in the J. A. Ferguson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Jack Trimble of Washington and D. E. Hambright and family of Midland were Christmas guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hambright.

Marvin Truelock left Friday for a visit with his step-children, Glenda and Calvin Grantham and the Frank and Fred Fletcher families in Galveston.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bradford and children of Slaton and Mr. and Mrs. Junior Burton and baby were Monday dinner guests in the Glenn Burton home.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith McDonald and Mr. and Mrs. Foster spent the holidays in Abilene with relatives.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Riley Wood during the holidays were their son, Wilbur, and family of Talent, Ore. Friday night the Wilbur Woods visited in Idalou with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kellum.

J. I. Bartlett had as his Christmas guests his daughters and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Owens of Seymour and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gregory and sons of Crane.

Carolyn Sue Kaysinger is visiting in Anson with her father, Tom Kaysinger and his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ramsey and baby of Midland, Albert Smallwood and Mr. and Mrs. Neal Smallwood of Odessa visited the G. N. Smallwoods over the weekend.

Mrs. Nellie Mathis and grandchildren spent Monday in Brownfield with Mr. and Mrs. Dick

Salute to American Agriculture Will Be Presented by Earl Rogers' Company

Farmers, agriculture and civic leaders, and school children are invited to participate in an inspirational program—"We Salute American Agriculture"—which is being presented during the week of Jan. 22 under the sponsorship of Garza Tractor and Implement company.

The program will be highlighted by a series of meetings at which the technicolor motion picture, "Waves of Green," will be exhibited for the first time in this community.

"Waves of Green" tells the story of how American farmers and American farm industries have worked hand-in-hand with scientists and educators of the Nation's land-grant colleges to make this the greatest agricultural nation in the history of mankind. It was produced by Dearborn Motors corporation as a non-commercial documentary film to pay a mid-century tribute to the men and women who have contributed so much to American agricultural progress since the Morrill Act establishing land-grant colleges, was enacted in 1862.

"We Salute American Agriculture" programs are planned for three groups: Farm people and agricultural leaders, members of community service and civic organizations, and school children. The dates and places of these meetings will be announced soon.

Showings for school students

Mathis.

Wayne Rogers and Billy Lancaster, who are in the army and stationed at San Antonio, were Southland visitors over the weekend.

Sgt. and Mrs. Henry King and children of Lawton, Okla., spent the weekend with King's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry King. Other Sunday guests were Mr. and Mrs. Leon King and children, Monday the King family had as guests Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bull of Kalispell, Mont.

Mr. and Mrs. John Leake were hosts for a family dinner Christmas eve. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Leake and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Leake and children, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Leake and Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Hendrix and son all of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Haywood Basinger and family and Mrs. N. E. Jones.

Mrs. C. E. Cox is spending the week in Plainview with her husband, who is employed there.

Mr. and Mrs. August Becker and children, Margery and Charles, were in Lubbock Sunday visiting the Junior Beckers.



You are INVITED

As part of our program in which "WE SALUTE AMERICAN AGRICULTURE" we are sponsoring several meetings at which the great agricultural motion picture WAVES OF GREEN in glorious Technicolor will be presented for the first time in this community.

You and your friends are cordially invited to attend one of these meetings. Because the seats are limited, admission is by reservation only. We want you to be our guest, and you can obtain your own complimentary ticket just by phoning us, writing us or—best of all by stopping in.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS (Contract No. 151 Street Improvements)

Sealed proposals addressed to the Mayor and City Commission of the City of Post, Texas, will be received at the office of the City Secretary, City Hall in Post, Texas, until 3:00 p. m., Tuesday, Jan. 9, 1951, for furnishing all necessary materials, equipment, superintendence, and labor for constructing certain street improvements on approximately 94 blocks in the City of Post, Texas.

The costs of the improvements will be paid for as follows: The abutting property and the owners thereof shall be assessed and pay for not exceeding all the costs of constructing curb and gutter, plus nine-tenths of the remaining costs, and the City will pay the balance in cash from the proceeds of a \$50,000.00 bond issue voted on September 23, 1950. No bid will be considered which involves payment for the work on any basis except that outlined in the specifications.

Bidders must submit Cashier's or Certified Check issued by a bank satisfactory to the City Commission, or a Bidder's Bond from a reliable Surety Company, payable without recourse to the order of John Herd, Mayor, in the amount not less than five (5%) per cent of the largest possible bid submitted as a guaranty that Bidder will enter into a contract and execute bond and guaranty in the forms provided within ten (10) days after notice of award of contract to him. Bids without required check or Proposal Bond will not be considered. Bids must be submitted on forms contained in the Specifications.

The successful Bidder must furnish performance bond on the form attached to the Specifications in the amount of 100 per cent of the total contract price from a Surety Company holding a permit from the State of Texas to act as Surety or Sureties acceptable to the City.

All lump sum and unit prices must be stated in both script and figures. The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive formalities. In case of ambiguity or lack of clearness in stating the prices in the bids, the City reserves the right to consider the most advantageous construction thereof, or to reject the bid. Unreasonable (or "Unbalanced") unit prices will authorize the City to reject any bid.

Bidders are expected to inspect the site of the work and to inform themselves regarding all local conditions.

Attention is called to the fact that there must be paid on this project not less than the general prevailing rates of wages which have been established by the City as the following:

Mechanic, Workman or Type of Labor.	General Prevailing per diem wage based on 8-hour working day	General Prevailing Hourly Wage
Skilled	\$12.00 to \$14.00	\$1.50 to \$1.75
Semi-Skilled	8.80 to 12.00	1.10 to 1.50
Unskilled	8.00	1.00

(Detailed Wage Scales are set up in the Specifications)

The bidder's attention is also called to the special provisions concerning minimum wage rates and hours of employment included in the specifications and that compliance must be insured with House Bill No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature and House Bill No. 115 of the 44th Legislature of the State of Texas, and also all Federal Wages and Hours Legislation applicable.

Instructions to bidders, proposal forms, specifications, and plans are on file at the office of the City Secretary of Post, Texas. Copies may be secured from H. N. Roberts & Associates, 1310 Avenue Q, Lubbock, Texas, upon deposit of \$25.00 each, which deposit will be returned to the CONTRACTOR on submission of a bona fide bid on the work, with such Plans and Specifications; or upon returning the Plans and Specifications immediately after examination of same, and advising the ENGINEER that bid will not be submitted; otherwise, the deposit shall be forfeited. No obligation is assumed to return deposit under other conditions.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS Contract Number 250

Sealed proposals addressed to the Mayor and City Commission of the City of Post, Texas, will be received at the office of the City Secretary, in Post, Texas, until 2:00 p. m., CST, Tuesday, Jan. 9, 1951, for furnishing all necessary materials, machinery, equipment, superintendence, and labor for performing the following work:

Waterworks improvements consisting of about 12,500 L. F. of 12" or 14" supply line and appurtenances.

Bidders must submit Cashier's or Certified Check issued by a bank satisfactory to the Owner, or a Bidder's Bond from a reliable Surety Company, payable without recourse to the order of John Herd, Mayor, in the amount of not less than 5% of the largest bid submitted as a guaranty that the Bidder will enter into a contract and execute bond and guaranty in the forms provided within ten (10) days after notice of award of contract to him. Bids without required check or Proposal Bond will not be considered. All bids must be made on the Proposal Forms in the Specifications.

The successful Bidder must furnish performance bond in the amount of 100 per cent of the total contract price from a Surety Company holding a permit from the State of Texas to act as Surety, or Other Surety or Sureties acceptable to the Owner.

All lump sum and unit prices must be stated in both script and figures. The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive formalities. In case of ambiguity or lack of clearness in stating the prices in the bids, the Owner reserves the right to consider the most advantageous construction thereof, or to reject the bid. Unreasonable (or "unbalanced") unit prices will authorize the Owner to reject any bid.

Bidders are expected to inspect the site of the work and to inform themselves regarding all local condition.

Attention is called to the fact that there must be paid on this project not less than the general prevailing rates of wages which have been established by the Owner as the following:

Mechanic, Workman or Type of Labor.	General Prevailing per diem wage based on 8-hour working day	General Prevailing Hourly Wage
Skilled	\$16.00	\$2.00
Semi-Skilled	12.00	1.50
Unskilled	8.00	1.00

(Detailed Labor Classifications and Corresponding Wage Rates are set out in the Specifications.)

The Bidder's attention is also called to the special provisions concerning minimum wage rates and hours of employment included in the specifications and that compliance must be insured with House Bill No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature and House Bill No. 115 of the 44th Legislature of the State of Texas, and also all Federal Wages and Hours Legislation applicable.

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FOR RENT—One furnished two-room house; one furnished two-room apartment. Call 73W.

FOR RENT—trailer space, 608 W. 8th, telephone 296J. 2tp

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FOR RENT—Furnished apartments. Whiteway apartments south of new grade school.

FOR RENT—Old post office building 2000 sq. ft., choice location. See Jim Hundley.

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FOR SALE—Residence on West Main. See N. C. Outlaw.

9-Machinery

FOR SALE—One used adding machine. Hi-Way Grocery and Market. ttc

10-Miscellaneous

WANTED—Four or 5-room unfurnished house by Jan. 1, or soon after, permanent resident. Call 224W from 8 to 5. 1tc

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FOR SALE—Nice domestic sack, will hold 100 lbs., just right for pillow cases. Good for many uses. T. L. Jones, Jones Grain company.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN—No one has permission to hunt or fish on the Beulah Bird Ranch.

FOR SALE—Extra good pigs. Homer Huddleston, 9-mi. NE of Post. 2tp

11-Card of Thanks

CARD OF THANKS
We the people of the Assembly of God church wish to take this means of expressing our heartfelt thanks to the people of Post for the many expressions of sympathy and kindness shown in the recent loss of our church building.

We especially extend our thanks to Brother Jones and his fine people for quickly responding to our need of a place to worship and inviting us to use their lovely building for our Sunday School and other services. And also to the other ministers who have since invited us to use their churches for our services.

We also would like to commend the boys of the fire department for their willingness and efforts to try to save our church house. We would also like to make mention of the school board for granting us the privilege of using the school house for our services.

We will be starting our new church house in the near future. Our services are now being held in the old grade school building. Sunday School is at 10 o'clock and Wednesday and Sunday evening services at 7:30 o'clock.

We say again thanks to one and all and may God bless each of you. H. A. Wilson, pastor.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank each and everyone for their kindness and sympathy shown us in our bereavement, also the courtesy of both Mason and Hudman funeral homes and we're not forgetting all the beautiful flowers and food that were sent. May God bless each and everyone.

The N. E. Howell family.

CARD OF THANKS
We want to thank everyone for the kindness and sympathy shown us in the loss of our son and brother, also for the beautiful flowers and the food that was brought. May God give you his richest blessings.

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REMEMBER—"We Buy Merchandise To Sell". Both our front and back doors to our store will be open to you. A nice lot to the rear for you to park your car.

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ed into the cutting edge give the knife a sawlike edge which will actually cut meat. The cutlery comes in sets of three.
Baby Bath Harness. Recently patented is a harness to keep the baby from slipping under the water in the bath tub. It is held in position by suction cups that may be fastened any place inside the tub. Thus the parent can use both hands in bathing the infant.
Hold That Thread! A pressure foot for a sewing machine that will keep the thread in the needle, cut it where desired—both bobbin and spool threads of equal length—leaves no loose ends, and always feed more thread for a new seam, has been invented by a woman, working with a wartime mechanic.
Bomb Growth. The first of the ever-growing crop of aerosol bombs were "bug bombs" for the spraying of DDT; then came deodorants and glycol bombs for killing airborne bacteria; then those for killing moths, for flameproofing textiles; etc. The latest are "hair bombs" for spraying milady's locks with a hairdressing preparation dissolved in Freon, which acts as the propellant. When this material is squirted on the hair, there is no need for a hair net—in fact, it is being described as a "liquid hair net."

More Deficit Financing
The first half of 1951 may actually see a budget surplus as a result of high national income and increased taxation. Later, if Congress goes along with the Administration's plans for huge rearmament, a federal deficit will arise during the last half of the year.
As a result of the preceding prediction, money supplies should not begin to rise until after business has turned down. Increases at such a time are not likely to have much effect on prices.
Government bonds will be held tightly between the floor of Fed-

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The danger of war remains. Until it disappears, wise people will move out of large bomb-vulnerable cities and avoid having investments in such areas.
The stock averages may work somewhat higher during the first half of next year, but sometime during 1951 they will sell lower than current quotations.
Stocks now in the best position for 1951 should be those that have not been popular as inflation hedges in the past months. I like good chain store stocks.
Investment trust funds, pension funds, and insurance companies will provide an excellent backlog of demand for sound income stocks where good values can be demonstrated.
The successful investor next year will be the one who follows a carefully planned investment program. Such a program will emphasize diversification—not only by company and industry, but also by quality. Over-concentration will not pay in 1951.
Highest-grade taxable corporate bonds should hold in a narrow price range during 1951, but I see no reason for individual investors buying them. For my forecast for long-term government bonds, see above. The only corporation bonds which interest me are "Convertibles."
With income taxes slated to increase in 1951, tax-exempt bonds should continue in good demand. There has been some speculation in these, however, and any downward change in the tax outlook might cause a sudden turnabout in prices for municipals. Investors should see to it that their bond maturities are carefully diversified, with some part of their bond funds maturing each year.
Real Estate Down
The real estate outlook for 1951 will be strongly affected by curbs on mortgage credit. Much of the recent boom was the result of easy credit—almost nothing down and small easy payments for years hence.
New home construction will suffer a greater decline than other lines. Nonessential commercial building will also be hit.
The coming decline in new building will throw a wet blanket over speculation in vacant suburban lots.
The scare caused by the Korean-China war and fears of an early outbreak in other sections will adversely affect the demand for big city real estate. Lower business volumes and the draft next year will also curtail such demand.
Small sustenance farms should hold up well in price as demand will be spurred by those refugees outside the big cities. Demand for large commercial farms, however, should weaken as the year progresses.
The swing back toward rent control will act as a further damper on new building. There is no incentive to build homes for rental income.
Tighter credit controls will make it more difficult to purchase older residential properties, and the prices for these should weaken.
As building volume slackens in 1951, the quality of available materials and workmanship should improve. This will help those who have saved their money and can pay for at least half the cost of a new home.
Defense Orders, Politics
Those who can do so should attempt to get defense orders as a means of holding up production volumes and reducing overhead. Not too much profit from such war business should be expected, however, as these contracts will be subject to tight-fisted renegotiations.
The political outlook for 1951 will be completely dominated by jockeying for the position in the Presidential race for 1952. Most of Congress' time will be spent on international problems; but either war or peace could come early in 1951, which could make many of the above forecasts useless.
In domestic matters, despite recent election changes in party alignment, Congress will still be dominated by a conservative coalition of Northern Republicans and "unregenerated" Southern Democrats. When the heat is on in a tough fight, the North-South coalition will still be able to curb onslaughts by New Dealers.
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Frank Hill, editor of the Lynn County News at Tahoka, transacted business at the Dispatch office Saturday.

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Mrs. F. A. Gilley spent the Christmas holidays in Lubbock with her daughter, Mrs. Gordon Treadaway, and family.

Christmas Day guests of the T. D. Scotts were Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Pierce and sons, Don and Ronnie of Snyder, Mrs. S.W. McCrary, Miss Janie Shepherd and Jerry Windham of Post.

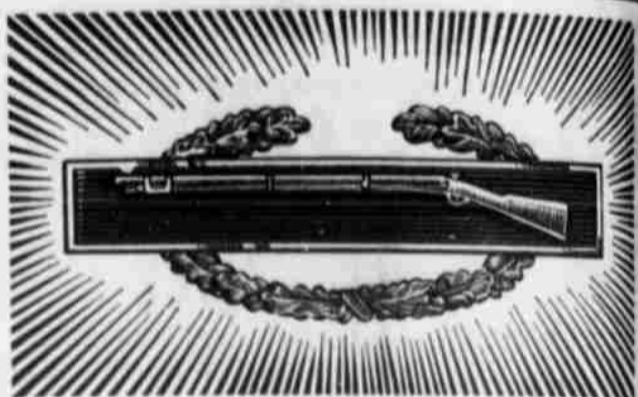
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