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# THE CISCO DAILY PRESS

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; Municipal Airport.

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**GENERAL KRUEGER RETURNS**—Gen. Walter Krueger, left, Commanding General of the recently inactivated Sixth Army, is escorted in San Francisco by Maj. Gen. Frank D. Merrill of famed "Merrill Marauders" after Krueger's return to U. S.

## Head of Telephone Union Wants U.S. to Intervene

### Tiptop Stage Show at Palace Saturday and Sunday

Cisco theatergoers are in for a treat Saturday and Sunday, when Cousin Herald Goodman and his Saddle Mountain Roundup Stage Show comes to the Palace.  
The new 1946 edition of Goodman's Saddle Mountain Roundup is probably the best stage show ever produced in the southwest and still holds the title of the southwest's greatest western variety show, said Wallace Smith, theater manager.  
Starring on this famous stage show will be such grand radio, movie and stage personalities as Herald "Cuz" Goodman in person, Richard Bills, the radio Texan, a featured artist of Texas Quality Network shows from WFAA-KGKO in Dallas and the famous Hillbilly Hit Parade from KRLD, Dallas.

**LOOKING AHEAD**  
By **GEORGE S. BENSON**  
President—Harding College  
Stark, Arkansas

**REQUEST.**  
One of the 5,000 United States Marines who died on Iwo Jima was Ben Toland, 24, of Concord, N. H., a Yale junior and an honor student. When another officer was wounded in battle, Lieut. Toland voluntarily took command of his platoon, stormed the ridge and gained the objective before he himself was killed. Toland's estate, less than \$4,000, was divided by his will as follows:  
Per Cent  
Benevolence ..... 5  
His church ..... 5  
His college ..... 10  
His prep school ..... 20  
The A. F. of L. .... 10  
The C. I. O. .... 10  
The N. A. M. .... 20  
The U. S. Congress ..... 20

**Pauley's Withdrawal Would Aid Democratic Party**  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 20. (AP)—Sen. Tom Stewart, Tennessee Democrat, today called on Edwin W. Pauley for the good of the party and "out of common decency," to withdraw as President Truman's nominee to be undersecretary of the navy.  
In the first public demand for Pauley's withdrawal by a Democratic party stalwart, Stewart said he regretted that Pauley had not bowed out of the picture of that Democratic National Chairman Robert E. Hannegan "has not had him do it."



**OLD PONY**—Maggie, a 48-year-old Shetland pony owned by Keith Leavelle, Conego, Calif., rancher, now lives a petted and pampered life. Her early owner, the late S. N. Straube, raised some of the fastest horses ever seen on California tracks. Maggie's last colt—one of many—was foaled when she was 29. Shown with superannuated pony is Mrs. Maggie Leavelle.

### Rotary - sponsored Lecture 8 O'clock Friday Evening

Sufficient tickets have been sold to defray all expenses of the Rotary Institute of International Understanding, and all tickets sold from now on will be profit to the Cisco Lobo Band, it was announced today.  
Price of the season tickets for all four lectures is \$2 including tax. Members of the band have these tickets for sale and all proceeds above expenses will be used for the purchase of needed equipment for the high school musical organization.  
The time is short. The first lecture will be presented at Cisco high school auditorium at 8 o'clock Friday night, preceded by a 30-minute band concert.  
Subsequent lectures will take place on successive Thursday nights at the same hour and the same place, the band playing a preliminary concert each time.  
The Institute is presented under the auspices of Cisco Rotary club, as a public service.  
The general theme will be international understanding, and the first lecture will be given by Morris H. Coers on the topic "Making International Organizations Effective." Coers and other speakers are nationally known authorities on their subjects and their appearance in Cisco will be a rare opportunity for hearing experts on issues which so vitally concern modern times.  
It is hoped there will be a big

### Homer Smith Asks 2nd Term as Head County Schools

Mr. Homer Smith, county school superintendent, today announced his candidacy for re-election to that office.  
Mr. Smith, born and reared in Eastland county, is too well known to school patrons and countians in general to require a lengthy introduction. He graduated from Eastland high school and Randolph College, is married and has two boys; has had 15 years' experience in teaching and administrative school work.  
Information coming to the Daily Press is that Mr. Smith has made an excellent county school superintendent. If that information is correct, the present incumbent is certainly entitled to a second term according to Democratic custom and practice.

response to the Lobo band canvassers as they make their final solicitations this week.

**ABILENE LAWYER DIES.**  
ABILENE, Feb. 20.—Harry Tom King, eloquent and able member of the Taylor county bar since 1898, died at his home, North Third and Victoria, at 9:20 this morning after five years of failing health that followed a heart attack. For forty years he was one of the most active practicing attorneys in West Texas. Funeral services will be conducted Thursday beginning at 4:30 p. m. at Kiker-Warren chapel. Dr. Millard A. Jenkins, pastor of the First Baptist church, will officiate.

**GOOD WILL MESSAGE.**  
The will was not a document of profound legal verbiage; just a hand-written note from a military man fighting to battle quite aware that fighters don't always return from such missions. It was no hastily devised instrument. Every detail shows scholarly thought. The author knew he might be giving his life for America's future, and tossed-in his possessions as part of the offering.  
Not even a cynical critic of the liberty Ben Toland understood and appreciated could detect a tone of bitterness in his harmonious bequests. He met death on February 21 and it is reasonably certain that the will was written at Christmas, far beyond the horizon of merriment but in a spirit of "good will toward men." In that holiday gift-list rings a clear note of victory and hope.

**TO SAVE AMERICANISM.**  
As if it were his life's last title, five per cent went to church and five to a Christmas charity. "The 100 Neediest Cases," sponsored by the New York Times, Toland knew the worth of learning and paid a tribute to two schools that were peculiarly his own, Yale University and St. Paul's of Concord. The will's other four beneficiaries sound a chord of pure patriotism.  
Not every service man who paid his life for victory in World War II possessed this young man's grasp of public affairs, but they all wanted the same thing: They wanted to see America the land of opportunity once more. The lieutenant's will expressed all this hope and more, for Toland knew how to save America's freedom: through peace between labor and management.  
**Paying to be Heard.**  
This sober young man laid 60 per cent of his earthly holdings on the altar of industrial peace. His mother yet lived. No doubt he had personal friends who needed funds. Just the same, his largest single hope beyond his own life-span was to retain the American system of free faith, free speech, free enterprise, popular ballot, unrestricted opportunity and equality under the law.  
With 20 per cent he asked Congress to heed the plea of many martyrs for laws in the interest of all, not just for pressure groups. Another 20 per cent calls aloud to the National Association of Manufacturers, a group of small employers such as fill more than two-thirds of America's pay envelopes. Another fifth begs a hearing by the two biggest labor groups, destined to play an important role in America's future.

**British Conservative Says Russia is Trouble Maker**  
LONDON, Feb. 20. (AP)—Conservative Harold MacMillan accused Russia in Commons today of attacking "all the weak links in the chain of world security and peace."  
MacMillan asked whether Russia wanted to dominate the world or was merely bent on insuring Soviet security.

**Cisco Lumber and Nance Motor Scalp 10-Pin Opponents**  
Cisco Lumber Co. and Nance Motor each took two of the three ten-pin games played with Collins Hardware and West Texas Utilities last night. Under the rules the two winning teams received small handicaps from the losers.  
Lee McDonald was high man with 512 for his three games. Franz Essl, 509. Guy Morris accumulated 206 pins in his second game, but missed the three-game 500-mark by one keg. Dr. C. E. Paul, usually one of the league's niftiest bowlers, was off his feed and wound up with only 474.  
Monday night schedule — Cisco Lumber vs. Firestone Tire; West Texas Utilities vs. Gardenhire Petroleum.  
Tuesday night schedule — Nance Motor vs. Humble Pipe Line; Cisco Gas Corporation vs. Collins Hardware.

**500,000 DIED.**  
NANKING, Feb. 20.—The Japanese rape of Nanking in 1937 cost 500,000 Chinese lives, the Chinese War Crimes Commission reported today after several months investigation of atrocities.

**STREICHER IS ILL.**  
NUERNBERG, Germany, Feb. 20.—Julius Streicher, German anti-Jewish publisher, was confined to his cell by illness today and was unable to attend the afternoon session of the war crimes trial.

**FATMAN HOUSING BILL.**  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 20. (AP)—The House Rules committee by unanimous vote today cleared the way for floor consideration of the Fatman Housing Bill which would place price ceilings on new homes.

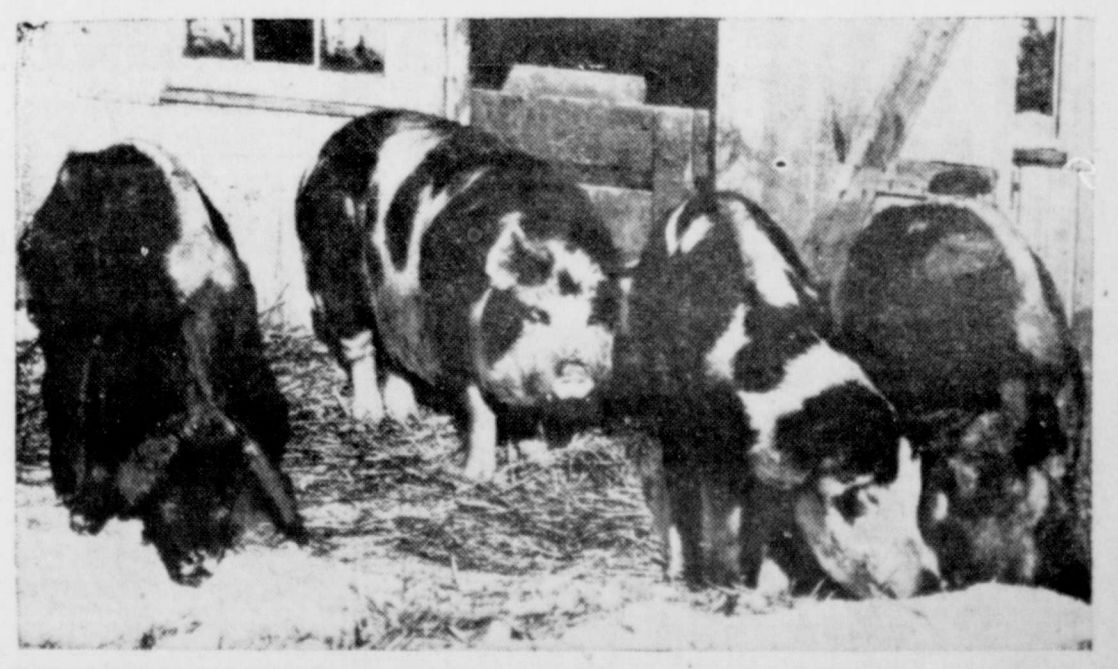
**ASKS TOO MUCH.**  
NEW YORK, Feb. 20. (AP)—Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt urged today that the United States assume the "moral, spiritual and physical" leadership of Europe "for the sake of all humanity."

### Tiresome Pearl Harbor Probers May Finish Soon

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20. (AP)—The Congressional Pearl Harbor committee was told today that the British high command received from Washington assurances that the U. S. armed support would be given in the event of a Japanese attack on the British or on the Dutch Indies.  
This information was contained in a telegram read to the committee by Capt. John M. Creighton, U. S. army liaison officer with the British at Singapore. When questioned about it, Creighton admitted that he could not vouch for the authenticity.  
He said it might have been "nothing more than a rumor."  
The telegram supposedly was sent on Dec. 5, 1941, by Air Marshal Brooke-Popham at Singapore to his British friends.  
Earlier the committee was told of the unsuccessful efforts of two army GIs to report to their superior officer a radar contact with the attacking Japanese planes on Dec. 7, 1941.  
Testimony on the radar contact came near the end of the committee's long hearings on the Pearl Harbor disaster.  
The committee hoped to complete hearings tonight and begin preparation of reports for congress.

**DETROIT DAIRY STRIKE.**  
DETROIT, Feb. 20.—An estimated 1,200 employees of three large Detroit dairies walked off their jobs today, shutting off milk deliveries to approximately 400,000 families in the metropolitan area. About 100 employees of a fourth dairy left their jobs early today but returned after five and a half hours when the management agreed to meet their demands.

**SNOW CLOSES SCHOOL.**  
LANCASTER, Pa., Feb. 20.—Snowfall ranging from six to nine inches forced closing of all Lancaster schools today as transit vehicles remained idle for the third day since calling of an AFL general strike.



**RESTED BUT HUNGRY**—Three hogs belonging to Wallace McKay of Redwood Falls, Minn., hibernated in a flax straw pile since last August. Notice difference between the three and hog from same litter, second from left, which spent his time eating. McKay assumes hibernating hogs were trapped.



**SHIP IN YOUR EYE**—Chuck Haacker, 3½, is fascinated by ship in the bottle exhibited by Miss F. E. McCaffey at 9th annual American Hobby Show in New York. Thousands of items made by hobby-collectors are on display, including another ship model which includes everything from chapel to swimming pool.



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### THE RED THREAT

It is disheartening to be told by observers of world affairs, and by the actions of Russian political leaders, that in spite of their great military victories they are not satisfied.

Peaceful development of their enormous natural resources, apparently is not enough.

With what looks to the outer world like ample power for defense and internal development, and association on fair terms with the outer world, Stalin proposes to spend 15 to 20 years in a great plan for developing Soviet military

power. Greater production of goods for general use is mentioned as a matter of course, but the emphasis is obviously on military defense, calculated to raise Russia to the status of what American experts interpret as "a first-class military power within 13 years."

This is not peace, and not progress.

Once more it is substituting guns for butter and maintaining the old system of armed force from which most of the world is seeking means of escape instead of continued support.

If such old-fashioned and illogical defense is maintained, what will be left but atomic bombs for us all, in due time?

### ANNOUNCEMENT

City-wide Pickup and Delivery Service.

For 20 months we have been unable to deliver Laundry because of tire and gasoline rationing. We deeply appreciate the loyalty of Cisco people in bringing their Laundry to us during that period.

With efficient help and new equipment, we believe we will now be able to give a pickup and delivery service.

However, if you still prefer to bring your Laundry to us, it will be a little more economical and the service to you will be quicker.

### CISCO STEAM LAUNDRY

110 West Sixth. Telephone 31.

### McCRACKEN'S

Clover Farm Store Reopens

We invite the patronage of our friends, former customers and the general public.

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206 West Eighth. Phone 156.

(This store—same location—was closed nearly three years ago, when Mr. McCracken was called to army service.)

### MOORE DRUG STORE

700 D Avenue. Phone 99.

Where Your Prescriptions Are Scientifically Compounded.

Pharmacy is the art and science of preparing, preserving and dispensing medicines.

We compound your Prescription as carefully as your doctor writes it and our label is a Guarantee of the most painstaking accuracy as well as the purity and freshness of the ingredients.

24-Hour Delivery Service on Prescriptions. Registered Pharmacist on duty at all times. For night service on Prescriptions

CALL 295-J.

### THE FIRST FARMER.

In the beginning, the world: A new and fertile place. The wind, the plowman. Sowing seeds in space.

The wind turning furrows In deep new air; The wind sowing seeds, And the earth, aware.

The days, the years, an age; The sun a pantomime; White, black; day, night; Time.

—Cora Blakesley in Kaleidograph.

### FAINTS AT LEGACY NEWS.

BIRDSBORO, Pa. (AP)—Learning that his uncle had died leaving him \$30,000, a ranch near Martin, Okla., and several hundred head of cattle and horses was too much for Elmer Russell, 57-year-old ash truck driver—he fainted.

### NOTICE.

For convenience of prospective Eastland county candidates, the Cisco Daily Press has arranged a political announcement price schedule. Announcements will

appear in each issue of the Daily Press until election day and through the run-off period when necessary.

If possible, candidates should hand in their personal signed statements when placing announcements and not make them too lengthy. Cash should accompany the advertisement.

|                          |         |
|--------------------------|---------|
| County Judge             | \$25.00 |
| Assessor-Collector       | 25.00   |
| District Clerk           | 25.00   |
| Sheriff                  | 25.00   |
| County Commissioner      | 20.00   |
| Treasurer                | 15.00   |
| State legislature        | 15.00   |
| Justice peace, constable | 7.50    |
| Congress                 | 25.00   |

### POLITICAL.

The Cisco Daily Press is authorized to announce the following candidates for the offices under which their names appear, subject to the action of Democratic voters at the primaries to be held Saturday, July 27:

#### COUNTY JUDGE

John Hart

P. L. Crossley (re-election)

#### COUNTY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT

Homer Smith (re-election)

#### CO. TREASURER

Gen. A. Fox, Jr.

Ruth Branton (re-election)

#### SHERIFF

W. W. (Sheeny) Eddleman

John C. Barber

J. B. Williams

#### CO. COMMISSIONER Precinct Four

Arch Bint (re-election)

#### CONGRESS 17th District

Ted Miles

of Jones County, William W. Blanton Shackelford County.

## PALACE THEATER

SATURDAY and SUNDAY

You've Heard Them On the Air  
You've Seen Them In the Movies  
Now See Them in Person

STAGE SHOW The Southwest's Greatest Barn Dance Show!

Cousin Herald Goodman

and his SADDLE MOUNTAIN Round-Up

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Starring COUSIN HERALD GOODMAN Mayor of Dibble Springs

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★ NEW ACTS  
★ PRETTY GIRLS  
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MUSIC A-PLenty  
HILARIOUS ENTERTAINMENT FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY

DICK POWELL in "Cornered"

WALTER SLEZAK  
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NINA VALE  
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Dangerous  
The woman too willing to help him forget!

THE NEW DICK POWELL'S NEW GREATER DRAMA OF MENAGE!

LEIGH TAYLOR  
ROBERT TAYLOR  
M-G-M's WATERLOO BRIDGE

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Office: Thomas Funeral Home Cisco, Texas.

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One that you can build in the near future.

### See Our Plan Book and Floor Plans.

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#### LEIGH TAYLOR

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### WHITE'S AUTO STORE

Authorized Dealer.

|                                  |           |
|----------------------------------|-----------|
| ARMY FOOT LOCKERS                | \$9.95    |
| ARMY SUIT CASES                  | \$4.95    |
| BATTERIES — A and B Packs        | \$4.95    |
| SEAT COVERS (2-Doors and Sedans) | \$14.75   |
| SOCKET SETS                      | \$7.95 up |
| HI-CHAIRS                        | \$4.95 up |
| FLOOR MATS (Ford and Chevrolet)  | \$2.25    |
| SCISSOR JACKS                    | \$5.65    |
| STEP LADDERS                     | \$1.45    |

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**PLANTERS FOR SALE** — Sixty feet of seven-foot shelving. Eight benches. Priced to sell. Nick Miller. Phone 456. 25

**PEACH TREES GIVEN AWAY** — To first 1000 customers. We offer the freshly dug peach trees, apricot trees, peaches, plums, cherries, grapes. Also shrubs and evergreens. Shanks Nurseries, one-half mile north of Clyde, Texas. 122

**FINE OIC PIGS**, bred gilts, service boars, all white as snow and pretty as pictures. Shanks Nursery, 1/2 mile north of Clyde, Texas. 122

**LOST** — Saturday evening, between Twelfth and E avenue, pair of bed railings. Claude Ingram, 406 Jefferson street, Cisco. 122

**WANT TO RENT** three or four-room unfurnished house or apartment; quiet couple; no children or pets. R. D. Bills, P.O. Box 118, Cisco. 124

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Six-room bungalow, half block ground. IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.

Eight-room, 2-story residence. IMMEDIATE POSSESSION. On paved corner, close in, 2 lots. A BARGAIN.

Five-room cottage, fairly close in.

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See us for GI loans to buy homes and land.

First class duplex, best condition, well located \$6,750.

Twelve and one-half acre building site on Lake highway.

Call us for any kind of insurance.

600 acres best improved mesquite land on highway, \$37.50.

Five rooms near high school, \$2,750.

270 acres stock and peanut farm, quick possession, \$30.

Service Men, see us for GI loans. We make no charge for this service.

Sixty-one acres near a r Scranton, \$12,500.

Four-room house, \$1,250.

Well improved 5-acres in city, on pavement, \$7,000.

Seven-rooms well located, good condition, possession, \$5,500.

See us for all kinds real estate loans.

Five rooms and bath near high school, \$2,400.

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Fire is no respecter of persons. Insure your property with us. You win if you lose.

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**FOR SALE**—Donkey, H. R. Garrett. Phone 627R.

**FOR RENT** — Upstairs apartment for adults. Furnished or unfurnished. 503 west Second. 120

**GARDEN SEEDS** — Fresh shipment, Nicholson brand, in bulk. Thornton Feed Mills. 121

**FOR SALE** — Baby chicks and starter chicks. Turkey eggs wanted. Mosley's Hatchery, 802 west Hullum street, Breckenridge, Texas. Phone 903. 135

**WANTED** — Immediately, boy with stickability and a bicycle to deliver Daily Press Humboldt route; good pay. Apply Daily Press. 121

**MONEY TO LOAN** on farms and ranches. See Fred Brown, Eastland National Bank, Eastland, Texas. 133

**FOR SALE** — Modern six-room home, newly papered and painted throughout. Composition roof, well located on paved street. Also a large house that could be remodelled into four good apartments, located close in, a real investment. 160 acres, well fenced, well of water, 45 acres in cultivation. Located on paved highway. School bus and mail route. Tom B. Stark, phone 87, Cisco. 121

**DEAD STOCK REMOVED FREE** — Phone Collect 4001, if no answer, 6680. Central Hide and Rendering Co., Abilene, Texas. 170

**ROOFS REPAIRED**, new roofs applied. Materials available. Built-up roofing and chingles. Call at 604 F avenue, Cisco. 124

**SOCIAL and CLUBS**

TELEPHONE 36

**DELTA KAPPA GAMMA'S TENTH BIRTHDAY.**

The local chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma celebrated its tenth birthday with a banquet at Laguna Hotel, Saturday evening, February 16. Forty-six members and guests were seated at two long tables linked together at one end by a shorter, an arrangement traditional with the society, as are also the colors red and gold, and the red rose; these, with the red candles and other decorations, made a very attractive picture.

Under the direction of Miss Marion Chambliss as toast mistress, the following program was given, preceding the various courses: Invocation, Mrs. Lucretia Irby; vocal solo, Miss Emily Jeanne Grison of Eastland, accompanied by Miss Helen McAnelly of Ranger; violin solo, Mona Lee Cluck, accompanied by Mrs. R. N. Cluck; piano solo, Miss Helen McAnelly. The candles on the birthday cake were then lighted and after all had been given time to make a silent wish for the success of the society, the candles were blown out and the cake was cut by the president, Mrs. Berta Hazlewood.

A past president's pin was presented to Miss Ella Andros, whose two-year term of office ended last October, and certificates of life membership were presented to Mrs. Waldine Briscoe and Mrs. O. L. Stamey. Two new members, Mrs. Roland Dunwoody, of Baird, and Mrs. Ruth Poe Herring, of Eastland were welcomed into the society.

The speaker of the evening was Dr. Walter H. Adams, Dean of Abilene Christian College, whose subject was Improvements in Education. His plea was that democracy, for its own preservation, demands that all should have the opportunity to get a thorough general education, not merely the vocational type, despite geographical location, physical or economic handicaps. Granted that opportunity was provided, with adequate buildings and equipment, there still remains the need of qualified teachers. At present, ten per cent of the teachers in our country are sub-standard and the scarcity of well prepared teachers is expected to grow worse, due to the fact that other employers offer more remuneration than the schools do; hence something needs to be done at once—in fact, if as large a per cent of the national income were paid now to schools as was paid in depression years, this situation would be remedied. The interesting, thought provoking address was highly appreciated.

Others in attendance besides those mentioned above were Mrs. Walter H. Adams, Miss Speck, F. B. Altman, Abilene; Mrs. Emma

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CISCO, TEXAS.

Hagaman, Mrs. Kathryn Heatley, Mrs. Stanley McAnelly, Ranger; Miss Isadore Grimes, Baird; Mrs. Jewel Swanzey, Clyde; Mmes. Vivian Grantham, M. M. Tabor, Irene Hallmark, Evelyn Bailey, Ina Pyle Martin, Geraldine Campbell, John Shertzer, Marie Gilman, Alice S. Johnston, J. E. Ruppert, N. A. Brown, C. E. Paul, W. R. Winston, J. E. Spencer, Minnie Hill, H. R. Garrett; Misses Mayme Estes, Doris Jo Pyle, Olga Fay Ford, Ella Mae Fidler, Pearl Donway, Marie Winston, Nellie Yunk; Messrs. R. N. Cluck and E. L. Hazlewood.

**THREE WERE HONORED AT DINNER SUNDAY.**

Mrs. V. E. Brooks was hostess Sunday to a large group of relatives and friends honoring the birthdays of three of her family in joint celebration. A large improvised table was laden with delicious food for the noon dinner of roast chicken, dressing, vegetables, pickles and salads of various kinds, pineapple, lemon and pecan pies, chocolate and fruit cakes. Last but not least was the large, beautifully decorated birthday cake presented by Mrs. Evans of Mingo, which centered the table. The cake was surrounded with burning candles. Drinks of coffee, tea, milk and water were served.

The honorees were W. S. Day, Cisco, a son of the hostess and Mr. and Mrs. Will Tune of Rising Star, son-in-law and daughter of Mrs. Brooks.

Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Will Tune of Rising Star, and

little Ronnie Joe Coleman, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Tune; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barr of Criss Plains; Mr. and Mrs. Evans, Mingo; Mr. and Mrs. Evan Kent, Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Crowder and baby J. W. Jr., and Melba Rose Crowder, Mrs. Lulu Paschall, Cisco.

The afternoon was enjoyed in the opening of gifts by W. S. Day and little Melba Rose Crowder. Guitar solos played by Mrs. Lulu Paschall accompanied with whistling by Mrs. Will Tune received hearty encores.

Gifts were also presented to the hostess in spite of her declaration she didn't have birthdays. The guests left at a late hour with wishes for many returns of the day.

**TRAE MARTIN WAS HONORED WITH PARTY.**

Mrs. R. L. Martin was hostess at a party Saturday afternoon in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Warwick, honoring her small daughter Trae Martin on her first birthday. The guests were greeted by Mrs. Martin and were seated in the living room. The small honoree received a nice list of toys and other gifts from her friends. The valentine motif was carried out in all the decorations and the dining table, laid with red cloth, was centered with a huge white lace heart which outlined the birthday cake.

Refreshments of custard and individual birthday cakes with favors of valentine cups of candy were passed by the hostess. The guest list included Emmalee Hel-

zel, Chip Drumwright, Missy and Johnny Choate, Bill Overall, Caren Culwell, Susan Gourley, Ida Lou Smartt, Llewellyn McCrea, and an out-of-town guest, Randy Reames of Ranger; Mrs. Thomas B. Smartt, Mrs. E. P. Crawford, Mrs. S. E. Hittson, Patsy Lois McCrea, Miss Jane Moore, Mrs. E. C. Overall and Mrs. Sterling Drumwright.

**R. A. TATOM HONORED BY GROUP SUNDAY.**

A large group of relatives met Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Tatom, 610 west Ninth street, honoring Mr. Tatom's 80th birthday. A fine turkey dinner with all the garnishings and a birthday cake was served at noon to the group.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Tatom, Cisco; Mrs. Nora Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Caffey, Mr. and Mrs. Olen Stanley and children, Post City, Tex.; Mrs. Matt Smith and children, Strawn, Tex.; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cox and daughters, Billy Scott and Mrs. Elva Sanders, Gustine, Tex.; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roberts, Charles and Durward Roberts of Brook Smith, Tex.; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Smith and son, Floyd Jr., Brownwood, Tex.; Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Nance, Mrs. Docia Day, Mrs. Belle Smith, Miss Della Smith, Mrs. Lein Cagle and daughter, Lavada Cagle, all of Cisco.

Callers during the afternoon were Mrs. Wilkerson, Harold Davies, of Cisco, and an out-of-town grandson and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Allen and daughter, Carol Jane of Ranger.

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1946**

**WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY**

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**BRIEFLY TOLD**

In society page article in Tuesday's Daily Press, Mrs. O. C. Lomax was mentioned as hostess at a shower honoring Mrs. Wm. Joyner, when it should have stated that the affair was given in the home of Mrs. Carroll Smith. Mrs. Sam King was a co-hostess.

Word Home Demonstration club will meet Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the home of Miss Alice Bacon. The lesson will be brought by Mrs. J. P. McCantles.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hogue and son Bobby returned Tuesday night from Sudan where they were called by the death of Mr. Hogue's mother, Mrs. F. W. Dent. Funeral and burial was held at Sudan Monday afternoon. Mrs. Dent had visited a number of times in the home of her son here and many friends will regret to learn of her death.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kennedy of Abilene visited in Cisco Sunday with Mrs. Kennedy's mother Mrs. W. E. McWhorter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Whitley and daughters Helen and Edna Sue of Stamford spent Sunday here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Smith.

Mrs. Dever Glider of DeLeon visited here in the home of her sister-in-law and husband Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Byrd the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Sprawls visited friends at Rising Star Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Strasner arrived Tuesday from Savannah, Ga. where he had received his discharge from the army, and are guests of her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Poe. Mr. and Mrs. Strasner

will make their home in Dallas, where he will resume his position with Butler Brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. McCrary of Sweetwater are in Cisco, guests at the Laguna hotel, while Mr. McCrary transacts business for the T&P Railway company.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Byrd had as guests in their home Sunday Mrs. Byrd's nieces and their husbands Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Lawson of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Tucker of Chicago. Both young men have recently been discharged from the service.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Burkett of Eastland visited in Cisco Sunday with Mrs. L. A. Burkett and daughter Mrs. Clifton Stiles.

Mrs. Fronia Blackwell is home from a few days' visit in Fort Worth with her son Claude Blackwell.

Mrs. Clarence Moon is visiting her parents at Munday this week, having been called there by the illness of her father.

Lloyd Surles went to Ballinger today to transact business for Humble company and was accompanied on the trip by Mrs. Surles who visited with her brother and wife Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Pippen.

Mrs. Homer Hensley and nephew Terry Robertson, accompanied by her uncle A. S. Harwell of Oklahoma City, visited Sunday with relatives at Midland.

Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Paul and children Lovell and Blair Paul went to Midland Sunday where Dr. Paul attended a district chiropractic meeting at Scarborough hotel. Mrs. Paul and children and Mrs. Myrtle Anderson, who accompanied them on the trip, visited in the home of Mrs. Anderson's sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Skipper.

A. S. Harwell, who has been visiting relatives in Cisco, left Tuesday night for Oklahoma City.

W. J. Foxworth went to Corpus Christi the latter part of last week where he was joined by Mrs. Foxworth, who had spent two weeks there with friends, on a sightseeing trip through the Rio Grande Valley. They have now returned to Cisco.

Mrs. Paul Jones and daughter and Mrs. E. H. Foster and daughter shopped in Ranger Tuesday.

Mrs. E. L. Wisdom, who underwent surgery in Abilene Monday, is reported as doing well. She is attended by her daughter Mrs. Lillie Mae Hill.

Cisco Junior College boys' basketball team will play Weatherford College at Cisco high school gym Thursday night. The game will start at 7 o'clock. Admission, 20 and 35 cents.

**617 LUTHERAN CHAPLAINS.** CHICAGO (AP)—Lutheran bodies affiliated with the National Lutheran council provided 317 chaplains to the armed forces during World War II, according to Dr. N. M. Yivisaker, director of the service commission.

**ZIG-ZAGGER FINED.** HUNTINGTON, Ind. (AP)—Max E. Paul has a grievance against the weatherman. He told police officers that he zig-zagged down Huntington streets to dodge frozen spots, but they fined him \$1 for reckless driving anyway.

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