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REDS 25 MILES FROM BERLIN

If Communities Don't Act, the Government Will

A talk by W. R. Marrs of the University of Texas extension department, following an exceptionally good meal at First Methodist church, served by ladies of the church, was the feature of the Lions club luncheon Wednesday.

Pvt. Jack Garrett of Camp Hood was the guest of his father, H. R. Garrett.

After being introduced by President C. J. Turner, Marrs said he was here to bring a part of the University of Texas to the people, not to tell them how to do or act, but to confer with them and, by bringing to them some information as to what was being done about certain problems in other parts of the country, perhaps help solve problems that may soon confront us.

The speaker said there was much talk about postwar problems and how we had won the last war but lost the peace; adding that he feared the same thing would be true of this war.

"For instance," he said, "What are we going to do about that 60 million jobs that will be needed when the boys come home? We will be needing at least 30 million more jobs than we have now, and we must remember there will be no war work and ammunition making." It is a problem we are not ready for, he said, and yet one that might come any day.

The professor, who is a former school man of note in Texas, said this was a problem that teachers could not settle, although they can help, but is one that must be settled by the business man, the banker and others who have influence in the community. Local problems will need attention and the speaker said it was a part of his job to see if he could sit at the table with these business men and simply supply information as to what was being done by other communities.

Eastland county will have 7,000 service men coming home when war is ended. It will require very few Americans to police their part of the conquered nations, and that will mean every community flooded with men who must have jobs and have them soon.

"What is Cisco and other towns in the county doing about that problem?" he asked. It is true Cisco has a glove factory and perhaps it may get a few more factories, but will they be a drop in the bucket compared with the requirements for rehabilitation of these men into normal citizenship? Is it not time to be taking steps—active steps—toward the solution of that problem?

Perhaps some will just wait for the federal government to handle the matter, Mr. Marrs said. If they do they will likely be the first to yell dictatorship, he suggested.

"We had a great WPA program which we all deplored, but unless I am greatly mistaken we will have a still greater one coming up if local action is not taken all over the country." Dictators naturally come when the people fail to handle state questions, he suggested.

TRAINING UNION.

The Training Union department of East Cisco Baptist church will begin a student course at 7:45 Friday night, which will continue through Monday night. Rev. and Mrs. Bill Pond of the seminary at Fort Worth will be present as special workers and there will be classes for every age, from adults down to the cradle rolls, it is stated. The public is invited.

WHEN BERLIN FALLS.

When the cry, "Berlin is Fallen," is heard, a service of humble prayer and thanksgiving will be held in the Methodist church at 7:45, conducted by Dr. R. Ernest Little.

Major Schroeder "Rescued"—Said Message to Wife

Maj. Louis F. Schroeder, 54, of Grafrod, Tex., who departed from Cisco for the Philippines in 1941, after completing a visit here with Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Cox, the latter being a sister of Mrs. Schroeder, has been "rescued," said a wire received from the provost marshal general's office, Washington, D. C.

Just what was meant by the word "rescued" the family does not know, but further details concerning the rescue are expected soon. Mrs. Schroeder was informed that she might cable her husband, care provost marshal's office, free of any cost, said Mrs. Cox this morning just before she left for Grafrod for a visit with Mrs. Schroeder.

Major Schroeder was not reporting for army duty when he left for the Philippines in 1941, but was returning to his coconut plantation on the island after returning his wife to this country.

Later, two cablegrams were received from the major after his arrival over there, which was before the fall of Corregidor—then complete silence until last September, when the Red Cross notified the wife that her husband was a prisoner of the Japs. Still later a prison camp card was received which indicated he was at that time an inmate of Cabanatuan prison.

Major Schroeder, who has made frequent visits to Cisco, is a veteran of World War I and a native of Virginia.

Ciscoan Has 192 Combat Missions to His Credit

Lt. Leonard Yarbrough, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Yarbrough of Cisco, whose wife lives at Bonham, is now attending the fighter transition school at the 4th OTU, ferrying division, air transport command, Greenwood, Miss. This is the only school of its kind in the United States and the Ciscoan will learn to fly five different fighter planes in 30 days. If he completes the courses successfully, Yarbrough will return to his home station at Love Field, Dallas, to ferry such planes as the P-40, P-63 and others to all parts of the country.

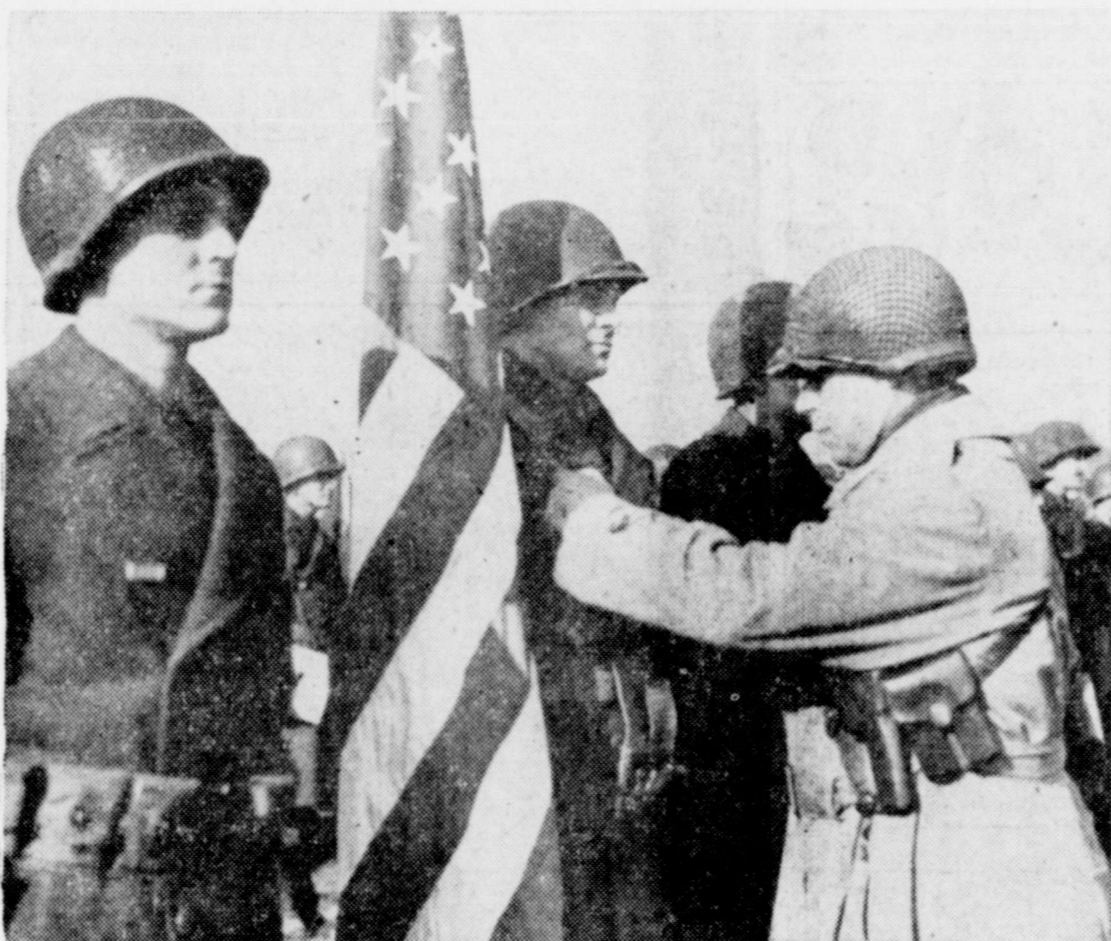
Yarbrough is a veteran of overseas duty and has a total of 192 combat missions, of which 84 were round trips over the treacherous "hump" in India. He possesses the Distinguished Flying Cross, the presidential citation, the Asiatic-Pacific Theater Ribbon and has been presented with air medals twice. Prior to entering the service in June, 1942, the lieutenant was employed at Dean Drug store, Cisco.

BRITISH IN MANDALAY.

NEW YORK, March 8.—British Imperial troops have broken into the streets of Mandalay and are fighting within a mile of the center of the big Burmese river port, according to a London radio broadcast recorded by CBS monitors here today.

SAN ANTONIO FIRE.

SAN ANTONIO, March 8.—A spectacular fire, one of the most costly in the history of this city, destroyed a huge warehouse today causing a property loss in excess of \$175,000 and, for a time, threatened to spread to a nearby lumber company where about \$75,000 worth of lumber is stored.



DIFFERENT KIND OF PARADE from usual goose-stepping affair is held on German soil when U. S. Army 1st Battalion members receive Presidential Citation in recent ceremonies. Major General Hobbs (right) pins ribbon on Sgt. David M. Cantrell. Sgt. Floyd A. Hightower already has his.



COVERED and glad of it, Nazis raise arms above heads, in surrender. Captors are American infantrymen of 2nd Platoon, Company B, 94th Division. Weary Germans line up on battle front near Beuren as Yanks in trench keep them guarded. (Signal Corps Photo.)



Betty Lasater Set New Mark for Local Keg Ladies

At last night's session of the Women's Bowling league, Firestone took all three games from A.-G. Motor and Blue Blazers trounced Dean Drug, two to one.

Betty Lasater of Firestone catapulted far to the front with a total of 541 pins during the evening. Her high for a single game was 213.

Wednesday night schedule: A.-G. Motor vs. Blue Blazers; Firestone vs. Dean Drug.

Scores Last Night.

Firestone—			
Betty Surles	153	131	115—399
Opal Ward	88	146	95—329
Beryle Cutting	150	130	119—399
Betty Lasater	173	213	155—541
A.-G. Motor—			
L. Surles	125	133	123—381
Dixie Beal	114	103	130—347
K. Jenkins	149	103	103—355
Jean Moore	109	109	109—327
Blue Blazers—			
Azilee Morris	117	136	130—383
Bonnie Reames	137	149	118—404
Joe Cone	108	108	108—324
Ima Westerman	144	126	121—391
Dean Drug—			
C. Abbott	189	169	102—460
A. Crowder	142	107	116—365
D. Stutenroth	141	129	182—452
Mary Terral	132	128	99—359

TERMINATING dramatic chapter in liberating Philippines, American guerrilla band is rescued by U. S. Navy PBY. Nine members who fought Jap forces for three years include two Army airmen who were downed but escaped Nips by hiding in woods. Men will join own forces and continue fight to oust Japs.

Tonight's Rotary Card to Be Highly Entertaining

A brief "prevue" of what Ciscoans may expect in the second lecture of the series presented by the Rotary club in its Institute of International Understanding was afforded the club at its noon luncheon today, when M. P. Greenwood - Adams, Australian journalist and famous lecturer, spoke briefly to the members.

Undoubtedly the program tonight at 8 o'clock at high school auditorium—a program dealing with that great new land "down under," about which so much is being heard and toward which the pioneer spirit of many young Americans is yearning—will be by far one of the best in the series of four.

Some idea of the qualifications of the speaker, a man tall, humorous and with Lincolnian humor and common cast, will be gained from the brief biographical sketch furnished with advance publicity on the personalities of the Institute: "Journalist and lecturer. Born and educated in Melbourne. Traveled extensively through Australia, Dutch East Indies, Pacific Islands and Europe. Served on the staff of a weekly newspaper and contributor to various magazines in Australia. For the last 20 years has been lecturing extensively around the world, doing series of lectures in the Philharmonic Hall in London, for the National Geographic Society in Washington and for men in the armed services."

Season tickets for the remaining three lectures may now be secured for \$1.00 including tax.

Red Cross Failure at This Time Be Serious Default

Cisco—trailing both Ranger and Eastland—was shy of its paid-in Red Cross quota this morning by exactly \$1,277.89, said Mrs. George P. Fee, chairman of the local campaign. Total paid in was \$3,052.11. Quota for the big three, \$4,300 each.

Ranger's paid-in was \$3,500 and Eastland had secured cash in the amount of \$3,064, according to figures obtained from Mrs. Joseph E. Perkins of Eastland.

The following county communities have secured their quotas and are now busy about something else: Gorman, \$2,079.79; Rising Star, \$1,090; Olden, \$201.50; Staff, \$60.10; Union, \$17.55; Desdemona, \$125.61; Carbon, \$300; Flatwood, \$96.36. The county quota is \$18,300.

Mrs. Fee expressed the hope that the people of Cisco would not let the Red Cross down in this greatest of all emergencies and that the quota deficit would be obtained this week.

Those who have not been reached by solicitors—and it is feared that members of some of the teams have failed to reach all citizens on their lists—are urged to mail checks to the chairman, or else telephone her at 410 and she will find a way to reach them personally.

PATTON NEAREST SOVIETS.

NEW YORK, March 8.—A bare 325 miles separated Lt. Gen. George S. Patton's American 3rd Army Thursday and the nearest Russians attacking at Forst, southwest of Berlin. Patton was the nearest general in the west to either Berlin or the Russians—he was only 283 miles from the Nazi capital on the Rhine northwest of Coblenz.

ZHUKOV'S MASSIVE NEW OFFENSIVE, 321 MILES TO THE WEST ALSO IN 29 MILES OF CAPITAL

LONDON, March 8.—The Russians have driven to within 25 miles of Berlin's city limits, outflanking the fortress of Kuestrian and reaching Seelow on the west side of the Oder, a Transocean broadcast from the German capital said today.

Seelow is directly east of Berlin and is 12 miles west of the Oder. It is on the main railway skirting the Oder which connects Stettin and Frankfurt.

Marshal Zhukov's massive new offensive, timed with the Allied drive to the Rhine, 321 miles to the west, also has reached a point 29 miles from Berlin northwest of Kuestrian, Berlin reported.

Transocean said Seelow was reached from the Russian bridgehead at Goerlitz, between Kuestrian and Frankfurt and said terrific fighting was taking place in the area, with many places changing hands repeatedly.

Heavy attacks are taking place at Niederwutzen, four miles southwest of Zehden in a loop of the Oder river, Col. Ernst von Hammer said in a Berlin broadcast, and the Russians have made two beaches in the defenses of the fortress of Kuestrian to the southeast.

Fighting was reported flaring along a 125-mile front along the Oder from Stettin bay to Crossen following a terrific artillery barrage that began 48 hours ago. The enemy said the focal point of the attack was on both sides of Kuestrian, 39 miles east of Berlin, with the Russians battering at the northwestern, eastern and southern sides of the fortress.

To the northeast, the Germans said, the Russians have invaded the old Danzig free state and smashed to within 19 miles of Danzig.

Moscow had not officially confirmed German announcements of the launching of the second great offensive, toward Berlin, but correspondents in the Soviet capital were permitted to hint that the German broadcasts were true.

Nature Lovers Can See 3,000 Peach Trees in Bloom

J. E. Spencer today issued an invitation to the public to visit his fruit orchard in the Long Branch area Sunday afternoon and see what will be a beautiful sight to most people—approximately 3,000 peach trees in full bloom. Mr. Spencer will be at the ranch through the afternoon.

To reach the orchard, Spencer makes the following suggestion: Go south on Rising Star highway to point half mile south of Romney; thence east and past Long Branch cemetery for a half mile.

The orchard has been sown to vetch and rye, and now a green carpet covers most of the orchard area. It is expected that both the early and late varieties of peaches will be in bloom by Sunday afternoon. Spencer finished the task of spraying the trees yesterday, he said.

CASUALTIES 823,632.

WASHINGTON, March 8.—American casualties in World War II rose to 823,632 today. Secretary of War Stimson reported that latest reported army casualties totaled 732,922 while latest navy department compilations show 90,710 killed, wounded, prisoners or missing in action.

Patton at Rhine; 6 Nazi Divisions Locked in Pocket

A linkup between Lt. Gen. George S. Patton's rampant Third and Lt. Gen. Courtney H. Hodges' First army appeared to be a matter of hours today, and would snap shut a trap on five to six more Nazi divisions, ripping another 2,500 square miles from the shrinking Reich.

Headquarters dropped a temporary blackout over the converging U. S. forces, after Patton's iron drive smashed to the Rhine northwest of Coblenz in a spectacular break-through that had carried 65 miles in 58 hours and covered the last 29 miles in 12 hours.

The last of the Rhineland was as good as lost to the Germans. West of the Rhine there remains only a few fragments, the largest the Saar wedge to the French frontier. Seven Allied armies under Gen. Eisenhower were poised on the Rhine, and a front dispatch said new regulations would veil Allied movements building up for a crossing.

The American First was reported in the German communique today to have charged 12 miles forward to the Rhine city of Remagen, narrowing to 17 miles the escape hatch of perhaps 50,000 enemy troops caught in the Eiffels west of the Rhine by General Patton's plunge to the river near Coblenz.

2nd Med School Might Stop Fight Made on Galveston

AUSTIN, March 8.—Dr. Chauncey Leake, dean and vice president of the University of Texas medical school at Galveston, told a house appropriations subcommittee that an additional medical college is needed to supply the state's requirements.

Dr. Leake and Regent Orville Bullington appeared before subcommittees in both house and senate to discuss appropriations for the 1945-1947 biennium. They asked that the legislature provide approximately \$1,300,000 for each year, including a new allocation of \$30,000 a year to operate the Stewart Home for Convalescent Children, fourteen miles from Galveston.

The medical school, an object of controversy for several years, has made good progress in the last two years and has been removed from the American Medical Association's probation list. Leake said it would take about five years more to make it a top-ranking school.

Under questioning from Representative George E. Adams of Bryan, Leake said Texas needs at least 350 new doctors annually and produces but 220. Because medical students need personalized instruction, he said, classes should be limited to 100 students or less, the present enrollment at Galveston.

KATY HAS TROUBLES.

KANSAS CITY, March 8.—Management of the Missouri-Kansas-Texas Railroad and a group of its stockholders are engaged in a bitter fight for future control of the road, Katy President Matthew Sloan has revealed.

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FINANCIAL DREAM WORLD.

Study of the president's last budget message to congress, indicates that the federal debt is to reach at least \$300,000,000 very soon, which means \$2,100 for every man, woman and child; that the "peacetime" normal expenses of government are to be doubled, tripled and maybe quadrupled over what they were before the war (interest alone on the debt at present is 4.5 billion); that the government intends to appropriate unlimited amounts for full employment, public works, rural electrification, financing of crop insurance, loans to stimulate private building, medical care, education, improvement of our homes, cities and farms, and the development of transportation facilities and river valleys.

This is but a partial list of what public money is to be spent for. Other billions will be spent for relief and rehabilitation of Europe. Only increased taxes or debt can provide the money.

And yet the budget message

indicated that the "masses of consumers" will be relieved of excessively high taxes. Apparently, federal deficits are to go on indefinitely.

The United States can live in a financial dream world until it rolls out of bed.

ASK THE MEN WHO KNOW.

Some years ago it was debated in all seriousness whether the railroads were an obsolete form of transportation. Many thought that ships, trucks, buses and planes would supersede them. The war settled the debate once and for all. Had the railroads not been ready for the emergency, the United States would have been confronted with military defeat. The railroads are the only means of hauling the crushing load of men, weapons, food, heavy equipment, fuel, tools and the tens of thousands of other items that sustain modern mobile warfare. They are the only means of maintaining mass transportation without which there could not be mass

production. This is the lesson that war has taught.

And now that the question of the rails' essentiality has been settled, the next question is how can this country insure itself a permanent up-to-the-minute rail transportation system? The best qualified to answer such a question would seem to be the people who have been responsible for the success with which the railroads have met the present emergency, the railroaders themselves. Of course, it will be said that these people have an axe to grind. They have. They want to continue running the best railroads in the world!

Railroad men would like to be assured of tax laws which will permit them to rehabilitate plant and equipment when men and materials are readily available after the war.

Railroad men would like to feel that the rails will have an opportunity to carry "that part of the total traffic for which they are economically best fitted on the basis of true costs and service."

Railroad men would like to be relieved of the hazard of politically inspired anti-trust suits that seek to wreck a rate-making system which has demonstrated its soundness and which operates effectively under the Interstate Commerce Commission.

If advocacy of these fundamental railroad requisites is grind-

ing an axe for the railroads, then the country would be better off if it had more of the same kind of axe grinders.

BETHEL

Sunday school each Sunday morning. Rev. Ernest Little will fill his regular appointment Sunday at 11 o'clock and also Sunday evening.

Charlie Rogers and family, who have been visiting in Brady for the past week, have returned home. He was accompanied by his brother-in-law Phil Davis.

Mrs. Botvidson and Mrs. Terrell of Cisco visited Mrs. J. M. Boatman Sunday.

Wayne Cozart visited Kenneth Boatman Saturday.

Luther Edwards of Cisco visited Omer Akers Sunday night.

E. L. Callarman was a Cisco visitor Monday.

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Panel 5: ISN'T DADDY SMART. HE TALKS SO BIG!

Panel 6: SOMEBODY IN THIS OFFICE HAS TAKEN AN EXTRA GLASS OF ICE WATER DURING THE PAST WEEK.

Panel 7: THIS INVOLVES A QUESTION OF INTER-NATIONAL LAW.

Panel 8: THE DIRECTORS OF A BIG CORPORATION SPEND SIX MONTHS AND \$12,431 IN INVESTIGATING THE LOSS OF A LEAD PENCIL.

Panel 9: THE HEAD OF THE FAMILY HOLDS A BIG INVESTIGATION OVER A BROKEN GLASS.

Panel 10: THE OFFICE MANAGERS CALL OFF ALL OTHER DUTIES TO INVESTIGATE THE DISAPPEARANCE OF TOO MUCH WATER FROM THE WATER COOLER.

PEOPLE WHO PUT YOU TO SLEEP—NUMBER FORTY-THREE

Panel 1: I PICKED UP THIS CHAIR FOR 80,000 FRANCS IN A LITTLE SHOP IN BAR-LE-DUC, FRANCE—NAPOLEON USED TO SIT IN IT WHEN HE HAD ONE OF HIS FAMOUS HEAD-ACHES—THIS LITTLE THING HERE WAS AN ORNAMENT OF THE DOOR-KNOB OF AN ANCIENT GREEK INSANE ASYLUM DURING THE REIGN OF EMPEROR TANGERINE—I PICKED IT UP IN ATHENS FOR 43,000 DRACHMAS—THAT I OULD CHINESE GONG-LOVER THERE WAS USED IN THE PALACE OF SLING-MUD-HI WHEN THEY HAD PAN-CARES FOR BREAKFAST—I PICKED IT UP IN HONGKONG FOR 393,02746 YEN—NOW, IN CONSTATINOPLE I PICKED UP...

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LYNDA PIPPEN WAS PARTY HONOREE.

Mrs. Joe Boatman entertained with a party in her home Saturday afternoon honoring her small granddaughter Lynda Pippin on the child's third birthday. Games and various amusements entertained the children during the afternoon and at the close refreshments of ice cream and cake were served and favors of plastic air planes were passed to the following: Lynda Pippin, Wanda Lee Yeager, Patsy and Pansy Pippin, Nadeen and Charlotte Collins, Paula Ann Coats, Joan Lisenbee, Ronnie Hagan, Marilyn and Carolyn Hughes, Judy Ann Sullivan, Rose Marie and Melba Joyce Hamilton, Darlene Farmer and Charlene Ray Watson.

The honoree received a number of pretty gifts and toys from her friends.

COUNCIL GROUP IN C. E. GLOVER HOME.

Group three of First Christian church met in the home of Mrs. C. E. Glover Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. H. H. Tompkins presiding.

Mrs. C. R. West brought a splendid devotional and the missionary lesson, in which the work in the Philippines was discussed, was directed by Mrs. J. E. Elkins.

Mrs. Tompkins conducted a business session and refreshments were passed to Mrs. C. R. West, Mrs. J. E. Elkins, Mrs. J. R. Wright, Mrs. H. H. Tompkins, Mrs. Randolph Lee Clark, Mrs. J. S. Mobley, Mrs. W. E. Johnson, Mrs. H. J. Woodriddle, Mrs. W. R. Winston, Mrs. G. W. Troxell and Mrs. Glover.

MRS. O. L. MASON HOSTESS TO CIRCLE.

Mrs. O. L. Mason was hostess

when circle three of First Baptist WMU met in her home Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. A. B. Cooper presided and opened the meeting with prayer by Mrs. C. A. Farquhar.

Minutes were read by Mrs. W. Frank Walker. Assignment for the month is to sponsor the Intermediate Girls' auxiliary. Report was made of purchasing three pairs of anklets and material for two pairs of pajamas for Buckner orphan home; a letter of gratitude for cards received was read from a member, Mrs. W. S. Armstrong, who has been moved from a hospital in Fort Worth to the home of her daughter there, where she will remain while convalescing.

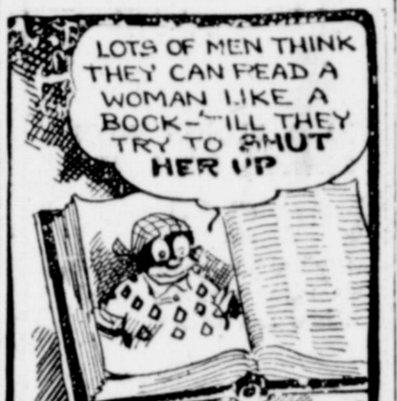
Mrs. Mason, Bible teacher, brought an interesting lesson from the Book of Acts.

Refreshments were passed to Mrs. A. B. Cooper, Mrs. A. D. Estes, Mrs. C. A. Farquhar, Mrs. Fred Grist, Mrs. L. A. Harrison, Mrs. O. G. Lawson, Mrs. L. B. Mayhew, Mrs. Lassiter, Mrs. Algie Skiles, Mrs. W. Frank Walker and the hostess.

MRS. WALLACE HOSTESS TO AUXILIARY CIRCLE.

Presbyterian auxiliary circle one met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. W. W. Wallace for the final meeting of the fiscal year. Mrs. F. J. Borman presided and minutes were read by Mrs. J. A. Jensen; treasurer's report was made and work of the past year reviewed.

Mrs. Wallace brought the scripture devotional and Mrs. Jensen was leader of the program "Now, Living By the Power of Christ," in which she was assisted with



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reading of scripture references by several members. The meeting closed with an appropriate poem, "These Things Remain," read by the hostess.

A social hour was held and refreshments were passed to Mrs. F. J. Borman, Mrs. R. L. Ponsler, Mrs. John Garrett, Miss Betty Baugh, Mrs. J. E. Walter, Mrs. O. Gustafson, Mrs. H. A. Bible, Mrs. Joe Clements, Mrs. E. P. Crawford, Mrs. J. A. Jensen, two visitors, Mrs. Bill Wallace and son and the hostess.

MRS. O. O. LOVE HOSTESS TO GROUP.

Mrs. O. O. Love was hostess Monday afternoon to East Cisco women's missionary union, which met for the first meeting of the "Annie W. Armstrong Week of Prayer."

The program was directed by the hostess assisted by her daughter Mrs. Mary Owen. The topic

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Mrs. W. H. Craddock returned to Cisco yesterday from San Antonio and Mission, where she attended the funeral of her brother, Col. Wm. P. Dingle. Deceased was buried at Ft. Sam Houston, San Antonio, with full military honors. Besides Mrs. Craddock he is survived by his wife and children of North Wilmington, Mass.

Miss Beth Lynn Dill of Rising Star was a guest here of her cousin Miss Sue Mobley Wednesday.

Mrs. R. R. Todd has returned to her home at Kansas City, Mo., after an extended visit with her mother Mrs. James A. Thompson and her sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Sweeney.

Ben Krauskopf of Santa Fe, N. M., is here visiting his wife while on vacation.

Mrs. Ben R. Townley and son Dickey of Gorman are visiting her

mother Pfc. Goram Pollard and her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Vanderford.

Little Jane Elmore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Elmore, is ill with flu.

Mrs. S. R. Campbell of Dallas visited her sisters Mrs. M. W. Oldham, N. D. Vanderford and H. W. Ham the first of the week.

Mrs. J. E. Spencer is visiting her sister Mrs. R. L. Shaw and family in Houston this week.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Vanderford Sunday were their daughter and husband Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gregory of Dallas, accompanied by their son, Lieut. Paul Gregory and daughter, Miss Modell Gregory.

Mrs. J. C. Butcher of Fort Worth spent Monday and Tuesday here in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Cook.

Mrs. Esta Stephens left this week for Los Angeles after an

extended visit here with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Turknett.

Mrs. W. E. Ricks came in Tuesday from an extended stay with her sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ricks and daughter of Shreveport, La., and Mr. and Mrs. Statham Ricks, Dallas.

Mrs. Roy Kirkland of Fort Worth visited over the weekend with relatives and friends in Cisco. Mrs. Kirkland is the former Miss Jo Nell Rains.



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Mrs. Clifton Stiles and son Tony visited Mr. Stiles' parents Mr. and Mrs. C. Stiles in Eastland Monday.

Mrs. Ralph Glenn plans to leave by plane from Dallas Friday for Greenville, S. C., where she will join her husband, Lt. Ralph Glenn, who is stationed near there with the air forces.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse J. Butts and children returned to Holliday the first of the week, after having accompanied Mrs. Butts' mother, Pfc. Goram Pollard, to Cisco following a few days' visit with them.

Mrs. Houston Page, accompanied by her grandson Richard West III of Dallas, arrived this afternoon for a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. West.

Mr. and Mrs. Loy Williams and daughter Kay of Odessa were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon B. Parks Wednesday.

Word has been received by Cisco relatives that Pfc. Henry D. Williams received a slight head wound recently while engaged in battle at Luzon. His wife and two children of Pyote are guests here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Isbell.

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