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LUZON STATUS BAD; ALLIES LEAD ELSEWHERE

\$150-BILLION WAR COST SET IN VICTORY PLANS

Treasury Preparing to Spend Four Billions Monthly in 1942 and Five Billions in 1943

By DAYTON MOORE
UP Correspondent

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—The treasury is gearing its fiscal machinery to raise nearly \$4,000,000,000 a month to outfit the armed forces of the United States and her war allies for victory over the axis powers.

Military, naval and production experts tentatively set the cost of a victory program at \$150,000,000,000. It may be more — how much more, no one will ever guess.

More than \$70,000,000,000 already has been authorized for armaments. Defense costs exceeded \$11,000,000,000 in 1941. The war effort is expected to cost more than \$40,000,000,000 in 1942; upwards of \$60,000,000,000—\$5,000,000,000 a month — in 1943. The \$5,000,000,000-a-month rate may be reached in 1942, if industry can swing into an all-out war production that rapidly.

It is the treasury's gigantic task to finance these unprecedented expenditures.

Taxes will be the heaviest in this nation's history. Government borrowings will be stepped up to a rate far outstripping the Liberty loans of World War No. 1.

War taxes will levy everyone's budget. Excise taxes are expected to be increased and extended to more articles. Many persons must pay income taxes for the first time. Individuals in the low and middle-income brackets must pay three, six, nine or twelve times as much taxes in 1942 as in 1941.

Defense expenditures, including lend-lease costs, already had forced the treasury to a virtual war footing before the war declarations of Japan, Germany and Italy against the United States. Defense costs were accounting for two-thirds of government disbursements.

Revenues fell more than \$9,000,000,000 short of meeting government expenditures in 1941. The public debt climbed from \$45,000,000,000 to more than \$55,000,000,000. Costs of defense and regular governmental functions topped \$17,000,000,000, while revenues approximated only \$8,000,000,000.

This is the treasury's outlook for 1942:

Present taxes will yield an estimated \$13,000,000,000, on the basis of a mounting national income. Congressional leaders have agreed to add from \$5,000,000,000 to \$8,000,000,000 in war taxes. Against this revenue of about \$20,000,000,000, there will be an outlay of upwards of \$45,000,000,000, including ordinary government costs of \$5,000,000,000 to \$6,000,000,000. The treasury therefore must borrow \$25,000,000,000—an average of \$3,500,000,000 a year.

Congress started piling on heavier taxes months before the United States entered the war. A revenue measure enacted last September increased the nation's tax bill by \$3,500,000,000 a year.

Tentative administration revenue plans include a withholding tax which would take five to 15 per cent of all workers' earnings directly from pay envelopes before workers ever see it. Further increases are predicted in taxes on incomes of individuals in the middle brackets and on corporation income and excess profits. Hikes are reportedly scheduled

TREASURY FLOATS \$5 BILLION NEW MONEY.

Treasury sales of government securities, excluding defense bonds and refinancing issues, totaled \$5,243,000,000 in 1941—more than four times the \$1,212,000,000 of 1940.

Government borrowing in 1942 also is expected to approximate the total of the five Liberty loans of World War No. 1—\$21,432,924,700.

Congress probably will lift the statutory debt limit—now \$65,000,000,000—within six months.

Before the floating of a \$1,500,000,000 treasury bond issue—at about the same time this nation went to war against the Axis—the government securities market had been favorable without buying support from the federal reserve or treasury. But with war, it weakened slightly and the federal reserve and treasury bolstered the market with purchases. Treasury officials intend to continue this policy, when necessary.

Sales of defense bonds have averaged about \$300,000,000 a month—a total of more than \$2,000,000,000 since they were first offered

SCOPE OF EXCISE TAX BROADENED.

Excise taxes were applied to many additional articles and services, and most of the existing forms of this levy were made heavier.

Calculation of income taxes was made easier for persons earning less than \$3,000 a year. The treasury—with approval of Congress—issued, for various low-income

groups, a schedule of taxes which includes standard exemptions and eliminates the necessity of the individual figuring his income tax. Individuals are given the alternative of calculating their own taxes, and in many instances may save money by so doing.

A couple without children, for some time and his wife and children were at his bedside when death came.

Sorrowing friends and relatives heard Rev. James R. Wright speak words of comfort and pronounce a well-merited eulogy over his remains at the funeral held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the First Christian church, where banks of flowers spoke the esteem in which he was held.

Following the funeral his body was carried to Oakwood cemetery by the Neil Lane Funeral home.

Pallbearers were C. B. Powell, A. S. Nabors, O. R. Turner, Guy Ward, Elmer Jobe and L. J. Akers, the latter two of Abilene.

Deceased is survived by his wife, four sons and a daughter, and several grandchildren. The children are Milton Hooks, Fort Worth; Price Hooks, Amarillo; J. M. and Doyle Hooks, Abilene, and Mrs. J. M. Flournoy, Cisco.

F. M. HOOKS, 83, DIED TUESDAY AFTERNOON AND WAS LAID TO REST IN OAKWOOD AT 3 TODAY

The passing of F. M. Hooks, 83, Tuesday afternoon at about 3:15 o'clock, thus the ranks of old-time citizens of Cisco who have done their part in bringing civilization, law and order to this part of the state, and his burial this afternoon at 3 o'clock placed all that was mortal in a grave that will be tended by loving survivors—loved ones left to carry on in life, following in the footsteps, as best they can, that lead surely and steadfastly to good citizenship.

Mr. Hooks had been a citizen of Cisco since 1909 and he left his impress in the minds of all who had known him, as a character who might be safely followed.

He was born in Georgia, December 27, 1858, and was married to Miss Clara J. Price, July 25, 1886. He moved to Morgan, Texas, November 27, 1891, and in July, 1909, he came to Cisco.

Deceased had been seriously ill

HOME DEMONSTRATION WORK MOVED FORWARD NICELY IN EASTLAND COUNTY DURING 1941

During 1941, Eastland county has had fourteen home demonstration clubs with an enrollment of 289. Work was carried on in new communities through the comfort and mattress program, and through area meetings.

In the comfort and mattress programs during 1941, 1,874 mattresses and 1,257 comforters have been made in 34 communities. Plans have been made to complete this program in January.

The two demonstrations that were carried on in 1941 are repair the house and the poultry phase of the home food supply. In the poultry work, grading of eggs, egg cookery, poultry management and killing, dressing and canning demonstrations have been given.

Some of the accomplishments as turned in by the home demonstration club women are as follows: 125 purchased or incubated pure bred chicks; 7,500 pullets were added; 120 fed starting mash; 25 provided green feed the year round and 28 old poultry houses remodeled.

In the repair-the-house demonstration, the programs were on heating, lighting and ventilation, earning \$2,500 must pay approximately \$90 tax on their 1941 income under the present law, compared to the \$8 paid on 1940 income of the same amount.

One new tax which becomes effective in February is the annual \$5 use tax on automobiles. A congressional committee slashed a treasury request for \$4,300,000 for collection of the tax to \$1,500,000, and directed that it be collected by postoffice sale of special stamps. Morgenthau and economy-minded Congressmen plan to try to save \$1,000,000,000 or more annually by slashing expenditures for farm relief, public works, highways, National Youth Administration, Civilian Conservation Corps and other non-defense projects. Success of the economy drive depends upon whether the unity created by the war will cause Congressmen to forego pork barrel appropriations.

Funds of virtually all foreign nations and their citizens, except the British Empire and Latin-American countries, have been frozen. Total funds affected was estimated at \$7,437,000,000.

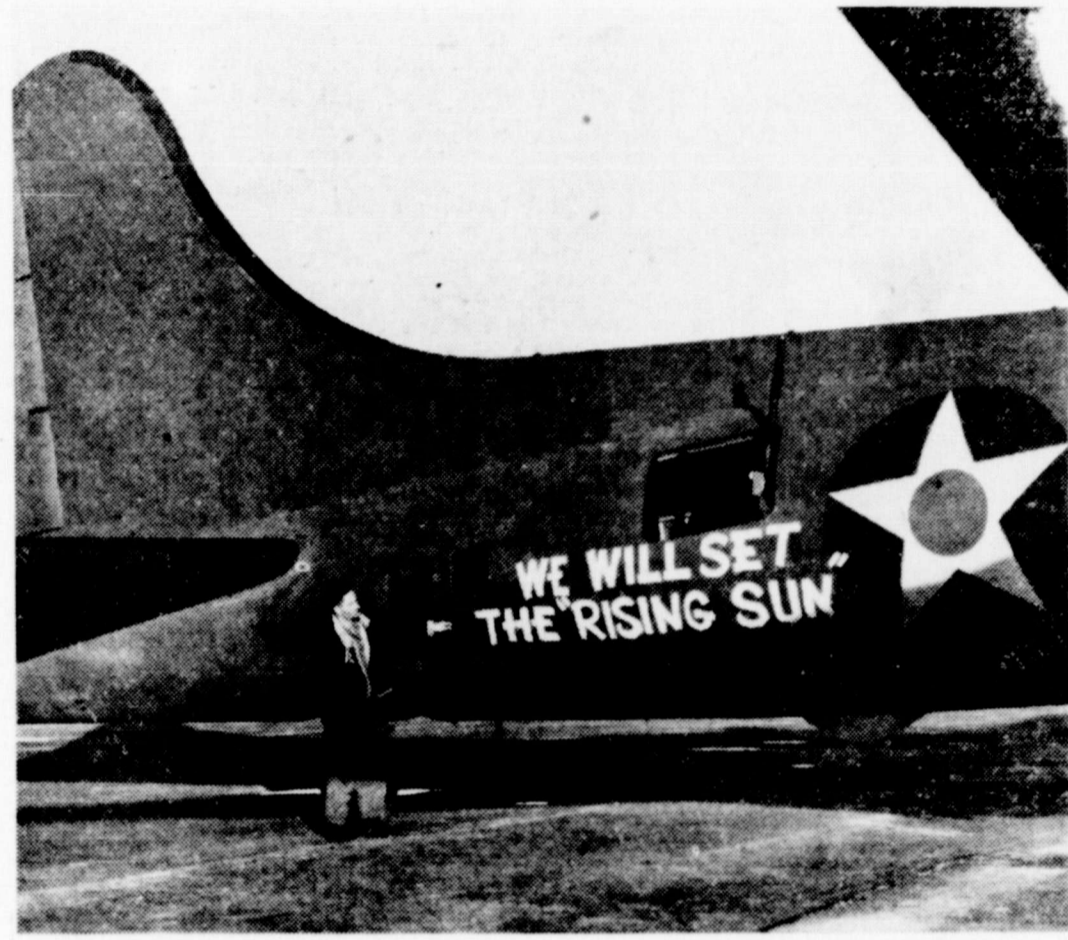
R. F. C. AND TREASURY MAKE FOREIGN LOANS.

The treasury has made loans from the U. S. stabilization fund to Argentina, China and Mexico to stabilize the currency of those nations. "Good neighbor" negotiations for similar stabilization agreements with other Latin-American nations were reported to be progressing.

The Reconstruction Finance Corp. and other branches of the Federal Loan Agency also used government funds to further the "Good Neighbor" policy. Federal Loan Administrator Jesse Jones granted loans to Mexico and other

Latin-American countries, and contracted to buy from them large amounts of raw materials needed in arms production.

Federal Loan agencies are vital gears in distributing defense funds. RFC subsidiaries have awarded approximately \$5,000,000,000 in munitions contracts, and already have disbursed more than \$1,000,000,000. The commitments cover construction of armament plants to be operated under lease by private companies and purchase of stocks of rubber, tin, tungsten and other strategic materials.



HERE'S HOW!—Bad news for the Japs, is this slogan adopted by U. S. heavy bombers, typical of the spirit of America's defenders. "We will set the rising sun." Crew member of this plane surveyed artists handiwork scrolled on its side. Machine gun pokes its nose from inside, all set to make the slogan come true.

GREAT WORLD STRUGGLE IS SHAPING NOW

American defenders of the Philippines fought a valiant last-ditch battle for Manila as the Allied armies ended a year of spreading war with ringing blows against the Axis on other fronts.

The struggle against overwhelming Japanese air and mechanized forces outside the gates of Manila continued furiously as darkness of New Year's Eve settled over the Island of Luzon, but communications to Washington showed defenders still holding out as midnight struck.

End of the year brought continued Allied advances in sub-zero weather on the Russian front, the British still were hammering at cornered Axis forces south of Bengasi in the Libyan desert, while in Malaya British imperials took the offensive against columns pushing into the rich tin, rubber and coal centers.

Hitler, his armies pressed by the Soviets in the East and by the British in the Mediterranean, repeated in his annual New Year message to Germans his promise of victory within a year.

The Nazi leader changed the date in his message of one year ago, when he promised that the "year of 1941" will bring consummation of the greatest victory of our history.

He toned down his prediction this time and said that the "year 1942 will bring a decision for the salvation of our people and those nations allied with us."

Most of the remainder of his message was invective against Roosevelt.

United States, British Commonwealth and Netherlands Indies have always been Japan's leading source of supply.

FIRST BAPTISTS PRESBYTERIAN BAPTISTS TO IN ALL-CHURCH PRAYER HOUR HOLD SERVICES MEET TONIGHT THURSDAY A.M. NEW YEAR'S

The president's call to the nation for a day of prayer will be heeded in the annual All-Church Watch Night Service at the First Baptist church tonight.

The service begins at 7:30 o'clock. Fellowship, recreational fun and inspiration are the goals of the service. All who will attend will be heartily welcomed.

This service is for every member of the family, from baby to adult. Brief messages will be heard from the departmental Sunday school superintendent with reference to their goals for another year.

The Training Union will serve the refreshments this year. John Smith is director of the training service.

LINDY HAS BACKING.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—Widespread hope that the war department will accept Charles A. Lindbergh's offer to serve in America's armed forces was voiced in the senate today. "I don't think we should have the slightest hesitation in assigning Lindbergh to a position where he could serve best," was the opinion of several senators.

A campaign is being conducted in the Para district of Brazil to purchase planes for civilian pilot training.

NOTICE TO CANDIDATES.

For the convenience of prospective Eastland county candidates, the Cisco Daily Press has arranged a political announcement schedule. These announcements will appear in each issue of the Daily Press until election day and through the run-off period.

It is requested that candidates hand in their statements when placing the official announcement. If that is done, there will be no additional charge for the statement. Otherwise, the statement will be charged for at regular advertising rates. Cash must accompany all announcements.

The Schedule.

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| County offices, including state representative | \$25.00 |
| Commissioner precinct offices | 15.00 |
| Justice of the peace and constable | 7.50 |

Cooperating with President Roosevelt in his request that the first day of January be observed as a day of prayer, a prayer service will be held at the First Presbyterian church from 10 to 10:45 a. m.

The entire citizenship is invited to join in this service. It will be sincere and informal.

Preceding the service there will be ten minutes of organ music and patriotic and devotional hymns will be sung during the service.

CATTLE STEADY.

Steers and yearlings were mostly steady on the Fort Worth stockyards Wednesday. However, trade was not so quite so active as on Monday and Tuesday. Cows were strong and mostly 15 to 25 cents higher for the week. Bull prices were unchanged. Slaughter and stocker calves were active and fully steady.

Hogs sold mostly 10 cents above Tuesday's levels at a top of \$11.10.

Limited offerings in the sheep yards were unchanged.

Good and choice fat steers and yearlings in a range of \$10.50 to \$12 included three loads of steers at \$10.50, one load of steer yearlings at \$10.50, three loads of steer yearlings at \$11.25 and one load of mature steers at \$11. Medium fleshed and short fed steers and yearlings sold at \$9 to \$10.25. These included one load of mature steers at \$9.50 and one load at \$10.25. Common slaughter steers and yearlings sold mostly at \$7 to \$8.

Good to choice fat cows brought \$7.50 to \$8.25, butcher cows \$6.60 to \$7.25 and canners and cutters mostly \$4.50 to \$6.50. Bull prices ranged mostly from \$6.25 to \$8.25 with odd head higher.

Good to choice fat calves ranged from \$9.50 to \$11 with plain and medium butcher calves at \$7.50 to \$9 and culls at \$6.50 to \$7.25.

Good to choice stocker steer calves sold at \$9.50 to \$11 with heifer calves bringing \$1 less. Common to medium stocker calves cashed at \$7 to \$9. Choice feeder yearlings went out at \$11.25 down. Common to medium stocker steers and yearlings brought \$6.50 to \$9. Stocker cows were purchased at \$5.50 to \$8.25.

Hogs sold mostly 10 cents above Tuesday's average with the top \$11.10. Most of the good and choice 180 to 280 pound averages sold at \$11 or \$11.10 while good 150 to 175 pound averages cashed at \$10.25 to \$10.90. Packing sows brought \$10 down and stocker pigs were 50 cents higher, up to \$8.50.

Due to the request of the president of the United States for observance of New Year's Day as a day of prayer, the regular Wednesday evening prayer service of the East Cisco Baptist church has been changed to Thursday, January 1.

There will be two special services. The morning service will begin at 10 o'clock and the evening service at 6:30 o'clock.

"The best we can do for our country and our boys," said Rev. Russell Dennis, pastor, "is to pray for them, therefore we are expecting large crowds at both services."

BIRTHDAY BALLS SET FOR CISCO AND EASTLAND

The first step in organization of the Eastland county drive for infantile paralysis funds was taken last night in the offices of Charles J. Kleiner, county chairman.

Some of the committeemen from out-of-town were unable to be present at this meeting, but indications are that an effective band of workers will push the project to success.

Present at the meeting were Mrs. Sutton Crofts, Mrs. Homer Ferguson, Mrs. Alex Spears, Mrs. Paul Woods, C. J. Turner, D. G. Streater, Charles J. Kleiner, A. B. O'Flaherty, Cisco; E. M. Howard, Rising Star.

C. W. Hoffman, Eastland mayor, telephoned his regrets at not being able to attend, but assured Chairman Kleiner that Eastland would hold up its end of the drive.

The meeting was devoted entirely to working out details preparatory to active campaigning soon after January 1.

As stated in the Daily Press of yesterday, two birthday balls will be given, one on the night of January 30 and the other on the night of January 31. The first ball will probably be held in Cisco and the other in Eastland.

DEEDS, NOT WORDS.

OTTAWA, Dec. 31.—Mr. Churchill told a press conference that results of his conference with President Roosevelt would be expressed in deeds rather than words. "Obviously the Pacific situation played an important part in our discussions. We hope that what we have done and decided upon will be reflected in deeds."

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A GREAT SPEECH.

Yes, there is greatness in that man Churchill. He showed it in that speech to Congress the other day. He didn't have them "rolling in the aisles"—it wasn't that kind of speech, nor that kind of occasion. But he had them sitting on the edges of their seats, leaning eagerly forward to catch every word and tone, and breaking again and again into such loud and prolonged cheers as have seldom been heard in the capitol.

He also thrilled a vast radio audience. Those who tuned in casually, expecting only a gracious but perfunctory salute to our congress and people, found themselves moved by that deep voice and its resounding periods.

Mr. Churchill has a way of seeming to speak extemporaneously. Possibly he does, although his speeches when read seem to show evidence of careful preparation. But you cannot analyze a gift like his.

There is dignity and nobility that cannot be put on paper. There is a command of "pure English undefiled" that is seldom heard in our time. There is power to present a great cause in great language, to take a listener up to a high place and show him the kingdoms of the world—and to roast an enemy in an oratorical hell. He is the only speaker we have heard who can do justice to Adolf Hitler. Long may that strong voice and noble utterance continue to serve the Allied cause!

COST OF TOTAL WAR.

No one can visualize a hundred billion dollars. Such a sum of money does not exist in cash. Yet that is what we are to spend in the next two years on a gigantic Victory program!

The Saturday Evening Post recently told what this will mean. The most money ever raised in a single year by the government, through both taxation and borrowing, was \$17,000,000,000. That is but one-third of the amount that must be raised in each of the next two years. And no one knows what new demands the future will bring.

That does not mean the job cannot be done. It can be done. But, to quote the Post, "Let us not be deceived. It will hurt. We cannot give one-half of our total income to it and keep our present standards of living. Taxes will have to be increased until the beet is white, and borrowing may have to be carried to the point of compulsory lending, as in Great Britain; but when the money that can be raised by these means is not enough—and it will not be enough—then it will be necessary for the government to command labor and materials by further means, and the test of further means will not be whether they are sound according to the rules of money, but only whether they are effective."

We are in a total war now, and everything we have must be given to winning a total victory. The job of the American people is to think straight—to understand what must happen.

And the job of the American government must be to establish a war economy that will prune non-defense spending to the very limit and will do away completely with pork barrels and logrolling and all other costly technique of politics.

Not even a start has yet been made in that direction. Not one solitary tax nickel

should be spent now for any non-defense activity that can be eliminated or deferred. We must accept unprecedented taxation—and at the same time we must know that the tax money is spent for purposes which are vitally necessary.

Only if that is done can we win the war and avoid the bankruptcy that always comes to the profligate.

FREE ENTERPRISE.

The president has said that this country must now operate on a seven-day week production basis, and that all basic industries must be expanded as rapidly as possible.

The people may be sure that private enterprise of America will do precisely that. And it will do it swiftly, willingly. That is the great and unbridgeable difference between a democracy and a dictatorship. In a dictatorship, great production is attained by force, terror, brutality. The people are never taken into the confidence of their government. They are simply told what to do, and swift and ruthless punishment follows if they fail. In a democracy, the government belongs to the people, and leadership is given to it as a grant of the people. When the government calls for sacrifice and effort without precedent, the people respond with faith and courage, not with fear.

The oil and coal will come from the ground in a tremendous torrent. The generators will whirl without ceasing in the utility plants. The furnaces will glow brighter in the steel mills. The assembly lines will quicken their tempo in the factories where planes and tanks and other weapons are made. And new plants, new factories, will be built and placed in service faster than ever before.

American free enterprise is ready for whatever may come.

DESDEMONA

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gentry and sons, Rex and Blawyer, of Robstown, were here a few days the past week visiting Ford Reid and family and Howard Williams and family and a number of other old friends. Mr. and Mrs. Gentry had hoped to have their three sons with them on Christmas but Homer, who is an aviator at San Antonio, could not get a leave of absence and Blawyer who is in camp at Brownwood got off for only a few days. The Gentrys lived here a long time before he was transferred by the Magnolia Company to Robstown.

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Williams drove up to Eastland and spent Christmas Day with his nephew, Max Williams and family. Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Williams of Freer, parents of Max were also there.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Patterson left Sunday afternoon for their home at Freer after a few days visit here and in Oklahoma. His mother, Mrs. George Patterson went to Fort Worth with Chester on Friday and visited her mother until Saturday afternoon while he went to Oklahoma to get his wife who had gone to visit relatives. Neil Malby who is attending Draughon's Business College at Abilene spent the holidays at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Malby. His sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Scotty Lemaster, of Abilene, also visited Mr. and Mrs. Malby and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Lemaster.

Joe Merrill, Jr., who is a student at A. and M. College, spent the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Merrill, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Heeter drove over to Stephenville, Monday, on business and also to visit Mr. and Mrs. George Crenshaw. They were accompanied by Mrs. W. C. Bedford who visited her cousins, Miss Lucy Moore, of Austin, and Miss Nell Moore and Mrs. John Barham who live in Stephenville. Rev. and Mrs. H. B. Clark enjoyed having with them on Christmas their son, Jim Clark, wife and baby daughter, of Fort Worth, and their other son, Claud Clark and wife of Purdon, near Corsicana.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Baker and small son and daughter, of Abilene, spent Christmas here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Abel. They were accompanied home by her sister, Helen Abel. Mr. and Mrs. Abel drove out to Abilene, Sunday, and brought her home.

Jack Powers left Sunday for a few days visit with relatives at Lubbock and Herculaneigh and other West Texas towns.

Mrs. W. H. Powers spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Sallie Ervin, at Rising Star.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Montgomery, of Cisco, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lee on Christmas

Day. Mrs. Lee went home with them and visited them and Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Lawson until Saturday afternoon when Mr. Lee went for her.

Leslie Williams left Sunday for Dumas, near Amarillo, after having spent the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams and his brother, Calvin, and sister, Dorothy.

T. E. Ervin and family spent the holidays in Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Sparksman and two children and her brother, James Dickerson, left Sunday for their home at Freer after having visited a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sparkman, his parents, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Morrow, her grand-parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward May and son, Billy and daughter, Betty, of Amarillo, spent Christmas here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter May.

Miss Joyce Rogers, who is attending Draughon's Business College at Abilene, was here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Rogers and her brothers during the holidays.

Ethel Reid, who works in South Texas, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ford Reid and his sisters, Misses Billie Jean and Iris June Reid during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Rouse and two children and M. T. Rouse, of Freer, spent the holidays here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Rouse.

Mr. and Mrs. George Crenshaw, of Stephenville, and their daughters, Misses Boyd and Ruth Crenshaw, of Tahoka, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Heeter and Mrs. S. E. Snodgrass on Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Crenshaw had been visiting the two daughters and another daughter, Mrs. John Hill, and family at Tahoka for two weeks.

On Tuesday night of last week at the Methodist church, a large and beautiful Xmas tree had been attractively decorated for the annual celebration and program by the Sunday school. Mrs. Charles Lee and her class of "teen age" girls and boys had charge of the program which consisted of a number of Christmas carols sung by a group of boys and girls, the reading of the account of the birth of Christ as recorded in Luke's gospel, read by Margie Brown. A song, "Away in a Manger," by Tommy Brightwell, Robert Brown and Bobby Alford. A duet "Jingle Bells" was sung by two small girls, Wanda Phillips and Minnie Beth Brightwell. The closing number was a musical reading, "We, Three Kings of the Orient Are," the ones taking the parts as wise men were R. A. Brown, Odie Brightwell and Whit Richards—all in costume, who presented gifts to the "Babe in the Manger," with Miss Billie Richards as "Mary," and Miss Mary Alice Brown at the piano and Miss Margie Brown as reader. Prayer was offered by Mrs. H. B. Clark in place of Rev. Clark who had been called out of town. Then old Santa Claus came and distributed the gifts from the tree.

As usual there were a few gifts that were jokes, among them being a very queer hat for Miss Emma Genoway, who took the joke good naturedly.

Whit Richards visited his sister and family at Abilene, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Moore had as their guests on Christmas Day, Mr. and Mrs. Dyson, of Victor, parents of Mrs. Moore, and several other relatives.

Mrs. M. J. Keith went to Cisco, Friday and visited her mother, who recently moved there from Proctor.

A marriage of interest to their many friends occurred a few days ago when Miss Velma Clark became the bride of Charlie Morris Jackson. The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Clark and is a pupil in our high school. The groom is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Jackson of Gorman, who have lived part of the past two years north of Desdemona where Mr. Jackson was employed on the Jackson wells owned by his brother, T. G. Jackson, of Longview. Their many friends are extending congratulations and good wishes to the happy couple. The groom has been in the army the past year and a half.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Skipping entertained the members of the "42" club at their home, Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Whit Richards and daughter, Billie, spent Christmas Day with his parents at Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cyfert, of College Station, and Mrs. Morris Nance and baby, Agatha Lee, of Hillsboro, came Thursday and visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Genoway, until Sunday afternoon.

T. L. Acrea drove up to Graham and spent Christmas Day with his mother, Mrs. Matthews who is improving slowly after having broken some of her ribs by a fall a few months ago. She is making her home with a brother or Mr. Acrea.

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7,388,631 FISH PUT IN TEXAS WATERS IN 1941

AUSTIN, Dec. 31.—If baby fish have anything to do with it, Texas anglers ought to have a hook-and-line paradise next season.

A report just released by the state Game, Fish and Oyster commission reveals that the game department set a new record in the number of fish planted for restocking purposes in Texas' fresh water lakes and streams during fiscal 1941. The fiscal year ended August 31.

Not only were there more fish dumped into pools, but more scientific distribution assures a greater percentage of fish surviving to game size, the fisheries chief reported.

In all, 7,388,631 fish were distributed by the department's 10 hatcheries during the fiscal period, and fall and winter distribution of additional fish probably will boost the number planted during 1941 to nearly 11,000,000, the report said.

Total output from hatcheries during the previous year was 5,815,761. Hence 1941 will see nearly a doubling of the fish population in the state's lakes and streams.

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He cited the Guadalupe river near Kerrville as an example of the kind of work done by the division since its inception. Certain pastures near the stream had been overgrazed by cattle. Floods came. There was little vegetation to hold the soil and so the Guadalupe became polluted, most of the vegetation which supplied the fish being washed out.

BONDS HIT PEAK.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—Christmas and the war sent sales of defense savings bonds to a new record this month. Sales tabulated at the Treasury through Dec.

26 amounted to \$418,557,827. When the returns for the rest of the month are available, the figure may reach \$500,000,000. The best month heretofore was \$349,818,000 in May, the first month they were on sale. Last month's proceeds were down to \$233,487,000.

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FOR SALE—Wood and coal range. \$12. See at John Garrett's. 85
FOR SALE—1,200 bales good cane hay and two-row tractor, with tools. 1100 G avenue. 86

SOCIETY and CLUBS

THE NOTEBOOK

Thursday. The Word Home Demonstration club will meet at 3:30 in the home of Mrs. Edwin Wende in the Lutheran community.

Miss Chambliss Honors Visitor With Supper

Honoring Mrs. Kenneth Pitt of Cincinnati, O., a guest of Miss Elizabeth Daniel and her mother, Mrs. Abbie C. Daniel, Miss Marion Chambliss entertained with a buffet supper in her home in Humbletown Tuesday evening.

Supper was served buffet style from the lace-covered dining table which was centered with potted poinsettias flanked with tall red candles in crystal holders. Places were marked with hand-drawn sketches of scenes in Havana. The menu consisted of chicken a la king, English peas, baked potatoes, vegetable salad, hot rolls, pickled beets and pickled peaches. Dessert was mince pie with whipped cream and demitasse coffee.

The invited guests were Mrs. Kenneth Pitt, Cincinnati; Dr. Pearl Waddell, Miss Virginia Carter, Miss Marie Winston, Mrs. Graham Connally, Miss Elizabeth Daniel and Mrs. James Moore.

Saunders Circle Meets Tuesday A. M.

Letha Saunders circle of the First Baptist Missionary society met in the church parlor Tuesday morning at 9:15 in regular session. In the absence of chairman, Mrs. B. B. Hurst, Mrs. E. L. Pugh presided over the business period.

Mrs. Paul M. Culp led the opening prayer, following which Mrs. W. W. Fewell taught an interesting lesson from the prophecies of Ezekiel.

Members present were Mrs. W. W. Fewell, Mrs. Paul M. Culp, Mrs. E. L. Pugh and Mrs. Cogswell.

Many units of the Department of Commerce are engaged almost exclusively in the victory program.

Prevailing rates of wages and scarcity of labor are causing increased use of farm machinery in New Zealand.

Mrs. H. J. McArdle Is Hostess to Circle

Mrs. H. J. McArdle was hostess to Circle One of the First Baptist Missionary society which met in her home Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The meeting was opened with prayer, led by Mrs. E. J. Poe. The minutes were then read and approved. The circle decided to donate several needed articles to Hendrix-Memorial hospital. At the close of the business period at which the chairman, Mrs. McArdle presided, an offering was taken for various work of the circle.

The teacher, Mrs. W. I. Ghormley, brought a splendid Bible lesson from the Book of Ezekiel.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. W. I. Ghormley, Mrs. E. J. Poe, Mrs. C. A. Williams, Mrs. Roy Morrison, Miss Miriam Ghormley and the hostess, Mrs. McArdle.

Creoles control most of the industries and important commerce of the island of Martinique.

Matches Gown



Lucille Casey, popular member of New York's "cane society," selects one of the new metal cigarette boxes to match her costume. Boxes are made in variety of colors and are called "doublets" because they came in twin packages.

EASTLAND CO. 4-H CLUB GIRLS ACQUITTED THEMSELVES IN BIG WAY; BACK THE RED CROSS

Eastland county 4-H club girls started the year 1941 with seventeen clubs, including 276 girls between the ages of ten and eighteen.

Seventeen mothers, teachers or other interested adults worked with each club as a sponsor. These clubs were located in Olden, Colony, Hodges, Young, Alameda, Lone Cedar, Desdemona, Gorman High, Gorman Gracie, Carbon, Kokomo, Flatwood, Colony, Bullock, Rising Star, Oira and Pioneer.

Sixteen of these clubs completed the year's organization. At the annual award day, held in December, 102 of these girls were presented with achievement pins. Fifty girls received first-year pins, fifteen girls received second, fifteen third, fifteen fourth, five received fifth, and two received sixth year pins.

The club girls used the frame garden as their productive demonstrations for the year. The frame garden was planted in March and early April to be used as a quick source for fresh vegetables. Radishes, carrots, spinach, tender greens, small onions, beets, lettuce and tomatoes were some of the vegetables planted. These were to help each family provide foods according to Texas food standards. Since these gardens were mainly for fresh vegetables, only a few of the gardens provided enough for canning.

Maxine Beck of the Bullock club raised one of the best gardens in the county. She built and planted her garden early in the spring. She used old cans for subirrigation. She replanted her garden as each crop grew off. In the late summer, she had canned two quarts of spinach and three quarts of beets as surplus not needed by her family dining table. She had fresh tomatoes until late fall this year.

Improvement Projects. For the improvement project the girls chose bedroom improvement. This was the second year for bedroom work in Eastland county; therefore, they built upon their past year's work. Each girl made a dresser scarf and a rag rug. Studying centers, clothes closets and dressing centers were added or improved. Ima Timmons of the Kokomo club did an excellent job of improving her bedroom. She repapered her room, refinished the floors, made a dressing table and stand table, made a clothes closet from a refrigerator box and sawed the head board from an old bed. She also added a bed spread and curtains to make her room complete. She now plans to work on her yard.

Eastland county 4-H club girls enjoyed many outside activities when they had completed their goals. In March, the girls went to the Fort Worth stock show and rodeo.

In May, Miss Onah Jarvis, state girls' club agent, visited the girls at their annual achievement day rally, held at Eastland park. Each girl brought her rag and dresser scarf to exhibit.

Early in May the boys' and girls' clubs held a joint meeting at the Methodist church in Eastland. This is an annual affair in which club boys and girls bring their parents and friends to church and then serve a picnic lunch at noon, followed by a program by the club people in the afternoon.

Girls completing their goals and wishing to make the trip, went to Austin and Galveston in June. Thirty-five girls and their sponsors made the trip by bus. The group was gone three days, seeing such interesting things as the state capitol, legislature and senate chambers, governor's mansion, University of Texas, Galveston bay, dip in the gulf, boat rides and many other sights.

Nine clubs from Eastland county sent representatives to the short course in July. Each county was given a certain number of representatives and Eastland county had its full quota. Each club chose the outstanding club girl and paid her expenses. The Woman's Federated club of Eastland county made it possible for the gold star girls to go. This is an annual short course sponsored by A. & M. college to give instruction to farm men, women, boys and girls.

During the month of August, the summer encampment was held in the City Park Eastland. At this time Helen Dempsey, 1940 gold star girl, was presented the beautiful gold pin given by the state.

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as recognition for outstanding work done by a girl in each county. Crafts, games and bead-making were taught during the two-day encampment.

This fall, when Eastland county had its annual fair, 4-H club booths were entered. These were based around correct food within the home and better living. Prizes were awarded not only to the best booths but to the various articles the club girls entered, such as scarfs, rugs, canned products and home improvement. The girls also went to the Dallas fair on 4-H club day.

The year's work was closed with the Christmas party and presentation of the club pins. Each club had a Christmas party of its own. Four clubs in the county gave money to the Red Cross for war relief instead of having gift exchange. As a new year's resolution, each club is planning to help the Red Cross and do its part in defense of America.

The machine tool industry of Canada has expanded 600 per cent compared with the pre-war period.

PARK HIM IN ARMY.

FORT WORTH, Dec. 31—Working from a list furnished at his request by Corporation Court, McLeod Greathouse, Fort Worth attorney, Wednesday was preparing to settle—either by contesting or paying fines—a total of 196 over-parking cases pending against him in the court. In the last two days, Greathouse has posted bonds totaling \$30 on 15 of the tickets and said he was waiting announcement of the settings in court.

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If you suffer from rheumatic, arthritic or neuritic pain, try this simple, inexpensive, home recipe that thousands are using. Get a package of Ru-Ko Compound, a ten-week supply, today. Mix it with a quart of water, add the juice of four lemons. It's easy. No trouble at all and pleasant. You need only two tablespoons two times a day. Often within 48 hours—sometimes overnight—optimal results are obtained. If the pain does not quickly leave and if you do not feel better, return the empty package and Ru-Ko will cost you nothing to try as it is sold by your druggist under an absolute money-back guarantee. Ru-Ko Compound is for sale and recommended by Major's Footnote and drug stores everywhere.

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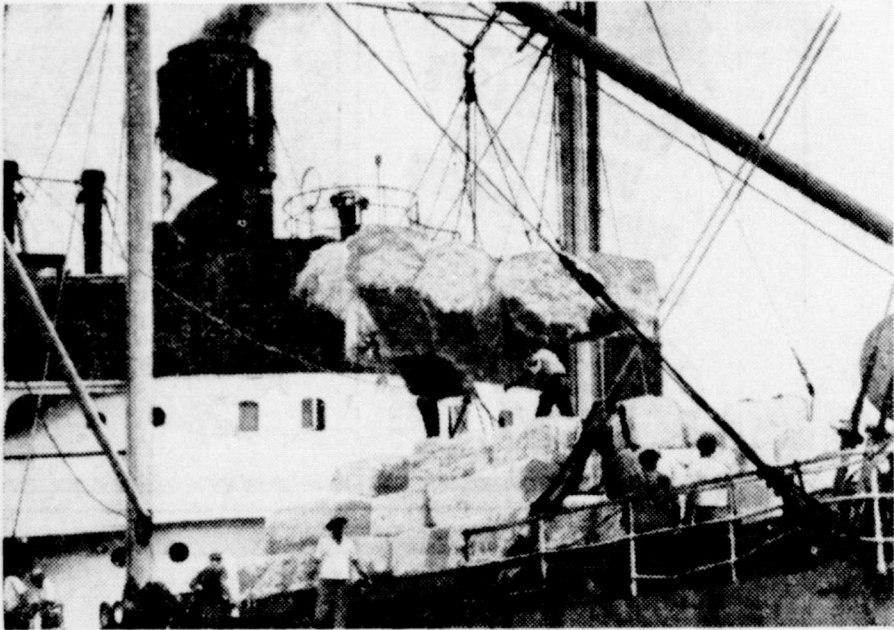
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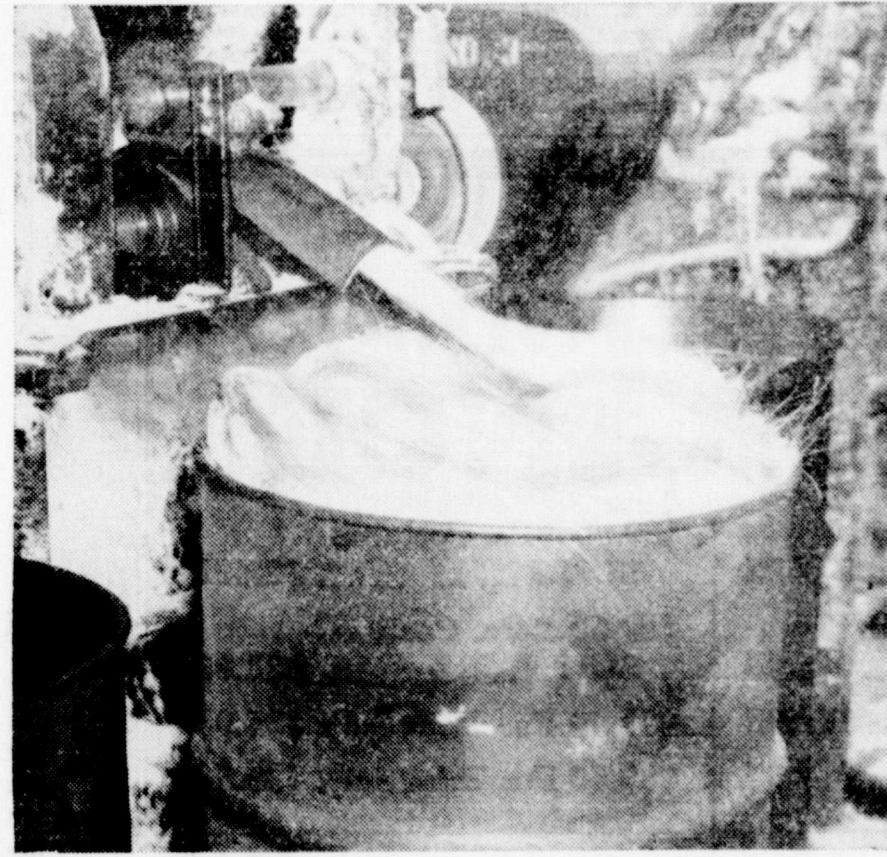
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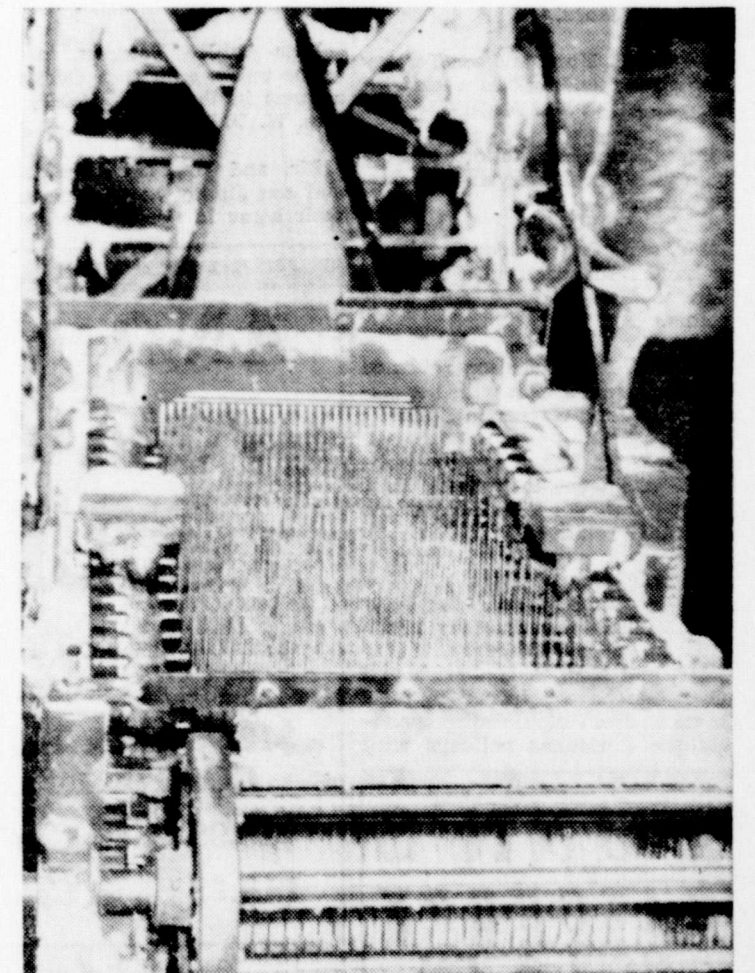


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Prosaic on the surface, but vital and interesting from the inside, is the story of simple twine, an oft taken-for-granted product which is today playing a major role in America's vastly expanded defense industries as well as on the farm and in shops and stores. Foremost in the "rope family" is sisal twine, 80 per cent of which is made from the fibrous sisal plants of Yucatan, Mexico. In the busy port of New Orleans, where the product arrives on an unending chain of ships from our Good Neighbor country "South of the Border," factories are working at capacity to convert the fiber into various kinds of rope to meet stepped-up demands of industry. Here are some lens-eye views of the various steps involved.



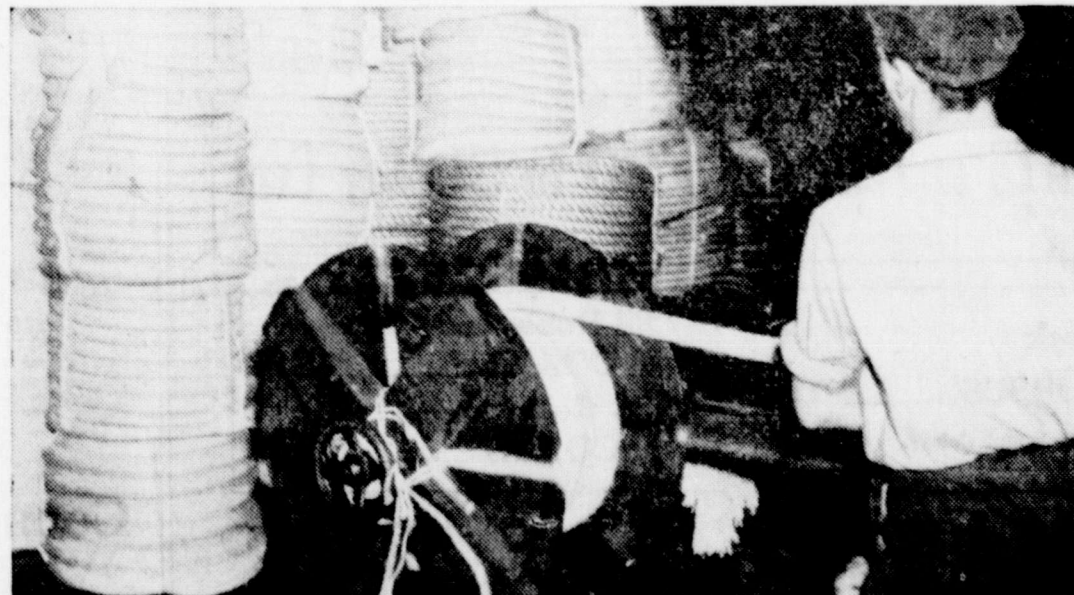
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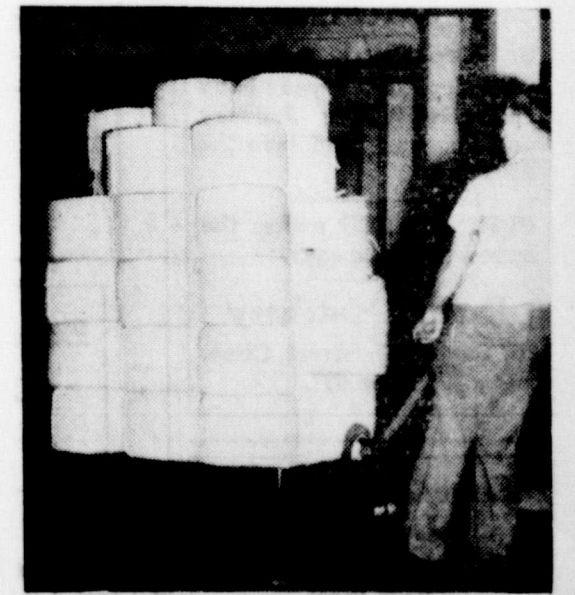
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BRIEFLY TOLD

Miss Verdis Wink and John J. Pursell were united in marriage Saturday night at 8 o'clock at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Russell Dennis...

Mrs. O. C. Lomax received an official card this morning from her son Otis, somewhere in the Pacific war zone...

The Daily Press is sorry to report receipt of a number of Santa Claus letters on Monday and Tuesday of this week...

Bobby Wilson has returned to his home in Brownwood after spending the Christmas holidays in the home of his grand-parents...

Joe Meador and Misses Elizabeth McCracken, Pauline Flaherty and Evelyn Reynolds visited Mrs. Robin Boon and Mrs. Joe Meador in Brownwood Sunday...

Mrs. Ben L. Crites and sons have returned to their home in Midland after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Pat Malone at the Mobeley hotel...

Mrs. Merle Bell and children Sterling and Beverly, left Tuesday for their home in Austin after spending the Christmas holidays with relatives in the city...

Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Borman and small daughter, Mary Martha are guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Borman and Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Morehart...

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Poe and son Bobby Poe returned Tuesday night from Arkansas where they spent the Christmas holidays with her mother at Hope, and also visited relatives in Fulton, Ark...

Mrs. C. L. Tune and daughter Miss Marie Tune have returned from Dallas where they visited relatives...

Miss Alice Self has returned to her home in Dublin after spending the Christmas holidays here with her sister, Miss Lucille Self...

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Black spent Sunday in Moran...

Miss Billie June Miller of Abilene is a guest of her cousin, Miss Patsy Wilbanks...

Mrs. B. B. Hurst and son Tommy Hurst are spending this week with her parents in San Angelo...

Mrs. Pierce Shackelford of Pecos was a business visitor in Cisco today...

Mr. and Mrs. Weidon Isenbower have returned from a wedding trip to San Antonio and other points...

Mrs. L. E. Richardson returned Tuesday from a visit with her sister, Mrs. John Garner in Dallas...

Mrs. W. C. Hogue and son Bobby Hogue went to Wichita Falls today for a visit with her parents and other relatives...

Miss Othalee Grisham and Guy Stein of Moran visited Miss Betty Lou Muller here Tuesday night...

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Parish and small son have returned to their home in San Antonio after spending the Christmas holidays with...

his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Parish and other relatives. Their daughter, Annetta Parish, remained for a longer visit...

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. D'Spain and sons, Howard and James Lynn, have returned to their home in Amory, Miss., after a pleasant holiday visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard D'Spain...

Mrs. Bernice Aingell of Dallas was a guest of Mrs. L. C. Moore Tuesday...

Mrs. Charles J. Kleiner and baby boy have been moved from Graham Sanitarium to their home at 1400 L avenue...

After visiting the past ten days in the home of her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Cole, Miss Aileen Oldham of Houston left today for Midland where she will be employed by the Humble company...

Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Lynch and daughter Wanda spent Monday and Tuesday in Abilene attending to business and visiting with friends...

Spending Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Lynch and daughter Wanda were Mrs. Maggie Clegg, Eastland; Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Dickey and children, Owen and Joann, Baird; Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Clemmer and daughter, Eloise, Abilene...

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Powers and son of Carzables, Fla., and Miss Dixie Lewis of Commerce are visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Harvey, Mrs. Powers, Miss Lewis and Mrs. Harvey are sisters...

Homer Dunn of Abilene and M. A. Dunn, sales manager of the Centennial Gin company of Dallas, who lives at Hale Center, visited their brother, John Dunn and family here, today. They expressed admiration for the cleanliness of Cisco and its general appearance...

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Moreland have moved to Comyn, near DeLeon, where he is employed by the Humble company. Mrs. Moreland is the former Miss Rose Drake...

Marvin Fonville has returned from California and will re-enter John Tarleton college at the beginning of the next semester...

Mrs. Fry and two children of Midland are expected to move to Cisco this week. They will be located in the cottage formerly occupied by Miss Rose Drake. Mrs. Fry will be employed as telephone operator for the Humble company...

Miss Antilee Notgrass, teacher in the public schools of Odessa, is a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Brecheen...

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Henderson and son Jimmy have returned to their home in Pecos after spend-



ANDES VISITOR—A scarlet "Cock-of-the-rock," from the Western slope of the Andes in Colombia's southwest corner, poses for photos on arrival with collection of birds in New York.

ing the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Henderson...

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Leiske have returned from a trip to Corpus Christi and other points in South Texas. They were accompanied on the trip by his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lieske of Lubbock...

Mr. and Mrs. Joe T. Fielder and children, Raymond and Mary Beth of Church Point, La., visited his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. LaRoque, Tuesday night...

C. A. Williams made a business trip to Wichita Falls Monday...

FEDERAL CHECK-UP. WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—Attorney General Biddle Wednesday ordered all German, Japanese and Italian nationals in United States, Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands to surrender all radio transmitters, short-wave radio receivers and cameras to local police by 11 p. m. Jan. 5. The order extended a previous one concerning enemy aliens in California, Oregon, Washington, Montana, Idaho, Utah, Nevada and Arizona, whose time limit for turning in the forbidden equipment already has expired...

Life insurance companies were slow to put war risk riders on their new policies, but from the first reports from Pearl Harbor, they flocked to the state insurance...

commission with war risk contracts to be approved by the commission. A few still are insuring lives without any reduction of benefit in event of death in action, but most of these companies have set a deadline on the period for writing full-pay policies without the war clause. Health and accident insurance policies now are being written to give reduced benefits for persons wounded in the war...

The state commission has been negotiating with federal officials for several months over proposals for insurance on defense plants and employees. The Texas legislature last spring rushed through a bill that would permit the commission to make special rates for workmen's compensation and other forms of liability at defense plants. The U. S. war department had a standard form that it wanted Texas to adopt. It provided roughly that workmen's compensation insurance rates on defense jobs would be 90 per cent of the regular rate and that automobile liability insurance would be 50 per cent of the so-called manual standard rate...

Hall believes that the proposal for the Reconstruction Finance...

corporation to aid war-damaged communities is the best plan advanced. The RFC reportedly has set aside a \$100,000,000 fund for rehabilitating property destroyed in war attacks. It would be administered as disaster-relief, just as congress provided money in the past to aid flood and drought-stricken areas...

Some property damage policies contain the "falling aircraft" coverage that would pay for the damage if an airplane fell onto your house or automobile. Insurance officials here know of no cases in which such claims have been paid in Texas, although one army aviator a few years ago did lose his way over Austin in bad weather and flew into a house, killing himself and a sleeping boy...

BROWNWOOD GETS GRANT. FORT WORTH, Dec. 31.—Defense Public Works regional office here Wednesday announced a grant of \$154,000 for a water facilities improvement program at Brownwood. The city is to put up \$30,000...

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