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# STRONG NAZI ATTACK FAILED

## WOMAN'S AUXILIARIES OF FT. WORTH AND BROWNWOOD PRESBYTERIES BE HERE WEDNESDAY; THE TWO BODIES WILL MERGE

The Woman's auxiliaries of Brownwood and Fort Worth presbyteries (Presbyterian church in the United States) will hold their annual meetings at Cisco First Presbyterian church Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

It will be the 38th annual session of Brownwood presbytery auxiliary and the forty-fourth annual meeting of the women of Fort Worth presbytery.

The outstanding features of the two-day session will be the merging of the two organizations, choosing a name for the single auxiliary and the election of officers.

Owing to travel restrictions there will probably be less than 100 visitors here from the two auxiliaries, but Ciscoans in general will welcome them and will do everything possible to make their visit here a pleasant one.

### Program.

- Each of the auxiliaries will hold executive board meetings at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning.
- Wednesday Afternoon, Brownwood Presbytery:**
  - 1:00—Registration.
  - 1:30—Call to Order, Mrs. Harry Lynn, Ballinger; hymn; prayer, Mrs. J. C. Young, Coleman.
  - 1:40—Devotional, Mrs. C. R. Stevens, Ballinger.
  - 2:00—Report of Program Committee; Report of Credentials Committee; Appointment of Temporary Committees; Report of Committee on Constitution and By-Laws; Report of Auditing Committee.
  - 2:15—Report of General Officers; Vice President, Mrs. E. A. Saunders; Recording Secretary, Mrs. L. Fields Harris; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. F. M. Pearce; treasurer, Mrs. Joe C. Young; Historian, Miss Bess Dobbs; President, Mrs. Harry Lynn.
  - 2:45—Report of District Chairman; Hymn; Prayer; Report of Cause Secretaries; Report of Executive Board; Reading of Minutes; Recess.
- Wednesday Afternoon, Fort Worth Presbytery:**
  - 1:00—Registration.
  - 1:30—Call to Order, Mrs. C. A. Glenn, Cleburne; Hymn 7—"O Worship The King"; Prayer.
  - 1:40—Devotional, Mrs. Clarence Jones, Abilene.
  - 2:00—Report of Program Committee; Mrs. T. H. Willis, Abilene; Report of Credentials Committee; Appointment of Temporary Committees; Report of Auditing Committee; Report of General Officers; President, Mrs. C. A. Glenn, Cleburne; Vice President, Mrs. W. F. Krause, Graham; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Fred B. Porter, Fort Worth; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. David E. Murphy, Cleburne; Treasurer, Mrs. Sid Pruitt, Itasca; Historian, Mrs. R. B. Rawls, Fort Worth.
  - 2:45—Present Cause Secretaries. 3:05—Hymn 242—"Dear Lord and Father of Mankind." Prayer.
  - 3:15—District Chairman.
  - 3:40—Executive Board Report; Reading of Minutes; Recess.
  - 4:00—Joint meeting of Woman's Auxiliary of Brownwood Presbytery and the Woman's Auxiliary of Fort Worth Presbytery.

## Bowlers Banquet; Organize a Summer Tournament

The second annual banquet of the Men's Bowling league was held in the basement of First Christian church last night and was a pleasant affair. Dr. C. E. Paul, president, presided and some 28 members were present.

The principal talk of the evening was by Rev. W. A. Flynn, who "never tossed a ball" until he came to Cisco, but who is fast becoming an excellent ten-pinner. In complimenting the members of the eight teams composing the men's league, the speaker also said nice words about the managers of the alleys, Messrs. C. C. and R. H. Cutting, for maintaining fine order at all times. Mr. Flynn added: "The alleys are a big asset to Cisco from many angles. Until I came here I had always associated bowling alleys with the rougher elements of society; but here I found only the best people, with perfect order on the part of both bowlers and watchers, at all times. I am getting a big kick out of the recreation as well as benefit from the congenial association."

The president read the report of Treasurer O. J. Russell, which showed all obligations, including numerous prizes and the banquet, paid for, with a small balance left. Mr. Russell was complimented for his painstaking work. Upon his request to be relieved from the duties of treasurer, Frank Clappitt was elected to that position. After discussion of new rules for governing the league, a summer tournament was organized, which will be composed of four five-man teams, the 12-game schedule to start next Monday night. Sponsors will be Humble Oil Co., Collins Hardware, U. S. Postoffice and Thomas Funeral Home.

Those present and partaking of the excellent supper served by ladies of First Christian church were W. A. Flynn, J. R. Wright, E. T. Thomas, F. B. Clappitt, L. Mendenhall, I. J. Henson, James Moore, M. M. Tabor, W. E. Dean, Henry Curtis, Charles J. Kleiner, C. C. Cutting, Donald Kent, R. H. Cutting, James Callarman, Jack Farleigh, Pete Nance, Rusty Russell, Ray Judia, Guy B. Morris, Con Collins, C. E. Paul, R. L. Ponsler, O. J. Russell and A. B. O'Flaherty.

Ray Judia entertained the men with a number of piano selections before the meeting was called to order.

## Public Schools Fire Drill Held Once Each Month

The regular fire drills, held at each public school building once a month, were conducted yesterday afternoon and all were carried out in a highly commendable manner, said Charles J. Kleiner, city commissioner who, together with Mayor Edward Lee, Fire Chief Fred Grist and City Commissioner George Boyd, visited each of the school buildings and clocked the exit of pupils after the school fire gongs had been sounded.

Time starts at the last sound of gong and ends when the last student has emerged from the building. It was thought by some of the observers that the west ward children probably made the most orderly exit.

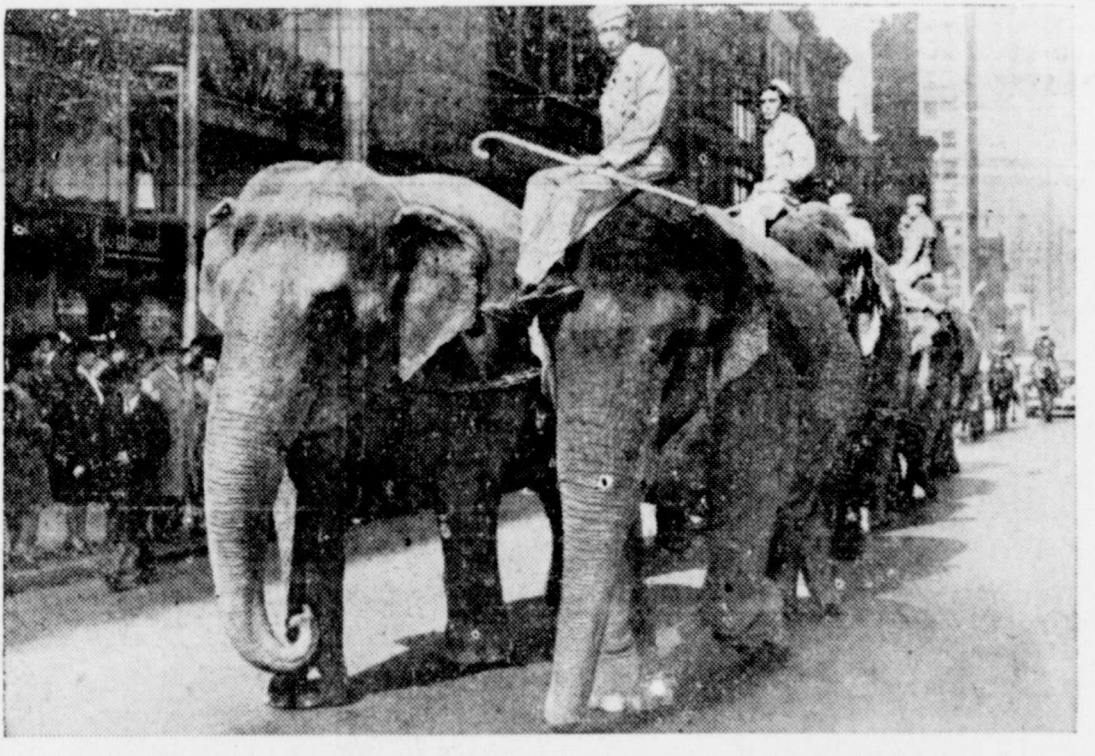
## Carl Boles, Cisco Route Three, Now Deep in Germany

29TH INFANTRY DIVISION, WESTERN FRONT. — Pfc. Carl Boles, Cannon company, 116th Infantry, son of Mrs. Fannie Boles, route three, Cisco, Texas, who has been overseas with this noted assault division for 30 months, is now fighting deep in Germany. He came overseas with the Blue & Gray in October, 1942, trained rigorously in England for 18 months, specializing in amphibious operations. The 29th was one of the first divisions to arrive in the E. T. O.

His regiment was recently awarded the presidential unit citation for valor on D-Day. In addition he wears the combat infantryman's badge, the E. T. O. ribbon with three stars, donating his participation in the Normandy landings, the Battle for France and Germany.



GLAD TO BE HOME—American shores look good to these Yanks, who were war prisoners in Germany. They arrived in Boston aboard a troop transport. From left front row are Sergeants Hyman Chero, James R. Washer and Louis Elphand, of New York; John Cysz, Jersey City; Frank Lunt, New York. Rear row: Col. Joe Feminella, Sergeants Harm Switz, and Edward Graef, N. Y.



THE CIRCUS COMES TO TOWN—New Yorkers witness first circus parade since 1919. Here the elephant train moves down the street in support of the 7th War Loan Drive, now under way.

## O. Gustafson Resigns City Job After 21 Years

O. Gustafson, who moved to Cisco from Stamford about 21 years ago and who has since served the city efficiently and continuously as fire marshal and peace officer, has resigned that position and with Mrs. Gustafson will return to Stamford within the near future. They have retained their former home place at Stamford through the years and will reoccupy it.

Mr. Gustafson will be 69 years of age August 9 and is a native of Sweden, coming to the United States at the age of 10 in the care of S. M. Swenson, who later founded the great Swenson cattle ranch, with headquarters in Stamford. The Swenson holdings were at one time the greatest in this section of West Texas and are still extensive, though the present owners, relatives of the original Swenson, are gradually disposing of the properties. Mr. Gustafson remained with the Swensons 30 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Gustafson are the parents of five children, all of whom are grown and married and, as he said, "scattered about the country." They are both consistent members of First Presbyterian church and are held in high regard by many friends and acquaintances.



BELATED—Charles and Susan Jones are four and three-years-old but this is their first chance to celebrate Christmas. They have just arrived at grandmother's home in Seattle, Wash., with parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Clayton Jones, after internment in Manila. Grandma played Santa with all the trimmings.

was presented with the following testimonial by Mayor Edward Lee, which bears date of April 13, 1945: "On behalf of the citizenship of Cisco we wish to express our appreciation of the long and faithful service you have rendered as a police officer and fire marshal. You will be long remembered by us as a friend, and we wish you many happy years to come. (Signed) George Boyd, fire and police commissioner; Edward Lee, mayor; M. C. Perdue, police chief; George W. Downie, city secretary."

**LOTS OF PRISONERS.** WITH THE U. S. THIRD ARMY, April 17.—The U. S. Third Army processed 32,269 prisoners yesterday, shattering the previous record of 18,819.

**YANKS-RUSSIANS MEET.** LONDON, April 17.—The Par-adio reported without official confirmation today that American and Russian spearheads had met in the Elbe river valley south of Dresden.

## THIRD ARMY TAKES SAXONY RAIL CENTER AT PLAUE, BIsectING GERMANY; KONEV-PATTON NEAR

The Germans launched a heavy attack today on the Ninth Army's Elbe bridgehead pointing toward Berlin, but the Americans beat off the attack without losing ground.

To the south, the Third Army captured the big Saxony rail center of Plauen, in effect bisecting Germany and the Germans said Marshal Konev's First Ukraine Army had launched a powerful offensive across the Neisse river aimed at linking with Lt. Gen. Patton's forces.

Capture of Plauen, a Saxony rail center, for all practical purposes split the Reich in two. The Germans said the coordinated east-west squeeze of the capital had begun.

The Germans said their Berlin front was torn apart briefly at some points by the Russians and the enemy high command dropped a security curtain over details on the front, indicating a critical situation.

The American Ninth was fighting a bitter battle on the flat Brandenburg plain before Berlin and the First Army had Leipzig virtually encircled.

Some 101,000 square miles had been ripped away from what was pre-war Germany, leaving the Nazis about 84,000 square miles. The Russians have conquered 38,000 and the western Allies 63,000 square miles. Only 24 of Germany's big cities still flew the Nazi banner.

The Germans said Marshal Konev sent his First Ukraine Army across the Neisse at two points, his southern flank plunging to Niesky, 48 miles from Dresden and 75 from American Third Army vanguards driving on that great city; his northern flank aimed toward a juncture with the American First.

The Nazis said Red Army airborne troops landed less than 23 miles from the Reich capital within its inner defense ring. One account said this force was wiped out. Another said heights were captured nine miles west of the Oder bridgehead at Kuestrin. The enemy said Soviet assault forces had torn deep breaches in the lines at Frankfurt, 33 miles east of Berlin. The Russians maintained silence on the crucial front.

Gen. Eisenhower's offensive was slowed by long supply lines and fanatical resistance. His troops menaced such cities as Chemnitz, Dresden, Leipzig, Dessau, Nuremberg and Berlin itself. There was a Paris radio rumor that American and Russian spearheads had met in the Elbe valley south of Dresden. This was without official foundation.

Ironically echoing the French war cry of World War I, the German high command called upon "every single German soldier" to make his watchword "They shall not pass." Following up Hitler's desperate appeal to his eastern armies for a death stand, the military said "to lose our nerve is to lose everything."

While the rumble of Russian guns resounded in Berlin, the Red Army in Austria and Czechoslovakia also was rolling forward steadily. The Third Ukraine Army hammered through the Austrian Alps and captured Fuesenfeld, 29 miles east of Graz, Austria's second city. The Second Ukraine Army in Czechoslovakia was 18 miles southwest of Bruenn (Brno), Czech war center. And in the north the Russians in East Prussia whittled down the German hold on the Samland peninsula and drove within two and ten miles of Fischhausen and Pillau, the German escape ports.

## President Signs Lend-Lease Extension Measure

WASHINGTON, April 17.—President Truman signed the lend-lease extension bill today.

In a statement the President declared the measure a "mighty instrument for victory" and one of the "growing monuments to the boldness, imagination and effective statesmanship of Franklin Roosevelt."

"Lend-lease," he said, "will be carried on until the unconditional surrender or complete defeat of Germany and Japan."

The signing was witnessed by secretary of State Stettinius, Chairman Connally (D-Tex.) of the senate foreign relations committee, Senator Vandenberg (R-Mich), Chairman Bloom (D-NY) of the house foreign affairs committee, and Rep. Eaton (R-NJ).

The bill, extending lend-lease aid to the United Nations an additional 12 months from June 30, was signed after the President had conferred briefly with delegates to the forthcoming United Nations conference at San Francisco.

Stettinius and the congressional delegates remained over to watch Mr. Truman approve the lend-lease legislation.

## Nance New Head School Board; Dr. Woods Named V.P.

Cisco school board met last night for reorganization and the conduct of general business. All members were present, including the two newly elected men, Dr. Paul M. Woods and J. L. Thornton. In the absence of W. Frank Walker, business secretary, who is confined to Graham Sanitarium following an operation for hernia, Mrs. Wendell Russell read the minutes of last meeting and recorded those of last night's session.

G. R. (Pete) Nance was elected president; Dr. Paul M. Woods, vice president and Mrs. N. A. Brown, secretary.

A general discussion was held in which the older board members answered questions by the newer members and a brief outline of various plans for the future were given.

Board members present were W. C. Hogue, Floyd Shepard, W. R. Huestis, Pete Nance, Mrs. N. A. Brown, J. L. Thornton and Dr. Woods. R. N. Cluck, superintendent of schools, was also present.

## FOR JUNIOR COLLEGES.

AUSTIN, April 17.—The senate has passed by unanimous vote and sent back to the house for concurrence a committee substitute bill appropriating \$343,000 for the biennium for state aid to public junior colleges. The senate version provides a \$60 per capita apportionment as compared to the present \$50 apportionment. The house version of the measure provided an apportionment of \$100 per capita.

## FT. SMITH FLOODED.

FORT SMITH, Ark., April 17. The flooded Arkansas river today poured over approximately 150 blocks of Fort Smith. Most of the northside factory district—center of the furniture manufacture—was under water from two to six feet deep.



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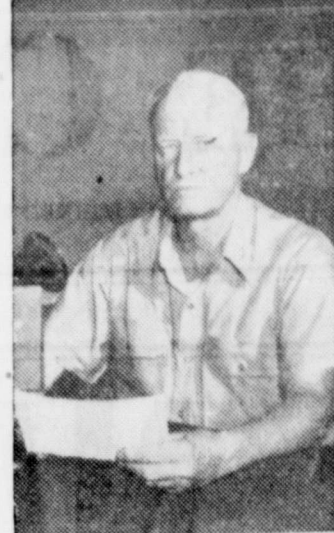


ROTARY PRESIDENT.

DR. G. C. BOSWELL, superintendent of Ranger public schools and president of Ranger Junior college, has been elected president of the Rotary club. He served as president of Weatherford Rotary club in 1939-40 and president of Weatherford chamber of commerce in 1938-39.



This war victim family believes that "the only good Nazi is a dead Nazi." From such a dead Nazi, "Mom" obtained the overcoat which covers her and the baby. "Junior" got the shirt, his only garment. "Pop" got shoes to smarten up his ragged rig, and little "Tony" got a strip of canvas for a makeshift toga. Millions of others in war-ravaged lands need all the serviceable used clothing, shoes and bedding you can give to the United National Clothing Collection.



ADMIRAL of the Fleet Chester W. Nimitz is shown at his advance headquarters on Guam. From these headquarters he read the communique which revealed to the world the news of the invasion of Guam. (Navy Photo.)



CONGRESSMAN Clare Booth Luce is entertained by British soldiers in Dorchester Club, Forte, Italy. She is touring British 8th Army sector on western front.

## TWO WARS.

Here are some words such as should be spoken in every newspaper and magazine in America, before the war ends and the men come home and life resumes its normal course.

The lesson that should have been taught a generation ago was not learned, or not remembered. The menace of German militarism, the facile acceptance of military authority by the German people, and the native Teutonic pride in armed force, were not completely understood and not adequately punished by Americans of the last generation. Real or imaginary supremacy of Germany in some of the fine arts was allowed to become an American tradition, while religion, ethics, honor and peace were ignored. Wherefore came this immense calamity, greater and more perilous than all previous wars, worse than the Japanese assault.

It should be understood once for all, before this war is ended, that the crimes committed under the degenerate principles of Nazism were not those of Adolf Hitler alone. His followers may try to make him a scapegoat for their own crimes. But if there is to be any decency, peace and civilization hereafter, the whole German nation must be adequately punished for its collective sins. Otherwise there can be neither a righteous nor a sane peace, but only a continuing fear for honest nations.

initials, and queer combinations of the same, are doubtless O. K. for the initiated, but to millions of readers and listeners they probably seem like nonsense — esoteric or childish, as the case may be. What, for instance, does the average American get out of such symbols as CED (committee for Economic Development), WPB, W.L.B. L. and M. and so on? To the average newspaper reader it may just be so much more Bretton Woods and Dumbarton Oaks (probably themselves due at any moment for minifying into BW and DO.)

Well, anyhow, English was a great language while it lasted.

## IMMIGRANTS.

By Richard Bassett

Many plants now taken for granted as belonging to America are really immigrants. Navel oranges, for instance, came from Brazil, grapefruit indirectly from Asia, fungi-resistant hard wheats from Russia, alfalfa from central Asia, soy beans from China, elms from interior Asia, avocado from Central America, long-staple cotton from Egypt. There are many others. Some were Americanized by patient breeding. Similar experiment with native plants has developed many varieties now grown elsewhere. Hybrid corn is one of these.

The drug colchicine, old-fashioned gout cure, has lately been used to speed up plant evolution. Seeds treated with it produce plants twice the size of the parent. Seed of the offspring may also be treated, resulting sometimes in giants, sometimes in freaks. It acts on the chromosomes, heredity-carrying part of the plant cell, doubling their number. More and different hybrids are possible, also, when there are more chromosomes. Besides plants which have moved here, and those changed here, others, once found native, were taken to the Far East or Africa, and lately returned to grow again in this hemisphere. Rubber is one, quinine another.

## DAYS AND LETTERS.

All this V-Day and V-E Day and D-Day, and so on, is doubtless all right in its way, but it gets a lot of us simple-minded people rather confused. We're not quite up to the initials yet. And when, on top of such formulas, we have to absorb all the verbal and alphabetical shortcuts that are found in some of the "business comments, it seems in the almost forgotten words of Aeneas Ward, "tu multa."

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## SOCIAL SECURITY MANAGER.

Ralph T. Fisher, manager of the Social Security Board field office in Abilene, will be at the postoffice in Eastland Thursday, 1 p. m. Mr. Fisher visits Eastland on the third Thursday of each month for the purpose of assisting eligible persons with their retirement or death claims under the Social Security act, and for the purpose of furnishing information on social security. His next scheduled trip to Eastland after April 19 is on May 17. All persons having business with Mr. Fisher should call promptly at 1 p. m., as he will remain at the office for only a short time.

## CALLARMAN COMMENDED.

Mrs. Edward M. Callarman has received a letter from her husband, Tech-Sgt. Callarman, now with the AAF in Scotland. He enclosed a letter written by his commanding officer, Col. P. N. Montague, which highly commended Sergeant Callarman for work at his base since September, 1944. Callarman graduated from Cisco high school in 1935, joined the air forces in 1937 and has been overseas since January, 1944. He is a son of Mrs. C. E. Callarman of route two, Cisco. His wife and son reside with his mother.



FORMER International Harvester executive, Henry P. Nelson has been named Coordinator of Reconversion of Automotive Industry. He was selected by War Production Board Chief Henry Krug. Nelson is shown here at his desk in Washington, D. C.

## JUST HUMANS

By GENE CARR



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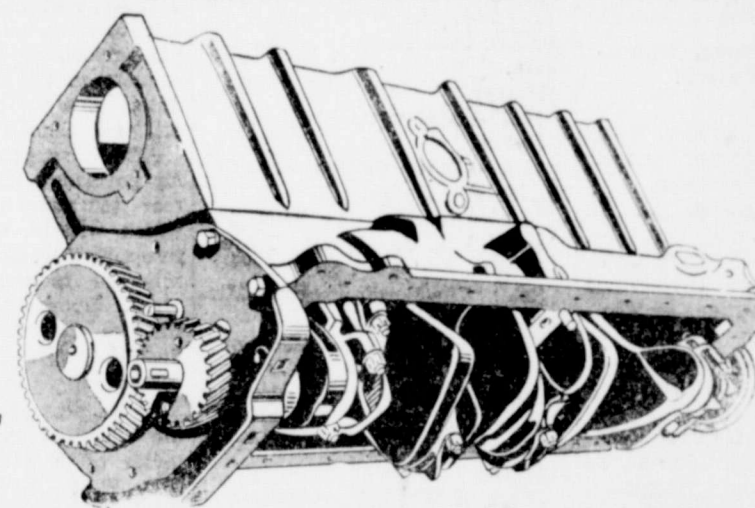


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### PICNIC MONDAY WAS ENJOYED BY GROUP.

Jimmy Bassett was host to members of Royal Ambassador organization of East Cisco Baptist church Monday afternoon in the home of his grandmother Mrs. D. D. Lewis. After the group assembled they went in a body, accompanied by Mrs. Lewis and Mrs. R. E. McCord, sponsor, to U. D. C. park.

The business session was then held, following which games were played by the group.

At the close of the games a picnic lunch was spread by the sponsors and was heartily enjoyed by those partaking. Invocation was offered by Mrs. Lewis.

Those present were Billy and Bobby Sledge, John Hugh McCary, Bob White, Reo Evans, Billy Marsh, Darwin Dawson, Jimmy Bassett, Mrs. R. E. McCord and Mrs. Lewis.

### AUXILIARY MEETING HELD MONDAY NIGHT.

American Legion auxiliary met Monday evening at the Service Men's club with Mrs. Paul Poe, president, in charge. The meeting opened with prayer by Mrs. James Haynie and was followed by the pledge of allegiance to the flag. Mrs. Irene Hallmark was welcomed back into the group, having been away from the city with her mother, who was ill. Minutes and roll were read by Mrs. Charles Robarts and treasurer's report was given by Mrs. L. H. McCrea, Sr.

Report was made by the committee that between 30 and 40 pounds of books were collected for service men and sent to Merchant Marine Library at New Orleans. Report was made of working with Mrs. W. C. Hogue in the drive for clothes and shoes for needy people in the war zones and it was announced that American Legion auxiliary will pick up used garments next week. Child Welfare committee reported that a survey of the city will be accomplished soon, the purpose of which is to find needy children whose fathers are veterans of either world war. The meeting was closed by repeating the Lord's prayer in unison.

Those present were Mrs. Paul Poe, Mrs. Charles Robarts, Mrs. Irene Hallmark, Mrs. L. H. McCrea, Sr., Mrs. H. N. Lyle, Mrs. O. C. Lomax, Mrs. James Haynie and Mrs. D. J. Gorman.

### T. E. L. CLASS HELD LUNCHEON THURSDAY.

T. E. L. class of First Baptist Sunday school held the monthly covered dish luncheon Thursday in the home of Mrs. W. J. Poe, on west Nineteenth street. Preceding the luncheon a short devotional was brought by Mrs. Arthur Johnson, a visitor. The sumptuous meal was served with guests seated at two long tables.

Miss Cora B. Harris, teacher of the class, gave a splendid talk on the work and various projects of the class, before the business session, which was conducted by Mrs. W. H. LaRoque, vice-chairman. Reports were made by class officers and the treasurer's report showed all bills paid and a splendid balance.

During the social hour Mrs. A. R. Day, social chairman, directed several interesting games.

Those present were several visitors, Mrs. J. B. Winfield, Brownwood; Mrs. Keren Elliott, Lubbock; Mrs. G. B. Langston, Mrs. Arthur Johnson, little Juddy Jean Hopkins and the following members: Miss Cora Harris, Mrs. W. S. Armstrong, Mrs. Berta Carmichael, Mrs. A. R. Day, Mrs. A. D. Estes, Mrs. C. A. Farquhar, Mrs. T. A. Graves, Mrs. Isa Johnson, Mrs. Mary LaFever, Mrs. W. H. LaRoque, Mrs. T. M. Moore, Mrs. W. E. McWhorter, Mrs. C. Owen, Mrs. W. J. Poe, Mrs. H. S. Stubblefield, Mrs. Ada Wheeler, Mrs. C. A. Williams and Mrs. L. A. White.

### MRS. COLE GAVE BOOK REVIEW AT CLUB.

XXth Century club and a number of guests met Friday afternoon at the library for book review and regular meeting. Mrs. S. E. Hittson greeted the guests and Mrs. E. P. Crawford, afternoon hostess, directed them to the auditorium.

Mrs. Charles C. Jones, program chairman, introduced Mrs. Wm. H. Cole, who gave a most interesting review of the book, "Papa Was a Preacher." The musical program which had been arranged was postponed.

At the close of the review the group was invited into the adjoining room for refreshments. Decorations of seasonal cut flow-

ers were attractively placed about the room. Spiced punch was ladled to the guests by Mrs. J. T. Anderson and Mrs. O. L. Savage and refreshment plates of cookies and mints were passed to approximately 45 women.

### MRS. H. H. TOMPKINS HONOREE AT SHOWER.

Women's council of First Christian church was hostess Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. W. J. Armstrong with a miscellaneous shower honoring Mrs. H. H. Tompkins, Jr., a recent bride. The house was festive with floral decorations.

Guests were received by Mrs. Armstrong and Mrs. H. H. Tompkins, Sr., who presented the honoree. Miss Jimmie Jean Hensley acted at the registration book.

Following registration guests were directed to the dining room for refreshments. The table, overlaid with lovely cut work linen cloth, held a pretty arrangement of seasonal cut flowers flanked at the sides by tall lighted tapers in crystal holders.

Delicious punch was ladled from large cut glass bowls by Mrs. C. R. West and Mrs. J. S. Mobley. Others assisting in the dining room were Mrs. Marston Sures, Mrs. Jack Lauderdale, Mrs. Jay Garrett and Miss Jane Moore.

A musical program was presented in which piano numbers were played by Miss Jeanne Jamison; Mrs. Randolph Lee Clark sang "Just to Please the Boys" and Mrs. Lonnie Shockley gave two vocal selections, "The Sweetest Story"

Ever Told" and "All of My Life," which closed the program.

A messenger arrived at this juncture with an express package for the honoree, who, upon opening the package, found a lovely array of useful and pretty gifts.

Approximately 40 guests were present at the splendid affair.



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# BRIEFLY TOLD

Mrs. Myrtle Anderson, Mrs. Vida Stephens, Miss Dorothy Jean Anderson and Seaman Lee Guthrie went to Brownwood Sunday to meet Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Hamby and son Ensign Arlin Hamby of San Angelo. Seaman Guthrie accompanied them to San Angelo for a longer visit.

Little Dona Byrd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Byrd, who has been quite sick since Saturday, is reported improved today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Kinard of Long Branch community visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Kinard here Sunday.

Mrs. Walter L. Boyd and Mrs. Bob Reeves and baby visited in Eastland Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cooper were called to Abilene by the death of his brother George Cooper, who was accidentally killed there Monday.

Mrs. Abbie Daniel is reported very ill at her home, 304 west Sixth.

Mrs. Odessa Stanley left today for her home at Atlanta, Ga., following a visit with her aunt Mrs. Mary Abbott and other relatives.

Mrs. Daskam Stephens of Williamsburg, Va., is in Cisco, a guest of her husband's parents Mr. and Mrs. Mack Stephens, with whom she will spend a month.

W. B. Statham of Abilene spent the weekend at his home in Cisco.

Rev. Olin Karkalitis of Houston, former Ciscoan, will assist in a revival meeting at Breckenridge this week. Mrs. Karkalitis, who accompanied him, will visit in Cisco with her sister Mrs. C. H. Fee and her husband's sister Mrs. W. Frank Walker.

Mrs. Carroll Gibson and Mrs. Frank Brock of Fort Worth visited in the home of their sister and brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Shepard over the weekend.

Bud Tatom, 79, suffered a stroke of apoplexy Sunday at his home on west Ninth street. He is improved and was able to receive a visit from his son and wife who came in Sunday afternoon from California. He had not seen his son in eighteen years and the son knew nothing of his father's condition until he arrived.

Mrs. W. F. Hunterman has returned from a visit with her daughter and husband Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hodges at Hobbs near Sweetwater.

Mrs. J. J. Tableman, who underwent major surgery at Graham sanitarium last week, is now reported doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Rosenthal and Miss Gloria Henson were business visitors in Fort Worth Saturday.

Mrs. Jasper Daniel left Monday for Shawnee, Okla., in response to a message stating that her daughter Mrs. Leslie Horn would undergo surgery there today.

W. Frank Walker, who underwent major surgery at Graham sanitarium Saturday, is reported getting along as well as can be expected at this time.

Mrs. Walter Hock of Loraine spent the weekend here with her sister Miss Fannie Stevens.

Mrs. H. J. Woodruff is in receipt of news telling that her nephew, Sgt. J. E. Smith of the Ninth Armored division, U. S. Infantry and on the western front, has been seriously wounded in both legs. He is now in a hospital in France. Sergeant Smith is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Smith of Johnson City. Mr. Smith is a brother of Mrs. Woodruff.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Hall returned to Abilene Sunday after visiting Miss Sylvia Hazel, student nurse at Baylor hospital, Dallas, who was spending the weekend here with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hazel.

Mrs. Ernest Schaefer, Mrs. J. M. Witten and Mrs. M. P. Farnsworth attended a council meeting of home demonstration clubs at Eastland the latter part of the week. The council decided to entertain the County Federation of Women's clubs on April 25 with a luncheon to be held in Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Townsley and Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Jenkins visited in Fort Worth Sunday and attended the icecream.

George L. Wright, former Cisco resident is in the city visiting with friends.

### SNYDER SUCCEEDS VINSON.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—President Truman today appointed John W. Snyder of St. Louis, Mo., to be federal loan administrator. Now vice president of the First National bank of St. Louis, Snyder has been a warm personal friend of the President for more than 25 years. He succeeds Fred M. Vinson, who was made director of war mobilization and reconversion after James F. Byrnes gave up that post. Snyder has been in the banking business since serving in the First World war.

### PATTON FULL GENERAL.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—President Truman today nominated George Smith Patton, Jr., and Courtney Hicks Hodges to be full generals. Patton commands the Third army and Hodges the First army in the fighting in Nazi Germany. They are under the direction of Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower.

er, Allied commander in chief. The President also sent to the senate the nominations of nine major generals to be lieutenant generals.

### AIR CRASH KILLED 10.

BIG SPRING, April 17.—Four officers and six cadets were killed last night when two trainers from the Big Spring bombardier school collided in flight 10 miles south of Big Spring. Names of the victims were temporarily withheld.

### PEACE PREPARATIONS.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Preparing for peace, the house appropriations committee today recommended the navy be given \$20,000,000 for postwar berthing of idle ships. The committee said another \$100,000,000 probably will be needed later. The group recommended the \$20,000,000 expenditure in a bill filed with the house, but limited its application to areas which included Orange, Texas.

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**NEGRO GI HANGED.**  
BROWNWOOD, April 17.—Cpl. Dan Boswell, 26, negro from Selma, Ala., convicted of the murder of Sgt. Otis Wilson, another negro, from Montgomery, Ala., at North Camp Hood last Sept. 1, was executed by hanging at Camp Bowie last night.

**MOSCOW LIKED ADDRESS.**  
MOSCOW, April 17.—President Truman's address to Congress yesterday was warmly accepted by the Russians today as assurance that he plans to carry out the program of the late President Roosevelt, of which the Soviet union feels it is an integral part.

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