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## ALLIES BLAST 36 AXIS PLANES FROM SKY

### HOG BROUGHT \$60 AT CATTLE AUCTION

Prices were good and quality high on most of the offerings at the Cisco Livestock association auction Tuesday afternoon when one fed steer brought from \$104 to \$113 each to help bring sales to about \$5,000 for the day. Several hogs brought \$40 each and one hog brought \$60. Buying was very brisk.

**Sellers.**  
C. G. Cogburn, 2 cattle.  
Van Tickner, 3 cattle.  
W. E. Ryan, hog.  
Oscar Gage, 3 goats.  
Jack Pippen, 11 cattle.  
Curt Butler, 5 cattle.  
E. R. Battle, 18 goats.  
J. H. McKinney, cow.  
H. F. Clayborn, 8 cattle.  
T. L. Cooper, 2 cattle.  
Billy Mac Jobe, 2 heifers.  
Fred Wylie, 2 hogs.  
G. H. Ross, heifer.  
A. J. Booth, steer.  
L. J. Beck, steer.  
R. B. Taylor, cow.  
J. E. Wood, 4 hogs.  
V. V. McMurry, 2 cattle.  
J. N. Williams, 9 cattle.  
Billy Bacon, bull.  
J. O. Taylor, 20 cattle.  
W. E. Kirkin, bull.  
J. B. Mashburn, 13 cattle.

**Buyers.**  
J. A. Trigg, 2 steers.  
Piggly Wiggly, steer.  
Ed Spellman, 5 cattle, 4 hogs.  
A. Booth, 2 cattle.  
G. K. Bagley, cow.  
Ed Huestis, 3 cattle.  
Jim Slaughter, 2 goats.  
Ruel Stoker, 11 cattle.  
A. B. Hutchinson, bull.  
J. D. Hawkins, 2 heifers.  
J. R. Davenport, 4 cattle, 2 hogs.  
Grover Morris, 4 heifers.  
R. B. Taylor, 2 cows.  
A. C. Peck, 2 cows.  
Jack Whitten, heifer.  
E. Pippen, 17 cattle.  
Geo. Harrison, 24 cattle, hog.  
J. W. McKinney, 2 cattle, 19 goats.

### PUBLIC WELFARE OFFICE MAKES CHANGE

The state department of public welfare has changed the dates on which the field workers' offices in the Sinclair-Prairie building, Eastland, will be open for the purpose of accepting applications for old age assistance, aid to needy blind and aid to dependent children, and for discussing changes of circumstances with recipients of these three programs.

Effective February 1, the field workers' offices will be open on the first and third Monday of each month.

These offices were formerly open each Monday of the month. Applicants and recipients will save time and trouble by observing the new office days as stated above.

### \$783 AVERAGE FOR 62 HEAD OF HEREFORDS

FORT WORTH, Jan. 13.—Jack Turner's Silver Crest Farms' first sale of Herefords yesterday at the ranch near Fort Worth averaged \$783 for the 62 cattle offered. Top in the sale was \$2,575, paid by Joe Winston of Aledo for the bull, Real Silver Domino 59th, one of the 24 bulls that averaged \$814. Top female of the sale was Miss Donna Mischief, one of the 38 heifers that averaged \$763. This good heifer sold to the Flying L Ranch of Davis, Okla., on a bid of \$1,650.

### JOBE, 16 VALUABLE CITIZEN

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hutchinson and daughter Mary and neighbor, Billy Mac Jobe, all of Putnam, were in Cisco Tuesday, the men attending the auction sale and the women shopping and attending the Palace theater show.

Mr. Hutchinson, who owns a 1,200 acre ranch adjoining the city limits of Putnam on the south, feeds out steers for the market. He bought a bull at the auction sale, he stated. He usually keeps about 200 head of young steers, and a few milk cows.

Young Jobe, who is 16 years of age, is a 4-H boy and distinguished himself last year by winning a registered Poland China gilt in a national essay contest. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jobe of Putnam.

Jobe sold two Hereford heifers at the Cisco auction yesterday for \$198.

This young man takes a great interest in his stock projects and is finding out the true value of pure-bred stock, and proper feeding at the right time.

### JUDIA, ROAN AND PARMER MADE MUSIC

Lion John H. Swanson presented Ray Judia, Alton Roan and Travis Parmer in a musical program at today's luncheon at Hotel Laguna. Their repertoire of swing music and popular numbers drew constant applause.

Superintendent R. N. Cluck was a guest and made an announcement to correct, as he stated, an erroneous idea that the Cisco Junior college might not reopen at the beginning of the next semester which is about February 1.

Mr. Cluck said that while the local college, like most other colleges over the country, was hard hit by loss of students caused by the war program, there is no probability of the college closing. The school, he stated, is in better financial condition than at any time since its opening and has received \$5,000 state aid this year as against \$5,100 last year.

President N. C. Huston announced that the club would be divided into three sections, with a captain for each, to stage a membership drive for January, following the time honored custom of celebrating the birthday of the founder, Melvin Jones.

Capt. O. L. Stamey leads the army group; Capt. M. D. Fox heads the navy, while the air force is under the leadership of Capt. Harry Schmidt.



**BUSINESS LIQUIDATED**—A mere \$3,000,000 flood throughout Western Oregon couldn't force L. J. Ocumpaugh (above) to close his grocery store. But, hogs being scarce, customers didn't get to make their daily rounds of the shops, so here he stands waiting for driver days—no customers.

### THIS SORT COURTESY SENSIBLE

"We certainly appreciate the fact that Cisco people, despite the rationing of tires and gasoline, responded so liberally and graciously to the request to furnish conveyances for the young women trainees Sunday afternoon for a tour of the Lake Cisco area and other points of interest over the city," said Mrs. E. L. Graham, chairman of the entertainment committee.

"More than enough cars responded and the women appreciated the courtesy shown by Ciscoans," she continued.

The young women were driven over the city and points of interest were shown them. They said they appreciated the opportunity to get out into the open and into the sunshine after being in school all the week, which was their first week of school.

### ARMY NURSE PAY IS NOW \$150 A MONTH

FORT WORTH, Jan. 13.—Base pay for army nurses has been raised by the war department to the same level as that of men officers, Mrs. Lola T. Englehart, Red Cross recruiting secretary for Fort Worth and Dallas areas, announced today.

New nursing recruits will enter the service with the rank of 2nd lieutenant at a salary of \$150 per month.

Former pay for army nurses was \$70 per month plus maintenance, said Mrs. Englehart. The \$150 salary does not include maintenance.



**PICTURE SNATCHER**—The term "picture snatcher" usually refers to a cameraman, but above it refers to a cutie in a kilt who with her brother, is posing with their hero dad, Chief Petty Officer Hayes of Royal Navy. He's showing medal to children after investiture at Buckingham Palace.

### WLB PREPARES TO TAKE VERY WISE ACTION

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The War Labor Board, it was learned today, has decided on a drastic reorganization of procedure calling for the creation of 12 to 14 regional boards with power to rule finally in labor disputes and voluntary wage and salary agreements.

The regional boards will be set up in the 10 cities in which the WLB now has regional offices, with two others located in Detroit and Seattle. Two more may be established later. Details of the plan probably will be announced in a week and the boards will start functioning as quickly as the necessary personnel can be obtained and the machinery organized.

### CONVOYS ARE SAFE

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 13.—Convoying of petroleum and merchant ships in the Gulf of Mexico has been successful, the navy ministry announced Tuesday. No sinkings of Mexican-convoyed boats have been reported. The navy ministry asked the United States for 50 torpedo boat destroyers to patrol Gulf of Mexico and Pacific waters.

### 9 C.C. DIRECTORS ELECTED

From a list of 18 chamber of commerce nominees, the city commission last night elected nine chamber of commerce directors, who will assume their duties immediately.

They are J. R. Deen, Jimmy Allen, A. E. McNeely, C. E. Hickman, T. J. McCarty, J. D. Lauderdale, R. N. Cluck, L. A. Warren and A. B. O'Flaherty. Jimmy Allen will serve one year, completing the term of J. J. Collins, now a member of the city commission. The others were elected for terms of two years each.

The mayor and all commissioners—G. P. Miteham, Charles J. Kleiner, George Boyd, Henry Drumwright, A. D. Anderson and J. J. Collins—were present and participated in a thoroughly constructive session, though most of the business transacted was of a purely detail nature, including the passage of monthly bills, which were read by City Secretary G. W. Downie.

Dr. W. P. Lee, city health officer, made his report, which showed the health of the city to be even better than usual. The health officer also touched on the problem of hogs and cows maintained within the city limits. It was brought out that the city ordinances pertaining to hogs and cows will be strictly enforced in all cases where the health and comfort of citizens might be affected.

Commissioner Kleiner, chairman of the war industries training school canteen committee, said canteen service seemed to be thoroughly satisfactory to the women trainees, but suggested several improvements in the general conduct of the canteen.

### RUSS DRIVING FORCE SEEMS ALL-POWERFUL

CLEVELAND, Jan. 13.—Baby's milk is being rationed here. A stop-gap plan to ration evaporated milk for infants went into effect throughout Greater Cleveland today, with distribution of 25,000 red, white and blue ration cards. Chain groceries voluntarily devised the plan in co-operation with the Cleveland health department.

### NATIONAL CITY BANK

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—The annual report of the National City Bank of New York to its shareholders shows that institution's holding of government securities at the end of 1942 totaled \$2,029,000,000, an increase of \$845,000,000 over the previous year. At the end of the year total deposits were \$3,556,000,000, an increase of \$677,000,000 over 1941.

### SPORTS ARE OUT

BATON ROUGE, La., Jan. 13.—Six Louisiana colleges today had shelved intercollegiate sports competition for the duration. All six schools are under control of the Louisiana board of education but the action was suggested by the schools themselves.

### U. S. AIRMEN IN LIGHTNING ATTACK CLAIM 19 ENEMY AIRMEN 10 MI. SOUTH OF TRIPOLI

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, North Africa, Jan. 13.—The increasing Allied air offensive in Tunisia has resulted in the destruction of 36 Axis planes in the last 24 hours against the loss of only one American fighter, it was said today.

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, North Africa, Jan. 13.—American war planes, dogging the desert trails of Field Marshal Erwin Rommel's Afrika Korps, destroyed 19 Axis aircraft in a lightning attack on Castel Benito, 10 miles south of Tripoli, today.

The Allies had caught Rommel's forces in a vast aerial nutcracker. From the west, big Flying Fortresses based in western Tunisia and Algeria flew to Tripolitania to blast the Axis troops, supply lines and communications. From the east, planes attached to Gen. Bernard L. Montgomery's British Eighth Army attacked repeatedly.

In the second day of heavy raids, the Allies bombed an important airdrome at Castel Benito. Flying Fortresses destroyed an entire row of buildings and at least five aircraft on the ground.

Roaring away from this raid, the powerful bombers proved their toughness in a 75-mile running battle with German Messerschmidt fighting planes. Fourteen Messerschmidts plunged to earth. Not a single American plane was lost.

Long after his comrades had landed at their base, the pilot of one Fortress brought his limping ship home on two of its four motors. Its armor had been pierced in several places.

American pilots estimated that between 20 and 30 Messerschmidts attacked them. Some of the German planes got through the escort of P-38 fighters to shoot at the bombers.

Bombers of the Royal Air Force joined the American forces in attacking Axis concentration points along the coast road running south from Tunis. Bisley bombers hammered at important road junctions along the coast south of Tunis during the night.

These attacks were aimed at Axis supply lines that have been moving men and materials southward to join hardpressed Italian and a few German troops in southern Tunisia.

American B-26 Martin bombers attacked one very important objective—the high road bridge at La Hencha, between Soussse and Sfax.

Lockheed Lightnings raked the road from Tripoli to Ben Gardene, slightly inland from the coastal road between Tripoli and Gabes, yesterday. The American planes attacked a large truck convoy carrying German troops and supplies to Ben Gardene, destroying 50 trucks.

The Germans sought to retaliate for the heavy bombing but their efforts were described as ineffective. Junkers-88's and Messerschmidts assaulted an American air field but P-40 Warhawk intercepted the flight and shot down one Junker and one Messerschmidt. Another Junker was damaged.

On the ground, there was little more than patrol activity. No news had been received of the outcome of a French-German battle reported raging in south central Tunisia.

The total score of the day's air fighting was 16 Axis planes destroyed and 10 damaged in the air and at least 20 destroyed on the ground. The Allies lost one P-38.

Two fierce battles raged in south central Tunisia over mountain passes vital to the whole Allied campaign in Africa. In one, French units, strongly supported by the Royal Air Force, were trying to extend substantial gains made earlier at Karachoun. In the other, the French had surrounded Italian forces in a valley and were exterminating them.

**MORE POWER TO ARMY.**  
DETROIT, Jan. 13.—Eight workers accused by the army of responsibility for a series of unauthorized strikes last month at the Boon Aluminum and Brass Corporation plant here were discharged from their jobs today.

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**ALIEN NEIGHBORS.**

The other Americans—North, Central and South—are all getting tired of the situation down at the southern end of the hemisphere. That is to say, in Chile and Argentina. All of the other republics profess and practice the freedom and loyalty of this Western World. There may be limitations from time to time, but at least in dealing with each other and in the front they present to the outer world, our sister republics on the whole maintain their honor and independence and their harmony with the Pan American system. All but the two nations mentioned.

Yet in both Argentina and Chile a majority of the citizens are known to be ashamed of their isolation and in favor of cooperating with their neighbors. A man who is free from that World meddling and... The people there have been unable to gain internal freedom and control of their governments because of the strong-arm methods of the men in power.  
Chile is the more susceptible to reason and cooperation with her neighbors, including Uncle Sam, and seems likely soon to become a full-fledged member of the family. Argentina will doubtless come too in time, but there it may take a revolution.

**TWO GREAT MEN.**

A Lawrence Lowell was born with the legendary silver spoon in his mouth. Everything was done for him in the way of cultural background and education. He belonged to one of the great New England families.  
George Washington Carver was born a slave. Nothing was done for him except that when he and his mother were stolen from their original master, he was bought back—or bartered back—with a horse said to be worth \$300.

Lowell might have turned out a nonentity or a playboy. Instead, he became one of the great college presidents. His services to Harvard in reorganizing its work with the material system and its life with the house plan are beyond praise.  
Carver might have become a good house servant, or merely a lazy good-for-nothing. Instead, he became one of America's brilliant scientists. His services in the cause of agriculture and to the Negro race cannot be overestimated.

Here were two great men, rising to eminence from families of the wise and the simple, the well-to-do and the slave. It is character that counts. Character—and purpose to serve one's fellow men.

**A NEW LONDON.**

In the little magazine, Britain,

L. A. G. Strong tells of an exhibition, held at the Royal Academy, of designs and suggestions for the rebuilding of London. He looked in, "expecting to find a few earnest students gazing silently in corners." Instead he found the large room so packed that it was hard to get near the exhibits. All sorts of people were looking over the plans with interest, excitement and argument. Not all were English. There were fighting French and other nationals. Two Polish pilots with a WAAF girl liked the idea of a proper center for music and drama. "Russia has municipal opera in every town of 20,000 or more. That's the way to do it." The girl thought London

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**TOUGHNESS.**

Yes, this is going to be a tough winter. It has been so already, and will be worse before it gets better. People may as well make up their minds that it will be tough at home, tough in Washington, tough on the fighting front and tough everywhere. The weather will be tough and our enemies will be tough.  
It will probably be pretty tough on all fronts for quite a while. Maybe for years to come. Maybe for decades. For if the things the civilized nations are getting into don't wash up this little old civilization of ours, they will at least hang it around until everybody knows he's been through something. This goes for everybody on every front until further notice—and even that



NEW GUINEA IN THE RAIN—Driving tropical rain borne on a high wind lashes native village... putting an end to military activity for the moment and forcing... personnel to take to cover. "Main Street" is a sea of mud.

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I have hoarded laughter and Have called the stars my own. I have sought the crowded ways And never walked alone.

Now that life has struck at me and called itself the winner, I storm and cry for the peace that comes. Only to the sinner. —VIRGINIA PATY.

**NATIVES SWAP DEAD JAPS FOR MARINE CANDY**

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—Handfuls of candy in reward for dead Japs have won the native warriors of Guadalcanal to the American cause, reports Capt. Irving C. Cassell, 24, of Marine Corps intelligence.  
"It's a game with the natives out there, who hate the Japs for their cruelties," he said.  
"The Solomon Islanders, who had their gardens robbed — the No. 1 sin—first thought the Americans and Japs were fighting together, but they soon learned differently.  
"One day several natives were found after having killed some Japs for personal reasons. The Marines gave them candy.  
"The next day an outrigger

canoe came across from another island bearing four or five dead Japs and several grinning natives. They wanted to trade the dead Japs for more candy.  
"It was a game. They liked it and so did the Marines."  
—VIRGINIA PATY.

**LOTS OF WEDDINGS.**

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—More than three and a half million men and women in the United States said "I do," and became husbands and wives during 1942, setting an all-time high for marriages in America, statisticians of the Metropolitan Life Insurance company reported Tuesday. They estimated that about 1,800,000 marriages were performed during the year, an increase of 80 per cent over the number for 1932, the low point of the depression. Largest gains in the number of wedding licenses issued were in the large cities of the far west and the south. In the northeastern area there were fewer marriages in 1942 than in 1941.

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one of the lessees, is now employed by me, but not as partner.

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### SOCIAL and CLUBS

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#### MRS. FRED HAYES WAS HOSTESS TO CIRCLE

Circle three of First Methodist society of Christian service met with Mrs. Fred Hayes Tuesday for organization and election of officers. Officers elected: chairman, Mrs. Fred Hayes; vice chairman, Mrs. Wm. H. Cole; program chairman, Mrs. W. E. Ricks; local treasurer, Mrs. R. W. Merket; connectional treasurer, Mrs. J. P. McCullies; secretary, Mrs. C. E. Hickman; reporter, Mrs. Ed Aycock. Mrs. M. D. Paschall appointed Mrs. J. T. Anderson chairman of spiritual life.

The afternoon program, "Chaplain in the Armed Forces," was presented by Mrs. W. E. Ricks, Mrs. Fred Hayes, Mrs. R. W. Merket and Mrs. C. E. Hickman. The meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. Wm. H. Cole.

Attending were Mrs. Walter L. Boyd, Mrs. Wm. H. Cole, Mrs. J. P. McCullies, Mrs. M. D. Paschall, Mrs. W. E. Ricks, Mrs. Joe Wilson, Mrs. R. W. Merket, Mrs. Tom Stark, Mrs. C. E. Hickman, Mrs. Ed Aycock, a visitor, Mrs. O. W. Kean and the hostess.

#### PRESBYTERIAN GROUP MET IN CHURCH

First Presbyterian auxiliary met Tuesday afternoon at the church for monthly business meeting, with Mrs. Homer Slicker, president, in charge. The meeting was opened with group singing of the hymn, "I Am Thine, O Lord." Mrs. A. E. Jamison brought a splendid devotional, discussing the topic, "Thy Will Be Done." The devotional was concluded with prayer by the pastor, followed by a period of silent prayer by the group.

Minutes of previous meeting were read by Mrs. Yancey McCrea and approved by the body. Mrs. John Kleiner gave the treasurer's report. Circle reports were made as follows: Circle one, Mrs. C. H. Fee; circle two, Mrs. F. J. Borman; circle three, Miss Willie Ford. Secretaries then made reports of various causes. Mrs. A. E. Jamison made report on the spiritual life of the church; Mrs. C. H. Fee, foreign missions; literature; Mrs. E. P. Crawford; Christian social service, Mrs. J. E. Caffrey. The auxiliary decided to meet daily for four days' prayer, meeting at 1 to 1:45 p. m. during the first week in February.

Mrs. Slicker appointed Mrs. P. Warwick, Mrs. E. P. Crawford and Mrs. C. H. Fee as committee to plan entertainment for Mrs.

Aske, southern Presbyterian Bible teacher, who will teach a Bible course in Cisco during February. A committee was named to nominate officers for next year, as follows: Mrs. W. W. Wallace, chairman; Mrs. A. E. Jamison, Mrs. Alex Spears, Mrs. E. McCracken and Mrs. F. J. Borman. Vote was taken to serve refreshments to the young people's league each Sunday evening. The hymn, "My God and Father, While I Stray," was sung by the group and the meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. C. H. Fee.

Those present were Mrs. J. E. Caffrey, Mrs. O. Gustafson, Miss Willie Word, Mrs. John Kleiner, Mrs. Willie Bogan Dunn, J. E. Coleman, Mrs. J. J. Tableman, Mrs. A. E. Jamison, Mrs. P. R. Warwick, Mrs. E. P. Crawford, Mrs. B. S. Huey, Mrs. F. D. Pierce, Mrs. Gary L. Smith, Mrs. C. H. Fee, Mrs. George P. Fee, Mrs. F. J. Borman, Mrs. W. F. Watson, Mrs. Homer Slicker and Mrs. Yancey McCrea.

#### MRS. CARLTON HOLDER W. M. S. HOSTESS

Mrs. Carlton Holder was hostess when East Cisco Baptist women's missionary society met for a royal service program, Monday afternoon. Mrs. Herman Barron presided and the meeting opened with a hymn, "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name."

A program on "Christian Witnessing" was given and all members took part. After a short business session the meeting was dismissed with prayer by Mrs. Emmett Green. Those present were Mrs. Herman Barron, Mrs. V. H. Bosworth, Mrs. J. J. Livingston, Mrs. Oscar Murray, Mrs. R. T. Dennis, Mrs. Emmett Green, Mrs. Don Rupe and Mrs. Carlton Holder.

#### COUNCIL GROUP ONE MET IN CHURCH

Group one of First Christian church women's council met in the church Tuesday afternoon with the vice chairman, Mrs. Rex W. Moore, in charge. The meeting opened with a devotional by Mrs. H. H. Davis. Mrs. J. E. Elkins offered the prayer. A short business session was held and routine business matters transacted. The meeting closed with prayer.

Those present were Mrs. H. H. Davis, Mrs. Ida Painter, Mrs. George Swartz, Mrs. W. R. Huestis, Mrs. H. J. Woodriddle, Mrs. J. E. Elkins, Mrs. Guy Ward and Mrs. Moore.

#### DORIS ANN LINDSEY HONORED BY PARTY

Doris Ann Lindsey was honored on her seventh birthday Monday, January 11, with a party given at the family residence by her mother, Mrs. O. M. Lindsey.

Outdoor games were played for an hour, after which the children were invited into the living room where the honoree opened her gift packages. The pink and white birthday cake was cut and served with hot chocolate. Favors of candy and pop corn balls were passed to each child.

The guest list included Doris Ann Lindsey, Joyce Weathers, Jimmie Sykora, Kathleen Suggs, Ruby Jean Terrell, Wilma Lee Thomas, Evelyn McCoy, Patricia Ann and Lena Mae Evans, Mary Elizabeth and George Johnson, Blanche Baker, Neil Whitten, Coise Baird and Martha Lee Eudy.

#### CIRCLE HAD LUNCHEON IN MOREHART HOME

Circle one of Methodist society of Christian service met in the home of Mrs. B. E. Morehart Tuesday for a covered dish luncheon. The meal was served buffet style from the dining table with guests seated at quartet tables. The invocation was by Mrs. W. A. Cox.

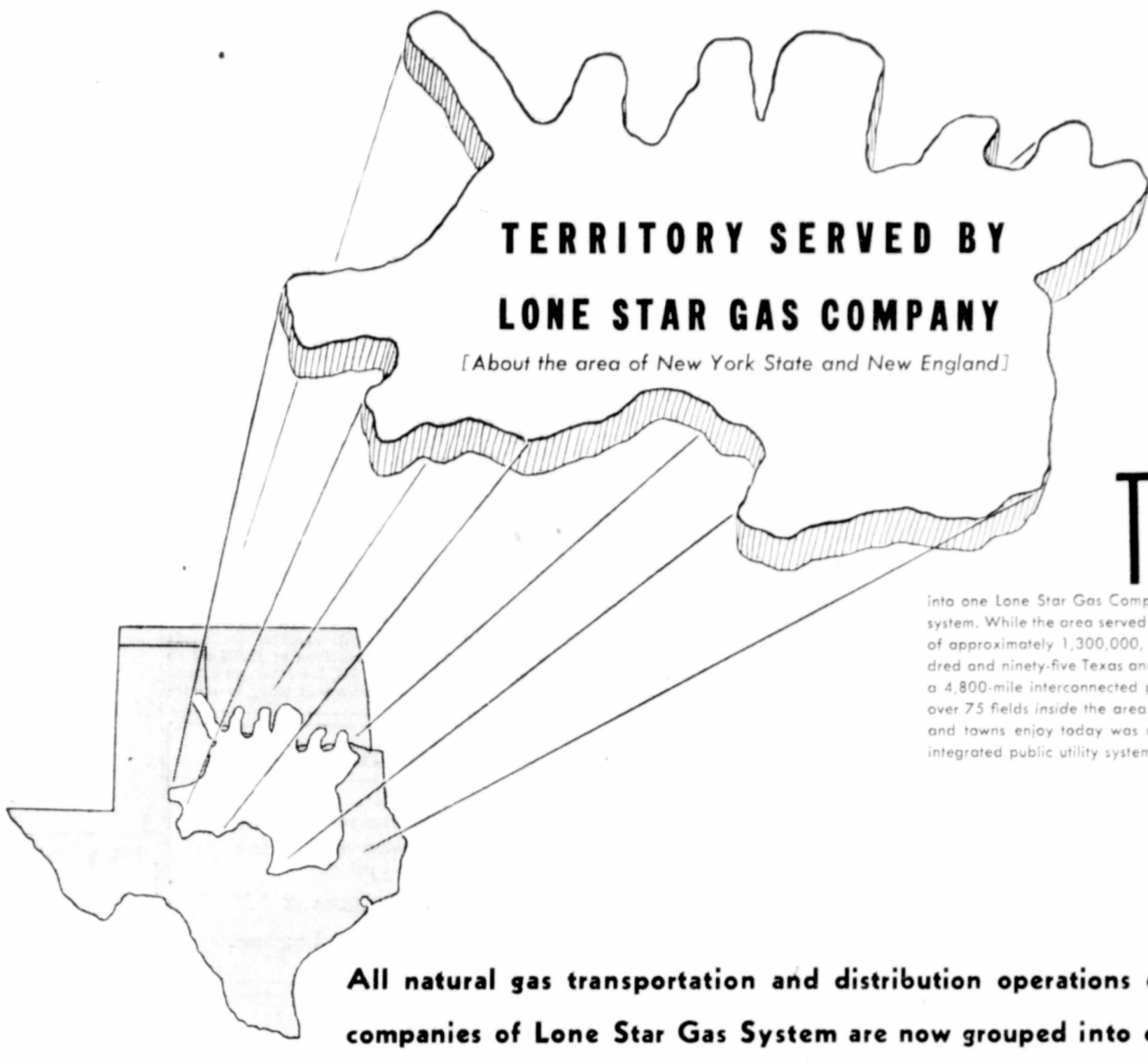
Following luncheon a business meeting was held and officers for the year were elected, as follows: Chairman, Mrs. C. E. Paul; vice chairman, Mrs. J. T. Fields; secretary, Mrs. Crigler Paschall; local treasurer, Mrs. S. H. McCullies; connectional treasurer, Mrs. Wm. Joyner; program chairman, Mrs. Leslie W. Seymour; social service chairman, Mrs. B. E. Morehart. Plans were made for the year's work and the meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. Leslie W. Seymour.

Those present were Mrs. John Shertzer, WSCS president; Mrs. Leslie W. Seymour, Mrs. J. R. Crawford, Mrs. C. E. Paul, Mrs. J. W. Slaughter, Mrs. S. H. McCullies, Mrs. Crigler Paschall, Mrs. Wm. Joyner, Mrs. W. A. Cox, Mrs. T. G. Caudle, Mrs. George Winston, Mrs. W. H. Hurd, Mrs. J. T. Fields and Mrs. B. E. Morehart.

It isn't so much a housing shortage as a shortage of house-holders willing to take in roomers.

In writing soldiers, remember that men like details. Never say merely: "Mother's hand was bitten off."

If people must be suckers, why not make slot machines a government monopoly and finance the war?



**All natural gas transportation and distribution operations of the several affiliated companies of Lone Star Gas System are now grouped into one operating company, organized under Texas corporation laws, and which hereafter will be known as the**

# Lone Star Gas Company

The Lone Star Gas Corporation was among the first to register under provisions of the "Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935." Now, under a plan submitted to and approved by the Securities and Exchange Commission, the System is among the first to be reorganized into a more simplified corporate structure. The plan became effective January 1, 1943.

Working out details with the Securities and Exchange Commission and securing approval of our stockholders has been a big job requiring many months. We believe the reorganization will benefit our nearly 300,000 customers and our 4,500 employees.

Ever since 1909 when Lone Star struck out from Petrolia with a pipeline to Fort Worth, the System's ideal has been to build and maintain a natural gas service that would be so sensitive and responsive to public purposes and public needs that it would be a stimulant to the Southwest's development.

And the Southwest has grown. We've developed for and with it until Lone Star System up to the time of reorganization comprised:

- THE DALLAS GAS COMPANY
- COMMUNITY NATURAL GAS COMPANY
- TEXAS CITIES GAS COMPANY  
*(distributing companies operating inside 295 Texas and Oklahoma Cities and Towns)*
- LONE STAR GAS COMPANY  
*(the company developing the gas supply and transporting it to the distributing companies)*
- LONE STAR GASOLINE COMPANY  
*(the company developing gas reserves and by-products of natural gas)*

five operating companies and one holding company. Both are new Texas corporations.

The reorganization will not in any way change the basic policies or personnel of Lone Star Gas System. However, it simplifies operations, makes for considerable coordination of effort, and creates a tightly-knit organization which will be even more sensitive and responsive to your fuel service needs and wartime demands.

In it all there is just one sad note—the passing of such names as The Dallas Gas Company, Community Natural Gas Company, and Texas Cities Gas Company. We know thousands have a friendly, cordial feeling for these names through years of business transactions. But only the names pass on. The men and women who made these companies' good names remain to serve our customers.

This reorganization which was finally consummated in December was one of a number of progressive events which were of material benefit to the Southwest and marked 1942 as a notable year in the history of Lone Star Gas System.

## Lone Star Gas Company

The gas field producing operations of the system, such as drilling wells and developing gas, are taken over by Lone Star Producing Company. So now, there are just two companies whereas before there were

The Community Natural Gas Company is now the

# LONE STAR GAS COMPANY



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# BRIEFLY TOLD

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mayhew, 806 Hawthorne street, Ft. Worth, arrived in Cisco last night and departed for home this morning. Mr. Mayhew is in charge of two parking lots in Ft. Worth, while Mrs. Mayhew is in the employ of the telephone company there.

Rufus Petty of Gatesville is spending a few days with Mrs. Petty and her mother, Mrs. D. D. Lewis.

Aviation Cadet Ernest Prange of Cisco has completed the course

at San Antonio aviation cadet center and has entered a primary school elsewhere. Cadet Prange was one of a class of 383 aviation cadets, all Texans, completing this course.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ramsey of Putnam visited their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Isenhower, here, Tuesday.

Mrs. Dick Thomas left the first of the week for a visit with her son, Clifford Thomas, who is stationed at Decatur air field, De-

catu, Ala. She was accompanied on the trip by Miss Jeffie Jean Robertson.

Mrs. James Haynie and daughter, Pattie Nell, are visiting in Dallas with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gutierrez.

Mrs. A. C. Poe and children spent Tuesday in Eastland.

Mrs. L. C. Davis is visiting her husband in Oklahoma City, where he is employed on a defense project.

Loyal women's class of First Christian church will meet at 7:30 o'clock tonight in the home

of Mrs. George Atkins, 908 Seventh street for monthly business and social meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Burnam of Putnam transacted business in Cisco Monday and while here visited with relatives.

Miss Shirley Whaley of Weatherford was a guest of her friend, Patsy Davis, during the past weekend.

N&T club will meet in the home of Mrs. C. E. Turknett, 1503 C avenue Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Otis Lomax has returned from a two weeks' visit with her husband, O. C. Lomax and her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Lomax at Port Arthur.

The Brotherhood of the East Cisco Baptist church will meet at 8 o'clock tomorrow night, at the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Aycock and small son, Frank, Jr., of near Eastland, spent today with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Aycock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McCantles, Mrs. Leah Bates, Mrs. A. B. Cooper and Mrs. Mary Abbott attended a meeting of the Woodmen Circle at Baird Monday night.

When a fellow says he is a man of the world he thinks he has found an excuse for not living properly.

## CATTLE MARKET

All cattle and calves found a fully steady market on the Fort Worth stock yard today. Most butcher hogs sold 1c above Tuesday's levels with stocker pigs and packing sows unchanged. Fat lambs and slaughter ewes ruled steady with other classes of sheep poorly tested.

Estimated receipts at Fort Worth today compared with actual receipts on the like day of last week were: Cattle 2,100 and 1,503; calves 1,000 and 708; hogs 1,493, and choice fed steers and yearlings ranged from \$12.75 to \$13.85 and included two loads of fed steers at \$13.85; four loads of fed heifers at \$12.85. Common to medium steers and yearlings brought \$9 to \$12.0.

Good beef cows cashed at \$10 to \$11.75; butcher grades at \$8.25 to \$9.75; and canners and cutters at \$5.50 to \$8. Bull prices ranged from \$7.75 to \$11.50.

Good to choice slaughter calves cashed at \$12 to \$13.50, with some calves of near yearling weights held around \$14 and higher. Common and medium butcher calves brought \$9 to \$11.75. Cull calves turned at \$8 to \$9.

**CANADA'S POPULATION.** OTTAWA, Jan. 12. — Canada had a population of 11,505,898 on June 2, 1941, the dominion bureau of statistics said today in releasing final census figures for the year. There were 5,900,148 males and 5,605,750 females. The population in 1931 was 10,376,786.

## KICKED WRONG MAN.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 13.—Police Patrolman John M. Yates, a veteran of 17 years' service, has been shorn of his badge and ordered to police board trial Jan. 20 on charges of kicking Edward Phillips, Los Angeles Herald Express photographer.

The Japs who "fight to the last" are little guys. The big shots will try to quit in time to save something when they see it's hopeless.

**COL. FLINT GARRISON**  
YOUTHFUL VETERAN FLYER OF THE "MIDDLE EAST" THEATER NOW HEADS A BOMBARDMENT GROUP.

BORN IN ST. LOUIS, HE ENLISTED AS AN AIR CORPS FLYING CADET ON GRADUATING FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI—HE FINISHED AT BRISBANE FIELD IN 1927.

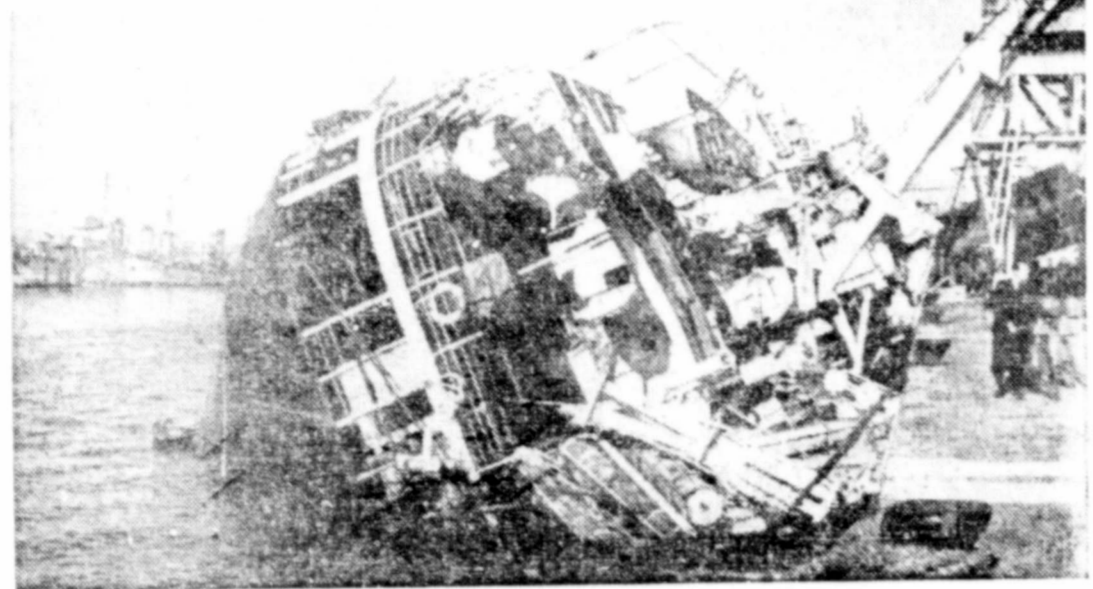
IF IT'S ABOUT THE R-26—ASK GARRISON! HE KNOWS ALL THE ANSWERS!

A LEADING AUTHORITY ON THE LIGHT MARTIN BOMBER.

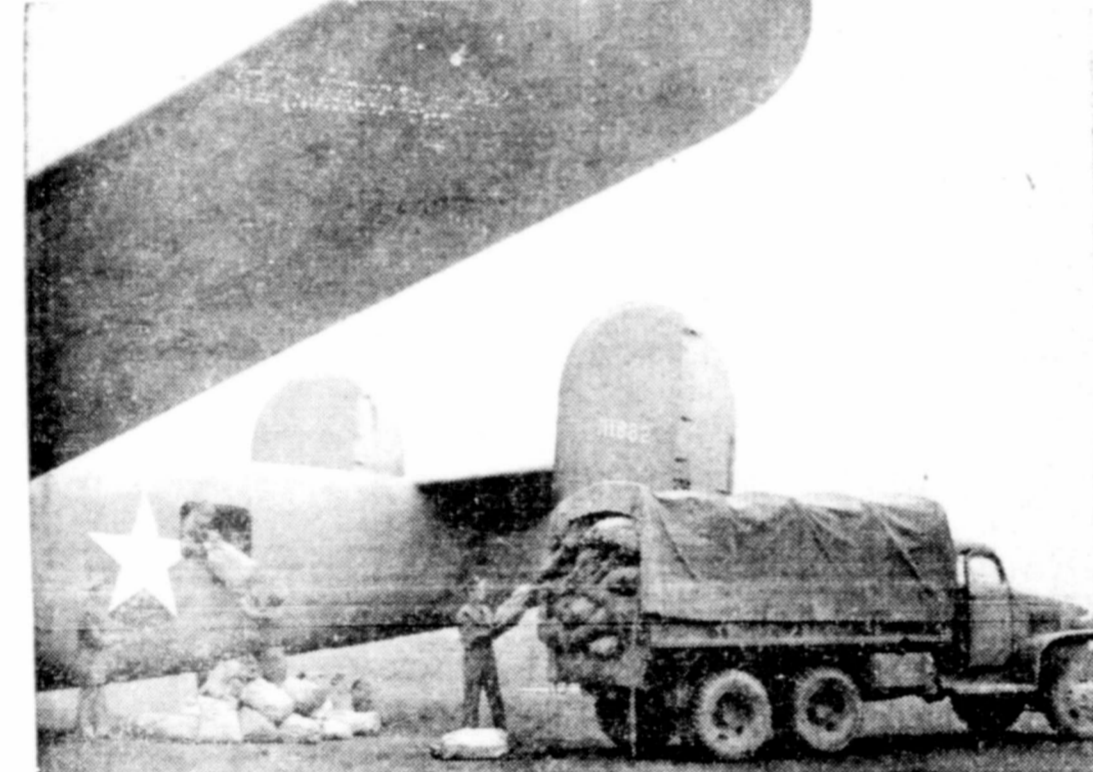
HE FLEW FOR THREE MONTHS IN EGYPT WITH THE R.A.F.

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THE NATIVES ARE FRIGHTENED!



**AXIS VICTIM AT CASABLANCA DOCKS**—Landing operations in North Africa were not as simple as some reports would indicate. Damage was heavy, as evidenced by the plight of this Italian merchant ship blasted at its mooring in Casablanca harbor by U. S. warships.



**CHRISTMAS MAIL FOR TROOPS IN AFRICA**—Three and a half tons of air mail—letters, greeting cards and other parcels—arrived in North Africa on this B-24 bomber for American armed forces before Christmas. Before ready flight crews of the Air Transport Command were lined up at refueling points on both the outward journey and return trip on which the four-motored plane brought back to families and friends of the troops the holiday greetings which had been gathered up at the last moment for transmission.

### SERVICE STATIONS SERVE PUBLIC ON SUNDAYS

IN ORDER TO SERVE THE PUBLIC ON SUNDAYS AND YET CONSERVE MANPOWER AND ELECTRICITY, THE FOLLOWING SERVICE STATIONS HAVE POOLED THEIR EFFORTS BY DESIGNATING TWO STATIONS TO REMAIN OPEN SUNDAYS:

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<b>SECOND SUNDAY</b> — A. R. Westfall & Son J. J. Litchfield	<b>FIFTH SUNDAY</b> — W. R. Huestis
<b>THIRD SUNDAY</b> — A. V. Clark C. D. Simpson	<b>SIXTH SUNDAY</b> — J. T. Richardson Edward Lee
<b>SEVENTH SUNDAY</b> — Paul Booth Fenter's Chief Service Station	

THE PUBLIC IS EARNESTLY REQUESTED TO COOPERATE WITH THIS CONSERVATION ARRANGEMENT BY PURCHASING THEIR REQUIREMENTS ON SATURDAY IF THEIR STATION IS TO BE CLOSED ON THE WEEKEND.

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