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CISCO—1,614 ft. above sea; immense lake—three miles long, 87 ft. deep at Williamson hollow concrete dam; fish hatchery; 127 blocks paving; A-1 high school; Junior college; natural gas; electric and ice plants; War Industries Training School for Women.

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.

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ROMMEL'S RETREATERS ARE AT IT AGAIN

\$15,702.86 Was Auction Total Tuesday; Prices Paid Were Satisfactory

Auction sale figures continue to hover around the \$16,000 mark as a total of \$15,702.86 was registered at the Eastland County Livestock Exchange Tuesday afternoon.

Cattle and hogs continue to be the main items of exchange, although there were some sheep in Tuesday's auction.

Prices remain good, Pete Neeb selling six head of cattle at \$15.25 per cwt.

Buyers.

Dick Madison, 34 hogs.
Geo. Harrison, 44 cattle, 2 hogs.
R. E. Harrell, 10 hogs.
J. B. Downton, 3 cattle.
Glenn Payne, 3 cattle.
Pink Stafford, 6 cattle, 16 sheep.
Sig Faircloth, 4 cattle.
F. L. Campbell, 2 hogs.
P. E. Thorpe, heifer.
Wes Marshbanks, 8 hogs.
C. G. Shultz, 6 cattle.
Wash Woods, cow.
J. W. McKinney, 3 hogs, 7 cattle.
H. Davis, 6 cattle.
Mr. Judd, 24 cattle.
Roy Townsend, 3 cattle.
H. L. Burman, 81 cattle.
Clyde Hailey, 2 cattle.
Sam Smith, 16 cattle.
F. L. Burl, 5 cattle.
R. Clark, 2 cattle.
W. D. Gafford, 18 hogs, 16 cattle.
O. H. Henson, 3 cattle.
John Curry, 3 cattle.
V. V. McMurry, 58 hogs.
S. J. Harrelson, 17 cattle.
Geo. Harrelson, 2 cattle.
W. W. Daniels, 2 cattle, hog.
B. Strahan, 4 cattle.
W. D. Madison, 21 cattle.
Boyce Smith, 3 cattle.
Piggly Wiggly, cow.
W. T. Smith, 18 hogs.

Sellers.

Sam Smith, 4 cattle.
C. L. Clayborn, 15 cattle.
Claude Brooks, 3 cattle.
E. W. Morris, 4 cattle.
Rudolph Schaefer, 2 hogs.
Ernest Stroebel, 17 cattle.
Craig McNeil, 9 cattle.
H. H. Pruett, 2 cattle.
R. E. Harrell, 16 sheep.
Sig Faircloth, 3 cattle.
Mr. Dunlop, 3 hogs.
F. L. Muri, 3 cattle.
F. E. Harrell, 9 cattle.
C. V. Brown, 7 cattle.
J. B. Hunt, 13 cattle, 7 hogs.
J. F. Alsop, hog.
J. W. Lockett, 5 hogs.
C. L. Reich, 4 hogs, cow.
L. L. Cooper, 2 cattle.
Ray Morris, 16 hogs.
J. E. Wood, 2 cattle, 9 hogs.
Leonard Williams, 3 hogs.
E. L. Spillers, 10 hogs.
R. L. Brown, 2 cattle.
Geo. Robinson, 2 cattle.
Leo Clinton, 2 cattle.
H. D. Henry, cow.
F. L. Campbell, 6 hogs, 2 cattle.
Lee Lawson, 3 cattle.
M. L. Agnew, cow.
M. Burnam, 5 cattle.
C. B. Dakan, 2 cattle.
J. H. McKinney, cow.
L. C. Clark, 4 cattle.
Geo. Kinard, 2 cattle.
Jim Anderson, 39 hogs.
C. R. Myrick, hog.
Pink Stafford, 4 cattle.
Pete Neeb, 6 cattle.
M. D. Speegle, 3 cattle.
J. W. McKinney, 4 cattle.
Dan Grider, hog.
Burl Reed, hog.
B. Strahan, 19 cattle.
V. V. McMurry, 12 hogs.
Van Tickner, 18 cattle, 6 hogs.
T. H. Erfutt, 3 hogs.
John Stewart, cow.
Paul Harrell, 14 hogs.
M. R. Surles, cow.
Geo. Harrison, 7 cattle, hog.
J. A. Trigg, 62 cattle.
Roy Townsend, 12 cattle, 6 hogs.

TEXAS PUBLIC SCHOOLS AID WAR EFFORTS

AUSTIN, Feb. 24.—By operating 24 hours daily in many instances and utilizing their vocal facilities to the limit, the public schools of Texas have trained through courses of four to eight weeks, a total of 156,804 men and women for war industry jobs during the past 30 months, says Dr. L. A. Woods, state superintendent of public instruction.

High schools in large cities and small towns alike have shared in this program financed by the federal government and carried out under the supervision of the state board for vocational education. Those being trained come from every vocation and profession, and for the most part range in age from 21 to 65 years of age although the figure includes those 24 years of age and under enrolled by the NYA and provided with miscellaneous job assignments while receiving training.

The aircraft manufacturing plants of this state and the huge shipyards along the Texas coast have employed the bulk of these trainees through the employment service. Many of these trainees have returned to the schools for "refresher" courses and have advanced to leadership positions in plants operating on government war contracts. A majority begin work as welders, marine pipe fitters, marine electricians, ship sheet metal workers, ship loftmen, ship carpentry, and fitters. While a large number of the women trained in this program have entered the shipyards, a majority has shown preference for the aircraft industry where they are employed as sheet metal workers, spot welders, machine shop operators, aircraft electricians and aircraft inspectors.

LIONS LADIES NIGHT BANQUET IS POSTPONED

Cisco Lions enjoyed a program today at the luncheon hour by Mary Louise and Elizabeth Ann Kleiner and Miss Ivan Elder, presented by Lion Charles J. Kleiner, program chairman for the day. The program consisted of piano solos by the Kleiner sisters and vocal duets with accordion accompaniment by Miss Elder.

First Vice-President R. W. McCauley had charge of the business session in the absence of President N. C. Huston, at which the club voted to join the Rotarians in a banquet honoring the football boys, to be held at Laguna hotel on the evening of March 12, or any time suitable to Coach Monroe Sweeney. The president is to appoint a committee to work with one from the Rotarians on arrangements. Lions ladies' night banquet, set for Friday night, March 5, was postponed in order to not conflict with the coronation event at the high school, already set for that time. Lion Geo. W. Downie will announce a ladies' night banquet date as soon as the committee can make necessary arrangements.

G. G. Harding of Abilene was a guest of Lion E. L. Jackson.

GREAT RECORD.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—American airmen destroyed four enemy planes for every one of their own knocked down during 1942, the first complete tabulation for the year revealed today. Army, Navy and Marine Corps fliers, in that first year of real fighting, shot down at least 2,587 of their foes.

CITY WILL GO AS FAR AS IT CAN

The city commission voted to allow an increase in water for Victory gardens at their meeting last night, but stated they would have to go into the matter more thoroughly to see on just what basis the water can be furnished.

Numerous applications have been made recently for commercial rates for irrigation, but the commission said that this would not be possible.

The lack of storage facilities and the cost of extra pumping will not allow the entertainment of such demands, but for the purpose of home gardens of reasonable size, the commission will undertake to make reasonable allowances for water during the three months of the year when it would do the most good—June, July and August.

They thought it would be likely that some kind of registration at city hall would be necessary, giving size of garden and certifying that vegetables would not be grown for sale, but for home use only.

Size of garden plats will probably be restricted in proportion to size of families, it was said.

A committee composed of Mrs. Eugene Lankford and Mrs. E. McCracken, representing various women's clubs, was present in the interest of more water for gardens.

The commission passed a resolution ordering a city election for April 6, at which time a mayor and two city commissioners are to be elected.

Mrs. E. L. Graham, recreational chairman for Cisco, and Mrs. Julia S. Greenwood, who is to be in charge of recreation for the War Industries Training School here, were before the commission seeking aid in securing suitable buildings for some of their work. Those present at the meeting were Mayor G. P. Mitcham and Commissioners A. D. Anderson, George Boyd, H. C. Drumwright, J. J. Collins and Charles J. Kleiner.

COLLEGE BASKETBALL TEAM GOES TO WACO

The Cisco Junior college basketball team will go to Waco March 1 to enter the state Junior college basketball tournament, competing with nine other teams. The Cisco team will enter the first game of the tournament, according to Carlos J. Turner, college registrar.

Arlin Bint is coach of the local team and says it shows some good points and defeated Cross Plains last night. The Cross Plains team won the district championship for high schools in its class this year. Names and homes of the team are as follows.

Jimmy Newbury, May; William Cash, Pioneer; Paul Huntington, Pioneer; Durwood Jacobs, Madison; Ed Copinger, Cross Plains; Clifton Thompson, Carbon; Randall Aiken, Cross Plains; Darwin Norris, Cisco; Ralph Huntington, Pioneer.



NAVY CHIEF LOOKS 'EM OVER—Here's Navy Secretary Frank Knox, right, studying strategic Jap positions on Guadalcanal, with General Joseph L. Collins. Secretary was under Jap fire several times.



PLENTY OF AIR—There's quite a draft through this Jap truck from all those holes made by shellfire in final defeat of Nips at Giropa Point, Papua. Truck is based on American design. Australian soldier on runningboard.

STAFFORD OF CISCO WINS HONOR ABROAD

Cisco friends rejoice in the nice honor recently paid Staff Sgt. James L. Stafford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don McEachern, of Cisco, who was decorated in London, Eng., for exceptional meritorious service while serving with the Eighth U. S. air forces. He is tail gunner with a bombing squadron. The Cisco young man, only 21 and a graduate of Cisco high school, volunteered for service in the spring of 1942 and has made rapid headway in the service of his country.

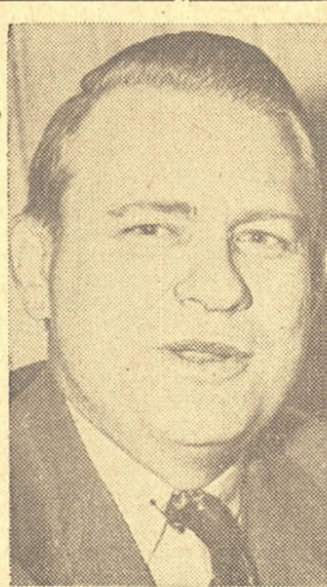
Mr. McEachern has been an employee of the Hickok Producing & Development company here for the past 15 years and young Stafford worked for the company before he volunteered.

WRECK HURTS 67.

WILMINGTON, Del., Feb. 24.—A total of 67 persons were treated for injuries today after a switch engine and two passenger cars rumbled the Philadelphia section of the Cavalier, Pennsylvania railroad crack limited.

RED CROSS DONATION.

DETROIT, Feb. 24.—General Motors Corporation today announced a contribution of \$750,000 to the Red Cross, 50 per cent more than last year's gift.



EXTENDED — Representative Martin Dies of Texas, chairman of House Committee on un-American activities. Committee recently was given extended life to "continue its vigilance." Now committee is investigating loyalty of more than 1,000 Federal employees.

TO JOIN ALLIES.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—The Office of War Information said today that President Ismet Inonu of Turkey had told his people, "We will do everything possible not to become involved in this war, but we know now that it is not within our power to remain out."

EASTERN STAR OF DISTRICT HERE MARCH 3

A school of instruction for members of the Order of Eastern Star will be held here March 3 for members of the eleven chapters of district three, section four, of which Cisco is one.

Mrs. Hallie Anglin of Luling, worthy matron, will be an honored guest, as will Mrs. Mary Leathers, deputy grand matron, who is to teach the one-day school.

Towns composing the district are Comanche, DeLeon, Desdemona, Gorman, Eastland, Ranger, Sipe Springs, Rising Star, Albany, Moran and Cisco. There are about 100 members in the Cisco chapter.

About 150 are expected to attend, according to Mrs. H. T. Huffman, local worthy matron. All local members are urged to participate, Mrs. Huffman said.

MAKE NEW GAINS.

MOSCOW, Feb. 24.—The Red Army today crashed through a strong German defense line below Orel, Axis bastion at the junction of the central and southern fronts, and hammered out new gains in the Ukraine.

GASOLINE PIPELINE.

BRECKENRIDGE, Feb. 24.—Construction began today on a 4 1-2-inch gasoline pipeline from Lone Star Producing Co.'s Brooks plant here to the aviation gasoline plant three miles southwest of Ranger, a distance of 25 miles. It will be completed March 15.

AMERICAN-BRITISH TROOPS AND PLANES STOP THE JAUNTY NAZI AFTER INTENSE, 3-DAY FIGHT

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, North Africa, Feb. 24.—Marshal Erwin Rommel's armored units are being driven in retreat today toward the Kasserine Pass, harassed by Allied planes and by American and British troops which stopped the enemy dead in his tracks in a three-day battle.

The crack 21st German armored unit, which rolled out of the Kasserine Gap three days ago and fought its way to within four miles of the strategic town of Thala, has been pushed back to an area within three miles of the Pass.

The Germans, over-reaching themselves in the dash for Thala, found their position there untenable and began to retire early yesterday. As they fell back the Allied air force—apparently dominant in the skies over the battle area—gave the retreating Germans the worst pasting they have yet experienced in Tunisia.

It was similar in intensity and volume to the air attack launched by the Allies at El Alamein when Sir Bernard L. Montgomery's British Eighth Army started the offensive that has now carried it to the Mareth Line.

Thus the tide of battle in Tunisia swung sharply in favor of the Allies with the German push exhausted and with the Eighth Army, about 100 miles away from other Allied forces in Tunisia, threatening Rommel's flank from the south.

Large numbers of prisoners were taken by the Americans and the British. On the plain in front of Djebel Hamra alone the Americans captured 300 Italians and enough small arms and other weapons to equip a battalion.

The Germans made a desperate attempt to disengage their armor and infantry from the British in the Thala area. But the British tracked them every step of the way in the retreat, while American artillery blasted away at the German columns that were winding back along roads over which they advanced three days ago.

Then the Americans, timing their action with the British, struck out from the Djebel Hamra area and forced the Axis troops back to within three miles of the Kasserine Gap. The full extent of the German losses still are unknown, but it can be definitely said they are considerable.

One factor in the German defeat was that the bad weather broke after 10 days, allowing the Allied air force to get into action on a big scale.

The retreating Germans caught a fury of cannon fire, machine-gun bullets, and bombs from Flying Fortresses, Mitchells, Marauders, Bostons and British and American fighters.

The Kasserine Pass was a roaring hell of exploding bombs, Marauder bombers, escorted by Lockheed Lightnings, swung back and forth over the pass, scoring direct hits on gun emplacements.

Flying Fortresses ranged over to the eastern side of the pass and bombed a road choked with Axis vehicles. The Fortresses also struck at the town of Kasserine itself and inflicted severe damage on a column of German motor transport which got itself bot-

tle-necked in a narrow street.

As the British and American forces converged on the Kasserine Pass, some German forces tried to escape down the Feriana road. Allied planes took out after them, sweeping back and forth in low-level machine-gunning attacks as the Germans tumbled out of trucks and sought refuge in ditches along the road. The Allied aerial offensive extended all the way northward to Bizerte, where bombers attacked on the night of Feb. 22-23. Yesterday an Axis airfield at Kairouan was bombed.

Eight Allied planes are missing from all operations.

SAFETY INSPECTOR HERE.

Carroll Monroe, co-ordinator of records and reports, is here from Austin to inspect the War Industries Training School from the standpoint of safety to the trainees and other employees. Mr. Monroe may take pictures of the local plant while here. The visitor is a former newspaper man and was a welcome visitor at the Daily Press office yesterday.

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LESSONS BEING LEARNED.

History shows that military defeat is usually preceded by a collapse on the home front. Such collapse inevitably follows a breakdown in the supply of civilian necessities.

Nothing is more essential to the successful conclusion of a war than an efficient distribution system to meet civilian needs. This country has such a system. Hundreds of thousands of retail merchants scattered throughout every county in the United States, are working day and night to have food, clothes, and all commodities, always available for the civilian population. Through their various trade organizations, they are cooperating with government in all phases of the price stabilization and rationing problems. They are spending millions of advertising dollars explaining to consumers the need for regulatory measures and how to comply with them. Where gaps in the rules exist, the merchants often ask voluntary cooperation of customers to prevent hardship. Who has not seen the makeshift placards requesting consumers to limit their purchases of certain items? Government rulings cannot possibly cover every emergency, any more than they can materially soften the grim realities for the merchant.

Consumers seldom see evidence of these realities. They don't stop to think that back of the cheerful exterior of the modern store are sleepless nights for managements that must cope with nightmares of complicated rules, restrictions, price squeezes, labor shortages, staggering taxes and other problems without precedent. It is doubtful if the public, or most merchants, fully realized the vital character of service which the distribution industry was destined to render in a total war economy. But they are finding out now. And when the war is over, it would be surprising indeed if the old political issue of chain versus independent stores was resurrected. It has at last been proved more powerfully than words can express that both are needed by consumers.

BAPTISM IN AFRICA.

Americans on the Tunis front, in Africa, have been getting their baptism of fire. It is hard for green troops, with good training but without battle experience, to face toughened veterans like Rommel's Afrika Korps, with their years of experience. Any outfit chased back and forth for thousands of miles, as those Germans and Italians have been by British troops, must have got themselves physically hardened and used to the ping of bullets, and must have learned a lot of useful tricks. But Yanks learn quickly and



On land or at sea, the men in service have problems back home which must be unraveled. Last year, 1,500,000 members of the armed forces and their families were aided by the American Red Cross in getting problems solved. Glenn Ferges, Red Cross field director at Corpus Christi Naval Air Station, is shown interviewing a sailor on a personal problem.

BAPTISTS HAD GOOD MEETING LAST EVENING

About 35 men attended the Brotherhood meeting of the First Baptist church last night when the talk of Rev. Cooper Waters on "Need For an Active Brotherhood," and that of Rev. Russell Dennis on "Our Brotherhood," were outstanding features of the self-activity program.

Patriotic, religious and folk songs, special numbers, piano solos and music by an orchestra, were interspersed with other phases of the program.

Bowls of Irish stew and hot coffee were served by a group led by Charles Clark, B. B. Hurst, Rev. Cooper Waters and helpers.

Rev. H. D. Blair, associational missionary, and Shobal Houston, president of the East Cisco church Brotherhood, were among the visitors.

No wonder the Jap soldier doesn't care. What he has to go back to is no more pleasant than what he is doing now.

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MENTHOLATUM



SEATTLE STYLE—Latest thing in headgear among Seattle, Wash., high school girls is one of mother's dish towels — plain, fringed, dyed or embroidered makes no difference. Here are some in service.



LIFE GUARDS—Twins Marian, left, and Virginia Hopkins, who hold several swim titles, are now lifeguards at fashionable Beverly Hills, Cal., pool.

VETERAN TELEPHONE RE-ENLISTS

Desk telephones — sturdy veterans that figured in the growth of America's telephone system for years and years — are being called back for wartime service.

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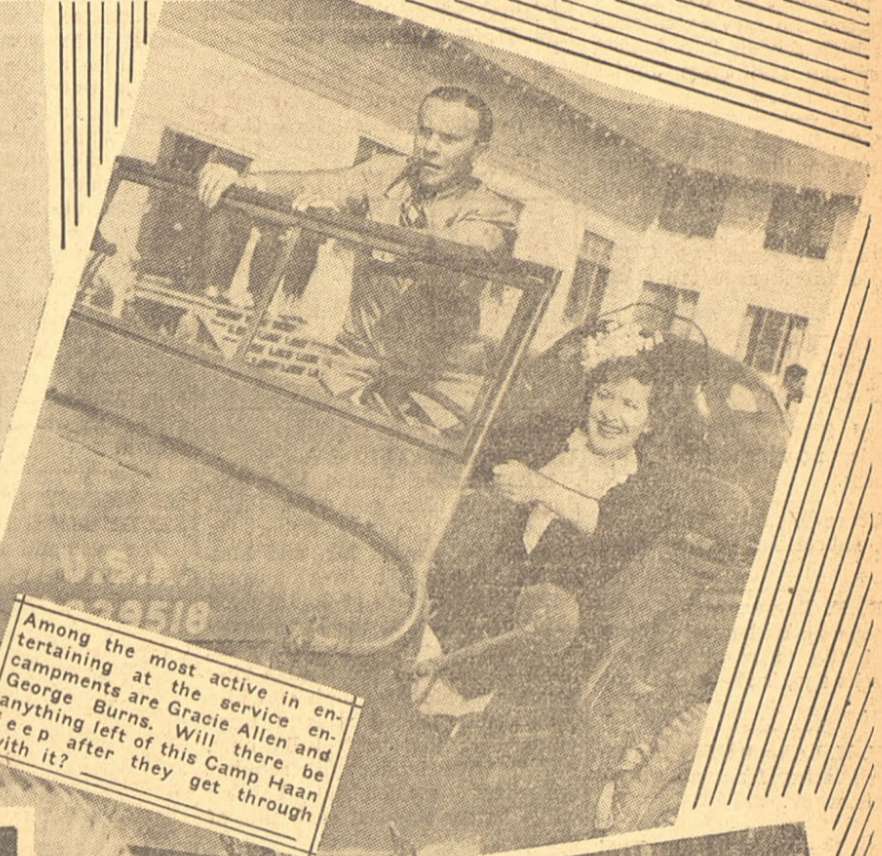
REPORTS FROM THE "PLAY FRONT" ENCOURAGING TOO All America Wages A War on the Service Camp Blues



John Doughboy's first loyalty is to his flag, his second is the girl back home. However, in her absence, there are thousands of willing substitutes like pretty Arlyne Schanler, seen helping some men from the R.A.F. forget they're so far from home.



A chance to chat with an older person, remindful perhaps of a loved one back home, is a welcome interlude in the life of most every soldier. Hundreds of American families make it a regular practice to throw open their homes to service men. Here Miss Estelle Loucks of Rock Bill, S. C., gives Private Jim MacGregor a pleasant taste of home atmosphere.



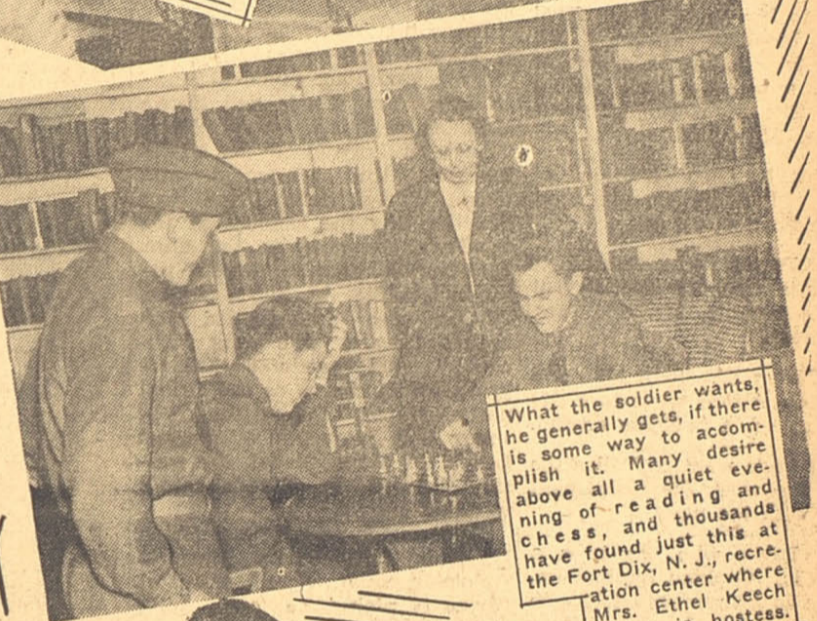
Among the most active in entertaining at the service camps are Gracie Allen and George Burns. Will there be anything left of this Camp Haan after they get through with it?



Informal afternoons with girls remindful of the ones left behind them, stand high on most soldiers' agenda of fun while on furlough. A guest in a Washington, D. C. home, Paratrooper Chapman collects autographs on the cast that supports his sprained ankle.



First she sings, then she signs autographs. That is the schedule for Kate Smith in her tours to the camps. The Marines seem to have the situation in hand in this scene at Quantico, Va., where the songstress entertained recently.



What the soldier wants, he generally gets, if there is some way to accomplish it. Many desire above all a quiet evening of reading and chess, and thousands have found just this at the Fort Dix, N. J., recreation center where Mrs. Ethel Keech Logan is hostess.



Canteens, founded and supported by generous citizens and welfare groups to provide wholesome diversion for service men are a popular outgrowth of the war. The Hollywood Canteen is particularly fortunate in having Eddie Cantor in the vicinity. Here Eddie goes through a familiar routine with Dinah Shore on one of their frequent evenings there.



A boon to morale in peace-time, the amusement park, is one of our vital industries in times of war. It supplies thrills on a production line basis as these two soldiers will testify. The girls weren't won at the park's bingo concession—the boys brought 'em.



Organizations such as Bundles for Blue Jackets never lose sight of the comfort of America's men on the firing line. Here Norman Tokar, radio's Henry Aldrich, assists a Bundles for Blue Jackets belle in preparation of packages for the sailors.



Ask a service man what he would rather do, and nine times out of ten he'll say "Dance." The stag line is busy at this party given at the Rainbow Room in New York under the auspices of the National Catholic Community Service for service men.



This little girl, Julie Bishop, the movie starlet, intended to add to the Air Cadets comfort, but ended up with one of them, Kenneth Johnson, adding to hers. Her group's entertainment rained out unexpectedly, Julie welcomes a lift over the puddles.



Since not all service men can come to the centers of entertainment, radio, stage, and night club folks are carrying their entertainment to the soldiers. Here, Private Andrew Thorstad compares underpinnings with some of the nicest in showman Earl Carroll's employ. The girls are Bettye DeMary and Ann Howard.



Even the magazine cover lovelies are doing their bit to entertain Uncle Sam's service men. These models flew down to the Marine Base at Quantico from New York. They are shown here testing their marksmanship perched atop the shoulders of their husky hosts. The photographer didn't say how well the girls did with their rifles, but it's a cinch that at the moment the Marines couldn't hit the side of a barn at ten paces.



When the Jack Benny troupe plays the service camps, it doesn't stop at just putting on shows. Here, Jack, Mary Livingstone and Rochester make the rounds of an army infirmary, a regular stop in their tours.

BRIEFLY TOLD

News from the advanced flying school at Williams Field, Chandler, Ariz., is that Elbert R. D. Donham of Cisco, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Donham, Romney route, has just been promoted to first lieutenant. Lieutenant Donham, 23, has been in the army since December 2, 1941. Donham, who was engaged in farming before entering the service, attended Cisco high school, San Angelo junior college and Cisco Junior college.

Mrs. J. W. Speegle and children of Dan Horn visited in the home of Mrs. E. G. Hallmark, route two, Cisco, Sunday.

Carl Stroebel, route two, Cisco, is a new subscriber to the Daily Press.

Mrs. Rich Holder, Box 281, San Antonio, is a new subscriber to the Daily Press.

Corporal Stanley Webb, Camp Wolters, is now receiving the Daily Press.

Miss Laura Kittrell, Winters, is a recent subscriber to the Daily Press.

Mrs. R. T. Porter, of near the city, who sustained severe burns from a kettle of scalding water a few weeks ago, is reported much improved.

Mrs. W. H. LaRoque, 500 H avenue, is suffering from an attack of flu this week.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Adams, Monday, February 22, 1943, at 9:15 a. m., in a Ranger hospital, a son—Burl James Adams. The infant weighed seven and one-half pounds.

Miss Myrtle Glen Shelton of Abilene visited her grandmother, Mrs. Ida Shelton, Tuesday.

Reese Porter has returned to his work in Lubbock after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Porter.

Mrs. Harry W. Schmidt and Mrs. D. G. Alford went to Eastland today on a business errand.

Dewey Sage went to Dallas the first of the week for assignment to duty with the navy.

Grady Laws, who has been a patient in Graham Sanitarium, was able to be removed today to his home on Bullard avenue where he is reported resting well.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Leiske have leased their fruit farm in the Lutheran community and will move to Lubbock, where he will enter the grain business with his brother.

Mrs. Robert C. Metcalf has been quite sick with flu this week at her home on West Ninth street.

Miss June Halbert, who has recently been employed in Abilene, is spending a vacation in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Halbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Sage returned Sunday from a visit with relatives in Lubbock.

Mrs. H. N. Lyle and Mrs. C. B. Powell spent today in Abilene where Mrs. Lyle was joined by her daughter, Mrs. Carl Pratt of Sweetwater. Mrs. Powell visited her sisters, Mrs. J. M. Hooks and Mrs. Elmer Jobe.

Mrs. John Dunn and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Shelton of Merkel are visiting relatives in Seminole.

Albert Henson, assistant manager at Laguna hotel, left today for Dallas for physical examination preparatory to entering the navy.

Mrs. R. A. Elliott of Tulsa, Okla., is a new employe of the Western Union Telegraph company.

Lieut. and Mrs. Truett LaRoque are in Cisco to spend a ten-day furlough with his parents, Mr.

and Mrs. W. H. LaRoque. Lieutenant LaRoque, who received his training at Fort Knox, Ky., was one of thirty-five men to be retained there to give army training to new enlistees.

Charles Crawford chapter, Daughters of American Revolution, will meet in regular session Saturday at 2:30 in the home of Mrs. W. W. Wallace.

Miss Bessie Lee Lawrence of Fort Worth spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Lawrence.

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WARWICK-MARTIN WEDDING SATURDAY.

Miss Brenda Louise Warwick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Warwick, Cisco, and Robert L. Martin, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Martin, Ft. Worth, were united in marriage at 8:30 o'clock Saturday night, at the First Presbyterian church. Dr. Gary L. Smith performed the double ring ceremony before an arch of white cello lilies topped with a huge white bell, tied with tulle bow, dotted with iridescent sequins. Cathedral candelabra holding white tapers stood at each side of the arch.

Preceding the ceremony, Mrs. S. E. Hittson gave a program of organ music and accompanied Misses Rose Ann Woods and Gloria Graham, violinists, who played Grieg's "I Love Thee" as Misses Margaret Ann McDonald and Golda Warren entered the door and, lighting the candles at the windows, advanced to the altar with candle guards, which resembled white nosegays. Mrs. Hittson also accompanied Miss Lillian Spears, who sang "Because," and rendered Lohengrin's bridal chorus as the bridal party entered. During the ceremony she played "Oh, Perfect Love." As a recessional, the music changed to Mendelssohn's wedding march.

Bridesmaids were Misses Helen Draganis and Byrna Marjorie Goldberg, who wore identical gowns of pink tulle over pink satin and carried nosegays of snapdragons; Miss Dorothy Blocker, Ft. Worth, maid of honor, wore a baby blue tulle gown over blue satin, with pink roses. Bernie Ann McCrea and Mary Louise Kleiner were flower girls and wore blue and pink gowns of maline over satin. They carried baskets of rose petals and gardenias.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, P. R. Warwick, and wore an elaborate gown of heavy bridal satin, designed midriff, with buttoned back, sweetheart neckline and long buttoned sleeves. The skirt, bouffant style, swept into a three-yard train. A long veil of illusion fell in cascades down the train from a coronet of seed pearls. She carried a shower bouquet of white lilies of the valley, interspersed with orchids and roses and tied with white satin ribbon. For something old she carried in her sleeve a honitou lace-edged handkerchief, which had been carried for five generations on the maternal side of the family. For something borrowed and blue, she carried a blue handkerchief belonging to Miss Elizabeth Daniel; in her shoe she wore a shilling and sixpence, handed down from English ancestry.

The groom was attended by his father, R. L. Martin, Sr., as best man and Bob Montgomery, Graston Bumpers and Jack Chambliss, ushers. Mrs. P. R. Warwick wore a black crepe dress with yoke of black sequins and double corsage of white carnations; Mrs. R. L. Martin, Sr., wore a royal blue crepe dress with corsage of

pink roses. Mrs. Jennings, grandmother of the groom, wore a black crepe dress with black lace yoke and corsage of white carnations. The reception was held at Laguna hotel. Guests were greeted by Mrs. W. W. Wallace and presented to the receiving line, Mr. and Mrs. Warwick, Mr. and Mrs. Martin, Mrs. Jennings and the bridal couple, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Martin, Jr.

The guests were ushered into the dining room where the bride's table, covered with lace cloth, was centered with an arrangement of snapdragons, sweet peas and lilies of the valley. A huge bride's cake, placed at a table end, was cut by the young couple after which Mrs. A. E. Jamison served the guests. Mrs. Gary L. Smith and Miss Elizabeth Daniel presided at the silver coffee service at the opposite table end.

Three hundred people attended the reception. The bride wore a going away suit of baby blue wool with black accessories. After a wedding trip to several Texas cities, Mr. and Mrs. Martin will be at home at 6124 Highland avenue, Fort Worth.

METHODIST W. S. C. S. STUDY MISSION BOOK.

The women's society of Christian service of First Methodist

church met in the church Tuesday afternoon for a study of the last chapters of the mission book, "Will a Man Rob God?" The meeting opened with prayer by Mrs. J. T. Fields and the lesson was directed by Mrs. Leslie W. Seymour. All members present took part in the discussion. The meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. Seymour.

Those present were a visitor, Mrs. Martha Cole, of Dallas, mother of Rev. Wm. H. Cole; Mrs. Leslie W. Seymour, Mrs. Charles Flaherty, Mrs. S. H. McCanlies, Mrs. W. L. Boyd, Mrs. Wm. H. Cole, Mrs. Crigler Paschall, Mrs. O. C. Lomax, Mrs. J. P. McCannlies, Mrs. Wm. Joyner, Mrs. W. E. Ricks, Mrs. D. P. King, Mrs. Joe Wilson, and Mrs. J. T. Fields.

GROUP FOUR MET IN CHURCH TUESDAY.

First Christian church council group four met in the church Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. J. F. Benedict presiding. The meeting opened with prayer and business routine was held.

Mrs. Troy Powell brought the devotional and lesson on the subject of "Baptism," setting forth the purpose and result of the ordinance. The meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. Benedict.

Those present were Mrs. F. E.

Stockley, Mrs. J. F. Benedict, Mrs. W. L. Harrell, Mrs. E. H. Thomas, Mrs. G. W. Troxell, Mrs. F. M. Hooks, Mrs. Burl Williams, Mrs. Perry, Mrs. Troy Powell and two visitors, Mrs. J. R. Wright and Mrs. Sam Kimmell.

AUXILIARY MET IN CHURCH TUESDAY.

Presbyterian auxiliary met in the church parlor Tuesday afternoon for program and business meeting with Mrs. Homer Slicker, president, in charge. The meeting opened by repeating Psalm 23, after which the meeting was turned to Mrs. Gary L. Smith, leader of the afternoon program. Mrs. A. E. Jamison brought an interesting devotional, "Trust in God Assures Victory," "Christianity Offers a World Interest," was discussed by Mrs. C. H. Fee; "The Church Offers a World Remedy," by Mrs. Gary L. Smith, closed the program.

Minutes of previous meeting, read by Mrs. Yancey McCrea, were approved; Mrs. John Kleiner brought the treasurer's report and reports of the various circles were given. Ms. Alex Spears reported activities of circle one; Mrs. J. E. Coleman gave report of circle two and Miss Willie Word reported for circle three. Cause

secretary reports were made by the secretaries as follows: Foreign missions, Mrs. C. H. Fee; spiritual life, Mrs. A. E. Jamison; literature, Mrs. E. P. Crawford; religious education, Mrs. Gary L. Smith. Mrs. Slicker appointed Mrs. Alex Spears, Mrs. J. E. Caffrey and Mrs. Yancey McCrea as a committee to provide transportation to church for women employed at the War Industries Training school.

Officers elected to serve next year are: President, Mrs. E. P. Crawford vice president, Mrs. J. E. Moriarty; secretary, Mrs. Yancey McCrea; treasurer, Mrs. H. A. Bible; secretary of foreign missions, Mrs. F. J. Borman; secretary assembly home missions, Mrs. J. J. Tableman; Christian education and ministerial relief,

Mrs. John Kleiner; spiritual life, Miss Willie Word; secretary of literature, Mrs. P. R. Warwick; Christian social service, Mrs. Homer Slicker; secretary of social activities, Mrs. George P. Fee. The meeting closed with prayer by Miss Ruby McDurman.

Those present were Mrs. C. H. Fee, Mrs. Willie Bogan Dunn, Mrs. John Garrett, Mrs. O. Gustafson, Mrs. W. W. Wallace, Mrs. A. E. Jamison, Mrs. C. H. Fee, Mrs. Alex Spears, Mrs. P. R. Warwick, Mrs. Gary L. Smith, Mrs. John Kleiner, Mrs. F. D. Pierce, Miss Willie Word, Mrs. Leith Morris, Miss Ruby McDurman, Mrs. E.

P. Crawford, Mrs. B. S. Huey, Mrs. J. E. Coleman, Mrs. J. E. Caffrey, Mrs. Homer Slicker and Mrs. Yancey McCrea.

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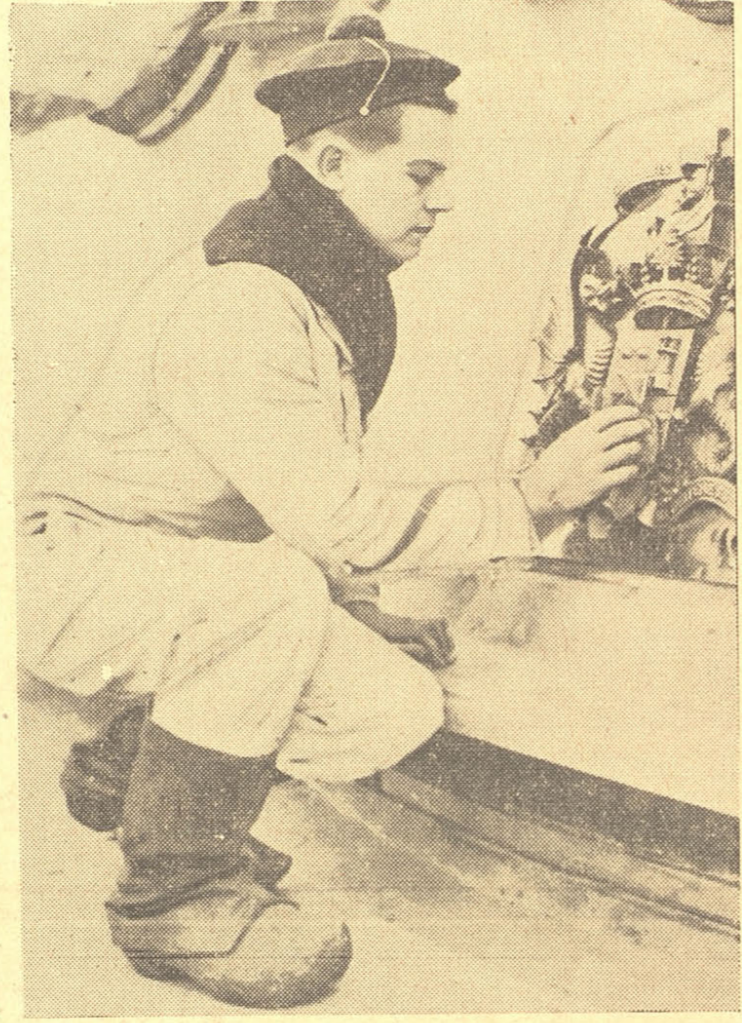
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