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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; Women's Automotive Training School.

CISCO—One of the healthiest areas in U.S.A., with a countryside devoted to blooded cattle, hogs, sheep, peanuts, cotton, fruits, feeds, poultry, gas, oil; two railroads; Bankhead highway; huge concrete swimming pool.

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NAZIS SUFFER GREAT LOSSES; REDS ADVANCE

WITH \$2,334,956 IN CONFEDERATE PENSION FUND, A BILL WOULD HIKE MONTHLY PAYM'TS

AUSTIN, Feb. 4.—Bills to remove the \$1,750,000 a month ceiling on old-age pension expenditures and to double payments to Confederate veterans and their widows won quick approval in the house committee of state affairs Wednesday shortly after the whole house voted an additional \$70,000 to bolster the payments to needy blind persons.

Following its unanimous approval Tuesday of releasing a \$1,154,000 balance from the old-age assistance fund for current use, the house did not hesitate in sending to the senate the \$70,000 appropriation to prevent a reduction in average payments to needy blind before the fiscal year ends August 31.

In the state affairs committee, Joe Humphrey, Abilene, urged a public hearing on the bill of Ennis Favours, Pampa, to permit the state to pay one half the full certified need of each old-age pensioner, to be matched with federal money. But the committee voted 11 to 2 for an immediate favorable report.

Favors estimated his bill, if finally passed would increase state participation in the program for the old folks by \$1,000,000 a year. The state now provides \$21,000,000 a year, divided into \$1,750,000 monthly payments, which is matched with federal funds. Since last November, actual payment has averaged \$1 per person less than the certified needs of recipients and a further under payment is anticipated in March unless the \$1,154,000 balance in the fund is made available.

J. E. Winfree, Houston, sponsored the bill to pay Confederate veterans and their widows \$50 a month each instead of \$25 if they live outside state homes. Double payments for residents in the

homes also are sought, to make their checks \$25 a month. Winfree reported that three of the seventy surviving veterans lived in the state home here and that sixty-three of 2,323 surviving wives and widows live at the women's home. The Confederate pension fund on Jan. 1, 1943, had a balance of \$2,334,956, he said.

State affairs committee also set a public hearing for Feb. 10 the bill for licensing and regulating chiropractors in Texas, which it received after brisk parliamentary argument which removed the measure from the committee on public health.

With promptness and without discussion, the committee on cleemosynary institutions approved the investigation report made by former Chairman M. A. Bundy, Wichita Falls, who sharply criticized alleged waste, inefficiency and cruelty at some institutions. The new committee decided members should go again this session to study the state institutions first hand.

Set for public hearing Feb. 17 was the bill of Jap Lucas, Athens, to require that women receive the same rates of pay as men for the same kind of work.

The senate Wednesday finally passed these bills: Karl Lovelady's, making it a felony to break into a motor vehicle with the intent of burglarizing. This would protect a spare tire in the trunk but not the wheels and tires in use.

Pat Bullock's, providing a method of licensing teachers to teach in the state schools for the deaf and for the blind.

H. L. Winfield's, fixing the qualifications of voters in water improvement district elections.

Pat Bullock's, imposing a five-year closed season on doves and quail in Scurry county.

TWO CISCO LADS HOME FROM WAR FRONT --- OTIS LOMAX AND BILL DONOHUE --- VISIT ROTARY

Cisco Rotarians were delightfully entertained at the regular luncheon today by two most interesting talks from two home boys, Otis Lomax, electrician mate in the submarine corps, and Sgt. Bill Donohue, aerial engineer in the bomber division of the army.

In addition to the program, other visitors were Maj. Bill Carter, Abilene; Charles Clark, Felton Underwood and Rev. James R. Wright, Cisco.

President Hittson presented two lovely vases to Mrs. Warren Hall as the club's wedding gift to her and her husband.

In presenting the young sailor and bombardier, R. L. Ponsler, in charge of the program, said he had wired the heads of the war and navy departments to secure permission for these young men to address this august body and that, after much cutting of red tape, here they were.

Sailor Lomax described his awakening in Honolulu on the morning of December 7, 1941, when the Japs attacked the islands, at which time there were some humorous incidents, though very serious at the time. Lomax then told of his patrol activities in the south Pacific in the days that followed in the submarine in which he served. He also told of his visit to Midway Island just after the battle there, and showed a piece of a plane that was shot down there. He described a marine funeral and the burial of dead at sea, which he said was one of the most impressive scenes he had ever witnessed. Speaking of life on a submarine, Lomax said they carried a crew of about 60, divided into three sections. The most precious things of a cruise is water and electricity, which must be conserved. He stated that air-conditioning made

the temperature aboard very pleasant. Men were required to take sponge baths each night, adding that the smell and taste of things on the boat made everything rather insipid, and that as a consequence he had quit both smoking and coffee drinking.

Master Sergeant Bill Donohue thanked the Rotary club for according him the honor of being a guest of such a fine body of men. He then told of a trip of his plane, a B-24, into British Columbia and into Alaska. In order to get above the heavy fogs that prevail in that portion of the world, he said it was necessary to fly at an elevation of 24,000 feet, which required the use of oxygen. His further description of a still higher elevation of 30,000 feet and the shortage of oxygen which resulted, was quite thrilling, adding that the final sight of Fairbanks, one of the terminals of the great Alaskan highway, was most welcome after the intense cold of so great elevation.

Sergeant Donohue threw in a few humorous notes about some beautiful Canuck girls he saw on that trip. It was on this same trip that he saw the wreckage of two grounded planes that two grizzly bears had caused by swiping the planes' tails to see what caused them to make so much noise and smoke.

Donohue then spoke of the planes of the U. S. air force, saying he had the best planes in the world. Answering a question, he stated that the P-39 was the best for low altitudes, but that the P-38, P-43 and P-47 were the best for high altitudes, being much larger.

Labor leadership, playing politics, seems likely to create a situation that no one may be able to stop.



SILVER SPIKE—General Sir Harold Alexander, commander of British Middle East forces, hammers home silver spike that completes Beirut-Tripoli railway line, important in communications there. After that he piloted first engine over line. Capture of Tripoli made line possible.

METHODISTS TO HOLD RALLY OF YOUNG PEOPLE

Methodist young people, pastors and adult sponsors from the various churches of the Cisco district will gather at the local First Methodist church Friday evening and Saturday morning for a mass rally of the Methodist Youth Fellowship.

The first feature of the program after the reception of visiting delegations and assignment to homes for the night, will be a fellowship supper, each person supplying his own basket lunch, but all spreading together in the church banquet hall at 6 o'clock.

Following the meal there will be an informal get-acquainted period and songfest, after which a "double-or-nothing" quiz program will be conducted by Rev. J. E. Holt of Ft. Worth, conference director of youth work. The group will then divide into four sections for consideration of the different aspects of youth work in the church, leaders for these McCanlies and Bill Greenwaldt of Fort Worth, Franklin Peery of S. M. U., who is conference president of young people; Misses Carolyn Atkins and Kathryn Adams of Waco and Donald Deere of Breckenridge.

Rev. B. F. Johnson of Fort Worth, conference executive secretary, will present a film depicting certain aspects of youth work.

The Friday evening program will close with an hour of directed recreation which will consist mainly of group games in which all may participate at once.

The Saturday morning program will begin at 8:30 with a worship service directed by Miss Bettisue McCanlies and Bill Greenwaldt. There will then be further sectional meetings and another hour of mass recreation.

At 11 o'clock a service of consecration will be conducted by Rev. Leslie Seymour and Rev. J. B. Holt.

The ladies of the local society of Christian service will serve a lunch in the basement at noon.

J. E. Proctor, Jr., is president of the Youth Fellowship of First Methodist church. Miss Lela Latch, director of youth work in the Cisco district, will have general supervision of the program.

Homes are being solicited by a committee for the entertainment of those who expect to spend Friday night in Cisco.



VETERAN AT 15—Walter Lewis Carden, discharged from U. S. Army because he is only 15, looks over honorable discharge at Newport News, Va. Now he'd like to work in shipyard. Tonsils operation gave him away.

DEATH OF VIRGINIA DABNEY IN NEW MEXICO

Mrs. Joyce Howell, formerly Miss Virginia Dabney of Cisco and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Dabney of Carrizozo, N. M., died in a hospital at Albuquerque, N. M., yesterday. Her father was with her when death came, having gone to Albuquerque by plane when notified of her serious illness.

Mrs. Howell had been in Colorado until recently, to be near her husband, who is in a training camp near Colorado Springs.

Besides the bereaved husband and parents, and a host of friends in Cisco and elsewhere, the young woman left a little daughter, Carolyn, six years of age.

Mrs. Howell was born in Cisco and was a graduate of Cisco high school, as well as the University of Texas. She was a granddaugh-

ter of the late Gus Ward and A. G. Dabney and was about 28 years of age.

The funeral was set for Friday afternoon, with interment at Carrizozo.

RIISING STAR GAVE \$80 TO DISEASE FUND

Charles J. Kleiner, county chairman of the infantile paralysis drive, has received word from E. M. Howard, chairman at Rising Star, that he has completed the campaign in his city, the total sum raised being \$80.

Chairman Kleiner says this exceeds the amount Howard secured in Rising Star last year by \$14.42. In speaking further of Mr. Howard's good work, Mr. Kleiner said: "He has again finished his drive ahead of all other towns in the county and is to be congratulated for his earnest efforts in whatever he undertakes. Mr. Howard is a very valuable citizen."

SERVICE DRAGNET BE TIGHT

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—Only necessary men in the 35 industries now listed as essential can be reasonably certain of escaping a call to military service this year, War Manpower Commission sources said today.

That means that every able-bodied man, aged 18 through 37, must look forward to induction, regardless of whether he is a father, unless he is found to be a necessary man in an industry contributing to the war effort or in agriculture, or unless Congress takes some further action, such as to postpone induction of fathers.

It was pointed out that there is a wide abyss between the necessary occupations in essential industries and the list of "non-deferrable" occupations announced two days ago by WMC. When asked what the prospects were for men on neither list, an official said:

"The only logical conclusion is that men not listed as necessary can look forward to military service, regardless of whether or not their job has been listed as non-deferrable."

Draft boards are reclassifying married men in essential industries to 3-B. Married men in the 35 industries are being put in 3-B regardless of whether they are "necessary men."

However, when a 3B man's number comes up he and his employer must then prove that he is a "necessary man." If not, he is ready for induction if he can pass the physical examination.

Meanwhile, Rep. Paul J. Kilday (D. Tex.), said in the house that the WMC was on "dangerous ground" in seeking to draft heads of families "when we have done nothing to utilize efficiently the manpower resources we already have." He wants an amendment to the Selective Service Law providing that all eligible single men in a state would be drafted before any married men are taken.

SERIOUSLY ILL.

Hulin V. Eppler, Duncan, Ariz.; Mrs. E. M. Schaffner, Cross Plains; Mrs. J. T. Richardson, Silvertown; Mrs. C. N. Johnson, Hawley, are here at the bedside of their mother, Mrs. Wm. Eppler, who is seriously sick at her home on Eastland highway. Others residing in Cisco and vicinity who are with their mother are G. A. Eppler, Mrs. S. D. Hart, Mrs. T. M. Terry and Mrs. F. L. Campbell. Mrs. Paul Dungan, another daughter, of San Francisco, is expected to arrive today.



SORROW — Tragedy bows Ensign Richard James as he learns of ruthless slaying of his bride of four months, victim of birth 13 murder aboard train near Klamath Falls, Ore.

ATTACK ON 180-MILE UKRAINIAN FRONT BROUGHT THREE BREAKS AND '41 WINTER LINE REACHED

MOSCOW, Feb. 4.—Red Army troops attacked with increasing momentum today on a 180-mile Ukrainian front to develop three gigantic breaks through in which they reached the 1941 winter line at two points and thrust into the heart of the Donets Basin 85 miles inside the Ukraine.

Registering gains of from 28 to 54 miles, the Russians put their westernmost line more than 300 miles west of Stalingrad where they started their historic winter offensive. Front dispatches reported they were starting a scythe-like sweep southwestward from the Kharkov-Moscow Railroad which they had cut 30 miles north of the anchor-point of Kursk.

On the North Caucasus front the Russians had cut the last railroad by which a German army of anywhere from 100,000 to 200,000 men could escape through Rostov and east of the railroad they were only 27 miles southeast of Rostov itself.

On the Kursk front they had captured Vozy, 30 miles north of Kursk on the Kharkov-Moscow line to reach a point 56 miles south of Orel, strongest German base in the area, and had taken also the nearby town of Zolotukhino.

Attacking untiringly, the Russians today reported the capture of two more large inhabited places with five field guns, 12 machine guns and a wireless transmitter in one sector.

In another, the Russians threw a force of Germans into panic by the rapidity of their advance and the ferocity of their attack, the noon communique said. Automatic riflemen caught a column of 600 Germans marching toward a village. The Germans retreated toward another. Russian machine gunners met them, and the Germans broke. More than 300 dropped their arms and surrendered.

To the south, where their advance continued steadily after the capture of the railroad junctions of Kupyansk, 65 miles southeast of Kharkov, and Krasny Liman, 97 miles southeast of Kharkov, the Russians reported new gains today. It was at Krasny Liman that the Russians penetrated 85 miles into the Ukraine, cut another big railroad system and cut down into the heart of the immensely rich Donets Basin mining and manufacturing area.

South of Rostov, the Germans tried to stop the Russians by counter-attacking but all resistance was smashed, the noon communique said, and the advance continued.

FARLEY VISITS GARNER.

UVALDE, Feb. 4.—Former Postmaster General James A. Farley, fresh from a visit to Mexico City, yesterday paid his second visit in a little more than a year to former Vice President John Nance Garner. Farley said he plans to accept an invitation to appear before the Texas legislature and also expects to meet with Governor Stevenson while in Texas.

SPAR FOR OPENING.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—The new battle for the Solomons — really a series of widely-scattered air-sea engagements — was believed to be still in progress today, with both sides sparring for a knockout opening.

ON TUNISIA FRONT.

LONDON, Feb. 4.—Allied patrols probed Axis lines throughout Tunisia and along the Tripolitanian border today amid signs of imminent big-scale fighting, while heavy bombers from the Middle East again were thrown into the offensive against enemy shipping and supply.

KNOWS HE'S WHIPPED.

LONDON, Feb. 4.—The belief that Adolf Hitler may be preparing another peace offensive was expressed today in neutral quarters in London who said action might be initiated through Spain or Sweden or both.

The one sure way to prosper in good times and bad is to make something people can take for a cold.

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TANK INVENTOR.

"In the late 1890's, when the bicycle came into popularity," says the Cumberland, Md., Times, "Col. Royal P. Davidson, then the young commandant of cadets at the Northwestern Military and Naval Academy, at Lake Geneva, Wis., immediately saw the practicality of using this means of locomotion for the transportation of infantry."

First Col. Davidson mounted a corps of cadets on bicycles, proving the soundness of his theory. Then came the automobile. He put an automatic rifle on an automobile chassis and from this beginning went on until he had a completely armored car.

"English military authorities heard of these experiments," says the Times, "and sent experts to examine into them. It was only a step from the armored car to the tank, and this the British brought into being in time to turn the tide of the first world war. During his experiments, Col. Davidson likewise built an automotive gun designed as a balloon destroyer, forerunner of anti-aircraft guns. Field hospital and other military equipment based on the automobile were also designed by this man, who should be called a seer among ordnance experts."

The recent death of Col. Davidson brings these early efforts to mind. It is interesting to see the stages by which, one man's idea develops into an eighty-ton tank, with turrets for heavy fire.

HELPING OTHERS.

In a world full of gripes and growls, it's pleasant to read a letter from a soldier's wife quoted in a newspaper. Her husband is in the air corps. She has two little boys. She's learned to do many things formerly considered man's jobs—shoveling snow, repairing electric cords, changing fuses and washers.

"There is the endless house work," she says, "and catching up the threads of my husband's business left loose by his sudden departure. Days and evenings are full and there is no time for grieving. Only when I find I am not strong enough to tackle a large storm window or change a tire do I cry out in dismay for masculine help—and this is the wonderful part—the neighbors pitch in eagerly."

One man shoveled her walks on a very bad day, another helped her put in storm windows, a third repaired a broken pipe.



MINE KILLERS—Canadian Navy's mine squad is on duty 24 hours a day chasing floating mines along coast. Top panel Lieutenant Rundle and assistant hook a mine. Bottom, Rundle makes it ineffective.

LONG BRANCH

Mrs. Sara Maud Roberts, Rising Star teacher, went to Burk Burnett for the weekend. She and her small daughter, Iva Jean visited with the latter's grandparents. Mrs. Roberts will be remembered by her many friends in Cisco. Her husband is with the air force over seas, and she and Jeanie live at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Cawley, Romney, while she teaches.

Miss Pearl White and her niece, Mrs. Worth Ford drove to Crystal Falls Saturday to visit the Sidney White family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Kinard entertained his brother's family from Cisco Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Kinard and children, Lee, Norma, Mary and Eva, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reed were shopping in Eastland Saturday.

Melba Ruth Reed visited Friday night with Juanice Reed in Carbon and spent Saturday night in the home of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Wright at Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Watkins have moved to the L. M. Cawley farm near Long Branch center.

Neal Marsh went with his parents to Cisco Saturday and registered for training. He attained his eighteenth birthday that day. Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Howard

from Geo. Hill community drove to Long Branch Sunday. There, after dinner, Mrs. Howard spent a few hours visiting her sister, Mrs. Mary Sherrill, while Ace Howard accompanied his father, R. F. to Carbon to chat with Tom Cox, a school-mate of seventy years ago.

Zele Rich from Indio, California, has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Rich, while on a 10-day furlough from the army. He and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Rich drove to Gorman Sunday and visited other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Rich planned to move out to Odessa this week.

T. L. Cooper was here from Eastland Friday.

Mrs. Z. H. Been is better at his writing and has returned home after a visit with her son, Elzo Norman, Mary and Eva, Jr.

Frank White was in Rising Star Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Mitchell and Bernice Kyle shopped in Rising Star Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Moore plan to move to the Lloyd farm, according to their father, Bud Den-

ton after Mrs. Moore returns from the sanitarium, where she is under treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hogan were Sunday visitors of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hunt in Gorman Sunday.

George Stowe was honored on his 71st birthday by Morgan Standlee and his sister, Mrs. Louella Miller, who took him and Mrs. Stowe to the Standlee farm for a two-day visit.

DAN HORN

We still have Sunday school at Mitchell.

Mrs. E. S. Townsend and daughter Joan of Cisco visited their grandmother Mrs. Billy Alvey Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Beene and daughter Betty Joe of Sweetwater spent the weekend with Mrs. Beene's sister, Mrs. M. D. Speegle and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Beene and sons of Breckenridge, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Brown of Cisco, also

spent Sunday in the M. D. Speegle home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tal Horn visited Mrs. Carrie Hull recently.

Mrs. Marie Starr spent the weekend in Fort Worth.

Herbert Lee King is now stationed at Baton Rouge, La., attending Louisiana State University taking an 8-weeks course in administration clerical work.

Mr. and Mrs. Beard and son, Linnon, have moved to the Abbott farm.

Miss Willie Weed visited Mrs. Clara Hull Thursday.

Mrs. Walter S. King and J. M. Lambright were shopping in Cisco Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Douglas have moved to Brownsfield.

The poor are not the only ones who endure hardship. We know prosperous people who haven't a comfortable chair in the house.

Joint is not, Alas! the only thing the times are out of.

Maybe Roosevelt is satisfied with production, but others are not. Anything we do is shameful if we could do more.

When bombers fall on practice flights in fine weather, the FBI is overlooking somebody who needs shooting.

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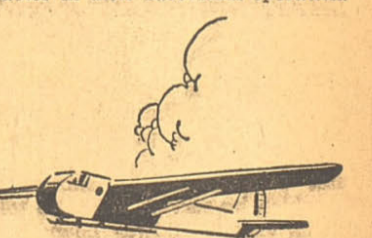
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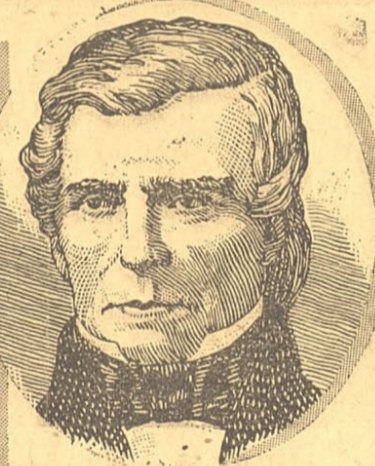
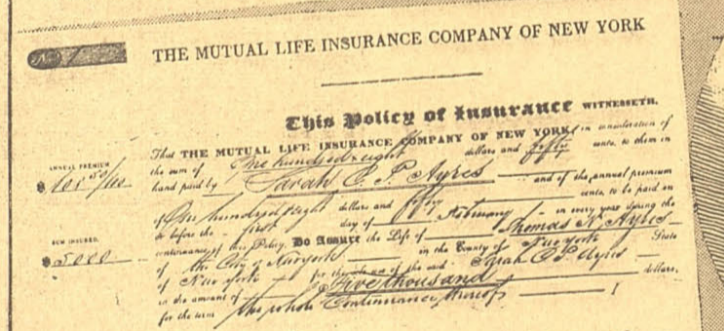
"We're Home Folks."



SECRET AGENT. Hugh Williams, newspaperman, gets instructions before parachuting to earth seeking a Nazi U-boat base, in "The Avengers" film story of the conquest of Norway which Paramount is releasing.

The Mutual Life of New York, 100 Years Old, Was First of its Kind to Operate in the United States

On February 1, 1843, Thomas N. Ayres received Policy No. 1 from the first mutual company in the U. S. to offer life insurance to the public.



Morris Robinson, first President of The Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York.



The Old Middle Dutch Church (below) at Liberty and Nassau Streets, New York City. Built in 1727, it was occupied by the British in 1775 and converted into a Post Office in 1845. Site purchased by The Mutual Life in 1882 for its present Home Office.

(At right) Looking South on Nassau Street from the same spot today. The Mutual Life building in center of picture, is at 34 Nassau, bounded by Liberty Street, in foreground, and Cedar Street. It was completed in 1884.

ONE HUNDRED years ago—on February 1, 1843—The Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, the first company in the United States to offer mutual life insurance policies to the general public, opened its doors in New York City. Today The Mutual Life has almost a million policyholders and assets of well over 1 1/2 billion dollars.

The first few years of the Company's history were not easy. Because The Mutual Life was first in

America to offer mutual life insurance to the public, it was necessary to educate people to an entirely new idea. However, such outstanding leaders as the Harper brothers of publishing fame and Ezra Cornell, founder of Cornell University, lent prestige by becoming early policyholders, and by the fifth year The Mutual Life felt justified in advertising that "it now ranked among the strongest and safest institutions in this country." Its rapid subsequent growth was due partly to the fact that the Company quickly

gained a favorable reputation by making many contributions to the development of the business, including the introduction, in 1861, of a mortality table for calculation of premiums based upon American experience.

The Mutual Life had planned a nation-wide 100th Anniversary Celebration this month, but to eliminate non-essential travel and in keeping with the war effort, the celebration has been postponed. It may be combined with a Victory Celebration after the war has been won.

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CARD OF THANKS.

We take this means of extending our thanks and appreciation for the many beautiful flowers and for aid and sympathy rendered us following the death of our wife and mother, Mrs. Lue C. Kelley. She was loyal to God, to her church, to her home and to her friends. Truly, her friends were as many as her acquaintances
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SOCIAL and CLUBS

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ALPHA DELPHIANS MET WEDNESDAY.

Alpha-Delphia chapter met Wednesday morning in the club house for a program on American authors. Mrs. W. V. Gardenhire presided and Mrs. G. B. Langston was morning hostess. Mrs. W. W. Fewell was leader of the program in which Mrs. E. L. Pugh discussed William Cullen Bryant; Mrs. E. E. Lennon gave a talk on James Russell Lowell and his writings.

Mrs. J. E. Spencer brought the special topic as a questionnaire on current events of the day, which proved quite interesting.

Responding to roll call were Mrs. W. W. Fewell, Mrs. W. V. Gardenhire, Mrs. W. D. Hazel, Mrs. E. Hooks, Mrs. B. S. Huey, Mrs. G. B. Langston, Mrs. Eugene Lankford, Mrs. E. E. Lennon, Mrs. E. L. Pugh, Mrs. J. E. Spencer, Mrs. W. Frank Walker and Mrs. A. B. Byrd.

MISS RAINBOLT WRITES OF NEW LOCATION.

Mrs. Leah Bates has a letter from Miss Joyce Rainbolt, who is with the women's army auxiliary corps, Jacksonville, Fla. Miss Rainbolt wrote that she likes Florida and can readily understand why so many people go there to spend the winter season. She wrote of planning a weekend trip to the nearby beach, and also a trip to the "fountain of youth," 30 miles from the camp.

The work is divided into three shifts of eight hours each. She says she likes her work and has never regretted joining. The work is hard at times and is no place for weaklings, but is a splendid place to serve one's country. The corps is now located in a large apartment house, instead of in barracks, and she is pleased with the change.

MRS. W. W. FEWELL HOSTESS TO CIRCLE SIX.

Mrs. W. W. Fewell was hostess Tuesday afternoon when members met in her home for reorganization of circle six, of First Baptist women's missionary society. Mrs. M. F. Underwood, president of the society, was in charge when officers were elected. Those chosen were: Chairman, Mrs. W. W. Fewell; vice chairman, Mrs. L. J. Leech; secretary-treasurer,

Mrs. Charles Clark; reporter, Mrs. Leon McPherson; Bible teacher, Mrs. C. P. Cole; mission study teacher, Mrs. Haywood Cabaness; community service chairman, Mrs. J. L. Thornton; mission program chairman, Mrs. Cooper Waters; benevolence chairman, Mrs. J. V. Heysler; education chairman, Mrs. G. M. Stephenson; periodical chairman, Mrs. James Huddleston; stewardship chairman, Mrs. S. B. Parks; Bible chairman, Mrs. W. C. Shelton.

Plans were discussed by Mrs. Underwood and assignments made for luncheon which will be served the associational workers' conference, next Tuesday. The meeting was dismissed with prayer.

Refreshments were passed to Mrs. Leon McPherson, Mrs. C. P. Cole, Mrs. L. J. Leech, Mrs. Ervin, Mrs. M. F. Underwood and Mrs. Fewell.

MRS. L. A. BURKETT WAS CIRCLE HOSTESS.

Mrs. L. A. Burkett was hostess to circle three of First Baptist women's missionary society, which met in her home Tuesday afternoon, with Mrs. A. B. Cooper presiding. After the opening prayer by Mrs. Cooper, a business session was held in which plans for serving luncheon to the workers' conference next Tuesday was made.

An interesting Bible lesson was brought by Mrs. O. L. Mason; special prayers for men in uniform were offered by Mrs. E. L. Jackson and Mrs. Fred Crist.

Refreshments were passed to

Mrs. E. L. Jackson, Mrs. A. B. Cooper, Mrs. Fred Crist, Mrs. R. D. Jones, Mrs. O. L. Mason, Mrs. L. B. Mayhew and the hostess, Mrs. Burkett.

RED CROSS WORK MEETING WAS HELD WEDNESDAY.

Members of Cisco Child Study club met in the home of Mrs. H. W. Schmidt Wednesday afternoon to sew for the Red Cross. The afternoon was spent as planned, with work the absorbing feature. Refreshments of Russian tea

and cookies were passed by the hostess.

Those participating were Mrs. J. E. Hayes, Mrs. Lonnie Shockley, Mrs. Marston Surlis, Mrs. Jay Garrett, Mrs. C. C. Pippen, Mrs. Roy Burnam, Mrs. Fred Scott, Mrs. D. G. Alford, Mrs. Burl Williams and Mrs. Schmidt.

SURLES-CLARK WEDDING SUNDAY.

News received today by Mrs. Charles Clark announced the marriage of her sister, Miss Zona

Maud Surlis, to A. R. Allen, Jr. The wedding took place Sunday in Amarillo, where Allen is employed with the engineering corps of a defense plant.

Mrs. Allen is employed as cashier of the post exchange at the Waco army flying school. She was reared in Cisco and graduated from Cisco high school in 1940. She is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Surlis.

DORIS LEE HALL WAS HOSTESS TO SS CLASS.

The intermediate girls of East

Cisco Baptist church met Tuesday night, February 2, in the home of Miss Doris Lee Hall for election of new class officers and a social. Those chosen were: President, Aline Seaborn; secretary, Geraldine Sheppard.

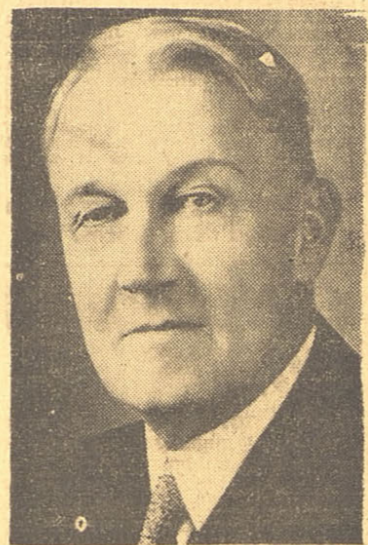
The social was thoroughly enjoyed and refreshments were passed to Mrs. Don Rupe, Mrs. J. D. Hall, Mary Frances (Whisenant), Alice Seaborn, Geraldine Sheppard and Doris Lee Hall.

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To make one refrigerator tray of Ice Cream: soak 1 teaspoon gelatin in 1 cup milk for five minutes. Scald mixture over low heat. Stir until gelatin is dissolved. Remove from heat and add 1-4 cup sugar, 3 tablespoons glassed syrup (red label) and 1-8 teaspoon salt. Blend well, chill until mixture is slightly thickened. Add 1 tablespoon lemon juice to 1 cup ordinary cream and whip until stiff. Fold chilled milk mixture into whipped cream. Add 1-2 teaspoon vanilla extract and mix well. Turn into freezing tray of refrigerator and freeze. Stir thoroughly as soon as mixture appears to be slightly frozen around edges of tray and again as soon as entire surface has begun to freeze over. Serve in sherbet glasses, decorating with cherry if desired.

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BRIEFLY TOLD

Miss Dorothy Childers will arrive today from Southern Methodist University to spend the mid-term holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Childers.

Mrs. Arthur McCready went to Abilene Wednesday for an overnight visit with her daughter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Lawson visited in Ranger Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Edward Duncan and babies arrived Wednesday from New Mexico for a visit with relatives.

LaMoine Sherrill of Merkel is a guest in the ranch home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Childers.

Tommy Hurst is ill in the home of his parents, 204 W. Ninth.

Mrs. Willie Bogan Dunn went to Fort Worth today on a business trip.

Cisco Child Study club will meet in regular session at 3 p. m. Friday in the club house.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Mayhew plan to spend the weekend with their son, Howard Mayhew who is stationed with the Army Air corps at Wichita Falls.

Mrs. J. E. Mayhew went to Albany Wednesday in response to a message telling of the serious illness of her father, J. L. Balliew.

Misses Myra Jean Tompkins and Joleen Hanrahan have returned to their school work at Texas Christian University.

Mrs. Bob Botvidson and daughter of Fort Worth are in Cisco

attending her husband, night dispatcher for T&P, who is ill of pneumonia at the Mobley hotel. A son is also here from Sweetwater.

YOUTH FELLOWSHIP ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

The Methodist Youth Fellowship has elected officers for the year. J. E. Proctor, Jr., was chosen president.

In commenting on the election, Mrs. E. L. Hazlewood, counselor of the young people's department, said: "I believe we have a working corps of officers and members and that we are now ready to do things on a bigger scale."

Other adult workers are Lela Latch, superintendent of the youth division; Mrs. James Moore, intermediate counselor; Mrs. A. D. Anderson, Mrs. O. L. Stamey, Mrs. L. W. Seymour, Mrs. Raymond Reames and J. E. Hays, teachers; Mrs. Bill Childers, sponsor of the evening fellowship group.

The complete list of youth officers and committeemen is as follows:

President, J. E. Proctor, Jr.; vice president, Betty Ann Scott; secretary - treasurer, Marion Paschall; pianist, Helen Childers; assistant pianist, Betty Sue Armstrong.

Recreation - A. D. Anderson, Jr., chairman; counselors, J. E.

Hays and Mrs. Bill Childers; Dick Anderson, Jimmie Gorman, Victor Childers, Betty Sue Armstrong, Karl Yvonne Lomax.

Worship - John McCanlies, chairman; Mrs. Leslie Seymour, counselor; J. E. Proctor, Helen Childers, Norma Jean Cropper, Mac Harrelson, Jimmie Newberry, Madeline Blackburn, Katie Mae Wasson, Helen Draganis.

World Friendship - Rose Ann

Woods, chairman; Mrs. A. D. Anderson, counselor; Betty Ann Scott, Lillian Ross Seymour, Karl Armstrong, Jerry Westfall, Dick Bacon, Jocille Kelly, Roy Crawford.

Community Service—John Ed Davis, chairman; Miss Lela Latch, counselor; Marion Paschall, Betty Sue McCanlies, Bob McGowen, Melvin Proctor, Mary Martha Mitcham, Raymond Thomas, Hil-

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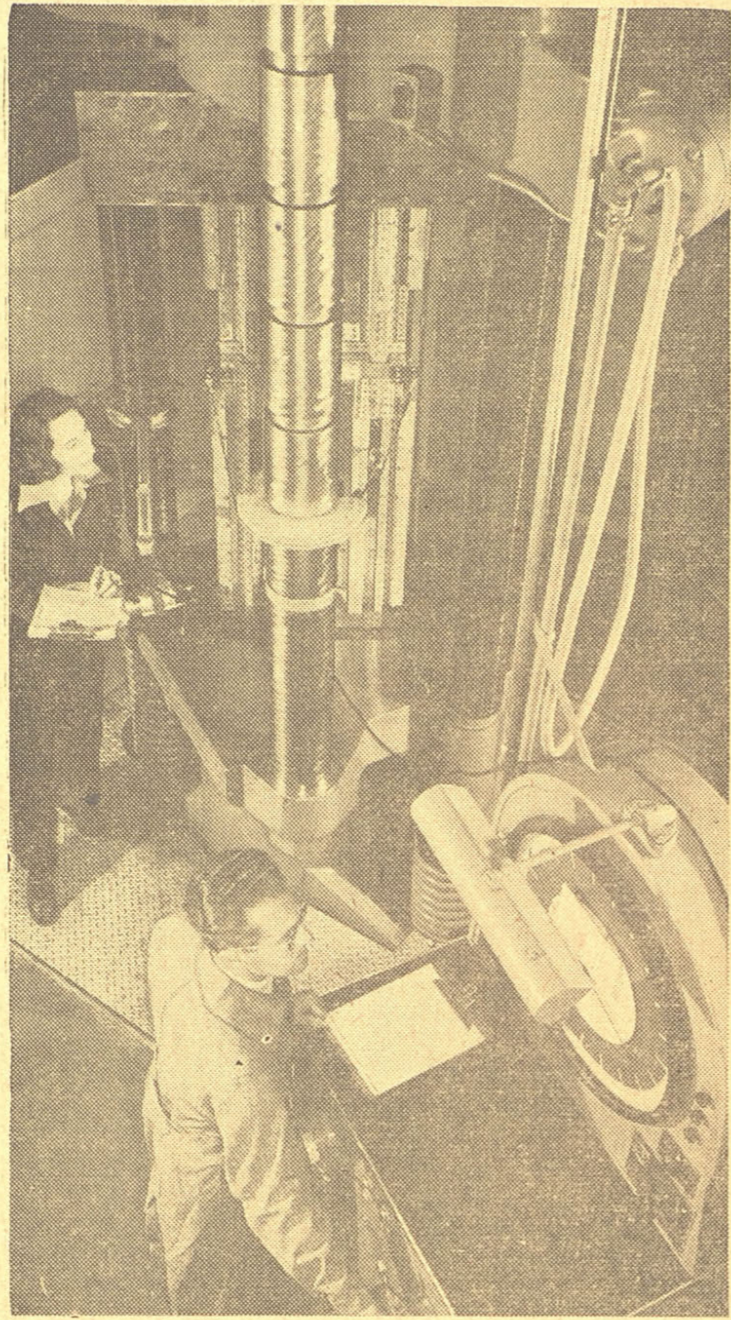
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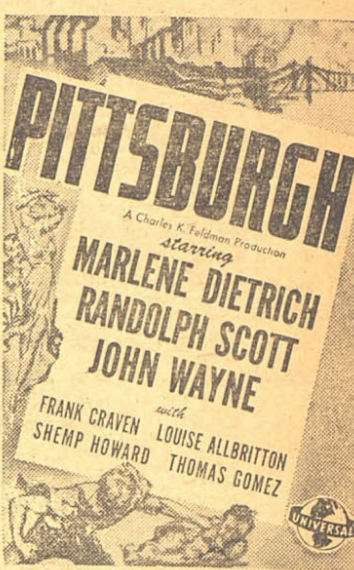
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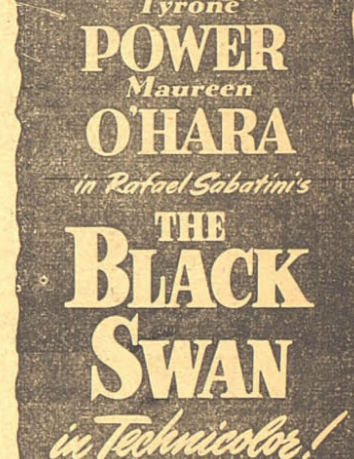


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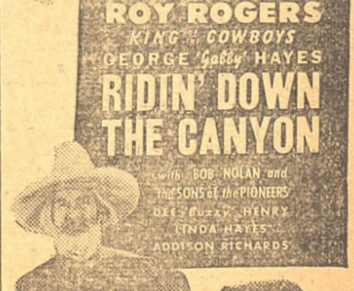
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