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CISCO—Admittedly one of the healthiest cities in the state, with a countryside devoted to cotton, fruit, feeds, poultry, dairies, natural gas and oil; 2 railroads; 100,000 population; one of the largest concrete swimming pools in the world.

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CISCO—1,614 ft. above sea; one of largest fresh water lakes in Texas, with depth of 87 ft. at hollow concrete dam; 12 blocks paved sts.; unexcelled high school; Cisco Junior College; churches of all denominations.

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CISCO, TEXAS, THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 1937

ESTABLISHED 1915

GERMANS ADMIT SIXTH RETREAT IN 84 HOURS

DEFENSE GUARD GROWS

Defense Guard had 41 men in the drill line last Friday and Capt. O. L. Stamey and other Guard officers are greatly encouraged at the steady increase in numbers, as well as the rapid improvement in proficiency by all volunteers.

Six machine rifles were used at the meeting for instruction in the handling of firearms. Captain Stamey says a few more rifles are needed and that it will be a distinct advantage if persons having old machine rifles will lend them to the Guard. Receipts will be issued for the rifles and good care will be taken of them.

The men have been divided into platoons for drill purposes. Sergeant J. E. Hays is in charge of No. 1, while Platoon Sergeant George Boyd heads No. 2.

Friday Night Attendance.

Platoon 1—J. E. Hays, Dick Thomas, F. D. Wright, Tom Stark, Larry Thurman, W. A. Mohr, Harry Suddeth, A. W. White, Merle Kelly, Cyril Penn, John C. Penn, F. Underwood, W. W. Ernest, J. Butler, J. D. Yardley, C. J. Jolliffe, J. D. Lauderdale, L. J. Felton, E. P. Crawford, F. B. Altman.

Platoon 2—Capt. O. L. Stamey, J. J. Jacob, H. A. Bible, W. E. Forman, J. J. Pence, I. J. Dolbins, Donald Mueller, George W. Jones, Les Fleming, W. A. Pence, E. Edwards, Jerry Myrick, T. L. Palmer, August Fricker, J. A. Vosbush, M. L. Mueller, M. M. Armory, J. R. Coats, Bill Wendt, George Boyd, D. G. Streater.

ALLIED PLANES STALL ROMMEL DESERT FORCES

CAIRO, Sept. 3.—British artillery and Allied planes are mercilessly bombarding stalled Axis forces on the Alamain line, and British mobile forces, lashing out in attacks of their own, have destroyed many enemy vehicles, a communique said today.

The German Afrika Korps approached the main British defenses on the 20-mile battle line between the Humeimat Peak and the Ruweisat Ridge, just before dusk Tuesday, to find massed field artillery and anti-tank guns facing them.

The British forces accepted a challenge to battle, but the enemy refused to fight.

Throughout yesterday, the enemy failed to essay an advance in force, and the British guns and the Allied planes, including those of the U. S. Army Air Corps 12th and 98th Bombardment Group and the 97th Fighter Group, threw a continuous rain of steel throughout their battle area.

A terrific fire was directed at the enemy armored forces and transport concentrations all the way between the peak and the ridge, while the enemy remained static.

The British mobile forces, on harassing attacks, struck out from the east and the southeast, at the extreme end of the line toward the Qattara basin, and destroyed many German vehicles.

It was indicated here that the British had outflanked the Germans who sought to outflank them. Air activity intensified into a wild and continuous battle.

Allied planes shot down at least six German Stuka dive-bombers and nine fighters yesterday.

Topped-carrying British planes attacked enemy reinforcement ships off the Libyan coast, and claimed at least one direct hit, and long-range fighters attacked other enemy vessels.

ANDERSON IN PLACE CLARK

A. D. Anderson was unanimously elected to the city commission to fill the unexpired term of A. V. Clark, resigned, at a called meeting at the city hall last night.

Anderson, who has always been active in civic affairs, is at present a member of the board of directors of the chamber of commerce and election to membership on the city commission will necessitate his resignation from the chamber of commerce. Mr. Clark's term of office expires April 1, 1944.

In deference to a letter from Mayor G. P. Mitcham from Leo Ehlinger, district engineer of the highway commission, requesting the abandonment of all signal lights on highway 80 through Cisco, the commission voted to discontinue all lights except that on D avenue, so that military convoys passing through Cisco over this highway would not be delayed by signal changes, nor create a hazard by the convoy running red lights.

The signal light at D avenue was retained because of its extreme necessity in checking speed of trucks coming off the overpass, which endangers traffic on D avenue. After an explanation of that need, it was agreeable to the highway department for the city to retain this light.

Those present were Mayor G. P. Mitcham and Commissioners Geo. Boyd, A. V. Clark, H. S. Drumwright, Charles J. Kleiner and Neil Lane.



TOO CLOSE FOR COMFORT!—The photographer who took this photo in the Western Desert battle area, came close to death as shrapnel from this exploding bomb whistled over his head. United Nations supply lorry, target of aerial bomber, also had a close call.

CLOUDS OF NAZI DIVE BOMBERS FILLED SKY AS GERMANS TRIED TO BLAST WAY TO OBJECTIVE

MOSCOW, Sept. 3.—The Russians acknowledged today another retreat southwest of Stalingrad -- the sixth in 84 hours -- and clouds of enemy dive-bombers filled the sky as the Germans tried to blast opposition out of the short path between them and their objective.

The battle had mounted to heights of ferocity probably unequalled in the bloody German invasion. German Field Marshal Fedor von Bock had concentrated tremendous forces on a narrow salient to break through. Now the Germans attacked along the whole area southwest of Stalingrad and the Volga river line.

The shrieking of dive-bombers covered the whole battlefield. Soviet fighter planes raced out to intercept them, and in 23 fights shot down 23 German aircraft and damaged eight.

Front-line dispatches reported that a bloody battle raged at one point on the southwest approaches, where 200 enemy tanks and several regiments of infantry and artillery had attacked after dive-bombers had blasted Russian first-line defenses.

MARINES WANT SEPTEMBER BE BANNER MONTH

The United States Marine Corps is planning to smash all recruiting records in this area for the month of September. Quotas for this month are on an unlimited basis, because of a number of enlistments being 100 plus.

Representatives of the Marine Corps will be in Eastland Monday and Tuesday, September 7 and 8, for the purpose of examining and accepting applicants.

Applicants who are accepted will be furnished transportation to the recruiting office for final examination and enlistment. All applicants who are accepted must be in sound physical condition, married or single, and between the ages of 17 and 35 years, inclusive. Men under 21 must have the consent of their parents to enlist.

Basic pay for privates starts at \$80 per month. Married men and those with other dependents receive an additional cash allowance from the government.

For full information apply in person at Eastland on above dates. Parents of applicants are invited to call on the recruiters for information if they so desire.

16 YEARS' SALARY

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 3.—The government wants \$24,753.23 additional income tax on the 1941 earnings of Tony Martin, former radio and movie crooner, now a chief specialist in the United States navy. Let's see, that's about 6 years' salary at Martin's current pay of \$126 a month. Collector Nat Rogan, who filed the tax, said, however, the claim would be pressed while Martin is in the service.

TALK WON'T TAKE PLACE OF ARMAMENT

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—Members of the American armed forces are interested not in figures on war production but in "the kind of talk that will fly and shoot," said Lieut. Comm. Eugene Worley on returning from eight months of active service in the Pacific.

The Democratic Representative from the Texas Panhandle, who saw service in Pearl Harbor, Australia and New Guinea, returned to his office Wednesday.

He said figures on how superior our production is to that of the enemy aren't "altogether true" and expressed dismay that controversies continued in war industries.

Americans should realize, he added, that their boys were fighting with odds favoring the enemy.

"Our heavy bombers are unquestionably superior," he declared, "but our pursuit planes don't fill the bill by a wide margin," adding "and that observation is direct from the boys who are doing the fighting."

Americans, he went on, were fighting with great courage and ability, but everywhere in the Pacific they were outnumbered by the Japs.

SECOND FRONT THIS YEAR IS NOT PROBABLE

There were two visitors at the Rotary club today, Edward Lee introducing Monroe Sweeney, former Cisco member, and R. N. Chick introducing his father-in-law, G. F. Mullino, of Haskell.

Mr. Chick also thanked the club for the flowers sent to Mrs. Chick, a patient in Graham hospital.

Rotarian W. W. Fewell had the program today and based his talk on the "Second Front in This War." Mr. Fewell said he had assembled a lot of information, including writers as war correspondents, European war observers and broadcasts from both long and short-wave radios.

The danger of premature invasion before the leaders are ready was issued as a warning by the speaker. Leaders do not yet agree as to when and where this invasion should be made, but all agree that the success of an invasion must depend upon air control, with land-based planes having a big advantage in any battle, the speaker asserted.

There are three invasion points in the public mind today—Norway, Italy and France, with France being the only feasible point, but decidedly the toughest one.

Germany has France well fortified and guarded by a half million men at points where landings would be possible, because good harbors and wharfs are necessary to landing an army and equipment.

It would require at least 2,000,000 men, most of them to come from the United States, and thousands of tons of ships to land soldiers, food supplies and ammunition, even after the guns and men were landed.

The Allies do not have the ships nor the equipment. It will take until 1943 to acquire these, Fewell said.

100 MEAT PACKERS SCORED

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—In the first sweeping move to reduce food prices, the Office of Price Administration Thursday opened a nation-wide drive against alleged violators of price ceilings on beef and veal by going into federal courts in 18 cities seeking court injunctions against more than 100 meat packers and distributors.

The OPA said the first suit already has been filed and the remainder will be filed in the courts by late afternoon.

"The bulk of the cases," the OPA announced, "involve so-called upgrading of beef and veal, although many are concerned as well with plain and simple overcharging. The 100-odd packers and wholesale distributors also are being charged with using incorrect invoices or with failing to issue invoices as provided by OPA regulations."

"Upgrading consists of stamping and selling meat which is inferior at prices established for higher grades. Under regulations, all carcasses and wholesale cuts of meat must be accurately stamped and must not be sold at prices in excess of the legally established maximum prices for the particular grades."

"There have been complaints from all parts of the country that packers and wholesale distributors are ignoring price regulations and palming off inferior cuts above OPA ceilings."

TEXAS FIRE-MEN ALERT TO FIRE DANGERS

"In order that the citizens of Texas may receive the full value of the recent 25 per cent fire insurance rate reduction," Olin Culbertson, secretary for 23 years of the State Firemen's and Fire Marshals' association and railroad commissioner, says "they will have to be more fire-prevention minded than ever. Texas citizens were more careful last year than usual," added Culbertson, "thereby lessening the number of fires which, during the summer of 1936, extinguishing the fires that did start, resulted in the low fire losses and the fire insurance rate reduction."

"One major factor in our fire insurance rate is the good and bad fire record credits and penalties," added Culbertson, "and our citizens should remember that if their good fire record credit for 1943 is not as much as it was this year, it will likely be caused by the gymnastics of the fire insurance rate structure and not through any inefficiency of their fire department."

"Approximately 80 per cent of the firemen of Texas are volunteer firemen who serve their citizens without remuneration and for no other purpose than to render aid to their fellow man," said Culbertson. "They have been doing this since Texas was in its infancy. "Now that our nation is at war, the firemen, both paid and volunteer, are especially anxious that the fire losses in this state be reduced to a minimum—and that means that we can have no careless or crooked firemen in order that our armed forces may not want nor be handicapped." "Texas firemen," he stated, "realize that fires in our state accomplish the same results that enemy bombers and submarines are sent over here to perform."

3-INCH RAIN A BLESSING

According to George W. Downie and the gauge at city hall, the rainfall of this morning totaled three inches and the precipitation seems to have been rather general throughout the Cisco area.

Mayor G. P. Mitcham, who has extensive ranch holdings 12 miles northwest of Cisco on the Moran road, stated this afternoon that work from ranch headquarters was that a dandy rain had fallen in that section, with all creeks running and tanks full.

A. V. Clark, whose ranch property is located about six miles northeast of Cisco, had practically the same story as that of Mr. Mitcham—creeks and tanks full. Clark said the rain at his place was heavier than the rainfall in Cisco and was a great blessing to grass and late feedstuff.

The rain started about midnight and fell very gently until after daylight.

There was a considerable electric display, too, which cleared and cooled the atmosphere and brought mild warming that Fall is close at hand.

JUMPING JERRY FILED SUIT TO RETAIN OFFICE

DALLAS, Sept. 3.—Bradley Jester, appointed a member of the Texas railroad commission following his election to the short term on that body, will make an effort to delay hearing on Lieut. Jerry Sadler's suit against him. The hearing is set for Sept. 18.

That was the word from Lawyer Max Fort Worth, Jester's attorney, and from Jester, now vacationing, himself.

Sadler filed suit in federal district court yesterday, asking that Jester be restrained permanently from becoming railroad commissioner, a post Sadler claims is his.

The five-page petition, filed in behalf of Sadler by William Anderson, Jr., attorney, alleges Jester usurped Sadler's membership on the commission without due process of law.

91ST DIS. COURT JURY REPORTS NEXT MONDAY

Following is the personnel of the jury summoned by the 91st district court for service beginning Monday, September 7, the same being the sixth week of the September term:

Charles Owen, C. L. Higby, Jack Muirhead, R. F. Kizzer, J. C. Allison, Frank Lovett, Joe Tow, W. A. Wiegand, Leon Bell, L. J. Lambert, Eastland, Floyd Boyd, R. C. Mehaffey, Gorman, W. E. Reed, W. A. Tate, Claude Black, Roy Pierce, H. G. Mines, Frank Stubbfield, E. C. Allison, Carbon, O. G. Lanier, S. M. McAnnelly, Roy D. Crawley, T. J. Anderson, S. D. Guyton, B. E. Garner, Ranger, J. H. Rushing, R. O. Buckley, Desmond, E. P. Crawford, Joe A. Clark, R. L. Ponsler, Guy Brogdon, George Boyd, F. B. Altman, Frank Bond, J. J. Tableman, Cisco, H. S. Childress, Carl Erby, Rising Star; Lewison King, Nimrod; Walter Duncan, Staff.

TEXAS TRAFFIC DEATHS

AUSTIN, Sept. 3.—Motor vehicle traffic accidents killed 91 Texans in July to record the lowest monthly fatality rate for 1942. The department of public safety reported Thursday that 84 fatal traffic accidents occurred in July, boosting the total of accidents for the year to 670 and traffic deaths to 794.

DRAFT MOVE OPPOSED

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—Senate Democratic leaders professed little taste today for Republican proposals to draft youths of 18 and 19, and one warned against mobilizing an army so great as to endanger the nation's efficiency as "the arsenal of democracy."

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CLASSIFIED

NICE bathroom cabinet with mirror, two shelves, \$1.75. Collins Hardware. 263
RENT—Well furnished home. Mrs. Lee Clark or call 414. 262
SALE—145 acres with orchard, berries and vineyard; two miles. W. J. Prange. 262
SALE—A lot of books to sell storage, cheap; see them, you will find just what you want, sell cheap. Also music rack of music. Cisco Transfer & Storage Co. 261
FURNISHED APARTMENT—Private bath, electric refrigerator, stove, front and rear entrance. Call 261. 261
EVERY DAY, Enrollment day at Victoria Business College, Eastland, Texas. The manager has graduates working in Washington, Austin, Texas, and many other activities in Waco, Texas. Good homes in Eastland want to earn board and room while attending. Enroll now, Victoria Business College, Eastland, Texas. 269
WANTED — Experienced cook; woman or man. Apply at once Camp's Cafe, East Eighth street or call 27. 261
RENT—New apartment, 301 W. Ninth. 261
SALE—Commode and box complete with all fittings. Campbellhead. 261
RENT — Furnished duplex, cheap. 801 W. Ninth. 261
RENT — Furnished apartment; bills paid. 267 I avenue. 261
SALE — Six-room house; bargain for cash; leaving city. Mrs. Lila Hendricks, 1214 W. Ninth. 261
Two good young 5-gallon milk cows for sale. Second calves. Sun's Produce. 261
RENT — Modern four-room rock cottage. Edge of city. Cisco Lumber & Supply, Phone 196. 262
LARGE SIZE clothes hampers, only \$1.48. Collins Hardware. 263
Cousin George doesn't have anything to say about a subject until he talks with his wife and finds out what he thinks.
When son is told to do something he feels that he is obeying when he orders little brother to go it for him.

SOCIETY and CLUBS

TELEPHONE 36.

Auxiliary Circle in Interesting Meeting

Circle one of First Presbyterian auxiliary met in the church for regular meeting Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Alex Spears presiding. Mrs. C. H. Fee offered the opening prayer. A devotional was brought by Mrs. W. L. Jones on "Unity," followed with prayer by Mrs. Abbie C. Daniel. During the business session it was decided to send a box to the Mexican girls at the Presbyterian-Mexican school. Mrs. B. S. Huey was in charge of the program on "Auxiliary Objectives Today." The meeting adjourned with prayer by Mrs. Gary L. Smith. Those present were Mrs. E. P. Crawford, Mrs. C. H. Fee, Mrs. Abbie C. Daniel, Miss Betty Baugh, Mrs. B. S. Huey, Mrs. W. L. Jones, Miss Ruby McDurmon, Mrs. E. McCracken, Mrs. Alex Spears and Mrs. Gary L. Smith.

Mrs. Watson Was Hostess to Circle

Presbyterian auxiliary circle three met at 4 o'clock in the home of Mrs. W. F. Watson Tuesday afternoon for regular weekly session. The meeting opened by all members repeating the Lord's prayer, after which Mrs. A. E. Jamison brought the devotional on the subject of "Unity." The program was presented as a round-table discussion directed by Mrs. W. W. Wallace. The topic of study was "Auxiliary Objectives Today." Those present were Mrs. A. E. Jamison, Mrs. John Jones, Jr., Mrs. J. G. Rupp, Mrs. Spearman, Mrs. J. E. Caffrey, Mrs. G. C. Rosenthal, Mrs. Homer Slicker, Mrs. H. C. Henderson, Mrs. Leon Henderson, Mrs. John Garrett, Mrs. W. W. Wallace, Miss Willie Word and Mrs. Watson.

Man is endowed with certain unalienable rights, which he can keep if he fights hard enough.

CARD OF THANKS We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to our friends for the beautiful flowers and their devoted service during the recent death of our son, brother and sweetheart, Jerrell Boatman. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Boatman and Children, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. McGough, Miss Imogene Peugh.

Council Held Meeting at Church Tuesday

The Women's council of the First Christian church held its regular monthly business meeting in the church at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. The meeting opened with group singing of two hymns, "Stand Up for Jesus" and "Saviour, Like a Shepherd Lead Us," followed with prayer by Mrs. J. R. Wright. Mrs. Randolph Lee Clark then brought a splendid devotional.

Mrs. Sam Kimmell, president, was in charge of the business session. Reports were given by the various chairmen and announcement of filling the box for Juliet Fowler Orphans Home Friday, was made. The meeting was closed by all repeating the missionary benediction in unison. Twenty-five members were in attendance.

The Council will hold group meetings in the homes of members next week.

REICH

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dillon visited Mrs. G. W. Horn and daughter Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Plumlee visited his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Shirley and son at Putnam Sunday.

Mrs. G. W. Horn received the news that her son-in-law Mr. Floyd Rains was very ill. He is in the hospital at Brownwood.

Udell Morris of Cisco visited his grandmother, Mrs. G. W. Horn.

and aunt Miss Addie Mae Horn Tuesday. Visiting Mrs. G. W. Horn and daughter Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Horn and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Morris and children from Cisco and Juanita and Waddell Rains, and they all attended the funeral of Jerrell Boatman at Cisco. The community was made sad Sunday, August 23 by the passing of Jerrell Boatman. He was loved by every one who knew him. Mr. and Mrs. Boatman and family have the sympathy of this community. Mr. and Mrs. Mae Stephens and Mr. and Mrs. J. Garrett and little son of Cisco and Mr. and Mrs. Blake Stephens of Coleman visited Mrs. G. W. Horn and daughter Sunday evening.

Euna Fae Callarman visited in Mineral Wells over the week-end. Pvt. Odell Rains, Camp Berkeley, visited his mother and brothers and sisters over the week-end. Mr. J. M. Boatman was a visitor in Cisco Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. McGough and children of San Antonio visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Boatman the past week have returned to their home.

CURTIS

The recent showers, and the slow, steady rain last night, were welcomed by the farmers of this section, both for the moisture they supplied as well as breaking

GLASSES

For careful, correct eye examination and first quality glasses, guaranteed to fit, at economy prices, see—

Dr. W. D. McGraw Optometrist Phone 26. 700 W. 9th., Cisco

SEE OUR Display of UNUSUAL GIFTS

We have just received a shipment of Gift Goods in glass, pottery, pyrex, etc., suitable for

- WEDDINGS SHOWERS BIRTHDAYS ANNIVERSARIES

Only a few more days left of our Rexall Factory-to-You Sale.

DEAN DRUG CO.

The REXALL Store. Phone 33.

NEIL LANE FUNERAL HOME

300 W. 9th Street—CISCO—Phone 167 In the Service of Others

the hot season that has prevailed. Owen Swinney was a business visitor to Merkel and Trent. He also visited his two brothers in Trent.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Spillers were recent visitors to Cisco. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brawley were business visitors in Cisco Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Swainney and children of Trent, were guests in the Owen Swinney home over the week-end.

J. W. Brawley and sons, Lewis and Clifton, were business visitors to Putnam Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Swinney were business visitors in Cisco Monday. Enroute home they enjoyed a quiet family reunion at the home of Mrs. Swinney's mother, Mrs. L. A. Luttrell of the Dan Horn community. All the children of Mrs. Luttrell were present for the event except a son, living in Cross Plains, and a daughter in California.

Mrs. Swinney's eldest brother, L. M. Luttrell, will leave soon for Virginia, where he will be in defense work.

Mrs. Owen Swinney attended a shower, complimenting Mr. and Mrs. Finnis Irwin and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Laminack, in the home of Mrs. Baugh, of near Sabana. Both young couples were the recipients of many useful gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Swinney received a long letter from their sons, Don and Jack, of Berkeley, Calif. They wrote they are plan-

ning to eat Christmas dinner at home.

Our school will open Monday, August 31. An increased enrollment is anticipated. All scholars are eager to get back in school after their long and well-earned vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Notgrass spent Sunday with Mrs. Notgrass' parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Pierce.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brawley, the past week before

answering his call to the armed service Sept. 11.

Timid official speaking in 1944: "I'm sorry, but the time may come when the public will have to give up a few luxuries."

"The people should, wake up, they don't want to pay for a fire is, growled Nery, as he continued to fiddle.

GOOD MEATS

Everything in the Meat Market line, including those good tender steaks. Lunch Meats for school time, Liver, Hearts, Cheese and other items found in a first class market.

Plenty of Fryers, Dressed Ready for the Table.

HOT BARBECUE

A & P MARKET

NORMAN ZAHN, Prop.

You Can Buy New GAS EQUIPMENT For Your Home IF YOU REALLY NEED IT

Gas ranges and other appliances are becoming less and less available since factories are on full-time war production programs. Therefore it is well to take good care of your present cooking and heating equipment.

But if you really need new equipment, the following information will aid you in determining if you are an eligible purchaser in accordance with government restrictions concerning gas appliances.

YOU CAN BUY A NEW GAS RANGE IF . . .

- (1) Your present range is completely worn out and beyond repair. (2) Your premises are not equipped with a range and you do not have cooking equipment. (3) You are engaged in constructing a Defense Housing project. (4) You are remodeling a large home and breaking it into several small apartments, you may purchase the ranges necessary to meet the cooking requirements.

YOU CAN BUY A NEW GAS WATER HEATER IF . . .

- (1) Your present water heater is completely worn out and beyond repair. (2) Your premises are not equipped with usable means of heating water. (3) You are engaged in constructing a Defense Housing project. (4) You are remodeling a large home and breaking it up into smaller apartments, you may purchase the gas water heaters required to supply adequate hot water.

YOU CAN BUY GAS HEATING EQUIPMENT IF . . .

- (1) You have rooms in which you do not have some type of heating equipment. This includes appliances such as Floor Furnaces, vented and unvented Circulators, Gasteam Radiators and Radiant Heaters. (2) If your present central heating plant is in need of repair, dealers will make the necessary replacements to put it into condition for the heating season. If it is beyond repairs that would restore it to workable condition, it may be replaced from stock if available.

See your gas appliance dealer or your gas company NOW so that you will be prepared for winter. If you are eligible for new equipment you will be assisted in making out the necessary signed application to your requirements.

CISCO GAS CORPORATION

To relieve distress of MONTHLY Female Weakness AND HELP BUILD UP RED BLOOD! Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound TABLETS (with added iron) have helped thousands to relieve periodic pain, weak nervous, blue feelings—due to functional monthly disturbances. Also, their iron makes them a fine remedy to help build up red blood. Pinkham's Tablets are made especially for women. Follow directions.

20 Degrees Cooler PALACE NOW SHOWING Fonda, Bari, Ameche The MAGNIFICENT DOPE

BUY U. S. DEFENSE STAMPS and BONDS NOW ON SALE AT BOX OFFICE

PALACE Sunday Monday THE YEAR'S MUSICAL MIRACLE! JOAN PAYNE BETTY GRABLE VICTOR MATURE FOOTLIGHT SERENADE JANE WYMAN • JAMES GLEASON PHIL SILVERI • CORINA WRIGHT JR

PALACE SATURDAY ONLY DOUBLE Feature Show Feature No. 1

SCRAP-HAPPY! All-out war on the streets of New York when these rampaging rascals run wild! The EAST SIDE KIDS in Bowery Blitzkrieg Leo with Bobby GORCEY • JORDAN Huntz HALL Feature No. 2

He's Hunting KILLERS! Buck avenges the cold-blooded murder of a U.S. Marshal in a blaze of six-gun action!

THE ROUGH RIDERS BELOW THE BORDER with BUCK JONES Tim McCoy RAYMOND HATTON and 'SILVER'

Garden Seed The fine rains make it easy to plant a fall garden, and with meat rationing just ahead, the home garden will come in handy if not an actual necessity. We have a supply of fresh bulk garden and field seeds. Worm medicine for all cattle, sheep, goats, hogs and poultry. THORNTON FEED MILL CISCO, TEXAS.

LOW PRICE-QUALITY LUMBER Quality Lumber Mill Work Joists Timber Wall Board Insulation If It's to Build We Have It BURTON-LINGO LUMBER CO.

BRIEFLY TOLD

Staff Sgt. Robert D. Huston, stationed at Tapesa, Kino, is visiting the family of his brother, Norman C. Huston today. Sergeant Huston is on leave.

Sergeant Galbraith, who is convalescing from wounds received some months ago while in action in the Pacific, is spending a few days fishing at Lake Cisco, having been advised at the USO in Abilene to do so. He will return to some post soon for officers training.

Rev. Oliver W. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Barron, Mrs. M. F. Underwood, Mrs. T. E. H. Rose, Mrs. Roy Carter, and Miss Billie Cole are preparing for the annual meeting of the Cisco Baptist association, which is being held with the First Baptist church in Abilene today and Friday.

"Pyorrhoea" May Follow Neglect

Did you ever see an elderly person with a bad breath? Druggists refund money on first bottle of "LETOS" by the DEAN DRUG COMPANY.

Mrs. John Sheitzer is transacting business in Cisco.

Mrs. M. W. Bobbins went to Amarillo Tuesday to visit her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Smith and her new granddaughter, Linda Kay Smith.

Mrs. E. L. Pugh and daughter, Miss Dorothy Nell Pugh, have returned from a vacation trip to Shreveport, La., and other points enroute.

Mrs. Wilbur Sims of Baytown, arrived Tuesday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Parsons. She will accompany her daughter, Sonja Sims, who has spent the summer here with her grandparents, on her return home.

Mrs. Paul Jones, who has been attending her mother, Mrs. L. B. Maxwell, here for the past three weeks, will today for her home in Houston, accompanied by her

brother, Howard Mayhew, and her small son.

Mrs. Bob Key and daughter Miss Margaret Key spent the week-end with relatives in Fort Worth, and were accompanied home by her daughter, Mrs. T. H. Bryson and Troy Frances Bryson.

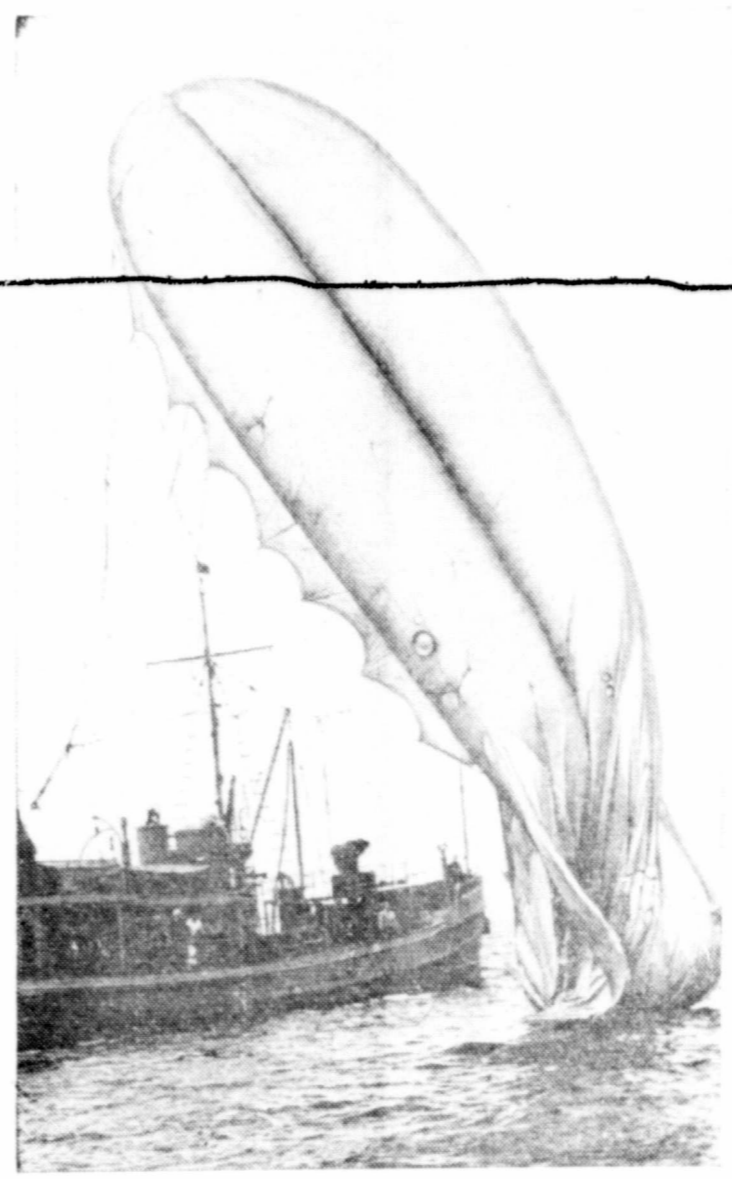
Eugene Smith, who has been spending the summer with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Key, left Tuesday to join his father, Charlie Smith, former Ciscoan, who now lives in Crowell.

Wilburn Ghormley, Bob Grantman and Glenn Tableman have returned from Lubbock, where they have been employed during the summer vacation.

Mrs. Ann Whaley and son, Jim Whaley, left Tuesday for their home in Estelline after spending several weeks in Cisco with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Cluck and their family.

The Philathea class of First Methodist church school will have a basket picnic at the church at 8 p.m. Friday. All members are urged to attend.

Word has been received by Mrs. Walter Odle and Mrs. M. A. Walters that their nephew, Ray L. Jobe, has been officially missing in action since May 7, with the



RUNAWAY BALLOON CAPTURED—A runaway barrage balloon is retrieved by a Coast Guard patrol boat off the Pacific Coast after breaking loose. It was only slightly damaged.

Foy has returned to the Foy apartments, to remain for the duration of the Cisco schools. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. N. W. Dillabarty and three grandchildren and her sons, Jimmie and Billie, who will attend the Cisco schools.

Mrs. B. C. Metcalf went to Stamford today for a brief visit to her home.

Mrs. P. R. Warwick went to Brownwood on a business errand Wednesday.

OIL MEN TO HOLD RALLY OCTOBER 9-10

DALLAS, Sept. 3.—Texas oil men are planning to hold their annual meeting in Dallas, October 9 and 10, according to an announcement just issued by George C. Gibbons, executive vice-president of the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas association.

This year's meeting, unlike annual conventions held in former years, will be a streamlined, war meeting, devoted to serious discussion of Texas oil industry problems and the important place of Texas petroleum in the nation's war effort, according to the announcement.

Instead of a three-day convention, the Texas Mid-Continent as-

sociation program will be devoted to one full day, Friday, Oct. 9, of business sessions and will be followed by an evening dinner meeting. Saturday morning will be devoted to committee meetings and post convention activities.

Election of officers and directors will be held at the Friday business session and association activities for the next year will be outlined.

W. H. Sawtelle of Houston, distinguished service awards will be given to leading Texas oil men, carrying

on the custom which has been of the features of annual meetings of the past.

Many oil men will stay in Cisco over Saturday, October 10, to attend the football classic at the University of Texas and the city of Oklahoma, held annually at the Dallas Cotton Bowl.

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FERGUSON

J. T. Berry (former Cisco mayor) is spending a few days in Cisco while enroute from Dallas to his home in Stant.

Mrs. R. C. Hayes is spending today in Abilene.

Mrs. W. J. Fawcett is visiting relatives in Dallas.

Mrs. Bona Sue Scoville of Abilene is visiting her parents and friends in Cisco today.

Mrs. Nancy Johnson arrived Wednesday from Los Angeles, Calif., where she visited her son

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LETTUCE	2 heads 15c
THOMPSON SEEDLESS GRAPES	2 lb. 25c
RED POTATOES	lb. 4c
CARROTS	bunch 5c
CABBAGE	2 lb. 7c
SPUDS	10 lb. bag 29c
BELL PEPPER	lb. 8c

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BOLONERY	lb. 14c
WEINERS, Skinless	lb. 22c
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FLOUR, Our Special 48 lb. bag, \$1.59	24 lb. bag 80c
SHORTENING, Vegetole 8 lb. ctn., \$1.35	4 lb. ctn. 70c
CRISCO	3 lb. pail 67c
Calumet Baking Powder	25-oz. can 25c
Softasilk Cake Flour	box 24c
COFFEE, Miss America	1 lb. can 25c
TEA, Lipton 1/2 lb. package, 45c	1/4 lb. pkg. 23c
Libby Rose Dale Peaches	3 No. 2 1/2 can 50c
Amita Fruit Mix	2 cans 25c
Rose Dale Pears	No. 2 1/2 can 19c
Strained Baby Food, Libby's, Clapps or Heinz,	3 cn. 19c
CATSUP, 14-oz. Bottle	2 for 25c
Libby's Picnic Asparagus Tips	2 cans 35c
Libby's Cream Style CORN	2 No. 2 cans 25c
Browns HI-HO Butter CRACKERS	1 lb. bx. 21c
SALAD DRESSING, Big Value	quart 21c
CIGARETTES, All Popular Brands, ctn., \$1.49	pkg. 15c
OXYDOL	1g. bx. 21c
OXYDOL	giant bx. 61c
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