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CISCO—Admittedly one of the healthiest areas in state, with a countryside devoted to cotton, fruit, feeds, poultry, dairying, natural gas and oil; 2 railroads; Bankhead highway; one of the largest concrete swimming pools in the world.

NAZIS THROW FRESH TROOPS INTO BATTLE

NEVERTHELESS, THE SOVIETS OPENED A SMASHING COUNTER-ATTACK IN LENINGRAD AREA

MOSCOW, July 29. --- The Germans have thrown 20 more Panzer divisions --- normally 10,000 tanks --- into the battle for the Caucasus and the Volga river, front line dispatches said today, as the Russians announced further withdrawals in the Bataisk area, 12 to 15 miles south of Rostov.

Dispatches yesterday revealed that nine fresh German infantry divisions (135,000 men) and two tank divisions had been added to overwhelming German forces, and the Soviet communique last midnight said three new German fighter and bomber plane groups had been brought up.

The Soviet army newspaper said that the Germans hardly had 10 divisions left in France with any fighting power.

In the face of these grave developments, the Russians opened a smashing counter-attack in the Leningrad area, on the north end of the 2000-mile front and drove the Germans from many strongholds, but front-line reports admitted the Russians were trying to beat the Germans to the punch.

"Soviet troops retired to new defensive positions in the Bataisk area," the Soviet noon communique revealed. "Fierce battles continued. Our troops are stubbornly resisting the advancing enemy.

Bitter battles raged at Tsimlyanskaya, midway between Rostov and Stalingrad, where the Germans had thrown another force across the River Don, and in the bend of the Don, facing Stalingrad.

A dispatch to the government newspaper Izvestia said the Russians, anticipating a German attempt to storm Leningrad, got the jump on the enemy by a series of powerful attacks on several sectors.

They have smashed enemy strongholds, occupied new defense lines and are inflicting mounting losses on the Germans, the dispatch said.

To a lesser extent than in the south, fighting blazed on two other fronts. On the Bryansk front, southwest of Moscow, the noon communique asserted, Soviet troops improved their positions, penetrated the suburbs of two inhabited places and consolidated their defenses. It said that 1200 Germans had been killed.

On a sector of the Kalinin front, northwest of Moscow, enemy infantry and tanks, supported by planes, attacked Russian positions, the communique said. A fierce battle lasted for two days. Localities changed hands several times, but the Germans were repulsed.

The Russians steadily assailed the Germans on the Voronezh front, 290 miles above Rostov, and the communique reported that one Soviet infantry unit had, in 10 days, killed 10,800 Germans, destroyed 158 tanks, 28 planes and 85 motor vehicles and captured 24 guns, 90 machine guns, 14 trench mortars, many shells and other materials.

CONTINUE MEDIATION BIRMINGHAM, Ala., July 29. --- The threat of a strike of AFL electrical workers at the huge union to continue mediation conferences. see Coal, Iron and Railroad company apparently was ended Wednesday after a decision by the steel-making units of the Tennessee...

REFERENTIAL BALLOT ON WHICH VOTERS MADE FIRST AND SECOND CHOICES WOULD OBTAIN RUNOFF

LYLE IS HEAD OF REGION

AUSTIN, July 29.—There have been few run-off races for United States senator in Texas political history. There never before has been one in what is known as the "Houston Succession," made up of the Texas senators who have succeeded Gen. Sam Houston in the U. S. senate.

FRONTO VISITORS TOLD OF FINE TRIP

Houston's report on the national Lions convention at the time of the return, describing the beauty of the country through the eyes of the international program, word picture that brought grandeur of each day and entertainment vividly before the eyes. He said it was grand description. The talks by prominent Lions of world fame and outstanding features never forgotten.

CISCO IS \$7,581 SHY

R. L. Ponsler, Cisco chairman of war bond sales, issued the following statement this morning: "The Eastland county quota of war bonds and stamps for July is \$99,200. Cisco's fair proportion of this is \$30,000.

"To date Cisco has purchased \$22,418.75. By Friday night we should purchase the additional \$7,581.25. This is a test month and what the country does as a whole this month may determine whether the voluntary system will be continued or, on the other hand, forced collection or merely a tax receipt be exchanged for our present voluntary system. I am sure we would all rather have bonds drawing interest than mere tax receipts!"

"The local committee is as follows: R. L. Ponsler, chairman; Pete Nance, W. H. LaRoque, F. D. Wright, W. C. McDaniels, Katherine Fee, Mrs. Paul Woods, Mrs. Edward Lee, Mrs. J. E. Spencer, W. W. Fowell, Charles J. Kleiner, Alex Spears, Luther McCrea, R. N. Cluck, Clarence Hickman, G. P. Mitcham, Nick Miller, H. S. Drumwright, E. P. Crawford, Charles Sandler, Harry Reynolds, A. D. Anderson, J. J. Collins, E. Hooks, Dr. Charles Hale.

"I urge members of the committee to work unceasingly, together, to get the balance of this quota and I urge you, as individuals, to work with them to this end."

R. L. PONSLER, Cisco Chairman.

MRS. PRUETT 80, DIED TODAY IN WACO

Mrs. Sarah Pruett, 80 years of age and mother of Mrs. T. C. Williams of Cisco, died at the home of another daughter, Mrs. Carter, in Waco this morning. The funeral will be held in Waco at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams received a telephone call early this morning announcing the approaching death of Mrs. Pruett and were able to reach her side before she expired.

Deceased made her home here with Mrs. Williams for several years and was a member of the First Presbyterian church of Cisco.

STAMEY ASKS GUARDS COME IN UNIFORM

The Cisco Defense Guard will meet at the fire station Friday night at 8 o'clock and Capt. O. L. Stamey requests that all members come in full uniform. He also urges all guardsmen to attend this meeting, whether they have been coming regularly or not.

Guardsmen present at the last meeting were as follows: J. A. Alshrook, George Boyd, Ralph Butler, E. P. Crawford, Geo. W. Downie, J. E. Hayes, Wyatt Jacobs, Sim Ledford, R. W. Merket, W. A. Marsh, W. E. Morris, Donald Mueller, Mert Mueller, G. R. Nance, Cecil Penn, I. J. Pence, W. A. Pence, L. B. Sublett, D. G. Streeter, F. D. Wright, J. D. Yardley, Nick Miller, I. J. Dobbins, H. A. Bible.

M. S. Rollo of Dallas, Western Union instructor, was transacting business in Cisco today.



DEMAND SECOND FRONT—Here is a general view of some of the thousands who gathered in Madison Square Park in New York in "rally to support the President for the opening of a Second Front." Speakers included several political notables including Mayor LaGuardia.

CITIZENS SHOULD HELP

A. M. Wallace, in charge of the pre-glider training of C.P.T., civil aeronautics administration, fourth region, Fort Worth, will be at the Cisco chamber of commerce at 8:30 Thursday evening to meet with business men and others interested in a continuation of the glider school now being conducted at the Cisco airport.

Warwick urges that Ciscoans attend the meeting tomorrow night when Mr. Wallace will speak regarding the program and will conduct a round table forum following his talk.

ELVIS NELMS IS AT CAMP CARSON, COL.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Nelms, 404 W. Second street, have just received a letter from their son, Pvt. Elvis B. Nelms, now in the army at Camp Carson, Col.

Private Nelms says he is getting along all right and is gaining in weight. He likes his officers and comments on the friendliness of everybody.

Nelms is 21 years of age, was born near Moran and attended the Cisco public schools. He was employed at the A. V. Clark filling station when called to the colors.

AUCTION SALE OFFERINGS LESS THAN USUAL, BUT PRICES WERE BETTER THAN FOR SOME WEEKS

Offerings at the Cisco Livestock Exchange were unusually few on Tuesday's auction and sales fell from the five thousand mark to about \$2,700.

Prices were on the increase from the decline that has gripped the cattle market for the past week or two.

Sellers.
E. C. Warren, heifer.
Geo. Steel, 2 bulls.
Pete Tyndall, 2 hogs.
R. S. Rogers, hog.
James Mathews, 3 sheep.
T. J. Odell, 7 sheep.
Mrs. W. H. Hall, cow, calf.
Bill Dennison, heifer.
Kent Word, steer.
Ed Huestis, heifer.
L. D. Westerman, steer, 3 pigs.
T. L. Cooper, 3 cattle.
L. M. Baron, 2 cattle.
S. E. Hittson, heifer.
B. E. Holder, 2 cattle.
H. H. Isham, 2 cattle.
Van Tickner, 5 cattle.
Cisco Livestock Exchange, 4 cattle.

Buyers.
Joe Coats, hog, steer.
O. A. Nance, hog.
Gus Brandon, 2 cattle.
Kirk Butler, 18 goats.
E. Morris, goat.
H. A. Bible, heifer.
W. C. Cravy, 6 cattle.
John Stewart, cow.
R. E. Harrell, cow.
J. D. Poyner, heifer.
J. H. McKinney, steer.
Pink Stafford, 10 sheep.
T. C. Shahan, 4 cattle.
Jack Moberly, heifer.

BURNETT HEYSER MANCILL

An equalization board for Cisco was appointed at the city commission meeting last night—J. R. Burnett, J. V. Heyser and Bob Mancill.

These men will begin their work as soon as the annual audit now in progress is completed. This work is being done by Nolan C. Phillips & Co. of Waco.

Some tax adjustments were discussed and made. Those present were Mayor G. P. Mitcham, George Boyd, A. V. Clark, H. S. Drumwright, Charles J. Kleiner and Neil Lane.

MRS. ROBERTS' BROTHER.
Mrs. Charles Roberts, 709 W. Fifth street, who was called to Gentry, Ark., by the death of a brother, E. W. Foreman, is now visiting with another brother, Custer Foreman, at Siloam Springs, Ark. E. W. Foreman died last Sunday following an illness of several weeks.

A. C. Peck, 5 hogs.
Geo. Harrison, 4 cattle.
R. B. Taylor, calf.
W. T. Henson, 2 cattle.
Tobe Martin, 9 cattle, 15 goats.
H. Fambrough, 3 cattle.
E. C. Warren, 2 cattle.
H. R. Short, 3 cattle.
J. B. Mashburn, 3 cattle.
Mart Agnew, 3 cattle, goat.
R. L. Dickey, 2 steers.
S. Y. Newsome, 5 cattle.
J. A. Trigg, 8 cattle.
J. W. McKinney, 9 cattle.



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RECONSTRUCTION

Secretary of State Hull's recent address to the nation was another impressive example of the way the American people, in the deepest crisis of this seemingly uncertain war, are planning for a better, safer and more cooperative world.

"To establish among the nations a circle of mutual benefit," he says, "excessive trade barriers of many different kinds must be reduced, and practices which impose injuries on others and divert trade from its natural economic course must be avoided. Equally plain is the need for making national currencies once more freely exchangeable for each other at stable rates of exchange, for a system of financial relations so devised that materials may be produced and ways may be found of moving them where there are markets created by human need; for machinery through which capital may be used for the development of the world's resources and for the stabilization of economic activity—move on equitable terms from financially weaker countries. There may be need of some special trade arrangement and for international agreements to handle the difficult surplus problems and meet situations in special areas."

To most people, perhaps, this makes hard reading and hard thinking. It is easier to read the day's news and to talk of battles and campaigns. But economic problems, no less than racial problems, are at the heart of the situation now afflicting the world. Every intelligent parent knows that a family problem is not necessarily solved by the spanking of a bad boy. When the outlaw nations have been subdued, the real job of reconstruction must begin.

EXTREMES

A discovery has been made by E. L. Wells, an Oregon weather forecaster. "People always believe," he says, "that the present weather is more extreme, in one direction or another, than any which preceded it." Mr. Wells has uttered a profound truth, and one not limited to weather alone. We generally think that whatever is happening to us, good or bad—but mostly bad—is more extreme than anyone else has ever experienced. The vacation we are enjoying is the most wonderful of the most terrible; the boss we are working for is either a prince or a slave driver; the man or woman we marry is the grandest person in the world. The personal experience of the moment is so vivid that it dims the recollection of anything like it in the past.

Perhaps that enables us to get through life by making each day's experiences more interesting.

UNCIVILIZED FOES

It is sickening to read the widespread reports, from responsible men, of the cruelties and indignities inflicted upon American citizens in the Japanese areas after the attack on Pearl Harbor. The Japanese seemed to have a special grudge against newspaper correspondents. Correspondents were imprisoned, beaten, starved, and subjected to a terrific "third degree" for no reason at all, except that they belonged to the nation that Japan had wantonly attacked.

All this sort of thing, however, has cleared the air. The Japanese have made it very plain that they are not yet civilized. Therefore civilized nations will know better how to deal with them hereafter.

NON-READING DRIVER

A judge was puzzled the other day over the case of a man arrested for speeding. The man owned and habitually drives a car, but cannot read nor write. The judge had fined him, suspended

sentence and sent him to traffic school, where the police learned that the man could not read the traffic signs.

The probation officer to whom the judge referred the matter was puzzled, too. He was going to talk to the state license bureau about it. The man surely had no right to his license unless he could pass an examination which included reading the signs.

Unless the driver were color blind, however, and unable to distinguish forms as well, he could certainly be taught to distinguish one warning sign for another. Many a small child too young to read has learned the difference between "Hot" and "Cold" from faucets, learned to associate "Go" with green and "Stop" with red, and recognizes the boulevard stop sign from its shape.

Too many drivers get their licenses too easily—or by proxy. Suspending the right to drive till he had passed a course in night school or with a tutor might be a good idea in this situation. If the man should prove so retarded mentally as to be unable to learn to read, he should not be adding the menace of his illiterate driving to traffic already dangerous enough.

A free round to every golfer bringing three or more in his car. This is gasoline-saving as practiced in Chicago and Kansas City.

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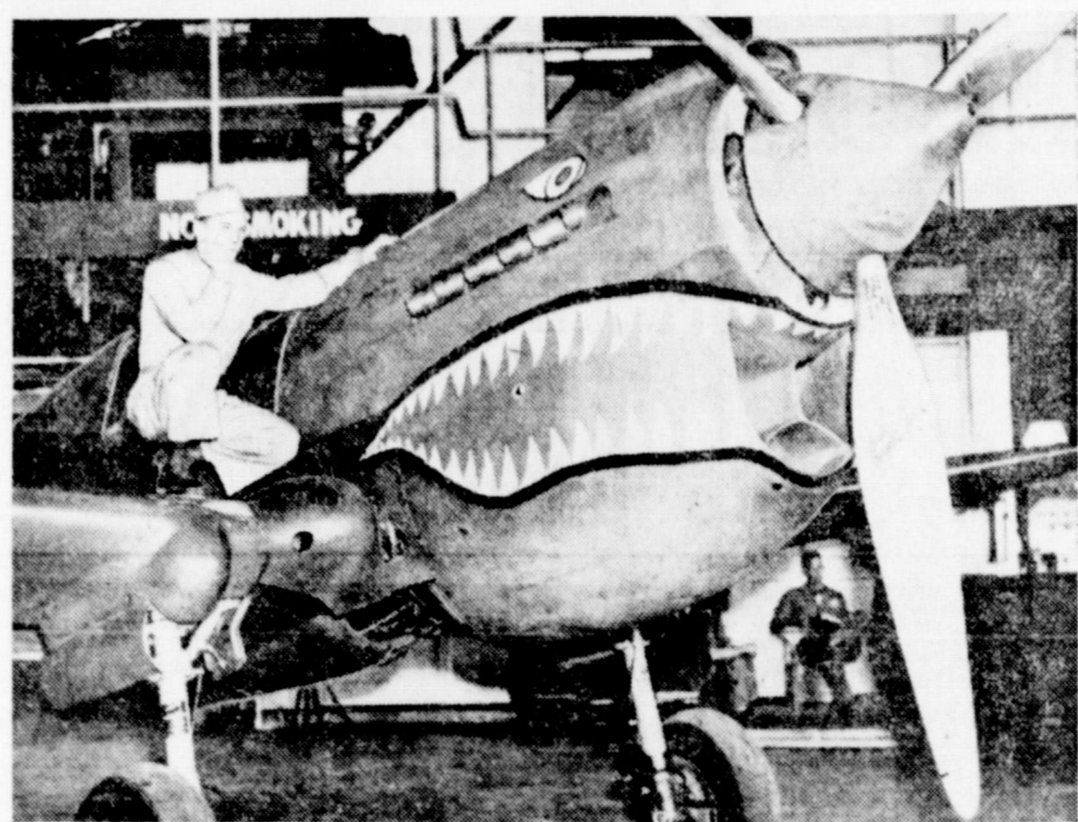
(Files of Cisco Daily News)

Cisco high school is in the throes of a hot political campaign today preparatory to casting ballots Tuesday for boy officials to run the city government on Wednesday. With Leroy Purvis and Britton Pippen, star athletes, as opponents in the campaign for mayor and with most of the other offices being sought by two or more contestants, voting is expected to be hot when the polls open Tuesday. The election is being held in connection with Boys' Week, now under way here. The boy officials will take over all parts of the city government and run them Wednesday.

The official ballot at the high school is as follows:

- For Mayor—Leroy Purvis and Britton Pippen. For Fire Chief and Police Commissioner—Curly Kellogg and Leonidas Shockey. For Street Commissioner—Runt Sprawles. For Finance Commissioner—Billy Ricks. Sanitation and Health Commissioner—Conway Barker. Water Commissioner—George Van Horn. Secretary Chamber of Commerce—Howard Brown, Ross Cotton, Clifford Yeager, Marc Bedford. School Superintendent—Buck Murray and Wilbur Westerfeldt. Principal High School—M. D. Perdue, Bill Smith, "Goober" Keys and "Sheeney" Eddleman. Dog Catcher—Calhoun Anderson, Basil Foy and J. L. Kennedy. Street Cleaner—Hunter Miller, Wesley Harrell, Dick West and Charles Blanton.

The election follows boys' day in the churches Sunday in which special services in which boys took part were held. At Baptist Church Boys' Week was given a boost by the First Baptist church Sunday evening in the service for boys at the city hall auditorium. The boys were in evidence in every part of the service. Ben Burleson served as leader of the choir. Elwin and Gerald Kennedy received the people at the door and conducted them to their seats. The offering was taken by Jules Karakalis, J. W. Shepard, Jr., Turner Van Ergan and Leonard Skiles. Several of the other boys passed out the song books and gave attention to other details which added to the welcome and comfort of the congregation. As a part of the service, the



ANOTHER CHENNAULT IS IN—Private Charles L. Chennault is the fifth son of Brig. Gen. Claire Chennault to enter Uncle Sam's armed forces. He looks over a plane at Keesler Field, Miss., where he's technical student. His dad is leader of the famed flying Tigers in China.

AIR HEROES RETURN TO LEAD AMERICAN FLYERS

THE flyers who made aviation history and headlines have returned and are writing new and glorious records in the battle filled skies of this war.

Writing in the August issue of Cosmopolitan magazine, Donald E. Kehoe checks up on the famous aces of yesteryear and gives their present assignment. "Wrong-Way" Corrigan is flying in the Army Ferrying Command. Jimmie Doolittle is off to bomb Tokyo again. Clyde Pangborn is on a secret mission for the Air Corps and Bert Balchen is with the American Air Force and when the Yanks strike out at the air bases of the enemy in the far north, watch the headlines for the name of this blonde, quiet man who knows more about cold weather flying than any man on earth.



Jimmie Doolittle



Clyde Pangborn



Douglas Corrigan



Bert Balchen

DESDEMONA

W. A. Harris, of Brownwood, visited friends here Saturday.

Mrs. Melvin Harrison and two little daughters left Sunday for San Antonio where they will make their home as Mr. Harrison is now an instructor in radio at one of the flying fields. Mrs. Harrison and daughters had spent the past three weeks here with Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Harrison and at DeLeon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Riley.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ragland and three sons drove up to Eastland on business Saturday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. H. D. Martin have been at Dressy (near Cross Plains) this week where he has been conducting a revival at the Baptist church. He is part-time pastor of the church at Dressy. On next Sunday morning he will begin the Baptist revival here at the Community Tabernacle. He will do the preaching and an out-of-town singer will assist.

Leander Moore, of Gorse, one of the pioneer settlers of Desdemona, was here a few days the past week, looking after his property and visiting old friends and relatives. He is an uncle of Mrs. John Ryan.

Mrs. Roy Rushing left Wednesday for her home at Freer after a few weeks visit with her mother, Mrs. John Williams, who lives north of town in the Salem community.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Payne, of Houston, were guests of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ragland, Sunday. They had visited here a few days last week and had gone to Dublin to visit her mother and came back

for one day before leaving for their home.

Mrs. J. R. Duncan and son, Jimmy, of DeLeon, came over Friday afternoon, to bring her sister, Mrs. Jane Terry of Dallas. They visited a number of old friends in the Howard community, and also here in town. They remained a few hours with their sister-in-law, Mrs. W. H. Powers, taking supper with her.

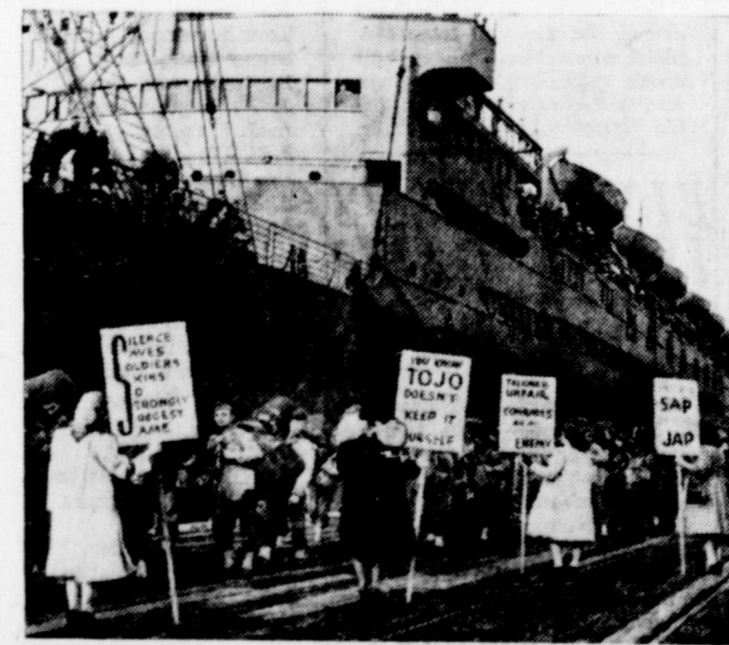
Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Spariman drove over to Gorman Saturday and stayed until late to get the returns of state and county elections.

Junior Moore returned Saturday from Victor where he had

spent a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dyson.

Supt. C. A. Skipping left Sunday morning for Austin after a short visit here with his family. While here he did some necessary work in regard to the transfers from nearby communities. Rev. H. B. Clark held a revival meeting at Salem the past week, services being held each night. The Salem Methodist church is a part of the Desdemona circuit which also includes the Victor church where Rev. Clark will hold a revival next week. Max Bailey and Leslie Williams made a business trip to Dallas, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norton Cunningham



GOOD ADVICE—Australian girls give some good advice to newly arriving U. S. troops in the form of placards urging strict silence on military matters at an Australian port.

ham, Mr. and Mrs. V. B. Turner, their daughter, Mrs. Ed Nelson and her little daughter, Ann and Mrs. M. R. Turner, all of Fort Worth, were guests of the O'Rear family, Sunday. Mrs. M. R. Turner who is a sister of Miss Mollie O'Rear, Mrs. Annie Daniels and John O'Rear, remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Anderson, of Stephenville, were guests on Sunday of her mother and sister, Mrs. J. R. Buchan and Miss Lillie Buchan and of his mother, Mrs. Sallie Huffman.

Precinct Chairman, J. H. Rushing was assisted in holding the democratic primary by J. H. Jackson, L. E. Clark, Murray Foote, Mrs. Jesse Sparkman, Mrs. W. H. Whitworth and Mrs. W. H. Powers. Besides the interest in state and county candidates there was a good deal of interest in precinct candidates. Commissioner A. M. Thurman who was running for re-election for his second term received a large majority. W. A. Saint was also re-elected comfortable by a large majority. In the race for justice of the peace, Tom Nabers and George Patterson were close contestants in the Desdemona box but the Alameda box gave a good majority to Mr. Nabers who has held the office for several years.

Tommy Key returned Monday evening from a short trip to Fort Worth.

Mrs. R. D. Wright and baby, Mackie D., of DeLeon, visited her mother, Mrs. J. R. Buchan, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Munn, of Breckenridge, visited her mother, Mrs. F. W. Moore Sr., on Saturday. They found her improving in health.

Miss Billie Lou White of Monahans has been here the past few days visiting her two grand-mothers, Mrs. Tandy White and Mrs. J. R. Buchan and other relatives. The Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Lee and had the program from the booklet "For the Facing of This Hour." The program was led by Miss Mollie O'Rear and several others took part in the discussions. The opening song was "Faith of Our Fathers." The subject for study was, "Africa" and the discussions brought out the need for America to be concerned about Africa. Singing of the Peace Prayer and the society's benediction closed the program after which a social hour was enjoyed. Mrs. Lee who has the reputation of being a hostess who always

serves refreshments somewhat different from others, served delicious fruit salad with whipped cream, home made cookies in the shape of stars and stripes and lemonade. The glass plates, small dishes for the salad and tumblers were all in blue. The tumblers and pitcher to match were of very unique design with silver trimmings. Her sister and brother-in-law brought them to her last fall when they visited here. The brother-in-law, Ab Malone had gone to the glass factory at Weston, West Virginia, and picked them out from among the newest designs.

The many friends of Tommy

Key are congratulating receiving the appointment postmaster at Desdemona date for him to assume it was not made public. In a service examination held August, Mr. Key made the grade of the five who contested.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gerson, Rex, left Wednesday for their home after having relatives and friends here were accompanied by Calliams.

Cousin Minnie says of her husband, but that she doesn't overdo it.

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THE NOTEBOOK

Thursday N&T club will hold covered-luncheon in home of Mrs. C. E. Turknett, 303 W. Eighteenth street, at 1 p.m. with regular meeting in the afternoon.

Saturday. The Ruth class of First Baptist Sunday school and their families meet at 8 o'clock p. m. at West Texas Utilities park for a watermelon feast. Each family will bring a melon.

absence of the president, the meeting was opened by Mrs. Joe Britain, vice president. Prayer was offered by Mrs. Paul M. Culp. During the brief business session, it was decided to have a watermelon feast Saturday night at 8 o'clock at the West Texas Utilities park. Routine business matters were transacted, after which a social hour was enjoyed. Those present were Mrs. Haywood Cabaness, teacher of the class; Mrs. Paul M. Culp, Mrs. Paschall Cartwright, Mrs. Joe Britain, Mrs. J. D. Yardley and Mrs. McLain.

Group Enjoys All-Day Visit At Ranch Home

Dr. and Mrs. G. M. Stephenson entertained a group of relatives and friends at their ranch home last Sunday. With them were their son-in-law, Staff Sgt. Joseph L. Kreps, Mrs. Kreps and their small son of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Armstrong and Mr. and Mrs. Argus Rowe.

Kappa Bridge Club Met With Mrs. L. Smart

Seasonal flowers, attractively arranged, adorned the rooms when Mrs. Laila Smart entertained members of the Kappa Bridge club Tuesday night. Miss Wynema Dond won high score. A lovely gift from the club was presented a member, Mrs. Buck Black.

Mrs. J. A. McLain Was Hostess to Ruth SS Class

Mrs. J. A. McLain was hostess to the Ruth class of First Baptist Sunday school in her home on H avenue Monday evening. In the

Miss Marie Winston Was Group Hostess

Group four of the First Christian church council met with Miss Marie Winston Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. J. F. Benedict presided. The meeting opened with a splendid devotional by Mrs. G. W. Troxell, from the Book of Luke, chapter 11; Mrs. Troy Powell gave an article from the "World Call" magazine.



JUNGLE VIGIL—Typical of the American outposts dotting the jungles in the vicinity of Panama Canal, this battery headquarters for a U. S. barrage balloon outfit is tucked away in the shadows of jungle growth. Balloons have proven a worthy observation and defense weapon.

Presbyterian Auxiliary In Mission Study

Presbyterian auxiliary met in the church at 4 p. m. Tuesday with Mrs. Homer Slicker, president, in charge. The meeting was opened with group singing of the hymn, "God of Our Fathers, Whose Almighty Hand" after which prayer was offered by Mrs. Gary L. Smith. Singing of Gloria Patri preceded the afternoon program which was directed by Mrs. C. H. Fee. Mrs. A. E. Jamison brought the devotional "Sin Separates from God;" Mrs. A. E. Jamison and Mrs. J. E. Walter then sang a duet "Watchman, Tell Us of the Night," with Mrs. S. E. Hittson playing organ accompaniment.

War Bond Committee

EASTLAND, July 29.—The following persons compose the Eastland committee appointed by Cyrus B. Frost, Eastland county bond sales chairman, in the campaign to sell war bonds in the county: W. B. Pickens, chairman; L. R. Gray, John W. Jackson, Frank Dwyer, George L. Davenport, B. W. Patterson, Henry Pullman, Mrs. J. H. Saffey, John D. Harvey, Lillian Caldwell, Rita Mooney, Mary Nell Howell, Victor Cornelius, J. Wright Ligon, V. T. Seaberry, Sam Gamble, Cyrus B. Frost, Milburn McCarty, Guy Parker, Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins, E. E. Layton, Herbert Tanner, T. E. Richardson, Oscar Lyerla, C. W. Hoffmann, W. G. Womack, and Joseph M. Weaver.

War Bond Committee

Grandma says she is unable to decide which has caused the most trouble in the world, liquor or perfume.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the people of Cisco and our other friends for their thoughtfulness and sympathy during the time of sorrow at the death of our little son and grandson, Robert D. Russell, Jr., SGT. and MRS. R. D. RUSSELL.

APPRECIATION

I cannot close the campaign without expressing my deep appreciation for the confidence placed in me by my friends in the present sheriff's primary election. I will always be most grateful for your support. JOHN C. BARBER.

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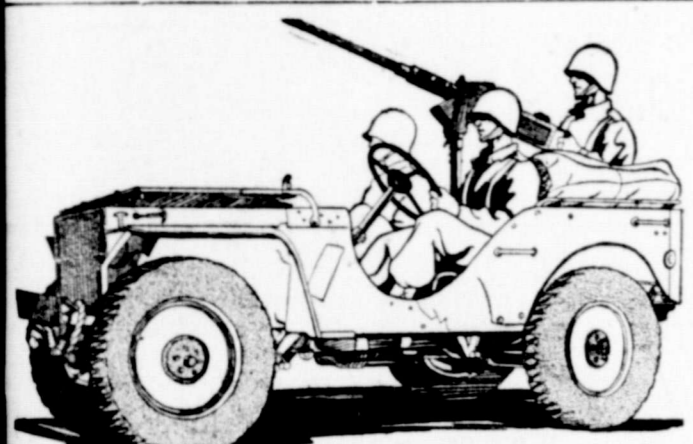
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Advertisement for Dr. W. D. McGraw Optometrist, located at 700 West 9th street, Cisco. Phone 26.

Advertisement for BURTON-LINGO LUMBER CO. featuring low price-quality lumber, quality mill work, and insulation services.

Advertisement for Goodyear recapped tires, asking if the reader is eligible and offering a certificate for good year recapped tires.

ADOBE COMES BACK IN A NEW FORM DUE TO PRIORITIES



DIGGING THE CLAY IS THE FIRST STEP



THE SUN DOES ITS PART AS BRICKS ARE LAID OUT TO BAKE

War priorities in the building field are largely responsible for the great new expansion in the use of modern adobe bricks for construction purposes throughout the far west. Called bitudobe, the bricks are composed of a clay treated with emulsified asphalt, shaped and dried in the sun to become construction blocks which are moisture proof, termite free and incidentally a barrier to shrapnel if and when air raids come to the west. Used in the construction of dwellings for years by the Indians of Arizona and New Mexico, the material was long ignored by modern manufacturers, but with the coming of war and priorities it has now been utilized and improved and possibly will remain popular even after current hostilities have ceased. Whole communities of adobe homes are springing up in areas where once frame and red brick homes prevailed. Here is the process by which the clay becomes modern residences.



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HERE'S WHAT A HOME LOOKS LIKE IN EARLY STAGES



SHAPING IS AN EXACTING TASK



THE RESULT, A MODERN RESIDENCE

BRIEFLY TOLD

Mrs. L. H. McCrea, Sr., and grandson, Amon C. Evans, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Evans, are here from Nashville, Tenn., for a visit with her sons, L. H. and Yancey McCrea and their families.

Mrs. R. M. Jones of Waco arrived today for a visit with her mother, Mrs. J. P. McCanlies, while enroute to St. Louis for a visit with her husband.

Miss Leola Isenhower spent Monday with friends in Coleman.

W. V. Gardentier was a business visitor in Dallas today.

Mrs. Wm. Rasmussen is visiting relatives in Dublin.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Huestis of Electra are visiting his mother, Mrs. George Huestis and other relatives in Cisco while on vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Coats of Breckenridge were dinner guests

of Dr. and Mrs. G. M. Stephenson Tuesday night.

Miss Wanda Lynch went to Wichita Falls this week where she has accepted a position.

Patsy Lois McCrea spent last week in Roby, the guest of Mrs. W. B. Ferrel. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Ferrel who spent a few days here as a guest of the Yancey McCrea.

Mrs. Skeet Fambro says her husband, Skeet Fambro, has been sent to Chicago for training at Great Lakes naval station.

Mrs. E. L. Pugh and daughter, Dorothy Nell, left this morning for a visit with friends in Colorado City and Lamesa. They will also visit Carlsbad Cavern before returning home.

Miss Margaret Key returned today from a week-end visit with relatives in Fort Worth. She was accompanied to Fort Worth last Sunday by Misses Topsy Reese and Bessie Lee Lawrence of Cisco, Yvonne Humphrey of Abilene

and W. P. Yarbrough of Putnam. Tom Nabors and mother, Mrs. A. S. Nabors, of Brownwood, were guests Sunday in the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Powell.

Mrs. J. P. McCanlies went to Putnam today to visit her mother, Mrs. C. M. Davis, 89, who fell a week ago, breaking her shoulder bone from which she has suffered intensely.

Phil McCanlies, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McCanlies, with the U. S. Marine Corps, writes that he is now stationed at New Rivers, N. C. and is pleased with the opportunity of seeing America, but finds North Carolina a warmer climate than the points on the Pacific where he received training.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Powell this week are Mr. Powell's sister, Mrs. G. W. Neill, and Mrs. Ted Hardy and son, Ted, Jr., Miss Opal Fay Price all of Brownfield; Mrs. T. W. Burnett and son, Neill Burnett of Abilene.

Mrs. D. G. Alford of Sarasota, Fla., who is the guest here of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Miller, has just received word that her husband has been promoted to

the rank of captain. Captain Alford is a pilot with the air forces and is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Alford of Rising Star.

Mrs. Walter Shellenberger and children returned to their home in Fort Stockton today after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Courtney.

Gerald C. Merket, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Merket of Cisco is now a bombardier cadet at the Midland army flying school, the world's largest bombardier college. According to the notice received by the Daily Press, Cadet Merket "will engage in a rigid bombing training program to become a hard-hitting member of the greatest team on earth—Uncle Sam's."

Harmon S. Elder, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Elder of route two, Cisco, has been accepted for army service and has been sent to the reception center at Camp Wolters for processing.

Miss Kathryn Hunterman has returned from a splendid trip to San Diego, Calif.

Mrs. W. H. Hurd has as her guests her daughter-in-law, Mrs. C. W. Hurd and son, Charles, Jr., of El Paso and her daughter, Mrs.

Charles Coffee and son, Wendell Coffee of Tahoka.

Mr. and Mrs. Don McEachern have returned from a visit with their son, J. L. Stafford at Los Angeles, where he is with the U. S. air corps.

Preferential Ballot--
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better than the leader. This generally is explained to be due to supporters of the candidates who lost feeling a grudge against the leader and turning their support in the run-off to the second runner.

Last Saturday's election and the campaign which preceded it may at long last force the state legislature to revise or correct the election law.

Soldier voting was ruled upon one way in some counties and differently in others.

Final Reductions in Our Summer Clearance



SALE

Practically All Summer Fashions at Reduced Prices
Buy a Nice Summer Hat for only 50c or \$1.00
Buy a former \$10.95 Dress, variously reduced \$7.95 to \$4.95
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Good for year 'round wear, \$16.95 value
BUY ALL THESE ITEMS AT SALE PRICES.
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SHOP NOW AND SAVE IN OUR JULY SALE.

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20 Degrees Cooler
PALACE NOW SHOWING

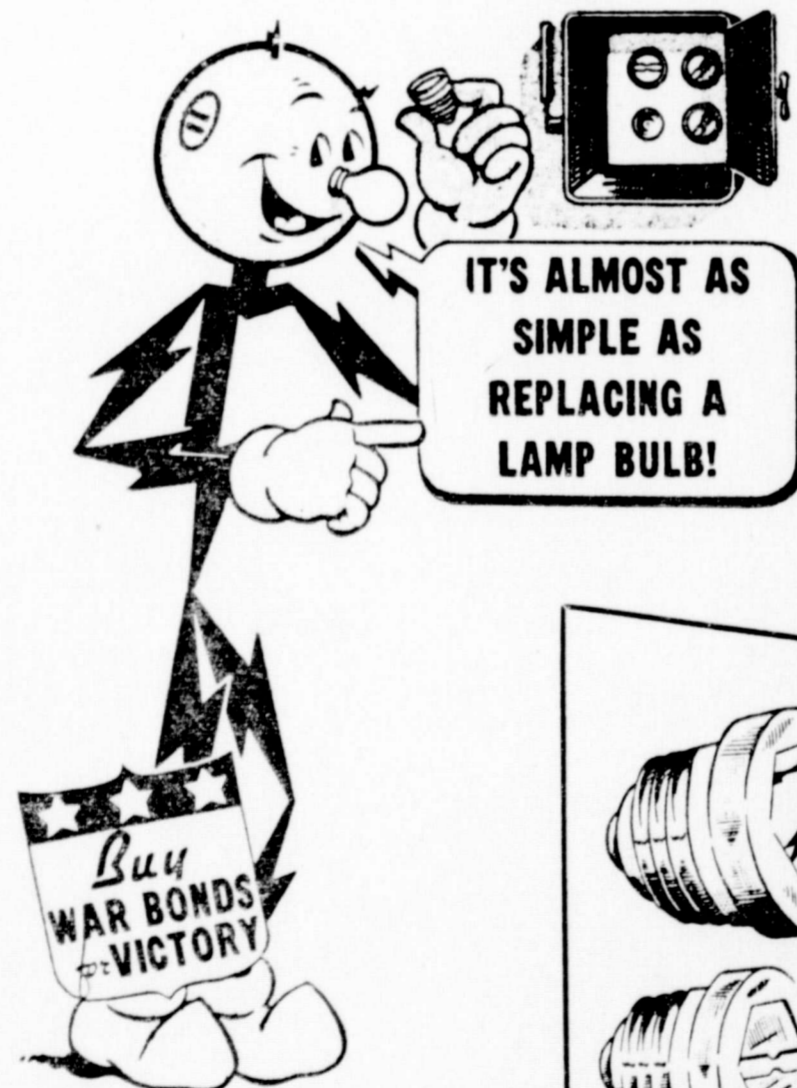
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JUST BORROW THIS COLOR
STYLE GUIDE!
It's the famous Sherwin-Williams Paint and Color Style Guide—World's largest collection of giant, full-color home and room photographs. And it's yours to borrow FREE!
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Here's one way you can help—
Conserve Precious Tires and Motor Vehicles
☆☆☆ BY REPLACING YOUR OWN FUSES
IT'S EASY!



Many folks always have replaced their own fuses.—Those who haven't can "do their bit" in these war days by doing it themselves from now on. It's easy... really as simple as replacing a lamp bulb! You help yourself, too... because you can restore your service immediately without waiting for a service man who may be delayed in these busy war times. And you save the expense of such a call for repair service.

Each service call you eliminate conserves vital materials needed in the war effort. Your cooperation will save tires and motor vehicles... just as it does when you double up with friends to reduce automobile mileage.

Serves as a Traffic Policeman
Your fuse is a traffic policeman, halting electricity when something goes wrong. Instead of a nuisance, a fuse that "blows" is really a protection. Now's a good time to locate your fuse box. It'll save time hunting (maybe in the dark) after a fuse has blown.

How to Tell a "Blown" Fuse
The metal link across the face under the window is a traffic bridge for a measured amount of current. When the circuit is overloaded or "shorted," the link melts, or "blows out," and the current stops. The melted link, and the resulting scorched spot under the window, indicates a blown fuse.

What Causes "Blown" Fuses
Most blown fuses are caused by worn-out, damaged or loosely-connected extension or appliance cords; because of shorted appliances; or because circuits have been overloaded. That's why you need your electric cop!

KEEP NEW FUSES CONVENIENTLY LOCATED

When a Fuse Blows—If you're not certain what caused it, unplug all appliance and light extension cords from outlets.

Turn Off Main Switch—Standing on a dry surface—not directly on a wet concrete or earthen floor—set main switch at "off" position, so no electricity flows through fuses on to appliances and outlets.

Remove Blown Fuse—Replace old fuse with new one of same size, generally 15 amperes. (Make sure to keep "spares" on hand.)

Turn on Main Switch—If the new fuse blows again, and you cannot locate the trouble, then call your electrician.

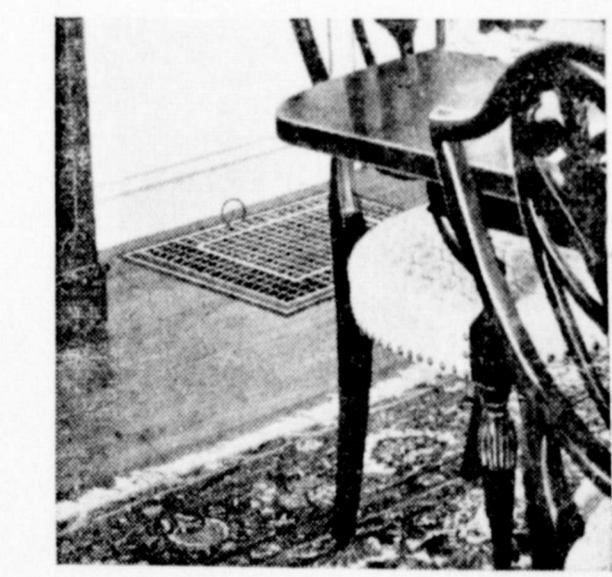
Examine All Cords before reconnecting appliance or light cords. See that necessary repairs are made or fuse will continue to blow out.

Don't Use Substitutes, such as a coin, for a fuse, or use a fuse of too high an amperage. It may be dangerous to your wiring or appliances.

West Texas Utilities Company

vacant office for the winner to claim.
A question of whether a youth coming of age after January 1 could vote without securing an exemption certificate was still undetermined in many places before the election.
The state democratic executive committee chose the earlier of two possible dates provided in the law for canvassing the election return, but some people still think Aug. 10 and not Aug. 8 is the legal day for the canvass.
The matter of making an enforceable regulation of campaign expenditures was also emphasized, when Dan Moody charged excessive expenditures were made.
The senatorial race of the primary may also bring a new demand for a preferential ballot on which voters may first and second choices election.

"John, are we eligible for a Floor Furnace?"
The W.P.B. says yes



No basement needed. It gives a luxurious, wide-spread warmth from a thrifty gas burner, and the firebox vents out a flue (like a big furnace). No sweating walls.

Also Gasteam Radiators, Circulators, Radiant Heaters
If you positively need them, you can buy them now

IT'S a good thing this country has a stock-pile of gas heaters; it will have to last until we win this war. Do you need heaters, at your home or business? The War Production Board says you can buy them, for rooms that have no heating at present. Get ready for a war-time winter. (Also, you can buy a Gas Range, if you haven't one). Down Payment, Monthly Terms.

Isn't your home the one thing to hang on to, in this upside-down world? Good heaters (and they come in moderate-priced installations, as well as the higher-priced ones) will keep it healthfully warm all winter, and add to its re-sale value. The operating cost is especially economical, because of your cheap Natural Gas.

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