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CISCO HOST TO BAND CLINIC ON THURSDAY

Through the Editor's Spectacles

By GEORGE

It does not require a long look into the future to foresee the importance of airport facilities to the progressive community of a few years hence. Before the coming of the automobile, railroads were vital to the town which expected to grow and become a center of business and industry. With the advent of the automobile, communities without paved streets and good highways were hopelessly outmoded and doomed to decline or extinction. That necessity became real less than 40 years ago, within the lifetime of the majority of people now living.

If one considers the speed with which aviation development is now taking place, judging its acceleration by the influence of the World War No. 1 and by the influence of widespread pilot training now being carried forward under the current program of national defense, one must be convinced that within the next decade flying will become almost as common as driving an automobile is now. The value of railroads and highways is all great and these facilities are still essential and will continue to be essential to town growth and importance. Aviation, however, is rapidly becoming a complement to these facilities and so intergrated with them in service that the lack of a suitable airport will actually reduce the value of good roads and railway connections to a community. The three services will stand in essential relationship and all three must be provided if a town which expects to develop and be prosperous is able to realize its opportunities.

Unfortunately, the average community loses many opportunities because it is negligent about doing what it should do early enough to gain advantage. The trouble is not a lack of vision, but a lack of energy. Although we admit the necessity of the opportunity, we are prone to delay action until the pressure of immediate need forces us into action. As a result of this we often lose many advantages and opportunities which could be seized by early preparation to meet a known situation.

As this column has stated several times in the past, cities are not built by accident or gift. They are built as men build homes, businesses and character—by careful planning, laborious attention to details and unremitting energy. Brick by brick they are constructed, and the multiplication of the bricks is of greater value than the setting of one large stone.

To obtain suitable airport facilities for Cisco, facilities which we know must be provided will require much effort and sacrifice. Unless we are willing to invest that labor and that sacrifice we are not prepared to tackle

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Justice McReynolds, '14 to '41



Leaving the U. S. supreme court Feb. 1. Associate Justice James Clark McReynolds, senior member in time of service, looks back on 26 years on the high bench. In 1914, left, robust six-foot McReynolds was a crusading liberal; by 1921, center, he had become an experienced court member. Recent portrait, right, shows the 78-year-old justice as he appears at retirement, last of the supreme court's once dominant conservative bloc.

RAF PLANES BOMB NAZI SUB BASE

LONDON, Jan. 25 (AP)—British warplanes bombed the German submarine base at Lorient on the French coast Friday night, the air ministry announced Saturday.

The raid was carried out by aircraft of the coastal command, a communiqué said, in the face of bad weather conditions which kept German planes away from Britain throughout the night.

All the British planes were said to have returned safely to base.

All England enjoyed a respite from German air raiders during the night, the government announced Saturday, and London passed its fifth consecutive night without an alarm—its longest freedom from raids since Sept. 9.

"There was no enemy activity over this country last night," the communiqué said.

GERMANS REPORT BATTLESHIP HIT

BERLIN, Jan. 25 (AP)—German bombers attacking in the Mediterranean were reported by informed sources Saturday to have damaged two British battleships and a heavy cruiser.

The attacks were said to have occurred Friday.

The sources said a bomb of the heaviest calibre struck the stern of one battleship and two bombs damaged the bow and deck of the second.

The report did not specify where the cruiser was hit.

DNB, German news agency, said the warships attacked in the Mediterranean were escorting a convoy.

Construction on New Airport Is Being Rushed

Construction of hangar and grading of runways at the new municipal airport north of Cisco was being pushed Saturday with completion of the port assured by February 1, the final date on which it can be completed in time for the Cisco Junior college to qualify for the spring student pilot training class.

The hangar is being constructed of steel frame with posts set in concrete. It will accommodate two planes and meet the requirements of the Civil Aeronautics authority for student aviation training projects.

Runways approximately 2,200 feet in length are being built. The entire airport tract, leased from Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wilson, is being fenced.

Mother of W. P. Coldwell Dies In Kentucky

Mrs. Sarah Frances Coldwell, mother of W. P. Coldwell of Cisco, died at her home in Paint Lick, Kentucky, on Tuesday, climaxing an illness of about a year.

Born in Laurel county, Kentucky, Mrs. Coldwell would have been 89 years old in March. Her husband, who preceded her in death by several years, was a scout for Kit Carson in the Indian wars.

Only two of their six children are living, Mr. Coldwell of Cisco, and Mrs. Dora Wilson of Berea, Kentucky.

Baptists Plan Annual Daily Vacation School

The First Baptist church's annual Daily Vacation Bible school will be held from June 9 to 20, it was announced by Mrs. Judson Prince, principal of the school. The school has been held almost every spring since 1929, it was stated. The enrollment last year was 224.

Mrs. Prince has announced the following department superintendents: Beginners, Mrs. G. B. Langston; primary, Mrs. L. J. Leech; junior, Mrs. E. J. Poe; intermediate, Mrs. W. W. Fowell; and an adult Bible class will be taught by Mrs. C. P. Cole.

Children of all denominations are cordially invited to attend the school.

Miss Latch Named to Union Committee

Miss Lela Latch, with the high school faculty in Breckenridge, formerly a Cisco grammar school teacher, has been appointed to the publicity committee of the Oil Belt Teachers' union, it has been announced. The appointment was made by H. W. Williams of Sweetwater, president of the union.

Working with S. E. Pass of Abilene, Miss Latch will prepare publicity for the union convention in Wichita Falls on March 16 and 17.

Young People to Abilene Today

Young people of the Cisco Lutheran church will join with others of young people at Abilene this afternoon to conduct a spiritual canvass of the city. Several cars are expected to go from here.

It is hoped that the Abilene league will be in Cisco for a similar canvass on Sunday, February 2.

IRON GUARD CHIEF SAID TO BE ARRESTED

BUCHAREST, Rumania, Jan. 25 (AP)—Vice Premier Horia Sima, Iron Guard chief named by the Rumanian government as a leader of the forces which revolted against the Antonescu regime early this week, was reported under arrest Saturday.

(A newspaper dispatch to Budapest, Hungary, from Bucharest said it was reported that Rumanian soldiers had stormed the Iron Guard's "Green House" quarters in the hunt for Sima, who had barricaded himself there.

(Charges of looting as well as rebellion were reported lodged against guardist leaders. They were accused of sacking synagogues and wrecking the newspaper plants of Universal and Curentul.)

An important nest of 250 rebels was smoked out at noon Saturday. They were said to have had a large cache of hand grenades, guns, food, liquor and cigars.

Premier Gen. Ion Antonescu declared in a signed statement in the newspapers Saturday that a midnight attempt to assassinate him had touched off the bloody rebellion.

Escaped German Pilot Is Held In United States

OGDENSBURG, N. Y., Jan. 25 (AP)—A German pilot who escaped from two British prison camps and a Canadian prison train after being forced down in England September 7 is being held here for illegal entry into the United States.

An immigration official said the flier, Baron Franz von Werra, Messerschmidt squadron leader, claimed he crashed into another German plane while coming out of a power dive, after shooting down three British planes over London, and was forced down, unhurt.

The pilot told authorities he first escaped from a prison camp near Liverpool, later from a camp in Scotland, and two days ago from a prison train carrying him to an unknown destination in Canada. He asserted he entered the United States by crossing the St. Lawrence river in a rowboat.

Von Werra was arrested Friday night on a downtown street as a vagrant and later charged with illegal entry. Chief of Immigration David Benjamin, United States border patrol, said.

Miss Betty Lou Muller of John Tarleton, Stephenville, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Muller.

ENROLLMENT AT COLLEGE IS INCREASED

Second Semester Begins Monday in College and Schools

The second semester of Randolph Junior college and the Cisco public schools will begin Monday. Mid-term exams were held last week.

H. R. Garrett, vice president and registrar at Randolph, said Saturday that college enrollment will be increased for the second term, several new students having already matriculated.

Recognition of the institution as a junior college of the first rank was achieved last term, the chief college examiner for the state having approved it after an exhaustive investigation. This recognition assures all students of the college of being able to transfer all credits earned in the new institution, so that students may enroll in the college with the assurance of being able to transfer to some other college without loss of work done here.

This fact is having considerable influence in increasing the enrollment at the college for the second semester. Incidentally, the Cisco Junior college is the first new college in the state to achieve full recognition in its first year.

Graziani Moves Headquarters From Cirene

CAIRO, Egypt, Jan. 25 (AP)—Marshal Rodolfo Graziani has removed his Libyan army headquarters from the Akdar mountain town of Cirene and withdrawn most of the paratroop of the port of Derna from the path of the British drive west of smoldering Tobruk, according to military circles here.

The British said heavy attacks by RAF planes ranging ahead of advancing columns apparently had forced the Italian command to leave Cirene, 50 miles west of Derna, and 145 miles west of Tobruk. Derna was reported left virtually undefended.

Reports from the British-occupied base at Tobruk indicated, however, that the main British drive was cutting south of these coastal positions, directly across the Cirenaican "bump" toward the next big Italian base at Bengasi.

British tanks and Australian infantry have been reported in the vicinity of El Mechili, southwest of Derna and almost half-way along the 150-mile inland route from Tobruk to Bengasi.

Funeral Services In Eastland Today

Funeral services will be conducted at the First Christian church in Eastland this afternoon at 2:30 for Mrs. Ludie Stinebough, 61, who died at her home eight miles southwest of Cisco Saturday morning at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Stinebough had been sick only three days when death came Saturday. She is survived by her husband and a daughter, Mrs. Edith Trout of the Morton Valley community.

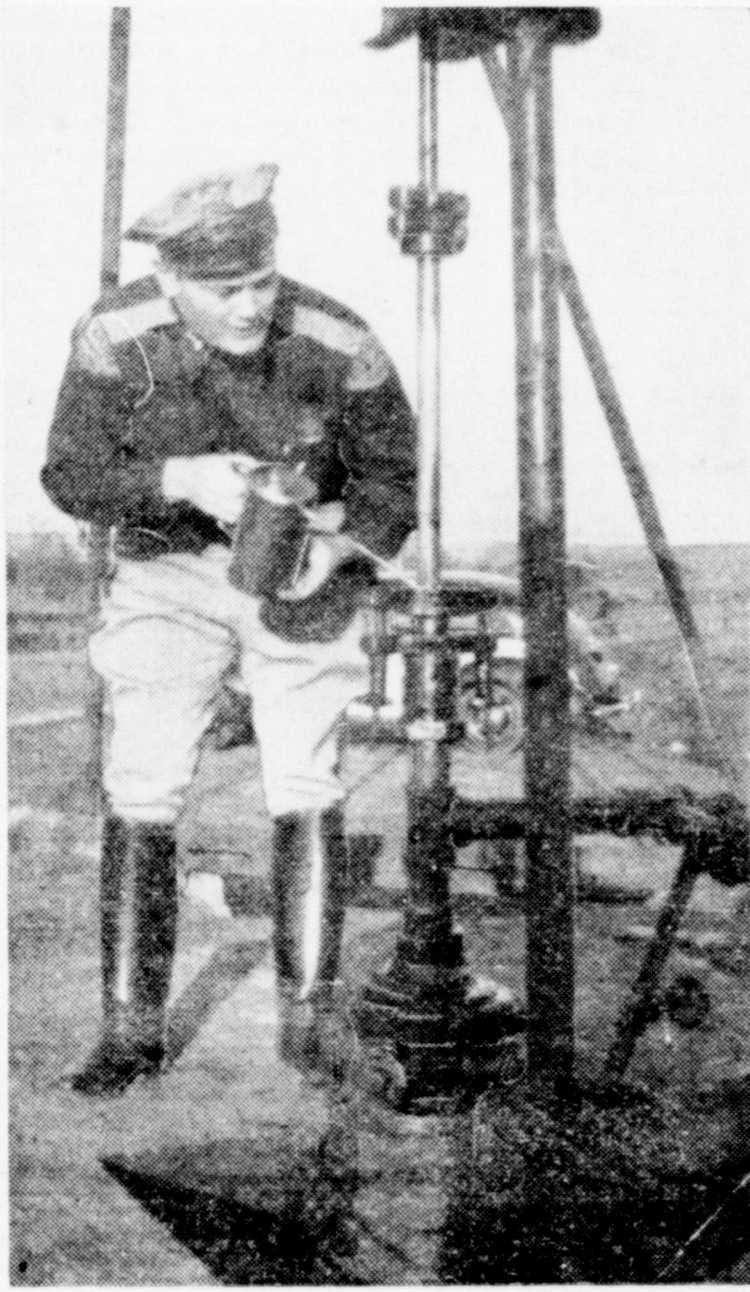
Neil Lane Funeral home is in charge of burial arrangements.

P.-T. A. Sponsors Games Tournament

The West Ward Parent-Teacher association will sponsor a tournament of games on the roof garden of the Laguna hotel Tuesday night at 7:30.

The affair will be given as a benefit, and 25c will be charged for admission. Various table games will be played, and the public is urged to attend.

Officer Oils Squeaky Oil Well



Oiling an oil well. That's what State Highway Patrolman Clinton E. Riggs is doing in this picture, taken beside the Tulsa-Sapulpa Oklahoma road. The well pump became so squeaky it attracted attention of out-of-state tourists, many of whom had never seen an oil well. Some tourists, says Riggs, refused to believe it a genuine oil well because they thought it should oil itself. They asked so many questions that Riggs, in self-defense, went to the well with an oil can and oiled the well himself.

Seniors Graduate In Exercises Friday

Eleven high school seniors were graduated Friday night in the first mid-term graduation exercises in the history of the school. The program was brief but impressive and was marked with a seriousness in keeping with the occasion.

Benefit Games To Be Played By County Teams

Athletic directors and coaches from Eastland, Ranger, Cisco and Rising Star met at the Cisco chamber of commerce office Friday to work out a schedule of sports to be held in connection with the President's Birthday celebration in the drive against infantile paralysis. Basketball Coach Johnny Edwards is county chairman of the activities.

It was decided to compose six town basketball teams, including quintets from Ranger, Gorman, Olden, Eastland, Cisco and Rising Star. These teams will engage in games on different nights, proceeds going to the general fund in the campaign.

Eastland had already arranged a game with Morton Valley for Tuesday night, so it was agreed that half of the proceeds from this contest would go to the general fund. Cisco will meet Rising Star at Rising Star Wednesday night at 7 o'clock.

The schedules of Ranger, Gorman and Olden have not yet been worked out.

Coach Edwards expressed his appreciation for the fine cooperation shown by the county athletic directors in arranging schedules.

Mrs. Thelma Halstead is the guest of friends in Fort Worth.

ONLY CONTEST NUMBERS WILL BE STUDIED

Lobo Musicians to Form Nucleus of Clinic Band

The Cisco Lobo band will be host to a band clinic to be held on Thursday night, January 30, beginning at 7 p. m., it was announced by Dir. R. L. Collier.

With the Lobo musicians as a nucleus, the clinic band will be composed of 90 members, including 10 each from Breckenridge, Brownwood, Eastland and DeLeon bands. The entire personnel of these bands will be present, it was pointed out, but those who do not play in the clinic band will observe.

Other bands and directors who have indicated that they will be present are Albany, Baird, Clyde, Anson, Dublin, Hico, Goldthwaite. Others have been invited.

Music to be worked on will be from this year's contest list. The regional contest is to be in Abilene and the national meet in Waco, it was said. The state clinic will also be in Waco on February 13, 14 and 15.

Clinic directors for the Cisco institution will be Director J. C. Burkett of Breckenridge, Director Ed Thompson of Brownwood, Director Moreland Baldwin of Eastland; Director M. G. Smoot of DeLeon, and Director Collier. Each director will work the band on one number.

Ted Bacon Dies Suddenly At Home Friday

C. T. (Ted) Bacon, 51, died very suddenly at his home Friday night at 8:30. His death was attributed to an acute case of indigestion.

A resident of Cisco most of his life, Mr. Bacon has for the past few years been employed by the county road commission. He is survived by his wife and five children; Mrs. A. W. Lanier of Sulphur Springs; Bob Bacon with the United States navy at Covit Island in the Philippines, and Billie Beth, Warren Dick and Joe Ed, all of Cisco.

Three brothers, J. R. and Billy, of Cisco, and Tom of Abilene, and six sisters, Mrs. Charles Gross of Topeka, Kansas; Mrs. Frank Shields of Wolfe City; Miss Byrd Bacon of Alpine, and Mrs. George Atkins, Misses Ellen and Alice Bacon of Cisco, also survive.

Funeral services will be conducted from Neil Lane Funeral chapel this afternoon at 2:30. The Rev. Leslie Seymour of the First Methodist church and the Rev. J. R. Wright of the First Christian church, will officiate.

Pall bearers will be Kelly Kinard, Buster Huestis, Cecil Penn, A. C. Poe, Lefty Sublett and Ralph Butler. Neil Lane Funeral home is in charge, and interment will be in Oakwood cemetery.

WASTE BASKET

A waste basket fire in the dental offices of Dr. Paul M. Woods on the third floor of the Cisco State bank building caused more excitement than damage Saturday afternoon.

During the first three-quarters of September, 1940, 93 transport planes were produced.

Weather

West Texas—Cloudy with snow in north and south portions Sunday. Much colder.

East Texas—Occasional rain. Sunday partly cloudy to cloudy and colder.

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New Laws for Home Defense

LEGISLATURES of 43 states are meeting this winter, and almost all of them will be confronted with proposals for home defense measures.

Outstanding among such proposals will be a set of five "model bills" drawn by various state officials as a result of a federal-state conference on law enforcement problems of national defense held last August. This program is being furthered by the joint conference committee, with offices in Washington, and representing the governors' conference, the council of state governments, national association of attorneys general, interstate commission on crime, and the department of justice.

Five "model bills" are on the agenda, and passage in all states will be sought, so

as to create as nearly uniform conditions as possible throughout the country. The more important of them are:

1.—A Sabotage Prevention Act. This provides severe penalties for intentional destruction or impairment of defense industries or facilities, trespassing on property devoted to defense work, and opens the way to closing of highways adjacent to the same by highway commissioners after public hearing. All the rights of labor asserted in the Wagner Act are reaffirmed, but C. I. O. President Philip Murray fears that the provisions could be used by local authorities in such a way as to nullify the right to strike.

2.—An Explosives Control Act, closely controlling manufacture and sale of explosives under a licensing system.

3.—An Interstate Public Property Protection Act. This enables a state to furnish police protection to its property lying in another state.

4.—A State Guard Act. Congress has already authorized state guards to take over the civil protection functions of national guard units called away on federal service. The bill provides that governors shall prescribe regulations for such guards, similar to those of the national guard, and wisely prohibits enrollment under it of any organizations or payments to it by private individuals or organizations. Here again Murray believes such a guard force should be subject to greater civil control rather than responsible only to military law. This bill also provides that on request, a state guard may operate in other states.

New laws of this kind, which supplement the existing laws and the expanding G-man federal protection, need careful study in order that all proper rights of citizens be preserved. It now appears likely that the national guard may be held in federal service even beyond the present term of service ending next fall. Local defense forces of this kind are already being organized in several states, and the study of these "model bills" and other proposals for home defense will be a critical job before almost every state legislature this winter.

The New Congress Is Slightly Self-Conscious



how that you've come driving all this way to Bayville after me everything's worse! Can't you see, suppose I let you take me back—suppose you hire a woman—? She couldn't go on.

Paul turned suddenly. His hands were strong on her shoulders. "Listen to me!" he burst. "I don't care what anyone thinks. I know there's been nothing, nothing a detective on my heels could find out. What if I do love you? Of course I love you! Any fool might guess. But they couldn't point a finger—couldn't muddy it up—because I've been careful. I never—"

Martha gasped, in swift dismay. "Oh, Paul! Don't! You mustn't!" "I know I mustn't," he cried savagely. His face was a pale blur above her, and his hands on her shoulders were shaking with a powerful emotion that had at last become too strong for him.

"What do you think has been torturing me, giving me no rest? You're his. But I love you. I can't help that. I can't help breathing can I? It's like that. Beyond my control!" He was fighting to keep his voice down, but the words came jerkily, hoarsely.

Martha's heart thudded with a terror she had never experienced before. Something huge and elemental seemed to have come into the car here in the darkness. Something that sat with them, and had them in its grip.

"I have no intention of doing anything about it, Martha," he was saying. "Have I ever tried to make love to you? Have I ever kissed it—in words—in any way—before this? Bill's my friend. He trusts me, and you—you're his. As long as you're happy with Bill, I'm content to remain

out of the picture, Martha." "He was sorry he had said this much. Realizing, Martha bowed her head, and looked carefully away, while he tried for composure.

"But I can't bear to see you overworked and miserable, taxed beyond your strength, when it's so unnecessary!" he cried. "I led you, I will hire a woman to do that housework! You've got to come back to the office, where you belong. You can't go on killing yourself with floors and pots and three children."

Stultornly, Paul's hand shot out and cut off the switch. "Martha, you must listen to me. For your own sake! If Bill realized what it means to walk in there, as I did, and see you pale and tired, circles under your eyes—"

"I'll live. Start the car," "Martha, please." Almost, he was beginning now. The imperious tone of command, the note of overriding anger was gone. There was no more arrogance, just a piteous plea.

"Martha, listen to me. You're not well. Since Bill's been away, you haven't been yourself. This is no time to be taking on added responsibilities. Martha, outside

of my own feelings—if you weren't anything to me at all—I'd still say the work's too rough for you!" "Paul, if you don't take me back immediately—" She was trembling.

HE uttered a wordless sound, and his foot found the starter. But something was wrong. For a moment, as the car leaped forward, Martha was aware that Paul's usually sure hands, the keen, swift co-ordination, were shaken. She felt a vague disquiet. Then suddenly, out of nowhere, the blinding lights of a car, speeding down the highway, stabbed at them. Paul was turning—there was an involuntary gasp—and before he could swing the wheel the other way, the lights were white and pitilessly close.

"Paul!" she screamed. "Paul!" Something smashed against them. She was aware of the black, hurtling bulk behind those glaring headlights. Aware of the

groan and rip of steel, the sudden violent shudder of the seat beneath her, and the sound of showering glass.

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"OF COURSE I LOVE YOU"
CHAPTER XVIII
BUT even as the words left her lips, Martha was sorry she had said them. This would just bring on more of the talk that was dangerous. Yes she had meant to tell him. Ask him to prevent Suzanne from carrying out her threat. Was it too late now?

"The same thing, in a way, you were getting at," Martha heard herself saying, tactfully. "Go to Bill and complaining about me. Except that she—she was going to complain about you, too."

"Don't sound like that! You know perfectly well what Suzanne meant! I tried to tell you myself that night. That we should not

see so much of each other." The street down which they had been strolling faded into an abrupt end. Paul looked up, "reduced the route a few blocks, moved the car into a little dirt road. They could see the passing lights of cars racing down the state highway beyond. He pulled up short and dimmed the lights. "I met her on the street," Martha explained, turning in her seat to face him. "Suzanne was—very angry. Because Mudge Wally told her we'd been together at that country club dance."

"Go on." "She talked and talked." "The memory of Suzanne's narrowed eyes, the sound of her tight, impassioned voice made Martha shiver. She could not escape the same, unwilling pity which had touched her then. Suzanne had never been suffering so she would never have spoken with such edged malice if it were not her own pain that was urging her on."

"She said—she said that she would drive up to camp herself. She said that she'd warn Bill. I was sure that I—that you—"

Paul swore. "Is she crazy? The meddling fool! What's gotten into her?" "You know? She's—she's imagining things. Because she—? Somehow, Martha couldn't betray Suzanne by saying, "Oh, nothing. Suzanne herself had said in that shaking, hungry voice."

"I can't believe she'd do a low trick like that! Suzanne has always been decent. With the eternal wonder of women, Martha sat beside him and marvelled at the simple, adorable part of his blindness. That Suzanne could feel so strongly about him, and that he could be so completely unaware."

Paul's jaw hardened. "She has no right to go muckling up trouble no matter what she imagines! It isn't her affair how often, or why I take you to dances."

"Perhaps not, Paul. But—remember—I tried to explain before exactly how it—I can't help looking. With Bill away. And people what they are. Oh, in a way, I—I can't blame her. And now—"

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S. Latch Has Meeting of Reich Homemaking Club

The Reich Home Demonstration club met Friday for an all-day session in the home of Mrs. Z. Latch. The morning program was quilting and in the afternoon, Miss Ruth Ramey, county home demonstration agent, gave an outline of the work for the coming year. In this work included the mattress-making program for 1941.

At the close of the program, Mrs. Addie Mae Horn, chairman of the club, presented Mrs. V. Plamlee, a recent bride, with a basket of gifts from the members. Visitors present were Misses R. Vanderford, D. J. Gorman, E. Myrick, Irene Prange, E. L. Jarman, Annie Rendall, Misses Jean Gorman, Wanda Joy, Betty Flaherty, Midget King, Jean Flaherty, Lenora Reul, Verna Prange, Mary Jane Adell, and Billy Joyce, Elbeedell Rains and Bobby Reul. Members present were Misses N. Hazlewood, Floyd Rains, J. McMurry, G. W. Horn, V. E. Mlee, J. M. Dillon, Elbert E. Miss Addie Mae Horn and hostess, Mrs. Latch. Those who could not attend were Mrs. Audrey Ezell and Mrs. Plamlee.

Carl Armstrong has returned from a business trip to West Texas.

Ray Miller spent a few days last week in Odessa.

Personals

Cecil Edwards of SMU, Dallas, expects to return to school Monday after a short stay here.

Mrs. W. J. Armstrong and Mr. Ray Miller have returned from a short stay in Fort Worth.

Miss Catherine Mae McDaniel of Stephenville is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McDaniel.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sauls of Denton are guests of Mr. Sauls' brother, Jim Sauls.

Miss Wynema Bond expects to return today from Ranger, where she has been visiting relatives.

Berna Goldberg Has Slumber Party Friday

A group of girls gathered in the M. E. Goldberg home on the Lake Cisco road Friday night for a slumber party. The guests arrived after high school graduation exercises.

The early evening was spent in popping corn and in various forms of entertainment. Numerous other guests called during the evening.

Those attending the slumber party were Misses Jane Gilman, Brenda Warwick, Marilyn Shertzer, Lillian Spears, Helen Draganis, Golda Warren, Betty Lou Paschall and the hostess, Berna Goldberg.

UTILITY EXECUTIVE DIES

FT. WORTH, Jan. 25 (Sp)—Word had been received here Saturday of the death Thursday in Coopersville, N. Y., of Charles Austin Greenidge, 68, former vice president and chief engineer of the Associated Gas and Electric System, who is a brother of S. M. Greenidge, 4015 Modlin avenue. He visited his brother here two years ago.

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Mary Philpott Has Birthday Party Friday

Mrs. Barton Philpott entertained with a party in her home Friday afternoon honoring her little daughter, Mary, on her ninth birthday.

The guests enjoyed games on the lawn, and later were served individual birthday cakes topped with one candle each. Favors were also given.

The list included: Mary Philpott, Mary Louise and Elizabeth Ann Kleiner, Betty Lou Brogdon, Sara Jane Gallagher, Marjorie Warren, Helen Dennis, Mary McCrea, Janet Hanahan, Zaida Lynn Sandler, Laura Lu Morris, Jo Ann Scott, Ulova Moad, Betty Rowe Wilcox, Ellawyn Abbott, Alma Lois and Joan Gale Moore.

Will Make New Home in Odessa

Mrs. R. V. Rendall and children, Lenora, Bobby and Mary Jane, left Friday for Odessa, where they will make their home. Mr. Rendall is employed there with the Livermore Oil company. Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Z. Latch, Mrs. Rendall and children have made their home here since November.

Bobby Carrothers Honoree At Wiener Roast on Saturday

Bobby Joe Carrothers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Carrothers, celebrated his 10th birthday with a wiener roast at Craddock lake Saturday afternoon.

The guests, boy friends of Bobby Joe, were accompanied to the lake by Mrs. Carrothers, where, after boating, they roasted wieners and marshmallows. Model airplanes were given as favors.

The invited list included: Bobby Joe, Melvin Sandler, George Fewell, Pat Fee, Paul Harlan Woods, Billy Bob Carswell, Emmett Graham, and Mickey Collins.

Miss Betty Clark of McMurry, Abilene, and Miss Reda Wray Clark of John Tarleton, Stephenville, are spending the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Clark.

Happy Reunion After 12 Years



Arrival in America was doubly good fortune for 16-year-old Clotilde Obst, pictured above as she landed in New York. Not only had she made her way from Switzerland to safety of the U. S., but she was rejoining her mother, whom she had not seen for 12 years.

DAR Chapter To Meet on Monday

The Charles Crawford chapter of the Daughters of American Revolution will meet for a one o'clock luncheon in the home of Mrs. Frank Castleberry of Eastland on Monday. It has been announced. Members were urged to attend.

Glenn Boyd of Texas Tech in Lubbock is spending the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Boyd.

Music Club Has Regular Meeting Thursday Morning

The Cisco Music Study club met at the clubhouse Thursday morning at 9:30. Mrs. S. E. Hittson was hostess for the morning and Mrs. R. S. Cope presided.

After a short business period the following program was presented: "Irvin Berlin — The Man and His Music," by Mrs. Ben Krauskopf; Berlin selections, by Mrs. Troy Powell, pianist, and an ode to Oscar Levant and excerpts from his book, "A Smattering of Ignorance," by Mrs. Alex Spears.

Mrs. Warren Hostess To Sewing Club

The Stitch and Chatter Sewing club met in regular session with Mrs. Jay Warren Thursday. Each member brought a covered dish and at noon luncheon was served.

The day was spent in quilting and quilt piecing. The next meeting will be held on Thursday, January 30, with Mrs. C. L. Nix.

Present were Misses C. L. Nix, A. A. Chancellor, Elwood Lancaster, D. E. Nix, J. D. Black, Rube Ivie, Walter Clements, Genella Dawson and the hostess, Mrs. Warren.

The Notebook

Monday

The Ruth Sunday school class of the First Baptist church will meet with Mrs. Paul M. Culp at 7:30.

Tuesday

The Women's Society of Christian service of the First Methodist church will meet at the church at 3 o'clock for a Spiritual Life program.

The auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church will meet at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Alex Spears.

The First Baptist Y. W. A. will meet at the church at 7:30 p. m. with Misses Rivers Greenhaw and Louise Flaherty as co-hostesses.

John D. Ward of Sweetwater is spending the week-end with Bob Grantham.



First Presbyterian Church
Sunday school, 9:45. Morning worship, 11. Young People's League, 6:30. Evening worship, 7:15. The Rev. J. Stuart Pearce, superintendent of home missions of the Fort Worth Presbytery, will preach at both hours. The Cisco pastor, Dr. Gary Smith, will supply the pulpit in Abilene today—Dr. Gary Smith, pastor.

First Christian Church
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m., with classes for all age groups, and a warm welcome for all who attend. The morning worship service at 10:50 a. m., and the evening worship service at 7:30 p. m. The pastor will preach at both morning and evening services, and a cordial invitation is extended the public to worship with us at both services. Next Sunday night, Feb. 2, Rev. Tom Hill, a missionary at home on furlough from his station in India, will be our guest speaker. He will have an inspirational message, and the public is urged to hear him—J. R. Wright, pastor.

First Baptist Church
Sunday school, 9:45, A. W. Skiles, superintendent. A class for every age. A new class will begin work this morning. Morning worship, 11:00, sermon by the pastor on the subject, "Counterfeit Christians." Baptist Training union, 6:30 p. m. Evening worship, 7:30, sermon by the pastor on the subject, "A Pen Picture of Jesus." At the evening service, the pastor will begin a series of sermons on the book of Revelations.—Judson Prince pastor.

Grace Lutheran Church
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; morning service, 10:45 a. m. Holy communion will be celebrated in the morning. Based on the miracle of the healing of the Centurion's servant, the subject for the sermon will be: "A Religious Soldier." (Matt. 8, 5-13). The religious soldier seeks a leader and finds him to be Jesus Christ. He arms himself with faith and humility, and finally overcomes in that hope. "We preach Christ and Him crucified."—W. H. Symank, pastor.

U. S. TROOPS REACH PORT

ST. JOHN'S, Newfoundland, Jan. 25 (AP)—The United States troops transport Alexander have to off this port Saturday, loaded with the first United States troops to man the Newfoundland defense base now under construction. Stormy weather made it likely the

Alexander would delay her entrance into the harbor.

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Oil Weekly Says U. S. Oil Output in 1940 Record

HOUSTON, Jan. 25 (Sp.)—United States crude oil production during 1940 amounted to 1,350,735,000 barrels, a new peak, according to advance figures released from its annual year book issue of The Oil Weekly. "World crude production (including that of the United States) totalled 2,149,055,000 barrels, additions to proven reserves amounted to 250,000,000 barrels during the year."

Monday's Oil Weekly will say it is the consensus of opinion of ten leading oil economists that there will be an increase in demand for crude oil in 1941 amounting to six per cent over the 1940 demand, due to the national defense program.

In its annual forecast (which was in error only 2.2 per cent last year) the publication will say "it appears likely that there will be less drilling in 1941 than last year—a drop of 4.6 per cent being indicated. In 1940 there were 29,910 wells drilled and in 1941 there will be 28,335 wells drilled. However, due to increasing depth of wells in some areas, as well as increasing cost of equipment, it is anticipated that the industry will spend more

money for drilling in 1941 than it did last year.

"Texas lead in 1940 with the largest number of wells drilled, and will lead again in 1941," says the forecast. "Texas will drill approximately the same number of wells and footage drilled there last year—an estimate of 9,775 wells and a total footage of 47,626,764 being made for the state in 1941.

"Oklahoma and Kansas will see more wells drilled. Illinois should see a drop of nearly 1,500 wells.

"Louisiana will see a substantial increase. New Mexico will show a loss and California will show a material drop."

"At the close of the year there were 343,598 pumping wells in the United States, and 43,670 flowing wells, and in 1941 there will be put on the pump approximately 15,000 additional wells, the total cost of the machinery needed to equip these wells being in excess of \$31,000,000. Another \$23,476,000 will be spent for equipment to keep the pumping wells operating."

More than 100 leading oil companies aided in making the forecast on 1941 operations.

DOVANAN FLIES TO GREECE

BELGRADE, Yugo-Slavia, Jan. 25 (AP)—Col. William J. Donovan, unofficial United States observer, flew from Yugo-Slavia to Salonika, Greece, in a private plane Saturday, passing over the Greek-Italian war zone.

Under the Courthouse Roof

The following proceedings were had in the court of civil appeals, eleventh supreme judicial district:

Affirmed—Brazos River Gas Co. vs. Brazos River Conservation and Reclamation district, et al. Palo Pinto, R. S. Hilton vs. Luse & Fockel Drilling Co., Titus.

Reversed and remanded—E. R. Stewart et al. vs. Jesse McKee et al. Smith.

Dismissed—The West Texas Utilities Co. et al. vs. The City of Baird et al. Callahan.

Motions submitted—West Texas Utilities Co. vs. City of Baird et al. joint motion to dismiss appeal. Nettie Hudson vs. J. C. Norwood, plaintiff-in-error's motion for rehearing. Standard Paving Co. vs. Millard McClinton, appellant's motion to re-tax costs. Florence Peyton et al. vs. City of Big Spring et al. appellant's motion to extend time for filing record. A. D. Crews vs. Texas & Pacific Railway Co., appellant's motion to strike appellee's brief.

Motions granted—West Texas Utilities Co. vs. City of Baird et al. joint motion to dismiss appeal. Cases submitted January, 24, 1941—F. A. Lowe, assignee, et al. vs. City of Munday et al. Knox, A. D. Crews vs. Texas & Pacific Railway Co. Callahan.

Cases to be submitted January

31, 1941—Woodmen of the World Life Insurance society vs. Viola M. Smauley et vir. Fisher, Jack W. L. Tillison vs. O. I. Griffin, Mitchell.

Auxiliary Has March of Dimes

The American Legion auxiliary will sponsor the "March of Dimes" parade in Cisco this week, with Mrs. Laila Smart in charge. Containers will be placed in the various business houses in town, it was announced, and those who are interested in the work of the Help Fight Infantile Paralysis campaign, are urged to contribute dimes.

The national auxiliary of the American Legion has established many scholarships and educational loan funds for children of war veterans, and cooperation in the "March of Dimes" parade is just another way of aiding in the fight for better conditions.

FDR THANKS CAMACHO

MEXICO, D. F., Jan. 25 (AP)—President Roosevelt Friday telegraphed President Avila Camacho that he believed Avila Camacho "as well as the government and people of Mexico share my desire and that of the people of the United States for genuine understanding and cooperation."

Roosevelt thanked Mexico's chief executive for a telegram congratulating him on his third-term inauguration this week.

Your Federal Income Tax

FORMS FOR MAKING RETURNS

Forms for filing returns of income for 1940 have been sent to persons who filed returns last year. Failure to receive a form, however, does not relieve a taxpayer of his obligation to file his return and pay the tax on time—on or before March 15, if the return is made on the calendar-year basis, as is the case with most individuals.

Forms may be obtained upon request, written or personal from the offices of collectors and from deputy collectors of internal revenue in the larger cities and towns. A person whose gross income for 1940 was derived from salary, wages, dividends, interest, and annuities, and was not in excess of \$5,000, should make his return on Form 1040-A. A person whose gross income was in excess of \$5,000, regardless of amount, was derived from a business, profession, rents, or sale of property is required to use Form 1040. Failure to use the proper form presents difficulties to both the taxpayer and the bureau of internal revenue. Therefore, it is emphasized that a taxpayer who is liable for a return and is engaged in a business or profession is required to use form 1040.

The return must be filed with the collector of internal revenue for the district in which the taxpayer has his legal residence or principal place of business on or before midnight of March 15, 1941. The tax may be paid in full at the time of filing the return or in four equal installments, due on or before March 15, June 15, September 15, and December 15.

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Specs— (Continued from Page One)

the job. But unless we do so, we shall certainly be a town without wings in a civilization that flies.

Grand Jury Refuses to Indict Threatt

COOPER, Texas, Jan. 25 (Sp.)—The grand jury for the January term of the district court here refused an indictment against E. M. Threatt of Eastland county, in connection with the slaying of Threatt's father-in-law, B. F. Gillean.

The charge was filed against Threatt on August 19, 1940.

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