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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 trappie fishing.

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PINSK FELL; GRODNO TOTTERS

BOSS GIRLS GAVE PICNIC AT THE LAKE

Girls of the Boss Manufacturing company last night honored Mrs. Caroline Schmidt of Kansas City with a going-away party in the form of a picnic at Lake Cisco. It is said to have been a delightful affair.

Mrs. Schmidt has been working for the Boss girls as an instructor since the opening of the glove plant early in March, and during that period she made a host of friends among the young women, as well as with the people of the city generally.

As a token of affection, and indicative of the warm place she has occupied in the hearts of those who have known her, Mrs. Schmidt was presented with a beautiful gift. She is leaving today for her home in Kansas City, where she will resume her duties as lady-in-waiting in the Boss plant there.

O. C. BARNHILL KILLED IN ACTION APRIL 25

The war department has informed Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Barnhill that their son, Staff Sgt. O. C. Barnhill of Cisco, was killed in action over Romania, April 25, on his 26th combat mission. He had previously been reported missing.

Sergeant Barnhill would have been 26 years of age June 6. He was born and reared here, graduated from Cisco high school in 1933 and attended Randolph College for two years. He was generally regarded as a most exemplary young man and positive news of his death was a severe shock to his bereaved wife, parents and other members of the family, as well as to a wide circle of friends and acquaintances.

The Cisco boy joined the air forces in 1942 and went overseas last November. He had been awarded three Oak Leaf clusters and the air medal.

In addition to the wife and parents, other immediate survivors include a sister, Mrs. R. F. Dolgener, Cisco; three brothers, Wayne and Carroll of the navy; Novel Barnhill, employe of Consolidated Aircraft, Ft. Worth, and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Bridges, Cisco.

The wife, the former Dan Whisenant, is now at the bedside of her father, J. T. Whisenant, in Olden, who recently sustained serious burns.



THEY DIRECTED THE BOMBING OF JAPAN—These officers of the AAF carried out the attack on Japanese industrial targets when the new B-29 super-bombers made the memorable raid and received their baptism of fire. Left to right, Brigadier General Kenneth B. Wolfe, commanding general, 20th Bomber Command; Brigadier General John E. Upston, assistant chief of staff; Brigadier General Laverne G. Saunders, wing commander.



GERMAN WEST WALL CRUMBLES—Here is a Nazi concrete gun emplacement after it was finished off by the artillery of the Allied navy. This huge long-range piece was put out of action while the Germans tried to stem the landing on D-Day. American Infantrymen took over the trophy and its users.



NEW B-29 SUPER-FORTRESS IN FLIGHT—The entire globe is the battle area of the long-range bomber of the U. S. Air Force which received its baptism of fire in the memorable attack on an industrial center of Japan. Capable of carrying a heavy load of bombs over a long distance, the great ship can do well over 300 miles an hour and has a ceiling of more than 30,000 feet. It is powered by four 18-cylinder radial air-cooled engines of 2,200 horsepower each. Inset, badge of the 20th Air Force, the newly created global command.

ODOM TELLS WIFE HE'S WELL, SAFE

Mrs. Olin Odom, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Clark, is very happy today following receipt of a letter from her husband, Second Lt. Olin O. Odom, a prisoner of the Germans.

Lieutenant Odom, 26, navigator on a B-17 plane, was forced to land in Germany, near the Swiss border on April 24. The first report reaching Cisco indicated he had been killed, but news came later that he was a prisoner.

There were no details, however, and the letter just arriving here was the first message from the lieutenant. It was written May 5 and said:

My Darling Wife: I am well and safe; uninjured and being fed enough and have a clean place to live. Don't worry. I am safe and you'll see me again—we're more sure of that now than ever before. Be strong and brave. I can take it. Look after Junior and love me as I love you. Tell family. All my love. OLIN.

HENRY LENZ IN ITALY.

Henry Drayton Lenz, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Lenz, is now in Italy and his name has been added to the Daily Press subscription list. Lenz, 29 years of age, was born at Roscoe but has lived in Cisco for the past nine years and attended Cisco schools. He is a member of the army medical corps and sailed from this country April 2, first landing in North Africa. His letters home are always cheerful and the last one indicated that everything was under perfect control in his area and steadily moving forward according to program.

MAKE APPOINTMENTS.

Hereafter the Cisco cannery will open only when appointments are made, said Mrs. Olin Odom this morning. This action is due to the fact that there is not enough cannery to justify keeping the center open full time. Appointments may be made by telephoning Mrs. Odom at 416, the day before the canning is desired.

MICHAELS INJURED.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Michaels have received word from their son, Billy Fred Michaels, that he has been injured and is now in a hospital in England. He is attached to the U. S. coast guard.

NEW WHEAT RECORD.

COLLEGE STATION, July 14.—Texas has produced its biggest wheat crop of all time and the problem now is movement of the grain. Texas A. & M. College Extension Service says field reports show a yield estimated at 70,000,000 bushels—2,000,000 bushels over the 1931 record crop—and that by the middle of this month the equivalent of 20,000 carloads will be on the ground.

HOT POLITICS.

FT. WORTH, July 14.—Marvin Bealy, candidate for state representative, was charged in justice court today with assault to murder his opponent, Lt. Marvin B. Simpson, Jr., and his father, Marvin B. Simpson, Sr. The two Simpsons suffered knife wounds in an altercation Thursday night at a political rally at Morningside School. St. Joseph's Hospital attendants report the elder Simpson's condition as serious but not critical. The younger Simpson was confined to his bed at home pending further examination by a physician.

NAZIS FALL BACK TO GERMAN SOIL BEFORE THE MIGHTIEST RED OFFENSIVE OF THE WAR

LONDON, July 14.—Berlin reported today that the Red Army had broken into the Grodno, vital hedgehog defense bastion on the approaches of East Prussia, whose 1939 border lies 20 miles due north, and that the Germans had evacuated Pinsk, last big bastion of the Pripet Marshes.

The fall of Grodno would open the way for a 45-mile Soviet push straight westward to the soil of pre-war Germany.

The Nazi Transocean News Agency also reported strong Russian tank and infantry attacks north of Grodno. The tip of the Suwalki Triangle, annexed to East Prussia by Adolf Hitler in 1939, is 20 miles due north of Grodno.

Ernst von Hammer, Berlin military commentator, said the Russians broke into Grodno twice, and were thrown back. He added that the Soviets were exerting extreme pressure on "German detaching movements near Grodno"—a likely hint that the loss of the key stronghold was expected.

The German High Command reported that Pinsk, commanding all the northwest part of the Pripet Marshes, was "evacuated in connection with our detaching movements" which now were assuming the scale of a momentous retreat in Old Poland and the Baltics.

The fall of Pinsk indicated Rokossovsky's White Russian army had completed the conquest of the Pripet swampland, and was set for a push 100 miles west against Brest Litovsk. Two other columns already were moving against the city from some 58 miles to the northeast and 97 miles to the southeast.

Germany's admissions of grave reverses on the Eastern Front indicated the defenses of Central Poland and the Baltics were falling apart under the impact of the mightiest Russian offensive of the war, and that the Nazis were preparing for the first defense of German soil.

SUPREME HEADQUARTERS, AEF. — The Germans were reported officially in general retreat behind rear guard "suicide squads" along most of the 42-mile western sector of the Normandy front today, bringing the anchor strongholds of St. Lo, Periers and Lessay under threat of early capture. An American outflanking column seized the highest ridge overlooking St. Lo, hinge of the enemy line guarding the invasion roads to central Normandy, from the east, but a front dispatch from James McGlinchey, U. P. correspondent, said the frontal assault on the fortress town from the northeast had rolled to a temporary halt a little more than a mile away.

The Americans reached a village a mile from the edge of St. Lo in bloody fighting late yesterday afternoon, but later withdrew 200 yards to less exposed positions and dug in, apparently to await the arrival of other forces storming down from the north and northwest against lighter resistance for a general assault on the hilltop citadel. The attack from the northwest was resumed this morning along both banks of the Vire river after a number of German rear guard counter-attacks were beaten off during the night, McGlinchey said.

STOCKHOLM.—Underneath the blasts of excuses and doubletalk with which they daily deluge the home front in an effort to cloak the extent of the Red Army's crushing advance in the Baltics, the Germans are deeply worried.

Obviously, the impending fate of the 400,000 Nazi troops about to be encircled in Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania, when the Russians drive their wedge beyond Lithuania into East Prussia threatening the capture of the important Baltic port and naval base of Koenigsberg, is the cause of this concern.

Nazi spokesmen Thursday, for example, were talking themselves hoarse about the "necessity for shortening the Eastern Front" preparatory to starting a later offensive. Their retreat, said they, solemnly, was merely a withdrawal "for correction of the northern flank . . . a retreat in order to march up offensively."

Reports from the Baltic states tell how wholesale evacuations are reaching the near panic stage both in the Baltics and East Prussia. Party officials are following up the escape of their families and friends with movement of furniture and personal property. Even foreign slave workers are being shipped westward into Germany proper, as the threat to Nazi soil grows hourly.



EDGAR ALTOM.

When I announced my candidacy for the office of district clerk, I realized I was asking you to elect me to one of the most important offices in our county, and that you have a right to know something of me and my qualifications to fill this position.

I am 46 years of age and have lived in Eastland county for the past 30 years. I married Ada Mae, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Poe of Cisco. We are the parents of two children, Garner Altom with the army at Ft. Lewis, Wash., and Mrs. Donald C. Tow, whose husband is with the Marines in the southwest Pacific.

I received the education I have in the schools of Eastland county, including Britain's Training School of Cisco. I also taught in the public schools of Eastland county and for several years before moving to Eastland, lived in the Pleasant Hill community, where we owned and operated our own farm.

For the past seven years, preceding May 17 this year, when I resigned to make this race, I have been employed as a deputy in the tax-assessor-collector's office, and feel that these many years' experience in clerical work amply qualifies me for the office of district clerk.

I am only asking for a promotion, and if elected, I shall serve you to the best of my ability.

Due to time and gas rationing in an effort to win this awful war as quickly as possible, it will be impossible for me to see all of you, and I trust you will consider this a personal solicitation for your support, of which I shall be very grateful. Sincerely yours, EDGAR ALTOM.

MEMORIAL SERVICE SUNDAY.

Memorial services for Raymond Nelson, who was killed in France, June 16, will be held at Twelfth-st. Methodist church, Cisco, at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, with Rev. Seba Kirkpatrick and Rev. Loeman Anderson officiating. The young man is a son of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Nelson of Eastland and other survivors are his wife and 6-month-old son, three sisters and a brother.

CISCO AN HAD OPERATION IN FAROFF HAWAII

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. D. Johnston received a letter today from Lieut. Forrest Mobley stating that their son, Lieut. James W. Johnston, is in a hospital in Hawaii following an emergency operation for appendicitis.

The two Cisco young men arrived in Hawaii only a few weeks ago. Johnston is an aviation navigator and Mobley, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Mobley, is a finance officer.

The letter said Lieut. Johnston was receiving the best of care and getting along nicely.

ANNUAL RED CROSS MEETING AUGUST THIRD

Annual meeting of Eastland county chapter, American Red Cross, will be held in Eastland county court house the afternoon of August 3. Any person in the county who has contributed as much as \$1 during the past year is automatically a member and is entitled to attend the annual meeting. Election of officers and committee chairman will take place at this time.

Local branch organizations of the county chapter are requested to hold their branch annual meeting before August 3, when their election of officers and chairman will take place. The governing body of the county chapter is the executive committee, county committee chairman and branch committee chairman of Cisco, Ranger, Gorman, Rising Star and Carbon branches. According to the constitution all officers and chairman are elected for one year. The men are elected for one year. The committee on nominations shall be appointed by the chairman ten days prior to the annual meeting and shall present nominations for the board of directors and for chapter officers at the annual meeting.

DRY ELECTION OF AUGUST 5 WARMING UP

DALLAS, July 14.—Rev. Preston Pope Reynolds, prohibitionist, preacher and lawyer, has challenged the right of Roy Coffee to be president of the Dallas Bar association while he serves as chairman of the newly formed Dallas County Legal Control

Council which opposes the attempt to dry up Dallas in a local option election called for Aug. 5.

"Many high-minded members of the Dallas and Texas bars are shocked," Reynolds told Coffee in a letter which the lawyer-preacher made public.

"Don't you think you should have submitted your resignation before becoming identified with the wets?"

Reynolds alleged that the Legal Control Council was a smoke screen hiding liquor and beer interests opposed to the local option election.

MCCANLIES IN ILLINOIS.

John L. McCanlies, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Shelby H. McCanlies, 808 H avenue, Cisco, is receiving his initial naval indoctrination at the Great Lakes, Ill., training center. The Ciscoan's "boot" training consists of instruction in seamanship, military drill and general naval procedure. During this period a series of aptitude tests will be taken by McCanlies to determine whether he will be assigned to a naval service school or to immediate active sea duty. His recruit training completed, McCanlies will spend a period of leave at home.

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FOR SALE — Four short store counters and tables; seven-tube radio, \$20. Mrs. W. E. McWhorter, 710 W. Tenth street. 223

FOR SALE—Two-year old roan riding filly, also saddle, bridle and blanket. 609 W. Fourth street. 222

WE HAVE AMMUNITION for farmers and ranchers. Collins Hardware. 222

FOR SALE or TRADE — 1936 Chevrolet coach, good tires, for cheaper car. Dobbins Garage, east Sixth. 223

FOR SALE—100 sheets 12-foot galvanized iron, new; three heavy stock gates; 40 to 50 cedar posts; small galvanized iron stock tank, or knee tub; electric fence charger, practically new. H. H. Tompkins. Phones 500, 223 or 206, Cisco. 221

WANTED—Night waitress. Call at Del Rue Cafe. 223

FOR SALE — Teeter baby chair for baby age three months to one year; play pen pad. Call 644. 221

FOUND — Knitting bag with initials D.L.M. Call at Glenn Furniture Store. 221

FOR SALE or TRADE — 1937 Plymouth coupe, good tires; also 1935 Chevrolet coach. Dobbins Garage. 223

JUST RECEIVED two six-cup wood stoves. Collins Hardware. 222

FOR SALE — Rabbits, 50 and 75 cents. Lovell and Blair Paul. Phone 680. 221

FOR SALE—1936 Dodge coupe. C. M. Clinton at railroad crossing 3 miles south Moran. 221

FOR SALE — Registered Herefords, ten 2-year-old Publican Domino heifers, with 2-year-old Real Prince bull. The foundation for a real herd. Young bulls for sale. F. E. Harrell. 223

WANTED—Apartment with private bath or small house. References. Phone 281. 221

GALVANIZED garbage cans with lock lid. \$1.98. Collins Hardware. 222

FOR SALE—Ideal town cow, two years old, no calf. Shobal Houston. 221

STRAW HATS—Ladies, men's and children's. Shobe's Auto Supply. 221

LAWN CHAIRS—At Shobe's Auto Supply. 221

GENUINE ODOR WARDROBES —With mirrored doors. Shobe's Auto Supply. 221

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

FOR SALE — Six-room house, bath, garage; all kinds fruit and berries. 1408 Sixth street (Park Drive), Cisco, Texas. 221

WANTED—Make-up and ad man able to operate casting box; five days a week; good pay and good working conditions. Could use draft-exempt apprentice with some make-up and casting box experience. Cisco Daily Press. Telephone 36.

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EDWIN POSEY HONORED WITH PARTY TUESDAY.

Harold Rupe, Reese and Fairy Lynn Huddleston entertained with a party in the Huddleston home Tuesday evening honoring Edwin Posey who is leaving soon to join the naval forces where he will be

attached to the submarine division. Games and contests were entertaining features of the evening and a lively contest, "Leap Year," which concluded the hour of fun, was won by Karl Armstrong and Mayonne Lomax. Edwin Posey was presented with a farewell gift.

Mrs. Huddleston was assisted by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Freeman, in serving refreshments of punch and cookies to Edwin Posey, Karl Armstrong, Mayonne Lomax, Clinton Posey, Eloy Clegg, Hazel and Lou Jean

Coax, Jessie Lou Litchfield, Jesse Tollison, Betty Flaherty, Margaret Hoag, Wanda Hibbert, Frances, Wanda and Yvonne Johnson, Dorothy Jean Watson, Bettie Sue Armstrong, Norma Jean Cropper, Jere and Jack Myrick, Mack Harrelson, Melvin Proctor, Emma Lee Joyner, Alice Farley, Billy Dobbins, Carl Rupe, Fairy Lynn Huddleston, Harold Rupe and Reese Huddleston.

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY AT CHURCH TUESDAY.

Women's auxiliary of First

Presbyterian church met at the church Tuesday afternoon for an inspirational program, with Mrs. E. P. Crawford, president, in charge. Following the opening hymn and prayer, Rev. O. L. Savage was presented in a splendid address, "One Body, We." The circles then repaired to their various rooms for short business sessions and at the close re-assembled and went in a body with their packages to the manse where they surprised Mr. and Mrs. Savage with an old-fashioned "pounding." The splendid array of foods was

graciously received by the pastor and wife, who were indeed greatly surprised and appreciative at being favored by the group in this way.

FIRST BAPTIST WMU HAD MISSION PROGRAM.

Women's missionary union of First Baptist church met Tuesday afternoon in a general meeting at the church. Circle five was in charge of the program. The meeting opened with a hymn, followed with prayer by Mrs. Paul Poe.

Mrs. Milton Sargent directed an

interesting program on mission work in the islands of the Pacific. Those assisting in giving program parts were Mrs. Ina Pyle Martin, who brought the devotional; Mrs. E. J. Poe and Mrs. Troy Stewart. Prayers were offered by Mrs. Cooper Waters and Mrs. O. L. Mason.

Those present were Mrs. Paul Poe, Mrs. L. A. Harrison, Mrs. E. J. Poe, Mrs. Milton Sargent, Mrs. Troy Stewart, Mrs. Ina Pyle Martin, Mrs. W. C. Clements, Mrs. Algie Skiles, Mrs. Cooper Waters, Mrs. W. D. Hazel, Mrs. O. L. Mason, Mrs. C. A. Farquhar, Mrs. O. G. Lawson, Mrs. A. D. Estes, Mrs. M. F. Underwood, Mrs. A. R. Day and Mrs. J. E. Burnam.



POST WAR SPORT—This is what Grace Johnson (left) and Ruth Roman of Los Angeles, Cal., are going to do with rubber life rafts when they're no longer needed for military purposes. Their own post-war program includes trips to sea on these rafts.

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FOR COUNTY JUDGE

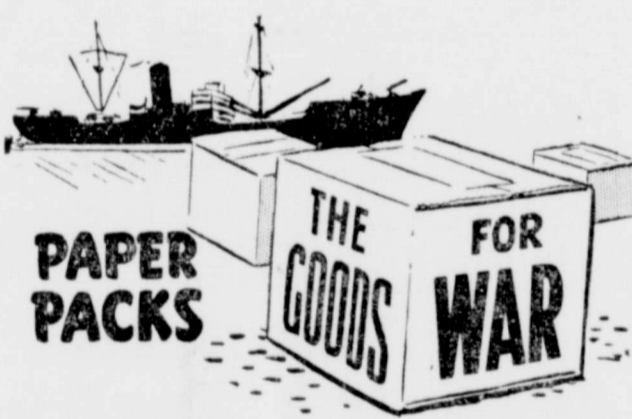
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In my announcement and otherwise I have shown Qualifications and actual BUSINESS EXPERIENCE not shown by any other candidate that SHOULD BE VALUABLE in performing the duties of County Judge.

I PROMISE faithful performance of these duties if elected. What more can one promise? Sincerely,

P. L. (LEWIS) CROSSLEY

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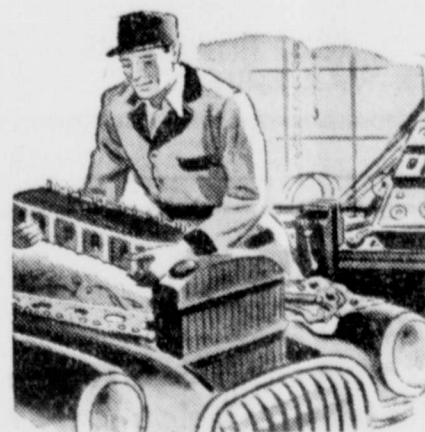
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ELECT MRS. FRANCES COOPER AS COUNTY TREASURER.

The friends and neighbors of Mrs. Frances Cooper—the folks who know her best—are appealing to the voters of Eastland County to elect her as their next County Treasurer.

Mrs. Cooper was reared in Eastland county, taught school in the county for nine years, and served as a deputy in the office of the county tax assessor and collector for several years. She is honest, efficient and courteous.

Mrs. Cooper has one son, Gordon Wayne Cooper, who will be a senior in Eastland high school this year. Gordon has never attended any school other than the Eastland public schools. Mrs. Cooper is a fine mother who has worked faithfully and diligently to rear and educate her son.

We feel that Mrs. Cooper is fully qualified, and we feel that she deserves the job and is entitled to full consideration due to the fact that her opponent is seeking a fourth term for the family in that office.

We know Mrs. Cooper. We know she will make one of the best county treasurers Eastland county has ever had.

In her behalf we urge you help this worthy, efficient, qualified woman by lending your valued vote, influence and support.

(Political advertisement paid for by friends of Mrs. Frances Cooper).

After the War is Over---

... our fighting soldiers will be returning by the thousands and many of them will come to Eastland County with their families looking for homes in our towns and farms in the country. Some will be strangers, others will be our own native boys. Welcome back, soldiers! May you find what you want right here. Remember, when you buy your home be sure of the title and insist on a dependable abstract.

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BRIEFLY TOLD

C. W. Guthrie of Fort Worth arrived Thursday for a weekend visit with his family at their home on west Thirteenth street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Guthrie have received word from their son, Lee E. Guthrie, on a battleship in the Pacific; that he has been promoted from first class seaman to seaman of the third class. Guthrie, 20, joined the navy in January, 1943.

Mrs. Joseph L. Kreps returned today from Stephenville where she was a guest this week of Mrs. Jack White. Mrs. White is the former Miss Evelyn Clements, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Clements who formerly lived here.

Misses Bettie Jean Guthrie and Sylvia Hazel, student nurses at Baylor hospital, Dallas, arrived today for a weekend visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Guthrie and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hazel.

Jack Williams of San Marcos is visiting relatives and friends in Cisco and Putnam.

Mrs. Ed Winslow of Alamo is a guest in the home of her nephew and wife Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Johnson. Also visiting in the Johnson home is Mrs. Johnson's nephews, Bobby Thomas of Sierra Blanca.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Lenz visited friends and relatives at Carbon the first of the week.

Mrs. W. A. Taylor has received word from her son, Dean Solisbury, mechanic with the naval air force, that he expects to visit her about July 21.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Swan of Gorman recently purchased a home at 1000 west Tenth street and have moved to Cisco. Mr. and Mrs. Swan are parents of Mrs. C. M. Brittan.

Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Warwick, accompanied by Mrs. Willie B. Dunn, are transacting business in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Annie Pearl Slatten and children have returned to Ros-

well, N. M., after a visit with her brother and wife Mr. and Mrs. Roy L. Williams.

Reed Francisco of Artesia, N. M., has returned to Cisco where he plans to spend the remainder of his vacation in the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Isenhower.

Mrs. F. E. Stanaker returned to Houston today after a visit with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr.

and Mrs. D. J. McCallum. She was accompanied home by Mrs. McCallum, who will visit her children there.

Pvt. Sammy Scott has returned to the Waco army air field after visiting in the home of his aunt Mrs. J. B. Elder and family.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Wright came in Thursday for a weekend visit with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Eubanks of Putnam and their guests Mrs. W. R. Francisco and son Jack of Artesia, N. M., visited in the home

of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Isenhower Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston Leech of Dallas, former Ciscons, visited friends in Cisco this week while enroute to Junction. While here

they were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Langston.

Mrs. Cora Tabor and daughters Mrs. Jewel Swanzy and Miss Anabel Tabor accompanied by Misses Johnson, Stephenson and

Gwendolyn Swanzy, all of Clyde, visited Mrs. Tabor's sister-in-law, Mrs. R. M. Brummett in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Algie Skiles, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Walker were expected to arrive today from Lubbock for a visit with relatives.

Wesley Smith and Marston Surles are spending a few days on a fishing trip at Possum Kingdom Dam.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Reese of

Freeport are guests of her sister and brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Leveridge.

Odwin Cate is here from Georgia for a visit with his mother, Mrs. J. B. Cate, while on vacation. He is an employe of the Humble company.

Lieut. Bennie Williams left Thursday for Quantico, Va., where he has been assigned to duty, after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy L. Williams.

Miss Ruth Roach, student

nurse at Harris-Memorial hospital, Ft. Worth, is visiting Misses Geneva and Dorothy Nell Isenhower.

Miss Ruby Love has returned from a vacation trip to Norman, Okla., where she visited her sister and family. She also visited relatives and friends at other points enroute.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Brittan of San Angelo spent Thursday in the home of his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Brittan.

OIL LAND NOT UNDER LEASE

Jesse Penn and Sallie Bell Penn have lots of land not under oil lease--joining the Nellie B. League land, where the big oil well has just come in.

There never has been a drill put down to the pay on our land yet.

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If we all pitch in, 1944 will see the greatest food production in our history. But that will require your help. It's up to you to: 1. grow every ounce of food you possibly can; 2. use all the food you grow; 3. can your food by the proper and safe methods.

Every ounce of home-canned food is urgently needed. Your Government begs you not only to match what you did last year but, if possible, to better your 1943 record. Put up fruits and tomatoes by the boiling water bath method—a safe and satisfactory method for these foods.

But before you begin your 1944 canning of all other vegetables, Good Housekeeping wants to tell you how to avoid a danger that may occur in home-canned food—a danger recognized by many authorities, including the U. S. Department of Agriculture. That danger is botulinus food poisoning!

Botulinus poisoning comes from bacteria that live in the soil and cling to vegetables. It is rare—but it isn't confined to just a few parts of the country as some people think.

Botulinus germs may be on the food you can. They must be destroyed. Whenever these bacteria are present in the food and are not destroyed during the canning process, they gradually produce a toxin which is poisonous.

It takes hotter-than-boiling heat to kill botulinus germs. Neither hot-water bath nor open-kettle canning provides enough heat to destroy them. That is why we advise: the only safe way to can low-acid vegetables—which means all vegetables except tomatoes—is by the correct use of a pressure cooker!

If you don't already own a pressure cooker, you'll be glad to know that the Government is allowing the manufacture of 400,000 new cookers for sale this summer, without priorities.

If you can't buy a pressure cooker, borrow your neighbor's . . . or perhaps you'll find one available through a community canning group. If not, form your own community group, and buy one. To be safe, don't can low-acid vegetables any other way.

We take this opportunity to issue two further warnings: 1. Oven canning is dangerous. It has caused many serious accidents to persons and to property. Shun it! 2. All home-canned foods should be examined carefully when opened. If there is evidence of spoilage, the food should not be used. NEVER TASTE to discover spoilage.*

By all means, put up every ounce of surplus food you possibly can. Our armed forces and the hungry nations of the earth need the benefits of our abundance.

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*For further up-to-the-minute information about really safe canning methods and how to avoid botulism, write Good Housekeeping Institute, 959 Eighth Avenue, New York 19, N. Y.

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