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"With an offense to friends or foes we sketch Cross Plains exactly as it goes."

CROSS PLAINS, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS

Wildcats Win Over Rising Star

Play Baird Bears Tonight

Football Fans Are

Excitedly Awaiting

Game Time Tonight

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ROBERT W. ANDERSON

Robert Anderson on Leave; Expects To Be Discharged Soon

CPL. Robert W. Anderson of the Naval Base Hospital in Oakland, Calif., arrived here Monday morning to spend a 29-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Anderson.

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New Support Price On Hogs Announced By Government

A 1946 spring pig goal of 22,000,000 head and an average support price for good to choice butcher hogs of \$12 per hundred pounds (Chicago basis) has been announced by the United States Department of Agriculture.

Effective dates of the support program are October 1, 1945 to September 30, 1947, according to C. B. Hodges of Texas Production and Marketing Administration. Seasonal variations are being applied for the first time to hog prices, meaning the \$12 average Chicago price will vary according to normal seasonal changes. This price ranges from \$10.75 in December, 1946 to \$13.25 in September, 1947, Hodges said.

The present support price of \$13 per hundred, Chicago, with seasonal variations, was announced May 21, 1945, to be effective until September 1, 1948, and now is extended to September 30, 1949, he continued.

Next year's average support price of \$12 at Chicago will reflect at least 90 per cent of parity to farmers as provided by the Steagall amendment.

In arriving at the new support price, the average difference between U. S. average farm prices for all hogs and average Chicago market prices for good to choice city butcher hogs have been added to present 90 per cent of parity price, the addition now including allowances for sores. Heretofore, sores have been reflected in farm prices but not in Chicago prices, Hodges explained. Parity for hogs September 15 was \$12.00 and 90 per cent of parity for the same date was \$11.34.

Sgt. J. R. Blackburn, discharged from Army with 100 points

Sgt. John R. Blackburn, husband of the former Dossie Huntington of this city, received a discharge from the Army October 21 at the Camp Fannin, Tex., separation center, with a total of 100 service points.

Sergeant Blackburn served as a Squadron leader in the 272nd Infantry Division, and has spent 13 months in the ETO. He participated in three major battles: Northern France, Rhineland and Central Europe. He was awarded the ETO ribbon with three battle stars, Combat Infantry Badge and the Good Conduct medal.

He enlisted in the service July 17, 1940, and received basic training at Fort Clark, Texas. He is the son of R. F. Blackburn of Cisco.

His wife and their baby daughter whom he had never seen have been making their home here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bon Huntington.

He enlisted in the service August 7, 1940, and received training at Ft. Sill, Okla., and Camp Polk, La.

He was awarded the ETO ribbon with four battle stars, having participated in the Battle of the Bulge, Central Europe, Northern France, and the Rhineland; Good Conduct medal, and Pre-World War II ribbon. He has been visiting here and in Austin since receiving his discharge.

Colonel Homer Garrison, Jr., director of Texas Department of Public Safety, has advised that there will start immediately an enforcement program to see that all persons who are residents of Texas properly register their automobiles. Thousands of dollars are going into the revenue of other state treasuries when it should be going into the Texas treasury for the maintenance of Texas highways.

Mrs. G. W. Cowan and son of Schulenburg spent part of last week here with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond DeBusk.

COMMUNITY WAR CHEST CONTRIBUTORS

Community War Chest Donations totaled \$25 this week, making a total sum of \$715.09 for Cross Plains. The quota is \$1174.

Contributors this week were: Mr. & Mrs. J. T. Hewes — 10.00 Community Pub. Service — 10.00 An error was made in the J. C. Heifer Cafe contribution last week. The amount should have read \$2 instead of \$5.

Lt. J. P. Henderson Spending a 45-Day Leave With Family

Lt. J. P. Henderson arrived in Cross Plains on October 29 to spend a 45-day recreation leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Henderson, and grandmother, Mrs. J. P. Henderson. Upon completion of his leave on December 1 he will report to Camp Joseph J. Robinson, Ark.

Lieutenant Henderson entered the service in 1940 receiving training in the Coast Artillery in California prior to being transferred to the air corps in 1941. He sailed for overseas duty in June, 1945, and spent 20 months with the 8th Air Force in England. In February, 1945, he was transferred to the Infantry and sent to France.

He received his commission in May, 1945, after attending the Infantry OCS in Fontainebleau, France. He then spent four months in Germany and Austria with the 1st Infantry Division.

He has been awarded the American Defense medal, Good Conduct medal, ETO ribbon with four campaign stars, Purple Heart, and the Presidential Unit Citation.

Cpl. Robert Starks Receives Discharge After 4 Years Service

Cpl. K. Robert Starks was discharged from the Army October 31 at the Ft. Sam Houston separation center after having served four years in uniform. He landed in the states October 23 at Boston Harbor, after having been overseas since August, 1944, serving as a cook with the 62nd Field Artillery.

Corporal Starks has served in Scotland, England, France, Holland, Belgium, and Germany, and took part in three battles: Northern France, Rhineland and Central Europe. He holds the Good Conduct medal, Pre-World War II ribbon, and the ETO ribbon with three battle stars.

His wife, the former Lynette Womack and baby daughter have been making their home here with her parents.

Baptist Revival To Close Sunday Night, November 11th

The annual revival meeting of the First Baptist Church, which has been underway the past week, will close Sunday night, November 11, according to an announcement from Rev. J. F. Miller, pastor.

"We are thankful for the fine crowds that have been present most every service", Rev. Miller stated, "however, during these closing days we are extremely anxious for even greater attendance and urge the general public to come and be with us."

Rowden Soldier Receives Discharge

Sgt. Winifred E. O'Dell of the Rowden community was honorably discharged from the Army October 19 at the Ft. Bliss separation center after having served 37 months in Egypt, near Cairo, with the 28th General Hospital.

He entered the service in January 1941 and was stationed at Camp Bowie until he sailed for overseas duty August 25, 1942.



LT. JACK TUNNELL

Lt. Jack Tunnell Visiting Parents on 45-Day Leave

Lt. Jack Tunnell is home on temporary leave visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tunnell. He landed in the states October 22.

Lieutenant Tunnell has spent the past five months in the Pacific as a pilot of a B-29, and has had some very interesting experiences as well as some disturbing ones.

He enlisted in the air corps August 14, 1942, and six weeks later was appointed a cadet and began pre-flight training. He received his commission and pilot's wings at Brooks Field, San Antonio, August 4, 1943, and was assigned to instructional duty at Coffeyville, Kans. He received primary flight training at Corsicana Field, and advanced training at Brooks Field.

Lieutenant Tunnell has been awarded the DFC and the Air Medal with two oak leaf clusters. He will report to Ft. Sam Houston at the end of his leave.



VERNON HUNTINGTON

Vernon Huntington Is Home From Duty In Southwest Pacific

CPO Vernon Huntington is enjoying a 60-day leave here with relatives and friends. He arrived here Monday, Nov. 5, from the Philippines where he has served in the Navy as chief store keeper for several months. He had previously spent three years service in the Pacific, being stationed at Honolulu most of the time.

Vernon, son of Bon Huntington of this city, enlisted in the Navy July 11, 1940, and received boot training at San Diego, Calif. He will report to Dallas January 4 for further duty.

Pfc. Dan Johnston On Furlough Here

Pfc. Dan Johnston arrived here Sunday morning to spend a 45-day furlough with his wife and parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Johnston.

Private Johnston has spent the past ten months overseas, being stationed in France and Germany with the 46th Infantry Division of the 7th Army. He was wounded April 17 at Nuernburg, Germany. He was carried to Tow, France, where he stayed two months in the 5th General Hospital.

LOCAL GIRL'S HUSBAND RECEIVES PROMOTION

Word has been received here by Mrs. Katherine Harris, that her husband, Robert E. Harris, has been promoted to the rank of 1st lieutenant. He is stationed at Boston with an Army Ordnance company.

Electric Ranges now on Display at West Texas Utilities Co.

"Thanks to the advance planning of the officials of Frigidaire, I am now able to offer Frigidaire Electric Ranges to the public of this community," announces Mr. L. F. Foster, West Texas Utilities Manager, and local Electrical Appliance dealer here.

"Immediately upon cancellation of all war contracts, Frigidaire started coordination of manpower, equipment, materials and plans to begin production of all of the famous Frigidaire products and appliances. The electric ranges, which proved such a boon to housewives before the war, are again equipped with the exclusive Frigidaire developments for saving Mrs. America time, labor, food and electricity in the operation of a cleaner, cooler and more modern kitchen.

"Among the many features of the Frigidaire Electric Range are the Radiant Cook Units, the Cook Master Oven Clock Control, a flash of Lifetime Porcelain, the high speed broiler, and the Thermo-Deep-Well Cooker," averred Mr. Foster. "The Thermo-Deep-Well Cooker on the Frigidaire Electric Range is an equally important time and labor saving device, allowing the housewife to cook an entire meal together at one time at an average current cost of 2 cents or less. It can be used for slow cooking of such foods as pot roasts, baking a few potatoes, or for simmering the good thick soups that make excellent one dish meals."

"Then too, electricity cuts down the time of cleaning the kitchen. There is no smoke or soot to smudge the walls or blacken the curtains. The slick porcelain surfaces of the Frigidaire Electric Range are as easy to wash as a china dish.

"The more time a woman is accustomed to spending in her kitchen, the more time she should try to save there.

"One big step in that direction is to cook with electricity," added Mr. Foster.

Lt. Morris Wayne Huntington Lands in States from Pacific

Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Huntington of this city received a telephone call Sunday night from their son, Lt. Morris W. (Dickie) Huntington, who had recently landed in the states and was at Delano, Calif.

Lieutenant Huntington has been in the Pacific for the past 20 months with the famed Fifth Marine Amphibious Corps. He is a veteran of the two Jima campaigns, and has also served in Tululu and Western Samoa.

Dickie was graduated from Cross Plains high school in 1940 where he was an active member of the band and played basketball.

He is expected to arrive here the last of this week on furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Fox, Miss Wanda Terry, Mrs. F. L. Sampbell and son, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Campbell and Mrs. J. T. Richardson all of Cisco spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Shaffner.

Try Review Want Ads

CROSS PLAINS GIVEN QUOTA OF \$51,000 IN VICTORY LOAN

The Victory Loan drive is underway in the nation, with Texas coming along fairly well on her quota.

Callahan County has been assigned an overall quota of \$205,000, with \$115,000 of that being Series F bonds.

Cross Plains has not been officially notified what its quota will be, but it is believed that it will be approximately \$51,000 overall. This is using the same percentage as has been used in previous drives for assigning quotas.

Fred Tunnell, who has served as local chairman in six previous drives, will serve as chairman for this one. He emphasizes the fact that it is necessary and important that we buy bonds in the Victory Loan, and the cooperation of each and every one will be needed to meet the quota.

Plans are not yet complete, but if you intend to buy bonds don't wait for a public meeting.

The local bank reports that only approximately \$8,500 has been invested in bonds since the loan began Oct. 29.

Methodist Pastors For Central Texas District Announced

Appointments to the 224 parishes in the ten districts of the Central Texas Methodist conference were announced at the closing session of the annual meeting held in Fort Worth last Friday.

The Cisco district charges named were: District superintendent—W. H. Cole; Breckenridge, E. R. Stanford; Bryan, W. C. Ferguson; Burnett, to be supplied; Caddo, C. O. Hightower; Carbon, Saba Kirkpatrick; Cisco First church, A. A. Peacock; Cisco Twelfth street, C. A. Darden (Supply); Cross Plains, D. L. Barnes; DeLeon, C. D. Wooten; DeLeon Circuit, R. L. Bowman (supply); Desdemona Scranton, H. J. Sanders; Dublin, L. S. Williams; Eastland, J. W. Ford; Eolan, to be supplied; Gorman, Henry Price; Huckabay, E. W. Holt (supply); Older, to be supplied; Pioneer, J. D. Scott (supply); Putnam, Lee Hoy Baker (supply); Ranger, W. N. Dunson; Rising Star, C. Y. Butler; District Missionary secretary, A. A. Peacock; District director evangelism, Henry Price.

Pvt. Jack Ripper Gets Discharge

Pvt. Jack Ripper, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Ripper of this city, was discharged from the Air Corps November 3 at Scott Field, Ill.

He enlisted in the pre-aviation cadet corps September 14, 1944, and entered active service March 27, 1945 at Sheppard Field, Texas.

Jack is a 1942 graduate of Cross Plains high school and was attending North Texas State Teachers College when called to service. He plans to complete his college work.

Trade at Home

The Right Spirit



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Mrs. Morris was county clerk (ff. Mortuary, October 24, 10 a. m. Priests Catholic Church Father Patrick L. ment was veterinary. ntington died in the Delano es sustained by Monday, October April 4, 1924, and had lived driet with her neys, Nick Marler n years. She was diano high school, ephine Marlowich married to Mar yne Huntington a Los Angeles City survived by her is in Japan, her sisters. Mrs. J. C. H. n. of this city, es. son of Loc Dies of Pol ilene Hospit. s. W. A. G. l in Hendricks n in Abilene, Thurs from infantile par Wayne, son of A. Wilson of Abil at School on Frid and was carried on Tuesday where is born January 15 t, and had lived the past ten years school sophomore. ll services were hber 28, at 2 P. M. Church of Christ r. Coleman minister. Interment was in set cemetery under Elliotts funeral home survived by his mother, Jack, 13, and ther, Mrs. W. A. G. y Review Want Ad. the type of serv ar today and let ep it in tip-top cannot replace yo. also carry a pu uto accessories. ARS AND PARTS. nd Salvage. 14 me grown, bunch. & Sugar Cure, 10 lb. 43. lb pkg. uit jars. Suit pkg. y pitted, 7 oz. pk. els, roll. 75. lb. bone, choice, lb. 2.25. Trade at Home Patronize Local Merchants

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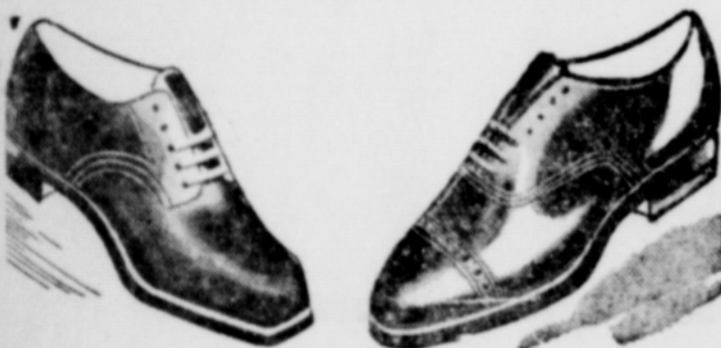
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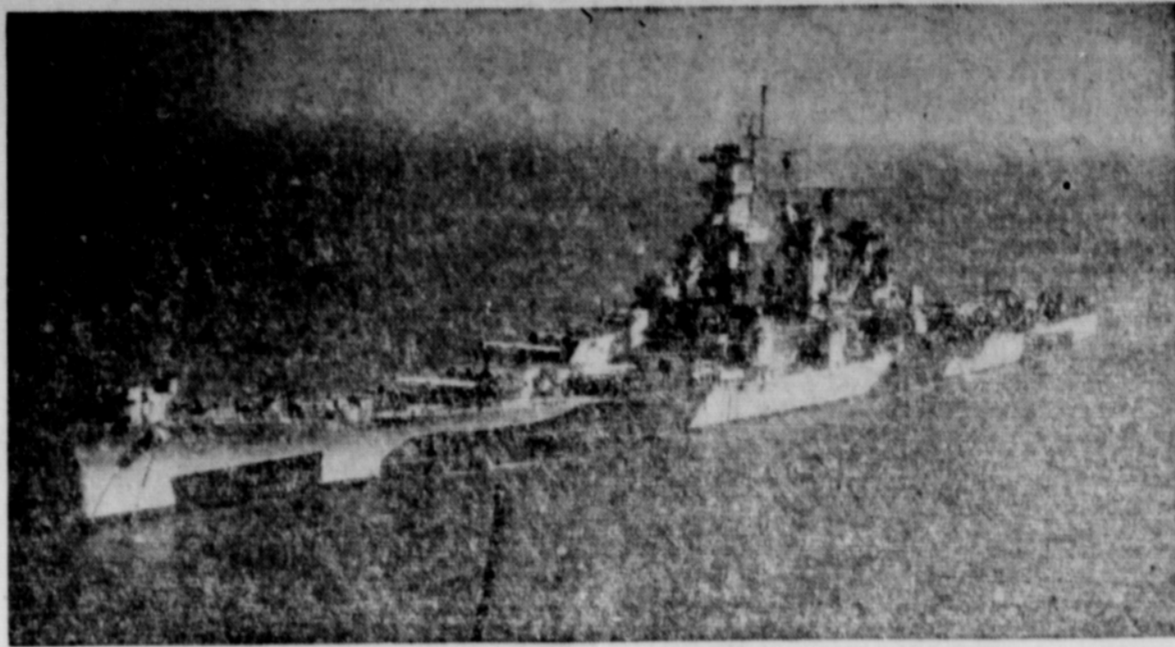
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LOCAL NAVY MAN ABOARD USS ALASKA HELPS IN KOREAN OCCUPATION



THE BATTLE CRUISER USS ALASKA was in the task force which steamed into Jinsen, Korea, to land men of her class, took part in the initial raid on Tokyo in February. (Official U. S. Navy Photo)

ON THE USS ALASKA IN THE PACIFIC — Armond L. Mitchell, 22, gunner's mate, first class, USNR Cross Plains, Tex., served on this battle cruiser when, as part of a task force of more than 50 ships, she steamed into Jinsen, Korea, Sept. 8, to help occupy and liberate the country from the Japanese.

About 15,000 American sailors and soldiers stemmed ashore to occupy the capital city of Keijo, 23 miles away, to the cheers of the natives. A crowd estimated at 100,000 gathered in the vicinity of the capitol to watch the lowering of the Jap flag and the raising of the Stars and Stripes.

Thousands of American prisoners of war, many listed missing, were assembled, identified and headed for home.

Mrs. Katherine Harris and Wanda Hall were visitors in Coleman Monday afternoon.

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HIGGINBOTHAM'S

'Who's Who' in C.P.H.

AMERICA! Wake Up!

America has struck an all time low in religion and morals. All over America the attendance upon religious services is causing alarm. In the city of Washington only 10 per cent of the population attend Sunday school.

There are eight times as many hours spent in movies as in Sunday school. Only one out of twelve Americans attend church regularly. Seven out of eight children quit Sunday school and church before they are fifteen years old.

There was a drop in church school enrollment last year of 12.6 per cent, and for the period of 1939-1941 the International Sunday School Council estimates a loss of FOUR MILLION from Sunday schools.

Since the days of Robert Raikes the Sunday schools have been one of the means of building up our church membership, but now with the decline of interest in the Sunday school, is it any wonder that fifty two per cent of our population is out of touch with the church.

When there is a decline in religion and morals there is always an increase in sin and crime. The arrests of girls under twenty one years of age for drunkenness, vagrancy, disorderly conduct, prostitution and sex crimes in America during the first half of the year 1944 increased 89 per cent over the previous year. Our national crime bill is \$111.10 for every man, woman and child in America. Our liquor bill amounts to \$7,000,000,000 a year. There is a saloon for every 31 families; two saloons for every church and five for every school house.

In America barmaids outnumber cops, and criminals are three times more numerous than college students. Is it any wonder that we have in our nation sixty suicides every day, one murder every forty minutes and one major crime every twenty-two seconds?

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J. Edgar Hoover, director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, recently said, speaking on the Youthful Crime Wave which is sweeping America, "There is a necessary connection between crime and the decline of faith and religion. When men do not know God or His Justice they do not respect His laws. The way to make America safe from crime, the way to make her people moral, IS TO RETURN TO RELIGION". That statement does not come from the pulpit but from the Chief of the FBI.

The very foundation of our moral order in America is crumbling and, unless something is done, America may be on the way to total destruction.

PARENTS WON'T YOU WAKE UP AND BRING YOUR CHILDREN TO CHURCH AND SUNDAY SCHOOL BEFORE IT IS TOO LATE? THEY ARE ENTRUSTED TO YOUR CARE, AND YOU WILL BE RESPONSIBLE TO GOD FOR THE WAY YOU TRAIN THEM.

A cordial welcome awaits you at the First Methodist Church.
D. L. BARNES, pastor
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PAPER CLIPS, staples, gum paper, at Review Office.

Ruby Lee Holcomb, reporter

JUANITA COGGIN

Juanita is the daughter of Mrs. C. C. Coggin. She attended grade school in a small school in Oklahoma and returned to Cross Plains during her first year. She moved to California during her sophomore year, returned to Cross Plains during her senior year.

Bondie, as she is known by her friends, was Art editor of the class last year. Her love life in the Navy stationed in the New Hebrides Islands.

FRANCIS FRANK

Francis is the daughter of Mrs. A. W. Franke and has been going to school here since first grade. During her last year in Grammar school she played the volleyball team. Francis is a very friendly girl and is well liked by all who know her.

Burkett News

MRS. MERRELL BURKETT

The Burkett basketball team played Mozelle there Thursday of last week. The Mozelle girls Burkett boys emerged as winners. Rev. F. O. Garner, Methodist pastor, and family are moving west to Indian Creek where he accepted pastordship of the church there.

Minister J. P. Salzer of Coleman will fill his regular second appointment at the Church of Christ here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville F. Hill of San Angelo, formerly of place, announce the birth of a second 10 ounce son, Jerry, on Oct. 31.

Mr. and Mrs. Quim Harris Thursday to Monday at A. Pass where they visited her. Mrs. Robert Campbell, and Mrs. O. W. Bowers of Echo attended the Church of Christ Sunday.

James Henderson, who is attending school at College Station the week end here with parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer person. Other guests in their during the week end were daughter, Miss Princy Lou Hill, registered nurse, of Balise, Lt. J. P. Henderson, their son of Cross Plains who recently returned home from Europe.

Jesse Gibson of Waco is here with friends and relatives here this week.

H. P. White received a letter recently from T-Sgt. Franklin G. stating he was scheduled to Okinawa for home after spending over two years overseas. He formerly employed by the Am Oil Co. here.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander have returned from a visit to Texas.

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Mr. and Mrs. Granvil F. B. of San Angelo, formerly of this place, announce the birth of a son, Jerry, 10 pounds 10 ounces, Sunday, Oct. 31.

Mr. and Mrs. Quinn Harris Thursday to Monday at A. Pass where they visited her mother, Mrs. Elbert Campbell, and father, Mrs. O. W. Bowers of Echo. He attended the Church of Christ here Sunday.

James Henderson, who is attending school at College Station, spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Henderson. Other guests in their home during the week end were daughter, Miss Princy Lou Henderson, registered nurse, of Baird.

L. J. P. Henderson, their neighbor in Cross Plains who recently returned home from Europe.

Jesse Golson of Waco is visiting with friends and relatives here during the week.

H. P. White received a letter recently from T-Sgt. Franklin C. stating he was scheduled to return to Okinawa for home after spending over two years overseas. He was formerly employed by the Amoco Oil Co. here.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander have returned from a visit in Texas.

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NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS

By PAUL MALLON
Released by Western Newspaper Union.

Declared Old Ideal

WASHINGTON — Although the full employment bill is being pushed through congress into law by a preponderant favor for it—and there is no objection to the basic goodness of its theory—no one seems to know what it means, or even where it came from. By great odds, it is the most uncertain and un-clarified piece of legislation of my time here.

I have been calling it a CIO bill because the CIO has campaigned for it in the usual expensive and prepossessing manner which obscures other backing and monopolizes the publicity. But CIO planners did not write it.

The numerous senators whose names are attached as co-authors will give you little satisfaction if you inquire where they got the notion of passing a law proclaiming the right to work which has always existed, legally, constitutionally and by custom. The original draft of their bill was properly composed, as nearly as I can ascertain, by the Farmers Union, farthest left of the three farmers lobbies and often called the farmers branch of the CIO. But of all things the farmers need right now, a law declaring their right to work must run behind blind help shortages, equipment shortages, price fears and practically every other existing agriculture consideration.

The Farmers Union people will say they got the idea out of a speech Mr. Roosevelt made in which he mentioned a lot of rights, including the right to work. But Mr. Roosevelt did not say there ought to be a law, and before he mentioned the matter it had gotten into a resolution of an international labor office meeting in Philadelphia. Sir William Beveridge, whose vast social security hopes were swamped in the last election, was an ardent champion of legislation to declare the right to work. Going behind and beyond him, an investi-

gation will bring you to the fact that such a right is declared in the Soviet Russian constitution.

There it has some meaning because under a dictatorship fixing salaries, controlling the hours, renting homes and even cooking and charging for the workers' meals, while restraining a law promising to share whatever work the government gives is a realistic right. But this is all far behind American ideals and rights which already go much further, promising among other things, freedom of work at one place or another and the right not to work.

Even this would not be so perplexing except that both sponsors and amendments of this right-to-work bill agree it carries no legal rights. Co-author Thomas of Utah may not have been pinned down on that point yet, but Co-author Murray and Alexander Taft and all the others seem agreed no citizen could sue an employer or the government for a job or get out an injunction, or that a labor union could sue, or get the courts to make someone establish jobs or wages, hours or anything. This, they all say, is just a declaration of policy by congress, no matter how it is worked. Its authors particularly deny that it is a trick to establish a legal basis for a whole new conception of law in which the unions or individual workers could build up decisions through this new Supreme court to indict the government or employers and perhaps establish criminal penalties.

If it does not do this, then what does it do? Well, its sponsors rather frankly indicate they look on it as a political propaganda step, establishing a policy upon which they can hang future legislative demands. Particularly they want big spending appropriations made in the future, and they will then say: "The policy of every man a job has been established so this appropriation must be made to give him a job." Or they can build up a demand that the Aluminum company be broken up for that reason, or that all black hair be made white because it would create jobs in the hair dyeing industry.

This makes it seem unimportant because congress retains the right to appropriate or not appropriate regardless of this undefined declaration of an ungranted policy. Frankly, then I do not know what it

Prepare Now For Winter Dairy Herd Problems

COLLEGE STATION — Although Texas still is in the shank of summer, G. C. Gibson of the A. and M. College Extension Service believes it isn't too early for dairymen to commence thinking about the problems which come in with the frost, chill winds and cold rains. It's a hard fact, he observes, that with a little over-delay it will be too late in the season to do anything about some of them.

The major problems, says Gibson who is the Extension dairy husbandman are adequate fall pastures, supplemental feed, proper winter shelter for milking cows, and selection of the over-winter herd. An early start and progressive follow-up on getting these things in hand Gibson says, will enable dairymen to ride into the spring with fewer worries.

Adequate small grain pastures for fall and winter grazing should be the first thought. Early planting is urged in order to get maximum growth before cold weather. With a limited supply of protein feed possible, there is more reason than ever for attempting to assure small grain pasturage. Here is one sure way to get more feed for less money.

The silo should be ready for the late feed crop. Each farmer and dairymen should use the kind of silo which best suits his condition. It is important to have the storage available when the feed is harvested.

Winter normally being the expensive feeding period, now is the time to examine the herd and cull out low producers, Gibson says. By

means, except that everyone will ask for government funds.

A decline in work-week is another provision. Plans to cut the government work-week again from 40 (it was 48) to 30 have already been proposed in bills. This keeps salaries where they were and prevents normal utilization of the talents, abilities and aptitudes of the nation's manpower. It does not increase purchasing power or create more employment opportunities; it merely shares-the-work, less work for the nation as a whole, therefore less productivity and less tax revenues to sustain a high economy, needed for full employment.

Ration Notes

ANTI-FREEZE

Before that first blue northern blizzard, Ned Horton reminds us that anti-freeze (all types) is covered by specific dollar and cent ceiling prices. Tie-in sales which require the purchaser to buy a container or some other commodity in order to get anti-freeze are prohibited by the regulation. A deposit charge for containers may be made provided it is clearly shown on the sales ticket as a separate item and is returnable when the container is returned in good condition. No charge may be made for installing the anti-freeze unless such a charge was made during the 6 month period ending March 31, 1942.

Top legal prices for type N (permanant) anti-freeze are \$1.40 per gallon or 25 cents per quart in lots of less than a gallon. Ceiling prices for type S anti-freeze are \$1.00 per gallon or 25 cents per quart in lots less than 1 gallon.

TIRE APPLICATIONS

The Local Tire Rationing panel wishes to explain to that it will take 10 days or two weeks for the tire dealers to hear from their applications. Since the amendment, effective Sept. 1, 1945, making new dealers who wish to enter the tire business eligible to apply for inventories, and old dealers who wish to increase their inventories of tires by 50 percent to do so, the workload has increased to such proportions that a longer time for processing will be required. Information clerks are asked to publicize this information, and also to stress that the additional counties added to the Fort Worth district further increases the workload. We are sorry that it cannot be faster, but please have patience.

Keeping only high producers feed is sold to the cows which pay highest prices. With fewer cows to be milked and cared for the owner can give them more personal attention.

Shelter sheds should be inspected frequently with an eye to providing dry floors for the cattle. The Texas Agricultural Experiment station has been using sand floors in shelter sheds for several years and found them satisfactory. About eight inches of riverbed sand makes a cheaper and more satisfactory bedding than straw or other material. The point is that good milk production cannot be maintained where

Two Literary Groups To Meet In Book Fair at Dallas Nov. 10

DALLAS—Texas two most important literary groups will meet in Dallas Saturday, Nov. 10 to attend the Southwestern Authors Night of the Southwest Book Fair at the Marlin Auditorium. The Southwest Book Fair will be held Nov. 8-10 in Dallas. Among the members of the Texas Institute of Letters and the Poetry Society of Texas, both of which will hold meetings in Dallas that day, are many of the famous Southwest authors who will participate in the Book Fair program. All southwest authors in attendance will be introduced.

Lexie Dea Robertson, of Rising Star, president of the Texas Institute of Letters notified the Book Fair that the annual meeting had been changed from Waco to Dallas in honor of the Fair. At that time the annual awards for the outstanding book of prose and the outstanding book of poetry by Texas authors will be presented. The winners will be announced Saturday night at the Book Fair. The 1945 awards are the first given for books in both prose and poetry, only one award having been made in previous years. The Texas Institute of Letters is composed of 750 Texas writers.

More than 500 Texas members of the Poetry Society have been invited by President David Russell to attend the monthly meeting which will be held directly preceding the Book Fair program. "Since the third and final night program of the Southwest Book Fair has been dedicated to our own Southwest authors, the Book Fair is especially pleased by the support of these two outstanding literary groups," Whitt Tate, director, said. "Although the Book Fair is attracting internationally famous authors from all parts of the United States, Southwest authors ranking among the best known and most widely read."

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J. W. McDaniel Tells of Interesting Visit to Tokyo

Following is a letter recently received by Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McDaniel of this city from their son, 8-Sgt. J. W. McDaniel, who is stationed in the Philippines but recently made a trip to Tokyo carrying army supplies. The letter was written while in Tokyo and we found it to be interesting.

The letter reads:
Tokyo, Japan
9 October 1945
Dear Mama and Papa:
Well here I am in Tokyo. One of the places I have longed to be since leaving the states.

Arrived here three days ago with supplies from Manila. Flew all the way landed at Okinawa then to Kanoya on the island of Kyushu. Took off from there and flew over Nagasaki then circled Yokohama and Tokyo several times before landing at Atsugi air base which is about 20 miles from Tokyo.

Must hand it to the Americans for they really did a beautiful job. Precision bombing was very accurate and many buildings were destroyed and near by were left nice office buildings untouched. Tokyo and Yokohama total at least 5000, 000 people and are near the foot of the mountainous terrain. The two towns are scattered all over and the only thing that parts the two is a large river.

The country is on the verge of collapse from want of food while every space is utilized to the utmost. On mountain slopes can be seen garden spots, also in many places the debris has been cleared away where buildings were standing and even there small garden spots are cultivated. The terrain is very beautiful. After leaving the city you can see all shades of green and practically all colors of the rainbow. Japanese are very aggressive and they can be seen at early dawn until late in the evenings cultivating their gardens or else making something that they might profit by.

Most of the women wear bright colored slacks, wooden shoes and bound so tightly that their figure cannot be observed too closely. Mothers carry their children well strapped on their backs and the tiny baby's heads are dangling from one side to the other as the mother menders down the destructive scenes.

Weather conditions at this particular time of the year are similar to that of Denver. Two and three blankets feel very comfortable throughout the night. Since arrival here it has been very cloudy and fogs for the last two days have been hanging close to the ground until noon.

As for living conditions they are the best anyone should expect. The

offices of the Far East Air Force are located in the Meiji building which at one time was a well established insurance building. Across the street is the main entrance to the Emperor's Palace which is enclosed behind a high high wall erected out of rock. Within are many pine trees which obstruct the views of many buildings, about the only thing that has been seen in roof tops. All entrances are heavily guarded making it impossible for a common ordinary GI to enter. Nevertheless all of us can say that we have seen the palace and the roof tops.

Enlisted personnel occupy the Kajo building. All Headquarters Squadron personnel sleep on the 7th floor and eat on the 8th. The mess hall was at one time a canteen used for feeding the officers but now the army has taken over. Food is served in individual stainless steel trays and you are directed to tables for four by Japanese waiters, who pour your coffee and add cream and sugar to suit the taste. After supper just leave the table and the Japanese waiter, amazing isn't it? add the chairs have backs to, never have I had that before in an army.

Sorry to report that I am here on temporary duty for two weeks, and after that time will be compelled to return to the Philippines, just on the outskirts of Manila at Ft. McKinley. The mess reside until my number, which is 69, is called. Don't know what that might happen but I hope very shortly.

This is my report thus far on tour into Japan. So must close. I know you are becoming nauseated with my descriptive characterizations. For this time tell each and

Your son,
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Pioneer News

MRS. W. E. RODGERS

There will be a Fellowship meeting at the Pentecostal Church at Pioneer, Tuesday, Nov. 13. There will be speakers from San Antonio, Sweetwater and others. Services will begin about 10:30 a. m. with lunch at 4:30 p. m. Night services will continue till 9 or 10 p. m. Everybody invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Isaac and son spent last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Phillips. Mrs. Isaac is a sister of Mr. Phillips.

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Graves Sunday were Mrs. Charley McCowan and daughters, Naomi and Bonita.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Comer last Thursday, Friday and Saturday were Mrs. Comer's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Odie Owen and daughters, Patsy and Wayne Nell, and Miss Dollie Owen, sister of Mrs. Comer, all of Childers, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Ragland and Mrs. Ray, went to Arlington last Thursday for a short visit with Mrs. Ragland's mother, Mrs. Roy Rice.

Mrs. William C. Gibson and daughter, Kay, visited in the home of W. R. Gibson Wednesday of last week.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Marshall this week are their children, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Marshall and children, Littlefield; Mr. and Mrs. Howell Marshall of Abilene.

Mrs. Laura Hurler has returned home from a visit with her daughter in Jacksonville, Ark.

Visitors in the S. R. Cochran home Sunday were Mrs. W. M. Clark and two daughters, Dorris Dean and Neida. Also Mrs. John Hamby all of Cross Plains.

Dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Pancake were R. O. Pancake and wife, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Pancake and 3 children, and Mr. E. M. Pancake, father of the boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Huntington gave a dinner Sunday, Nov. 4 in celebration of the return home of their son, Pharmacist Mate Ze Paul Odell Huntington, who has served some 19 months in the southwest Pacific Theater of Operations. Relatives and friends in attendance were Norma Jean Huntington of Howard Payne, Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Huntington and son, Mr. and Mrs. Rankin Blackburn and daughter of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Huntington and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Huntington and daughters of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Huntington and daughter, Mrs. A. C. Fore, Mr. and Mrs. John Fore, Mrs. Sam Marshall of A.C.C. Abilene.

Ralph Pancake, son of E. M. Pancake, arrived home last Saturday night from San Antonio where he had received his discharge from the Army. Ralph has served in the E.T.O. the past year.

W. R. Gibson and son made a business trip to Abilene Friday.

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Atwell News

Rev. Carter from Brownwood preached at the Missionary Baptist church Sunday morning and Sunday night.

Edgar Sessions, who has been in the Graham hospital at Cisco the past several weeks, was returned home Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Hughes spent the week end with Mr. Hughes' parents near Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Purvis and family of Cross Plains spent Sunday day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Rouse.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Boland of Abilene spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leon Sykes.

Cloris Childers, who has recently been discharged from the Navy, visited his sister, Mrs. D. C. Foster, and family recently and left for Houston where he will make his home.

Miss Maggie and Myrtle Wilson and Mrs. Tipton Wrinkle visited Fred Purvis and Mrs. John Purvis and baby Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Tatum of Putnam visited their sons here last week.

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BIGGER MARKET FOR TEXAS PEANUT CROP IS UNDER OBSERVATION

NEW YORK, N. Y. — New markets for Texas peanut crop, estimated at 398,000,000 pounds this year, are forecast with an announcement from James A. Stewart, vice president in charge of American Can Company's research and development division, that canned peanut products are being tested.

Mr. Stewart said that his company's research department has canned experimentally peanut scrapple peanut, peanut succotash, baked peanuts and soy beans in tomato sauce, peanut soup and chocolate pudding with peanuts. He added that results of this experimental canning indicates these products can be commercially packaged.

The high nutritive value of peanuts, one of the best sources of vitamin B1, together with the nut's widely popular flavor, should create an excellent market for such items, the can company official continued. As an indicated of the importance of peanuts in the diet of the American soldier, he said that more than 62,000,000 cans of the nuts were supplied the government during the first six months of 1945. During the war the military forces used 100,000,000 cans of peanuts annually.

The can company is continuing its research on canning the peanut in various forms, he said further.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our grateful thanks to our friends for their deeds of kindness and words of sympathy in our recent bereavement. The floral tributes and other tokens of kindness make our loss easier to bear.

May God bless each and everyone of you.

J. E. Rachell
The Cross Family
Gibbard Family

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For this time tell each and Hello.

Your son,
J. W.

CMC and Mrs. L. D. Ke and children have returned to home in San Diego, after spending a 15-day leave here with relative.

Patronize Local Merchants

High Quality Shoe Repair Work

Your Business Appreciated

Ralston Shoe Shop
West of Bank Building

Dress Sale

1/4 Off

ALL SALES FINAL!

Mc's Variety Store

Now For A... New Start!

The activities of everyone have been geared to the needs of wartime days, but peace has removed many limitations. It is time to make readjustments for the future—time for a new start.

Things will be different, and it is the hope of all that many things will be better. In any case the days ahead will be days of peace, and it will be possible to plan ahead.

Make a start by opening an account at this bank of dependable, friendly service. We are looking to the future and it will be our aim to give depositors an even better service.

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WE BUY AND SELL USED CARS AND PARTS.

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Let's tear your electric bill to pieces

GO AHEAD, lady—tear your electric bill apart and see what it's made up of.

This little piece lights all your lamps. This one plays your radios. This cools and keeps your food. This washes your clothes. This takes care of the cooking and ironing and cleaning. And so on.

That's a lot of different jobs to be covered by one small bill. And—hold on! You've paid for more than just electricity. About 25c of every dollar you pay for electric service goes in turn for taxes which benefit your community and help carry our heavy federal government expenditures.

Taxes UP... General cost of living UP... You'd think the cost of electric service would be up, too. But it isn't. The overall rate has even come down a little since the war began. Actually—The average family gets about twice as much electricity for its money today as it did fifteen years ago!

This welcome fact comes from the careful planning and progressive spirit of America's business-managed, self-supporting, tax-paying electric companies.

West Texas Utilities Company

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LADIES DRESSES One Group, Special at 6.95	LADIES COATS Regular \$19.50 to \$39.50 Values. Now Priced 16.50 - 19.50 24.50
DRESSES GROUP TWO 8.95	LADIES SUITS Regular \$16.95 to \$34.50 Values. Now . . . 12.95 - 18.95 24.50
DRESSES GROUP THREE 10.95 & 13.95	WOOL DRESS MATERIAL 58 inches Wide. Values to 5.95 NOW . . . 2.49 - 3.49 - 4.49
CHILDREN'S COATS SPECIAL 6.95 - 8.95 10.95	DRESS MATERIAL 40 inches Wide. Good Assortment! 1.19
LADIES SHOES One Lot, Special at 1.98 (Not Rationed)	LADIES PURSES One Group of Values 1.98 - 2.98
BOYS LEATHER COATS Suede and Pigskin 8.95 to 10.95	LADIES & MISSES SWEATERS Good Values! 1.00 - 1.98 - 2.98
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WORK GLOVES NEW ASSORTMENT	

Gasoline & Oils Ethel 20

WE HAVE NOW INSTALLED A COMPLETE BATTERY RE-CHARGING AND TESTING SET.

We will do Starter and Generator Work. Motor Tune-up.

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L. B. PETTY
Service Station

Newspaper Facts Worth Knowing...

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The Abilene Reporter-News.

What is the biggest and best newspaper buy for 1946?

The Abilene Reporter-News, one year, daily and Sunday, 7 days a week, at the Fall Bargain Offer of

Only \$6.95

How much does this save the subscriber?

30%—actually \$3.05 cash.

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NOW, and through your favorite weekly newspaper through other authorized Reporter-News agents.

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The Cross Plains Review
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when smart, snappily cleaned and pressed! a suit... a dress... slacks... or a skirt will look 100 percent better, and will take on an appearance that makes folks sit up and take notice.

Our expert cleaning service sets this goal as its objective. And the big volume of our business is proof that we're able to satisfy folks.

Our earnest desire is to give you the best cleaning and pressing possible, and want every customer to feel satisfied with our work.

For good cleaning, and pressing, make Jim Settle's Dry Cleaning your headquarters!

Jim Settle Dry Cleaning

"ENEMY TO DIRT"

All Local Stores Will Be Closed Monday, November 12, in Observance of Armistice Day, Which Falls on Sunday.

Cross Cut News

By FRESHMAN CLASS

A Halloween Carnival was held in the Cross Cut gym Wednesday night, October 31. The proceeds of the carnival were more than two hundred dollars. Adelle Crutcher was crowned Queen. Her court consisted of her escort Kenneth Chambers, Dutchess Ellowayne Byrd escorted by Rex Chambers, Billie Ann Kilgore escorted by Russell Wright and Betty Pearl Jowers escorted by Weldon Newton. Crown bearers were Sandra Kilgore escorted by Charles Lacy Newton, and train bearer was Barbara Chambers.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Hounshell received word November 1, that their son, S-Sgt. J. W. (Dab) Hounshell, had landed in California from Hawaii and is expected home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tye Clark returned from Virginia where Tye received a discharge from the armed forces. They have been at Cross Cut for the past few days.

At a recent M. E. Conference of the Cisco district the Cross Cut church was assigned a pastor and services will be held on their regular meeting day.

All Stores To Be Closed Monday, November 12

All local stores will be closed all day Monday, November 12, in observance of Armistice Day, which falls on Sunday this year.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means to express our deep appreciation for the many helpful things our friends did for us during the illness and death of our loved one.

We shall never forget one of you or what you did to help us. Surely God will bless and keep you all in our earnest, sincere prayer.

Mrs. S. A. Fleming
Mrs. S. B. Strahan
Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Fleming
Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Fleming
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fleming
Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Fleming

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fleming

Cottonwood News

MRS. S. B. STRAHAN

Tribute is wanted to be paid S. A. Fleming, father of Mrs. S. B. Strahan, who died at his home south of Pioneer on October 30th. Dad was a faithful christian with stable convictions. His passing, due to a previous injury, was not really a surprise, never-the-less a reluctant one for his family and he will be sorely missed.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker Coppinger of Dallas visited in the Euke Coppinger home over the week end.

Bunt Joy now discharged from the army with Mrs. Joy, formerly of the WAC's also discharged, are visiting here. Andrew Joy, now discharged and brother of Bunt, with Mrs. Joy are visiting relatives here.

Bob Joy, who has suffered some time with an infection is not much improved.

Sailor Truett Myrick, formerly of this place, visited friends here Monday.

Junior Ivy and his mother, Mrs. John Ivy, returned to Penwell where they reside.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Brock held a weiner roast last Thursday night with about 25 young people in attendance. Servicemen present were Junior Ivy with Miss Hudson of Coleman, R. T. Pevey with Doris Marie Hall, Wallace Bennett with Nedra J. Hinton, John Purvis and wife, Willie Waidson, Garland Holly, Vorkie Kelly, Frenchy Bennett and wife, and Norris Ramey.

Try Review Want Ads

Drive For Regular Army Enlistees Is Making Progress

One thousand men a day joining the Regular Army according to reports received from the War Department.

At Camp Bowie's Recruiting Center, some 235 men have enrolled as of October 27, taking advantage of the many new provisions of the new Recruiting Act passed by Congress.

This week another attractive provision was offered men wanting to sign up for three years. Such enlistees may, at their request, be retained in the organization in which they are serving. Such an enlistee will be sent to a reception center and reassignment. In other words, he can take off on that 90-day leave and report back to your home.

All recruiting here is being handled at the Bowie Recruiting Center.

Enlisted men desiring to be transferred to other units will contact their unit recruiting officer and he in turn will contact the Camp Recruiting Center for a transfer.

The phone number of the Bowie Office is 715.

One of the most interesting recruiting stories this week bears out the Army's promise giving the reenlisted man his choice of a three-year hitch, combat or non-combat duty.

Staff Sergeant Leroy Thomas was discharged from the Army on June 7, this year after serving two years and four months. He had been in the Army since he was 17 years old.

According to Thomas, he did better in the Army from a financial standpoint than he would have done had he remained outside the service. His stipend was less than his pay after all deductions for social security, insurance, etc. He also had done his military duty in the field.

The big factor, however, was that he had been in the military police patrol in the wood while on duty here and before, requested through Capt. J. H. Husband, chief Military Police, that he go back to his outfit. He not only got his old job back, but also his old pay.

Reenlistment was in accord with War Department circular provides for "favoring the enlistee desire for branch, status, theater of operations on a year enlistment."

SEALED BIDS TAKEN ON HIGHWAY 36 CONSTRUCTION

Sealed bids were taken on November 8 at Austin for proposed construction of 19,394 miles of flexible base and asphalt surface treatment on Highway 26, 4.5 miles south of U. S. Highway 183.

Bids were opened at 10:30 a. m. and the contract was awarded to the highest bidder.



Don't wait until the last minute. Uncertainty of Southwestern weather demands application of protective service and safeguards now. Protect your car with WINTERPROOF SERVICE, the seasonal service your car needs, including essential check-ups, lubrication and maintenance needs. It eliminates hazards left over from hot-weather driving... protects against excess wear and friction, saves repair bills, gasoline and trouble.

Let the Friendly MAGNOLIA DEALER Winterproof Your Car

AT THE SIGN OF THE FLYING RED HORSE

The Official "HONORABLE DISCHARGE SERVICE FLAG"

Authorized By The War Department

FOR THE HOME - OFFICE AND BUSINESS

Should be displayed by the man and women who have honorably served our Country

This Beautiful DISCHARGE FLAG with a red border, gold eagle and blue ring is made of cologne taffeta, size 3 in. x 12 in. Sun-proof, will not fade. With gold tassel and fringe ready for display.

No one who is entitled to display this flag should miss the opportunity to secure one.

Price per flag \$1.50

ORDER TODAY - MATERIALS ARE SCARCE

CROSS PLAINS REVIEW

Land Rich Gave Life Trying To His Shipmates

Land Rich, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rich of this city, was killed in 1945, when the Indianapolis sank 150 miles off Leyte, after being hit by an atomic bomb.

Land Rich, a former member of the U. S. Coast Guard, was serving on the Indianapolis at the time of the attack. He was a seaman first class, and a member of the United States Naval Reserve.

Land Rich was serving on the Indianapolis in the early part of July, 1945. The Indianapolis was en route to Manila from Guam at the time of the attack.

The Indianapolis was hit by an atomic bomb, which was dropped from a B-29 Superfortress, and after about 15 minutes sank. Many men on board were killed.

Land Rich was with a group of men in the water, many of whom were injured. Despite oil, water and without food, he survived for three days.

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SWING OF SOUTHWEST FARM MARKETS

Except for citrus fruits and eggs, southwest farm products maintained a steady to strong trend during the second week of November, according to USDA's Production and Marketing Administration.

Cotton prices moved into new high ground for the sixth consecutive week. Demand for the better grades in medium staple length is in excess of the supply at most markets. Sales in the ten designated spot markets totaled 264,500 bales. This year's crop is now estimated at only 9,998,000 bales of which only about half has been ginned.

Egg prices continue strong with fresh supplies far below trade needs. Poultry offerings are adequate for the moderate demand. Turkeys are moving fairly well for the time of year, with quotations ranging from 29 to 31 cents a pound in Dallas, 28 to 30 in Fort Worth, 28 to 32 in Denver, and 33 to 35 in New Orleans.

Sorghum grains received most of the loss that occurred around 10 previous week end. At the close of the week, top butchers were quoted in Fort Worth and San Antonio at \$14.65 per hundred pounds. Oklahoma City \$14.55, Wichita \$14.50, Denver \$14.80.

Trends on cattle were general steady to higher with continued heavy receipts rapidly absorbed under an active demand. A few regular spots developed in Southwest, however, including 10 to 20 cents declines on live steers and yearlings in San Antonio and emphasis on bulls and stock cattle at Fort Worth.

At the close of the week cut-cows brought \$7 to \$7.50 in Fort Worth and \$6.75 to \$7.25 in San Antonio, while canners and culls were higher, \$5 to \$7.50 in Houston, \$5 to \$8 in Oklahoma City, \$7.50 to \$9 in Denver, \$6 to \$8 in Wichita.

LEONARD SWAFFORD RECEIVES PROMOTION

According to word received last week by Mrs. Lillie Swafford Rowden, her son, Leonard, has recently received a promotion and now holds the rank of M.O.M.M. He is now stationed on the Philippines.

Leonard has been in the service two years and sailed for overseas duty in February, 1944. He was on the Palau Islands. He is a member of the Karor Islands.

Before entering the service he was employed at the Sky Line Manufacturing company at Los Angeles.

CPL. JAMES HALL IS EXPECTED HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hall are expecting word that their son, James Hall, has landed in states. In a letter received from him Tuesday he stated that he expected to arrive between the 10 and 15th of November.

He has been serving with the 288th Ordnance Depot but is coming home with the 288th Combat Group. His wife and daughter have been making their home in Plainview while he has been overseas.

Bruce Strahan Visits Parents Here

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Strahan have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Strahan, of this city. He is enroute to Seattle, Wash., where he will sail for overseas duty on the transport The Liberty on November 12.

Bruce Strahan entered the service in August, 1943, and after attending dental college in Houston in 1944, was transferred to the 288th Ordnance Depot, where he was sent to Camp Bowie, where he remained until October 29th of this year. Mr. Strahan will remain in Cross Plains.

BY SON BORN MONDAY

Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart announce the birth of a baby son on Monday, November 12, in the Baird hospital. The baby weighed 8 pounds 12 ounces and has been named James Stewart.

The mother and baby are doing well and will make their home here in Cross Plains. Private Stewart was killed in North Carolina with the 288th Ordnance Depot.

This Is America

THE HARD GUYS of the battlefield, men who met the enemy at the point, now spend their time keeping their minds off the home front by seeing to that when ready they can accept training.

Every Loan Board dollar and every penny stand on their own feet, heads proudly erect and say, "This is America." (Signs photo.)

FOODS

FAMOUS FOR FLAVOR!

at Farmers Market

PEANUT BUTTER - PECAN VALLEY, 2 LB. JAR	43c
HY-POWER CHILI - CAN	29c
SCOTT'S KITCHEN TOWELS - PKG.	10c
Fruit Cakes, 2 lb.	\$2.19
MARVINE - A REAL SUDS FOR THE DISHES, 2 LB.	49c
HELEN ANN FRUIT CAKE MIX - ENOUGH FOR 3 LB. CAKE	\$1.25
POTATOES - NO. 1, 10 LB. MESH BAG	46c
Small & Large Lima Beans	
PINTO BEANS - 3 POUND BAG	29c
SEE US FOR SUGAR CURE AND MEAT SALT OF ALL KINDS. ALSO FOR SAUSAGE SEASONING	
RIBBON CANE SYRUP - OPEN KETTLE, GAL.	99c
K. C. BAKING POWDER 50 OZ JAR	39c
FOR THE BEST IN HIGH QUALITY MEAT, COME TO OUR MARKET.	
LIGHT CRUST FLOUR	
25 LB. SACK	
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The Farmers Market

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Sunday & Monday

DENNIS O'KEEFE
CONSTANCE MOORE
WOODY HERMAN AND ORCHESTRA

"EARL CARROLL VANITIES"

Cartoon - News

Tues. & Wed.

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LARAINE DAY
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