

"I therefore believe it is my duty to my Country, to love it, to uphold its Constitution, to obey its laws, to respect its Flag and to defend it against ALL enemies."

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LABOR RACKETEERS MENACE TO WAR WORK

PRODUCTION HEAD NELSON SAYS DRASTIC ACTION BE NECESSARY UNLESS MEN RETURN TO PLACES

Government officials and labor conciliators joined with labor leaders today in an effort to end a series of unauthorized strikes threatening vital war production in Pennsylvania, New York, Rhode Island and Massachusetts.

At Pittsburgh, AFL Building Tradesmen union officials asked carpenters, operating engineers, cement finishers and common laborers to return to work immediately on \$100,000,000 worth of war plant construction after War Production Chief Donald Nelson warned that "drastic steps will be taken" if the men do not return to their jobs.

The strike was called to protest against unfavorable wage decision by the War Production Board's board of review. Government officials promised union leaders that the dispute would be re-considered next Wednesday at Washington.

At Beaver, Pa., the Selective Service Board considered cancellation of draft deferments of Curtiss-Wright air propeller plant strikers who left their jobs to enforce higher wage demands.

Two Everett, Mass., plants of the Monsanto Chemical Co., and its subsidiary, New England Alcohol Co., were closed by a three-day-old strike of 250 members of the Chemical Workers Union of America (AFL), seeking a maintenance of union membership clause.

Company spokesmen said 1000 workers in both plants already were idle and that the strike threatened to paralyze production in 250 other New England war plants, including Boston's illuminating gas production dependent upon Monsanto for chemicals.

Nearly 1000 workers at the strike-bound American Magnesium Corp. plant at Buffalo, N. Y., held a mass meeting today after rejecting government pleas to return to work.

U. S. Conciliator Clarence Lamotte promised War Labor Board consideration of their dispute at Washington Monday.

In Providence, R. I., federal conciliators sought to settle the three-day-old strike of 800 Brown and Sharpe Manufacturing Co., foundry workers who are protesting dismissal of one workman in a plant that employs more than 8000 on war production.

At Detroit, 700 streetcar and bus operators returned to work after a day-long strike which threatened to tie-up transportation in the nation's key production city. The strikers voted to end their wild-cat strike last night after Mayor Edward J. Jeffries threatened to put federal troops on streetcars and busses if the strike continued.

FD PROPOSALS DUE

WASHINGTON, July 18.—Congressional leaders today expected President Roosevelt to propose next week a two-point anti-inflation program calling for wage controls and subsidy payments designed to keep down the cost of living. The plan may be submitted Wednesday.

Corp. Charles A. Flaherty of Camp Berkeley is visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Flaherty.

BOND SALES GOOD

FT. WORTH, July 18.—War Heroes Day in Fort Worth's retail stores Friday brought a decided upswing in purchases of war bonds. A partial report Saturday showed \$142,811.25 invested in bonds and stamps and a number of bond booths were still unreported.

Dr. G. M. Stephenson and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Jack Stephenson, went to San Antonio today to accompany his daughter, Mrs. Joseph Kreps and son to Cisco for a visit with her parents.



CAME THE RAINS—This railroad underpass became a bit too damp for motorists and a bus when Moline Creek in St. Louis overflowed its banks due to heavy rains. Several sections of Missouri and southern Illinois were affected by rains and homes were evacuated.

RUSSIA MAY BE ATTACKED BY JAPS SOON

WASHINGTON, July 18.—Recent Japanese activities in the Aleutian Island area and in Manchukuo Saturday led military and naval experts to predict the Nipponese may launch their long-anticipated attack upon Russia within three weeks.

Barring unforeseen Nazi setbacks on Russia's European front, these sources asserted the latter part of July and early August would bring the most favorable weather conditions for the long-expected onslaught against the Soviet Far Eastern possessions, which Nippon long has coveted.

At present rivers in Siberia still are at flood stage, but as they subside powerful Nipponese forces concentrated in Manchukuo could launch a co-ordinated land, sea and air attack upon Russia, now hard-pressed by Hitler's hordes on the European front.

Such an attack upon Siberia would explain why the Nipponese risked aircraft carriers, destroyers, cruisers and transports to seize such barren and apparently useless possessions as the undefended American islands at Attu, Kiska and Agattu in the Aleutians.

Despite recent Japanese claims to the contrary, the navy in a roundup communique on the Aleutian situation pointed out that Midway island was the primary objective when the enemy launched its two-pronged attack upon America's western-most outposts early in June.

While some war analysts have expressed the belief that the Japanese may use the invaded Aleutian bases for an attempt to extend their domination over the American archipelago, others have contended that the primary purpose of this maneuver was to prepare for the Siberian campaign.

By using Kiska and Attu as bases for seaplane tenders and small aircraft carriers as well as submarines, the Nipponese could harass America's North Pacific supply route to Russia.

Attu is only 750 miles northeast of the Japanese Kurile Islands, just off Russia's Kamchatka peninsula. The latter probably would be one objective in any Nipponese attack upon Russia.

It is obvious that Japan would want bases in the Kiska area to prevent the flow of supplies from the United States to Kamchatka. Attu is approximately 450 miles from Kamchatka.

Navy men who do not consider the Japanese occupation at Attu and Kiska serious point out that the enemy still is too far away from the Alaskan mainland to launch an attack in force unless he decides to attack Dutch Harbor again or the American base at Kodiak.

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GORDON SMITH GUEST OF REP. OMAR BURKETT

Gordon Smith of Travis county, a candidate for state treasurer, arrived in Cisco late Saturday and will spend Sunday with State Representative Omar Burkett, at the latter's home near Cisco.

AIR ACTIVITY IS INTENSE ON LIBYAN FRONT

CAIRO, July 18.—British troops on the northern sector of the El Alamein front drove southward Friday but later were counter-attacked twice by Marshal Erwin Rommel's Axis forces and compelled to give up some of the ground they gained, British headquarters announced Saturday.

On the central front, where New Zealand troops were holding the eastern end of the Ruweisat Ridge, an attack by motorized infantry was repulsed, the British communique said. There also was inactivity on the southern end of the 40-mile British line about 75 miles west of Alexandria.

Air activity was intense over the battle front, especially in the central sector, and British fighters shot down five Axis aircraft.

Light British bombers ranged over the central sector, attacking transport vehicles and tanks, and violent explosions were caused.

In a raid on the Axis supply port at Tobruk, Allied heavy bombers hit a large ship and a tanker in the harbor and started a fire in the dock storage area which was spreading as the bombers withdrew from the former British stronghold.

American bombers participated in this raid and also attacked small ships in the Gulf of Bomba, which is an old Italian seaplane base.

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SUTHERLAND DEAD.

WASHINGTON, July 18.—George Sutherland retired justice of the supreme court, died during the night at his summer home at Stockbridge, Mass., at the age of 80, it was announced here Saturday.

The announcement was made by John W. Cragin, Washington attorney, who was law clerk to Justice Sutherland when he retired from the supreme court in 1938.

PETITION DENIED.

AUSTIN, July 18.—The interstate commerce commission has denied a petition of railroads to postpone a Sept. 22 inquiry on freight rate equalization in various territories, including Texas.

Attorney General Mann, who was informed of the commission's action, said he was preparing data to be presented on behalf of Texas shippers at the hearing to be held in Indianapolis.

ASLEEP AT THE SWITCH

DALLAS, July 18.—Expressing surprise at the "peace-as-usual" attitude of many Americans, Mrs. Jo Buckner Stewart, hospital director with the Flying Tigers in Burma and China, warns that "China is being strangled; India is in dangerous stage of turmoil; there is great unrest in Africa."

"If the Japs and Germans meet across Asia, the war will be ours to win alone if we can," she declared in an interview Friday.

She said that returning to her home in Dallas for a rest after a year's service with the AVG, she "was shocked at the peace-as-usual attitude of the people I met in the planes and in the cafes."

"They take things easy, live off the fat of the land, and don't seem to realize that the whole world is at war and our side is losing."

Gen. Claire Chennault, AVG commander, is idolized by his men, she said.

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ZARENES DEPART AFTER A MEETING

Camp meeting of the 68-member group of the Church of Nazarenes ends tonight at Presbyterian encampment which has been the headquarters for the more than 300 who have been in attendance during the week.

Of the most prominent of the church have been in attendance and have had prominence on the program from day. Superintendents for organizations have been with many of their promoters and lay members, of the fellowship and goslings that have been in attendance each day. Several prominent of the church arrived to spend the week-end at this central gathering at Cisco.

Express themselves as enjoying the courtesies and neighborliness of Cisco pastors and citizens. They have enjoyed the recreational facilities of the week. If left to a choice here this week, they will return next year, to expressions of many who have visited in the town.

75 per cent of those present young people, and they delighted in the swimming and the romantic scenery of the great lake and camping grounds.

They have been forced to leave cottages and hotels because of lack of space at the event, expressed his appreciation of the success of the week.

He likes Cisco and that he might be able to do the pleasant living conditions in this city.

John L. Knight, district president and business manager of the event, expressed his appreciation of the success of the week.

FLAHERTY TO BE BURIED

Charles H. Flaherty, 56, former of this city, died Friday in Midland. Funeral services will be held in Midland and the burial will take place in Tulsa, Okla., today, from the church in that city.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. H. Flaherty, of Dallas; two sons — Charles of Midland, who is now working in California; Big Spring; and an only sister, Mrs. Warner, of Weston, Va. Flaherty was well known in Midland for many years. He was in the oil business all his life and was at one time associated with the Sun Oil company.

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EAGER TAXPAYERS

Reports published by Prof. George Gallup, the public-opinion-poll man, show a remarkable tax situation in this country. The American public, he finds, wants to pay more taxes. They think it isn't right that half of them don't pay any income tax.

Most of the people, apparently, (that is, those in the prosperous areas) would cheerfully accept a federal sales tax of 2 or 3 per cent on anything they buy. They would also approve a program taking 10 per cent out of all their wages to buy defense bonds and stamps. And they would like a program fixing both wages and prices. Both labor and agriculture are said to be in favor of this, by a good majority.

The people would approve an income tax on a family of four people, amounting to \$7 a year for \$1,000 of income, a \$54 tax for \$2,000, a \$201 tax for \$3,000, and so on. All this would mean heavier taxation than congress has the courage to impose in the present tax bill. It looks like another impressive evidence that congress is not quite up to public opinion. Can it be that the American people are really so far ahead of Washington in these matters as they seem to be?

FAIRNESS TO FOES

People who supposed that the big Nazi saboteur trial at Washington would be a cut-and-dried affair, with a little perfunctory testimony and then a volley of shots at sunrise, must be surprised by the actual procedure. The dislike of publicity shown by the army officers in charge was evidently not caused by any effort to "railroad" those prisoners to their doom without a fair trial.

It is clear now that the court has gone into this case honestly and deeply, with a complete presentation of the case on both sides. The army officers to whom was assigned the task of defending the accused men seem to have fought as hard for the prisoners as the prosecution fought to convict them. Very illuminating was a published statement the other day telling how the defense questioned for more than four hours a federal agent testifying for the prosecution, keenly searching every part of his testimony, and even then had not finished the cross-examination.

Would any such fair procedure be applied to Americans accused of similar offenses in Germany or Japan? Such a question brings a derisive laugh. But "noblesse oblige." For their own self-respect, and for the preservation of justice in the face of nations that laugh at such scrupulous behavior, Americans must preserve the faith of a more honorable era than this one.

With no new lawn-mowers to be made from now on, if John Q. Citizen wants a short lawn he may have to bite it off. It might be a good way, at that, to get the miracle-performing vitamins we hear so much about.

THE CHANGED WORLD

This world is so full of war nowadays that most Americans feel almost as if they had been transferred to some other continent or some other planet. Mars, for example. That would be a good place for what is going on here.

As matters stand, this very non-military nation is now getting a drastic military education. From the outer fringes to the deep mid-western area, military uniforms, weapons and talk become more familiar every day. Even grand-parents grow militant, and study the war news and pick up the martial talk from the young fellows.

There are, no doubt, millions of Americans on whom this vast and profound conflict seems as yet to have made very little impression, who look upon it as "just another of those things" that will soon pass. For them the awakening, when it comes, may be all the harder.

Most fortunate, perhaps, are the

THE SERVANT, NOT THE MASTER

After the war, the salvation of this country and the free world will depend upon unleashing the enormous energies and resources of free men and free industry. It is necessary to have a semi-fascist economic system to win the war; it will be necessary to return, with full vigor, to a free economic system to win peace.

Paul F. Cadman, economist of the American Bankers' association, recently touched on what lies ahead. "A considerable number of modern economic theories are now in the process of liquidation," he stated. "Sound finance is like sound government; it rests upon the integrity of the promiser. One reason we can bear a \$200,000,000,000 debt is that those who put up a large part of the money have unlimited faith in the contract under which it is borrowed. Another reason we can support a \$200,000,000,000 debt is that we have the productive capacity to produce enough wealth after the war to service that debt, to meet the interest charges on it, and, ultimately, to pay it. But that task envisages an industrial and agricultural output greater than anything heretofore achieved. It means world markets, as well as domestic markets. It means a new economic statesmanship fully conscious of the fact that the ghost of isolationism has been laid. It means an independent American people, released from the dead hand of bureaucracy—freed from the multiplicity of executive controls which are a necessary but nonetheless un-American adjunct of war.

"It means the rebirth of initiative, courage and dare, in the field of enterprise. . . . At this moment, 'We have all of life to win or all to lose.' We shall never win it by pessimism. We shall surely win it by faith and confidence in our destiny."

Dictatorial government, in times of peace, is in itself a form of pessimism and despair. It is based on the premise that liberty, freedom and individualism have failed, and that a form of slavery for all men is the only solution. The whole history of this great nation is a magnificent denial of that terrible dogma. It is an affirmation of the fact that a free people can out-strip the world in any undertaking.

Some people think that the term "free enterprise" refers to "big business." It does. And it also refers, with equal force, to a "one-man business," to "middle-sized business"—to all business of all kinds. The true strength of this country lies in the cumulative power, the cumulative resolve, the cumulative ambitions, of every man who works, every man who employs, every man who invests, every man who looks ahead to great achievement.

After this war, we will have the greatest industrial plant the world has ever seen. Then, if we are to win the peace, that plant must be freed of all authoritarian control forced on us by the war. Our natural resource industries, manufacturers of all kinds, our financial institutions, our agencies of distribution, transportation, power and communications—these and all other enterprises must be given new freedom and new life. We must say to them: "Build, expand, take chances, pioneer—so that the end will be a permanent freedom, and a higher standard of living for all." The haunting fear of growing government competition with private endeavor must be laid by the heels.

That must be the destiny of a free people.

men and women of all ages whose minds are keen enough, and brave enough, to grasp the magnitude and peril of this tragedy and accept their share of it. They may find peace, even in war.

Cigaretts won't win the war, but they make it more tolerable for millions of people.

NEW TEXTILES

M. Earl Head, dean of the Philadelphia textile school, recently told members of the American Home Economics association that "we are in for the greatest era of blending this country has ever seen. We have probably jumped ahead ten to fifteen years because of the war. And we are going to learn before long a great deal more about blending of fibres than we know at present."

Women have been conscious for some time that this blending was going on. The dress that looked like wool, felt almost like wool, and really gave almost as good service, was likely to be made of rayon and cotton without a thread of wool in it. These fabrics have been improving steadily in beauty and dependability for a long time.

The government has issued very rigid specifications for its fabrics, and the textile-makers have had to watch their step about giving good value. That's rather a good thing for the industry as a whole. It will end by being, as Head puts it, "more specification-minded."

Our patent remedy for what ails the world: Prophylaxis for the Axis.

THE FUTURE

Little girls, according to sage advice, Are made out of sugar and certain spices; While little boys, unless memory fails, Are products of snails and puppy dog tails.

Female ingredients thus being on ration The question might well be asked of the nation (Noting the facts, and noting priorities), What will become of future sororities? —MARVIN STEVENS.

CROSS PLAINS

Callahan County

Despite the fact that the first primary election is only eight days in the offing, Texas voters refuse to become unduly concerned this year. All interest is hinged on the day-to-day progress of the war.

Only now and then do groups huddle up to discuss issues of the campaign. In Cross Plains it was expected that the picnic and the appearance of a number of candidates here during the two days would make the citizenry more election-conscious. However, this is merely speculation. Despite the fact that Callahan county possesses its usual number of poll tax holders, the total in the county is expected to be from 300 to 500 below normal tabulations. Ordinarily 3,250 votes are counted in this county, whereas 2,750 is expected to be polled Saturday of next week—July 25.

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RUSSIAN TANK—Here's a sample of the big guns which the Russians have used with telling effect on Nazi invaders. Its tractor mounted and easily transportable and is pictured in position to shell enemy on the Northern front.

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Mr. and Mrs. Goleonor spent Sunday in Gorman. Mrs. Free returned to her home in Sylvester Wednesday.

Mrs. F. D. Richardson and daughter Eva visited in this community Saturday. Alton Richardson spent Saturday and Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. McBeth.

Junior Hedrick of San Antonio visited his grand parents Mr. and Mrs. Compton Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Harrelson of Romney spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Harrelson. Mrs. Allen Josey of Sylvester spent Tuesday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Compton.

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Walther League Was Host Friday Evening

The Walther league of Grace Lutheran church was host Friday evening to the society from Christ Lutheran church. The entertainment was well planned. Since this was a "kid party," all came dressed in children's clothes. Prizes went to Carl Stroebel and Lorna Steyer. The games played brought back memories to all who attended and the evening was a most pleasant one.

Those attending were Emma Lee Wende, Mrs. F. L. Weiser and daughter, Virginia; Mrs. R. H. Dunning and son, Robert Don; Fred Wende, Carl Stroebel, J. L. McClain, Erwin Prange, Lorna Steyer, William Wende, Laverne Reich, Lubina Wende, Merle Hallmark, Bertha Reich, Correll Hallmark, Martin Reich, Rev. and Mrs. E. Steyer, Verna, Ray and Mrs. Prange; Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Symank and son and Richard Steyer.

W. W. Class And Friends Enjoy Picnic Outing

The willing workers' class of First Christian church and a few of their friends enjoyed a picnic at Lake Cisco Thursday night. The picnickers met at the church at 7 p.m. and went to the lake, where lunch was spread on the park tables near the water. Rev. J. R. Wright gave the invocation. After the meal conversation held attention of the group, while the younger members were entertained by the attractions afforded at the swimming pool.

Those attending were Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Brunkenhoefer and son, Irving Allen Brunkenhoefer; Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Schmidt and children, Larry and Danny; Mrs. Audrey Ezzell and daughter, June, and her niece, Janice Duncan; Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Cousins and daughter, Barbara Ann; Mrs. Leon Cagle and daughters, Zovelle and Lavelada Cagle; Billy Jean Hall, Lloyd Jones, Mrs. Wm. Hickey and daughter, Betty Jo Hickey; Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ward, Mrs. W. B. Steinman, Misses Della Smith, Ethel Mae Wilson and Patsy Wagner, Bobby Wilson and Mrs. J. S. Mobley.

THE NOTEBOOK

Monday
The American Legion auxiliary will meet at Legion Hut at 8 p.m. Officers for the incoming year will be elected.

East Cisco Baptist WMS will meet in the church at 3 p.m.

Tuesday

First Baptist women's missionary society will meet as follows: Circle one at 4 p.m., in church parlor; circle two at 4 p.m., with Mrs. A. D. Estes, 409 W. Ninth; circle three at 4 p.m., with Mrs. C. P. Cole, 709 W. Thirteenth; circle four at 4 p.m., in Harvesters' classroom of church; circle five at 3:30 p.m., in home of Mrs. Joe Britain, 309 W. Eighteenth; circle six at 9:15 a.m., in home of Mrs. Lester Weathers, 405 W. Second.

Presbyterian auxiliary circles one and three will meet at 4 o'clock in church for Bible study. First Christian church council groups will meet as follows: Group one at 3 o'clock, with Mrs. George Atkins, 908 W. Seventh; group two at 3 o'clock, with Mrs. Alice Bacon, 904 W. Seventh; group three at 3 p.m., with Mrs. Lonnie Shockley, 503 W. Ninth; group four at 3 p.m., with Mrs. Audrey Ezzell, 507 W. Tenth.

First Methodist WSCS will not meet this week. The intermediate girls' auxiliary of First Baptist WMS will meet at 7 p.m., in parlor of church.

Wednesday
Special prayer meeting at 4 p.m. for all enlisted men in army and navy, in parlor of First Baptist church.

"Friendly 12" Has Luncheon In Gary Home

Mrs. A. G. Gary was hostess when the Friendly Twelve sewing club met for a covered-dish luncheon in her home 1101 E. Sixteenth. A patriotic motif was observed in all decorations and appointments. Luncheon was served buffet style and places were marked at small tables where the guests were seated while eating.

Following luncheon, "pal" gifts were exchanged. Mrs. Buck Black presided at a brief business session, after which the afternoon was spent in conversation and sewing.

Those present were Mrs. Paul M. Culp, Mrs. Buck Black, Mrs.

J. A. McLain, Mrs. Fred Scott, Mrs. A. V. Osborn, Mrs. F. B. Clappitt, Mrs. J. D. Yardley and the hostess, Mrs. Gary.

Buddy Wilkins Entertained On Birthday

Buddy Wilkins celebrated his third birthday Wednesday at his home, 706 E. Twenty-second street, with a number of his friends. The afternoon, from 4 to 6, was spent playing games on the lawn.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to Buddy Wilkins, Frances and Glenn Carr, Flora Jean and Robert Lynn Fletcher, Sandra Grey Norvell, Carmen Ann Evans, Robert Don Dunning, Paul and Robert Culp, Duddy Deen, Mala Qua Prickett, Douglas Wayne Robinson, Euz Henson and Clydel Wilkins; Mrs. D. M. Carr, Mrs. C. B. Norvell, Mrs. Howard Evans, Mrs. R. H. Dunning, Mrs. Paul M. Culp, Mrs. I. J. Henson, Mrs. W. H. Robinson and Mrs. Wilkins.

CHURCHES

Grace Lutheran
Sunday school and Bible class at 10 a.m. Morning worship, 11 o'clock; subject of sermon, "Two Contrasting Kinds of People in the World." Evening worship, 9 o'clock. The pastor will preach the fourth sermon in the series on the Psalms. The sermon this evening will be based on the 23d Psalm. The subject, "God's Care of His People." Welcome to our services. -W. H. SYMANK, Pastor.

Presbyterian
9:45 a.m. Sunday school; T. C. Williams, superintendent. 11 a.m., sermon by the pastor; subject, "Living Epistles." Congregational singing and special music. 7:30 p.m., young people in union meeting at First Methodist church. 8:30 p.m., union services with Methodist and First Christian churches on Methodist church lawn. -GARY SMITH, Pastor.

First Baptist
Rev. W. I. Barnett of Brownwood will preach at both services today. Sunday school at 9:45. F. E. Shepard, superintendent. Preaching services at 11 a.m. and again at 8 o'clock in the evening. Training union at 7 p. m. with Paul M. Culp as director. W. Frank Walker is choir director.

First Christian
Sunday school at 10 a.m., with classes for all age groups, and a warm welcome for all who attend. Morning worship at 11 a.m.; the



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minister will preach on the subject "Christian Unity." Today marks the beginning of Brother Wright's third year as pastor of this church, and it is expected that an unusually large crowd will be present in recognition of this fact. At evening there will be no service in this church, as we join with the Methodist and Presbyterian brethren in the union service at 8:15 o'clock on the lawn of the Methodist church. -JAMES R. WRIGHT, Minister.

CATTLE MARKET

Light supplies of cattle and calves reached Fort Worth for Saturday's trade and cleared at steady prices. In the hog yards prices were unchanged from Friday's packer market at a top of \$14.50. No trading in sheep was reported. Medium to good steers and yearlings cashed at \$11 to \$12.50 and included one load of steers at the top figure. A few common yearlings were reported at \$7.50 to \$9. Medium to good fat cows brought \$7.50 to \$9 while canners and etters cleared at \$3.50 to \$7. A few bulls were reported in the range of \$7 to \$9.25. Some fat calves were purchased at \$9 to \$11.50 with culls at \$7 to \$8. No stockers of consequence were reported. Good and choice 180 to 280.

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BRIEFLY TOLD

Rev. Ira True and Rev. J. T. Hamm of San Antonio are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Watson while attending the Nazarene encampment at Lake Cisco.

Mrs. L. A. White returned Saturday from Abilene where she was called Tuesday by the death of her sister, Mrs. Gordon Oliver. Among those from Cisco who attended the funeral and burial rites in Abilene were Mrs. J. E. Spencer and Miss Alice Estel Spencer.

Miss Alice Bacon has returned from a visit with relatives in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robertson and son, Terry Wayne Robertson of Rising Star, spent Friday night in Cisco and left early Saturday morning for Breckenridge to attend a golf tournament. They were accompanied by Breckenridge by her sisters, Misses Anna Kate, Dora Lillian and Madeline Blackburn, who will spend the week-end there with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bible and daughter, Renabel Bible, are visiting Mr. Bible's mother, Mrs. A. Veale, at Lueders today. Miss Renabel will remain for a week's visit with her grandmother.

George Christie went to Mineral Wells Saturday and accompanied Mrs. Christie's mother, Mrs. Gay Weaver, to Cisco. Mrs. Weaver has been a patient at the Nazareth hospital in Mineral Wells, and will spend some time in Cisco while convalescing.

Mrs. L. E. Brannin, of Dallas, former Ciscoan, is a guest of her nieces, Miss Alice Bacon and Mrs. George Atkins and other relatives.

Mrs. Barton Philpott and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Mae Lovelady of Abilene, returned to Cisco Saturday night after attending the

Florist convention in Fort Worth. They also paid a brief visit to their mother, Mrs. Philpott in Dallas, while away.

Mrs. A. E. McNeely and daughter Robby Joe have returned from a few days' visit in Walnut Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Boland of Abilene and little Betty Sue Bettis of Houston are spending the week-end with her father, George W. Daniels and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Wilson and children, Mickey and Nancy Ann, returned to their home in Stamford Saturday after a few days' visit with their parents in Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Wilson and children, Ernie II and Sharon of Coleman, are expected Monday for a few days visit in the home of his mother, Mrs. J. W. Wilson.

Mrs. W. E. Tyler of Rising Star visited Mrs. George Christie the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Duncan and small son of Killeen are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Duncan.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Key have as their guests Mrs. E. L. Springer, Mrs. J. H. Springer, Mrs. J. W. Springer and small son, Dennis, all of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Johnson of Albany were transacting business in Cisco Saturday.

Miss Beatrice Smith of Peacock is a guest of her niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Strickland and other relatives here.

After spending the past two weeks in the home of their grandfather, W. D. Brecheen, Hunter

and Joel Brecheen will return to their home in Wichita Falls Monday.

Mrs. C. A. Williams and Mrs. W. C. Clough were visiting in Abilene Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Steadman of Wickett are spending the week-end with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. McArdle.

Miss Ellen Bacon of Abilene is spending the week-end with relatives in Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Littleton and son, Vance, Jr., of Corpus Christi are Cisco visitors, guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Campbell arrived this week from California for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Poe. They plan to remain for some time.

Thos. L. Snyder, government bacteriologist, arrived Friday with Mrs. Snyder from New York where he has been taking research work for a visit with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Poe. They will be joined Sunday by Mrs. Poe and Mary Jeanette on a trip to Sweetwater, where they will attend a reunion of the Broughton family in the home of Mrs. Poe's brother, H. W. Broughton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Holliman of 1109 W. Ninth street and little son, Ralph Evans, Jr., will leave this week for a visit to relatives in Oklahoma and Arkansas. Mr. Holliman has just returned from a business trip to San Antonio.

Among those attending the golf tournament in Breckenridge Saturday were W. C. McDaniel, Nick Nicklas, L. S. Jenkins, Punk Thornton, W. W. Milner, R. L. Ponsler and Nick Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Reimers left this morning for a week's trip to cool Colorado.

EASTLAND

MRS. E. C. SATTERWHITE — TELEPHONE 486-W

Mrs. Andy J. Taylor and Sandra Lynn are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hale, in San Angelo this week.

Mrs. R. B. Braly is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. T. Perryman, in Fort Worth this week.

Mrs. J. Wesley Beard is visiting her mother, Mrs. May Harrison. Mr. Beard is expected Friday and they will visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Beard, over the week-end.

Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins and Miss Dorothy Perkins have been spending a few days with Mr. Perkins in South Dakota. Mrs. Perkins has been called to Gleason, Mass., because of the illness of her father, Albert W. Gleason.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pullman and children are vacationing in Corpus Christi. They expect to be gone about ten days.

Lieut. Robert A. Henderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Henderson, recently received his commission as a second lieutenant at Miami Beach, Fla. He is now being transferred to Dayton, Ohio, where he will be in the administrative branch of the air corps. He and his wife spent the week-end here with his parents before leaving to assume his new duties. Mrs. Henderson accompanied him.

Resignation of K. B. Tanner, for thirteen years a member and chairman of the board of trustees of Eastland independent school district, was presented to the board at its meeting this week. Although his plans have not been announced, Tanner will leave Eastland with his family after residing here since 1919, and will

probably enter some branch of military service. He came to Eastland at the height of the oil boom shortly after having been mustered from the U. S. army at the end of the first world war. Two of his sons are already in active service abroad in the current war. "I want to have some part in the fight," said Tanner. "I don't know yet what that part will be. I regret to leave Eastland. Really, it is the only home I have had since a boy."

Miss Susy Naylor, 263 S. Connelley street, has returned home after attending the funeral of her mother, Mrs. S. D. Naylor, at Strawn. The funeral was held at the Baptist church in Strawn. Those attending from Eastland were Mrs. Aubrey Yeager, Mrs. Clarence Crews, Miss Goldie Bra-shers, Miss Jewett Sawyer and Mrs. Gilkey.

The public is invited to attend a revival meeting now in progress at Olden, with the Rev. W. P. Brian, evangelist, preaching. L. J. Lloyd is in charge of the song services. The services are under the auspices of the Baptist church, of which Rev. Cecil McBeth is pastor.

Mrs. James Horton entertained with a garden party at her home on Pershing street Monday evening, honoring her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Horace Horton, of Roswell, N. M. One hundred and fifty guests called during the evening. Refreshments were served from the south porch of the home. Music for the evening was played by Misses Alma Williamson, Elaine Crossley, Nancy Seaberry and Glenna Johnson. The house party included Mrs. Earl Conner, Sr., Mrs. Clyde Grissom, Mrs. W. B. Pickens, Mrs. W. B. Collic, Miss

Kathleen Collie, Mrs. J. F. Collins, Mrs. John Turner, Mrs. Jack Frost, Mrs. M. L. Keasler, Mrs. Victor Ginn, Mrs. W. A. Weigand, Miss Betty Weigand, Mrs. Dan Childress, Mrs. Hollis Bennett, Miss Melba Wood, Miss Nanette Tanner and Miss Mava Lou Crossley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hamner, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Maxey and Mrs. J. O. Earnest have returned from a two weeks' vacation in Ruidosa, N. M.

Equipment for the sheet metal school which is scheduled to open in Eastland in the very near future has been ordered, according to an announcement from the state vocational service department of education. This school is one of seven to be started in Texas to train workers for defense industries, especially for airplane factories. There will be four classes daily, working on a six-hour basis, each class having approximately forty pupils. No expense is connected with the training for books or equipment. Room and board will be the only expense.

Mrs. James Turk Pipkin and son Jimmie accompanied her father, H. B. Hickman of Shreveport, La., to Los Angeles, where they will visit her brother Capt. Charles Hickman. Captain Hickman lived in Eastland when a small boy.

Mr. and Mrs. "Tug" Underwood

and two small daughters who have been visiting friends and relatives in Gorman, have returned to their home in Enid, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Lambert, Sr., have had as their guest their son, L. J. Lambert, Jr. Mrs. Lambert is employed by the Community Natural Gas company at Ballinger.

Bob Keasler, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Keasler, is expected home soon. Bob has been in school at Texas Tech for the summer. He is having a vacation in Ruidosa, N. M., before returning home.

Bob Leslie, son of Judge and Mrs. W. P. Leslie, has gone back to Yale to resume his studies. He will graduate with the January class of 1943.

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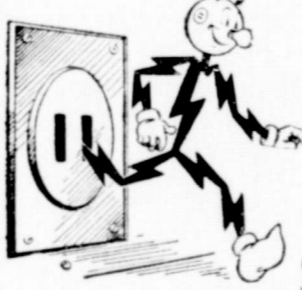
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