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GRAMMAR SCHOOL CLASS GRADUATES FRIDAY

Through the
Editor's
Spectacles
By GEORGE

The voice of O'Daniel in the hand—. It is quite unreasonable to a man so lately to politics and untherein the concern which distinguishes the political strategy of the program and the on thereof. I have been of remarking the merits or the demerits of the program. A well-conceived and so designed to capture several of the maximum of the voters, it plotted to by-pass responsibility by to enact further law into the state nation deserves a concession equal at least to thought and labor exerted upon it.

The recommendation of the people of themselves would demand or not a transitory 1.6 per cent is demanded. The legislature confine its action in submitting a constitutional amendment embodying the law. Whether this procedure is a violation of the responsibility placed upon the legislature a revenue-raising units of argument. It is, of course, but perhaps it violates a fundamental principle of law which certainly violates that the legislature as a sober, deliberative body, shall serve as upon emotional massing. In other words, a law that isn't willing me and exercise realities already given to the constitution considerably less than dangerous ideal which bidding fathers, with wills and backs bared native adversary of conceived.

that as it may, if a sales tax or a ton tax or whatever you call it, in this dear peepul are going to it. Incidentally information, the going to have such a coming as surely as Christmas.

The O'Daniel plan, we have done something at least concerning the humble estate of your columnist, to submit it as additional amendment, not principle, in the knowledge legislature of the not going to enact a plan of its own will. Having given nature an admirable passing the final ability on to the voters, proceed to the greatest amount of support by applying the greatest values and benefits against disengages. That doesn't the strategy is not less or worth while. The active fact is that and his advisors presented an integrated

He Married an Angel



Vera Zorina, the angel in the Broadway musical success, "I Married an Angel," and George Balanchine, Russian ballet director, are pictured in their New York apartment after announcing that they had been secretly wed since Christmas Eve.

Big Increase Revealed in Extension Work

(Special to Cisco Daily Press)

COLLEGE STATION, Jan. 19.—A tremendous increase in all phases of extension work was revealed by the 1938 annual reports of county agricultural agents of Extension Service District 7, which is composed of 19 counties from Jones and Palo Pinto on the north to Gillespie and Blanco on the south.

The report for District 7 shows, among other lines of work, that more than 2,000 boys were enrolled in 4-H club work, that county agents ran terrace lines of 73,000 acres on 1,700 farms and contour lines on 129,000 acres on 1,000 farms, and that 1,361 trenches were filled, according to W. L. Glass, district agent of the Texas A. and M. college extension service.

Mississippi river fish hatcheries complain the birds should be shot—not for their plumage, but because they eat small fish.

Conservation officials reply, however, that egrets feed mostly on the sluggish carp and other undesirable fish easy to catch, hence they serve a useful purpose.

Lake Now Covers American "Holland"

NEW HOLLAND, N. C., Jan. 19 (AP)—What was once a 50,000-acre "Holland in America" now lies at the bottom of North Carolina's largest lake.

Upwards of \$17,000,000 was spent 15 years ago in reclaiming the 50,000 acres of rich farm land from the bottom of Lake Mattamuskeet in Hyde county. A complete settlement—including a 23-room hotel, houses, barns, highways and bridges were established beneath sea level.

One of the largest pumping stations in the world—it's capacity a million and a quarter gallons a minute—was built to clear the lake of water and keep it clear. It was not equal to the task, though, and slowly homes and farms were inundated. Water stands in the hotel lobby.

Lake Mattamuskeet is now back where it started, the home of thousands of ducks, wild geese and fish. Recently it was made a federal migratory wildfowl refuge.

BROTHER HERE

D. W. Crawford of Gainesville, brother of E. P. Crawford, Cisco real estate and insurance man, was in Cisco today on business. Mr. Crawford is interested in oil properties at Sipe Springs.

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STOCK SHOW PREMIUM LIST IS ANNOUNCED

Biggest In Several Years Here Is Anticipated

The complete schedule of premiums which will be offered in the Eastland County Livestock show for 4-H club boys and FFA members was announced this week by Supt. T. G. Caudle. The show, which will not exclude exhibits of adult producers but will offer no premiums for such exhibits, will be held at Cisco on February 24 and 25. Asst. County Agent Sam Rosenberg and all vocational agriculture teachers in the county are co-operating and already prospects point to the biggest livestock show that has ever been held in Cisco.

The show is sponsored by the Cisco chamber of commerce which is providing all awards. Substantial cash prizes will be given in each department.

The committee which has arranged the show is composed of Mr. Caudle, G. P. Mitcham, Jr., Dr. F. E. Clark, Sutton Crofts, Frank Harrell, Charles Bell, C. L. Wilson, Mr. Rosenberg, W. B. Cowan, Jr., and J. F. Hassell. Mr. Caudle and the last five of the committee are instructors in agriculture.

Mr. Bell has charge of the beef cattle exhibits. Mr. Wilson the dairy cattle, Mr. Rosenberg the sheep, Mr. Cowan the swine and Mr. Hassell the goats.

Any member of a Future Farmer chapter or boys' 4-H club of Eastland county may compete in the show. Regulations require that the animals exhibited be owned by the boys and that each boy must have personally fed and cared for the animal he exhibits, under the supervision of the county agent or the vocational agriculture teacher.

Jersey cattle, Hereford bulls, Angus bulls, Rambouillet rams and hogs, all except fat barrows, must be pure bred and each entry must be certified by the vocational agriculture teacher or county agent. If less than three animals are entered in any class no first premium will be awarded.

Show rules specify that all animals must be in their places and ready for exhibition by 10 o'clock Friday morning, February 24, and must remain until 2:30 o'clock the following Saturday afternoon.

Judging will be as follows: Jersey cattle and hogs, Friday afternoon, beef cattle and sheep Saturday morning.

Included in the 4-H club demonstrations were 310 beef calves, 67 dairy heifers, 217 sheep, 435 pigs, 747 acres of cotton, and many projects with poultry, corn, hoggs, peanuts, and so on.

The list of premiums was announced as follows:

Fat steers, \$15, \$12, \$9, \$6, \$3, \$2, \$1.

Herefords—Heifers under one year, \$5, \$3, \$2; heifers one year and under two years, \$5, \$3, \$2; cows two years old and over, \$5, \$3, \$2; best Hereford bull, any age, \$5, \$3, \$2.

Aberdeen Angus—Heifers under

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Livestock Comm'n Inspects 1,254 Herds

The Livestock Sanitary commission of Texas, in conjunction with the Bureau of Animal Industry conducted activities for the prevention and eradication of the scabies infection and exposure thereto in 66 counties in Texas for the months of December,

1,254 herds and a total of 272,951 cattle, sheep and goats were dipped or inspected or both.

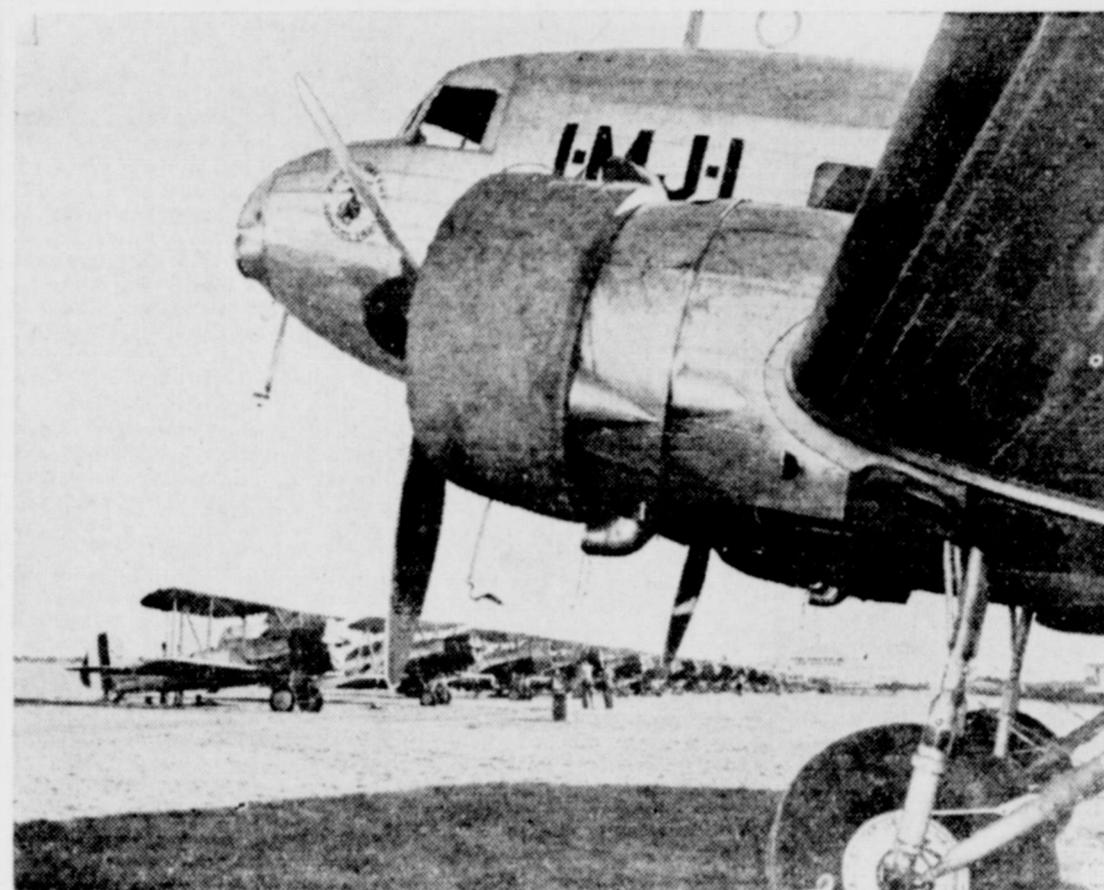
One sheep was classed as infected. Of the number inspected 267,512 cattle, sheep and goats were found to be free of scabies infection and exposure thereto.

4,967 cattle, 471 sheep were classed as exposed on account of importation and complying with other states requirements.

6,232 cattle, and sheep were dipped and certified to.

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A Nest of War Eagles at Miami



The Miami, Fla., Municipal Airport served temporarily as a site for display of military strength when 53 U. S. Marine Corps planes zoomed down on it. They were en route to San Juan, Puerto Rico, for current war maneuvers.

THIRTY WILL GET DIPLOMAS IN EXERCISES

Judson Prince to Be Speaker in Program at High School

Exercises will be held at the high school auditorium tomorrow evening at 7:30 when 30 members of the seventh grade of the Cisco grammar school will be graduated from that school and made eligible to enter high school at mid-term.

Speaker for the program will be Rev. Judson Prince, pastor of the First Baptist church and Supt. R. N. Cluck will award the diplomas upon the presentation of the class by Prin. C. J. Turner. Billy Sherman will be valedictorian and Inez McCandless salutatorian as honor students.

Program for the exercises will be: Processional by Jacqueline Ruppert; invocation, the Rev. Joseph I. Patterson of the First Methodist church; salutatory, by Inez McCandless; class will, read by J. J. Robertson; class song, "Auld Lang Syne"; valedictory, by Billy Sherman; address, Rev. Mr. Prince; presentation of class and awarding of diplomas.

Members of the graduating class are:

James Ed Agnew, Byron Boyd, J. D. Carr, Billy Joe Deal, Glenn Doggett, Charles Eudy, J. M. Eudy, Wilbourne Ivie, George Johnson, Garland Lasater, Danny Love, Jimmy Pollard, J. J. Robertson, Billy Gene Ramsey, Billy Sherman, Earl Smith, Donald Shirley, Ira Tom Taylor, Harry Watkins, Nettie Fay Day, Inez McCandless, Dorothy Perdue, Jeffie Jean Robertson, Bonnie Bell Stuard, Carlene Wright, Iva Jackson, Dorothy Jean Sloane, Gilma Townsend, Jackie Glenn Mayhew, Mattie Vic Johnson.

Meyer to Be Speaker for Banquet for Loboes Tonight

Best Gridiron Season in Years to Be Reviewed

Cisco business and professional men will pay tribute to the Cisco Lobo football squad at the annual Lions-Rotary club banquet on the roof garden of the Laguna hotel this evening. More than 200—the capacity of the garden for dinner—were expected to attend, judging from ticket sales.

Coach L. R. (Dutch) Meyer of Texas Christian university, who produced the 1939 national champion football eleven, featuring two all-America choices in K. L. Aldrich and Davey O'Brien, will be the principal speaker.

Hardin-Simmons university of Abilene will furnish the music for the program, a group of eight or 10 students of the university coming here for the dinner. The Abilene Christian church band, which had been engaged, was unable to be here when a bus wreck near Brownwood resulted in damage to a number of instruments.

The banquet will begin at 7:30 o'clock. Ticket are on sale at 75 cents each, members of the Lions and Rotary clubs selling them.

Motion pictures of games in which the Abilene team participated will be shown by Coach Meyer. It was not known whether or not those of the Sugar Bowl in which T. C. U. defeated Carnegie Tech at New Orleans, on January 2, will be shown.

The Loboes will be honored tonight after the most successful season they have had in several years. During that season they lost only one game, to Breckenridge, the district champions, and played one tie with the Graham Graham.

O. L. Stamey, principal of the high school, will be toastmaster. Coaches J. T. Petty and H. R. Garrett will also be honor guests.

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Geo. Washington Good Ad Writer

HARLINGEN, Jan. 19 (AP)—A copy of the first issue of the Maryland Journal dated August 20, 1773, indicates George Washington could give a good sales talk.

Washington was the principal advertiser in the issue and had some "choice lands" for sale.

The advertisement, which was signed by him, emphasized the lands had a very desirable location on the Ohio or Kanawha rivers and were such that "none can exceed them in luxuriance of soil."

Sawyer will succeed LaVerne Landers, who resigned to become secretary of the Retail Merchants association.

The new secretary has served in the same capacity at Huntsville the past two and a half years. Previously he was chamber of commerce secretary in Jasper, another southeast Texas town.

TVA Fertilizer Demonstrators Being Signed

Eastland county farmers and ranchers who intend to enroll as demonstrators in the use of TVA super-phosphate fertilizer are filling applications with County Agent Cook who announces that these applications will be examined by the County Agricultural council and if approved they will then be forwarded to the state headquarters at College Station for approval. Cook expects applicants to receive their allotments of fertilizer by March 15. Applications are being taken in the county agent's office each Saturday day, which is the regular office day of the county agent.

Demonstrators will only have to bear the expense of freight on the fertilizer from the TVA plant in Sheffield, Alabama, amounting to seven dollars per ton. The fertilizer is worth from \$50 to \$75 per ton.

TVA superphosphate can be secured on land that will be planted to two consecutive crops of legumes to be left on the land or turned under or for use on land to be used for permanent pasture.

After two consecutive crops of peas, vetch, or other legumes have been grown on the land it can be used for cash crops. It is being pointed out that it is possible to grow these two crops on the land in one year by planting peas or peanuts to be left on the land, then following with a crop of winter peas or vetch or any other suitable winter legume. Farmers

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Huntsville Man to Breck C of C Post

BRECKENRIDGE, Jan. 19 (AP)—C. E. Sawyer of Huntsville has accepted the secretaryship of the Breckenridge chamber of commerce. He expects to take over the office about February 1, he said in a letter to Claude Peeler, president of the organization.

Sawyer will succeed LaVerne Landers, who resigned to become secretary of the Retail Merchants association.

The new secretary has served in the same capacity at Huntsville the past two and a half years. Previously he was chamber of commerce secretary in Jasper, another southeast Texas town.

Funeral services for Mrs. John H. Surles, 78, who died Sunday night at her home at Putnam, were held from the Baptist church at Putnam Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with burial in Putnam cemetery. Death followed a heart attack suffered Sunday afternoon.

The Rev. Judson Prince of the First Baptist church of Cisco conducted the services.

Mrs. Surles was the mother of C. S. Surles of Cisco, who is employed with the engineering staff of the Possum Kingdom dam in Palo Pinto county. Besides the son here, she is survived by another son, R. L. Surles of Wichita Falls, and three daughters, Mrs. J. L. Kennedy of Fort Worth, Mrs. M. I. Tarrant of Houston, and Mrs. L. R. Burnside of Eastland. Three brothers and a sister also survive. They are Asa Lee of Brownwood, Joe Lee and Green Lee of Eden, Texas, and Mrs. Lizzie Crawford of Las Cruces, N. M.

Mrs. Surles was a resident of Callahan county for 45 years. She was born in Alabama and came to Texas at the age of 14. She was married to John H. Surles, who preceded her in death, on December 19, 1883. Shortly after their marriage the couple moved to Callahan county. She was a member of the First Baptist church of Cisco for 20 years.

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Dan Horn Club to Meet January 20

There will be a meeting of the Dan Horn Home Demonstration club on January 20 at the home of Mrs. M. D. Speagle, it was announced Thursday.

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Lead me, O Lord, in Thy righteousness,
 Make Thy way plain before my face . . . and let all
 that put their trust in Thee rejoice.—Ps. v. 3, 11.

Up the east another day
 Shall chase the bitter dawn away;
 What though our eyes with tears be wet,
 The sunrise never failed us yet.
 —CELIA THAXTER

Ye meek ones rejoice, and be glad, for yours
 is the kingdom of God, obeying or walking in it.
 truth—Thomas A. Kempis.

Why, Mr. Ward! (Alias Jones)

MAYBE Mr. Herbert Ward, alias Jones, of Hilltop Road, Dronfield, near Chesterfield, Derbyshire, England, is going down to fame as the man who finally grew tired of it All and started a revolt against Things as They Are.

Mr. Ward, alias Jones, is the center of court proceedings at Chesterfield which are to decide a nice legal point. The question at issue is whether gas masks issued by the British government to civilians during the recent Munich crisis belong to the government or to the civilian immediately concerned.

IT seems that Mr. Ward was bored by the constant presence of his gas respirator. It cluttered things up. It was one more gag get. It annoyed him.

So one day Mr. Ward cracked the whole thing out in the yard, damaging it beyond repair.

It happened that this distantly act was observed by Mr. T. Wells, chief constable, who was the more irked because he had previously warned Mr. Ward when police found that the celluloid of his respirator was cracked. So Mr. T. Wells took Mr. Herbert Ward into court, which was asked to decide (with due reference to the home office) to whom government-issued gas masks belong, anyway.

It is to be hoped that Mr. Ward, alias Jones, has a good lawyer. Surely he has a case. Suppose, for instance, Mr. Ward had decided that the whole thing just wasn't worth the trouble.

"Let the bombers come," he may have muttered to himself. "If it gets that bad, I'd just as soon have a whiff of something and."

Human and Other Nature

By W. F. BRUCE

Events seem to be setting the stage just right for our big armament program. Affairs in Europe that centered in the Munich get-together, and the shaping up of matters in the Far East, and other warlike hurried have put material into the hands of armament propagandists to swing the sentiment of America into an acceptance of such a program. The withdrawal of our diplomatic representatives from some of these countries at such a time has made the outlook a little more ominous. Then our emphatic goodwill gesture to all, the American republics took the form of a proposed defensive agreement. A number of domestic issues were getting hot for the administration to hold on to so now there has been a dropping of them for a pronounced turn of attention toward foreign affairs. If we can get into a war, or even a serious threat of one, by the next election year it will seem too bad to swap horses in the middle of the stream, or rather it will seem easier for the rider to go on riding across the stream. So everything seems to point to a scare for a purpose. And yet military appropriations in half and how foolish to advocate arming to spend the other half

keep out of war huge armaments of scrapping later if we really mean peace; or else we intend using them if our purpose is war. Either course is contrary to reason based upon past history. Some will say that it took us a year to get ready to fight after we declared entrance into the World war. That was because we were planning peace. If we had been armed to the teeth we would probably have been into the war a year before the time of the declaration. If some one should ask me today, "Do you think we ought to disarm ourselves entirely?" I would have to say, "No, I do not," thus going back on my own idea. But I do believe there is a minimum of preparation which we have already exceeded that would be the wise policy of a nation that means peace and dedicates itself to spreading it.

I have been listening to Church Smiley, a missionary of several years' experience in India. He brings us Mahatma Gandhi and his movements for the people of India as a demonstration of another way to get things done than by fighting, the non-resistant method. And so far as we can see it is even more effective, and less painful and less demoralizing. Suppose we should cut our scare for a purpose. And yet military appropriations in half and how foolish to advocate arming to spend the other half

get it over with. Besides, I never did look well in a mask."

NEVERTHELESS a man came and gave Mr. Ward, alias Jones, a mask. Mr. Jones turned it over, and wondered vaguely which side was which, and then shoved it into a bureau drawer. And every time he went to the drawer for a handkerchief or a pair of socks, there was that blooming mask.

And then, one day, it became just too much for Mr. Ward, alias Jones. He just threw the whole contraption into the yard.

Maybe he will go to jail for it. But on the other hand, maybe some day there will be a statue in the Hall of Fame, with neat lettering underneath, "Mr. Herbert Ward, alias Jones."

Maybe Life Really Begins at 40

"IT'S a young man's country," we carelessly say. "Youth will be served."

But s it?

Not if the National Association of Manufacturers is right. There has been no decline in the percentage of industrial employment at the age of 40 since 1923, a survey by the N. A. M. indicated.

Not only that, but the association found that industry rates its older workers "very highly."

IN 1938, the percentage of workers between 40 and 49 actually showed a gain. Of total employees reported, 20.43 per cent were in that age group. Even between 50 and 59, th older workers were still accounting for 10.43 per cent of total employment.

Is it possible to get a new job after 40? The same survey had returns from 750 companies indicating that workers of 40 and over added to the payrolls in 1937 accounted for 8.4 per cent of their total employment.

"Steadier," "more regular in attendance," "more pride and greater interest in their work," were some of the bouquets tossed at older workers by the companies reporting.

Any insurance company will verify that people live longer, on the average, than they used to live. Any social statistics will show that a greater proportion of the population each year is made up of older people.

Nothing could be more natural than to find great numbers of these people between 40 and 60 still engaged at productive work. But in the meantime what is happening to the multitudes of young people who leave school every year?

MANY of them are finding it hard to get their first job. Some young men reach the age of 23 or 24 without ever having had a regular job or learned any trade.

The end of school, a couple of years of loafing, a year at a CCC camp, two or three or half a dozen fiddling little jobs at which they learned no skill, nothing of value, and a young man is in his mid-twenties before he has a start. His father was often a solid business man or a well-grounded workman at his trade by that time.

Life begins later today than it did for grandfather, but it also ends later. It is just another of the readjustments which apparently must be made in a changing world.

The Janet Gaynor-Adrian romance raises this important question. If an ordinary girl can't please an ordinary husband with her clothes, how is Janet going to keep a costume designer happy?

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Headlines



About Our Friends

By STEP A. LONG

Missed chatting with you a couple of days . . . a little puny one day and too engrossed with getting our annual Lobo banquet arranged so the great football coach, L. R. Meyer could get his part of the program over in fine style for the second day . . . takes a little thought and work to put big games over, as Dutch will tell you himself . . . and both of those things go a little hard with Step A. Long . . . as our friends so often remark when they want to be a little nasty . . .

But you know we do sometimes think about the things around us . . . Day after day we notice Miss Lucile Self go about her work of providing Cisco merchants, who are concerned with credit ratings of their would-be customers, with a place where every man's credit standing is as an open book to this terribly earnest worker of the credit bureau of Cisco . . .

You will learn a great deal of the necessary things of being a good, substantial citizen of your country and town, if you will take the time to listen to this young woman who seems to know all that has ever been learned and written about the business of establishing credit among one's merchants in their community . . . It is a big thought and if the business men would arrange for this young woman to make a series of talks to Cisco's young men and women who are floundering around in darkness, trying to get their lives started, it would be one of the best things that could be done as a basis for establishing them on a safe road for a sound financial rating.

And strange to say . . . This young lady will tell you . . . and make it stick too, that she has nothing to do with your credit rating . . . YOU MAKE THAT YOURSELF . . . It is only the rating that you, yourself, have established, that she puts down in black and white in the files that indicates, what people have decided you are in the financial world, judging from the way you have conducted your affairs in the past . . . It is your own dealing with your past creditors that is stored away in that little secret file, and not what she judges you to be . . . It's how you have paid your obligations, and what you have impressed upon those who have extended you credit in the past, that enter into the report she will give when called upon by her.

But Cisco is letting her great worth go unused . . . ability to assist young people and old ones too, for that matter, to get the right kind of value of a proper credit rating . . . How not to give a series of talks? Why not?

In 1938 women in a Kansas sewing projects produced approximately 4,000,000 garments and household articles for distribution to needy families.

Helen Hull Jacobs will be

of many famous speakers

auspices of the California

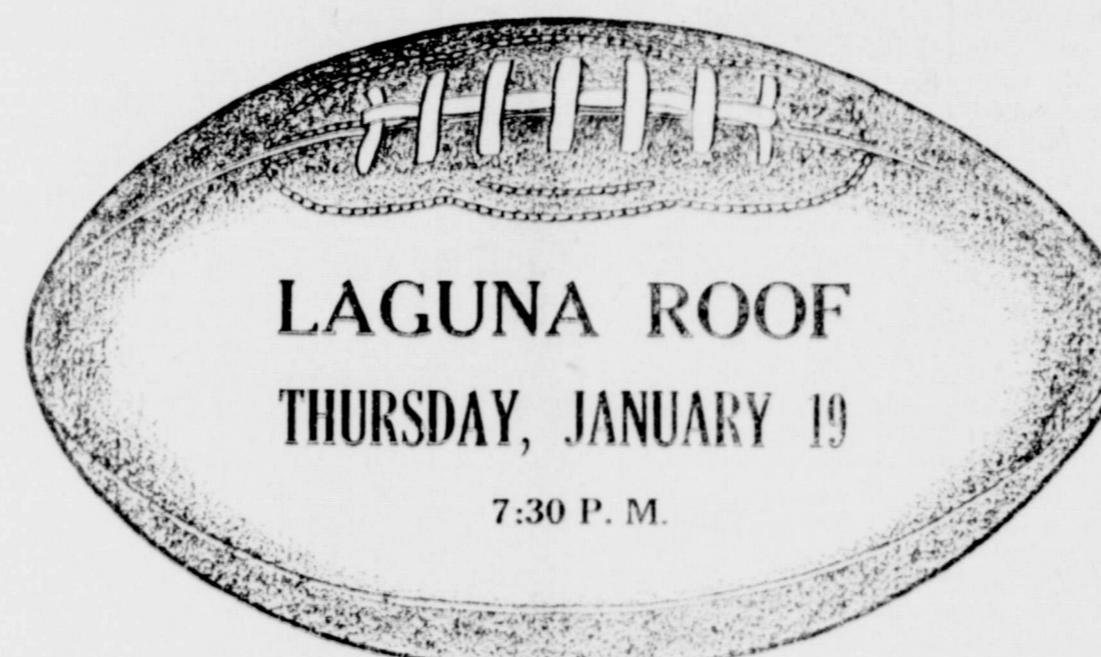
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of admiration and esteem for his wonderful
record in bringing distinction to the gridirons
of the southwest.

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COACH

H. R. (Pop) Garrett

COACH

Cisco Shoe Hospital

News of Cisco Trade Territory Told by Correspondents

COOK

Singing at the Baptist church Sunday night was well attended. Several singers from other communities were there. Everyone is invited to attend these singings each first and third Sunday night.

Misses Annie Hill, Georgie Hunt, Annie Rae Moore and Elbert Hunt visited Audie Moore Sunday in Gorman sanitarium. He is reported doing fine.

Friends and neighbors extend their sincere sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Hageman and family in the loss of their small daughter, who died Friday afternoon in Cisco. Death was caused from burns received when the child fell backward into a tub of boiling water.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bailey visited her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jean Walker, in the Long Branch community.

We are glad to welcome to our community Mr. and Mrs. Burns and daughters from the Griggs community.

Mrs. Dorothy Hunt spent Monday afternoon with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Townsend and family left for Big Spring Friday, where they will make their home.

Mrs. C. S. Carmichael visited Mrs. Smith Kent Monday afternoon.

Miss Alma Walker spent the week-end with homefolks.

Several from this community attended the party at Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Lewis at Crocker.

Congratulations are being extended to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Woodie, who were married last in Romney Sunday.

PUEBLO

Mr. and Mrs. Zed Kilborn of Cisco spent Monday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hitchings.

Mrs. G. R. Pence, who has been ill, is reported to be improving, although she isn't able to be up yet.

Mrs. Edgar Harris and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Pence and family.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Farmer and family spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pence and family.

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Joy Ann Pence spent several days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pence.

DESDEMONA

On Tuesday afternoon of last week every member of the "21" Study club and one visitor met at the home of Mrs. David Parks, on Dean Bros. lease. The house was attractively decorated with pot plants. The Parliamentary Day and Legislation Day program was led by Mrs. J. E. Heeter. Names of departments of General Federation were roll call responses. Annual reports of officers and committees were given and election of officers was held resulting as follows: President, Mrs. Scotty Edmon; first vice president, Mrs. C. A. Skipping; second vice president, Mrs. Charlie Morrow; recording secretary, Mrs. C. W. Maltby; treasurer, Mrs. S. E. Snodgrass; corresponding secretary, Mrs. W. C. Bedford; parliamentarian and critic, Mrs. W. H. Davis; press reporter, Mrs. Charles Lee; federation counsellor, Mrs. J. E. Heeter; chairman of Better Homes, Mrs. Charlie Morrow. The yearbook committee, Mrs. W. C. Bedford, chairman, Mrs. S. E. Snodgrass and Mrs. C. A. Skipping, reported the receipt of \$3 as second prize from the state yearbook contest chairman. The club felt proud of the prize as there are 1,080 clubs in state federation. The first number on program was one left over from December 20, the title of which was "The Blood Bank of Memphis, Tenn." and it was given by Mrs. W. H. Davis. "Duties of the Presiding Officer" were given by Mrs. Charlie Morrow and "Duties of Committees" were given by Mrs. Charlie Lee. "The Legislative Program of Texas Federation" was given by Mrs. J. E. Heeter. Referring back to business the club voted to have picture on front of Federation News of Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins, framed and placed in clubhouse.

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Thursday but his wife and little son remained for a longer visit.

Mrs. Lee Reid of the Alameda community is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Bill Parks, and family.

Miss Anita Crawley and Miss Jessie Mae Wrinkle attended the basket ball tournament at Olden on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Merrill and son, Joe, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Sparkman and son, Homer Joe, left at 1 o'clock Tuesday morning for Austin to attend the inauguration of Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel.

Sam Jones, who is basket ball coach, took the teams of girls and boys to Olden Friday for them to take part in the tournament that was held there Friday and Saturday.

Miss Capitolia Browning received a very interesting letter a few days ago from Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Stark, who are missionaries of the Church of God in Andula, in province of Angola, Portuguese West Africa, just west of the Belgian Congo region. Edmond is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Stark, who lived here from 1919 to 1928, then transferred to Olden by the Magnolia company and then moved to Oiltown, Okla., where they now live. Edmond attended school here until a junior and then went to Olden, where he graduated in 1929. His wife had been a missionary in Africa three years and was home on furlough of a year when she met Edmond and before the year was over they were married and she too became a missionary. Her letter told of the difficulties of learning the native language and carrying the Gospel to the people of that country. He gave a list of the names of the natives who helped in building the mission and told the meaning of each name. His many friends and former schoolmates will be glad to know that Edmond is having success in his life work.

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Uncle Jim and Aunt Sabra Reed and Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Reed were visiting in Eastland Monday.

Since we have been so wonderfully blessed with rain, the farmers are getting everything in the readiness for a bumper crop, fertilizing their land, getting their

ROMNEY

The Ladies' Home Demonstration club met with Mrs. Alfred McEnery Tuesday, January 10.

The president, Mrs. Gene Ford, presided. Mrs. Freddie Harrelson was appointed kitchen demonstrator and Mrs. Gil Walker, home food demonstrator. Four new names were added to the membership list—Mrs. J. R. McEnery, Mrs. Bill Maynard, Mrs. Inez Carlton and Mrs. T. L. Lasater.

After a pleasant social hour the ladies adjourned to meet Tuesday, January 11, at Mrs. Josh Majors', for a quilting bee. The next business meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Gil Walker, Tuesday, January 24. All members are urged to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tillie and daughter, Helen, and Mrs. Cecil Tillie, went to Ranger Sunday afternoon where they visited Cecil Tillie, who has been confined in the hospital the past two months, suffering from the effects of a leg injury. His condition is somewhat improved, due to the fact that he underwent an operation recently. His physician states that he probably will be dismissed within the next few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Reed were shopping in Rising Star Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bransford of near Cisco attended church here Sunday night.

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gardens ready for early planting etc. Let us hope that the new year just begun will be a happy and prosperous year, not only for our new governor, W. Lee O'Daniel, but also for the farmer, stock man, business man, trucker and all concerned in any way in the upbuilding of our state and nation.

GEORGE HILL

R. O. Jackson and Mrs. Carver are on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hill and their daughter made a trip to Vernon last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Holmes of Eastland visited in the Dock Bowman home Saturday night.

Warren Jessup is ill.

Miss Eva Ervin spent Saturday night with Miss Margarette Maxwell.

Felix Rasson who has been rebuilding the old Rasson home, will move his family here from New Braunfels next week. Mr. and Mrs. Rasson lived here several years ago. We are very glad to have them our neighbors again.

Mrs. Dock Bowman visited in Eastland last week.

Mrs. W. A. Branton visited Mrs. Jess Carter Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Stanford and little sons, and Mr. and Mrs. Dan McBeth and daughter, Vera, visited in the P. D. Richardson home Sunday.

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Mrs. Arlin Buckhalter and children spent Monday in the Tom Buckhalter home.

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**Cause
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... are causing heavy fruit trees in Eastland and many fruit growers small trees are over important item by not these young trees, according to Elmo V. Cook, county agent growing is to control the county control of the necessary. This can be done by treating the tree trunks with poison or by treating the tree trunks cannot or will not stop them.

If grain should be used as it will kill domestic animals in large enough quantities. It should not be put here are any farm animals out.

A repellent to the trees effective way of lessening damage from rabbits. Mix all ingredients together, particularly the oil to make thick as ordinary paint. Paint the tree with a brush to cover the entire tree, several nodes exposed on the trunk of each limb. The oil must be heated before stirring at the time but should not be too hot as it will harden the solution. Another mixture is made with two pounds flour, 4 pounds linseed oil, four pounds tallow, two pounds yellow soap, a pint linseed oil, four New Zealand tallow and enough sour cream about the same consistency.

Lost Article through
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Benny Pleads 'Not Guilty'

Jack Benny, above, noted radio comic, pictured at Newark Airport after his indictment on three counts of smuggling by a New York federal grand jury. Benny said he had no intention of violating the law.

Farmers and Ranchers Urged to Keep Records

Farmers and ranchers who wish to keep up with their business and know where they are making profits and where they are sustaining losses are being advised by County Agent Cook to keep a

complete farm or ranch record in 1939. "Now is the time to start these records," states Cook. "No time in the year is quite as good for beginning records as at the first of the year."

Farmers and ranchers who wish to start keeping records can get a complete and simplified farm or ranch book through the county agent. The A. & M. college of Texas has printed a farm record book for this purpose for several years in a form so simple that anyone can understand it, yet it contains all the information needed for complete records.

A few of the reasons that can be given any farmer or rancher for keeping records are:

- Determine where the profits or losses occur and remedy the losses.
- Establish proof of production for use in the AAA program or in case it is needed to help make a sale.
- A means of keeping permanent accurate records for any purpose needed, such as dates of births of registered animals, etc.

By Williams



THE HEIR APPARENT



WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY HAIR

Under the Courthouse Roof

INSTRUMENTS FILED

A list of instruments filed the past week in the office of County Clerk R. V. Galloway includes the following:

Board of nurse examiners to Frances Campbell, nurses' certificate; Continental Southern Savings and Loan association to Wylie Jackson, warranty deed; City of Eastland to Mrs. Johnnie Roy, cemetery deed; Citizens Saving and Loan association to H. C. Hardin, et ux, warranty deed; City National bank of Abilene to Albert W. Simmons, et ux, warranty deed; Continental Southern Savings and Loan association to A. Z. Myriad, warranty deed; Commercial State bank of Ranger to B. H. Peacock, et ux, release of deed of trust lien; R. A. Carey, et al., to C. P. Carey, warranty deed.

Charles H. Downtain to Charles Gifford Downtain, et al., deed; D. J. Dick to Mrs. Eva Dick, bill of sale; Mrs. Eva Dick, et al., to O. H. Dick, bill of sale; E. Day, et al., to public, affidavit; J. R. Erwin, et ux, to L. E. Wallace, release of vendor's lien; First State bank of Rising Star vs. A. E. Neil, abstract of judgment; Fort Worth National bank to Plymouth Securities corporation, transfer of deed of trust lien; Furst and Thomas vs. R. L. Rippetoe, et al., abstract of judgment; Gulf Oil corporation to L. D. Leach, release of judgment lien.

Hickory Oil and Gas corporation to E. R. Baham, two assignments of oil and gas leases; H. C. Hardin, et ux, to Morgan Bryan, trustee, deed of trust; E. C. Heron, et ux, to R. A. McDaniel, warranty deed; Wiley Harbin, et ux, to Charles J. Kleiner, mineral deed; R. W. H. Kennon, et ux, to Mrs. G. Weaver, warranty deed; Plymouth Securities corporation to Hickory Oil and Gas corporation, releases of deed of trust; Pipkin Brothers vs. W. S. Couch, abstract of judgment; Mrs. Frank F. Perkins to Standard Savings and Loan association, quit claim deed.

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Camera Stops Bullet---For Picture



Millionth-of-a-second camera developed at Armour Institute of Technology, Chicago, catches a bullet, left, approaching a plate of glass and, right, registers same bullet smashing through.

Says Inaugural Show Equal to Coronation

AUSTIN, Jan. 19 (AP)—Frank King, Associated Press bureau chief for Texas, said the O'Daniel inauguration was as good a show as the coronation of King George VI of England. Democratic informality on such a vast scale is as impressive as the ritualistic precision, pomp and circumstance of a royal crowning, he said.

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Plan-of-Work for County Farm Program Formed

A plan-of-work for county agricultural extension work in Eastland county for 1939 embodying eight objectives has been announced by Elmo V. Cook, county agent, and Sam E. Rosenberg, assistant county agent. The plan was made and adopted at a meeting of the county agricultural council Monday afternoon in Eastland. Council members attending the session were Iduis S. Echols, Staff; Bob Hodges, Ranger; E. E. Blackwell, Almeda; W. R. Usery, Carbon; J. B. Eberhart, Rising Star, and Wayne Thurman, Shady Grove. Council members absent from the session were T. E. Castleberry, Morton Valley, George Bennett, Kokomo, L. R. Higginbottom, Kokomo, and Dallas Jobe, Gorman.

The eight objectives for county agent work in 1939, as adopted by the council are:

- Soil building
- Food production
- Feed conservation with trench silos
- Development of farmers' cooperatives
- Livestock improvement
- Crop improvement
- Insect and rodent control, and
- Wildlife conservation.

Bob Hodges was elected president of the council, W. B. Starr, vice president, Elmo V. Cook, secretary, and an executive committee will be appointed later by the president.

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SOCIETY and CLUBS

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Miss Van Horn Is
---8 Club Hostess

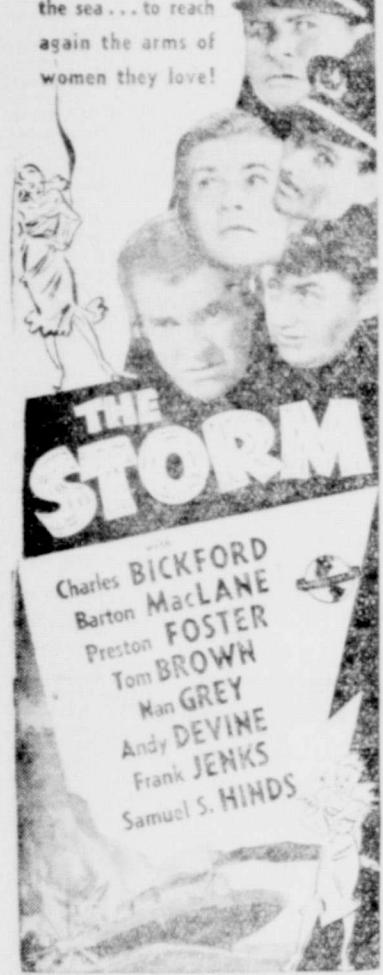
The -8 Bridge club was entertained at supper Wednesday night in the home of Miss Blanche Van Horn. First and second high prizes were won by Miss Ida Mae Collins and Mrs. James Harvey.

Those present were Mrs. Harvey, Misses Laura Lu Waring, Catherine Cunningham, Ester

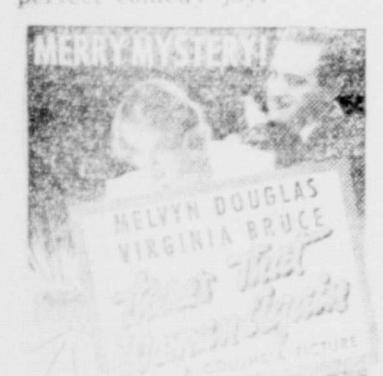
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Mrs. Lee Heltzel Entertains Wednesday Club

Mrs. Lee Heltzel entertained the Wednesday Bridge club at its regular meeting in her home Wednesday afternoon. Low bowls of narcissus were used attractively in decorations for the rooms where four tables of bridge were played. High guest went to Mrs. J. H. Brice and Mrs. Oscar Clett won high club. At the close of the games, the hostess served a delicious salad course.

Those present were Mmes. E. P. Crawford, Leon Maner, W. J. Leach, Forrest Wright, T. F. O'Brien, R. L. Ponsler, Yancey McCrea, F. W. Snyder, Edward Lee, J. H. Brice, A. C. Green, Ernest Lennon, Alex Spears, Oscar Clett, Will St. John, Miss Mary Henson second high.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. W. W. Wallace, J. J. White, C. B. Shaw, J. R. Henderson, H. E. McGowen, J. C. Hanrahan, W. C. McDaniel, F. J. Borman, Sam Kimmell, R. B. Carswell, W. C. Hogue, L. J. Henson, and the hostess, Mrs. Armstrong.

Humble Bridge Club With Mrs. Armstrong

The Humble Bridge club met Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. W. J. Armstrong. An attractive red and silver color scheme was carried out in party appointments and decorations. Three tables of bridge were played, with Mrs. W. W. Wallace winning high score and Mrs. I. J. Henson second high.

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Friday

Alpha Delphian Club Meets With Mrs. Lane Hostess

At the meeting of the Alpha Delphian Study club Wednesday morning at the clubhouse, Mrs. Neil Lane was hostess and Mrs. Asa Skiles program leader. Preceding the program Mrs. L. A. Harrison gave a brief resume of the last meeting. Mrs. J. E. Moriarty spoke on "Sir Richard Steele" and a topic entitled "Joseph Addison" was discussed by Mrs. A. J. Olson. Mrs. Fred Scott directed the practical English lesson, at the conclusion of which an old-fashioned spelling bee was held. Mrs. Charles Sheppard was welcomed into the club as a new member.

The following responded to roll call: Mmes. Joe Clements, P. S. Cope, W. C. Deigh, L. A. Harrison, S. E. Hitton, Neil Lane, G. B. Langston, J. E. Moriarty, A. J. Olson, Fred Scott, Asa Skiles, J. E. Spencer, L. E. Vaughn, Ernest Lennon, Charles Sheppard and Eugene Lankford.

The Notebook

The Merry Wives club will meet with Mrs. George D. Fee at 3.

The W. O. W. circle will meet Friday evening at 7:30 in regular session.

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How Chilled Chimps Keep Warm



Furry hide of the Paris Zoo monkeys was no protection against chill blasts of record cold so they picked out a chubby, slightly surprised keeper to huddle with for warmth.

Civic Pride Is Expression of Health Community Mental Attitude

By BOB TAYLOR
Sec'y Cisco C. of C.

Civic pride is that intangible yet vital factor which exists or fails to exist as an evident expression of a healthy mental attitude of the mass citizenry of a township. It is a force necessary to the progress and public well-being of any people and projects supposedly banded together as a civic unit. Without this self-sustained elixir of life the wheels of community progress clog and rust, stopping the powerhouse machinery of enthusiastic personal contact and optimistic business relations.

A friend tells of having moved to a west Texas town and having had to endure the inconvenience of bathing in very muddy and smelly water. Upon complaining

to the natives he was informed that mud baths were recognized the world over as being of a very healthful and beneficial nature, that mud baths were by far the most desirable of any, and that right in that city were the very best mud baths to be had in the whole world, and that the newcomer was indeed fortunate to have moved to such a blessed place. When asked if they drank the stuff they further stated that they couldn't and wouldn't drink anything else.

"Why, when we make a trip we always carry a jug or two along just to have something decent to drink," they said. That is civic pride.

Another friend tells of visiting a aged and somewhat eccentric rancher who was confined to a hospital bed. The visitor observed on the floor beneath his friend's bed a jug containing a cloudy substance with an inch or two of sediment collected at the bottom. Upon inquiry as to the reason for such an oddity he was informed by the vehement cattlemen that the "blinky blank hospital didn't have no gosh darned water that was worth a ding dong for a man to drink," so he had had Maud bring him down a jug of his good tank water. Maybe that is the spirit that any city can use more often.

Why is the state of Texas famous throughout the other 47?—Because wherever Texans travel they advertise. Advertise what? Very little that cannot be had in most of the other states, but Texans are proud of their commonwealth and take delight in spreading its propaganda to the four corners of the globe.

Public attitude, a prolonged form of mass psychology, can be compared to any social gathering. Either "A good time is had by all" or the thing is a draggy affair full of dead air and effort made conversation. If the host makes proper preparations, the guests bring the bright sides of their natures, then that spirit of good fellowship and well-being generally circulates freely. The atmosphere is set alive with a spontaneous, buoyant force which automatically boosts the mental attitude of all, and as the society columnist has it, the thing is a howling success. That is a small counterpart of civic pride.

If we have all been here so long that we know that nothing can be done to better the conditions of our surroundings and that we are resigned to the fact that our public spirit is a dead issue, don't we, as members of a civic organization each owe our bit of a "Howdy" and a boost to the place of our residence. We are loyal to our employees, our families, our state, our football teams, our own personal methods of catching fish, swinging a No. 2 iron, stewing prunes. Can't we take an inventory of ourselves and others like us, can't we check the assets of our town and its trade area, and come up with the conclusion that possibly a small part of any fault might lie within ourselves? If we were invited to a gathering which needed a little livening up wouldn't each of us take steps to

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Heltzel left today for Tulsa, Okla., for a short stay.

Miss Emilie Bogue of Boston, Mass., is the guest of friends in Cisco.

Guy Wofford of Mexia is the guest of relatives here.

GUEST OF PARENTS

Mrs. J. P. Elam, Jr., of Dallas is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. LaRoque, during the two weeks absence of Mr. Elam, who is attending the National Produce convention at Los Angeles, Calif., representing the Gulf division of the Western Union, which embraces Texas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, Arkansas and New Mexico.

Stock Show---

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one year, \$5, \$3, \$2; heifers one year and under two years, \$5, \$3, \$2; cow two years old and over, \$5, \$3, \$2; best Aberdeen Angus bull, any age, \$5, \$3, \$2.

Jerseys—Heifers under one year, \$5, \$3, \$2; heifers one year and under two years, \$5, \$3, \$2; cows two years old and over, \$5, \$3, \$2; best Jersey bull, any age, \$5, \$3, \$2.

Fat lambs, \$5, \$3, \$2.

Rambouillet—Ewe lamb under one year, \$3, \$2, \$1; ewe one year and over, \$3, \$2, \$1; best Rambouillet ram, any age, \$3, \$2, \$1.

Fat barrow, \$5, \$4, \$3, \$1.

Poland China Hogs—Sow pig one year, \$3, \$2, \$1; sow one year and over, \$3, \$2, \$1; best Poland China boar, any age, \$3, \$2, \$1.

Duroc Jersey—Sow pig under one year, \$3, \$2, \$1; sow one year and over, \$3, \$2, \$1; best Duroc Jersey boar, any age, \$3, \$2, \$1.

Angora Goats—Nanny under one year, \$3, \$2, \$1; nanny one year and over, \$3, \$2, \$1; best billy, any age, \$3, \$2, \$1.

Muirhead Opens Used Car Agency

The Muirhead Motor company today announced formal opening of its used car agency at 809 D Avenue here with an invitation to Cisco people and people of the Cisco trade territory to visit the agency, inspect the stock of cars offered and become acquainted with the Muirhead offerings and sales service.

J. O. Barnhill, well known Cisco auto salesman, with long experience in the used car field, is in charge of the local agency.

Inject a little of the proper spirit of good cheer and good will into the situation? So we can each do our bit for the betterment of our community by throwing back the shoulders raising the head a bit, smiling and giving out with a "Howdy" neighbor.

T. V. A. Fertilizer--

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who wish can add nitrogenous fertilizers to the same land in order to build it up still more.

Where the fertilizer is to be applied to pasture land Cook recommends that the land first be contour furrowed or terraced in order to hold the fertilizer on the land until it is carried in by mol-

TVA fertilizer demonstrators will be expected to keep records of the results of the demonstrations and report these to the County Agent's office.

"These demonstrations in soil building are of great importance to our farmers whose major problem is soil building, and they should be encouraged and watched carefully," is the statement made by a member of the County Agricultural council while that body was in session in Eastland recently.

Eastland County farmers who wish to make application to enroll as fertilizer demonstrators should call at the County Agent's office on Saturday at their first opportunity.

A museum for umbrellas will be opened at Novara, Italy. Of all places to lose your bumber shoot, this would be the worst.

The Poinsettia or Christmas Eve Flower grows wild in Mexico, and scarcely a garden is without it.

Big Increase--

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range conservation pro-

Glass pointed out.

The counties in district 7 their county agricultural are Blanco, R. B. Jenkins, C. W. Lehberg; Callahan, Brison; Coleman; C. V. Re-

land, E. V. Cook and S. E. Berg; assistant; Erath; E. G. D. Ette; Gillespie, H. F. Grote; Floyd Lynch; Llano, D. D. McCulloch, R. F