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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 three railroads and many highways, Cisco is the best place in Texas to live and to work.

About Our Friends

By STEPHEN A. LONG

The dumbest of us can get the only keep our eyes and ears open for what might come from the office this morning. We walked into the office and found both Mr. and Mrs. Smartt very busy. Mrs. Smartt was industriously typing, and Mr. Smartt was busy with his typewriter. Well, Frank seemed to be doing something into storage, possibly the payroll for the month. Walker said he had rather hard to keep up with what news had passed, much to the surprise of the late happenings. As he came to the office, indeed, to get to the Cisco Daily Press. If he didn't have it, the daughter was reading it.

That gives us an idea of how long it has been back to the time when every family either had a car or was buying one, and it was the time when the car was the thing that would come when the time of saturation would be reached. W. B. Statham began to talk about "A Car for Every Member of the Family." We told him we believed that would be a good idea for the paper to take a subscription for every member of the family—a car for every member of the family. Each member of the family having a car for his own self, no quarrel over the special pages that wanted particularly to see.

Further talk brought out the fact that Mrs. Smartt didn't even have a copy for herself, so we went to remedy that, and after subscription then and there.

It might be that we could do more of soliciting subscriptions than editing the paper. Let's hope the manager don't make the change. Just at this time, Capt. Death, appears in his thrilling program in Cisco tomorrow, walking in our office and we are very glad that he is not the actual person who impersonates.

Get rid of him, and back to the earth. But that idea is completely driven from our mind. We don't even know where we were, and when we go back and see our copy, we throw it in the basket as worthless. So just pass on.

Dean walks by where we are standing and greets us with a good morning. Philip says he is handling the job.

FARLEY HEADS ROTARY DIST. FOR 1941-42

Col Farley, of Amarillo, was elected district governor of Rotary at the Lubbock convention, which will probably go to Wichita Falls next year, being the only city in the running.

Rotarian Farley is classified as a retail tire dealer, owns a broadcasting radio station and is quite active in boys' work, being the owner of "Boys Ranch," which employs and sponsors rehabilitation of underprivileged boys.

Garland Nantz, H. H. Monk, J. C. McAtee and Reg. Robbins flew to the convention, and received publicity from the local Lubbock paper over the plane trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lee made the trip by automobile.

The Rotary convention was well attended and was pronounced one of the most successful conventions ever held in the district, said H. H. Monk, who, as aviation chairman of the chamber of commerce committee, arranged the trip through Reg. Robbins, flying instructor of Cisco Junior college student training. Mr. Robbins was a guest.

Snake Bites Woman Reaching for Pet

Mrs. T. E. Brown of Putnam, who was bitten by a copper-head snake while visiting in the home of her mother, Mrs. M. L. Large, at Cottonwood, has returned to her home and is reported to be recovering normally.

Mrs. Brown heard her pet rabbit whining under the floor and, assuming that the bunny was too warm, she reached under to retrieve the rabbit, and was bitten by the reptile. The rabbit, which had been bitten by the snake also, died a few minutes later. Mrs. Brown is a sister of Mrs. Tom Cross of Cross Plains.

Copper-heads have been reported as being exceptionally numerous this year, a large number having been killed around homes here.—Cross Plains Review.

Baptists Hear Dr. Truett in Birmingham

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., May 16.—In a day filled with events of historical significance, the Southern Baptist convention on Thursday heard several Dallas speakers.

Dr. George W. Truett, pastor of the First Baptist church at Dallas, closed the Baptist Sunday school board's celebration of its fiftieth anniversary with an address Thursday night on "The Word of Life for a Broken World."

"The world is in Gethsemane today and Christianity is its one hope," declared Dr. Truett. "We seem now to be at the watershed of all history. The great religion of all times is going to win the field now. We are to lift up the world into Himself." Pointing to the ministry of the Sunday school board through the printed page word and its other means of reaching "this broken world," Dr. Truett paid tribute to Dr. J. M. Frost, Dr. John A. Broadus and others associated with them in making the board a reality.

The Baptist world leader recalled that he was present in Birmingham in 1891 when the Sunday school board was organized. Since that day, he said, he has watched, with ever-growing appreciation and interest, its marvelous ministry, which now encircles the globe.

SUSTAINS INJURIES

Robert Shaw, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Shaw, had the misfortune to sustain a fall which resulted in breaking both arms above the wrists. Immediate surgery was given, and he is reported resting fairly well today.

Captures Nazi Fugitive With Pitchfork



In this cablephoto from London David McLean, Scottish farmer who captured Rudolf Hess with pitchfork as only weapon, stands with his mother who offered Hess a cup of tea after he parachuted to earth in Scotland. (NEA Cablephoto)

Ranger Golf Invitation Starts May 30

RANGER, May 15.—Plans for the annual invitation tournament of the Ranger Country club have been completed. It has been announced by A. N. Larson, president, who stated that qualifying rounds would start Friday, May 30, with match play starting Saturday and finals being held Sunday, June 1.

More than \$200 in merchandise prizes have been authorized by the club, with winners of each flight, runners-up, consolation winners in each flight, medalist and winner of the driving contest, each being awarded a suitable trophy.

A \$2 entrance fee will be charged, which entitles one to play in the tournament, attend the barbecue and Calcutta pool. Bridge will be played Saturday afternoon by the ladies.

It is expected that six 16-player flights will tee off Saturday morning, May 31, when match play starts.

The fairways and greens of the nine-hole course, are in excellent shape because of an abundance of rain this spring and the fairways and roughs are being kept mowed regularly to keep them in best playing trim.

Those who qualify early may use the course for practice at any time after May 25, without paying the regular greens fees. Players may qualify at any time after May 25, but must qualify Friday, May 30, in order to compete for medalist honors.

Gerald Mann Speaks Over WFAA Tonight

Friends of Gerald Mann announce that he will speak over radio station WFAA tonight at 8:45 on the subject of "The Farmer in National Defense." Gerald Mann, young attorney general of Texas, is a candidate for the senate seat left vacant by the death of Sen. Morris Sheppard.

GARNER HERE TODAY

John H. Garner of Dallas, formerly head of the John H. Garner's department store here, and an honored citizen of Cisco, was shaking hands with a number of old friends in passing through Cisco today.

Hjalmar Bergh Annual Recital Monday, May 19

Announcement is made of the fifth annual recital from the studio of Hjalmar Bergh, assisted by the Cecilia Singers on Monday night, May 19, 7:45, at the First Baptist church, when about 40 voices will be heard in choruses in addition to the regular student recital.

In this connection it may be mentioned that Melvin Sandler and Miss Billie Cole, students of the Bergh studio, participated in the recent Festival of Arts, sponsored during music week by McMurry college, when many West Texas students of art took part.

These students will be received and invited by the college to return again next year.

Cisco Woodmen Group Attend Ranger Circle

A large delegation of the members of the Cisco lodges WOW and Woodmen circle accompanied the specially invited drill team to Ranger Wednesday night where they were guests of the Ranger Woodmen circle.

With Mrs. Roy Farley, captain, the team put on the initiatory work, after which refreshments of punch and cake were served to representatives of Mineral Wells and Ranger circles, besides those attending from Cisco.

Those in the party from Cisco accompanying Mrs. Roy Farley and her drill team, were Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Ball, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mayhew, Mr. and Mrs. Jess McCanlies, Mr. Roy Farley, Mmes. R. D. Jones, Edith Rainbolt, Effie Mayhew, A. B. Cooper, Mary Abbott, Ethel Dunn, R. M. Bates, M. P. Farnsworth, Arch Birt, W. C. Clements, Barton Abbott, C. B. Hill, Melba Lanham, Misses Joyce Rainbolt, Frances Hill and Madeline Hay. A visitor, Mrs. O'Block, of Coleman, accompanied the Cisco delegation.

ANNOUNCEMENT

The executive board of the Cisco Welfare association will meet next Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock in the chamber of commerce. All members are urged to be present.

HIGHLIGHTS OF CC PROGRAM FOR TODAY

MINERAL WELLS, May 16.—It is a two-day show, yes, but every hour filled with action, interest and color.

So said Max Bentley, activities director of the West Texas chamber of commerce, whose 23rd annual convention opened in Mineral Wells yesterday and closes tonight. Bentley, who is acting as convention manager in concert with the local steering committee headed by L. C. Taylor, gave the following summary of some of the convention highlights for today:

Friday, May 16—7:30 a. m. breakfast for old and new directors, Baker hotel; 8:30 a. m. Finals, My Home Town contest, Brazos theatre; 10:00 a. m. Taxpayers' assembly, Brazos theatre. Talks on legislative needs and accomplishments, WTCC good government program, freight rates in Southwestern development, etc.

12:00 noon luncheon by WTCC directors to chamber of commerce executives and newspapermen, Crazy hotel. Election of officers, nominating talks for 1942 convention, etc.

2:30 p. m.—West Texas National Defense assembly at convention.

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Murder In Mystery Given Tonight

An admission fee of 15 cents and 25 cents will be charged for the senior play, "Murder in Mystery," to be given at the high school auditorium tonight. A good cast, hand-picked and well trained, will lead the audience into mystery, spread with fun.

The seniors say, "Spend an hour or two with us and forget your worries."

Summer Projects For Homemaking Girl Students

Education is a continuous process and does not have definite lines of demarcation as to when it starts and when it stops. The homemaking department, under the direction of Miss Billie Bishop, will continue the education for living by offering a summer project course in homemaking education. The course begins June 1, lasting through September 1.

The course is open to any high school girl enrolled in the homemaking department the semester preceding the summer course. The course is conducted in the homes of the individual students. The project planned by the student, assisted by Miss Bishop and the parents of the student, may be selected from any phase of home and community living.

The only formal class held in the high school homemaking department is the group meeting twice a week. This year's group project will consist of improving the appearance of the homemaking department, and making the Future Homemakers of Texas club yearbook, which is given each club member at the beginning of the coming school term.

Students satisfactorily completing an approved project will receive one-half affiliated credit toward high school graduation.

Miss Bishop will supervise the individual projects during the month of June, after which time she will continue work on her masters' degree at Texas university.

Student projects chosen are an improving conditions of the home, provision of nutritional needs of the family, selection, care and construction of clothing, child care and training, home and financial management, consumer buying, family and social relationship, and other phases of home living.

Detailed plans of the course and names of the students enrolled will be given later.

"Open" Ticket Sale Breaks Records



National women's golf champion Betty Jameson buys the record-breaking ticket from Tod Menefee, San Antonio, Texas. Ticket sales for the National Open Golf Championship to be held at Ft. Worth, Texas, have broken the 5635 mark set at Canterbury, Cleveland, last year. (NEA Photo)

Baptist WMU Plans Banquet For Seniors

Educational chairman, Mrs. A. V. Osburn, of the First Baptist WMU, has named committees to be active in planning for the annual banquet to be given the high school seniors Friday evening, May 23. A program is planned to follow the banquet, which is usually held in the basement of the church. Committees are as follows:

Decorations—Mmes. W. W. Fewell, chairman; E. J. Poe, Leon Maner, C. K. Padgett, Paul Moore, W. V. Gardshire.

Menu—Mmes. B. B. Hurst, chairman; L. A. White, Leon Maner.

Table—Mmes. Jack Leech, chairman; Assa Ekiles, Abbott.

Serving—Mrs. Glenn Huddleston, chairman.

Program—Mmes. Felton Underwood, chairman; Judson Prince, Virgie Rauch.

Silverware—Mrs. W. H. LaRoque.

Reception—Mmes. W. D. Hazel, Judson Prince, Buck Black and Monte Stevens.

Kitchen—Mrs. Franklin Blackstock, chairman.

Cemetery Working Set for May 20th

The annual spring cemetery working for Rising Star has been set for Tuesday, May 20, according to the cemetery committee, who are planning to get out a large crowd and get the work over with promptly. Local stores have agreed to close from 7 to 11 a. m. Workers are requested to bring tools.—Rising Star Record.

Bergh to Attend U. of S. California

Hjalmar Bergh was elected as delegate to the biennial convention of National Federation of Music clubs to be held in Los Angeles June 19 to 25.

Following the convention Mr. Bergh will attend the University of Southern California for post graduate work during the summer.

Ranger Pastor Here For Sunday Service

During the absence of the pastor, Rev. J. R. Wright, of the First Christian church, who is holding a revival meeting in Ranger, the Ranger pastor, Rev. H. B. Johnson, will fill the Cisco pulpit of that church Sunday, according to Troy Powell, publicity chairman.

PLEASE NOTICE

The fire department wants all the old paper and magazines you have. They will call for them if you will please telephone No. 538.

JUNIORS WILL HONOR UPPER CLASS GROUP

Program Promises Gayety with Elaborate Decorations

The Junior-Senior banquet given by the juniors, honoring their superiors, who are to leave the four years of work in the high school at the close of this term, is the high-light of the commencement activities, and the important event will be held at the Laguna roof garden, now being decorated for the occasion.

Saturday night is the time for this great social event, when some 175 juniors, seniors and high school faculty will be present. Junior sponsors are, Miss Yunk, R. I. Collier and Mrs. Hazlewood. They report that the junior class is sparing no pains to make this the greatest similar event in the annals of Cisco high school activities.

Raymond Thomas, president of the junior class, will be toastmaster and will welcome the invited guests. Response will be made by President Geo. Warfield of the senior class.

No clue has been divulged regarding other features of the program except that it will probably consist of music and speeches. There seems to be an element of surprise attached.

There are about 95 in the junior class and about 85 seniors.

A dance at the country club honoring the seniors will be given following the banquet, and both classes together with students from Cisco Junior college will participate.

Capt. Death Gives Eight-Hour Stunts

Capt. Death announces arrangements are completed for his free shows to be given at the Nancu Motor company used car lot and on the down town streets Saturday.

Mrs. Hal Mason was taken suddenly ill a day or two ago and will not be able to carry out her part of the program, but substitution will be made. The show will go on.

The cavalcade, featuring that famous stunt star in person, Hal Mason, the Capt. Death of the movies, will open at 10 o'clock Saturday morning, running through until 6 o'clock that night.

The program will include kids' greasy-pole contest, gasoline economy testing, blind-fold driving, merchants' shopping tour, free vaudeville show, the cavalcade of the motor car, and three-car, iron-jug stunts, closing with an 18-foot blazing-wall crash.

The entire program is free to the public, and arrangements are being rushed for the comfortable accommodation of record crowds in Cisco Saturday.

Hal Mason will be remembered for his performance here three years ago, at which time he was welcomed by large and enthusiastic crowds in attendance.

The American Motor Cavalcade is completing a 48-state tour, and has been presented extensively throughout Texas, arousing favorable comment upon the smooth-running performance.

A cordial invitation is extended to everybody to witness this big free show.

Weather

EAST TEXAS: Partly cloudy Friday and Saturday; moderate to fresh southeasterly winds, occasionally strong on the coast.

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy Friday, with thunderstorms over southwest and north portions; Saturday fair; cooler in north portion Friday, and rising temperature general Saturday.

CLASSIFIED

SALE CHEAP—Two bird and stands. Cisco Daily office.
HIT PARADE—Records on sale. Have you heard your new, by Art Kassell?
Ice Cream is better. Start See Freezer, 98c. Col. Hardware.
FOR RENT—Beds for sale. J. B. Ely. 240
Beautiful Patterned Rugs, 95c. Collins Hardware.
SALE—Good used lumber, H. E. Sprayberry, Rising Star, Texas. 243
Edison made Lawn Mow—16 inch, 5 blade, \$7.95. Col. Hardware.
Bracket with 28 hearts, 95c. Cisco, Sunday. Little Howard. Box Q. Cisco Daily Press. 240
SALE—Red Head Tomato (Association Adopted Variety), \$1.25 per 1000 delivered. A variety for late planting. R. T. James, Rising Star, Texas. 238
General battleships were used in Chinese war, in 1855, so the ship and Merrimac were not just armored vessels.

About Our-- (From Page ONE)

of remodeling Dean's just now, since L. H. Qualls couldn't be on the job... Pittard refuses a drink from a stranger... only strangers make the offer now, his friends say...
F. B. Altman and Homer Ferguson say no news is to be found around their place... and Drumwright's still have the door closed, awaiting the time for the big sale beginning today...
We see our mistake now... we just get up too early... should sleep a few hours longer... or better still, we should have gone for an early-morning fishing trip... Understand some are being taken...
And J. B. Pratt says we have ruined his reputation now... People are fearful of accepting luncheon invitations from him, fearing he will forget...
Speaking of reputations... we wonder what has become of that cow of Ves Nabors... gives... let's see just how many gallons she does give...
James McCracken seems to be visiting about, taking up bad checks that have found their way into the bank... and there goes Jack Anderson and L. A. Warren... seem to be intent on some subject... barely notice us... E. P. Crawford dashing along as usual... we halted him the other day at 40 mph, but he soon resumed his usual high speed... oh, yes, he was walking...
We still have our eye on those clouds... going to rain, sure... our weather prophets around the office say that when it rains on Easter it rains seven consecutive Sundays... so there you are...
We still lack details of the trip of J. C. McAfee, H. H. Monk and Garland (Pete) Nance with Reg. Robbins to the Rotary convention by plane... From what we glean, Robbins tried out some of his stunts that had the earth on top of

Lo! How the Mighty Have Fallen



Despite German assertions that Adolf Hess has been sliding down from his lofty seat among the Brown Shirts hierarchy, the number 3 Nazi ranked high enough when this picture was taken in Berlin last Jan. 30 to sit at the hand of Adolf Hitler. That was several notches closer than Der Fuehrer's top military men, General Field Marshals Von Brauchitsch and Keitel and Labor Minister Dr. Ley and Reichminister D. R. Lammers.

Wayne Sellers With Southern Newspapers

AUSTIN, May 16.—Wayne Sellers, Rising Star, who will complete the work for his master's degree in the University of Texas with the close of the current year, has accepted a position with the Southern Newspaper Publishers' association, and will assume his duties on June 2.
Sellers was employed on the Daily Avalanche at Lubbock his last two years in Texas Tech, where he received his B. A. degree in 1938. He was later em-

played on the Brownwood Bulletin. A son of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Sellers, of Rising Star, he received his early newspaper training on his father's newspaper, the Rising Star Record.

The association, made up of all the large daily newspapers of the south, has offices in both Dallas and Chattanooga. Sellers will report to the Dallas office.

Eugene Lankford
Lawyer
Office, Third Floor, Cisco State Bank Bldg.

STAMP NEWS

PRINTS, such as that on the Greek postal tax stamp are much in the news. The issue, picturing Queens Olga and Sophia, was issued in 1939, and was overprinted 1937-38 for Greece. 1939 postage dues stamps issued for use in the Balkans for Greek retreat. The stamp of Bulgaria is included in overprints of Bulgaria's postage issue. An overprint of the apple stamp and the agricultural issue, commemorating the progress of the former Baltic states into the Soviet Union. Postage revenues produce an amount of Leland's Matthias Columbus portrait stamp, and the Zealand conserves stamp sets by raising the values of the George VI half penny and a penny.

Dominican Republic commemorates the signing of a Pan American treaty of friendship with an issue of seven values picturing Dominican patriots.

China's industries are to be illustrated in a new thrift series.

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War and Peace-- (From Page TWO)

on by the newspapers and radio today to war news that it is well to give some thought to peace news. It is wise to be war-minded at this time; but let us not get war-crazy. Make it a point to talk more with members of the air force and less with the military and naval officers. These latter are still living in the past, and are pessimists; but the air force men are living in the future and are optimists. It is also well to remember that the air force is made up of men of higher character and of greater intelligence than are the men of the army or in the navy.

Be Prepared For Anything

We hear much today about PREPAREDNESS. I am for preparedness, but for preparedness in

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson
STATISTICS SHOW THAT MARRIED PEOPLE ACTUALLY LIVE LONGER THAN SINGLE PERSONS... IT ISN'T A CASE OF JUST "SEEMING LONGER."

WHAT PROVINCES OR TERRITORIES OF CANADA TOUCH ALASKA?
ANSWER: Yukon and British Columbia.

OUT OUR WAY

By Williams
STAND RIGHT BY THE ANVIL THERE-- THAT WILL MAKE A WONDERFUL PICTURE!

A PERFECT COMBINATION
WHY, THAT'S AN INSULT TO A COOK, ISN'T IT?
NO, IT'S NO INSULT IF HE DON'T GIT TO THINKIN' ABOUT IT!

ALLY OOP

By Hamlin
OUR CREW SEEMS TO BE DOIN' ALL RIGHT... HOLY COW! WOTTA SCRAP!

PUT TH' SLUG ON ME, I'LL HAND TH' DOPES A SURPRISE!
I'LL TEACH 'EM NOT TO DISOBEY MY ORDERS! I'LL SHOW 'EM A ONE-MAN NUTINY THEY'LL BE A LONG TIME FERGITTIN'!

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SOCIETY AND CLUBS

By MRS. KATE RICHARDSON
Phone 419

Mrs. Childers
Is Hostess to
Thursday Club

Mrs. Bill Childers entertained members of the Thursday Club in the Blue Room of the Elgin Hotel Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Willie B. Dunne
Is Circle Hostess

Mrs. Willie B. Dunne was hostess to Progressive Auxiliary Circle Three which met in the church parlor, Tuesday afternoon at 7 o'clock.

Mrs. J. M. Witten Is
Hostess to Circle

Mrs. J. M. Witten was hostess to Circle Two of the Methodist Women's Division of Christian Service, which met in her home Tuesday afternoon at 7 o'clock, with Mrs. G. W. Hampton in charge.

The circle paid special tribute to their mothers by giving a donation of pennies for the age of their mother at her death, and, if living, gave pennies for age at last birthday. Other business pertaining to the circle was then transacted.

Mrs. George Atkins
Entertains Group

Christian council, Group Three, met with Mrs. George Atkins, hostess, Tuesday afternoon at 7 o'clock. In the absence of the chairman, Mrs. Edward Lee, who is out of the city, the business reports and other routine business was transacted, after which a session was planned for the near future.

Misses Halbert-
Shirley YWA
Co-Hostesses

Misses Bobby Shirley and June Halbert were co-hostesses at the meeting held by the Young Women's auxiliary of the First Baptist church Tuesday evening.

Miss Billye Gale presided over the business period where a visit to "mat land" was planned for the next meeting.

Miss Willie Frank Walker directed the program on "Mistaken Opportunities" in which the following topics were discussed: Possibilities of Service was given by June Dennis; My World is Larger, by Mrs. Lucy Abel; I Am More Kugel to Know-Christ, Willie Frank Walker. A hymn, "More Love to Thee, Oh Christ," was then sung by the group.

BRIEFLY TOLD

Mrs. R. S. Elliott has returned from a visit with her brother and family in Ft. Worth.

Dr. J. T. McKinnick has returned from a trip to Nashville and Memphis, Tennessee.

Mrs. E. H. Price of Tipton, Kansas, is expected to arrive today for a visit with her niece, Mrs. Beulah Standbury, Mrs. Price will be remembered by many Cisconians as the former Miss Lillie Sandifer.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hampton spent Wednesday at Possum Kingdom Dam.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Wilson have returned from a visit with relatives in Farmersville.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lee attended the Rotary Club convention in Lubbock this week.

W. V. Gartinore was a business visitor in Mineral Wells Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Robinson have returned from a several week's stay in Mineral Wells.

Mrs. J. T. McKinnick has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Richard Allison and Mr. Allison, in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Skiles have returned from a visit with their son and wife, Dr. and Mrs. Elvin Skiles in Louisville, Kentucky. While away Mr. and Mrs. Skiles attended the graduation exercises of the Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville where their son received his doctor of philosophy degree.

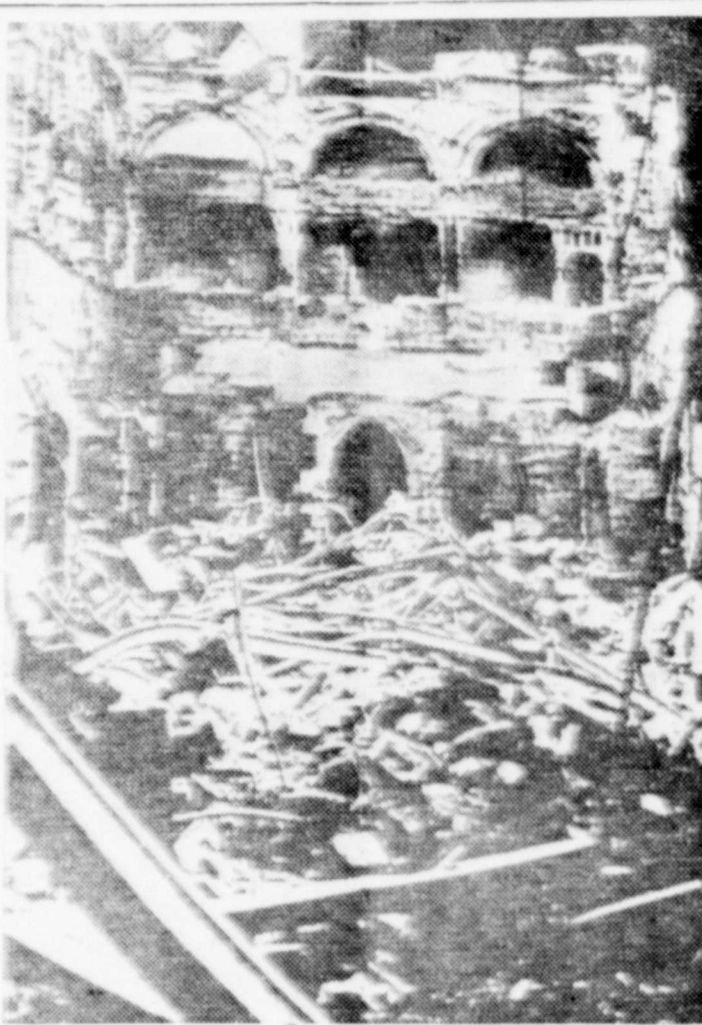
Mrs. Chaas Hale and daughter, Miss Esther Hale, left today for a week-end visit with Chaas Hale, Jr., and family in Houston.

Mrs. Ella Shelton and daughter, Mrs. E. L. Graham, spent Thursday in Abilene with Mr. and Mrs. James Shelton, who has been ill, reported improved.

Gerald Merritt, student in Texas Tech, Lubbock, is expected to spend the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Merritt.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Poe have as their guests, Mrs. Poe's mother, Mrs. R. R. Cornelius, and four-year-old twin daughters, Ruby Sue and Mary Lou, of Hope, Ark.

Adjourned, Sine Die!



Cabled from London to New York and telephotoed here, this photo graphically shows wreckage in House of Commons after last week-end's pitiless bombings, heavily damaged buildings in Westminster group. (NEA Cablephoto)

Baby Destroyers Scout the Atlantic



Pocket destroyers, newest British weapon to offset mounting toll in Battle of the Atlantic, cut swiftly through the water in search of German submarines. These "Huntresses of the Navy" are small motor launches, built in Britain from American parts. They carry depth charges, machine guns, anti-aircraft weapons.

Castor Beans As
Money Crops Here

The election of D. L. Van Over as head of the Texas Industrial Farm association, which has just been organized to aid Texas farmers in growing new crops to afford new markets, and money crops will bring to mind of Cisconians that this gentleman was in Cisco a number of times last year to discuss the outlook for castor beans as a money crop for this section.

Seed was distributed to Cisco farmers to try out castor beans in the various soils of Eastland county and particularly in the Cisco trade territory, but so far as we have heard there has not been any public data given out as to results obtained.

Many green seed castor beans were grown extensively in this section as ornaments in farmers' yards and were extensively planted in corn fields to kill ground-moles that destroyed grains of corn before they could sprout. These castor beans were poison to moles.

There was no trouble in getting castor beans to grow. Now whether they were of the variety to produce the best oils we are not prepared to say, but the propaganda concerning the cultivation of this bean in Texas will be received by Mr. Van Over, and if there have been favorable results obtained by farmers in this section, they should be publicized.

Wichita Falls Okays
\$205,000 Bond Issue

WICHITA FALLS, May 16.—Voters of Wichita Falls overwhelmingly approved the \$205,000 municipal bond issue by a 15-to-1 vote Wednesday to provide funds for the improvement of Kell field and development of the water system. Unofficial returns from all boxes showed a total of 1,319. The bond issue was divided into two propositions, the first on the air-

East Cisco WMU
Honor Mrs. McBeth

The WMU of the East Cisco Baptist church met Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Russell Dennis in a social honoring Mrs. Claude McBeth.

After much fun and laughter, time ticked with ice cream and cake were served to the following:

Arnes Lowery, Ray Fenley, C. R. Hightower, Willie Theiford, A. W. White, Guy Abbott, Bill Slevette, Don Rupp, L. F. Gilmore, Carlton Holder, Doyle Gilmore, V. H. Bosworth, Shobal Houston, H. C. Hardin, A. W. Dawson, H. Baron, E. E. Green, Ott Green, Gene Murray, Miss Edna Hightower, Mrs. P. A. Dotson, Eastland and hostess, Mrs. Dennis.

Fatalities Mount
in Defense Work

Traffic fatalities among military personnel and defense project workers continue to mount, although a spectacular reduction of 34 per cent was recorded in the number of general traffic fatalities in Texas for March.

An optimist is a person who believes that himself are looking for a way to get out.

Churchill says America stands at Britain's side. And, that there, it's only a jump right into her lap.

A midwest bathing rubber drow 99 years. He's in for the time of his life.

'Most Beautiful'



You'll probably see her again in the papers as a glamorous 1935 debutante, but right now Mary Ann Keiser, 4, is getting her picture printed because she was named "America's Most Beautiful Child" in a contest sponsored by group of national magazine editors. She's daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Harry R. Keiser of Chicago.

Smax Halifax



Chicago elevated train crashes through guard rail at dead end station and dangles over street. Cause: falling brakes. Result: no injuries to passengers.

British Ambassador Lord Halifax got a real taste of midwestern hospitality when June Chellis of Kansas City, Mo., kissed him and presented him with roses after he spoke there.

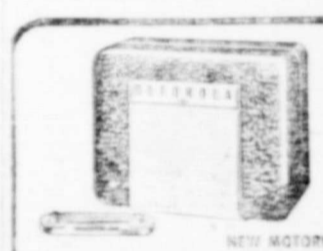
Mister Big



Oh, any can be see? Yes, but probably not far, because this modern Gulliver, an English Home Guard, watches from ramparts of miniature castle he built himself. He charges admission, and receipts go to charity.

Soldier Writes of
Form of Sabotage

The Coatsville (Pa.) Record recently published a letter written home by a young man who had been taken into the army under the selective service act. He said: "We give up a year of our lives, the comforts of home, and countless other things for barracks, hard work and duty from sun-up to sun-down. We do our part and do it harder than anyone at home, and yet it's the people at home



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