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## NAZIS FIGHT GRIMLY, BUT MAKE NO HEADWAY

### Gallup Poll Shows Two-Thirds of U. S. Voters Against Prohibition Law

PRINCETON, N. J., Feb. 9.—The Bryson wartime prohibition bill, which would prohibit the manufacture or sale of alcoholic beverages until the war is over, has the support of approximately two-thirds of all voters interviewed from coast to coast in an Institute survey. The other two-thirds say they are opposed to it.

During preliminary hearings in Congress last month on the Bryson bill, dry witnesses claimed that "week-end speers" and "pay-day drinking" are largely responsible for absenteeism in war plants. Whatever merit this argument may have, it has made relatively little impression on the public. For the number of voters who are willing to accept a national dry law as a special wartime measure only is no greater than the number who want permanent prohibition.

The public's attitude toward the principle of the Bryson bill was sounded on the following issue:

"There is a bill in Congress which would forbid the sale of liquor in this country until the war is over. Do you think this bill should be passed?"

The vote of those with opinion is as follows:

In favor of wartime prohibition	36%
Opposed	64

Only one person in every twenty (5 per cent) expressed no opinion at the survey.

A test of sentiment on the idea of permanent national prohibition, regardless of whether we are at war or peace, brought the same vote—36 per cent in favor, 64 per cent opposed.

This represents little change in prohibition sentiment since the last Institute survey in August, 1943, when the vote was 66 per cent "wet."

Backers of the Bryson bill may be heartened by the comparatively large dry vote which the survey found among the women of the country. The women are considerably more in favor of wartime prohibition than the men are, as the following results indicate:

Favor wartime prohibition	42%	30%
Opposed	58	70

The group least in favor of national prohibition at present are the servicemen.

A survey in October by the British Institute of Public Opinion among American servicemen on leave in London found 85 per cent against national prohibition for the United States, with 9 per cent in favor and 6 per cent undecided.

### CISCO BOND SALES REACH \$157,362.50

Fourth War Loan Bond sales in Cisco reached \$157,362.50 yesterday, thus slowly but constantly moving upward from the goal of \$136,000 assigned to this city.

First Nat. Bank	\$ 74,081.25
Palace Theater	13,095.00
Postoffice	6,506.25
Allocations	63,680.00
Total	\$157,362.50

### MAN'S STORE, COLLINS HARDWARE WON ALL

The Man's Store won three straights from the Thomas Funeral Home on the local bowling alleys last night, as did Collins Hardware in its engagement with Cisco Lumber & Supply Co.

Witten and Paul, both members of the Collins Hardware aggregation, rolled up the best averages. Witten with a score of 174 and Paul with 168.

Friday night Smitty's Concessions will meet Palace Theater and West Texas Utilities will face Cisco Gas Corporation.

Last night's games in detail:

The Man's Store—  
 Glenn Baugh 154-174-169  
 Mitford Johnson 171-181-143  
 Franz East, Jr. 126-129-173  
 Oscar Stutenroth 139-126-179  
 Thomas Funeral Home—  
 E. T. Thomas 140-116-119  
 J. Urban 151-165-131  
 Jack Farleigh 124-159-159  
 Clyde Wilkins 151-139-179  
 Collins Hardware—  
 C. B. Shaw 143-145-151  
 J. E. Witten 207-145-180  
 F. East 166-162-115  
 Dr. C. E. Paul 153-191-160  
 Cisco Lumber & Supply—  
 Melvin Proctor 134-144-125  
 Billy Britain 87-131-139  
 James Reaves 146-133-154  
 Zearl Smith 157-150-129

### MANY OUT-OF-TOWN PEOPLE HERE TUESDAY

The Workers' Conference of Cisco Baptist association was held at First Baptist church here Tuesday and, notwithstanding rainy weather, attendance was excellent, both on the part of locals as well as people from a dozen or more surrounding towns and communities.

The meeting began at 10 a. m. with a song and devotional period directed by W. Frank Walker. Speakers on the morning program included Dr. E. B. Atwood, Clifford Nelson and O. M. Corley.

A brief business period preceded violin numbers by A. J. Bell, blind musician from Hardin-Simmons university, who was accompanied by Miss Mayne Simmons of Abilene. Rev. H. J. Starnes of Eastland preached the morning sermon. Lunch was served at 12:30 by women of the missionary union.

At 1:30 a board meeting was held, after which Rev. R. D. Hebard of Breckenridge outlined the associational endorsement campaign in thoroughly lucid manner. The closing number of the day's program was an inspirational address by Rev. Sam Taylor of Rising Star, which was well received.

Out-of-town people in attendance included Dr. Rupert N. Richardson, acting president of Hardin-Simmons university; A. J. Bell, Miss Mayne Simmons, Abilene; Rev. Roger D. Hebard, Mrs. H. C. Peifer, Mrs. Will Slinger, Mrs. Boyd McCoy, Mrs. Walter Burton, Breckenridge; Rev. H. M. Weldon, T. J. Matthews, Mrs. H. M. Weldon, Mrs. W. C. Vines, Carolyn Vines, Albany; Rev. and Mrs. H. J. Starnes, Roy C. Jones, C. A. Jones, J. C. Allison, Mrs. Joe Pearce, Mrs. C. S. Karkalis, C. S. Karkalis, Mrs. A. A. Palmer, Mrs. L. V. Simmons, Mrs. W. B. White, Mrs. D. T. Gilliam, Eastland; Mrs. John Alexander, J. A. Clements, W. W. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Will Dossier, Mrs. Albert Cline, Mrs. Carroll Lauder, Mrs. Ida Leftwich, Mrs. R. M. Harris, Mrs. T. S. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Yates Clayton, Mrs. Karl Hopkins, Mrs. J. M. Townsend; Miss Oma Dale Shelton, Mrs. Laura T. Wild, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mitchell, Mrs. L. L. Bruce, Mrs. Chester Rogers, Mrs. Mabel Williams, Mrs. W. C. McDonough, Ranger; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Davis, Parks; Rev. and Mrs. C. L. Rogers and son, New Hope; Mrs. Matlock, Mrs. R. S. Leslie, Mrs. J. W. Lee, Mrs. J. A. Choate, Mrs. James Ward, Olden; Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Morton, Curtis Morton, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Morton, Union; B. F. Clement, Jess Cavanaugh, Carbon; Mrs. Henry Reed, Mrs. Sallie Earp, Long Branch; Rev. and Mrs. Sam Taylor, S. J. White, Rising Star; Rev. O. H. Reese, Center; Mrs. C. E. Bush, C. E. Bush, Rev. and Mrs. Cecil McBeth, Wilbert McBeth, Mrs. T. L. Wheat, Mrs. L. D. Tankersley, Harmony; Mr. and Mrs. A. N. McBeth, Nimrod; Rev. H. N. Baldersee, Putnam; Mrs. W. H. Erwin, Mitchell; Mrs. Mathis, Mrs. Clay Moorman, Mrs. V. W. Day, Mrs. Helen Claxton, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Corley, Mrs. J. M. Moore, Gorman; Rev. F. A. Hollis, Necessity; Rev. and Mrs. H. D. Blair, Mrs. J. H. Kendrick, Timothy Matthews, Mrs. Aline Seabourn, Mrs. Ella Veshalike, Mrs. T. R. Prickett, Mrs. Nettie Weatherby, Corinth; Mrs. J. Roy Haynes, Rev. J. Roy Haynes, Mrs. M. E. Nix, Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Hodnett.



RECEIVES NATION'S HIGHEST AWARD—Second Lt. Gerry H. Kisters, 24, of Bloomington, Ind., receives from President Roosevelt the Congressional Medal of Honor for conducting one-man campaign against the enemy in Tunisia. Kisters thus became the first soldier to receive the Congressional Medal of Honor and the DSC in this war. General Marshall presented the DSC. Lt. Kisters' wife pins the medal on.



DIRECTED PARAMISHURO BOMBARDMENT—Rear-Admiral Wilder D. Baker, center, who commanded the task force which bombarded Kurabu Point on Paramishuro, Japan. Also aboard his flagship were Maj. Gen. Davenport Johnson, right, commander of the 11th Air Force, and Brig. Gen. E. D. Post, left, Chief of staff to Lt. Gen. Simon Bolivar Buckner, commander of the Alaskan Dept., representing the Army.

### U.S. BOMBERS TURN CISTERNA INTO INFERNO AND LEVEL A LARGE PART OF THAT CITY

ALGIERS, Feb. 9.—U. S. planes poured tons of bombs yesterday on Cisterna to cripple that main stronghold of the Nazi line around the invasion bridgehead below Rome, while Allied troops struck out in "aggressive patrol activity."

German patrols also were active in this vital sector, and Nazi artillery continued a heavy shelling of the beachhead.

The Allies further consolidated their positions, headquarters said.

American Mitchells in morning and afternoon raids pounded the buildings in Cisterna where the enemy had concealed tanks and guns and crewmen said the bombs levelled a large part of the town, 15 miles northeast of Anzio.

Cisterna has been a model town of the Pontine agricultural development. The Germans have converted it into a fortress. From it they have launched some of their fiercest attacks on the beachhead.

The Germans have begun to bear down all along the beachhead, but dispatches from the front Tuesday night said the increasing blows had succeeded only in forcing a slight retirement by the British in one sector.

The Nazis appeared to be throwing the greatest weight against the British in the area of the model village of Carroceto, only 15 miles below the capital. Artillery fire thundered incessantly there and black smoke hung thickly over the town.

Wednesday's German communique declared the Nazis had advanced several miles in the bridgehead area, capturing 700 prisoners. "Strong enemy counter-attacks with support of tanks and naval artillery were repulsed," the bulletin broadcast by Berlin said.

(A dispatch to Stockholm by the German-controlled Scandinavian Telegraph Bureau declared the waters off Nettuno "looked like a ship graveyard" as a result of German air attacks on Allied shipping.)

American troops battling into Cassino on the main front have occupied about one-fourth of that town and the doughboys at one time fought to within 75 yards of the Benedictine Abbey on Mount Cassino.

The U. S. forces launched a full strength attack in the predawn darkness Tuesday to take the cliffs surrounding the monastery. The Germans have held the mountain top for six days of battle.

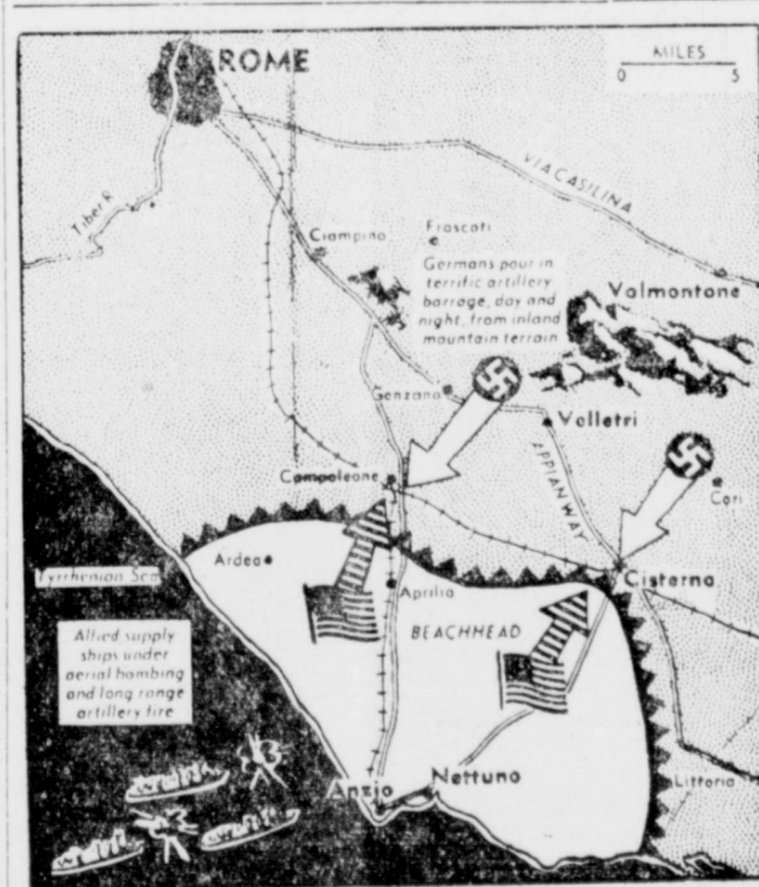
British troops also made a gain on the main 5th Army front.

On the 8th Army front, a German patrol of 60 men, with weapons including flame-throwers, thrust into Allied territory near Orsogna but Allied forces killed 14 of them and captured six. The rest of the Nazis fled, abandoning their flame-throwers.

Allied planes flew 1,500 sorties throughout the day, striking hard at German troop concentrations, airfields and railyards over a wide area, and losing not a single plane. Five German planes were shot down.

Allied warships bombarded Formia, on the Gulf of Gatea below the bridgehead, and blew up an ammunition dump.

Heavy bombers blasted railyards at Verona and Prato and airfields at Tarquina and Viterbo, while fighter bombers lashed at shipping off the Dalmatian coast.



TODAY'S WAR MAP—The Allied beachhead south of Rome is threatened by continual artillery bombardment from mountain-placed Nazi guns and aerial attacks. All-out offensive to drive out defenders of the coastal strip is expected.

### TEXAN SEES JAP DEFEAT THRU CHINA

PEARL HARBOR, T. H., Feb. 9.—Adm. Chester W. Nimitz, commander of the Pacific Fleet, revealed that his forces intend to drive straight across the Pacific to China to gain bases for the final defeat of Japan and challenged the Japanese fleet to try and stop them.

"I believe Japan can only be defeated from bases in China," Nimitz told newsmen late yesterday on his return from an inspection trip to newly-conquered Kwajalein atoll in the Marshalls.

"My objective is to get ground and air forces into China so that we can get the ball rolling. That's simple strategy. I don't believe the Japs can be defeated at sea alone."

Nimitz said that it should be no secret that "We will try to land wherever we can in China" and implied that any interference from the Japanese fleet would be most welcome.

### WILL SKIP TEXAS.

MEXICO, D. F., Feb. 9.—Labor Minister Francisco Trujillo Guri confirmed Tuesday that no Mexican farm workers would be sent to Texas this year and said the reason was "discrimination against Mexicans" in that state.

### HEIL DER INFLUENZA!

LONDON, Feb. 9.—Today's hope-is-nothing-trivial item: A Zurich dispatch to Reuter's news agency quoted unconfirmed reports that Adolf Hitler is suffering from a "bad attack" of influenza at his headquarters.

### CHANGE NOW BETTER THAN LATER; WILLKIE

TWIN FALLS, Idaho, Feb. 9.—A change of administration would be "less disturbing in wartime than during the reconstruction period," Wendell L. Willkie declared in an address in which he charged the Roosevelt administration with keeping the people ignorant of foreign affairs to increase the impression it is indispensable.

Army officers are directing the war, the 1940 Republican presidential candidate said, and they would continue to do this as well with a new administration as with the present one.

Willkie's address, delivered before more than 1000 Idaho Republican leaders, was the first of a series to be made on a tour of the west, a tour that is recognized generally as a test of his popularity as the GOP standard-bearer this year.

### SAFE AFTER FALL.

FT. WORTH, Feb. 9.—Injuries to Bobby Joe Woodson, 2-year-old son of Mrs. R. C. Woodson, manager of the Frazier Hotel, 207 1/2 E. First, appeared to be not serious today despite a fall last night from a second-story window of the hotel to a concrete driveway below.



(U. S. Navy photo) CITATION FOR COURAGE—Submarine Lt. Comdr. James Clark was awarded the Navy Silver Star in San Francisco. He commanded sub evacuating President Quezon from the Philippines.

### MILITARY HONORS FOR LT. BILL PRANGE

LAUNCHES CARRIER—Stephanie Pell, granddaughter of Stephen Pell who was responsible for restoration of Fort Ticonderoga, will launch the flat-top "Ticonderoga" from the ways at Newport News, Va.

Funeral was held at Culver City Lutheran church, he being a member of that denomination, with full military rites. Six fellow officers were pallbearers and the squadron chaplain was present for the field commander.

At the grave the officers stood at each side and held the flag above the casket during committal, there were two salute shots by a firing squad and then the flag was folded and presented to the widow of Lieutenant Prange.



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**A TOWN OF MEMORIES.**

The Russian advance on the Leningrad front has reached Narva. The capture of this little town on the Estonian border should impress the Russians, for it marks a melancholy day in their history.

In 1700 Sweden was ruled by a boy newly come to the throne, Charles XII. His neighbors, Russia, Denmark and Poland thought it would be a neighborly thing to take advantage of his inexperience, deprive him of his throne, and divide Sweden up among them. To their surprise Charles proved a military genius, defeated one country after another and forced peace. The most humiliating defeat of all was suffered by the Russians at Narva, where 50,000 Russians were badly beaten by less than 10,000 Swedes.

Narva proved a benefit to Russia as well as a catastrophe. The czar, Peter The Great, saw the need of completely reorganizing his army, and did so with such effect that in less than 10 years he had defeated Charles and made Russia, not Sweden, the great power of northern Europe.

The Finnish war of a few years ago was Russia's Narva today. Pearl Harbor was ours.

**WHERE FAME COMES LATE.**

To some places, as well as people, fame comes late in life. The Marshall Islands, scene of today's bitter fighting, have been known for over 400 years, yet little has appeared about them in print. Even the first name of Capt. Marshall, the Englishman who explored them in 1788 and after whom they were named, can be found only with difficulty.

For a long time they belonged to Spain, who acquired and lost them at about the same time that she did the Philippines. Only in the case of the Marshall Islands it was Germany who picked them up, losing them in her turn to Japan after World War I. The Japanese were not supposed to fortify the islands; this promise they kept just as faithfully as their other promises, that is to say, not at all.

**NEED WE COPY EUROPE?**

Writing in the Wellington, Ohio, Enterprise, Monsignor Maurice Griffin, of Cleveland, senior trustee of the American Hospital association and vice-president of the Ohio Hospital association, said:

"The Murray-Wagner New Deal bill assails the rights of life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness as promised the people of this nation by their Constitution.

"If this proposed document is passed—there will be a new character on the national scene—Uncle Sam, M. D., who will not only oblige doctors to sign on the dotted line to practice medicine according to the rules and regulations which he lays down and to accept the fee which he determines, but will tell you as people what doctor you may see, how many times you may see him and he in turn will tell you, if such attention is necessary, what specialists you may see and how many times. Your life and the life of every member of your family would be in the hands of a medical czar and under the supervision of a medical board, run not by doctors but by politicians.

"Socialized medicine such as this bill clearly calls for, is not native to our land at all—it is a foreign product and was first brought to perfection by the German statesman Bismark. This bill does not spring from our traditions nor from our public spirit.

"Doctors have doubled the life span of the American people and have done more for their patients in service and equipment and in voluntary spirit than elsewhere in the world. Maintained as they are today, mostly by religious organizations, the hospitals represent the finest of the public spirit of America—they are from the people and they are for the people. Surely the people themselves have done so well on a purely voluntary basis that there is no need for government supervision . . ."

**BROTHER CRIMINALS.**

One danger just now is that, in the righteous wave of wrath that Americans are pouring out upon the treacherous yellow devils, they may tend to ignore the German peril or appraise it too lightly. The capacity for Nazi evil is as great as it ever was, and perhaps more so. Many Nazis will now feel that they can hide behind their barbarous allies and let the latter take more of the abhorrence which belongs to both sides. But, let's not forget that the Nazis and Jaaps are partners, that they connived together before Pearl Harbor and rejoiced together after historic Dec. 7, 1941.

While the murderous Hitler lives, he and his fellow-criminals will continue their life of crime and defiance of civilization. Presumably the German people will continue unholding them until the last of these monsters is hanged. With their masters sunk so deep in crime that they cannot turn back, the beneficiaries of that crime have a double incentive to stand by their evil leaders. They have become partners in the great plot against civilization, and cannot easily let go, because they fear isolation and punishment and still hope to escape scot free.



Coast Guardsman C. G. Evans embraces Nora, pet of a North Carolina Coast Guard station, with reason. She was guest of honor at ASPCA dinner in New York, where she was awarded the medal he displays. On beach patrol by herself, she returned to station with Evans' cap. Search party found him lying near water's edge, where he had fainted and might have died but for Nora's action.



**A MULE'S A MULE**—As stubborn in Italy as on the farm, mules near Venafro sector, loaded with 81 mm. mortars have to be handled delicately. One soldier (foreground) seems to have the solution but his buddies are having trouble.

**Heads 12th USAAF**



Maj.-Gen. John K. Cannon, above, is the new commander of the 12th U. S. Army Air Force, based on North Africa. Succeeding Lieut.-Gen. Carl Spaatz, Cannon will also head Northwest Africa tactical air force, which embraces British and other Allied planes as well as American.

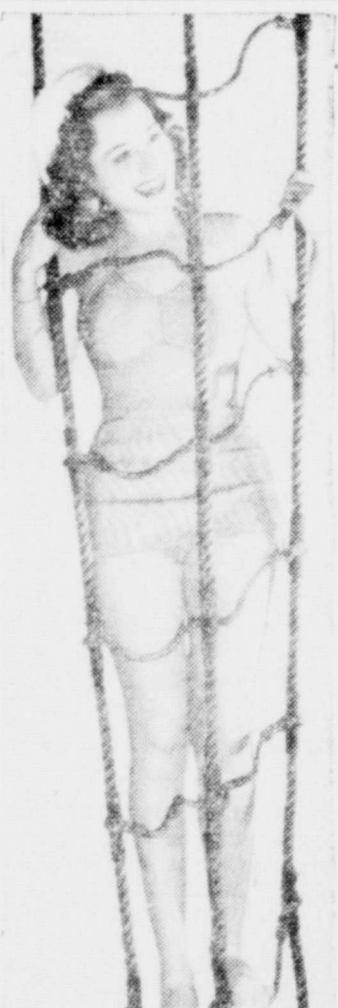
**'Havoc' Becomes 'Midnight Mauler'**



The famous Douglas A-20-A Havoc bomber has been converted into a new hard-hitting night fighter, officially designated as the P-70 and unofficially dubbed 'Midnight Mauler' according to AAF Materiel Command, Wright Field, O. Details of how new Mauler differs from old Havoc remained undisclosed, but photo-diagram shows some of the major modifications. The A-20-A was a light attack-bomber; as the P-70, it becomes third new pursuit plane to be announced by Army within three weeks.

**OUT OUR WAY.**

By J. R. Williams.



**ALL ABOARD**—Starlet Dorothy Morris isn't the kind of girl who wastes time. As soon as a destroyer's crew voted her the girl they would most like to have climb aboard, she found a rope ladder, bathing suit, nautical cap and a cameraman and started to practice.

**RED RYDER**

The Battle.

—By FRED HARMAN.



**ALLEY OOP**

Loaded!

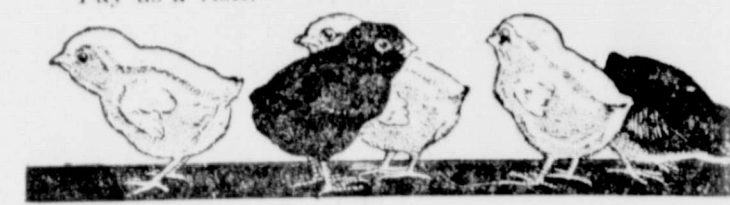
—By V. T. HAMLIN



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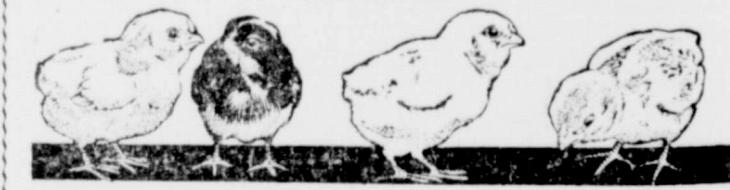
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WANTED—Sweet potato seed, 25 cents; state variety and price. A. Connell, Seranton, Texas. 111

WANTED—Copy of Life magazine issue Sept. 27, 1943. Mrs. Thos. Mitchell, 408 E. Sixth. 112

FOR RENT—Five-room furnished house first of March, no children. See Mrs. Isa Johnson at Wiley Hotel. 112

WANTED—Your mattress to renovate, one-day service. Twenty years continuous service in business. Independent Mattress Co., 1000 North street and D avenue. 115

FOR SALE—About 40 big type C. White Lashorn hens, nine months old, special mating. Gold-Back Poultry Farms. Call at 1017 W. Seventh street, Cisco. 112

JUST RECEIVED a stock of five sizes unfinished chests of drawers. Well assembled and priced \$12 to \$14.95. Culp's Western Auto Store. 112

WANTED—Capable maids. Apply to Mrs. Shook, Laguna Highway. 112

FOR SALE—Good used bathtub. Phone 345. A. Z. Myrick. 112

Large fresh stock of bulk seed now at Culp's Western Auto Store. 112

WANTED—Pin setters; salary guaranteed and commission. See Bowling Alley. 111

FOR RENT—Furnished duplex. 301 W. Tenth street. 111

WANTED—Mattresses to rebuild the guaranteed way; delivery any two weeks. In Cisco, call 412. Western Mattress Co., San Angelo, Texas. 133

FOR SALE—Bed, springs, mattress, dresser, chest of drawers, old tables, clothes hamper, electric irons, vacuum cleaner, kitchen cabinet. Telephone 371 or call 1082 Front street. 112

WANTED—Saleslady for candy and toilet goods departments. Attractive salary, opportunity for advancement. Must be able to work full time and be between age 18 and 30. Apply to W. Schmidt at Mott's 5, 10 and 15-cent Stores, between 10 and 15th. Do not phone. 111

LOST—Billfold containing driver's license, gas stamps, check and cash. Reward. W. P. Ledford, route four, Cisco. 110

WANTED—Gentle fresh milk about 192 east Ninth street, corner D avenue. Call at back. 111

WANTED—At once, experienced help. Hamp's Cafe, east Eighth street. 111

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CARD OF THANKS. To all our friends in Cisco we extend our thanks and deepest appreciation for all expressions of sympathy in our bereavement. Mrs. W. J. Prange and family and relatives.

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EDGAR HICKMAN HONOREE SATURDAY.

Joe Edward Schaefer son of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Schaefer entertained Saturday with a well-earned rest and picnic at the Schaefer farm south of Cisco, honoring Edgar Hickman, II, who is leaving soon with his parents Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hickman for their new home at Big Spring.

After treating the well-earned rest and picnic at the Schaefer farm south of Cisco, honoring Edgar Hickman, II, who is leaving soon with his parents Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hickman for their new home at Big Spring.

Those enjoying the day together were Robert Edleman of East-

land; Edgar Hickman, D. Ball, Joe Christie, Edward Keough, Jimmie and Philip Porter, Tommy Bacon and Joe Edward Schaefer.

EAST CISCO WMS IN BIBLE STUDY PROGRAM.

Women's missionary society of East Cisco Baptist church met in the church Monday afternoon in a program of Bible study. The meeting opened with prayer and the concluding chapters of the book, "A Missionary Tour of the Bible," was completed under the direction of Mrs. R. E. McCord. The meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. Don Rupe.

Attending were Mrs. R. E. McCord, Mrs. Russell Dennis, Mrs. John Elmore, Mrs. Don Rupe, Mrs. W. W. Sledge, Mrs. J. D. Hall, Mrs. V. H. Bosworth, Mrs. O. A. Nance and Mrs. E. E. Green.

MRS. J. J. PORTER HOSTESS TUESDAY.

Circle four of First Methodist WSCS met Tuesday afternoon in

the home of Mrs. J. J. Porter, chairman. Mrs. J. P. McCanlies brought the devotion after the opening hymn, "Have Thine Own Way," had been sung by the group.

Mrs. Leslie W. Seymour discussed "A Crusade for a New World Order," reading a telegram from President Roosevelt to the "Methodist Women" magazine. Mrs. Seymour led a prayer in closing. Mrs. J. J. Porter presided during the short business session.

Refreshments were passed to Mrs. Leslie W. Seymour, Mrs. J. P. McCanlies, Mrs. Wm. Joyner, Mrs. S. H. Nance, Mrs. O. C. Loman, Mrs. O. R. Turner, Mrs. O. W. Hampton, Mrs. Levi Wilson and Mrs. Porter.

WCS CIRCLE WITH MRS. PHILIP PETTIT.

Mrs. Philip Pettit was hostess to circle three of First Methodist WSCS in her home Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. C. E. Hickman presiding. The meeting began with the devotion brought by Mrs. J. E. Crawford, Mrs. A. R. Westfall discussed "India the Land of Promise." Mrs. Ed Aycock gave a talk on "Alaska is

Guns" and the meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. Crawford. Refreshments were passed to Mrs. J. E. Crawford, Mrs. A. R. Westfall, Mrs. T. J. Dean, Mrs. John Shertzer, Mrs. C. E. Hickman, Mrs. R. S. Elliott, Mrs. John Brown, Mrs. Charles Finberry, Mrs. G. P. Rainbolt, Mrs. Tom Stark, Mrs. Fred Scott, Mrs. J. T. Anderson, Mrs. R. W. Merket and Mrs. Pettit.

MISSION PROGRAM HELD TUESDAY.

Following an all-day meeting of the workers' conference of Cisco Baptist association, members of First Baptist WMSU met in the church auditorium Tuesday for a special service program.

The meeting opened with group singing of "The Light of the World is Jesus," followed by prayer. Mrs. D. L. Kinser directed the afternoon program, sponsored by circle six. The topic discussed was "Africa Steps Into the

World's Life." Taking program parts were Mrs. J. C. Irwin, Mrs. F. B. Clappitt, Mrs. Charles Clark, Mrs. C. W. Guthrie, Mrs. Cooper Waters and Mrs. Kinser. Prayers were offered by Mrs. C. A. Williams, Mrs. Paul Poe, Mrs. Kate Richardson and Mrs. M. F. Underwood.

Mrs. Paul Poe, WMSU president, made announcement that soldier kits had arrived and would be filled Wednesday with articles already assembled.

Those present were Mrs. D. L. Kinser, Mrs. Paul Poe, Mrs. M. F. Underwood, Mrs. E. J. Poe, Mrs. H. B. Hensley, Mrs. F. B. Clappitt, Mrs. C. W. Guthrie, Mrs. Cooper Waters, Mrs. C. A. Farquhar, Mrs. Charles Clark, Mrs. J. C. Irwin, Mrs. Algie Skiles, Mrs. W. F. Walker, Mrs. O. L. Mason, Mrs. G. B. Langston, Mrs. W. C. Clements, Mrs. W. D. Hazel, Mrs. C. A. Williams, Mrs. L. A. Harrison, Mrs. W. H. LaRoque and Mrs. Kate Richardson.

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NO LEAP YEAR UNTIL BOYS COME HOME



The sign held by the pretties above, dancers in Hollywood's "Cinderella Jones," promises they'll ignore 1944's leap year possibilities until Johnny comes marching home. However, gals still retain woman's age-old privilege of changing her mind.

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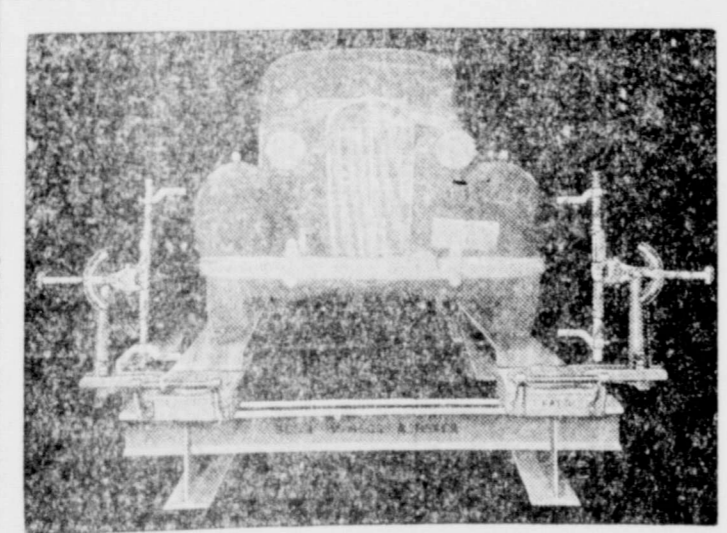


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NOTICE We have re-opened our GULF Service Station east of the viaduct. We will be glad to be of service to both old and new customers. Mr. and Mrs. H. Shahan 705 E. Eighth Street.

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### BRIEFLY TOLD

Joe (Mickey) Lineberger, petty officer, is here from California for a twenty-day furlough with his mother, Mrs. Winnie Lineberger and other relatives. Lineberger has been in the navy three years. He was born and reared in Cisco and attended Cisco high school. Also visiting in the Line-

berger home are Mrs. Martin Lineberger and daughter of Dumas. Mrs. Martin Lineberger and daughter accompanied Joe Lineberger on a visit to Fort Worth Tuesday.

#### Lemon Juice Recipe Checks Rheumatic Pain Quickly

If you suffer from rheumatic, arthritic or neuritic pain, try this simple, inexpensive home recipe that thousands are using. Get a package of Bu-Ex Compound, a two-week supply today. MIX it with a quart of water, add the juice of 4 lemons. It's easy. No trouble at all and pleasant. You need only 3 tablespoons two times a day. Often within 48 hours — sometimes overnight — splendid results are obtained. If the pain does not quickly leave and if you do not feel better, return the empty package and Bu-Ex will cost you nothing to try as it is sold by your grocer or wear an absolute money-back guarantee. Bu-Ex Compound is for sale and recommended by Mayer's Pharmacy and Drug Store everywhere.

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**CONNIE DAVIS Real Estate Rentals & Insurance AUTO INSURANCE A SPECIALTY**

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home of Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Symank Tuesday night.

Miss Inha Sherman visited in Brownwood as a guest of Capt. and Mrs. Wendall Russell, the first of the week.

Corp. and Mrs. Eldon D. Anderson accompanied by his mother Mrs. Myrtle Anderson, are visiting his sister Miss Dorothy Jean Anderson in Fort Worth.

Carl Pratt of Sweetwater joined his family here for a weekend visit with Mrs. Pratt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Lyle. Mr. and Mrs. Pratt went to Dallas Monday for a short stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Key of Fort Worth spent the past weekend with his sisters and their husbands.

Rev. and Mrs. Carl Mutchlick and baby of Albany visited in the

home of Rev. and Mrs. R. S. Elliott and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Lawrence. They also visited his brother Sam

#### Beware Coughs from common colds That Hang On

Creomulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expectorate laden phlegm, and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough or you are to have your money back.

#### CREOMULSION for Coughs, Chest Colds, Bronchitis

Key and wife at their home south of Cisco.

Mrs. Billy Frost of Dallas is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Spencer.

Mrs. Laura Wild of Moran visited with friends in Cisco while attending workers conference of Cisco Baptist association here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harris and son Jerry of Houston are guests of her parents Mr. and Mrs. D. J. McCallum at the Laguna hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Wright are expected to return to their home at 809 west Ninth street this week

from an extended visit at Kilgore with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Green.

J. E. Shelton made a business trip to Mineral Wells Tuesday.

Mrs. C. H. Harrison and sons Billy Jack, Charles and Leo and daughter, Bettie Sue of Gorman visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Huddleston Sunday.

Mrs. J. L. Sherman, the former Miss Norma Ghormley, has received word that her husband, Sgt. John Leslie Sherman, has been promoted to staff sergeant and on the same day was awarded the medal for Good Conduct. Sergeant Sherman was one of 13

to receive this medal. He is now stationed at Camp Claiborne, La.

**TOO GOOD FOR JOB.** LANSING, Kan., Feb. 9.—Robert H. Hudepeth today took charge of the Kansas state prison here, succeeding M. F. Amrine as warden following Amrine's resignation last night rather than carry

through the first legal case in Kansas in 75 years.

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Wear them together now, separately later. You'll like the dressmaker-soft or man-tailored suits made of soft, long-wearing fabrics in gay spirit-lifting colors... and the popular Chesterfields, belted models and "boy" coats expertly tailored to fit over suits and dresses. Sizes 10 to 18.

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"You've earned some sort of medal yourself, I'd say, for giving lots of us drivers safe warning. Good thing you kept harping on rationing. You said limited driving couldn't keep clearing out the rank acids always left from combustion; they'd linger and corrode the engine. But you said that plating, of course, wouldn't soon let metals corrode. And you convinced me, all right, about keeping my engine OIL-PLATED with your patented Conoco N<sup>th</sup> oil. Now my OIL-PLATED engine is seeing me through, and I say good for you!... helping the home front! They all should know how Conoco N<sup>th</sup> gives engines protective OIL-PLATING!"



The how of it is that Conoco N<sup>th</sup> motor oil—popular-priced—includes a costly modern synthetic. Its strong "power of attraction" fastens and maintains the OIL-PLATING on inner surfaces. Despite engine inactivity, the unavoidable acids aren't "working right through" the OIL-PLATING, and so the wartime risk of corrosion is cut! The more extras you're doing to hustle the boys home, the more you need your car and Your Mileage Merchant's Conoco N<sup>th</sup> OIL-PLATE today. Continental Oil Company

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