

Church Activities

Baptist Women's Society
The members of the Baptist Women's Society met at the church last Thursday for an all-day meeting and covered dishes at noon.

Prayers were given by Mrs. Cole, who was also in charge of the program, "American Youth," as assisted by Mrs. B. J. J. N. Munsy, Sr.

After the afternoon a special service for home missions was given.

Fourteen members of the Woman's Council of the Christian Church met last night at the church.

A luncheon was served the afternoon several members worked on a quilt.

Members of the Red Cross at the church at 7:30 p.m.

Methodist Society of Christ-
The Methodist Society of Christ- held its regular meeting Thursday afternoon at the church.

J. W. Webb, president, presided at the meeting. Delegates to the annual conference to be in session April 1 and 2 were Mrs. W. B. Webb, Mrs. G. A. Clark, Alternates Mrs. C. A. Clark, Mrs. E. C. Dixon, spiritual adviser, announced that the "Day of Prayer" would be held at the church at 7:30 p.m. Friday evening.

Worship service was in charge of Mrs. Dixon with Mrs. Smith and Mrs. I. C. Keller as soloists. The theme was, "No duty can seem low-ly to him who lives with Christ."

The program, "Uprooted Peo-ple," was led by Mrs. C. A. Clark. A solo was given by Mrs. Smith. Those assisting Mrs. Clark on the program, which was a radio broadcast, were William Bullock, Mrs. George-an, Mrs. Tommy Franklin, the Rev. Mr. Clark.

At the meeting Mrs. Pat-ter, Mrs. Smith and Mrs. J. J. Harris served refreshments to twenty-seven members.

Red Cross Activities

The nurses' aide training will start in Roswell about March 15. The training period lasts seven weeks, five afternoons a week.

There are two periods of training. The first period includes thirty-four hours of lectures and class work. The second is forty-five hours of supervised training in work in the hospital and one hour for the examination.

Any woman between the ages of 18 and 50 years is eligible to take this training, provided she is an American citizen, has a high school education or its equivalent and can pass a physical examination. Upon successfully completing the course, all nurses' aides agree to volunteer 150 hours of service a year in local hospitals or health centers.

The government has asked the American Red Cross and the Office of Civilian Defense to enroll and train 50,000 nurses' aides to help in hospitals due to the shortage of registered nurses and doctors. The Army and Navy are calling more nurses into service every day, making the need for nurses' aides greater.

The local Red Cross will see that those going from here will get supplemental gas for the trip. Anyone interested in taking this training may call the Red Cross office, 328-W, or Mrs. S. E. Chipman, 126-M, for further information and enrollment.

Workers are still needed in the surgical dressing room. All women are asked to give as much time as possible to this work.

Call for first aid certificates at the Red Cross office.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEET ROBERSON HOME

The executive committee of the Artesia Junior Woman's Club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ralph G. Roberson, Jr.

The nominating committee discussed candidates for the new officers for the new year.

Plans were made for making a supplement to the by-laws for the next year. A community shoe exchange was also discussed.

Those present were Mrs. Robert O. Anderson, Mrs. Otis Bigelow, Mrs. S. P. Yates, Mrs. Andy Corbin, Mrs. Phillip Kranz, Mrs. Odie Holly, Mrs. Charlie Floore, Mrs. A. C. Sadler, Mrs. Wallace Hastings and Mrs. C. A. Meisinger.

The hostess served refreshments at the close of the meeting.

Burritt S. Mills Guest Speaker At Auxiliary Meeting

Burritt S. Mills, consultant for the eighth division of the OCD, with headquarters at Dallas, Tex., was guest speaker at the meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary Monday afternoon at the hut, when he gave an interesting demonstration on incendiary bombs, how they burn and the proper way to extinguish them.

Mrs. A. L. Bert, who introduced the speaker of the afternoon, and who is community service chairman, gave a short talk on different ways to serve the community and stressed the importance of "Victory Gardens." Mrs. Virgil Mill-saps, a Red Cross representative, told how the money is being spent in the Red Cross drive. She also told of the need for workers in the various departments of the Red Cross, especially in the surgical dressing room. The Auxiliary voted to give \$25 to the Red Cross.

During the business, it was reported the national organization of the Auxiliary has given \$50,000 to train nurses' aides. Mrs. Oren C. Roberts, president, appointed Mrs. H. C. Bidwell as chaplain to fill the vacancy left by the resignation of Mrs. J. H. Naylor.

Plans were discussed for a joint meeting with the Legion to be at 7 o'clock this evening celebrating the birthday of the Legion and also honoring Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morgan.

Mrs. Harold Hancock, Mrs. Craig Cornett and Mrs. A. L. Bert, hostesses, served refreshments at the close of the meeting.

MR. AND MRS. GLASSER HOSTS AT DINNER TUESDAY

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Glasser were hosts at a dinner Tuesday evening complimenting Lt. and Mrs. John J. Clarke, Jr., who are here visiting from La Junta, Colo., where he is stationed.

Other guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Ross Wedemeyer and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stroup.

LEGION AND AUXILIARY PARTY TO BE TONIGHT

The joint meeting and party of the American Legion and the Auxiliary, previously announced for Friday evening in observation of the Legion's twenty-fourth birthday anniversary, will be held this evening instead, because "World Day of Prayer" will be observed in a number of the local churches tomorrow.

A covered dish supper will be served at the hut at 7 o'clock this evening, when the Auxiliary entertains the Legion.

MRS. STORY HOSTESS TO FIRST BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. J. M. Story was hostess to the First Afternoon Bridge Club Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. H. C. Bidwell was a substituting guest. Others present were Mrs. L. A. DeLouche, Mrs. M. W. Evans, Mrs. Arba Green, Mrs. Jeff Hightower, Mrs. B. E. Kennedy, Mrs. J. Hise Myers, Mrs. G. U. McCrary, Mrs. James Nellis, Mrs. Beecher Rowan and Mrs. J. J. Clarke, Sr.

At the close of the rounds of bridge the hostess served cake and a drink. Mrs. DeLouche held high score of the afternoon.

MR. AND MRS. PRICE ARE PARENTS OF A SON

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Price of Lake-wood are the parents of a boy born Monday in a Carlsbad hospital. The son weighed 8 pounds and 5 ounces.

Mrs. Jo Jackson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jackson of Hope, who was reported critically ill last week, is very much improved.

Others receiving medical treatment are Mrs. Johney Cockburn, Mrs. J. A. McCreery, Earbelle Hanna, small daughter of Mr. and

Hospital News

There were five babies, all boys, born at the hospital this last week:

A son, Ross Lee, Jr., born at 7:30 o'clock Thursday evening to Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Dollison, weight 6 pounds 10 1/2 ounces.

A son, Darrell Hardin, born at 5:20 o'clock Friday morning to Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Dillard, weight 6 pounds 9 ounces.

A son, James Arthur, born at 4:30 o'clock Friday afternoon to Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Sloan, weight 7 pounds 8 1/2 ounces.

A son, Billy Joe, born at 9:42 o'clock Tuesday morning to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hooten, weight 7 pounds 15 ounces.

A son, Victor, born at 5:45 o'clock Saturday afternoon to Mr. and Mrs. Rafael Florez, weight 7 pounds 4 ounces.

Sue Booker, the elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Booker, is recovering from an appendectomy, performed Sunday afternoon.

Master William Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Merrifield, is also recovering from an appendectomy.

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DAUGHTER IS BORN TO MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM IRISH

Announcements have been received here of the birth of a daughter, Nancy Helen, to Mr. and Mrs. William Irish of Glendale, Calif.

The mother is the former Virginia Gates of Artesia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Gates.

Mrs. Bennie Hanna, and Dixie Deen Pinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Pinson.

SHORTHAND CLASS TO CONTINUE ANOTHER MONTH

The shorthand class, which meets from 7 to 9 o'clock each Monday and Thursday evening at the high school, has been continued for about another month.

About ten members are now taking the class, which is taught by Mrs. Billie Flesher.

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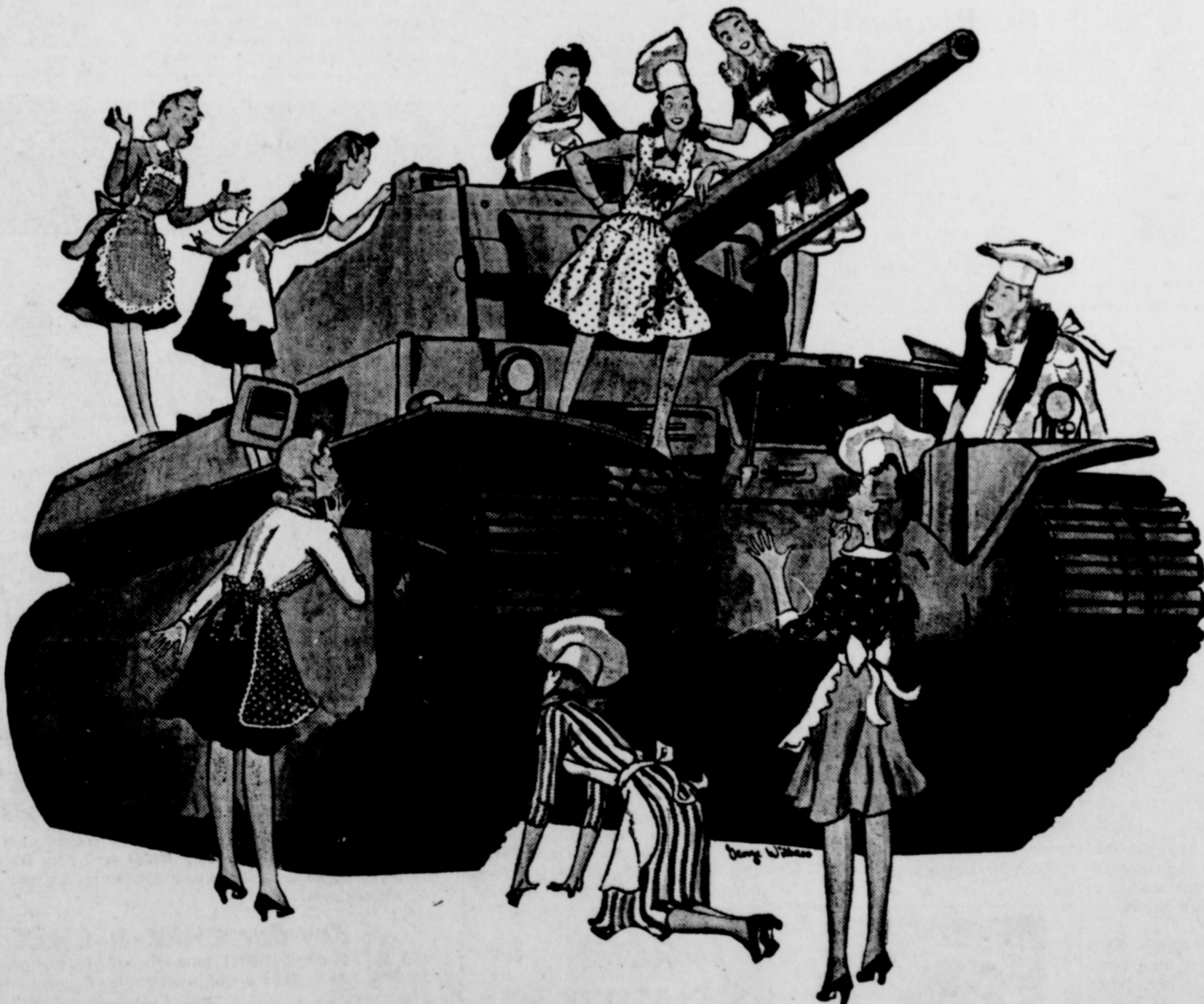
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