

CISCO—1,614 ft. above sea; Lake Cisco—three miles long, 87 ft. deep at Williamson hollow concrete dam; fish hatchery; 127 blocks paving; A-1 high school; Junior college; natural gas, electric and ice plants; home of The Boss Walloper work glove.

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CISCO—One of the healthiest areas in U.S.A., with a countryside devoted to blooded cattle, hogs, sheep, peanuts, cotton, fruits, feeds, poultry, gas, oil; two railroads; Bankhead highway; huge concrete swimming pool; bass and crappie fishing.

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ALLIED ITALIAN DRIVE IS NEAR

TURNER COLLIE ENTERS LEGISLATIVE RACE

Turner Collie, Eastland county clerk from 1932 until 1936 and well known as a practicing attorney, authorizes the Daily Press to announce his candidacy for state representative from this county, subject to the July primaries.

Mr. Collie was born in Cisco, reared at Gorman and has made his home in Eastland since 1926. He is a graduate of Cumberland University law school, Lebanon, Tenn.

To the Voters of Eastland County:

Some of my friends have suggested that I might be useful in the legislature and I have decided to offer my services for the 196th district—Eastland county only—and shall greatly appreciate your support.

I shall not be under obligation to any person or organization, but will be free at all times to vote for the best interest of the people of this County and State.

I shall favor:

- (1) No new taxes.
- (2) Strictest economy in all matters not connected with the war.
- (3) The state getting on and staying on a cash basis.
- (4) Support of our school and universities, especially the Junior colleges.
- (5) Post-war planning to aid our returning soldiers. Sincerely,
TURNER COLLIE.

PRECINCT CONVENTIONS HERE SATURDAY AT 3

Cisco Democrats will hold precinct conventions Saturday afternoon, preparatory to attending the county convention at Eastland next Tuesday.

Fred Grist, chairman on Cisco's west side, says the precinct convention will be called to order promptly at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon, at city hall.

W. R. Huestis, east side chairman, says that convention will be held at his filling station, 719 D avenue, also at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Will Pay Tribute To Hospital Donors



U. S. District Judge William Hawley Atwell, 32nd degree Mason, will deliver the commemorative address at the seventh annual memorial services of the Texas Seaside Rite Hospital for Crippled Children, in Dallas, on Mother's Day, Sunday afternoon, May 14. The services will extol Texans who have left bequests in their wills to the hospital endowment fund, so that the care and treatment of crippled children of the state may be continued. The services, conducted before the memorial statue on the hospital lawn, will be broadcast throughout the Southwest over radio network.

HENRY SCHAEFER ENTERS CLERK RACE

Henry A. Schaefer, in the radio business in Cisco for the past eight years, today announced his candidacy for the office of district clerk, thereby raising the number of entries in that race to five.

Mr. Schaefer is 36 years of age, married and was born and reared at Nimrod and lived there until he moved to Cisco. He attended the Nimrod and Cisco schools and later took business courses.

Several years ago he served as deputy tax collector under Tom Haley and later held the same position under Earl O'Brien.

The Ciscoan, who has been successful in his small but technical business, says that if elected he will give the important office of district clerk the same close, undivided care and attention he has always given his personal affairs, and that he feels his education and general experience qualifies him for the position.

TEXAS SCHOOL LANDS BRING GOOD PRICE

AUSTIN, May 4.—With approximately 3,000 sealed bids offered on 500 tracts of public school land, prices appeared to be consistently good compared with previous sales, Land Commissioner Bascomb Giles said.

Gov. Coke Stevenson and Asst. Atty. Gen. William Curry, representing Atty. Gen. Grover Sellers, assisted in opening the bids. The land commissioner said the best offers appeared to be in the range between \$20 and \$30 an acre.

The total acreage advertised was 224,000 acres, located in seventy-five counties, mostly in West Texas. Under the law, none may in five miles of an oil well be sold.

The commissioner added that the sale, although good, does not promise to set any records.

Of approximately 46,000,000 acres of land set aside for the benefit of public schools in Texas, approximately 1,500,000 acres in addition to the present offering remains unsold. Much of the remaining land is in oil territory.

SISTER OF JESSE JONES.

HOUSTON, May 4.—Mrs. Elizabeth Jones Farthing, 75, sister of Secretary of Commerce Jesse Jones, died in a Houston hospital last night. She had been a resident of Houston 38 years. Mrs. Farthing was born in Robertson county, Tennessee, Aug. 12, 1868.

MRS. AL SMITH DEAD.

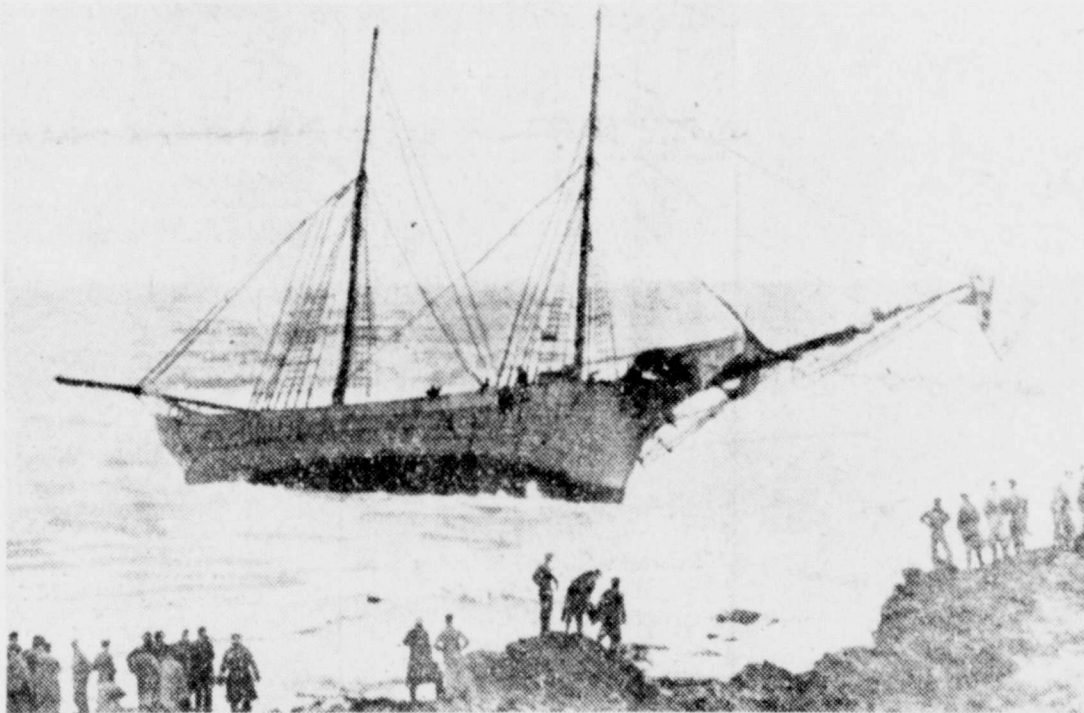
NEW YORK, May 4.—Mrs. Alfred E. Smith, 65, wife of the former governor of New York state, died in St. Vincent's hospital yesterday of virus pneumonia. She had been ill five weeks. Mrs. Smith, the former Catherine A. Dunn of the Bronx, married Smith in 1900 when he was a budding Tammany Hall politician. They lived on the teeming East Side and continued to maintain a residence there even after Smith was elected governor. He served four terms.

DISTRICT LION GOVERNOR.

FORT WORTH, May 4.—Ivan Oliver, superintendent of schools at Stephenville, was elected district governor at the Lions convention here yesterday. At the closing business session Abilene was designated the next meeting place for both the district 2-E and state conventions of next year. The two conventions will probably be held in early June. The Abilene club had the largest delegation at the convention.



PIPE LINE EXPLOSION—Sections of residential district of Ecliflower, Cal., were turned into flaming shambles when gas, leaking from 8-inch pipe line, caused explosion. Photo shows fire column shooting into sky near partly wrecked home at left.



WRECKED BY GALE—Struggling against storm for 30 hours, crew of this ship sailing from Lebanon for Egypt, was forced to turn back within 100 miles of destination. Gale pounds wreck on Levant coast as crew members prepare to jump overboard. Allies rescued many.

METHODIST PACIFISTS ARE STRONG AT KC

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 4.—The Methodist general conference, having disposed of the ticklish matter of full preaching rights for women with an overwhelming vote against that proposal, turned today to consideration of majority and minority reports on the church stand on war participation, potentially the most volatile matter on the 10-day agenda.

The majority report called for only minor changes in the 1940 church discipline, sending greetings and love to both the men and women of Methodism in the armed services and to those in civilian public service camps and prisons. The minority report called for a church declaration favoring war participation.

A spokesman for the conference said the action of the committee on the state of the church, where the vote was 44-18 against the minority report, might not mirror the sentiment of the general conference, pointing out the committee included a top-heavy pacifist sentiment.

The full preaching rights for women proposal, one of the most controversial facing many denominations today, failed on the floor of the convention after women delegates showed by their speeches that they were divided in its support.



NO BULBS THIS YEAR—Children of Henry Van Dorp are surrounded by thousands of tulips picked from their father's property at Terra Ceia, N.C., to be shipped north. No bulbs are being sold this year. Van Dorp is replacing beautiful blooms with more mundane beans and corn for victory.

MEXICO CURBS LIQUOR.

MEXICO CITY, May 4.—A decree banning establishments selling alcoholic drinks from operating within 200 meters of schools, factories or military barracks was issued yesterday by President Avila Camacho. Service men and peace officers in uniform are forbidden to frequent such establishments.

BARNHILL AT HOME FOR VISIT

Wayne Barnhill, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Barnhill, came in Sunday by plane from Long Beach, Calif., for a visit with home folks and local friends.

Barnhill, with the naval air force in the South Pacific for two years, returned to the states last July, but anticipates further overseas service in about two months.

In his two years overseas the Cisco lad spent most of that time on the USS Enterprise, along with his brother, O. C. Barnhill, who was recently reported missing following a bombing expedition.

The Barnhill brothers had the honor of being among the personnel of the USS Enterprise when that aircraft carrier escorted the USS Hornet to within some 500 miles of Tokyo, preparatory to the bombing of the Jap capital by Jimmy Doolittle and his history-making fliers.

Doolittle and his men were on the Hornet and when the Yankee ships were spotted by the Japs, Adm. Wm. H. Halsey, who was aboard the Enterprise and in command of the task force, gave the signal for attack by the famous Doolittle group.

Another Cisco lad, Roy Little, who was later lost, was on the Destroyer Monssen, which also acted as an escort for the Hornet.

Barnhill is in good shape physically, though a bit thin following a siege of double pneumonia.

May Be Safe.

A letter received here from Parks Bailey, on the same Italian base as O. C. Barnhill, reported missing, says the missing flier may be safe, since there is a good chance that he bailed out and landed safely, there being a heavy cloud coverage at that time.

Bailey added this significant sentence in closing his letter to his sister, Mrs. Loy Williams of Baird: "After the war department has notified the family that O. C. is missing, let me know and I will add a few details that the family might appreciate."

Bailey's letter was dated April 7 and the last letter received by the parents of O. C. Barnhill bore the date of April 2.

WAITING AND SWEATING.

LONDON, May 4.—Fuehrer Hitler has shifted his parachute troop expert, Lt. Gen. Kurt Student, from Italy to France and also has moved battle-hardened parachute and airborne troops from Italy to the "Atlantic Wall," the German radio said today. Declaring that Nazi airborne forces have been stationed in special "danger zones," the broadcast said that Student has just completed an inspection of the Atlantic bastions and that troops in those positions are awaiting the expected Allied attack.

ACE GETS VACATION.

LONDON, May 4.—Capt. Don S. Gentile, top American ace in the European theater, and his flying mate, Lt. John T. Godfrey, have left their base in Britain en route home on leave. Gentile, a native of Piqua, Ohio, leads American fliers in this theater with 23 enemy planes downed in combat and seven others destroyed on the ground. Godfrey, who hails from Woonsocket, R. I., is credited with 17 shot down and six on the ground.

CANADIAN ARMY PAPER SAID: "GEN. HELL READY TO TAKE OVER AND BUST THINGS WIDE"

NAPLES, May 4.—Strong British and American ground forces were reported moving into position for a major offensive in southern Italy today as Allied bombers attacked Nazi railway communications from the outskirts of Rome to Bucharest.

The tempo of battle quickened all along the main ground fronts below Rome as German combat patrols attacked a score of points in an effort to unmask the Allied preparations.

Simultaneously, the Canadian Army Newspaper "Maple Leaf" said that action was imminent on the long-stalemated Italian front.

"General Hell is going to take over and bust things wide open," the army newspaper said.

(The Nazi-controlled Paris radio said Allied armies in Italy have taken up "battle positions" for a new all-out offensive timed to coincide with an Allied invasion of western Europe and a Red army drive from the east).

The Canadian forecast followed publication of a report in the Badoglio government newspaper Il Corriere di Milan of "feverish activity" behind the Allied lines in Italy in preparation for new operations on a "vast" scale.

German skirmishers particularly were active yesterday along the Adriatic coastal front and in the hills north of Cassino, where they launched repeated reconnaissance raids that touched off furious, small-scale battles with Allied forward units.

American and British patrols also were on the attack on all fronts, probing for weak spots in the Nazi defenses.

RAF heavy and medium bombers climaxed the battering aerial offensive against the enemy's lines of supply north of the fighting lines, striking in force at the big Bucharest rail yards in the pre-dawn darkness today.

NEW GUINEA.—American infantry grappled with Japanese troops Thursday in patrol clashes at both ends of the 150-mile-long "invasion front" on the north coast of New Guinea.

Stiff fighting was reported in the Hollandia area of Dutch New Guinea and the Aitape region in British north-eastern New Guinea.

All along the coastal area east of Aitape to Saidor, where an estimated 60,000 Japanese were cut off by the American invasion of the Hollandia-Aitape area, many PT boats and Allied aircraft frustrated enemy escape attempts by blasting barge concentrations and military installations.

MacArthur's regular communique reported that in one ground attack by U. S. troops against a Jap strongpoint near Hollandia, where the Americans seized three strategic airports, 79 Japs were killed. The remainder of the Nipponese scattered, leaving the Americans in full control.

MOSCOW.—Red Air Force planes, asserting their control of the eastern skies, spread new destruction through the railway junctions of Lwow and Sambor and destroyed 114 enemy aircraft in a series of raids on the southern front, the Soviet High Command announced last night.

At least 20 fires were started among concentrations of military trains and railway installations at Lwow, biggest communications hub in southeastern Europe. An explosion of "enormous strength" was touched off in the center of the junction, a communique said.

Large fires also were kindled at Sambor, 43 miles southwest of Lwow. One train was set afire as it pulled into the station and brilliant flashes indicated that munitions may have been blown up.

2,750 DETROIT WORKERS QUIT KEY POSITIONS

DETROIT, May 4.—A rapidly-spreading foreman's strike took its toll on war production at 11 plants here yesterday as the huge Ford Motor company Windsor plant across the Detroit river remained closed for the twelfth day

in two weeks. Other strikes in the area persisted despite lack of support from high union officials. The latest walkout was at the Packard Motor Car company, where between 200 and 300 foremen left their jobs Wednesday night.

Spokesmen for the group predicted that all 850 Packard foremen would be affected, which would bring to about 2,750 the number of supervisory employees idle in an attempt to gain recognition for the Foreman's Association of America, an unaffiliated union.

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NATION BUILDERS.

Percy S. Straus, New York department store president who has just died, belonged to one of the most distinguished families in New York.

While his brother Jesse had been ambassador to France, the real family fame was won in the last generation. Oscar S. Straus, Percy's uncle, was our diplomatic representative to Turkey under three presidents, Cleveland, McKinley and Taft, and secretary of commerce and labor under Theodore Roosevelt. He followed Teddy Roosevelt into the Progressive movement, heading the Bull Moose ticket for governor in 1912. Isidor, Percy's father, who headed the store before him, went down in the Titanic. The story is that he put on his dinner jacket before the boat sank, meeting death like an ordinary social engagement.

The greatest of all the Strauses was Nathan, the brother of Oscar and Isidor. He had much to do with the general pasteurization of milk, and in 1920 supported 297 stations in 36 cities in the United States and abroad. He gave two thirds of his money to the Zionist cause in Palestine. In 1923 a popular vote chose him as the man who in the 25 years of Greater New York's history had done most for public welfare.

Nathan's son, also called Nathan, has done valiant work as administrator of the United States housing authority. Roger W. Straus, Oscar's son, has been successful in the smelting industry, and active in Republican politics.

More than by any other factor, the country is made by citizens who, like the Strauses, consider quiet, unselfish public service their highest duty.

DEWEY'S ADVISERS.

Dallas News: Since Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York, who is far in the lead for the Republican presidential nomination, has chosen to stick to his state duties and to say little on national politics, attention has turned to his principal advisers as a possible indication of his general views.

From several sources it seems apparent that, on foreign policy, Governor Dewey leans most heavily on John Foster Dulles. Mr. Dulles is experienced in foreign affairs and is a recognized authority in this field. He believes thoroughly in international collaboration and formulated the postwar program of the Federal Council of Churches. Incidentally, he is a grandson of John W. Foster, who was Benjamin Harrison's secretary of state, and a nephew by marriage of Robert Lansing, who held this post under Woodrow Wilson.

On military policy, Governor Dewey's closest associate is Lt. Gen. Hugh A. Drum, retired, who is said to have come near being made Chief of Staff when General Marshall was named. General Drum is an experienced fighter whose knowledge of military tactics is thorough and whose judgment is respected. On economic problems, the governor is advised mainly by Elliot V. Bell, a well-known economist and writer; and on political issues he listens to his astute secretary, Paul Lockwood.

His lack of effort to get the nomination should leave Governor Dewey relatively free of commitments if he is chosen as standard-bearer. His reliance on sound advisers should put him in a favorable position to take a more outspoken stand on national and international issues than he has done thus far. Those who know him best are confident that, once he is in the race, he will cast aside his silence and make his position clear on every important issue, as he did on foreign policy in his recent address to newspaper publishers.

JUST HUMANS

By GENE CARR



Romance!

Looking Ahead

By GEORGE S. BENSON
President Harding College
Searay, Arkansas

Penny Wise.

Victory in war can not be bought with money alone. There is fighting to do which can not be thought of in terms of money. Wars always take a priceless toll of life, limb, health, sanity and human happiness. And, along with all this, war calls for a vast amount of work. Actually, most of the cost of war is work. Money is only a medium of exchange, a relatively accurate measure of the work performed.

The United States, now in the middle of the biggest struggle of all history, is spending money at the rate of 100 billion dollars a year. With the highest tax rates ever applied in this country, our government is raising money at the rate of 40 billion dollars a year, borrowing the difference. American taxpayers will be in debt for 60 per cent of the war when it ends, if things go along as they probably will.

Lifting the Debt.

Big obligations usually are made faster than they are paid, and nobody is expecting Uncle Sam to liquidate the war debt on armistice day. It will be 200 billion dollars by July 1, 1944. Fortunately for everybody this debt can be retired at a rate that is slower than fighting speed. Experts in various political camps agree that costs of running our government after the war will approximate 20 billion dollars a year. It's a safe figure.

Now 20 billion dollars is a big sum to work off in a year, but America can do it. We are raising 40 billion a year now with everybody working; surely we can raise 20 billion after the war—interest, payments on debt and care of disabled veterans will all be in the 20 billion. We can do it if employment is high, if jobs are still plentiful and well paid. We can do it with present tax rates cut in half, but not unless there is work.

Toilers Will Pay.

People who work will pay the

biggest share of post-war taxes. Last year two thirds of our national income was wages and salaries. Politicians may try to bleed Wall Street millionaires white, but it will not be enough. If all the people who pay tax on incomes of \$25,000 or more were seated in one stadium, all our millionaires would be there, and more. But the whole assembly could not pay half of 20 billion dollars a year—not even with a 100 per cent income tax. There are not enough millionaires.

These men can't pay the entire expense of government but there is one thing they can do. They can, if permitted, keep factories running and jobs available for the rest of us who, in the long-run, will be obliged to work off that debt and we would better be trying to keep it down. Twenty billion dollars a year is twice what government was costing the United States at the peak of the New Deal's pre-war spending; five times what it cost in Herbert Hoover's day.

The Necessary Jobs.

Concerning employment: Employers and employees both have to be considered. Strike pay-day from the calendar and work will surely cease. Just as surely investments will cease when chances to earn dividends are destroyed. Wages and dividends both are paid from earnings on investments, so employers (large and small) must be permitted to earn profits. Nothing makes new jobs but starting new businesses or enlarging old ones; both require investments.

Big investors can, at best, pay only a small part of the big post-war tax. If it is ever paid, people of moderate means will surely pay most of it, but they are looking to investors for work with which to create prosperity. One fact is clear therefore—the "expert" who advocates taxes on corporations so drastic that they drive investments away and depress jobs, that politician is "penny wise and pound foolish." Such a policy injures workers more than others.



BUZZARD HUNTING—Scanning sky in search of enemy planes, crew of self-propelled half-track on Italian front is partly hidden by camouflage net. Business end of three guns points skyward.

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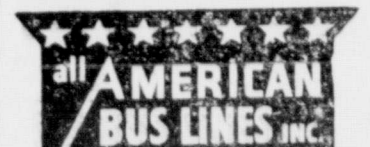
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STATE LEGISLATURE, EASTLAND COUNTY.
R. (Bob) N. Grisham
Turner Collier

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W. B. Starr

SHERIFF
John Hart (re-election)

COUNTY CLERK
W. V. (Virgil) Love,

COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 4
Areh Birt (re-election)

COUNTY JUDGE
C. H. (Harl) O'Brien
C. S. (Clabe) Eldridge

DISTRICT CLERK
L. T. (Lois) Everton.
C. W. (Charlie) Young, Jr.
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WANTED — Capable housekeeper. Telephone 298. 173

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PEANUT BAGS — Have closed deal with mills for a reasonable supply of bags. Present price is 11 to 12 cents each. John Proven Canatax, Rising Star. (thru-nov.)

OWNERS OF DOGS.

Dr. Hodges of Ranger will be here Thursday morning, May 11, for the purpose of vaccinating dogs. The usual fee of \$1 will be charged.

GEO. W. DOWNIE, City Secretary. (172)

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SOCIAL and CLUBS

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AUXILIARY CIRCLE TO SPONSOR SERVICE.

Circle two of First Presbyterian auxiliary, Mrs. D. E. Waters, chairman, voted unanimously to sponsor a prayer service at the church on the day the Allied armies invade Western Europe. The church will be opened for silent prayer and meditation in the late afternoon and early evening of Invasion Day, and at 8 o'clock a solemn service will be led by the minister, O. L. Savage.

The civilian defense council, to whom credit for the plan is due, first stated its purpose in this language: "The program is designed as a simple and solemn occasion to give every patriotic citizen the opportunity and duty of reaffirming his own deep appreciation of and loyalty to his country, and of prayerfully pledging himself to continue to be worthy of those Americans who are suffering, bleeding and dying that freedom may not perish and that our country remain our country."

"We have been asked to amend this statement to include a solemn call to all citizens to go to the churches of their choice, humbly confess their sins before God and pray fervently for the men who will face agony and death in the great invasion; and to pray not only that our country may be victorious but even more earnestly that we may be a people whom God can trust with victory and power." "If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways, then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land."

MRS. E. L. JACKSON CIRCLE HOSTESS.

Circle three of First Baptist women's missionary union met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. E. L. Jackson. Mrs. A. B. Cooper, chairman, was in charge and opened the meeting with prayer. Minutes of previous meeting were read by Mrs. L. B. Mayhew. Routine business was transacted and Mrs. O. L. Mason taught an interesting Bible lesson.

Refreshments were passed to Mrs. O. L. Mason, Mrs. A. B. Cooper, Mrs. L. B. Mayhew, Mrs. C. A. Farquhar and Mrs. Jackson.

PFC. J. D. COX, JR., HONORED SUNDAY.

Mrs. Bernice Hays and son Jay Hays entertained a number of relatives Sunday honoring her nephew, Pfc. J. D. Cox, Jr., of Coleman, at home from Samoa after spending the past thirteen months overseas with the Marines.

Those present besides the honor guest were Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Satterwhite, Mr. and Mrs. Max Satterwhite and daughters, Donna Byrd and Linda Earl, Wayne Satterwhite and daughter, Waynell, all of Breckenridge; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Cox and a friend, Miss Bernadette Harrington of Coleman.

MRS. CLIFF HELTON HOSTESS TO WW CLASS.

Willing Workers class of First Christian church met Monday evening in the home of Mrs. Cliff Helton for business and social meeting. Group singing of the hymn "Love Lifted Me" opened

the meeting and was followed by prayer by Mrs. J. F. Benedict. The devotional was led by Mrs. J. N. Laimier discussing the topic, "Mother" with scripture basis from the book of Proverbs. She closed the devotional with the poem, "A Heap of Livestock" by Edgar A. Guest. Mrs. Lonnie Shockley was presented in a vocal solo, "You're a Grand Old Flag," which was illustrated by Mrs. Ben Krauskopf. Mrs. Troy Powell played piano accompaniment.

The business session was directed by Mrs. A. J. Saunders and the meeting was dismissed with prayer by Mrs. J. S. Mobley.

During the social hour refreshments were passed to the following visitors and members: Mrs. J. R. Wright, Mrs. W. R. Wilson, Mrs. Ben Krauskopf, Mrs. J. M. Lattimer, Dorothy Ann and Mary Ellen Saunders; Mrs. J. F. Benedict, Mrs. I. A. Brunkenhoefer, Mrs. Marian Daly, Mrs. Audrey Ezzell, Miss Olga Fay Ford, Mrs. A. A. Garverick, Mrs. O. L. Green, Mrs. C. Hester, Mrs. Bill Hickey, Mrs. W. W. Wilner, Mrs. J. S. Mobley, Mrs. Troy Powell, Mrs. A. J. Sanders, Mrs. Lonnie Shockley, Mrs. C. F. Swartz, Mrs. A. W. Triplett, Mrs. Burl D. Williams, Miss Ethel Mae Wilson and Mrs. Helton.

COUNCIL MEETING HELD AT CHURCH.

Women's council of First Christian church met Tuesday in a general meeting at the church. Mrs. J. S. Mobley, president, was in charge and minutes were read by Mrs. H. H. Davis. Mrs. James Haynie, chairman, made a report for the nominating committee. Other routine business was transacted.

Group one presented the afternoon program and the devotional was brought by Mrs. J. M. Lattimer. Pattie Nell Haynie led in

the Lord's prayer. Mrs. Rex W. Moore brought an article on "Mothers' Day" from World Call magazine.

A group of girls was presented in a song, "We Must Be Vigilant," with piano accompaniment by Mrs. Ben Krauskopf. Girls composing the group were Katy Lou Atkins, Carolyn Crofts, Bettie Dean Lennon, Helen Raye Edwards, Bettie Jo Thurman, Carolyn Fewell, Catherine Scott, Bet-

ty Rose Wilcox and Lovell Paul. The meeting closed with prayer.

Group one then invited members to the church dining room where refreshments of punch and cookies were served. Approximately 35 people were in attendance at the meeting.

MRS. W. I. GHORMLEY HOSTESS TO CIRCLE.

Mrs. W. I. Ghormley was hostess when circle four of First Baptist women's missionary union met Tuesday in her home. Mrs.

H. N. Lyle, chairman, presided and opened the meeting with prayer by Mrs. R. T. Porter. Minutes were read by Mrs. D. D. Lewis and other routine business was transacted. Garments for wounded soldiers were turned over to the chairman who will return them to the local Red Cross unit. Offering was made for the endowment fund.

The meeting was then turned to Mrs. J. R. Burnett, Bible teacher, who directed the lesson from

Psalm. The meeting closed with a chain of prayer for all those in government uniform.

Those present were Mrs. A. F. Ashenbust, Mrs. J. R. Burnett, Mrs. Grace Barton, Mrs. W. I. Ghormley, Miss Miriam Ghormley, Mrs. D. D. Lewis, Mrs. H. N. Lyle, Mrs. R. T. Porter and Mrs. Kate Richardson.

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BRIEFLY TOLD

Mrs. Frank Foburn of San Francisco visited her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Vandenberg the first of the week after having visited her husband who is with the armed forces in New Mexico. She will also spend some time with relatives at Stamford before returning to California.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Childers of Los Angeles left Tuesday for Alton, Pa., where Mr. Childers has been transferred by the Vultee Aircraft corporation, after a few days' visit here with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Porter.

News received by Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Porter this week stated their son-in-law, Eugene E. G. Marsh, had completed his course at Fort Schuyler naval school and was one of 20 men selected from a class of 1,000 for further training at the Naval Air school.

Mrs. Martin Lacey will return to Wichita Falls Friday after spending several days in the home of her father, Henry Strobel, of the Lutheran community.

Sign and Mrs. Ed Elliott went to Fort Worth today and from there Sergeant Elliott will leave for his post at Fort Monmouth, N. J., after visiting the past week

with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Elliott.

Cop and Mrs. Howell Ray Clark arrived this morning from Oklahoma City for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Clark and Mr. and Mrs. H. J. McArdle.

Mrs. Walter King has returned to McAllen after a visit with relatives in Cisco. She was accompanied home by her mother Mrs. B. J. Osborn.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bollinger of Waco arrived Wednesday to join their son, Ault Bollinger, motor machinist with the navy, for a visit here with the latter's family.

Civilians attending the Methodist district conference in Ranger today included Rev. and Mrs.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Simpson, Mrs. E. N. Chilton and Mrs. Luther Hall of Nimrod transacted business in Cisco Wednesday.

Mrs. Ford Taylor of Bollinger is a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Nance.

Mrs. S. H. Nance, Mrs. Hartman McCall and children and Mrs. Ford Taylor are spending today in DeLeon as guests of Mrs. Nance's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cozart, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Townsend and Mrs.

NIMROD

Nimrod Sewing club met May 2 in the home of Mrs. J. N. Breshears with the following members present: Mrs. A. N. Simpson, Mrs. Jay Hall, Mrs. Ed Townsend, Mrs. Joe Holleman, Mrs. Shapley, Mrs. Thames and a guest, Miss Lucila Rabelen of Dallas, who is visiting Mrs. Joe Holleman.

Mrs. Smith and son Bobby from Louisiana were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Breshears over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cozart, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Townsend and Mrs.

Sharp went into Cisco Sunday for the singing convention at the First Baptist church.

Houston Hall of Dallas with the navy, visited Miss Lucila Rabelen Saturday in the home of Mrs. Joe Holleman.

Mr. and Mrs. McCorkle spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Simpson.

Grandma Hall and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Barron came out Saturday night to visit Mr. and Mrs. Jay Hall. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were passed.

G. R. Brown of San Saba spent Tuesday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Simpson.

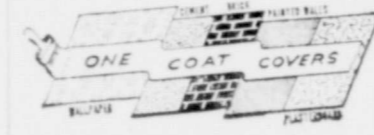
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