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CISCO — 1,614 ft. above sea; Lake Cisco — three miles long, 87 ft. deep at Williamsport hollow concrete dam; fish hatchery; 127 blocks paving; A-1 high school; Junior college; natural gas, electric and ice plants; home of THE BOSS WALLOPER Work Glove

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PLENTY OF ROOM HERE—Only the shell of this building in Manila, P.I., remains, with plenty of space "for rent." Bomb-wrecked buildings like this are typical of the ruin of Manila after the war. However, the slow process of reconstruction is underway, and some new buildings are being built.

Stalin to Fight for Iran and Other Issues in UNO

GOVERNOR LEGION AND STEVENSON ITS LADIES HITS OPA WILL FEAST

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Mar. 22 (UP)—Charging that the OPA was based on unsound principles, Gov. Coke R. Stevenson today declared that the sooner the nation is freed from controlled economy the better off it will be.

In an address before the convention of the Texas and Southwest Cattle Raisers Association, Stevenson said he thought the nation was facing prosperity, but that it was handicapped by what the government might do.

By LELA LATCH.
"Baked ham, Boston beans, potato salad, pie and all the allied trimmings will be in readiness for members of the American Legion and Auxiliary in a joint social meeting to be held at Cisco Country club, 7:30, Monday night," said Jo Lea Moore, social committee chairman.

Committees from each of the two organizations met Tuesday night in the home of Lela Latch and outlined the following program for the meeting:
Music—Ray Judia.
Invocation — H. R. Garrrett, chaplain.
Supper.
Grand march and other recreation — Directed by Lela Latch.
Songfest—Harry Schaefer and Mrs. Paul Poe.
Tall Tales—Everybody.
Taps—Julie Macias.
"Food and fun are being prepared for 150 folks and my guess is that there will be that many, plus," said another committee member, Rex Moore.

Those serving on the steering committee from the Auxiliary were Mrs. Irene Hallmark, Joyce Rainbolt and Lela Latch. The Legion was represented by Joe Lea Moore and Rex Moore.
Simon Coplin is John William Butts Post commander and Mrs. H. R. Garrrett is president of the Auxiliary.

Federal Controls Cause of the Growing Black Markets

WASHINGTON, Mar. 22 (UP)—Wesley Hardenberg, president of the American Meat Institute, charged today that the growing black market is the result of government controls that deny slaughterers and processors "a reasonable margin of profit."
He testified before the House Banking committee, which is considering extension of OPA for another year.

St. Louis Man Repudiates Affidavits of 1942

WASHINGTON, Mar. 22 (UP)—Paul De Coster, St. Louis, Mo., today repudiated in detail affidavits he signed in 1942 against Commodore James K. Vardaman, Jr.
He testified before a Senate Banking committee which is considering the nomination of Vardaman, President Truman's naval aide, to a 14-year term on the board of governors of the Federal Reserve System.

CISCO GOLF COURSE.
George W. Douglas, grounds manager, says the Cisco golf course has been newly mowed, is in fair condition and open to the public. "Come out and play a round and you will like it," Mr. Douglas added.

In 1940 the Indians in the United States numbered 333,969. Of this amount, 63,125 were in Oklahoma and 55,076 in Arizona.

There are 1,937,144,960 acres in the 48 states.

By United Press.
Generalissimo Stalin threw strong support today to the United Nations organization with a statement which appeared to make plain that Russia is prepared to fight out the Iran issue and other disputes within the UNO framework.

Stalin's statement carried an inferential rebuke to Winston Churchill who yesterday continued his international debate with the Soviet leader through the medium of an exclusive United Press interview.

Stalin warned against what he called "abuse of freedom of speech against the interests of peace."

The Stalin declaration left little doubt that Russia will take her place at the United Nations Security Council table, ready to make her case on Iran through the established procedures of the UNO.

There was another Moscow development of possible significance on the international scene. This was the apparent sudden re-emergence of Maxim Litvinov, long known as champion of the west in Kremlin councils, to a position of importance among foreign Minister V. M. Molotov's deputies.

Litvinov was singled out as one of four among a dozen or more Soviet vice-commissars of foreign affairs to be named deputy foreign minister.

Liberty Ship to Move Russ Wheat to French Port

WASHINGTON, Mar. 22 (UP)—The War Shipping Administration announced today that a Liberty ship has been ordered to Odessa, Russian Black Sea port, about March 25, "to start loading wheat for movement to France."
This changed an announcement yesterday that U. S. shipping representatives in Odessa had found "there is no wheat immediately available for shipment."

Top Men of War Department Ask Draft Extension

WASHINGTON, Mar. 22 (UP)—The War Department's top men got together today to ask for a full year's extension of the draft.
Secretary of War Robert P. Patterson yesterday asked the House Military Affairs committee for extension of at least a year. Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, army chief of staff, recommended indefinite extension.
The draft act now is scheduled to expire May 15.

ANOTHER EXPLOSION.
FT. WORTH, Mar. 22 — A mysterious explosion at 9:15 this morning rocked the Hobbs Manufacturing Company plant at 609 N. Main and was heard within a radius of several blocks, but no one was injured. The explosion, occurring in a large storage building at the rear of the company office, did some damage to a stock of tires and tubes and shattered windows on opposite sides of the structure, 200 feet apart.

SOVIET SECURITY.
MONTREAL, Mar. 22 — Igor Gouzenko, former cipher clerk in the Russian embassy at Ottawa, testified today that some members of the Soviet security police are operating in Canada. He appeared at a preliminary hearing for Fred A. Rose, first Communist member of the Canadian parliament, who is accused in the Canadian espionage case.



SHE'LL BE AN EXPERT SOON—Sgt. William G. Harrell, who lost both his hands and won the Medal of Honor at Iwo Jima, is teaching his bride, Lorena, the fine art of firing a six-shooter. The Harrells were married at the Mare Is., Calif., Chapel, after his discharge from the Marines, and are living at Mercedes, Texas. He says she has the makings of a real Texan.

Texas Has Eighty-six Colleges of All Sizes, Types

AUSTIN, Mar. 22.—Comparative newcomer in the field of tax-supported educational institutions, public junior colleges of Texas are growing both in size and number.
The legislature last year appropriated \$343,000 for each year of the current biennium to assist local junior colleges. The state pays \$60 a year for each full-time student.

The present appropriation aids twenty-two colleges, including the first two years offered at University of Houston.
But the junior college business is booming: Location of four others, to be supported through local taxation, have been approved by the State Department of Education and the State Board of Education. These are Big Spring, Athens, Wharton county and Brazoria county.

Some await final approval at local elections. The maximum tax levy for support of the junior college is 20c per \$100 valuation.

In all, Texas now has eighty-six colleges of all sizes, including those publicly and privately supported.

The junior colleges receiving state aid are located at Brenham, Brownsville, Hillsboro, Amarillo, Clarendon, Wichita Falls, Paris, Texarkana, Corpus Christi, San Antonio, Kilgore, Ranger, Edinburg, Gainesville, Temple, Victoria, Goose Creek, Beaumont, Tyler, San Angelo, Cisco and Houston.

Dr. T. M. Trimble, first assistant state superintendent, said junior colleges are stressing the vocational and terminal courses which the law requires to qualify them for state aid.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Mar. 22. Jackie Robinson and John Wright, negro players for Montreal in the international league, will be prohibited from participating in an exhibition game with Jersey City here Sunday by a regulation of the Jacksonville playground and recreation board.

George Robinson, executive secretary for the board, said last night that "rules, regulations and policies of the Jacksonville playground and recreation board prohibit mixed contestants in athletic events on their facilities."

The city official said the Montreal club could bring Second Baseman Robinson or any other negro player it wished to Jacksonville but that no negro player would be permitted to play.

Secretary Robinson said he had not contacted Montreal concerning the issue. After a conference with other city officials, the board secretary said there would be no departure from the policy barring mixed contests.

THIS FIRE BURN.
PITTSBURGH, Mar. 22 — Fire swept fury through a three-block area in downtown Pittsburgh early today, destroying a dozen food and supply buildings and doing damage estimated at between \$500,000 and -700,000. Fourteen firemen were hurt by falling debris and toppling walls and 40 freight carloads of butter, lard, sugar, paint, coal and other products were burned.

Seventy per cent of Florida's 1945 grapefruit crop and 35 per cent of its orange crop went to canneries.

School Trustee Election Set For Saturday, April 6

In compliance with a petition just filed with W. Frank Walker, secretary of the Cisco Independent school board, the names of E. L. Jackson and Charles M. Burke will appear on the school trustee ballots at the election of Saturday, April 6.

The election will be held to choose successors to W. R. Huestis and F. E. Shepard, whose terms are expiring. It is understood that the names of Messrs. Huestis and Shepard will also appear on the ballots.

Forty-second District Court Meets At Albany Monday

ALBANY, Mar. 22. — District Judge J. R. Black will open the March term of 42d district court here Monday.

Trial of Jimmie Ferguson of Abilene, former policeman, charged with murder, has been transferred to Shackelford county. A special venire of 100 men has been drawn for this trial.
The grand jury will be drawn

from a panel including E. M. Weir, Eugene Snyder, L. L. Walker, Oran Dennis, Bill English, E. E. Hudman, I. M. Chism, Carl Davis, G. P. Crutchfield, John H. Diller, Byron Elliott, K. B. Green, Dane Griffin, W. O. Weathers, S. D. Waller and Tom Price.

Horn Serving as Cook at General Hospital, Manila

MANILA. — Technician Fourth Grade William T. Horn, whose wife Winnie and their three daughters, Beulah, Margaret and Mary, reside on route one, Trent, Tex., is serving as cook with the 249th general hospital in Manila. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Talmage Horn, route four, Cisco, Texas.

Sergeant Horn arrived overseas on October 20, 1944, at New Guinea, where he served for a while before coming to the Philippines.

A 1919 graduate of Scranton high school, Scranton, Tex., Sergeant Horn was a cook prior to entering the service.

FOR SALE. — Nice modern home, seven rooms, and basement, brick cellar, four and one-half acres of land, good chicken house and barn. Tank and windmill. See W. A. Ramsey at Putnam.



BOB WAGSTAFF (above) of Abilene, who will officially announce for congress soon. With the Abilene attorney's entry there will be five in the race.

Rhode Island has 668.6 persons per square mile while Nevada has one person per square mile.



COAL STRIKE THREATENS—John L. Lewis, standing, president of United Mine Workers (AFL), addresses Washington meeting of union leaders on possible strike call to support new contract demands. With Lewis are John O'Leary, left, and Thomas Kennedy, right, UMW officials.



BEAUTY AND THE BALL PLAYER—Lucky man in center is Charlie Grimm, manager of the Chicago Cubs. Singers Eugenie Baird, Gale Robbins, Jean Gillespie, and Joan Barton, left to right, came down to spring training practice at Catalina, Is. Calif., to lend note of glamour.

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ROMNEY.

Jodie Jordan was a business visitor in Eastland Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bigby and son, James of Eastland, visited relatives in Romney Sunday evening.

A league singing was held at the Methodist church Sunday evening. Not many were present on account of the severe weather condition.

Elizabeth McCracken of Breckenridge made a brief visit to relatives here Sunday evening.

Mr. Millican attended to business in Cisco and Eastland Saturday evening.

Morgan Standlee and Mrs. Elizabeth McCracken were business visitors in Cisco and Eastland Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Carmichael were shopping in Cisco Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Harrelson and son, Teddy Mac visited Mr. Harrelson's parents at Nimrod Sunday.

Mrs. Lee Sloane and daughter, Nellie Irene are confined to their bed with flu.

The Romney home demonstration club met at the home of Mrs. C. A. Forman Tuesday evening.

Those who attended the funeral of R. L. Poe, of Cisco, to pay their last respects to the honored citizen were: Jodie Jordan, Standlee McCracken, James McCracken,

Stanley Webb, Miss Grace Bradshaw, Miss Jessie McFalls, Miss Ruby Jo Pound, Miss Jewel Maples, Mrs. S. B. Bowles, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Morris, Mrs. Elizabeth McCracken, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Webb, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Brogdon and others.

PLEASANT HILL.

Rev. Elwin Skiles filled his regular appointment here Sunday and Sunday night.

Miss Lola Mae Hooker and Eulena Holt visited Miss Autilee Notgrass Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hooker attended to business in Cisco Saturday.

Roy Kinard and Avery Holt spent Sunday with Ira Hooker.

Elwin Skiles and his mother were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tucker.

Miss Eva Freeman has returned to her home in Cross Plains after visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McCord.

Quite a number of young people attended the singing league at Romney Sunday night. The league meets next at Pleasant Hill, the first Sunday night in February.

Miss Autilee Notgrass, Miss Lola Mae Hooker, and Ira Hooker, Avery Holt, Garner Altom, and Shannon Ramsey visited Misses Pearl and Mildred and T. Lamb Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. "Hoki" Green old-time settlers in Pleasant Hill community are moving to Flatwoods.

Their many friends regret to see them leave Pleasant Hill. Avery Holt and Bluford Dean visited Alton Clark Tuesday night. Miss Lucille Sheridan from Ballard visited Willie Mae Lockhart Sunday.

Misses Matilda, Ella and Albert Schoor have returned after spending the holidays with relatives in Houston.

Miss Marie Daughtery was the Sunday dinner guest of Miss Reba Tucker.

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Be It Resolved by the City Commission of the City of Cisco: That an election shall be held on the first Tuesday in April, 1946, same being the second day of April, 1946, at which election the qualified voters of the City of Cisco shall elect three (3) commissioners, each to hold office for a term of two (2) years.

That said election shall be held at the City Hall, of the City of Cisco, between the hours of 8 o'clock a. m. and 6 o'clock p. m., to be conducted according to the ordinances and charter of the City of Cisco, that provides that a notice be given 20 days prior to date of election, and in compliance with the election laws of the State of Texas.

EDWARD LEE, Mayor.
Attest: HAL LAVERY, Secretary. 151

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MRS. FERN BROWN HOSTESS TO YVA GROUP.

Young women's auxiliary of East Cisco Baptist church met Monday evening in the home of Mrs. Fern Brown with Mary Frances Whisenant presiding. Miss Christine Whitlock opened the meeting with prayer. During the business session a stewardship program for the next quarter was discussed. Plans for same will be completed at next meeting.

Scripture verses from the Book of Psalms were read by Mrs. Ennis Qualls and Mrs. Brown and were discussed by all members.

Those present were Mrs. Ennis Qualls, Mrs. Opal Dial, Misses Christine Whitlock, Irma Lou Coats, Doris Lee Hall, Doris Jean Harrelson, Mary Frances Whisenant, Martha Lou Smith and the hostess Mrs. Brown.

Next meeting will be held April 1, due to revival services at the church next week.

LEGION AUXILIARY WITH MRS. MCPHERSON.

Mrs. Leon McPherson was hos-

Retailers Demonstrate How OPA Causes "Camouflaged Inflation"

On the basis that unrealistic OPA policies are raising the cost of living in the United States, the National Retail Dry Goods Association displayed before members of Congress in Washington examples of what it calls "camouflaged inflation."

The National Retail Dry Goods Association does not seek the immediate end of government price control but it asks that Congress amend the Price Control Act so as to increase the production of good quality, low priced consumer goods.

As Benjamin H. Namm, president of the Association said: "Production can stop inflation if we can only stop OPA from stopping production."

Officials of the Association described "camouflaged inflation" as "holding the line" against rises in the prices of reputable goods

while granting higher ceiling prices to inferior merchandise.

The exhibit depicted this discrepancy with the comparison of the women's slips shown above and more than 100 other items received from member stores.

Among these others were a pair of men's white woven broadcloth shorts with an elastic waistband on which was placed an OPA price of \$10.50 a dozen. The manufacturer has discontinued production. Beside them were pink shorts of lesser quality bearing an OPA price of \$13.50 a dozen.

Also shown were two electric heaters, one of first rate quality made by a prominent manufacturer and priced by the OPA at \$5.59 retail while a decidedly poorer model next to it from another maker bore an OPA price of \$15.67 retail. The other exhibits were similarly striking.

negro spirituals. I Want to Be a Christian" and Jacob's Ladder," followed. Prayer by Mrs. J. E. Crawford closed the worship period.

Mrs. Moore directed the lesson from the mission book and discussed the geographical location of Africa.

Thirty members were in attendance as follows: Mesdames J. E. Crawford, Mattie Cole, A. T. Boland, T. J. Dean, J. T. Fields, O. W. Hampton, D. P. King, Zed Kilborn, W. Z. Latch, L. F. Mendenhall, Joe Lovelady, R. W. Merket, E. Moad, James Moore, L. H. McCrea Sr., S. H. Nance, Crigler Paschall, A. B. O'Flaherty, A. A. Peacock, Philip Pettit, W. E. Ricks, Corp. Joyce Rainbolt, G. P. Rainbolt, C. A. Shockey, Fred Scott, Carroll Smith and daughter, A. R. Westfall, Joe Wilson and Ted Yarbrough.

BUSINESS WOMEN MET WITH MRS. PHILPOTT.

Mrs. Barton Philpott was hostess Tuesday evening when Business Women's Circle of First Baptist W.M.U. met in her home with Mrs. H. N. Lyle presiding. Minutes of previous meeting were read by Miss Mayme Estes following which the membership roll was revised.

Mrs. O. O. Love, Bible teacher brought an interesting lesson from the book "Topical Outlines of the Bible." A free-will offering was taken following which the meeting was closed with prayer.

Refreshments were passed to two visitors, Linda Lou and Ronny Lyle Pratt; Mrs. H. N. Lyle, Mrs. O. O. Love, Mrs. E. L. Pugh, Mrs. Mack Stephens, Mrs. Mary Abbott, Misses Letha and Mayme Estes, Mrs. T. M. Moore, mother of the hostess, Mrs. Philpott and Mrs. Myrtle Anderson.

PERSONAL

The Central West Texas Motor Works and Sewage convention, meeting in Abilene Monday, were guests of the city of Abilene at luncheon. Those attending from Cisco were J. J. Collins, water commissioner; Luke Baker, water superintendent; Hal Lavery, city secretary; Gene Watson, sanitary engineer; E. J. Wende and C. R. Smith.

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It is still more profitable for the lumber mill to cut items for export to foreign countries, or to cut logs into sizes used by industry than it is to manufacture lumber for home construction. Premium prices for industrial items have been granted in some instances during the war, but now that peace has come, price adjustments encouraging home construction lumber have not been made by OPA.

Price adjustments are needed to obtain maximum production of hardwood flooring, millwork, ceiling, siding, and plywood.

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BRIEFLY TOLD

B-TOLD an applicant for the pastorate, Rev. Stuart M. Rohre of San Antonio will occupy the pulpit at First Presbyterian church, Sunday morning and evening. The visiting minister was with the army overseas during the recent war, with the rank of lieutenant-colonel and serving as chaplain.

Rev. Dick Crews of Dallas will again occupy the pulpit of Cisco First Christian church, Sunday morning and night. Mr. Crews

ough. Corporal Hull is a son of Mrs. Carrie Hull of route four and has re-enlisted for overseas duty.

Mrs. M. A. Hamby of San Angelo is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Myrtle Anderson. She expects to be joined here Sunday by her son, First class Seaman J. P. Hamby who will spend the weekend here.

Capt. George W. Meglasson arrived this week from New York for a visit with his mother Mrs. Cora Meglasson and family.

Mrs. George Blackwell and Mrs. Edward Blackwell of Gorman visited in Cisco Thursday with their sister Mrs. Floyd Anderson.

Mrs. Weldon Isenhower and baby have returned to Trent after visiting in the home of her husband's parents Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Isenhower for several days this week.

Mrs. J. B. Boggs, Kenneth, Paula Gay and Herman Boggs have gone to Austin for a visit with relatives.

Bill Philpott, Second class Petty Officer with the U. S. Navy, is home on leave from New Orleans for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Barton Philpott and family.

Buster Roberson, Misses Janelle Roberson, Artie Cook and Mrs. Dorothy Erickson and small son of Putnam were business visitors in Cisco today.

Virgil Wagley of Snyder was in Cisco a few days this week visiting his family and transacting business.

O. W. Ford, jr., senior in Cisco high school is a recent enlistee in the navy. He went to Dallas for examination early in the week where he was accepted and has been sent to San Diego, Calif., for

basic training. He is a son of Mrs. Lora Ford of Cisco, and a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Elliott.

Miss Dorothy Barrett returned to Seminole, Tex., Thursday after a visit here with her aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Greenhaw.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Loudder of Winslow, Ariz., former Cisco residents, are parents of a daughter, Val Jean, who was born in a hospital there on March 9. The babe is a grand-daughter of Mrs. Cora Meglasson of Cisco.

Miss Alice Louise Farley came in today from Denton for a weekend visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Farley. Miss Farley is a student of TSCW and was accompanied here by her student friend Miss Mae Lee Moore of Stamford.

Mrs. C. T. Botvidson has returned from Snyder where she was called by the illness of her daughter. She was accompanied home by her small grand-daughter Laura Lee Kelb.

Mrs. Eldon Anderson came in from San Angelo Wednesday for a visit in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Lawson.

Mrs. M. E. Goldberg left today for visits with her daughters in Fort Worth, Dallas and Oklahoma City. She will also visit her father Mr. Abrams in Dallas while on the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Sandler returned Thursday from Gainesville, Ga., where they visited their son Melvin Sandler, student at Riverside Military Academy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Poe, Mrs. Cecil Adams, Mrs. W. D. Hazel, Mrs. Fred Grist, Mrs. J. O. War-

ren, Mrs. A. A. Coats, Mrs. R. E. McCord, Mrs. D. Seaborn, Mrs. J. J. Livingston and Mrs. Claud McBeth attended workers conference of Cisco Baptist association Thursday at Gormah.

Mr. and Mrs. Will V. Meek, former Ciscoans now living at McAllen, Tex., entertained in their home there last Sunday with a tea, at which the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Willie Mae Meek to Robert Charles Hooker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hooker of Cisco, was

announced. The wedding will be held at 6 p. m. April 7 at First Baptist church of McAllen. Miss Meeks has been employed as senior supervisor of Bell Telephone company at McAllen for the past nine years. Mr. Hooker was recently discharged from the air

forces after service in India. He is now employed by the Garland Motor company at McAllen.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Poe of Fort Worth arrived Thursday for a weekend visit with his parents Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Poe.

First Presbyterian Church
 Sunday, March 24
 Morning Worship at 11: Evening Worship at 7:30.
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When I started the engine the airplane started to move forward. The man became quite alarmed. "Do you suppose," he said, "that my boy put it in gear when he was in there a while ago?"

Now everyone doesn't know, like you and I, that when that "fan" out front is turning, its going to be trying to move the airplane. Kinda like the old lady that asked why they didn't take the fans off in winter when it was cool.

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