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## HOUSE PASSES SENATE BONUS BILL

### Long Machine Scores Sweeping Victory

Through the Editor's Spectacles  
By GEORGE

The Lobos seem to be doing right well in basketball. At least they have been giving the customers a thrill in their recent games. Last night they lost to the Eastland quintet in the last few seconds of an exciting battle on the Eastland court. Tonight they play the Gorman five which they defeated January 7 in a fast game on the local floor.

Basketball can and does produce spectator interest rivaling football. Madison Square Garden in New York city is being packed by games between eastern college teams and intersectional games. A similar interest in the indoor sport is revealed elsewhere over the nation.

I remember when Breckenridge and Cisco used to pack gymnasiums to the rafters during the State AAU girls championship tournaments here. That was the time that each of these cities produced strong girls teams, each winning the state AAU title at different times.

Randolph college here, under the tutelage of Coach H. R. (Pop) Garrett took the cream of these crops of girls basket ball players and won intersectional recognition, going to the national tournament, as I remember, and ranking high there, as well as winning the Southern AAU title at Dallas. Members of his teams were secured by clubs playing under the colors of business institutions which gained considerable advertising from their sport. The famed Babe Didrickson, you remember, played with some of these sextets and frequently appeared on the Cisco high school gym floor in contests with the Randolph Kittens.

Those were days when economic conditions were much better and before the Coolidgean prosperity went into the Hoover nose dive. For some peculiar reason good sports and good times go together. When the old pocket book got lean and folks began to wonder where they were going to get jobs they forgot about football and basket ball, which consequently declined in quality.

Now that good times appear to be coming back we might start pepping up the athletic program again. A good start would be to go see the Lobos play the Gorman team tonight at the high school gym. The game starts at 7 o'clock.

**Bargain Days to Be Ideal Feature**

Theater "Bargain Days" will be regular features of the program at the Ideal theater which is being opened up for continuous running this week Manager K. N. Greer said. On Sundays, Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays any seat in the theater will sell for 10 cents, it was announced.

Sunday and Monday, the Ideal offers "I Dream Too Much," featuring Lily Pons, famous Metropolitan operatic star.

### CANDIDATES 75,000 AHEAD IN PRIMARY

#### Leche About 80,000 Ahead in Governor's Contest

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 22. (AP)—Slain Huey P. Long scored another sweeping victory at Louisiana polls yesterday. Long's candidates in the state-wide primary running as much as 75,000 votes ahead of the opposition.

### LAVAL GOV'T FALLS TODAY

PARIS, Jan. 22. (AP)—Premier Laval's government went down today as he and his ministers resigned in the face of political disensions.

Laval had held his office since June, last year, a comparatively long time in recent French history.

### Three Deaths of Relatives Occur In Single Day

Triple deaths of relatives of a Cisco man were announced in messages received here Tuesday by A. J. Moffit, an employee of the West Texas Utilities Co.'s ice plant. Tuesday morning a message came to Mrs. Moffit that a nephew, Chester Sutton, had died at his home in Antlers, Okla. At 5 o'clock Tuesday evening Mr. Moffit received telegram announcing the death of his brother-in-law, R. D. Kone, at Charleston, Ark., and 8 o'clock, the same evening, another wire came saying that his sister, Mrs. Cattie Cone, had passed away just three hours after the death of her husband.

### Davidson Named as North Texas Judge

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 22. (AP)—President Roosevelt today nominated T. W. Davidson, former lieutenant governor, as federal judge of the northern district of Texas.

Mrs. Wallace Britain has returned from a week-end visit in Mineral Wells.

### Convention Fan



T. J. Lysoght (above) of St. Joseph, Mo., former state senator, hopes to attend the democratic national convention at Philadelphia and thereby keep clear his record of attending every democratic convention since Cleveland was nominated in Chicago in 1884. (Associated Press photo)

### ETHIOPIANS DENY DEFEAT

(By Associated Press) Ras Desta Demtu, chief of the southern Ethiopian forces, today denied the Italian claims of widespread victory along the Somali frontier last week. At the same time Premier Mussolini congratulated Commander Badoglio on his "victory over Ras Desta Demtu."

General Badoglio reported the capture of Neghelli, 200 miles from Dolo in the south, and announced a new offensive had been instituted in the Tembien region in the north.

At Geneva Baron Olois led in an attempt to prevent the transfer of \$24,000 to the sanctions committee, a move the council rejected.

### AAA Substitute Legality Under Fire by Norris

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22. (AP)—Senator Norris, (Rep-Neb) questioned the constitutionality of the administration's two-year AAA substitute today as it was introduced in congress. He said the bill was unconstitutional "under the supreme court's decision." The bill would broaden considerably the powers conferred upon the secretary of agriculture under last year's soil conservation act, by authorizing him to make payments to producers for soil conservation and economic use of their lands.

**EXPERIMENTAL FARM**  
HUGONOT, Kas. Jan. 22. (AP)—Kansas will establish its first state experimental farm near Meade. County Agent Andrew Earhart will be in charge. The farm is in the "dust bowl" area.

### PONSLER AND COLLINS HEAD CISCO C. OF C.

#### New Directors Qualify at Organizational Session Tuesday

Election of R. L. Ponsler as president, J. J. Collins as vice president and J. D. Lauderdale as finance director, distinguished the meeting of the board of directors of the Cisco chamber of commerce as it met last night to install new directors and to organize for the year ahead.

One of the newly elected members of the board declined to qualify, explaining that the demands of his business and civic projects with which he was already associated required too much time to permit him to serve. He was E. P. Crawford, a former director. He pointed out he has given and will continue to give time to the work of the chamber of commerce anyway, but wished to be relieved of the responsibility of attending the meetings regularly. His resignation was accepted and two nominees submitted to the city commission from which to choose a director in his stead. S. R. Wood, the other new director, appeared and qualified. Five of the retiring directors who were re-elected by the commission from the list of nominees submitted by the board, likewise appeared to qualify, with one exception. Mr. Collins was unable to attend. Those qualifying were Dr. F. E. Clark, C. P. Cole, Dr. Charles Hale, and Ed Huestis.

Charles Sandler, vice president last year, presided over the organizational session. Dr. Hale, who completed two terms as president of the chamber, sat among his fellow directors for the first time in two years. He was nominated for re-election but declined.

Almost a full attendance of the board was present for the meeting. Two retiring directors, W. H. LaRoque and J. B. Pratt were present.

Matters taken up prior to the organization included the matter of Cisco's participation in the west Texas chamber of commerce, Texas Centennial exhibit, which was approved. Cisco will join with WTCC District No. 5 in preparing the cotton section of the exhibit and, in addition, will be allotted a 2x5-foot space on the background to decorate as the chamber of commerce wishes.

Ratification of the action of Sec'y Spencer in pledging Cisco's share of expense toward securing an assistant agricultural agent for Eastland county was done. The cost was expected to be not more than \$10 per month for six months.

A review of the highway situation, which was reported as in highly satisfactory shape, was taken.

Mr. Spencer, H. L. Dyer and T. G. Caudle are the committee to prepare the Cisco exhibit at the centennial. Approval of a program by which this committee will submit a design for the exhibit to the board for its action was voted.

**AUTO LICENSE TO MATCH**  
SOUTH BEND, Ind. (AP)—The automobile the home folks gave Bill Shakespeare, Notre Dame halfback, bears the license number ND-63, the numeral the Bard of Staten Island wore on his football jersey.

**'YOUNGEST' MAYOR NOW 85**  
CHATTANOOGA, Tenn. (AP)—In 1879, at 28, Jesse T. Hill was the youngest mayor ever to serve Chattanooga. Today, at 85, he is the oldest former mayor.

Termite live underground, but reach the wood parts of a house by building mud runways up the masonry walls.

### Officers Capture "False Karpis"



Alfred Schmidt (seated, left), identified by a companion captured at Kansas City as Alvin Karpis, public enemy No. 1, shown in custody of Sheriff Charles A. Noring at Kirksville, Mo. He was brought to Kirksville from Iowa City, Ia., where he was seized, to face robbery charges. (Associated Press photo)

### DETAILS OF LOBO BANQUET FRIDAY NIGHT WORKED OUT

Instead of making it primarily a club affair, as has been the case with most of the Lobo banquets sponsored by the Lions and Rotary clubs in the past, the banquet for the Lobos next Friday evening on the roof garden of the Laguna hotel, will be a community gathering to do honor to the Loboes, the joint committee in charge has decided.

Plates will be charged for at the rate of \$1. At least 100 tickets are expected to be sold. Members of the football team will be guests for the evening.

Homer Norton, who led the Centenary college teams of Shreveport, La., to national recognition on the gridiron, and who now directs the destinies of the Texas Aggie elevens, will be the speaker. Mr. Norton is building a strong athletic organization at the A. and M. college. A coach of recognized merit, his selection as banquet speaker was highly commended.

Program details were to be arranged in a meeting of the Lions-Rotary committee this afternoon. Sale of tickets will also be put under way today, with the Lions club membership asked to dispose of two tickets each.

Members of the committee are H. Brandon and Dick Giles from the Lions club, and R. L. Maddox and J. C. McAfee from the Rotary club. Maddox and Jack Anderson are the program committee.

### Sparks to Argue Doggett Appeal Wed.

EASTLAND, Jan. 22.—J. Frank Sparks, Eastland attorney, left Tuesday for Austin, where he was to argue Wednesday a motion for rehearing in the case of Clifford Doggett.

Doggett's death penalty on conviction of killing L. F. Threet, August 15, 1934, was affirmed Dec. 11 by the Austin court.

A robbery conviction against Mary Lou Howell in the same transaction was reversed and remanded for retrial at the same time Doggett's death sentence was affirmed.

An old slave market still stands at Louisville, Ga.

### SENATE PLAN PASSED WITH BIG MARGIN

#### Measure Sent to Senate for Signature of Garner

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22. (AP)—Congress this week voted immediate payment of the soldiers' bonus by huge majorities—many more than the two-thirds necessary to override a presidential veto.

The house today accepted the senate's baby bond payment plan, with an ultimate cost of almost two and a half billions, by a 346 to 58 ballot. The senate's passage vote Monday was 74 to 16.

Speaker Byrns signed the bill immediately and the measure was sent to the senate for Vice President Garner's signature.

### World Wonder Car To Be In Cisco All Day Thursday

Thanks to the United States Marine Corps and Director John D. Lipps, Jr., of Washington, D. C., local citizens are to have the privilege of visiting the World Wonder Car which comes here tomorrow.

The Wonder car will be open from 9 a. m. to 10 p. m., and school children, students of history and those interested along educational lines should not fail to see this unusual collection of war relics, rare money, dressed fleas from Mexico, a story of silk explained, cavern exhibits, curious shoes and clothing, patent models, authentic Lincoln relics, giant octopus, Jivaro Indian shrunken head from South America, the first electric light bulb made by Thomas A. Edison, nails from the capitol at Washington which was burned by the British in 1814. Marine displays, stamps, photostatic copy of the Declaration of Independence, letters from five of the early presidents, the smallest book ever printed in the United States, the first street sprinkler, a machine for cutting files, and the first camp chair. Additional foreign displays represent China, Japan, Africa, Arabia, Palestine, the Philippine Islands and Haiti.

In the meantime, at Sandringham palace, saddened, the east England country folk mourned at the bier of King George, as the final obsequies were carried out.

Tonight the church will be closed as the royal family gathers for the memorial services.

At noon tomorrow the body will be started on the trip to London, where it will lie in state until Tuesday.

### SMITH GIVEN LIONS TOKENS

Presentation of retiring President E. L. Smith with a past-president's pin and a certificate of appreciation for his services to the club and songs by a trio of young Cisco artists featured the program at the Cisco Lions club luncheon today noon.

Presentation of the pin and certificate, nicely framed, was done by Hal L. Dyer, former club president, in an appropriate speech of thanks. S. N. Nance succeeded Smith as club president for the current six-months term.

The trio was composed of Misses Dorothy Jane Walker, Jane Kizer and LaRue Ely.

George Swinebrood of Lancaster, Ky., was a guest of the club.

### FAILS AS TRAFFIC SIGNAL

EMPORIA, Kas., Jan. 22. (AP)—Emporia's traffic signals are back on the old green-yellow-red basis after a colorful venture into blue. The blue, replacing the green, was found to be practically invisible in the daylight, officials said.

W. J. Gallagher of Tahoka, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Gallagher.

### Weather

WEST TEXAS—Fair tonight and Thursday; somewhat warmer in the southeast portion Thursday.

EAST TEXAS—Fair and not quite so cold in the east and south portions tonight; Thursday, fair and slightly warmer in the southeast portion Thursday.



# SOCIETY and CLUBS

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## Miss Poe Honored at Birthday Party

Mary Janette Poe was complimented by her mother, Mrs. Paul Poe, Monday afternoon with a party in celebration of her 3rd birthday at the Poe home on Front street. Various games were played and favors of small flower pots filled with candy and decorated with cupid were won in a fishing game. Refreshments were

served to Joe and Jimmie Christi, Billy James, Mary Philpott, Barbara Schaefer, Margery June Poe, Jimmie Dan Poe, Mary Jean Flaherty, Tommy Shook, O. W. Ford, Joe Tom Poe and the hostess, Mary Janette Poe.

## The Notebook

**WEDNESDAY**  
The Junior G. A. will meet at 4 o'clock at the church.  
The Wednesday Bridge club will meet with Mrs. Guy Dabney at 3 o'clock.

The Humble Bridge club will meet with Mrs. H. E. McGowan, Humboldt at 3 o'clock.  
The P-T. A. will meet at the Grammar school at 3 o'clock.  
The Marigold Bridge club will meet with Mrs. S. E. Hittson, 1010 West 12th street at 3 o'clock.

**THURSDAY**  
The 1920 Bridge club will meet with Mrs. W. J. Leach, 901 West Seventh street, at 3 o'clock.  
The Darning and Mending club will meet with Mrs. P. R. Warwick at 1 o'clock.

**FRIDAY**  
The Twentieth Century club will meet at the club rooms at the library at 3 p. m.  
The Friendly Twelve Forty-Two club will meet with Mrs. E. C. McClelland at 8 p. m.  
The Cresset Bridge will meet with Mrs. K. N. Greer, 500 M. avenue at 3 o'clock.  
**SATURDAY**  
The County Council P-T. A. will meet at the high school in Rising Star at 2:30 p. m.

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were guests this week-end of their sister, Mrs. J. J. Porter, and their mother, Mrs. Harvey Smith, who is ill at the home of Mrs. Porter.

Dr. and Mrs. G. M. Stephenson left today for a few days visit with relatives in Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. George P. Fee transacted business in Carbon and Gorman Tuesday.

Guy Dabney is spending a few days at his ranch at Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Williamson have returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Henson Williamson in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Ducker of Ranger were in Cisco Monday to see Miss Helen Williamson who was injured in a fall Saturday.

Mrs. Tom Holman of Coleman is the guest of Mrs. Dutch Snycor.

Constable G. C. Daniel is attending court as a witness in Stephenville today.

J. E. Spencer attended the funeral of W. D. Conway in Ranger Tuesday.

## Mrs. Johnson Is Guest Speaker for Music Club

Mrs. Art Johnson of Eastland, president of the Sixth District of Women's Federated clubs, was the guest speaker at the meeting of the Cisco Music Study club held Monday afternoon at the club house. Mrs. P. P. Shepard presided and Mrs. William Hoyt taught the lesson. Mrs. Leon Maner sang Martin Luther's hymn, "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God" as an illustration of the lesson and Mrs. Lee Clark closed the lesson by singing "My Redeemer" by Gounod. After a round table discussion of club work and activities refreshments were served to Mmes. Johnson, J. E. Walters, R. C. Hayes, Ben Krauskopf, Troy Powell, William Hoyt, P. P. Shepard, Leon Maner, Lee Clark, S. E. Hittson and R. S. Cope.

## Britain Mourns---

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lie in state in Westminster hall. Four days after he contracted a sudden illness, his majesty succumbed to complications of a severe cold, bronchial catarrh and heart weakness.

Steeling themselves for the double ordeal of burying their dead and proclaiming a new sovereign, Queen Mary and her children wept and prayed over King George's bier as the world's greatest empire waited to do him homage.

The kindly, 70-year-old George V was unconscious at the end. Queen Mary, the Prince of Wales and other members of royal family and the Archbishop of Canterbury were at the bedside when he died at 11:55 p. m., (5:55 p. m., central standard time).

A sudden four-day illness caused his majesty's death. He suffered an attack of bronchial catarrh, accompanied by heart weakness.

Weeping, the queen was led away supported by her oldest son—the new king—and the chamber was darkened. Later the monarch's body was taken to Sandringham church. It will be removed to London to lie in state in Westminster Abbey for final tribute from the public which loved him so well.

Wales became the first bachelor to be king of Britain in 176 years. On his arrival in London he will attend a meeting of the accession council, at which the Archbishop of Canterbury and the home secretary, Sir John Simon, also will be present.

### Title Indicated

He indicated he would adopt the title "King Edward VIII" through a message he sent to the Lord Mayor of London announcing his father's death. His grandfather, who died in 1910 and was succeeded by George, was Edward VII.

A bulletin by King George's three noted physicians said: "Death came peacefully to the king at 11:55 p. m. Monday in the presence of her majesty, the queen, the Prince of Wales, the Duke of York, the Princess Royal, the Duke and Duchess of Kent."

It was signed "Williams, Hewett and Dawson."

It was only Friday afternoon that the public learned the king was confined to his room with a cold. A first bulletin issued on the king's condition that night disclosed he had suffered an attack of bronchial catarrh, accompanied by heart weakness.

His strength slowly ebbed and his heart action slowed down. The king died peacefully without pain. Knowing the end was near, the

## His Majesty, Edward VIII



Edward, Prince of Wales, who became King-Emperor of the British Empire on the death last night of his father, George V.

## Inspector for Production Credit Ass'n Is Thoroughly Sold on Value to Farmer

R. F. Cox, inspector for the Eastland county unit of the Production Credit association, was a caller at the Daily Press office Monday, after completing an inspection of a loan security in the Dothan community.

Mr. Cox's home is near Rising Star. He has held his present position for about three years, practically since the association came into existence.

The district headquarters of the association, of which Eastland county is a part, are in Stephenville, where the annual meeting will be held Monday, Jan. 27.

Mr. Cox is thoroughly sold on the Production Credit association, which he thinks has been a savior for the farmers in Texas.

"There are 38 associations in Texas, which have loaned \$8,000,000 to Texas farmers at the low rate of interest of five per cent."

**Farmers Lack Information**  
"I believe the reason why more farmers and producers are not members of the Production Credit association is the lack of information regarding its operation. When the association was first organized and began functioning, there was some delay in putting through loans, due to the project being new, and the administrators not being familiar with the administration of the organization. But all that has been changed, and the administrators have perfected the machinery to where there is no necessity for delay if the security is in proper shape. Some farmers and producers have neglected to have old mortgages properly released, and of course, this necessitates a delay until these matters can be straightened out. The association loans the farmers money, but the security must be ample and free from any cloud as to title. Land, cattle, or other farm property is collateral for a loan, and if there is no cloud on the title, and the abstract is regular, it is possible to perfect a loan within 24 hours."

"But the security must be cleared up, and this should be done before the application for a loan is made. The association must be secured, or it could not continue in business, as the rate of interest is so low that losses cannot be sustained."

**Pay Interest on What Is Used**  
"The borrower is not compelled to pay interest on all the money he may contract for, but only on that which he actually borrows and uses. For instance: A producer may plan on using \$500,

royal family remained up throughout the long evening. Just before midnight the doctors realized death was imminent and hurriedly summoned Queen Mary, the Prince of Wales and the other members of the royal family.

It was the 26th year of George's reign through an eventful period of world history during which he won the love and respect of his 450,000,000 subjects.

At the moment of his death the popular Prince of Wales automatically became king although many formalities must be gone through with. He is the first bachelor to ascend the throne of Britain in 176 years.

His death came as a shock because the information of a council of state Monday gave the British people hope that it would be merely a prolonged illness and that recovery was possible.

## W. O. W. Camp



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but later finds that he will only need half of that sum. He contracts for the full \$500, but actually uses only \$250. He pays interest on the 250, but the remainder of the sum he contracted for is at his disposal should he need it later, and he can get it, as his security is sufficient to protect the association for the full amount he contracted for.

"A meeting of the board of directors of the association was held in Stephenville recently, which was attended by G. D. Kennedy, field representative of the Production Credit corporation of Houston, who addressed the meeting, in which he gave some valuable instructions to the directors.

"One of the important matters taken up at the directors' meeting was the appointment of membership committees in the several counties composing the territory of the district. It is the function of these committees to develop greater interest in the association," Cox stated, "and to carry on a campaign of education that the farmers and stockmen may have a thorough knowledge of the purposes and workings of the organization, and assist in informing non-member stockmen and farmers about the service the association renders.

**Annual Meeting Monday**  
"These committees are also expected to stimulate interest in the annual meeting at Stephenville next Monday, when officers and directors will be elected. Committeemen in this county are W. A. Marshal, Cisco; M. O. Hazard, Eastland; L. R. O'Brien, Cisco, and Joe McNeely, Gorman," Cox stated.

## Plan House---

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cost the government \$1,000,000,000 more than it promised to pay in 1925, and that the move may place the nation's credit in a dangerous position.

Only one amendment was approved by the senate and that was offered by Harrison. This alteration wrote in penalties of \$1,000 and five years imprisonment for any fraud in obtaining the bonds. Application of the penalties to violators of regulations was stricken on motion of Senator Borah (R-Ide) who called that "too severe."

### OPENS AUSPICIOUSLY

CHARLESTON, S. C., Jan. 21. (AP)—The new Asbury Memorial church was opened with a marriage ceremony in the morning, a baptismal service in the afternoon and a worship service which saw 15 membership additions in the evening.



## Announcements Political

**EDITOR'S NOTE**—For information of prospective candidates the various offices the Daily Press will charge the following rural editions, and will be throughout the campaign. Incess will appear until the election in November. Precinct offices: Justice of the peace, constable and municipal officers.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Cisco Daily and Weekly Press are authorized to announce following candidates for election under which their names subject to the action of the State Board of Elections, FOR COUNTY TAX ASSESSOR AND COLLECTOR:

C. H. O'Brien, Clyde S. Karkalis.

FOR SHERIFF—Steele Hill

### TRUCKS SERVE 18 MONTHS

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 18.—Eighteen years is long for the motor of a fire truck, Chief Charles Brown declared in drawing up a budget to replace 23 antiquated apparatus.

### Classified Ads

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### KNIGHT TEMPLARS

There will be a stated of the Cisco Commandery Knights Templar, Thursday, Jan. 16, at 7:30 p. m. attend. Visiting Sir Knights welcome.

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### The Judge's Corner

By R. W. H. KENNON

EDITOR'S NOTE—Opinions expressed in this column are the personal ones of the "Judge" and do not necessarily reflect the editorial policy of the Cisco Daily Press. The writer is a member of the staff of the Press and the column is published because of the interesting and incisive comments on issues and news of the day by a journalist of the "old school."

**129TH ANNIVERSARY OF ONE OF THE WORLD'S IMMORTALS**  
Born in Stratford, Westmoreland county, Va., Jan. 19, 1807, Sunday was the 129th anniversary of the South's idol, Gen. Robert Edward Lee, commander in chief of the Confederate army, and colonel in the United States army before the civil war. He graduated second in his class at West Point in 1829 and was commissioned a second lieutenant. His rise was rapid until he reached the rank of colonel after the storming of Chapultepec when he was severely wounded.

Colonel Lee was in the command of the department of Texas in 1860, but was recalled to Washington early in 1861 when conflict between the free and slave states seemed imminent. In his native state, Virginia, he resigned from the Union, Colonel Lee's resignation to Gen. Scott three days after the secession April 17. Two days after his resignation from the United States army he was made commander in chief of the military and naval forces of Virginia.

Master Military Strategist  
That he was a master military strategist was demonstrated in the desperate seven days battle around Richmond, his defeat of McClelland's peninsular campaign, and the same may be said of his battles in opposing General Pope's movements, the invasion of Maryland and Pennsylvania and other prominent events of the war directed by his military genius. Lord Wolsey of England, is said to have called Lee as being the greatest military strategist of his day.

### LINDBERGH'S SEEK SECLUSION HERE



Col. and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh, sojourning in England while the nation watches the legal drama surrounding the man condemned for the kidnap-murder of their son, have taken refuge from reported continuing threats in this old mansion in South Wales. It is the English country home of the Morgans, relatives of the Lindberghs. (Associated Press Photo)

terized his entire military career until he surrendered the southern forces to Gen. U. S. Grant at Appomattox Courthouse, Va., April 9, 1865.

General Lee was the father of three illustrious sons—all officers in the Confederate army of whom probably General Fitzhugh Lee left the most gallant record as major general of cavalry and later a member of congress.

short, and his fame is remembered by only a few. When the Southern cause collapsed General Lee was practically penniless, and despite flattering financial offers he refused to allow his name to be used in connection with questionable enterprises, but rather, he accepted the presidency Washington college at Lexington, Va., now known as Washington and Lee University.

Not all of the Southern chieftains were endowed with such high integrity as that manifested by General Lee. Notable exceptions are seen in the course of Generals Jubal A. Early and P. T. G. Beauregard, who for years were paid handsome retainers to allow their names used in connection with the old Louisiana State lottery.

Not for Sale  
But Lee was not for sale. His

beautiful Arlington on the Potomac (now America's national cemetery for distinguished dead,) and the White House on the Penumky, were swept from his possession when the Confederacy collapsed.

Too proud to accept charity from the many who would have been glad to aid him, he chose rather the position of a school teacher, as the presidency of Washington college was little more than that, and the salary attached to that position would hardly have equaled the salary of the Cisco superintendent of schools today.

**A World Immortal**  
I do believe that General Lee possessed more of those attributes that constitute a real man, a Christian gentleman, a warrior, humanitarian and military genius than any man on earth save and except the immaculate Jesus of Nazareth. He was as gentle as a woman, as considerate of his subordinates as a father, as brave as a lion, but as meek as Moses; a scholar, but without ostentatious display of learning. His life was as chaste as a virgin and as simple as a child's. He was a man above price, one who preferred honorable employment and pensury rather than opulence at the cost of his integrity.

And yet, Southerners allow his day to pass with scarcely a pause, while we honor Jackson and Jefferson anniversaries as great fe

days. True, a few schools observe the day, but there be few of us who know in whose memory the day is set apart.

A Virginia writer once painted a mind picture of a panorama parade of the ghosts of Confederate chieftains, in which he concludes his classic with this tribute to the immortal Confederate chieftain:

"I see a lordly gentleman,  
Right to the fore rides he.  
His sire was "Light Horse Harry",  
And his name is Robert Lee."

### District Cage Meet at Breckenridge

BRECKENRIDGE, Jan. 22.—Feb. 21-22 is the date set for the official District 6 Interscholastic League basket ball tourney here in which championship teams from nine counties will compete. The following counties are included in District 6: Stephens,

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The date for the district track and field meet and literary contests in the spring will be set by the district executive committee in a meeting at the time of the basket ball tourney. Principal John F. Bailey of Breckenridge is director general of the Interscholastic League in this district, assisted by the following other officers: Coach Eck Curtis, Breckenridge, director of athletics; Miss Floy Branum, Breckenridge, director of one-act play contest; Principal W. A. Ross of Mineral Wells, essay writing; Miss Mary

Watters, Throckmorton, commercial contest; Supt. E. T. Dawson, Rising Star, extemporaneous speech; Principal H. Brandon, Cisco, declamation; Supt. C. B. Downing, Albany, junior declamation, and Principal W. G. Womack, Eastland, debate.

John Fletcher Darby served four terms as governor of North Carolina.

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It was not. It was cunning design, aided and abetted by her friend, Bobby --- both of them tracking down a mystery they must solve to save themselves. Behind the respectable front of Merroway Court might lie the answer to everything.

### THE BOOMERANG CLUE

By AGATHA CHRISTIE

abounds in situations as surprising as this, a succession of experiences calling on these two adventurous young people for every ounce of courage, perception and sharp wits they can muster. Likewise for the reader, each chapter has its share of new thrills, new ideas, new surprises.

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

O God, thou art my God; early will I seek thee; my flesh longeth for thee in a dry and thirsty land, where no water is.

"Rest, weary heart! From all thy silent griefs and secret pain, Thy profitless regrets and longings vain;

Nothing of God's making can a man love rightly without being surer of God's loving himself; neither the moon nor the stars, nor a rock or a tree, nor a flower or a bird.

Marriages Increase

IF the rate of marriage determines the trend of economic conditions, then prosperity is on the road for a certainty, according to figures released by statisticians of a large insurance company, who report that there was an increase of 15.5 per cent in marriages in the United States during 1934 as compared with 1933.

IN contrast to Germany, Italy and other countries from which increases in the marriage rate were reported, no special in-

Among The Derricks

DRILLING RECORDS

EASTLAND, Jan. 22.—Records transmitted to oil and gas division, Austin, from Eastland headquarters for week ending January 11, 1936, listed as follows:

Application to Drill E. E. Tate, W. M. Key No. 1 Asa Wickson survey, Coleman county. Depth 335 feet.

Worth Thomason, No. 1 R. A. Thomason, Moses Little survey, Brown county. Depth 850 feet.

Application to Plug Mahlstedt Oil Co. Nos. 1 to 5 inclusive, J. B. Eubank, Brown county.

Wickens et al, No. 1 Baker, Palo Pinto county, Abner Ashworth survey.

T. P. Coal and Oil Co. Nos. 2, 4 and 7, A. B. Hohertz, Palo Pinto county, T&PRY survey, Sec. 63 Blk. 4.

Organization report, Ray T. Hoff et al, Eastland, Texas.

HAWLEY EXTENSION BAILING OIL

ABILENE, Jan. 22.—Fortex Oil Corporation and Danciger Oil & Refineries No. 1 Henry Dorsey estate, northeast extension to the Hawley field north of here, was shut down late Wednesday after bailing oil at the rate of 16 barrels per hour from eight-inch casing set at the top of the Bluff Creek sand. It will be placed on a pumping gauge.

Pipe was set and cemented at 1,950 feet, after sandy lime was drilled from 1,932-56. Present total depth is 1,960 feet in shale with 940 feet of oil in the hole. The oil, testing 37.6 gravity, is

ductions were offered prospective American brides and grooms. The increase, therefore, can be credited strictly to better conditions.

The Real Test

THE Long machine carries on in Louisiana after his tragic death which, naturally enough, gave it cause and battle cry. Deprived of its leader, the momentum of the organization, aided by the control of large voting blocs through patronage and state employment, seems to be carrying its candidates to a surprisingly sweeping victory.

OTHER OPINIONS

Was It Worth the Price?

IF the Texas taxpayers hoped by elimination of the fee system of compensation for public officers to effect economies in cost of government, they are now engaged in waking up to the fact that the legislature handed them a lemon of particularly sour flavor.

Reports from all parts of the state indicate that the cost of doing business under the new salary law will be greater than under the and—erstwhile "iniquitous" — fee system. Salaries have been hiked to levels far above the normal returns to officers on fees.

THE new law apparently effects a change in the identity of the ultimate goat. Under the fee system, the litigant or other person having business with county or precinct, bore most of the cost; under the new dispensation the taxpayer foots the bill.

PROBABLY the weak point in the new law is that the question of setting salaries was left up to county commissioners' courts. In such matters the disposition is to "go along with the boys."

THE fee system is gone, at least for the time being, since the voters last year themselves adopted the constitutional amendment under which the new plan operates.

Among The Derricks

from the upper pay level of the Hawley field.

The new well is located about 800 feet northeast of the original pool discovery, made several years ago. It is 175 feet from the south and 700 feet from the west lines of the north half of section 20, Manuel Bueno survey No. 196.

New Test Rigs One new test was rigging up to spud Wednesday for a west offset to the Humphrey southeast extension to the pool. It is the N. H. Martin No. 1-B Dorsey estate. Location is 204 feet from the south and 200 feet from the east lines of the east 8.5 acres of section 4, Manuel Bueno survey No. 197. It offsets the recently completed 646-barrel natural producer which extended the pool's limits about one-quarter mile.

On test for a west extension to the field, the Hal Hughes et al No. 1 R. D. Bumpass, approximately 1,100 feet west of the last inside well, has set eight-inch casing at 1,540 feet and is drilling ahead in shale. It is in the north end of the T. Maltby survey.

Triplet Drilling One mile northwest of production, the Jamison, Pollard and Foster No. 1 Mrs. G. B. Triplett was drilling ahead in lime at 2-110 feet after running five-inch pipe. It was erroneously reported last week to have a slight show of oil. There has been no water showing in the test since the 1-750-foot depth when salt water flowed. It is located 200 feet from the south and east lines of the north 100 acres of section 199, James Gocher survey.

Within the field, the Tom D. Humphrey No. 2 Dorsey was drilling past 800 feet, being a north offset to the Humphrey No. 1 extension well located in section 18, M. Bueno survey No. 196. The

Humphrey No. 3 Dorsey, in the same section, was drilling at 1-860 feet in red shale.

Ungren & Frazier No. 1-C Dorsey, in section 4, Manuel Bueno survey No. 197, was shut down awaiting orders.

Drilling Resumed S. C. Herring and Sam Hodges No. 1 Mrs. C. D. Cowsett, shut down for several weeks, has resumed drilling and topped Dothan lime early this week at 1,605 feet. It is in eastern Jones county, about three miles north of the Sandy Ridge production eight miles east of Anson. Location is 220 feet from the north and west lines of section 42, O. A. L. survey.

At Lueders, Ungren & Frezier No. 2-A J. W. Jennings, after rig was skidded, is drilling past 1-100 feet. It is in the northeast quarter of section 207, BBB&C survey.

In the southeastern corner of Haskell county, Anderson & Kerr No. 1 Ivy was on a fishing job after losing two joints of pipe at 1,800 feet. Location is in the northwest corner of the northeast quarter of section 2, block 3, H. & T. C. survey.

IDENTIFIED BEES WORK HARPENDEN, England. (AP)—Bees with small blobs of colored enamel on their backs are working at the Rothamstead agricultural research station here. They are marked within a few hours of emergence from an incubator so that the bee-keeper can identify them and record their movements.

Heads of families in Nurnberg, Germany, who fail to provide for their wives and children are dealt with severely, with 22 sent to concentration camps in three months.

THE GAY THIRTIES



Democratic Nominees for President and Vice President in 1880 Well Bearded

Winfield Scott Hancock and William Hayden English were the democratic nominees for president and vice president in the presidential race of 1880. James Abram Garfield and Chester Alan Arthur were the republican nominees. The republican ticket was victorious, but Garfield's tenure of office was short.



Both Hancock and Garfield were officers in the Union army. Hancock was of national prominence, essentially an army man, and rose to the rank of major general and remained in the army until his death in 1886. The cut herewith was found in Breckenridge in 1926 by workmen excavating for a building one block east of Walker street.

Politics At Random

(Chief of Bureau, The Associated Press, Washington) The "new Hoover," so much talked of recently, furnished friend and foe with still greater surprises in his farm address at Lincoln, Nebr.

He departed so widely from the moods and mannerisms of the same section, was drilling at 1-860 feet in red shale.

Philosophic and unworried in demeanor, he packed wise cracks into simple, pungent sentences. There were no wearisome statistics. Absent entirely were those once-familiar passages which rumbled on and on forever in a vein so sober that it often amounted almost to sorrow.

He discussed the farm problem without emotional outbursts about the days when he himself was a poor farm boy. He spoke only

incidentally and lightly in defense of what he did when president. He referred to President Roosevelt directly by name. When he suggested a farm subsidy he called it that without circumlocution.

Writes Own Speeches None can doubt any longer that something important has happened to Mr. Hoover. Not, perhaps, to his underlying conception of government, for his political opponents still advance the point that his farm proposals are nebulous, lacking in originality, and quite ineffective.

But to the man himself, to his attitude toward life and his whole mental outlook. His public appearances certainly are today almost everything they were not four years ago.

Acquaintances who knew him best in Washington take little stock in the story that all this is the work of a clever press agent, who also is a good speech-writer.

Undoubtedly Mr. Hoover has had advice, but the one thing on which he always has prided himself is that he writes his own speeches.

In the White House he wrote

and rewrote, laboriously recasting paragraphs, returning the proofs to the printer a half dozen times for revision. The best available information is that he still does not only that but more.

He Loves It

For the first time in his life he is in a position to devote virtually all of his time to the preparation and delivery of speeches, and he loves it. That he is having a good time at it is obviously from the product.

In the process some of the "old Hoover" which the public little knew is coming out to grace the public utterances of the "new Hoover."

For in private conversation Mr. Hoover always was a delightful companion. It was only before an audience or a large group in private that he put on the mask of ponderous reserve. Now the mask has been put away.

For the first time in his active contact with public affairs, too, he is on the offensive politically.

For 15 years, in the administrations of Wilson, Harding, Coolidge and his own, he was wrapped with the dignity of office, which always weighed heavier on him than on most men.

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Now he is on the outside, looking in. That means a great deal to a man like Hoover. Whether he is running for president or not, he manifestly feels a far greater dependence about it. There was something vastly impressive in his statement at Lincoln: "My position is such that approval by politicians is immaterial."

Human and Other Nature

By W. F. BRUCE

Literature is literally "letters," but letters hung together into words, constructed into sentences, and elaborated into paragraphs. Literary men then are "men of letters." The alphabet has been called one of the greatest inventions of man. A white man saw a piece of bark with writing upon it to another white man by the hand of a savage who was made to marvel when the second man began to do what the first man wanted him to; the savage looked upon it as a work of magic that a few marks on a piece of bark could work such an effect.

The editor of The Press recently referred to Kipling a lingering writer of another generation, whose name is among those of literary that have become household words. Why is there a general interest in literature? Some would have us think that the reason is the association of literature with education and culture; no one wants to be thought ignorant and rude; time was when very few could read or cared to read. But they did care for something as a substitute. They read Bible and what few sources were within their reach and grasp. Even among primitives oral literature has existed in the form of folk-tales and traditions.

Literature is a key that unlocks other minds and gives us distant and ancient companionships. We value literature for its human interest. Even romance and myth and fable carry us off into a make-believe world and give us access to fanciful things that we know can never be ours in a world of reality, but still we see ourselves there as the center of interest and that much is reality. We notice how much of the Bible is written in terms of human characters so like ourselves, "for our admonition," and we can profit by their mistakes and progress by their examples.

Lampeau, the bandit, lost four henchmen in a frustrated raid near Alagoas, Brazil, recently. The ranchers, aided by state police, held the barefoot gangsters at bay for hours and finally repelled them.

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# Photos Reveal Areas of Snow on Planet Mars

HOWARD W. BLAKESLEE, Press Science Editor, FLAGSTAFF, Ariz., Jan. 21. (P)—Mars has a snow field 3,500 miles across, which melts each summer to a small point 100 miles in diameter. This snow field and its evidences affirming possibility of life on Mars. Life in any form, but the sort known on earth, intelligence of the same kind.

Evidence favoring life on Mars has been gathering here at Lowell observatory for 30 years. Continuous observation of Mars taken in the last 10 years has piled up the evi-

# MOUNTAIN SNOWSLIDE BURIES RAILWAY CAR, 13 HURT



This Southern Pacific railway car is shown being pulled from under tons of snow which crushed it as the transcontinental train passed through a Sierra Nevada snowshed near Colfax, Calif. Thirteen men were injured. Other cars were not damaged. (Associated Press Photo)

# 'Canals' Seen

Improvement in photographic technique has strengthened the idea of living on Mars. The which keen-eyed astronomer but which did not appear in photographs are beginning to take just a little shape. New plates. Dr. E. C. the astronomer who has 10 years studying Mars, his opinions rank high in astronomical world, says:

"We look at the planet that his poles are snowy winter, that this mantle during his summer at areas of his surface in dark blue-green, which represents growth of plants. We also see large reddish bluish-white patches which appear to be floating in his atmosphere. Forms similar to those have menaced crops on earth are indicated by white clouds revealed in color photographs. Along light margins of his disc, between night and day, see a conspicuous lime-green produced by the gas-sphere."

# England Seeking Perfect Woman For Television

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# Mules of All Nations Bear Food By Ton to Italians in Ethiopia

By ANDRUE BERDING

MAKALE, Italian Occupied Territory, Jan. 22. (P)—This is a story about mules—just mules, America, Sicilian, Eritrean and Ethiopian.

Or rather, this is a collection of stories, because mules are everywhere here and so are stories about them.

Four-footed sons of toil, they have carried literally thousands of tons of food and munitions over territory even tougher than themselves.

Consequently about 20 per cent of the 4,000 American mules here have died. But the other 80 per cent will "live forever," as an officer remarked, because they have become acclimated.

**Stray Beasts 'Volunteer'**

A Florentine lieutenant in charge of a supply company was proceeding along the road to Makale with native troops and a large following of mules. A general drove up and asked:

"How many mules have you, lieutenant?"

"We had 200 to start with," sir, but 35 of them died."

Wishing to test the lieutenant's arithmetic, the general asked quickly, "So how many have you now?"

The junior replied instantly, "Two hundred and twenty, sir."

"How can that be?" exclaimed the general.

"As we went along, other mules enlisted, sir."

A Sicilian soldier, accustomed to large families, was driving a heavily-loaded mule. When a com-

lieve that you can't do anything with an Ethiopian mule unless you address him in Tigrain, the dialect of the province of Tigre, or with a Sicilian mule unless you address him in Italian.

They attribute the loss of so many American mules to the fact that they don't know the mules' language.

Since the Italian army purchased 18,000 camels for transport, there is a big question of social precedence between the camel-drivers and the mule-drivers. The question is complicated by the fact that the camel leaders are Mohammedans and the muleteers are Coptic Christians.

As an officer remarked, "You have to be a Christian to get on with a mule."

# The Sportsman

By LARRY BAUER

We stood before a glass case the other day and looked upon a passenger pigeon for the first time. Even mounted specimens of this once plentiful bird are hard to find.

The same day we received word from Cy Plattes that a survey by University of Minnesota scientists showed that only six woodland caribou remained in the United States.

Retreating to an area measuring about five by seven miles, this remnant of great herds finds a last refuge and faces the end in musk swamps of the Red Lake game preserve. An enumeration in 1930 disclosed 30 or 40 animals.

Man's greed and indifference had much to do with bringing about this woeful spectacle of a wild creature on the brink of extinction. These caribou, also known as woodland elk, grow panicky when approached by the hunter. Small herds have been slaughtered by a single marksman.

Now let us return to the wild pigeon. These birds were shot and netted for sale. Fires were built under their nesting places to dislodge squabs large enough for market. Younger birds and eggs, having no commercial value, were destroyed by the flames.

All the money ever received for game cannot bring back a single bird or animal of the extinct species. Only a few stuffed Laborator ducks remain to remind us that the same fate may overtake some of their kin—not so numerous now.

There are sportsmen and con-

servativists who contend that unless unscrupulous hunters are curbed some of our generation may reach an age when certain species of wild-fowl and upland game birds will be but a memory.

Not a pleasant thought—gazing through glass at a wood duck, the lustre of its plumage dulled, or at a ruffed grouse in a similar plight.

# A Western Yarn

Douglass Smith, former police chief of Yakima, Wash., now residing in Seattle, tells this one.

During the bird season he was returning to the coast through the mountains from a hunting trip in central Washington. He was stopped by a long procession of waiting cars. Walking up to the head of the line he found a road grader had broken down and was blocking the way.

Just to have a little fun, he told everybody down the line that the cars had been stopped by the state game commission to check on violations. A flurry of dead pheasants poured out of cars all along the line.

Lots of good deer stories are coming out of the southwest this winter and we think this one is interesting.

After scoring on a 200-pound buck, W. A. Gray was forced to battle the wounded animal while hunting near Lyford, Tex.

The deer was hit in the neck, shoulder and front leg and fell, apparently dead. When Gray approached his "kill" the fight began, and for a while it was a question of whether the hunter or the hunted would survive.

Gray finally registered a knockout with the butt of his empty rifle. The gun was ruined.

# Oops! A Splash--- And 'Boom Man' Buys the Beers

TACOMA, Wash., Jan. 21. (P)—Unless you fall in the water, the boss thinks you're not working—and if you do fall in you buy beer for the whole crowd.

This is the dilemma faced daily by some 1,500 "moob men" riding spinning logs in the cold waters of Puget Sound.

The logs come to Puget Sound on flat cars, piled as they were cut in the forests of Western Washington. They are dumped into the water at Tacoma, Olympia, Bellingham and half a dozen other ports.

**It Takes a Push**

Then the boom men, armed with pike poles, hop out on the mobbing mass and shove, roll and curse the timber into rafts for tugs to tow to various mills. It takes a lot of pushing to move a 40-foot log with a diameter of six feet or so. If the man watches his footing too closely in guarding against a cold bath, he can't push hard enough. Hence the foreman criticizes him. But when he does take a plunge it is often an act of carelessness—hence the beer-buying tradition ruling all boom crews.

**Few Killed On Job**

The average boom worker is about 35 years of age. He draws about \$5.70 daily wages. His insurance costs about \$4 more per \$1,000 than a bank clerk's, but although accidents are frequent a boom man seldom is killed on the job.



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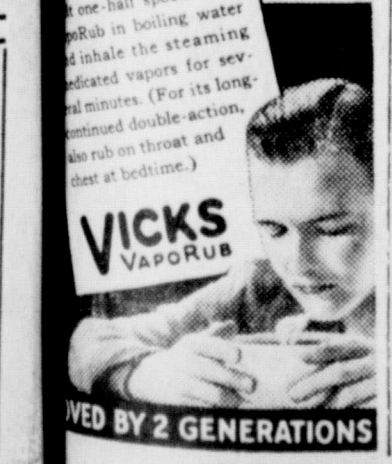
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	Day Rate	Night & Sunday Rate	Reduction	Day Rate	Night & Sunday Rate	Reduction
100	.60	.35	.25	.90	.65	.25
150	.80	.50	.30	1.15	.85	.30
200	1.05	.60	.45	1.40	.95	.45
300	1.40	.80	.60	1.80	1.20	.60
400	1.75	1.00	.75	2.20	1.45	.75
500	2.05	1.15	.90	2.55	1.65	.90
1000	3.75	2.00	1.75	4.75	3.00	1.75

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