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## PEOPLE and THINGS

By J. W. S.

IF YOU'VE LOOKED in Mr. Miller's show windows lately you've seen the handsome silver cup and the blue ribbon that the Cisco High School Lobo band won at the state band meet in San Antonio last week. If you don't drop by and then you'll be proud as everyone else in Cisco.

THE LOBO BAND, you know, received a unanimous "A" rating when high schools with less than 100 students. Thirty-six bands played in this class, and our Cisco band won the only unanimous decision given by the judges.

HERE'S WHAT THE judges said:

Glenn C. Bainum, Northwest University: "Splendid job of playing and drilling. Marvelous precision and uniformity of movement. Too much drilling about playing for present-day contests. Granted it is beautiful executed."

Jack Nowlin, Taylor, Texas: "Unprecedented precision in all of their movements. Drum major (Frances Halstead) does outstanding job in handling the band."

THE CONTEST WAS at the Alamo Bowl last Wednesday night. Each band was given six minutes to play and drill. They played in full dress, and took part in a parade Friday that was three miles long. Director Fred D. Baumgardner has every right to be proud. Chaperons for the band were Mrs. J. R. Deen and Mrs. James Moore, with Mrs. E. L. Graham and Mrs. Charles Deen as assistants.

WHAT'S DOING. That's the title of a little box story we like to inaugurate on the front page of the Daily Press every day. It will be a kind of special calendar—a clearing house for announcements of various activities. It will serve in a measure to avoid conflicts in meetings of one kind or another.

SO IF YOU want to help us start it off, send in a list of your regular club meetings and scheduled events. Mr. B. A. Butler of the Chamber of Commerce is helping us get up a list of events that ought to be listed. We hope to begin the new service in Wednesday's paper. Help us.

COMES A NOTE from the boys at Baird. They're promising us all a very good time indeed on Friday and Saturday, April 27 and 28. They're having the Cisco County Sheriff's posse, cowboys and cowgirls will battle for more than \$1,000 in prizes.

## Cross Plains Has Graduates; Boys, 15 Girls

CROSS PLAINS, April 27.—Forty-one students, 16 boys and 25 girls, are to receive diplomas from Cross Plains High School in commencement exercises scheduled for the night of May 21. It was announced by A. J. McCuin, school superintendent.

Names of valedictorian and salutatorian will not be announced until latter part of this week. Girls who are to graduate are: Brown, Margaret Ann; Camille Clifton, Margaret; Barbara Gibson, Janet Joy; McClain, Geraldine Mitchell; Velma Merrill, Dixie and Pillians, Betty Shirley and Webb.

Boys are: Hulan Adams, L. C.; Gale Burns, Lynwood; Charles Gibson, Billy; Charles Mack Holdridge; Hutchins, Donald Ingram; Marshall, Vernon Nichols; Ringhoffer, Jesse Shirley; Smith, Archie Smartt and Williams.

Mrs. F. E. Clark went to town Monday to attend the medical meeting.

Consideration elsewhere Your Bank As Reference National Bank in Cisco Member F.D.I.C.

## PICKETS RUSH BY KANSAS POLICE



Violence flared anew at the strike-bound Cudahy plant in Kansas City, Kansas, after the police tried to clear a path into the plant for office workers as the meat strike continued into its sixth week. An estimated 45 pickets were knocked down by police armed with clubs. Ben Shanoski, ACME-NEA correspondent, who made this photo, was injured in the melee (NEA Telephoto).

## Big Oilfield Supply Concern Will Build Warehouse In Cisco Soon

A representative of the McCulloch Perforating company which has had men working in this territory for several months past, told a Cisco business man this morning that his company will possibly build a big warehouse in Cisco within the next 60 days and will establish a branch from their headquarters which is in New York.

This representative said that they had found twice as much business as they expected and were so well pleased with the territory that they wanted to locate here permanently. He said that he had tried to rent a warehouse but had not met with proper success and would now build one of their own. The company has an establishment at Tyler and at Wichita Falls.

## School Graduates May Enroll For Officers Training

AUSTIN, April 27.—High school graduates who will be entering the University of Texas next fall may make application now for admittance to the Army and Air Force Reserve Officers Training Corps program. Information bulletins for prospective cadets are now being sent to high schools throughout the state, Major R. A. Eicher, adjutant, said.

The program consists of a two-year basic course and a two-year advanced course which includes a summer camp. The basic course is the same for all cadets. Credit is authorized for high school ROTC graduates and transfers from other senior division ROTC units. Veterans with one year or more of active service in the armed forces will be considered for exemption from the basic course.

Four fields of study are open to cadets in the Army; the Corps of Engineers, Quartermaster Corps, Transportation Corps, and Corps of Military Police. Graduates will be eligible for commissions in the army organized reserve. Air Force ROTC graduates may receive, after graduation, permanent second lieutenants in the Regular Air Force, commissions in the Air Reserve, or may be accepted for pilot training and other specialized training in officer grade.

The advanced course in Air ROTC is designed to prepare the cadet for commission as second lieutenants in the Air Reserve, Regular Air Force, or National Guard air units.

LEGION AND AUXILIARY TO CONDUCT CHAPEL PROGRAM

The American Legion and Auxiliary will conduct the program at the high school assembly period Wednesday, in the high school auditorium. Members of both organizations are invited to attend. Mrs. H. N. Lyle, Auxiliary president, and Ronald Dnoses, local post commander, will be in charge of activities of the program.

## Boswell Family Meet First Time In 40 Years

ALBANY, April 27.—Meeting together for the first time in 40 years, four brothers and three sisters attended the Boswell family reunion in the Albany homes of Mrs. Ella Dodson and Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Williams. The entire family met for a dinner in the American Legion hall where singing was one of the entertainment features.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Boswell, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bradford and son, Bill, Jr., of Garland; Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Boswell, Ruidoso, N. Mex.; Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Boswell, El Paso; Rev. and Mrs. W. D. Boswell, Waco; L. C. Boswell, Jr., San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Boswell, Estancia, N. Mex.; Bill Boswell, Albuquerque, N. Mex.; Mrs. W. H. Knight, Tyler; Mrs. Jesse Spinks, Tyler; S. D. Simmons, Shreveport, La.; Mrs. Karl Campbell and twin daughters Daren and Karol, Tyler; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Boswell, Waco; Mrs. L. D. Hammack and daughters, Elane and Carolyn, Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Boswell, Waco; Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Simmons, Sweetwater.

Visitors were Pet Williams, Mr. and Mrs. J. Carter King, Sr., and the Rev. H. M. Weldon.

## CO-VETS TO HAVE STREET CARNIVAL

A large street carnival is to be given by the Co-Vets Friday night at 7:00 o'clock, April 30 and Saturday, May 1 on 7th street, between D and E, and the purpose of which is to raise funds to finish erecting the Co-Vets hall.

This is a full-size carnival, said Rex Pollard, president of the organization, and there will be something for every one to do. In connection there will be a free amateur show. To be eligible to the four cash prizes you are advised to call Dick Allen at 605 before 5 p.m. Thursday, April 29.

## Cisco's Retail Business Optimistic

Plain folks—worrying about possible atomic warfare—can find one reassuring fact right here at home. That is the willingness of Cisco's business people to bet on the stability of our economic future. Business is expressing its faith by continuing to sell with your promise to pay as security.

Retailers are doing more than just TALKING optimism. They are backing their judgment by underwriting more credit purchases for Mr. and Mrs. America than ever before. According to Mrs. Roy Huffmeyer, manager of the Merchants Credit Association, the volume of credit business is growing every day. The number of inquiries to the local credit bureau is receiving for credit reports indicates retailers aren't scared. They are planning on a long period of stable jobs and continued prosperity.

"This optimism isn't confined to

# Cisco Area Gets Heavy Rain Which Saved Grain Crops; More Needed Soon

## Volley-Ball Group Finds Gym Door Locked But Finally Plays Games

The regular-scheduled ABC volleyball session was held last night at the high school gym, with new attendance records for spectators and participants. Following the enactment of an un-scheduled suspense-packed melodrama "Oh! Where, Oh Where Has The Key Gone," with scenes at the Junior College, Vets' Housing Project and the School-Board Meeting, the key to the situation was finally solved, and the real play started in the gym, slightly behind schedule.

To the several autos-full of volleyball players who came saw and left after viewing the closed gym door, the ABC Club offers its sincere apologies. President Burke stated today that the "key" problem will no longer delay the volleyball games, which will hereafter start promptly at 7:30 every Monday evening, with "lock-outs" a thing of the past.

Last night's games were enlivened by Earl Mayhew effectively using his head to score a point by deflecting the ball over the net. His honor, Mayor Edward Lee, who officiated the games, could find nothing in the rule-book barring this soccer-volley-ball play, so the point was allowed.

Attorney W. K. White stressed his sides scoring in a vigorous manner reminiscent of his days with the FBI. The manner in which his team won so many games is conclusive evidence of the way "G" men not only get their man, but also do a pretty good job of getting volley-ball points. While accustomed to making decisions, Mayor Lee had little chance ruling

## Cisco Businessmen To Attend Soil Conservation Meet

A group of Cisco land-owners and business men are making plans to attend the annual Soil Conservation banquet at Fort Worth next Saturday night. The event is sponsored by the Fort Worth Press.

Reservations were made for the following: C. W. Henry, B. A. Butler, F. O. Hilburn, A. Z. Myrick, Rudolph Schaefer and J. W. Sitton.

A feature of the banquet will be the presentation of annual awards to landowners and soil conservation districts for notable accomplishments in soil building activities.

just our town. Federal Reserve Board figures show that this is a general trend all over the U. S. This optimism doesn't mean that retailers are avoiding unpleasant facts, however. They aren't extending credit blindly. Reports from the Associated Credit Bureaus of America, the trade association in St. Louis which gives the local bureau national coverage, indicate that merchants all over the country are demanding to know the paying habits of their credit applicants before they sell their merchandise on time.

"Every credit customer," says Mrs. Huffmeyer, "has the responsibility for justifying this confidence in his promise to pay. Businesses that extend credit just can't continue successful operation if their credit customers fail to pay their accounts as agreed. Credit customers can share the faith of American businessmen in our future if they will keep paying records good."

A rainfall variously gauged at 2.4 inches fell Saturday night over the Cisco area and broke a long drought which had become so serious that a number of farmers in the dryer sections had already ploughed up some grain to plant to feed crops while others were just waiting and hoping for moisture that would keep their grain crops from drying up.

A great number of telephones were put out of commission during Sunday and a part of Monday by the electrical disturbances that accompanied the rain which was a downpour while it lasted.

A number of persons complained of leaks on their houses where shingles had been blown off during a previous strong wind some weeks ago.

A farmer today said the rain was fine but we needed another one to follow up so that crops could get the normal growth they needed.

Planted crops have done very little good. Corn in some cases has come up but has made little growth. Most farmers have their peanut land ready for planting when the time arrives. Very few plant peanuts until the middle or last of May.

Gardens have responded to irrigation but only sandy land gardens have made any growth without irrigation.

Farmers say that this rain saved their grain temporarily, but they will have to get a follow up rain if they expect to harvest much grain.

Water has been replenished in tanks that were low, and grass will receive benefit from the moisture, but another rain must follow soon if lasting benefits are to come.

## Two Missing Girls in Gorman Found Hiding in Church

It was a false alarm that sent the sheriff department and a lot of Gorman people searching for two Gorman girls, Betty Jean Burns, age 11, and Shirley Hogan, age 9, who disappeared from school on the morning of April 16.

The little girls were found late that afternoon hiding in a local church where they had gone after finding they would be late for school.

It appears the little girls after being brought to school in a school bus, went up town and became too interested in window shopping to heed the passing of time.

School officials discovered their absence and a search was instituted which ended in calling the sheriff department to start a search, fearing they had been kidnapped.

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## Moran Veteran Rites Were Held Sunday Afternoon

MORAN, April 27.—Final tributes were paid Sunday afternoon in funeral rites held for Wiley C. Williams Jr., whose remains arrived in Moran Friday evening. This is the first of World War II casualties to be returned to Shackelford County for re-burial.

The service was held at the First Christian Church Sunday at 3 p.m. with a minister from Fort Worth conducting the rites. The American Legion post of Moran conducted the military service at the graveside in the Moran Cemetery.

Wiley Jr. was killed instantly at Batista Field, Cuba, May 5, 1945, when a plane went out of control and crashed on a barracks building in which he was quartered. Several other men were either killed or badly wounded in the same accident.

A native of Moran, he was born Nov. 6, 1925, and received his public school education in Moran. Following his graduation in 1942, he entered Texas Christian University at Fort Worth, where he was a student until he answered the call of his country on Feb. 10, 1944. His college activities included membership in the TCU Horned Frog Band. He also held membership in the First Christian Church of Moran.

His basic training was received at Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, after which he went to Scott Field, Ill., where he graduated as a radio operator for the Army Airways Communication System, on Nov. 14, 1944.

Returning to Sheppard Field, he spent three months in final preparation for duty and was then sent to Cuba. He had been there only a few months when the fatal accident occurred.

Surviving besides his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley C. Williams, Sr., are two sisters, Mrs. Harold Stokes of Albany and Dorothy Williams of Dallas, and one brother, Loren Williams, student at Texas Christian University.

## Coody Heads VFW; Will Meet Next At Rising Star

STAMFORD, April 27.—Garland Coody of Breckenridge was elected commander of District 8, Veterans of Foreign Wars, at the district convention here Sunday. He succeeds L. L. Poffley of Abilene.

Other officers elected included Lester Yates of Hamlin, senior vice commander; George I. Kennedy of Stamford, junior vice commander; Bill Acklin of Abilene, judge advocate; and Murry Toombs of Merkel, quartermaster.

The VFW group voted to hold their next meeting at Rising Star in October or November.

Fred Red Harris, state senator from Dallas, addressed the group during the business session Sunday afternoon. Speaking on "Americanism" Harris urged his audience to "do everything to stay out of war, but be prepared if it comes." J. C. Eubank, minister of the Lueders Church of Christ, delivered the principal address during the memorial services Sunday morning.

Highlighting the business session for the 240 Auxiliary and VFW members attending the convention was a resolution passed endorsing Loyley for membership on the VFW National Council to represent District 14, which is made up of Texas, Oklahoma and Arkansas.

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## UMT Scored as "Expensive Delusion"

"Universal Military Training would be the most expensive military delusion this nation could undertake," declares John Henry Martin, former consultant to the Joint Chiefs of Staff, in The Reader's Digest for May. In an article condensed from Look, Martin holds that the adoption of UMT would undermine our true strength, drain funds in wasteful activity, and leave us in "ostrich-blind exposure."

The UMT training program will require 230,000 instructors, drawn from Army, Navy and Air Force professional officer personnel. To assign this number of experts to the fulltime routine of recruit training is to invite disaster, Martin states. The 15,000,000 veterans

of the recent war, "the ablest fighting team that history has ever seen," constitutes a reserve of trained personnel available for at least ten years. With that reserve, the author asks, are we to believe that in event of war this nation will call upon boys with six months' training?

The estimated \$2 billion annual cost of UMT will squeeze already inadequate appropriations for such vital defense requirements as the Air Force, military research and Intelligence Service. Funds granted the Air Force, for the fiscal year 1948 will provide less than one-fifth

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### ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDDERS.

Sealed proposals will be received by The City of Cisco, Texas, at the office of the City Secretary, until 2 o'clock, p. m., (Central Standard time) of May 11th, 1948, for the construction of Water Distribution Improvements, City of Cisco, Texas:

Schedule No. 1—1,000,000 gallon reservoir.

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Proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud at the above time and place.

Any bid received after closing time will be returned unopened.

Copies of the plans, specifications and other proposed Contract Documents are on file in the office of the City Secretary at Cisco, Texas, and are open for public inspection.

Plans and specifications may be examined without charge in the office of the City Secretary or the Engineers, Hugh E. Box, Civil Engineer, 405 Flatiron Building, Fort Worth, Texas, upon a deposit of \$10.00 as a guarantee of the safe return of the plans and specifications. The full amount of this deposit will be returned to each bidder immediately upon the return of the plans and specifications in good condition. No refund on contract documents and plans returned later than ten days after the award of the contract will be obligatory. Additional sets of plans and specifications may be procured from the above upon a deposit of \$10.00, each, as a guarantee of their safe return within ten (10) days from date of opening bids, in which event \$5.00 of the deposit will be returned.

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No bids may be withdrawn, after the scheduled closing time for receipt of bids, for at least thirty calendar days.

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J. T. CARSON HONORED BY CHILDREN.

Children and grand children of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Carson, Sr., 302 East Seventh street, met the past weekend for a family get-together in the home of their parents honoring the seventy-sixth birthday of their father. A pleasant time was enjoyed by all participating.
Those with them included Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Barnett and children, Darlene and Ronald of Andrews; Mrs. Clifton Odell and two children, Chloee and Carrol of Pecos; Mrs. T. A. Wilson and children, Thomas Larry and Pamela of Bangs; Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Carson, Jr. and children Johnny and Earl Lee of Cisco.

HERRING-POLLARD WEDDING SATURDAY.

Miss Minta Sam Herring of Eastland and Jimmy Pollard of Cisco were united in marriage Saturday, April 24 at 8:30 p. m. in the prayer room of First Christian church of Cisco. Rev. Richard W. Crews read the impressive candle light ceremony while Miss Wanda Harris of Eastland and Ray McEachern of Cisco served as attendants to the couple. The bride wore a melon green suit with white accessories and a corsage of gardenias.
Mrs. Pollard is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Herring, Sr., of 1002 South Seaman, Eastland. She graduated from Eastland high school in 1947 and is now attending Cisco Junior College. She was a violin pupil of the late Miss Wilda Drago and is active in musical circles. She was a member of the Drago Harmony Girls and the past year directed the Drago Violin Ensemble. She also studied under Francis McMillan at Texas Christian University.
Mr. Pollard is the son of Mrs. Gorum Pollard of Cisco. He graduated from Cisco high school in 1943. He enlisted in the U. S. Marine corps in June 1943 and was a member of the famous Third Marine Division. He fought for two years in Bougainville, Guam and Iwo Jima; was awarded the Presi-

dential Citation with star, the Good Conduct medal, the Asiatic-Pacific and Victory medals. After receiving his honorable discharge in December 1945, he entered Hardin College, Wichita Falls. He was employed during the next year by the Southern Pacific railroad. In September 1947 he entered Cisco Junior college and played as guard with the Wrangler football team. He plans to enter Hardin-Simmons University in the fall where he will complete work on his Physical Education degree. Mr. and Mrs. Pollard are now making their home with his mother at 1105 west Seventh street.
Others present at the wedding were the groom's mother, Mrs. Gorum Pollard and Miss Sally Gallagher.

CELEBRATION HELD IN W. B. STARR HOME.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Starr of the Dan Horn community last week were her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Jeffries of Rapid City, South Dakota and her sister Mrs. Ethel Miller Bassett, Neb., who came to attend a reunion of the Starr family and to

celebrate the 70th birthday of W. B. Starr.
Relatives, friends and neighbors gathered Saturday night, and were royally entertained with music, songs, readings and vaudeville skits by Mr. and Mrs. Doc Kendricks, Loren Parks, Alfred Parks, Doc Horn, Alfred Anderson, Miss Ann Starr, Ted Starr, Tom Speegle Billy and Gene Parks and Mrs. Marie Starr.

Those enjoying the entertainment were Mr. and Mrs. Leon T. Jeffries, Rapid City, South Dakota; Mrs. Ethel Miller, Bassett, Neb.; Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Starr, Sr., Fairbury, Neb.; Mr. and Mrs. Doc Kendricks, Valera, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Starr and sons, James and Purvis, Coleman, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Roy L. Boland, and Carolyn Sue, Coleman, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Starr, Ann and Fred, Texarkana, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Starr, Janice, E. W. Jr., and Richard, Albuquerque, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hooker, Mary Fay, Barbara and Lindy Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. M. Starr, James, Rose, Mary and Ethel; Doc Horn and Alfred E. Anderson, all of Cisco; Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Black,

BETHEL NEWS

By MRS. BERT McELREATH.
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dillon visited at Dublin in the Charlie McConnell home last Sunday.

Brownwood, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Speegle, Billy and Terecia, Putnam, Texas; Sgt. Mark McGough, wife and son of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Tillery, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Parks and children, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Parks, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Taylor, J. G. Stuteville and David, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Speegle and Tom, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Speegle, Wayne, Douglass Jack Bruce and Lynda, Mr. and Mrs. Lee W. Starr and Keith, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Starr, Jr., Don, Travis, Thelma and Norris; Lois Hull, Geo. B. Hull, John Henry Hull, Sally Speegle, Stewart Speegle, Elvey Taylor, Pat Tillery and Carl Bailey, and of Dan Horn; Jeanne Sprawls, Dale Boland, Roma Reese, Bob Gattis, Jamie Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Board, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Starr and Jane; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. McCulloch and Kenneth, all of Scranton.

E. L. Callarman is now able to be about again.

Every one is rejoicing over the fine rain which fell Saturday night.

Rev. Jim Boatman preached at Bethel Sunday morning.

W. L. McCorkle of Nimrod community attended church services at Bethel Sunday.

Valaclava on the Crimean Peninsula was the scene of The Charge of the Light Brigade.

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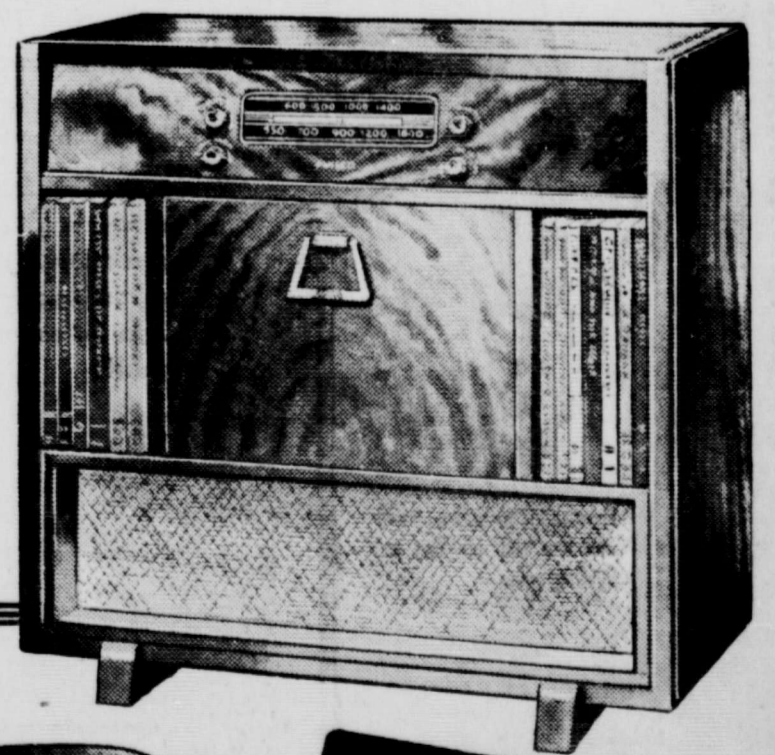
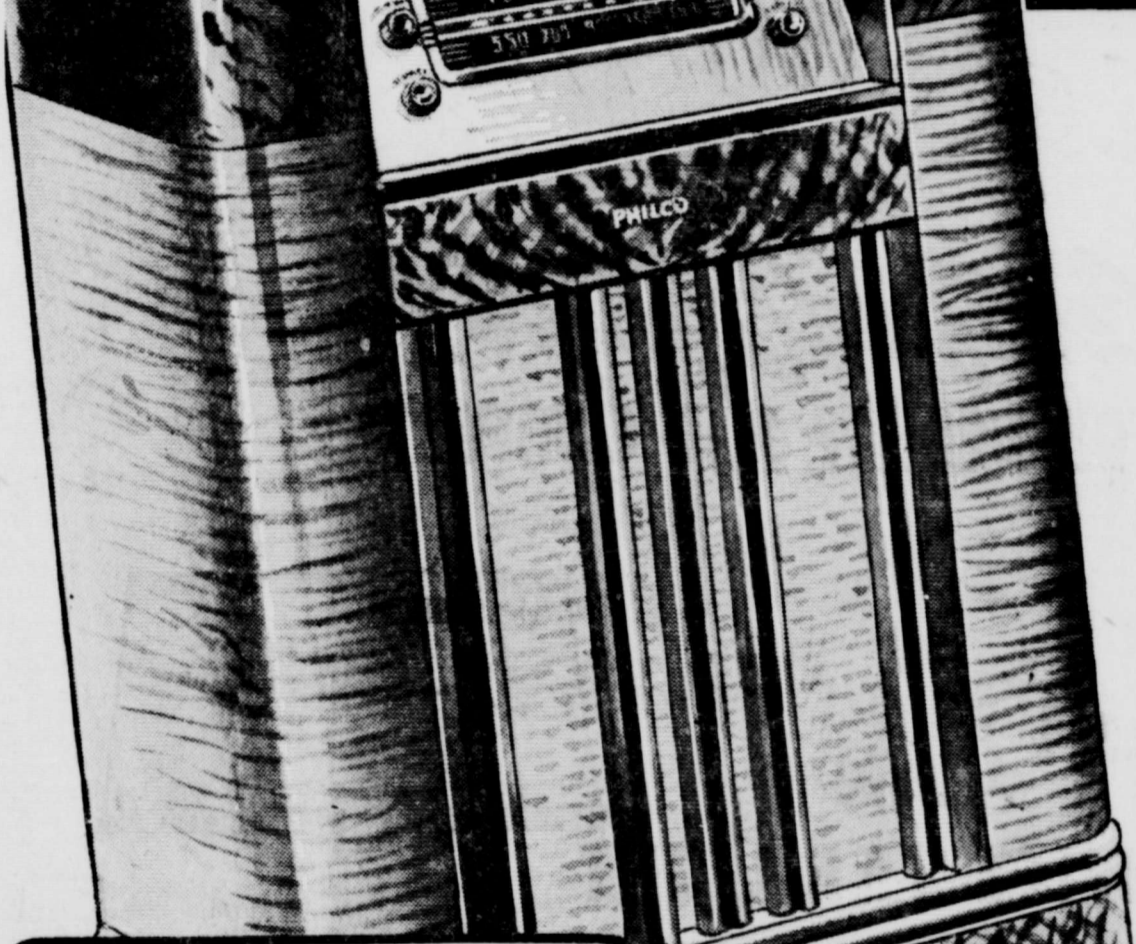
Moses died after he saw the Promised Land from the top of Mt. Pisgah.

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# BRIEFLY TOLD

There will be a district meeting of Methodist Societies of Christian Service at Eastland on Wednesday, April 28. The sessions will begin at 9:45 a. m. and will continue until 3 p. m. Miss Irene Nixon, missionary to Mexico, will be special speaker of the meeting. All members of the local societies are urged to attend and take a paper sack lunch, stated Mrs. Carrel Smith, Society president of First Methodist church. Among those planning to attend are Mrs. Allen A. Peacock, Mrs. Carrel Smith, Mrs. W. E. Ricks and guest, Mrs. J. P. Statham and Mrs. Ed Aycock.

Mrs. J. M. Latimer and Mrs. Howard D'Spain spent last Thursday in Fort Worth.

Mr and Mrs. C. P. Cole have returned from pleasant visits at Marlin, Galveston and Houston. They were accompanied home by their daughter Mrs. Warren G. Hall of Marlin who will visit them and her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hall this week.

Following the regular meeting of Cisco Chapter, 461 Order of Eastern Star, an impressive memorial service will be held tonight at Masonic hall. All members are urged to be present, stated Mrs. J. J. Tableman, worthy matron.

Mrs. E. L. Hazlewood, Cisco high

school teacher, made a trip to Austin Saturday where she was called by the illness of her daughter, Miss Yvonne Hazlewood student at Texas University. Miss Hazlewood had spent the previous week as a patient in St. David's hospital. Mr. Hazlewood went to Austin Sunday and he and Mrs. Hazlewood accompanied the daughter to their home in Cisco where she is convalescing and hopes to be able to return to her student work at the University in a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Pritchett and children of Lampasas visited here over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Carrel Smith and daughters, Mary Ann and Beth.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Madenberg have returned to their home in Chicago after a two weeks' visit

here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Tonne

Mrs. Ray Miller and son, Harris, returned to their home at Odessa today, accompanying her father, W. J. Armstrong and uncle, Karl Armstrong who were making a business trip, having oil interests in that vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stewart of Washington, D. C. were visiting in Cisco the latter part of the week.

Messrs. J. E. and Vernon Norris of Lubbock were visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Norris in Cisco over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dunn spent Sunday in Mineral Wells.

Miss Martha Graves, faculty member of Texas-Tech visited in Cisco over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Graves.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Turknett

and daughter, Sandra, spent Monday in Fort Worth where Mr. Turknett transacted business.

J. O. Y. class of First Baptist Sunday school will have the regular business and social meeting Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in the home of Mrs. T. E. Lisenbee at 805 west Seventh street. All members are urged to be present, stated Mrs. Richard Turknett, publicity chairman.

Dr. Tidwell of Howard-Payne college, Brownwood, filled the pulpit at First Baptist church at both services Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Coldwell went to Mineral Wells Sunday for a visit with their daughter and husband Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Cravens. They were joined there by their daughters, Miss Lillian Coldwell of Eastland and Miss Frances Coldwell of Fort Worth.

Rev. J. Leighton Green, of Fort

Worth, stated clerk of Mid-Texas Presbytery, visited in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Stuart McC. Rohre over the week end. While here Rev. Green performed the baptismal sacrament during the morning service on Lynda Kay Rohre, baby daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Rohre.

Mrs. Truman Evans spent Saturday in Ranger.

Mrs. Forbes L. Wallace has gone to Dallas, Tex., and Franklin, La., for a few days.

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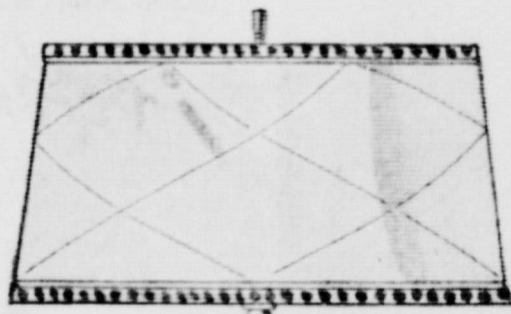
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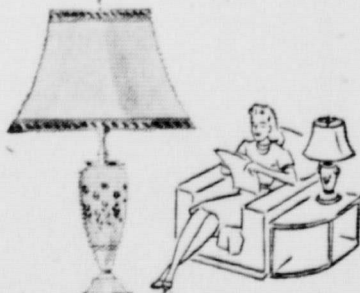
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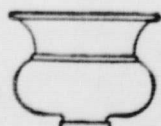
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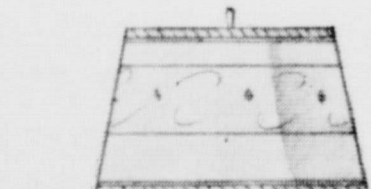
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