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CISCO—One of the healthiest areas in U.S.A. with a countryside devoted to blooded cattle, hogs, sheep, peanuts, cotton, fruits, feeds, poultry, gas, oil; two railroads; Bankhead highway; huge concrete swimming pool; bass and crappie fishing.

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NAVY RESTS; ARMY GETS BUSY

Bulk of Citizens Should Register Opinion Saturday

Voters of the Cisco Independent School district are being urged this week to go to the polls Saturday and vote in the election to determine the future of Cisco Junior college. The election was called by the board on petition of more than 325 taxpayers to decide whether or not a tax of 20 cents on the \$100 valuation would be levied to insure the expansion of the college.

There is a general feeling of apathy among the citizens on this issue. Overwhelming support of the proposal was met with committees who circulated the petition and many voters seem to have dismissed the matter from their minds instead of giving serious consideration to what means the future of this school and the future of other projects which are closely tied into the success of the college.

In the last election for trustees a handful of the voters appeared at the polls. There was a contest of course, which encouraged this general laxity.

But it is hoped the progressive citizens of the community will adopt such an attitude of comacency toward this question, it will go to the polls at city hall Saturday and put themselves on record in a question which concerns the college and the hundreds of high school graduates in this area who are looking to Cisco for their educational training.

The tax will cost the average voter only \$2 or \$3 per year. It will insure continuance of state aid, one of the prime sources of college support and which was almost lost this year to public junior colleges which had no local tax. It will make possible not only the development of the college for the education of high school graduates, but the location of a G. I. school under the terms of the Veterans Administration program, and a general expansion of college activities in all fields.

The possibility of a separate entity at the college would be encouraged, while the general condition of the public schools would be indirectly improved.

The tax will be devoted solely to the college and in the event no college should continue to exist—which certainly is not anticipated—it would cease to be collected. Moreover, if conditions permitted it would be dispensed with altogether.

The tax is a small price to pay for the development of an institution, already debt free, and which has proved itself in the five years its existence as a great asset to Cisco. It was pointed out. But voters should determine whether or not they want the college and not let the election go by default, it was emphasized.

Lt. Halbert Told Lions About Useful Glider Plane

A talk by Lt. Cecil Halbert, returned glider flyer, at the Lions luncheon today, called for many questions, since this was the first of its kind to be heard by Lions. A five-year perfect attendance pin was presented to C. M. Burke by W. H. LaRoque and an announcement regarding Cisco Junior college tax election, to be held in Cisco Saturday, was made by Jack Anderson.

President H. R. Garrett made a short talk on the proposed 20 cent tax, saying it was the only thing that would save the life of the Junior college and added that Ranger, and practically all such schools, already had voted a special tax to carry on their college work.

Mr. Garrett emphasized that the small amount of tax would not hurt any property owner in Cisco since the average taxpayer here would only add from \$2 to \$3 to his school taxes. Larger property owners would find that the value of their property would be enhanced by the fact that security had been brought to the college.

Lieutenant Halbert distributed a number of pictures of gliders and glider scenes that he secured during his two and one-half years of service in Egypt, North Africa, Sicily, Italy, England, France and Germany. He explained these pictures, telling how gliders were manned, landed and picked up from the air. He then called for questions and answered them.

In his answers the information was given that when a glider was picked up from the air it was done by ropes with a hook, which took the glider from a momentum of zero to 120 miles per hour in three minutes. This of course required skill. Some gliders carried a jeep and about three men, the jeep being loaded through the nose of the glider. Other gliders carried only men and their equipment—usually about 30 men. Neither glider nor tow plane carries any armor or armament, depending on fighter planes for protection.

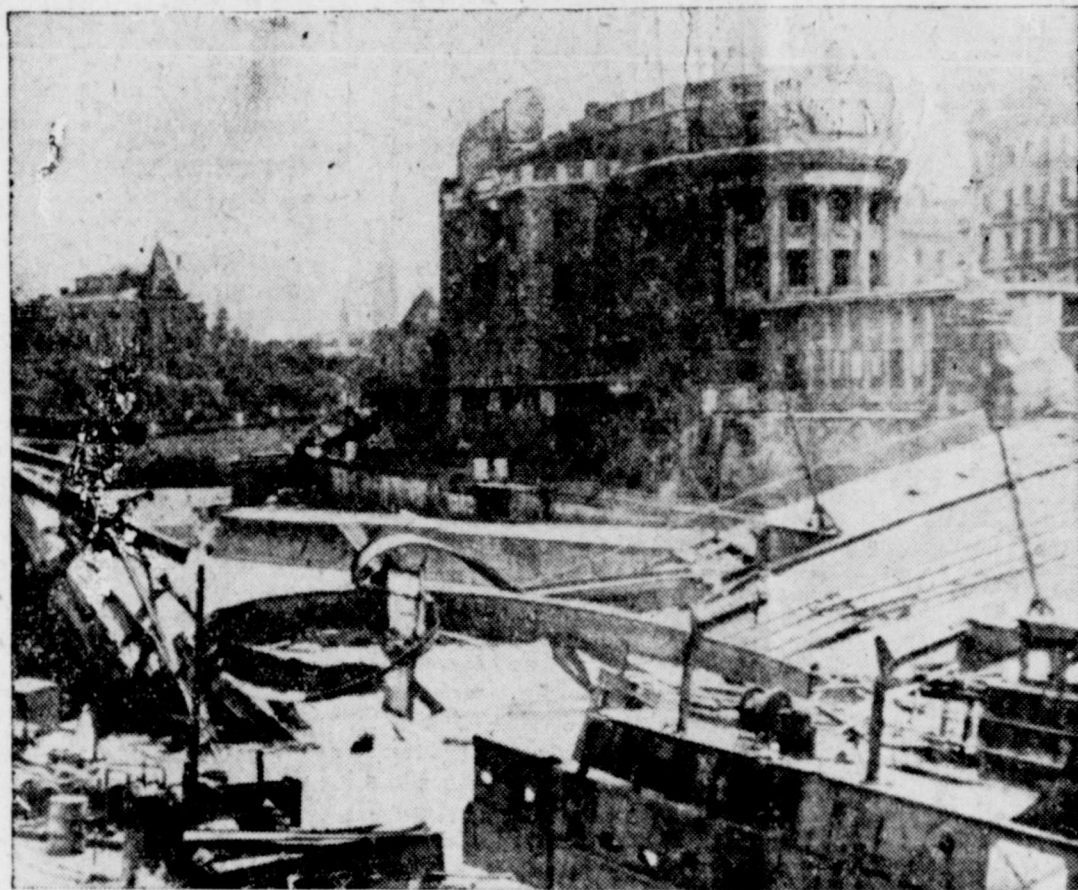
Replying to questions regarding landing opposition, he said that along the border of France the Germans erected leaning posts and blocks of cement to obstruct possible landings. The landing spots were usually picked through photographic flights, but despite this care much obstruction was often encountered.

Some gliders which land in the sea may remain on the surface as long as 72 hours; others can float only a few hours; still others sink immediately. Gliders are mostly made by hand and cost around \$18,000.

Asked about being surrounded in Holland after his troops were landed behind the German lines, Halbert said the Germans cut off their supply lines and they were in danger of starvation until the tanks broke through and rescued them.

When such troops landed, Halbert said, it devolved upon them to find their way back to their bases as soon as possible in any way they could. Usually they caught rides on trucks, but sometimes had to make long journeys on foot.

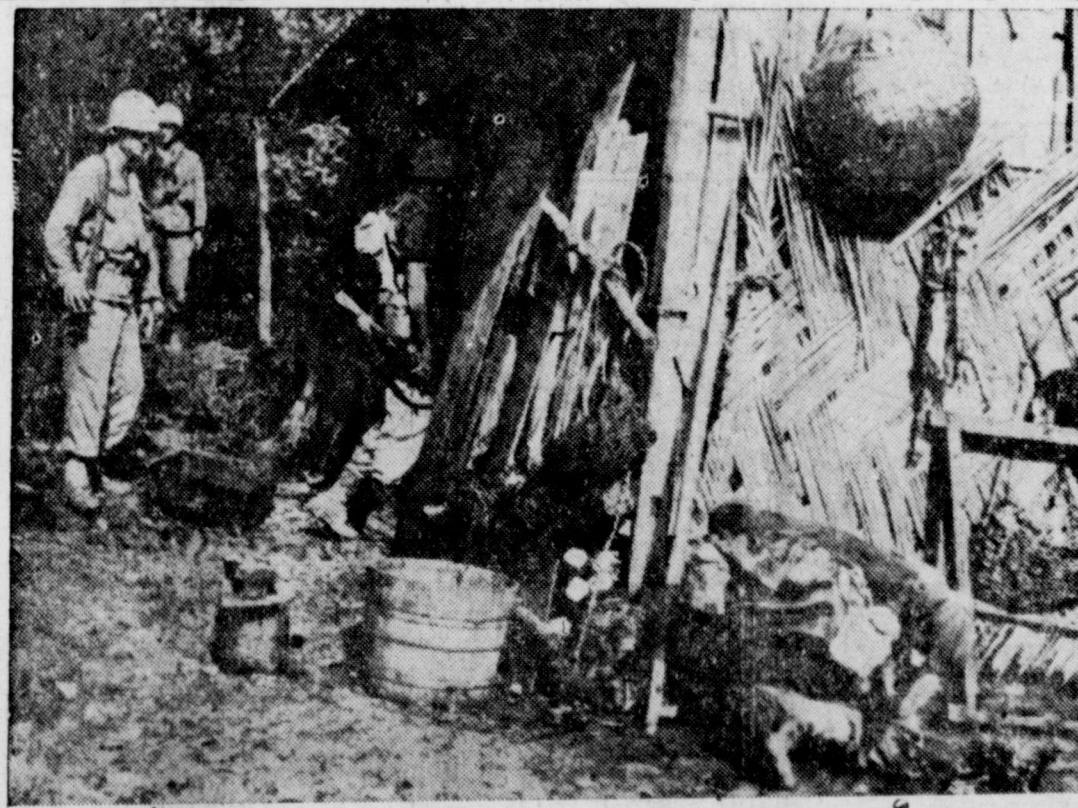
The young Cisco officer said it was quite a coincidence that he found three other Cisco boys coming home on the same boat with himself. They had not seen each other in four years. Halbert has 119 points.



UNGAY VIENNA—Gay Vienna, city of beer gardens, waltzes, and "The Blue Danube," is gay no longer. Ravaged during savage fighting Vienna today presents many tragic scenes like the one above: the blasted Aspern Bridge in front of the Urania building.



LIKE HOME—Yanks find rush hour on Agana, Guam, is no different from home when they try to board jammed bus. Servicemen and civilians sit two deep on seats as others try to shove for extra space. Transit line is innovation since Pacific Fleet headquarters was established.



SEARCHING PARTY—Natives suspected of hiding American rations and equipment, are sought by 10th Army Intelligence men as they cautiously enter hut in village of Kin, Okinawa. Dangerous job fell to men of 165th Regiment, after discovery that supplies had been distributed to Japs.

Truman Is 5 Days Out on Journey to Potsdam, Ger.

ABOARD U. S. S. AUGUSTA ON THE ATLANTIC, July 11. — President Truman held shipboard conferences with his top international advisers today as this powerful cruiser sped him toward Germany for the Big Three meeting next week.

The President, now five days out of Newport News, Va., will disembark from this warship at a northern European port and proceed by plane to Potsdam, the Berlin suburb where he will meet for the first time with his Big Three partners — Prime Minister Winston Churchill and Premier Josef Stalin.

The President was keeping in constant touch with Washington by radio and holding continuous conferences aboard ship with Secretary of State James F. Byrnes and Admiral William D. Leahy, presidential chief of staff.

DEADLY PRE-INVASION BOMBING OF JAPANESE HOMELAND ENTERS THIRTY-SIXTH STRAIGHT DAY

GUAM, July 11. — Tokyo said the U. S. Third Fleet broke off its carrier strike on Japan today after a terrific aerial bombardment in conjunction with American Army planes that wrecked at least 173 Japanese aircraft and 32 ships between dawn and dusk yesterday.

As the fleet withdrew, U. S. Army raiders from Okinawa picked up the pre-invasion air assault on the battered Japanese homeland. Tokyo said a flight of about 150 American Mustang and Thunderbolt fighters lashed the Japanese suicide plane bases on eastern and southern Kyushu for about two hours this morning.

The fighter force carried the pre-invasion bombing of Japan into its 36th straight day.

Jittery Japanese spokesmen said the American battle fleet that battered the Tokyo area with upwards of 1000 planes yesterday had pulled back out of range during the night.

"It is apparent that the enemy task force has withdrawn after the raid in fear of our special attacks," the Domei news agency said.

In the same broadcast, however, Domei warned that the American carriers, battleships, cruisers and lesser craft of the raiding fleet were still hovering off the coast of Japan in position to resume the assault at any time.

Domei said yesterday's bombing lasted for 12 hours, from 5 a. m. to 5 p. m. (Tokyo time) and estimated that as many as 1200 Yank fighters, dive bombers and torpedo bombers took part in the attack.

It added the usual claims that "almost no damage" was inflicted in the target area and that 26 American planes were shot down.

But the first enemy accounts made no claim of damage to Admiral William F. Halsey's ram-paging Third Fleet, despite the fact that some of the American warships steamed almost into the mouth of Tokyo Bay to launch their planes.

Fleet dispatches said the stunned enemy failed to throw a single plane or warship against Halsey's task force, and offered only meager opposition to the waves of American planes that blasted a vast stretch of the Kanto plain surrounding Tokyo.

Admiral Chester W. Nimitz' Pacific Fleet communique reported that American airmen had won complete mastery of the skies over Tokyo by noon yesterday, seven hours after the assault began.

By nightfall, there still was no sign that the Japanese had been able or were willing to rally their air and sea forces for a counter blow.

Two lone Japanese scout planes sallied out over the Pacific late yesterday, but both were sent down in flames before they reached the scores of carriers, battleships and supporting men of war that made up Halsey's Task Force 38 — commanded directly by Vice Admiral John S. McCain.

At least one American carrier moved within about 25 miles of the Japanese coast, but up to a late hour yesterday there was no sign of the Kamikazi plane squadrons or the battered Imperial Fleet that Tokyo boasted would defend the homeland to the death.

Fires leaping through Tokyo and the 80 airfields surrounding the city testified to the havoc wrought in the opening hours of the attack.

Cisco Boy a Jap Prisoner Since Corregidor Fell

Bobbie C. Bacon, son of Mrs. Ted Bacon of Cisco, who has been a prisoner of the Japs since the fall of Corregidor, is now at Camp Tokyo, Japan, according to information received here through the Red Cross.

The Cisco youth joined the Marines in 1939, when but 20 years of age. A brief message from him received by his mother in May said he was in good health. He is a son of the late Ted Bacon and was born and reared in Cisco.

Allred Governor-ship Statement Scared Nobody

AUSTIN, July 11. — Lt. Gov. John Lee Smith and Railroad Commission member Beauform H. Jester, unannounced but prospective candidate for governor next year, expressed no fright or fear at the announcement of ex-Gov. James V. Allred that youthful Congressman Lyndon Johnson will be a candidate for governor in the 1946 primaries but, if not, Allred himself will make the race.

The story from Galveston created intense interest in official circles both as to gubernatorial possibilities and also to candidates who might aspire to congress from this district in event Johnson seeks the governorship.

Neither Smith nor Jester would commit themselves as avowed candidates for governor but their friends have put them in the race and they have not declined.

"I am not afraid of any trial balloons," said Smith, "whether they be for Allred or Johnson. Jester brushed it off with an emphatic 'I don't look scared this morning, do I?' Both insisted it is too early to make announcements for next year's primaries.

Allred is quoted as making the positive announcement he will run if Johnson does not and expressed the opinion that Johnson would make a strong race.

Other immediate reaction here was that politically-minded Allred seeks to preserve and personally capitalize the lines formed in last summer's political struggle when Roosevelt followers defeated the Texas Regulars. Both Allred and Johnson were active leaders on the winning side and led the liberals of the party in capturing the state organization at the Dallas September convention.

State Can Spend \$417,000,000 In the Next Biennium

AUSTIN, July 11.—The Forty-Ninth Texas legislature which adjourned last month authorized the expenditure of an estimated \$317,000,000 of the taxpayers' money in the two years starting Sept. 1.

That is the tentative tabulation of figures in the office of State Comptroller George H. Sheppard. The full amount authorized never is spent, but the appropriations and allocations run well above those for the current biennium.

Another \$100,000,000 will be available from constitutional funds. The legislature influenced one of these, the available school funds, with bills to require levying a maximum ad valorem tax. An added \$10,000,000 for this purpose is included in the estimated \$100,000,000.

By legislative and constitutional authorization, the state can spend approximately \$417,000,000 in the biennium.

Katy President to Push Faster, Better Service

DALLAS, July 11. — Faster and expanded railroad service between Texas, Kansas City and St. Louis was projected Tuesday as directors of the Missouri-Kansas-Texas Railroad of Texas met in Dallas to elect Lewis E. Pierson of New York president of the company.

Mr. Pierson previously had been elected chairman of the M-K-T to succeed the late Matthew S. Sloan. The meeting he attended here was a formality in ratifying his elevation to the presidency of the Texas lines. He has been on the board nine years.

Making his first tour of the railroad since his succession to the chairmanship, Pierson conferred with Dallas Katy officials and paid tribute to the Sloan administration.

He outlined plans for pushing through improved services, following a program already instituted by Sloan.

Pierson listed postwar goals as installation of steamline, Diesel-powered passenger trains, reduced schedules and overnight freight service from Dallas to St. Louis and Kansas City.

Income Payments to Individuals Up Four Percent

WASHINGTON, July 11. — Income payments to individuals in May were \$12,856,000,000, the commerce department estimated.

This was 4 per cent higher than payments in May of a year ago. The May payments were at an annual rate of \$163,100,000,000 after allowance is made for seasonal factors. This compares with the 1944 record total of \$156,800,000,000.

Income payments to individuals include all payments made by business and government and differ somewhat from national income, which includes only income received for participating in production—that is, earned income.

CUT BONUS PROVISION.

WASHINGTON, July 11. — A revised GI Bill of Rights, with a service men's bonus provision discarded, awaited final approval today of the House Veterans Committee.

LIQUIDATE FEPC.

WASHINGTON, July 11. — The House Appropriations Committee today recommended allotment of \$250,000 to liquidate the Fair Employment Practice Committee.

EAST TEXAS FLOODS.

HENDERSON, July 11. — Two automobiles were swept from highways near Overton and two trucks washed from the Henderson-Kilgore highway as nearby creeks swollen by recent rain, went on the rampage.

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TARVER BOYS HOME.

A. L. Tarver, 22, seaman of the first class and son of Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Tarver of Cisco, is at home on leave after 27 months in the south Pacific. He has nine battle stars, but no wounds. He will depart July 19 to report at San Francisco. Pvt. Walter J. Tarver, 24, a brother, is also here for a visit. He is married and has two children and will leave July 16 to report at Camp Ord, Calif.

DALLAS BANK EXPANDS.

DALLAS, July 11.—Plans are developing to increase the capital and surplus of the Republic National Bank of Dallas to \$2,000,000, making it the largest bank in the area south of Chicago, west of Pittsburgh and east of Los Angeles.

HEAVY BOND BUYING.

CAMP HOOD, July 11.—Final tabulations of the Camp Hood Seventh War Loan Drive showed today that a grand total of \$1,636,600.12 worth of small bonds had been purchased, with civilian employees participating 100 per cent.

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PULLMANS FOR VETERANS.

For months the Office of Defense Transportation has warned the American public that trains were needed for war use. It has asked civilians politely to do only what travelling was absolutely necessary, and spend their vacation at home. But that apparently was not enough. Now, when the redeployment of millions of soldiers coincides with vacation time, it has been forced to act.

Beginning on July 16, all Pullmans now used for journeys of less than 450 miles will be removed from civilian service. This means that anyone who has to travel, say, from New York to Boston, from Cleveland to Chicago or from Cisco, Tex., to El Paso, Tex., must struggle for a seat in an already over-crowded day-coach.

But it also means that the weary veteran who has just thirty days in which to get acquainted with his family again and reassure himself that the old landmarks are still in place, before reassignment to more fighting in the Pacific, will have a chance to travel quickly and in reasonable comfort. It is one of the greatest things civilians can do for their armies, at the least cost.

TALL YOUNG CANADA.

The coming generation of Canadians are no longer pretzels, to be wound around old-time school desks and seats—they are giants. This is the contention of Mrs. H. E. McCullagh, school trustee of Toronto, Ont. She recently introduced a motion before the Toronto Board of Education, promptly passed by that august body, asking that a survey be made to determine the need for larger seats.

Biologists and medical men find that Ontario is producing one of the tallest races in the world, says Mrs. McCullagh. At a recent inspection of Western Commerce cadets, a military inspector observed that there were at least 100 boys in the parade who were six feet or more tall.

Without wishing to risk argument, an American editor just naturally wonders whether that inspector and those others who think the Ontario guys are tall ever had a real look at those from Kentucky, Texas and Australia? It is a good thing for Toronto—and other cities and towns everywhere—to take a look at their old school equipment in relation to the changing needs of the new generation. More things than seats need changing to fit the needs of minds expanding even faster than bodies.

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HE DONT KNOW A THING ABOUT THE SWEATER. HONEST. MRS.

WHY WERE WOMEN INVENTED???

November, 1900

(From Files of Cisco Apert, Warner Wilson, Publisher.)

Elkins-Reagan.
The plot of this story was laid in Cisco, and the culmination of it was at the Christian church Thursday night, November 8, 1900, when Rev. Hightower of the Methodist church united in the holy bonds of wedlock Mr. John Elkins and Miss Addie Reagan. The church was beautifully decorated and showed the artistic touch of fair ones; the attendants were U. A. Whaley and Miss Ona Holcomb, and Mr. Neal Turner and Miss Lulu Reagan, and the ushers were Messrs. Jeff Wells and Wesley Tebbs. The church was crowded to its full capacity by friends of the contracting parties, both of whom are very popular, the fair lady for her womanly traits, and Mr. Elkins for the fact that he never got "tangled up with the boys." The presents were too numerous to mention, but at least the same good will that the Weekly Apert force wish for this model couple, that they may spend their lives together in the most congenial way.

young people. It was quite a pretty wedding. The church was becomingly decorated for the occasion with evergreens, palms and flowers, on which the light fell in a way to make the altar a scene of beauty, and was a credit to the hands of loving friends. Messrs. Waller Collie and T. G. Jackson acted as ushers and seated the congregation. At the appointed time an appropriate wedding march was rendered by Mrs. Jno. H. Garner, as the wedding party advanced toward the altar. The attendants were Miss Alice Eddleman and L. A. Read, Miss Easley and U. A. Whaley. The groom is one of our most popular and successful young merchants and numbers his friends by the score. The bride is the accomplished daughter of R. W. Eddleman. She is a graduate of Cisco high school and is much esteemed

ed for her many graces of mind and heart.
The Cisco Commercial club had a warm session last Monday night—not a few things of public interest were discussed. D. E. Jones' resignation as secretary was accepted as he arranged to move to Eastland and collect the taxes. A committee was appointed to draft resolutions of respect to W. S. Bobo who was president of the club, and B. M. James, the vice president, named the committee and presided over the meeting. About \$20 of the club's money was authorized to be paid to the cemetery association to beautify the city of our dead, and then the meeting adjourned.



SPIRIT OF '45—One big difference between the Spirit of '76 and that of '45 is the part women are playing today. Pictured above soldiers, WACs and civilian war workers of the Fairfield-Suisan Army Air Base symbolize the spirit of today.

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MINUS ONE ZERO—Lt. R. D. Bartlett, Rockland, Me., looks over wreckage of Jap Zero which crashed into hold of Liberty ship Josiah Snelling off Okinawa. Zero's 500-pound bomb didn't explode, was safely removed when ship reached San Francisco.

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GILDA GAY
I MUST CONFESS THAT I CAUGHT YOU THIS AFTER NOON, GILDA!
CAUGHT ME? I'M AFRAID I DON'T UNDERSTAND!
I SAW YOU LOOKING AT MY PICTURE, FOR ABOUT TEN MINUTES, THIS AFTER NOON! WHAT WERE YOU THINKING ABOUT?
WELL, FOR THE LIFE OF ME, I COULDN'T FIGURE OUT HOW THEY COULD MAKE A FRAME LIKE THAT ONE FOR ONLY A DOLLAR!
..GildaGays... MORE TIMES THAN NOT, A WOMAN IS RESPONSIBLE FOR HER HUSBAND'S SUCCESS, BECAUSE OF THE MONEY SHE MAKES IT NECESSARY FOR HIM TO MAKE!

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WCSB CIRCLE THREE WITH MRS. WESTFALL.

Circle three, First Methodist WCSB, met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. A. R. Westfall with Mrs. C. E. Hailey presiding. The meeting began with group singing of "Take Time to Be Holy," led by Miss Ella Adair with Mrs. Cole at the piano.

Mrs. J. P. McCanlies was leader of the program on "The Door of Understanding" and brought a devotional in keeping with the topic. Program parts, interspersed with singing, were presented by Mrs. Joe Lovelady, Mrs. W. Z. Latch and Mrs. M. D. Paschall. Mrs. Wm. H. Cole read a splendid poem and the program closed with prayer by Mrs. W. A. Flynn.

During the social hour interesting talks on army life were given by two visitors, Corp. Roy Westfall and Pfc. Lela Latch, both of which were well received.

Refreshments of cold drinks and mints were passed to Mesdames W. Z. Latch, Zed Kilborn, Wm. Joyner, R. V. Rendall, C. E. Hailey, Joe Lovelady, M. D. Paschall, Walter L. Boyd, J. P. McCanlies, G. C. Flaherty, Wm. H. Cole, W. A. Flynn, Pfc. Lela Latch and A. R. Westfall.

INTEREST GROUP HAD OUTING TUESDAY. The Interest group of First Methodist WCSB enjoyed a picnic and skating party Tuesday evening at Lake Cisco.

The picnic was spread on park tables near the water and skating entertained the group until a late hour. Those present were Misses Nelda Smith, Wanda Dunn, Wanda Joyner, Mary Jean Flaherty, Lenora Rendall, Margaret Hailey, Wilda Dunn, Joyce Elliott, Billie Hailey, Norma Jean Hansen, Elnora Moad, Lovell Paul, Bobbie Jean Deen and their sponsor, Mrs. T. G. Caudle and Mrs. H. A. Lewis.

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PATHFINDER—Ready to do its stuff over Japan, this Pathfinder version of P-38 Lightning will aim bombs for entire bombing group. Special equipment in elongated nose enables plane to pin-point enemy targets through fog, darkness, and bad weather for high-flying formations. (USAAF Photo.)

PARTY HONORS LAINA CAROLE RICHARDSON.

Honoring their daughter Laina Carole on her third birthday, Mr. and Mrs. Jay L. Richardson entertained a number of friends Tuesday evening at their home on west Thirteenth street.

Games were played and songs were sung by the children which were climaxed when they viewed the decorated three-tier birthday cake with three pink candles atop. The group encircled the honoree and sang the birthday song.

An array of pretty gifts and toys was presented to the honoree by her friends.

The cake was cut and served with delicious punch to Laina Carole Richardson, Carole Kaye Mayhew, Linda Elliott, Monterey and Joan Lisenbee, Marita Jane Webb, Robert Winston Hightower, LaVere Adams, Harris Miller, Morris McGee, Jon Auville and Burl Adams, and the following adults: Mr. and Mrs. J. Earl Mayhew, Mrs. C. L. Webb, Mrs. J. H. Hyatt, Mrs. Glen Hightower, Mrs. W. C. Clements, Mrs. Cecil Adams, Mrs. W. B. McGee, Mrs. Robert Slaughter and the hosts Mr. and Mrs. Jay L. Richardson.



Jane (formerly Betty) Greer can hold her pretty head high with this new coiffure designed by Hazel Rogers, RKO hair stylist. A white "Dache" net is drawn across the crown of her head and encircled by strands of her hair twisted with the ends of the net. From any angle the picture is charming and new. Miss Greer will soon be seen in "George White's Scandals," an RKO technicolor musical picture.

MRS. W. R. WINSTON HOSTESS TO GROUP.

Group two of women's council, First Christian church, met Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. W. R. Winston.

Mrs. Jim Latimer was in charge and opened the meeting with prayer by Miss Ethel Mae Wilson, who also brought the devotional on "Women of the New Testament."

Miss Marie Winston, program chairman, directed an interesting study of "Japanese-Americans." A short business session was held preceding the social hour.

Refreshments of punch and cookies were passed to Mesdames Ida Painter, H. H. Davis, George Swartz, Jim Latimer, F. M. Hooks, Willrue Logan, Misses Alice Bacon, Ethel Mae Wilson, Marie Winston and the hostess.

Next meeting will be held at 8 p. m. Tuesday, in the home of Mrs. James Flournoy.

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has resumed the general practice of law, with offices in Rooms 502-503, Ex. change building, EASTLAND, TEXAS. Office telephone, 264 Residence, 397.

Advertisement for Dinah's Gail Bladder medicine. Includes text: 'SOME FOLKS IS LIKE HOGS - NO GOOD TO ANYONE 'TIL DEY IS DEAD' and 'Gail Bladder Sufferers Told to Avoid CONSTIPATION'.

Advertisement for Girls! Do you suffer from nervous tension. On 'CERTAIN DAYS' of the month? Includes image of a woman.

Advertisement for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Text: 'Helps Build Up Resistance Against Such Distress!'

Advertisement for ITCH CHECKED. Text: 'For quick relief from itching caused by eczema, athlete's foot, scabies, pimples and other itching conditions...'.

Advertisement for FIVE STAR EGG MASH. Text: 'EGG-ZACTLY! MORE EGGS NEEDED NOW! Feed the FIVE STAR EGG MASH'.

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Advertisement for Firestone products including Reversible Dust Mop (98c), Rapid Drying Enamel (79c), and Canning Funnel (69c).

Advertisement for B. W. Patterson's Child's Swing (5.95) and Frozen Food Kit (4.98).

Advertisement for Carpenter's Tool Box (4.95) and Oil-Tanned Chamois (98c).

Advertisement for Partemp Home Insulation (Roll 0.00).

Advertisement for Firestone tires and products, including Texo Poultry Fatener (\$3.55) and Texo Broiler Mash (\$3.70).

Advertisement for DAMRON TIRE & SUPPLY CO. (602 D Avenue, Phone 195).

Advertisement for Schaefer's Radio Shop featuring household furniture and electrical supplies. 711 D Ave. Phone 209.

Advertisement for BPS FLORLUX Floor and Deck Enamel. Text: 'This ALL PURPOSE FLOOR PAINT RESISTS WEAR on any surface INTERIOR or EXTERIOR WOOD or CEMENT'.

Advertisement for CISCO FEED & PRODUCE. Text: 'SPECIAL Texo Poultry Fatener \$3.55, Texo Broiler Mash \$3.70. Complete line of Dairy, Beef Cattle, Hogs, Sheep and Goat Feeds.'

BRIEFLY TOLD

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bacon in Graham sanitarium, June 29, a son—Truman Earl Bacon; weight six pounds and ten ounces.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Smith, in a Ranger hospital, July 10, a son—Samuel Philip; weight eight pounds and five ounces.

Mrs. C. A. Forman of Munday, Mrs. W. G. Patrick and Mrs. Dorothy Odell and small daughter Rebecca Ann of Seminole have returned to their homes after a visit in Cisco with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Moon.

Mrs. A. W. Belfanz of Abilene and Mrs. Gus Jones of San Angelo visited their sister Mrs. C. A. Farquhar Monday, July 9, honoring her on her birthday. A lovely birthday dinner was served at noon at the family residence on F avenue. Others present were Messrs. C. A. Farquhar and J. T. Scott, Mrs. Harold Farquhar and children of Big Spring and Mrs. C. W. Guthrie and son C. W. Guthrie, Jr.

Capt. and Mrs. S. J. Ayer, recently of Del Rio, are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Moon. Captain Ayer has received an honorable discharge from the army air corps on points earned while overseas.

Mrs. Erna Carroll and daughter China of Seattle, Wash., are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lieske in the Lutheran community south of Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Hamby of San Angelo and Mrs. H. E. Skipper of Midland were guests of Mrs. Myrtle Anderson and daughter Miss Dorothy Anderson Sunday.

Tech. Sgt. and Mrs. Howard Rogan have gone to Waco for a visit with relatives after visiting here with his mother Mrs. Clarence Moon and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Elder, south of Cisco, while Sergeant Rogan is on furlough. He spent the past 18 months in the Philippines.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlin Agnew and son Gene Arlin spent today in Breckenridge with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Turknett and daughter Sandra.

Eldon D. Anderson, air corps engineer, came in Monday night from the Philippine area, having been called home by the illness of his wife who is a patient at Parkland hospital, Dallas. He went to Dallas Tuesday for a visit with Mrs. Anderson, accompanied by his son, Michael, his mother and sister and Mrs. Vida Stephens. The group is expected to return to Cisco today.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Nance, accompanied by their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Hartman McCall of Baytown, returned Monday from Albuquerque, N. M., where they had been with Mrs. John Spier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nance, who underwent surgery there about two weeks ago. Mrs. Spier is reported going nicely and it is hoped that she will soon be able to return home.

Mr. Brown of Scranton, father of Joe Brown of Cisco, is seriously ill at Graham sanitarium.

Mrs. W. F. Brown returned Sunday night from LaPorte, Ind., where she visited with relatives the past month.

Paul Huestis transacted business in Ranger Tuesday.

C. A. Rinehart of Abilene, former Cisco resident, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Woodriddle Sunday.

Lieut. Charles Yates of the army air forces and his mother Mrs. C. E. Yates of Corpus Christi are visiting friends in Cisco.

Carole and Paulena Franklin of Wichita Falls are visiting their grandmother Mrs. A. J. Olson this week.

Miss Marion Chambliss is visiting at Fort Smith, Ark., where she is guest of her friend Dr. Pearl Waddell.

Misses Mary Ellen and Dorothy Ann Sanders have as guest their cousin Jacqueline Fryar of Midland.

Miss Jessie Lou Litchfield and Mrs. H. F. Litchfield are visiting relatives in Oklahoma this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hart and family of Eastland and Mrs. Myrtle Turner of Cisco visited at

Loraine Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hock, parents of the two women.



NOT QUITE—Enemy flak almost scored a bull's eye on the marking of this Thunderbolt's wing during strafing run south of Kyushu. But fighter pilot 1st Lt. John A. Pooling of Little Neck, N. Y., brought plane safely to its base on Okinawa. Here pilot inspects damage. (USAAF Photo.)

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We have made arrangements whereby Randall B. Young, YMCA leader-examiner from Ft. Worth will spend two weeks at Lake Cisco as swimming instructor, starting at 9 a. m. today.

Lessons to beginners will be free and these classes will be conducted daily from 9 until 9:45 a. m.

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