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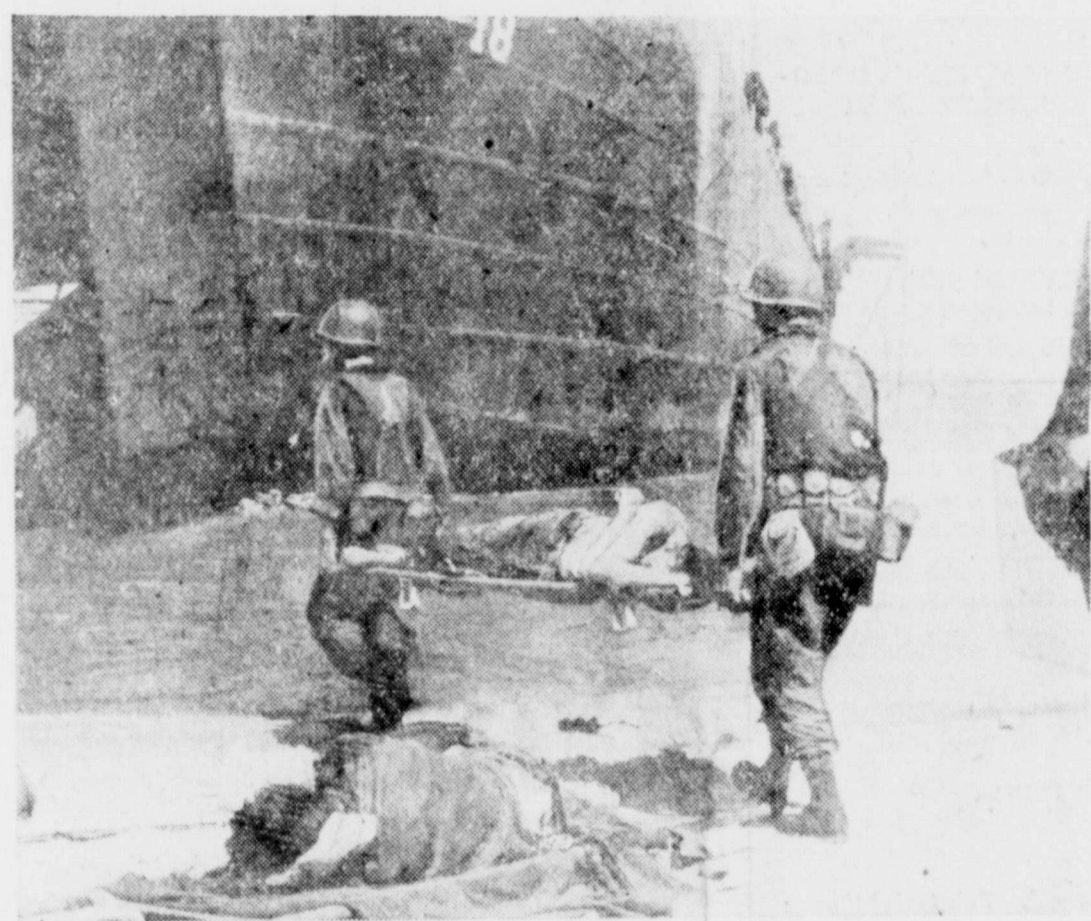
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Eight of every 10 men accepted for armed services had physical defects. Selective Service Director Hershey will tell Senate subcommittee next week. How these eight were made fit will be told by surgeon general of navy, Admiral Ross T. McIntyre. Committee members may ask why similar miracles were not performed on thousands of rejects. Hearings, presided over by Sen. Claude Pepper, will pave way for legislation he plans to assure full post-war use of wartime hospitals, clinics.

Some Republican congressmen with strong labor vote in their districts worry about William Green's outspoken disappointment over GOP platform. They'll ask Dewey to say something calculated to bring part, at least, of labor vote back into Republican fold. And Green has indicated he'll be listening. Republicans had discounted CIO vote but thought they could count on strong support from AFL.

Speaker Sam Rayburn has slight edge on vice presidential nomination today, insiders say. Theory is his selection might help heal rift in party in Texas. Otherwise, politicians approach vice presidential problem on negative basis. Who'll do least harm to ticket. They think Wallace would harm it most. Wallace's only strength today, in party council, is failure of conservatives to agree on one man to make the race.

A "blackout" on news of Army's personal affairs branch has been ordered at the instigation of Red Cross. Public-relations officers have been instructed not to originate any news of the branch or to stimulate news stories about it. Red Cross complained that people who read of widespread activities of the branch were demanding to know what Red Cross was doing in that line. Red Cross officials feared reduced contributions.

### A GREAT MAN PASSES.

DALLAS, July 8.—Dr. George W. Truett, 77, former president of the Baptist World Alliance and pastor of Dallas' First Baptist church for almost 47 years, died here Friday night. Dr. Truett—schoolmaster, minister, orator—who was snatched by an enthusiastic congregation from a contemplated career as a criminal lawyer, earned the title "Prince of Preachers" from the Southern Baptist church and became a great name in Baptistdom. The funeral oration will be by Dr. Louis Newton, Altanta, Ga., pastor, at services to be held in the auditorium of First Baptist church at 4 p. m. Monday. Robert H. Coleman, Dr. Truett's assistant for many years, will be in charge of services.

## BRITISH SECOND ARMY MOWS WAY INTO CAEN'S OUTER DEFENSES; HAND-TO-HAND FIGHT

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, July 8.—The British Second Army stormed the defenses of Caen at daybreak Saturday in a determined effort to clear the road to Paris, 120 miles to the east, and two hours later were said to be battling deep in the Axis line against bitter resistance. An Allied broadcast said the Second Army attained its initial objectives and captured four villages in the first hours of the drive.

At the center of the Normandy front, field dispatches said American forces occupied St. Jean-De-Daye, eight miles north of St. Lo, and Goucheville, a mile and a half to the north-east, without opposition and knocked out four tanks in an armored engagement south of St. Jean. The enemy appeared to be wavering, dispatches said.

Striking in the wake of a 2300-ton aerial attack and one of the heaviest artillery barrages of the Normandy campaign, British and Canadian troops plunged into the burning suburbs of Caen on a broad front and began a showdown battle that may determine the length of the war in the west.

Ronald Clark, U. P. correspondent, reported from the front that fierce hand-to-hand fighting was raging at key points deep inside the enemy's so-called Byron Line of fortified villages on the approaches to Caen, the Germans' eastern anchor athwart the Cherbourg-Paris highway and railroad.

Gen. Bernard Montgomery unleashed his climactic offensive against the strongest-held sector of the whole Normandy front, defended by nearly seven crack enemy panzer divisions, 1400 tanks and 84,000 men at full strength. But Montgomery never makes a full-scale effort unless he believes he has a better than even chance of success, and he has had nearly five weeks in which to build up his forces.

Spitfires escorted the RAF Halifaxes and Lancasters in their attack on enemy concentrations north of Caen. Returning pilots said the bombing was most concentrated and told of seeing "a tremendous explosion." The raiders met strong anti-aircraft fire over the Caen area and at least one and possibly more were lost.

LONDON.—Berlin reported Saturday that the Germans had evacuated Baranowicz, central keystone base of the wrecked Nazi defense line across Poland and gateway of the historic invasion route westward to Warsaw and Germany.

The Nazi-acknowledged fall of Baranowicz, rail hub 75 miles southwest of Minsk, opened the way to the Red army for a westward push through Bialystock and Bhest Litovsk which would turn the German fortifications both north and south of the Baranowicz gap above the Pripet Marshes.

North of Baranowicz 100 miles, the Nazis reported violent fighting in the outer fringes of Wilno, capital of Soviet Lithuania, indicating that fast moving Russian assault forces had laid siege to that city some 85 miles from East Prussia.

Russian sources here said the Germans had imposed rigid restrictions that amounted to martial law on Wilno after a wave of sabotage and attacks on German soldiers.

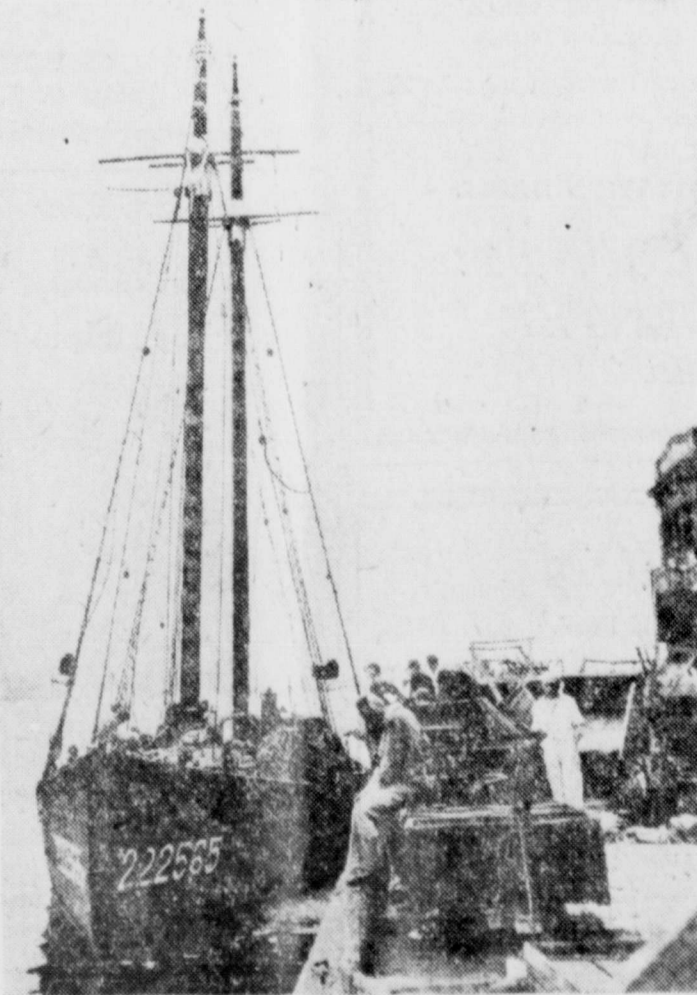
Military observers saw no sign that the Germans would fare any better at Wilno than they did at Minsk, Baranowicz and dozens of other strongholds overrun in the greatest Red Army offensive of the war.

WASHINGTON.—Mighty B-29 Super-Fortresses struck a hard blow at Japanese supply bases in occupied China, pounded the third largest naval base on the Japanese mainland with a heavy weight of bombs, and smashed again at the steel center of Yawata.

In a new communique on the second raid of the flying battleships, the 20th Bomber Command revealed that they had struck at Laoyao, a coal and supply shipping port on the north coast of China, and Hankow, major Japanese base inland, in addition to targets on the Japanese mainland.

The communique said the heaviest weight of bombs had been dropped on Sasebo, great Japanese naval base on the island of Kyushu and important as a fleet repair center for the warships American naval forces have been pounding during the past month.

The communique also revealed that Omura, a vital war industry center south of Sasebo, had been hit by the Fortresses. The attack on Omura had not been previously reported.



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### BRIEFLY TOLD

Mrs. Carl Ellis and children of Andrews are visiting her sister and brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Bob Latimer. Mrs. Ellis will be remembered as the former Miss Thelma Price who lived here with her parents Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Price during the oil boom. She was visited today by a former schoolmate Mrs. Herschell Bassett and children of Eastland.

Wedding invitations have been received by relatives and friends in Cisco announcing the approaching marriage of Worth Tyler Daniel and Miss Virginia Grace Englemann which will be held at First Presbyterian church, St. Louis, Saturday, July 8.

Mrs. George Blackwell and Mrs. Edward Blackwell of Gorman visited their sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Harrell, at their home on D avenue Thursday.

Mrs. R. L. Shaw returned to Houston today after spending the

past two weeks with her sister Mrs. J. E. Spencer and other relatives in Cisco. She was accompanied home by her niece, Mary Jeanette Poe.

Miss Margaret Ann McDonald, who has been a guest of Miss Marilyn Shertzer, left this week for Austin where she will study at Texas University during the summer.

J. C. Donica has returned from a visit with relatives at Springfield, Mo.

Loyal women's class of First Christian church will meet at the church tonight at 7:30 and go on an outing and steak fry. All members are expected to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Slaughter of near Dublin visited in the home of his brother and wife Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Slaughter on the fourth. They were accompanied home by their niece Mrs. Fulton Largent.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wilson and

daughter Maricille have returned to St. Louis after a visit with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Levi Wilson.

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Rev. and Mrs. H. J. Starnes of Eastland were among those attending the workers' conference of Cisco Baptist association here Thursday.

Miss Nannie Daniel of near Eastland is a guest of her sister Mrs. Mattie Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sandler and son Melvin have returned from a trip to Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Caudle are expected here Saturday from Col-

umbia, Ind., for a visit with her mother Mrs. John Shertzer and sister Miss Marilyn Shertzer.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rees and children have returned to McGregor after visiting her stepmother Mrs. J. G. Boggs and other members of the family.

Joseph Courtney and sons Joe and Danny of Fort Worth visited relatives in Cisco the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Thorp of San Antonio visited in the home of his uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Watson today.

Miss Zella Lynn Sandier has returned from Fort Worth, Dallas and Oklahoma City, where she visited relatives. She was accompanied home by her cousins,

Misses Marian and Joan Sandler of Oklahoma City. The three girls, together with another cousin, Widney Gillian of Dallas, are house guests of their grandmother, Mrs. M. E. Goldberg.

Miss LaUna Cook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Cook, came in this week from Cincinnati, O., where she is a bank employe and underwent major surgery at Graham sanitarium today. She is reported doing as well as can be expected.

Mrs. W. L. Parmer is a patient in Brown sanitarium where she is receiving treatment for spinal injuries received April 1. Mrs. Parmer was struck by a west bound

passenger train while driving her car at the crossing on east Sixth street.

Sgt. Albert Snider of Fort Monroe, Va., is visiting his sister and brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Thomas.

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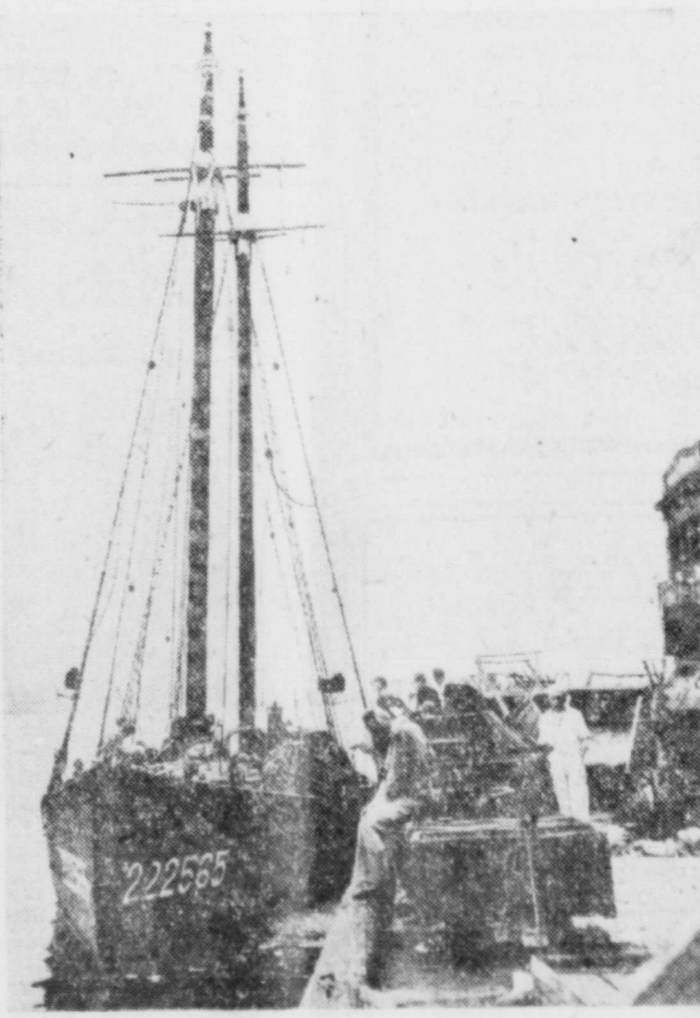
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## FAILURE OF E BOND QUOTAS SHOCKS

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Eight of every 10 men accepted for armed services had physical defects. Selective Service Director Hershey will tell Senate subcommittee next week. How these eight were made fit will be told by surgeon general of navy, Admiral Ross T. McIntyre. Committee members may ask why similar miracles were not performed on thousands of rejects. Hearings, presided over by Sen. Claude Pepper, will pave way for legislation he plans to assure full post-war use of wartime hospitals, clinics.

Some Republican congressmen with strong labor vote in their districts worry about William Green's outspoken disappointment over GOP platform. They'll ask Dewey to say something calculated to bring part, at least, of labor vote back into Republican fold. And Green has indicated he'll be listening. Republicans had discounted CIO vote but thought they could count on strong support from AFL.

Speaker Sam Rayburn has slight edge on vice presidential nomination today, insiders say. Theory is his selection might help heal rift in party in Texas. Otherwise, politicians approach vice presidential problem on negative basis. Who'll do least harm to ticket. They think Wallace would harm it most. Wallace's only strength today, in party council, is failure of conservatives to agree on one man to make the race.

A "blackout" on news of Army's personal affairs branch has been ordered at the instigation of Red Cross. Public-relations officers have been instructed not to originate any news of the branch or to stimulate news stories about it. Red Cross complained that people who read of widespread activities of the branch were demanding to know what Red Cross was doing in that line. Red Cross officials feared reduced contributions.

### A GREAT MAN PASSES.

DALLAS, July 8.—Dr. George W. Truett, 77, former president of the Baptist World Alliance and pastor of Dallas' First Baptist church for almost 47 years, died here Friday night. Dr. Truett—schoolmaster, minister, orator—who was snatched by an enthusiastic congregation from a contemplated career as a criminal lawyer, earned the title "Prince of Preachers" from the Southern Baptist church and became a great name in Baptistdom. The funeral oration will be by Dr. Louis Newton, Atlanta, Ga., pastor, at services to be held in the auditorium of First Baptist church at 4 p. m. Monday. Robert H. Coleman, Dr. Truett's assistant for many years, will be in charge of services.

## BRITISH SECOND ARMY MOWS WAY INTO CAEN'S OUTER DEFENSES; HAND-TO-HAND FIGHT

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, July 8.—The British Second Army stormed the defenses of Caen at daybreak Saturday in a determined effort to clear the road to Paris, 120 miles to the east, and two hours later were said to be battling deep in the Axis line against bitter resistance. An Allied broadcast said the Second Army attained its initial objectives and captured four villages in the first hours of the drive.

At the center of the Normandy front, field dispatches said American forces occupied St. Jean-De-Daye, eight miles north of St. Lo, and Goucherie, a mile and a half to the northeast, without opposition and knocked out four tanks in an armored engagement south of St. Jean. The enemy appeared to be wavering, dispatches said.

Striking in the wake of a 2,300-ton aerial attack and one of the heaviest artillery barrages of the Normandy campaign, British and Canadian troops plunged into the burning suburbs of Caen on a broad front and began a show-down battle that may determine the length of the war in the west.

Ronald Clark, U. P. correspondent, reported from the front that fierce hand-to-hand fighting was raging at key points deep inside the enemy's so-called Byron Line of fortified villages on the approaches to Caen, the Germans' eastern anchor athwart the Cherbourg-Paris highway and railroad.

Gen. Bernard Montgomery unleashed his climactic offensive against the strongest-held sector of the whole Normandy front, defended by nearly seven crack enemy panzer divisions, 1,400 tanks and 84,000 men at full strength. But Montgomery never makes a full-scale effort unless he believes he has a better than even chance of success, and he has had nearly five weeks in which to build up his forces.

Spitfires escorted the RAF Halifaxes and Lancasters in their attack on enemy concentrations north of Caen. Returning pilots said the bombing was most concentrated and told of seeing "a tremendous explosion." The raiders met strong anti-aircraft fire over the Caen area and at least one and possibly more were lost.

LONDON.—Berlin reported Saturday that the Germans had evacuated Baranowicz, central keystone base of the wrecked Nazi defense line across Poland and gateway of the historic invasion route westward to Warsaw and Germany.

The Nazi-acknowledged fall of Baranowicz, rail hub 75 miles southwest of Minsk, opened the way to the Red Army for a westward push through Bialystok and Brest Litovsk which would turn the German fortifications both north and south of the Baranowicz gap above the Priepet Marshes.

North of Baranowicz 100 miles, the Nazis reported violent fighting in the outer fringes of Wilno, capital of Soviet Lithuania, indicating that fast moving Russian assault forces had laid siege to that city some 85 miles from East Prussia.

Russian sources here said the Germans had imposed rigid restrictions that amounted to martial law on Wilno after a wave of sabotage and attacks on German soldiers.

Military observers saw no sign that the Germans would fare any better at Wilno than they did at Minsk, Baranowicz and dozens of other strongholds overrun in the greatest Red Army offensive of the war.

WASHINGTON.—Mighty B-29 Super-Fortresses struck a hard blow at Japanese supply bases in occupied China, pounded the third largest naval base on the Japanese mainland with a heavy weight of bombs, and smashed again at the steel center of Yawata.

In a new communique on the second raid of the flying battleships, the 20th Bomber Command revealed that they had struck at Laoyao, a coal and supply shipping port on the north coast of China, and Hankow, major Japanese base inland, in addition to targets on the Japanese mainland.

The communique said the heaviest weight of bombs had been dropped on Sasebo, great Japanese naval base on the island of Kyushu and important as a fleet repair center for the warships American naval forces have been pounding during the past month.

The communique also revealed that Omura, a vital war industry center south of Sasebo, had been hit by the Fortresses. The attack on Omura had not been previously reported.



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**PUBLIC LIBRARY AND XXTH CENTURY CLUB.**

Cisco's XXth Century club was organized in April, 1938, and joined the state and district federations the following year. It is the oldest club in the county and among the oldest in the state. It is said the motive for organizing was self-government, but that soon the vision was broadened to "not for self alone, but for service to others."

The club has organized a number of other clubs: First Industrial Arts club, Cisco Music Study club, Junior XXth Century club, City Federation and Cisco Garden club. It has also organized clubs in nearby communities.

Early in its history it became custodian of the Cisco public library. Frank Vernon, editor of the old Cisco Round-Up, envisioned a public library for Cisco. He contributed a copy of Lew Wallace's "Ben Hur," which he told his wife would be the first volume of that library. Failing in health, he made the XXth Century club custodian of his "dream" library of about 250 volume, stipulating

maintenance of the high standard of books he desired for the library. The club has kept faith. Every penny of funds accruing from rental of books goes into the purchase of new books which are carefully selected by a committee of club members.

Difficulty of housing the library caused members to determine to have a permanent home for the Cisco public library. In order to secure the necessary funds the club for several years sponsored a lyceum course, gave home talent plays and frequently delved into their own pocket books. With the first \$450 a lot was purchased on west Sixth street on which a one-room building was erected to house some 2,000 volumes. The site was later purchased by the government for our modern post-office building.

The present site of the library building was bought with money paid by the government, to which was added a generous gift of \$500 from Mrs. J. E. Chesley. The present library building was then erected and furnished for a home for the Cisco public library, which now has 8,000 volumes.

It is the desire of the club that a public library be a source of enjoyment and pride for every man, woman, boy and girl in Cisco.

**DEMONSTRATION CLUB MET THURSDAY.**

Word home demonstration club

met Thursday afternoon in the Dunlap home on west Ninth street with Mrs. M. P. Farnsworth presiding. Roll was called and minutes read by Mrs. Ernest Schaefer, secretary. Roll call response required the member to display an article made by her from a cloth sack. Miss Willie Word conducted a recreational period.

Following the business period the meeting was turned to Miss Myra Tankersley who brought an instructive and practical lesson on poultry.

During the social hour refreshments were passed to Mrs. Clint Britain, Mrs. Billy Bacon, Miss Alice Bacon, Mrs. W. C. Clements, Mrs. Roy Fenley, Mrs. D. P. King, Mrs. M. P. Farnsworth, Mrs. Ernest Schaefer, Mrs. J. M. Witten, Miss Willie Word, Mrs. Jesse Youngblood, Miss Myra Tankersley, Mrs. Dunlap and a visitor, Mrs. W. A. Taylor.

**SEAMAN N. M. COATS HONORED BY FAMILY.**

A family party was held Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Coats, honoring their son N. M. Coats who is home for a visit from a year's stay in the southwest Pacific. Conversation was the main feature of entertainment during the evening.

Refreshments were passed to N. M. Coats, first class seaman, San Diego; Mr. and Mrs. Lois Comp and family, Hobbs, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Luke Pippen and

family, Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Pippen, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Pippen, Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Pippen and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Pippen, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pippen and family, Mrs. Venita Drury and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Coats and daughter.

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**ANONYMOUS POLITICS**

My attention has been called to the fact that photostatic copies of a certificate by the Secretary of State relating to the political affiliation of Mr. W. B. Starr have been mailed at Ranger. These were clandestinely mailed by someone during the night of June 27th or the early hours of June 28th. I had nothing whatever to do with this, either directly or indirectly.

Evidently this was done by someone with the belief that the Ranger postmark on the envelopes would injure me, since Ranger is my residence, and further to leave the impression that I would strike below the belt. I denounce such tactics as dastardly.

The voters generally know of Mr. Starr's past political affiliations, and he has never repudiated the same. Mr. Starr has not tried to conceal the fact that he was a candidate several times of another political party. This is a matter of public record and is well known. Mr. Starr has a right to run for public office on the Socialist, Republican, Democratic or any other ticket he desires. Therefore, the clandestine mailing of these certificates at Ranger was not for the purpose of injuring Mr. Starr, but with the design to injure me.

It will be noted that the certificate in question is dated May 10th, 1944. I did not conclude to run for Representative until May 18th, the date of my announcement and filing.

I am certain in my own mind that Mr. Starr did not mail or cause to be mailed at Ranger such certificates, and I know I did not do so, directly or indirectly. I would not take such unfair advantage of any opponent of mine. Any person who would be not worthy of your vote, or the confidence of the people.

Sincerely,

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# BRIEFLY TOLD

Miss Gloria Graham, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Emmett L. Graham, arrived Saturday from New York for a visit with her parents. She was met in Fort Worth by her mother. Miss Graham is studying violin at Juillard's School of Music, New York City, and will re-enter that institution in the fall.

Miss Virginia Lou Ford will leave today for a visit with her aunt Mrs. C. F. Elliott and daughters Dorothy Jean and Carletta in Fort Worth. She will go from there to Houston for a visit with her uncle C. G. Elliott and family and will also visit friends at Bay City before returning to Cisco.

Marvin R. Leverage, former Cisco resident, is a guest of his aunts, Mrs. W. H. Odle and Mrs. M. A. Walteck. Leverage, seaman of the first class, is attached to the navy at San Luis Obispo, Calif.

The regular monthly meeting of Cisco welfare board will be held Tuesday morning at 9:30 at the chamber of commerce.

Mrs. R. H. Keener was expected to arrive Saturday from El Campo for a visit with her father, A. E. Lyle and other relatives.

N. M. Coats, first class seaman, who spent the past year in the southwest Pacific, is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Coats.

Mr. and Mrs. Lois Camp and family of Hobbs, N. M., are visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Camp at Doltan.

Mrs. C. E. Drury has received word that her husband, Sgt. C. E. Drury, a paratrooper, is in a hospital in England where he is being treated for three wounds received in Normandy.

Billye Lee Williamson of Childress arrived the past week for a visit with her cousin Miss Dana Jane Thornton.

Weldon Usery of Odessa was expected to arrive here last night from San Antonio to join his wife and son for a visit of several days.

Mr. James H. Bryant has returned to Camp Phillips, Kan., after a visit with his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hyatt.

Mrs. J. H. Hyatt returned Friday from a visit with her sister Mrs. J. E. Sullivan at Henrietta.

She was accompanied on the trip by her daughters, Mrs. Glenn Hightower and baby and Miss June Bryant.

Mrs. Blair Clark of Grand Prairie is a guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Norvell. She was accompanied to Cisco by her husband Blair Clark, who has now returned to Grand Prairie.

Mrs. Ida Lee Edwards and son Bobby of Houston are visiting her mother Mrs. Ida Shelton and other relatives in Cisco.

Lieut. and Mrs. Bailey of Abilene have moved to Cisco and are located at 601 west Ninth. He is a dentist at Camp Barkley.

Mrs. W. C. Hodges and daughter Barbara Kay of Sweetwater are guests of her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hunterman.

W. F. Hunterman, oil driller for Hackok & Reynolds, is visiting his mother at Seymour, Ind.

Cleta Mae Clark, Charles Robi-

nett and Billy Jack Harrison of Gorman were recent visitors in Cisco.

Billy Sledge, Jr., is ill at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Sledge, 402 west Eighteenth street.

Mrs. Joe Lovelady has gone to Knox City for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. C. C. Thompson of Colorado City is a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Dean.

Mrs. Bill Andrews, who is making her home at Shreveport, La., where her husband Lieut. Bill Andrews is stationed, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Greenhaw.

Bonnie Erwin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Erwin, left Saturday for Galtport, Miss., for a

visit with her sister and brother-in-law, Sgt. and Mrs. J. W. Brandon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Kiper and Miss Jessie Lou Litchfield are expected to arrive Monday from Graham where Miss Litchfield has been visiting.

Mrs. Bob Elliott has returned to Taylor after spending a few days with her husband's parents Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Elliott.

Elmo Gustafson has returned to Ft. Wayne, Ind., after a visit here with Mrs. Gustafson and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Gustafson.

Word received the past week by Mrs. W. A. Taylor from her son, Dean Solsbery, second class

seaman, on a transport ship with the Naval forces on the Atlantic, stated that he is well.

Corp. and Mrs. Jack Ledbetter were shopping in Cisco Saturday. Corporal Ledbetter who has been stationed with the air forces at Boca Raton Field, Fla., is visiting relatives here and in Scranton before going to Lincoln, Neb., where he has been transferred.

Mrs. Lewis Starr and daughter Miss Hope Starr, are expected home today from a visit with relatives in New Orleans.

W. M. Thomas joined Mrs. Thomas and their children here Friday for visit with her mother,

Mrs. W. A. Taylor before returning to their home at Anahuac, Tex. Mrs. Thomas and children came in Friday from a visit with relatives in New Mexico. Another daughter of Mrs. Taylor's, Miss Ann Taylor of Rankin, was expected for a weekend visit.

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Jesse Key of Ft. Worth is expected here today for a visit with

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He was educated at Hardin-Simmons University and the University of Texas Law School, and is recognized as a successful lawyer of the highest character and standing in his profession.

He commanded a company of the 36th Division in World War I, and is familiar with every problem affecting the veterans. Veterans of World War II will find him qualified to assist them.

He represented his District in the 42nd and 43rd Legislatures, where he took an active part in the passage of much legislation. He was the author or joint author of the oil and gas conservation laws under which the Railroad Commission regulates the production of oil and gas; also acts validating West Texas land titles; laws relating to the leasing and sale of Public School lands; the act giving cities and towns prior rights to the use of the water of Texas rivers in preference to public utilities, power companies and irrigation; and the first act creating the Big Bend Park System in far West Texas.

He also took a prominent part in the legislation for the assumption of the County Road Bonds out of the gasoline tax. He was a member of the House Committee on highways and motor traffic, and was appointed Chairman of the House sub-committee which wrote the bill, and was appointed a member of the conference committee which drafted the final bill, this being the act under which the State now operates for the assumption of County Road Bonds.

He advocated economy and reduction of expenses, and took a leading part in the movement which resulted in the State appropriation bills being reduced \$13,000,000.00. He was also interested in legislation for financing the public schools.

He has never held a full-time political office, and is not a perpetual office seeker. He is in touch with the problems of the people back home, and will bring a new viewpoint to the solution of their problems.

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Furniture and Fixtures	7,000.00
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	\$2,298,863.76
LIABILITIES	
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