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

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## 1,000 PLANES SHATTER AXIS WAR CENTERS

### MRS. STARR'S HURTS WERE MINOR ONES

Mrs. Lewis Starr, who was in an accident Monday when she unthoughtfully walked in front of a car driven by Mrs. Herman Reimer, says she will be able to go back to work tomorrow. Her injuries, which were minor, have given her some pain but the nervous shock was perhaps the greater of her hurts.

Mrs. Starr said she was walking south on D avenue, along with her daughter, Hope, when she saw Mrs. Reimer driving north, but beginning to turn west.

Thinking Mrs. Reimer saw her, she stepped into the street. But the driver of the car had her eyes on a truck that was passing and so did not see Mrs. Starr, who was hit with the bumper and knocked backwards, injuring the lower leg and making a bump on the top of the head, but not breaking the skin.

Mrs. Starr says there is one consolation of being the victim of an accident, and that is so many people have been nice, sending food and expressing sympathy.

The daughter was not struck.

### JOEL WHATLEY VERY LIKELY JAP PRISONER

Joel D. Whatley, 28, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Whatley of Cisco, is a prisoner of the Japanese according to latest information received by his parents.

The Cisco young man enlisted in the army January 18, 1936, and was a member of the fifth cavalry, Troop A, during his two-year term. He enlisted again on January 21, 1939, and was assigned to an army truck equipment division as a truck driver. Later he was chosen as chauffeur for Gen. Anthony Wainwright, who succeeded Gen. Douglas MacArthur at Corregidor. He is presumed to have been captured along with his commanding officer when the Japanese took Corregidor.

Whatley won third place in rifle marksmanship and second place in pistol marksmanship in army contests before he left the states.

Many Cisco friends will remember Whatley as having been a Western Union messenger boy in 1933. He was also motorman at Lake Cisco for out-of-town visitors from Ft. Worth and Dallas and elsewhere in 1934.

### SOCIAL CLUB WANTS TO BORROW A PIANO

At a meeting last night of the recreational committee of the War Ordnance Center, plans were made for the organization of a social club for the women employees. The former Service Men's club quarters at Fifth and D streets was inspected and will be furnished and redecorated.

Among the furnishings desired by club members is a piano and the recreational committee is anxious to grant this request, if a suitable instrument can be secured. Any one having a piano they would be willing to lend to the club will kindly notify Mrs. E. T. Graham.

Present at the meeting last night were Mrs. E. T. Graham, Mrs. A. D. Anderson, Mrs. H. S. Drumwright, Mrs. Karl Armstrong, Mrs. Eleanor Phillips and Secretary P. R. Warwick of the chamber of commerce.

Your conscience just seems to bother you more in middle age. So often you think it is remorse when it's your liver.

### GRADUATE EXERCISES THURSDAY

The baccalaureate sermon for Cisco Junior college graduates Thursday evening, 8:30 o'clock, at First Methodist church, by Dr. W. R. White, noted speaker, opens the graduating activities of college and public schools, which continue through the June 3 period.

Preparations are for a large audience to hear and see this outstanding program, President R. N. Cluck said today.

#### Program.

Recessional, played by Betty Slicker, Gloria Graham and Rose Ann Woods.

Invocation, Rev. Cooper Waters.

Hymn, "The Church's One Foundation," sung by all present.

Scripture, by Rev. James R. Wright.

Sermon, Dr. W. R. White.

Closing hymn, "God of Our Fathers."

Benediction, Rev. L. H. Clegg.

Recessional, by instrumental trio.

All ministers of the city are invited to seats on the rostrum.

### BAPTIST MEN HAVE A GREAT TIME AT LAKE

About 22 members of First Baptist church Brotherhood attended the monthly meeting at the lake last night, where A. B. Cooper supervised the cooking of fish and making coffee, the main features of the program presented by F. E. Shepard and W. Frank Walker.

A business meeting was held at the close of the program, in which some important matters were considered but not completed.

President W. W. Fewell called the meeting to order, with prayer by Rev. H. D. Blair, followed by deliciously browned fish, strong coffee, cold drinks, pickles and bread. Members declared themselves completely satisfied, although there was not a scrap of fish remaining.

Following the business discussion, Rev. Cooper Waters pronounced the benediction.

Those present were A. E. McNeely, O. J. Russell, R. B. Kinsey, Rev. H. D. Blair, F. E. Shepard, W. Frank Walker, Jewell Poe, A. B. Cooper, S. B. Parks, W. H. LaRoque, Algie Skiles, W. P. Caldwell, Rev. Cooper Waters, W. W. Fewell, Sam Kimmell, S. N. Poe, R. R. Jones, G. A. Eppler, C. A. Williams, E. L. Wisdom, Ernest McClelland and R. N. Cluck.

### TAX BILL TO F. D. R. SOON IS PREDICTION

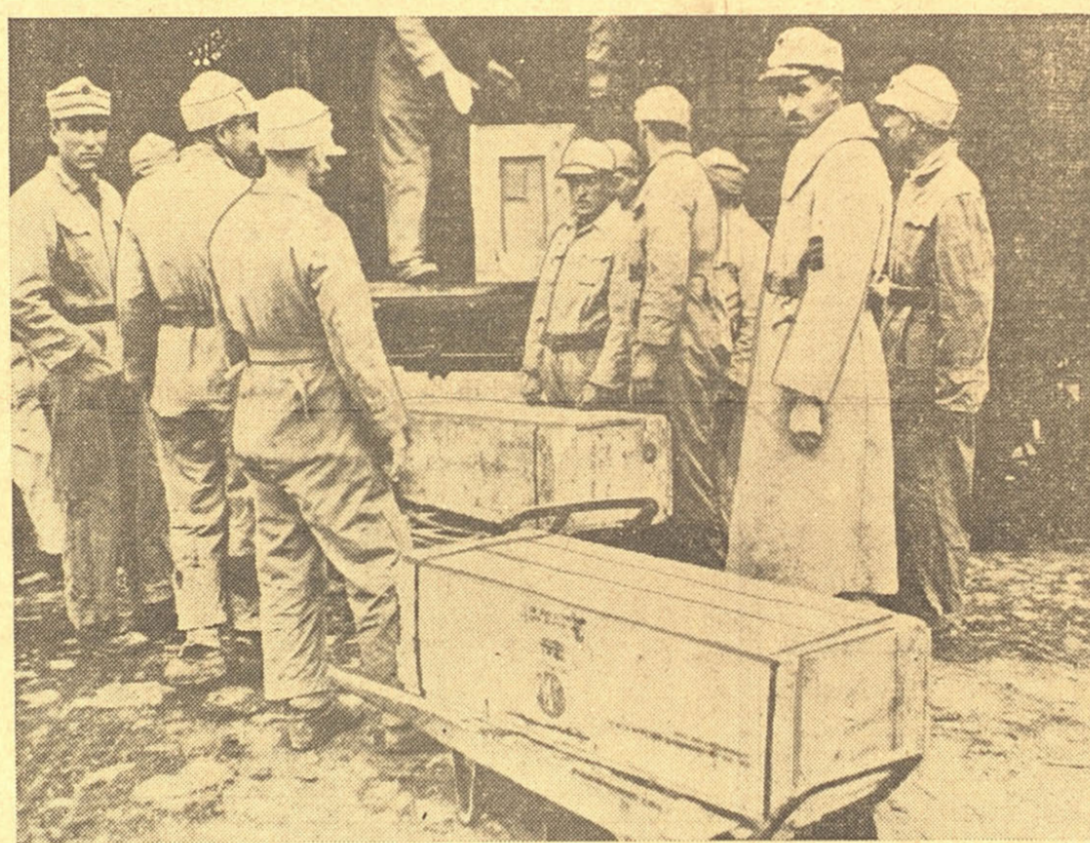
WASHINGTON, May 26.—Senate-house tax conferees, agreed upon a compromise 75 per cent forgiveness for the little tax-payer, were confident today of congressional approval but declined to guess whether President Roosevelt would sign such a bill.

For those who owe more than \$50, the bill provides 75 per cent forgiveness and collection of the remaining 25 per cent in two years.

For those who owe not more than \$50, it provides complete forgiveness, or for all practical purposes the Ruml plan.



FOR UNCLE SAM NOW—More than 100 soldiers at Camp Lee, Va., were naturalized at a ceremony on the post. They represented 19 nations and three continents. Above, Major General James E. Edmonds greets Sgt. Chernack, born in Russia.



U. S. BOMBS—Bombs from U. S., sent to Turkey under Lend-Lease program, unloaded at Port Iskenderun. Turkish soldiers take them from ship to freight cars bound for aviation centers.

### TOTAL LOANED ALLIES NOW 11 BILLIONS

WASHINGTON, May 26.—President Roosevelt, reporting that lend-lease aid through April totaled \$11,102,000,000, told Congress today that more lend-lease munitions have been sent to Soviet Russia than to Great Britain, and that the United States is "out-building the aggressors in every category of arms."

In transmitting a report covering lend-lease operations thru April 30 last, Mr. Roosevelt asserted that arms are accumulating for offensives "that will end only in Berlin and Tokyo."

Great Britain still ranks first as the recipient of all lend-lease shipments — \$3,116,000,000 since March 11, 1941. Lend-lease shipments to the Soviet Union through April 1, 1943, totaled \$1,822,000,000, not counting "many hundreds of planes ferried by air."

The report promised:

1. Unconditional surrender of the Axis.
2. Allied strategy "to win as quickly as possible — in Rome and Berlin and Tokyo."
3. Increased lend-lease to China, with reopening of the Burma Road "among the strategic objectives of our forces."

#### SOVIETS PROGRESS.

MOSCOW, May 26.—Soviet troops seized four villages in sudden thrusts northwest of Moscow today and the Russians announced that navy planes have sunk six landing vessels and an escort boat in the Black Sea off the Caucasian coast.

### CITY CUTS DEBT BY \$7,800

Announcement of the retirement of a sizable slice of city bonds, awarding of the city audit, discussion and action of tax adjustments and a warning to stock owners to keep stock from deprecating on gardens, were features of the city commission meeting last night.

About \$7,800 worth of bonds were purchased by the city at 68½ cents on the dollar, bringing the total purchased this year to about \$20,000.

Therefore, the approximate bonded indebtedness of Cisco today is \$656,690.

The city audit for the year ending April 30, 1943, was awarded to Nolan C. Phillips & Co., of Waco.

Owners of livestock were ordered to keep their animals closely confined, since it has been reported that several fine gardens have been ruined by loose cattle. The ordinance forbidding this is to be enforced, it was announced.

Those present were Mayor Edward Lee and Commissioners Charles J. Kleiner, A. D. Anderson, George Boyd, J. J. Collins, H. S. Drumwright and George W. Downie, city secretary.

### MISS ANDRES' CLASS ENTERTAINED LIONS

A very pretty and unique program was brought to the Lions luncheon today by Lion Harry Schmidt when he presented Miss Ella Andres and her first-year Spanish class, featuring Miss Evelyn Medlin, who is an American, reared in Tampico, Mexico, where she grew up to speak Spanish, only recently learning to speak English, and now studying in Cisco high school.

The class of about 18 presented a play with Bob Donoho as an American who had studied Spanish but, like many of her students, as Miss Andres expressed it, did not remember it very well. Donoho tries to buy a rail road ticket to El Paso and while awaiting his train also attempts to buy some Mexican trinkets from the pretty señoritas as he seeks to engage them in conversation, only to seemingly insult the one he is trying to tell she looks gorgeous. Miss Medlin, as a Spanish maiden who speaks English, extricates him from some of his difficulties of not properly speaking and understanding the language.

The costumes were pretty and the renditions were complimentary to Miss Andres' training.

Several committees asked for more time to report their activities, while it was announced that the "Womanless Wedding" would make a return engagement Friday night, June 4, by special request.

Other students forming the Spanish class are Bob Donoho, Betty Lasater, Patsy Osborn, Robbie Kate Berry, Dorothy Jackson, Mary Ellen Winn, Bettie Fincher, Betty Scott, Mary Frances Urban, Sandra Coplin, Norma Cropper, Angela Macias, Mayonne Lomax, Virginia Hibbert, Gloria Graham, A. D. Anderson, Jr., Dick Anderson, Harry Grantz, Betty Slicker and Mary Martha Mitcham.

Major H. R. Garrett was recognized and spoke a few words in appreciation of being back home.

### FLYING FORTRESSES MADE THE DAY'S MAIN ATTACK ON MESSINA, SAYS GEN. EISENHOWER

LONDON, May 26.—Allied aerial fleets about 1000 planes strong boosted the pre-invasion offensive against Axis Europe to a new pitch in the last 24 hours when more than 500 RAF block-buster bombers struck at the Nazi arms city of Dusseldorf and almost 400 aircraft hammered Messina and other Italian outposts on Sicily, Sardinia and Pantelleria.

Allied planes in strong formation carried on the assault in daylight forays across the English Channel this afternoon.

Twenty-seven British bombers were lost in the raids on Dusseldorf and other unlisted targets in Germany last night, the air ministry announced. The assault came only 48 hours after another British force dumped 2000 tons of bombs on the Ruhr Valley industrial center of Dortmund in the heaviest raid of the war.

The African-based planes destroyed 25 more enemy aircraft yesterday to boost their bag for the week to 357. Eleven Allied planes were lost for a week's total of 33.

Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's North African headquarters announced that a strong force of Flying Fortresses made the day's main attack on Messina at the northeastern tip of Sicily, touching off a big explosion in the naval base and shattering dock, railroad and power station installations.

While Britain's big bombers were concentrating on Dusseldorf last night, fight planes carried out intruder operations over Holland, Belgium and France. One was lost.

At least three-quarters of the raiding force over Dusseldorf were understood to have been four-engined Lancasters, Sterlings and Halifaxes, capable of carrying the world's largest bombloads.

Clouds prevented the raiders from observing the full results of their bombing, however.

### HEAD OF GREAT INDUSTRY DIES AT AGE OF 49

DETROIT, May 26.—Edsel Bryant Ford, head of the Ford Motor Co., one of the world's greatest industrial empires, died early today of undulant fever. He was 49.

At his bedside when he succumbed was his father, Henry Ford, who founded the company nearly a half century ago and introduced to the world the "Tin Lizzie."

Ford was stricken critically ill about a week ago, and death came at 1:30 a. m. Also at the bedside were his wife, Eleanor; his mother; two of his three sons, Benson, a student in an Army administration school, and William Clay, 18, and his daughter, Eleanor, 21.

Ford was born into the automobile business, grew up in it and lived to become the president and sole heir to the far-flung empire. When Ford was born Nov. 6, 1893, in a two-story brick house in what is now the heart of Detroit's business section, his father was tinkering with "a horseless carriage" while not working as a \$30-a-week obscure mechanic for the Detroit-Edison Co.

#### RESENT INTERFERENCE.

WASHINGTON, May 26.—Five senators from southern states said today that they would filibuster to death a house-approved bill making it unlawful for states to make payment of a poll tax pre-requisite for voting.

#### LEWIS INSISTENT.

WASHINGTON, May 26.—John L. Lewis has won a token victory equal to at least half of the \$2-a-day wage boost he started out five months ago to get for more than half a million coal miners. Today he begins battling in renewed conferences with bituminous operators to get the rest of it.

#### MAY BE WISE.

FT. WORTH, May 26.—A resolution urging the government to keep men in the armed services after the war, for a period of two years if need be, until they are absorbed by industry, will be presented to the twenty-ninth annual encampment of the United Spanish War Veterans of Texas at Hotel Texas Friday and Saturday.

#### OPA JUGGLERS.

WASHINGTON, May 26.—The OPA juggled prices on potatoes today, favoring the shopper slightly and granting farmers a higher sum. Administrator Brown decreed a 7 pct. cut in consumer price and a 30-cent per 100 pounds increase to farmers. Thus potatoes that sold for 6 cents a pound in Washington now will be 5½ cents.



FARES, PLEASE—Like most other nations, Switzerland has men on war duty and their places in civil life are taken by women. This sturdy-looking young woman is a trolley car conductress in an important Swiss city.

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## PROGRESS?

A frail and modest old gentleman who, more than any other living man has changed the face of the world, has just been inspecting a \$20,000,000 research laboratory at a big Ohio airport. He is Orville Wright, who with his brother Wilbur invented and flew the first airplane, 40 years ago. At the age of 71 he is as keenly interested as ever in the ever-expanding scope of human flight and the mechanical progress that goes with it.

It was a big job in those early days to get one flimsy motored kite off the ground. Today the inventor can stand at any one of a hundred or a thousand places and see planes coming and going, rising and sinking like great flocks of crows. He sees the whole world woven together by mechanical wings. And along with such civilized progress he also sees great wars waged in the sky, with the fighting so far up that it can only be seen with field glasses. He looks at the great mechanical birds coming and going, and says little. He concerns himself, as he has always done, with the mechanical problems of aviation.

But if Orville Wright could have foreseen the military development of his kites at Kittyhawk, N. C., 40 years ago, would he have continued his experiments in human flight? Or would he and his brother have burned their models? It is a fair question in these days when the Wright Brothers' kites, with ever-growing power, carry offensive and defensive warfare throughout the world.

## FERMENTATION.

Labor seems to be getting into a ferment. There are many strikes, often on trivial grounds, when there should be none. It is shocking, at a time when all national energies are needed for the war. And it must give considerable comfort to the enemies of this country.

Doubtless in many cases there are legitimate grievances among workmen. But there should be ample New Deal machinery for their correction, and apparently there is a readiness on the part of federal agencies to make adjustments with the great unions.

Two things seem at the bottom of nearly all these interruptions of important work.

One is the desire of ambitious and powerful labor leaders to fish in troubled waters instead of using their influence for orderly production.

The other is the readiness of many labor followers to stop work on slight provocation, regardless of their pledges and the dangerous national situation.

What both of these groups seem to need most is an infusion of old-fashioned patriotism. But such medicine is hard to administer.

## HIS START.

President Roosevelt's start in politics is recalled by the death of the 83-year-old ex-Senator James A. O'Gorman of New York.

In 1911 United States senators were still elected by the state legislatures. For the first time in 20 years the Democrats had won a majority in the New York legislature. This majority was all set to choose William F. Sheehan, a Tammany politician, as senator. Young Franklin D. Roosevelt, a new state senator, and several other Democrats, refused to vote for Sheehan, causing a deadlock that lasted till Sheehan withdrew and O'Gorman, a New York City judge, was chosen as a compromise.

O'Gorman was not an outstanding senator. He was one of the "little group of wilful men" denounced by President Wilson, and did not run for reelection. His chief significance lay in the circumstances of his election. The prolonged deadlock that preceded it helped to change the time-honored mode of senatorial election,

in favor of choice by direct vote of the people.

## PROTECTION.

How much a year will American taxpayers give to keep up defensive military equipment when this war is over? Charles F. Kettering says \$1,000,000,000 a year would do but people wouldn't be willing to pay it.

He may be wrong about that. After the last war, to be sure, this nation felt that the job was done, and neglected its defenses at home and abroad. But if the lesson has not been learned by this time, it should be driven home by the fact that in the next fiscal year there will be \$100,000,000,000 spent on national defense. One per cent of that for post-bellum protection would look small in comparison. And for a thorough job there might be willingness to spend two or three billions a year for a while, much of which could be offset by lopping off unnecessary departments of government.

## WEATHER.

What a world! There seems to be war in heaven, too—or wherever it is that weather is manufactured. The floodgates are opened and water pours down over a vast area in the Middle West and the Great Lakes basin, almost as it did in the German Rhur when the dams were blasted.

Yet in the southeastern states as a whole the sun has been shining. It seemed as if a line were drawn from St. Louis and Cincinnati eastward to the Atlantic, below which was fine, normal weather. And at the end of last week professional meteorologists were giving wet states about ten more days of deluge.

It is odd, and also pathetic, how little comfort people can get from official weather experts in such cases. When millions of citizens are standing up to their necks in water, and millions of acres of planted crops are floating away, the government's experts usually insist that it's "practically normal for this time of year."



**MOTHER**—Mrs. Edna Blue, executive chairman of the Foster Parents' Plan for War Children, chosen "Mother of the United Nations' Children," by 200 mothers of various nationalities. Mothers, who met in Britain, selected Mrs. Blue for her work for needy children in England, France and Spain.

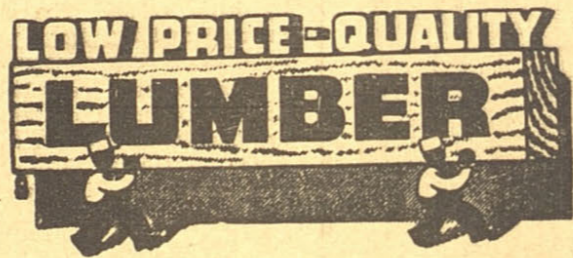
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## OTHER EDITORS

Fort Worth Star-Telegram: Joe J. Taylor, editor-in-chief of the Dallas Morning News, served that newspaper during the final 33 years of his life and made a large contribution to its success. His daily column, "State Press," was one of the most popular and widely read in the Southwest. Joe Taylor as he was known among fellow newspapermen and other numerous friends, was a product of the era of the personal, not-so-prosperous journalism of the old school, and readjusted himself to the changed conditions when newspapers became large business institutions that presented news factually and impersonally. His column, however, preserved some of the individualism of the old as a haven for the new. Dr. Taylor succeeded as an editorial executive and writer, because he was endowed with the cardinal virtues of character. Deprived of opportunity to attend college he educated himself thoroughly in the manner of his generation. His comments and interpretations were always tempered by humor and kindness toward people and their causes, a fact which added to his influence. As editor of the News he will be sorely missed by his associates; and his followers will be deprived by the loss of his writings. Properly the News terminates "State Press," which was Joe Taylor and hence irreplaceable.



**HOUSTON FIGHTS AGAIN**—Four generations ago his great-great-uncle made Texas history. Here's Private Sam Houston, Jr., 18, learning to fight at Marine base, Parris Island, S. C. He's native of Washington, D. C. U. S. Marine Corps Photo



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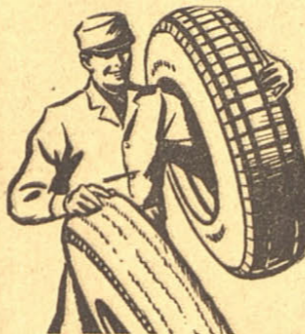
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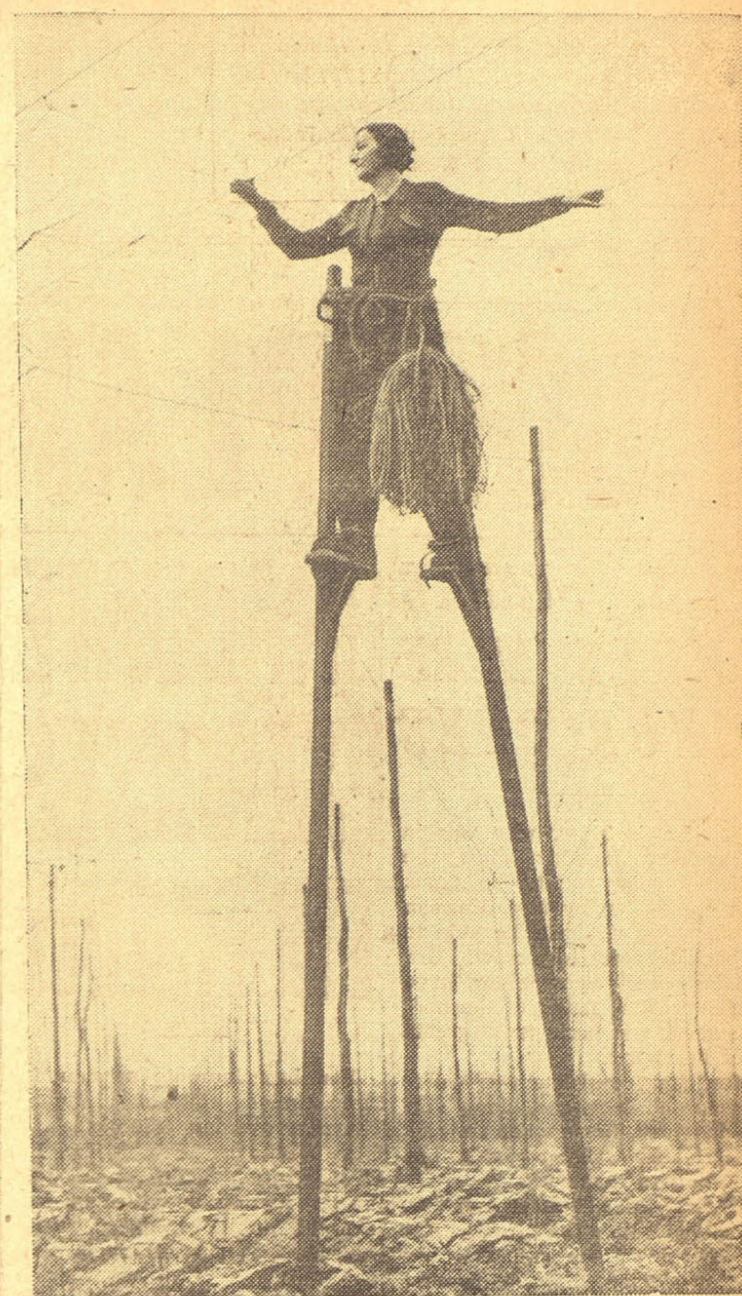
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**HOP HOPPER**—If this English woman makes one false step, she'll be in difficulty with those stilts on which she walks. Meanwhile, she's adjusting poles and guide wires for season's hop yield, in hop field in Paddock Wood, Kent.



**RESCUE MAN**—Neither sailor nor Marine, but member of Army Air Force attached to Quartermaster Corps is Technical Sgt. Robert Winn of Denver. He and mates man rescue boats in San Pablo, Cal., Bay to pick up fliers who crash there.



**DUCKY TO BENCH?**—Joe (Ducky) Medwick who has been lifted from clean-up spot in Brooklyn Dodgers line-up because of slump in stickwork. He may find more substantial seat on bench than rail he's sitting on.

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**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. PONSNER, 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.

John William Butts Post 123, American Legion. Meets fourth Monday nights. Ladies' Auxiliary, third Monday nights, at Legion Hut. Visitors always welcome.

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**"PARENT NIGHT" SUCCESSFUL AFFAIR.**

"Parent Night" was observed at west ward school Tuesday night by the Parent-teacher association, with Mrs. R. N. Cluck, incoming president in charge.

The meeting began with a musical program, directed by Mrs. Roy Camfield, as follows: Song, "Have You Ever Been to Texas in the Spring?" by third and fourth grade pupils; piano solo, Nancy Cluck; reading, "I Am An American," Jimmy Swindle; two folk songs, by sixth grade pupils, with Mrs. Roy Camfield playing piano accompaniment, concluded the program.

Supt. R. N. Cluck was presented in timely talk on "Juvenile Delinquency and Need of a Child Recreational Center in Cisco;" Arlin Bint, west ward principal, gave a report of what west ward has accomplished the past year; Mrs. R. E. Grantham gave a talk on "Radio and the Loud Speaking System," which was installed the past school year; Mrs. R. N. Cluck spoke of putting forth effort to enlist all parents in attending meetings of the association next year. The meeting closed by all present standing and joining in the Lord's prayer. Approximately 75 people were in attendance.

**FIRST BAPTIST WMU BUSINESS MEETING.**

Women's missionary union of First Baptist church met in a general business meeting in the church Tuesday afternoon, with Mrs. M. F. Underwood, president, in charge. The meeting opened

with singing of the hymn, "More Love to Thee, Oh Christ," with Mrs. B. B. Hurst playing piano accompaniment. Mrs. O. L. Mason led the prayer following. It was decided to change the meetings at the church from 3 o'clock to 4 p. m. during the summer months. Plans were completed for the banquet to be served honoring high school graduates, next Friday night. The meeting closed with several prayers for men in uniform, with Mrs. E. J. Poe concluding.

Those present were Mrs. A. B. Cooper, Mrs. Fred Grist, Mrs. L. A. Harrison, Mrs. W. D. Hazel, Mrs. C. A. Farquhar, Mrs. W. F. Walker, Mrs. M. F. Underwood, Mrs. B. B. Hurst, Mrs. O. L. Mason, Mrs. W. C. Clements, Mrs. Sargent, Mrs. H. B. Hensley, Mrs. O. J. Russell, Mrs. G. B. Langston, Mrs. Ina Pyle Martin, Mrs. A. C.



**'CHUTER** — Mrs. Marie McMillin, receptionist at the Hotel Pierre, New York, is teaching nurses how to drop by parachute to aid wounded in front-line positions. She has two sons in service.

**COUNCIL GROUP FOUR IN CHURCH TUESDAY.**

First Christian church council group four met in the church Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. J. F. Benedict, chairman, directing. The devotional was brought by Mrs. Willie Rue Logan, in which she discussed the topic, "Trust in God." The scripture used was Joshua, 1:9. The devotional was closed with a poem, "Standing

Still." Mrs. James Haynie led the group in prayer. Mrs. Sam Kimmell, president, gave a talk on a new ration book for the council and a menu was planned for a local club. The meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. W. R. Winston.

Those present were Mrs. J. F. Benedict, Mrs. W. R. Winston, Mrs. E. T. Thomas, Mrs. Willirue Logan, Mrs. G. W. Trowell, Mrs. Sam Kimmell, Miss Ethel Mae Wilson and Mrs. James Haynie.

**METHODIST WCS MET FOR PROGRAM TUESDAY.**

Methodist women's society of Christian service met in the church Tuesday afternoon for a

missionary program, which was well presented by children of the junior and primary departments. Mrs. Fred Hays was leader of the program.

The meeting opened with a missionary hymn by the children, following with scripture reading by Lovell Paul; a song, "Tell Me the Story of Jesus," was sung by

the primary group; prayer by Mona Lee Cluck, followed; "This Is My Father's World," sung by juniors, preceded a playlet given by four children who represented different nationalities; "I Think When I Read That Sweet Story of Old" was then sung and a clever radio skit by several children gave glimpses of "Bethlehem

Center." Prayer by Jane Huestis concluded the program. Refreshments were passed to all members and children present.

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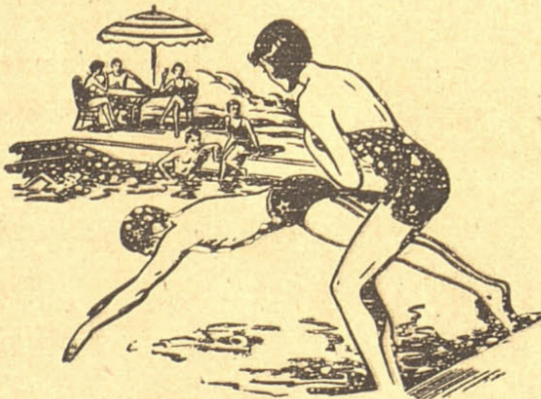
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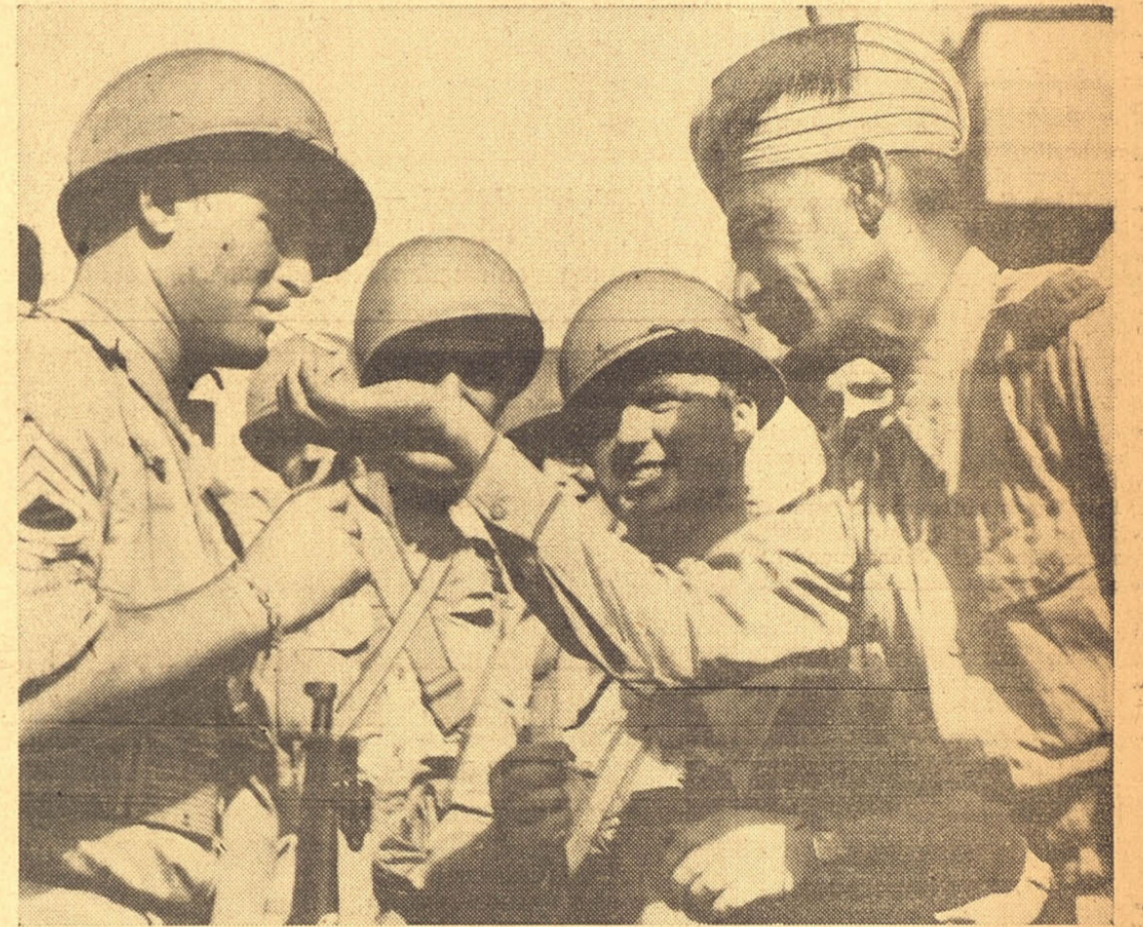
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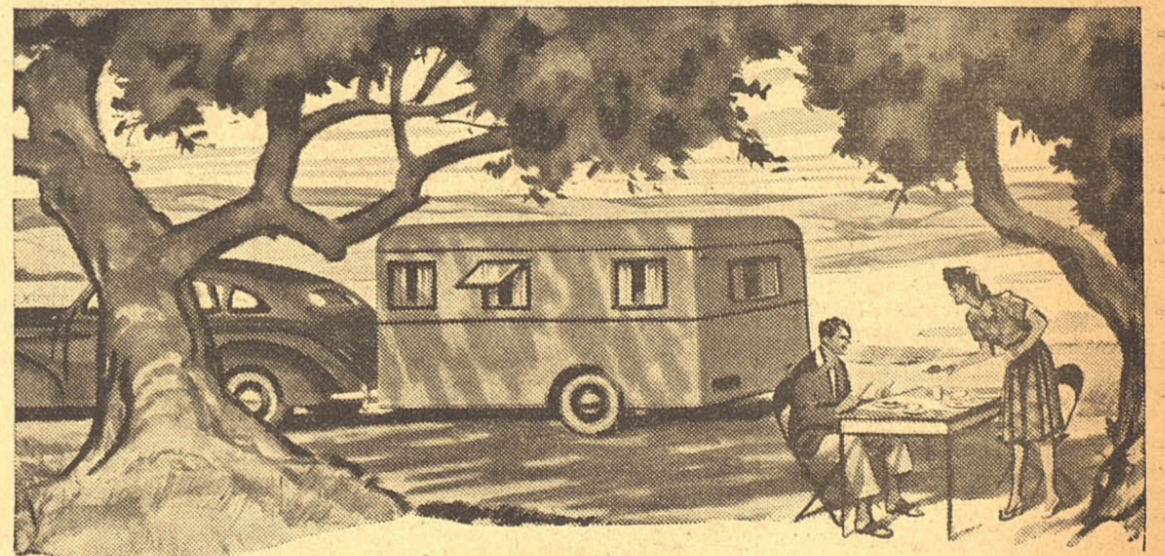
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**CRASH**—Wreckage of huts and bedding in wake of experimental Army-type plane which hit them in crash at Marine Corps base, San Diego, Cal. Three Marines were killed.



**MORE LIGHT**—Yanks and Indians get along well together, despite fact that Yanks are newly arrived in India. Sergt. William A. Lentz of New Jersey gets light for his cigarette from Punjab soldier, at unnamed port, as buddies watch.



**Prescription for Morale: Think of Your Victory Motor Trip!**

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# BRIEFLY TOLD

Mrs. Marvin Boyd and son who have been visiting her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Boyd, went to Abilene Monday for a short visit before returning to their home at Hereford.

Mrs. Randolph Lee Clark returned home Monday after spending the past two weeks in Wichita Falls. She was accompanied to Cisco by her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Lovejoy of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ducker and daughter Carolyn of Ranger visited in Cisco Sunday with Mrs. Ducker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Williamson.

Mrs. A. J. Olson accompanied by her son Marion A. Olson and family visited in the home of her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Franklin of Wichita Falls over the weekend. Marion A. Olson and family returned to their home in San Antonio Monday.

Tom Nabors and mother, Mrs. Clara Nabors of Brownwood, visited in the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Powell, the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Henderson and grandsons, Jimmy Henderson and Mickey Binyon, have returned from Plainview where they attended the funeral and burial of his father, W. M. Henderson.

Mrs. W. H. Symank and infant son, who have been in Graham Sanitarium the past week, were able to return home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Wilson and children, Mickey and Nancy Ann of Stamford, who are spending a vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wilson and Mrs. and Mrs. C. B. Powell, Cisco, visited relatives in Brownwood Tuesday.

Lieut. and Mrs. E. A. Smith, Jr., arrived Tuesday night from Thermal, Calif., for a visit with Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Milner.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Schmidt and sons Larry and Danny spent the weekend with relatives in Fort Worth and were accompanied on their return by Mr. Schmidt's sister, Mrs. E. L. Johnson and her

daughter, Linda Kay, who will visit the next two weeks in the Schmidt home.

Mrs. L. A. White and Miss Fannie Stephens transacted business in Eastland this afternoon.

Mrs. W. H. Odle of Fort Worth arrived Monday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. M. A. Walters.

Mrs. A. Sandhofer left today on the Sunshine for a visit with her son and daughter in Houston and will visit relatives in Lufkin and Galveston while away.

Mrs. Roy DeWitt, former Ciscoan, is expected to arrive tonight

for a short visit with her sister-in-law and husband, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Wisdom, while enroute to her home in San Francisco from Kilgore, where she spent the past month with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Stockard and daughter left for their home in Houston this morning after a few days visit with relatives in Cisco.

Pfc. J. E. Wyatt returned to Tinkerfield, Okla., today after spending several days with his mother, Mrs. Berta Carmichael. He is located with the army air depot at Tinkerfield.

Mrs. R. N. Freeman and children arrived this week from California to make Cisco their home. They are spending this week with the families of A. M. Freeman

and G. T. Huddleston before moving to their residence at 908 N. avenue.

Frank Lucas of Houston, who attended John Tarleton college the past school year, spent the weekend in the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Cole.

Mrs. Carl Nix went to Borger today for a visit with Mr. Nix who is employed there in defense work.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hulsey of Abilene spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. J. E. Walters.

Cisco friends will be interested to know that Aviation Cadet Charles E. Yates, Jr., formerly of this city, has been transferred to Cincinnati, O., where he is taking basic training at Xavier university.

Philathea class of First Methodist Sunday school will meet Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the church for a business and social meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Metcalf and son Sheppy left today for Sulphur Springs, where they will make their home.

Mrs. A. W. Lanier returned

this week from visits with relatives at New Boston and Texarkana. Mrs. Lanier is making her home for the duration with her mother, Mrs. Ted Bacon.

Mrs. Ida Shelton has received word from her son, C. C. Shelton, with the military police, that he arrived safely in England on May 13.

Mrs. G. P. Huddleston and guests, Mrs. A. N. Freeman and children, spent Tuesday in Ranger.

Mrs. Fred McCorkle and children, accompanied by Miss Ella Jo Cone, left today for a visit in California.

Sgt. Gene Abbott, who has been spending his furlough with relatives in Cisco, left today for his

post at Hattiesburg, Miss. Mrs. Abbott will remain for a longer visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Carroll went to Lubbock Sunday to accompany their daughter, China

Carroll, on her return to Cisco after a visit with her grandparents there. Mrs. Lee Lieske accompanied them to Cisco for a few days' visit.

Makes you feel impolite not to answer back when so many an-

nouncers wish you such a sweet goodnight.

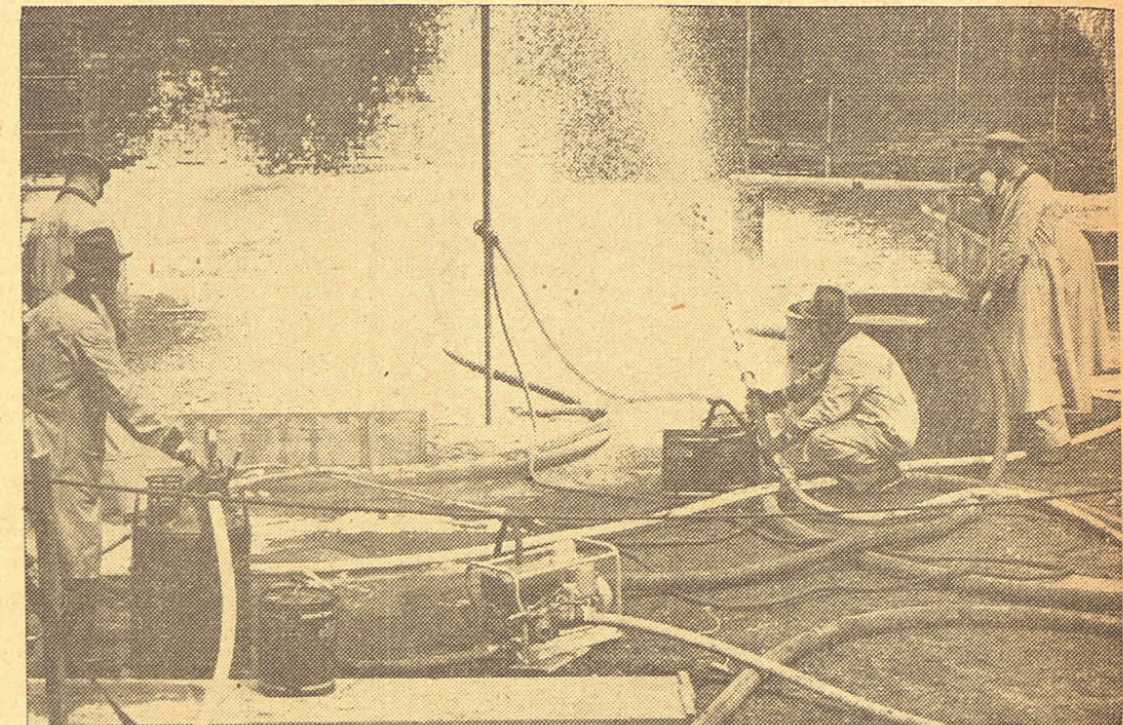
OPA says there is no certainty that Victory gardens will increase our food supply. Nothing is certain, really, except official dumbness.



**FLOWERS, NOT BIRDS** — Although they look like those paunchy birds that fill up on fish, they're really pelican flowers that Sergt. Lou Murtha of Hoboken, N. J., is holding. He found them on recent visit to Florida's Cypress Gardens.

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