highway; huge concrete swimming pool.

poultry, gas, oil; two railroads; Bankhead

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JAPS ON ATTU PUT UP A STUBBORN FIGHT

Flood Waters Not Dangerous as Greedy, Free-Lance Politicians

Under terms of the lease, by

which GBRA obtained the power

year than the authority pays it.

When Joe Humphrey, commit-

Mrs. Austin Flint announces the

terial and says the rooms in the

While it is true that Cisco has

dressings and other articles on

that practically the same body of

willing women have been per-

forming these war tasks for the

Too much cannot be said in

praise of these women, the Daily

it cost the city.

Legislative measures to help were held to be illegal in a rultake graft and political racketeering out of Texas' river authorities, created as soil and water conservation agencies, is based on findings of a house legislative committee, according to information from Austin.

A bill passed by the legislature them is designed to prevent such abuses and place river authorities under stricter state supervision.

How the legislature came to deal for the property in addition appoint an investigating commit- to the purchase price, although a tee and the evidence brought out citizen committee, in conference during the lengthy hearing is told with the mayor, advised him that in an article published in this "there was no need to pay any month's issue of Public Service commissions."

The committee was appointed in San Antonio where government agencies were bidding against plant at the rate of \$270,000 a Loan drive. each other to gain control of the year. Since GBRA leased the San Antonio Public Service com- plant for \$262,000 a year, the city, pany, ordered sold under the which also must pay interest of Public Utility Holding Company Act which is described in the ar- ly will pay GBRA \$8,000 more a ticle as "paving the way for unscrupulous politicians to get rich Also in the contract is an agree-. . at the expense of taxpayers and electric consumers."

The new law would prevent years for its cost price, less desuch deals as that involving the San Antonio property where testimony showed that Ed. M. Cape, chairman of the board of directors of the Guadalupe-Blanco River Authority, a state agency, contracted with A. J. Wirtz and the Taxpayers League of San An-D. W. Glasscock, Austin attorneys, tonio, how many trips the mayor and Glasscock were to receive a fee equal to 1 per cent of the thought three trips had been made book value of the properties, or

However, before this deal could be completed, a group of taxpay- I figure cost the city \$10,000,000." ers in San Antonio, who "were opposed to having their utility service under domination of a group of politicians," began legal proceedings to stop the sale. al proceedings to stop the sale. There followed a long series of ROOMS OPEN

suits and counter-suits, resulting finally in sale of the utility to the city of San Antonio for \$33,950,-000 but with a compromise provision whereby the city was forced to lease a steam generating power plant at New Braunfels to arrival of surgical dressings ma-

GBRA, in turn, assigned the Reynolds building will be open leases to the Lower Colorado Riv- at 1 o'clock tomorrow afternoon er Authority at a fee of \$250,000 for those who desire to aid in this a year. LCRA immediately ad- necessary Red Cross work. vanced payment of \$150,000 to GBRA as rentals for the first always delivered its quota of

Up until this time, according time, the fact of the matter is to evidence before the committee. "GBRA did not even have a bank account and its entire assets consisted of a directors' table, 10 or past two years. 12 chairs, a second-hand adding machine, typewriter and desk."

Upon receipt of the \$150,000 Press thinks, but the appearance advance payment from LCRA, of new workers at the rooms now the directors of GBRA "held an would be of distinct service to all-night session and divided the the government and encouraging ill-gotten swag" among atterneys. to the faithful ones. It should Cape, who holds three jobs in not be forgotten that this is GBRA—chairman of the board, "everybody's war." general manager and general counsel — received \$25,000. Wirtz

held up when San Antonio tax- illustrator to become a character payers, through trustees now ope- actor of stage and screen, is dead rating the utility, filed an injunc- at 63 after a long and colorful tion suit at least temporarily theatrical career. blocking it and all of the fees were returned.

Another phase of the investigation dealt with Cape's compensation as chairman of GBRA. It brightly lighted and plainly markwas learned that he had been ed with the Red Cross, was sunk

AMERICAN CASUALTIES. in on the deal as an associate of WASHINGTON, May 18.—The Glasscock whom he had recomnames of an estimated 5,000 casumended to GBRA, received a total alties of the last four weeks of of \$40,000, \$30,000 of which was the Tunisian campaign are exfor service in consumating the pected to be added officially to deal and \$10,000 was an advance the total of more than 80,000 batpayment of retainer fees for one tle casualties of the first 17 months year Glasscock received \$20,000. of the war. Lesser amounts went to other at-MONTAGU LOVE DEAD. torneys. Left to be deposited in BEVERLY HILLS, Cal., May GBRA's bank account was \$11,-8.-Montagu Love, who deserted The transaction, however, was his first job as British newspaper

SINK MERCY SHIP. AUSTRALIA, May 18.- The

Australian hospital ship Centaur, drawing a salary of \$100 a month by a Japanese torpedo off Brisduring the past five years in ad- bane early Friday with a loss of injuries in the collision of two dition to \$10 a day for attending 299 persons, it was announced to- automobiles at 3:50 a. m. Tuesday meetings. Payments and fees day.

ing handed down by Attorney General Gerald C: Mann, answering an inquiry from J. E. Winfree, chairman of the investigating committee. The attorney general previously had advised public agencies that their directors could not hold positions created by Testimony also revealed that the city of San Antonio paid a commission of \$509,000 on the

Texas' man in the street paced as a result of the free-for-all fight plant at New Braunfels, the city the entire nation in the purchase agreed to buy power from the of war bonds in the Second War

Frank Scofield, state war bond administrator, disclosed that bond sales to individuals, partnership "death sentence" clause of the nearly \$222,000 a year on bonds and personal trust accounts nearcovering the plant alone, actual- ly doubled the fixed quota.

Sales to small investors totaled 199 per cent in the 11th federal reserve district which comprises ment whereby GBRA can pur- all of Texas and parts of Louisichase the plant at the end of 30 ana, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Arizona. Texas has 254 of the preication of \$133,000 a year, or 311 counties making up this disfor four million dollars less than

The district had a goal of \$400. 000,000 for all bond sales in the tee member, asked Russell Hill, war loan drive. It handed Uncle chairman of the committee for Sam a cool \$572,451,600 to make it hot for the axis in translation of bonds to armament and ammuto buy the company's stock. Wirtz made east on the deal and who nition. This means the goal was paid the expenses, Hill said he oversubscribed by 43 per cent.

Banks, institutions and governand that "the mayor made the mental departments invested \$340,000 on the \$34,000,000 book statement that all expenses were heavily in the war loan drive, but paid by the bond dealers, includ- the individual investor - the man ing a new hat for the mayor which in the street - emerges as a great factor in its success, the No. bond salesman declared.

"This shows beyond a doubt that the average man has wholeneartedly accepted his responsibility in the people's war," Sco-

WORKERS VISIT JUNIOR COLLEGE AND LAKE CISCO

A number of seniors from the Rising Star high school are visiting the Cisco Junior college today, with the thought in mind of enrolling in the school during the summer, or for the fall term. After visiting the library, office and auditorium, they expressed a desire to visit the biology, botany and chemical laboratories.

The girls found courage to inspect the skeleton, counting his bones, and were especially interested in viewing the embalmed specimens of queer fish and animals used to illustrate these subjects. They enjoyed looking at the butterfly collection, but did not seem especially interested in the smelly chemicals in the chemical laboratory.

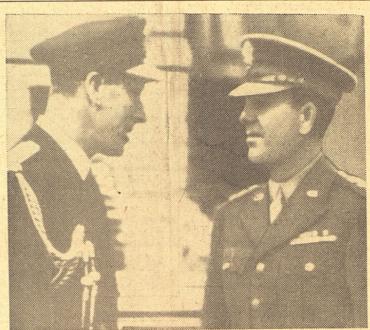
The group will spend a part of the afternoon swimming and skating at Lake Cisco, where so many school classes are holding their picnics this year.

President R. N. Cluck and Registrar C. J. Turner welcomed the visitors and showed them over the buildings.

Those registering as visitors were James Fred Cook, class president; Nita Whitlock, class reporter: Wanda Maxwell, Poly Johnagin, Dadie Morris, Stella Earp, Lucile Smith, John Canofax, James Wolf, Milton Cox, Bob Reynolds and Jack Jones.

OUT TOO LATE.

FT WORTH, May 17.—Eight persons, including two Army Air Forces officers, received serious lat Long and Northwest Highway.



DEVERS TAKES OVER - Lieut. General Jacob L. Devers, right, greeted by Lord Louis Montbatten in London, as he takes over command of U.S. Forces in European theater of operations. He succeeds late Lieut. Gen. Frank M. Andrews.



CHINESE ART-Alison Stilwell, 22, daughter of Lieut. General Joseph W. Stilwell, commander of American forces in China, Burma and India, demonstrates her art in Chinese manner at Loo gallery, New York. Proceeds of exhibit under auspices of United China Relief go to Chinese war orphans.



SURE OF A WALK-Judy Conover, left, and Lois Drummond of East Orange, N. J., agreed that if Mrs. Adolph Schmidt would buy a War Bond, they'd walk her Boston terrier, Snooty, every day until vacation time. So Mrs. Schmidt bought a \$5,000 bond and that put the girls top bond sellers in their school.

About 500 people attended the get-together program and luncheon at Lake Cisco Sunday after-noon, beginning at 4 o'clock with bugle calls for eats at about 5:30. Women of the canteen, instructors and Ciscoans, formed the group

Younger members of the party enjoyed swimming and other orms of recreation before the call to mess was sounded. Local Cisco women and those from Cisteen arranged the great stacks of food that piled the table from which it was served cafeteria style to the lines that later formed to take their plates to some convenient shade or bench.

themselves getting acquainted with each other, while the men did odd jobs of carrying water and mentally staked out certain food

guests of various personages were invited to make themselves at the event.

Following the meal, E. L. Jackson acted as toastmaster, while Ernest Hittson led the group in religious and patriotic songs. Sim Ledford and his scout troup helped in various capacities.

Mayor Edward Lee welcomed all in his inimitable, jovial maner, saying that Ciscoans foun and to the women and instrucors of the school.

visor of women at the school spoke a few words of appreciation for the cooperation of the local women committee, while Supt. J. R. Crawford and Coordinator Harry F. Grossman were Rev. J. R. Wright was recognized the benediction.

Cisco women and women of the gether, each group furnishing

their proportionate share. There was food for all - seem ingly enough for twice the number - but the fact that people were hungry and the food was good, left very little to be carried terrain of the island. away, which was a compliment impressive than mere

Among those who aided in preparing and serving the food were the following:

Mrs. Karl . Armstrong, Mr. and Merle Shook. Mrs. John Shertzer Mrs. W. W. Wallace, Mrs. R. B. Carswell, Mrs. Rex Moore, Mrs. Geo. Atkins, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Mrs. Alex Spears, Mrs. Charles Alice Bacon, Mrs. Pat Cartwright, Mrs. R. R. Jones, Mrs. Homer Hensley, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Nance, Mrs. A. E. Jamison, Mr. Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Donohoe Mrs. W. H. LaRoque, Mrs. E. L Jackson, Mrs. Edward Lee, Mrs. STRIKE R. N. Cluck and Miss Fern Hart.

From the Canteen-Mrs. Ber-Mrs. W. B. Peoples, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Britain, Mrs. Rachael Glidwell, Miss Kate Chambers, Mrs. Vera Doyle, Miss Edna Wall Vera Doyle, Miss Edna Hightower, Mrs. Opal Ethridge, Mrs. L. M Barron, Miss Vera Hale, Mrs. Eula

"VETO BUGABOO."

WASHINGTON, May 18. -House advocates of the Ruml plan today accused President Roosevelt of raising a "veto bugaboo" but said they would go down the line for the skip-a-year tax plan

ANUTCRACKER

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Japanese defenders of Attu Island, entrenched along a rocky ridge, are offering stubborn resistance to a two-pronged American attacking force, the Navy announced today.

In its first detailed account of the Attu campaign, now starting its second week, the Navy and their families, visiting soldiers reported that despite dirty Aleutians weather, our troops have managed to establish their positions on the island.

"Operations against the Enemy are conco Ordnance Training Center can- tinuing," the Navy said.

The military situation, the Navy said, has clarified sufficiently to permit disclosure of some of the details of the American landings Women chatted as they busied on that Japanese island base.

It disclosed that the operations were confined to the northeastern and southeastern items that especially appealed to ends of the island, which is 233 (nautical) Visiting soldiers who were the miles from Amchitka, nearest U. S. base.

Prior to the landings of the main American nome and they seemed to enjoy forces, scouting parties were put ashore at Blind Cove, in Holtz Bay, which is on the northeastern side of Attu, it is said.

Subsequently the main bodies of troops began landing at two points - the Holtz Bay area on the notheastern side and at Massacre delight in extending a neighborly Bay, on the southeastern end of the island.

The operations were carried out with the Mrs. Eleanor Phillips, super-support of a bombardment by accompanying naval surface forces. The naval guns blasted at enemy installations in both areas while Army planes, presumably operating from recognized, but declined to speak. Amchitka, raked enemy positions in the viciniand Rev. L. W. Seymour spoke ty of Chichagof Harbor, near Holtz Bay.

After the landings, both columns of Amercanteen spead their lunches to- ican troops advanced inland, apparently in a 'nutcracker" operation. But they encountered stubborn enemy resistance, especially from many machine gun nests installed in the rocky

The Japanese, having the initial benefits of well-established defense positions, as well as familiarity with the islands' terrain, are prob-Ciscoans-Mrs. E. L. Graham, ably taking advantage of adverse weather con-Mrs. H. S. Drumwright, Miss ditions to hold up the American advance.

Experts pointed out that Kiska has an average of 280 days of fog a year and that although Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Geo Fee, this month and the next are the best there are Clark, Mrs. Andrew Watson, Miss few consecutive days of even reasonably clear

Furthermore, they said, the fog gets so and Mrs. C. J. Kleiner, Don Rupe, thick that even gun flashes could be obscured.

WASHINGTON ,May 18.-Top-

GREATEST BLOW.

vaits house action would outlaw

strikes, compel unions to file

membership and financial state-

ments, and require 30 days' notice

and a secret ballot among work-

ers before walkouts could be call-

l in any industry.

LONDON, May 18 .- The Ruhr flight government officials fought Valley flood caused by RAF blastalongside the American Federa- ing of three dams on the Eder tion of Labor and the Congress of and Mohne rivers was described Industrial Organizations today in reports from Europe today as against the Connally-Smith anti- Germany's greatest catastrophe of strike bill which they contend the war, with thousands drowned would hamstring the war effort, and whole cities inundated or iso-The bill which has already been lated by surging waters.

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deal of cheating, he figured, but

maybe the saving of costs would

To his astonishment, the prop-

erty owners didn't seem to cheat

at all. When the returns were

duced \$600,000 more than last

year. The cost per assessment

was only 10 cents instead of \$1.25.

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tisement, and it wouldn't be sur-

prising now if this plan were

CANDIDATES.

Though 1944 is still far away,

the presidential candidates are al-

are doing it openly, some indi-

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ernor Z is not on record on this

promisingly in favor of home and

An old technique, this of Gov-

ernor Z's. It may work again.

a poor opinion of voters' intelli-

LIBRARIES.

The United States embassy has

just opened an American library

in London for use of Allied of

ficials, research institutions, busi-

ness and newspaper men. This

sounds strange. London has many good libraries, why a special one

for Americans? Granted that this ne contains many books and

periodicals not easily obtained elsewhere, why not give the ma-

terial to libraries already exist-

The answer is that the Ameri-

can library, like the American

drugstore, has ways of its own,

American libraries are almost alone in their "Open Shelf" prin-

ciple—and many older libraries

even here still operate on the prin-

ciple that reading should be made

as difficult as possible. The easy

browsing around open racks of

new and attractive books, looking

at this, dipping into that, reading

an hour and going home with an

armful of books easily obtained

by merely showing a card, is still

unknown in most parts of the

world. One of the funniest stories

of the last war was that of the

long and difficult struggle of the

librarian of the American Peace

Commission to get for Woodrow

Wilson a book he wanted for a

few days' reference. The mere

idea of taking a book out was

almost too much for the staff of

the Bibliotheque Nationale in

finally it was.

their own.

Paris. It "wasn't done." But

So it's natural that business and

newspaper men and army of-

ficials used to American library

methods should want a library of

Americans who toe the line and

aid the war effort in every way

with men of the John L. Lewis

type - some of whom hold federal positions. Is there any good

reason why native-born Ameri-

cans should be treated different-

ly from enemy aliens, when their acts imperil the safety of the

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DEFLATED.

The psychological victory in the North African campaign is as great as the military victory. A momentous thing has happened, all in, the honor system had procoming almost out of a clear sky. Nazi Germany is deflated.

War correspondents, impressed by an almost unbroken series of German victories in this war, could hardly believe their eyes as they saw 200,000 Axis troops giving up mentally and morally before they were licked militarily. The licking would have come just the same, but the astonishing thing was the way those supermen "jumped the gun" in holding up their hands as they had done in the final stages of the last war. There was resistance, of course, but nothing like what the victors rectly, but the purpose is the

had every reason to expect. "I have seen more German trucks this day," wrote a cor- supplied, having no less than respondent, "than I had seen in three eminent citizens anxious to all the months of this war, every one of them filled with prisoners opinion on post-war cooperation in a hurry to surrender. It is are represented. Senator X is in fantastic, crazy. I talked with a favor, Senator Y is against. Gov-British major who was at Dunkerque. He couldn't understand ticklish subject, but is uncomit. They had plenty of guns, they had good positions, they had millions of mines. They could have made a hell of a fight. But they just packed up. Nobody seems But just now it looks as if he had

Something was wrong with gence. He is at any rate not folthose Germans, and something lowing in the footsteps of Abramust be wrong in Germany.

One way to get Italy out of the war is to bomb her cities, including Rome, like the cities of England and France were bombed. The people of America do not believe Italy can be depended upon, and that the champion betrayer should be given lots of the medicine it so eagerly dosed out

NURSES.

The nurse situation is getting out of hand. Some hospitals are closing off rooms and wards with desperately needed beds because there are not nurses enough to take care of the patients. Others are overcrowded with patients who get barely enough care because a short staff has too much ground to cover.

Moreover, the need for nurses both here and overseas is not going to stop for a long time. Right now the army needs 2,500 more a month and the navy asks for 500 more a month.

The problem has gone beyond the bounds of professional nursing, which requires long training. Any woman, even unskilled, can help greatly by offering her services. In cities where the Red Cross trains nurses' aides, they take over the routine hospital tasks, giving the trained nurse more time to use her training where it is most needed. Every hospital can use hard-working volunteers in some way.

At the same time women who are graduate nurses but who retired some years ago can come back with a little brush-up work to take over the jobs in hospitals and doctors' offices, permitting the young nurses with up-to-date experience to go into army and navy service. Taking care of sick civilians and wounded servicemen is a tremendous task, but they can, are becoming fed-up it's a task in which thousands of women who never dreamed of nursing as a career can help now.

TAXPAYERS.

Spokane, Wash., has tackled a new experiment in the realm of human nature, and has come out on top. It is a demonstration apparently indicating that people will be honest even about their taxes, when put on their honor. It was time for tax assessments on farms and personal property and it was hard to get deputies for the job. So the assessor decided to take a chance on human nature for once. He sent blanks by mail to all the taxpayers, with instructions, asking them to assess their own property. There would be a good

STELL OF AN-SON DISTRICT

Training for post-war activities and citizenship and expansion of Victory Crops work in high chools were the things emphasized at the American Legion convention at Breckenridge, Sunday, when A. L. Stell, of Anson, was elected to head the 17th district

LEGION HEAD

Chaplain James R. Wright of Cisco preached the sermon Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Dr. W. Dansforth, of Fort Worth, don't let him interfere with what national executive committeeman they wish to do

oody for the next year.

from Texas, gave one of the outstanding addresses. The state ommander, Capt. Charles Maisel of Borger was another important speaker at the convention. The next session will be held at De-Leon, in August.

Those attending from Cisco were Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Huestis, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Poe, Mr. and Mrs A. O. Nance, Mrs. Charles Robarts, Mrs. E. T. Personette, Mrs. Irene Hallmark, Mrs. H. N. Lyle and Miss Mamve Estes.

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lieve their Emperor a god. They



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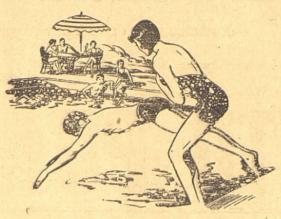
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We desire to express our most sincere thanks to those who have tendered their sympathy following announcement of the death of our son and brother, James V. Alvey, who was killed April 23, 1943, in North Africa, while serving with the American forces.

J. W. ALVEY and FAMILY.

LODGES.

Cisco Lodge No. 556, A F. & A. M., meets fourth Thursday, 8:00 p. m. J. W. COUSINS, W. M.; L. D. WILSON, Secretary.

Cisco Commandery, K.
T., meets the third
Thursday of each month at Masonic Hall, 8:00 p. m. R. L. PONSLER, E. C.; L. D. WILSON, Recorder.

Cisco Chapter No. 190, R. S. A. M., meets first Thursday evening of each month at 8:00. Visiting companions are cordially invited. W. JOE BRITAIN, H. P.; L. D. WILSON, Secretary.



The final proof of friendship is not in giving, but in not envying what your friends have.

To keep your husband humble, let him talk and then say with a superior air: "Yes, I knew all about that."

A partisan is one who defends what he knows is wrong rather than agree with the other side.

SOCIAL and CLUBS

TELEPHONE 36

MR. AND MRS. STIVERS ENTERTAINED SUNDAY.

her house guests, Mr. and Mrs. Monty Stivers of Dallas, with a waffle breakfast Sunday morning WINDOW SHADE ROLLERS, at 8 o'clock. The table was laid and the centerpiece was a Fos-

> The guest list included Mr. and Mrs. Monty Stivers and Joe Hawkins, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Crawford, Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Britain and the hostess, Mrs. Smart.

A luncheon at 1 p. m. in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Britain also honored Mr. and Mrs. Stivers. The meal was served from the dining table which was spread with a beautiful floral linen cloth. Those present were cow. K. B. Hopper, two miles Mr. and Mrs. Monty Stivers and 183 Joe Hawkers, Mrs. Charles
— Teague, Mrs. Laila Smart and Mr.

SWIMMING PARTY HONORED MISS RAMSOWER.

Complimenting their daughter WANTED — Able-bodied, edu- Miss Veda Faye Ramsower on her cated man desires work; any birthday Monday, Mr. and Mrs. honorable work considered. O. O. N. Ramsower chaperoned number of high school students 182 and friends on a surprise swim-

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evening. The group met at the greatly enjoyed. home of Mrs. H. B. Hensley who Those participating were Misses Mrs. O. N. Ramsower. also accompanied them to the Veda Faye Ramsower, Bonnie

tention of the young group for a Hensley, Peggy Gallagher, Geor- and their families held a weiner ments of sandwiches, olives, ritz Mrs. Homer Hensley, Bill Nix and Monday evening. Following the crackers and punch were passed Morris Miller of Morton Valley; picnic supper members of the aux-



AIR CHIEF-Major General Roy S. Geiger, 57, of Pensacola, Fla., new Director of Aviation, U.S. Marine Corps. He formerly commanded Army, Navy and Marine Corps air units on Guadalcanal and in two months his men shot down 286 enemy craft. U. S. Marine Corps Photo

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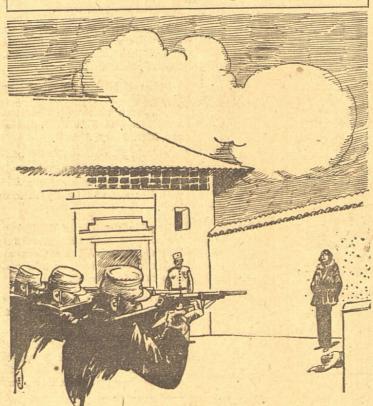
Jean Wilson, Dot Anderson, WEINER ROAST HELD Swimming and other attractions Charles Lavoice Wilson, Jeffie AT A. L. HUT MONDAY. Litchfield, John Ed Davis, W. regular meeting.
Ingram, Bill Philpott, John T. It was decided to give \$10 to

of Odessa, and the hosts, Mr. and The treasurer was instructed to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Poe, Mary Mrs. Edith Rainbolt, Mrs. Dave

which are afforded there, held at- Jean Robertson, Jimmie Jean Members of American Legion time and at the close refresh- gana Westfall, Fern Ramsower, roast at Legion Hut at 8 o'clock Mrs. Laila Smart entertained and a desert course of home made Pete Sherman, Donald Shirley, H. iliary transacted business in their

Kitching, Rex Ramsower, Marion the fund being raised by the clubs Vernon Ramsower, of the city for a nurse's scholar-Mrs. J. A. Robertson and small ship to be presented a local girl

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Dallas. The meeting adjourned third Monday night in June.

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ming party at Lake Cisco Monday ice cream and cake which was grandson, James Lynn Robertson who enters training as a nurse, were Mrs. H. N. Lyle, president; Laila Smart, Mrs. Irene Hallmark, pay \$5 to the veteran's hospital, Jeanette Poe, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gorman, Betty Jean Gorman, until the regular meeting on the Huestis and daughter, Fern Hues- Mayme Stelley, Charlotte and tis; Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Person- Shirley Hutton and Patsy Wil-

Legs More Revealed As Hosiery Becomes Parachutes

WITH large quantities of hosiery VV material being used for para-chutes —happy landing gear for our Paratroops—stockings become increasingly precious. As a result, legs will be about as bare this Spring and Summer as Eve's when she wandered through the Garden without a worry about such problems.

In their new revealment, care of the legs now comes into the same sphere of importance in beautification routine as hair, teeth, face and hands—since they have become similarly exposed to

Because it is now more essential than ever that legs be free of hair or fuzz, if attractiveness is to be preserved, this condition has brought depilatories and epilator wax into the limelight so, in this Springtime review, it seems timely to explain their different properties and effects as well as those of lotion stockings, a natural companion piece, now generally referred to as "Victory" stockings because every time a "painted on," more material becomes available for our Airborne troops.

Depilatories, in cream and lo-

tion form, are for the woman-in-a-hurry and lack in lasting quality, as compared with epilator wax, what they offer in time required for application, although the time difference is only a matter of minutes.

Depilatories are applied generously to the affected parts, al-

er to apply but, because it re-moves the hair "bulbs" from beneath the skin, regrowth is slower, the effect is longer lasting, new hair usually returns in less quantity and finer texture and, in most instances, each following application has even a longer effect. Two a year generally suffice.

Epilator is an odorless com-pound with a wax base, especial-Fifth Avenue specialist in hair removal, who gives the following instructions for its most effective use: Heat the epilator wax in a pan until soft and semi-liquid: out streaks or spots.

Or epilator, the skin should be quickly zips off unattractive fuzz from newly bared legs in a few minutes, and, Victory "stockings," zipped on just as fast that will not run and cost only a few cents a pair. prepared by Madame Berthe,



Choo Choo Johnson, glamorous "Cover Girl" whom you have probably met on Red Book and other covers, prepares for a day on the artist's pedestal by zipping off a strip of epilator wax to make her legs clean and attractive and (right) zipping on a pair of sheer Victory stockings—fresh from the bottle.

removing facial hair, the entire chest surface of the lip, chin or one So, application because of their small surface areas. Epilator wax may clotted with hair.

After using eith r a depilatory Springtime; an epilator that or epilator, the skin should be quickly zips off unattractive fuzz

apply warm, not hot, with the As a result of laboratory develback of a teaspoon; allow to cool opment through the Winter, Victor a soft wax-like consistency, tory stocking lotions this Spring lowed to remain on for a few minutes and then removed with soap and water. Depilatories dissolve hair above and to the surface of the skin whereas epilator wax removes hair from beneath the skin as well to solve the skin whereas the skin whereas epilator wax removes hair from beneath the skin as well to solve the skin whereas t tions until the entire affected area water. Victory lotion stockings has been covered. Long hair are daintily scented with a fra-should be cut to about one quar-grance reminiscent of fresh linen ter inch before application. In taken from an old spicewood

So, in anticipating our need for cheek may be treated in a single new helps to allurement, that will not take too much time from our be re-used until it becomes too the patient workers in the cosmeticians' laboratories, offer, this



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from Wichita Falls where she was mer Ciscoan, held in Scranton a guest of relatives and visited her brother, Bobby Mendenhall, member of a tank destroyer unit in the Guadalcanal zone. He was wounded in action and later brought to the naval hospital at San Diego for treatment. He is scheduled to report there on May 31, but will probably visit Mrs. Heard and their uncle, L. F. Mendenhall in Cisco before he re-

Mrs. J. E. Moriarty is visiting her daughter and husband, Mr. daughter Earline Wright are and Mrs. Howell G. Foy, in Hous- visiting relatives in Mineral

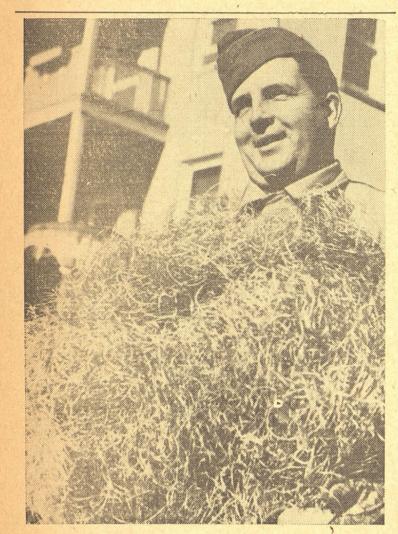
Mrs. Lynn Heard has returned Faires, father of Lynn Faires, for-Saturday. Rev. G. W. Parks of Roscoe preached the funeral sermon and interment was made in har, over the weekend. Scranton cemetery.

> Mr. and Mrs. Morris Smith of Fort Worth visited her parents, Clark. Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hunterman, over the weekend.

Mrs. Wm. Rasmussen returned Monday from a visit with her sister in Dublin.

Mrs. Wm. Tanner and grand

Mrs. Algie Skiles and Mrs. R. O. O. Odom with the Pan-M. Brummett were among Cisco- American Airways, and stationans attending the funeral of Ed ed at Coral Gables, Fla., is visit-



EVERYTHING SAVED - Strange as it seems, that isn't a bundle of spaghetti, carried by soldier at Atlantic City, N. J., Air Force training center. It's a mass of tiny wires which bind paper caps to milk bottles and its all going to salvage station.

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son at Graham sanitarium, while club, has been postponed until and Mrs. C. B. Powell. a guest in the home of his father- | Thursday, May 27. in-law, Dr. F. E. Clark.

of San Angelo, visited her par- Fort Worth hospital. ents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Farqu-

her parents, Dr. and Mrs. F. E. over the weekend.

daughter and family at Alpine.

The luncheon to have been

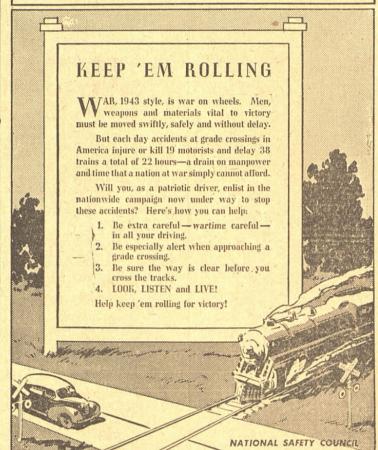
Mrs. C. W. Guthrie and child- Spring Sunday night after visit- and was accompanied on a busi-

Miss Loyce Coats and friend, Miss Jean Nelson, of Howard-Mrs. Carl Siddall and daughter Payne college, visited Miss Coats' Gail of Baytown are guests of parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Coats

Mrs. Wayman Wilson and baby Mrs. J. E. Shelton left this of Mertzon arrived Monday for a morning for a visit with her visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Coats.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jobe of held in the home of Mrs. B. C. Abilene spent Sunday in the home

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ing Mrs. Odom and their infant | Metcalf Thursday by the N&T of her sister and husband, Mr

ren Beattie Jean and C. W., Jr., ing his brother Asa Skiles in a ness trip to Rising Star Monday by Mrs. Sanford and their small

> Mr. and Mrs. James Shelton and son James Howard Shelton of Ida Shelton, Monday evening.

Miss Mary Sue Mobley visited Wells over the weekend.

Mrs. J. D. Eddleman was expected to return today from Breckenridge where she visited elatives the past week. Mrs. Abigail White has return-

ed from a visit with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Cart Daniels, near Cisco.

Miss., for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Collins and Mrs. Mary Abbott. After spending the past week

with her son and family at Mid-Regular meeting of OES chap-

ter will be held tonight at 8 in Masonic hall. All members are urged to be present, as new officers will be elected.

Directors of the chamber of

Mrs. Grady Laws, of Cisco, is at the bedside of her father-inlaw, G. E. Laws, who is ill in the Gorman hospital. Mr. Laws lives

isited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Tune, Monday.

I. H. Skiles returned to Big his family here over the weekend GROW LARGE,

Some men can do one thing well Abilene visited his mother, Mrs. and there are others who do many things successfully, but Harvey Thurman seems to be one of those. her sisters, Miss Marcia Mobley men who do any number of and Mrs. Ray Miller in Mineral things. In addition to running a men who do any number of successful service station, Thurman is a farmer, stock grower, gardener and fisherman.

And his status as a fisherman seems to be well established by the fact that yesterday and last night Thurman brought in from the lake a 24-pound cat fish and a smaller one of about eight pounds — this in addition to a number of smaller ones, that the Sgt. and Mrs. Gene Abbott ar- ordinary fisherman might think rived today from Harrisburg, were well worth talking about.

WALT PRESTON with relatives in Cisco, Mrs. Pearl Lyle Ward left today for a visit WRITES PRESS FROM TUNISIA

Staff Sgt. Walter Preston, who is with the armed forces abroad, writes the Daily Press as follows: Dear Sir: Just a few lines to commerce will meet at 8 o'clock let you know that everything is fine in Tunisia. The main purpose of this letter is to let all of my friends in Cisco know that I have been reading of the fine work they are doing there. This concerns the Training School and the Service club operated for the Miss Marie Tune of Abilene boys in uniform.

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