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RECENTLY WE were asked to vote on what we considered the biggest news story of 1948. It was a national poll by a newspaper magazine. The results of the poll have come out, and the Truman story won by a big margin.

THE TRUMAN victory will go down in history as the big upset of the century. His triumph will be referred to ever after. Sales managers for 25 years will tell their forces of the man who went out and made calls on people and sold a product that many considered inferior.

DO YOU KNOW the story of the first roast pork luncheon? We heard it the other day and it's very interesting. It originated in China where on fine day many, many years ago a farmer's barn burned down. A pig died in the blaze and was roasted by the fire. The farmer started to move the dead pig, got his hands greasy and then licked his fingers to get them clean.

The greasy pig tasted good on his fingers. He repeated the process of putting his hand on the roasted pig and licking his fingers. He called in his family and the neighbors. They also liked touching the roasted pig and licking their fingers.

Word got around. People everywhere started burning down their barns with pigs in order to handle roasted pigs and lick their fingers. Finally, as the barns were about all gone, some wise Chinaman got the idea that you could roast a pig without burning down the barn. And we've been doing it every since.

NOT ALL THE stories you hear about Texas are complimentary. In fact, some of the states are striking back. The other day we heard about a Tennesseean telling an Easterner about the Lone Star State.

"What we don't like about Texas up here," said the Memphis man, "is that they haven't enough bushes down there under which to hide their lights."

Vacation Ends For Hundreds of Cisco Students Monday

Cisco school students will resume their studies on Monday, January 3, after celebration of the Christmas and New Years holidays. School was dismissed at the end of classes on Dec. 17 in order to give students the opportunity to participate in all the Christmas activities.

Students of Cisco Junior College and out of town colleges and universities will also resume their studies Monday.

CAWLEYS PURCHASE BUS TERMINAL

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Cawley announced Saturday that they had purchased the Union Bus Terminal and had moved it to the new addition they recently completed to the Kuk-Shak Cafe which they operate.

They plan to keep the bus terminal and waiting room open 24 hours a day and will have someone on duty at all times.

They also plan to continue operation of the Kuk-Shak.

Large Number Of Autos Are Built During Past Year

DETROIT. — The automotive industry in 1948 built a near-record total of 3,911,000 passenger cars, the Automobile Manufacturers Association said today in a review of events of the past year.

The 12-months production of motor cars was up 10 per cent above last year and has been topped by only two other years. It falls about 3,000 units short of 1937 production, but well under the record 1929 output of 4,587,400 passenger cars.

The wholesale value of the industry's output of automobiles in 1948, however, set an all-time record. The 3,911,000 units were estimated to have wholesale value of \$4,711,000,000 or 20 per cent above 1947 and 67 per cent above 1929.

Another record was established in the climbing registration of passenger cars throughout the nation. At year's end, a total of 33,351,000 automobiles were in use in the nation, an increase of eight per cent over 1947 and 12 1/2 per cent higher than 1941.

Since 1941, the greatest percentage gains in automobile registrations have been made in Arizona, which shows 36.3 per cent more cars in use, and Florida, up 34.5 per cent. California showed the highest numerical increase, adding 636,000 passenger cars to registration rolls. Texas followed with an increase of 324,000 automobiles.

Of the total U. S. registration of passenger cars, about nine million were postwar cars. Nearly 11 million were built between 1939 and 1942, while nearly 14 million were produced prior to 1939.

The average age of passenger cars on the road declined slightly in 1948 to 8.7 years, but was still far above the pre-war average of five and one half years.

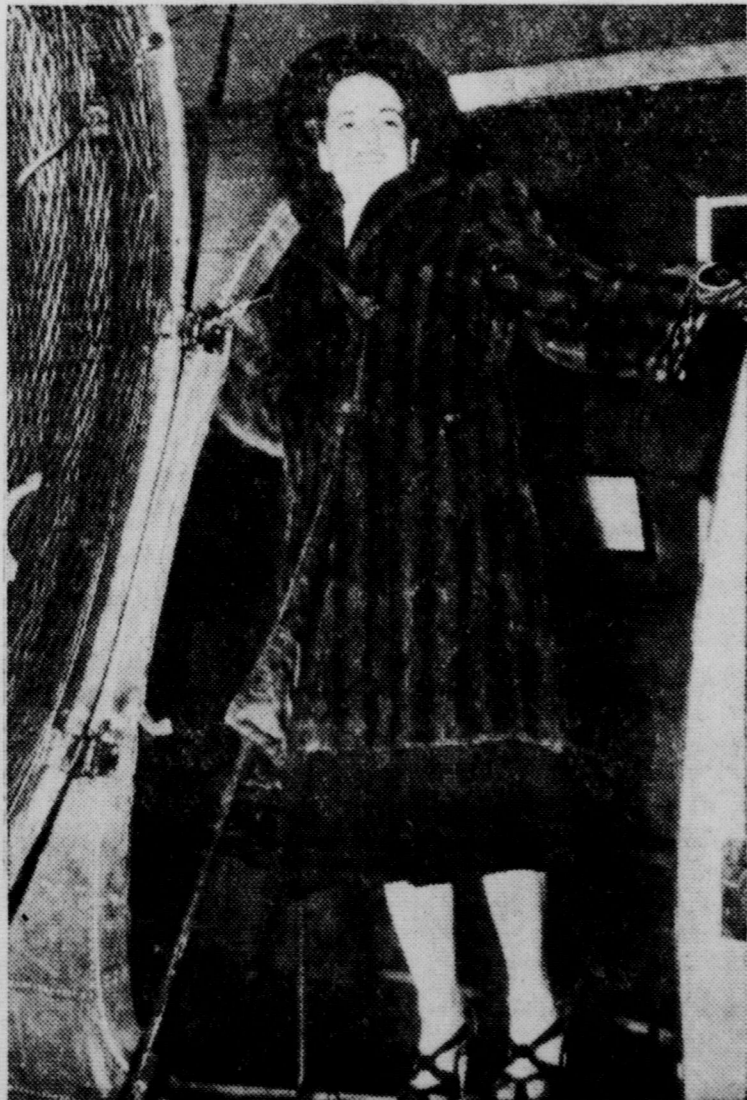
UNDERGOES OPERATION

Wayne W. Parsons, local traffic officer, underwent a major operation Friday afternoon at Graham hospital following an appendicitis attack earlier. He was under anesthetic for more than an hour.

Hospital attendants described his condition as improving early Saturday morning.

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AWAITS HUSBANDS ARRIVAL



Mrs. Emil G. Beaudry, of South Hadley, Mass., whose husband piloted the jet-assisted C-47 that rescued 12 men from a Greenland icecap, steps out of



Dutch troops set up mortar in Jogjakarta, as "police action" against the republic begins. The capital was captured after a shot battle.—(NEA Telephoto).

County Picture Remains Unchanged As Incumbents take Over for New Term

The "new look" was absent from the Eastland County Court House Saturday as county officials took over the new term of office beginning January 1, 1949. All officials taking over for the new term were re-elected to their offices for two more years.

The officials were re-elected in the July Primaries without the necessity of a run-off.

In Cisco two new officers assumed their duties officially at 12:01 a.m. on January 1, 1949. E. Brown succeeded H. S. Stubblefield as Justice of the Peace for Precinct 6. Stubblefield was not a candidate for re-election. R. C. Farmer, who has been serving out the unexpired term of J. L. Black in the constables office, officially assumed control of that office Saturday. He was elected after a run-off in the August voting.

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Big Spring trounced Throckmorton 37-18 in a consolation scrap and Goldthwaite took the measure of Gatesville 27-22.

The winner of the championship bracket was to be decided at eight o'clock Saturday night.

Coach Buck Overall's basketball team will launch the 1949 conference in an opener with Brownwood here on January 3.

City Airport Well Drilling at 4,202

Reports from the Trammell-McCurdy No. 1. City of Cisco, located in the northeast edge of the city limits on the old city airport tract, showed that the operators were drilling ahead below 4,200 feet.

They were still in the Ellenburger which was topped at approximately 3,975 feet. So far there has been little oil saturation and no water has been encountered.

No information as to how deep the well would be drilled was available.

Cisco Livestock Show Officials To Meet Monday Nite

A. Z. Myrick, president of the Cisco Livestock Show Association announced Saturday that a meeting of the officers and directors of the organization would be held Monday at the Chamber of Commerce offices at 7:30 p.m.

The special meeting was called to work out details of the forthcoming Eastland County Livestock show. The show an annual affair, will be held early in March in Cisco at the show barn just north of the Cisco Junior College campus.

President Myrick urged all officers and directors to attend the meeting and pointed out that many important matters would be discussed.

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"POLICE ACTION"



Dutch troops set up mortar in Jogjakarta, as "police action" against the republic begins. The capital was captured after a shot battle.—(NEA Telephoto).

Comanche Trail Monthly Pow-Wow To be Held Monday

According to an announcement made here Saturday by Comanche Trail Scout officials, the monthly Scout's Pow-Wow will be conducted at the Breckenridge YMCA Monday night, January 3.

Scouters from the North District, which includes Cisco, Eastland, Ranger and Stephenville, were urged by councilmen to attend the monthly event. Discussions and "round table" talk will feature the main phase of the meeting, the announcement added.

The meeting will get underway at 7:30 o'clock with a specially arranged Italian supper by Mrs. G. Vellizanni of Breckenridge. Approximately 10 scouters from Cisco were expected to attend.

Brownwood Stock Show Association Buys Army Bldgs.

BROWNWOOD, Jan. 1. — The Brownwood Livestock Show now owns its own home.

The stock show, which has grown in a few short years into the state's third largest, will be held January 18-25 at the Camp Bowie showgrounds which the livestock association now owns lock, stock and barrel.

In previous years the show has been held in everything from auction rings and circus tents to cavalry stables. But during the summer the stock show association completed negotiations with the Army Assets Administration and received title to 74 acres of land and 24 buildings at the World War II Army camp.

The Camp Bowie showgrounds near U. S. Highway 283, provide adequate show barns and exhibit buildings and plenty of parking space.

The Brownwood Livestock show in reality is a combination of shows. It includes a Brown County 4-H and FFA baby beef, fat lamb and pig show, a 19-district club boys show, an open class show, poultry show, Hereford breeding cattle show, horse show and the annual sales of horned and polled Hereford associations.

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State of Texas Enters New Year With \$80,000,000

The State of Texas entered into 1949 with approximately \$80,000,000 in its general fund and \$165,556,433 in its special accounts.

The figures were taken from State Treasurer Jesse James records at the close of business on the last day of 1948.

The surplus will be the target of the next Legislature for all kinds of appropriation demands. Anticipated requests already far exceed the total and it is expected that many more will develop. The new Legislature meets in seven days.

Gov. Jester has already definitely earmarked \$33,270,000 for purposes which meet his approval and has implied that he favors nearly \$40,000,000 additional. This would almost take the entire accumulated balance.

The Governor has announced that he will recommend the appropriation of \$20,000,000 to build rural roads, \$9,000,000 to meet a two year deficit in the rural aid or educational equalization appropriation, \$4,200,000 for rehabilitation and modernization of the state prison system and \$40,000 to the State Library for microfilming highly important documents and records.

The governor has given his endorsement to the Gilmer-Aiken educational survey committee report which, if adopted as reported, would call for an overall expenditure of \$30,000,000; and also is said to be in sympathy with the movement to increase the pay of all state employees. The employees are asking for a 25 per cent raise which would total approximately \$9,500,000 for the two year period.

FEWELL-PENN WEDDING IN W. W. FEWELL HOME

Carolyn Fewell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fewell, and Raymond Penn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Penn, of Cisco, were married at 7 p. m., December 31, 1948, in the home of her parents. They were united in marriage in the double ring ceremony by Rev. Otis Strickland before an improvised altar of greenery formed around a picture window in the colonial living room of her home. Tall baskets of fern, the wedding arch, and candelabra with white tapers were used to carry out the chosen colors of the bride.

The guests were received by George Fewell and directed to the register presided over by Pat Grist. The white satin bride's book, topped with gardenias, was a handmade gift from Mrs. Forrest Caskey of Coleman, Texas, a close friend of the bride's mother.

Mrs. Otis Strickland played "Because," while Jeantte Clark, dressed in taffeta and net, entered and lighted candles. The music then changed to Lohengrin's Bridal Chorus as the groom approached the altar, attended by his brother O. C. Penn as best man, and Mary Martha Ball, dressed in pink net, took her place as bride's maid. The bride, in lime green colonial type dress, descended the stairs and approached the altar accompanied by her father. She carried a white Bible, topped with white carnations and showered with white streamers.

Following the wedding ceremony a reception was held for attendants and guests. The dining room was attractively decorated with fitting arrangements of white and green. After the traditional cutting of the wedding cake the bride and groom left for a short wedding trip. They will continue their work at Cisco Junior College upon their return and will make their home at 1206 Avenue L.

JAYCEES TO MEET

The Cisco Junior Chamber of Commerce will meet at 7:30 p.m. Monday at the WOW hall, it was announced by club officials Saturday. A discussion of the Christmas lighting contest will be held and plans formulated for a bigger program in 1949.

President Rhodes urged all members to attend the meeting.

Wranglers on the Road again Monday; Open Conference Race With Decatur

BY JIM EWELL, JR.

With little time to fill squeaky joints and muscles since a 14-day lay-off from the courts, eleven highly spirited basketballers of Cisco Junior College will journey to Decatur Monday to blast the lid off the 1949 cage conference race there.

Meanwhile at home, Wrangler hoopsters will begin to drift back to the campus sometime Sunday afternoon, and early Monday morning Coach Stormy Davis will send his traveling squad through a series of limbering up drills before the trip.

As with other basketball coaches, Davis is faced with the puzzle of replacing mid-term graduates who will drop from the ranks come January 15. One most mentionable graduate is Homer (Spec) Tompkins, ginning second year letterman, who is included on the departing list. The freckle faced court jouster who gave rivals on the court hair pulling fits will receive his diploma mid-semester, and will enroll in Fort Worth's TCU.

Davis, realizing the seriousness of Tompkins leaving, is shuffling his first string squadmen left to right, switching each into different positions at random. Its all being done in an effort to work out a scoring combination. And all the time Tompkins was retained at the sidelines.

The robust Wrangler mentor is quite impressed with the results of the non-conference feud, rounding it out with his runner-up award in the Ranger tourney, dropping the title to a fleshing Lon Morris five. However, the Ciscoans knocked off the title crown in the Clifton tourney slammed Temple, Weatherford against the walls and in the end, loomed as a possible candidate for conference honors.

In both meets, the CJC gladiators nabbed All-tournament individual awards—the Clifton trophy going to Spec Tompkins and the Ranker award to Lynn Johnson.

Revenge is the word for Davis' "casaba artists" in the Decatur melee Monday night. There, the Wranglers will tussle the Wildcats for the second engagement this season and are hoping for an even split in the series. Cisco was downed by Decatur, 40-29, in a game Davis opines "we shoulda' won."

After Monday's roundball encounter, the Wranglers will bring the cage warfare home in a joust with Hillsboro Junior College January 6, followed by a three weeks' stand from visiting opponents.

People in the French sections of Canada make it a point to feed the cat well during the Christmas season. They believe it is bad luck if a cat mows in the house on Christmas Eve.

The average Englishman uses about eleven pounds of tea a year.

BLUSTERING WINDS HIT CHICAGO



Knocked down and blown into a Chicago street by blustering winds which whistled in from the Plain States, this young woman was later helped to her feet and assisted to safety by the cameraman who took this picture.—(NEA Telephoto).

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## LETTERS

Dear Editor:

Most letters to editors relate to local problems, and this is no exception. This issue is local in that it vitally concerns every man, woman and child on earth, not excepting Cisco. It concerns us all to the extent that it demands immediate attention.

It is generally agreed that a Third World War will mean the end of civilization, if not the extermination of man.

I fully expect many of you to read no further than this statement, for it is an unpleasant thought. But problems are not solved by hiding our heads in the sand. This issue must be faced now!

"The need of eliminating war itself has never been so vitally necessary to the national security of the United States and to the survival of civilization." (Report of War Dept. to Congress—April, 1947).

"Everything points inescapably to the conclusion that there is no real security for this country or any country unless war is abolished through the establishment of the reign of law among nations." (Report of the President's Advisory Committee on Universal Training—May 20, 1947).

This thought kept recurring recently as I drove through Camp Hood, one of our largest military camps. Such preparation offers no real security in this atomic—minds still thinking in terms of the past. The only security, or hope for the future lies in some form of federal world government. As leader in the world today, it is clearly the moral responsibility of the United States to take the lead in that direction. Not only as citizens of the United States, but as inhabitants of the U. S. and of the world, it is our individual responsibility to let our will be known.

Let us not be frightened by the magnitude of this number one problem facing the world today. Little drops of water wake up the ocean. And we're

not alone. In his book ONE WORLD, Wendell L. Wilkie said, "The universal desire of mankind is the desire for peace."

But you ask, "What can I do as an individual to help bring about world peace?"

First of all, stand up and be counted. Let it be known that you are for federal world government. Write to your Senators and Representatives in Congress, to newspapers, radio commentators, letting them know that you are "For Limited World Government Through a Strengthened United Nations." Talk about world government to your minister, to the school teachers, whenever the opportunity arises. DETERMINE to elect no one to public office who has not pledged himself in advance to stand wholeheartedly for world government under law.

Looking to the future, what hope can we offer youth unless it be some hope for a successful world government—our only hope for lasting world peace?"

Hopefully yours,  
JOHN B. DODSON, JR.

### PARTY COMPLIMENTED BOB TOWNSEND

Honoring their son, Bob Townsend, Third Class Petty Officer with the Navy, who was home for the holidays, Mt. and Mrs. Jack Townsend entertained with a nice party on Tuesday evening, December 28, at their home on Route 3. Various games and dancing entertained the group during the evening and the time passed quickly away. The honoree was soon to return to his post which brought ashore of sadness to the loyal group of friends present.

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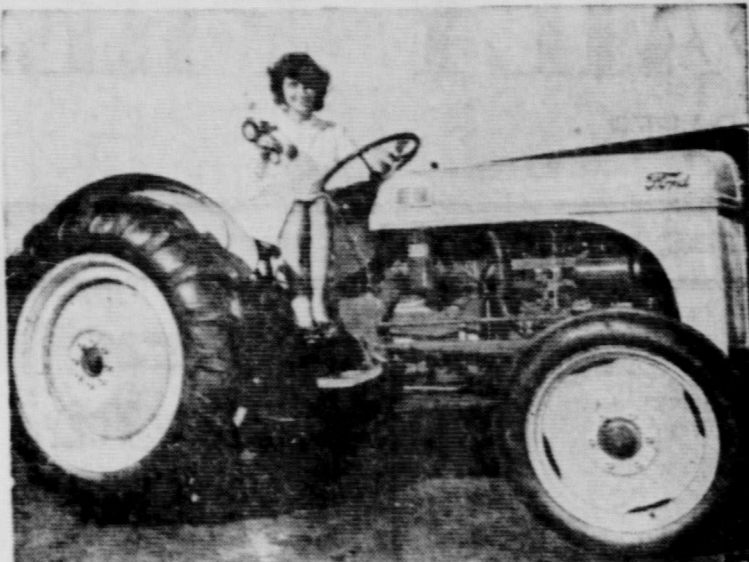
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by the hostess, Mrs. Jack Townsend.

Those present were Seaman Bob Townsend, Jim Farnsworth, Ralph Ratcliff, Sutton Crofts, Charles Beene, Luther Edwards, Eldon Callerman, Guy Elkins, Leon Stenson, Waddell Rains, Herschell Rains, Tommy Owens and Misses Patsy Jones, Joy Beth Jones, Von Dean Carey, Lizzie Knight, Janette Akers, Patsy Grist, Bobby Jean Peaks,

Pearla and Parline Farley, Wanda Preston, Jean Coats. Out-of-town guests were: Shirley Maples, Dan Maple, Mary Kou Smith, Nelda Maples and Mrs. Gene Maples and children of Rising Star.

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In an impressive candlelight ceremony, held December 26 at Shreveport, La., Miss Sandra Jeane Coplin, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Simon W. Coplin of Cisco, became the bride of Daniel M. Lincove, son of Mrs. Manuel Lincove and the late Mr. Manuel Lincove of Shreveport, La.

The double ring ceremony was read at 7 p.m. in the Agudath Achim synagogue by Rabbi Leo Brenner. White gladioluses, fern and long lighted candles banked the altar before which the couple stood while marriage vows were exchanged. Music was provided

by Mrs. James Forgotson pianist, and Mrs. Ruth Hartman of Chicago, Ill., who played pre-nuptial music as Donald H. Coplin, brother of the bride and H. Wesley Ashendorf of Corsicana entered and lighted the candles. They also played the traditional wedding music and accompanied Miss Doris Sussman who sang "I Love You Truly" and "Because."

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a wedding gown of Bride's satin fashioned with a round neckline, yoke of satin bands and illusion, long sleeves and fitted bodice; with a full skirt which swept into a long train. Her veil of imported illusion fell from a Queen Anne head dress trimmed with pearls. She carried a lovely cascade of white carnations and lilies of the valley, centered with white orchids.

Miss Frances Hageman of Ranger was maid-of-honor and wore a pale blue gown of slipper satin; carried a fan-shaped bouquet of talisman roses. Bridesmaids were Misses Isabel Rosenberg of Houston; Miss Roberta Nevis of Anderson, Ind., and

Miss Betty Rae Lipson, Shreveport; and Miss Janice Lincove of Shreveport was junior bridesmaid. All wore gowns fashioned identical with the maid of honor's and their fan shaped bouquets were of better times roses. The flower girl, Marsha Lynn Ashendorf, wore a white satin gown, a replica of the bride's.

Arnold Lincove served as best man and ushers were John Paul Woodley, John Gallagher, Dr. Herman Gardsbane, Erwin Muslow, Harold Katz, Ralph Segal, Jack Kaplan, all of Shreveport

The groom's mother wore a grey dress with pink gloves and the bride's mother wore a dress of roses dress with gold accessories. Both wore orchid corsages

**Reception**  
Following the wedding Mr. and Mrs. Coplin were hosts for the reception which was held at the Women's Department Club. The rooms were profusely decorated with white gladioluses, white stock and long white tapers. Punch was ladeled from four ice bowls inlaid with frozen red roses. Refreshments of sandwiches, hors d'oeuvre, individual cakes, cookies and mints were passed on silver platters by colored maids. The bride's table was centered with a tiered cake, topped with orchids. The centerpiece was on a reflector surrounded with fresh flowers.

Those assisting were Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Vilenky of Shreveport, grand parents of the bride; Mrs. M. D. Ashendorf of Corsicana, Texas; Mrs. Abe Wolper of S'port, Miss; Libby Ann Strenzel, Cold Springs, Texas; Mrs. Joe Rosenberg, Houston, Texas. Miss Jo Ann Solomon, S'port, Miss., was in charge of the brides book.

When the couple left by plane on a wedding trip to New Orleans, the bride was wearing a Dior suit in blueberry, navy shoes and bag, hat of pink flowers and pink gloves. Upon their return to Shreveport on January 3 they will be at home at 445 Prospect.

The bride graduated from Stephens College at Columbia, Mo., and attended Texas University She is a member of Delta Phi Epsilon Sorority.

Mr. Lincove received his B. A. degree from Centenary college; and his LL.B. from Louisiana State University Law School. He is a member of Phi Epsilon P., Gamma Eta Gamma and Louisiana Bar Association.

Out of town guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bockstein, Wichita Falls; Miss Jane Borowsky, Manila, Ark.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Karren, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Karren, Mr. Jerry Karren of Corpus Christi, Texas; Joe Coplin, San Antonio, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gold, Mr. and Mrs. Cohn, Leesville, La. Mrs. Sadie Daiches, Miss Arlene Daiches, Gladewater, Texas; Miss Macian Ring, Benny Ring, Duncan, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. George Zimmerman, Miss Dorothy Zimmerman, Texarkana, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Abe Gold, Monroe, La.; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rosenberg, Houston, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stenzler Cold Springs, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Birdwell, Lubbock, Texas; Mrs. Rosa Goldstein, Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Buckstein, Mr. and Mrs. Max Lidell, Mrs. Sam Lipsitz, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Ashendorf, Marsha Lynn Ashendorf, and Wesley Ashendorf, Corsicana, Texas.

**CISCOIANS ATTEND FAMILY REUNION**  
Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Browning of Cisco were among relatives present at a Christmas dinner in the home of Mrs. Winnie Hoover at Ranger which honored Mrs. S. E. Browning, mother of the Cisco man and the hostess. All other of the honoree's children were present on the festive occasion. A photograph was made of the eighty-four year old mother and her eight children together. All who attended the nice affair were children, grand children, great grand children and in-laws of Mrs. S. E. Browning.

A sumptuous meal was served at noon which was heartily enjoyed by all. The table was laid with a thirty-five year old linen cloth of beautiful drawn work design and was centered with a pretty arrangement of white mums. The centerpiece was flanked by tall red candles in crystal holders.

Besides conversation most reminiscent during the day, Christmas carols were sung by the group preceding the exchange of gifts from the gaily lighted Christmas tree.

Those present were: Mrs. S. E. Browning, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Browning and children, Emma Lou and Bruce; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Woods and Sue of Desdmona; Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Browning, SanSaba; Mrs. C. C. Polk and

daughters, Frances, Joyce and Linda Sue of Strawn; Mrs. W. R. Dunlap, Breckenridge.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Browning, Cisco; Mrs. W. M. Ford, Mrs. Oleta Henry and children, Elizabeth, Betty Sue, Nina June, and James Brett of Hobbs, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Gene Browning and son, Billy Don, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Browning and children, Jack, Tommy Ruth, James Landon, Sharon and Douglas; Mr. and Mrs. George Cazez, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hoover, Mrs. Winnie Hoover, Ranger.

**LATSON CHILDREN MET IN PARENTS HOME HERE**  
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Latson, Sr. were hosts on Christmas Day to members of the family for the traditional turkey dinner with all the garnishings. The house was beautifully decorated for the occasion with holly, pine cones, cedar and seasonal flowers.

Those present for the splendid occasion were: Mrs. Mabel Kuykendall, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Currens and daughter Karen of Dallas; W. E. Kuykendall, Lubbock, Texas; Wendell Kuykendall, College Station; Mr. and Mrs. and Shelia of Rule; Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Nichols and daughter Nell of Cross Plains; Vernon Nichols of College Station; Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Laffon, Pampa; Charles Laffon, Alpine; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Latson Jr. and children, Jan and Jimmy, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Latson and

son, Rickey, all of Cisco.

**FORMAL DANCE HELD AT COUNTRY CLUB**  
Cisco Country Club was the scene of a festive occasion Wednesday evening when a formal dance, hosted by Jerre Westfall and Miss Betty Dean Lennon, was enjoyed.

The hall was beautiful with holiday decorations and a glowing fire burned in the fireplace, giving radiance to the scene. Refreshments of sandwiches, cookies and mints were served. Chaprones were Mrs. E. E. Lennon, Mrs. A. R. Westfall and

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- NON-RETURNABLE ARTICLES.** For legal, sanitary or other reasons, the following merchandise cannot be accepted for return under ANY conditions:
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  - Phonograph records.
  - Goods cut from the piece at the request of the customer.
  - Merchandise advertised and sold as "final", or "not subject to return".
- GIFTS** of all kinds are exchangeable only for like merchandise and will not be credited to the account of nor will cash be refunded to the person receiving the gift.

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Mrs. Phil Vogt and daughters Betty and Carol left Saturday for their home at Abilene after a Christmas holiday visit here with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Anderson, Mr. Vogt accompanied them to Cisco and spent Christmas, but returned home earlier in the week.

American Legion Auxiliary will meet Monday evening at 7:30 at the Legion Hall for the first meeting of the New Year and all members should attend the year right and be present at the meeting and Mrs. Charles Stewart, auxiliary chairman.

Mrs. Phyllis Waters and daughter are visiting relatives in Dallas.

Mrs. C. L. Bliley and sons, James and John, came to Cisco Friday in the home of her mother, Mrs. E. McCracken.

Mrs. Ted Hale and son Billy, Jeff Hale spent Friday in Abilene with Mr. Hale who is a patient there in St. Anne hospital.

Miss Frances Smith, Abilene, who has been visiting at Midland with her mother, Mrs. Thelma H. Moore, was expected to return for a visit with Miss Carolyn Croft and other friends over the weekend. She will go to Fort Worth Sunday to resume her student work at TCU.

Jerry Harley, student at UT-Arlington is returning to Abilene today to resume his student work.

Miss Yvonne Harlowe will return to Abilene where she is a student at TU to resume her work there early in the week. She spent Christmas and the holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Harlowe.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. DeShazo spent Christmas holidays with relatives in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Burns Williams of Howard Payne College, Brownwood, visited the parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Williams here during the holidays. Mr. Williams is a faculty member of the college.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Williams Jr. and their family visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Williams in Cisco and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Barbara at Kansas during the holidays.

After spending Christmas here with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kinley, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hargrove and daughter, Martha Nell, have returned to their home in Odessa.

home city where he is employed by the government.

Miss Ruby Hill has returned home after spending Christmas holidays with her brother at Kingville.

Will Frank Plummer, third class Petty Officer will return to his post in Washington, D. C. after spending Christmas holidays here in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Plummer.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. West are home from Dallas where they have been visiting their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Dick West and children.

W. J. Pineworth, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Anderson and Miss Helen Crawford went to Dallas Saturday to see the football game.

Dr. Kline and family of Fort Worth visited here during the Christmas holidays with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Beane.

Mrs. P. E. Bryan arrived Friday from Glenlake, Ariz. for an indefinite stay with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. McCarter. Mrs. Bryan is well known to many Ciscoans, having resided here formerly.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed Young and Mrs. Rhoda Bartlett here, returned from Denton where they spent the Christmas holidays.

with their niece and daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Shiles and their son, Tony.

Mark Stephens is now able to be at his home at 611 West Second, having been brought from Graham hospital after suffering a heart attack last week. He is reported doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Swell and son David Swell visited in Abilene with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dabbs during the past week.

John James Haynie left for Illinois Saturday after spending Christmas and the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Haynie and other relatives. Haynie is a student at Illinois University.

Patty Nell Haynie is visiting in Brownwood where she is a visitor in the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Haynie.

Miss Betty Jo Thurman, student at Texas State College for Women, will return to Denton Monday afternoon to resume her college work.

Miss H. J. Woolbridge came in Thursday from Johnson City where she and Mr. Woolbridge have spent the past several months. She plans to return to Johnson City soon where they will spend the remainder of the winter, having been called to Cisco by business.

Miss Margaret Bailey will return to Denton today to resume her student work at North Texas State College. She will be accompanied to Denton by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Barnhill had as guests in their home Christmas all their children, Mr. and Mrs. Novel Barnhill and two daughters, Nancy and Linda of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Barnhill and two sons, Kenny and Derry of Corpus Christi; Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Barnhill and daughter, Jane of Pennsylvania, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Daigener and sons, Jim and Bob of Cisco.

Sgt. and Mrs. Virgil C. Stillwell and sons, Clyde and Oliver Dean are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Phillips before they return to Berlin, Germany where Sergeant Stillwell has been stationed since 1946.

Miss Joan and Bobbie Joyce Westerman of Rising Star spent the past week at Byrd with their aunt, Mrs. Grady Johnson and daughter Shirley. They were accompanied by Shirley on a visit near Seranton where they were guests of their grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Loren Parks.

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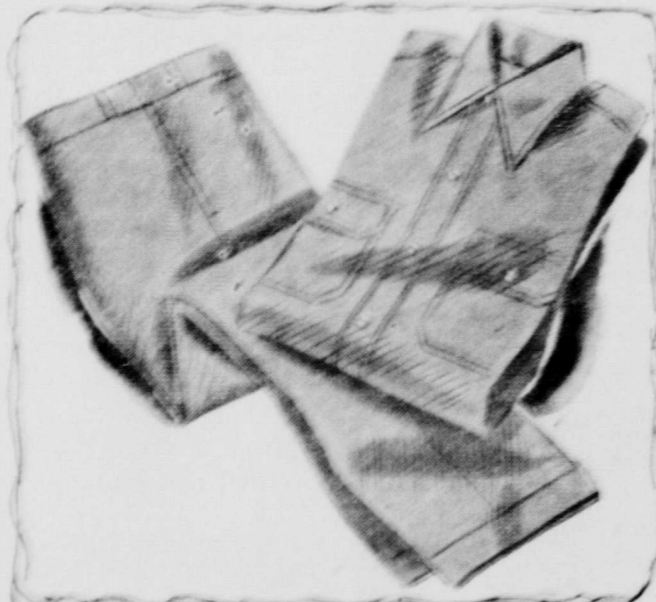
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