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# STAMEY NAMED TO HEAD HIGH SCHOOL

## Cisco Girls Chorus Wins at Music Festival

Through the  
Editor's  
Spectacles  
By GEORGE

"I've cussed you all winter." So declared Joe Clements Saturday afternoon to my face. Joe and I used to have a lot of rows before we got to know each other better, and we still occasionally have a fuss that, thank God, ends all right.

"That's your project, and you are going to have to be responsible for it."

He was referring to the swimming pool drainage park WPA project which he will complete Tuesday of this week, a project that has transformed a three-acre, miasmatic marsh, threaded by a nasty, reedy, snake-infested and mosquito breeding creek into a beautiful, terraced space, with a rock-lined drainage channel carrying the water from the swimming pools into Sandy creek. That much land has been removed from a state of abandonment and uselessness into a beautiful, usable park. Moreover, and what is perhaps more important, this salvaging of good soil has resulted in the removal of a health menace that was really serious. Once the swimming pools would not drain. Pools of stinking water were left to breed fifth. Now the level of the channel has been reduced below that of the basins and the water comes out of them with such force that a positive suction is created, taking even the moss streamers out with it. Now all the drainage goes down the channel.

Joe has had a force of men on the project for several months. Five thousand dollars was spent, all but about \$500 of it WPA money, in transforming the area into a place of utility and beauty. More than that, all the shores about the pools have been terraced and sodded, adding greatly to their attractiveness. A great transformation has come over what was once a canyon creek.

When the project started, the men had to cut two-by-twelve boards four feet long to stand on to work because of the mud.

But I disclaim responsibility for the project. Forrest Wright grumbled so much about the failure of the pools to drain to the bottom so much that I finally went with Joe to the spot and suggested he use four or five men to clean out the creek ditches. Joe looked it over. "Man alive," he exclaimed. "You know what it would take to clean that out. It would take 30 men working six months."

Later on somebody got busy on a WPA project. And it did take 30 men about six months to do it. So Joe was right, after all. But he has done a splendid job and he is due the public thanks of Cisco and the Lake Cisco Amusement company.

### New Republican Temporary Chairman



### GOP Picks Fighter To Open Convention

By SIGRID ARNE

WASHINGTON, April 25. (AP)—Senator Frederick Steiwer of Oregon is to enjoy a unique introduction to the drama of national political conventions. He will be "keynoter" for the Republicans when they meet at Cleveland in June to nominate a presidential candidate.

Senator Steiwer will stand on a platform facing photographers' flashlights, grinding movie cameras and some 12,000 people. He will be the center of fluttering silence, bursts of clapping and frenzied cheering.

He never has been to a convention; not even as a spectator.

### Farmers Get Aid of Committeemen On New Farm Program Work Sheets

(Special to The Daily Press)

EASTLAND, April 25.—All farmers, including those who are share croppers, tenants, operators, or owners of farms in Eastland county, beginning Tuesday will have available the services of community and county committeemen and county agricultural agents to assist them in preparing work sheets under the new national agricultural conservation program, according to Elmer V. Cook, county agricultural agent.

Committeemen and extension workers beginning Tuesday will be available at the following places with the work sheets:

Eastland—county agent's office, Ranger—Chamber of commerce.

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### 70 CISCOANS AT H-S RALLY

Attend Annual Senior Day in Abilene

Seventy high school seniors from Cisco Saturday attended the annual Hardin-Simmons high school senior day program on the university campus in Abilene.

During the morning there was a parade and a program, in which the university queen was crowned, an address by President J. D. Sanderfer, and music by the choral club.

After a luncheon served on the campus, the seniors were taken on a tour of inspection of the university and during the evening were guests at a college football game.

California and Oregon are the only states in which English walnuts are grown on a commercial scale.

### Posing Is No Easy Job, Especially If Artist Owns Tiger, Says Cisco Model

Posing for an artist is not the languorous job it's supposed to be, especially if the artist is eccentric enough to insist that his pet tiger lie under the modeling table while he is at work—take it from one who knows.

Miss Betty Nell Clark, Cisco girl who has posed for the leading artists and sculptors of America, used the tiger illustration to show just how eccentric an artist can be and how hard his model's job can be made.

"Just imagine trying to look languorous and all the time being afraid that if I fell off the table or stepped off that tiger would jump at me," she said.

Benedict Bacon, for whom Miss Clark has posed a great deal, became fond of a pet tiger cub and kept it in his studio almost constantly. If he wanted to create a sensation he was successful.

Illness forced Miss Clark to quit modeling and return to Cisco. Bacon lost trace of her. One day he was passing through Cisco and saw her enter Paul Poe's grocery. He returned to San Antonio and, remembering the name of the store, sent a letter to Miss Clark in care of it, about six weeks ago.

In due time she received the letter. "Of course I couldn't work then," she said.

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### MIXED CHORUS AND BOYS GET SECOND PLACE

Girls Defeat Abilene For First Time At Meet on Saturday

The Cisco High school choral club Saturday won first place in the girl's division at the district festival in Abilene, with the boys' glee club and the mixed chorus each winning second in their divisions.

Miss Ella Andres directed the girls' choral club and the mixed chorus, with Miss Lucille Robinson directing the glee club and training the boys of the mixed chorus. Mrs. William Hoyt was the accompanist.

Although there were no official rankings the grades of the various clubs showed Cisco first with 94 and Abilene second with 87 in the girls' division. Breckenridge was third. It was the first time Cisco had ever won over the Abilene girls. Abilene won first in the boys' division with a grade of 98 to Cisco's 87 and first with 90 to Cisco's 83 in the mixed chorus.

**Club Praised**

The choral club sang Grieg's "My Johann" and Mozart's "Oh, Lovely Clouds."

The judge's comments on the Cisco girls were, "Beautiful—such lovely work" and "They show"

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### Italy Threatens War If Suez Canal Closed

(By Associated Press)

Senator Roberto Davanzoli of Italy today declared that the "acts of war may be answered by acts of war without limitation" in replying to the demands in some British quarters that the Suez canal be closed to Italian ships.

The Italian solon invited certain Britishers to seriously consider the situation in the Mediterranean, the Alps and in Africa, where Italy, "within a few weeks have a huge military force" which could "operate in all directions."

### Randolph's Credits for Both 1936 And 1937 Approved By Association

Randolph college will receive full credit not only for this year's work but for that of the 1936-37 session as well, it was announced Saturday.

The announcement came from President J. T. McKissick and Registrar E. B. Isaacs upon their return from San Antonio, where they attended the convention of the Texas association of colleges.

The two college officials were pleased with the outcome of the meeting, they said, and pointed out that the approval of the association will give new impetus to the college program.

The state department of education recently approved the college credits for certificate purposes. Dr. McKissick said Saturday night that the new approval gives Randolph credits full value for transfer to other schools.

At the same time, the president said that the finances of the college appear to be definitely better. He will confer with a group representing the Temple Trust company here this week.

### 90 SENIORS TO GRADUATE

Largest Class to Get Diplomas Here

The largest graduating class in the history of Cisco high school is in prospect this spring with 90 candidates for diplomas, it was announced.

The previous record was two years ago when 76 students were graduated.

Graduation program and other information relative to the closing of the school term will be announced next week, Supt. R. N. Cluck said.

### Good Neighbor League to Fight Liberty League

WASHINGTON, April 25. (AP)—The newly-formed "Good Neighbor League," bearing the endorsement of President Roosevelt, entered the national picture today. One of its leaders said it would fight for ideals "opposite" to those of the American Liberty League, the bitter new deal critic.

The announcement said that "human values come before property values"—a thought the president has used in replying to his critics.

Directors of the Good Neighbor League include a long list of prominent men and women of the nation.

### School District Gets Bond Time Extension

EASTLAND, April 25.—Granting Union school district No. 2-B's request for an extension of time, commissioners court has instructed the county treasurer to accept payment on 15 \$60 bonds because the district was unable to pay all of 20 due April 10.

### Cisco Teams Enter State Judging Meet

Two judging teams from the Cisco high school vocational agriculture classes were to leave early this morning for College Station, where they will participate in the state meet.

The boys, who were to be accompanied by T. G. Caudle, agriculture teacher, are: livestock judging, Thomas Lee Jones, Billy Dawkins, and M. D. Bailey; dairy judging, James Waters, Melvin Cleveland, and Clarence Dill.

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### American Supplies Held Inadequate For U. S. in Event of War Blockade

By LLOYD LEHRBAS  
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This question, vital to national defense, is answered in a report on raw materials and their relation to a conflict of any magnitude just compiled by Col. John A. Wagner, procurement expert of the war department's quartermaster corps.  
"America's great power," Colonel Wagner reports, "is due not so much to victories on the battlefields, as to the possession of essential raw materials and the ability of her citizens to properly change these raw materials into articles of commerce."  
**Two Years Without Imports**  
No other nation, Colonel Wagner finds, has the natural resources and industrial organization to carry on a war for two years without importing huge amounts of war supplies.  
A detailed survey of strategic raw materials, essential to warfare, made by Wagner, has convinced him that this country either has or could produce in an extreme emergency, the things it needs for victory.  
**Where Materials Produced**  
The list of materials, including their chief sources and the percentage produced in the United States, in The Quartermaster Review, shows:  
**MANGANESE** (Indispensable in steel manufacture): U. S. 29 per cent; Soviet Russia 33 per cent; Brazil 25 per cent; India 8.7 per cent; Gold Coast 8 per cent; Canada 5 per cent. Wagner recommends that, in view of American utilization being much greater than production here, a war supply should be built up.  
**CHROMIUM** (needed as an alloy, in chemical manufacture, and for armor plate, projectiles and gun carriages): U. S. none; Rhodesia 56 per cent; Cuba 15 per cent. Wagner recommends building up a war stock for emergency purposes, although it is expected this country would be able to secure Cuban supplies even in wartime.  
**NICKEL** (for nickel steels, heavy machinery and guns, armor plate): U. S. 2 per cent; Canada 90 per cent. Chief world's supply is only few miles across American border in a friendly country, with no expectation of difficulty securing supplies.  
**TUNGSTEN** (necessary in toughening alloys and high speed cutting tools): U. S. 24 per cent; China 44.7 per cent; Great Britain 14 per cent. Production here, plus substitution of molybdenum, sufficient.  
**TIN** (for tetrachloride, important as a producer of glazes and concealing smoke in explosives): U. S. none; British Malaya 65 per cent; Great Britain 21 per cent. Wagner recommends building up a small war stock, chiefly for industrial convenience, pending sufficient production of substitutes.  
**ANTIMONY** (for hardening lead in shrapnel shells, percussion caps of shells and charges, in bearing metals): U. S. none; China 70 per cent; Mexico 10 per cent. Substitutes, plus small deposits of low grade ores here which could be worked, sufficient.  
**MERCURY** (for ammunition and important manufacturing purposes): U. S. 40 per cent; Spain 30 per cent; Italy 22 per cent. American production, plus use of substitutes, sufficient.  
**PLATINUM** (electrical and chemical industries, including manufacture of sulphuric and nitric acid, necessary in manufacture of explosives of all kinds): U. S. 5 per cent; Colombia 42.5 per cent; Great Britain 42 per cent; Germany 12.5 per cent. Substitutes, secondary recovery and possible import from Colombia, sufficient.  
**MICA** (insulation purposes): U. S. 26 per cent; India 50 per cent; Canada 10 per cent.  
**NITRATES** (essential for explosives): U. S. 67.4 per cent; Chile 21.9 per cent.  
**RUBBER** (tires, insulation, rubber goods): U. S. none; Malay states 66 per cent; East India 18.5 per cent; Large stocks and substitutes sufficient, but small war stock recommended when purchasable at low price.  
**SILK** (parachutes and powder bags): U. S. none; Japan 83 per cent; China 16.2 per cent. Artificial substitutes, plus normal stock, sufficient.  
**JUTE, MANILA FIBRE and SISAL** (rope, sandbags, wrapping purposes): U. S. none, all being produced in the Philippines, India, East Indies and Mexico. Numerous substitutes, including wire, cotton and flax, available.  
**WOOL** (uniforms): U. S. 55 per cent; Great Britain 10 per cent; China 8 per cent. Stocks and substitutes sufficient.  
**COFFEE**: U. S. none; Brazil 68.9 per cent; Colombia 18.7 per cent. If stocks are cut off from Brazil and Colombia the nation must use substitutes or go without.  
**SUGAR**: U. S. 17.5 per cent; Cuba 56.4 per cent; Hawaii 11.8 per cent; Puerto Rico 8.5 per cent; Philippines 7.9 per cent.

Production, plus substitutes including corn sugar, sufficient.  
The United States produces no iodine, nux vomica (source of strychnine), opium or quinine, necessary medical supplies, which come from Indo-China, India, Chile, Great Britain, Turkey, Greece, the Netherlands and Japan. Small war stocks are recommended, since the only possible supply would be production of iodine from California brines and kelp.  
The United States is also dependent on imports, chiefly from Japan and tropical countries, for coconut shells (charcoal for gas masks) and camphor (manufacture of smokeless powder and photographic film) but acceptable synthetic substitutes would be available in an emergency.

### Among The Derricks

**WESTERN SHACKELFORD HAS 15 ACTIVE TESTS**  
ABILENE, April 25.—Roeser & Pendleton, Inc.—Humble Oil & Refining Co. No. 1, Dawson & Conway, struck 7,500,000 feet of gas in Fry sand but sand is cased off and well will be carried to the Cook horizon around 1800 feet. The test is a rank wildcat in center of southeast of southeast quarter of C. Casner survey No. 27, about four miles due north of Bluff Creek pool, near Clear Fork of Brazos river a short distance south of Ro-Mar water station on the Dawson & Conway ranch, supply for the Cook ranch pool, gasoline plants and other Roeser & Pendleton properties.  
Dean Bros. No. 2, W. P. Newell is a new test preparing to spud in center of south half of south half section 114, ETRY, five miles west of Albany, a 440 foot location northeast of Dean Bros. 25,000,000 foot gasser in Cook sand at 1437 feet, which was completed several months ago as a gas well and is selling small quantities of gas. This is the first test to be drilled in the Newell area since failure of the Healey & Walter No. 1, W. P. Newell 1690 feet south of the Dean and Morton gas wells; so the extent of the Cook sand to the north, east and west remains untested.  
White & Duncan No. 2, J. P. Morris, in center northwest quarter section 190, ETRY, showed up better than first indicated, making 73 barrels initial on test in Bluff Creek.  
Sherwood B. Owens-E. T. Green No. 1, J. P. Morris, is drilling at 850 feet in southwest corner northeast quarter of northwest quarter section 190, ETRY, a north offset to White & Duncan No. 1, completed for 255 barrels initial production from Bluff Creek sand at 1585 feet, two weeks ago.  
Reliance Oil & Royalty Corp.—Jones & Stasney No. 1, J. P. Morris, is showing for a good producer in Bluff Creek, a south offset to White & Duncan No. 1.  
White & Duncan, Wichita Falls operators of prominence, have purchased controlling interest in the 1,000 acre block of leases held by Jones & Stasney in section 220 and 221, ETRY on the G. R. Davis ranch and will drill a new test on the southeast trend from Bluff Creek area, which is northeast also from the G. R. Davis pool on T&NO survey 4.  
Morlang-Kingery, Inc.—Geo. Callihan No. 3, G. R. Davis, is a new outside test on south of the G. R. Davis pool, being located 480 feet from north and 220 feet from west lines west 40 acres of center 80 acres east part T&NO survey 4.  
Ray & Stanforth No. 4, J. P. Vickers, center location in south line east half northwest quarter section 207, ETRY is preparing to test Bluff Creek sand at 1600 feet, and the same operators No. 5, J. P. Vickers is drilling at 350 feet southeast corner northeast of northwest quarters section 207.  
A. R. Eupenauer No. 4, J. P. Morris, is preparing to spud center location southwest of northeast quarter section 207, making the third active test for the Mims-Vickers area of western Shackelford, which has shown up as one of the most promising discoveries of the past year in the area two miles east of Lueders and one and a half miles west of Bluff Creek pool on the Morris and Dawson & Conway ranches, with a possible connection between the two pools, swinging in a half circle through the A. J. Swenson ranch a half mile northeast of the center of Mims-Vickers pool and a mile northwest of center of Bluff Creek pool.  
J. F. Baker & Wm. Pardue No. 3, J. P. Morris, was completed last week for 200 barrels initial, after 20 quart shot center location east line of south center 40 acres section 200, ETRY only four locations south of the original discovery well drilled in center east line, section 200, ETRY by Sherwood B. Owens, Inc. nearly six years ago and still a good producer.  
J. L. McMurray Heirs—L. C. Heltzel No. 7, J. P. Morris, is preparing to drill Bluff Creek sand center location southwest quarter southwest quarter section 192,

ETRY most eastern test for the pool.  
L. C. Heltzel-E. J. Keough No. 1, C. R. Davis, is drilling at 950 feet northwest corner southwest quarter section 17, block 13, T&P, a central west Shackelford wildcat.  
Bell Oil & Gas Co., No. 1, L. G. Davis, is drilling at 1485 feet center south half section 45, block 13, T&P.  
Condor Petroleum Co., No. 1, L. G. Davis, is drilling 1400 feet south center section 49, block 13, T&P on another wildcat test for southwestern Shackelford.  
Fain-McGaha Oil Corp. of Wichita Falls has purchased leases on block of 1500 acres from Merrick Davis, landowner in southwestern Shackelford, and with present widespread activity in Jones county to the west, oil operators believe one of the next drilling plays for Shackelford will be south from the Bluff Creek and Davis pools toward the southwest corner of the county, which is only ten miles northeast of

Abilene, and five miles from the Sayles and Holt producing areas in Jones county.  
Reliance Oil & Royalty Corp.—Jones & Stasney No. 1, G. R. Davis, is drilling at 900 feet center northeast of northeast quarter section 3, block 13, T&P, another wildcat.  
Reliance Oil & Royalty Corp.—Jones & Stasney No. 2-B, J. H. Nail estate, is preparing to spud in northeast corner south half southwest quarter section 137, ETRY on southwest side of the Nail pool showing considerable promise with producing wells in both Tannehill and Cook sand.

**\$15,000 Is Asked For Personal Damage**  
EASTLAND, April 25.—Judgment of \$15,000 for asserted injuries allegedly sustained in an automobile accident May 29, 1934, was asked in a suit filed in district court this week by B. T.

Anderson of Tom Green county against Phillips Petroleum Co.  
The plaintiff's petition sets forth that his wife, Dorothy, is unable to work because of the accident which assertedly resulted in 60 day's confinement in a hospital.  
The petition charges negligence of Joe Wood, who is named as driver of the automobile, as the cause of the accident.  
According to the petition, Mrs. Anderson was riding from Rising Star to Cross Plains and the purported accident occurred near Piofner. A Mr. Cribbs is named as the driver of the automobile in which Mrs. Anderson was riding.  
Turner, Seaberry and Springer of Eastland and Anderson & Jones of San Angelo are plaintiff's counsel.

### City Commission Pays Widow's Tax

FORT LAUDERDALE, Fla., April 25. (AP)—A widow who said she supported four children on earnings of \$5.50 weekly asked the city commission for permission to pay her taxes in installments of 50 cents a week.  
Instead the commissioners and others made up a fund and gave her a "paid-in-full" receipt for her \$6.68 tax bill.  
**MOVIES FOR AIR STATIONS**  
WAKE ISLAND (AP)—Establishment of bases for the clipper planes on Wake and Midway islands has brought movies to them for the first time. A Honolulu amusement company experimented with short subjects, then put on full length feature shows.  
Frank Shellenback, manager of the San Diego Padres, has used the same baseball glove for 16 years.

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

And when he was come nigh, the whole multitude began to rejoice and praise God, for all the mighty works that they had seen: saying, blessed be the King that cometh in the name of the Lord, peace in heaven, and glory in the highest.—Luke 27: 28.

I have a secret, A wonderful secret to share with you. It is about my Father who is King O'er all the earth. There is joy in my secret, Great joy for all who are weary and heavy laden. —BENEDICT.

"Let us look well to our mental state. Let us try to protect and preserve the precious thoughts which are liable to be driven away by the world's din; gather up the sweetness of these thoughts, let us beg God to help us. Such thoughts will gain for us peace that no man taketh away."

Success Is Certain

THUS far in advance it is apparent that something beyond the control of man will have to intervene if the Cisco Lions club's entertainment of the convention of District 2-E of Lions International is not a success. The manner in which preparations for this event have been planned and carried out is a distinct testimony to the ability, energy and resourcefulness of the club.

Under the Courthouse Roof

ELEVENTH COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS

EASTLAND, April 25. — The following proceedings were had Friday in the court of civil appeals, 11th supreme judicial district:

Reversed and remanded: J. R. Napier vs. Agnes Mooneyham, et al, Stephens.

Dismissed: O. B. Fielder vs. H. T. Fleming, Taylor.

Motions submitted: Federal Underwriters Exchange vs. W. Husted, plaintiff-in-error's motion to reform; American National Insurance Co. vs. Stephen S. Brawner, appellee's motion for rehearing; Russell W. Weaver, et al, vs. J. B. Apperson, appellee's motion to advance; Jack Harris vs. Thornton's Department Store, appellant's motion for rehearing; O. B. Fielder vs. H. T. Fleming, joint motion to dismiss.

Motions granted: Russell W. Weaver, et al, vs. J. B. Apperson, appellee's motion to advance; O. B. Fielder vs. H. T. Fleming, joint motion to dismiss.

Motion Overruled: Petroleum Casualty Company vs. Mrs. C. O. Hoskins Kincaid, et al, appellant's motion for rehearing.

Cases submitted April 24, 1936: Mary Ethel Duff, et al, vs. Roesser & Pendleton, Inc., et al, Shackelford; M. Smith vs. J. C. Simpson, et al, Jones; A. J. Key vs. Mineral Wells Investment Co., Palo Pinto.

Cases to be submitted May 1, 1936: American National Ins. Co. vs. Annie C. Garrison, Eastland; American National Ins. Co. vs. Nolan Green, Haskell.

Motion granted in part and overruled in part: Willis Norwood,

et al, vs. Taylor County, et al, appellant's motion for rehearing.

THE EIGHTY-EIGHTH DISTRICT COURT

(Judge Patterson, Presiding) There were no orders in the 88th court this week, as Judge Patterson was absent from the county, presiding over Judge McCullum's court at Dallas.

The only new cause of action that was filed in the court was that of Cisco Mortgage and Loan Co. vs. S. E. Hittson, suit on note.

Grand Jury Reconvenes Monday The grand jury of the 88th district court will reconvene Monday in recess session, when the Tarver murder case, and the robbery with firearms of J. E. Spicer will come before the inquisitorial body for investigation.

Transcript of Henry Triand The State of Texas vs. Raymond Henry, on appeal from the 50-year sentence verdict after conviction in connection with the murder of H. L. McBee, the "hanging skeleton" case, was granted his application for transcript of the trial. Henry having filed an affidavit that he was unable to pay, and could not furnish security for cost of the transcript, it was the order of the court that the court reporter compile a complete transcript of the evidence given at the trial, free of cost, in accordance with the law where an affidavit of inability to pay is made.

THE NINETY-FIRST DISTRICT COURT (Judge Davenport, Presiding) New Cases Pending The following new causes of action have been filed in the 91st

court for litigation during the past week: J. H. Roby vs. Jessie Earl Roby, divorce. B. T. Anderson vs. Phillips Petroleum Co. et al, damages. Wilson Harrison vs. Ruby Harrison, divorce.

Judgments and Orders The plaintiff, J. N. Pittman, was granted a complete divorce in an action for annulment of his marriage with the defendant, Annie Pittman.

The case of Mattie D. Stockard et vir vs. the Farm and Home and Saving association, action to cancel deed of trust, is pending. Testimony in the case was completed Friday, and the court will hear arguments of counsel Wednesday, and render his decision, as a jury in the case having been waived and all matters left to the decision of the court.

Jury for Sixth Week Following is the personnel of the petit jury for the sixth week of the April term, who have been summoned to report for service for the week beginning May 11: Harland Phillips, D. N. Waggoner, D. C. Weeks, R. C. Wilson, Joe Thompson, T. D. Martin, Cull Moorman, J. W. Weaver, Ranger; W. H. Ware, L. O. Watson, J. W. Weatherman, J. S. Welty, Frank White, W. P. Whitlock, C. S. Davis, Rising Star; W. W. Walters, B. F. Wilcox, G. L. Wingate, G. B. Lanier, James Horton, Eastland; E. R. Watson, L. A. Warren, Dan Wende, E. J. Wende, L. D. Wilson, E. K. Wenge, Edgar Altom, Cisco; J. O. Warren, W. H. White, Gorman; J. F. Warren, Olden; R. W. White, Desdemona; W. C. Wilkinson, A. M. Wolf, B. C. Thompson, Carbon; V. M. Williams, R. E. Townsend, D. L. Allen, W. E.

ficers of the club are entitled to public commendation.

BUT not only that. They are entitled to more. They are entitled to the utmost cooperation on the part of all citizens. The number of visitors will tax the accommodations of the community to entertain them. This is a job not only for the Lions club, but for the whole community. Rich man, poor man, merchant, and we are almost tempted to say thief, should join the Lions in their endeavor to make this convention a success to be remembered by the district as a milestone of distinction in its convention history.

Cultivating Cisco

ANY program for community building must embody, if it does not express the fundamental fact of home ownership if it is to be a success. The town where a majority of homes and real estate are owned by the residents is a town that is assured of stability. The depression which swept the savings of many people into oblivion and caused them to lose homes in which they had only an equity brought about a migratory condition that was costly to many cities. Particularly in those areas where boom conditions had previously existed, inducing a general buying of homes on the installment plan, the condition resulted whereby the loan companies owned most of the residences and found them white elephants at that.

NOW that economic recovery is in evidence there is a distinct and happy trend back toward home ownership. What looked like a hopeless situation a few years ago has suddenly taken on the aspect of desirability. Towns once dead, are stirring into life. There is another fact to be taken into consideration, and that is the great tourist movement that will be set up this summer and fall by the Texas centennial celebrations. This movement will be particularly noticeable along such a main-travelled route as the Broadway of America on which Cisco is situated. It brings the prospect of new population and new enterprise. Some preparation is necessary to take advantage of the opportunity it will present.

CISCO has an agency which, if properly supported by local investment, would accomplish much toward establishing the home ownership principle in fact in this community. It is the Cisco Federal Savings and Loan association in which the federal government matches local dollars three for one and guarantees the investment. Money placed in it draws a higher dividend and is just as safe as money placed in federal bonds. And the investment cultivates community assets and thus enhances the value of what other investments the citizen has here, as well as bringing in three times as much federal money to work in the same cause. All of the funds in the hands of the association are working, all loans are in first class order, and there are sufficient applications on file to absorb a great deal more. The association is an institution that ought to be cultivated, for it is cultivating Cisco values.

Laughing Around the World With IRVIN S. COBB

Spoken in Passing

By IRVIN S. COBB

IT WAS in June of 1918, over in France. A negro regiment had gone in under fire and the punishment being heavy and the troops being green at actual warfare, one battalion had broken. Stragglers were sifting back through the supporting lines.



A small yellow private came hurrying rearward. Men of a white regiment lying alongside the road waiting for the order to advance began gazing him for his haste. In reply to a particular barbed taunt the retreating soldier, without slacking his gait, cast a sidewise glance over his shoulder and said:

"Lis'en, we now admits we ain't no bear cats!" A few minutes later a big black soldier passed, also moving toward the rear with speed. In reply to a question as to why his company had broken he halted just long enough to say:

"Co'se we pulled out. Dey don't give us no propah suppotte. Why, dey didn't even give us no garage!" (American News Features, Inc.)

Lusk, Nimrod; I. L. Gattis, Scranton; J. W. Claborn, Okra.

DEPARTMENT OF COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT

Teachers Meeting

C. S. Eldridge announces the meeting of the County Teachers' association will be in Eastland Saturday, May 2. One of the purposes of the meeting, the superintendent stated, was for the election of officers and to perfect the organization for another year. He stated that an unusually good program is being arranged, which will be published later.

All schools desiring to send delegates to the Brownwood sing song are urged to be represented at the county meet. The Brownwood meeting will be composed of teachers of all the schools in the ninth district, of which Miss Opal Gilstrap is supervisor. This meeting is to prepare for the centennial sing song to be held in Dallas, June 13. Eldridge stated.

THE DEPARTMENT OF THE COUNTY CLERK

Marriage Licenses

The following have been issued license to marry during the past week:

Earl Free and Miss Hattie Mae Stephens, Cisco.

Leon Murray and Miss Bonnie Reed Driver.

Everett Ligon and Miss Thelma G. Harris, Eastland.

Orders in Probate

Application of W. H. McDonald, guardian of Melvin B. Montgomery, N. C. M., to effect a compromise settlement of a case pending in the district court of Jones county for compensation for damages by injuries alleged to have been sustained by his ward while in the employ of the Humble Pipe Line Co. The terms of the compromise are that the defendant in the suit, the Petroleum Casualty Co., agrees to settle by the payment to the guardian the sum of \$1,000. The application was approved and the compromise settlement authorized by the court.

Application of Florence Scott for letters of guardianship of the estate of Joe L. Scott, N. C. M., approved and letters ordered issued. The guardian's bond was set at \$2,500, which was filed with the court, with Fred R. Scott, Henry C. Scott and Mrs. Nora Harris as sureties, which was approved. W. E. Tyler, W. M. Wood and George Brogdon, were named as appraisers.

Application of Mrs. Emma C. Lawson for letters of guardianship of the person and estate of Chester Lawrence Lawson and Sammie Lawson, minors, was approved by the court, and letters ordered issued when Mrs. Lawson shall file her bond in the sum of \$400.

In the matter of the guardianship of Carrie E. Tipton. Application to close guardianship. A jury being waived all matters were left to the court, who, after hearing the evidence, was of the opinion that the application should be approved. Therefore it was the decree of the court that the guardianship proceedings against the estate of Carrie E. Tipton be closed, and that the guardian, J. R. Burnett, shall immediately settle his accounts and deliver all properties remaining in his hands to the said Carrie E. Tipton, and that after the guardian shall have filed his final report as such, and the same is approved by the court as provided by law, said guardian and his bondsmen shall be discharged of any further and all liability.

In the matter of the administration of the estate of Joe Young, deceased, the application of W. S. Adams, administrator, to file a disclaimer to certain lands alleged to be a part of the estate, on which R. W. Mayo claims to hold a lien, was approved. The court finds that the title to the land in question was faulty, and that the said Joe Young never acquired a legal deed, and that it is to the best interest of the estate that the administrator be authorized to disclaim any interest in said property, and the said Mayo be per-

mitted to foreclose his deed of trust in satisfaction of the alleged claim of \$2,000 against the estate.

Annual report of Ida Inez Short, guardian of Ben Elroy Short, minor, showing the properties of the estate to consist of cash, United States and Federal Land bank bonds to the value of \$7,195.25. The report was approved.

On The Political Front

(By Associated Press) Norman Thomas, the one-time Presbyterian minister who heads the Socialist party, thinks Roosevelt will be re-elected as "the lesser of two evils." But he won't campaign for the democratic incumbent.

Instead he will campaign for his own philosophy of government, and continue just as enthusiastic an advocate of his



Norman Thomas

party's ticket as though the patronage plum-bag were immediately around the corner. Twice he has been the socialist candidate for mayor of New York, once for governor of New York, and twice for president.

But unlike other political speakers he takes little vacation between campaigns. In the last year he has belabored the social security bill, advocated strict neutrality laws, demanded orderly amendment of the constitution.

He has intimated he would like to seek a congressional seat this year, but no matter what nomination he is given he probably will be heard in many states.

Politics At Random

(Chief of Bureau, The Associated Press, Washington)

The idea of a constitutional amendment to broaden federal powers appears to have been shuffled to the bottom of the political pack; but that is no proof that the original concepts of the "new deal" are to be abandoned to their fate during the coming campaign.

In fact recent events points in the opposite direction. The new soil erosion act is a frank attempt to attain the major purpose of AAA, which was the control of agricultural surpluses.

Similarly the president himself has forecast a further effort by the federal government to accomplish the wage and hour objectives of NRA, and more.

Furthermore, the general trend of these enterprises is becoming fairly clear. Both NRA and AAA were held unconstitutional on the ground that they infringed on local authority. The tendency of recent administration action has been toward joint action with the local authorities.

In other words, it now is proposed by some of the administra-

tion stalwarts to accomplish by cooperation what the supreme court has said cannot be done by compulsion.

Cooperation the Key

The social security act, which was passed after some of the earlier "new deal" statutes began to get into trouble in the courts, is an illustration of the cooperative idea.

Under this legislation the federal government makes certain grants to the state governments, provided the state governments themselves enact social security laws satisfactory to Washington. So eager has been the desire of the states to participate in these grants that 26 already have qualified to receive payments from the federal treasury.

Although the state governments as such are not involved, a similar general method has been followed in the soil erosion program. The farmer signs no contract, as he did under AAA, agreeing to regulations made in Washington. He simply cooperates, if he chooses, by refraining from capacity production. Again, the inducement is the knowledge he will receive a bounty check in return for his effort.

The idea is by no means new, and it is rather unusual that the new deal did not adopt it on a larger scale in the beginning. For many years the federal government has been offering money to states which put up a like amount for highway construction, and other purposes. That is a method of securing cooperation which has worked exceptionally well.

Time Will Tell

The president has not expanded publicly on his Baltimore statement that "the government must give and will give consideration" to work hours and wage scales, or his further suggestion that a way be found to keep children in school until they are 18.

One of his principal supporters, however, Senator Pittman of Nevada, has given a possible clue to the situation.

"I think the tendency right now of the administration," said Senator Pittman the other day, "is to bring about social reforms through a 50-50 cooperation with the states."

Of course the school laws made by the states, and the courts have recognized the right of state governments to regulate wages and hours. Can the objectives of NRA still be reached by offering the states certain inducements to pass state laws acceptable, in these respects, to the federal government? Can the relief burden be gradually shifted to a 50-50 basis by the same method?

The details can only be developed by time. The striking thing now is the change of view which has developed at Washington. Lacking is the note of despair which characterized the president's "horse and buggy" statement after the NRA decision. There is a minimum of talk of changing the constitution, but much talk of the new "cooperative" way toward constitution attainment of those social changes on which the administration has set its heart.

Human and Other Nature

By W. F. BRUCE

The sumptuously faring, finelined rich man, and the sorely afflicted, crumb-craving companion of dogs at his gate, set forth emphatically the aloofness that may exist between a man whom fortune seemingly has favored and his less favored fellow. The fifteenth chapter of Luke justifies the purpose of God to reach the last man and save him, sometimes more readily than the religious formalist whom we might expect to be most interested in the gospel. Jesus is directing those parables at the critical Pharisees. Then in the sixteenth chapter he deals with the subject of goods as a separating factor between man and man, and man and God.

The attitude of the rich man is evidently one of indifference rather than of oppressive persecution. But this indifference was persecution. The beggar was near enough to hunger for the crumbs; but the dogs were there. Perhaps the sumptuous farmer had no objection to either one of them catching any crumbs they could. He may have thought he was living and letting live, but he was hardly doing that. At least it seems a strange situation for two children of the same Heavenly Father to find themselves in. Neither had likely expected to come to such a state of relationship.

But most human situations are growths. Small beginnings lead imperceptibly sometimes to wide divergences. Now these two human beings are wide apart, the vast accumulations of one meant the want of another. And other divergences arise that are just as striking as the economic. Habit is an almost inexorable law. Whatever one is doing habitually is fixing his character and his destiny. It is a logical outcome

that at the last "there is a great gulf fixed" and neither could pass over to the other. So far as the Bible reveals we are fixing our destinies in this period of opportunity in this world. If we do not use that how can we expect some special mission to intervene to save up?

Dramatic Club Due to Present 3 One-Act Plays

The Three Point York Shop, Cisco high school dramatic club, will present for its annual production its "Centennial Program" of three one-act plays, to be given Thursday evening, April 30, at the high school auditorium.

The three plays to be presented give a decided variation in play amusement. The play "Westward People," placing second in the county contest, depicts the early frontier life of a Texas family, with their hardships and the desire to return to Virginia.

The cast is composed of Dena Carroll, Lillian Farris, J. F. Armstrong, Howell Stubblefield, Merrill Goldberg, William Shook, and Crandall Jones. "Bargain Day," a hilarious comedy, will keep the audience's sides splitting from laughter. Those representing the characters are Elsie Pulley, Howell Stubblefield, and Crandall Jones. The third play is "Dregs," a melodrama. J. F. Armstrong and Marie Qualls present the principal roles, with William Shook and J. M. Hazlewood taking minor ones.

BELLING THE CAT AGAIN

KENTON, O. (AP)—"Let's bell the cats," said Kenton sportsmen. So the Hardin County More Game association sent the state legislature a resolution urging that every cat in Ohio be compelled to wear a bell. The tinkle, the resolution set forth, would reduce materially inroads on all forms of young wild life.

When the Washington senators played Albany at Winter Garden, Busky Harris expressed himself as deeply impressed with the play of Sammy Bell of Charlotte. Bell is the second baseman for the International league club.

Political Announcements

EDITORS NOTE—For the information of prospective candidates for the various offices the Daily Press will charge the following rates, which will include the Daily and Weekly rural editions, and will be published throughout the campaign. All nominees will appear until the general election in November. Terms, cash. County and district offices... \$12.00 Precinct offices... 19.00 Justice of the peace, constable and municipal offices... 3.00

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Cisco Daily and Weekly Rural Press are authorized to announce the following candidates for the offices under which their names appear, subject to the action of the democratic primaries, of 1936:

For County Tax Assessor and Collector— C. H. O'BRIEN CLYDE S. KARKALITS

For Sheriff— STEELE HILL LOSS WOODS A. D. CARROLL J. W. NARBLE

For County Commissioner— Precinct No. 4. JOE CLEMENTS ARCH BINT (Re-Election) CHARLIE WENDE ROBERT TUCKER

For Court's Judge— T. L. COOPER W. S. ADAMSON W. D. R. OWEN

For County Clerk— TURNER COLLIE (Re-Election) R. L. (BOB) DAVENPORT

For District Attorney— EARL CONNER, JR. GRADY OWEN (Re-election)

For District Clerk— P. L. CROSSLEY (Re-Election)

For Judge of 88th District Court— B. W. PATTERSON (Re-Election)

For Judge of the 91st District— GEORGE L. DAVENPORT (Re-Election)

For the Texas Legislature, District 107 (Floterial district of Eastland and Callahan Counties): E. M. CURRY CECIL A. LOTTIE

CITY OFFICERS For Justice of the Peace— Precinct No. 6. JOE WILSON (Re-Election)

For Constable— Precinct No. 6. G. C. (GRANT) DANIELS A. L. (LEE) BARTON



Mrs. C. W. Trammell Editor

SOCIETY and CLUBS

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75 Attend Senior Banquet Given By Church Thursday

The graduating seniors of Cisco high school were honored at an annual banquet given by the women of the First Baptist church...

The tables were fashioned to represent the letter T and the Texas centennial motif was carried out in the Texas star of bluebonnets...

A two-course dinner was served, consisting of chicken a la king, hot rolls, beans and potatoes...

Five Human Types

Principal H. Brandon, called upon for an impromptu speech, responded by pointing out five different kinds of human beings...

Then the principal speaker, who addressed the students of the high school many times during his visit last year, kept the students in an uproar for a while...

James Toastmaster

Mrs. J. D. Franklin, president of the missionary society, was assisted by a committee of workers to make the event an outstanding milestone...

Present at the banquet were the following: P. D. O'Brien, E. S. James, Mr. and Mrs. H. Brandon, Mr. and Mrs. Davis Fields, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Cluck, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Duff, Mrs. James Moore, Miss Marion Chambliss, Miss Elizabeth Daniel...

Rueben Wende, N. P. Barnes, Marie Tune, Mabel Sugg, Obie Thurman, La Una Cook, Vivian Johnston, Annie Mae Elder, M. D. Bailey, Paul Ivie, Carolyn Baird, Chief Brown, Lurline Poe, C. F. Armstrong, Lillian Farris, Tommy Wilson, Leola Isenhower, Roy Burnam, Marie Qualls...

Mrs. Ponsler Has Pivot Bridge Club

The Pivot Bridge club met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. R. L. Ponsler as hostess. Pink peonies and roses were used to decorate the rooms where three tables were arranged for the players...

Flora Bacon, Buel Woods, Evelyn Reynolds, Gwendolyn Pippen, Eddie Dolgener, Esther Walker, Berl Martin, Betty Eida Clark, Bobby Anderson, Bessie Rae Coats, Tom Coker, Carrie Lou Sullivan, Howell Stubblefield, James Johnson, Frances Gorman, Jere Loftin, Mary Sue Moberly, Joannah Hageman, Mary Elizabeth Love, Vera Murphy, Catharine Russell, Victor Lawson, Lucille Clark, Jim Flores, Mary Frances Burkett, Betty Groce, and Dalton White.

Visit Relatives

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morehart of Hobbs, N. M., are spending the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Morehart, parents of Mr. Morehart.

The Lower Rio Grande valley's 1936 tomato acreage is estimated at 12,500, or 50 per cent more than last year.

New Bicycle Craze Develops N iceties Gay Nineties Missed



The cycling vogue which has swept the country has launched a new chain of sport clothes. The girl on the left wears a dark gray wool gabardine suit designed with a trim jacket and culotte (divided skirt)...

The Notebook

MONDAY

The Charles Crawford Chapter D.A.R. will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. J. E. Chesley, 1302 M avenue. Mrs. Alex Spears will lead the program on Texas centennial.

The First Industrial Arts club will entertain Monday at 4:30 p. m. honoring Mrs. H. G. Bailey at the home of Mrs. W. W. Wallace, Humbletown.

TUESDAY

The Woman's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church will meet at the church at 3 o'clock. Circles of the Baptist W.M.S. will meet at 3 o'clock at the following places:

Circle 1, Mrs. A. M. Swindle, 1604 E avenue.

Circle 2, Mrs. O. L. Mason, East Tenth street.

Circle 3, Mrs. M. A. Wright, 706 I avenue.

Circle 4, Mrs. Jack Leach, 708 West 14th street.

Circle 5, Mrs. Leon McPherson, 808 West Ninth street.

Circle 6, Mrs. Harry Schaefer, 104 West 11th street.

FRIDAY

The Twentieth Century club will meet in the club rooms at the library at 3 o'clock.

The Friendly Twelve Forty-Two club will meet with Mrs. E. E. Daniel, 1300 West 15th street.

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The Pivot Bridge club met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. R. L. Ponsler as hostess. Pink peonies and roses were used to decorate the rooms where three tables were arranged for the players. Mrs. J. H. Brice was winner of the high score prize. A dessert course was served to Mesdames J. A. Bearman, J. H. Brice, Charles Brown, Guy Dabney, Roshel Daniel, A. C. Green, Charles George, Karl Armstrong, Charles Trammell, T. F. O'Brien, Will St. John and K. H. Pittard.

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The Vinita, Okla., commercial club posted a prize of \$25 to the farm woman raising the best garden.

Mrs. Hayes Cresset Bridge Club Hostess

Mrs. R. C. Hays was hostess to the members of the Cresset Bridge club Friday afternoon at her home on West Eighth street. Bouquets of roses were used effectively about the rooms where tables were arranged for the players. Mrs. J. R. Bragg won the high score prize and Mrs. H. D. Borham won the high cut. Refreshments were served to Mesdames L. A. Burkett, C. A. Abbott, A. B. Cooper, Price Rainbolt, R. D. Jones, John Sledge, W. C. Clements, E. L. Wisdom, C. L. Tune, and Misses Bobbie Lee Cooper, and Marie Tune. The afternoon was spent in sewing.

Mrs. Moore Merry Wives Club Hostess

Pink radiance roses, blue hydrangeas and lilies in profusion were used as decorative theme for the living room while a mass of ferns was used in the dining room Friday afternoon when Mrs. W. W. Moore entertained the members of the Merry Wives Forty-Two club. Mrs. A. J. Olson and Mrs. J. E. Spencer tied for high scores. The hostess assisted by Mrs. J. J. Butts and Miss Lucine Lewis served a salad course to Mesdames P. P. Shepard, J. J. Butts, J. E. Spencer, George D. Fee, Joe Wilson, A. J. Olson, C. H. Hale, W. P. Lee, G. B. Kelly, Neal Turner, T. J. Dean and Miss Ardie Smith of Austin.

Mrs. Harper Has Loyalty Club Friday

Mrs. Bob Harper, assisted by her daughter, Miss Lucille, entertained members of the Loyalty club Friday afternoon. Mrs. W. C. Clements gave a report of the Woodmen Circle district meeting which was held in Ranger recently. Each guest brought a gift with this inscription "To My

Bluebonnet Pal" which was distributed, the name of the giver will be disclosed at a later meeting. Refreshments were served to Mesdames L. A. Burkett, C. A. Abbott, A. B. Cooper, Price Rainbolt, R. D. Jones, John Sledge, W. C. Clements, E. L. Wisdom, C. L. Tune, and Misses Bobbie Lee Cooper, and Marie Tune. The afternoon was spent in sewing.

CISCO VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lowery are here from Waco. They expect to return to that city Monday.

IS RECOVERING

Joyce Howell of Midland who underwent an operation for appendectomy Saturday is reported to be recovering satisfactorily. Mrs. Howell and little daughter, Carolyn, are with her mother, Mrs. Guy Dabney.

RETURN HOME

Mrs. T. R. James and Mrs. Margaret Barton who have been the guests of Mrs. J. T. Anderson and Mrs. W. J. Foxworth this week have returned to their homes in Fort Worth. While here Mrs. Anderson and Foxworth and their guests, accompanied by Earl Conner, Jr., of Eastland visited relatives in Miles.

Maybe Haile Selassie ought to be thinking of swapping his red umbrella for a red cap. It looks as if he'd be holding the bag from now on.—Boston Herald.

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Open House Held By Junior Music Lovers Saturday

The Junior Music Lovers club held open house Saturday afternoon at the Woman's club with the president, Miss Betty Lou Powell, in the chair. Meeting opened with singing the club song led by the assistant counselor, Mrs. Troy Powell, with Miss Joyce Rainbolt as accompanist. The club collect was repeated in unison after which the president introduced the club counselor, Mrs. Ben Krauskopf.

During the brief business meeting reports were given of the State Music club convention which was held in Fort Worth last week when the Cisco Junior club won third place for their scrap book. Mrs. Ben Krauskopf gave a report of the fine arts program at the convention. Miss Inez Rudy of Bowie, state president, presented the loving cups for the various musical numbers. Three members of this junior club will enter the district contest at Abilene next week. These pupils are Pollyanna Porter who will play "Golden Stars" (Watts Streabbing) and "Hallow'en Revels" (Conrad). La Verne Reich will play "Sonatina" and Blue Daisies" (Zucca). Kelsie Fern Doyles numbers are "Minuet" (Bach) and "A Garden Swing" (Schuler). The Junior Violin Ensemble will play "Jolly Dardies" (Carl Bechter) and "Blue Bells and Violets" (Cochran). Members of the ensemble are Freda Fern Erwin, Laverne Key, Imogene Curry, Margaret Ann McDonald and Daisy Wood. All of these will also play additional numbers.

Mrs. P. P. Shepard made an interesting talk of encouragement and praise for their work. Refreshments were served to Mesdames G. P. Rainbolt, J. A. Jensen, E. H. Birnie, John D. Roach, Troy Powell, W. L. Cur-

ry, A. S. Nabors, C. B. Powell, Homer McDonald, John Kleiner, Ben Krauskopf, P. P. Shepard, M. V. McConathy and Misses Joyce Rainbolt, Bobbie McWhorter, Ellen Reagan, Kelsie Fern Doyle, Charles May Press, Doyle Dean McConathy, Velsie Wood, Betty Dou Powell, Daisy Wood, Ruth Roach, Mary Louise Wood, Imogene Curry, Margaret Ann McDonald, Freda Fern Erwin, Pollyanna Porter and Margaret Laverne Key.

Personals

W. J. and Karl Armstrong are expected to return tonight from Kansas where they were called on account of the death of an uncle.

Miss Evalyn Fields spent the week-end in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Leon McPherson was the guest of friends in Ranger Friday.

Durward McClelland was a business visitor in Eastland Saturday.

Miss Margaret Lucas who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Homer Ferguson, and Mr. Ferguson has returned to her home.

Mrs. H. J. McArdle spent the week-end in Fort Worth.

Mrs. T. A. Jones of Fort Worth is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill James.

Mrs. W. J. Armstrong, Mrs. Karl Armstrong and Misses Jourdine Armstrong and Del Francis Miller spent Friday in Abilene.

Mrs. R. L. Ponsler and son, Luther, spent Saturday in Abilene.

Ciscoans who accompanied the choral club to Abilene Saturday

were Mesdames J. B. Curry, Homer Slicker, R. L. Ponsler, S. E. Hittson, W. C. McDaniel, Pete Cooles, Wyatt Jacobs, Paul McBride and A. E. Wilson.

Mrs. H. C. Warren of Corsicana is visiting relatives in Cisco.

T. J. Dean and J. T. Anderson were expected to return today from a trip to west Texas.

Posing Is--

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"and now he doesn't need me anyway. He's in New York with a broken leg. The tiger jumped at him one day, and after that they took it away from him and put it in a zoo."

Miss Clark has modeled for Gutzum Borglum, America's outstanding sculptor, who was in charge of carving Stone Mountain, and whom she characterized as aloof and absorbed in his work. Others for whom she has posed in Houston and San Antonio are Harry Anthony de Young and Viola Blake. A profile of Miss Clark by the latter is in display in the chamber of commerce window.

In an article written especially for the Daily Press, Miss Clark will tell the inside story of being an artist's model and will debunk most of the stories concerning models and modeling.

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### Derby Eve Bout Is Due to Match Welterweight Champ With Woods

LOUISVILLE, April 25 (AP)—At a sideshow to the main attraction provided by the Kentucky Derby, sport fans next month will be offered the Derby eve fight.

The Derby will be run May 2. On the night before, Welterweight Champion Barney Ross of Chicago will battle Cruck Woods of Detroit, in the Derby's annual festive prelude, Jack Dempsey will referee.

Boxing was legalized in Kentucky in 1921, and since then the Derby eve fights have become a fixture on the Louisville sports program. The large crowds attracted by the \$40,000 horse race have been tempting to promoters who do their best to get their hands on some of the plentiful spending money.

Ten world champions have appeared on previous cards, including the top men of every class except flyweight and heavyweight.

Title-holders who strutted their stuff here before Derby crowds include Joe Lynch and Bud Taylor, bantamweights; Freddie Miller, featherweight; Jack Bernstein, junior lightweight; Sammy Mandell, lightweight; Pinkie Mitchell, junior welterweight; Jackie Fields, welterweight; Mickey Walker, welterweight and middleweight, and Tommy Loughran, light-heavyweight.

The record gate of the Derby eve fights was taken in 1921, when a crowd paid \$21,600 to see Lynch battle Pal Moore of Memphis.

### A Washington Daybook

By HERBERT PLUMMER

WASHINGTON — Behind the house's refusal to acquiesce in the demand of Senator Black and his lobby investigators for additional funds (and a vote of confidence) to pursue their work lies a story as old as the congress itself.

In a word it is jealousy between the two ends of the capitol—the house of representatives and the senate. It's the first time it has cropped up noticeably during the present session of congress.

This particular difference between the two houses of congress had its origin during the last session when the utility holding company bill with its famed "death sentence" clause was up for consideration. The bitter struggle engendered by that bill led to the biggest "lobby hunt" in legislative history.

### British Viceroy Of India Facing Difficult Task

NEW DELHI, India, April 25. (AP)—The Marquess of Linlithgow, succeeding Lord Willingdon as viceroy of India, is in the opinion of many, shouldering the most difficult task any subject of the British crown has had to do within the empire for 50 years.

The great Indian sub-continent will have to be changed by him from an autocratically governed British possession under a viceroy into an autonomous federation in which the empire will be represented by a governor general.

No man, Britishers here think, could do the job better. Lord Linlithgow was chairman of the parliamentary committee that shaped the autonomy-giving constitution for India in 1933.

In Father's Footsteps

Previous wide experience of India's intricate problems came to him through travel, and as chairman of the royal commission on Indian agriculture, 1926-28.

Actually, inaugurating constitutions is becoming a Linlithgow family job. The marquess' father, John Adrian Louis Hope, set the present Australian constitution working as governor general of the commonwealth, 1900-02.

Born 48 years ago, Victor Alexander John Hope, of Hopetoun House, Linlithgowshire, is head of the Scots clan of the Hopes.

There are many of them. The Hopetoun person once droned in a sermon, "The world is full of Hopes," just as the marquess, his wife, their twin sons and three daughters, filed into the family pew under the pulpit.

Speaks Thrilling Experience

Tall, debonair and commanding, he is a "strong man," and his policy is always one of action.

His appointment has been widely welcomed in India. The Indian congress organ, the "National Herald," recognized Linlithgow as responsible for the report of the Indian agriculture commission which won for him the admiration of the Indian people. He travelled 18,000 miles on a

personal tour of inspection before he sighted it.

He expects a thrilling time during his term of office. "Make no mistake about it," he said recently, "the rural masses of India, for so many centuries unchanging, are at last on the move."

Linlithgow has been described as one of Britain's "most solemn peers," but his looks belie him. In the World War he delighted several privates serving under him by performing an impromptu apache dance.

On another occasion in the officers' mess, he impersonated a maiden aunt at a children's party, and often could be heard all over divisional headquarters doing full justice to tenor arias from Gilbert and Sullivan operas.

### Juggles 900 Pounds In Freak Accident

ROBSTOWN, Tex. (AP)—Adam Casas had to shoulder 900 pounds and like it.

As a packing shed worker, Casas lost his balance while loading an ice crusher of that weight. He fell between the platform and a freight car and the crusher plunged after him.

He caught it on one hand and held it above his head a second or two until others drew it back. A slight chest bruise and strained muscles were apparently the only ill affects suffered.

A huge concrete gate being completed by the Mexican government southeast of McAllen, Tex., is designed to shunt water from the Rio Grande to a lake two miles away, which will serve as an irrigation reservoir for 100,000 hectares of land.

### Jefferson The Authority

In order to understand the house's viewpoint in a controversy like this, it is necessary to refer to that section of Jefferson's Manual—the body's parliamentary bible—which reads:

"...the opinion of each house (of congress) should be left to its own independency, no to be influenced by the proceedings of the other."

Speakers of the house enforce this section of Jefferson's Manual to the letter. A representative who mentions the name of the senate disparagingly in debate promptly is admonished that he must use the term "another body" of congress. Presiding officers of the senate are not so strict. Senators have voiced harsh indictments of the house and its methods of procedure.

In the crop year of 1934-35 California produced 34,215 tons of English walnuts.

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A special committee headed by Senator Black was set up and given ample funds. The house chose the less spectacular route and turned the job over to its rules committee.

The conflict between the two committees—how they wrangled over which had priority with witnesses like Hopson of the Associated Gas & Electric company—is now history.

The situation was further aggravated when the names of six members of the house were revealed in testimony before the Black committee as co-sharers of a house in Washington during the summer months of last year with a representative of utilities and railroad interests. This incident largely was responsible, members of the house will admit privately, for the 153-137 vote spelling defeat in the house for the Black committee's request for \$10,000 to employ counsel.

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### SPORTSMAN

By LARRY BAUER

Fish hatcheries, hard pressed in normal years to meet restocking needs, had an additional burden placed upon them by the severe winter.

Great numbers of game fish perish in shallow lakes and streams. Many of these places, with help from the hatcheries, will be ready for fishing again within a year or two.

Man has disturbed the balance maintained by nature but he is doing his best to rectify the damage. Without hatcheries and their crews there would be very little fishing in some sections of this country.

Maine Is A Leader

Hatcheries where fish are artificially propagated are scattered from coast to coast under federal, state and private direction. For instance, Maine has more than 30 hatcheries and rearing stations and releases approximately 17,000,000 fish each year.

Not all devotees of the rod and reel realize there would be less sport for them along our waterways if it were not for fish culture experts and the hatchery trucks. A part of each license fee goes for this work.

More plants are built each year, yet the demand exceeds the supply. There is no depression in the game fish hatchery business! Not only did the weather affect fishing adversely, but it took a heavy toll of game birds and started sportsmen and conservationists talking about reduced bag limits. Much depends, however, upon later surveys and the breeding season.

Replenishing Alaska

Sportsmen plan to take more birds and animals to Alaska, already famous for its wild life. The recently organized Tana Valley Sportsmen's association announced attempts would be made to introduce new species into the northern part of the territory.

Jack Warren, president, said the club would investigate the feasibility of stocking the region with giant Scandinavian woodcock, pheasants from Northern Asia and elk and white-tail deer from Canada and the United States.

Buffalo from the Yellowstone park herd were placed in the Big Delta country several years ago. The animals apparently have thrived.

Short Shots

That cocky little game bird, the Hungarian partridge, is drifting into northwestern states from the Canadian provinces, and sportsmen hope he'll take up a home site where efforts to "plant" him failed.

Always wet the hands before taking an under-size fish off the hook. Unless the hands are wet a fungus infection starts and the fish usually dies. Barbless hooks are easy on the little fellows.

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# Golden Rain

by Margaret Wildemer

**SYNOPSIS:** Iris Lanning's great success with the Park Avenue Long Island set is menaced. Her enemy, Georgia Blair, just as Iris is about to appear in the dowager Mrs. Morgan's famous charity revue, accuses Iris of having falsified her mother's ancestry. Iris has taken her Aunt Phina's word for certain facts, since she had been kept ignorant of the whole matter by her Aunt Phina until recently. To maintain her position, Iris must prove this to Mrs. Morgan. She is telephoning Morgan Black, at home in Pennsylvania.

### Chapter 37 MORGAN'S SHARE

Morgan's voice, deep, beautiful, a little roughened, came over the wire like a remembrance of everything peaceful and safe and lust.

"Well, Iris, my dear, how's everything?"

"To begin with, you were right and I was wrong. I wasn't wise enough for the game I was playing. Morgan—is it a private wire?"

"Safe as churches."

"Morgan—Phina and my mother, it seems, were immigrant girls from Ireland. Don't misunderstand, I'm prouder of mother than if she'd been a queen, making good as she did. I'm proud of Phina, too; but she made up a crazy story about being a southerner with an aristocratic Civil War background. I'd never lived with anybody who made up things for their own advantage. I can see now I was dumber than twenty rabbits."

There was a little affectionate laugh at the other end of the wire.

"I was singing in a concert that was all tied up with social stuff and getting into the Junior League. And one of the girls made things seem so that I'd been lying right through."

"You poor baby. Want me to come over and kill her?"

"I want you to come over and tell Mrs. Morgan that I honestly didn't know anything about mother and Phina."

There was a long silence at the other end of the telephone. Then: "Tell whom, did you say?"

"Mrs. Morgan—Mrs. James Ogden Morgan. She's been so good to me, and I like her so. Come to the Community house here—"

Iris's voice grew sharp with terror, "for if you don't, before seven tonight—"

"I know, I understand. You're asking a good deal more of me than you can tell, Iris. But I won't fail you. Good-bye." He hung up.

Camilla touched her. "Come, you can't stay here, Iris. Shall I drive you home?"

"No, no—I couldn't go home. I don't want to see Aunt Phina or anybody till it's over. And Allan might go there to find me. Let me stay here."

"No. Get hold of yourself," Camilla put a heavy coat around her.

"I'll drive you back to my place; there's nobody there but the servants. Mother's away, you know." She put her arm through Iris's and drew her out through

a basement door and to her own runabout.

"Camilla, be honest with me. What did people think?"

"Everybody always knew Phina was climbing. Of course, Owen could go anywhere—a twitch of pain came over Camilla's face—but he never would. It has all seemed like a game of paper dolls to me. And then, when you made good with Mrs. Morgan and Allan began rushing you, people began to take you seriously, and Georgia, being what she is, had to strike. Not that it matters, I think it will all pull straight."

Camilla, you're being so splendid to me!"

Camilla spoke through the rushing twilight, not turning her face from the road, harshly:

"Oh, I had my ax to grind, too, at first. You were Owen's sister. Owen's nothing to do with it now; you've been splendid to me—love you, Iris, you have to tell me the truth. Is what Georgia said about Owen caring for the Silverwheels girl—true?"

"It's true that Owen did love Sigrid Swenson, but it's broken off and she's gone abroad. Oh, you're so splendid, Camilla, Owen must love you."

Camilla made no answer to that. After a silence, she said: "Did you ever hear of my father, old Johnny Wendell? They said he was made of iron. I've always hated being like him—Mother always used it as a reproach. But I'm beginning to think it's not bad. I'm not breaking stuff, I find—and I'm rather glad. I wish I remembered him."

Presently they had arrived, and Camilla left Iris in a distant, silent bedroom. Her own room was next door. Iris thought she heard Camilla sobbing for herself, she lay on her back on the bed and tried not to follow the hours. Morgan was at West Philadelphia.

He was near Penn Station. About that time she turned over and began to cry into Mrs. Wendell's deep soft pillows; tears that, though she did not know it, kept her from breaking down. She cried and she prayed.

At seven a maid brought a tray of food. She sat up and made herself eat something. By the time she was dressed and made up again, Camilla's knock sounded at the door. She would be on around eight—perhaps eight-thirty, amateur things were always late.

Morgan would be in New York by now. She must stop thinking of Morgan. It was like Sheridan's Ride. She made herself laugh.

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shakily, and went out and met tall, steady Camilla.

Morgan Black, having been told at the Community house by a terrified maid that Mrs. Morgan was resting at her own home, dove there. He compressed his lips, then walked straight through the garden and in at a half-hidden side door, and up the stairs to the half-shut door of a book-lined room. Mrs. Morgan was sitting, as he had thought she would be, behind the old-fashioned ornate walnut kneehole desk.

"Grandmother," he said. He was shocked to see her throw up her head, turn white and half-collapse in her chair. He ran over and put his arms around her.

"Dear, what is it? Why are you so upset? I ought to have explained, but I thought it was easier to come—"

"Jim. We thought you were dead. You pretended you were dead—"

"Granny, I'm terribly sorry. I never pretended to be dead. I wrote you I was going abroad for a couple of years, and that I wouldn't write again for a long time. By an impulse I landed in Persia, a little place near Philadelphia, and stayed there be-

cause I was happy there, for the first time in a good many years."

"Are you the man named Black Iris Lanning sent for?" Then she reverted to the more pressing thing.

"They found a body—with an envelope addressed to you inside the bill-fold pocket—"

"Good heavens! What a coward you must have thought me. Wait, I remember... a poor devil who begged me for money to save him from suicide. I thought he was laying it on thick. I gave him some, and the telephone number of the Yale club on the back of an envelope... Well, evidently it didn't save him."

His grandmother, who had both arms around him as if he might melt away from her, said practically: "But didn't you see anything in the papers? And what about your bank account?"

"I'd drawn it in cash. I have it in the Persia bank. I didn't want anything I owned except just that. No, I didn't see any papers, and I didn't want to. I'd seen enough papers."

"I know, darling." The sharp clear voice was gentle and understanding. "We thought you'd

given away every cent, and then..."

She stopped and put him back to look at him. "Oh, darling, how well and strong you look. How glad your mother would have been. Darling, you must come back now, and stay. We've rented Woodlands—Allan and I—to the Ross woman for a year. But you'll come back, you'll stay here with me till the lease is up."

He shook his head. "I'm not far off dear, and perhaps you might stay with me part of the time. But I've found my niche. I'm practicing law at a Pennsylv-

ania county seat—doing it darn well, if you ask me? Living with the old Lannings, Iris's aunt and uncle—the finest people, except my Granny, the Lord ever made. In partnership with Uncle Will Lanning."

He was talking on enthusiastically... He interrupted himself. "But, Granny, let's get at what I came over about." He pulled up a chair. "Iris telephoned me in a great state. It seems Georgia has been doing some dirty work at the crossroads." He summed up what Iris had said.

"So I came straight over to see about it."

His grandmother could not help saying, "You'd do for Iris what you wouldn't do for me."

He nodded shamefacedly. "I'd have come, not very long from now, anyhow. I didn't want to yet—don't ask me to go in. But—I'm not very lucky about girls, I guess. I—wanted Iris."

Triumph, tomorrow, is a little hollow for Iris.

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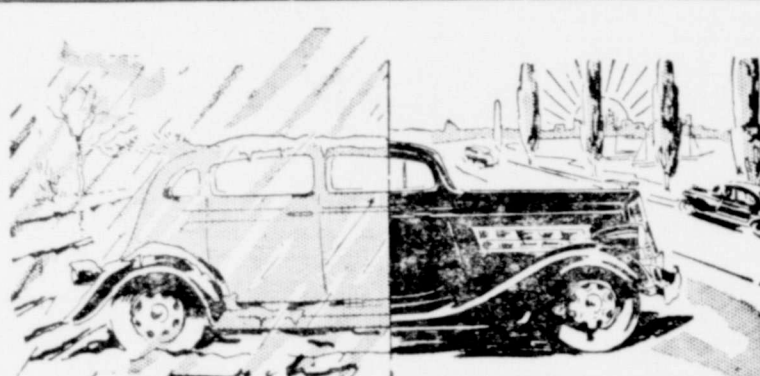


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