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## California, Kansas City Report Strike Violence

### Mrs. Clifton McClelland Funeral Here, Wednesday

Mrs. Clifton McClelland died early Tuesday morning at Graham Sanitarium, after an illness of three weeks. A fine woman and a member of the Baptist church since the age of 14, Mrs. McClelland leaves a husband and two children, Roy Dean and Jean, age 9 and 11 respectively, her parents, two sisters and two brothers. Deceased, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McFadden of Gorman, was born July 26, 1914, at Dothan. She was married to Mr. McClelland on December 12, 1932, in Cisco.

### 4 Keg Teams Rose as They Blanked Their Opponents

Tournament play at the bowling alleys Monday night ended disastrously for Cisco Lumber Co. and Collins Hardware. West Texas Utilities and Humble Pipe Liners taking all games from the first mentioned tenpinners. Lee McDonald of Humble Pipe Line, who rolls them straight and hard, piled up a total of 640 for the three games, an unusually high score. Other good scores: I. J. Henson, 555; Guy Morris, 530; James Moore, 523.

### By United Press BULLETIN.

WASHINGTON. — CIO President Philip Murray emerged from his 2 1/2 hour conference with U. S. Steel President Benjamin Fairless at the White House today and said that White House Secretary Charles G. Ross would have a statement on the conference shortly.

### Lower Demands.

The CIO packinghouse workers have reduced their original wage increase demand from 25 to 20 1/2 cents an hour, it was learned today as administration leaders and lawmakers in Washington sought to ease the industrial strife which has idled nearly a million workers.

John Holmes, president of Swift and Co., disclosed at a stockholders meeting that the United Packinghouse workers last Tuesday cut their demand by 4 1/2 cents. This was the first break in the CIO's pressure for a 30 per cent wage increase.

Meanwhile, in Washington, Secretary of Labor Lewis B. Schwellenbach today appointed a three-man fact-finding board in the meat industry's wage strike.

Tension in the nation's industrial crisis continued to mount and violence broke out in several strike centers.

The most serious outbreak on the picket lines came at Los Angeles, where 100 police routed 1,500 CIO electrical workers from the gates of the U. S. Motor plants.

The police used tear gas and clubs to break the line so that 50 office workers could enter the struck plant.

A number of persons were injured in the fighting.

There was violence also in the meat strike when police drove a flying wedge through packing house workers lines at Kansas City, Kan.

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LOOKING AHEAD BY GEORGE S. BENSON President—Harding College, Searcy, Arkansas

### WITH THANKS.

Free schools are still free institutions in the United States, thanks to the bravery of ten congressmen, five Democrats and five Republicans. Jointly, last December 12, they broke up a piece of law-making strategy that might have wrecked American freedom completely. Thus ended Round 5 of a long and costly fight to top our public schools with a bureaucratic boss in Washington.

The House Committee on Education, by a ten-to-nine vote, rejected the famous bill to provide federal aid (?) to education. The threat of collectivism to American liberty was greater at no time during World War II than it is now, and all people who appreciate the privileges our pioneer grandfathers won with flintlock rifles, may be thankful to a sane Congress.

### Many Good Reasons.

What happened that day made the best news of the week but, important as it was, did not eclipse the brilliant tidings of the previous week when President Truman signed a bill to place a group of government corporations under control of Congress. These highly privileged, wild entities had been foraging without restraint in rich fields of industry for varying numbers of years.

The Chief Executive complimented Congress for roping and branding these freebooters, as well he might. Indeed the 79th Congress deserves a great deal of commendation. One of its most notable achievements of the First Session was that exhaustive job by the Manasco Committee, X-raying the so-called Full Employment Bill. It deserved to be diagnosed thoroughly, and it was.

Toothless Enactment. Several well informed Washington observers are predicting that a dehorned and fangless version of the Full Employment Bill will pass into oblivion. As originally written, it was a viper, a sort of two-edged Townsend plan of pensions with an appended government guarantee of every-ready, gainful employment to everybody out of jails and hospitals, drunk or sober, on borrowed government money.

Addressing a few belated travelers in a highway hambuger emporium recently, a red-nosed tramp declared: "There's plenty of everything in the world for everybody to live easy, if greedy guys would quit grabbing everything and holding us up for our share." I submit that as a parallel to the philosophy of the Full Employment Bill. It is simply not true. Good living depends on work.

Wealth and Plenty. I wish every American could



BEST BIRTHDAY GIFT—Johnny Schram, 8, cries with delight as he greets his father, seaman Lester Schramm, in Philadelphia hospital. Boy is suffering from rheumatic fever. Father has just returned from overseas and received Navy discharge



PRAY FOR MIRACLE—Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Hale, Jr., of New York hold their son, Charles III, 3 1/2, who is doomed to die of cancer, doctors say. The child's left leg was amputated in the hope of preventing the spread of the disease. Mr. and Mrs. Hale gave up their Newark, N. J., home to be near son.

### W. T. Rutherford, County Pioneer, Dies at Age 91

W. T. Rutherford, 91, well known retired farmer of the Stanton area, who came to Eastland county when he was 22 years of age, died at 9 o'clock Sunday night at the home of his daughter, Mrs. B. B. Brummett, in Gorman. He was a fine man and had the respect and confidence of all who knew him.

The funeral was held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, at Stanton Methodist church, with burial here. The officiating ministers were Rev. S. P. Collins, Scranton; Rev. H. J. Sanders, Desdemona. Thomas funeral home of Cisco was in charge.

Mr. Rutherford was born in Arkansas, January 27, 1855. He was married to Miss Leora Munn at Belle Plains, 62 years ago.

Survivors include the wife, seven daughters, three sons, 26 grandchildren and 9 great grandchildren. Sons and daughters are as follows: O. L. Rutherford, Canadian; W. L. Rutherford, Brawley, Calif.; O. T. Rutherford, Jacksonville, Calif.; Mrs. C. E. Johnson, Steadley, Tex.; Mrs. L. C. Harlow, Mrs. Bryan Clinton, Scranton; Mrs. R. L. Foster, Ft. Worth; Mrs.

I. H. Ellis, Corpus Christi; Mrs. B. B. Brummett, Gorman; Mrs. O. A. Bruton, Monahans. Pallbearers were Algie Skiles, Pleas Ray, James Morgan, Lewis Morgan, Leo Clinton and Burl Clinton.

### PLenty OF MEAT.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17. — One Madison avenue market, its meat supplies exhausted by the meat cutters strike, was displaying this sign: "Plenty of pheasant, scotch grouse and caviar." Pheasant was quoted at \$2.25 a pound and caviar at \$24 a pound. No price was given on grouse.

### HANDLESS VET WEDS.

PASADENA, Calif., Jan. 17. — "Look at the slick way he put that ring on my finger. Not a fumble!" Happily, a WAC medical technician, Corp. Ruth Spalding Langstaff, held tight to the hooks which Pfc. Robert Langstaff uses for hands, after their marriage last night. Langstaff lost his hands when a machine gun blew up in France.

FOR SALE — Eighty-acre farm, five-room house, newly papered and painted, new roof, REA line, school bus and mail route, fifty acres in cultivation, balance good grass. Would sell Farmall 12 tractor with implements and thirty head cattle. Will sell lease on 400 acres land. Tom B. Stark, Phone 87.

### Senator Wants to Know About FDR-Churchill Talks

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17. (U.P.)—Sen. Homer Ferguson, R., Mich., today requested that former British Prime Minister Winston Churchill be asked to appear as a witness before the Pearl Harbor Investigating committee.

Ferguson said he wanted to question Churchill about his Atlantic conference with the late President Roosevelt in August, 1941, particularly as it related to events in the far east.

Ferguson called attention to the fact that Churchill now is in the United States.

Rep. John W. Murphy, D., Pa., remarked that Churchill came to the United States for a rest.

"I think it ill behooves this committee not to let him have the rest to which he is entitled," Murphy said. "I don't think it is showing much courtesy to a great citizen of this world."

FOR SALE — Vacuum Cleaner, bassinet, wood heater. 1008 west Eleventh street. 98

### Monday Night Scores.

West Texas Utilities— Lee McDonald . . . 221 213 206—640 L. Burzenski . . . 134 143 186—443 Guy Ward, av. . . 141 141 141—423 O. J. Russell . . . 144 135 135—414 1920

Cisco Lumber— A. E. O'Flaherty 111 113 150—374 B. T. Leveridge 120 155 157—432 J. G. House . . . 143 115 120—378 C. E. Paul, av. . . 178 178 178—534 1688

Humble Pipe Line— I. J. Henson . . . 206 199 150—555 Tut Tabor . . . 157 123 143—423 Les Jenkins, av. 143 143 143—429 James Moore . . . 183 176 164—523 1930

Collins Hardware— Guy Morris . . . 184 182 164—530 O. Culwell, av. . . 162 162 162—486 Con Collins . . . 153 122 131—406 Rex Moore, av. . . 132 132 132—396 1930

### Tuesday Night.

It was again "all and nothing" Tuesday night, when Gardenhire Petroleum Co. took three games from Firestone and Nance Motor swiped the platter clean in its three-game encounter with Cisco Gas Corporation.

High scores: F. Urban, 541; F. Essl, 510; C. C. Cutting, 505; John Fairleigh, 504; Howard Langford, 504.

Scores in Detail. Gardenhire Pet. Co.— F. Urban . . . 145 194 202—541 John Fairleigh . . . 196 154 504 Van Gardenhire 144 158 164—466 Chief Brown . . . 120 97 125—342 1853

Firestone— Chas. Burke . . . 129 93 148—370 Henry Curtis . . . 161 146 186—493 E. R. Damron . . . 167 146 113—446 C. A. Roop . . . 140 187 117—444 1753

Nance Motor Co.— F. Essl . . . 160 184 166—510 Chas. Graham . . . 120 127 151—398 H. Langford . . . 205 137 162—504 C. C. Cutting . . . 175 175 155—505 1917

Cisco Gas Corp.— Pete Nance . . . 109 199 129—437 Armstrong, av. 141 141 141—423 Lew Mendenhall 149 116 119—384 R. L. Ponsler . . . 165 150 160—475 1739

Monday night schedule: West Texas Utilities vs. Firestone; Cisco Lumber vs. Gardenhire.

### Senator Feels His Party May Need Divine Assistance

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17. (U.P.)—A senate decision to begin debate on fair employment legislation evoked from Sen. Walter F. George, D., Ga., today the exclamation that "if this is all Harry Truman has to offer, God help the Democratic party!"

The senate voted 47 to 19 to take up at once a bill to create a fair employment practice commission. George and other southern Democrats immediately began an attack on the bill, which may develop into a filibuster.

They had promised to try to talk it to death if it ever was brought before the senate.

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W. B. Mosley, pioneer resident of West Texas, died at 7:05 this morning at the home of his son, C. P. Mosley, in Cisco.

He was born August 22, 1859, in Montgomery, Ala., and death came as a result of a heart attack.

Deceased came to Texas when about seven years of age, the family settling first in Madison county. He was married to Miss Frances S. Small, August 16, 1886. To this union 9 children were born. The family moved to Runnels county in 1910, locating in the Wingate community and lived there until November, 1941, when they moved to Winters, later making their home in Cisco with their son.

Mr. Mosley, a member of the Missionary Baptist church since the age of 25 years, led an active and useful life in his community, but had been in failing health for more than a year. He is survived by his wife and seven children, as follows: C. M. Pyote; A. B. Wingate; H. O. Winters; C. P. Cisco; Mrs. Ruby Phillips, Bledsoe; Mrs. Ruma Warren, Cisco; Mrs. Ruth Hill, Ft. Worth. There are also 30 living grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren.

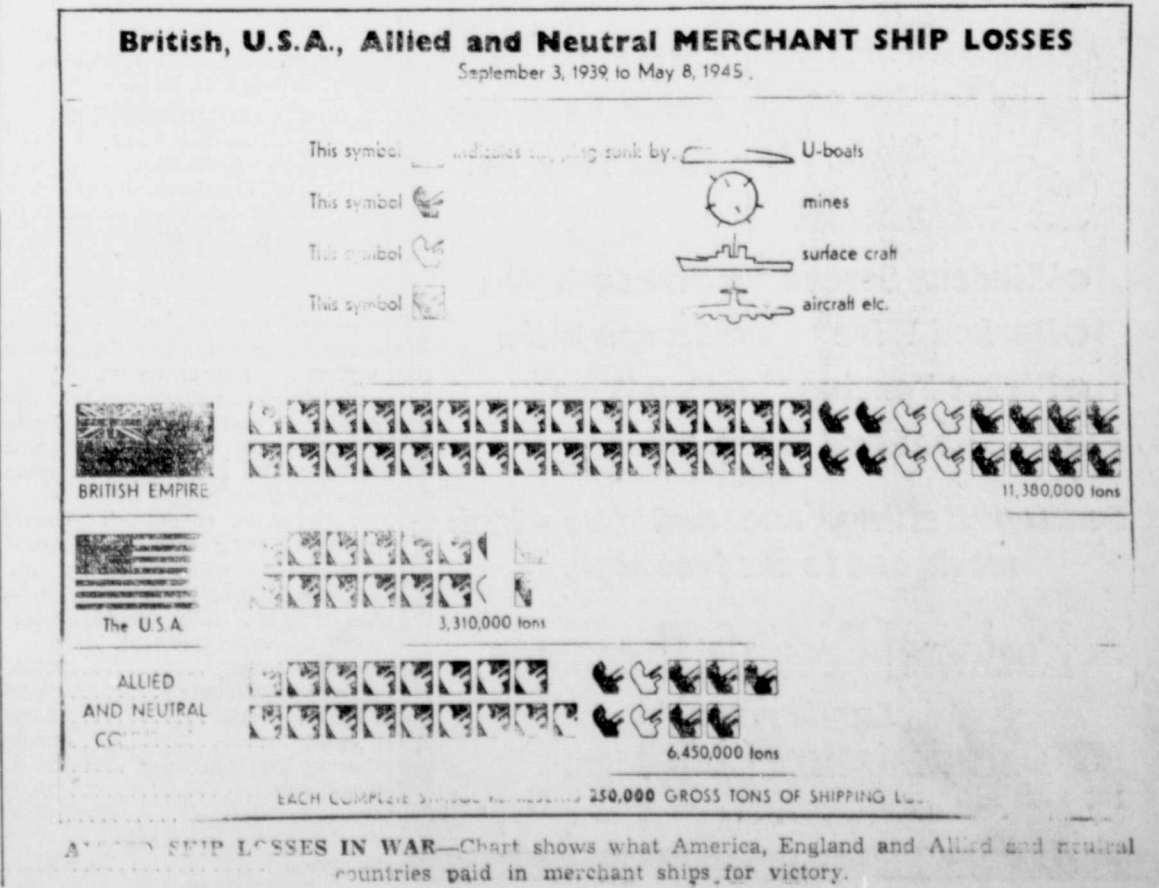
Funeral services will be held at the Wingate Baptist church, Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

### Give China Twenty-One Warships

CHUNGKING, Jan. 17. — Chinese authorities in Nanking announced today that 21 warships were being turned over to China by the United States and Great Britain — eight by the former.

The announcement said the warships included a 7,000-ton cruiser and two submarines. (The dispatch gave no details as to size or classification of U. S. ships involved.)

With the assistance of the U. S. Navy, the announcement said, the Chinese will train 500 officers and 3,000 men in the next 15 months at the North China port of Tsingtao.



"OLD JACK" RETIRED—John Leonard and Verl Eugene Hall of Centralia, Ill., are astride "Old Jack," retired after 19 years of hauling coal in mine. Holding bridle is Amos Hatfield. The 23-year-old mule is believed to be the last of the nation's mine mules.



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**WANTED** — Hauling of all kinds, anywhere. C. M. Williams, three miles from Cisco on Eastland highway. 102

**FOR RENT** — Front bedroom, 300 west Sixth, next to postoffice. 102

**WHEELBARROWS** now in stock for home use. Collins Hardware. 98

**KENNEDY** all-steel tool boxes, just received. Collins Hardware. 98

**WOULD LIKE** to contact lady who was in Eastland last spring on business and talked with crippled man at railway station. She was a widow, about 40, wire glasses, lived about two miles out of Cisco. Write Box 367, Eastland, Texas. 102

**LOST** — Small leather bag, in Cisco, by ex-soldier enroute west for health; \$5 reward. My name and serial number on bottom of bag. Lester Sconrout, 514 West Cal. Albuquerque, N. M. 98

**FOR RENT** — One, two or three-room apartments. See S. W. Altman at Altman Style Shop, Cisco. 98

**FOR SALE** — Good used washing machine, Dunn's Maytag Sales & Service. Phone 399. 98

**FOR SALE** Big corner lot, five-room house, front and back porches, latter screened; garage, chicken house and yard; six kinds fruit; flowers; possession at once. 20 W. Eighteenth. 98

**WANTED** — Any type Maytag washing machine; good or bad, we'll buy it. John Dunn. Phone 399. 101

**NOTICE** — Night pleasure rides. See Cisco and Lake in the moonlight. Friday, Saturday and Sunday nights, \$1.50 per person. Cisco Municipal Airport. 98

**FOR SALE** — Good peanut farm, 229½ acres, 4 room house, good well water, good tank and springs, fenced hog proof, 95 acres in cultivation, quick possession. Tom B. Stark, Cisco. Phone 87. 97

**FOR SALE** — Broilers, fryers, limited quantities of dark Cornish game, Black Australorps and Black Minorca baby chicks at Dalton's on Lake Road, one mile from city limits. Tel. 136J2. 98

**CISCO HATCHERY** — Will make first setting January 13, first hatch off February 4. Book your orders now to get chicks for early fryers when you want them. J. W. Thomason, owner and operator. Phone 422. 98

**FOR SALE** — 160 acre farm, 90 acres in cultivation, 70 acres in good mesquite grass, 4-room frame house with cistern and good tank, located on good gravel road, school bus route. Tom B. Stark, Cisco. Phone 87. 97

**JUST RECEIVED** — Shipment of oil-circulating heaters. We also have various sizes of drain boards. Cisco Lumber & Supply Co. 97

**FOR SALE** — Fryers, 1000 N. avenue, Leon McPherson. Phone 293. 97

**FOR SALE** — Seed oats, Syl Boggs, Lake Road. 100

**APARTMENT WANTED** — Three or four furnished rooms. Mrs. W. L. Sparra. Phone 67 or 697W. 96

**COUPLE CELEBRATED WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.** Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mayhew celebrated their 48th wedding anniversary on Tuesday, January 15th. They were married in 1898, at Jonesboro, Coryell county, Texas, and moved to Cisco in 1901. Mr. Mayhew has been engaged in the barber business in Cisco for more than three decades. They have had four children, Mrs. Myrtle Johnson, Mrs. Nadine Jones, both of Abilene; Earl Mayhew, Cisco; a son, Ewell Mayhew, deceased. They have four grandchildren and one great grandchild. Members of the family and friends were present for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Mayhew wish to extend their expression of appreciation to their many friends and to the pastors of local churches, who have often visited them.

**MRS. LEON MANER HOSTESS TO CIRCLE.** Mrs. Leon Maner was hostess when circle one of First Baptist women's missionary union met Tuesday afternoon in her home on west Sixth street. Mrs. W. Frank Walker, chairman, presided and opened the meeting with a Bible lesson brought by Mrs. W. W. Fewell, sixth chapter of Romans.

Mrs. Walker announced assignment for the month and plans were made to carry out same. Minutes were omitted due to absence of the secretary. A social hour was held during which Mrs. Maner passed a sandwich plate with coffee to members.

**BAPTIST CIRCLE TWO WITH MRS. T. E. HOUSE.** Circle two of First Baptist women's missionary union met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. T. E. House, chairman. The meeting opened with prayer by Mrs. W. L. Pippen and minutes were read by the hostess. A short business session was held and it was decided to send a sympathy card to a bereaved member. The Bible lesson from the Book

of Matthew was brought by Mrs. C. P. Cole, in which she discussed teachings of Jesus from the sermon on the mount. The meeting was adjourned with prayer by Mrs. O. L. Mason.

Those present were Mrs. Arthur Johnson, Mrs. C. P. Cole, Mrs. W. L. Pippen, Mrs. O. L. Mason and Mrs. House.

**WMU ROYAL SERVICE PROGRAM HELD MONDAY.** Women's missionary union of East Cisco Baptist church met at the church for a royal service program Monday afternoon. The meeting opened with prayer by Mrs. Claud McBeth, after which a short business session was held.

Routine business was transacted and at the close the program topic, "A New World to Build," was presented as a review by Mrs. V. H. Bosworth, president. She was assisted by Mrs. Don Rupe who brought a splendid devotional from the first Epistle of Peter. The meeting was adjourned with prayer by Mrs. Evan Holmes.

Members present were Mrs. Claud McBeth, Mrs. Evan Holmes, Mrs. V. H. Bosworth, Mrs. John Elmore and Mrs. Don Rupe.

**NEW OFFICERS ELECTED BY CIRCLE.** Mrs. T. J. Dean was hostess Tuesday afternoon when circle four of First Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service met in her home for the initial meeting of the new year. The meeting opened with an interesting devotional brought by Mrs. Philip Pettit.

The hostess presided during the business session and the following officers were elected: Chairman, Mrs. E. O. Elliott; vice chairman, Mrs. T. J. Dean; secretary-reporter, Mrs. Fred Scott; treasurer, Mrs. R. W. Merket; program chairman, Mrs. L. H. McCrea, Sr. Plans were made for the year's work and at the close a social hour was held.

Refreshments were passed to Mrs. Philip Pettit, Mrs. W. W. Moore, Mrs. Smith Huestis, Mrs. O. W. Hampton, Mrs. Joe Wilson, Mrs. Fred Scott and Mrs. Dean.

Next meeting in the homes will be held with Mrs. Philip Pettit, 807 west Seventh street.

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Cylinder No.	1	2	3	4	5	6
Before	80	80	80	80	80	80
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**For Sale**

Twenty-six acres on pavement; 4-room house; 12 acres in cultivation, \$2,000.

Eighty acres; half in cultivation; 3-room house; good barn; well, \$20 acre.

Eighty-seven acres, \$12.50 acre.

Eighty acres; half in cultivation; 4 room house, \$30 acre.

Seventy-five acres on pavement; 30 in cultivation of good black bottom land. Lots of big pecan trees; 3 room house.

160 acres on pavement; close in. Priced right.

Eighty acres on pavement; 55 in cultivation; windmill, gas and electricity.

278 acres; 156 in cultivation; 7-room house, 3 tanks, 2 wells, 1 cistern, barn and chicken house, \$35 per acre.

146 acres; 80 in cultivation; 4-room house, \$18 acre.

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He has just moved from somewhere else in the city and had his telephone service moved, or...

There may be serious illness in the family and a telephone is necessary during the emergency, or...

Your neighbor may be a returned veteran needing a telephone to re-establish him in civilian life, or...

A telephone in his home may be necessary to the health and welfare of the community.

With these necessary exceptions, those waiting are served in the order in which we received the application. In some neighborhoods, of course, we shall be able to catch up more quickly than in others. But, as telephone plant is constructed, our aim is to see that everyone gets service in proper turn.

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Residence, 662-J.

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Four rooms, close in, \$1,600. Terms.

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Five rooms on pavement, \$2,800.

Eight room fine home, best location, \$6,000.

Five rooms near high school, \$2,500.

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500 acres mesquite grass land, \$25.

Thirty-five acres mesquite grass land, old house, \$1,500.

600 acres well improved on highway, \$37.50.

Forty acres improved, \$2,500.

Sixty-one acres well located, \$12.50.

Sixty acres well improved on highway, all conveniences, \$5,500.

Sixty acres well improved on highway, all conveniences, \$8,000.

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"By our victory we have won the respect of the world. We can lose that respect, and with it our influence toward a just and peaceful world order, if we reduce our military forces to the point where they become weak or ineffective."

"The Congress has enacted and the President has approved legislation which makes enlistment in the Regular Army more attractive than ever before in our history. It gives the soldier a position in the new peacetime Army that merits the respect of all our citizens."

"Every American should know the valuable provisions in this new Armed Forces Voluntary Recruitment Act. They help place your Regular Army on the highest plane of any army on earth—with advanced study, training and travel at good pay in a career of high duty and responsibility."

"There is a solemn obligation on all of us to safeguard the victory we have won at such enormous cost. The rapid rebuilding of our Regular Army is a vital necessity if we are to meet that obligation."

*Dwight D. Eisenhower*  
Chief of Staff, United States Army

**HIGHLIGHTS OF THE NEW ENLISTMENT ACT**

- Enlistments for 1½, 2 or 3 years. (1-year enlistments permitted for men now in Army with at least 6 months' service.)
- Enlistment age from 17 to 34 years inclusive, except for men now in the Army, who may reenlist at any age, and for former service men, depending on length of service.
- The best pay scale, medical care, food, quarters and clothing of any army.
- Reenlistment bonus increased to \$50 for each year of active service since such bonus was last paid, or since last entry into service.
- A paid furlough (up to 90 days depending on length of service) with furlough travel paid to home and return, for men now in the Army who reenlist.
- Mustering-out pay (based upon length of service) to all men discharged to reenlist.
- Option to retire at half pay for the rest of your life after 20 years' service—increasing to three-quarters pay after 30 years' service. (Retirement income in grade of Master Sergeant up to \$155.25 per month for life.) All active federal military service counts toward retirement.
- Benefits under the GI Bill of Rights.
- Family allowances for the term of enlistment for dependents of men who enlist or reenlist before July 1, 1946.
- Opportunity to learn one or more of 200 skills and trades taught in Army schools in U. S. or occupied countries.
- Choice of branch of service and overseas theater in the Air, Ground or Service Forces on 3-year enlistment.

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## BRIEFLY TOLD

From Pearl Harbor comes word to the Daily Press that Corp. S. Lopez of Cisco is aboard the USS. Barnstable enroute to the states, with the ship scheduled to dock in San Francisco on January 7. The Barnstable left Tacloban on December 18.

Mrs. Luther H. McCrea, who has been dangerously ill in a Fort Worth hospital for the past week, is said to be much improved.

Mrs. Sterling Drumwright and Miss Lillian Spears spent several days in Fort Worth last week where they were guests at social events honoring Miss Charlotte Russell, bride-elect of Charles Spears of Cisco.

H. A. McCanlies of Breckenridge accompanied by his son, H. A. McCanlies, Jr., who received his discharge last week at Camp Fannin, were visiting relatives in Cisco Sunday.

Miss Sue Mobley who has been quite ill for the past two weeks, is now able to be up.

Mrs. M. M. Tabor and children Ben and Kay have returned from Borger where they were weekend guests in the home of her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. Boscarino of New Britain, Conn., are in the city visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Tabor. Mr. Boscarino, who has received his discharge from the air corps where he served as a lieutenant, plans to enter Texas Christian University.

Sgt. and Mrs. A. B. Baker and family plan to move to El Paso Monday where he will be attached to the regular army at Fort Bliss.

James H. Bryant, son of Mrs. J. H. Hyatt, is now home from overseas where he spent the past two years. He received his discharge at Camp Fannin last week.

Mrs. Edgar Airhart of Big Spring arrived this week to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. Grist.

Misses Doris Berry of Lubbock and Nell Rollins of Dallas are visiting in Cisco, guests of Miss Marjorie Crawford.

Blake Stephens, petty officer of the navy, is visiting Mrs. Stephens and their little daughter and his parents Mr. and Mrs. Mack Stephens here while on a short leave. Seaman Stephens, who has recently been in Japan, arrived in San Diego last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Laird Locke visited his parents in Moran over the weekend.

Alpha Delphian Study club will meet Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Women's club house.

Mrs. W. P. Stephens went to Abilene Tuesday to be with her daughter Mrs. Andy Roe of Snyder, who had a mastoid operation at Hendrix Memorial hospital, Wednesday.

Jimmy Pollard went to Gorman Monday to visit his mother Mrs. Gorum Pollard, teacher in Gorman public school.

Rev. and Mrs. Evan Holmes returned to Fort Worth Monday afternoon after spending the weekend at their home in Cisco. They are students of Baptist Southwestern Seminary.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McCanlies visited the family of C. P. Church in Merkel Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. E. S. Waldrop of Slaton was a weekend guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Haynie.

John James Haynie and his guest Mert Starnes of Lubbock are visiting in Gladewater this week.

Little Billie Marie Montgomery of Scranton spent the weekend here with her mother Mrs. Montgomery, employe of Mott Stores.

There will be a meeting of Woodmen circle Friday at 2:30 at WOW hall. Members are urged to be present as the meeting is an important one, said Mrs. J. P. McCanlies, guardian.

Mrs. Pete Dean, former Ciscoan, arrived the first of the week from Virginia, having been called to Cisco by the illness and death of Mrs. Clifton McClelland.

Austin Flint of Midland visited his family in Cisco over the weekend. Mrs. Flint and daughter Jane have returned to Cisco after having spent the Christmas holidays at Midland.

Mrs. G. P. Rainbolt has returned from Clyde where she spent the weekend in the home of her brother.

Mrs. G. C. Bryant returned to Dallas Sunday after spending the past month here with her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. Grist.

Mrs. John Petty and son Butch returned today from a visit with Mr. Petty's mother in Brownwood.

Miss Norma Johnson, student of Howard Payne college, Brownwood, visited over the weekend in the home of her parents Rev. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson.

Capt. J. C. Paschall went to San Angelo last week where he left by plane for Los Angeles, Calif., after a visit in Cisco with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Crigler Paschall and his grandmother Mrs. M. D. Paschall. Captain Paschall will be stationed at Long Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Crigler Paschall, accompanied by his mother Mrs. M. D. Paschall went to Granbury Tuesday to attend the funeral and burial of a friend Mrs. Gaston.

Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Barnes are in Dallas this week where they are attending the State Veterinary convention.

Mrs. Mack Stephens is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Fred Fikes of Eastland and Miss Oleta Huestis were dinner guests here Tuesday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Huestis.

Miss Dorothy Jean Anderson of Texas University spent the weekend here with her mother Mrs. Myrtle Anderson.

Among relatives and friends attending the funeral and burial of Mrs. Clifton McClelland here Wednesday were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McFadden, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bob McFadden, Gorman; Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Tompkins, Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Coats, Pueblo; Pfc. and Mrs. Bill McFadden, San Antonio; Wm. McFadden, Austin; Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Brooks, Moran; Mr. and Mrs. Leldon McClelland and children, Ballinger; Mr.

and Mrs. David McClelland, McCaney; Pvt. T. H. Kelley, Camp Bowie; Mrs. T. N. Kelley, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Yeager, Putnam.

Guests in the home of Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Paul are his mother Mrs. Gosewich and son I. H. Gosewich of St. Paul, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Coplin have returned from a weekend visit in Galveston.

Mrs. T. L. Hiner of Abilene is in Cisco at the bedside of her brother Joe H. Payne, patient at Graham sanitarium.

Mrs. E. Hooks visited relatives in San Angelo today.

Tech. Sgt. and Mrs. Ernest Winston went to San Angelo today where he has recently been transferred.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Mayer went to Lubbock today to attend the funeral of a friend.

Lieut. and Mrs. Durward Boyd have returned to Temple after a weekend visit here with his mother Mrs. Walter L. Boyd.

Mrs. M. H. McCanlies is confined to her home on west Ninth street while convalescing from illness.

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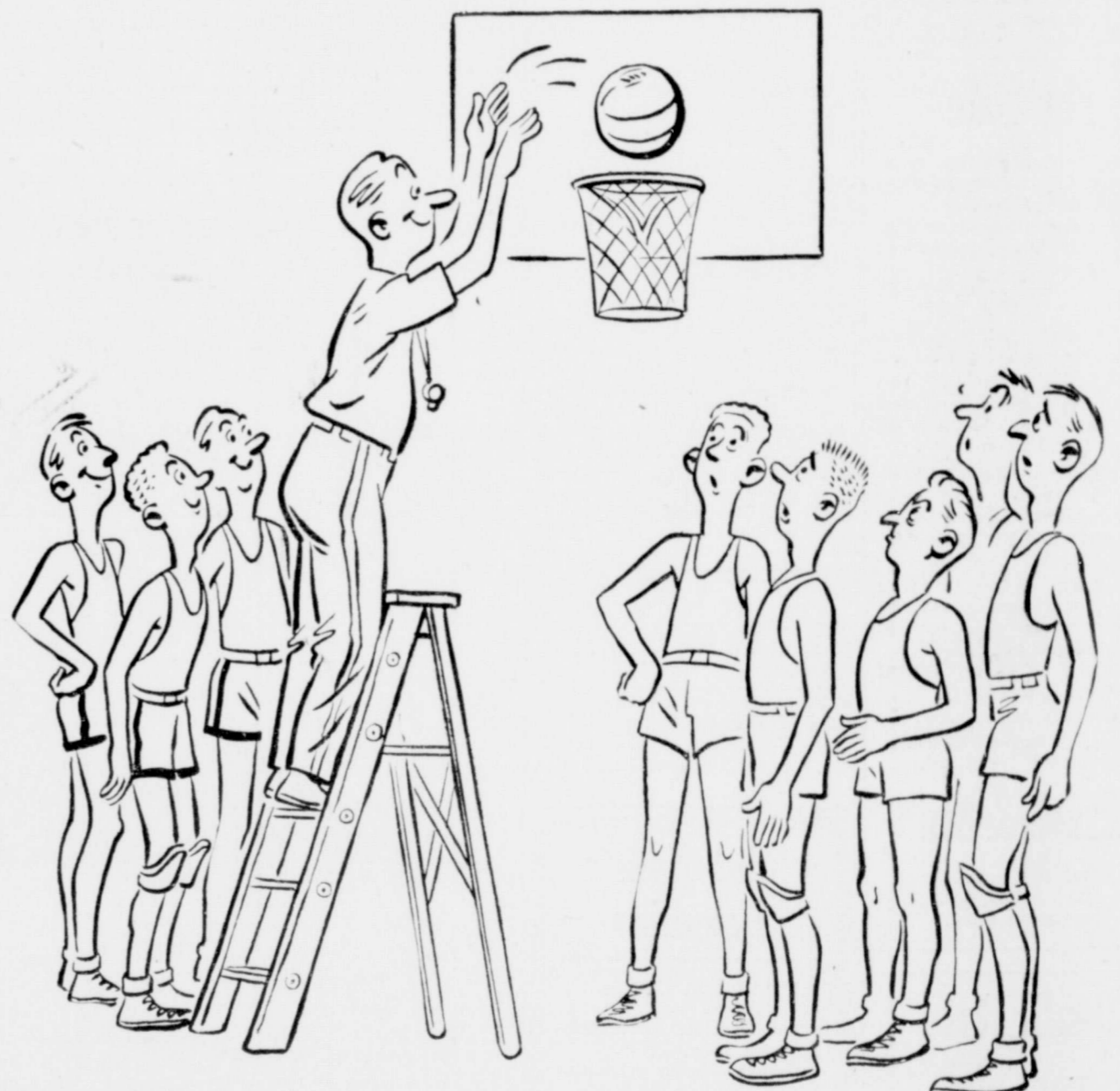
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