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2 RED ARMIES RACE FOR RUMANIAN BORDER

THOMAS TELLS WHO MUST FILE DECLARATIONS

Hon. W. A. Thomas, Collector of Internal Revenue, Dallas, says copies of the forms for 1944 declarations of estimated tax have been mailed out to approximately 150,000 taxpayers who filed 1943 declarations in this district last fall.

Collector Thomas said other taxpayers required to file declarations this year may obtain them by letter request to the Dallas office, or in person from the field offices in Fort Worth, Amarillo, Abilene, Eastland and San Angelo.

The 1944 declarations are due no later than April 15. The purpose of these declarations is to keep everyone substantially paid up on his income taxes under the pay-as-you-go plan. Most taxpayers are kept approximately paid up by the tax that is withheld from their wages and therefore do not have to file declarations.

However, some wage earners—particularly clerical, domestic servants and farm laborers—do not pay any withholding tax and are required to file declarations. Other wage earners pay withholding tax but not enough to meet their total tax bill and must therefore file declarations.

Also, declarations are required to provide a pay-as-you-go method of collecting taxes from business and professional persons and large numbers of others who get all or part of their income from sources where no tax is withheld, such as business profits, dividends, interest, rents, property or stock transactions, or annuities.

A declaration is required on or before April 15 from all citizens or residents of the United States who expect to have during 1944—either alone or together with a wife or husband—

1. Wages subject to withholding exceeding \$2,700 for a single person or \$3,500 for a married couple living together.

2. Or more than \$100 income from all other sources if the total of such income plus wages subject to withholding is (a) \$500 or more for a single person, or (b) more than \$624 for a married person, or (c) \$1,200 or more for a married couple living together.

The first quarterly installment of estimated tax shown to be due on the declaration should be made at the time the declaration is filed and the remainder should be paid on or before June 15, September 15, and December 15.

Farmers, who receive more than 80 per cent of their income from farming, may, if they desire, postpone the filing of declarations until December 15. However, if they do wait until December 15, the entire amount of the estimated tax must be paid at that time.

WILD AND RECKLESS.

CHICAGO, March 24.—Traffic deaths in the United States from Pearl Harbor to date numbered 60,000, according to the National Safety Council. In the same period, there were approximately 2,250,000 persons injured in traffic accidents.

Mrs. M. E. Goldberg arrived today from Dallas for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Charles S. Sandler. Mrs. Sandler has just returned from Gainesville, Ga., where she has been visiting her son Melvin who is in school there.

3-Act Comedy "ALMOST SUMMER"

Cisco High School TONIGHT

Admission, 25c and 40c.

FOR SALE—My home on Lake road. Mrs. M. E. Goldberg, 404 W. Ninth street.

PARKS CITED FOR COURAGE IN COMBAT

LIVERMORE, Calif., March 24.—Presidential Unit Citations for heroic action in the South Pacific have been delivered to Aviation Cadets Warren H. Van Kirk, of Fairfield, Conn., and Spurgeon Brooks Parks, Jr., of Cisco, Texas, both undergoing training at the naval air station here. Citations were delivered by Capt. C. C. Champion, Jr., USN, station commander.

Cadet Van Kirk, who had previously been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross for "extraordinary achievement in aerial combat at Midway in June, 1942," received one Presidential Unit Citation as a result of service with the First Marine Division, and a second for heroic action with the Marine Aircraft Group Twenty-Two.

The Unit Citation which went to Cadet Parksland was also received by Van Kirk, was for service with the Marine Aircraft Group Twenty-Two during engagements at Midway in June, 1942. The citation follows:

"For conspicuous courage and heroism in combat at Midway Island during June, 1942. Outstanding five to one, Marine Aircraft Group Twenty-Two boldly intercepted a heavily escorted enemy bombing force, disrupted their attack and prevented serious damage to island installations. Operating with half of their dive-bombers obsolete and in poor mechanical condition which necessitated vulnerable glide bombing tactics, they succeeded in inflicting heavy damage on Japanese surface units of a large enemy task force. The skill and gallant perseverance of flight and ground personnel of Marine Aircraft Group Twenty-Two, fighting under tremendously adverse and dangerous conditions, were essential factors in the unyielding defense of Midway."

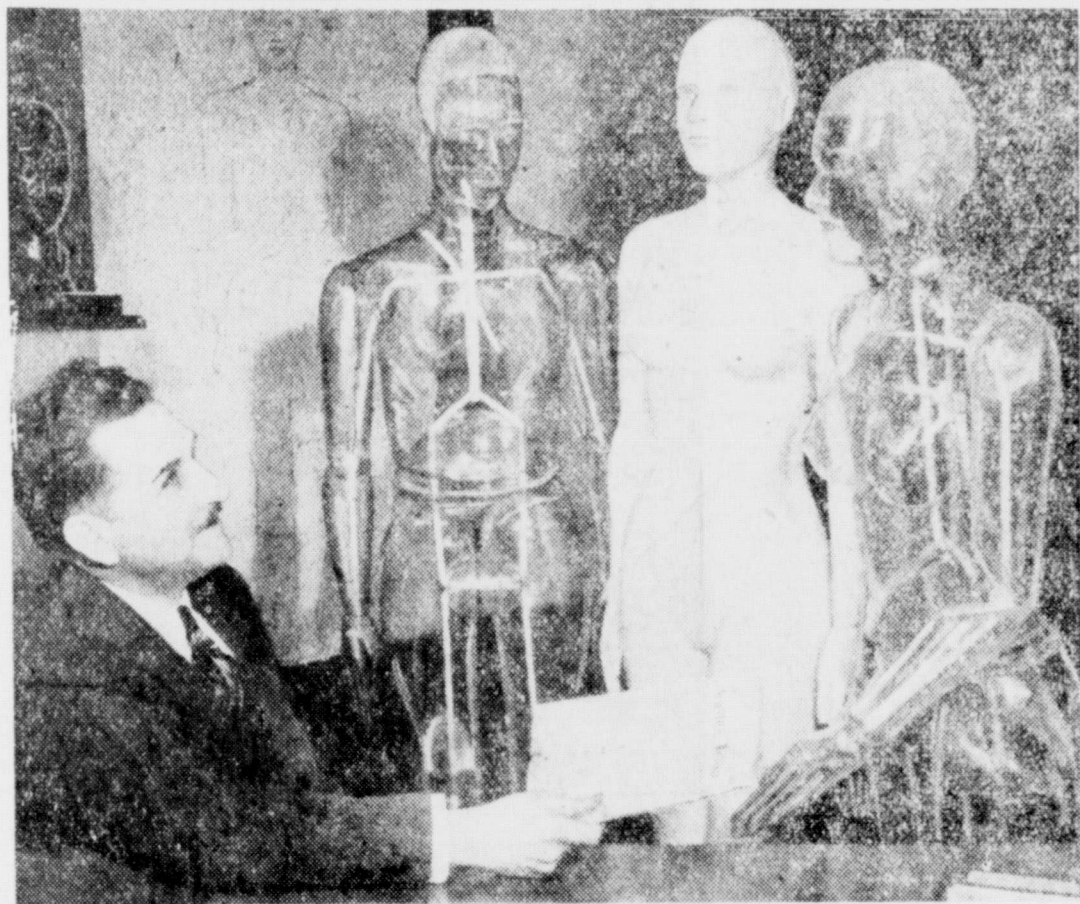
NOTE—A large photo of Van Kirk, Parks and the commanding officer has been added to the Daily Press picture gallery.

Cadet Parks, by the way, arrived in Cisco last night for a short visit with home folks. He will return to Livermore on his departure, but expects to be transferred to Corpus Christi, Tex., for advanced training.

The only race problem that really interests the politicians is, "How can I use this situation to make votes?"



BEATEN BY GIRL—Lured into park, beaten with monkey wrench and stabbed, Bobby Denlin, 5, of Chicago is one of victims of Jean Marie Krossman Graves, 17, who admitted committing crime, but gave no motive.



AVERAGE LADYKIN—Designed from measurements taken from several hundred WAAFS, average Ladykin (right) is 64.9 inches in height—Army Air Forces type A female. Produced by G. W. Berkland (left) of Chicago plastics company, ladykin will be used with one larger and one smaller model in designing clothes and personal equipment for WAAFS.

DEATH CALLS 2 FINE RESIDENTS, COUNTY

Mrs. Mary Gage, wife of J. W. Gage, passed away at her home on Long Branch at midnight Wednesday after a long illness. Settling in Eastland county half a century ago she had reared a family which has taken its stand in the foremost ranks of that community. She was a member of the Methodist church at Carbon. One son, Albert Gage, preceded her in death and the remaining five were with her when death came. Mrs. Gage was loved and honored by a host of friends, many of whom have been her neighbors for four decades or more. Besides her husband, she leaves two daughters, Mrs. Sidney Hoard of Rising Star, and Mrs. J. T. Kinard and three sons—Charles, of Ft. Worth; Bob, of Knox City; and Aaron, Long Branch; and a brother, Eli Gentry, of Brownwood. Eight grandsons are in the service.

Funeral services were conducted for O. B. "Oscar" Phillips at the church at Romney Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Phillips, who had been under treatment for several weeks, died at the Blackwell Sanitarium Monday. He was born at Canton, Ga., Aug. 5, 1860. He was married to Elizabeth Abbott and moved to Eastland county in 1906 where he built the home in which the couple has lived since that date. The octogenarian was a trustee of the church property at Romney and was a devout student of his bible as was pointed out by Rev. Seba Kirkpatrick who conducted the last rites for the deceased. Besides his devoted wife he is survived by a brother and a sister who live out of the state. Pallbearers were B. C. Mitchell, Omer Hogan, Mike Miller, C. B. Webb, Carl Johnson and Henry Reed.

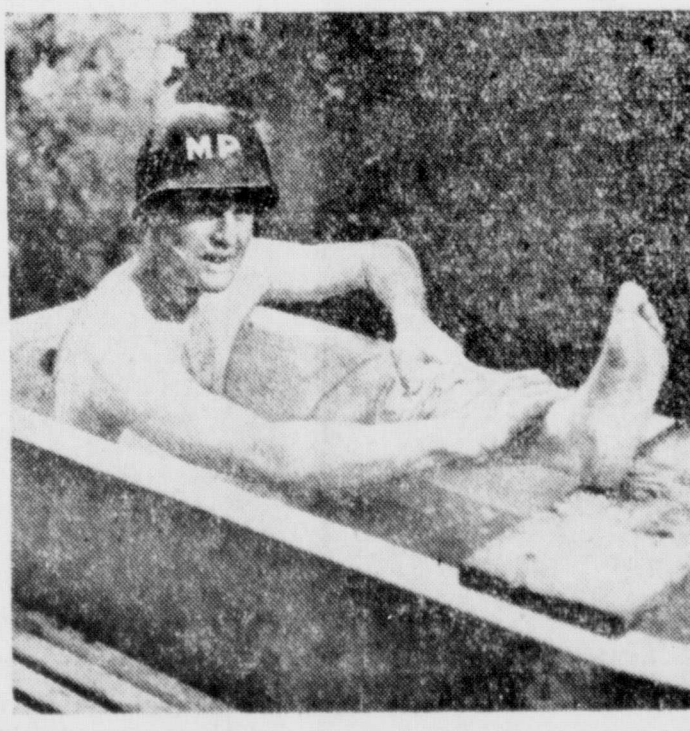
J. R. Dew from Palo, Okla., attended the funeral of his brother-in-law, O. B. Phillips. C. B. Webb, in charge of the Red Cross funds for the Romney school district, reports a sum of \$19.40. He was assisted by Morgan Standlee and Gill Walker.

SCHOOL FOR FIREMEN.

COLLEGE STATION, March 24.—Dates for the annual school for firemen, conducted by the department of chemistry of A. and M., under auspices of the State Firemen's and Fire Marshals' association of Texas, have been announced as May 29 - June 2, after a poll of the fire departments of Texas cities and towns showed almost unanimous approval of holding the instructional short school this year.



NARROW ESCAPE—Pvt. Thomas Kilpatrick has replaced helmet he displays with a new one, but battered topper is souvenir of narrow escape in Italy. When Nazis shelled his battery Pvt. Kilpatrick ducked into foxhole and dropped his helmet on sand-bagged top in scramble. Nazi shell found it and knocked it full of holes.



BUT NO SHAMPOO—Nazi shells in Italy haven't stopped MP Simon Vinoski from taking his bath, but he does have to wear helmet which makes hair washing difficult. Finding tub in deserted village, he made dugout for it and rigged up shrapnel-resistant roof for extra protection.

EASTER SUNRISE SERVICE

Cisco Pastor's association, Rev. Cooper Waters, president, has planned a sunrise Easter service to be held on College Hill the morning of April 9 at 6:30 o'clock. The entire service, which will consist largely of scripture reading, prayer and hymn singing, is expected to last approximately 45 minutes.

A massed choir under the direction of Ernest Hittson will lead the singing as well as give a special Easter choral selection.

Cisco Commandery of Knights Templar, which has for years conducted a community Easter service in Masonic Temple, is co-operating in making possible this open-air meeting and will attend as a group in uniform.

Ministers and other Cisco citizens hope this sunrise Easter service may become an annual occasion, with a steadily increasing appeal for the surrounding area.

Churches of Cisco are also sponsoring a series of pre-Easter services again this year as they did last, these to begin Monday night, April 3, and continue through Friday night, April 7.

The meetings will be held in various churches, as follows: Monday night at Christian church, Tuesday night at Nazarene church, Wednesday night at Presbyterian church, Thursday night at First Baptist church and Friday night at First Methodist church.

Local pastors will do the preaching in these services, but no pastor will preach from his own pulpit.

TOP GRADE PEANUTS TO BRING \$2.40

Peanuts produced in 1944 will be supported at base prices to farmers of \$2.40 per bushel or \$160 per ton for Spanish, Virginia or Valencia types and \$145 per ton for runner types, D. J. McDaniell, Brown county ACA administrator, announces.

These base prices are for peanuts having a sound, mature kernel content of 65 per cent in the case of Virginia, Valencia and Runner types and 70 per cent in the case of Spanish types. Premiums and discounts will be established for other qualities, McDaniell said.

The War Food Administration (which will be the only authorized buyer of 1944 crop peanuts) will enter into price supporting contracts with shellers, crushers and producers' cooperative associations under which they will agree to purchase peanuts from farmers for the account of the administration at not less than the support prices, and the administration will agree to make peanuts available for processing and distribution at prices based upon applicable ceilings.

The administration will also make loans on farmers' stock peanuts available through cooperative associations.

DAYTON STEVENS AT HOME.

Corp. Dayton Stevens, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Tickner, is at home on a visit from Hunter Field, Ga. He is a member of the army air corps, is classed as radio operator-gunner and will be attached to a B-26 Marauder group when assigned to overseas combat duty, which he anticipates will be upon his return to Hunter Field, April 10. Corporal Stevens was born in Breckenridge but grew up in Cisco.

ONLY MAGIC STRATEGY WILL SAVE AXIS PRUT RIVER LINE FROM A DNIESTER-BUG FATE

MOSCOW, March 24.—Two Russian armies raced through shattered German defenses for the honor of driving the first wedge to the Rumanian frontier today, forging nearly three-fourths of the way across Bessarabia and down through pre-war Poland to the outer approaches of the upper Dniester.

Marshal Ivan S. Konev's second army held the advantage in the race, reaching within 15 miles of the Prut river border line with the capture of Ryskanovka in Bessarabia.

At the same time a sudden southward surge by Marshal Gregory K. Zhukov's First Army against crumbling German resistance sent spearheads closer and closer to Cernauti to the northwest.

(A German communique reported "embittered defensive fighting superior Soviet forces" between the Middle Bug and the Dniester rivers as well as on the 65-mile Tarnopol-Proskurov front, where the first army of the Ukraine was pressing a new offensive.)

Front reports from the regions where the Russians were approaching Rumania referred to the utter demoralization of shattered German divisions which the Nazi command was trying frantically to stiffen with fresh Rumanian levies said to be displaying a pronounced lack of military ardor.

All signs were that unless Marshall Fritz von Manstein pulls a rabbit out of the hat the Prut line will prove no more formidable a barrier for the Russians than were the Dniester and the Bug.

NAPLES—Fierce and indecisive fighting still raged in Cassino and the surrounding hills today as Allied tanks and field guns moved in to support the attacking 5th Army infantrymen in an effort to break the weeks-old stalemate.

(Prime Minister Winston Churchill said during a visit to an American base in England that American and British troops are "losing heavily" on the 5th Army beachhead below Rome.)

An Allied message reported tersely that "very heavy fighting continues in Cassino," and headquarters spokesmen indicated that New Zealand infantrymen were making little, if any, progress in their drive to clear the Germans from a group of burned buildings in the southwestern edge of the town.

They revealed, however, that Allied tanks had moved into pointblank range of the Nazi positions and opened up with their 75 millimeter cannon.

LONDON—Prime Minister Churchill paid a surprise visit to American airborne troops in the English countryside and in a voice of deep feeling told them they "soon will have the opportunity of landing upon the soil of Nazi-occupied Europe."

In company with General Eisenhower, Lt. Gen. Omar N. Bradley, senior commander of American ground forces in the United Kingdom; and Maj. Gen. Lewis H. Brereton, commander of the US 9th Air Force, the prime minister witnessed the colorful spectacle of many hundreds of American sky-troops leaping from swift-rolling waves of planes onto the green English fields a few hundred yards from the reviewing stand.

"It is with feelings of profound encouragement that I have the honor to review you here today," Churchill told them. "In these weeks which are passing so swiftly I see gathered here on English soil these soldiers, specially trained, of our great American ally preparing themselves to strike a blow for a greater cause than either of our two countries has ever fought for in bygone days."

SOUTHWEST PACIFIC—Allied bombers sank two Japanese freighters, seven coastal vessels and 23 barges off New Guinea coast, it was announced today.

HAZLEWOOD AT BAPTIST BOARD PRE-FLIGHT IN 26TH AN-SCHOOL, IOWA ANNUAL MEETING

J. M. Hazlewood, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hazlewood of Dothan, has entered a pre-flight training school at the University of Iowa.

The young man was born and reared here and graduated from Cisco high school in 1938. He also attended Weatherford Junior College and McMurry College and was inducted into the naval air corps October 1, 1943; was first sent to William Jewell College, Liberty, Mo., and then to a flight school at LeMars, Ia. Hazlewood finished both schools with credit.

He was formerly an employee of the West Texas Utilities Co. here, and was later transferred to Hamlin and then to Abilene.

DALLAS, March 24.—Dr. Wallace Bassett, pastor of Cliff Temple Baptist church, was named president of the relief and annuity board of the Southern Baptist Convention at the group's twenty-sixth annual meeting in Dallas Wednesday.

Other officers elected were E. G. Brown and Carr P. Collins, vice-presidents; Robert H. Coleman, recording secretary; Dr. George W. Truett, chairman of the executive committee, and Dr. W. Marshall Craig, vice-chairman of the executive committee.

Fourteen states were represented at the meeting.

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COUNCIL GROUP TWO MET WITH MISS FORD.
 Miss Olga Fay Ford was hostess Tuesday evening to group two of First Christian church council, at the family residence on West Tenth street, with Mrs. Lonnie Shockley presiding.

The meeting opened with the Lord's prayer, in which all present joined. Mrs. Troy Powell brought the devotional on "Every Day Christian Life" and used Ephesians, chapter four, verses 1 to 3, as scripture base. Mrs. Shockley then conducted a short business session after which the meeting closed by repeating the missionary benediction.

Refreshments were passed to Mrs. Ida Painter, Mrs. H. H. Davis, Mrs. Audrey Ezell, Miss Alice Bacon, Mrs. Callie W. McAfee, Mrs. George Swartz, Mrs. Lonnie Shockley, Mrs. Randolph Lee Clark, Mrs. Troy Powell, Mrs. Norene McClaren, Mrs. E. Ford, Miss Olga Fay Ford, a new member, Mrs. J. D. Adams and two visitors, June Hope Ezell and Bobby Edid McClaren.

INITIATION BY LOCAL OES CHAPTER.
 Eastern Star chapter 461 met at Masonic hall Tuesday evening for regular meeting and initiatory service. Mrs. Rena Stortey, worthy matron, opened the meeting in regular form and welcomed a group of visitors from the Baird chapter.

Minutes of previous meeting were read by Mrs. Mary E. Brown secretary. Routine business was transacted, following which the impressive initiatory service was held. The meeting closed in regular form.

Refreshments were passed at the close of the meeting to visitors and members.

PRESBYTERIAN CIRCLE IN WALLACE HOME.
 Presbyterian auxiliary circle three met in a social meeting in the home of Mrs. W. W. Wallace, retiring chairman, Tuesday afternoon. The group enjoyed a friendly get-together and employed the time by making kits for U. S. service men to be passed to the local Red Cross for distribution. Mrs. Wallace was present.

sented with a lovely gift from the group in appreciation of her splendid work as circle chairman.

MRS. COOPER WATERS CIRCLE HOSTESS.
 Mrs. Cooper Waters was hostess to circle six of First Baptist women's missionary union Tuesday afternoon in her home, 1005 west Tenth. Mrs. F. B. Clappitt, chairman, was in charge and opened the meeting with prayer by Mrs. J. C. Irwin. A love offering was assembled and routine

business affairs transacted. The meeting was then turned to Mrs. W. W. Fewell, who brought an interesting lesson from the Book of Daniel. The meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. D. L. Kiser. Refreshments were passed to Mrs. W. W. Fewell, Mrs. F. B. Clappitt, Mrs. D. L. Kiser, Mrs. J. V. Heyser, Mrs. J. C. Irwin, Mrs. Cooper Waters and a new member, Mrs. Chester Strickland.

BOBBY CLUCK HONORED ON FIFTH BIRTHDAY.
 Mrs. R. N. Cluck entertained a group of children in her home Saturday morning celebrating the fifth birthday of her son Bobby Cluck. After guests arrived games were played outside for an hour following which they were called into the house to see an

interesting picture show, refreshments of lemonade and cookies were served and favors of painting books were presented each guest. The honoree received a choice array of toys and gifts with which he was delighted. Those present were Bobby

Cluck, Anna Kay and Dicky Burman, Carlos Hickman, Johnny Turner, Branch Northrup, Bobby Edid McClaren, Emma Lee Bell, Lonnie Gene and Fred David Shockley, Blair Paul, Billy Joy-

ner, Dorothy Clayton, Jimmy Kleiner, Jane Flint, James Thurman, Jeanette Crawford, Patsy Ruth Nance, Mona Lee and Nancy Cluck.

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BRIEFLY TOLD

From the public relations office at Lubbock army air field (twin-engine "Bobcat" base), comes announcement that Sgt. Aubrey L. Holt of Cisco has been awarded a marksman's medal for qualification in firing the carbine M-1 rifle at that field. LAAF is an advanced pilot training school; part of the nation-wide army air forces training command. The commanding officer is Col. Ralph F. Holmes, a command pilot with 17 years experience in the air forces.

Mrs. E. H. Baumgart of New Ulm, Tex., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Magill and her sister, Mrs. A. W. Newberry. Mrs. Baumgart and Mrs. Newberry spent Thursday in Abilene. There will be singing at Cook's church, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Leon McPherson, sponsor of young women's auxiliary of First Baptist WMU, accompanied Misses Sylvia Hazel, Veda Faye

Ramsower, Bonnie Jean Wilson and Louise Norris to Abilene today to attend the YWA house party at Hardin-Simmons university. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Aycock were in Llano Thursday.

Mrs. Arch Bant has been quite ill in the home of her daughter Cisco members and others attending the Thursday session of Methodist women's societies of Christian service of the district.

First Presbyterian Church

Sunday, March 26, 1944.

Sunday School, 9:45.
Kent Word, Supt.

Sermon subject at 11 a. m., "Which Crowd?"

Evening subject, 8 o'clock, 'God Also Suffered'

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Mrs. Charles White of Fort Worth is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Cook this week. Mrs. White and mother visited Mrs. Cook's mother, Mrs. John Foy at Anson Thursday.

Miss Fern Huestis is spending a few days at a Dallas hospital, where she is receiving treatment for her foot. She was accompanied to Dallas by her father, W. R. Huestis.

Pvt. and Mrs. J. A. Sharp, Jr. of Palacios are guests in the home of Mrs. Sharp's parents, Rev. and Mrs. Robert L. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Jobe of Seranton visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Algie Skiles the first of the week.

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the first of the week. Among relatives who were with him there were his daughter-in-law, Mrs. J. D. Lauderdale and Mrs. Jack Lauderdale who returned to Cisco Wednesday night. Mr. Lauderdale is reported doing well.

Pfc. Billy Waters left today for Camp Gordon-Johnson, Fla., after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Waters.

Miss Roy Nell Laws arrived to- day from Amarillo for a visit with her mother Mrs. Grady Laws and brother, Joy Dean Laws.

Mrs. Stanley Butler of Bakersfield, Calif., is visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Robert Jones.

R. N. Cluck and O. L. Shepley are attending a school meeting at Fort Worth.

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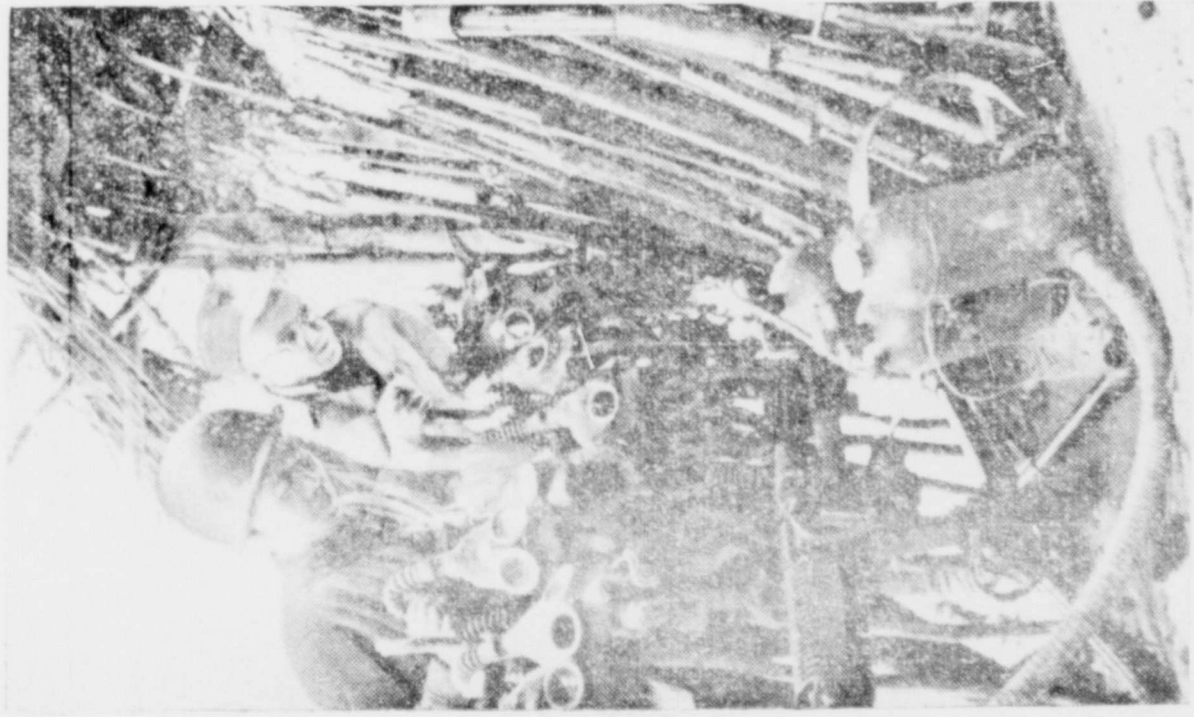
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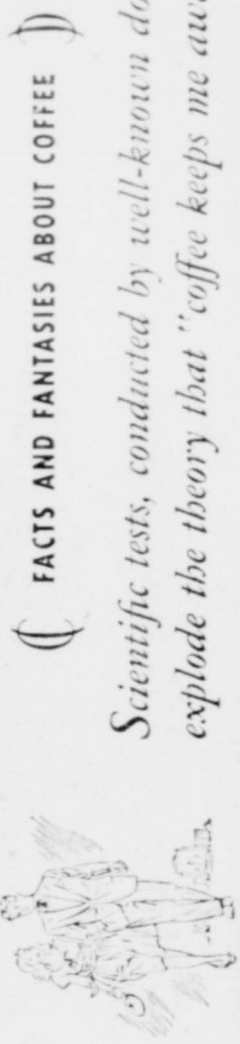
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