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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.

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## TEN JAP CONVOY SHIPS SUNK

### Bobby Walker Can Stop Gambling When Officers So Desire

Bobby Walker, 15-year-old son and youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Walker of the Ratliff daily, was in a critical condition Saturday at Graham sanitarium with a fractured skull and other injuries of undetermined extent, as the result of an automobile accident on Highway 80 about one and a half miles east of Cisco Friday night. Major Farnsworth, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Farnsworth of Cisco, who was driving the 1940 model sedan in which the boys were riding, was not injured beyond bruises.

The two boys had left Cisco only a few moments before and had driven by the Walker home to see if a brother of Bobby's had gone to the dairy, and were returning to Cisco shortly after 10 o'clock. Young Farnsworth was blinded by the lights of a bus, the car left the pavement and went out of control on a gravel shoulder. It turned over. Bobby was thrown from the machine into a mesquite tree at the side.

Major was able to leave the wreck and flag a car. It was occupied by Billy Campbell, Dale Page, Betty Lassiter and Patsy Osborn, who were returning from Eastland. The girls brought Major to Cisco while the boys remained with Bobby until an ambulance sent by Major arrived to take the injured boy to the hospital. Blood plasma was administered and Saturday morning a transfusion. Bobby was still unconscious Saturday morning and physicians said it would be some time before the full extent and seriousness of his injuries could be determined. He suffered a skull fracture, brain concussion and lost a large amount of blood.

### Atha C. Kinsey Be Buried At 4 Today, Oakwood

The body of Atha C. Kinsey, conductor on the Southern Pacific railroad for many years and a former Ciscoan, will arrive here at noon today for burial in Oakwood cemetery at 4 o'clock this afternoon. Mr. Kinsey, about 55 years of age, died suddenly at his home in El Paso.

Thomas funeral home will have charge of the remains and Rev. Evan Holmes of East Cisco Baptist church will conduct the services at the cemetery.

Mrs. Atha Kinsey, the wife, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Walker of Tucson, Ariz., will accompany the body to Cisco. Mrs. Kinsey is the former Miss Gilbert Walker of Cisco. Deceased, who left Cisco about 30 years ago, was a nephew of Mrs. Jane Kinsey and a cousin of R. B. Kinsey, who reside at 504 west Seventeenth street.

#### ORDINATION SERVICES

There will be an ordination service at Corinth Baptist church, near Cisco, this afternoon at 3 o'clock, when Rev. J. P. Baker will be ordained. Rev. Cooper Waters, Rev. Holmes, Rev. H. D. Blair, Cisco; Rev. H. N. Balderac, Putnam; Rev. Homer Starnes, Eastland; Rev. Elbert Galloway, Abilene and Rev. Cecil McBeth, Morton Valley, will be present for the service. The public is invited.

#### PATTON 59 SATURDAY

LONDON, Nov. 11.—Lt. Gen. George S. Patton, whose Third Army troops now are engaged in an offensive on both sides of the fortress city of Metz, observed his 59th birthday anniversary today.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Roan of Gatesville are spending the week-end with relatives in Cisco.

DALLAS, Nov. 11.—In an abrupt reversal of policy, Dallas police, with the aid of Texas Rangers, this week clamped the lid down on all local gambling enterprises which in the past have been permitted to run virtually wide open on the payment of systematic weekly fines, Texas Ranger Capt. M. T. Gonzaulas and City Manager V. R. Smitham admitted last night.

The shutdown came after Dallas gaming operators apparently were tipped that joint raids by Rangers and police department vice squadmen were in immediate prospect and that every known gambling house in the city was on the raid list.

Gonzaulas said that since Monday raids have been made on Dallas gambling places on an around-the-clock basis, but that in every instance raiding Rangers and vice squadmen have found only empty rooms and buildings.

Similar raids in Fort Worth, San Antonio and Houston by Rangers and local police have brought organized gambling within the state to a virtual standstill, Gonzaulas disclosed.

Gonzaulas said the Rangers joined forces with Dallas police in shutting down gambling in the city after an appeal by Smitham. Several Texas Rangers, Gonzaulas said, have been transferred to Dallas to participate in the raids. He refused to disclose the number, however, saying only that enough had been brought in to "handle any situation that might arise."

Smitham reported that Gonzaulas and his Rangers were asked to join forces with local police in stamping out Dallas gaming after it was brought to his attention that an immediate probe of local gambling was scheduled by the Rangers.

"Gonzaulas contacted Deputy Chief of Police Russell Evans Monday at the city hall and announced that the checkup was about to get under way. Evans then brought Gonzaulas to me. After learning of the Rangers' proposed gaming probe, I asked Gonzaulas to work with Dallas police on the case rather than make a separate investigation. It was kind enough to agree to my proposal."

Smitham refused to comment on whether or not the shutdown was on a temporary basis. In the past Dallas gamblers have been permitted to operate virtually without interference if weekly fines were paid, a system which annually poured thousands of dollars into city coffers.

Gonzaulas, when asked how long the shutdown would be in effect, replied that he had no way of knowing.

"The heat may be on for a week, a month, a year or forever," he commented with a grin. "But as long as it's on, there'll be no organized gaming in Dallas."

#### HIGHWAY EIGHTY

ABILENE, Nov. 11.—Work will begin immediately on a new \$424,000 project to widen U. S. Highway 80 from 18 to 24 feet along some 60 miles between Abilene and Colorado City, S. J. Treadaway, division eight highway engineer, announces.

#### BANKS IN KEY ROLE

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—Banks will take a more aggressive salesman's role in the Sixth War Loan drive than ever before, Treasury officials said today. The treasury hopes that bankers can make soliciting calls, either in person or by telephone, on 10,000,000 of their 33,000,000 checking-account depositors in the 14-billion-dollar campaign starting Nov. 20.



ON THE GERMAN BORDER—Wary U. S. Infantry crouch behind a hedge as the lead man sizes up the situation around the corner in a battle-scarred village a mile south of Bardenberg, Germany. A small dog wanders through the street beside the second man, left.



HOW TO SOCK 'EM—Sgt. P. O. Gibson (left foreground) of San Angelo, Tex., and Lt. J. A. Itaples (center) of Fargo, N. D., instruct Chinese soldiers in the use of the bayonet. The two Americans are members of the Y-Force, teaching Chinese use of modern weapons.



ACE OF ACES—Comdr. David McCampbell of Los Angeles, who downed nine Jap fighter planes and two "probables" in one day over the Philippines, bringing his total score to 30, commands carrier-based Hellcat fighter squadron credited with grand total of 273.

#### CISCOAN PROMOTED

Andrew L. Martinez, with the armed forces in the East Indies, has been promoted from private of first class to corporal. He is 22 years of age and went overseas last January. Martinez is a veteran of the Hollandia operation, which cut off the entire 18th Japanese army and advanced the forces of General MacArthur several hundred miles nearer the Philippines. His engineer construction battalion was commended for its accomplishments in the assault and the exemplary conduct of its men under enemy fire. His wife and their infant son Fernando reside in Cisco. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Miguel Martinez, live on route five, Abilene.

David Duncan arrived Saturday from Memphis, Tenn., for a visit with his family and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Duncan.

### NEXT SESSION BIG 3 FATEFUL

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—Next conference of Roosevelt, Stalin and Churchill will probably be the most fateful. The Big Three will discuss organization of the peace; try to reach agreement on points not settled at Dumbarton Oaks. Outcome may determine whether we have just one more permanent world order. They may discuss Asiatic problems—Stalin's recent slur at Japan is a broad hint—and that includes both the war against Japan and the future of China. Also on the agenda: Problems connected with the deficit and post war disposition of Germany, world oil reserves, world aviation.

Regarding oil: There's nothing cooking now but some oil men recall, in connection with the situation in Iran where Russia is seeking concessions, that Secretary Ickes' projected government-owned pipeline across Saudi Arabia was never killed. It's still on ice and some factions are glad of it. The pipeline was suggested as a government venture for two reasons: To assure that concessions of American companies in Saudi Arabia would not be disturbed; to help convince Britain that she should co-operate with us in international oil. The Anglo-American oil treaty, which resulted, is also on ice in the Senate.

Strong signs indicate one of FDR's first important domestic jobs will be to reorganize and co-ordinate the Department of Labor and other labor agencies, which Governor Dewey made an issue. The president, said to have been uninformed about some of the evils charged by his opponent, has started inquiries, and is reported to have found enough basis to justify changes. Secretary Perkins is reported to be slated for an important post connected with the international labor organization. For her successor, they're looking for a two-listed fellow able to hold his own in any company.

### No Normalcy Before 1948, Says Roger W. Babson

WELLESLEY, Mass., Nov. 11.—Economist Roger W. Babson, who accurately predicted the 1929 stock market crash when the bull market was at its peak, has warned today of "great market fluctuations the next four years."

In a prepared statement, he said, "We are entering a period of great surprises, revolutionary changes and wide market fluctuations," and added that "No normalcy will be seen before 1948."

Babson predicted that the stock market soon would witness "Both Communist scares and speculative booms." Though "Peace will surely come during these four years," Babson said "the fact that Mr. Roosevelt will not run again will make him reckless without regard of the political consequences."

#### NEW NAZI THREAT

LONDON, Nov. 11.—The Germans claimed last night that once "the process of exact aiming is completed" their V-2 stratosphere rocket would make Antwerp useless as a supply port to the Allies and that front lines also would be targets.

#### CITY FEDERATION

The City Federation of women's clubs will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the club house.

### NIPS POUR THOUSANDS FRESH TROOPS INTO LEYTE, BUT TOLL GREAT; MAJOR BATTLE IS NEAR

MACARTHUR HEADQUARTERS, Philippines, Nov. 11.—Japan's "Tiger of Malaya," whose do-or-die stand on Leyte has flamed into a savage battle involving more than 100,000 men, poured thousands of fresh Nipponese against the Americans Saturday, after landing them from a 19-ship convoy at a cost of three transports and seven destroyers.

Gen Yamashita, taking great risks with Japan's dwindling reserves of cargo vessels and escort warships, got reinforcements to Ormoc despite determined attacks spaced over a 24-hour period by American planes and PT boats. A heavy rain squall favored the gamble.

The reinforcements, which reasonably might exceed 10,000, but tressed 35,000 other enemy troops in western Leyte to replace 35,000 casualties already inflicted by four American divisions.

The biggest and most crucial land engagement since General MacArthur returned to the Philippines Oct. 20 is developing.

Both sides are well equipped and backed by heavy artillery.

The enemy convoy of four 5,000-ton transports and 15 destroyers was spotted by U. S. airmen Thursday afternoon as it entered Ormoc Bay.

American fliers were in small force but attacked and left a transport smoking Thursday night. PT boats succeeded in sinking a warship.

At dawn Friday, Mitchells in force took the air, but a rain squall blotted out the convoy. When that cleared, the Japanese followed a smoke screen over the ships.

A Japanese air cover of more than 20 planes was routed. At least 16 were shot down, possibly five more.

By noon, the Mitchells got to work. They sank three transports and six destroyers. But the enemy had achieved sizeable landings.

The action ended late Friday when the convoy remnants fled west toward Cebu. The attack cost four bombers and four fighters.

#### SUPERS HIT NANKING

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 11.—Super-Fortresses roared against Japan again today as bag of 51 more Japanese ships by Allied submarines was revealed and American planes and torpedo boats sank seven destroyers and three transports of a 19-ship convoy landing reinforcements on Leyte island.

The War Department announced that a "large task force" of B-29's attacked Nanking, puppet capital of occupied China, today and Tokyo reported 80 more of the huge bombers raided western Kyushu, southernmost of the Japanese home islands, and Saishu island, 175 miles to the west, at 10 a. m.

A Japanese communique said: "The enemy raiders fled after blindly dropping bombs from above the clouds. Damage caused to our side was light."

#### TANK BATTLE RAGES

PARIS.—Lt. Gen. Patton swung his entire front below Metz northeast toward the German border today and two columns leaped ahead to within 25 miles of the frontier bastion of Saarbrücken.

Berlin said the first armored battle of the four-day-old offensive had broken out near Delme, 17 miles southeast of Metz, with an estimated 400 to 500 tanks participating, but this was not confirmed by any Allied source.

Another German broadcast said the soil of Lorraine was trembling under the thunder of countless

#### SHELL GUN POSITIONS

MOSCOW.—Soviet artillery and mortars heavily shelled enemy gun positions and troop concentrations in East Prussia today, possibly heralding resumption of the Russian offensive in the outlying German Province.

A communique also disclosed that southern Soviet forces were continuing their westward drive against Budapest after severing the main rail supply line between enemy troops in northeastern Hungary and those defending the Nazi satellite capital.

The artillery bombardment in East Prussia was concentrated mostly on German gun positions, several of which were destroyed.

#### Ft. Worth Observed Armistice Big Way

FT. WORTH, Nov. 11.—The rhythmic tread of 8,000 marching feet on parade through Fort Worth streets today marked the city's third war-time observance of the 1918 Armistice which didn't end a war.

Thousands of civilians lined the route of march along Main and Houston.

Veterans of two wars marched shoulder to shoulder to cadence set by seven military bands. Pacing the almost mile-long parade was the Fort Worth Army Air Field Band, with World War I doughboys in American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, and uniformed Texas State Guardsmen bearing the Colors.

Following in close formation were a company of Wacs, 30 wounded veterans of World War II, women Marines, Texas Guardettes and State Guard members.

More than 2,000 ROTC trainees, marching with bands from Fort Worth's five high schools, were in the marching ranks.

#### FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. W. A. Flynn will arrive in Cisco Tuesday to take up his duties as pastor of First Methodist church. He comes from Quanah. Rev. W. H. Cole will occupy the pulpit at both services at this church today.

#### RANGER 32, CISCO 19

Saturday's football game between Ranger and Cisco, played at Ranger, ended with a score of 32 to 19 in favor of Ranger. Nevertheless, it was a good game, said Mayor Edward Lee, who was present.



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WORLD-MINDEDNESS

We shall defeat our enemies, of course. And then we shall gradually return to normal and resume our occupations as usual. Or so we think.

But will life ever be the same again? Is it possible for a great nation to fight a war spreading around the world, including every climate and every important race, and embracing all the activities of war and peace, without profoundly changing the nation's outlook?

Presumably our millions of fighting men, though not inclined to expansion or militarism, will return world-minded. Many of them, no doubt, will remain temporarily in novel situations. They will pick up naturally the feeling of "one world" which the British people have had so long, and which Wendell Willkie so quickly absorbed. With air travel making it so easy to penetrate far places, life will never be the same again.

LANDMARK OF FREEDOM

Nov. 19 is a great day in the history of the freedom of the press. On that day 300 years ago John Milton wrote the "Areopagitica." This 64-dollar title conceals a defense of free printing which has made history. Inspired by indignation over the ruling that a government bureau must license any publication before it could appear, Milton defied the ruling and denounced the tyrants who announced it. Though he failed at the time to effect any improvement, his fiery words were not lost, and eventually many years later brought about a reformation of the English law. John Milton's teaching, read by many of the makers of our federal Constitution, was a prime cause of its provision for a free press.

Milton is best remembered for "Paradise Lost," and a few of his short poems, but it might be argued that an even more lasting contribution to the world is found in his "Areopagitica."

MEN IN NEWSREELS

The honored American custom of watching movie newsreels has taken on a new twist lately. In the old, pre-war days, such reels were of specific persons or groups of persons. Unless one had a son on the Yaphank college football team, or a daughter in the local fruit festival parade, one could look on with an air of complete detachment.

Today, who knows when the latest view of dropping bombs will merge into one of marching files of Yanks, perhaps of home boys? Father, mother and sweetheart slide to the edges of their seats in anxious scrutiny of the faces on tanks at Metz or Aachen or on beaches at Leyte.

If they find a familiar one, it is with a sense of peace and joy that they leave the theater. Maybe they know that there are only about so many facial and physical types, even among Americans. The chances are it wasn't really Johnny. But it looked like him. And they can dream, can't they?

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(Cisco American Files)

From High School Gusher: James Moore has an unusual car. It moved itself from Brock's to the Eppler hotel.

At the game someone spoke of "interfering a pass." Page Mr. Gaitner.

Abbie Martin has returned to school.

Deris Day was a visitor in C. H. S. Monday. Deris is now living in Abilene.

Ed Brown had several ribs injured in the Howard Payne game.

Chesley Kilborn had a date Saturday night. Was he embarrassed? Well, he didn't feel at ease.

Someone says Mal looks "right geological."

The lunchroom has over \$50 credit in the school.

A senior is a being who strokes his chin or fixes her hair. Yes, the things are very pretty.

Miss Lee and Miss Marshall are attending the state meeting of the vocational home economics teachers at Dallas.

To the surprise of all we had a \$90 crowd at Friday's game. As the expenses were only \$63 the treasury is \$29 richer. How times change. There was no larger crowd at the Abilene game three years ago.

Fred McCantles said, "I have

to go home and fix supper—for my two old eyes."

The women of the Ku Klux Klan of Ranger and Eastland jointly sent the following letter recently to Governor Pat M. Neff: "At a recent joint meeting of the Women of the Ku Klux Klan of Ranger and Eastland, a motion was unanimously carried to extend to you our sincere thanks and deep appreciation for the stand which you took at the recent Governors' Conference at West Baden. Our two organizations represent several hundred of the finest women in Eastland county, and one of the main things for which we stand is the strict enforcement of our prohibition laws, both state and national. We are told to "watch and pray," and it behooves us as wives and mothers not only to pray for our officials but to do a little "watching" as well. We watched you while you were away and the splendid manner in which you represented our great commonwealth. The convention knew you were there, and the whole United States knew you were there, and Texas most of all knew it. We are proud of you and desire to show our appreciation in this manner. We are just wondering if Louisiana can say as much for their chief executive. We are for clean men in politics, and it is our purpose to vote for none other."

LONG BRANCH

John Franklin Thomas Johnson, 97, passed away at 10 o'clock Friday evening of last week at his home with his son Ed Johnson and family in Romey. A devout Christian and devoted father, this civil war veteran was content for several decades to pass the work on to the younger generations. Hence, among the best farmers and providers of Eastland county are his sons, daughters and grandsons. Four grandsons of this fine man are with the armed forces, as are two great grandsons, and there are 90 descendants. His wife preceded him in death six years ago. His daughters are Mrs. Lon Reed, Long Branch; Mrs. May Smith, Brownwood; Mrs. Lizzie Hogan, Carbon. The sons are Ed and Tom, Romney; John, Cisco, and Jeff, Ft. Worth. Three children had passed on. There are 32 grandchildren, 56 great grandchildren and one great grandchild. Funeral was conducted by Sister Pauline Reed and Rev. George McGuire at Mountain Top. Burial was at Long Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wright and children Elizabeth Ann and Carl and Mr. and Mrs. James Wright from California were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Reed at Long Branch Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Poe of Cisco and Mrs. Joe Henricks at Idabel, Okla., visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Poe Thursday.

Threshing is coming on fine, thanks to the good weather.

Rev. Mr. Dennis preached here Sunday.

Mrs. Mable Ford, Mrs. Juanita Loftis and Mrs. Dennis Stovesshopped in Rising Star Tuesday.

CHURCHES

Grace Lutheran

"The God-pleasing Separation of Church and State" will be discussed in the sermon this morning. It will be pointed out that we as citizens of a democratic nation enjoy freedom of religion. For this privilege we should thank God and not jeopardize it by permitting the church to meddle into politics, and on the other

hand be watchful lest the government encroach upon our constitutional right to worship according to the dictates of our conscience. Service will begin at 11 and Bible class and Sunday school at 10. The adult Bible class will study "Atonement for All." The Junior Bible class is studying the Proverbs of Solomon. "Coming to Jesus" will be the topic of the sermon next Sunday morning. The Wailther league will have a topical meeting next Friday at 8:30. Services at Christ Lutheran church tonight at 8:30.

First Christian

Sunday school, Lonnie Shockley, Supt., meets at 10 o'clock with classes for all age groups and a warm welcome to all who attend. Morning worship at 11 o'clock, with a sermon by the minister. This evening we have the first of our vesper services for the winter, beginning at 6 o'clock. Sermon by the minister and a cordial invitation to the public to worship with us at this and all other services. JAMES R. WRIGHT, Minister.

First Baptist

Sunday school at 9:45, F. E. Shepard, Supt. Morning worship at 11, training union at 6:45 and evening worship at 7:45. Mrs. C. L. Thomas, director. The pastor will be in the pulpit at both worship periods. Choir practice and prayer meeting will be held at 7 and 7:45 respectively Wednesday evening. COOPER WATERS, Pastor.

Church of the Nazarene

Sunday school at 9:45. Morning sermon subject at 10:45, "All Things Work Together for Good." At the evening hour, 7:45, the subject will be "Why Pray?" Young people's service at 6 p. m. L. H. CLEGG, Pastor.

First Presbyterian

Sunday school at 9:45, Kent Word, Supt. Sermon subject at 11 a. m., "In Times of Trouble." At the evening hour, 6 o'clock, the sermon subject will be "Seven Personalities." Visitors in the city and those not affiliated elsewhere are cordially invited to attend all services at this church. O. L. SAVAGE, Pastor.

PALACE NOW SHOWING

THE SITUATION IS WELL IN HAND. EDWARD SMALL presents WILLIAM BENDIX HELEN WALKER DENNIS O'KEEFE ABROAD with TWO YANKS. John LODER-Joni LAMBERT-Georg CLEVELAND. Based on an original story by Fred Goetz. Adapted by Edward L. Tullis and Tedd Chapman. Screen Play by Victor Repp. Music by Robert Wright. Directed by Allan Dwan. Released by United Artists.

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FOR SALE—Nice home on paved road half mile outside city; seven room, breakfast room, bath, large sleeping porch; inexcusable well of good water; small garage and several small buildings; two acres land, bearing peach trees; 20 grape vines, high woven wire fence. Address P. O. box 184, Cisco.

FOR SALE—Suburban home with five acres of land, orchard, garden, modern home with all conveniences except gas, which will, all probably, be available. E. P. Crawford Agency, phone 453.

DRIVING to Sacramento, Calif., soon. Will share ride with ladies. Mrs. H. A. Lewis. Phone 453.

ACRES—Rough grass land with 3 1/2 minerals; \$10 per acre. Who wants this bargain? E. P. Crawford Agency, phone 453.

FOR SALE—Cast-iron heating stove and one dresser. Mrs. W. J. Tiekner, Rising Star highway. Phone 9018-F4.

HOME COOKED MEALS—Served family style. Mrs. M. C. Turner, 22 west Ninth street.

GOOD 80-ACRE—Peanut and fruit farm for sale; half mineral; \$2,000. E. P. Crawford Agency, phone 453.

WANTED—Boy for service station work. See Roy Huffmeyer at Hattinmyer Service Station.

FOR SALE—220-acre stock farm, fair improvements, 65 acres cultivation, all tracted, live oak and mesquite grass, well and windmill, water in creek; carbon school bus and mail route; 5 1/2 miles southeast Carbon, Roy Lane, owner, Carbon, Texas.

FOR SALE—One Ellington grand piano, good condition and just painted. Ratliff Dairy, Cisco, Texas.

RANCH FOR SALE—One of the best small ranches in this area; well improved, all net fence, natural gas, modern home. Particulars furnished on application. E. P. Crawford Agency, phone 453.

EXTRA HEAVY 9 x 12 kitchen rugs, \$7.95. Collins Hardware.

ORDERS TAKEN NOW for Spirilla garments at 406 W. Ninth street.

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

FOR SALE—Immediate possession. Good six-room modern home, close in. Needs paint and paper job. Splendid location. E. P. Crawford Agency, phone 453.

WE HAVE a nice apartment size gas cook stove, \$64.95. Collins Hardware.

FOR SALE—Four-room house and lot, \$1,500; twenty English White Leghorn one-year-old hens, \$1.25 each; fifty pounds new crop pinto beans at ten cents pound. Mrs. Dee Cobb, 706 east Eighth street.

BIDS WANTED—The city of Cisco will receive bids for grass leases only on all city-owned lands until 5 o'clock p. m. Tuesday, Nov. 14 at office of city secretary. Leases will be for a period of one year only, commencing January 1, 1945.

GEO. W. DOWNIE, City Secretary.

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OPEN HOUSE HELD TO HONOR COUPLE

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Swindle of 1300 Cherry street, celebrated their golden wedding on Nov. 4 with an all-day open house. At noon a covered-dish luncheon was enjoyed by members of the family and a few close friends. Friends called throughout the day, bringing many lovely gifts and extending best wishes for many more happy years.

Mr. and Mrs. Swindle have eight children, seven of whom were present. One daughter living in Gadsden, Ala., was unable to attend. They have 12 grandchildren and five great grandchildren. Four of the grandsons are in the service of their country, as are the husbands of four of the granddaughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Swindle moved to Cisco early in their married life and have made this their home nearly half a century. Mr. Swindle was a merchant here for many years and is affectionately known to a host of friends as "Uncle Jack."

MUSIC STUDY CLUB HAD FINE PROGRAM

Cisco Music Study club met Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock at the Women's club house for regular meeting and program. Mrs. S. E. Hittson was hostess and Mrs. W. W. Fowell presided. The meeting opened by group singing of "America."

The morning program on "Peace Day" by Mrs. John Kleiner followed the reading of a loyalty collect. A plan for Peace Day celebration was presented by Mrs. Ben Krauskopf; Bells for Peace was discussed by Mrs. Paul Poe; "The Piano When Peace Comes," by Mrs. Alex Spears; Mrs. J. E. Walter was presented in a vocal solo, "A Little Bit of

Love," accompanied by Mrs. Ben Krauskopf on the violin and Mrs. S. E. Hittson at the piano. The program closed with a reading "The Honor Roll" by Edgar A. Guest, given by Mrs. Theresa Weddington.

Those present were Mmes. W. W. Fowell, Mrs. S. E. Hittson, Alex Spears, John Kleiner, A. L. Thomas, Paul Poe, J. E. Walter, J. A. Jensen, Ben Krauskopf and Mrs. Weddington.

XXTH CENTURY CLUB HELD MEETING FRIDAY

XXth Century club met at the Library club room Friday afternoon with Mrs. Sam Baugh as hostess and Mrs. S. E. Hittson presiding. The business period preceded the program and reports were made by Mrs. Edward Lee, treasurer, and Mrs. C. R. West, chairman of the library committee; Mrs. West also stated that a number of new books have recently been purchased.

Mrs. E. P. Crawford was leader of the afternoon program from "Current History" magazine. Mrs. Crawford discussed "Woman in War Industry"; Mrs. F. D. Wright talked on "High Prices and Peace"; Mrs. C. R. West brought the closing topic, "Adult Education."

Members present were Mmes. J. T. Anderson, Sam Baugh, E. P. Crawford, T. J. Dean, C. H. Fee, Austin Flint, F. E. Harrell, S. E. Hittson, Charles C. Jones, Edward Lee, L. H. McCrea, sr., Sam McInnis, Paul Poe, Philip Pettit, Alex Spears, O. L. Savage, C. R. West and F. D. Wright.

MRS. ROY FONVILLE HOSTESS TO CLASS

Mrs. Roy Fonville was hostess in her Humboldt home Friday night when members of loyal women's class of First Christian church met for monthly business and social meeting. Mrs. Fred Steffey presided and opened the meeting with prayer by Mrs. Rex W. Moore. Mrs. J. R. Wright brought a splendid devotional, after which new officers were elected as follows:

President, Mrs. Fred Steffey; vice president, Mrs. Roy Fonville; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Sam Kimmell; assistant, Mrs. Rex W. Moore; teacher, Mrs. Minnie Hill; assistant, Mrs. J. R. Wright; reporter, Mrs. Laila Smart.

A social hour followed during which the hostess passed a refreshment plate with spiced tea to guests and members present.

MRS. G. M. STEPHENSON HOSTESS TO CLUB

A most enjoyable afternoon was spent Thursday when members of the Thursday Forty-two club met at the home of Mrs. G. M. Stephenson. The entertaining rooms were festive with fall cut flowers, placed in attractive arrangement.

High score for guests was won by Mrs. E. L. Pugh and Mrs. Frank Leach won high for members.

At the close of the games Mrs. Stephenson was assisted in serving refreshments to the guests by her daughter, Mrs. Joseph L. Krebs.

Guests and members present were Mmes. W. E. Spencer, Wilkinson, E. L. Pugh, O. L. Savage.

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roasted and served with other picnic food to the group. Following the meal conversation was enjoyed until a late hour. Those present were Rev. J. R. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Brun-

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The Daily Press is informed that R. E. Williams, technician of the fifth grade, is returning to his home at Nimrod after 26 months in the Pacific theater of war. He is expected to arrive on or about November 13, the communication said. Upon completion of his furlough the young man will report to Camp Claiborne, La.

John W. Abvey, staff sergeant, is on furlough and enroute to his home in Cisco after 23 months overseas in the southwest Pacific, says a war department communication in the Daily Press. His home is at 309 west Eleventh street and he is expected to arrive on or about November 12.

Presbyterian auxiliary will meet in the home of Mrs. Joe Clements, 1600 D. avenue, Tuesday afternoon at 3.

First Methodist WNSU will meet at 3 o'clock Tuesday as follows: Circle one with Mrs. C. E. Paul; two with Mrs. M. D. Paschall; three with Mrs. J. T. Anderson; four with Mrs. M. E. Fyfe; five

at 8 p. m. Tuesday with Mrs. Mertice Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. West accompanied their daughter Mrs. George Swinebroad who spent the past three weeks in their home, to Dallas for a weekend visit with their son and wife. Mr. and Mrs. C. R. West, Jr. Following the visit in Dallas, Mrs. Swinebroad will leave next week by plane for her home at Lancaster, Ky.

First Baptist WNU will meet at the church Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock for missionary meeting.

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Pfc. and Mrs. R. L. Kell of Fort Worth visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Bolvidson a few days the past week. Private Kell is with the air force at Fort Worth flying field.

David Bedford of Abilene is a weekend guest of his friend Frank Steffy.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Donham of route one, at Graham sanitarium, Wednesday night, a son—Billy Ray. Weight 7 pounds and 10 ounces. They were moved Saturday to the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pence, 204 west Tenth street.

Cisco Welfare association will meet Tuesday morning at 9:30 at the chamber of commerce.

Mrs. Steve Decovic and baby and Mrs. R. E. Corder visited in Rising Star Friday.

Lieut. Howard Robinson and bride of Fort Worth visited relatives in Cisco a few days the past week. Lieutenant Robinson has

been with the Marines for the past 40 months and has seen active service at Wake island, Midway and other battle fronts.

Mrs. Martha Kimmel has returned from a month's visit with her son and family in Kansas City. Mrs. Kimmel makes her home in Cisco with her son and wife Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kimmel.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Isenhower, accompanied by Mrs. Weldon Isenhower and Mrs. Leola Saums, visited Pvt. Weldon Isenhower at Camp Barkeley this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis Fields of Pecos visited with relatives here Saturday, having accompanied the remains of his mother, Mrs. Nolan to Eastland for interment. Funeral was held at 2:30 in First Methodist church, Eastland, today. Burial was in the Eastland cemetery.

Business women's circle of First Baptist women's missionary society will meet Tuesday evening with Mrs. Myrtle Anderson, 1001 west Tenth street.

Ronny Huddleston, who has

spent the past five months in Cisco with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Parks, has returned to May.

F. B. Altman of Abilene is spending the weekend in Cisco in the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Altman.

Dale Gilmore of Odessa is a guest of his brother and wife Mr. and Mrs. Lane Gilmore.

Mrs. E. C. Waddell and daughter Aura Frances of Putnam were Cisco visitors Saturday.

Reese Porter and sister Mrs. J. J. Clements and the latter's daughter Dorothy Mae of Lubbock arrived Saturday for a weekend visit with their parents Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Porter.

Miss Loyce Coats, senior student of Howard Payne college,

Brownwood, is spending the weekend here with her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Coats.

Misses Wanda June Bond and Peggy Jean Gallagher, students of Texas Wesleyan College, Fort Worth, are spending Armistice Day holidays here with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bond and Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Gallagher.

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