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CISCO, TEXAS, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1944.

PERIL OF FIFTH ARMY BEACHHEAD IS ACUTE

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morning, many ther- of local record. There was an in-

eather. Amarillo and Pam- refreshments were enjoyed by a will depart for their new home



a Yank Signal Corps liaison team assigned to an Australian division headquarters find that there's



RIDES UP FRONT-Pulling into Penn Station, New York, Joseph B. Eastman, director of the office of Defense Transportation waves from the cab of an electric locomotive hauling an express from Washington, E. R. Adkins (left) is engineman.

INTEREST, AT-TEND'NCE GOOD REV. W. H. SY-MANK CALLED cold enough for all rea- night and the pastor, Rev. Russe cold enough for all reapersons when Ciscoans Dennis, says it was one of the best TO ALABAMA

at 7 o'clock and some from the first service, a total ensported down to 16, the rollment of 106, average attend- Rev. W. H. Symank, pastor of the Mobley Hotel regis- ance of 70 and 65 received Grace Lutheran church since Octhe latter figures. A stiff awards, Mr. Dennis added. tober, 1940, has accepted a call added to the discomfort of The minister complimented to Mebile, Ala., as missionary of the Greater Mobile area. Mr. pidly after 10 o'clock, but and Mrs. Starnes for their excell- and Mrs. Symank and their two diction for tonight is more ent work. A fine social hour and children, Carolyn and Donald,

med 10 and 13 above the large group at the concluding about March 1. Mr. Symank said he would - leave Cisco with genuine regret, having formed many close friendships during his stay here. He came to Cisco from Bowie and has been in the ministry about six years. The Daily Press joins a large number of citizens in wishing the minister and his family good fortune in their new

> The minister also stated that provisions have been made for continuing Grace Lutheran's popular day school. The mission of this school is to give children religious training as well as teaching the usual secular branches of primary grades. No foreign percent of the students are non-

called, Rev. G. A. Obenhaus, retired, and well known in the Cisand carry on as pastor.

SIX SOLDIERS KILLED.

BURNET, Feb. 11.-Six Camp Hood soldiers were killed and four seriously injured last night



GI HAIRCUT-He's in the Navy now so Joe Aguilar, full-bloodes Pueblo Indian from Santo Domingo reservation near Santa Fe N. M., sacrifices his long black locks to the GI barber, Seamen First language is taught and about 40 | Class G. J. Vallancourt at Naval training station, San Diego, Cal

Until a new pastor has been alled, Rev. G. A. Obenhaus, realled, Rev. G. A. Obenhaus, retired, and well known in the Cisco area, will supply the pulpit WILL AGAIN BE HEARD HERE

The visitor's messages were well received last Sunday by large west central Texas county to ex- lair of the New Deal, to change whole philosophy of the New congregations and the general lahan county became the second public is cordially invited to the services this weekend.

West central Texas county to example the second county became the second cou The Sunday morning service passed the assigned mark of \$272,- about issues, spouting generali- sation.

evening, will again be heard from | ing.

T. J. McCarty and Glenn Duclub absentees and make-ups twelve Rotarians with an attend-

brought out that there was too much tendency toward soc to dictate and regiment the pow- book" at the onrushing Germans. selves and through our chosen representatives in congress.

tion, meant the life of their pro- battlefront. duction. If they once stop pro-

viewed acts of government toward his hold upon Germany. The speaker, still quoting, said that its were being taken, which he en into the sea at all costs. likened to letting us keep the hens, but taking the eggs they

rights of the people from deflect- ter. ing the powers of government.

WAR CLAIMS SECOND CROSS

CROSS PLAINS, Feb. 11.-A graph wires can bring. It came and informed them that their son, refused to surrender. Woodrow Marshall Slaughter, 25, popularly known as "Mutt" had been killed in action in the Italian theater of war, September 9, 1943.

Cross Plains boys to enlist for military service when the ugly clouds of war darkened the horizon. He became a member of the 36th division at the time of its activation, trained in Brownwoo for more than a year and later in South Carolina and Massachusetts. He is the second Cros Plains boy and graduate of the local school system to pay the supreme sacrifice in world war two. The first was Ray Smith, ernor John W. Bricker of Ohio, able to the old guard element who died in the attack on Pearl who has been browsing around which is backing him, including

CALLAHAN GOES OVER.

will be followed by a congrega- 000. The climaxing event was a ties. Rev. O. L. Savage, who preach- tional meeting and members of rally held in the district court He stepped right into the midst Bricker must now be considered in a three-way automobile col- ed at First Presbyterian church are particularly re- room at Baird, where \$189,512.50 of the muddle on Capitol Hill, seriously as an outstanding aspirlision on the Lampasas highway here last Sunday morning and quested to remain for that meet- worth of war securities were which has got President Roose- ant for the Republican presipledged.

'SMOKE SCREEN' NAZI HORDES UNLEASH FIERCE, REVIEWED BY CONTINUOUS ATTACK IN EFFORT TODRIVE ALLIES INTO THE SEA

NAPLES, Feb. 11.—American heavy bombers have been el B. Pettingill in 1940, which hurled into the battle for the imperiled Amzio beachhead, it speaker was introduced by J. W. a German general offensive that threatened to drive them

Headquarters spokesmen admitted belatedly that the present. Following the introduc- 5th Army beachhead was endangered gravely by the Nazi tion of visitors by Secretary Pete counter-blows, and it was indicated that the next few days Nance, J. E. Hays read a list of would be the most critical period of the Italian campaign

Powerful German armored forces and shock troops opened their long-expected offensive yesterday, striking in Quoting and reading from great strength all along the 14-mile Allied front.

(A German report said Nazi forces had captured the railroad station of Aprilia, a key point in the Allied northern flank only six airline miles from the sea and 10 miles by the expense of the rights of the highway from the beachhead port of Anzio.)

Allied airmen, battling to turn the tide as they did at Salerno and in Tunisia's Kasserine Pass, literally "threw the

American Flying Fortresses and Liberators spread fire and death through thousands of Nazi troops streaming into of the rights to tax ourselves for the battle area from the Alban Hills. The giant raiders purposes to be determined by our- strewed tons of high explosives and fragmentation bombs on concentrations of enemy troops and tanks at Cisterna. Turning for a moment to the oil Albano, Velletri, Campo Leone and Cecchina.

industry, Ponsler said that while Simultaneously, Allied fighter bombers bombed and machine-gunned road lines north and south of Rome over which keep stripper oil wells in product the Germans must rush additional reinforcements to the

Against that concentration of airpower - the Allied forces flew some 850 sorties yesterday—the Germans sent in only 30 planes over the beachhead. Three Nazi planes were usiness came in for its share of destroyed at a cost of six Allied aircraft.

the same kind of dictatorship Nazi Elite Guards — possibly 50,000 men—opened the main through which Hitler obtained offensive yesterday behind a spearhead of armor and a cur-

while property had not been con- They attacked with a fanatical fury that bore out refiscated in this country, the prof- ports that Adolf Hitler had ordered the Allied invaders driv-

Official reports revealed that the brunt of the enemy attack centered on British units in the Aprilia sector and Mr. Ponsler concluded his talk Americans west and southwest of Cisterna. Savage fighting by saying that we are not Com- raged all along the beachhead perimeter, however, and it munists, and should sell American to Americans and send strong was admitted that the battle had reached the touch-and-go men to congress to protect the stage where a major Nazi break-through might mean disas-

> "They come into us like a pack of wolves," a British officer said. "We mow down the first ones but others follow. They assault our outposts, leaving their dead and wounded where they lie."

WASHINGTON—President Roosevelt issued a statement PLAINS BOY today in which he said a very tense situation and unusually heavy fighting existed at the Anzio beachhead below Rome. today in which he said a very tense situation and unusually but that the Allies on the whole control the seas and the air.

MOSCOW—The Red army's seven spearheads thrusting second Cross Plains family has against the steadily diminishing circle of death around Nazi received the saddest message tele- forces in the Dnieper Bend were hacking German-held salito Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Slaughter ents to pieces Friday and relentlessly cutting down all who

Red Star. Soviet army organ, said the Germans were being slaughtered like sheep on the open steppes and declared the entire garrisons of the villages of Yakhnov and Myled had been exterminated as two Russian columns isolated them Slaughter was one of the first from other Nazi units retreating toward Korsun.

OHIO GOVERNOR came out for state ballots in soldier voting, which President MAKES HIT IN CAPITOL CITY

the Republican presidential nom- rel, and makes no bones about it. CROSS PLAINS. Feb. 11.—Cal- ination, came to the capital, to the He disagrees, he said, with the

velt down for the moment. He dential nomination.

taking direct issue with the pres-Governor Bricker's credo is strictly Republican conservative WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.—Gov- of the old school, entirely acceptthe outlying precincts as a sort of Senator Taft of Ohio. He abhors Ferdinand-the-Bull candidate for the New Deal, lock, stock and bar-

Roosevelt has called "a fraud,"

He came out against subsidies,

over which the senate is wrestling,

All agree today that John W.



CHANGTEH VICTIMS—This old couple, caught up in the bitter ing for the strategic city of Changteh in the heart of China ce bowl, wait patiently for help from one of the relief agencies set up in the city after the Japs were ousted.

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It is unfortunate that a courageous but bull-headed little country took such a course, even though under virtual compulsion. She would be far better off now as an American ally. Traditionally she belongs rather with the Germanic peoples than with the Russians, and her culture has been mainly German. But it is a pity that at this time, when every nation has to stand up and be counted, and the challenge is "Choose ve this day whom ye will serve." the Finns are found in the service of Baal and must take the consequences. I

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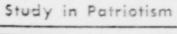
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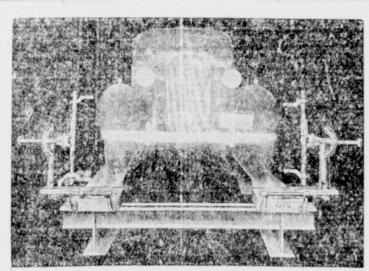


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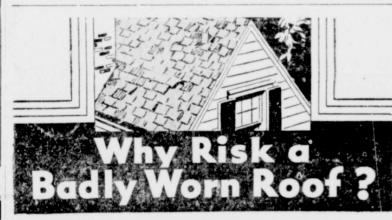
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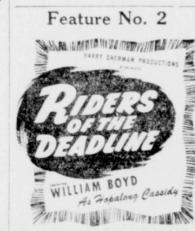
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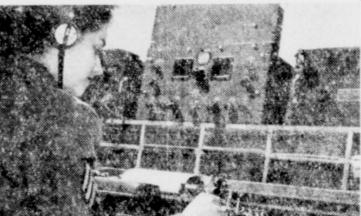
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