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Parking Strip Is To Be Paved

Prospects for paving the strip of parking space in the center of the street on the North side of the Square appear to be excellent, according to reports from Briggs Robertson, who has been contacting the property owners whose property would be affected by having the work done.

All except two of the property owners have been seen and all of them signified their approval of the project. The two remaining men will be contacted as soon as possible. Briggs says that he has been informed that the City has contracted with a firm to do some paving work on Lynn Street and he hopes to be able to get the strip on the Square paved at the same time that the work on Lynn street is done.

Cotton Harvester To Be Explained

Representatives of the C. E. Morris Co. of Dallas, manufacturers of the Morco Cotton Harvester, will be at the Forrest Hotel next Monday, August 16, to explain the advantages of their machine to the farmers of this section. The Morco Harvester is especially suited to this section and South Plains cotton farmers who are planning on harvesting their crops this year by mechanical methods are being watched by cotton planters all over North America, C. E. Morris of Dallas, manufacturer of the Morco Cotton Harvester, said.

The Morris Company is building a smaller, sturdier and much more simplified cotton stripper which will pay for itself on any South Plains cotton farm where 50 bales of cotton are harvested.

This type of machine was developed over a period of years by tried and proven experiments at Texas A. & M. College, the Experiment Station at Lubbock, and with the assistance of several leading South Plains farmers. The Morco Cotton Harvester is a two-row stripper type machine attachable to and powered by any standard tractor and is capable of harvesting up to a bale of cotton an hour. Anyone interested will be welcomed by the representatives of the C. E. Morris Co., at any time Monday at the Forrest Hotel.

Norbert Young Gets Promotion

Norbert Young has moved back to Slaton for the third time since 1926, and each time he has filled a higher position in the Santa Fe Railway Division Offices here.

In 1926, soon after entering the employ of the Santa Fe, he was transferred from the trainmaster's department to the trainmaster's department in San Angelo. In 1931, he returned to Slaton to become Secretary to H. R. McKee. In July of 1942, he was promoted to Secretary to the General Manager of the Amarillo General Offices and on August 6th, 1943, he returned again to Slaton to become Assistant General Manager of the Slaton Division, to fill the vacancy left when Hugh Adair went into the Armed Services.

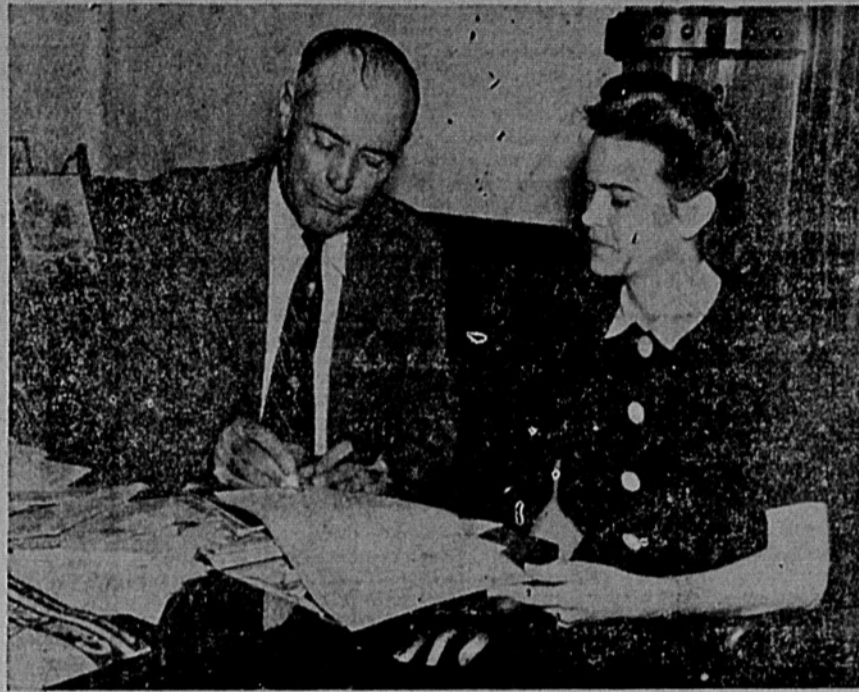
Mr. Young's place in Amarillo has been filled by Warren Henry, former Slaton man who left here to go to the San Angelo Division, and Carl Browder, who has been the Secretary for H. R. McKee, has gone to San Angelo to take the place of Mr. Henry.

Mr. Young expects his family to move to Slaton next week. They will make their residence at 910 South 10th St.

Oh! My Gosh, It's Friday, The 13th

Today is Friday, the 13th, and the clouds look dark, the future most uncertain, hard luck is abroad, starvation, pestilence and revolt are inevitable; chaos, confusion and slow or sudden death are at the heels of every man, woman and child; no one can be trusted and diseases of every kind are rampant over the country. Yes, it is Friday, the 13th, in Germany and Hitler and his colleagues are face to face with pay day. How long will they hold out against such odds, is any man's guess, but Friday, the 13th, is just one of the unlucky days for those who thought they could conquer the world... let us not forget how lucky we of the United States are today.

Some of the Slaton business firms have some suggestions for you in this paper... read them over and act accordingly.



GOVERNOR STEVENSON'S PROCLAMATION URGES RETURN OF DEPOSIT BOTTLES. In the proclamation, just issued by Governor Stevenson, Texans are urged, during the month of August, to conserve the existing supply of returnable deposit bottles by returning them promptly to the dealers. Governor Stevenson's proclamation points out that the general public, by returning idle milk, carbonated beverage, and beer bottles, which can be sterilized for civilian re-use, will permit the glass industry to re-use even more of its facilities for the manufacture of glass containers for food, and other items, required by the armed forces at home and abroad. Mrs. Margaret McDuffie, the Governor's personal secretary, was photographed with him at the time the proclamation was signed.

"IS IT HOT ENOUGH FOR YOU?" OR SHOULD WE PUT ANOTHER LOG ON THE FIREPLACE

"There may have been some longer spells of heat more than twenty-five years ago," says G. H. Orr, who has been keeping records for this section for the past quarter of a century, but the period from August 1st to the present date tops everything that Mr. Orr has on his books for continued high heat records.

Not only has the heat been intense, but the absence of rain has been more than noticeable. Mr. Orr has one recording of 115 degrees that came approximately 10 years ago, but at no time has the thermometer recorded the high temperatures as many consecutive days as it has since August 1st.

To date we have received no moisture at all. In 1942, the highest recording was Aug. 10 when it was 104. In August last year we had 5 22/32 inches of rain. This year to date, no rain at all.

Here is the hot news since August 1st:

	Low	High
Aug. 1	70	106
Aug. 2	75	110
Aug. 3	78	114
Aug. 4	73	112
Aug. 5	74	107
Aug. 6	70	107
Aug. 7	72	107
Aug. 8	72	106
Aug. 9	75	107
Aug. 10	74	109
Aug. 11	74	105
Aug. 12	73	

Most farmers who have been contacted do not feel that the cotton crops have been damaged to any extent by the continued heat.

but most of them feel that the feed crop is being seriously damaged.

Father O'Brien, of the St. Joseph's Catholic Church, predicts that rain will fall in this vicinity within three or four days. He bases his forecast on the fact that we had fog several weeks ago and many of the farmers who have a lot of acres in grain are betting on Father O'Brien and the cotton farmers are not trying to interfere as a rain most certainly would not damage the cotton crop.

The Southwestern Public Service Company has their ice plant here running at capacity production. Farmers who are dependent upon windmills for water power, have been running short of water and more water is being hauled to the farms than in many years. Cots and pallets out in the open are the most popular sleeping places and, "Is it hot enough for you?"

Mother Of Mrs. W. E. Smart Dies

The news of the death Wednesday of Mrs. Lillie Wallace in Mineral Wells, Texas, has been received here by Mr. W. E. Smart, from his wife. Mrs. Wallace was Mrs. Smart's mother. Mrs. Smart was called to Mineral Wells last Tuesday when she received word that her mother had suffered a heart attack. Mrs. W. P. Florence accompanied Mrs. Smart to Mineral Wells.

Revival Services To Start Sunday At Methodist Church

"Preparations are almost complete for the Revival Services that will begin in Slaton next Sunday, August 15th," said Reverend H. C. Gordon.

The meetings will be held twice daily and will be directed by Revivalist Tom Johnson of Sweetwater. The song services will be directed by Cecil Matthews of Lubbock. Both men are outstanding figures in Revival work over Texas and the Revival here is expected to attract people from every vicinity.

The morning services will start at 9 each morning, evening at 8:30 and the services will be held daily through August 20th, at the Methodist Church.

Weather permitting, the evening services will be held in the open on the Methodist Church lawn.

This is not a Methodist Revival, but a public revival and is being

held to revive people of all denominations and those of no denomination at all, in the Christian religion.



CECIL MATTHEWS, Singer

Bond Sales Are Down In Slaton

Contributions Are Made To Camp - Hospital Council

The Llano Estacado Camp and Hospital Council campaign for comforts for hospital and day rooms at the Lubbock Army Air Base continues to receive contributions. Mrs. L. C. Odom, chairman for the Slaton Council, states that only a few articles are needed to complete the day room to be furnished at SPAAF.

Cash donations include: Methodist Missionary Society, \$9.00; Baptist W. M. S., \$5.00; Junior Civic and Culture Club, \$5.00; Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Driver, \$2.00.

A living room suite has been purchased from Mrs. J. P. Brooks, who also contributed 2 card tables and a magazine rack. Mrs. Mabel Greer is lending her piano to be used in the Chapel. Other articles donated include: Victrola and magazines, Mrs. B. A. Hanna; reed chair, Mrs. H. R. McKee; paint and varnish. Higginbotham - Bartlett Lumber Co.; turpentine, Red Cross Pharmacy; coffee table, end table, book and game, Mrs. R. H. Bailey. Anyone wishing to have a part in furnishing this room may call Mrs. L. C. Odom or Mrs. T. A. Turner and someone will call for the donation.

An Army truck will be in Slaton Saturday morning for the furniture and other articles, so get your donations in as soon as possible. After the duration, these articles will be returned to Slaton and a ladies' lounge will be completed for the comfort and convenience of the women in this trade territory.

New Business For Slaton

Ray Hickman, who is the representative of the Slaton National Farm Loans, has moved from his former location in the office with the Pember Real Estate and Insurance Agency, to the second floor of the Citizens State Bank Building where he will operate the Hickman and Neill Insurance Agency.

The location of his offices are with those of the Meurer & Browning Agency and the Hickman and Neill Agency will feature all kinds of insurance, including fire, theft, casualty, automobile and life insurance.

Ray has a big, air-conditioned office and is all fixed up to do a land office business.

School Tax Valuations Increased Ten Per Cent On All Property

Fall Merchandise Now Arriving

Very few complaints have been reported since cards were sent out announcing increases in the valuations on property that is taxable for the Slaton Independent School District.

The post cards were mailed by the equalization board and represent a 10 per cent increase in valuation on all property in the district. While this amount will barely meet the additional expense of increased salaries for the teachers, the Board felt that by continued economies in other operations of the schools, that the ten per cent would answer the needs for the year.

Whether the trend in Slaton reflects the trend of the nation in War Bond Sales or not, has not been ascertained, but if it is, then War Bond Sales have taken a nose dive in a big way.

The months of June and July hit an all time low for Bond sales in Slaton, with approximately \$16,000.00 per month for the two months. Of this amount about half was purchased by farmers of this section and the other half by individuals in Slaton.

Whether the reduction in the sale of Bonds is due to the good news concerning Italy and other successes or to the season of the year, Kirby Scudder has not figured out, but he says it is getting to be discouraging and he is ashamed to send in his reports.

Accident Kills Mechanics Helper

Charles R. Thompson, who has been an employee of the Santa Fe Railroad here since July 27, 1926, died at the Mercy Hospital Wednesday afternoon at 1:30, from injuries received Wednesday morning while he was working on a locomotive in the Santa Fe yards. The injuries were caused when he was caught between a brake lever and a cylinder. The accident occurred at 9:30 in the morning. He was classified as a mechanic's helper and was 52 years of age.

Mr. Thompson was born in Butler County, Alabama. He is survived by his wife and two children, a son and a daughter. His family was not here at the time of his death.

Cabinet Ready For Displays

An attractive cabinet has been constructed and installed at the city hall in the Chamber of Commerce offices to show samples of canned fruits and vegetables that have been raised and canned in this part of the South Plains.

Briggs Robertson, Manager of the Chamber of Commerce, would like to have as many displays as possible to demonstrate to visitors just what can be raised in this section. At least, that is what Briggs says, but there is the possibility that Briggs may be very fond of canned peaches and things himself.

Slatonite Want Ads get results.



TOM JOHNSON, Evangelist



S-Sgt. and Mrs. F. W. Giannobule of Lubbock spent several days in the home of Mrs. Giannobule's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Coston.

Major and Mrs. Travis W. Brasfield of Oklahoma City, visited Major Brasfield's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Brasfield, this week. Major Brasfield is stationed at Will Rogers Field.

S-Sgt. Duck Shelby, who is stationed at Hondo Field, Texas, visited his mother, Mrs. H. T. Shelby, this week.

August 1.—Dear Mr. Jackson: How's good old Slaton? Hope it isn't as warm there as it is here. This damp heat we have here is worse than the heat in Slaton.

My parents send me the Slatonite every once in a while and Melvin Henzler gets it, so we can keep up with what's going on at Slaton.

Bet Jack Norman was glad to see some of the boys at Guadalcanal. Nothing like seeing someone from Slaton. Although there are several boys from Slaton here, we're always glad to hear some of the boys have met up with one another. I don't think the boys in this Camp will ever forget Texas. Some will never forget Slaton. Some of the boys call me Slaton. I don't mind though.

There are quite a few pretty girls here, but there are no red heads like one in Slaton.

Quite a few of the boys get their home town papers, but there isn't anything in them like there is in the Slaton paper. Here is a clipping that some soldier wrote about Texas. What do you think of it? As news is scarce and it's getting closer to five a. m. all the time, will quit as I have to get up then and go to work.

Your friend,

Cpl Michael L. Grochowsky. P. S. Most of the Yankees from up North are just small fry, nothing like some of the big boys that Texas raises.

The clipping will be found in "Just Talk".

Word has been received from Pfc. Milton Schuetz that he had

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Southland News

MRS. FLOY KING

Monday morning's train brought two letters from Wayne Whited, written July 22 and 23, the first word his parents, the J. L. Whitelys, had had in over two months. He writes that he was one of the first boys to land in Sicily and among his souvenirs are three stars which an Italian prisoner cut from his uniform and gave him. Both of his letters were V-mail in the original form.

Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Young returned Wednesday from Bonham, where the parents of each live. The Sunday before they visited Camp Maxey, where they saw their son, Kenneth, ready for active duty as MP, armed with a sawed off shotgun and a Tommy gun because of some disturbance in Camp. They also were escorted through the different buildings and saw the Concentration Camp for Italian and German soldiers.

The two sons of Mrs. F. W. Hall of Pleasant Valley were stationed together at Camp Cleburne, Louisiana until Pfc Paul, who is with an engineering regiment, sailed from the East Coast. Sgt. Spence Hall was also transferred to a place in North Carolina, where he is attending a cooking school.

Mrs. Garth Thomas wanted to visit her husband's parents before he began work at her new job Monday, so last Wednesday she arrived on the morning train. Rev. O. J. Harmonson took her out to the Thomas home, but nobody was at home. Lt. Thomas is stationed somewhere in the Pacific. His bride returned to Dallas Friday after her second visit to Southland.

Only half of the new hymn books for the Baptist Church had arrived by Sunday morning, as books are also being rationed. The order had to be sent from Dallas to Nashville, Tenn. Large crowds are enjoying the sermons of the visiting Evangelist, Rev. Charles Cobb of Summerville. The Pastor, Rev. O. E. McGaw, has charge of the Booster Band and Sunday evening at their second meeting, there were 19 present.

Friday evening, Aug. 20, the Church of Christ revival will begin. S. B. Lofton, the pastor who resides at Graham, will do the preaching. Brother Lofton became pastor of the local Church soon after Christmas.

Rev. E. E. Armstrong leaves Wednesday of this week to be evangelist at a meeting to begin that evening in his old home church at Nolan, where he began preaching. Mrs. Armstrong will accompany him.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs.

Payton Crawford of Hackberry. Their 7 1/2 lb. son was born at Slaton hospital Sunday night.

Mrs. W. H. Fletcher, a former resident who now lives at Plainview, came Thursday afternoon to visit her daughter, Mrs. Marvin Truelock, and family. They were Sunday dinner guests of the S. M. Truelocks.

Thursday evening the new School Superintendent, J. W. Hewlett, chaperoned a group of young people to a picnic at the roadside park. Weiners were roasted and pickles, mustard, potato chips, cake, ice cream and cookies were served to Billie Van Leake, Jimmie and Janey Morris, Bobbie and Mack Fields, Polly Stotts, Don Max and George Jackson.

Mrs. F. W. Hall and son, F. W., Jr., spent Sunday in Lubbock visiting her sister, Mrs. W. C. McCelvy, and her sister, Mrs. Ed Saunders.

Saturday afternoon Mrs. John Irwin and family attended the funeral of her cousin in Lubbock. The deceased had been suffering for several months with a stroke of paralysis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Weaver of Lubbock spent the week end with his parents, the W. M. Weavers.

Miss Frances McArthur of Lubbock spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McArthur.

Mrs. Woodrow Locklear and daughter returned home to Ft. Worth, after spending several weeks with the A. F. Davies and other relatives of Post.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rains and children of Barnum Springs attended church here Sunday and were dinner guests of the John Irwins.

Mrs. Eoone Pennell of Canyon visited the Donald Pennells, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pennell returned Sunday from a week's vacation visiting relatives near Post and fishing at San Angelo.

Mrs. Rayburn Rue of Ivanhoe spent Friday to Sunday with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Alvin Dudley.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Jones and children came Sunday from Sundown to visit her brother, Elmer Watson, and family. Their daughter, Donna, who formerly attended school here, stayed for the whole week. Another cousin visiting Inez Watson is Vera Snoot of Fruitvale.

August Beckers visited the Walter Stahls Sunday.

Lena Mae Samples killed a rattlesnake Sunday morning, the 4th to be killed near their home in the last four weeks.

Dinner guests Sunday with Mary Frances King were Leslie King, Robert and Addie Long and

Margie Becker.

Margie Becker spent two days in Lubbock last week with her sister, Dorothy Becker, who is in nurse's training.

Courtney Stewart of Wilson visited relatives at Southland. He is with a tank destroyer at Camp Hood near Bartlett.

The Walter Voights visited Marcus Wilkers, Sunday.

Mr. Ed King and son, Leslie, and Mrs. Harry King and daughters, Virginia and Mary Frances, made a business trip to Lubbock Monday.

Billie Becker writes his folks he will be home Friday for a fifteen day furlough.

Clyde King made a business trip to Levelland Monday.

Carolyn Walker spent from Friday until Monday with Idalla Corley in Lubbock.

Mrs. W. W. Gilliland and grandson, Duane, visited Mrs. Dave Draper in Slaton Saturday.

Movie Reporter

More gowns than most fashion designers turnout in an entire year will be worn by Ida Lupino and Joan Leslie in the elaborate production numbers and New York cafe society scenes of Warner Bros. "The Hard Way," at the Palace Theatre Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

Orry-Kelly, chief studio wardrobe designer, is running up 28 each for Miss Lupino and Miss Leslie. It's a holiday for the girls, especially Miss Lupino, who hasn't worn an evening gown in pictures since "They Drive by Night" two years ago.

"Air Force," Warner Bros. timely new picture which deals with the war of the Pacific and of the heroic feats of American flyers, will have its initial opening at the Palace preview Saturday night, Sunday and Monday.

Taken from Government files, the picture records the story of one of our Flying Fortresses, from the moment it takes off on a peaceful mission from Mather Field, just prior to December 7, until it arrives on Australian territory, having taken active part in the Coral Sea battle.

Featured in the cast are John Garfield, Gig Young, Harry Carey, George Tobias, Arthur Kennedy, James Brown and John Ridgely. Army fliers, many of whom participated in actual raids over Japanese-held bases in the South Pacific, take part.

Howard Hawks directed the Hal B. Wallis production from a screen play by Dudley Nichols. The picture was made with the cooperation of the United States Army.

That there is today in Germany, an articulate, determined, militant and patriotic brotherhood of lovers of the Fatherland, composed of zealous men and women of all religious and political faiths, who willingly, even cheerfully, sacrifice their lives for the cause of human liberty in the Third Reich, is the highly provocative background for "Hitler—Beast of Berlin," the startling, true and eloquent pictorial drama of courageous humanity struggling under the iron heel of despotism, which has been booked as the featured attraction at the Palace Theatre, to start Friday and Saturday.

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Farm Wiring To Be Distributed

COLLEGE STATION, Aug. 11.—Texas' 254 county USDA war boards this week were handed the job of distributing 59,000 pounds of wire for farmstead wiring.

Allotted for agricultural purposes during the three months that began July 1, the wire will be distributed to farmers through county USDA war boards. The new distribution system is in line with WPB plans governing distribution of critical materials, of which copper is one.

Explaining operation of the program on a county basis, B. F. Vance, chairman, Texas USDA War Board, said that approval for farmstead wiring will be given only for essential needs which will add to the Food for Freedom program, or save labor on the farm. If the proposed use meets the standards for essential permitted uses, county war boards will issue copper wire allotment certificates which are to be presented to local suppliers.

He added that while allotments of wire will be released for essential food production and labor saving purposes, copper wire cannot be made available for farm dwellings. New users of electricity must be able to qualify for power line extensions before they will be eligible for copper wire under the new distribution program. To qualify for a power line extension, a farm is required to have a specified number of animal units and be within a reasonable distance from a power line.

Old users of electricity who wish to extend electrical service on their farms are required to meet the

Chief Topics.

J. M. Clark has just returned from the hospital in Clovis, where he had another check-up. The doctor told him he was getting along fine and he would be back on the job in 90 days. Mr. Clark was seriously injured about nine months ago.

The voluntary retirement of H. H. "Bill" Nye, assistant general freight agent of the Panhandle & Santa Fe Railway Company, with same standards as new users, he said.

Have your prescriptions filled at TEAGUE'S DRUG STORE by a registered pharmacist.

headquarters in Amarillo, Texas, for more than 35 years of service, was announced today by H. C. Vincent, traffic manager.

Nye has been on sick leave for sometime and is now resting at his home in Amarillo, at 1310 Madison Street. In announcing the retirement Vincent said:

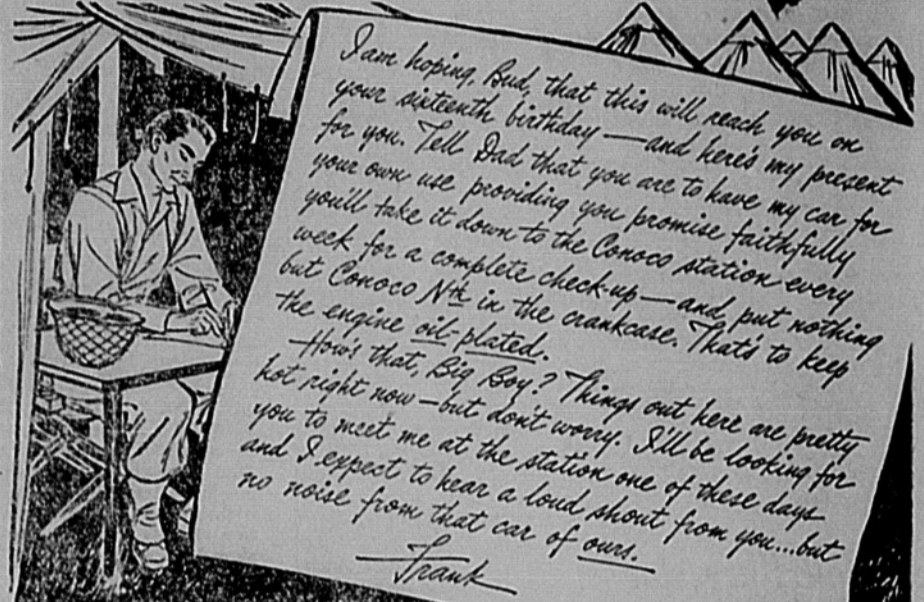
"Bill Nye has been an outstanding rate official and his retirement, due to illness, will be keenly felt. While we feel deeply over the retirement, he carries out sincere wishes that the leisure years ahead will insure a complete return to health."

Nye entered service of the Santa Fe at Topeka in 1908 as a rate clerk. His ability in the rate field was immediately recognized and he became a special rate authority

and finally assistant general freight agent.

The Santa Fe System Carloadings for the week ending August 7, 1943, were 21,355 compared with 22,855 for the same week in 1942. Cars received from connections totaled 11,803 compared with 11,949 for the same week in 1942. The total cars moved were 33,158 compared with 34,804 for the same week in 1942. Santa Fe handled a total of 33,393 cars in the preceding week of this year.

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Frank

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JUST TALK

by A.M.J.

While we shy away from poetry on most occasions we reproduce the clipping that Cpl. Michael Grochowsky sent us from Bryan Field, Texas. There is some doubt in my mind whether this could be classified as poetry...in fact it is a shade low for doggerel but just the same it has its points.

TEXAS YOU CAN HAVE IT Twas once I was happy, My life was filled with cheer; I never had seen Texas Till the Army brought me here.

I've heard songs of her beauty, Pretty girls and big strong men, Rolling plains and majestic mountains, Just heaven, from end to end.

The one thing that is certain, Of this there is no denying, The guy that started that noise, Did a hell of a lot of lying.

Deep in the heart of Texas There is sand in all we eat, The girls are all bowlegged The boys all have flat feet.

That's why they have to send us here, To sit in sad dejection, Out on this lonely desert.

For this dam state's protection.

No longer are we religious, We drink, we fight, we curse, No worry about going to hell, It simply can't be worse.

Down here the sun is hotter, Down here the rain is wetter, They think it's the best state But there are forty seven better.

Still there is no one to blame but me,

The Army never forgot it; I asked for foreign duty, and Believe me, BY GOD, I got it!

Slaton really got improved when Bill Sewell moved to town. Not only is Bill the most talkative banker I ever saw but he is the first one I have ever known who would try anything that was not insured to bring at least ten per cent interest and had two hundred per cent security.

What I am getting at is the fact that Bill went home last week, after some one told him that black eyed peas could be shelled by running them through a clothes wringer, and tried it. Not only did Bill try it but he shelled the blamed things and I did not find out about it until after I sat up one night until twelve thirty prying those peas out of their subterranean hiding places. It is reported that Bill not only shelled a wash tub full for himself in fifteen minutes but sent invitations to all his friends and neighbors to bring in their peas for him to run through the wringer.

Charlie Austin said that he had been told that peas could be shelled by running them through the wringer but that he had never tried it himself as he knew from experience just how a pea would feel going through a wringer.

Mrs. Dayton Eckert said that her husband volunteered to help her shell a tub full of peas week before last and kept her up until twelve o'clock while he tried to invent some easy way to get the peas to venture out of the pods without being dug out with the tenderest part of the finger nails with the consequence that she shelled all of the peas and went to bed leaving Dayton working with several gadgets that would do most everything but shell peas. Mrs. Eckert almost broke into sobs when told of the clothes wringer and Bill Sewell

My great trouble now is that I am out of peas and if I did have a tub or two full, I do not have a clothes wringer as I do not have enough clothes to run through a wringer and if I did have more clothes I do not have the money to buy a clothes wringer, and if I did have the money to buy a clothes wringer I could not get one as there is not a clothes wringer in town for sale... but just the same I am glad that Bill Sewell found out about how to shell peas as perhaps next year I may get some more peas and by that

time I might have enough clothes too. But why go into the matter further.

For fear that our readers do not know the power of Slatonite classified advertising, I would like to tell you of the recommendation given us by Rev. Paul Stevens who moved from town last week to Taos, New Mexico.

Several weeks ago, Paul's little boy lost three shirts and some underwear off his red wagon while hauling the family wash home from the laundry.

The following week Paul published the fact in our classified columns with the result that he had received five shirts back instead of three that he lost, all of them in better condition than the lost ones, and enough underwear to last for the duration. The minister considered the suggestion that he advertise for a lost suit of clothes, but left before we could get the sale completed; however, if anyone has found a No. 40 suit with a projecting front to the coat to fit over an over developed waist I'll take care of it until Paul loses such a suit.

These are some jokes I cribbed: Grandma is going to have a tough time this spring deciding whether she is going to remain at work in the shipyards or play shortstop for the local baseball team.

Who can recall the grand old carefree days when gasoline was so unrationed that women could use whole panfuls of it to clean their gloves, and have enough left over to blow up their kitchens?

PUNNY

Customer: "My goodness, eggs

are high!"

Grocer: "Sure, part of the war program."

Customer: "How?"

Grocer: "All the hens are making shells!"

RESIGNATION

This letter was received from an American conscript: "Dear Colonel: After four months of army life and much sober reflection, I have decided that I can not support my wife in the manner in which she has been accustomed on my army pay. Kindly accept my resignation."

RELATIVELY SPEAKING

"For heavens sake," wrote Tommy to his wife, "don't send any more of those nagging letters while I'm at the front. I want to fight this war in peace."

HE'S RIGHT ABOUT IT

Jones was waiting for a bus when a stranger approached and asked the time. Jones ignored him. The stranger repeated the request. Jones continued to ignore him. When the stranger finally walked away another passenger said curiously: "That was a perfectly reasonable question. Why didn't you tell him what time it was?"

"Why?" said Jones. "Listen, I'm standing here minding my own business and this guy wants to know what time it is. So maybe I tell him what time it is. Then what? We get to talking and this guy says, 'How about a drink?' So we have a drink. Then we have some more drinks. So after a while I say, 'How about coming up to my house for a bite to eat?' So we go up to my house and we're eating ham and cheese in the kitchen when my daughter comes

On The HOME FRONT

An honorable discharge from the army during the present war will be signified by a lapel button the War Department has announced. Both men and women, whether officers or enlisted personnel, will be eligible to wear the button if they hold an honorable discharge.

Truckers hauling poultry must post within their trucks the name and address of the persons to whom it is being shipped, the place from which the items were shipped, their quantities, types, grades and weight classes, and the number of head of each, the OPA has ruled.

The supply of wool for civilian wearing apparel is approximately the same as last season. To meet military demands and equip civilians, existing wool facilities will be operated to the limit of capacity. Manufacturers are reducing the variety of colors and counts of their yarns; weavers are dropping some of the non-essential numbers from their lines. Materials produced will be familiar, popular, and practical types. No colors are prohibited.

in, and my daughters a very good-looking girl. So she falls for the guy and he falls for her. Then they get married, and any guy that can't afford a watch I don't want in my family!"

We were sitting in a dentist's office the other day when some guy looking up from the paper he had found on the table and said brightly: "Well, I see there's been some fierce fighting around that Arzonne forest."

hibited.

Large increases in the production of peanut butter and peanut oil from the 1943 crop of farmers' stock peanuts, expected to approximate 1,425,000 tons—375,000 tons more than last year—are urgently needed to meet wartime requirements, says WFA. Approximately 413,000 tons will be made into peanut butter—375,000 tons for civilian consumption and the remainder for the army and navy.

Between 250,000 and 300,000 tons of paper will be saved by amended WPB conservation order M-241-A which affects all use of paper and is far more inclusive in its scope than any other paper conservation order. The paper saved, according to the WPB pulp and paper division, will be utilized to better advantage in meeting war

requirements and certain civilian needs. Although the General Public may have fewer fancy articles made from paper the real needs of the average citizen will not be seriously affected because plenty of utilitarian paper articles will still be available.

Formulas for establishing maximum canners' prices for seven fruits, 11 berries, fruit cocktail, and the juices and nectars of the fruits and berries have been announced by OPA. The formulas take into account higher costs to canners, and since canned fruits and berries are sold under fixed mark-ups at both wholesale and retail, it will mean increased costs to the housewife on those items.

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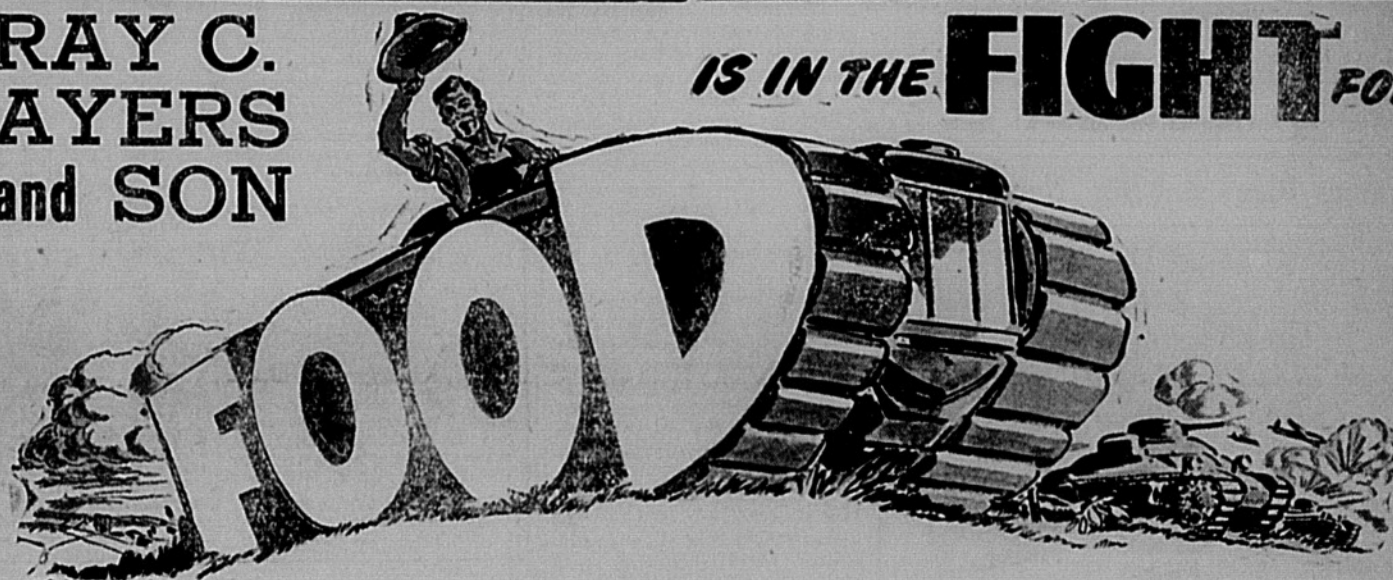
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Unusual! Strawberry Mint Pie



ENHANCE the delicate flavor of your next strawberry pie with a little fresh mint. You'll be delightfully surprised with the result. This recipe for Strawberry Mint Pie is a sugar-saver, too, for it uses glassed syrup as part of the sweetening agent. To fill one pie-shell:

- 3 cups strawberries
- 4 to 6 sprigs mint
- 1-2 cup sugar
- 1-8 teaspoon salt
- 1 baked pastry shell
- 1 1-4 cups cold water
- 1 1-2 tablespoons unflavored gelatin
- 3-4 cups glassed syrup (red label)

Wash and hull strawberries. Drain well. Bruise mint, add sugar, salt and one cup of the water. Simmer this mint mixture slowly for 10 minutes. Soak gelatin in remaining one-fourth cup water. Strain hot mint mixture over the softened gelatin and stir until thoroughly dissolved. Add syrup and mix well. Pour the mint gelatin mixture over the strawberries and cool until it begins to set. Then pour entire mixture into a baked pastry shell. Chill thoroughly, serve with sweetened whipped cream and garnish with tiny sprigs of fresh mint. (To whip 18 per cent cream, add one tablespoon of lemon juice to one cup of chilled cream. Sweeten to taste.)

POSEY ITEMS

VERNELL CAMPBELL

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Cloninger of Ft. Worth, Mrs. H. A. Alexander and son, Allan Burl, and Mrs. A. B. Cloninger from Breckenridge, spent part of last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Gentry. Mr. and Mrs. O. W. McClendon and children of Pettitt spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gentry. Mrs. McClendon is a sister to Mrs. Gentry. Mrs. Morrison has just returned

from a visit with her parents, the Stoneciphers, in Arkansas. She went with her daughter's family, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Johnson, and boys. She found her father in poor health.

Mrs. Bert Darland and girls, from Rodgers, New Mexico, visited her mother and dad, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Carroll, and other relatives this week.

Melva Gail was the name given to the new daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Johnson. She was born August 7 in the Mercy Hos-

pital. Clyde Gentry, formerly of the community, and a nephew of A. L. and T. A. Johnson, is now stationed in A. N. T. S. in Virginia.

O. W. McClendon and children, Wanda, Betty Jo and Billy Flo, of Pettitt were visitors at Sunday School Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Odie Williams and children of Lubbock were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Gentry Sunday.

Bud Johnson, Bennie Moeller, Boyd Belcher and Harold Morrison returned home Friday night after a visit in San Angelo.

Pfc. and Mrs. Bill Kempen of Lubbock are visiting Mrs. Stahl.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Williams and boys of Lubbock spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Belcher.

Mr. A. H. Perry of Lubbock spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Campbell.

Mrs. J. I. Cranfill and Frances Hart have been visiting in Odessa.

Miss Ruth Gentry of Lubbock visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gentry, over the week end. Miss Juanell Hart of Lubbock spent Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Hart.

The Methodist meeting starts August 22 with Rev. Addison doing the preaching.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Robertson and Mrs. Alma Robertson of Lubbock visited Alma's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stancell of Muleshoe, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Burns and children were visitors in the community Sunday.

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Police Predict Crime Wave

DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 11.—The Nation is heading for a revolutionary crisis which seriously endangers the American way of life, Col. Homer Garrison, Director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, declared here today in a nationwide radio broadcast. He predicted an unprecedented crime wave and "a nation gone wild" in search of new pleasures and new freedoms after the war ends.

"Our economic and governmental structures may undergo profound changes," he said. "Time-honored customs which have held our families and communities together will be thrown unceremoniously into the discard. This chaos will threaten the very foundations of our civilizations."

As a result of the nervous strain and the confusion of war, "the moral standards of our adult population are crashing down. With little or no parental supervision, and with temptation on every side, much of our youth is running wild. Crime is increasing rapidly. Youthful gangs have grown so vicious and so bold in some of our larger cities that the police even now can hardly control them."

"We of the police profession believe that our nation is headed for a crime wave far bloodier and costlier than that of the Capone-Dillinger era. Your police officers expect strikes and riots ...

involving racial minority groups. "Crime will be only a part of this Twentieth Century American Revolution ... We shall see something more startling than companionate marriage, the quick and easy divorce laws, the hip flask, knee-length skirts, and high-speed automobiles which grew out of the last war. "We shall stand helpless before the tide of radical revolution unless and until the great body of real Americans jerk themselves awake and realize that our way of life is in actual danger of partial or total destruction from within. ... V ...

FORREST BIBLE STUDY.

Ora Forrest Bible Study will meet 3:30 p. m., Tuesday, at the Methodist Church. Memory vs. Deut. 31:6.

Lesson: Studies in the Book of Deuteronomy. Chapters 18-30. Laws Reviewed and Future History of Israel.

1. How did God provide for the support of the Levites?

2. Did God warn Israel against occultism or spiritualism? 18:9-11.

3. To whom did Moses point the people for all information and guidance?

4. What are some of the punish-

ments which Moses said should come upon the nation if the Israelites were persistently disobedient to God's laws? 28th chap. Mrs. L. R. Tibbs. ... V ...

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FIVE YEARS EARLIER (1636) GOVERNOR WINTHROP'S SON JOHN AND THOMAS MAYHEW OF BOSTON HAD SENT A TRIP SLOOP TO TRADE WITH BERMUDEA. IT WAS A SMALL VENTURE BUT PROVED TO NEW ENGLANDERS THAT THERE WAS A MARKET IN THE WEST INDIES.

AS THE TRADE DEVELOPED, COLONIAL SHIPS BROUGHT BACK SUGAR AND MOLASSES IN SUCH QUANTITIES THAT THIS COUNTRY'S SHIPPERS BEGAN EXPORTING THE TROPICAL PRODUCTS TO AMSTERDAM, COPENHAGEN AND OTHER EUROPEAN PORTS.



THUS, THE COLONIES NOT ONLY GOT RID OF THEIR HOME-GROWN SURPLUS BUT SUDDENLY FOUND THEMSELVES DOMINATING ONE OF THE MOST PROFITABLE TRADE ROUTES IN THE WORLD. THE FAMOUS WEST INDIES TRADE WAS BORN.

Information courtesy of American Maritime Museum, Boston, Mass.

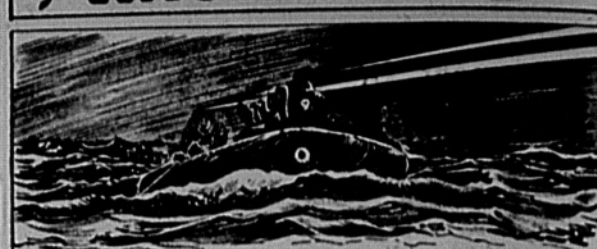
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THE PORTO, NOT GOLD, WAS THE MOST VALUABLE THING THE SPANISH CONQUISTADORES OBTAINED FROM THE CONQUERED INCAS.

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ONE winter comedy show which will continue through the summer with a full quota of laughs is the "Tommy Riggs and Betty Lou" program broadcast Fridays on NBC. Here is an opportunity to see if the photographs of the characters you have laughed at coincide with the mental impressions you have formed of them. Uncle Tommy played by Tommy Riggs (1); Wilbur portrayed by Wally Maher (2); Mrs. McIntyre created by Verna Felton (3); Uncle Petey played by Mel Blanc (4); Mrs. Wingate who is Bea Benaderet (5) in real life; and Mr. Kennel played by Leo Clary (6). Betty Lou, who resides in Tommy Riggs' home, wouldn't emerge for a picture.

Your brain, or innate intelligence, is likened to a switch. You turn on your switch to have electricity. Your life force or nerve supply is CREATED in the brain and TRANSMITTED to the organs and appendages where it finds EXPRESSION or function. This distribution of nerve supply is vitally necessary to health. Chiropractic adjustments will relieve and distribute the nerve supply to the body.

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Society - Clubs

Engagement Of Elizabeth Stokes To Lt. W. H. Mudgett Announced

The engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Elizabeth Ann Stokes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Stokes, to Lt. W. H. Mudgett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry M. Mudgett, was announced Saturday at a twilight tea given by the bride's mother, Mrs. Stokes, at her home, 300 N. Garza. The calling hours were from 7:30 to 9:30 p. m.

Greeting the guests at the door were Mrs. L. B. Wootton, the first hour and Mrs. R. G. Loveless the second hour.

In the receiving line were Mrs. Stokes, Elizabeth Stokes, honoree, Mrs. Mudgett, Mrs. J. W. McDonald of Lamesa, Mrs. P. G. Stokes, Mrs. Jim Sargent, Miss Marie McDonald and Mrs. M. C. Lindsey of Lamesa.

Punch was poured by Mrs. Fred England and Mrs. O. O. Crow. Assisting in the dining room were Mrs. H. R. McKee, Mrs. Howard Swanner and Mrs. Ray Hickman.

Misses Marita Shelby and Peggy Sargent presided at the bride's book. Over 100 guests registered. Piano and vocal numbers were given throughout the evening by Miss June Scott and Mrs. Weldon Lindsey of Lamesa.

An all white color scheme was used in the dining room. The table, covered with an imported Italian cutwork cloth, was centered with a large reflector with the date September 1st, in sky writing from a white airplane. The reflector was surrounded by an arrangement of white asters. Nappies with "Elizabeth and W. H." inscribed in gold were on the table.

Punch, cake, salted nuts and mints were served.

White candles in silver holders were on the buffet and white asters, gladioli and carnations were used throughout the house.

Mrs. Kirby Scudder bid the guests goodbye.



Between Us Girls

BY DONNA SANNER

Aviation Cadet Kirby Scudder, son of Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Scudder, is really taking his Naval Training to heart. He's putting everything he has into it! From one of his letters, I gather that he made a perfect score in all his subjects. He merely mentioned that he "made a grand slam on his finals." (Kirby will probably beat me to death when he reads this!) He was the only boy in a class of twenty-seven to make a perfect score in blinker. (Now don't ask me what that is, please, because I haven't the faintest idea.) That kid even made a perfect score in both code and semaphore. My, for the brain of a genius!

Kirby has been stationed at Texas University in Austin, but due to the fact that he made such excellent grades he was transferred, with twenty-five others, to Kerrville, Texas. He says, "I've waited a long time for this and I'm mighty glad I made it." Kirby, we're glad you made it, too, and you well deserve the good luck. Happy landings!

One swell guy in this town is Paul Melton. He's sorta' on the "taken" list, but he's still lots of fun. (That little chum that lives next door to me caught him before the rest of us had a chance. Not that we could have "trapped" him, but... we can dream, can't we?) P. Otis is really the life of a party. He always has some dry humor tucked away in the back of his mind and usually manages to bring it out at the most opportune moment. He's pretty tactful. Even if he is my girlfriend's best beau, I'm going to say that I certainly hate to see old P. Otis leave. He'll be going to the Army pretty soon. This month, I think. Oh, what a pity! But then, Paul will look cute in a uniform, won't he? (Private P. Otis Melton—how does that sound to you, Paul?) I'm taking a chance on writing this. I can write about the kids who are gone and feel easy that they won't hit me on the head, but Paul is still here so, therefore, to save my skin, I'm going to have to skip the block Paul lives in on my way home. That's an easy way to avoid trouble, huh?

Bluebonnets To Have Picnic

Mrs. George Culwell was hostess to the Bluebonnet Club Wednesday, August 11. A regular business session was held.

The members have decided to have their annual picnic August 20th at 8 o'clock, at the clubhouse. Refreshments of punch and cookies were served to the following: Mesdames E. R. Legg, F. B. Tudor, J. D. Holt, C. C. Wicker, J. H. Teague, Jr., Arthur Dennis, W. P. Shelton, Wallace King, L. T. Garland, J. D. Barry and the hostess. The next meeting will be August 25th with Mrs. R. C. Sanner.

CARD OF THANKS.

To our many friends whose kind acts and comforting words meant so much to us during our recent sorrow.

We take this means of expressing our sincere thanks. Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Riney, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Riney, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Riney, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Taylor, Pfc. James Ripsey of Hawaii.

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Friday and Saturday Aug. 13-14

"BEHIND THE EIGHT BALL"

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"GILDERSLEEVE'S BAD DAY"

HAROLD PEARY

also

Ch. 2 "Smiling Jack"

Mrs. Benton Is Honored Sunday

Mrs. Ira McCarver entertained her aunt, Mrs. Bert Benton, with a birthday party Sunday afternoon.

Ice cream and cake was served to Mesdames Loyd Tucker, Charlie Whalen, Brice Garland, J. S. Edwards, Horace Smith, Raymond Henzler, Ewing Jarman, Bill Seiderman, Wendell, Walter Edwards, Gene Allen, the honoree, and the hostess.

Job Printing Neatly Done.

OES Honors Founder Tuesday

Slaton Chapter OES met in regular session Tuesday evening with a large attendance.

After the business session a very impressive playlet was given, honoring Robert Morris, the founder of the OES. Those helping in the playlet were: John Hood, Carl Stewart, Myrtis Hanna, Birdie Culver, Ethel Young, Temple Gattis, and Vera Bailey. A short sketch of his life was given by Mabel Crews.

Those attending from out of town were Mrs. John Landreth, Miss Ruby Stewart, and Mr. Carl O. Stewart. After the meeting light refreshments were served.

SPECIAL MEETING TO BE HELD TONIGHT

Reverend and Mrs. W. W. Parrish, pastors of the Four Square Gospel Church on Texas Avenue, report that a special service will be held this evening, beginning at 8:20, at which time Evangelist Henry C. Marty, who is known from coast to coast, will be the guest speaker.

Reverend and Mrs. Parrish report that the Evangelist's five talents are very entertaining.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Coston and S-Sgt. and Mrs. F. W. Giannobile returned Wednesday from East Texas, where they visited Mrs. Coston's mother, Mrs. Delia Julian of Sulphur Springs. Mrs. Julian has been ill.

Mrs. John Landreth and daughter, Mary Frances, of Wellington, Kansas, are visiting friends in Slaton this week.

Mrs. L. B. Thornton and daughters, Carol Ann and Sandra Jean, of Etter, Texas, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. B. English.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. English and daughter, Earnestine, returned Sunday from Goosecreek and Livingston. Mrs. O. M. Hilton of Goosecreek and Betty Lee English of San Antonio accompanied them home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Roberts and daughter, Diana, visited Mrs. Roberts' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Travis, in Brownfield, Tuesday.

Miss Jean Willingham of Morgan is visiting Billie Burns this week.

Mrs. Allie Blythe and daughter, Margaret, left Sunday for their home in Berger after visiting Mrs. Blythe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Hammett.

Bonnie Childress, who is employed at the Ration Office here, is taking her vacation this week.

Lori Anne Young is now working at the Santa Fe Offices here. She was recently transferred from the office at Amarillo.

Mrs. P. M. Wheatly and daughter, Ella Faye, returned home Wednesday from Waxahachie, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Wheatly. They accompanied Mrs. Dewey Lindsey there. Mrs. Lindsey has been ill for the last eight weeks and was unable to travel alone. They also visited Mrs. T. E. Wheatly in Milfred.

Ed Meyers and brother, C. W. of Lubbock, left Saturday for Hot Springs, New Mexico. They will return the first of September.

John L. Taylor, of Louisiana, is

spending several days with his sister, Mrs. Dick Skelton.

Mrs. Jerome Burns and son, Ronald, of Ft. Worth, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Burns.

Mrs. Barty Jo Bollinger returned home Monday after spending three months in Los Angeles, California with her sister, Billie Frances.

Mrs. Bill Cox of Brownwood arrived Tuesday to spend a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Madden.

Juanita Burns of Lubbock is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Burns.

Miss Naydiene Smith left Wednesday for El Paso to visit her sister, Mrs. R. A. DeLong. They will vacation in Mexico.

Mrs. R. H. Todd left Wednesday for her home in Meridian, Miss. She has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Turnbow.

Mrs. De Lo Douglas of Midland is visiting Miss Jo Hestand this week.

Miss Maxine McMillin of Lubbock spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Donna Sanner.

Miss Merry Nell Culver left Tuesday for a short trip to Calif.

Mrs. R. H. Todd, Sr., left Wednesday for Camp Maxey, Texas, where she will visit her son, Pvt. David C. Todd, who is stationed there for two weeks training.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Sanders and son of Lubbock spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Scudder.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Austin this week are Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Austin and Mrs. Leon Austin of Orange.

Mrs. Leon Austin left Wednesday to join her husband in Denver. She was accompanied by Miss Ruth Austin, who will spend about two weeks sightseeing in Denver and other points in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Barrack and family of Waco visited in the Charles Roberts home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. George Privett and son, Geo., Jr., spent the week end

"Hitler - - Beast Of Berlin" Now At Palace Theatre

The uncensored version of "Hitler—Beast of Berlin," one of the most daring pictures ever produced, will be the next attraction to be featured at the Palace Theatre.

But, despite its explosive subject matter its poignant story of patriotic sacrifice and love of home and family, "Hitler—Beast of Berlin" contains no war scenes, is not designed to inspire hatred and is absolutely without propaganda, for or against dictatorship.

According to Manager Herschel Crawford of the Palace Theatre, the picture can best be described as an eloquent pictorial drama of courageous humanity struggling under the iron heel of Nazi despotism. The action of the entire picture takes place in Germany and describes, frankly and forcefully, what is transpiring in the minds, hearts and home of the German people.

"Hitler—Beast of Berlin" was adapted from Shepard Traube's inspiring story "Goose Step," the finest, most interesting and most believable story ever written about

in Littlefield with Mr. Privett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Privett.

Mrs. Al Simpson has returned to her home in Snyder. She has been here for the past year.

Mrs. Troy Pickens of Bryan is visiting her mother, Mrs. P. A. Minor.

Mrs. C. R. Marsh and daughter, Patsy, of Carlsbad, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Turner.

Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Howard and little daughter left Saturday for Taos, New Mexico, where they will spend their vacation.

Imogene Powell of Lubbock spent last week end in the D. F. Smith home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Staggs will leave Sunday for Tucson, Arizona for an extended visit.

the sufferings of the German folk not in sympathy with the Hitler regime.

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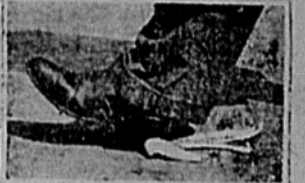
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RAILROADS NOW HAVE A DAILY AVERAGE OF MORE THAN 900,000 BARRELS OF OIL INTO THE EAST—NEARLY 100 TIMES AS MUCH AS THEY CARRIED BEFORE THE WAR.

IN A LABORATORY JOKEY DEVELOPED BY THE RAILROADS AND THE STEEL COMPANIES AT THE UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS, STEEL RAILS ARE TENSILED, BENT AND STRENGTH TESTED TO IMPROVE THEM. WHILE TESTING MACHINES DUPLICATE THE STRESSES SET UP IN TRACK UNDER ROLLING TRAFFIC.

Big Demand For Farm Produce

The demand for eggs, fryers, cream and hens from this section of Texas is increasing daily according to Ralph Robertson of Lubbock who operates one of the largest independent Produce concerns in West Texas.

The products from this section are of the best quality says Mr. Robertson and have a choice market and he is always glad to buy any of these items in large or small quantities when delivered to him in Lubbock. His place of business known as Ralph Robertson Produce Co. is located at 2707 Ave. H which is convenient to anyone going from Slaton to Lubbock, and he invites the people from Slaton territory to drop in and get his quotations on anything they might have to sell.

B-r-r-r Better Buy Your Coal Now

We're telling you that now is the time to get your coal if you do not want to run the risk of a coal shortage, says Lee Tudor of the Slaton Coal and Grain Co. There is more coal now than there has been for some time but as winter comes on, the demand for coal will become greater and the difficulty of getting delivery from the mines will be probably greater than it was last year.

The Slaton Coal and Grain Co. keep several grades of coal under ordinary circumstances but under present conditions their stock is usually sold almost as soon as it arrives and Mr. Tudor advises those who will use coal this winter to put in their reservations as soon as possible.

The Slaton Coal and Grain Co. also keeps a big stock of all grades of sand for building purposes and for the kiddies to play in.

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Are your venetian blinds beginning to show the effects of time? Are they beginning to sag in the middle and are they cranky about going up or coming down? If so, you should write or see the Lubbock Venetian Blind Manufacturing Company and ask them to pick them up and put them back in good order. This big Lubbock concern not only repairs all kinds of Venetian Blinds but also make Venetian Blinds to order and can fit them to any window or door. They make them in many different color arrangements and they are always glad to assist customers in selecting the most appropriate Venetian Blinds for homes or offices.

A letter or post card to them in Lubbock will bring one of their representatives to call upon you.

Conoco Products Very Popular

Rationing has made Conoco Products more popular than ever, says M. L. Murray, Continental Oil Co. Consignee for the Slaton District. This is true of the farmers particularly, reports Mr. Murray, who says that the demand for Nth Motor Oil and Conoco gasoline and tractor fuel is greater now than it has ever been.

Of course we endeavor in every way to give the farmers prompt service on delivery of our products and to help the farmers in their food for victor campaign, but we know that unless Conoco products were not the best that can be had that our business would not be so good.

Conoco Products are made in the Southwest for people who demand certain results from the petroleum products. This is a time when the qualities that Conoco has are appreciated and now more than ever we are glad to represent such a company, said Mr. Murray.

UNION NEWS

MRS. M. D. GAMBLE

The Baptist Revival closed Sunday evening with the pastor, Rev. J. T. Clinton preaching to a crowded house. Rev. Hardin, of Tahoka, left after the evening service Saturday to be at home for services Sunday. He will start a meeting at Wolforth next Friday night. Rev. J. T. Clinton will begin a meeting at Hurlwood. Those united with the church were Barbara Jean Evans, Mrs. H. M. White, Mrs. Clarence Swoop, and Dardenella Swoop. There were several converts.

Miss Bernice Kaker of Bridgeport, Texas has been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Stokes for a few days. She also visited Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Brewer, Mrs. Stokes and Mrs. Brewer are a niece and nephew of Miss Kaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown Montgomery and Mary Jo Griffin, all of Lubbock, visited Mrs. T. L. Peterson and family Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Cade Sr., and Miss Johnnie Ward visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Doyle Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Stacy and children, W. B. and Linda Jane, of Whiteface, visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gamble Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Raymon of Slaton, visited their daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Evans, Sunday.

Second Lt. and Mrs. Jerry Pair visited in the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Pair over the week end. Lt. Pair is stationed at Confer Field near San Angelo. He is a flight officer in the bombardiers there.

Mrs. Doyle White of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Patterson last week. She will be remembered as Miss Doyle Huie.

Rev. Clinton visited Mr. and Mrs. Otho Doyle Sunday evening. Mrs. I. P. Shipman and daughter, Gretna, of Abernathy visited Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Pierce and son, Kenneth over the week end.

Mrs. Elois McRhea and children have returned home from a visit with her mother, Mrs. T. S. Peterson and other relatives here.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Stacy and family were, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Stephenson, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gamble.

Mrs. A. M. Pair and daughter Gene have gone to Dublin to visit relatives and will stop for a visit in Dallas on their return.

Miss Mildred Payton is home for a visit with her father Mr. Jim Payton and brother and sisters. She is working as a secretary at an Army Camp near Topeka, Kansas. Mildred was transferred to Topeka from Lubbock.

Miss Johnnie Ward visited Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Cade over the week end.

Mrs. Bernice Martin has returned to her home in Dallas. She has been visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Doyle for a rest.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Presely of Shallowater Monday were Mrs. J. W. Eilenberger, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Speed and children, Jimmy and Billy, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gamble and Mrs. M. D. Gamble and son, George.

Mr. Bob Pair won a Berkshire gilt from Sears Roebuck & Co. by writing an essay.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Peterson and children visited in the Union community Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Cade Sr. and daughters visited relatives in Tahoka Sunday.

family have gone for their summer vacation in Colorado.

This hot dry weather has caused farmers to hook-up their tractors to the wind mills again.

\$55 Per Ton To Be Paid For Seed

COLLEGE STATION, Aug. 11—A new support price of \$55 per ton for cottonseed to Texas Farmers was announced this week by the War Food Administration through the state AAA office.

The new price, which went into effect August 1, and will continue through July 31, 1944, is \$6 per ton over last year's minimum price for basic grade seed, f.o.b. shipping points.

Commenting on the program, AAA officials pointed out there will be no contracts with processors in the 1943 crop. The price will be effectuated through an offer by Commodity Credit Corporation to purchase cottonseed products from oil mill operators who agree to purchase cottonseed in lots of not less than 10 tons at the support price.

Since the majority of Texas cotton producers will not be able to dispose of their seed in the minimum quantity, they are being encouraged to pool seed cooperatively or accumulate seed in lots of 10 tons or more for direct sale to oil mills in order to receive the higher price.

According to present regulations the support price of \$55 per ton f.o.b. shipping point, basis "U. S.

Standard grades," will apply in Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico while other cotton producing states will receive \$56 per ton on the same basis.

AAA officials added that in areas where oil mills have accepted the offer and desire to purchase cottonseed at a "flat" or "as is" price, these prices shall average not less than the average price which would have been paid if each lot of cottonseed had been purchased on a "U. S. Standard Grades" basis.

Malaria Fever Getting Worse

AUSTIN, Aug. 11—According to morbidity reports compiled by the State Health Department a sharp increase in the incidence of dengue and malaria fever has been noted in Texas in the past four weeks. Inasmuch as both of these diseases are disabling and sometimes fatal, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, is urging every citizen of Texas to cooperate in eliminating the mosquito which is responsible for transmitting both dengue and malaria.

"Malaria will continue to be one of our major public health problems just as long as breeding places are accessible to the female Anopheles," Dr. Cox stated. "It is vitally important to public health in this state that every home and business house cooperate in controlling this menace to good health by freeing their premises from tin cans or broken bottles, or any type of rubbish in which water may stand, so that the propagation of the Anopheles mosquito can be checked."

Dengue is characterized by its sudden onset and accompanying headache and pain in the back and limbs which has caused the disease to be commonly known as "break-bone" fever. The fever is usually of short duration, but inasmuch as convalescence is extremely slow, the loss of time in recovery would constitute a hindrance to our war effort.

Malaria, like dengue, is a very debilitating disease and one from which recovery may require weeks or even months of time.

Dr. Cox stressed the importance of conserving the nation's manpower and urged that every Texan cooperate in an effort to destroy the mosquito which is responsible for the transmission of malaria and dengue fever.

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Rev. H. C. Gordon, Pastor

NOTICE

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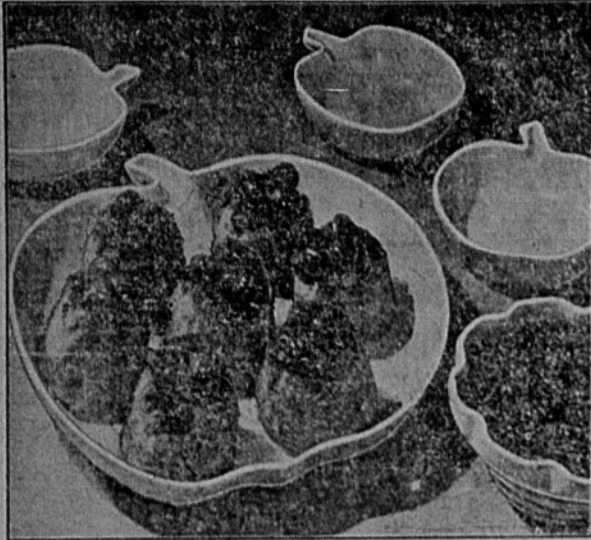
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THIS delicious cherry bran pudding would make a hit at any time but this year it is destined for special popularity. We might call this a "cherry stretching" recipe because less than one cup of cherries is transformed into seven pail desserts—an important point when fruit is a bit expensive and not too plentiful.

If fresh cherries are not available on local tree or market place, why not invest some of your extra blue points (that your victory garden is saving you) in a can of sour cherries? A number two can (2½ cups) takes just fourteen points—as this goes to press and you can enjoy this pudding and have enough cherries left for a chiffon pie or cherry dumplings. In fact the family might just ask for an encore on this!

Sour Cherry Puddings

¾ cup shortening 1 teaspoon vanilla
¾ cup sugar 1 egg
1 egg 1 cup flour
¾ cup bran cereal 2½ teaspoons baking powder
¾ cup milk ½ teaspoon salt
¾ cup drained, cooked cherries

Mix shortening and sugar together thoroughly; add egg; beat well. Soak bran cereal in milk; add flavoring. Sift flour, baking powder and salt together; add to first mixture alternately with bran cereal and milk. Put five or six cherries in bottom of each greased custard cup and fill

two-thirds full with batter. Bake in moderate oven (375° F.) about 25 minutes. Serve hot with Cherry Sauce. Yield: 7 puddings.

Cherry Sauce

1½ cups cherry juice 1½ tablespoons cornstarch
¼ teaspoon salt

Add juice to cornstarch and stir until smooth. Add salt. Cook slowly, stirring until mixture is clear and cornstarch is thoroughly cooked. Serve hot over Cherry Cakes. Yield: 1½ cups.

Note: Use sweetened, canned cherries. Water may be substituted for part of juice if necessary.

MENU FOR A DAY

Breakfast
Red raspberries
on vitamin fortified whole wheat flakes
Baked eggs on toast
Coffee Milk

Lunch
Asparagus soup
Jellied vegetable salad
Crackers and cheese
Milk

Dinner
Meat loaf
Browned potatoes
Stewed tomatoes
Buttered snap beans
Sour cherry puddings
Iced tea

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AMERICAN RAILROADS HANDLED 11,641,838 TROOPS IN THE FIRST 12 MONTHS OF THIS WAR—MORE THAN 4 TIMES AS MANY AS IN THE SAME PERIOD OF THE LAST WAR!

Rationing Notes

Gasoline—In 17 states of eastern shortage area A-6 coupons are now valid. In states outside the eastern shortage area A-7 coupons are valid through September 21. All Gasoline coupons in the possession of car owners must be endorsed with the owner's license number and state of registration.

Fuel Oil—Period 5 coupons in old rations remain valid through September 30. Period 1 coupons in new rations are valid now. Occupants of oil heated homes are urged to return their applications for next year's fuel oil to their ration boards promptly and when issued new rations to place orders with their dealers for summer fill-ups.

Sugar—Stamp No. 13 good for 5 lbs. through August 15. Stamp No. 14, good for 5 lbs., becomes valid August 16 and remains good through October. Stamps Nos. 15 and 16 are good through October 31 for 5 lbs., each for home canning purposes. Housewives may apply to their local ration boards for more if necessary.

Shoes—Stamp No. 18 (1 pair) is valid through October 31.

Stoves—Purchase certificates now issued and normally valid for thirty days from date of issuance, but will be invalid after August 23, by which time it is expected the new nation-wide stove rationing plan will be in effect.

Meat, Etc.—Red Stamps T, U, and V now valid, expire August 31. W is valid August 15, expires August 31.

Processed Foods—Blue Stamps R, S, and T became valid August 1 and remain valid through September 7.

course were spent in the open under simulated battle conditions.

Word has been received that Robert Taylor, S-2-c, son of M. L. Taylor, is "somewhere" in the Atlantic.

Lt. James E. Smith is now on maneuvers in Nashville. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith of San Antonio. Prior to joining the Army he was a resident of Slaton.

Billy Ray Waldrep left Thursday for San Diego, Calif., for the Marine Corps. He was inducted in El Paso a short time ago and has been here awaiting further orders.

Tech. Cpl. T. A. Worley, who is stationed in South Carolina, is visiting his mother, Mrs. T. A. Worley.

Increase your property insurance. See Hickman and Neill Insurance Agency, Cit. State Bank Bldg.

Latset publication of the Texas State Historical Association is a bibliography of Texas county histories, prepared by Dr. Bailey Carroll, associate professor of history at the University of Texas.

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NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF LUBBOCK.

WHEREAS, on the 30th day of November, A. D. 1940, The Slaton Independent School District, and the City of Slaton, Texas, a municipal corporation, Plaintiff and The State of Texas and the County of Lubbock, Texas, Defendant, Taxing Units recovered a judgment in the District Court of Lubbock County (for the 99th Judicial District of Texas) No. 4587 on the docket of said Court, against C. C. Overby, Mrs. R. P. Felts, Mrs. Ora B. Page, R. L. Riddle, Mrs. R. L. Riddle, E. V. Woolever and the First National Bank of Lubbock, Texas, for the aggregate sum of Six Hundred Twelve and 88/100 Dollars for delinquent taxes, interest, penalties and accrued costs on the same, with interest on said sum at the rate of 6% per annum from date of judgment together with all costs of suit. Said judgment directs that a foreclosure of plaintiff's lien together with lien of the taxing units which were parties to this suit and established their claims thereto for the amount of said taxes, interest, penalties and accrued costs as apportioned to each tract and/or lots of land as described in said order of sale.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Lubbock County, Texas, on the 11th day of August, 1943, as directed by the terms of said judgment.

As Sheriff of said Lubbock County, I have seized, levied upon and will, on the first Tuesday in September, 1943, same being the 7th day of September, 1943, at the courthouse door of said Lubbock County, between the hours of 2 o'clock P. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. of said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of G. C. Overby, Mrs. R. P. Felts, Mrs. Ora B. Page, R. L. Riddle, Mrs. R. L. Riddle, E. V. Woolever and the First National Bank of Lubbock, Texas, in and to the following described real estate levied upon the 11th day of August, 1943, as the property of said defendants:

Lots 31, 32 and 33 in Block A; Lots 1 and 2 in Block 40; Lot 12 and the North ½ of Lot 11 in Block 29, in the Original Town of Slaton, Lubbock County, Texas; and

Lot 12 and the North ½ of Lot 11, in Block 32, and Lot 6 in Block 71, in the South Slaton Addition to the City of Slaton, Lubbock County, Texas; and

Lots 1, 2 and 3, in Block 55, Lot 9 and the West ½ of Lot 8, in Block 173; Lots 11 and 12 in Block 179, all of Block 185; all of Block 189; Lots 1 and 2 in Block 188, and Lot 10 and East ½ of Lot 11 in Block 194, in the West Park Addition to the City of Slaton, Lubbock County, Texas, subject, however, to the right of redemption of the defendants, or any one interested therein, may have, and subject to any other and further rights the defendants, or any one interested therein, may be entitled to under the provision of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment and foreclosing the lien provided by law for the taxes, interest, penalty and costs. The proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof. Said sale will be made subject to the defendants right to redeem the said property by complying with the provisions of law in such cases made and provided.

TOM ABEL, Sheriff.
Lubbock County, Texas.
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Lubbock, Texas, August 11, 1943.

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OST—Gasoline Ration Book "1" made out to J. E. Robertson, 620 o. 8th St., Slaton, Texas. 8-13

SPECIAL NOTICE—Our business hours beginning today are 9 a. m. until 12, and 1:30 to 6:30 p. m. Photographs made 9 until 12 by appointment. **Artercraft Studio.** 8-6

FOR SALE—Have just received large shipment of Schrader Spark plug air pumps. **Crow-Harral Chev. Co.** 8-13

HAVE A NEW listing on 6-room modern home with two lots, on South 16th St. \$1900.00. With 600.00 cash or can take a good 'ord or Chevrolet car as down ayment. **M. A. Pember.** **Pember Ins. Agency.** 8-13

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taken part in the invasion of Sicily.

He has been in the Army since May 7, 1942. He received thirteen weeks training with the Armored Force at Fort Knox, Ky., and since that time has been stationed in camps in Ireland, England, North Africa and Sicily. While in Ireland he transferred to the Transportation Corps, which he is in at the present.

Pfc. Schuette has seen many interesting things since he left the United States, but writes that nothing would suit him better than to be back in Texas.

Lt. R. H. Todd of Meridian, Mississippi, spent Tuesday and Wednesday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Todd, Sr.

Leon Grochowsky, stationed at Bryan Field, has recently been promoted to the rank of Corporal. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Grochowsky.

Pvt. J. W. Martindale of Bryan Field, Texas, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Rettie Martindale.

"Dear Jackson,
Having at present a soft-bed job and doing nothing but recuperating from malaria. Seems a nasty old female mosquito got to me—know I'd get in trouble messing around with females.
I've decided to cast some business in your direction, namely I'm about to run out of this stationery and I'd like to have a new batch run off for me, just like this stuff. Realizing you were practically out of this paper when I saw you last, but also knowing the sales force, so therefore, print up more of the same. If the local padre can't take care of the bill, I'll pay it myself. I'm that desperate.
Personally, I'm ready to go back to school. I'll be a Civil Engineer if I ever do get there and out. I'll be in about my 10th week of basic when I leave this place (hospital). I'd give a pretty penny if our training were cut 3 or so weeks.
"You can take this Paris weather and blow it out your barracks bag. Guys (Yankees, anyway) are dying off right and left. Mean-