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CISCO TOPS ALL BOND QUOTAS

News of Father's Death Reached Lt. Spears on June 25

Lt. Charles Spears of the U. S. navy arrived in Cisco yesterday on a leave of thirty days. He came by plane from San Francisco and was met in Fort Worth by his sisters, Mrs. Sterling Drumwright and Miss Lillian Spears.

When the young man's father, Alex Spears, esteemed citizen and president of the First National bank, passed away suddenly in the evening of June 7, every effort was made to locate the lieutenant, but without avail.

He was somewhere at sea and word of his father's death did not reach him until his arrival in San Francisco from Pearl Harbor on June 25, and even then only through a chance meeting with his friend Leonard King, also of Cisco, who was preparing to embark for the Pacific area. The two young men, by the way, have long been friends and left Cisco together when they entered the navy.

When asked as to his future plans in regard to the First National Bank, where he was employed before entering the service, and in which he personally is a stockholder, Lieutenant Spears replied that he expected to request inactive duty assignment on the grounds of 36 months naval service, 28 of which have been spent overseas, and also because he considers his services are needed at the bank.

LAWYERS DEBARRED.

FT. WORTH, June 27. — W. H. Slay and U. M. Simon, accused of professional misconduct in connection with affairs of the Mary Courts Burnett trust for benefit of TCU, will be suspended from law practice for a year beginning July 15 under an order of the grievance committee of the 12th district of the state bar, Herbert Wade, committee chairman, said today. Slay was a trustee of the trust and Simon was his law partner.

NEW YORK, June 27. — Directors of Missouri - Kansas - Texas railroad company today elected Lewis E. Pierson chairman of the board, succeeding the late Matthew S. Sloan.

Dill Gets Bronze Star Medal For Heroic Services

FT. SAM HOUSTON. — Staff Sgt. James L. Dill, 306 E. Twenty-first street, Cisco, Texas, was awarded the Bronze Star Medal for heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy on 13 December 1944.

As squad leader of a demolition squad of three men attached to an infantry company, Sergeant Dill advanced to a point fifteen yards from a pillbox protected by bunkers.

Three occupants of the bunkers exposed themselves and raised their hands in surrender, but one of them opened fire, wounding a man in Sergeant Dill's squad. Sergeant Dill and his remaining man returned the fire and killed the three Germans.

While Sergeant Dill drew fire from a second machine gun, the other man outflanked it and knocked it out with grenades. The demolition squad was separated from the main body by small arms and mortar fire and was left to return as best they could. By following an enemy patrol to its control point, and, observing during the remainder of the day, they gained valuable information on mortar emplacements and enemy fortifications. That evening Sergeant Dill led the return to their lines.

It was necessary for him to crawl and pick his way through an enemy "S" minefield, but he reached the Company CP with the important information. His devotion to duty and personal bravery in the face of an extremely difficult situation are in accordance with the highest military traditions.

ENACTED 378 LAWS.

AUSTIN, June 27. — Tabulations by Secretary of State Claude Isbell today showed 378 bills of the last legislature will become law, while 18 were vetoed by Gov. Coke R. Stevenson. Stevenson signed 318 bills, of which 220 had originated in the House of Representatives and 98 in the Senate. He filed 60 measures to let them become law without his signature.

Mrs. Smith and 2 Sons Saved Cisco Lions from Hunger

The report of J. T. Eggen, treasurer of the club, showing the financial condition, receipts and disbursements for the year ending June 30, together with other business announcements and actions, were features of the Lions luncheon today.

In response to a request from members, Johnnie Turner, son of President C. J. Turner, played a piano solo.

A splendid meal was served by Mrs. Wesley Smith and her two sons, who came to the rescue of a club without food service.

Delegates to the district Lions business session, to be held in Abilene tomorrow, were sent un-instructed as to voting.

A motion prevailed to tender the American Legion the use of the loud speaker system for their scrap paper drives. Lion E. J. Pross was given charge of the speaker and will check same out to the Legion each time they need it.

Dr. C. E. Paul made announcement concerning the proposed tax increase election to be held in favor of the Cisco Junior college.

At a directors' meeting following adjournment, directors voted to set aside the usual \$100 for the president's trip to the International Convention, whenever it may be held again.

The committee to seek permanent quarters and service for the club was continued.

Corp. Roy Westfall, on leave from England and Africa, was the guest of his father, A. R. Westfall; Johnnie Turner was the guest of his father and S. H. Nance introduced Charley Graham, late of Abilene, but now a resident of Cisco.

Baptist Minister Writes From Paris of David Metcalf

Mrs. Ina Metcalf of Cisco is in receipt of a highly appreciated letter from the American Baptist Foreign Missionary Society, Paris, France, concerning her son, Pfc. David Metcalf.

The young man, native of Cisco and 20 years of age, is with the army air corps on the European front. He entered the service January, 1942.

Excerpts from the letter, written May 8 by Edwin A. Bell, European representative of the missionary society, are as follows:

"I had the great pleasure of meeting your son at a service held Sunday evening for American and Allied soldiers and some of our French Baptist people in our church building at 48, Rue de Lille, Paris. I had the honor of being the preacher in this service.

"Your son is quite well and I know you are glad that he is maintaining his interest in the church and looking after his spiritual life in a fine way.

"As I write, Paris is delicious in its celebration of the announcement of victory in Europe. Everybody is on the street and in the subways."

MARK ENROUTE HOME.

WITH THE FIFTH ARMY. — Sgt. Louis E. Marr of Cisco, Texas, veteran of the Sicilian and Italian campaigns, is returning home from the Fifth army in Italy after 28 months overseas. Marr served as chief of section in Battery B, 631st field artillery battalion, normally part of the Second Corps. He took part in every major offensive in Italy, witnessing the disintegration of Nazi forces and their unconditional surrender. His wife, Melba, lives at 606 west Tenth street, Cisco.



MAMA BEAR assumes maternal responsibilities and goes about teaching offspring proper stance and stride. Baby bear seems to have trouble maintaining equilibrium. The bear family, only recently emerged from hibernation, is caught in uninhibited moment by camera in Brookfield, Ill.

Swimming Lessons At Lake Cisco; No Charge Made

The Red Cross will conduct a zone water safety course at the Lake Cisco swimming pools beginning Monday, July 1, for five days, it was announced this week by Edward Lee, Cisco Red Cross chairman.

The course will be free and will be taught by Hilton Gilliam, field representative of the Red Cross from St. Louis. It will lead to certificates qualifying those who complete it successfully to teach water safety courses under Red Cross sponsorship.

A class of 18 or 20 is desired. The course will be conducted for six hours each day and in order for a student to obtain a certificate it will be necessary for that student to attend all five courses. Both men and women will be taught. Applicants may register with W. J. Foxworth, manager of Lake Cisco Amusement company. All costs will be paid by the Red Cross. Applicants must be 18 years of age or over. Instruction will be given in swimming and water safety.

The zone for which the school will be held includes Eastland, Stephens, Erath and Palo Pinto counties. Cisco was selected because of its unexcelled facilities for this instruction.

Classes will begin each morning at 9 o'clock.

Annual Meeting of Red Cross July 6 At Courthouse

Mrs. Joseph Perkins of Eastland, chairman of the county Red Cross chapter, says the annual meeting of the chapter will be held at the courthouse at 2 p. m., July 6.

The meeting will be an open one and all who have contributed to the organization in any way are particularly invited to be present. Officers of the county chapter are especially urged to be on hand.

Speakers from Camp Bowie will be Col. William Weissinger, officer in charge of the regional hospital at the camp and Raymond C. Nelson, Red Cross field representative at the camp. T. W. Wagner, field representative from the regional office at St. Louis, is also expected.

In the business meeting which will follow the program, officers for the coming year will be elected.



THIS IS A BIG ONE—Two-year-old Roy Neill Acuff has as much fun exploring contents of can of worms as he anticipates his fishing trip to follow. Here he chooses prize bait for dad's fishing daddy Roy Acuff, to use in cane-pole fishing in Cumberland River, Nashville, Tenn.



AIRBORNE CHINA—Chief Hostess, PCA, Katherine Hartman, opens box of dinner ware dropped by parachute during demonstration in Washington. Dishes were packed for ordinary air express shipment and came through drop unbroken. Demonstration proves towns not on air route can be serviced.

CHARTER RATIFICATION.

WASHINGTON, June 27.—Majority Leader Barkley of Kentucky today envisaged Senate ratification of the San Francisco charter by Aug. 15 at the outside. It might come by Aug. 1. In any event, "we'll take no recess until our conscience is clear," Barkley told reporters.

MORE IDLERS.

WASHINGTON, June 27.—The number of idle workers caused by strikes and work stoppages throughout the country edged toward the 100,000 mark today. In Washington government labor agencies expressed anxiety over the mounting number of strikes.

CITY'S OVERALL ASSIGNMENT IS \$156,400; \$184,320 WAS SAFELY IN BAG ON JUNE 25

With the end of the Seventh War Loan period yet more than a week away, Cisco is already well over its quota of \$156,400, as respects both "E" and other bonds, with total purchases of \$184,326 reported as of June 25. The period ends July 7.

The remarkable fact is that this success was accomplished, not by high pressure appeals, but simply by a deliberate challenge to the patriotism of Cisco people.

From the very first campaign a policy of putting faith in the patriotism of the citizens has been followed, and Cisco has never fallen down on a war loan drive. The total purchases credited to Cisco would no doubt be a surprising figure, adding all regular monthly purchases to the purchases made during the seven special campaigns. Unfortunately, this total is not now available.

Results of the current drive are, however, a sufficient indication of how Cisco buyers are responding to the appeal of the government to back the nation's fighters with their dollars. Broken down into its several categories, we have the following figures:

The overall quota for Eastland county during the Seventh is \$680,000 of which \$405,000 is in "E" bonds and \$275,000 is in other bonds. Cisco's share of the overall quota is 23 per cent, or \$156,400, divided \$93,150 to "E" bonds and \$63,250 to other types.

Of "E" bonds Cisco showed on June 25 total purchases of \$101,228, or 108.06 per cent of quota. Of other bonds Cisco purchases on the same date were \$83,108, or 131.3 per cent of quota.

Further analyzing the Cisco purchases, the following figures are shown:

E Bonds.	
First National Bank	\$ 66,225.00
Palace Theater	8,500.00
Postoffice	10,893.75
Boys and girls in	
Service	5,428.00
Humble employees	10,181.25
Total	\$101,228.00

Other Bonds, Allocations.

First Nat. Bank	\$47,148.00
Radford Gro.	5,000.00
Goodyear Tire Co.	1,000.00
Telephone Co.	1,000.00
Lone Star Gas Co.	1,400.00
Rockwell Lbr. Co.	5,000.00
Total	\$16,400.00

Total purchases and allocations of other bonds \$63,548.00 County allocations in which Cisco participates to the extent of 23 per cent:

T. & P. Railway	\$13,800.00
Humble Oil Co.	4,600.00
Brazos River Dist.	1,150.00
Total	\$19,550.00

Cisco's grand total, \$184,326.00 Included in local sales are the following purchases:

Burton Lingo, \$3,000; J. C. Penney Co., \$3,000; Southwestern Life Ins. Co., \$5,000; A. S. Hickok, \$25,000; West Texas Utilities, \$5,000; Mary E. Townsend, \$5,000; Cisco Lumber and Supply, \$2,250. There are several other anonymous purchasers who bought from \$1,000 up in bonds.

R. L. Ponsler, local chairman for War Bond purchases, expressed his appreciation of the manner in which the public has responded to the appeals. He pointed out that the results shown are conclusive evidence that the people of Cisco, as the people of America, can and will respond to the needs of their nation in a measure worthy of the principles of a free and democratic citizenship. He expressed his thanks to all who

Stettinius Quits; Byrnes Will Likely Succeed Him

INDEPENDENCE, Mo., June 27. — At a press conference here this afternoon, shortly after his arrival in the old home town, President Truman announced the resignation of Secretary of State Stettinius and his appointment to the United Nations council.

The president also stated that he would name Mr. Stettinius' successor Monday or Tuesday.

All indications are that the new secretary of state will be James F. Byrnes, the president's old friend and former supreme court justice.

Tokyo Says Yanks Have Invaded the Island of Kume

GUAM, June 27. — Radio Tokyo reported Allied invasion forces were fighting their way today onto Kume island, 50 miles west of Okinawa, and predicted American assault forces may land on the China coast preparatory to invading Japan.

The unconfirmed report on the Kume invasion said "heavy fighting is now in progress." It described the action as a "fresh landing" in the central Ryukyu islands where Americans are developing new bases to hit the enemy homeland.

Tokyo quoted Maj. Gen. Masori Ito, one of Japan's leading military commentators, as saying there was no immediate prospect of an invasion of Japan and Okinawa is "totally unsuitable as a base for large scale operations."

Nation's E Bond Sales Are Short More Than Billion

WASHINGTON, June 27.—The \$4,000,000,000 series E bond quota still was more than \$1,000,000,000 short of attainment today.

The drive ends Saturday with the accounting period running another week through July 7. It opened May 14.

Here is the sales situation: E-bonds, \$2,971,000,000, expected to pass \$3,000,000,000 today. \$3,000,000,000 was the E-bond quota in the 6th war loan last winter.

Total sales, \$2,791,000,000, getting closer to the record of \$21,621,000,000 in the 6th drive.

Individual sales including E-bonds, \$6,670,000,000, considered more than likely to reach the \$7,000,000,000 individual quota.

Corporation sales, \$14,121,000,000, more than double the \$7,000,000,000 corporate quota. Corporation sales alone have passed the quota set for the entire drive, \$14,000,000,000.

have taken part in the success that has so far been accomplished, and expressed the hope that those who have not participated in this fine local achievement, may yet do so. "In other words," said Mr. Ponsler, "let your conscience be your guide."



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MEN AND SHIPS.

It is sad to see so many good ships, and so many good men with them, go down in the Pacific. But for the present this seems inevitable. It is a new phase of the great struggle between East and West, to determine whether Japan or the United States shall dominate the North Pacific.

We North Americans did not invite this struggle, but shunned it as long as we could. Our hope was to treat the greatest of oceans as a common possession, to be used freely by seafaring people of all nations, including the Japanese. But the latter were not content with such joint sovereignty. They attacked us in the hope of driving us, and eventually driving the British and other law-abiding nations also, from the whole region.

The attack had to be met, primarily by American sea power, with assistance from the British Empire. The ancient freedom of those waters is now restored slowly and painfully, but the stolen empire of the Japanese will be returned to its owners, and the Japs themselves will be confined permanently to so small a region and so little maritime power that they can never again embark on such a criminal enterprise. There must be no deviation from this program.

This enforced task of ours costs

much in blood and treasure, but the burden will be worth the cost, now and hereafter, in the possession of a freer and cleaner and more prosperous world.



LOOKING AHEAD
BY GEORGE S. BENSON
President, Harding College
Seaside, Arkansas

Uphold Wages.

Everybody who is willing and able to work is working harder these days; moving faster during regular hours and putting in overtime. Pressure of war, shortage of workers and prevailing high wages are the cause. A larger personal income, beneficial to all classes, is one of the direct results. We would all like to carry this feature over into the post-war years.

Philip Murray of the CIO had the right idea when he went to President Truman a few weeks ago and asked for a 20% increase in basic wage rates. Average wages in the United States at that time were \$1.04 an hour. This may seem high enough but it can't last. As soon as the war is over, labor's income will decline some, in spite of everything that can be done about it.

Losses to labor. Bonuses will disappear when

the pressure of government contracts is removed. Working weeks will be shorter. Overtime will shrink to the vanishing point. Besides, high-wage munition factories will close down and their employees will take work where wages are lower, some on farms. If the basic wage scale is not higher when war ends, labor's income will suffer too much.

Farmers have hard times when factory workers do. The wage earner's dinner table is the farmer's market, so nobody is more interested in high wages in factories than the farmers themselves. Agriculture and labor, both big segments of Americans, are right behind Mr. Murray for good wages immediately after the war because prosperity for many years will depend on it.

Bug in the Lot. The only disappointing detail in connection with the CIO's campaign for post-war prosperity is this: Mr. Murray's first move was an effort to make high wages legal rather than to make them possible. Lawyers have been trying for centuries to make people pay what they didn't have. It can't be done. It makes no difference what the wage scale is if the employer can't make it.

A high basic wage scale required upon the ponderous pages of federal statute books will not

buy milk for any working man's baby. Folding money in the pay-envelope, however, will do the trick. Any employer will put cash in his workers' hands, in steadily increasing quantities, so long as he can still show a profit on the products that his organization ships out from his factory.

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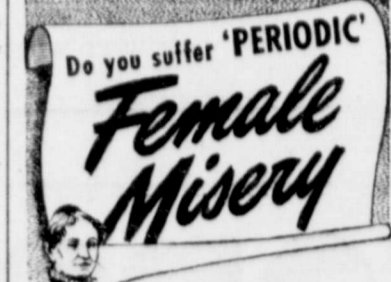
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DAVY ALFORD PARTY

HONOREE TUESDAY.

Mrs. Ruby Miller honored her grandson Davy Alford with a party in her home Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock celebrating his fourth birthday. The guests played games in the back yard, where swings and other playground equipment afforded amusement during the late afternoon. The honoree received a nice array of gift packages from his friends.

Refreshments of cream cones and birthday cake were passed to the children and bottle drinks and cookies to adult friends.

Those present were Davy Alford, Linda Daly, Harris Miller, Budgie Garrett, Philip Surles, Linda and Ronny Lyle Pratt, Mary Wayne Huston, Sonny and Mary McCrear, Bobby Dolgener, Robert Jackson, Bobby Ed McCharen, Suzanne Hall and the following adults: Mrs. Jack Daly, Mrs. Rex Moore, Miss Jane Moore, Mrs. Nick

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Miller, Miss Bobbie Lee Miller, Mrs. Ray G. Miller, Mrs. Jack Anderson, Mrs. Jay Garrett, Mrs. Marston Surles, Mrs. Carl Pratt, Mrs. Norman Huston, Mrs. Pete Clement, Mrs. Doris Elliott, Mrs. D. G. Alford and Mrs. Miller.

PRESBYTERIAN GROUP

AT CHURCH TUESDAY. Presbyterian auxiliary met for monthly business meeting at the church Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. C. C. Watkins, president, in charge. Mrs. Homer Slicker offered the opening prayer and Mrs. F. J. Borman brought the devotional for the afternoon. Minutes were read by Mrs. A. E. Jamison.

Due to resignation of Mrs. Watkins as president, Mrs. W. W. Wallace was elected to complete the term. Other routine business was attended to and Mrs. A. J. Olson dismissed the meeting with prayer.

Those present were Mrs. C. C. Watkins, Mrs. F. J. Borman, Mrs. E. P. Crawford, Mrs. J. E. Coleman, Mrs. W. Bogan Dunn, Mrs. W. L. Jones, Mrs. A. E. Jamison, Mrs. R. Kamon, Mrs. A. J. Olson, Mrs. O. L. Savage, Mrs. Homer Slicker, Mrs. W. W. Wallace, Miss Willie Word, Mrs. D. E. Waters, Mrs. P. R. Warwick and Mrs. J. E. Walter.

LUNCHEON AND FINE PROGRAM HELD TUES.

Women's council of First Christian church met for a luncheon Tuesday in the home of Mrs. W. J. Armstrong. Thirty members of the council were present and enjoyed the splendid luncheon and business and social meeting following.

At the close of the meal Mrs. Sam Kimmel presented a lovely gift of crystalware to Mrs. J. S. Mobley, out-going president, on behalf of the council. Mrs. Mobley presented a gift to Mrs. W. J. Armstrong, who has acted as secretary the past year and is the newly installed president.

The afternoon program by group

four was directed by Mrs. Rex W. Moore, as follows: Soft music, "The Beautiful Garden of Prayer," played by Mrs. Randolph Lee Clark; "We've a Story to Tell to the Nations," sung by members; devotional, "Seek Peace and Pursue It," Mrs. J. F. Benedict; song, "Wonderful Peace," by council. Afternoon address, "Four Steps to Building a New World," Mrs. W. J. Armstrong; hymn, "America, the Beautiful;" History of Texas Missions, Mrs. James Lattimer; poem, "Such Faith as This," read by Mrs. Rex W. Moore, closed the program.

The assembly was then called to order by Mrs. J. S. Mobley for the monthly business meeting. After a short talk Mrs. Mobley presented the gavel to Mrs. W. J. Armstrong, incoming president. Mrs. Armstrong named committees for the coming year. Council officers installed Sunday night by Rev. J. R. Wright are: President, Mrs. W. J. Armstrong; vice president, Mrs. Sam Kimmel; secretary, Mrs. Rex W. Moore; treasurer, Mrs. H. H. Davis; chairman of literature and missions, Mrs. J. E. Elkins; World Club chairman, Miss Alice Bacon; group leaders, Mrs. James Haynie, group one; Mrs. W. R. Huestis, two; Mrs. J. S. Mobley, three; Mrs. E. H. Hester and Mrs. James Lattimer, co-leaders of group four. Pianist, Mrs. C. R. West.

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The women's auxiliary of First Presbyterian church will have a lawn party on the terrace of the W. W. Wallace home in Humble town tonight at 8 o'clock. The party will honor Mrs. C. C. Watkins, president, who is moving soon to her new home in Abilene. All ladies of the Presbyterian church are invited.

Mrs. Yeager Owings has gone to El Paso to meet her husband Pfc. Owings, who has arrived in El Paso after having been a hospital patient in the Pacific area the past three months.

Mrs. A. J. Byrd of Dallas is visiting her sister Mrs. Erwin Warren on route one.

Mrs. E. O. Johnson of Stamford is visiting her mother Mrs. J. J. Livingston and her sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. Don Rupe.

Miss Dorothy Nell Isenhower arrived today from Fort Worth where she is a student at Texas Christian University and will spend her vacation with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Isenhower.

Mrs. Naunie Roberts of Dallas is a guest in the home of Dr. and Mrs. N. A. Brown.

Mrs. John D. Haber and daughter Elizabeth Ann returned Monday to Vernon after spending the past two weeks with her sister

Miss Louise Stroebel and other relatives in the Lutheran community.

Barbara Schaefer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schaefer of Camden, Ark., is a guest here of her grandmother Mrs. Emma Schaefer.

Mrs. S. McCann and daughter Mrs. Benny Brummett and son of Sabanno were Cisco visitors today.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Kleiner and son Richard returned from Rochester, Minn., the first of the week where Mr. Kleiner received a checkup at Mayo Brothers clinic.

John Brown, brother of Dr. N. A. Brown, accompanied by his son and nephew Austin Brown and Horace Leonard of Leesville, La., are guests in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Huestis spent Sunday afternoon in Breckenridge, guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Fumbro.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Mellette are guests of Mrs. Emma Schaefer this week while enroute to California from their home in Tennessee.

Mrs. Wm. S. Hayes and two children spent the past weekend in Cisco with Mr. Hayes and Mrs. J. E. Walter. Mrs. Hayes and children have gone to Newcastle

for a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor. Mr. Hayes is attached to the naval forces at Camp Parks, Calif.

Mrs. A. Sandhoefer has returned from Houston where she was called by the illness of her daughter. She was accompanied home by her grandsons John Arthur Schrader and Allen Thoman, who will spend the summer here.

Misses Jeanne, Janette and Dixie Hansen are expected home this week from Stephenville where they have been guests of friends.

Mrs. Albert Hansen has returned from Roscoe where she spent a few days with Mr. Hansen.

LeNell Nichols of Baird is spending the summer with her

grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Latson, Sr.

Recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Hooks were Mrs. R. A. Whitaker, Dallas; A. D. Lewis and two daughters, Peggy Sue and Nancy Lou, San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. George Lane, Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Agnew spent this afternoon in Breckenridge where they visited their daughter and husband Mr. and Mrs. Richard Turknett.

Mrs. O. C. Lomax and daughter Miss Mayonne Lomax left Monday for McAllen where they will visit her daughter-in-law Mrs. Alton Lomax and baby.

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