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# HUGE LOSSES TALK TOMMYROT

## LELA LATCH OF AIR WACS WELL PLEASED

The Daily Press has received an interesting letter from Miss Lela Latch, former high school teacher here, who joined the air branch of the WAC in January and is now stationed at Mather Field, Calif.

Miss Latch said that since her enlistment in January she has traveled some 4,000 miles and reached some twenty different states. She has enjoyed her travels thoroughly. She mentioned that enroute to Sacramento the two most interesting things she saw were the skiing in the Rockies and Great Salt Lake, frozen over.

"They were skiing in the Rockies while we were doing some hair-pin curves. The movie presentation never looked so fascinating as those boys and girls in their gaily-colored snow suits, dashing down the mountain side."

The Cisco girl is studying to be an instructor in instrument flying and finds it very interesting. It deals with navigation, meteorology and radio. She states that there are many things about the army life that one does not care for, such as scrubbing, drilling, frozen ratings and restrictions. However, the work is interesting and there are many interesting forms of recreation which one can engage in while they are not on duty. Kodaking in the Capitol Park in Sacramento, she said, seems to be a favorite sport of all service people, because of the trees, shrubs and flowers from every nation in the world. Miss Latch said she has been to the Sierra foothills and made pictures of the river, which is fed entirely from melted snow. She mentioned that in the foothills there are wild flowers which greatly resemble the Texas bluebonnet.

She also told of an interesting radio experience. "Last night three air WACS were on a radio quiz program at KFBK against three cadets. I put in so many clues for Cisco and Texas (the other contestants were Yankees) that the announcer began saying 'Well, here comes that Cisco Kid back to the mike again.' Incidentally, I won a \$25 war bond for having the highest WAC score."

Continuing, Miss Latch said: "I am glad I came into the air WACS, for I feel that maybe I can have a bit more of a share in helping to end this war that we all hate. It seems that Cisco has had more than her portion recently and my heart bleeds with the Pranges, Cleveland and McCannes. I know what some of those anxious hours mean."

"May I, through the Daily Press, extend my sincerest regards to all the folks at home. I miss you, think of you often and always cherish any message from any of you. Sincerely,

## SEGT. HAMMETT SPOKE TO CISWELL PLEASD CO ROTARIANS

O. L. Statenroth, M. F. Underwood, Charles Clark, Norman Huston, Bob Sikes of Eastland, I. T. Gilmer of Graham, Mrs. E. P. Crawford and Miss Helen Crawford were guests.

Rotarian Edward Lee announced the blood plasma campaign for which donors would register during the first days of next week at the Service Men's club. J. E. Hays announced Rotary attendance for the past month, following which President Lonnie Shockey presented E. P. Crawford, program chairman, who in turn asked Mayor Lee to introduce the speaker.

Sergeant Hammett impressed the audience with his poise. He did not show any sign of nerves or strain, although he laughingly admitted that he was often scared almost to death and did a lot of praying.

Hammett complimented the Rotarians on the service men's depot, which happened to be the first one he had seen since his return. He did most of his talk through answering questions, which were fired at him so rapidly that he was kept quite busy answering them. He said the 36th division had really made a reputation and a name for itself. Told of Africa and then of his trek into Sicily and thence on to Italy as the buses from which he did his bombing in a flying fortress.

When flying through flak, which made it impossible for him to see, he said that all you could do was to tremble and wait, which he did plenty of.

The Germans are splendid fighters, smart and resourceful, he said. The closer you get to the fatherland the stiffer the resistance. He said their planes were plenty good and more quick of response than our big bombers—that our heavy loads of bombs naturally made our planes more unwieldy. The speed of the bomber is about 160 miles per hour, while the fighter planes have a speed of nearly 500 miles per hour.

The speaker said he was surprised at learning that the people in Cairo and in Palestine spoke English. They also speak Arabian, he added. He said 13 hours was the longest time of any of his bombing trips. In answer to further questioning he smilingly stated that while he was just a sergeant and not supposed to know much, it was his impression that the war would not be over very soon. He did not discount the Germans as fighters and said they would have plenty to do before victory comes. The enemy is smart and calls it a game, and they know their game well, he concluded.



CANINE CUT-UPS—Enjoying run of the ship and life on the ocean waves, Tom, Dick and Harry, three pup mascots were born at sea. Home is combat cutter, somewhere in North Atlantic. (U. S. Coast Guard Photo.)

## L. W. HILGENBERG KILLED BY BULLDOZER

L. W. Hilgenberg, 52, good business man and popular Cisco citizen for more than 12 years, or until he and Mrs. Hilgenberg moved to Abilene in 1930, was crushed beneath a bulldozer 12 miles south of Abilene shortly before noon yesterday and instantly killed.

The accident occurred on the Willingham - Hilgenberg farm, where trees and shrubs were being removed by the bulldozer.

Mr. Hilgenberg, who was directing the work, had stepped behind the heavy machine to pick up a tree limb and the operator, not seeing him, reversed the bulldozer, which struck the unfortunate man, knocked him down and ran over him.

Deceased was born in Vernon, Tex., August 11, 1892. He was a graduate of Oklahoma A. and M. college, a Mason and a member of the Presbyterian church. At one time he taught at Cisco high school and later engaged in the automobile business here with H. A. Bible, they being agents for Oakland and Pontiac cars. He was known particularly for the cheerful attitude he took of life, his tendency being to look at the bright side of things whenever possible. He was married to Miss Eva Johnson in Tulsa, Okla., May 5, 1917.

Survivors in addition to the bereaved wife are his mother, Mrs. H. W. Hilgenberg, Elk City, Okla.; and five brothers—Ralph Hilgenberg, Breckenridge; R. C. and Orville Hilgenberg, Oklahoma City; Charles of Dumas and E. C. Hilgenberg, Denver, Colo. Mrs. J. B. Pratt of Cisco is a sister of Mrs. Hilgenberg.

Funeral services will be held at Kiker-Knight funeral home in Abilene at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The officiating minister will be Dr. C. B. Surface, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of that city, and burial will be in Cedar Hill cemetery, Abilene.

## AXIS SAYS ALLIES ARE NOW POURING PICKED TROOPS INTO ANZIO FOR THE BIG INVASION

WITH AN AMERICAN INFANTRY DIVISION IN ENGLAND, April 7.—Lt. Gen. Omar N. Bradley today told American officers preparing for the invasion of Europe that "this stuff about tremendous losses is tommyrot."

"The success of the whole war depends on this operation and I have no fear of its outcome," the commander of American Ground Forces in the United Kingdom assured officers who will lead the doughboys into action.

"When the time comes you will be surprised by the naval gunfire and air power we have.

"Some of you won't come back, but it will be very few.

"In the Tunisian campaign we lost only an average of three or four men to 1,000 and certainly seeing a show like this ought to be worth that chance.

"They say Barnum & Bailey had the greatest show on earth, but that will be only a sideshow compared to the one you will be in. When your men get up to fight you will be scared, but it will be up to you to get up and lead your men in attack.

"Put your men in the right frame of mind. You can't surrender in warfare. Fight it out to the last ammunitions. The enemy might be as bad off as you are. It is much better to do that than to be made prisoner.

"I have heard rumors that 90 per cent of us won't come back," he continued.

"That is tommyrot. I think you are lucky to have this opportunity and I am happy to be with you. We have the best soldiers and best equipment and more of it than the Germans ever dreamed of. After a few days of it you won't have anything to worry about."

He urged them not to "condemn your men too quickly if they show fear in the early stages" but to "exert your leadership and lead them forward."



REPORT TO MARINES—While they know what gives in their sector, Marines crowd war news bulletin at Red Cross center for hint about other fighting fronts. Although Leathernecks kid about winning war, they say it's nice to know that Gobs and GIs are helping. (U. S. Marine Corps Photo.)

LELA LATCH

## J. E. SIMCO HERE TO SEE JESS PROCTOR

J. E. Simco of Rankin, Upton county, who operates a chain of ice plants in this area, including a plant here, was in Cisco today conferring with his manager, Jess Proctor.

The visitor seldom visits Cisco, but expressed himself today as being favorably impressed with this city and volunteered the information that he plans to come back soon and spend several days here getting acquainted with local citizens and trying his hand at bass and crappie fishing at Lake Cisco, which has an enviable reputation for good fishing as far away as Rankin.

Mr. Simco, by the way, is sheriff and tax assessor-collector of Upton county, a job wished off on him several years ago by Upton countians desiring a good business man in those positions.

## SCRANTON MAN BURIED THERE AT 4 TODAY

Franklin T. Hardister, 68 years of age and a resident of Scranton for more than 20 years, where he engaged in the blacksmithing business, died at 7:30 o'clock last night in a Ranger hospital.

The funeral will be held at Scranton First Methodist church at 4 o'clock this afternoon and the body will be buried there. Thomas funeral home is in charge of the remains.

So far as known, deceased left no close relatives.

## SUNRISE EAST-ER PROGRAM ON COLLEGE HILL

Climaxing the series of Holy Week meetings in the various churches of Cisco the sunrise Easter service will be held on College Hill at 6:30 o'clock Sunday morning, Rev. Cooper Waters, president of the Pastors' association, directing the program of worship. The music will be under direction of Ernest Hittson.

The following order of service has been arranged with the expectation that it will cover a period of approximately 50 minutes:

The Doxology by all assembled;

The invocation by Rev. O. L. Savage;

Congregational singing of selected hymns;

Scripture reading by Rev. J. R. Wright;

Prayer by Rev. L. H. Clegg;

Selected Choral numbers by combined choirs of Cisco.

The Easter Story by Mrs. W. H. Cole;

Closing Hymn by the congregation;

The Benediction by Rev. Seba Kirkpatrick.

Cisco Commandery of Knights Templar will attend the service in full regalia.

The last of the pre-Easter meetings will be held at 7:30 this evening at the First Methodist church, with Rev. Cooper Waters preaching. The hour has been set at 7:30 in order to avoid conflict with the coronation program at Junior College at 8:30.

PULLED A CORRIGAN—Albert Porvestto of Boston, Mass., stowed away on ship heading for San Diego, Cal.—he thought. Much to his amazement, he found himself on American ship bound for Mediterranean and war. Captain and crew were chagrined, but Albert got chow. His story is being checked in Naples.

EASTER SUNDAY. Let us make Easter Sunday a special day at the Church of God. May we bring our pledges one hundred percent. The subject for the 11 o'clock service will be "A Changeless Christ in a Changing World." The communion will also be observed. C. S. MOAD, Pastor.

LOTS OF MONEY. WASHINGTON.—Money in circulation has increased \$154,000,000 the past week and now totals \$21,191,000,000. This is \$4,838,000,000 higher than a year ago.

## TEXAS WILL FIGHT.

HOUSTON, April 7.—Texas Democratic Chairman George Butler announces that former Gov. Dan Moody will argue a motion for rehearing before the Supreme Court of the decision opening Texas Democratic primaries to Negro voters. Coincidentally Butler disclosed all governors and state chairmen except one who have replied to his original proposal have favored restoration of the two thirds majority for nomination rule at Democratic convention. A renewed effort for support of the appeal was announced. At a press conference Butler revealed appointment of a committee of Texas lawyers to study the opinion and help the executive committee plot a course of action to regulate the party membership in Texas.

BRICKER GETS BUSY. WASHINGTON, April 7.—The scramble for the Republican presidential support cast loose by Wendell L. Wilkie was underway today with Gov. John W. Bricker of Ohio the first in the field. Bricker, the only remaining announced candidate among the top contenders, told the Indianapolis Press Club last night that Wilkie's withdrawal would intensify his own campaign for delegates to the GOP national convention at Chicago late in June.

RED CROSS FUND SHORT. WASHINGTON, April 7.—The Red Cross war fund is nearly \$20,000,000 short of its minimum goal of \$200,000,000, Leon Frazer, national chairman, says.

## 11 MILLION WANT MORE.

WASHINGTON, April 7.—The army was revealed today to have reached its peak strength of 7,700,000 — sending the combined size of the armed forces to about 11,000,000 — but officials warned that induction rates cannot be reduced materially before July. The Office of War Information, in a report based on information from the War and Navy Departments, said that the emphasis on replacements must be on men who are "young and physically qualified for the rigors of combat duty."

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## STALIN'S TACTICS.

It is harder than usual lately to follow Comrade Stalin's operations. It is generally accepted that he is a tough, quick-thinking and fast-acting leader, who is always likely to be two or three jumps ahead of the other fellows. But there is a strong oriental strain in the sturdy Marshal, which inclines him to work in devious ways rather than pursue a straight line. His course often seems to resemble that of a rabbit. Not in timidity, of course. But he has a tendency in both military and diplomatic action to confuse the other fellow, and then suddenly drive straight to his goal.

Unfortunately the Marshal's dodging tactics seem to throw some of his own people out of their stride. It was reported the other day that Victor A. Kravchenko, who has been buying war materials for Russia in this country, had resigned, accusing the Russian command of "double-faced political maneuvers" in dealing with the United States and Britain. But that is probably not true. Anyhow, this country has just as many tricky politicians as Russia.

It is well for observers to reserve their judgment in such matters. Stalin, in American boxing terms, is likely at any time to feint, and then bowl over his antagonist with a "hay-maker" in the other direction.

## THE JAP SHOW-DOWN.

The fiery little yellow devils are discovering that they have got themselves into a real war, and are not receiving the aid promised them by German leaders. The evidence seems to indicate that they are getting licked in nearly every fight and on every front.

There is still a lot of fighting to be done, and doubtless it will be a bloody business when they are herded back to Honshu and penned up in Tokyo Bay by an American fleet, raining destruction on their capital. But they are having a foretaste of that ordeal in the scattered Pacific islands from which they are being driven, and in the harbors where scores of thousands of them are blockaded under a relentless hail of bombs and shells.

They have yet to realize that their savage and haughty nation has committed hari-kari.

## UNLUCKY SWITZERLAND.

The careless bombardment of Schaffhausen, which thrusts into southern Germany from the most northern area of Switzerland, was one of the most unfortunate incidents of this war. It was obvious carelessness on the part of the Allied bombers themselves, or of the officials who planned that trip. It is easy, of course, for airmen flying high and fast, in a foreign area, where the boundary line between friends and enemies is so irregular as in northern Switzerland, to make a mistake. But surely the leader and his men, in that expedition, should have known of the geographical risks and taken no chances of error.

As it is, many friendly Swiss citizens have been killed and a large amount of Swiss property destroyed. Such incidents have been piling up lately.

The position of the Swiss people, precarious at best, is especially difficult in the present war. They have been good sports, but their patience cannot last forever. It is very important that such an island of peace and sanity as their nation represents should be protected from further molestation at the hands of their friends.



**BUSINESS IS GOOD**—Some of Naples' busiest and richest citizens are itinerant photographers. Charging one dollar for small tin-type, they have more business than they can handle.

**METEOR.**  
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—RUTH ROUSE.

## PISGAH

The Dan Horn demonstration club met with Mrs. L. A. Parks, Sr. Monday.

News has been received that Aubrey Allen was killed in a car wreck in Kansas City while on a three-day leave. He was a former resident of the Seranton community and attended Seranton high school. Misses Dorothy Westfall and

Wanza Slatten were guests of Billie Parks Friday. Miss Parks accompanied Miss Westfall back to her home in Cisco Saturday and visited her and her sister, Mrs. R. M. Johnson of Humboldt, over the weekend.

Quite a few from here attended the Seranton senior play Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Speegle and Mr. and Mrs. Alford Parks and children attended the show at Cisco Saturday night.

Mrs. J. M. Simpson of Putnam and sister, Johnny Lee Lasater of Colorado City, visited briefly with friends here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Parks and son Cadet Junior Parks and Mrs. Roy Williams, of Cisco, and Mrs. James Huddleston of May visited relatives in this community Friday.

## CHOOSE A RAM-LAM.

A Negro clergyman down in the Black Belt was caught embracing one of the female members of his congregation. The

deacons promptly convened in an extraordinary session and had the preacher up on a charge of unbecoming and unpastoral conduct. The accused explained that the Scriptures designated a pastor as shepherd of his flock. Even the Apostles, he argued, were often depicted as holding lambs in their protecting arms. The young lady, he explained, was one of the pastor's lambs. The deacons lit their heads together and voted to acquit him. "But," added the aged darkey who acted as spokes-

man of the tribunal, "de bredderin would reques' dat de nex' time you feels de desire coming over you to tek one ob de lam's ob dis flock in yore ahms, dat you tak' a ram-lam!"



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## POLITICAL.

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COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 4  
Arch Birt (re-election)

COUNTY JUDGE  
C. H. (Harl) O'Brien  
DISTRICT CLERK  
John White. (re-election)  
L. T. (Lois) Everton.

ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR  
Clyde S. Karkalits (re-election)

STATE LEGISLATURE, EASTLAND COUNTY.  
R. (Bob) N. Grisham of Eastland.

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SOCIAL and CLUBS

CIRCLE THREE HAD FINE PROGRAM.

Miss Willie Word, chairman, was in charge when circle three of First Presbyterian auxiliary held the regular meeting Tuesday at the church. The meeting opened with prayer by Mrs. C. H. Fee. Minutes were read by Mrs. Frank Bond, secretary. A prayer band was organized to pray each day and it was also agreed to pay for a minute at 6 p. m. for a word of prayer. Mrs. Leith Morris directed the program on "The Suffering Christ." Those giving program parts were Mrs. O. L. Savage and Mrs. Willie Bogan. Meeting closed by all joining in repeating II Chronicles 7:14.

Those present were Mrs. C. H. Fee, Mrs. Frank Bond, Mrs. Willie Bogan, Mrs. E. P. Crawford, Mrs. B. S. Huey, Mrs. W. L. Jones, Mrs. Leith Morris, Mrs. O. L. Savage, Mrs. W. F. Watson, Mrs. C. E. Moore and Miss Word.

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AUXILIARY CIRCLE MET AT CHURCH.

Circle one of First Presbyterian auxiliary met at the church Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. A. R. Purifoy, chairman, in charge. A short business session was held and there was an interesting program. Mrs. F. J. Borman brought the devotional and Mrs. W. W. Wallace discussed "The Christian College."

Members present were Mrs. A. R. Purifoy, Mrs. F. J. Borman, Mrs. W. W. Wallace, Miss Bettie



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MRS. A. W. TRIPLETT CLASS HOSTESS.

Mrs. A. W. Triplett was hostess Wednesday evening when willing workers class of First Christian church met at her home in Humbletown. The house was festive with decorations of lilacs. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. A. J. Sanders, class president, and a splendid devotional was brought by Mrs. Edward Lee. The Bible quiz, "Do You Know?" was directed by Mrs. J. T. Waddell. Mrs. Lonnie Shockley, Mrs. Jay Garrett and Mrs. Troy Powell were presented in a vocal trio which was much appreciated.

A refreshment plate was passed to Mrs. A. J. Sanders, Mrs. C. F. Swartz and daughter, Dena Kay; Mrs. C. J. Helton and guest, Mrs. R. C. Fulkerson of Fort Worth; Miss Olga Fay Ford, Mrs. Audrey Ezzell and daughter, June Hope Ezzell; Miss Ethel Mae Wilson, Mrs. Bill Hickey, Mrs. Ira Mae Taylor, Mrs. J. T. Waddell, Mrs. Bud Williams, Mrs. E. A. Garverick, Mrs. R. M. Johnson and son, Larry Dan; Mrs. W. W. Miller, Mrs. C. C. Greenhaw, Mrs. L. nnie Shockley, Mrs. D. G. Alford, Mrs. S. R. Patterson, Mrs. Jay Garrett, Mrs. I. A. Brunkenhofer, Mrs. E. T. Thomas, Mrs. Lee Mahaney, Mrs. Guy Ward, Mrs. Ray G. Miller and son, Harris; Mrs. Edward Lee, Mrs. Troy Powell and Mrs. J. F. Benedict.

MRS. L. B. MAYHEW CIRCLE HOSTESS.

Mrs. L. B. Mayhew was hostess when circle three of First Baptist

WMU met in her home Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. A. B. Cooper presided and opened the meeting with prayer by Mrs. W. S. Armstrong. Assignments of food to be furnished next week for a young people's banquet were passed out by the chairman. Offering was made to the endowment fund, following which the meeting was turned to the Bible teacher, Mrs. O. L. Mason, who directed an interesting lesson. The meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. C. A. Farquhar.

ELDON BLACK DINNER HONOREE.

A farewell dinner was given Sunday by Mrs. Boma Lee McKinley of west Seventh street honoring her brother, Eldon Black, who is leaving this week for the navy. Those present were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Black of Atwell, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Black and daughters of Putnam, Monroe Black of Cottonwood, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Black



PICTURING the new library addition to Bethany-Peniel College, Bethany, Ok. This growing liberal arts school made final payment of its debt on March 1, which left the school completely solvent for the first time in 25 years, says Rev. L. H. Clegg, pastor Cisco Nazarene church.

and daughters of Atwell, and a brother, who is in the army, stationed at Camp Claiborne, La.

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The envy of the world today is the average American family. That family has the world's highest standard of living. Statistically speaking, that average American family is composed of three and four-fifths persons. It uses three-fifths of a bathtub and owns one-half of a house, listens to nine-tenths of a radio, and gets about twice as much electricity for its money as it did 15 years ago.

Obviously, three-fifths of a bathtub wouldn't hold water very well! That is just another way of saying that three out of five American homes have bathtubs. The figure about electricity applies only to homes that have electric service (four out of five). But as an average of all these homes, it is a fact.

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## BRIEFLY TOLD

Ben Edwards of the Okra community, who was badly injured last week when run over by a wagon, is improving and since no bones were broken, he is expected to recover. He was hauling a load of wood, the mule ran away and Mr. Edwards was thrown out one front wheel passing over his body.

Members of Callahan county Baptist association will meet with the Atwell Baptist church, Thursday, April 13. An interesting program has been arranged.

A. P. Smith and C. R. Martin were re-elected members of Rising Star city commission Tuesday, when 155 votes were cast. Hold-over commissioners are Ray Agnew, W. J. Harrington and G. E. McDonald.

Rev. and Mrs. E. Steyer left for Dallas Monday where they will remain for some time with their daughter, Miss Lorna Steyer, who is receiving treatment there for asthma. Mr. Steyer recently resigned as pastor of Christ Lutheran church, south of Cisco, where he will be greatly missed.

Bill Philpott came in Thursday night from A&M college to spend the Easter holidays with his mother, Mrs. Barton Philpott.

Mrs. Paul Yardley is spending a few days as a patient at Graham Sanitarium.

R. H. Dunning of May visited his daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pippen of route one.

Miss Lucile Gaston of Dallas is visiting her grandmother Mrs. M. D. Paschal over the weekend.

Miss Martha Buttrell of Austin, state emergency war food assistant; Miss Myra Tankersley, county home demonstration agent and Miss Lema Fay Hearne of Eastland spent Thursday in Cisco and attended a home demonstration club meeting.

Col. S. R. Patterson came in from Dalhart Thursday for a visit with his family who are guests of Mrs. D. G. Alford.

Mrs. S. N. Poe, who had an eye operation in Dallas Wednesday, is reported doing well. Her husband S. N. Poe, who accompanied her, has returned to Cisco. She is attended by her niece, Mrs. H. Lawrence of San Marcos.

Mrs. R. C. Fulkerson of Fort Worth has been a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Helton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Caldwell are home from Ft. Worth, where they went to see their grandson, born April 1 to Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Chastain of that city. The young man has been christened William Davis Chastain.

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LEMONS, Large Size per doz.	19c	(Custard Cup, Oven Glass FREE)	
Texas ORANGES 216 Size per doz.	33c	<b>Market Specials:</b>	
Fresh Strawberries Pint	29c	<b>EASTER HAMS--</b>	
YAMS 10 Pound Bag	45c	Whole HAMS	1b. 33c
<b>Groceries:</b>		3 Points, Butt Half	1b. 35c
English PEAS No. 2 can	10c	3 Points, Shank Half	1b. 32c
SWEET POTATOES—In Sugar Syrup No. 2 1/2 can	23c	3 Points, Picnic Hams	1b. 31c
SOY BEANS No. 2 can 3 for	25c	1 Point, Ham Butts	1b. 27c
OKRA with Tomatoes, No. 2 can	19c	3 Points, Boneless Shank HAMS	1b. 37c
Royal Baking Powder, 1 lb. can	23c	2 Points, Ham Hocks	2 pounds for 25c
Mixed Vegetables No. 2 can 2 for	35c	No Points, Ground Beef, Fresh 2 lb. for	45c
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Sunday, April 9, 1944.

Sunday School, 9:45.  
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Sermon subject at 11 a. m., "The Third Day."  
No evening service.  
A cordial invitation is extended to the general public to attend all services at this church.



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Foolish Fables People Used to Believe About Coffee

<p><b>"TOO YOUNG"</b> Twenty-one used to be the minimum "age of reason" for coffee drinking. Another silly bugaboo was that coffee "stunted the growth." Many a six footer fancied himself a miracle!</p>	<p><b>"TWO CUPS"</b> Even sillier was the one about two cups. One cup was all right. But two cups—that kept you awake. Sometimes generations garbled the legend and reversed the order.</p>	<p><b>"CAUSES ACIDITY"</b> Coffee in itself can't. Poorly made coffee, like poorly fried fish, can. But coffee got all the blame. Science has since discovered that some people are allergic to coffee—just as they are to strawberries, milk, wheat, etc.</p>
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