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In an area of beautiful, benevolent climate, at ideal altitude, blessed with an abundance of the purest, soft lake water, possessing the best in recreational facilities, situated on the Bankhead, all-weather transcontinental route, with two railroads and many highways, Cisco is the best place in Texas to live and to work.

## RUMORS. CLUES IN FROME MYSTERY GROWING

### OFFICERS SET UP BUREAU OF INFORMATION

#### Suspects Held in Oklahoma and New Mexico Cleared

EL PASO, April 6 (AP)—A test of the reliability of the witnesses who last saw alive Mrs. Weston Frome and her daughter, Nancy, started today as authorities began the difficult task of sifting the growing number of rumors and clues in the baffling murder case.

The officers set up a central bureau of information under Sheriff Chris Fox of El Paso to facilitate the efforts to solve the week-old case.

At Rankin Sheriff William Fowle said that a friend of the women would arrive by plane today in an effort to identify the clothing found in a suitcase a man was attempting to sell when he was arrested at McCamey. He told officers the clothing belonged to his wife.

Fox said that suspects questioned at Cordell, Oklahoma, and Alamo, New Mexico, had been eliminated.

A 23-year-old salesman and his wife, who said they were from Frome's home town, Berkeley, California, were held for questioning at Laredo. Officers indicated they were not implicated.

### To Teach Sots Sobriety



Citizens of Woburn, Mass., who stand in front of too many mahogany bars will find themselves behind plenty of steel ones when they are plunked into this wheeled cage and paraded before their fellow townsmen. The coop is the idea of Mayor William E. Kane, who is seen standing by while Ella M. Knowton, president of the Woburn Unitarian Church General Welfare club, prepares to swing a baptismal bottle at the steel bars. What? OF COURSE it's water in the bottle!

### WOMAN FOUND DEAD; SHOTGUN ACROSS BODY

#### Ill Health Cited By Relatives in Tragedy South of Cisco

Despondency over a long period of ill health today was blamed by relatives for the death of Mrs. Walter Laminack, 29, at her home 17 miles south of Cisco on the Pioneer-Nimrod road.

Justice of the Peace Joe Wilson of Cisco, who went to the scene this morning and conducted an inquest, said that he would return a verdict of death by self-inflicted gunshot wound.

The body of Mrs. Laminack was found prone on the floor of her bedroom, a 12-gauge shotgun lying across it, with the top of her head blown by a single charge. Death was believed to have occurred between the hours of 2 and 6 a. m.

Mr. Laminack, partially deaf, said he heard no shot during the night and was not aware of his wife's death until he discovered the cold body when he arose early this morning.

Mrs. Laminack is survived by her husband, a son about 8 years old, and a baby daughter. Plans for the funeral had not been completed this morning.

### Sweetwater Escapee Arrested at Phoenix

PHOENIX, Ariz., April 6 (AP)—Detective M. S. Freasier's perusal of the newspaper marriage license column resulted today in the arrest of Glold McCluskey, 22, wanted in Sweetwater, Tex., on charges of hijacking and escape from jail.

Captain Homer J. Bradford of Sweetwater police advised the Phoenix authorities that McCluskey was sought. Freasier read that the fugitive and an 18-year-old Phoenix girl had obtained a marriage license. He traced them to their residence here.

### Fire Kills Seven Chicago Men During Blizzard

CHICAGO, April 6 (AP)—Seven men burned to death today when flames destroyed a four-story hotel on west Madison street during a raging blizzard.

Thirty guests, including 15 women, were carried down ice-coated ladders by firemen.

The fire spread to the roofs of two adjoining hotels and 250 guests, many of them in night clothes, fled to the street.

Three persons were injured.

### Galveston Sets Oleander Fete

GALVESTON, April 6—Galveston's oleander fete, celebrating full bloom of the flower which has made this island city famous among the nation's vacationers, has been set for May 20-22.

Participation in the merry-making is confined almost exclusively to the thousands of school children. The annual event includes an oleander parade and pageantry.

### ENLISTS PASTOR

BRENNHAM, April 6 — Caesar Hohn, Washington county agricultural agent, had so much trouble explaining the new federal crop control program to the Polish farmers in his territory that he had to turn to the Rev. Charles Wiesnerowski for aid. The pastor provided an interpreter who explained the crop control plan to his parishioners during church services.

### Wittmer Due to Enter Strawn Horizon Today

#### Well Logs High; Prospects for Production Reported Good by Operators Checking with Woods Well Drilled in 1919

Interest in the Wittmer Oil and Gas Properties No. 1 Williams, drilling two miles north of Putnam, was high this afternoon as the drill approached the top of the Strawn sand, expected to be topped about 2:30 this afternoon if the current rate of drilling penetration was maintained. The test was through the Palo Pinto series, without showing, at 1,965 feet.

The Wittmer is logging high with the old Transcontinental John Woods well, a mile and a half southeast, confirming operators opinion that a large structure exists there. The Woods found 90 feet of sand at 1,970 feet in which a strong show of oil and gas was encountered. It passed this up and brought in a flowing well from 3,230 to 3,306. A premature shot split casing and ruined it.

The Wittmer drilled through six or eight feet of Cathay sand where a good show of oil and gas was found. This stratum was topped at 1,795 feet.

The Palo Pinto lime was topped in the Wittmer at 1,890.

Operators were confident that the well would find good commercial production, probably in the Strawn sand.

The well was projected as an Ellenberger test.

### Retiring City Commissioners Are Re-elected

Out of a total of 200 votes cast in the municipal general election for three commissioners yesterday, retiring Commissioners J. R. Burnett, H. C. Henderson and Smith Huestis received 197, 199 and 199 respectively, returning them to further terms by almost unanimous votes.

The vote was the lightest which has been cast in a municipal election in many years.

### Breaks Up Juvenile Cave Robbery Band

HOUSTON, April 6—Probation Officer A. O. Taylor has broken up a band of juvenile cave-robbing robbers who plundered and hid their loot in the manner of old-time river thieves.

The youngsters, ranging in age from 13 to 17, used a large cave in the 60-foot bank of White Oak bayou as a hideout. Many of the boys lived in the cave for days at a time on food stolen from cafes and homes.

They entered the cave through a tunnel in the top of the bayou bank. Inside the cave Taylor found stolen bicycles, clothing, pistols, automobile accessories, cartons of cigars and scores of other articles.

### Make Good at Home to Break Movies

FORT WORTH, April 6 — The movies will call you if they want you.

That advice was given by Leroy Prinz, Hollywood dance director, on a visit here. Prinz said that the best way to "break into the movies" was to make good in your own home town. If you are good enough, a studio scout will find it out.

### U. S. Duns Germany for Austrian Debt

WASHINGTON, April 6 (AP)—The United States accepted today Germany's absorption of Austria and called upon Germany to pay Austria's debts to the United States.

### Big Rabbit Drive Is Organized for April 15th

One of the largest rabbit drives ever to have been organized in this section was being arranged to take place near Pioneer on Friday, April 15. The drive will take place in the cornering of three counties.

Mrs. Molly Bryson, Cecil Freeman and C. E. Fox are sponsoring it and plans are being made to furnish ammunition for those taking part.

The hunters will meet at 8:30 on the Pioneer-Cross Plains road at the railroad crossing and lunch, consisting of a fish dinner and coffee, will be served at the Gunn Baptist church.

### 'Knuckles Down!' Spring Is Here!



If there is any doubt remaining that spring has arrived, the sight of the earnest young gentlemen above should provide the final and clinching argument. It is 14-year-old Duke Barney of Medford, Mass., who is getting his knuckles in form for the season of glasses, cat-eyes, aggies, brinnies, donies, whites and chalkies.

### 4 MURDERERS LOSE APPEALS

#### Two Have Sentences Reversed

AUSTIN, April 6 (AP)—Death in the electric chair, decreed by trial courts, was approved by the court of criminal appeals today for four murderers. They were:

Vince Boss, Houston, convicted of slaying R. W. Albert, a Brenham cheese salesman.

Willie Caesar, a Wharton county negro.

Carlos Fernandez, convicted of the slaying of a San Antonio policeman.

Charlie Brooks of Cass county. The court, however, reversed and remanded similar sentences given Bob White, convicted for rape in Polk county and Jose Marie Lopez, convicted in Valverde county for murder.

Mrs. Essie Denison is visiting in Cisco.

### Lobos, in Fine Fettle, Drive for Game With Exes Wednesday

Coaches J. T. Petty and "Pop" Garrett are working with necks bowed in their efforts to shape their Loob gridsters into top form for the approaching Lobo-Ex game which will be staged Wednesday, April 13, on Chesley field.

Last week was spent in developing quick-kick and long-kick formations, in which Reams and Tipton looked good with fairly consistent 50 and 55-yard boots. The past few days have been utilized by drilling the boys in passing combinations. Tipton and Reams are also the big guns of this attack. Coach Petty said that the remainder of the week would be devoted to perfecting the single-wing formation and its numerous variations. The first 45 minutes of each session is devoted to blocking and tackling practice.

Coach Petty said the boys were in high spirits and that they were

### Attend District P-TA Meet at Breck

Members of the Cisco Parent-Teacher associations who attended the district P-T. A. meeting at Breckenridge yesterday were Mrs. D. Ball, Mrs. Charles Sandler, Mrs. George P. Fee, Mrs. Fred Steffey, Mrs. Joe Clements, Mrs. Glenn Huddleston, Mrs. Thomas McAllister, Mrs. W. M. Joyner and Mrs. Virgil Thompson.

### Decisive Battle in Spanish War Grows Furious

HENDAYE, France, April 6 (AP)—The furious battle for the possession of Tortosa increased in intensity today as heavily re-inforced armies of both sides pounded each other in the third day of the Spanish insurgent attempt to take the town.

Stubborn government resistance in the only territory barring General Franco's soldiers from the Mediterranean coast surprised the insurgent command which hurried new motorized divisions into the battle from Alcaniz and Gandesa.

taking to spring practice with a determination which is all that could be expected. He declared that by the end of spring training he firmly believes he would be able to place a better team on the field than he had during any part of the season last fall. Petty said that the boys were trying every minute, and that they had no idea of letting their big brothers and their ex-teammates hand them the little end of the score in the approaching game.

Petty is sure that the Lobo line will be the best in many years, with worlds of material and plenty of reserve strength. However, backfield prospects present an altogether different complexion. There are five heavy candidates who are capable of giving anything in the district a complete hour of trouble.

But reserve strength is pitifully

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

There is nothing better for a man than that he should make his soul enjoy good in his labor.

With constant prayers
Fasten your souls so high that constantly
The smile of your heroic cheer may float
Above all floods of earthly agony,

There is a law which says that one can't do a kind act or a loving service for another without its bringing back returns to his own life and growth.

Needed! A Forum For Community Business Men

ONE essential to the development of aggressive community cooperation is a general forum wherein all business and professional elements of the community may be enlisted in the promotion of community projects.

CISCO lacks this forum. To this fact may be traced the varying ideas and the misinterpretations of problems and projects that

interfere with a sound unanimity of community movement. We are all deeply interested in getting ahead; in community building. But without the means of harnessing this interest and conforming its various phases to a common direction we are pulling at cross purposes.

THE PRESS believes that this object can be achieved through the medium of a regular series of business men's luncheons sponsored by the chamber of commerce. We have pointed out several times that as it now functions, the chamber of commerce does not enlist the business man-power of Cisco.

THERE was never a time when real cooperation was needed as badly as now. There was never a time when the business men of this community, and the business men of thousands of communities like this, needed more to realize that progress and prosperity come of hard work and planned enterprise.

IN order to plan and work together in harmony it is necessary that men meet regularly together. We believe that a business men's luncheon regularly held and enlisting not a select few but all who are interested in the community welfare and advancement, will provide the essential forum.

MYSTERY CRUISE



Political Announcements

(Subject to action of the Democratic primary in July.)

For Representative, 107th District "TIP" ROSS (Re-election)
OMAR BURKETT
WAYNE SELLERS

For Rep. 106th District—
CECIL A. LOTIEF
LOUIS CROSSLEY

For District Attorney—
EARL CONNER, Jr.
(Re-election)

For District Clerk—
EUELL D. BOND
JOHN WHITE
CLAUDE (CURLY) MAYNARD

For County Judge—
W. S. ADAMSON (Re-election)

For County Superintendent of Public Instruction—
CLAIBORNE ELDRIDGE
(Re-election, second term)
T. C. WILLIAMS
(One term is 4 years)

For County Clerk—
R. V. (RIP) GALLOWAY
(Re-election, second term)

For County Treasurer—
GARLAND BRANTON
MRS. FRANCES (Holbrook) COOPER
W. O. (DICK) WEEKES

For County Assessor-Collector—
C. H. (HARL) O'BRIEN
(Second term)

For Sheriff—
LOSS WOODS (Re-election)
VIRGE FOSTER

For Comm'n Precinct No. 4—
ARCH BINT (Re-election)
J. W. (JESS) NOBLES

For Justice of the Peace, Pre. 6—
JOE WILSON (Re-election)

For Constable, Prec. 6:
ROY BALLARD
J. J. HONEA

tion, together with storage space for fuel, would be added.

But even these supplemental costs, he said, would leave it in a sharp competitive position against certain types of business now enjoyed by the public utility companies.

We checked the engineer's views with engineers in the Securities and Exchange commission who are concerned with public utility prospects. They said the machine provided a definite source of competition but insisted it would be evolutionary in effect, not revolutionary.

The slave trade began in 1503 when the Portuguese landed the first shipment of Negroes at Santo Domingo.

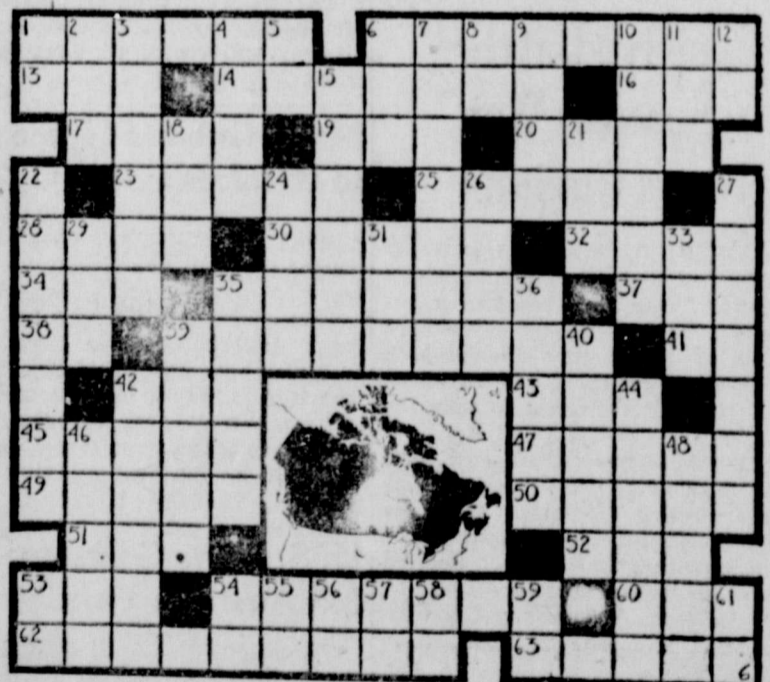
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Answer to Previous Puzzle

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24 Two-wheeled vehicle.
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27 Virgins.
29 Being.
31 Frozen water.
33 Peak.
35 To become exhausted.
36 Weird.
39 To mature.
40 Fortified work.
42 Common fruit
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The Literary Guidepost--

By JOHN SELBY

"The Man Who Insulted Somersville," by Jennings Rice (Harpers: \$2.50).

A strongly built novel which has an honest plot and a set of genuine, recognizable characters and is at the same time amusing from cover to cover.

This ingenious book is the complete story of a beautiful and just revenge. It is set in a village in, presumably, eastern West Virginia.

but talk. It is this habit of gossip which makes the revenge possible; the effect could not have been so sure had not everybody in Somersville been nibbling at the reputation of everybody else.

Into Somersville, a long while before the story opens, a baby named Leonard had been born in bastardy. His mother's name was Somers; although she was unconditionally abandoned by her family, she retained the name Somers.

When Leonard was in his teens he and his mother moved. In his new home Leonard prospered; he started as a saloon porter, and ended the boss of Franklin, owning more joints than anybody else.

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A Washington Daybook

WASHINGTON, April 6 — So promising are the power possibilities of a new diesel unit soon to come on the market in quantity production that a government engineer has been asked to study what effect it may have on demand for power from the big dams.

conclusion of the engineer, whose report is kept within strictly limited hands, is that the new unit likely will offer serious competition to the less efficient electric utility companies and will scissor off some of the outlying business of even the best of them.

The engineer computed that the new engine would provide a kilowatt of power for a year of normal

use at a cost of about \$20. That covers amortized capital cost and operating expense. A kilowatt of installed capacity is about what is required to provide power for one rather large home with the usual domestic equipment — kitchen range, refrigerator, water heater, lights and conveniences.

Threat To Utilities

The engineer went to a recent exhaustive survey by the Federal Power commission for comparative figures. What he found was that the cost of power the country over had a middle range of from \$40 to \$75 a kilowatt per year against the \$20 for the diesel unit.

Boulder dam, on the other hand, spins out its power at about \$11 a kilowatt a year, which can be delivered at Los Angeles for about \$16. That puts Boulder dam production out of danger of even the most favorable estimates of the new diesel.

For further comparison, the engineer computed that Washington, D. C., power runs about \$44 a kilowatt a year. Tacoma, Wash., with a municipally owned hydroelectric plant, he said, does the same for \$20.10, about on a par with the diesel.

The new diesel, a high speed development in comparison with low-speed diesels generally in use in recent years, has certain disadvantages in competition with the power drawn from big public utility plants.

Further, the engineer who made the study was frank to say that he had deliberately taken the best probable production of the diesels against the average of the public utilities and the federal power dams. He did that, he said, so his boss, head of an important government power agency, would know the most serious side of the competition he might expect in expanding service into the countryside about his project.

SEC Not Excited

The engineer pointed out that in order to get a kilowatt of power at \$20 a year from the diesel, no cost for a building was counted in. If an isolated farm or small machine shop installed it, probably no housing cost would arise. If a small community decided to use the equipment, cost of housing, plus some management and opera-

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



The HERON FOLDS UP HIS NECK BETWEEN HIS CHEST AND HIS BEAK.



THE GREATEST DISTANCE POSSIBLE BETWEEN ANY TWO POINTS ON THE EARTH'S SURFACE, IN A STRAIGHT LINE, IS APPROXIMATELY 12,500 MILES.

DEFECTIVE EARS CAUSE WALTZING MICE TO WALTZ!

THE earth's greatest diameter is 7926.7 miles, which gives it a circumference of approximately 25,000 miles. Therefore, in order to reach a point at the opposite end of the earth, we would need to travel only 12,500 miles.

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# LOVE LAUGHS THE DOCTOR

by ELINORE COWAN STONE  
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CHARACTERS  
MIDWELL—  
THORVALD—  
ROGERS—  
CONNIE—  
HILDA—

looking out, his hands in his pockets, whistling inaudibly.  
Derek began again, "Constance, I think I ought to—we don't want any misunderstanding about this, of course, I—"

"Really, aren't we making a mountain out of a mole hill?" Hilda Thorvald asked lazily with one of her faint, inscrutable smiles. "After all, this isn't anyone's affair but yours and Connie's, is it, Derek?"  
She smiled companionably at Constance, strolled over to the piano, sat down, and began to play with complete absorption.

CONSTANCE stood for a moment exactly where she had stood since Mrs. Rogers had begun her epoch-making narrative; then she turned and swiftly left the room. As she went, she heard Mrs. Rogers insisting in a voice of amused bewilderment, "And they actually told me at the store that she had bought the last things for her trousseau only the day before she went away, Mr. Manthon."

When Constance went up to George Thorvald's room a few minutes later, Dr. Rogers was there.

"What's this about your going away, Connie?" George demanded. "Good Lord, Doc! I thought you were one of these strong silent men who know how to handle women. . . . You brought her here because you thought I needed her, didn't you? All right, tell her I still need her, and put a stop to this nonsense."

"You spoiled brat," Mark Rogers said shortly, "you don't need her any more than I do"; and realizing too late how unwary he had been, turned an unprofessional crimson when the boy went on, his black eyes snapping delightedly in their deep hollows:  
"All right, then. For God's sake, tell her how much you need her. Maybe that will hold her if nothing else will. . . . Oh, very well!"—it was only too evident that George Thorvald was enjoying himself immensely—"if you, as my physician, don't know how to see to it that I get the kind of care and nursing my feeble state requires, I'll have to see what can be done about it for myself. . . . Interrupt me if I'm wrong, but this seems to be the only way out of it."

"Connie, darling, will you marry me—and make me laugh for the rest of my life?"  
"No, George, dear," answered Constance. "I will not."  
"And why not?" George affected hurt surprise.

was huddled on something hard and cold—numb, and blindingly, sickeningly giddy.  
Somewhere near her Hilda's voice was saying, "Well, Mark Rogers, you complete fool—do you believe me now? Think how we must have looked to her, as if—oh, Mark, you don't suppose she's—"

Then floating in space above her, Mark's voice, "For God's sake, Hilda, don't you go hysterical on me. . . . Help me cut this fool shirt of hers off. . . . Thank heaven it isn't her collarbone, anyhow. . . . Wait a minute—here it is! Now, we'll just get this over with before she—"

For an instant Mark's face swam in a cloud above her, white and absurdly distorted as it said, "Give me the wide tape from my bag, Hilda."

Constance giggled, and made to her what at that moment was the most reasonable and interesting observation in the world: "Darling, you do look so funny upside-down. . . . Ouch!" and shut her eyes, feeling faint, because someone was doing something to her shoulder again, and it hurt.

Mark's voice said with a laugh that was not quite steady, "She's reacting quite normally. At least she can still see how funny my face is."

"You've no idea how funny he is any way you take him," Connie dear," Hilda's voice said again. "But he's a lamb; and if I weren't going to marry a flying fool of a scientist next week before he tears off again and loses himself in Tibet or other parts unknown, you'd never get a chance at him. . . . That's what I was telling Mark about when you dropped in."

THE agony in her wrenched shoulder had subsided into a dull ache, and Hilda's face swam into focus out of the cloud above where Mark's face had been. . . . There seemed now to be just she and Hilda. . . . So that was why Hilda was always reading books about Tibet. . . . Hilda was going to marry a flying fool in Tibet who cut up cosmic rays for a living, or was it? Her thoughts refused to arrange themselves; but there was one thing Hilda had just said—  
"I wish you'd tell me," she asked giddily, closing her eyes, "how anyone has a chance at a man she can't catch alone for—five minutes at a time?"  
Hilda giggled; and Constance found the giggle annoying. All the grievances of the past days—combined with the pain in her shoulder—swam in upon her. demand-

ing immediate expression.  
"Oh, it's easy enough for you to laugh," she said peevishly. "You don't want him. . . . And anyhow, he talks to you. But he never even looks at me. . . . Or if he does, only as if I were something little and awfully funny on a slide."  
"But, Connie dear," Hilda said, "you are little—and just now you are awfully funny. Don't you recognize defense mechanism when you see it? . . . Oh, you two! I don't know which of you is the most unutterable idiot."  
Then, after a moment, Hilda didn't seem to be there any more. But there was still, Constance found, that warm, rough surface under her cheek; and there were arms about her—warm and close and comfortable.

MARK'S voice said, very close to her ear, "Connie darling, this ought not to be necessary—you must have known from the beginning that I wanted to—but it's customary, I believe. . . . Will you marry me, and give yourself something to laugh at for the rest of your life?"  
Her head was clearing now. . . . Of course this might all be really happening, but—  
"Darling," she asked shakily into his coat collar, "would you mind just—pinching me—or something? . . . People do imagine things sometimes after they've bumped their heads, don't they?"  
"I don't hold with pinching," he said. "But—"  
He did not pinch her; but he did kiss her very satisfactorily—on her wet eyes, and then on her lips.  
"What I don't understand," Constance said shakily, "is why you didn't do that weeks ago."  
"With you doing Camilla Wynne and laughing up your sleeve at me every time I tried to talk sense to you—and that beautiful blond boy hovering in the background? I'm not so sure now."  
"Then you're too blind to be practicing medicine, Derek? Why, for weeks Derek's been just—just another stand-in."  
After another few moments he said briskly, "Do you know what I'm going to do now?"  
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"Because, dear George, I love another," Constance said demurely.  
"Hm!" George frowned. "That does complicate the matter. Not!"—his eyes lighted with wicked cunning—"not that fair-haired boy in the studio, I hope."  
Too late Constance saw whether this game was tending.  
"No," she said shortly. "I should hope not."  
"I hoped not. . . . Well, now, let's see"—George's eyes ruminated innocently upon the ceiling—"it couldn't be—"  
"If you're through playing 20 questions," Mark Rogers snapped, "here's Miss Wilcox with your lunch. I'll come back when you've eaten it."

CONSTANCE followed Mark Rogers out of the room.  
"Well," she said with a mocking little smile, "it had to be a major operation, after all, didn't it?"  
"I'm sorry," Mark Rogers said. "But when Mother gets under way she—well, you saw for yourself."  
"Of course," Constance told him. "It didn't matter at all, really—except to Derek."  
"Oh—him! The half-baked Narcissus!" Mark Rogers almost barked.  
"You mustn't blame Derek too much," Constance said swiftly. "It wasn't his fault if I built him up into something he never was, and probably never could be."  
She was, she realized desperately, saying all the wrong things. It wasn't Derek she wanted to talk about. It wasn't Derek at all any more. . . .  
He said abruptly, "You're being very fair. It's an unusual, and a—very lovely trait."  
"It's easy to be fair when—when things don't hurt any more," Constance said, and added on a quick breath, "Do you know, that's almost the first nice thing you ever said to me?"  
"Do you know," he said, with a short laugh, "that you're not a particularly easy person to say things to—nice or otherwise?"  
Although he did not move or look at her, it seemed to her that he came nearer as he went on, his eyes on his doubled fist, "I've often wondered if it made any difference to you what I said."  
Hilda was right, Constance thought. He is shy. Suddenly he looked up, and his eyes were deep in hers. He began again, "I've even wondered sometimes—Behind him the door opened abruptly.

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MARK'S voice said, very close to her ear, "Connie darling, this ought not to be necessary—you must have known from the beginning that I wanted to—but it's customary, I believe. . . . Will you marry me, and give yourself something to laugh at for the rest of your life?"  
Her head was clearing now. . . . Of course this might all be really happening, but—  
"Darling," she asked shakily into his coat collar, "would you mind just—pinching me—or something? . . . People do imagine things sometimes after they've bumped their heads, don't they?"  
"I don't hold with pinching," he said. "But—"  
He did not pinch her; but he did kiss her very satisfactorily—on her wet eyes, and then on her lips.  
"What I don't understand," Constance said shakily, "is why you didn't do that weeks ago."  
"With you doing Camilla Wynne and laughing up your sleeve at me every time I tried to talk sense to you—and that beautiful blond boy hovering in the background? I'm not so sure now."  
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## An 'Attack' by Planes, Tanks and Infantry



Here's the kind of an onslaught "enemy" forces would have to face if they sought to engage the U. S. Army in battle. In the top picture war planes cover the movement of high-speed tanks, while in the lower picture infantrymen advance over open territory, during maneuvers at the Ft. Benning, Georgia training school.

### Casa Manana to Be Permanent Theater

FORT WORTH, April 6—Casa Manana, the cafe-theater built for the Fort Worth Frontier Centennial, will become a permanent institution.  
William B. Friedlander of New York and Arthur L. Silber of Hollywood will operate Casa Manana this summer.

### Promoted in Army to Head Cavalry



NEW chief of the U. S. cavalry is Maj.-Gen. John Knowles Herr, who succeeds Maj.-Gen. Leon B. Kromer, who had reached the retirement age recently. Major General Herr formerly commanded the Seventh Cavalry at Ft. Bliss, Tex.  
entertainment feature of the Centennial and Fiesta.  
Billy Rose, meanwhile, has opened another Casa Manana in New York City, with many of her entertainers Texas girls who received their first professional experience here.

### Sweetwater Boy Has Own "Air Mail"

SWEETWATER, April 6—W. O. Shulz, a Sweetwater boy, has found out how to employ his own "air mail."

He filled a toy balloon with gas and liberated it. He watched until it was out of sight, then learned no more of it for several weeks. Then, after he had almost forgotten the incident, he received a note from Novella Reed of Burneyville, Okla.

Novella's grandfather had found the balloon, to which the Shulz boy had attached a card giving his name and address. The card had traveled 230 miles, but the writing was still plain.

Thirty per cent of all state senators holding offices in 1937-38 had never served in a legislature and about 50 per cent of all assemblymen had had no previous law-making experience.

Only one-ninth of the mass of an iceberg appears above water.

### Guidepost-- (CONTINUED FROM PAGE 2)

anything in the world—hating Martha Pennington, because she was a capable hypocrite; Miss Letitia because she was an aristocrat, and so on. Then he died and the first intimation the village had of the event was the arrival of a corpse, consigned to the Reverend Mr. Penny.  
Mr. Rice has devised too subtle and too just a revenge for us to give him away. Just how he has

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LOUD signs, because they knew the penalty was only a dollar. But they when caught laughed to loud. The city council clamped down with a new emergency ordinance, providing fines ranging from \$5 to \$100.  
Ice absorbs heat when melting.



Oh, What a Lucky Boy!



A little time away from the studio, plenty of water to splash around in, and a husky young son to play with—what more could anyone ask for a vacation? That's the way Joan Blondell of the movies seems to feel as she gives her son Norman a big bear-hug while in swimming at Arrowhead Springs, Calif. And doesn't she look supremely happy?

Library Razing Recalls Historic Names, Places

FORT WORTH, April 6—History names and places were recalled here when workmen razed a 38-year-old Carnegie library building to make way for a new \$400,000 structure.

Newspapers, silver coins and pamphlets from the cornerstone-told stories of subjects so strangely familiar that bystanders com-

mented upon the changes wrought in Fort Worth, in Texas and in the world in 38 years—and the similarity of events now and then. The names and dates were different, but the general topics talked of then were much like those today.

Copies of The Dallas Morning News and the old Fort Worth Morning Register for June 13, 1900, date of the cornerstone laying, reported how Prizefighter Terry McGovern knocked out Tommy White in New York the night before; how the Boers claimed victory over England in the war of South Africa; and how Chi-

na was suffering from the Boxer uprising.

The newspapers also reported how Theodore Roosevelt, famed leader of the Spanish-American war "Rough Riders," had declined emphatically to accept the republican nomination for vice president. History recalls, however, that he changed his mind, accepted the nomination and was elected, and was elevated to the presidency after President McKinly was assassinated.

Silver coins, one of them commemorating the Chicago World's Fair of 1893, were tarnished in portions exposed to the air. The

portions covered were still bright, however.

Callahan Votes to Retain Beer

BAIRD, April 6 (Spl.)—Callahan county retained its wet status as pertains to sale of beer in an election held Tuesday.

Vote from 11 boxes showed 1,221 for sale of beer and 619 against. Eight boxes unaccounted for were

so small that their totals will not effect the outcome.

Cross Plains, dry for the last two years, voted to return legal suds in a precinct election. The vote was 178, against 91. The small boxes, Dressy and Caddo Peak, were not accounted for, but could not change the outcome.

The United States is the largest importer of toys manufactured in Japan. British India is the second largest purchaser of Japanese toys.

FRECKLES . . . . . By Blosser



OUT OUR WAY . . . . . By Williams



25,000 MEALS

EL PASO, April 6—Miss Albertine Berry, home economics expert, has figured out how much cooking the average mother does for her sons and daughters before they leave home. Her estimate is more than 25,000 meals.

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**Women's Council Meets Tuesday**

The Women's council of the First Christian church met at the church Tuesday afternoon with the president, Mrs. W. J. Armstrong, presiding. Meeting opened with group singing, "Give of Your Best to the Master." Mrs. Armstrong gave a talk on "Stewardship of Property," Mr. Lambert, pastor, led in prayer. The meeting was then turned over to Group Two who was in charge of the afternoon's program.

The opening song by the group was "Bringing in the Sheaves." Prayer by Mrs. James Haynie. Mrs. J. S. Mobley led the devotional and China. Miss Thresa Weddington gave an interesting talk on "Japan's Ancient Religion." Meeting closed with benediction. About 25 members were present.

**Mrs. Borman Has Circle No. One**

Circle One of the Presbyterian auxiliary met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. F. J. Borman as hostess. Mrs. Elizabeth McCracken, chairman, presided and gave an outline of the work planned for the month. Mrs. W. P. Lee gave the devotional. Refreshments were served to Mmes. C. E. Rountree, N. H. Blizard, J. E. Moriarty, P. R. Warwick, A. Sandhofer, W. P. Lee, R. L. Ponsler, F. W. Watson, Elizabeth le Veaux, McCracken, J. J. Tablieman and the hostess, Mrs. Borman.

George H. Odum of Galveston is the guest for several days of Ed Brown, manager of the Laguna hotel.

**Mrs. Bible Hostess to Auxiliary Circle**

Mrs. H. A. Bible was hostess to Circle Three of the Womens auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church for the first meeting of the church year Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Abbie C. Daniel gave the devotional from the 15th chapter of Samuel. Mrs. R. S. Cope, leader, discussed plans for the coming year's work. Mrs. E. P. Crawford gave a paper "The Hour of God's Need."

Refreshments were served to Mmes. J. E. Walter, F. L. Bonney, W. W. Wallace, Homer McDonald, R. S. Cope, W. L. Jones, A. J. Olson, John Garrett, O. Gustafson, Abbie Daniel, E. P. Crawford, Homer Slicker, E. H. Monk, B. S. Huey, Charles Robart, Miss Alice Johnson and the hostess, Mrs. Bible.

**Pentecostal Church Host to Others**

The Cisco Pentecostal church was host Monday night to a fellowship meeting honoring the following guest churches: Albany, Breckenridge, Brownwood, Cross Plains, Eastland, Frankell, Gorman, Placid, Ranger, Romney and Suez. Many beautiful hymns were sung and short talks were made by the visiting pastors.

Misses Frances Rutherford and Melba Bostain of Rising Star have returned to their homes after being in Cisco for a short while.

Mrs. E. K. Henderson and little daughter, Mary Ann, of Lubbock are visiting relatives and friends here.

**The Notebook**

**Thursday**  
The Industrial Arts club will meet at the clubhouse at 3 with Mrs. L. J. Leach as hostess and Mrs. E. L. Smith program leader. Presbyterian choir will meet at the church at 7:30 p. m.

The Gleaners Band of the Pentecostal church will have its regular meeting at 7:30 under the direction of Drew Tipton.

**Friday**  
The Methodist Intermediate Department will have a banquet at the church at 6.

The Friendly Twelve Forty-two club will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. McClelland, 1008 west 7th, at 8 p. m.

**Saturday**  
The Methodist W. M. S. Bazaar and Bake Sale will begin at the Cisco Gas Co. at 8 a. m. and continue all day.

**Personals**

Mmes. C. R. Sanford, John Shertzer and J. T. Anderson are spending today in Fort Worth.

Luther Ponsler has returned to A. and M. where he attends school.

Mmes. J. C. Hanrahan, H. E. McGowen, A. J. Henson, W. C. Hogue, and N. W. Noel spent Tuesday in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shepard are spending today in Graham with friends.

Mrs. James Harvey has returned from a visit with relatives in Greenville.

Felton Underwood is transacting business in Dallas.

**Circle Meets With Mrs. Alex Spears**

Circle Two of the Presbyterian Womens auxiliary met in regular session Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Alex Spears. The hostess, who is chairman of the circle, presided over the business period. Mrs. M. H. Applewhite led the devotional titled "The Necessity of and Blessings Received From Daily Bible Reading." Mrs. Frank Bond directed an interesting program on "Why Go to Church?" Mrs. C. H. Fee and Mrs. John Kleiner were on the program.

A salad course was served to Mmes. Bond, Applewhite, Fee, Kleiner, J. E. Caffrey, R. C. Hayes, A. E. Jamison, J. G. Rupe, J. A. Lash, Yancey McCrea, G. C. Rosenthal and the hostess, Mrs. Spears.

**CLASSIFIED SECTION**

Cisco Daily Press and Rural Edition

All classified advertising received before 2:30 p. m. will appear in the evening Press of that date unless otherwise ordered. Classified advertisements to appear in the Sunday morning edition will be received until 8 p. m. Saturday.

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**AT&T Head In Reply to FCC Criticisms**

The following statement by President Walter S. Gifford of the American Telephone and Telegraph company was issued in response to criticism of the Bell Telephone company by a member of the Federal Communications commission recently:

"When the telephone investigation was begun over three years ago, I welcomed the opportunity to place before the commission all facts as to the manner in which our business is conducted. I naturally assumed that we would have a fair investigation and an opportunity to place before the commission all of the material facts pertaining to all phases of the company's business which the commission should desire to study.

"The investigation, however, was one-sided from start to finish. We were denied not only the right to cross-examine investigation witnesses and to be heard in our own behalf, but were denied the right to have included in the record material which we had prepared and considered necessary to point out serious and important errors affecting most of the investigators' reports. Commissioner Walker's report, said to contain 1,000 pages, but if the summary of it correctly reflects the report, it presents much that is simply not true and has been prepared with the same unfairness that characterized the investigation proceedings.

"This country has the best, the

most extensive the most widely used and the cheapest telephone service in the world. In spite of this, it would appear that fault has been found with almost everything this company has done throughout its existence. This just does not make sense.

"Bell system earnings have never been excessive. The suggestion that rates might be reduced 25 per cent throughout the bell system without reducing net earnings by changing depreciation and other major policies and practices is absurd.

"According to the summary, the report claims for the investigation, credit for reductions in rates and many other things which, in the normal course of business and in accordance with the company's policy antedating the existence of the Federal Communications commission, would have taken place without any investigation."

**Lobos in---**

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lacking, in fact almost non-existent. The five bright hopes of the backfield division are: Chesley Tipton, Odell Harrison, Coy Warren, Raymond Reams, and Red Walls. Tipton, Harrison, and Reams are contesting for the half-back positions. Warren for quarterback. Walls to full-back. All of these boys are what the coaches' hopes' for but it's too much to hope that they can be 60-minute men. Bill Lamb, W. R. Miller, and Robert Donovan are likely reserves for the backfield positions, providing they can develop. Coach Petty also has his eyes on Bill Westfall and Richard Steyer, in his search for the much-needed reserves.

Weldon King, Scranton transfer, looked mighty good in practice and will probably gain a tackle position if he keeps plugging. King weighs 180 pounds, has lots of nerve.

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## MURMORS, CLUES IN FROME MYSTERY GROWING

### OFFICERS SET UP BUREAU OF INFORMATION

Suspects Held in Oklahoma and New Mexico Cleared

EL PASO, April 6 (AP)—A test of the reliability of the witnesses who last saw alive Mrs. Weston Frome and her daughter, Nancy, started today as authorities began the difficult task of sifting the growing number of rumors and clues in the baffling murder case.

The officers set up a central bureau of information under Sheriff Chris Fox of El Paso to facilitate the efforts to solve the week-old case.

At Rankin Sheriff William Fowle said that a friend of the woman would arrive by plane today in an effort to identify the clothing found in a suitcase a man was attempting to sell when he was arrested at McCamey. He told officers the clothing belonged to his wife.

Fox said that suspects questioned at Cordell, Oklahoma, and Alamogordo, New Mexico, had been eliminated.

A 23-year-old salesman and his wife, who said they were from Frome's home town, Berkeley, California, were held for questioning at Laredo. Officers indicated they were not implicated.

**Wife of Solon Dies at Washington**

WASHINGTON, April 6 (AP)—Mrs. William McFarlane, of Graham, Texas, wife of Representative McFarlane, died today at her home here.

Members of the Texas congressional delegation called home to express sympathy to their colleague and the five surviving children.

**Auto Crash Fatal To Famous Texas A. and M. Ex**

LONGVIEW, April 6 (AP)—Charles A. DeWare, 50, one of Texas A. and M. college's greatest athletes, died today of injuries suffered in an automobile accident near Longview which claimed the lives of three others.

DeWare, a Brenham resident, is the father of Charles A. DeWare, Jr., the present freshman football coach at A. and M. The elder DeWare captained the Aggie team in 1908.

The others killed in the three-way collision at the Sabine river bridge last night were Nick Worthington, 33, of Kilgore, Worthington's 10-year-old daughter and Garland Jones of Kilgore.

**Moran Youth Exhibits Relics In Cisco High**

Robert E. Forrester, Jr., of Moran, entertained the Cisco high school students at chapel today by presenting part of his collection of Indian relics for their inspection. Robert talked on several of the specimens, telling what they were and how they were found.

Robert said that he had been collecting these relics since he was just a youngster. He is 13 years old, and is in the seventh grade. He has a marvelous collection, of which he is justly proud.

Robert is the son of Dr. R. E. Forrester, Sr., Moran.

Prominent Japanese advocate spending \$60,000,000 for repairing the Yellow river dykes in China.

### To Teach Sots Sobriety



Citizens of Woburn, Mass., who stand in front of too many mahogany bars will find themselves behind plenty of steel ones when they are plunked into this wheeled cage and paraded before their fellow townsmen. The coop is the idea of Mayor William E. Kane, who is seen standing by while Ella M. Knowton, president of the Woburn Unitarian Church General Welfare club, prepares to swing a baptismal bottle at the steel bars. What? OF COURSE it's water in the bottle!

### WOMAN FOUND DEAD; SHOTGUN ACROSS BODY

Ill Health Cited By Relatives in Tragedy South of Cisco

Despondency over a long period of ill health today was blamed by relatives for the death of Mrs. Walter Laminack, 29, at her home 17 miles south of Cisco on the Pioneer-Nimrod road.

Justice of the Peace Joe Wilson of Cisco, who went to the scene this morning and conducted an inquest, said that he would return a verdict of death by self-inflicted gunshot wound.

The body of Mrs. Laminack was found prone on the floor of her bedroom, a 12-gauge shotgun lying across it, with the top of her head blown by a single charge. Death was believed to have occurred between the hours of 2 and 6 a. m.

Mr. Laminack, partially deaf, said he heard no shot during the night and was not aware of his wife's death until he discovered the cold body when he arose early this morning.

Mrs. Laminack is survived by her husband, a son about 8 years old, and a baby daughter. Plans for the funeral had not been completed this morning.

### Sweetwater Escapee Arrested at Phoenix

PHOENIX, Ariz., April 6 (AP)—Detective M. S. Freasier's perusal of the newspaper marriage license column resulted today in the arrest of Gloyd McCluskey, 22, wanted in Sweetwater, Tex., on charges of hijacking and escape from jail.

Captain Homer J. Bradford of Sweetwater police advised the Phoenix authorities that McCluskey was sought. Freasier read that the fugitive and an 18-year-old Phoenix girl had obtained a marriage license. He traced them to their residence here.

### Fire Kills Seven Chicago Men During Blizzard

CHICAGO, April 6 (AP)—Seven men burned to death today when flames destroyed a four-story hotel on west Madison street during a raging blizzard.

Thirty guests, including 15 women, were carried down ice-coated ladders by firemen.

The fire spread to the roofs of two adjoining hotels and 250 guests, many of them in night clothes, fled to the street.

### Galveston Sets Oleander Fete

GALVESTON, April 6—Galveston's oleander fete, celebrating full bloom of the flower which has made this island city famous among the nation's vacationers, has been set for May 20-22.

Participation in the merry-making is confined almost exclusively to the thousands of school children. The annual event includes an oleander parade and pageantry.

### ENLISTS PASTOR

BRENTHAM, April 6—Caesar Hohn, Washington county agricultural agent, had so much trouble explaining the new federal crop control program to the Polish farmers in his territory that he had to turn to the Rev. Charles Wiesnerowski for aid. The pastor provided an interpreter who explained the crop control plan to his parishioners during church services.

### Wittmer Due to Enter Strawn Horizon Today

Well Logs High; Prospects for Production Reported Good by Operators Checking with Woods Well Drilled in 1919

Interest in the Wittmer Oil and Gas Properties No. 1 Williams, drilling two miles north of Putnam, was high this afternoon as the drill approached the top of the Strawn sand, expected to be topped about 2:30 this afternoon if the current rate of drilling penetration was maintained. The test was through the Palo Pinto series, without showing, at 1,965 feet.

The Wittmer is logging high with the old Transcontinental John Woods well, a mile and a half southeast, confirming operators opinion that a large structure exists there. The Woods found 90 feet of sand at 1,970 feet in which a strong show of oil and gas was encountered. It passed this up and brought in a flowing well from 3,230 to 3,306. A premature shot split casing and ruined it.

The Wittmer drilled through six or eight feet of Cathy sand where a good show of oil and gas was found. This stratum was topped at 1,795 feet.

The Palo Pinto lime was topped in the Wittmer at 1,890.

Operators were confident that the well would find good commercial production, probably in the Strawn sand.

The well was projected as an Ellenberger test.

### Retiring City Commissioners Are Re-elected

Out of a total of 200 votes cast in the municipal general election for three commissioners yesterday, retiring Commissioners J. R. Burnett, H. C. Henderson and Smith Huestis received 197, 199 and 199 respectively, returning them to further terms by almost unanimous votes.

The vote was the lightest which has been cast in a municipal election in many years.

### Breaks Up Juvenile Cave Robbery Band

HOUSTON, April 6—Probation Officer A. O. Taylor has broken up a band of juvenile cave-using robbers who plundered and hid their loot in the manner of old-time river thieves.

The youngsters, ranging in age from 13 to 17, used a large cave in the 60-foot bank of White Oak bayou as a hideout. Many of the boys lived in the cave for days at a time on food stolen from cafes and homes.

They entered the cave through a tunnel in the top of the bayou bank. Inside the cave Taylor found stolen bicycles, clothing, pistols, automobile accessories, cartons of cigars and scores of other articles.

### Make Good at Home to Break Movies

FORT WORTH, April 6—The movies will call you if they want you.

That advice was given by Leroy Prinz, Hollywood dance director, on a visit here. Prinz said that the best way to "break into the movies" was to make good in your own home town. If you are good enough, a studio scout will find it out.

### U. S. Duns Germany for Austrian Debt

WASHINGTON, April 6 (AP)—The United States accepted today Germany's absorption of Austria and called upon Germany to pay Austria's debts to the United States.

### Big Rabbit Drive Is Organized for April 15th

One of the largest rabbit drives ever to have been organized in this section was being arranged to take place near Pioneer on Friday, April 15. The drive will take place in the cornering of three counties.

Mrs. Molly Bryson, Cecil Freeman and C. E. Fox are sponsoring it and plans are being made to furnish ammunition for those taking part.

The hunters will meet at 8:30 on the Pioneer-Cross Plains road at the railroad crossing and lunch, consisting of a fish dinner and coffee, will be served at the Gunn Baptist church.

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### 'Knuckles Down!' Spring Is Here!



If there is any doubt remaining that spring has arrived, the sight of the earnest young gentlemen above should provide the final and clinching argument. It is 14-year-old Duke Barney of Medford, Mass., who is getting his quizzing muscles and his knuckles in form for the season of glasses, cat-eyes, aggrics, brinnies, donies, whitties and chalkies.

### 4 MURDERERS LOSE APPEALS

Two Have Sentences Reversed

AUSTIN, April 6 (AP)—Death in the electric chair, decreed by trial courts, was approved by the court of criminal appeals today for four murderers. They were:

Vince Boss, Houston, convicted of slaying R. W. Albert, a Brenham cheese salesman.

Willie Caesar, a Wharton county negro.

Carlos Fernandez, convicted of the slaying of a San Antonio policeman.

Charlie Brooks of Cass county. The court, however, reversed and remanded similar sentences given Bob White, convicted for rape in Polk county and Jose Marie Lopez, convicted in Valverde county for murder.

Mrs. Essie Denison is visiting in Cisco.

### Lobos, in Fine Fettle, Drive for Game With Exes Wednesday

Coaches J. T. Petty and "Pop" Garrett are working with necks bowed in their efforts to shape their Lobo gridsters into top form for the approaching Lobo-Ex game which will be staged Wednesday, April 13, on Chesley field.

Last week was spent in developing quick-kick and long-kick formations, in which Reams and Tipton looked good with fairly consistent 50 and 55-yard boots. The past few days have been utilized by drilling the boys in passing combinations. Tipton and Reams are also the big guns of this attack. Coach Petty said that the remainder of the week would be devoted to perfecting the single-wing formation and its numerous variations. The first 45 minutes of each session is devoted to blocking and tackling practice.

Coach Petty said the boys were in high spirits and that they were

taking to spring practice with a determination which is all that could be expected. He declared that by the end of spring training he firmly believes he would be able to place a better team on the field than he had during any part of the season last fall. Petty said that the boys were trying every minute, and that they had no idea of letting their big brothers and their ex-teammates hand them the little end of the score in the approaching game.

Petty is sure that the Lobo line will be the best in many years, with worlds of material and plenty of reserve strength. However, backfield prospects present an altogether different complexion. There are five heavy candidates who are capable of giving anything in the district a complete hour of trouble.

But reserve strength is pitifully

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

There is nothing better for a man than that he should make his soul enjoy good in his labor. This also I saw, that it was from the hand of God.—Ecc. ii. 24.

With constant prayers
Fasten your souls so high that constantly
The smile of your heroic cheer may float
Above all floods of earthly agony,
Purification being the joy of pain.

There is a law which says that one can't do a kind act or a loving service for another without its bringing back returns to his own life and growth.—R. W. Trine.

Needed! A Forum For Community Business Men

ONE essential to the development of aggressive community cooperation is a general forum wherein all business and professional elements of the community may be enlisted in the promotion of community projects. Only by such means can their varying interests be focused on problems of general concern, conflicting viewpoints and interests harmonized in movements for the common good and the widest enrollment of individual effort attained.

CISCO lacks this forum. To this fact may be traced the varying ideas and the misinterpretations of problems and projects that

interfere with a sound unanimity of community movement. We are all deeply interested in getting ahead; in community building. But without the means of harnessing this interest and conforming its various phases to a common direction we are pulling at cross purposes. Despite the unpleasant features of a business recession, such a recession offers a distinct opportunity for extension of local business influence. Unfortunately this opportunity cannot be utilized without some effective means of community mobilization.

THE PRESS believes that this object can be achieved through the medium of a regular series of business men's luncheons sponsored by the chamber of commerce. We have pointed out several times that as it now functions, the chamber of commerce does not enlist the business man-power of Cisco. Quite to the contrary it secures only the interest of the comparatively small group of business men who compose its board of directors. These men are interested and active in the projects they undertake. Unfortunately, outside their group they encounter an apathy and a misunderstanding which is discouraging to their own enthusiasm and makes it extremely difficult to secure cooperation. They actually encounter jealousies and misdirected selfishness which is deadly to community enterprise. The reason for this lack of harmony is clear. There is no common institution wherein all members of the business community can meet, thresh out their problems and develop a common understanding and a common advance on a common objective.

THERE was never a time when real cooperation was needed as badly as now. There was never a time when the business men of this community, and the business men of thousands of communities like this, needed more to realize that progress and prosperity come of hard work and planned enterprise, and not of gratuity, spontaneous schemes and capricious booms.

IN order to plan and work together in harmony it is necessary that men meet regularly together. We believe that a business men's luncheon regularly held and enlisting not a select few but all who are interested in the community welfare and advancement, will provide the essential forum.

use at a cost of about \$20. That covers amortized capital cost and operating expense. A kilowatt of installed capacity is about what is required to provide power for one rather large home with the usual domestic equipment — kitchen range, refrigerator, water heater, lights and conveniences.

Threat To Utilities

The engineer went to a recent exhaustive survey by the Federal Power commission for comparative figures. What he found was that the cost of power the country over had a middle range of from \$40 to \$75 a kilowatt per year against the \$20 for the diesel unit.

Boulder dam, on the other hand, spins out its power at about \$11 a kilowatt a year, which can be delivered at Los Angeles for about \$16. That puts Boulder dam production out of danger of even the most favorable estimates of the new diesel.

For further comparison, the engineer computed that Washington, D. C., power runs about \$44 a kilowatt a year. Tacoma, Wash., with a municipally owned hydroelectric plant, he said, does the same for \$20.10, about on a par with the diesel.

The new diesel, a high speed development in comparison with low-speed diesels generally in use in recent years, has certain disadvantages in competition with the power drawn from big public utility plants.

Further, the engineer who made the study was frank to say that he had deliberately taken the best probable production of the diesels against the average of the public utilities and the federal power dams. He did that, he said, so his boss, head of an important government power agency, would know the most serious side of the competition he might expect in expanding service into the countryside about his project.

SEC Not Excited
The engineer pointed out that in order to get a kilowatt of power at \$20 a year from the diesel, no cost for a building was counted in. If an isolated farm or small machine shop installed it, probably no housing cost would arise. If a small community decided to use the equipment, cost of housing, plus some management and opera-

MYSTERY CRUISE



Political Announcements

(Subject to action of the Democratic primary in July.)

For Representative, 107th District "TIP" ROSS (Re-election) OMAR BURKETT WAYNE SELLERS

For Rep. 106th District—CECIL A. LOTIEF LOUIS CROSSLEY

For District Attorney—EARL CONNER, Jr. (Re-election)

For District Clerk—EUELL D. BOND JOHN WHITE CLAUDE (CURLY) MAYNARD

For County Judge—W. S. ADAMSON (Re-election)

For County Superintendent of Public Instruction—CLAIBORNE ELDRIDGE (Re-election, second term) T. C. WILLIAMS (One term is 4 years)

For County Clerk—R. V. (Rip) GALLOWAY (Re-election, second term)

For County Treasurer—GARLAND BRANTON MRS. FRANCES (Holbrook) COOPER W. O. (Dick) WEEKES

For County Assessor-Collector—C. H. (Harl) O'BRIEN (Second term)

For Sheriff—LOSS WOODS (Re-election) VIRGE FOSTER

For Comm'r Precinct No. 4—ARCH BINT (Re-election) J. W. (JESS) NOBLES

For Justice of the Peace, Pr. 6—JOE WILSON (Re-election)

For Constable, Prec. 6: ROY BALLARD J. J. HONEA

tion, together with storage space for fuel, would be added.

But even these supplemental costs, he said, would leave it in a sharp competitive position against certain types of business now employed by the public utility companies. He mentioned such things as refrigerating plants, groups of closely neighboring farms, compact suburban developments, and machine shops required now to pay a flat rate for power regardless of the amount used.

We checked the engineer's views with engineers in the Securities and Exchange commission who are concerned with public utility prospects. They said the machine provided a definite source of competition but insisted it would be evolutionary in effect, not revolutionary.

The slave trade began in 1503 when the Portuguese landed the first shipment of Negroes at Santo Domingo.

Dominion Map

Word puzzle grid with clues for horizontal and vertical words. Includes a small map of the Dominion of Wales.

Large crossword puzzle grid with numbers indicating starting positions for words.

The Literary Guidepost--

By JOHN SELBY
"The Man Who Insulted Somersville, by Jennings Rice (Harpers: \$2.50).
A strongly built novel which has an honest plot and a set of genuine, recognizable characters and is at the same time amusing from cover to cover deserves some sort of wreath. Jennings Rice, who has made just that sort of performance out of "The Man Who Insulted Somersville," shall wear the wreath, which might as well be laurel.

Washington Daybook

WASHINGTON, April 6 — So promising are the power possibilities of a new diesel unit soon to come on the market in quantity production that a government engineer has been asked to study what effect it may have on demand for power from the big dams.

This Curious World



Illustration of a globe with text: 'THE GREATEST DISTANCE POSSIBLE BETWEEN ANY TWO POINTS ON THE EARTH'S SURFACE, IN A STRAIGHT LINE, IS APPROXIMATELY 12,500 MILES. THE earth's greatest diameter is 7926.7 miles, which gives it a circumference of approximately 25,000 miles. Therefore, in order to reach a point at the opposite end of the earth, we would need to travel only 12,500 miles.'

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looking out, his hands in his pockets, whistling inaudibly.

Derek began again, "Constance, I think I ought to—we don't want any misunderstanding about this, of course. I—"

"Really, aren't we making a mountain out of a mole hill?" Hilda Thorvald asked lazily with one of her faint, inscrutable smiles. "After all, this isn't anyone's affair but yours and Connie's, is it, Derek?"

She smiled companionably at Constance, strolled over to the piano, sat down, and began to play with complete absorption.

CONSTANCE stood for a moment exactly where she had stood since Mrs. Rogers had begun her epoch-making narrative; then she turned and swiftly left the room. As she went, she heard Mrs. Rogers insisting in a voice of amused bewilderment, "And they actually told me at the store that she had bought the last things for her trousseau only the day before she went away, Mr. Manthon."

When Constance went up to George Thorvald's room a few minutes later, Dr. Rogers was there.

"What's this about your going away, Connie?" George demanded. "Good Lord, Doc! I thought you were one of these strong silent men who know how to handle women. . . . You brought her here because you thought I needed her, didn't you? All right, tell her I still need her, and put a stop to this nonsense."

"You spoiled brat," Mark Rogers said shortly, "you don't need her any more than I do; and realizing too late how unwary he had been, turned an unprofessional crimson when the boy went on, his black eyes snapping delightedly in their deep hollows:

"All right, then. For God's sake, tell her how much you need her. Maybe that will hold her if nothing else will. . . . Oh, very well—it was only too evident that George Thorvald was enjoying himself immensely—"If you, as my physician, don't know how to see to it that I get the kind of care and nursing my feeble state requires, I'll have to see what can be done about it for myself. . . . Interrupt me if I'm wrong, but this seems to be the only way out of it:

"Connie, darling, will you marry me—and make me laugh for the rest of my life?"

"No, George, dear," answered Constance. "I will not."

"And why not?" George affected hurt surprise.

was huddled on something hard and cold—numb, and blindingly, sickeningly giddy.

Somewhere near her Hilda's voice was saying, "Well, Mark Rogers, you complete fool—do you believe me now? Think how we must have looked to her, as if—oh, Mark, you don't suppose she's—"

Then floating in space above her, Mark's voice, "For God's sake, Hilda, don't you go hysterical on me. . . . Help me cut this fool shirt of hers off. . . . Thank heaven it isn't her corollane, anyhow. . . . Wait a minute—here it is! Now, we'll just get this over with before she—"

For an instant Mark's face swam in a cloud above her, white and absurdly distorted as it said, "Give me the wide tape from my bag, Hilda."

Constance giggled, and made to her what at that moment was the most reasonable and interesting observation in the world: "Darling, you do look so funny upside-down. . . . Ouch!" and shut her eyes, feeling faint, because someone was doing something to her shoulder again, and it hurt.

Mark's voice said with a laugh that was not quite steady, "She's reacting quite normally. At least she can still see how funny my face is."

"You've no idea how funny he is any way you take him, Connie dear," Hilda's voice said again. "But he's a lamb; and if I weren't going to marry a flying fool of a scientist next week before he tears off again and loses himself in Tibet or other parts unknown, you'd never get a chance at him. . . . That's what I was telling Mark about when you dropped in."

THE agony in her wrenched shoulder had subsided into a dull ache, and Hilda's face swam into focus out of the cloud above where Mark's face had been. . . . There seemed now to be just she and Hilda. . . . So that was why Hilda was always reading books about Tibet. . . . Hilda was going to marry a flying fool in Tibet who cut up cosmic rays for a living, or was it—? Her thoughts refused to arrange themselves; but there was one thing Hilda had just said—

"I wish you'd tell me," she asked giddily, closing her eyes, "how anyone has a chance at a man she can't catch alone for—five minutes at a time?"

Hilda giggled; and Constance found the giggle annoying. All the grievances of the past days combined with the pain in her shoulder—swam in upon her, demand-

"Because, dear George, I love another," Constance said demurely.

"Hm!" George frowned. "That does complicate the matter. Not"—his eyes lighted with wicked cunning—"not that fair-haired boy in the studio, I hope."

Too late Constance saw whether this game was tending.

"No," she said shortly. "I should hope not."

"I hoped so. . . . Well now, let's see"—George's eyes ruminated innocently upon the ceiling—"it couldn't be—"

"If you're through playing 20 questions," Mark Rogers snapped, "here's Miss Wilcox with your lunch. I'll come back when you've eaten it."

CONSTANCE followed Mark Rogers out of the room.

"Well," she said with a mocking little smile, "it had to be a major operation, after all, didn't it?"

"I'm sorry," Mark Rogers said. "But when Mother gets under way she—well, you saw for yourself."

"Of course," Constance told him. "It didn't matter at all, really—except to Derek."

"Oh—him! The half-baked Narcissus!" Mark Rogers almost barked.

"You mustn't blame Derek too much," Constance said swiftly. "It wasn't his fault if I built him up into something he never was, and probably never could be."

She was, she realized desperately, saying all the wrong things. It wasn't Derek she wanted to talk about. It wasn't Derek at all any more. . . .

He said abruptly, "You're being very fair. It's an unusual, and a—very lovely trait."

"It's easy to be fair when—when things don't hurt any more," Constance said, and added on a quick breath, "Do you know, that's almost the first nice thing you ever said to me?"

"Do you know," he said, with a short laugh, "that you're not a particularly easy person to say things to—nice or otherwise?"

Although he did not move or look at her, it seemed to her that he came nearer as he went on, his eyes on his doubled fist. "I've often wondered if it made any difference to you what I said."

Hilda was right, Constance thought. He is shy. Suddenly he looked up, and his eyes were deep in hers. He began again, "I've even wondered sometimes—" Behind him the door opened abruptly.

ing immediate expression.

"Oh, it's easy enough for you to laugh," she said peevishly. "You don't want him. . . . And anyhow, he talks to you. But he never even looks at me. . . . Or if he does, only as if I were something little and awfully funny on a slide."

"But, Connie dear," Hilda said, "you are little—and just now you are awfully funny. Don't you recognize defense mechanism when you see it? . . . Oh, you two! I don't know which of you is the most unutterable idiot."

Then, after a moment, Hilda didn't seem to be there any more. But there was still, Constance found, that warm, rough surface under her cheek; and there were arms about her—warm and close and comfortable.

MARK'S voice said, very close to her ear, "Connie darling, this ought not to be necessary—you must have known from the beginning that I wanted to—but it's customary, I believe. . . . Will you marry me, and give yourself something to laugh at for the rest of your life?"

Her head was clearing now. . . . Of course this might all be really happening, but—

"Darling," she asked shakily into his coat collar, "would you mind just—pinching me—or something? . . . People do imagine things sometimes after they've bumped their heads, don't they?"

"I don't hold with pinching," he said, "but—"

He did not pinch her; but he did kiss her very satisfactorily—on her wet eyes, and then on her lips.

"What I don't understand," Constance said shakily, "is why you didn't do that weeks ago."

"With you doing Camilla Wynne and laughing up your sleeve at me every time I tried to talk sense to you—and that beautiful blond boy hovering in the background? I'm not so sure now—"

"Then you're too blind to be practicing medicine, Derek? Why, for weeks Derek's been just—just another stand-in."

After another few moments he said briskly, "Do you know what I'm going to do now?"

"Don't tell me," Constance cut in. "I've been expecting it. You're going to send me to bed—because I've got a difficult—"

"You've got worse than that ahead of you—God help you!—if you're going to marry a—now what are you laughing about?"

"Oh, nothing," Constance told him, "except—I was just wondering if I'm going to have to break my neck every time I want a few minutes alone with you."

(The End)

signs, because they knew the penalty was only a dollar. But they then caught clamped down with a new emergency ordinance, providing fines ranging from \$5 to \$100.

Ice absorbs heat when melting.

## An 'Attack' by Planes, Tanks and Infantry



Here's the kind of an onslaught "enemy" forces would have to face if they sought to engage the U. S. Army in battle. In the top picture war planes cover the movement of high-speed tanks, while in the lower picture infantrymen advance over open territory, during maneuvers at the Ft. Benning, Ga. army training school.

### Casa Manana to Be Permanent Theater

FORT WORTH, April 6—Casa Manana, the cafe-theater built for the Fort Worth Frontier Centennial, will become a permanent institution.

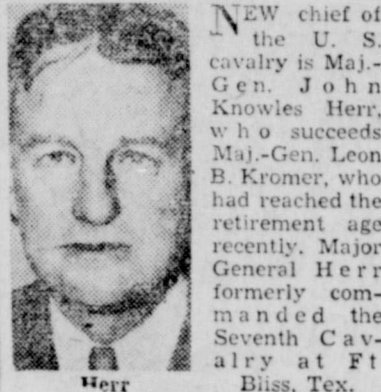
William B. Friedlander of New York and Arthur L. Silber of Hollywood will operate Casa Manana this summer.

The two showmen promised in announcing their plans that they would produce "better shows than Billy Rose did" while he was in charge during the Frontier Centennial of 1936 and the Frontier Fiesta of 1937.

The musical comedies this summer will open June 15 and run 10 weeks. Performers will be engaged in New York and Hollywood, with the choruses organized locally.

Friedlander and Silber were required to post \$10,000 performance bonds. They will pay 10 per cent of the gross receipts to the city, which owns the \$400,000 outdoor theater. They also will operate the "Pioneer Palace," another

### Promoted in Army to Head Cavalry



NEW chief of the U. S. cavalry is Maj.-Gen. John Knowles Herr, who succeeds Maj.-Gen. Leon B. Kromer, who had reached the retirement age recently. Major General Herr formerly commanded the Seventh Cavalry at Ft. Bliss, Tex.

### Sweetwater Boy Has Own "Air Mail"

SWEETWATER, April 6—W. O. Shultz, a Sweetwater boy, has found out how to employ his own "air mail."

He filled a toy balloon with gas and liberated it. He watched until it was out of sight, then learned no more of it for several weeks. Then, after he had almost forgotten the incident, he received a note from Novella Reed of Burneyville, Okla.

Novella's grandfather had found the balloon, to which the Shultz boy had attached a card giving his name and address. The card had traveled 230 miles, but the writing was still plain.

Thirty per cent of all state senators holding offices in 1937-38 had never served in a legislature and about 50 per cent of all assemblymen had had no previous law-making experience.

Only one-ninth of the mass of an iceberg appears above water.

### Guidepost---

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anything in the world—hating Martha Pennington, because she was a capable hypocrite; Miss Letitia because she was an aristocrat, and so on. Then he died and the first intimation the village had of the event was the arrival of a corpse, consigned to the Reverend Mr. Penny.

Mr. Rice has devised too subtle and too just a revenge for us to give him away. Just how he has

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### Texas-Florida Citrus Marketing Accord Is Seen

MISSION, April 6.—Development of a co-ordinated marketing accord between Texas citrus interests and those of Florida was seen in a series of conferences of the Texas Citrus Shippers' association and the Florida Citrus commission.

Members of the Florida commission on a goodwill trip to the Lower Rio Grande valley held discussions with Texas growers and shippers on problems affecting both producing areas. It was

believed that several decisions would be reached as a common basis for further citrus marketing activity.

Chairman John Maxey of the Florida commission headed the goodwill delegation. Others in the party included R. E. Bateman of Lakeland, commission secretary; E. G. Grimes, Gradenton, attorney, and J. V. Hodnet, Auburndale grower.

In a meeting with Texas shippers Tuesday night the group reached an immediate decision to favor a standard package for citrus fruit containing not more than one and three-fifths bushels. Arguments concerning a two-bushel box developed between Florida and Texas during the present shipping season.

Maxey opened the meeting by recognizing the necessity of cooperative activity between the two great citrus producing areas, and turned discussions towards means of bringing about a co-ordination of sales effort. First step was the decision favoring the bushel and three-fifths size package, known in Texas as the "standard box."

Grimes announced receipt of a telegram from Florida indicating that the attorney general of that state, who had held the Florida

commission without authority to regulate container sizes, had later modified his ruling. Florida rules call for shipment of citrus fruit only if each fruit is stamped with the U. S. grade unless shipped in a container approved by the state citrus commission. Fruit also may be shipped in bulk if each is stamped with the grade.

Under the new ruling, Grimes explained, it may be shipped in two-bushel boxes if stamped. The stamping, he said, would entail so many difficulties that it would not encourage use of the two-bushel box.

Grimes said that the Florida industry wished to "sell grapefruit, and not brands."

"I believe," he said, "that if

Florida and Texas got together to advertise grapefruit, we could still sell it at a profit."

The delegates urged the establishment of a commission in Texas similar to that in Florida, which could act for the Texas area on all matters pertaining to Texas citrus fruit.

Frank Hall, general sales manager for the Rio Grande Valley Citrus Exchange at Weslaco, made the motion, which later was adopted, that the shippers' association favor the standard box and that the association ask State Agricultural Commissioner J. E. McDonald to place such a regulation in effect by next season.

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### Hunger Got Him First Air Ride

FORT WORTH, April 6.—William Frazier, 18, got his first airplane ride because he was hungry and broke and his mother was ill in Graham, Texas.

way, from hunger and fatigue, while trying to get a ride to Graham. Newspapers printed his story, and he was deluged with offers from persons who wanted to take him to his mother in their cars, from those who would pay his railroad fare, and from a private airplane pilot, Don Teel.

Frazier accepted the airplane of-

fer, and now is an aviation enthusiast. "It was worth going hungry for," he said.

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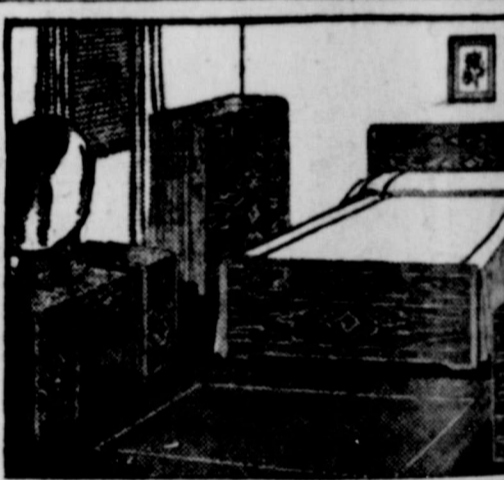
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Library Razing Recalls Historic Names, Places

FORT WORTH, April 6—History names and places were recalled here when workmen razed a 38-year-old Carnegie library building to make way for a new \$400,000 structure.

Newspapers, silver coins and pamphlets from the cornerstone-told stories of subjects so strangely familiar that bystanders com-

mented upon the changes wrought in Fort Worth, in Texas and in the world in 38 years—and the similarity of events now and then. The names and dates were different, but the general to 's talked of then were much like those today.

Copies of The Dallas Morning News and the old Fort Worth Morning Register for June 13, 1900, date of the cornerstone laying, reported how Prizefighter Terry McGovern knocked out Tommy White in New York the night before; how the Boers claimed victory over England in the war of South Africa; and how Chi-

na was suffering from the Boxer uprising.

The newspapers also reported how Theodore Roosevelt, famed leader of the Spanish-American war "Rough Riders," had declined emphatically to accept the republican nomination for vice president. History recalls, however, that he changed his mind, accepted the nomination and was elected, and was elevated to the presidency after President McKinley was assassinated.

Silver coins, one of them commemorating the Chicago World's Fair of 1893, were tarnished in portions exposed to the air. The

portions covered were still bright, however.

Callahan Votes to Retain Beer

BAIRD, April 6 (Spl.)—Callahan county retained its wet status as pertains to sale of beer in an election held Tuesday.

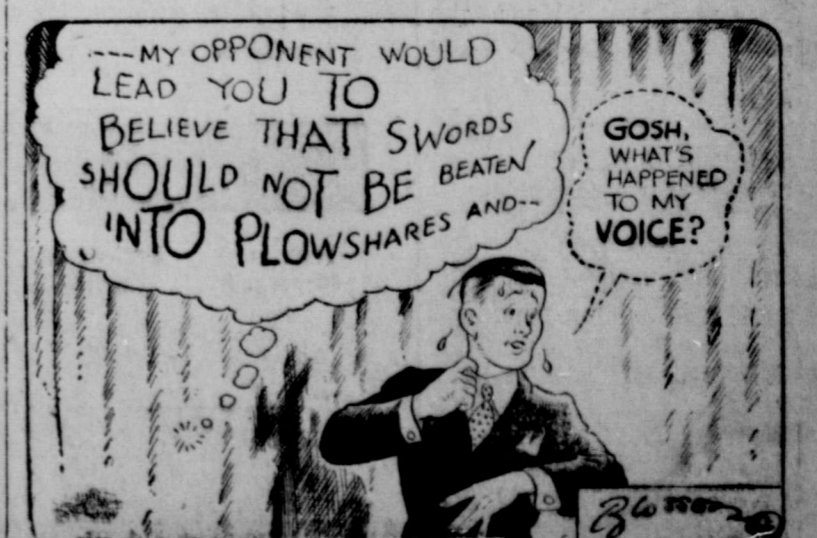
Vote from 11 boxes showed 1,221 for sale of beer and 619 against. Eight boxes unaccounted for were

so small that their totals will not effect the outcome.

Cross Plains, dry for the last two years, voted to return legal suds in a precinct election. The vote was 178, against 91. The small boxes, Dressy and Cadlo Peak, were not accounted for, but could not change the outcome.

The United States is the largest importer of toys manufactured in Japan. British India is the second largest purchaser of Japanese toys.

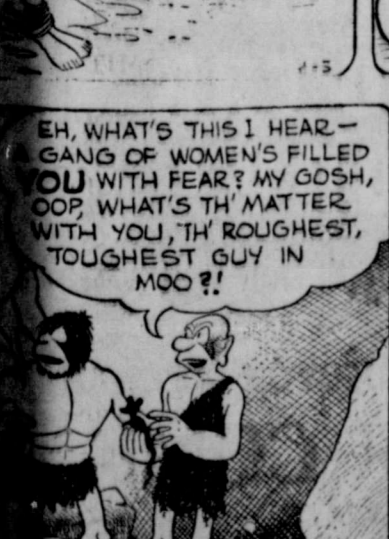
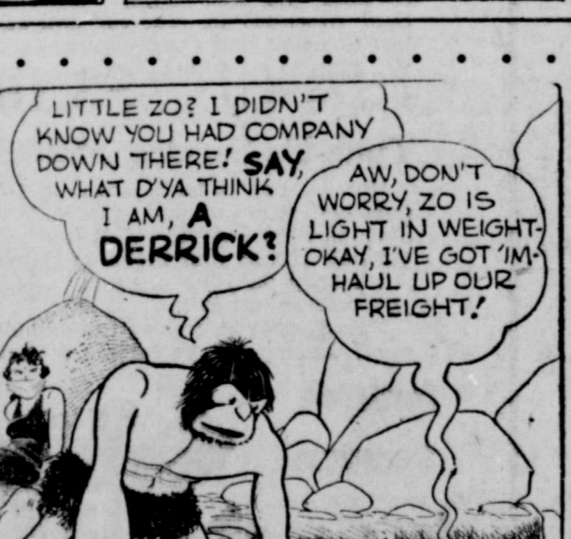
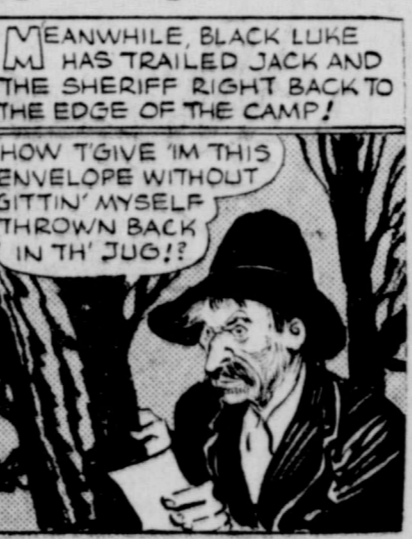
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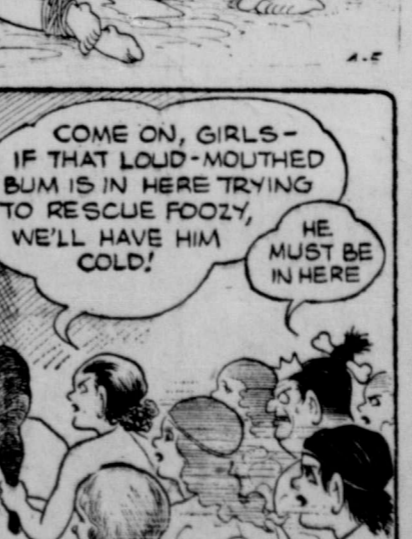
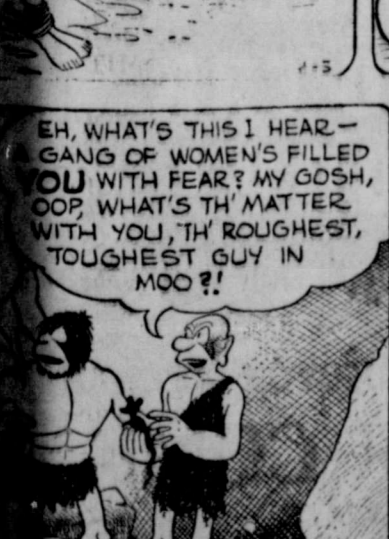
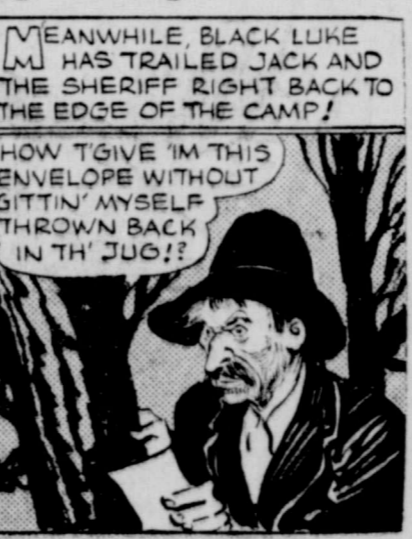


25,000 MEALS

EL PASO, April 6—Miss Albertine Berry, home economics expert, has figured out how much cooking the average mother does for her sons and daughters before they leave home. Her estimate is more than 25,000 meals.

railroads were assisted in the manner other industries such as cotton, steel and automobiles, would come in for similar help. The proposal raised the question, he said, whether the government should start a series of subsidies for private capital.

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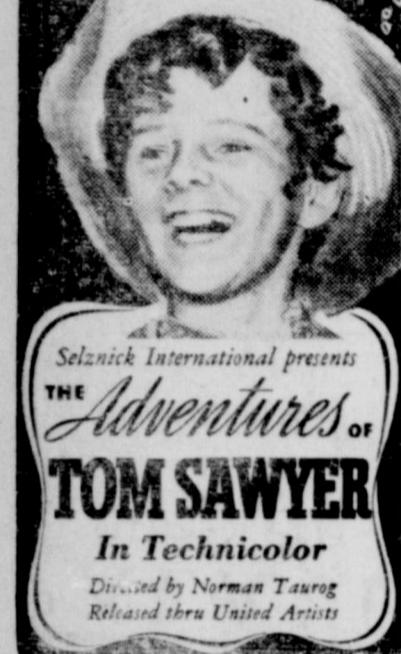


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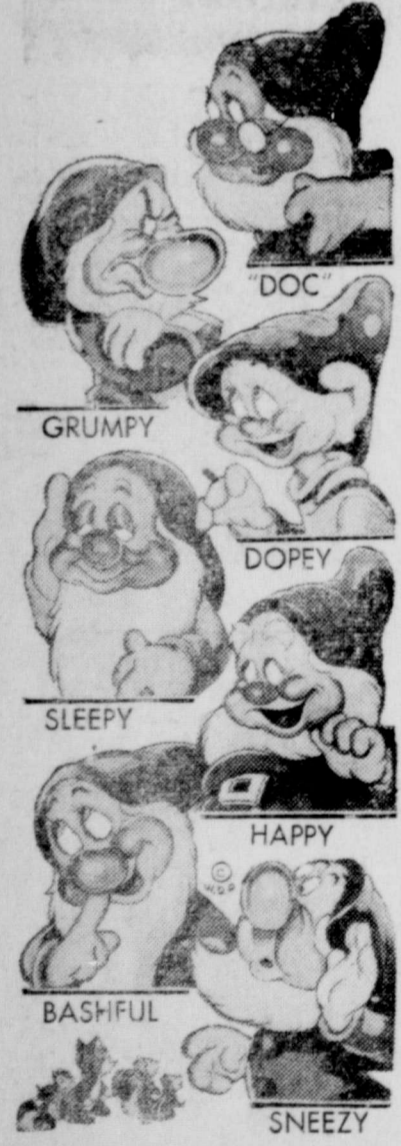
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**SOCIETY and CLUBS**

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**Women's Council Meets Tuesday**

The Women's council of the First Christian church met at the church Tuesday afternoon with the president, Mrs. W. J. Armstrong, presiding. Meeting opened with group singing. "Give of Your Best to the Master." Mrs. Armstrong gave a talk on "Stewardship of Property," Mr. Lambert, pastor, led in prayer. The meeting was then turned over to Group Two who was in charge of the afternoon's program.

The opening song by the group was "Bringing In the Sheaves." Prayer by Mrs. James Haynie. Mrs. J. S. Mobley led the devotionals and Mrs. H. H. Davis read poems on China. Miss Thresa Weddington gave an interesting talk on "Japan's Ancient Religion." Meeting closed with benediction. About 25 members were present.

**Mrs. Borman Has Circle No. One**

Circle One of the Presbyterian auxiliary met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. F. J. Borman as hostess. Mrs. Elizabeth McCracken, chairman, presided and gave an outline of the work planned for the month. Mrs. W. P. Lee gave the devotionals. Refreshments were served to Mmes. C. E. Rountree, N. H. Blizard, J. E. Moriarty, P. R. Warwick, A. Sandhofer, W. P. Lee, R. L. Ponsler, F. W. Watson, Elizabeth Le Veaux, McCracken, J. J. Tableman and the hostess, Mrs. Borman.

George H. Odom of Galveston is the guest for several days of Ed Brown, manager of the Laguna hotel.

**Mrs. Bible Hostess to Auxiliary Circle**

Mrs. H. A. Bible was hostess to Circle Three of the Womens auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church for the first meeting of the church year Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Abbie C. Daniel gave the devotionals from the 15th chapter of Samuel. Mrs. R. S. Cope, leader, discussed plans for the coming year's work. Mrs. E. P. Crawford gave a paper "The Hour of God's Need."

Refreshments were served to Mmes. J. E. Walter, F. L. Bonney, W. W. Wallace, Homer McDonald, R. S. Cope, W. L. Jones, A. J. Olson, John Garrett, O. Gustafson, Abbie Daniel, E. P. Crawford, Homer Slicker, H. H. Monk, B. S. Huey, Charles Robart, Miss Alice Johnson and the hostess, Mrs. Bible.

**Pentecostal Church Host to Others**

The Cisco Pentecostal church was host Monday night to a fellowship meeting honoring the following guest churches: Albany, Breckenridge, Brownwood, Cross Plains, Eastland, Frankell, Gorman, Placid, Ranger, Romney and Suez. Many beautiful hymns were sung and short talks were made by the visiting pastors.

Misses Frances Rutherford and Meiba Bostain of Rising Star have returned to their homes after being in Cisco for a short while.

Mrs. E. K. Henderson and little daughter, Mary Ann, of Lubbock are visiting relatives and friends here.

**The Notebook**

**Thursday**  
The Industrial Arts club will meet at the clubhouse at 3 with Mrs. L. J. Leach as hostess and Mrs. E. L. Smith program leader. Presbyterian choir will meet at the church at 7:30 p. m.  
The Gleaners Band of the Pentecostal church will have its regular meeting at 7:30 under the direction of Drew Tipton.

**Friday**  
The Methodist Intermediate Department will have a banquet at the church at 6.  
The Friedly Twelve Forty-two club will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. McClelland, 1008 west 7th, at 8 p. m.

**Saturday**  
The Methodist W. M. S. Bazaar and Bake Sale will begin at the Cisco Gas Co. at 8 a. m. and continue all day.

**Personals**

Mmes. C. R. Sanford, John Shertzer and J. T. Anderson are spending today in Fort Worth.

Luther Ponsler has returned to A. and M. where he attends school.

Mmes. J. C. Hanrahan, H. E. McGowen, A. J. Henson, W. C. Hogue, and N. W. Noell spent Tuesday in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shepard are spending today in Graham with friends.

Mrs. James Harvey has returned from a visit with relatives in Greenville.

Felton Underwood is transacting business in Dallas.

**Circle Meets With Mrs. Alex Spears**

Circle Two of the Presbyterian Womens auxiliary met in regular session Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Alex Spears. The hostess, who is chairman of the circle, presided over the business period. Mrs. M. H. Applewhite led the devotionals titled "The Necessity of and Blessings Received From Daily Bible Reading." Mrs. Frank Bond directed an interesting program on "Why Go to Church?" Mrs. C. H. Fee and Mrs. John Kleiner were on the program.

A salad course was served to Mmes. Bond, Applewhite, Fee, Kleiner, J. E. Caffrey, R. C. Hayes, A. E. Jamison, J. G. Rupe, J. A. Lash, Yancey McCrea, G. C. Rosenthal and the hostess, Mrs. Spears.

**CLASSIFIED SECTION**

Cisco Daily Press and Rural Edition  
All classified advertising received before 2:30 p. m. will appear in the evening Press of that date unless otherwise ordered. Classified advertisements to appear in the Sunday morning edition will be received until 8 p. m. Saturday.  
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**AT&T Head In Reply to FCC Criticisms**

The following statement by President Walter S. Gifford of the American Telephone and Telegraph company was issued in response to criticism of the Bell Telephone company by a member of the Federal Communications commission recently:

"When the telephone investigation was begun over three years ago, I welcomed the opportunity to place before the commission all facts as to the manner in which our business is conducted. I naturally assumed that we would have a fair investigation and an opportunity all of the material facts pertaining to all phases of the company's business which the commission should desire to study.

"The investigation, however, was one-sided from start to finish. We were denied not only the right to cross-examine investigation witnesses and to be heard in our own behalf, but were denied the right to have included in the record material which we had prepared and considered necessary to point out serious and important errors affecting most of the investigators reports. Commissioner Walker's report must be appraised in light of these facts.

"We have not been given a copy of Commissioner Walker's report, said to contain 1,000 pages, but if the summary of it correctly reflects the report, it presents much that is simply not true and has been prepared with the same unfairness that characterized the investigation proceedings.

"This country has the best, the

most extensive the most widely used and the cheapest telephone service in the world. In spite of this, it would appear that fault has been found with almost everything this company has done throughout its existence. This just does not make sense.

"Bell system earnings have never been excessive. The suggestion that rates might be reduced 25 per cent throughout the bell system without reducing net earnings by changing depreciation and other major policies and practices is absurd.

"According to the summary, the report claims for the investigation credit for reductions in rates and many other things which, in the normal course of business and in accordance with the company's policy antedating the existence of the Federal Communications commission, would have taken place without any investigation."

**Lobbies in--**

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lacking, in fact almost non-existent. The five bright hopes of the backfield division are: Chesley Tipton, Odell Harrison, Coy Warren, Raymond Reams, and Red Walls. Tipton, Harrison, and Reams are contesting for the half-back positions. Warren for quarterback. Walls to full-back. All of these boys are what the coaches' hopes for but it's too much to hope that they can be 60-minute men. Bill Lamb, W. R. Miller, and Robert Donovan are likely reserves for the backfield positions, providing they can develop. Coach Petty also has his eyes on Bill Westfall and Richard Steyer, in his search for the much-needed reserves.

Weldon King, Scranton transfer, looked mighty good in practice and will probably gain a tackle position if he keeps plugging. King weighs 180 pounds, has lots of nerve.

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and Warren seem to be the best bet for the backfield. Other tackle prospects are Callarman, Saylor, Bill Allen.

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