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

Local Musicians at Houston Convention



Through the Editor's Spectacles

By GEORGE



Attending the annual convention of the Texas Music Educators Ass'n at Houston, which closes Saturday were Bandmaster R. L. Maddox and four members of the Lobo band chosen on the all-state band



which played at the convention. Left to right, above, are John James Haynie, Glenn Tableman, Glen Boyd and Ralph McCaules, members of the band, and, below, Dir. Maddox



Floods, Ice, and Snow Bring Death, Damage

Gerona Seized Saturday By Franco Forces

PERPIGNAN, France, Feb. 4 (AP)—Insurgent dispatches report that Generalissimo Franco's Navarrese army corps entered Gerona last major government stronghold in northeastern Spain, Saturday.

Gerona, an old walled city and capital of a province of the same name, is only 25 airline miles and 36 miles by road from the French border. Figueras, temporary capital of the Spanish government, is 22 miles to the north.

Youths Face Charges In Chicken Thefts

Three youths, all facing two charges each of theft of chickens, were apprehended in Breckenridge Friday by Eastland county sheriff's officers, it was reported Saturday.

Important JCC Meeting Monday

Regular meeting of the board of directors of the Cisco Junior Chamber of Commerce will be held Monday night at 7:30 in the chamber of commerce offices, it was announced Saturday. All on the board were urged to be present, because the meeting is important.

Powell Trial for Car Theft Feb. 20

Lorraine Powell has been returned from Anson to Eastland, where he will face trial February 20 in connection with the theft of the car of the Rev. William Price of Cisco, authorities reported Saturday.

By Associated Press
Sub-zero temperatures, snow, ice and flood waters brought death, destruction and discomfort to scattered sections of the nation Saturday.

Twenty deaths were attributed to the weather.

Overburdened streams discharged flood waters over lowlands in Tennessee, Arkansas and West Virginia and threatened lowland dwellers in the vast Ohio river valley.

Heavy snow covered portions of Arkansas, Indiana and New Mexico. Freezing rain left New England highways glazed with ice. Evansville, Ind., was buried by a 10.2-inch snowfall. The snow was blamed for one death.

Windstorms in Georgia, South Carolina and Mississippi caused two deaths and injury to several persons. A man died of exposure at Paragould, Ark. Three persons were victims of New Mexico's cold, including a 7-year-old boy found frozen in a ditch.

High waters in West Virginia caused two deaths. Four other persons were reported missing. Nine persons drowned in the Choptank river in Maryland when a 50-mile squall hit the Cambridge, Md., oyster fleet. The weather was blamed for two deaths in New England.

A storm from the Pacific brought snow to some of California's semi-tropical valleys. Orange groves in the San Bernardino valley were blanketed with one to three inches.

Heavy property damage from flood waters was reported at Hariman, Tenn. High waters covered low lying portions of Chattanooga and Dyersburg, Tenn. Boat crews rescued many marooned families in eastern Tennessee. Heavy snow and rains sent some Arkansas rivers to flood stage.

Colder weather reduced the runoff to Ohio river tributaries but authorities, mindful of the destructive 1937 flood, made preparations to cope with flood waters. The governors of West Virginia and Kentucky ordered state agencies to be ready.

Work on WPA Road Project Is Begun

Work has been started on a \$28,685 WPA-financed project to improve 4.1 miles of road on the Cisco-Breckenridge route east to the Eastland-Breckenridge road at a point south of Morton Valley.

Eastland county is sponsor of the project, located in precinct 1, for which Henry Davenport of Ranger is commissioner. A total of 147 men will be employed three months.

Inspirational Rally to Be Held at Pueblo

An inspirational rally beginning Monday evening at the Pueblo Baptist church, it was announced Saturday by the Rev. George Henshaw, pastor.

The Rev. Judson Prince will speak Monday evening the Rev. H. D. Christian Tuesday evening, H. D. Blair Wednesday evening, and the Rev. T. L. Nipp Thursday evening. H. D. Blair will conduct the singing, which is to be a feature of the meeting.

All are urged to attend the meetings.

President's Ball Proceeds \$64.06

Charles J. Kleiner, county chairman, announced Saturday that proceeds from the President's Birthday ball, which will go for benefit to infantile paralysis sufferers, totaled \$64.06.

The Cisco independent school district has raised \$61.08, the chairman said. Scranton is the only school in the county that has reported to date. That school has turned in \$7.79 into the county fund.

Young Demo Head To Speak Today

The Texas junior chamber of commerce will present an address by C. A. "Neal" Pickett, president of the Texas Young Democrats, on its "Americanism" program at 2:30 today over the Texas State network and 23 affiliated stations. Mr. Pickett is a young business man and an outstanding speaker. In his address, Mr. Pickett will discuss "American Democracy and Its Perpetuation."

LOBO QUINT NOT COUNTY CHAMPS YET

Cisco Team Must Play Class B Winner for Championship

The report in Friday's issue of the Cisco Daily Press that the Lobos had won the Eastland county basketball title was erroneous, it was discovered Saturday. Unlike the football setup in which only Class A teams compete for district championship honors and a chance at the state title, the county basketball loops are divided into Class A and Class B, with the A and B winners meeting in a series to decide the official county champion.

The Press article reported that Cisco had clinched the title with its victory over Gorman Thursday night. The truth of the matter is that the Lobos won their victory, clinched the Class A championship of the county. The Class B champion was to have been decided last night in a tournament at Morton Valley.

This means that, contradictory to Friday's story, Cisco now must play the Class B winner to decide the Eastland county championship.

Cisco officials were to have gone to Morton Valley Saturday night to confer with officials of the Class B champion as soon as it was decided and to make plans for the county playoff.

Although there has been no definite announcement, it was believed almost certain that the county championship series would be held in Cisco. Also the date of the series was to be set last night by officials of the two schools. It is probable that first of the games will be held Tuesday evening.

To be crowned county champion, one of the two teams in the title series must win two out of three games.

Thus Cisco still has a high hurdle to jump before a county championship can be boasted. Last year they defeated Scranton here handsily to take the title, but this year, with several of the county's strongest Class B schools boasting numerous quints, there is little doubt that the games here next week will draw much interest and will test the Lobos to the fullest.

Then if they win the Lobos will enter the state playoff. There is only one obstacle between the Lobos and the county title, but it is without a doubt the hardest they have faced this season.

Mooney Is Firm Upon Separation From His Wife

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 4 (AP)—Tom Mooney, separated from his wife, Rena, for the 22½ years he was in prison as a convicted bomber, will continue that separation by choice, now that he is free.

In a formal statement, the released labor leader confirmed the estrangement and declared flatly: "There will be no reconciliation." He denied he had demanded a divorce.

Mrs. Mooney, who was tried and acquitted of the 1916 Preparedness day bombing charge brought also against her, is now employed as copyist on a federal music project at \$85 a month. She formerly was a music teacher.

She asserted Friday that her husband, whom she has scarcely seen since the day of his triumphant release at a pardon hearing January 7 in Sacramento, wanted a divorce. She does not, she said. "We have been married 27 years old. I want to spend the rest of my life with the old Tom Mooney. I'd like to go with him and be present at his personal appearances. But they won't let me."

He Claims the Prize



George Fewell, 7-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fewell, here proudly exhibits a 3½-pound bass which he caught with a casting rod at Lake Craddock recently. George is an expert with the casting rod and fly rod himself, but when he hung this

big one he was so excited that he had to call for help. When it was landed he exclaimed, "Daddy, I beat Dr. Ball, didn't I?" And Dr. D. Ball, ace Cisco angler agreed that, relative size of the fishermen considered, George took the prize for the biggest catch

FDR Asked to Lift Pledge of Secrecy

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4 (AP)—President Roosevelt's denial that he looked upon the Rhine as America's frontier brought a Republican demand Saturday that he let senators tell their version of what he said at a secret conference on foreign affairs last Tuesday.

LOBOES BEAT RISING STAR

Close Regular County Schedule

The Cisco Lobos completed their Class A conference schedule Friday night in the local gymnasium when they trounced the Rising Star five 36 to 22 to complete their regular season with only one conference defeat, that to Carbon.

Cisco, displaying championship form, came through with one of the prettiest shows of basketball hitting seen here this season. The game opened fast with Cisco jumping off to a 4 to 0 lead. However, Rising Star retaliated and the score was 8 to 8 at the end of the first quarter.

Playing heads-up defensively, the Lobos held the invading team to a single goal the second period, themselves doubling their total to lead 16 to 10 as the half ended.

The third quarter was even more disastrous to the Twinkle City lads. The Black and Gold, (CONTINUED ON PAGE SIX)

250 BAPTISTS ARE EXPECTED HERE TUESDAY

Program Is Announced For Meeting; Cisco Church Host

More than 250 Baptists are expected in Cisco Tuesday when the First Baptist church will be host to the Cisco Baptist associational workers' conference, it was announced Saturday.

The meeting, to be composed of representatives from Baptist churches over Eastland, Shackelford and Stephens counties, will get under way at 10 a. m., the Rev. Judson Prince of the Cisco Baptist church said.

The general theme of the conference will center around the South-wide evangelistic campaign, the Rev. Prince reported.

Following is the program announced for the meeting:

Devotional, Rev. H. N. Boldere.
Essentials of a Revival, Rev. T. L. Nipp, Moran.
Personal Soul Winning, Mrs. J. B. Buckley, president district W. M. U.
Attracting the Lost, Rev. J. I. Carlidge, Eastland.
Business session.
Special music, male quartet.
Sermon, Rev. Bradley Allison, pastor Riverside Baptist church, Fort Worth.
1:30, board meeting, devotional by Dr. Jackson, Ranger.
W. M. U. PROGRAM
Subject, "Constraining Love."
Song service; prayer.
Devotional, I John 4:9-10, Mrs. Frank Lovett.
Brief business session.
Inspirational talks.
Other evidences of God's Love to Us, Mrs. T. J. Anderson.
Evidences of Our Love to Him and to Each Other, Mrs. A. Hodge.

George Goodman Rites Are Held Here Saturday

Funeral services for George R. Goodman, 82, formerly of this section, who died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. S. P. Williams, in OakCane cemetery Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock with the Rev. Judson Prince conducting. Mr. Goodman had been living at the home of his daughter for the past few years, going there from Eastland county.

Mr. Goodman is survived by two sons, Lawrence, of Spur, and Charles of Navasota, and Mrs. Williams.

A. C. Green Funeral home was in charge of funeral arrangements here.

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Keep yourselves in the love of God. He that is able to keep from falling, and to present you faultless before the presence of His glory with exceeding joy.—Jude 21, 24

Know not for knowing's sake, but to become a star to man forever; Know, for the gain it gets, the praise it brings, the wonder it inspires, the love it breeds. Look one step onward, and secure that step.—ROBERT BROWNING.

Our great business undoubtedly is, not to see what lies dimly at a distance, but to do what really lies at hand.—Caryle.

Bring Airplane Sales Into Open

In the furor about sale of military airplanes to France, one thing stands out quite clearly.

The American people are entitled to know what is going on.

If there is one thing that stands contrary to every American principle it is to have any arrangements or understandings with any country which the people do not know about.

It is all very well to protect military secrets by closed hearings and unrecorded testimony. But it is quite another to have discussions of foreign policy itself in secret.

Can it be true, as reported, that the President pledged the Military Affairs Committee to secrecy in a recent hearing "lest details of the policy involved frighten the public"? This is scarcely credible.

What kind of a policy is it that would "frighten the public"? Isn't it the same public which in case of war would be asked to wage it unfrightened? Isn't the public made up largely of the same people who would in war be drafted into the army and asked to face an enemy, unfrightened? Isn't the public the same one which might be asked to hide underground at the alarm of air attack, unafraid?

The American public is not so easily frightened. It is entitled to know the facts of life.

It has not forgotten, for instance, how the diplomacy of Sir Edward Grey had the British in a box when the World War broke out. Grey left them no choice whatever but to enter the war. There was no formal military alliance with France. But close cooperation between the general staffs, military and naval, and many "conversations" between civilian leaders, had made the two countries inter-dependent and closely linked. When war came, the British people had no genuine free choice.

The United States wants no agreements, understandings, or obligation, spoken or unspoken, written or unwritten, that will deny to it a free choice if there is another world war.

This is not to argue that we should refuse to sell airplanes to France. We are already selling war supplies to Japan to help it bomb the independence out of the Chinese. We are selling them to South American countries whose current governments are less than completely democratic. In fact, we are selling them to all comers except to the legal Spanish government.

Probably it is all right to sell planes to France. But we have a right to know to precisely what policies we are being committed. Nothing less than that will sustain popular confidence in those policies.

If they call many more radio personalities into court, we'll expect a commercial.

Home, Sweet Home



Round 47 Coming Up in Battling Bransfields' Legal Bout



In this corner—James Bransfield, who wants his own name kept for his own business.



In this corner—Clara Bransfield, who insists on keeping the name her husband gave her.

Woman Gets Over Hard Right to Win 46th Round

By NEA Service

CHICAGO, Feb. 4.—The 47th round of the legal battle of the century between the James Bransfields will be fought February 8.

Forty-six times in the last three years the Bransfields have faced each other in court. Domestic trouble arising from a separation has been the issue.

Mrs. Clara Bransfield won the 46th round by slipping over a hard right to the face before the gong had sounded, and even before the referee had climbed into the ring.

That is to say that before their 46th appearance in court here the couple met in Judge John J. Lupe's chambers. And even before the judge had appeared, they got into so hot an argument that Mrs. Bransfield bounded across the room and smacked a hard right to the face of her heavy-weight husband.

James Bransfield and his wife Clara decided to train separately in September, 1935. At that time she filed a bill for separate maintenance.

James Bransfield was in the cinder-hauling business. So Mrs. Bransfield, knowing something about cinders after 18 years of married life with James, started such a business for herself.

The name of Bransfield is well known in Chicago cinder circles.

Human and Other Nature

By W. F. BRUCE

Whatever idea one may have about the beginning of the church, and whatever significance one may attach to the happening upon the Day of Pentecost, all will agree no doubt that the event had some new meaning for the world. It was an honor that Peter had the part he had in the proceedings. And yet we must take notice of the great difference in the use he made of the opportunity then what some self-promoter would have made. It is soon evident in the account of the day that he is speaking in behalf of someone else in comparison with whom the earnest apostle himself was insignificant. Man may often be instrumental in the hands of the Ruler of things in promoting movements that are of tremendous importance beyond any meaning he himself would attach to them; and yet he has that unsolicited honor.

Peter was saying much more than he could fully realize as he uttered these great truths of Christianity in the first full gospel sermon. And yet a little insight into the meaning of his declarations would have made him humble, aside from his recent release from fellowship with his Master and the rather severe reproof that he received. We see how the Day of Pentecost is made to connect with universal affairs, the demonstration from heaven showed how the incidents in Jerusalem were tied in with the plan of God Himself. The citations

With Our WILD LIFE

Our Fish Problem

It usually makes the average fisherman feel rather bad to return home after a hard day's fishing with the old fish stringer empty, or scarcely enough to satisfy the hunger caused by the hard day's work on the creek bank. This usually calls back the memory of the days when the streams were filled with all kinds of fish in large numbers. Then it was a very simple task to go out and catch a nice string of fish in a short time. Now, we read in history and early reports of wildlife conditions in this country about

the large "fish fries" where hundreds of people gathered on the streams for a picnic. Seines were used and hundreds of pounds of fish were taken, enough to supply all the "white folks" and plenty for the negro followers to take home. Even in these cases they did not just take the fish that they could use, but would be too lazy to return the unwanted fish to the stream; instead the unwanted fish were left on the bank to die and perish in the hot summer sun.

Reasons For Decrease
It is obvious to nearly everyone the many reasons for the decrease in our finny friends, but the following four reasons seem to care for the many reasons that exist. 1. Unsportsmanlike methods of capture; seining, poisoning and dynamiting. 2. Stream pollution by factories, oil wells, erosion. 3. Lack of watershed protection and excessive fluctuations in rivers. 4. Lack of food and spawning grounds. 5. Lack of laws and enforcement personnel.

Requirements for Fish

For the existence of fish life in a stream or lake at all there must be certain conditions present. 1. There must be clean wholesome water; 2. food for all seasons; 3. spawning grounds; 4. hiding places; 5. aerated water. A lake or stream might have all the requirements from an outward appearance to be a wonderful fishing place, but the conditions for fish life are absent. All the foregoing requirements must be present in all water for the fish life to prosper. Lack of either one of the conditions might be the determining factor for the absence of fish life.

230 Kinds of Fresh Water Fish in Texas

There are about 230 different kinds of fish in the fresh water of Texas. The number and kinds in any region depends entirely on the condition and size of the stream, lake or pond. Among our important fish the following are listed: 12 species of sunfish, bass, crappie, perch, etc.; 9 species of catfish, 9 species of suckers, 1 species of fresh water drum, one species of buffalo fish, 1 species of pike, 38 species of minnows, 11 species of darters, 3 species of gar fish, 14 species of cyprinodonts (carp and allies). This represents the most important fish of the large group. The Colorado river basin contains 25 of these species. The Brazos river contains 24 of the species, the Rio Grande river contains 80 species. This river contains the largest number of species of any river basin in the state.

Laws Passed For Fish Protection

The first law in Texas regulating methods of fishing was passed in 1874, when use of seines were abolished, the second was in 1879 requiring the construction of fish ladder. Later restrictions of bag limits, size limits, seasons and sale of certain species (bass and crappie) was passed.

Introduction of Non-Native Species

In 1875, 425,000 young shad was introduced into this country and 194,000 California salmon; in 1882, 1,272,000 shad, 250,000 salmon, 2,000,000 herring, 4,500 rainbow trout and in 1887 German carp was introduced, a mistake that will long be remembered by Texas fishermen.

BRUCE CATTON IN WASHINGTON

By BRUCE CATTON
NEA Service Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON—A number of officers in the U. S. Navy are rather anxiously awaiting the return from Colombia of Capt. Lawrence Reifender, U. S. N. Captain Reifender has been named head of the U. S. naval mission to Colombia, and he's down there now looking over the ground—or possibly the water. When he comes back and makes his report, certain officers will be detailed to go back down there with him and serve on the mission.

In many ways a job on a naval mission is a coveted assignment. The officer's pay from the U. S. Navy goes on as usual; meanwhile, the country to which he is assigned also pays him a salary—usually 110 per cent of what his American pay is. So while the assignment lasts he draws double pay, and in addition is considerable of a big shot.

The navy is glad to send out missions. They don't give the navy any special tie-ups with the foreign countries involved, but they do serve to cement good relations for American goods. The officers don't serve as salesmen, but naturally they tell their hosts, in reply to questions, that the U. S. Navy uses so-and-so's guns, such-and-such electrical equipment, and so on.

Not all officers are crazy about the foreign assignments. The pay is good, but the living expenses are high. A good deal of rather high-class entertaining is involved; in the end, many of them wind up worse off financially than when they started.

The Commission on the

About Our Friends

By STEP A. LONG

H. A. Bible reports Ene, Mene, Mina and Mo as thriving on their diet of goat milk without the care of any famous specialist to direct their diet and everyday life. These famous quadruplets are the little goats born out on Bible's farm west of town several days ago.

Bible said he was not like the colored man whose wife presented him with a quartet of babies. The darkey said he had named them Ene, Mene, Mina and Harry. When asked why he didn't complete the little skit with which children conjure to find out the unlucky one who is to be "it," he said, "Well, you see, suh, we don't want any Mo." But Bible wants more of these quadruplets for his goat herd.

Rex Carrothers chatting a friend, Lewis Starr and daughter, Hope, going up to their room.

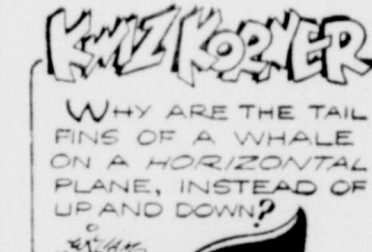
from Old Testament writers proved that this event was not standing alone in the religious history of the world but was a sequel to all that had been going on through the centuries. The call to action that closed the sermon directed attention to the immediate practical bearing of the whole proceedings in the personal affairs of individuals every day. The promise to the children and to all afar off, and the follow up of this day's work all showed that the day was to have some important connection with years and centuries to follow. What we need is a new appreciation of all that Pentecost did mean and should mean to even to our day.

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THIS CURIOUS WORLD



HORNED GOPHERS LIVED ON EARTH DURING PREHISTORIC TIMES.



WHY ARE THE TAIL FINS OF A WHALE ON A HORIZONTAL PLANE, INSTEAD OF UP AND DOWN?
ANSWER: Whales, being lung breathers, must come to the surface to breathe. The horizontal tail fins, or flukes, are for the animal to go up or down.

OUT OUR WAY

By W. F. BRUCE

ARE YOU THROUGH WITH THIS SAUCER, POP? SHE'S GOT A DATE AND I WANT TO MAKE TH' FIRST SHOW!

YES, AND YOU CAN HAVE THIS CUP IF I CAN GET ALL OF MY DINNER ON THIS SPOON!



U of T Enrollment Will Near 11,000

By NEA Service

AUSTIN, Feb. 4.—Mid-term registration will push University of Texas enrollment near the 11,000 mark, E. J. Mathews, registrar, predicted here today.

First semester enrollment was 10,114, Mr. Mathews said, adding that officials expected as much mid-term enrollment increase as last year's total of 736. The number of students dropping out of school will not be available for a few weeks.

Registration began here February 1, with fee paying deadline set for February 8.

FILLERS

Fourteen countries have thus far announced their intention of competing in the 1940 Olympics in Finland.

John Wells, a loyalist refugee from South Carolina, established

Anthropology Museum Finds Fallacy Idea That Man Came From Monkey

IN, Feb. 4.—In confutation of charges sometimes made by the theory that man descended from the monkey, the University of Texas anthropology department has put man and the monkey side by side and found they are in the doctrine.

Both skeletons were reconstructed by Dan Bussey of Timpson, a university pharmacy student, as a National Youth administration project.

Strapless Swim Suits Down to Last Inch

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., Feb. 4 (AP).—Beach style critics this winter have decided that about the last spare inch of material had been worn from milady's bathing costume with removal of the shoulder straps.

In the place of the conventional straps, a contrivance of rubber elastic tape strung through the upper pleating holds up the top part of the suits. Wearers generally appear to be pleased with the strapless outfits, especially for sun bathing. No unsightly white line is left over each shoulder and the coat of suntan is general and even for display with evening clothes.

The soybean, grown in this country primarily as a forage crop, is winning popularity in some sections as human food.

Rides the Books



Because he is under 18, Jockey Jackie Boyle, along with others in the same boat at Santa Anita, has been ordered by California school authorities to resume his education, so Boyle digs into a book at the barn while the filly Sun Egret peers out of her stall and wonders what's going on.

Floods in Ohio Valley Bring Death to Five

CINCINNATI, Feb. 4 (AP).—Violent rain and snow brought flood to the Ohio valley Friday night and a death list of at least five.

The weather bureau issued warnings of stages running from 50 to 55 feet for the 250 miles of Ohio river between Huntington, W. Va., and Carrollton, Ky., and of 43 to 44 feet for the stretch between Evansville, Ind., and Cairo, Ill.

One to four inches of rain and snowfall of as much as six inches pushed tributaries beyond their banks, drove lowland dwellers from their homes, closed roads and schools and caused dozens of dangerous rock slides in mountain sections.

The West Virginia road commission reported four persons drowned in swollen Coal river at Danville and an 80-year-old farmer lost his life in a creek near Clarksburg, W. Va.

Airplane service east of Cincinnati was at a standstill because of snow and low ceiling. Buses were

Judge Gets Bad News First Hand



Nominated by the President for federal judge of West Virginia western district, Judge Floyd H. Roberts of Bristol, W. Va., pictured in Senate judiciary committee room, was rejected by a 15 to 3 vote of the senators.

slowed on icy pavements and trains ran late.

Pittsburgh expected the Ohio to reach its 26-foot flood stage at 7 a.

Texas Farmers Get \$22,932,000 Cash Income

AUSTIN, Feb. 4.—Farmers of Texas received \$22,932,000 in cash income, exclusive of federal subsidies, during December, or only 86.3 per cent of the average they received during the five December months from 1928 to 1932. Dr. F. A. Buechel, statistician at the University of Texas, said today.

In comparison with December of last year, this represented a drastic decline, the economist said. Last year in December the index of farm cash income was 105.2, the total receipts being \$27,941,000.

Receipts from farm products in

the Saturday and the weather bureau said it would continue to rise. The river topped a 35-foot flood stage at Evansville, Ind.

In issuing the warning for the upper valley, senior Meteorologist W. C. Devereaux said the Ohio would go to 53 to 55 feet here by Sunday, against a flood level of 52.

The Red Cross stood by. Emergency measures for refugee relief were being taken at Harboursville, Ky., and elsewhere in the valley of the fast-rising Cumberland.

\$750 Bond Set In Eastland Kidnap Case

EASTLAND, Feb. 4.—Officials announced Friday that bond for Santos Gonzalez, Eastland Mexican charged with kidnaping, has been set at \$750. The bond had not been made at noon.

Gonzalez is charged with taking a 15-month-old baby from its mother and carrying the child to Wichita Falls, where he was arrested Wednesday by E. W. (Tug) Underwood and L. A. White, deputy sheriffs.

According to information gathered by Sheriff Loss Woods and officers, the man had been spurned by the woman to whom he had made an offer of marriage.

The defendant insists the child is his, goes the story, but the mother says the baby is the daughter of her and her husband who is dead.

British farmers are freezing their meat and selling it as foreign in order to get better prices, it was reported to the Lincolnshire chamber of agriculture.

Automobile owners paid \$39-122,420 in taxes in Florida during the fiscal year of 1938.

Look in the Classified First.

Strong Odors Break Strike of Prisoners

RACINE, Wis., Feb. 4 (AP).—Racine county's new sheriff, Miles Hulett, conquered a hunger strike at the jail with the aid of aromas from the kitchen.

The 26 prisoners balked at assorted cold meat sandwiches one night, and continued their strike the next morning when they were served sweet rolls. They wanted more to eat, they declared.

At noon, the sheriff astutely served pork shanks and sauerkraut. The cooking odors wilted the prisoners' stubbornness. They ate heartily.

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IN THIS NEW LARGER
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HERE'S the latest, most dazzling addition to the famous line of Magic Chef gas ranges. Bigger! Better! More cooking space. It's the buy for large families.

The "CP" stamp of approval on this new range means Certified Performance. A guarantee that this stove has successfully passed the 22 requirements set up by the American Gas Association. It means savings in fuel as well as in time and kitchen drudgery.

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YEAH! SHE'LL PROBABLY KNOCK OUR EYES OUT!

PAPA!

ZEL!

HOW 'BOUT ME ASKIN' YER FAV FOR YOUR HAND NOW! AN GITTIN' IT OVER WITH?

SHHH! NOT YET--WAIT!

WHO IS THIS ER--UH--PERSON?

MERCY! DON'T THEY EVER BATHE IN MOO?

ZEL'S A MESS!

LOOKIT THAT UNCOUTH GUY WITH HER!

FATHER, THIS IS FOOZY--HE BROUGHT ME HOME

OH! WELL, IT SEEMS TIME YOUR COUSIN OOOLA PICKED OUT A CRUMMY-LOOKIN' GUIDE.

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OF COURSE, I'M MAKING A FOOL OF MYSELF! BUT, SAY--YOU'RE MIGHTY KIND TO WASTE ALL THIS SYMPATHY ON US...

IT'S NOT WASTED, MR. WHITE. SOMEHOW I FEEL THERE'S SOMETHING FUNNY ABOUT ALL THIS--THAT WOMAN'S STORY IS A BIT TOO PAT!

MISS NORTH! LOOK AT THAT!

SIT DOWN AND STOP YOUR SNAIVELING--YOU SPOILED BRAT!

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SERIAL STORY

NO TIME TO MARRY

BY ELINORE COWAN STONE

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CAST OF CHARACTERS
JANET DWIGHT, heroine. She
was engaged to handsome young
architect.

LANCE BARSTOW, hero. Lance
had great dreams for the future.
So did

CYNTHIA CANTRELL, or-
phaned granddaughter of great-
aunt Mary Cantrell. Still another
dreamer was

BARNEY MCKNIGHT, news-
paperman. But Barney was more
than a dreamer.

Yesterday, Janet and Barney
found their real love at last, but
Janet goes hunting cheaper rent
despite Barney's protests.

CHAPTER XXV

Janet's heart sank lower and
lower as she climbed one narrow
stairway after another, and tramp-
ed through dark, bare, echoing
hallways and chilly, cubicle-like
rooms. The walls, painted in dull
browns or grays or hard blues, or
covered with monstrous paper,
were marked by many trailing
fingers the plumbing was an-
tiquated and stained with much
usage; and there was everywhere
the stale smell of cooking, and
once or twice, of mice.

So far as the convenience of
the locality went, she had spoken the
truth. Within a block were signs
marking a second-hand store, a
cheap cafe, a filling station, a Chi-
nese laundry, a fortune-telling
booth, and a pawn shop. Janet
tried not to see that.

"I'll take another day to it," she
told herself wearily at last. "They
can't be so unspeakable."

When she got back to the little
apartment which, a few weeks
ago, she had thought might "do"
for a while, it looked like a cozy
Paradise lost. She was enjoying a
quiet snuffle on the davenport
when steps sounded in the hallway
outside.

Good Lord! she thought. I can't
let Barney find me bawling.
Desperately she powdered her
nose, listening meantime for the
sound of a key being turned in the
lock. Instead, someone rapped
smartly on the door panel.

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When Janet opened the door,
she was not sure that her swollen

eyes were not deceiving her. But
the slight, faintly crumpled figure
standing on the threshold was un-
questionably that of the old gen-
tleman she had met feeding the
squirrels in the park.

"Why, Mr. Justin, how nice to
see you!" Janet cried, wondering
how he had found her.

"Cozy place you have here, Mrs.
McKnight," he said, looking about
him. Then at her glance of sur-
prise, he chuckled. "I told you I
was a society-page fan. Read all
about your wedding."

"But how did you know where
to find me?"

"Ask me something harder. I
was driving by and saw you come
in; so I pursued you."

Janet said, laughing as she had
not laughed in days. "I love be-
ing pursued; but you may be
bored. I'm the only squirrel here
just now."

"Oh, that's all right," he said
delightfully, taking the chair she
indicated. "We did have some nice
visits, didn't we? There aren't a
lot of people you can just talk
comfortably to these days. . . . By
the way, I hear that slick young
man you used to be engaged to
is building a house on those lots
of his for a rich widow. Skinned
her right out from under the nose
of the firm he was working for.
I hope he doesn't skin her, too."

"You don't miss much that goes
on, do you?" Janet asked.

"I try to keep an eye out. But
there's one thing I've missed lately,"
he said, suddenly serious.

"That's the story your husband
was writing for the News. . . . You're
a good picker, young woman,
when you really use your
head. I like young men with
plenty of nerve and brains. . . .
Do you remember my telling you
that even I still have a yearning
to go out and snipe at dragons
sometimes?"

It was at that moment that
Barney opened the door and came
in, looking, if anything, more dog-
gedly cheerful than usual.

"This is my husband," Janet
said. "Barney, this is Mr.—"
"As a matter of fact, Mrs. Mc-
Knight," Abner Justin inter-
rupted, "I'm here under false pre-
tenses—sort of. It was your husband
I really came to see. Haven't been
able to run him down anywhere."

"Indeed?" It seemed to Janet
that Barney stiffened.

"What I'd like to know," Mr.
Justin went on, "is this: do you
still own the rights to that story
they were running in the News a
few weeks ago?"

"Of course he does," Janet said.
"He did the work on his own time
and with his own money."

"Go slow, Janet," Barney said
quickly, and turned to the old
man. "Just what is it to you?"

"I am in a position," the old

man said, "to pay you well for
those articles."

"I seem to have heard that siren
song before," Barney retorted, his
eyes narrowing. "Only they send
a different crooner each time. . . .
And now you can go back to your
little playmates at the City Hall
and the higher-ups they're pro-
tecting, and tell them you've done
your chore."

"My little—what?" The old gen-
tleman seemed genuinely startled
and entertained.

"I'm not impressed by your
money," Barney went on, warm-
ing to his work. "I'm not even
impressed by your threats. Be-
cause if you try any funny busi-
ness, there are some signed
papers in safe hands that won't
leave any doubt in any one's mind
who is responsible for it."

"I wonder," the old gentleman
said, "if it would interest you to
know that I own the News now,
lock, stock and barrel; and that
there's nothing under God's
Heaven I'd get so much fun out
of as seeing that story smeared
all over its pages."

After a moment during which
Barney's face was a study of in-
credulous bewilderment, he de-
manded, "Who—what did you say
your name is?"

—gal 2 sun story

"Justin—Abner Justin. . . . You
wouldn't know much about me
maybe. I haven't been around
here a great deal lately."

Barney, who had continued to
stand, sat down, looking com-
pletely deflated. Evidently, Janet
thought, the name carried conviction.

"You see," the old man went on,
"I've never had time for a real
fling in all my life. And I'm get-
ting along. So I decided to buy
the News and throw my weight
around a little while I still have
some to throw. I read some mag-
azine articles of yours before I
saw that News story. I like the
way you think and I like the way
you write."

As Barney, for perhaps the first
time since Janet had known him,
seemed utterly at a loss for words,
Mr. Justin went on, "And by the
way, I'm going to need a wide-
awake young editor who isn't
afraid to speak his mind—espe-
cially if I can find one with a
wife I like as much as I do yours."

It was several months later that
Barney, coming in a little early
one day, utterly stampeded Janet
by saying soberly, "Honey, I'm
afraid we're going to have to move
after all."

"All right, Barney," Janet said
after a heart-sick moment. "I'll
go out tomorrow and look
around."

"Maybe you won't have to, if
you can stand a place I stumbled
over today. How about having a

look at it now?"
As they drove he refused to an-
swer any questions, looking all
the time so wickedly excited that
Janet said, "All right, be a clam!
But if you keep it up too long,
you'll blow up with your own
sense of importance."

She did not guess, even when
he swung the car into the hillside
drive that led along the edge of
the park. Then all at once Barney
was stopping before the white
house Lance had built.

"I haven't bought it yet," he
said, "but Tim and Cynthia are
going to Brazil—some construc-
tion job—and it's for sale. Do
you—?" he cocked a quizzical eye-
brow, but his voice was eager—
"do you think it will 'do' Janet?"

(THE END)

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Wedding Marriage Miss Fenley Announced

Y. Fenley announced the forthcoming marriage of Miss Geneva Fenley to Mr. Reuben Grothe of Albany, N. Y., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sybil Holder and Mae Taylor, last night in the Taylor home in Eastland. Misses Fenley and Mr. Grothe, former Ciscoans, are engaged to be married in Eastland. The dining room table was set with a lace cloth and grouped with the fern centerpiece, were from the guests. Blue and white streamers were tied to the supplies and caught up in bows chandelier directly above the table. A Valentine scheme was the guest list included Misses and Mrs. O. H. Dick, Enalls, Oma Fenley, Roy Fenley, E. J. Poe, Carlton Holder, send, and Misses Lorena son, Frances Coldwell, May-Edmundson, Florence Barrene Williams, Velma Smith, Taylor, Fay Taylor, Lucille, Katrina Loveless, Lucille, Opal Fenley, Oma Lee, Alice Mae Sue, Allean, and the co-hostesses, Taylor and Holder.

The Notebook

Monday
Band Parents invite all members and their parents and a party at the high beginning at 7:30.
Cisco Garden club will with Mrs. William Reagan.
Loyal Women's class of the Christian church will meet Mrs. Frances Osborn at 7:30.
Tuesday
First Presbyterian church will meet at 3 as follows:
One with Mrs. F. D. Two with Mrs. J. E. Cat-
three at the church, with Huey as hostess, to pack for the orphans' home.
Presbyterian week of prayer self-sacrifice will begin to-
day and continue throughout the from 2 to 2:30, with Mrs. Slicker, chairman of for-
mations, in charge.
First Methodist W. M. S. meet at the church at 3 for regular monthly business.
Cecilian Singers will meet First Methodist church at the business meeting.
Wednesday
Music Study club will meet clubhouse at 10.
Friday
Twentieth Century club meet at the clubhouse at 3.
Forty-three states have laws on it an obligation for chil-
dren to support aged parents.

Carole and Clark Refuse to Sign



Autograph hounds extend eager hands as Gable-Lombard duo makes first public appearance since Mrs. Gable announced divorce intentions. But Carole clings to Clark's arm and they look the other way entering theater for Hollywood preview of Gable's latest film.

Piano Pupils Are Presented Friday Night in Recital

Miss Ora Howell presented her pupils in recital Friday night in the auditorium of the First Baptist church. Three of Mrs. Paul Woods' expression pupils, Joan Walton, Mary Philpott and Joe Tom Poe, assisted in the presentation.
The program was as follows: "Slumber Song," by Katherine Alsup; "Waltz of the Flower Fairy," by Mary Frances Whisenant; "March," by Jerry Farley; a musical reading, by Joan Walton; "Gondolier Serenade," by Sylvia Hazel; "Buffalo Hunt" and "The Indians," by Joe Philpott; "Cheerfulness," by Bonnie Jean Wilson; a reading, "When Mama Was a Little Girl," by Mary Philpott; "Dance of the Rosebuds," Bettie Mae Williams; "Death Dance," Patsy Wilbanks; "Iris," Louise Farley; a reading, "Entertaining Sister's Beau," Joe Tom Poe; "Tumbleweeds," Jeanette Myrick; "Waltz," Jacqueline Ruppert; and "Whisperings of the Pines," Cathryn Shepard.
Several selections were presented by the Rhythm band, under the direction of Bobby Walker.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Surles and daughters, Dalia and Zona Maude, are spending the week-end with relatives in Wichita Falls.

Wayne Smith of Midland is the guest of friends here.

George I. Lane of Eastland transacted business here Saturday.

Mrs. Homer Hensley of McCamey is visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Palmer of Odessa are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Thetford.

Mrs. W. S. Poe and Mrs. F. M. Kenney of Eastland spent Saturday in Cisco.

Miss Ruby Lee Blanton of Colorado is visiting her aunt, Miss Ruby Love.

Mrs. Mae Harrison of Eastland spent Saturday with friends in Cisco.

Mrs. Ernest Lennon has returned from a week's stay in Fort Worth.

Fred Rylee of Wink is spending a short while here.

Misses Louise Lawson and Topsey Russell spent Saturday in Fort Worth.

Finley Winston has returned to Lubbock from a short stay with his parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Tunnell and daughter, Gwendolyn, and Mrs. D. S. Tunnell of Ranger are guests in the home of George Daniel.

Miss Sarah Mayhew has returned to her home in Gorman after spending a few days with her parents here.

Lee Smith, Jr., of Dallas is the guest of friends in Cisco.

Miss Leola Isenhower has gone to Abilene to enroll for the second semester at Hardin-Simmons university.

Mrs. Thelma Halstead has gone to Austin to spend a short while in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Quincy Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Slicker and daughters, Alice and Betty, spent Saturday afternoon in Abilene.

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JOHN T. FLYNN

By JOHN T. FLYNN

NEA Service Staff Correspondent
Since the point has been made that any cut in federal expenditures must be accompanied by a program for the revival of investment, the question arises: What can be done to revive investment?

The answer to that is not so difficult, though it may be difficult to put into practice.

First, we should have, not just a slash at government expenditures, but a program of revival of which reduction in expenditures, methods of providing them and methods of rehabilitating private industry are all merely parts.

Remember that the number of persons who initiate long term investments is small. Every man who buys a newly built house on a mortgage makes a long term investment. While there are millions who do this, the number who initiate house building is comparatively small. The same thing is even more true in the case of commercial and non-dwelling construction. This is carried on initially in any city by a mere handful of men.

Other sources of long term investment are railroads, utilities, local governments, the federal government and private industry in the field of manufacture.

If we want to know why there is no long term investment, we must look at these spots and ask what is governing the conduct of the small number of people who must function in these investment areas.

To deal with these various sections, two groups of measures are necessary. One group relates to the separate sections themselves, is local to them, is required to meet the peculiar problems in those sections. The other group is general and includes general policies which affect all business.

Thus it is a waste of breath to talk about any revival in the rail-

I'm Some Baby! \$50,000 Worth!



Big values come in small packages. Baby Margaret McKirdy, above, lost a mother in childbirth, gained a fortune. Mrs. Jessie McKirdy of San Francisco, Calif., had previously made out a \$50,000 will to "the child I am now bearing."

road industry as a long term investor and buyer until the roads have been drastically reorganized. But that, you will say, will take time. Alas, that cannot be helped. Because it takes time it should have been begun in 1930, certainly in 1933. That it was not is the fault of those in power. But it must be begun at once. Every delay is a danger.

In the field of construction, there must be an overhauling of financing, material supply, contractor methods and labor's methods. It is idle to expect a housing boom until these things are done. Artificial price support in the materials industries, collusion among contractors, the folly and stupidity of labor along with labor

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Raynelle Godfrey Complimented by Birthday Party

Raynelle Godfrey was complimented Saturday afternoon with a party celebrating her ninth birthday, given by her mother, Mrs. Shelton Royal, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Elkins. The little guests played games and held contests and prizes and favors accentuated a Valentine theme. The chosen theme was also emphasized in decorations and refreshments.

The invited list included Mary Elizabeth and Joan Scott, Mary Martha and D. Hall, Katy Lou Atkins, Bobbie Jean Talles, Greta Dawn Van Eman, Patsy Lou McCrea, Jimmie Jerry and Sissy Jarbo, Carrie Joe Francis, Carlton McAfee, Billy Boyd, Billy Baron and Jimmie Dan Allen.

Bored Patient Goes Maternal, Hatches Egg

WAIKATO, New Zealand, Feb. 4 (AP)—Bored by a long spell in a local hospital, Harold Ryder amused himself by hatching out a chicken's egg in his bed.

After "setting" 25 days, Ryder heard the chick moving around. Next day the shell split and out hopped a healthy White Leghorn chick.

Ryder kept the live chick hidden under the bedclothes another day, fed it on hard-boiled egg.

Blast Hurls Iron Thru House Mile Off; None Hurt

TULSA, Okla., Feb. 4 (AP)—Nobody was hurt, apparently, but the consequences of the unexplained explosion of a nitroglycerin magazine eight miles north of here Friday were little short of terrifying.

Tulsa townspeople got a bad case of jitters as the result of a series of dynamiting of pipe lines during the six weeks strike at the Mid-Continent Petroleum corporation.

J. J. Larkin, president of the Larkin Tobacco company which owned the nitro, said he had no information as to the cause of the blast, which blew a hole in the ground 10 feet deep and 25 feet in diameter.

Here are some of the things that happened:

A huge piece of iron stove crashed through the home of Gus Walters, more than a mile away, splintering the sides of the dwelling and the bowl from which Lenore Walters, two years old, was eating rice.

"Mommy, mom-m-e, sumpin' had brushed my hair," screamed the child.

Two hundred yards away from the blast 29 WPA workers, protected by a high bank, said, "The wind whistled. It felt like a sock on the chin."

At least 100 windows were broken in the town of Turley and vicinity, two miles away.

Many parents at Turley rushed to the Cherokee school, fearing the blast had occurred there.

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Nazi Consul For U. S. Gets Ticklish Jobs

By The AP Feature Service
During the World war, Germany's trim, suave Capt. Fritz Wiedemann had under him a brave but bedraggled private with a handlebar moustache. The private, Adolf Hitler, admired his captain.

Today Hitler gives the orders. One of his latest was to send his former commander to San Francisco as consul general.

Captain Wiedemann's new assignment surprised diplomats who know how close he has been to Hitler as his personal adjutant. But Germany pooh-poohs suggestions that he may engage in propaganda work—the official explanation is that he wants to go and that Hitler is rewarding him for past services.

Those past services seemed to be pleading to more than a consular post.

The tall, erect captain was commander of the 16th Bavaria infantry reserve regiment in which Hitler served, first as a private and later as corporal.

During nazidom's early years little was heard of the captain. He slipped into Hitler's inner circle practically unnoticed. The international spotlight first focused on him during the coronation of King George VI in May, 1937, when he was a member of the German delegation.

Makes Friends

After that trip, Hitler learned the polished captain had a way of making friends with English-speaking people—and Hitler wanted such friends. He sent Wiedemann to America that fall, apparently to check up on the American attitude toward Germany. What Wiedemann reported isn't known, of course. But his work must have pleased his former corporal. For last July the captain got his hardest assignment.

Hitler was clamoring for the "freedom" of Germans in Czechoslovakia.

Water, Water Everywhere—Every Drop for War



If war strikes, and bombs smash water lines, here's where London will quench its thirst. Cans are stored at Warley barracks as part of the British war precautions program

England was getting nervous. The king and queen were going to France as a demonstration of Anglo-French friendship. To head off any interference of his plans by the democracies, Hitler hurriedly dispatched Wiedemann to London.

There the captain had a heart-to-heart talk with Lord Halifax, the foreign minister. What Wiedemann said has never been revealed, outside of an assurance that Hitler "desired to achieve a peaceful settlement of outstanding questions."

But evidently he so impressed Halifax and Prime Minister Chamberlain with the seriousness of the Czech situation that Lord Runciman was sent to investigate. And England and France never did head off Hitler.

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Lull Occurs in Fight Against Gov. O'Daniel

AUSTIN, Feb. 4.—Governor O'Daniel was not subjected to any criticism in the Texas senate or house Friday, principally because the senate was not in session and the house was rushing through routine matters to adjourn for the week-end, but there is much speculation as to what next week will develop.

The governor has been in office only 17 days and most of them have been hectic. While the contest may appear one-sided, a check-up discloses that O'Daniel has evened the score. There is much curiosity among legislators whether he will discuss in his Sunday radio talk his 30-day reprieve to Winzell Williams, negro killer, so he would "have death staring him in the face for 30 days and nights."

Here is the way the box score reads:

- Against O'Daniel—
1. Representative Galbreath, Wharton, denounced on floor of house the O'Daniel transaction tax and proposed constitutional amendment as inequitable.
 2. Senator Hill, Henderson, on senate floor, denounced tax and especially criticized the governor's radio chat from the mansion as mixed up with flour sales talk.
 3. Representative Hardin, Prairie Hill, on floor of house attacked the transaction tax and O'Daniel.
 4. Labor leaders and newspaper editorials condemned transaction tax.
 5. Representative Winfree, Houston, on floor of house, strenuously condemned O'Daniel's reprieve of Winzell.
 6. Carr P. Collins, nominated by the governor for highway commission, rejected by the senate.
 7. Hearing ordered on appointment of Joe Kunschik, Austin, for

Warning to the Public

The State Highway patrolmen are working the highways and around Cisco pretty strongly in the interest of public safety for those who are on the road. Violations consist chiefly in, Defective Lights, lack of Drivers License, Speeding and no lights at all.

I have tried to be as lenient with the public as possible, possibly too much so, but strong pressure is being brought to bear on all officials to make penalties strong enough and sure enough to get action on these delinquencies, so I must act firmly in future.

Won't you people of Cisco as good citizens help me as the Mayor of this city make our part of the highways safer for yourselves and others by seeing to it that you won't be called to appear before me as a violator of these self protective traffic laws?

You may expect that I will be forced to act without mercy if you do not act now to see that you are not given a ticket.

Signed,
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Mayor of the City of Cisco.

Hell Dodgers Stunt Show Today at 3:30

The Hell Dodgers, daring stunt performers who crash cars and airplanes and do other stunts to give audiences thrills, will appear in their postponed performance at the Noble farm, seven miles east on the Eastland highway, this afternoon at 3:30. The performance scheduled for last Sunday was postponed because of rain.

American Legion Meeting Is Held

The regular monthly business meeting of the American Legion was held Friday evening at the Knights of Pythias hall in Eastland, with six candidates being received for initiation. Also on the program was 30 minutes of music.

Refreshments were served.

Woman, 91, Chides Timid Swimmers

LONG BEACH, Calif., Feb. 4. (AP)—Most Californians give up ocean bathing during the winter months, but not Mrs. Ella McCullough—despite her 91 years. She is a familiar figure in the surf here at all times of the year.

"The water only gets down to 56 degrees," she says. "The way young folks act, you'd think it had ice in it."

labor commissioner, labor protesting.

For O'Daniel—

1. Bill to abolish tax commission passed by overwhelming vote in both houses.
2. Bill requiring leading officials of house and senate to appoint state auditor passes both houses.
3. Bill sent up as emergency by O'Daniel to withdraw public lands from market until 90 days after session adjourns and sponsored by Hankamer passed house with little opposition.
4. O'Daniel program of economy praised in senate by Small, Amarillo, and Roberts, Pettus, Small crediting the governor with passage of the bill eliminating the tax office.
5. Defended in house by Thornton, Galveston, who denied passage of the bill to eliminate tax commission was a slap at the governor.
6. Transaction tax bill and constitutional amendment resolution introduced by Petsch, Fredericksburg, keeping it alive.
7. House committee on revenue and taxation set machinery in motion to consider the transaction tax and proposed amendment.

Some Issues Unsettled
The survey shows that O'Daniel won out on nearly all legislative moves but lost out on appointments and public criticisms.

One legislator Friday facetiously observed that the Williams reprieve does not fit in with O'Daniel's economy program. "Why," he said, "he now gets 90 more meals at state expense."

There are several scores yet to be settled during the coming week, the confirmation of Kunschik and Truett Smith as insurance commissioner heading the list.

The execution of Williams is now scheduled for March 5, which is Sunday and it is not the custom in Texas to execute condemned convicts on the Sabbath. But under the law O'Daniel can not make another move and it is up to the board of pardons and paroles whether the negro killer will go to the chair on that day.

FDR Asked--

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try's frontier, and he dictated a terse foreign policy.

May Involve U. S. Destiny

Talking with reporters later, Senator Bridges declared:

"As long as the president has stated his views of what took place there, I think that it is only fair that the members of the committee be permitted to state their views. This is a question that may involve the destiny of America and millions of Americans."

Chairman Pittman, Nevada democrat, of the senate foreign relations committee, who attended the white house press conference Friday, contended that the statement there should absolutely remove any fear that the president is going down the road to war.

The nazi-controlled press in Germany refused to accept Roosevelt's explanation that the report he had said this country's frontier was on the Rhine was a lie.

Loboes--

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with the Harrison twins striking quickly and consistently, piled up a 28 to 10 lead by the time five minutes of the last half had elapsed. A moment later, with the score 32 to 12, Coach "Pop" Garrett pulled his first team and substitutes played the entire fourth quarter and allowed almost half of the losers' points.

The local team looked strong against the Rising Star team. They hit the basket steadily and their zone defense kept the losers bottled. Marcell Harrison was high-point man with 16 points, trailed by his brother, Odell, who was second with 10.

With this win, the Loboes are now pointing to the series here next week in which the county champion will be decided. The Loboes must win two of three games from the B camp to be eligible to enter the state playoff.

Specs--

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property to the federal government for nothing more than a politician's promise, that a Big Bend park would bring six millions of dollars more revenue annually to Texas in the form of gasoline taxes on the tourist business. If that is so, the state of Texas will find the development of the park a good business deal for itself, besides saving all the land and mineral rights that otherwise would be added to the increasing toll taken by the Washington bureaucracy.

It would cost comparatively little money to open up the Big Bend area and make its scenic attractions available to the tourist. What excuse there is for turning it over to the federal government merely because the federal government has a national park department and some uniformed park superintendents and guides is beyond me. Federal "experts" wear pants and dresses like the rest of the crowd, and I fail to see what efficacy there is in a badge.

The fact of the matter is that this effort to deprive the state of a lot of its natural wealth is whole cloth with the ideal of dependence with which this nation is so badly affected. We have got to such a point that we can't conceive of doing a thing ourselves, and must hang everything by hooks to the capitol at Washington. Texas is able to develop its own Big Bend park if it wants a Big Bend park. But at any rate there is no sense in trading off such a vast reservoir of potential natural wealth on the promise of a politician and the prospect of increased gasoline revenue.

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Upholds Burns Claims About Kicking Cows

NORFOLK, Neb., Feb. 4 (AP)—Bom Burns, screen and radio comedian, has come to the defense of E. F. Eberly, Norfolk dairyman who claims a cow can kick backwards.

Eberly received this message from Burns: "I've milked many Nebraska cows and can confirm

your contention they kick backwards as well as sideways. I see the kick is photographic in new slow motion camera the contention."

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