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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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NAZIS ARE STILL UNCHECKED

Barrow and Gilt Ceiling Price Now \$14.40

OPA's ceiling price of \$14.75 hundredweight for live hogs, large basis (\$14.40) Eastland county has been extended to take all barrows and gilts. This also now applies to those over 70 lbs. as well as hogs in this class of lesser weights. Boars, and sows of all weights still at the \$14 ceiling \$13.65 Eastland county.

The extension of the higher ceiling to heavy weight barrows and gilts will result in larger supplies of ham and pork, both of which are needed. The lifting of the weight limitation will enable growers to plan a more ordinary marketing of barrows and gilts in higher weight brackets. OPA advisory committees in several districts recommended this change. The improved feed situation now makes the adjustment possible.

Otto Humphrey Route 2, Cisco in Pacific Area

WITH FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION ON LEYTE.—Technical Sgt. Otto J. Humphrey, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Humphrey, route two, Cisco, Texas, is the man responsible for keeping supplies rolling to his field artillery battalion's fighting in the Philippines.

Father of a 16 months old son, Robert Dee, his wife lives on the three, Buffalo, Texas. Before entering the army in 1939, sergeant Humphrey worked for Post, Texas, cotton mills.

He has two brothers in the army in Europe. They are: Technical Sgt. Bob L. Humphrey and Sgt. Dee Humphrey.

GLENN WON 1944 BOWLING HONOR

In the last bowling match until January 8, Glenn Furniture company of the men's league captured first place for the 1944 season last night by winning two of its three games with The Man's Store. Glenn won 24 and lost 18 games.

By winning all three games last night from Dr. Paul's Chiro. West Texas Utilities was able to tie Cisco Lumber company for second honors. Each team won 22 and lost 29 games.

"It was a great finale," said Manager C. C. Cutting. "The galleries were jammed with visitors and all leagues were literally on their toes throughout the evening."

Last Night Scores

West Texas Utilities—

Jay Bissac	147-147-147
O. J. Russell	147-147-143
Les Jenkins	146-157-153
Woody McCulloch	129-143-187

Paul's Chiro.—

Bill Hazel	133-105-125
Dizzy Dean	126-126-126
Guy Ward	137-144-105
C. E. Paul	141-139-190

Glenn Furniture—

Billy Britain	126-133-198
O. Stutenroth	158-158-158
Ed. Lamsbeck	160-167-159
Chas. Clark	111-149-148

The Man's Store—

Guy Morris	165-148-148
Lloyd Simpson	141-141-141
Harvey Haynie	123-123-123
Smith Huosta	106-98-139

Many Americans Would Literally Erase Japanese

PRINCETON, N. J., Dec. 20.—In thinking of postwar treatment of defeated Axis nations, the American public takes a far sterner attitude toward the Japanese than it does toward the Germans, says the Gallup Institute of Public Opinion.

When questioned about what we should do with Germany as a country after the war, most people suggest supervision and control, the destruction of Germany as a nation, or a program of rehabilitation and re-education.

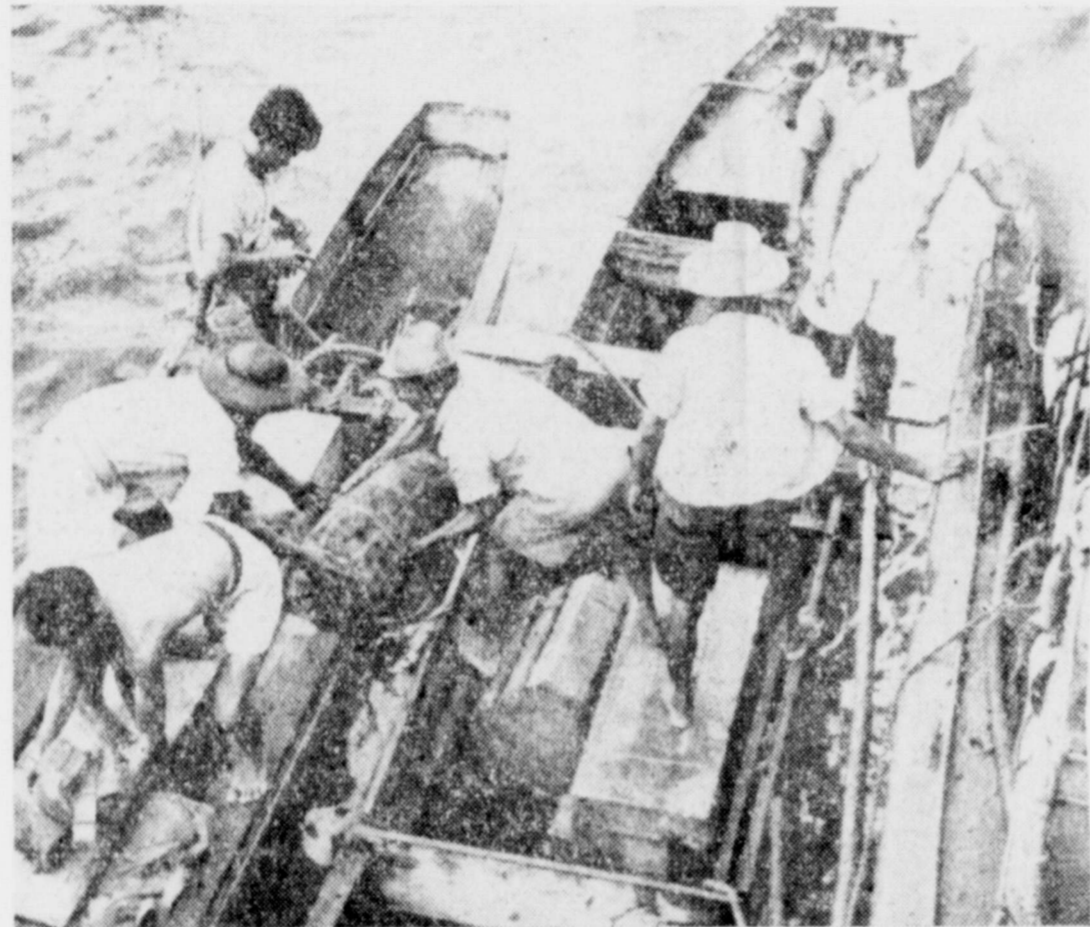
While these same suggestions are made when people are asked the same question about Japan, a note of strong personal feeling is found in replies of a substantial segment of those included in the present survey.

Thirteen in every hundred questioned feel so strongly about the Japanese that they would like to see the institute sent back such verbatim comments as these:

"Kill them all . . . Wipe them off the map . . . Clean them off the face of the earth . . . Sink the whole damned island . . . We don't want any rising sun left to set . . . Blast them off the face of the earth; you can't teach them and you can't change them."

WANT MORE OIL

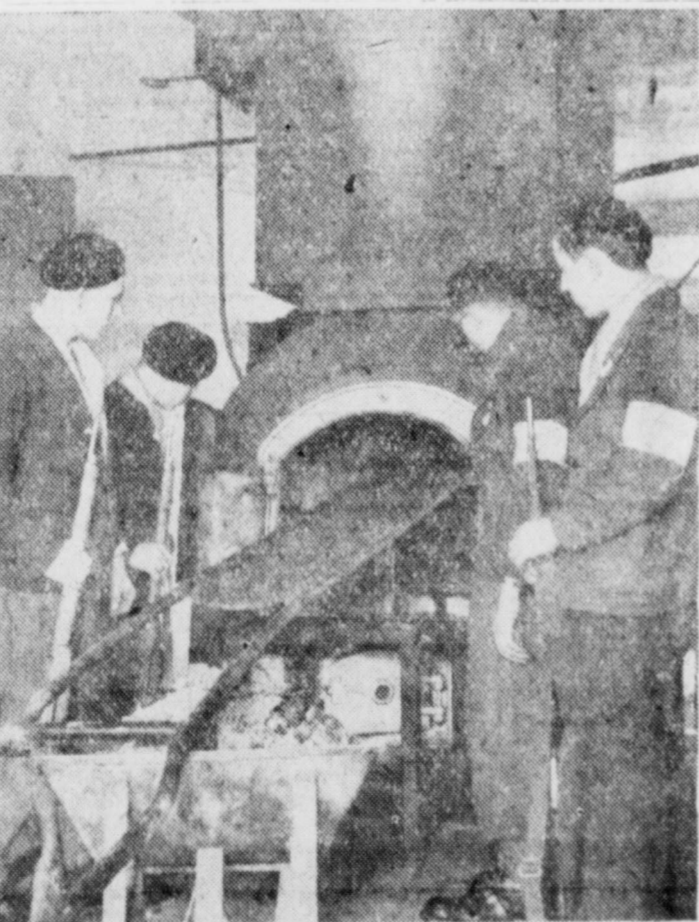
WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—A production rate of 5,040,800 barrels daily of all petroleum liquids has been recommended to the oil producing states for January, 1945. This represents an increase of 14,000 barrels daily over that recommended for December, 1944. The Petroleum Administration for War said today.



GUERRILLAS GET SUPPLIES—Somewhere off the coast of Samar Island, Filipino guerrillas feverishly load much needed supplies and ammunition from an LCI into native boats. Elements of the First Cavalry and guerrillas now completely dominate the Island. Their narrow boats look primitive, but they serve well.



FIRE AWAY—Each doing his bit to keep big 105 mm. guns in action, these Yank gun crews fire away at German positions across the Saar on 3rd Army sector. Man at right maintains field communications, while the others load and fire the guns.



WHERE NAZIS CREMATED "SLAVES"—Mountain patriots of French forces examine furnace in the Vosges mountain camp where Germans burned forced slave laborers who died.

Prominent Newspaper Man Here On Business Trip

Max Bentley, of Abilene, activities manager of the West Texas chamber of commerce and editor of the magazine "West Texas Today" was a guest of Cisco for several hours Tuesday and visited old friends at the Daily Press office. Mr. Bentley was engaged in gathering material for an article on Cisco which will appear in a near issue of the magazine, which is devoted to the economic progress of West Texas.

Bentley is a newspaper man of prominence in Texas. He was formerly managing editor of the Houston Chronicle, edited the Abilene Reporter later and was at one time staff correspondent of the Star-Telegram. He has written many outstanding articles on West Texas.

He is the father of three girls, two of whom are war wives with husbands abroad, one of them a prisoner of the Germans. His youngest daughter is a student in the Juillard School of Music, New York City.

Cisco Won Basketball Game; Score, 39 to 20

The Lobo basketball team started the season at the local gym Tuesday night by taking two games from Eastland.

The B team won the first game 19 to 13. It was a hard-fought battle and Don Johnson won individual scoring honors by making four field goals and one free throw for a total of nine points.

The A team began scoring as soon as they were in possession of the ball. It seemed they couldn't miss the basket and at half time the score was 26 to 6.

Capt. Harrelson won high-point honors with seven field goals and one free throw for a total of 15 points. Homer Tompkins was second with 12 points.

After the game the boys enjoyed a nice chicken dinner given them by Mrs. Olin Odum of the home economics department.

One Cisco fan, who never misses a game, made this statement today: "If the people of Cisco will support the boys this year and go to each game, then maybe they will win several games. Most of these players will be in the army soon and the least the fans could do would be to show the boys how they are for them."

Members of the B team are Captain Ramsower, Johnson, Green, Farley, Jones, Morris and Haynie. The A team is composed of Captain Harrelson, Tompkins, Childress, Philpott, Smith, Armstrong, Williams, Fields and Neuhaus.

M. D. Fox, Public Schools Teacher, Gets Draft Notice

Cisco chamber of commerce board of directors, meeting in regular session last night, heard reports on a variety of activities carried out by the chamber and voted its approval of a number of programs now current in a brief, businesslike session.

It was announced that M. D. Fox, agriculture secretary and public schools teacher, had been called by the selective service for pre-induction examination and that he would leave Wednesday. The board voted its thanks for his services and its appreciation of his successful work and directed that a suitable letter expressing this appreciation be prepared and sent to him.

Results of the work that the chamber of commerce has done in securing employes for Cisco industry were reported. Progress of the road survey in the Scranton territory was discussed. There were reports on the forum dinner program and the Santa Claus event in Cisco Saturday.

The board voted to set aside \$200 as its share of the expense

GERMANS CLAIM 10,000 PRISONERS AND SAY 200 US TANKS WERE CAPTURED OR DESTROYED

PARIS, Dec. 20.—Crack German tank and infantry divisions swept across Belgium and Luxembourg today in a surprise bid for a break-through that could prolong the war by months, and censored field dispatches indicated that American troops were giving ground in the war's bloodiest and perhaps most decisive battle.

Front correspondents reported that American First army troops were fighting back with desperate courage, slowing the Germans down at some points along the 70-mile attack front, halting them at others, but nowhere establishing a firm defensive line.

Allied fliers who swarmed out through low hanging clouds to bomb and strafe the advancing enemy said the roads behind the First army front were black with Nazi men and armor moving forward, and there were signs that the German offensive had begun to spread up and down the entire western front.

Fervent German activity was sighted behind the U. S. Third army sector where Lt. Gen. George S. Patton's troops were bumping hard but with little success against the edge of the Saar valley. The American Seventh and French First armies on the southern flank and the U. S. Ninth to the north similarly recorded little or no progress against suddenly stiffened Nazi resistance.

A sudden burst of enemy patrolling, accompanied by a violent increase of mortar fire, erupted in the Geilenkirchen sector on the long-stalled north flank of the western front.

The significance of the stepped-up enemy activity was not immediately apparent.

The German activity in this area might be intended to occupy the British-Canadian forces with the threat of a counterattack and thus prevent them from moving reinforcements south to help the First army in meeting the Nazi offensive on that front.

Everywhere it appeared that the Germans had seized the initiative or were trying hard to gain it, perhaps to keep pressure off their break-through front or perhaps as the prelude to a general offensive.

The fog of battle literally and figuratively covered the great struggle west of the Belgian and Luxembourg borders where Lt. Gen. Courtney H. Hodges' forces were rallying to counter the German drive. Low clouds and mists hampered the American air support and reduced visibility to a minimum even on the ground.

Gen. Eisenhower's headquarters, responding to angry protests that the truth of the German offensive was being withheld from the Allied people, issued a partial report this morning covering the first 53 hours of the action.

The account emphasized that up to Monday noon the situation still was "fluid and fluid is a dangerous word in connection with Nazi panzers."

The attack, launched with large panzer forces, paratroops and crack Nazi infantry hit the American First army front in four main thrusts from Echternach on the center of the Luxembourg frontier, just northwest of Trier, to Mentschau, southeast of Aachen.

The German high command declared today that more than 10,000 prisoners had been taken in the Nazi counteroffensive and said spearheads still were advancing.

The Berlin communique said 200 American tanks had been destroyed or captured, and 124 Allied planes shot down.

infantrymen driving into the center of the crumbling Vauxhall line on Leyte island captured the enemy headquarters, seized an airfield intact and clamped a deadly pincer today on thousands of trapped Japanese.

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REDS STILL SCORING

MOSCOW — Four Red army columns were converging in heavy attacks today on the city of Kassa, anchor of the entire German defense system in the mountains of eastern Czechoslovakia.

Advanced forces already were reported within easy artillery range of the old highland provincial center, whose mixed Slovak-Hungarian population before the war totalled about 84,000.

A communique last night announced fall of the village of Senya, only nine miles to the south. Other Soviet columns were boring in from the southwest, southeast and east. Field dispatches reported steady progress.

The drive on Kassa was part of the general advances on a front of more than 80 miles above the southern borders of Slovakia and in northern Hungary. The border was crossed at many new points.

Under the impact of the Russian drive Hungarian troops were reputed, steadily deserting, although they are mixed in with German units and many of their officers have been replaced by trusted Nazis.

The communique made no mention of the continuing siege of Budapest.



SMOOTH TALKER—But far from smooth-faced is Rubie Hoffman, Brooklyn radio man and interpreter, who talked a German company commander and 70 of his men into surrendering near Hurligen, Germany. Oh, for a razor!

TAKE NIP HEADQUARTERS SAN FRANCISCO—American

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DOWN TO EARTH

In considering problems of postwar planning, the following statement from the Cleveland Trust Company again illustrates the statement that occurs when a nation seeks to divide its allegiance between capitalism and socialism:

"Postwar planning is assuming a progressively more uniform pattern as it is being discussed in Washington, and in magazine articles and newspaper editorials throughout the country. We seem to have pretty generally accepted the illusory idea that the purpose of postwar planning is to preserve wartime economic conditions after peace has returned. We want to retain, or even to increase, wartime wage rates, but we wish to hold prices down to wartime levels, or to decrease them somewhat. We want the wartime kind of full employment, with good jobs for all the demobilized munitions makers and returned servicemen, but with full liberty for everyone to choose the job he would like to have.

"To do all this we must have wartime levels of national income, but we want the flow of the funds to originate with private enterprise, and not come from the Federal Treasury. We want the transition from full wartime production to full civilian output to be brief and uncomplicated. Now most of the postwar planning that produces these ideas represents sheer wishful thinking. The truth is that the decrease in the flow of funds from the public treasury which will promptly result from the terminations and cutbacks of munitions contracts following the defeat of Germany will be about the same as the shrinkage in the national income

which took place from the peak of prosperity in 1929 to the bottom of the depression in 1932.

"At best the transition will be difficult and complicated because the changes which we are about to make in our economy will be of huge proportions. It will be rendered doubly difficult if our planners in Washington carry out the plans they have recently been announcing in the public prints. They have decided that price ceilings should be maintained during the period of reconversion, and that new ceilings should be established for articles that have been out of production.

Continuing controls over installment buying are advocated. Commodity cartels are contemplated by those who are making plans for postwar international trade. Controls over the production of materials are being promoted. Reconversion will be a slow and sorry process if these ideas prevail. No one will produce at capacity while knowing that his enterprise may any day be wrecked by a new directive from Washington. Our planners are rapidly impairing our reconversion incentives."

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(Cisco Daily News Files.)

Large audiences attended the First Christian church services yesterday, both morning and evening, and a great deal of interest was manifested in the revival meeting scheduled to begin next Sunday. Rev. Lenox announced this morning. He spoke last night, using the subject: "Down This Road, Philip." The angel of the Lord spoke unto Philip, saying: "Arise and go toward the south. Soul saving is a kind of work every Christian can do, the pastor said, but he stressed the fact that one must first give oneself to God. "The big thing in the way is selfishness," Rev. Lenox said. "We are perfectly willing to let George do it," he said. "Gehaz, the servant of Elisha, could not raise the child; Elisha had to go himself. Some here tonight have loved ones at home, and the only thing between them and hell is the heart beat," he warned, and continued, "Yet you will go home and sleep peacefully. Until we have a consuming passion for the lost the same condition will prevail."

As provided by the statutes of the state of Texas and the charter of the city of Cisco, I, J. M. Williamsen, mayor, hereby call a general city election to be held in Cisco, Texas, April 3, 1928, for the purpose of electing three commissioners to fill the expired terms of A. L. Mayhew, R. W. Mancill and J. V. Heysse.

Mrs. Dave Carlton of Houston is the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Patterson. Mr. Carlton was also a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Patterson Sunday, enroute to California.

Among those from Cisco attending the dance at Thurber Saturday night were, Mr. and Mrs. W. Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Cope, Joe Adams, Gene Muller, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Herr and Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Blankenbecker.

There was a special meeting of the executive board of Women's Missionary union of Cisco Baptist district, with Mrs. Willie Higginbotham, of Stephenville, district, president and chairman of the board, presiding. The session was held in Cisco First Baptist church Tuesday. This meeting was for the purpose of arrang-

ing a program for the district meeting of the Women's Missionary union which will be held in Cisco, April 10 and 11. About three hundred women are expected to be in attendance at the April meeting representing the churches of Eastland, Palo Pinto, Erath, Shackelford, Stephens and Callahan counties. The following members of the executive board were present at the meeting Tuesday: Mrs. Willis Higginbotham, district president and chairman of the board, of Stephenville; Mrs. I. J. Pitts, of Eastland; Mrs. S. J. Osborn, of Breckenridge; Mrs. W. H. Puitt, of Carbon; Mrs. John Cook, of Putnam; Miss Bess Fairless, of Palo Pinto; Mrs. Paul B. Chandler, of Stephenville; Mrs. Sidney Webb, of Mineral Wells; Mrs. J. N. Cook, Mrs. C. R. Shirar, Mrs. W. J. Rhodes, of Breckenridge; Mrs. W. B. Whitehead, of Dublin; Mesdames R. Q. Lee, S. E. Hittson, C. H. Van Eman, and A. C. Miller, of Cisco.



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GENTLEMEN OF THE JURY, HE HAD TO SHOOT HIS WIFE BECAUSE SHE TRUMPED HIS ACE

BUT WAS IT A RUBBER GAME?

THE FOREMAN OF THE JURY SPEAKS.

HEY, STRANGER, HOW MANY POINTS DO YOU GET FOR FOUR HONORS IN YOUR HAND?

MY DEAL

A TRANSLANTIC FLYER'S FIRST QUESTION ON ARRIVING OVER EUROPE.

A SMALL THING LIKE THIS CAN'T INTERFERE WITH THEIR BRIDGE DISCUSSION

I BID THREE SPADES AND MY PARTNER WENT TO FOUR DIAMONDS

IF I HADN'T PLAYED MY SUITE OF HEARTS, MY DUJICE OF CLUBS WOULD HAVE BEEN GOOD

WHAT WAS TRUMPS?

THEY HADN'T PLAYED THE CARDS—OVER THE TABLE.

THINKING OF BRIDGE TO THE LAST.

KEY TO YOUR LEFT

WE NOMINATE FOR GUESTS OF HONOR—

By RUBE GOLDBERG

AS LONG AS THIS IS THE SEASON WHEN BANQUETS ARE BEING GIVEN IN HONOR OF DISTINGUISHED INDIVIDUALS, WHY NOT SELECT THE GUESTS OF HONOR FROM AMONG PEOPLE WHO HAVE REALLY DONE SOMETHING TO DESERVE THE APPLAUSE OF THEIR FELLOW MAN?

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WILLING WORKERS HAD CLASS PARTY

Willing Workers class held its annual Christmas party at First Christian church Monday evening. After members and guests were assembled they entered the class room in a body singing "Silent Night" with Mrs. Troy Powell at the piano. Holiday decorations made more effective by candle light, included a lighted Christmas tree laden with lovely exchange gifts, a fireplace surrounded by gifts for the ladies of Sarah Harwood Hall, Dallas, and the complete Nativity scene in miniature, with cedar and mistletoe used as decorations throughout the room.

Mrs. J. R. Wright led the group in singing Christmas carols after the opening prayer. The president, Mrs. A. J. Sanders, presided and a very enjoyable program was presented. Two solos, "Away In a Manger" and "White Christmas" were sung by Master Larry Martin accompanied by Mrs. J. S. Mobley at the piano. Mrs. J. F. Benedict offered prayer and Mrs. E. T. Thomas read the story, "Annie and Willie's Prayer." Mrs. J. R. Wright read "That First Christmas Night at All" while Mrs. Troy Powell played "Silent Night" softly. Mrs. Jim Latimer brought a splendid devotional on "The Spirit of Christmas Giving."

The group then had silent prayer for relatives and friends in the service, ending with singing "God Bless This World of Ours," while Mrs. Powell played "God Bless America." Rev. J. R. Wright gave the benediction.

The gifts were opened and refreshment plates of Christmas sandwiches, white frosted cakes bearing tiny lighted red candles and coffee were passed to the following: Mrs. J. F. Benedict, Mrs. J. S. Mobley, Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Wright, Mrs. Jim Latimer, Mrs. A. J. Sanders, Mrs. Troy Powell, Mrs. P. J. Van Ostrom, Mrs. J. T. Waddell, Jr., Mrs. Cliff Helton, Mrs. Garverick, Mrs. J. H. Lalson, Jr., Miss Ethel Mae

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Wilson, Mrs. E. T. Thomas, Mrs. Kenneth Hillburn, Mrs. Ruth Martin, Larry Martin, Mrs. Blake Stephens, Mrs. Olivia Green, Mrs. Marion Daly, Mrs. Ray G. Miller, Mrs. R. C. Beal, Mrs. W. W. Miller, Mr. L. A. Brankenhofer, Mrs. A. W. Triplett, Mrs. C. C. Greenhaw, Mrs. W. R. Winston, Mrs. Willerue Logan, Mrs. Claire Swartz, Mr. Guy Ward, Miss Olga Ford.

ANNOUNCEMENT MADE OF RECENT WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Spiegle announce the marriage of their daughter Wilma Lee to Staff Sgt. Kenneth C. Moore of Duncan, Okla. The wedding was held at Montgomery, Ala., December 16. The couple will make their home at Montgomery, where he is stationed with the army air forces at Maxwell Field.

AUXILIARY CIRCLES IN CHURCH TUESDAY

Auxiliary circles one and three met at First Presbyterian church Tuesday afternoon for regular business meetings. Miss Willie Word was in charge of circle three and Mrs. F. Borman presided at circle one. Reports were made by committee chairmen and minutes and roll call were read by Mrs. Frank Bond and Mrs. J. A. Jensen.

Members present were Mrs. O. L. Savage, Miss Willie Word, Mrs. J. E. Coleman, Mrs. Frank Bond, Mrs. B. S. Huey, Mrs. C. H. Fee, Mrs. Willie Bogan Dunn, Mrs. J. J. Tableman, Mrs. F. J. Borman, Mrs. J. E. Walter and Mrs. J. A. Jensen.

MRS. ESTES HOSTESS TO CIRCLE THREE

Circle three of First Baptist women's missionary union met in

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the home of Mrs. A. D. Ester Tuesday afternoon for regular meeting and Christmas tree.

The meeting opened with prayer by Mrs. W. S. Armstrong and Mrs. A. B. Cooper conducted a short business session. Minutes were read by Mrs. W. Frank Walker. Report was made of the box sent to Buckner orphan home and the committee on mission work reported a donation of \$2 and gifts of fruits; they also assisted in presenting the Christmas program.

Mrs. O. L. Mason brought the devotional from the Book of Luke, chapter two.

An exchange of gifts from the tree was made during social hour and refreshments were passed by Miss Mayme Estes, daughter of the hostess.

Those present were Mesdames A. B. Cooper, W. S. Armstrong, Ina Johnson, Fred Grist, C. A. Farquhar, L. A. Harrison, Algine Skiles, O. T. Morton, O. L. Mason, W. Frank Walker, C. A. Lassiter, Miss Mayme Estes and Mrs. A. D. Estes.

MRS. GHORMLEY HOSTESS TO CIRCLE

Mrs. W. I. Ghormley was hostess to circle two of First Baptist W.M.U. Tuesday afternoon in her home. The hostess was in charge of business period and report was made of gifts to Buckner home



YES, SHE HAS SOME—Six-year-old Lucille Tielson has been Pittsburgh's "banana girl" for the last four years because she must eat from six to ten pounds of the fruit daily. Doctors orders, for Lucille is victim of rare coeliac disease, and can't digest certain foods to keep weight up.

valued at \$26; twelve boxes of Christmas cheer were sent to the hospital at Camp Bowie.

Mrs. J. R. Burnett brought an interesting Bible lesson on "The Kingdom of God." The meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. C. P. Cole.

A social hour followed and two new members, Mrs. Don McEachern and Mrs. Sam Carmichael, were welcomed. Others present were Mrs. J. R. Burnett, Mrs. C. P. Cole, Mrs. Wm. Isenhower, Mrs. D. D. Lewis, Mrs. S. N. Poe, Miss Miriam Ghormley and Mrs. Ghormley.

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BRIEFLY TOLD

Chief Petty Officer Joe Caruthers of the Seabees, who recently spent some time with Cisco friends and relatives after an extended stay overseas, remembered the Daily Press with a Christmas card and a cheery message. Good old Joe is now at Camp Parks, Calif., trying to hook up with another overseas assignment.

Naval public relations office at Dallas informs the Daily Press that D. T. Wrinkle, seaman second class, naval reserve, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Wrinkle, Cisco, has been wounded.

U. S. naval reserve midshipman's school, New York, announces that Midshipman Randall J. Aiken, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Aiken, formerly of Cisco, was among the 1,023 men commissioned as ensigns in ceremonies held in the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, New York. The group was the 21st class to be graduated from this oldest and largest naval reserve officers' school.

Eighth service command public relations office, Dallas, says Pvt. Winifred M. Knowles, returning from 25 months overseas with an engineering corps in the Asiatic Pacific theater, has arrived at Fort Sill, Okla., prior to visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Almer K. Knowles, 400 west Second street, Cisco.

Miss Jane Marie Gilman has arrived to spend Christmas in the home of her mother, Mrs. Marie Gilman, 600 L. avenue. Miss Gilman is a member of the senior class at Marietta College, Marietta, O. She transferred to Marietta College from Stephens College, Columbia, Mo., in February. At Marietta College she is a member of the International Relations club, Women's Athletic association, Y.W.C.A. and the "Flowers" club.

Miss Gloria Henson, student at Texas Christian University, was expected to arrive today to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Henson, Humboldt.

Mrs. Fred E. Rylee and daughter Linda of Midland are guests in the home of her uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Tompkins.

Mrs. Harvey Thurman and sister Mrs. Eldon Burt accompanied by their sister-in-law Mrs. B. E. Clark of Rising Star and Miss Mary Edith Pinner of Cisco, spent the weekend with Mrs. Mae Clark, who is ill at her home in Temple.

Mrs. Mattie Robinson and daughter Mrs. G. R. Whitney of Breckenridge have returned from a visit with Mrs. W. H. Kirtrell and daughters Misses Laura and Lucy Kirtrell at Winters.

Mrs. V. D. Norman came in from Houston the first of the week for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Surles.

Philanthropist of First Methodist Sunday school will have a

Christmas party Friday night at 7:30 in the home of Mrs. C. E. Hailey. Each member is requested to bring a home-made gift.

J. G. Rupe and Leith Morris have arrived from Childress to spend the holidays with their respective families.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gilliam, December 5, at Graham sanitarium, a son—Calvin Pierce; weight eight pounds and two ounces. Mrs. Gilliam and the babe have been moved to their home at 404 west Eighth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morgan and sons Michael and Pat of Vancouver, Wash., are expected here this week for a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Farquhar.

Mrs. Troy Anderson and small son have gone to Fort Worth to spend the holidays with relatives.

Walter J. Leach, former Ciscoan, sent the following appreciated Christmas card to the Daily Press from his home in Los Angeles, Calif.: "There's something about this season of holly wreaths and cheer that brings to mind remembrance of friends we cherish all year."

An unusually beautiful Christmas card came to the Daily Press today from Mrs. W. L. Stone, Monroe, La., a life-long friend and former Kentuckian. The card reads: "I send you hearty greetings in the spirit of the day, and wish you Merry Christmas in the same old friendly way."

R. W. Smith has returned to Odessa after accompanying his family to Cisco where Mrs. Smith has been receiving treatment at Graham sanitarium for an infection of her hand. She is reported improved.

Pvt. McCarty Daniel and Mrs. Daniel who have been living in El Paso, visited his aunt Mrs. Mattie Robinson here Tuesday. Private Daniel is being transferred to a new army camp. They are guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Daniel of near Cisco.

Miss Mary Lee Surles is expected to come in Friday from Houston, where she is an Humble company employe, for a holiday visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Surles.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dunn visited Sunday with his brother who is ill at his home in Stamford.

Pte. Dick McPherson of Lincoln, Neb., who is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon McPherson, spent today with friends at May.

Mrs. Beldice Lee Iyle of Abilene visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cooper over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Maxwell and son Gene of Baton Rouge, La., arrived Monday for a visit with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Bates of Cisco and with her parents at Breckenridge.

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SANTA ON HIGH—Here's a really cheery topper, with authentic Christmas trimmings: tinsel, holly, cotton and bell, and topped with a de-lightful Santa candle. One might say wearer, Cheer Brentson, radio star, was dressed up like a Christmas tree.

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AUSTIN, Dec. 20.—Before the largest audience to attend a Texas Railroad Commission hearing in many months, the Chicago Corporation, major producer of natural gas on the Texas Gulf Coast, presented technical experts to support its claim that eight main reservoirs in the Stratton-Agua Dulce area near Corpus Christi are being produced without waste.

AUSTIN, Dec. 20.—Gov. Coke Stevenson today announced appointment of Rufus Peoples of Tehuacana, Limestone county, as member of the board of directors of Texas A. and M. college.

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