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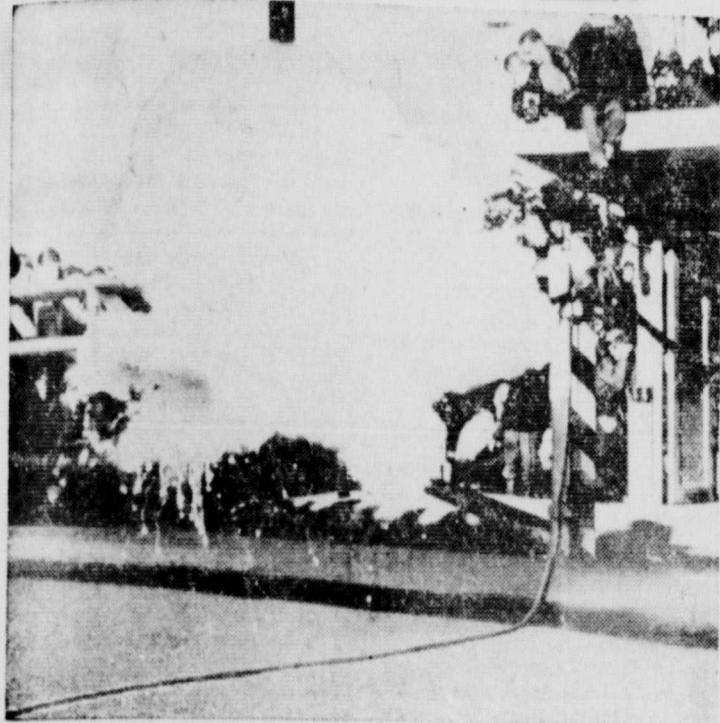
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Oak Ridge Opened To Public



A puff of smoke and a burst of white fire billows through the air as the ribbon to the gates of Oak Ridge, Tenn., is burned away, opening to the public the city where atomic laboratories are situated. An atomic impulse...

Desdemona Club Boy Shows Champion Calf

Four-Lane Super-Highway Between Cisco And Eastland Is Proposed

Plans Being Studied By Highway Office On Route Proposal

Authorization from Austin was expected soon on the proposed four-lane super-highway from Cisco to Eastland, according to E. M. Pritchard, resident highway engineer for Eastland...

highway but that they had no received an answer yet.

If the four-lane highway is approved, Pritchard said, the present road will be reconstructed and re-topped and used as a part of the boulevard type road. The new section will be built parallel to the old part...

Eastland city limits.

Pritchard's forces have been surveying the route for the proposed highway for several days and were testing line deposits in an effort to find a pit for road materials.

Meanwhile the new highway west of Cisco to the Callahan County line was reported complete, but cannot be used for through traffic until the Callahan county portion is finished.

Plans Being Made For Bigger And Better Stock Show For Next Spring

Joe Ben Koonce, Desdemona club boy, walked away with the grand championship award in the club boy's fed steer division of the Eastland County Livestock Show, held in Cisco Friday and Saturday.

The reserve champion award went to Carl Ditmore of Cisco, whose entry won the blue ribbon in the heavy division.

The calves were divided into division and the light weight division. The two top place winners in the divisions competed for the championship of the show.

Winners and weight in the division over 860 pounds were as follows: Carl Ditmore, Cisco, first (1,065 lbs.); Don Jobe, Cisco, second, (860 lbs.); Glen Fleming, Rising Star, third, (950 lbs.); fourth, Duane Rose, Ranger, (860 lbs.).

Light weight division places were as follows: first, J. B. Koonce, Desdemona; second, Frank Ditmore, Cisco; third, Don Jobe, Cisco; fourth, Joe Buckley, Desdemona; fifth, Joe B. Koonce, Desdemona; sixth, George Robinson, Ranger; seventh, Guy Warden, Eastland; eighth, Charles Wheat, Ranger; ninth, Jerry Buckley, Desdemona; tenth, Weldon Cunningham, Ranger.

Travis Kurkin, Cisco, captured all prizes in the club boys sheep division, showing the champion fat lamb, champion ewe, and the champion ram. Billy Agnew of Rising Star showed the grand champion sow and L. R. Hagenbottom of Carbon showed the grand champion boar.

At the evening services he will deliver the final series of talks on "Portraits of the Master." The young peoples choir will furnish the music.

Meanwhile the Methodists were looking forward to the coming of the Presiding Bishop of the Central Texas Conference, Bishop William C. Martin was assigned to the area at the general conference meeting of last year.

Bishop Martin will be the guest of Rev. Oran Stephens, district superintendent, on Saturday, April 2, and the guest of Rev. Jones on Sunday, April 3. He will speak at the services of the First Methodist Church on that day.

After attending the funeral of her father at Weatherford Friday, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Ashenbust accompanied her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Richardson, to Dallas for a few days' stay.

Red Cross Takes Over Disaster Relief Work After Tornado Rips Through Desdemona, County Drive Lags

The tornado which swept through Desdemona Friday noon narrowly missing a crowded school and the business district, had hardly passed before the American Red Cross was setting relief machinery in motion from St. Louis to South Texas to take care of the injured and homeless.

The high school cafeteria was transformed into a community kitchen and dining room to serve food to workers and victims. Offers of help came from Fort Worth and Wichita Falls chapters, but sufficient arrangements had been completed.

Red Cross funds available out of national headquarters will be used to help restore lost homes in the area as well as to take care of immediate relief needs.

No special drive will be undertaken in the county. However, the annual Red Cross appeal which was already under way when the storm struck, will be prosecuted with vigor.

"We can't afford to meet these people with red faces," said Mrs. Perkins. "We cannot afford to fall down on our own obligation to support the Red Cross in the face of this generosity. We must dig down in our pockets and do our share."

Mrs. N. A. Brown and daughter, Mrs. Alan Withee and children, have returned from a trip over the Gulf states, visiting relatives in Georgia and Louisiana while away.

TORNADO HITS DALLAS, TEXAS



A freak tornado which lasted only a few minutes struck the south part of Dallas, leaving scattered debris in its wake. The roof of the A. R. Skipwith Variety Store was tossed into the street, covering at least four cars.

Wind and hail over a wide area in Eastland County caused extensive damages to small buildings, power lines and fruit trees late Friday night and a small tornado ripped the Texas Power and Light Company's Leon plant, inflicting an unestimated amount of damage.

The twister which struck the plant at 11:55 p. m. unroofed the office building, partly unroofed a store room, wrecked a 60 foot water tower and demolished several steel transmission towers.

The storm forced a power cut off in Eastland and Ranger for several hours and disrupted service to Cisco for 20 minutes.

Repair crews had just returned from Desdemona where they had repaired breaks caused by the tornado earlier in the day. They began immediately to repair the damage to the plant and lines there.

No damage was reported to the plant proper except for a few broken window glasses and the company village escaped the fury of the storm.

Meanwhile 18 persons remained in the Gorman hospital as the result of injuries sustained in the tornado that struck there early Friday afternoon.

Peace. These early pickets were to be followed later in the day by massed picketing.—ACME.

CJC Wranglers Show Power In Spring Training Wind-Up Game Friday Night

Coach Storny Davis, after pondering over Friday night's intra-squad mix-up, came to some definite conclusions about the Cisco Junior College Wranglers next fall.

As to the line, the plan right now is to have Gene Millsap at center — both on offense and defense. At tackles, he'll probably use Harold Hill, Don Price and Charles Ray.

Another conclusion is that Bob Thurston, Charles Spicer, Floy Flood and Robert Rendall will fit perfect in at guards.

At end positions, Davis will have a choice of four prospects. That he will use Leonard Grigsby at right end is a certainty; and that he will employ Garlyn Lee at left end, who has the height as well as well as the skill; that he can rely upon Ray Gene Rylee and James Owens to come in as replacements are also certainties.

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As for passing, there was very little done in the scrimmage session. But it is also pretty evident that Lonnie Crosby will be master of the air ways next fall with Geo. Watts doing a little tossing from the T.

PICKETS PROTEST PEACE CONFERENCE



Pickets carrying signs that express their convictions march in front of the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel in New York City in protest against the Cultural and Scientific Conference for World Peace.

The Gay Philosopher



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CISCO COULD very easily have a pretty important club or society, according to reports we hear. It could be called the Cisco Association of Miniature Electric Trains.

CHARLES SPEARS and the boys up at the bank have a good idea. They have on display in the bank lobby a case containing samples of every type glove manufactured by the Boss Manufacturing Company.

HATS OFF TO the Cisco Rotary Club for the fine tribute they paid to Dr. William P. Lee, veteran physician. Too often, all of us neglect to recognize what our neighbors mean to us.

FOUND A COPY of The Cisco Round-up dated May 11, 1917, the other day. And it was interesting to compare conditions then and now. For example, here are a few dry good store sales prices: \$1.24 to \$1.20; mens shoes, \$3.29; ladies hosiery, 7 to 29 cents; men's hats, 93 cents to \$1.08.

The theater was showing "seven Deadly Sins." F. E. Shepard listed as an associate editor.

SOMEBODY LEFT a copy of The Cisco Daily News of Nov. 22, 1922, on our desk, too. One thing attracted our attention. It told about A. D. Anderson having the two days and feeding one of them to the Lions Club.

BAND PARENTS SET MEETING TUESDAY

Meeting of the Cisco Band Parents Association has been set for Tuesday, a night later than the regular time, according to an announcement made here.

The meeting will be held in the band hall.

W. O. W. SOCIAL TUESDAY NIGHT

The Cisco WOW Camp No. 500 will hold a social at the Woodmen's Hall Tuesday evening at 7:30 p. m. it was announced. Entertainment will be furnished by Ray Judia and refreshments will be served to members and their families.

TO SPONSOR BABY CONTEST

Rogan and Burkman have announced that they were sponsoring a baby contest which is to begin on March 28. The contest is to run for two weeks and will be judged by out-of-town judges. Prizes will be awarded to the winners of each of the three divisions which will include all ages up to six years.





# SOCIETY AND CLUBS

AND NEWS OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

## Miss Waring And Mr. Bruton Are Married March 23

An afternoon ceremony at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Tom F. Reese of 666 Greenwood, Dallas, Miss Laura Waring of Los Angeles, California, formerly of Cisco, became the bride of Mr. D. Bruton of Houston. The officiant was Mr. George Bruton of Comanche. The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a floor-length navy blue antique lace gown fashioned with butterfly sleeves, a full skirt and a sweetheart neckline. Her jewelry consisted of sapphire and diamond earrings, a gift of the bridegroom, and a pearl necklace. She carried a white corsage topped with white or-

Miss Marion Lu Reese attended her aunt as maid of honor and Miss Flavia Martha Waring, another niece of the bride, was bridesmaid. Karl Bruton served his brother as best man at the reception following the ceremony. Mrs. Reese presided at the cake.

The couple left for a wedding trip to New Orleans, La. Miami, Florida, and Charleston, S. C. For traveling the bride chose a gray twill costume suit with navy accessories and an orchid corsage. Mr. and Mrs. Bruton will live in Houston.

The bride attended Brenau College in Gainesville, Georgia, and was graduated from the University of Texas, where she was a member of Phi Mu sorority and Phi Beta Kappa. She did post graduate work at Columbia University.

Among out of town guests present at the wedding were Mrs. Joe Holleran of San Antonio; Mrs. A. D. McGinnis of Arlington; and Miss Catherine Cunningham of Cisco.

## Business Meeting And Bible Study Held By Society

Women's Missionary Society of First Baptist Church met Tuesday afternoon at the church for the monthly business meeting and Bible study. Mrs. W. V. Gardenhire presided and opened the meeting with group singing which was followed with prayer.

During the business session minutes, read by Mrs. E. H. Cheves, were approved and reports were heard from chairmen of the standing committees. Mrs. A. B. Cooper, Mrs. M. M. Tabor, Mrs. Leon McPherson and Mrs. M. F. Underwood. The treasurer's report was made by Mrs. W. D. Hazel. Assignment for the month was given as follows: Circle One, to furnish flowers for the church auditorium; Two, to assist with the work of the Mission; Three, to help with Extension department; Four, to hold cottage prayer meetings; Five, visit new church members; Six, to visit un-saved people; Young Women's Night Circle, visit un-enlisted Baptists; Business Women's Circle, visit hospitals.

Mrs. M. F. Underwood announced the YWA house party at Hardin Simmons University to be held April 8-9. The WMS will pay expenses for the girls who attend. The drive for good used clothing for overseas relief was announced and Mrs. Poe requests that all garments and other items should be brought not later than April 4 or 5. The Society voted to keep the nursery open for another month and all mothers are invited to leave their children there during the meeting. Prayer was offered by Mrs. C. S. Surlis at the close of the business meeting.

Mrs. Otis Strickland was presented as leader of the Bible study in absence of her husband and gave the lesson from the tenth chapter of Matthew, after which the meeting was adjourned with prayer by Mrs. E. C. Cheves. Those present were: Mesdames R. D. Guthrie, W. P. Guinn, Leo Keelan, T. J. Burnell, O. J. Russell, T. E. Lisenbee, W. W. Sawyers, G. B. Langston, O. L. Mason, M. M. Tabor, Eula Grantz, Otis Strickland, D. L. Kisher, Joe Farr, Ina Pyle Martin, W. V. Gardenhire, E. H. Cheves, M. F. Underwood, Simmons, A. B. Cooper, W. F. Walker, Lewis Lee, Harry Schaefer, F. D. Worth, E. J. Poe, Mary Odell, and the following Sunbeam workers, Mrs. W. I. Hussey, Mrs. W. C. Clement, Mrs. F. B. Clappitt, Miss Willie Frank Walker and the Nursery attendant, Mrs. Mary Abbott.

## Hobgood - Cummins Nuptials Read At Houston Recently

Miss Betty Jo Hobgood of Houston, daughter of Mrs. W. J. Amber and J. S. Hobgood of Tulsa, Oklahoma, was married recently to John Edwin Cummins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lue F. Mendenhall of Cisco. The wedding took place in Behrens Memorial Methodist Church where the Rev. Eugene Slater performed the single ring ceremony.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a rose dress with orchid accessories, and carried a white Bible with ornaments of Tulsa, the matron of honor, wore a dusty rose dress with black accessories. Bill Primer served the bridegroom as best man.

The traditional wedding marches were used and the numbers, "I Love You Truly," "Always" and "Because" were sung.

Mrs. Gail Ozburn was hostess for the reception, which was held after the wedding, at 1847 West Main Street. After a wedding trip to Galveston, the bride and groom are at home at 2627 West Heimer, Houston. Mrs. Cummins graduated at East Texas State Training School and had two years of college at ETSU. He will graduate in May from the Landig College of Mortuary Science.

Out of town guests for the wedding were Miss Delores Bandkowski, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Knight, Beaumont, uncle and aunt of the bridegroom; Mrs. Lue F. Mendenhall, Cisco; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Amber, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hobgood, Tulsa.

## Christian Church Council Meets On Tuesday Afternoon

The Women's Council of First Christian Church met March 22 for the regular meeting and program. As the group assembled, Mrs. Flournoy played very softly a Chinese hymn in keeping with the lesson on China. Following the opening hymn, "Footprints of Jesus," Group One had charge of the program.

The devotion, "What Do You Think Of Christ?" Mrs. James Latimer; "A Letter From A Chinese Girl," Mrs. C. R. West; Missionary Lesson, "The Will Is Chief," Mrs. W. J. Armstrong; Hymn of Prayer and Consecration — "Have Thine Own Way." Mrs. Sam Kimmell presided over the business session where routine business was transacted. Roll call of Groups and Committee reports were heard. Mrs. Armstrong spoke briefly of



Mr. and Mrs. John E. Cummins who were married recently in Houston are pictured above.

the project sending medical supplies to the Philippines and asked that each group be responsible for assembling articles.

Committees were appointed to composed of the Program leader Breakfast. A committee from each group is to meet with Mrs. Armstrong on March 29 and 10 a. m. to make plans for the Pre-Easter Prayer Service Group appointments for April are as follows: Group One, Decoration; Two, Program; Three, Hospitality; Four, Social Service.

The meeting was adjourned following the missionary benediction.

## Luncheon Honors Birthday of Club

The fifteenth birthday of World Home Demonstration club was celebrated with a luncheon at 1 o'clock Thursday in the home of Mrs. J. E. Shirley. The meal was served buffet style from the dining table with members seat-

ed at quartet tables while eating. Invocation was offered by Mrs. Cora Plumlee. The large birthday cake was cut by two charter members, Mrs. Clint Britain and Miss Willie Word, and passed to the group.

During the afternoon Mrs. W. C. Clements directed the recreation. Those present were Mesdames Jess Youngblood, Roy Fenley, Omar Fenley, Clint Brit-

ain, M. P. Farnsworth, Cora Plumlee, Rudolph Schaefer, Ernest Schaefer, W. J. Kelley, J. D. Hall, D. P. King, W. C. Clements, Ira Strawn, Velma Thurman, Miss Alice Bacon, Miss Willie Word and two visitors, Mrs. E. D. Arner, mother of Mrs. W. J. Kelley; Mrs. D. L. Kisher and the hostess, Mrs. Shirley.

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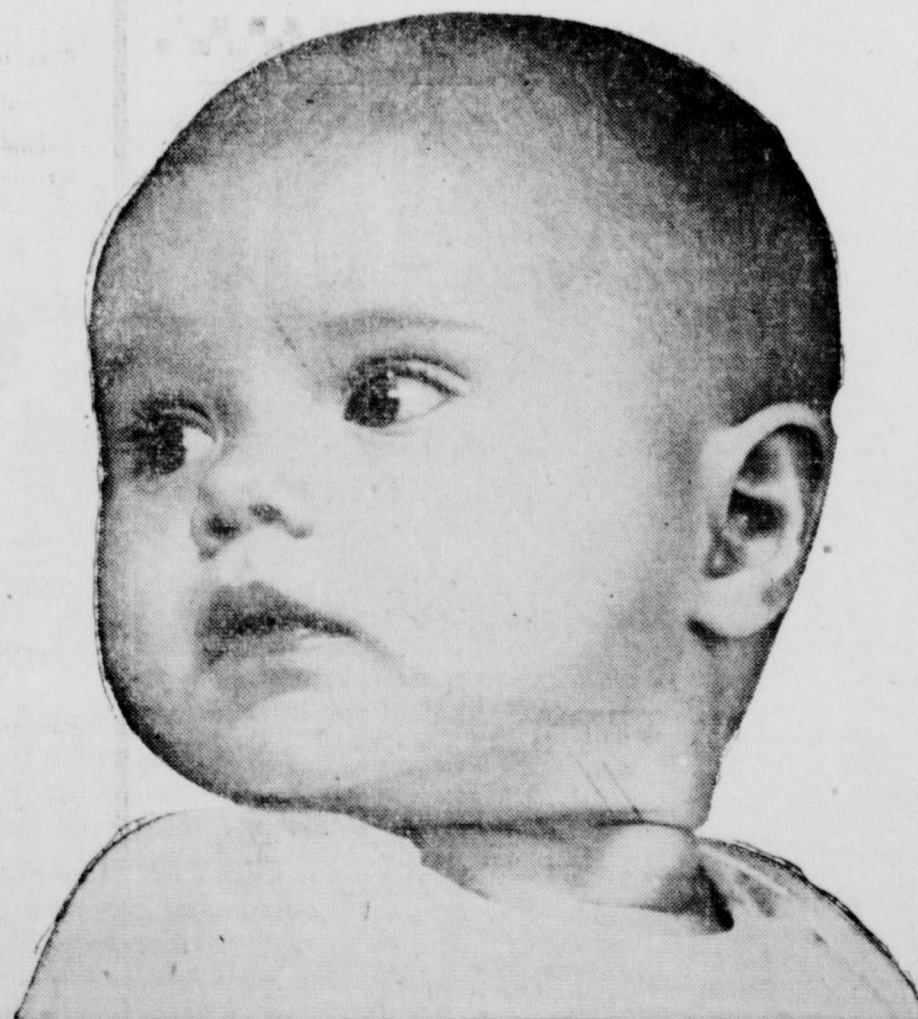
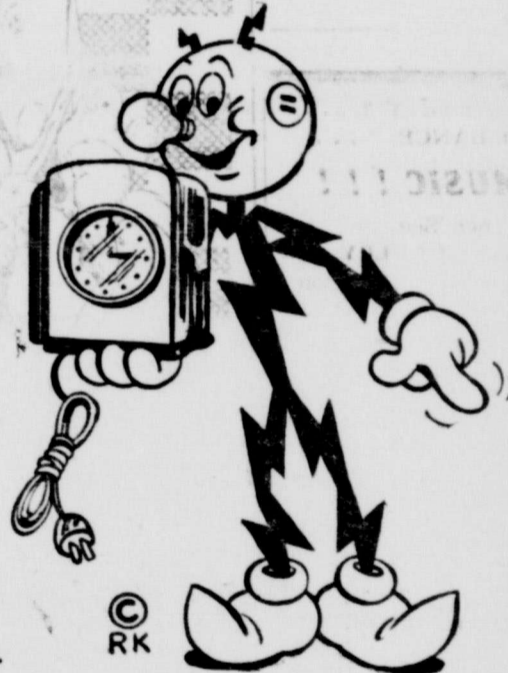
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### 4-H Club Awards Stress Farm Woodlot Management



Farm young people everywhere are taking increased interest in forest management. These two youths are receiving a lesson in the use of the increment borer, an instrument used to determine growth rate of trees. Professional forester, right, instructs.

For the second straight year local farm boys and girls have a chance to compete for state and national awards in a 4-H club forestry project. Three hundred dollar college scholarships plus all-expense paid trips to the 1949 4-H Club Congress in Chicago will go to four national winners in the forestry contest.

Four-H Club members interested in forestry are eligible to compete. In addition to the four top awards, to be distributed on a regional basis, each of the state winners will receive a gold medal.

The 4-H forestry project emphasizes youth's stake in the woodlands of this state. Farmer owned woodlands today constitute a major portion of the Nation's commercial forest area. They represent also a steady source of wealth to their owners that in many cases is virtually untapped.

American Forest Products Industries, a national, non-profit association of wood-dependent industries, is sponsor of the 4-H forestry awards. Last year 18 states participated in the national forestry competition. College scholarships went to club members representing Idaho, Georgia, New York and Wisconsin.

"Opportunities for farmers, who manage their woodlands for continuing forest crops, are greater today than ever before," Charles A. Gillett, managing director of American Forest Products Industries, declared in announcing his organization's sponsorship of the 1949 award. "The importance of good forest management practices on the Nation's farms cannot be over emphasized."

Detailed information about the 4-H forestry project may be obtained from the county extension agent.

### Methodist Society Meets At Church

Women's Society of Christian Service of First Methodist Church met Tuesday afternoon in a general meeting at the church for the final chapters of the book, "Newness of Life."

Mrs. Paul Woods was in charge and gave a short talk after which the meeting was turned to Miss Ursula Leverage who brought the lesson from the book, "Newness of Life," and discussed the final chapters on "Maturity."

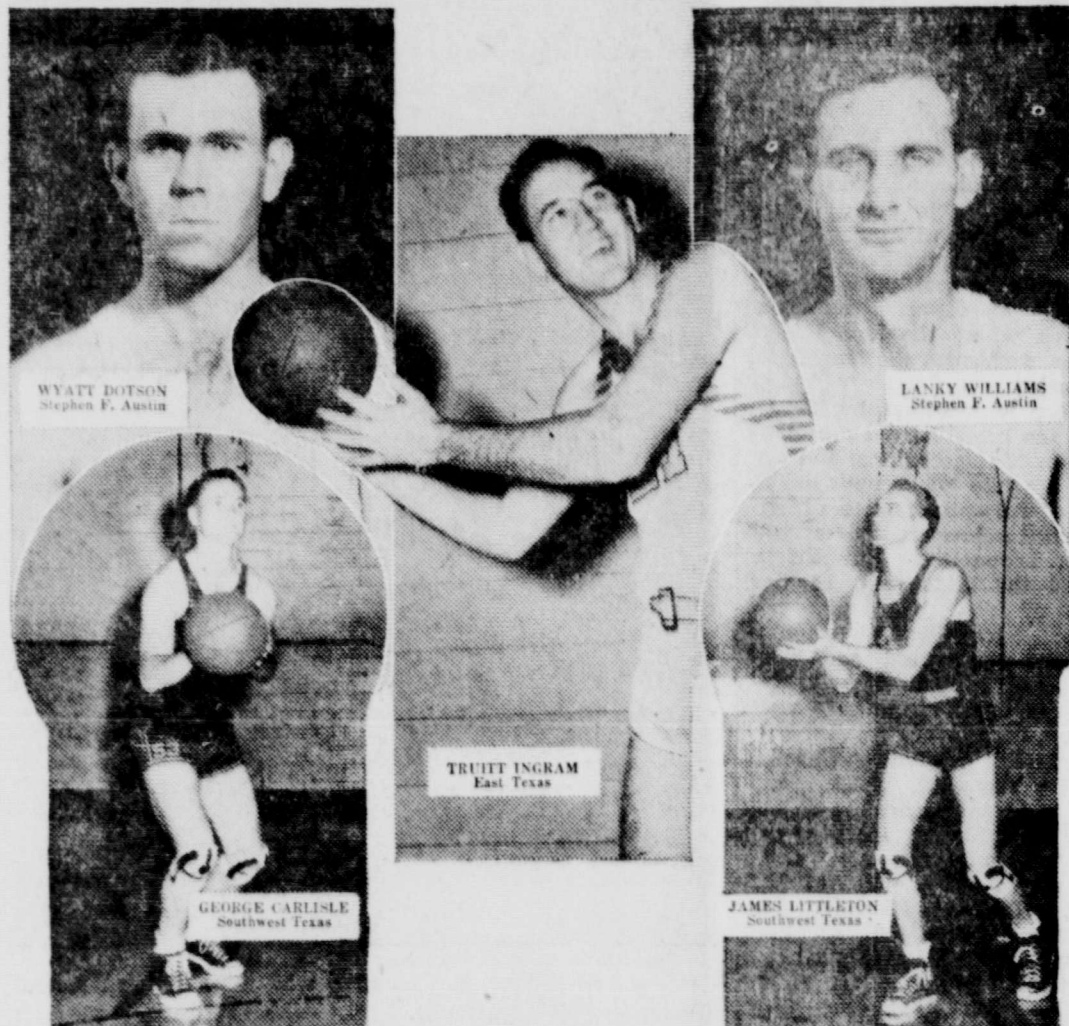
A round table discussion followed. Prayer by Mrs. Claude P. Jones adjourned the meeting. Those present were: Miss Ura Leveridge; and Mesdames Claude P. Jones, W. E. Ricks, S. H. Nance, Carrel Smith, J. T. Anderson, T. J. Dean, Paul M. Woods, P. Pettit, B. E. Stewart and granddaughter, Mary Martha Borman.

### Announcement Tea And Shower Honor Miss Jane Hooker

Mrs. Otis Edwards and Mrs. W. W. Nix were hostesses Wednesday, March 23, in the Nix home with an announcement tea and shower for Miss Jane Hooker whose marriage to Mr. Orville Dow will take place at Austin March 26. The lace laid table was centered with a

beautiful arrangement of white gladiolus from which pink streamers extended bearing the words, Jane and Orville, March 26. Pink candles in crystal holders flanked the sides of the centerpiece.

Refreshment plates of cake and nuts with delicious fruit punch were served. The house party included Mrs. Edwards, Mrs. Nix, Mrs. H. H. Calloway, Mrs. W. I. Bisbee



1949 ALL-LONE STAR CONFERENCE CAGERS—Three of the seven member colleges are represented on the official All-Lone Star Conference basketball team for 1949, as selected by the coaches and players. Stephen F. Austin and Southwest Texas placed two men each and East Texas placed one man. The only unanimous choice was Wyatt Dotson, Stephen F. Austin forward. Others selected were James Littleton and George Carlisle, Southwest Texas; Truitt Ingram, East Texas; and Lanky Williams, Stephen F. Austin. Littleton was chosen for the all-conference teams in 1947-1948. Carlisle and Ingram were selected for the 1948 team. Dotson and Williams were selected this year for the first time

Mrs. D. I. Graves, Mrs. Ira Hooker, and Miss Jane Hooker. Approximately 50 guests called and sent gifts. Miss Hooker is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hooker of Route 2. She is a graduate of Western Union of Springfield, Mo., and was manager of the Cisco office until February of this year. Mr. Orville Dow is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Dow of Carrizosa, New Mexico. He is a graduate of the University of New Mexico and is now in the U. S. Air Corps, stationed at Austin where they will make their residence.

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**CROSS PLAINS NEWS**

General services for Mrs. Ma Clifton, 80, a resident of Haskell for the past 59 years and daughter of Von Clifton of Cross Plains, were conducted Monday afternoon at the Haskell church with Rev. Allen Webb officiating.

Clifton died shortly after one p. m. Sunday afternoon following several years of bad health.

Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Tension, who live near Cross Plains, have been notified of the arrival of their son, C. W. Tension, in Siapan in the central Pacific. He entered the service in October of this year.

Newton is one of 379 Texas State College for Women students named to the college honor-roll.

The Cross Plains annual Red Cross drive reached a total of \$470, twenty dollars over a set goal of \$450. V. C. Walker, campaign chairman, has announced.



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O. B. Edmondson was elected president of the Cross Plains Lakewood Country Club in a recent meeting of the stockholder for the ensuing year, it was announced. He succeeds Frank Robestson, retiring president.

John Lawrence, 58, a resident

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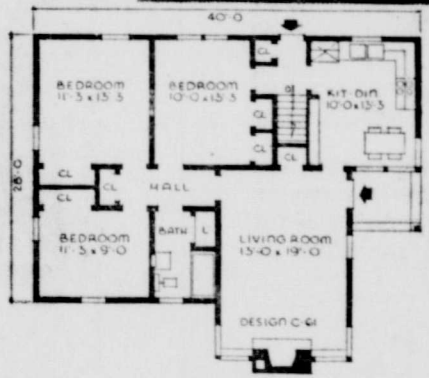
### ADMITS KILLING HER HUSBAND



Virginia and Ronald Wayne of Ma Barker's Boys, who comfort their mother, Mrs. Jennie Barker, who has admitted killing her husband, Lloyd. Mrs. Barker said she was afraid he was going to kill her and the children. Barker was the last listed high on the public enemy lists during the prohibition era in Oklahoma. The Barker family has resided in Denver for the past few years where Lloyd managed a restaurant. — ACME.

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# BRIEFLY TOLD PHONE 37

Mrs. C. A. Shockey went to San Antonio Friday where she is staying with her small grand children while their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Lewis, go to Corpus Christi where they were called by the death of Mr. Lewis' father.

Mrs. E. G. Marsh, Jr., an children, Suzann and Jana, left Saturday for their home in Austin after visiting several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Hampton have just returned from a pleasant vacation trip. They went to Natchez, Mississippi, to attend the annual Natchez Pilgrimage; seeing the historic old Southern mansions and beautiful flowers, enroute. They returned by New Orleans; and also visited other interesting places. They were accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Anna Roundtree of Whitney and Mrs. Hampton's sister, Mrs. Varney Hayes of Hillsboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Croft and son, Franklin II of Marble Falls were expected to arrive Saturday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Halbert.

Roy Camfield returned to Byrds Saturday after spending several days here with Mrs. Camfield in their home at 201 West Thirteenth.

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Mr. and Mrs. Van C. Berry and babies of San Antonio are weekend visitors in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Burnam and Mrs. Eddy Berry.

Mrs. S. L. Cook returned Saturday from Abilene where she spent several days with her daughter, Mrs. White, who will

Alvin King of Brownwood came in Saturday to join Mrs. King here for a weekend visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Williams spent Wednesday with relative at Putnam and were accompanied home by their son's wife, Mrs. Roy Lee Williams and her small son, of Fort Worth. They enjoyed a visit in Brownwood Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Ben B. Williams and Mr. and Mrs. J. Nelson Williams; and attended services at Moran Baptist church where their eldest son, Roy Lee Williams of Fort Worth is song leader for a revival meeting.

Word was received here Saturday that Misses Rose Ann Woods and Gloria Graham, vic-

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Mrs. Otis Strickland and two sons, Carlyle and Charles, went to Durant, Okla., Friday after attending the funeral of P. M. Buckner at Weatherford. They joined their husband and father, Rev. Strickland, who is closing a revival at Durant, Okla., today

and will accompany him to Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wagley have returned from Abilene where she spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Shirley. She reports that Mr. Shirley, who has been a hospital patient, is now much improved.

Mrs. Ira D. Hooker and Mr. Woodrow Nix went to Austin

Friday to attend the wedding of Mrs. Hooker's daughter, Miss Jane Hooker, to Orville Dow. The ceremony was scheduled to be performed Saturday.

Among friends attending the funeral and burial rites held in Weatherford Friday for P. M. Buckner were M. M. Tabor, G. C. Rosenthal, G. A. Eppler, W. C. Hogue, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Guinn, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Kee-

lan, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Clough, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Underwood, and Rev. and Mrs. Otis Strickland and sons.

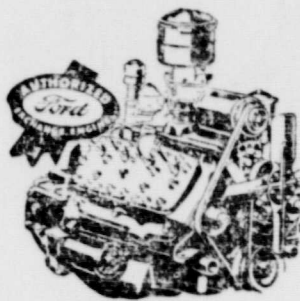
Mrs. R. R. Jones is visiting her daughter and husband in Austin for a few days. She went by Rising Star where she was joined by Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kornegay, Sr., who accompanied her and are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kornegay, Jr.

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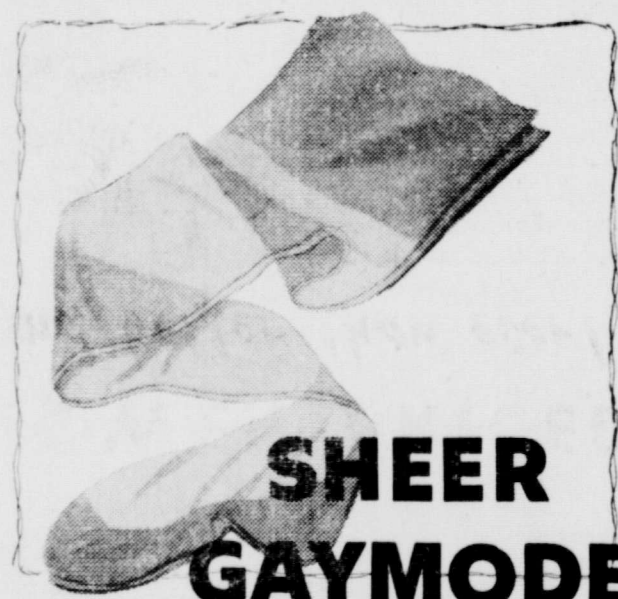
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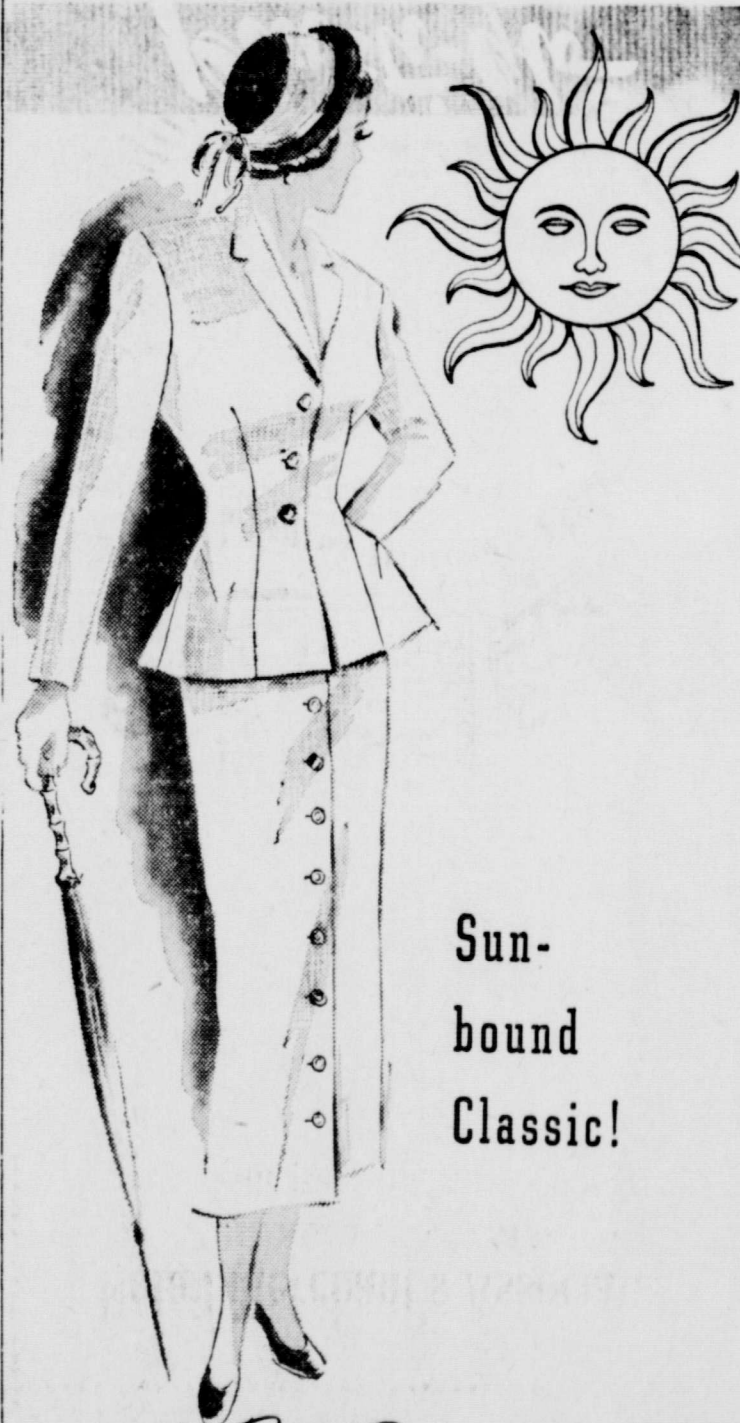
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