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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.

THE CISCO DAILY PRESS

COMBINED WITH CISCO DAILY NEWS AND CISCO AMERICAN AND ROUND-UP, NOVEMBER 1, 1937

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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ALLIES ATTACK HITLER LINE

CLUCK TALKS TO LIONS OF TEACHER PAY

B. N. Cluck spoke to the Lions yesterday on the subject of teachers' salaries, comparing them very unfavorably with salaries and compensation received by other professions and trades. Conrad Alexander, former Ciscoan, who was wounded in the service in North Africa and in the prosecution of Sicily and Italy. During the business session, president Seymour asked for the report of the nominating committee which was as follows: For president, Carlos J. Turner; first vice-president, Harry W. Schmidt; secretary, Geo. W. Downie; assistant secretary, Charles Clark; treasurer, J. T. Eggen; hon. tamer, A. R. Westfall; taltwister, M. D. Fox; assistant taltwister, Jay Garrett; directors, C. M. Nevill and H. H. Tompkins.

Mr. Seymour also announced the Lion-sponsored college play to be given at high school auditorium tonight. The ticket committee called for a report of tickets sold.

P. R. Warwick was in charge of the program and introduced Mr. Cluck who began his talk by saying the soldiers are winning the war on the battle fields, but we are sadly losing it, so far as teachers are concerned, on the home front. Teachers salaries are woefully insufficient to keep men and women at their jobs and many of the best teachers have deserted to other better-paid occupations.

Increases have been marked in remuneration for businessmen, farmers, tradesmen and many other lines of work, but teachers salaries show little increase.

A grave danger confronts the American youth, the speaker said. The competent teacher must make great preparation to follow his profession. If untrained or un-fitted teachers are to instruct the youth of today, certainly this will leave its mark on the citizen of tomorrow. Statistics show that the states paying the highest salaries to teachers, have the lowest crime percentage, while those states paying the lowest teachers salaries, have the highest percentage of juvenile crime.

A crisis confronts American education and it must be met and remedied, although Mr. Cluck said he did not offer any remedial suggestions.



THE WINNAB—Moe-ite Noel Neill leads all other players at Paramount studios in rounding up returnable bottles. Drive is endorsed by War Production Board to insure adequate supply of milk and beverage bottles to military and home fronts. All deposit bottles should be returned to source from which they were purchased.

W. L. BROGDON FINE CITIZEN DIED SUDDENLY

W. L. Brogdon, outstanding citizen and retired farmer of the Romney community, died suddenly this morning at his home one mile north of Romney.

The body is now at Thomas funeral home, Cisco, but funeral arrangements had not been made at noon today because of failure to contact two of his children who are absent from home.

Mr. Brogdon was born in Alabama, August 22, 1882, and came to Texas at the age of 16. He first settled in Brown county, but six years later moved to the Long Branch community of Eastland county. Later he moved to the Romney community and bought the farm upon which he died this morning at about 10:15 o'clock.

He was a very conscientious man, a member of the Methodist church, enjoyed a wide acquaintance and was held in high esteem by all with whom he had dealings.

He was married to Miss Lizzie Bibby, also of Alabama, who preceded him in death in January, 1937. Seven children were born of this union, five of whom survive him, as follows: Mrs. George Blackwell, Mrs. Edward Blackwell, Dewey Brogdon, Gorman; Mrs. Floyd Harrelson and Guy Brogdon, Cisco.

CISCOAN IN GROUP DOOLITTLE PRAISED

From United States Strategic Air Forces Headquarters in Europe the Daily Press today received word that will be of interest to all Ciscoans and especially to the family and personal friends of a Cisco lad—Capt. Gerald C. Merket, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Merket. The overseas communication is as follows:

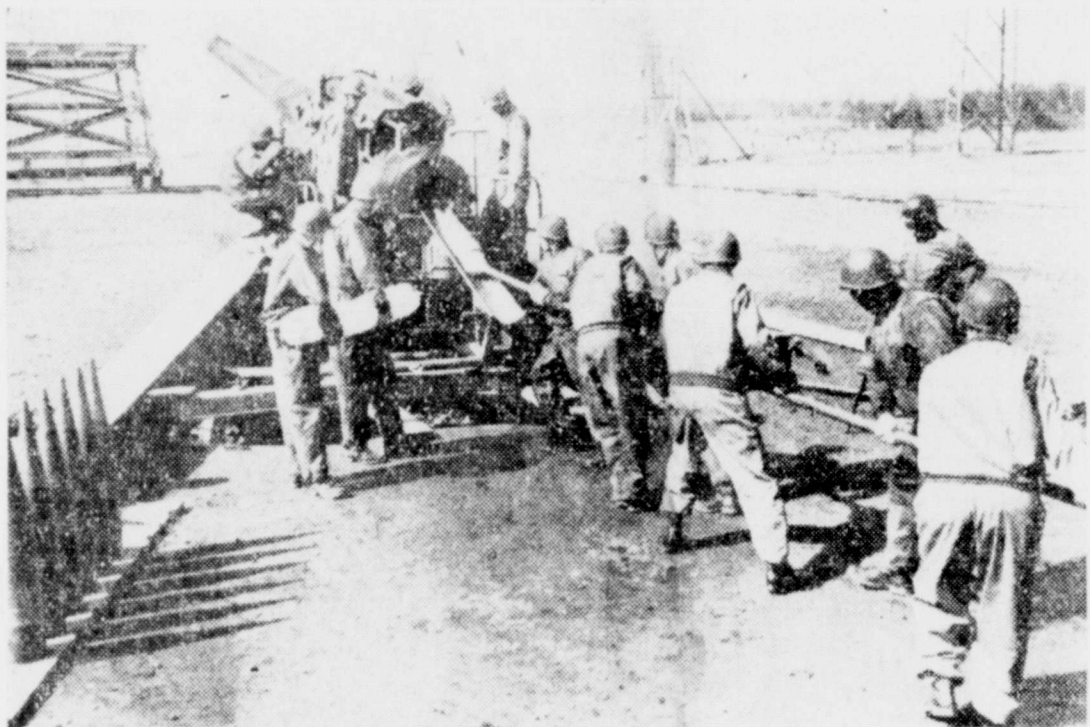
EIGHTH AAF LIBERATOR STATION, England.—A B-24 Liberator heavy bomber group, of which Capt. Gerald C. Merket of Cisco, Tex., is a member, has been officially praised by Lieut. Gen. James L. Doolittle, commanding officer of the Eighth Air Force, for achievement on its first mission, which was against Berlin. The action was the German capital's worst of the war and left huge fires raging in the city.

In part, General Doolittle's unusual commendation of the B-24 group commanded by Col. Arthur J. Pierce of Montague, Mass., read:

"Participation in the Berlin mission marked your initiation into Eighth air force operations against the enemy. I wish to welcome all personnel of the group and supporting units whose efforts reflect the skill and efficiency essential to the success of our operations. It is noteworthy that your initial mission was the longest first mission undertaken by a group in this theater. My congratulations to all of you. (Signed) DOOLITTLE."

BUT FEW WORKERS.

Only 15 women answered the Red Cross call for surgical dressings workers Wednesday, hence the volume of completed work was far below expectations. The following ladies made 312 2x2s and 414 4x8s: Mrs. Bob Latimer, A. D. Anderson, H. J. McArdle, E. H. Hester, Ed Aycock, R. C. McHester, J. A. Jensen, James Carter, Alex Spears, O. G. Law Moore, Alex Caffrey, Don McEachern, Willie Bogan Dunn, W. W. Moore, Austin Flint.



PROOF FIRING—Army's eight inch, 229mm. gun is proof-fired at Ordnance Proving Ground, Aberdeen, Md. Photo shows 240 pound high explosive shell being rammed into gun's breach while powder men stand ready to put charge on loading tray. Gun also fires 260 pound shell.



DUG UP PUPS—When anti-aircraft artillerymen of 822nd Automatic Weapons battalion of Camp Irwin, Cal. went into desert for fox hole digging practice, they never expected to find inhabitants in their dug outs. Men of D battery unearthed these four baby coyotes, here shown in canteen covers.



CAFETERIA STYLE—Self-Service Shaving Department at Nick Isoldi's barber shop in New York City got its start when customer in big hurry, sidestepping the line, sat down and shaved himself. Mr. Isoldi liked the idea. Now, for 15 cents customers get shaving equipment, lotions, combs, brushes, do the job themselves. Price includes personal mustache attention from the boss.

BAPTISTS PICK PAT NEFF FOR THIRD YEAR

ATLANTA, May 18.—The Southern Baptist Convention unanimously re-elected president for a third year Pat M. Neff, president of Baylor University and former governor of Texas. Dr. L. D. Newton, pastor of Atlanta's Druid Hills Baptist church who had been mentioned as Neff's possible successor, was unanimously elected first vice president. Dr. W. H. Williams, pastor of Pritchard Memorial Baptist church, Charlotte, N. C., was unanimously named second vice

TWINS OF FOUR MEET DEATH BY DROWNING

NEW YORK, May 18.—Four-year-old Irene Richie and her twin brother, Richard, were inseparable sharing everything, always looking out for each other. Yesterday they started playing together on a grassy plot near the East River. Grownpuns told them to be careful. But the twins apparently were so engrossed in each other they paid no heed.

Suddenly other children shouted. Irene, they said, had toppled into the water, being swept away in the rip tide. Richard had jumped in after her. They were last seen together.

Police are grappling for the missing children, one of four sets of twins born to Mr. and Mrs. William Richie.

TEXAS CRUDE OIL.

AUSTIN, May 18.—Texas crude oil production set a new record for the week ended May 13, the weekly statistical report of the American Petroleum Institute says. Texas production gained 200 barrels daily over the previous week to average 1,995,500 barrels. A gain in the East Central Texas oil flow was responsible for the increase. National crude production declined 16,550 barrels daily from the all-time high of the previous week to average 4,502,000.

HAS RIGHT IDEA.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Secretary of the Navy Forrestal, in his first appearance before a congressional committee in this capacity, today urged enactment of "work or fight" legislation. Testifying before the senate military affairs committee, he endorsed the Bailey-Brewster bill which would permit military draft of men between 18 and 45 who leave war jobs or fail to take such positions on orders of the government.

CISCO PORT OFFICIALLY RECOGNIZED

The Cisco Airport has been officially recognized by the civil aeronautics association, Ft. Worth headquarters, and the CAA will immediately announce through its nationally-circulated Bulletin that the local airport is open to all flying traffic.

In short, all planes may now land at the Cisco Field without complicated red tape or other time-killing restrictions.

The above information was furnished the Daily Press this morning by Henry Drumwright, city commissioner, who is in general charge of the city-owned Airport property.

Mr. Drumwright also stated that Haywood Cabness had been designated by CAA as its local representative and manager in connection with the operation of the Cisco port. This designation followed a meeting of Mr. Drumwright and Leslie I. Hobbes of the CAA at Abilene, yesterday. Mr. Hobbes was in Cisco Monday for a check-up and inspection of the port.

Last week the city commission and E. C. Burnett, flight commander at the Coleman Field, conferred here with regard to the port. At that time an agreement was reached with Mr. Burnett whereby he will make three or four weekend checkups on local flying interest, with the view of submitting a proposition for permanent lease of the field.

CAA's designation of Mr. Cabness was due to the latter's experience as a flier and also to his well known familiarity with CAA rules and regulations.

DEMOCRATS RESENT OUTSIDE INTERFERENCE

COLUMBIA, S. C., May 18.—South Carolina prepared today to send a delegation to the National Democratic convention advised only to uphold white supremacy and states rights.

Both supporters and opponents of a fourth term claimed victory after the convention voted yesterday to send the state's delegation to the national convention without instructions as to a presidential preference. An eight-point platform, not binding upon the 36 delegates who have a half vote each, avoided the race questions as such, but was unequivocal in its insistence upon states rights.

The convention adopted a resolution opposing any attempts to repeal the poll tax, pass anti-lynching laws or interference with racial segregation in the South.

REASONABLE PREDICTION.

JASPER, Tex., May 18.—Representative Martin Dies of Texas, chairman of the house committee investigating un-American activities, said here today that "it will become obvious to the people that the congress of Industrial Organizations will become the Communist Party of America."

YANKS PERSISTENT.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Controversy over poll tax payment as a requirement for voting in eight southern states was revived in the house today in form of a proposed amendment to the constitution. Rep. Stanley of New York is back of the movement.

GERMANS WITHDRAW FROM CASSINO TO ESCAPE FROM FIFTH ARMY TRAP; FRENCH ADVANCE

NAPLES, May 18.—The Germans have withdrawn from Cassino to escape the closing jaws of an Eighth Army trap, Nazi broadcasts said today, while French Colonials to the southwest seized the outposts of Esperia and drove on another three miles into the Adolf Hitler Line.

The official German news agency DNB said Axis troops abandoned the ruins of Cassino, from which they had stalled the Allied march along the Via Casilina toward Rome for four months, last night, "according to plan, in order to withdraw to a shortened line in connection with movements south of their sector."

(The German Transocean Agency reported from Berlin that Nazi troops also evacuated Monte Cassino Abbey and the mountains dominating Cassino, during the night. A German military spokesman said the Allied offensive had gained more than 11 miles at its deepest point of penetration, Transocean added.)

Though Allied headquarters did not confirm the fall of Cassino immediately, front reports disclosed that British armored reconnaissance troops had driven across Via Casilina and its parallel railroad at two points less than four miles southwest of Cassino toward a junction with Polish units who stormed down from the northwest and captured two hills a quarter mile from Monastery Hill.

Capture of Cassino was regarded here as imminent, even momentary.

On the Fifth Army front French African troops seized Esperia, first outpost of the Adolf Hitler Line, and believed German headquarters for the area, and pressed on to occupy Mts. Lago and Martino, two and three miles, respectively, west of Esperia.

"The battle for the Gustav Line is drawing to a close and the battle for the Adolf Hitler Line is about to be commenced," Gen. Sir Harold R. L. G. Alexander announced as his Rome-bound offensive neared the end of its first week.

In the Liri valley and in the hills to the south, troops of the Fifth and Eighth armies have continued their advance and are now in contact in many places with outposts of the Adolf Hitler Line.

Ahead of the Allies in the Hitler Line—believed the last fortified line before the Roman plains—lies 12 miles of anti-tank ditches, natural obstacles in the form of deep water courses, numerous pillboxes and other fortifications.

German prisoners, of whom 4500 have been captured in the first six days of the offensive, said the Hitler Line had been under construction for the past three months by workers of the Todt organization, which also built the Sigfried Line and the Atlantic Wall. Aerial reconnaissance photographs showed that 70 pillboxes and minor concrete works had been built in the stretch across the Liri valley alone.

CHUNGKING.—Brig. Gen. Frank Merrill's Chinese-American forces captured the southern airdrome at Myitkyina, main Japanese stronghold in northern Burma, and were reported pouring mortar fire into the city itself today.

(A dispatch from Southeast Asia Headquarters at Kandy, Ceylon, said the fall of the important rail and river center was expected momentarily. It was believed that the Japanese had only a weakened division at Myitkyina.)

Culminating a 21-day drive through the rugged Kumon Hills bordering the Mogaung Valley, three columns of combined troops caught the Japanese by surprise yesterday, a communique said, and quickly overwhelmed slight enemy resistance to seize the airdrome.

MOSCOW.—Red Army troops, taking advantage of heavy German losses on the lower Dnepr river in Bessarabia, pierced the enemy line at several points yesterday to expand the month-old Russian bridgehead on the west bank northwest of Tiraspol.

A Soviet communique also disclosed that ground forces made small gains in strikes from other lines southeast of Stanislawow, in southeastern Poland, and Russian long-range bombers carried their aerial offensive on German communication lines into the sixth successive night.

DETROIT.—Work resumption scheduled for 14 Detroit war plants were drawn up today after members of the Independent Foremen's Assn. of America voted to end its 20-day strike which cost at least 250 fighter planes and threatened to interfere with invasion operations.

Approximately 3500 foremen employed in the plants, following the recommendation of their union leaders, voted at six chapter meetings last night to return to work. Their decision, it was believed, also will lead to prompt settlement of numerous other disputes that had idled at least 74,000 workers in the Detroit area.

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MORE RUBBER.

It is well known that the loss of natural rubber supplies from the Orient, as a result of the Japanese war, has been a severe blow to American industry. Yet it may prove beneficial in the long run, assuring a regular supply of artificial rubber hereafter. Says John L. Collyer, president of the B. F. Goodrich company of Akron, O., where most American rubber is produced:

"There is a basic and undeniable kinship between America's synthetic rubber plants and her battleships, air bases and naval oil reserves." He believes that hereafter "the American people will demand, regardless of economic factors, adequate security in terms of synthetic rubber production that can be expanded quickly in time of emergency."

The outlook for this vital product is surprising. Mr. Collyer estimates that, if the Japanese do not destroy the oriental rubber lands when they are driven out, there will be a world rubber production capacity after the war of 1,600,000 tons of natural rubber and 1,200,000 tons of synthetic per year.

Some experts have been suggesting that, with the progress of industrial chemistry, artificial rubber may yet become as good as the natural rubber, and made available as cheaply as the best rubber was before the Japanese war. Some of the greatest victories ever won in war or peace have been those of synthetic chemistry, in which this nation leads the world.

OPTIMISM.

Civilization is facing the greatest concentration of unsolved problems in human history, says Dr. John R. Mott, famous Y. M. C. A. leader. But man's extremity is God's opportunity.

"The last century," he explains, "has been a hundred years of pioneering, pathfinding and adventure for the Y. M. C. A. It has also been a hundred years of foundation-laying. And the broad, deep and solid foundation that has been laid is capable of supporting a vastly greater superstructure. It has been a hundred years of seed-sowing and watering, and the watering has often been with tears and blood. Nevertheless it is evident that the seed sown has been a vital, germinating and multiplying seed. Great as has been the past, the future will be immeasurably greater. We have learned more from our failures than our successes, and we are prepared to advance with all the momentum, with all the habit of victory, to the solution of problems and the goals which these times of unparalleled opportunity present to us."

It is good to find such unyielding optimism in a world where there is so much doubt, discord and wickedness. Mr. Mott's kind of faith may be realized if the optimists will keep everlastingly on the job, in a practical way.

EAST NIMROD

The Busy Bee club met with Mrs. Joe Holleman Tuesday. A few new members were welcomed and the club is looking forward to having others join. Those present were Mrs. Jack Cozart, Mrs. J. N. Breshers, Mrs. A. N. Simpson, Mrs. Ed Townsend, Mrs. J. E. Notgrass, Miss Rozelle Simpson, Mrs. Joe Holleman, Robert Russell Bell and Jeanette Lindley.

Mrs. Jay Hall and mother Mrs. White had as guests Tuesday Mrs. Jack Cozart, Mrs. A. N. Simpson,

Mrs. J. E. Notgrass and Mrs. Joe Holleman. W. J. Holleman of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Holleman last week. Jeanette Lindley has returned from a visit with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. J. L. James at Carbon. Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Ferguson and Mr. and Mrs. Bell Thompson of Comanche were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Notgrass Sunday. Mrs. O. C. Morgan and daughter Nadine from Lorraine visited her mother Mrs. A. B. Hall. Mrs. Fay Bell and daughters

Mary and Betty of Fort Worth were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Townsend Sunday. Mrs. Bevington Reed and baby Joel visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Notgrass Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. John Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Williams and daughter Emma, Dorothy Fay Hill, Melba Jean Kent, L. B. Hill and Mrs. Nona Brooks attended Mother's Day service in Nimrod Sunday. Mrs. A. B. Hall had as guests Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hall and daughter Billy Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Barron, Mr.

and Mrs. R. A. Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Notgrass, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Jay Hall and son Gary. Mrs. G. W. Horn and daughter Addie Mae visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Townsend Sunday. Mrs. Etta Hill left Sunday morning for Fort Stockton where she is employed. Miss Rozelle Simpson who graduated from Scranton high school plans to attend college in Denton this summer. Pete Hammer had an accident Sunday with his bicycle. He was

bungled up but was able to be around Monday morning. Pete had better stick to the country roads instead of paved streets from now on. Ladies are urged to attend the Busy Bee club meeting next Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Jack Cozart. Bring along anything to work on, from sewing and patching to hammer and nails.

tended the singing at Nimrod Sunday afternoon. Rev. Mr. Gilliland is on the sick list. The small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Threet is ill. Mr. and Mrs. Porter Morris and children spent Sunday in Cisco with his parents Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Morris. Mrs. J. M. Boatman had as guests Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Alma Walls of Lamesa, Mrs. Joe Hale and Mrs. Edward Callarman. Mrs. McElreath of Fort Worth is visiting her son Bert McElreath and family. Miss Emma Fae Callarman of

Fort Worth visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Callarman over the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Willie Harrell of Fort Worth visited his sisters Mrs. Joe Hale and Mrs. C. E. Callarman over the weekend. Kenneth Boatman visited with James and Edith Callarman Sunday.

BETHEL

Several people from Bethel at-



OKAY, I-A—Cleveland Indians' third sacker Ken Keltner makes ah for the doctor as he takes physical examination at Milwaukee induction station. Awaiting call, he is rejoining the Tribe.



PLAIN AND FANCY TRIMMINGS—Featuring variety of hair cuts, Pvt. George H. Olin (left) has set up nice barbershop business in Italy. Pvt. Clarence McFall doesn't care whether he gets stuka-singe or cannon-ball-clip. (U. S. Army Signal Corps Photo).



CLOWNING ABOUT HATS—Circus clown Felix Adler doesn't have to worry about tilt of his new chapeau. Noted hat and dress designer Juliette Nicole puts finishing touches to headgear she chose for him. Frankie Saluto does the heckling. Scene took place on Rainbow House radio show.

Le Col. David C. SCHILLING DETROIT MICH.

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"What's the Use? He'll Be the Same on the Other Side!"



ROAD TO ROME—A double file of Yank soldiers marches along Italy's highway No. 6, the most famous of all the roads that lead to Rome. This picture of the infantrymen was taken at a position, north of Mignano and south of Cassino.

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POLITICAL.

The Cisco Daily Press is authorized to announce the following candidates for the offices under which their names appear, subject to the action of Democratic voters at the primaries to be held Saturday, July 22:

CONGRESS, 17TH DISTRICT
Bob Wagstaff of Abilene.
Sam M. Russell of Stephenville (re-election)

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

FLORITORIAL REPRESENTATIVE (Eastland and Callahan Counties)
W. B. Starr

SHERIFF
John Hart (re-election)

COUNTY CLERK
W. V. (Virgil) Love,

COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 4
Arch Birt (re-election)

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

DISTRICT CLERK
L. T. (Lois) Everton.
C. W. (Charles) Young, Jr.
E. F. (Edgar) Altom.
Roy L. Lane
Henry A. Schaefer

ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR
Clyde S. Karkalis (re-election)

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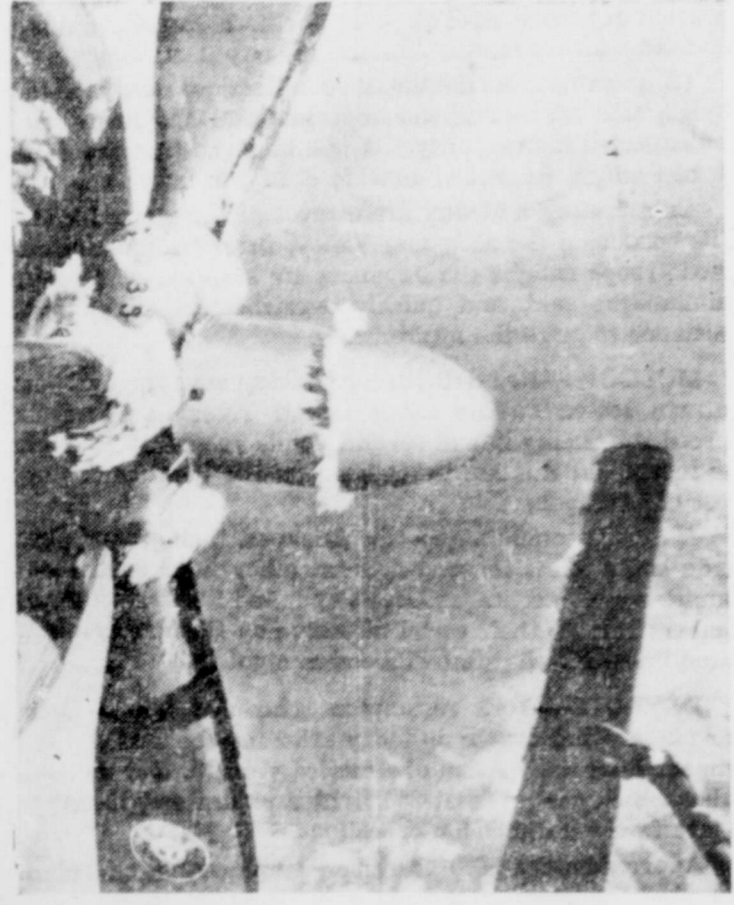
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SPELLS DANGER—Flight test unit at propeller division of Curtiss-Wright's Caldwell, N. J., plant take test plane up in effort to find best solution to dissolve ice that forms on planes. Outrigger (right) sprays water on propeller blades and various de-icers are then tested.

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SOCIAL and CLUBS

TELEPHONE 36

EASTERN STAR OFFICERS ELECTED.

Eastern Star chapter met at Masonic hall Tuesday evening for election of officers. Mrs. Fred Steffey, worthy matron, opened the meeting. During the business session officers for the coming year were elected as follows:

Worthy Matron, Mrs. Laula Smart; worthy patron, Fred Steffey; associate matron, Mrs. Irene Britain; associate patron, Joe Britain; secretary, Mrs. Mary E. Brown; treasurer, Mrs. Ruby Huffman; conductress, Mrs. Nora Dean; associate conductress, Mrs. Selma Tableman.

Other officers appointed were: Chaplain, Mrs. Anna David Wat-

son; Marshall, Mrs. Eva Crawford; organist, Miss Ethel Mae Wilson; Ada, Mrs. Sarah Ann Farmer; Ruth, Mrs. Loris Clark; Esther, Mrs. Velma Thurman; Electa, Mrs. Lillian Hansen; Martha, Mrs. Ronola King; warder, Mrs. Reba Steffey; sentinel, L. D. Wilson.

Committees were named as follows: Instruction, Mrs. Reba Steffey, Mrs. Selma Tableman, Mrs. Lillian Hansen; examining, Anna D. Watson and Mary E. Brown; sick, Mrs. Doris Clark, Mrs. Anna David Watson and Mrs. Irene Hallmark; decorations, Mrs. Reba Steffey, Mrs. Nona Dean and Mrs. Hattie McNeely; program, Mrs. Nona Dean, Mrs. Lillian Hansen, Mrs. Ruby Huffman, refreshments, Mrs. Irene Britain, Mrs. Velma Thurman, Mrs. Gladys Byrd, Miss Ethel Mae Wilson, Mrs. Emma Leigh Culp, Mrs. Margaret King; publicity, Miss Ethel Mae Wilson.

Out-of-town members attending were Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Karkalis of Eastland, Mrs. Swartz of Baird and Mrs. E. H. Roberts of Dallas.

Officers will be installed May 31.

COUNCIL GROUP ONE WITH MRS. MOORE.

Group one of First Christian church council met with Mrs. Rex Moore Tuesday afternoon. The meeting opened with group singing of "Love Lifted Me," followed with prayer by Mrs. James Haynie. Mrs. J. F. Benedict brought the devotional and a short business session was held. Minutes were read by Mrs. Sam Kimmel. Routine business was transacted and the meeting closed with prayer.

A social hour was held and refreshments were passed to Mrs. J. F. Benedict, Mrs. James Haynie, Mrs. W. R. Huestis, Mrs. Sam Kimmel, Mrs. C. R. West, Mrs. J. R. Wright, Mrs. J. S. Mobley, Pattie Nell Haynie and Mrs. Moore.

MRS. A. F. ASHENHUST HOSTESS TO CIRCLE.

Circle four of First Baptist women's missionary union met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. A. F. Ashenhust. The meeting opened with prayer by Mrs. C. A. Williams and in the absence of Mrs.

H. N. Lyle. Mrs. Kate Richardson served as chairman. Minutes were read by Mrs. N. S. New and plans were made for carrying out assignment of sewing for hospitals. Carj of thanks from Mrs. E. J. Poe for administering during bereavement was read by the secretary.

Offering was made for endowment pledge, following which Mrs. J. R. Burnett brought the Bible lesson from the Book of Psalms. A chain of prayer for men and women in uniform closed the meeting.

Those present were Mrs. J. R. Burnett, Mrs. Wm. Isenhower, Mrs. R. T. Porter, Mrs. C. A. Williams, Mrs. N. S. New, Mrs. Kate Richardson and Mrs. Ashenhust.

MISS SYLVIA HAZEL YWA HOSTESS.

Young women's auxiliary of First Baptist WMU met in the home of Miss Sylvia Hazel Tuesday evening. Mrs. E. L. Pugh, co-sponsor, had charge of the

Bible lesson and Miss Dorothy Neil Pugh brought the devotional. Mrs. A. B. Cooper of circle three was a visitor. A short business session was held and minutes were read by Miss Bettie Jean Guthrie.

Refreshments were passed to Misses Bettie Grist, Wanda Nelms, Jeanette Burnam, Mary and Lois Hay, Dorothy Neil Pugh, Louise Norris, Bettie Jean Guthrie, Billie Jean Hall, Mrs. E. L. Pugh, Mrs. W. D. Hazel and the hostess Miss Sylvia Hazel.

MRS. TROY POWELL GROUP HOSTESS.

Mrs. Troy Powell was hostess to group two of First Christian church council in her home Tuesday night with Mrs. Lonnie Shockley presiding. The meeting opened with the Lord's prayer and in the absence of Miss Ethel Mae Wilson, the Bible lesson from second epistle of John was read by Mrs. Shockley.

Plans were completed for serving luncheon to a local club and

routine business was transacted. The meeting closed by all repeating the missionary benediction.

During the social hour the hostess served refreshments to Mrs.

Lonnie Shockley, Mrs. Ida Painter, Miss Alice Bacon, Mrs. Callie W. McAfee, Mrs. C. Hester, Mrs. George Swartz, Miss Olga Fay Ford and Mrs. H. H. Davis.

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Go To Church Sunday
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BRIEFLY TOLD

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Clements and sons Homer Joe and Bobby Gene Clements of Denver City are spending their vacation here in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clements.

Sgt. and Mrs. James Wheeler of Big Spring spent the weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Lawrence.

Mrs. W. J. Armstrong is expected to arrive today from Collingswood, N. J., where she was called

March 19 by the death of her mother, Mrs. W. R. Robinson. Mrs. Armstrong remained for a visit with her sister and family.

Mrs. C. M. Nichols of Glenrose is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Fryar of Stephenville visited in the home of their daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Sanders over the weekend.

Mrs. Thomas B. Smartt of San Diego, Calif., arrived the first of the week for a visit in the home

of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Clark. Mrs. Smartt is the former Miss Lucile Clark.

Mrs. Martha Jo Hull of Dallas visited her small son Sunday in the home of her mother Mrs. Bessie Pass and her aunt Miss Minnie Eppler.

Mrs. R. L. Clinton and Mrs. E. C. Waddell of Putnam visited Mrs. Una Lovelady here Tuesday.

S. M. Shelton and Jim Shelton and son James Howard Shelton of Abilene spent Sunday here with Mrs. Ida Shelton.

Word received by the parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Parks, Sr., from Aviation Cadet S. B. Parks stated he has been transferred

from Livermore, Calif., to Corpus Christi for advanced training and expects to receive his wings in June. Cadet Parks is commander of his company.

L. A. Warren and C. R. West made a business trip to Dallas Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Hyatt and his sister Mrs. S. R. Wood of Austin and their daughters-in-law Mrs. John C. Hyatt of Chicago arrived

Wednesday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hyatt and other relatives.

Bill Philpott has returned to A&M college after visiting a few days in the home of his mother Mrs. Barton Philpott.

Mrs. Clifton Stiles and son left today for Atlanta, Ga., where they will join their husband and father, Pvt. Clifton Stiles.

Mrs. L. M. Thompson of Fort Worth arrived Monday for a visit with her friend Mrs. Gerald Merket.

Mrs. Glen Hightower, who is making her home in Cisco with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hyatt, for the duration, was delighted to receive a mother's day gift of a lovely bouquet from her husband, Corp. Glen Hightower,

who is with the army in Italy.

Mrs. Richard Turknett who underwent major surgery at Graham sanitarium last week was able to be moved to her home on west Eighteenth street Wednesday.

Mrs. Lloyd Williams of Baird is a patient in Graham sanitarium where she underwent major surgery Tuesday. Mr. Williams and their small daughter visited her

today. Mrs. Williams is a niece of S. B. Parks of Cisco.

BACK PRO DRIVE.
FT. WORTH, May 18.—The current prohibition drive today had the endorsement of the Fort Worth district of the Methodist church and petitions for a local option election were in the hands of 38 Methodist ministers in this area.

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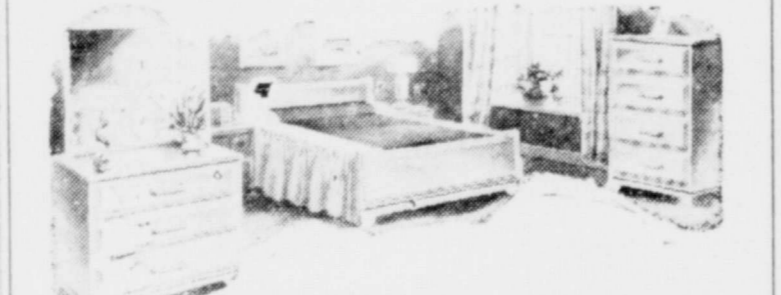


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