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# CISCO DAILY NEWS

CISCO—Pop. 13,500; 1,614 feet above sea; 5 lakes water; 5 rail exits; 5 paved highway exits; 127 blocks of paved streets; A-1 public schools and Randolph college; no mosquitoes; no malaria or typhoid of local origin.

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## TEXAS

By WILL H. MAYES, Austin.

**AIR PLANE ROUTES.**—The American Air Transport company, with headquarters for Texas in Dallas, will soon have its passenger planes covering West and South Texas. Plans are to route the first lines from Dallas via Fort Worth to Wichita Falls, Amarillo, Plainview, Lubbock, Midland, San Angelo and Austin and return. Efforts are being made to start the service by April 1. Intermediate points will be served as the business may justify. It is safe to predict that within a year passenger travel by air plane will be almost as popular as bus travel is now.

**TEXAS AIR FIELDS.**—The bill providing \$5,635,691 for airport improvements at military posts is on the president's desk awaiting his signature to become a law. It provides also for a new primary flying field and a new flying school at San Antonio. The equipment for the flying field is to cost \$524,999 and the cost of construction of the new school will run in excess of \$3,000,000. Some are provided for improvements at Fort Crockett, Fort Sam Houston, Brooks Field, Kelly Field, San Antonio air depot and Fort Sill, Okla. It is worth remembering and telling about that it is the number of clear days, the excellent visibility that induces the government to favor Texas with its flying fields and flying schools.

**MANY KINDS OF CLIMATE.**—Texas has enough kinds of weather in the different sections of the state last week to please the exacting, varying from ten inches of snow in North Texas to sunshiny spring days in South Texas. North Texas needed the snow to mellow and moisten the ground for its grain and South Texas liked the warmth and sunshine for its growing fruits and vegetables, so everybody was happy about the weather.

Texas is so large that its climate can please the most exacting. People from the North, accustomed to rigorous cold, can find a moderate, but cold enough climate in North Texas; those requiring or preferring more warmth can be satisfied with Central and South Texas. Come to Texas and take your choice; it is all good.

**COMING TO TEXAS.**—That sixty-one new concerns located, established branches, in Dallas in January is the encouraging report of the Dallas Chamber of Commerce. Most of these were industries; and the report says there are more active prospects for industrial locations than for any similar period in the history of the city. What is doing in Dallas can be done in proportionate measure anywhere in Texas, for the eyes of industry are fixed on Texas now as never before. This clause from the Dallas report should be clipped and pasted where you can see it constantly.

**ORIENT EXTENSION PROBABLE.**—George G. Bacallier, engineer for the National Railroads of Mexico, is authority for the statement that the Kansas City, Mexico and Orient railroad is asking the Mexican government for a permit to build a bridge across the Rio Grande at Del Rio. Mexican consul Lisandro confirms this report, and says that work will probably be started soon on the road from San Carlos to Villa Acuna, a distance of 22 miles, data, cost of construction, etc., now being compiled. This taken to mean that the Orient is planning early completion of the San Angelo-Del Rio line to a Mexican connection.

**FIGHTING TUBERCULOSIS.**—It is cheaper for the state to keep those predisposed to tuberculosis informed how to keep out of the state sanatorium than it is to take care of and treat them after the disease is contracted. That is the reason back of the campaign to be conducted in March throughout the country by the National Tuberculosis association. The Texas State Sanatorium will co-operate in this educational movement for the avoidance of tuberculosis and "hopes to reawaken the medical profession to the early signs of the disease."

**MINING SCHOOL GROWS.**—Since the School of Mines at El Paso has practically become a junior college by the addition of the courses required for first and second year collegiate training, 500 per cent increase is reported in the enrollment, most of it being from the El Paso public schools. The mining feature is said to have become largely subordinated to the junior college work, and the school is asking for increased funds.

# ASK 10 PER CENT LESS COTTON

## Five Jurors Named to Try Helms

### SPECTATORS FEW DURING A. M. SESSION

Five jurors had been selected for the Henry Helms trial when court recessed for noon today. It is a slow process, but court house attaches thought the remaining seven might be secured this afternoon. The five jurors are: J. W. TUNE, Rising Star; CARL IRBY, Rising Star; C. H. SUITE, Rising Star; E. H. HARKRIDER, Eastland; J. L. BROWN, Ranger. Less than a dozen spectators were in the court room during the morning session, although there was more or less coming and going. There is much interest in the case, but little to attract the curious during the selection of the jury. Court is being held in the auditorium of the city hall, where there is seating capacity for several hundred on the main floor. The stage has been fitted up for the bench, jury box and for the attorneys and others connected with the trial. Doubtless the auditorium will be filled to capacity when the taking of testimony in the trial begins, which will be as soon as the jury panel is completed, and spectators will be much more comfortable in the present court room than in the small quarters in the old court house. The Daily News will give its readers full reports of the trial from day to day.

### COLONY WILL PLANT TREES FEBRUARY 22

**COLONY SCHOOL HOUSE.** Feb. 21.—There will be tree planting at the Colony school house tomorrow when 42 paper shell pecans will be planted. The patrons and the general well wishers of Colony are donating a part of these trees, the school board is buying the balance of them. This will be treated as a patriotic duty, as well as a get-together of the citizens of this and surrounding communities. All are invited to come out and be with the best bunch in the county, and bring a well-filled basket, for this is an all-day affair. We especially invite all the surrounding schools and their entire citizenship to come out and be with us. There will be in all probability, a ball game or two in the afternoon, as Colony has two crackerjack teams that are 'arin' to go.

A contagion that had us about isolated for a time is now passed, leaving a bunch or sore arms, and the worries attendant with things of that nature. School had to be turned out last Tuesday on account of sorearms. We resumed school Monday, however. A general check up of pupils and teachers seems to warrant it. The school board lined up the entire community, or those that were of a willing mind, and had a doctor to come out and vaccinate them. Those who had a contagion are asked to use a fumigator of some kind before sending the children back to school. The school house was thoroughly and painstakingly fumigated. We are grateful to those of our friends who cooperated with us in stamping out the disease. They are a bunch of good sports and we don't mean maybe.

**Postoffice Closes All Day Tomorrow**  
The Cisco postoffice will be closed all day tomorrow for general business. Postmaster J. W. Tripping, "but as usual we will have the general delivery window open from 9 to 10 o'clock, so those without lock boxes may not be deprived of their mail. However, those wishing this accommodation must call for their mail between 9 and 10 o'clock, as the force will be given a holiday in observance of the anniversary of George Washington's birthday," the postmaster said.

**FOUR DRUNKS PAY CITY USUAL FINES**  
Police were called to a local hotel Monday night where four were arrested and held at the city hall till this morning. They plead guilty to the charge of drunkenness, and were released on payment of the usual fines.

### CHIEF FIGURES IN FATAL LOVE TRIANGLE



Catherine McAnnulla (left), Detroit beauty parlor owner, was shot and killed by her brother-in-law, Thomas Rath (center), a former policeman, who then turned the gun on himself. Mrs. Edith Rath, his wife (right), said she knew of her husband's affair with her sister and had told him to "choose between us." The double shooting took place in the beauty parlor, throwing workers and patrons into a panic. (International Illustrated News)

### HILLBURN PAIR CELEBRATE 50 WEDDED YEARS

To live in wedded bliss for 50 years is an achievement for any couple to be proud of. That is the experience of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Shook of the Hillburn community, about 20 miles southwest of Cisco. Monday was the 50th anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Shook, and the event was celebrated with a great dinner and the gathering of several of their children and grandchildren, with a few neighbors. It was a happy affair, in which the honorees took an active part and were the recipients of heartfelt congratulations from both relatives and friends, there being 36 persons for the dinner and celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. Shook were married in North Carolina, where they were born. They came to Texas in 1905, settling on the farm where they have lived since then. Mr. Shook has seen 71 winters, and his life companion has weathered 68 of the same. Both are in the best of health and seem destined to celebrate many more very pleasant anniversaries of the same kind.

Four sons and four daughters were born to the couple, six of the children, all married, live in Texas, while one son, Ernest, makes his home in Kansas. One daughter is dead. Present at Monday's celebration were: Claude and Jay Shook and their families, of Wichita Falls; Mrs. J. T. Harris and family, of Rising Star; Mrs. Merritt Dill and family, of Cross Plains, and P. N. Mattox, son-in-law, and family, of Baird. Those absent were Ernest Shook of Kansas, C. M. Shook of Arlington, and Mrs. Emma Hutton of Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Shook worked and managed to get along on the farm they bought in the Hillburn community, where the large family was reared, but it was not until oil was found in that vicinity that real prosperity came to them. They are now "sittin' pretty." If slang may be permitted to describe their condition, with several wells on their property, and royalties coming regularly.

The Daily News joins their friends in congratulations and the wish that they may live to enjoy many more wedding anniversaries.

**TEXAS WOMAN MARRIES ROME U. S. ATTACHE**  
PARIS, France, Feb. 21.—Eleanor Barclay, of San Antonio, Texas, was married at the American cathedral here today to Harold Tippman, second secretary in the United States embassy in Rome.

### \$1,500,000 BONDS APPROVED FOR NUECES DIST.

AUSTIN, Feb. 21.—A million and a half issue of Nueces county navigation district No. 1 bonds, bearing 5 per cent interest, and maturing serially, has been approved by the attorney general, it was learned today.

### MORNING FIRE DAMAGES ROOF OF HOME HERE

An alarm this morning at 3 o'clock called the department to 908 F avenue, where the house occupied by W. O. Sides, who conducts a second hand store opposite the Daniels hotel, was found to be on fire. When discovered by a young daughter of Mr. Sides, the blaze was found to be in the stairway to the attic, where it was said a box of matches was kept in an old trunk. The presumption is that rats got into the matches and caused the blaze. The house is owned by Reece Porter, of Rising Star, which was damaged to the extent of \$1,000, according to the estimates of the fire chief. The entire roof was burned, the firemen said. Mr. Sides succeeded in saving most of his household effects.

### YOUTH HELD FOR MURDER OF MEXICAN

CORPUS CHRISTI, Feb. 21.—Ripley Terrell, wealthy Victoria youth, is held without bail under a murder charge in the county jail here, after the fatal shooting of Abelardo Gonzalez on the causeway here late yesterday. The shooting was the outgrowth of a collision between two automobiles.

### JUDGE CLEARS POLICE CHIEF ALL CHARGES

LISBON, Ohio, Feb. 21.—S. A. Lengel, former Canton police chief, was today freed of charges of first degree murder in the killing of Don R. Mellett, crusading editor of the Canton Daily News on July 16, 1926. He had previously been sentenced to life imprisonment. Judge William Jones today directed a verdict of acquittal on the grounds that the evidence was insufficient.

### ELEVEN MEN ENTOMBED IN MINE BLAST

NEW KENSINGTON, Penn., Feb. 21.—Two mine rescue teams this morning rescued one man alive and removed two bodies from the Kinloch mine of the Valley Camp Coal company, where 14 men were entombed by an explosion last night. Eleven men are believed still entombed a mile and a half from the entrance.

**Brownwood Girls Kitten Victims**  
The winning streak of the Randolph Kittens is unbroken, they having defeated the girls of Daniel Baker college in Brownwood last night, by a score of 51 to 29. It is said to have been a good game, although the score would indicate that the Kittens had a walkover. There isn't much walking done in basketball as the Kittens play it, however.

**HENLEY-HART FLIGHT AGAIN IS DELAYED**  
FORT WORTH, Feb. 21.—A steady drizzle beginning at 8:30 this morning caused a postponement of the test of the runway at Hicks field, preparatory to taking off on the endurance flight by Al Henley and Joe Hart. These fliers have encountered the most disheartening delays in making the attempt to west the record from Germany, but they state that they will take off at the first opportunity.

### Committee Makes Report Asking Reduction In Acreage; Opposes Attempt at Regulation by Law

### MRS. LAMBERT DIED MONDAY AT 5 O'CLOCK

The extended illness of Mrs. Melvina Lambert, mother of Mrs. J. V. Heyser, partially prepared the family and friends for the shock that her passing occasioned Monday, when it was announced that this estimable lady had died at 5 o'clock, that afternoon. Surrounded by her children and friends every human aid possible was rendered to alleviate her suffering until she quietly went into her last sleep.

Mrs. Lambert was the widow of Dr. S. Lambert, for many years a leading physician and former mayor of Owensboro, Ky., which was the home of Mrs. Lambert for most of her life until she came to Cisco a few years ago to make her home with her daughter, and where she and her husband were prominent in the affairs of that city. Since coming to live at the river home, owing to her advanced years, Mrs. Lambert had naturally led a secluded life, but those with whom she mingled loved this saintly lady for her beautiful character and many womanly graces, so beautiful in those who in the winter of a most useful life can look back with few regrets and many happy recollections for service rendered in their more active days.

Mrs. Lambert was 81 years of age last December, but her features were hardly marked by the passing of years, and her tranquil life was reflected in the beautiful features even when her immortal soul had taken its flight to that "home eternal in the heavens."

The remains of this lovely aged lady will be sent back to her native city, Owensboro, Ky., where she will rest beside the grave of her husband. Until the hour of departure of the funeral train bearing the remains to the Kentucky city at 9:53 Thursday morning, the body will lie in state at the chapel of the Green funeral home, where it was prepared for shipment, and there Thursday morning at 8:30 a brief funeral service will be held by Rev. Acker C. Miller, pastor of the First Baptist church, but the actual funeral will be held upon the arrival of the remains at Owensboro by Reverend Humphrey, pastor of the First Baptist church of that city, in which the services will be held. A son, K. W. Lambert, and wife, will join the funeral party at St. Louis, and a daughter, Mrs. C. W. Pruitt, is now enroute to Owensboro. Mrs. Heyser will accompany the body back to Kentucky.

Her son, L. D. Heyser and wife, and her grandson, J. C. Heyser and wife, were here when Mrs. Lambert died.

The surviving children of Mrs. Lambert are Mrs. J. V. Heyser, Cisco; L. D. Heyser, Amarillo; K. W. Lambert, Effingham, Ill.; and Mrs. C. W. Pruitt, Bremerton, Wash.

**WIRE FLASHES**  
AUSTIN, Feb. 21.—Former United States Postmaster General Bursison today unequivocally endorsed Gov. Al Smith as the party's nominee for president. He declared the prohibition issue should not be soft-pedaled as advised. He declared that Smith's stand is like President Wilson's when the latter vetoed the Volstead act.

**MEETINGS TONIGHT**  
Order of Eastern Star in Masonic Temple, at 7:30 p. m.  
**MEETINGS TOMORROW**  
Lions Club, 12:15 p. m.

JACKSON, Miss., Feb. 21.—Ten per cent cotton acreage reduction this year was recommended today by the resolutions committee of the Southwide Cotton conference, in its report to Governor Moody, chairman of the meeting. The committee went on record as opposing any attempt to regulate cotton planting by state laws.

The second day of the conference opened this morning with little before it other than to await the report of the resolutions committee appointed last night. Every cotton producing state had representation on the committee, which took under advisement the plan of Senator Roberts of Mississippi for the control of cotton acreage by state law. Clarence Quisley, of Texas, has asked that the government regulate cotton acreage.

### RAIN DELAYS REPUBLICANS REACHING CITY

Owing to the rain this morning the party headed by Hon. E. B. Creager, Republican national committeeman, did not reach Cisco until 2 o'clock this afternoon, and the lunch prepared for the visitors at the Cisco Country club was kept waiting until their arrival, where a few leading Cisco people joined the local Republicans in entertaining the visitors. The delay in the arrival of the Creager party was occasioned by the rain, which fell all day, making automobile travel slow and difficult. Hon. F. A. Blankenbiller motored to Coleman this morning where he met the party, and conveyed them to Cisco.

In consequence of this delay the conference was also deferred, but during the interim many Republicans from neighboring towns here for the conference, met at the chamber of commerce where problems of the party were discussed. After a luncheon Mr. Creager was taken to the chamber of commerce where he was welcomed by local and visiting members of the party.

### VISITING ELKS GUESTS CISCO LODGE MONDAY

A large number of visiting and local Elks were present at the meeting of Cisco lodge Monday night on the occasion of the visit to this lodge of District Deputy Exalted Ruler W. D. Girard. Among the Elks who greeted Mr. Girard on this occasion many came from surrounding towns, and were the guests of the Cisco lodge while here. Mr. Girard had some nice things to say of the Cisco Elks, as well as the lodges of Eastland and Ranger, having recently visited those lodges.

The visitors here to meet the district deputy exalted ruler, W. K. Jackson, Eastland, exalted ruler Eastland lodge; H. Goodman, past exalted ruler, Eastland lodge; W. W. Osenbough, Sullivan, Ind.; J. L. Cottonham, J. A. Hillier, E. J. Lobough, E. Massey, Marshall Knox, Lester Harlan, C. H. Kimbrell, Guy T. Duncan, Joseph C. Stephen, E. Massengale, Ralph D. Mahon, E. N. Francis, D. P. Leary, N. N. Rosenquist, Eastland; Wade Swift, B. F. Gilmore, E. S. Swoveland, Art Flahey, Happy Leigh, Ranger.

**Favorable Reports From Mrs. Brecheen**  
Reports reached Cisco today that Mrs. W. D. Brecheen, who was operated upon at a hospital at Fort Worth Monday morning, that her symptoms today were splendid, and that she had passed a good night Monday after the operation.

**AUTO ACCESSORY SHOP BE OPENED IN CISCO**  
The building formerly occupied by the Cisco Daily News, is being fitted up for W. A. Davis, the Daily News is informed, who will soon open a wholesale house of auto accessories. Mr. Davis comes to Cisco from Fort Worth, and is pleased with the business outlook for Cisco.

**Inc. H. Garne**  
THE DEPENDABLE STORE  
Cisco's Big Department

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OUR FUNDAMENTAL LAW

In every great crisis Our Country has been held together by sticking to fundamentals as laid down in the Constitution of the United States.

We witness this every day in our state legislatures, in congress and in initiative measures. A man who raises his voice against the destructive process is often criticized as a reactionary, an enemy of the people or a tool of big business.

But when danger assails the nation, we all rush back to the shelter of our constitution. What safeguard would we have, if its fundamental soundness had been destroyed by the attempted tamperings of more than a century?

The New York Herald of January 22, published a cartoon showing a log jam. Two loggers were breaking up this jam of logs, each of which was marked "a law," and the loggers were marked "legislators."

Some day we will reach a crisis in our legislative hysteria, and then we will again be forced to fall back on the guaranties and protection afforded by our fundamental law contained in our federal and state constitutions.

SOUND ADVICE ON TARIFF

In a recent statement on the tariff, Representative Tilsen of Connecticut said: "A protective tariff has become the accepted American policy. While rates may well be changed as conditions change, the policy itself should not be altered or endangered."

MURDER AND SELF-CONTROL

It can be argued plausibly that "all murderers are insane at the time of the murder." Murder is an irrational thing. To kill another person, except by public sanction in recognized warfare or official duty or self-defense, is unnatural.

SOME ARE AT HOME

Not long ago a British authoress had something to say about the restlessness of American women. Now a French author, Andre Maurois, has much the same thing to say about the American business man.

In New York. A business man returns home at 7 o'clock worn out, but he goes out then for dinner and to the movies. In general, the American home sees very little of its inmates.

JOBS AND LIVES

The average length of life is 47 years, according to Dr. J. M. Dodson of the American Medical association. This is less than we have been led to expect from other figures published recently.

Human Interest Editorial.

By Wickes Wamboldt

HEADS I WIN

A woman called up her butcher and ordered some round steak and asked, "How much are you charging for it?"

Personal Opinions

By W. H. ALBURN

LYING IN COURT

"Perjury is increasing in the courts," says a prominent judge. "And if truth is spoken in the courts, how can there be justice?"

RECIPE

This is a Father-and-Son Sandwich. Rest of the family—lay off! Directions to father: First make sure that son is observing. Take a graham cracker, spread it liberally with butter—generally because grandma cracker is sensitive about being spread.

LET LINDY ALONE

Now that Lindbergh has finished his Latin-American circuit, Representative Connally of Texas wants him to "stop flying and devote his life to aviation."

NEW HOMES

The Copper and Brass Research association says the American people will spend this year for new construction about \$10,000,000,000, of which 55 per cent will go for new homes.

QUICK REFERENCE CLASSIFIED ADS

There is a Place for Everything and Everything in Its Place

—These inexpensive advertisements are a "Clearing House" for most everything, such as Buying, Selling, Renting, Restoring Lost articles, Finding Help or Employment and Securing New Patronage for your business.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES AND REGULATIONS

ALL CLASSIFIED advertising is payable in advance, but copy MAY be telephoned to the Cisco Daily News office and paid for as soon as collector calls.

RATES: Two cents per word for one time; four cents per word for three times; eight cents per word for six times; twenty-five cents per word for one month; and sixty-five cents per word for three months order.

CLOSING HOUR: Copy received up to 10:00 a. m. will be published the same day.

DISTRIBUTION: A one time ad will be printed in at least 225 papers and reach a reader interest of an average of five persons to each paper or more than 11,000 people.

TELEPHONE 89 and place your copy with understanding that payment will be made at once, collector will call the same day or day following. Copy is received any hour from 8:00 a. m. until 5:00 p. m.

longer and do more to increase general values. There must be more interest in homes than you'd think, to hear the social alarmists. If people are not interested in homes, why do they build so many and pay so much for them? As a matter of fact, most of us spend most of our time at home.

WINTER HEAT

A London engineering journal urges its readers "to make their own heat." They do that more in England than we do here.

POLITICAL

The Cisco Daily News is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to the action of the Democratic primary election in July.

Announcements

The Rotary club meets every Thursday at Garner hall, at 12:15. Visiting Rotarians always welcome.

Real Estate

ABILENE, Feb. 21.—Rabbits and wolves are causing much damage in this section and farmers are organizing drives to slay them in large numbers.

Employment

WANTED—Young lady wants position nursing; has had experience; good reference. Phone Miss Sanders at Ruppert's Bakery for information.

For Sale

PRESTO-LITE RADIO Power Units; also batteries for all cars; 8-hour re-charging service. City Garage & Battery Co., 102 East Seventh street, Phone 498.

For Sale

FOR SALE—Two thoroughbred Tugenberg milk goats, 1501 C Avenue, Cisco, Texas. Phone 771.

For Sale

FOR SALE—New four room residence; a bargain. See owner, 1506 N Avenue.

For Sale

FOR SALE—Three room furnished apartment, 401 West Tenth street.

For Sale

FOR SALE—New furnished apartment; built in fixtures; garage, 405 West Tenth street.

For Sale

FOR SALE—Light housekeeping rooms, with garage, 1300 M Avenue, Phone 545J.

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SITUATIONS WANTED 17 WANTED—Young lady wants position nursing; has had experience; good reference. Phone Miss Sanders at Ruppert's Bakery for information.

WANTED—Washing at reasonable rates. See Mrs. Wende, west side of Rising Star highway, one mile from town.

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PERHAPS you have some pet animals for sale. These little wonder working ads will send you all the buyers you want. Phone 89.

BROWNWOOD MAN FOUND SHOT TO DEATH

BROWNWOOD, Feb. 21.—Joe H. Hannah, 35, drilling contractor, was found dead on the floor of a room in his home by his wife Monday afternoon.

BOARD AND ROOMS

FOR RENT—Desirable bedroom; close in; with or without board, 404 West Broadway, Phone 568J.

FURNISHED ROOMS

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms, with garage, 1300 M Avenue, Phone 545J.

FOR RENT—Three rooms, cheap. See Daddy Evans.

FOR RENT—One nicely furnished front bedroom; adjoining bath; with garage, 1007 West Seventh street.

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms; garage; on paved street, 909 West Ninth street.

FOR RENT—Nice southeast bedroom; next to bath; all conveniences; will also furnish garage, 706 West Ninth street. E. O. Elliott, at Elliott Drug.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, 108 East Thirteenth street.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms; modern kitchen, 709 West Thirteenth street.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished bedroom; convenient to bath, 300 West Sixth street.

THE EASIEST WAY to keep your rooms rented is the Daily News classified way. Call 89.

ALEXANDER HOTEL—American meals, 50c; weekly rates, Chicken dinners Sunday, 50c.

BABY SWALLOWED AN OPEN SAFETY PIN

MARSHALL, Feb. 21.—The 7-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Niblett, of Hughes Springs was taken to New Orleans Friday night for an operation to remove an open safety pin the child had swallowed a few days ago.

We have a good supply of the most beautiful hardy roses, suited to this section of the state. Clyde Nursery, Clyde, Texas.

GAME WARDEN FAVORS CROW EXTERMINATION

ABILENE, Feb. 21.—Rabbits and wolves are causing much damage in this section and farmers are organizing drives to slay them in large numbers but Tom St. John deputy state game warden for this district, has issued an appeal to sportsmen to organize crow drives.

There are many thousands of crows in my district. They feed on small quail eggs and young quail, not to speak of home gardens, young corn and other young crops. They should be killed and those who enjoy shooting can find much diversion in doing this," said the game warden.

Chinese elms, Lombardy poplars, honey locust, sycamore, 50 cents to \$1 each at the Clyde Nursery. 2511f

For Sale

STRUCTURAL STEEL FOR SALE CHEAP—Channels from 4 inches to 12 inches; I-beams from 4 inches to 12 inches, all in lengths to 32 feet. Material from the county court house and is clean and free from rust. See Simmons & Co., Stablefield Bldg., Eastland.

SEED, PLANTS AND FEED... 26 FOR SALE—Seed potatoes, Nancy Hall variety; also rating potatoes, Oscar Penn, Cisco Route Four.

Rentals

APARTMENTS FOR RENT... 27 FOR RENT—Two room apartment, furnished Cisco Hotel, East Sixth street.

FOR RENT—One furnished apartment; private entrance; close in, 406 West Tenth street.

FOR RENT—New furnished apartment; built in fixtures; garage, 405 West Tenth street.

FOR RENT—Three room furnished apartment, 401 West Tenth street.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished apartment. Call at 1011 West Twelfth street or 508 West Ninth street, Phone 658.

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STRANGERS look here for boarding house ads. Obey that impulse. Phone an ad now, lest you forget. Phone 80.

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FOR RENT—Five room house with breakfast room; garden, 1700 D Avenue, See George Winston, 6-33

WANTED TO RENT... 34 WANTED—To rent four or five room house, Smith, at Moore-Shepard Drug.

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Texas and Pacific

No. 16, East (Texan)... 9:53 a. m. No. 4, East... 11:50 a. m. No. 6, East... 2:40 a. m. No. 10, East... 3:36 p. m. No. 1, West (Sunshine)... 5:49 p. m. No. 3, West... 2:00 p. m. No. 5, West... 12:30 a. m. No. 9, West... 2:40 a. m.

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WEST TO—Rising Star, Cross Plains, Coleman, Ballinger, San Angelo, 7:30 a. m., 10:00 a. m., 12:30 p. m., 3:00 p. m., 7:35 p. m.

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# Cotton Conference Gets Under Way; Crop Forecasts Hit

## Moody Takes Prominent Part in Parley; One Plan Before Body For Cutting Crop; Action Today

JACKSON, Miss., Feb. 21.—With concrete proposal for curbing cotton production before it, a resolutions committee will report to the conference of governors and their representatives here today on the best method of obtaining the desired results of higher prices through decreased production for the staple.

The conference which convened here Monday at the call of Governor Dan Moody of Texas devoted the entire day to speech making after preliminary organization and appointing its resolutions committee. Governor Moody was elected permanent chairman.

The meeting was given a political turn when State Senator W. B. Roberts of Bolivar county, Miss., forecast the nomination of Governor Moody for the vice presidency of the Democratic national convention in Houston. The prediction met with a storm of applause from the assembly of several hundred persons, the majority of whom were Texans and members of the Mississippi legislature.

Governor Moody did not refer to the reference in his address and declined to comment on it. He previously has said he would not seek the nomination.

Senator Roberts is the author of the proposal for restricting production, that being to enact legislation taxing farmers who plant more than 50 per cent of their acreage to cotton, or exercising the state's power to prohibit excess planting, in the interest of soil conservation.

clared the only hope for the cotton planters lies in his alliance with farmers of the Middle West and their concerted action in their own behalf. Ousley likened cotton farmers to gamblers over the green felt for planting cotton to the limit allowed by their bankers and then praying for a drought or boll weevil infestation with the hopes of boosting prices. Southern farmers love to plant plenty of cotton because it affords them plenty of time to loaf, he said.

A plea for cooperation from bankers and credit merchants in restricting cotton acreage was made by Ousley as one sure means of fuller crop and better prices.

### Marshall Ratliffe Now a Field Hand

EASTLAND, Feb. 21.—Deputy Sheriff Paine has just returned from a trip to the state prison farm near Richmond, Texas. He reports that while there he saw Marshall Ratliffe, recently sentenced to serve 99 years in the state penitentiary for his participation in the robbery of the First National bank of Cisco, December 23 last. Ratliffe was busy felling trees that abound on the prison farm.

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### Police Power Urged

Contending in the keynote address of the conference that legislative control of cotton acreage is the one and only practical remedy that can be applied, Senator Roberts declared:

"If the men assembled here the fortitude to bid the Mississippi legislature now in session to pass this law and that they will return to their homes and bid other legislatures to pass similar laws, hope will arise among the planters and there will be such an advance in the price of cotton immediately as has not been seen for years."

The proposal of Senator Roberts found disfavor with the Alabama delegation as expressed in the address of Governor Bibb Graves of that state who said it would be impossible to have all the legislatures in the cotton growing states enact such a law in time for it to be applied this year when the need for decreased acreage is most pressing.

Governor Moody, in opening his address, announced the administration of his state had set the pace for farmers through decreasing cotton acreage at the state penal farm from 27,000 acres planted last year to 23,000 this year. "Decreased acreage is the cotton planter's only hope for salvation," Governor Moody declared. An attack upon the department of agriculture for issuing guesses in the forecasts that effect the fortunes of others occupied a large portion of the address of the Texas executive.

### Crop Forecast Hit

"They have no business and it is beyond their province to issue such statements," Governor Moody declared in discussing a private report to New York brokers made last year by officials of the department of agriculture which he said caused a depression in the cotton market. No human can accurately estimate the cotton acreage and guess work should not be indulged in, he added.

A plea to the farmers, merchants and landlords, to cooperate in bringing about a reduction in cotton acreage was made by Governor Moody. We are here discussing a crop that is vital to 90 per cent of the world's population, Governor Moody said. "We are interested in having the farmer sell his crop at a profit instead of at a loss as in previous years."

"Education will help but we need assistance from other sources without stringent measures compelling the reduction of cotton acreage the farmer will never be able to dictate the price of his products as do other industries."

Clarence Ousley, director of the Texas Bureau of Safe Farming, de-

### That Baby You've Longed For

Mrs. Burton Advises Women on Motherhood and Companionship

"For several years I was denied the blessing of motherhood," writes Mrs. Margaret Burton of Kansas City. "I was terribly nervous and subject to periods of terrible suffering and melancholia. Now I am the proud mother of a beautiful little daughter and a true companion and inspiration to my husband. I believe hundreds of other women would like to know the secret of my happiness, and I will gladly reveal it to any married woman who will write me." Mrs. Burton offers her advice entirely without charge. She has nothing to sell. Letters should be addressed to Mrs. Margaret Burton, 2701 Massachusetts, Kansas City, Mo. Correspondence will be strictly confidential.—Adv.

## OF A SOCIAL NATURE

### The Week's Calendar

**Wednesday**  
Mrs. Walter Hayden and Mrs. E. L. Graham entertain with bridge at the recreation hall in Humboldt.

The Blue Bonnet Bridge club will meet with Mrs. W. T. Graham, at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday.

**Thursday**  
Gentlemen's evening will be enjoyed by the First Industrial Arts club with Mrs. Rosalie Pentecost and Mrs. C. L. Orn as hostesses.

Mothers' club meets at the recreation hall in Humboldt.

Trey Bridge club meets with Mrs. Dick Lauderdale.

**Friday**  
The Twelve and One Bridge club meets with Mrs. M. D. Paschall, Jr. The Cisco Music Study club will meet with Mrs. Wm. Hoyt, 805 West Thirteenth street, Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Chapters 5 and 6 will be studied.

### Benefit Bridge Party In Rising Star

Mrs. E. M. Howard and Mrs. Bertha Maynard of Rising Star, entertained the ladies of the Episcopal guild with a luncheon and benefit bridge party at their home in Rising Star Monday. The George Washington motif was carried out in the decorations and tallies, and was also carried out in the refreshments. In the game Mrs. Don Sivalls was awarded the high score prize and Mrs. Hamfield the consolation. The following guests were present: Mesdames E. E. Jones, Charles Robert, J. A. Bearman, Don Sivalls, Bob Gilman, Hamfield, Nina Phillips, R. C. Hayes, L. A. Warren, L. H. Blackstock, D. D. Walker, Charles Trammell, Misses Grace Gilman, Mary Gresham and the hostesses.

### Mrs. Almond Entertains At Country Club

Mrs. Jake Almond entertained the members and guests of the Humboldt bridge club Monday afternoon at the Country Club. The red, white and blue lights and George Washington emblems gave a most delightful atmosphere to the club. The hostess, assisted by Mrs. W. W. Wallace and Mrs. Herr, served brick ice cream and cake with miniature hatchets for favors. Mrs. C. L. Mount was awarded the high score prize for the guests, and Mrs. F. D. McMahon the high prize for club. Mrs. W. T. Graham won the

consolation prize and Mrs. P. R. Hanrahan of Houston, the cut prize. The following guests were present: Mesdames W. W. Wallace, Ted Mullinx, F. D. McMahon, Mike McGannon, C. C. Moore, J. O. Sue, John Ducker, W. B. Chapman, Hoyt Agnew, Will Cunningham, Bob Smart, Gordon Harris, James Bates, F. W. Murphy, L. Wrightman, F. A. Blankenbiller, L. D. Parks, J. E. T. Peters, Mc C. Carlisle, Jamison, P. R. Warwick, Rosalie Pentecost, P. R. Hanrahan of Houston, D. J. Moss, Oscar Cllett, C. B. Williams, Jack Kelly, A. C. Green, Marshall McCrea, Henry Benham, Herr, C. L. Mount, W. T. Graham, A. C. Elters.

Fielding Lee, O. W. Shepherd, L. A. Todd, Misses Mary Pea, Mayne Davis, Ruth Endicott, Ray Holland.

### Delphian Club Met Monday

The members of the Delphian chapter met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. H. Moyer. Mrs. O. T. Maxwell presided over the routine of business after which the program was turned over to Mrs. J. H. Moyer. "Milton" was the topic for discussion and Mrs. Moyer gave interesting summary of "Paradise Lost." Mrs. Maxwell read some of Milton's favored poems, and Mrs. H. I. Stock gave a summary of "Comus." After a very enthusiastic round table discussion, the meeting adjourned to meet two weeks from the past Monday.

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### RANGER YOUTH HELD FOR MULTIFARIOUS OFFENSES

A 23-year-old youth today is in the Ranger battle facing charges of drunkenness, fighting, disturbing the peace, using abusive language, resisting arrest, assault on an officer and displaying a dangerous weapon, and wonders what it is all about. The charges grew

out of an attack on the proprietor of a local drug store Sunday night. When Officers Vire and Ricker attempted to arrest the boy, he crashed a picture frame over Ricker's head, cutting several gashes in his face. The fines covering the charges amount to \$109.90 and Chief of Police Jim Ingram said Monday morning that all of the charges would be held against the youth until the total amount was paid.—Ranger Times.

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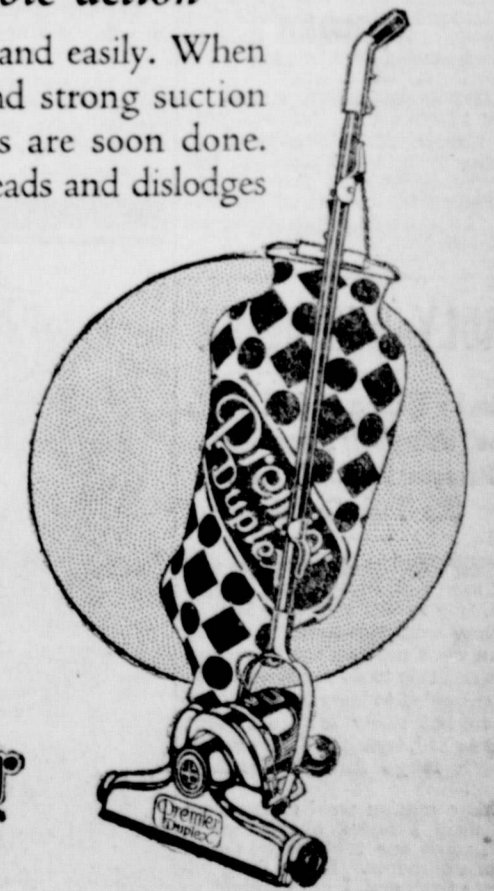
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# REED URGES PARTY UNITY AT DALLAS

DALLAS, Feb. 21.—Senator James A. Reed's platform on which he bases the candidacy, urged by his friends, for the Democratic nomination for the presidency and his appeal for party harmony, expressed in his speech at Dallas last night follows: "I appeal for a return of honesty in government and for the re-establishment of the old Democratic doctrine.

"I speak for the inalienable rights of the citizens for liberty of conscience without coercion, criticism or obloquy; for the preservation of the right of freedom of the press, peaceable assemblage, trial by jury and the re-establishment of local self government and the sovereignty of the states, for bringing the federal power within the limits not only of the letter but of the spirit of the constitution; for the abolition of government by boards and bureaus.

"For the equalization of the burdens of taxation; the repeal of all laws creating special privileges, and the dismissal of a vast army of spies, snipers, sneaks and informers.

"For the liberation of honest business from oppressive interference by government agents.

"The prosecution and punishment of those who by criminal conspiracy in restraint of trade make an honest business and for the swift and sure punishment of all public plunderers, bribe givers, election corruptors and other malefactors. These are the great issues. Upon many other problems we may be divided but here is a field on which the Democratic party can plant its banners, here is the ground where all Democrats may assemble and where Democratic victory may be achieved."

# Brownwood Exes Plan Annual Fete

BROWNWOOD, Feb. 21.—The annual banquet and business meeting of the Texas "Exes," ex-student organization of the University of Texas, will be held at the Graham Hotel on the evening of Friday, March 2, it has just been announced by Dr. H. B. Allen, president of the local "Exes." The details for the banquet are being developed by committees, and it is contemplated that the affair will be one of the most interesting of the long series of dinners held here on Texas Independence Day. All ex-students of the university are included in the group to whom invitations will be extended.

Dr. Allen and Dr. C. W. Gray, the secretary, are being assisted by a number of committees in preparation for the annual dinner. The program committee is headed by Miss Frances Hyde.

# Breckenridge To Drive For Charity

BRECKENRIDGE, Feb. 21.—Featuring the Hired Hand, announcer of Station WBAP, the Fort Worth Star-Telegram and Record-Telegram, the Breckenridge Social Service bureau will initiate its annual drive for funds with which to conduct its work in the interest of charity with a broadcast Tuesday evening from 8 o'clock to 10:30 over Station KPYO, Breckenridge. The program will be given from the studio of the local station and will include orchestra numbers, vocal solos, instrumental solos and so forth by local talent. A great deal of interest has been evinced here in the presentation of this program.

# Confesses Bank Raid

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Feb. 20.—William Snyder, 23, who surrendered to police here last Wednesday, has confessed, police said, that he participated in the robbery of the National bank at Mantou, Colo., on March 10, 1927.

# BADLY RUN-DOWN

Kentucky Woman Had "Terrible Time" Doing Her Home Work. Strength Returned After She Took Cardui.

Shelbyville, Ky.—"Several years ago," says Mrs. Alven Jesse, of this place, "my health was very bad. I was very much run-down. I was in such a weak, nervous condition that I was not able to do my housework.

"I struggled to keep up, because I had to, but many a time I spent hours in bed, trying to force enough strength to go through the daily routine.

"This condition went on for some time, until I heard about Cardui, which some one told me was good for such ailments. I gave it an immediate trial, and, I am thankful to say, my improvement was rapid. I soon was able to do my housework with ease and comfort. I felt fine and I looked so much better.

"This spring I was not as well as I had been. I was ill in the winter with colds, which left me weak. So I went at once to the store for Cardui and began taking it. In just a little while I was feeling much better, my strength returned and I was able to get my work done easier and with less effort."

At all drug stores. NC-178



# War Ace Says Long Flights Over Water and Mountains Unsafe and Urges Lindbergh Travel by Train

## First at Training Camp



This is the first photo of the season from the sunny south, where the ball teams train. It is Eddie Brown of the Boston Braves at St. Petersburg, Fla., putting on a solo act in batting practice. His teammates will follow him at the end of the month. (International Newsreel)

# "BABY" GRAVE PROVES TO BE LIQUOR CACHE

RANGER, Feb. 21.—While searching for what had been reported as being the grave of a new born babe in a thicket two miles southeast of Ranger late Sunday afternoon, Eastland county officers and Ranger police uncovered a liquor cache consisting of 42 half pints of red whiskey. The half pint bottles had been neatly packed in wooden boxes and buried. They were well concealed, the hiding place having been covered with dead leaves. No arrests have been made.

Officers went to the place after a farmer living nearby reported to Ranger police he had found what appeared to him to be the grave of a new born babe. His suspicions were attracted by an automobile that was driven into the thicket earlier in the day.

Nothing developed in the case of the fresh grave.

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## DES MOINES, Iowa, Feb. 21.—

America's greatest world war ace, Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker, believes Col. Charles A. Lindbergh should quit taking chances on long distance flights over water and rough country with a single engine machine.

"Don't get me wrong about this," Rickenbacker said. "I don't wish to create the impression that I consider aviation unsafe. It is making great strides and I think the solution of most of the problems will come with the use of multi-powered planes for the heavy and difficult work.

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"But here's the thing. Anything mechanical will break, and if something goes wrong with his plane in flight over water or at night, Colonel Lindbergh hasn't another engine to rely upon. Of course, there isn't much danger for an experienced flier when going it alone, for if necessary he can step out and come down with a parachute. But multi-powered planes are the type for heavy passenger and commercial duty."

Lindbergh, in the opinion of Captain Rickenbacker, is too valuable to the advancement of aviation to take risks.

"Long distance flights such as Lindbergh is taking are really in a class with stunt flying so far as the danger is concerned, and fair smiles on the only so long when we continually take risks," he said.

Captain Rickenbacker would like to see the government commissioner Lindbergh a good will ambassador and send him into every foreign country.

**Two Year Tour**

"Let the government give him at least two years to make this world tour," Rickenbacker said. "Send him wherever we have an embassy or a legation, not by plane. It would be all right to do local flying at the various places, but the long jumps are too hazardous.

"With the ideas and knowledge Lindbergh would pick up on such a tour added to the already great experience he has in aviation matters has value to the future of flying would be even greater than it is now. He is too valuable to the cause of aviation and too close to the hearts of all Americans to risk in future hazardous flights."

# Convention Fund Short at Houston

HOUSTON, Feb. 21.—Forty thousand dollars must be raised in two days if the campaign for \$350,000 for the Democratic national convention is to end Wednesday as drive leaders expected, according to R. M. Farrar, vice chairman of the Houston finance committee. This money is exclusive of \$139,000 in verbal pledges, much of which has not been received, Farrar said.

Several of the largest of the verbal pledges were made good Monday, Farrar announced.

These included \$28,000 from the oil group headed by T. J. Donagan and \$6,000 from the insurance group headed by Tex Bayless.

The largest individual contribution received Monday was \$5,000 from John Henry Kirby and J. W. Link. The largest contributors in the oil group were from the Texas company and the Humble Oil and Refining company, \$5,000 each. The Houston Oil company gave \$1,000.

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# RESERVE BANK HEAD BRINGS SENATE QUERY

MINERAL WELLS, Feb. 21.—J. P. Williams of this city, leader of some 300 Texas bankers who recently sought the removal of Lynn P. Talley as governor of the Dallas Federal Reserve bank, declined to comment upon the resolution of Senator Earle Mayfield, which asked a congressional investigation of the eleventh federal reserve bank.

When the board of directors of the Dallas Federal Reserve bank last month re-elected Governor Talley after two executive sessions of the board in which the policies of Governor Talley were investigated, Williams predicted that a congressional investigation was certain. At that time Williams announced that so far as the complaining bankers were concerned the case was ended, that it was then up to congress to either ignore the complaints of the Texas bankers or take some action.

The Texas bankers at the time of the Dallas investigation testified that they were not complaining of the policies of the Federal Reserve bank, but were indignant at the alleged tactics employed by Governor Talley in enforcing the reserve bank policies. They alleged that Governor Talley was "vindictive, officious and discourteous, and wholly out of sympathy with the needs of the smaller bankers."

**LIBEL SUIT PASSED**

DALLAS, Feb. 21.—By agreement the \$390,000 damage suit brought by Oscar B. Colquitt against Lynch Davidson alleging libel in campaign statements in 1926 was passed until April 16 when it came up in district court here Monday.

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# PLANS BEING LAID FOR BIG BAND MEETING

BRECKENRIDGE, Feb. 21.—A recommendation that the band contest to be conducted in conjunction with the convention of the East Texas and South Texas Chambers, the recommendation providing for the contests to be held concurrently with such conventions.

Further recommendations to be presented to the body by the special committee, consisting of Conway E. King of Weatherford, Klein Ault of Fort Worth and Earl Irons of Arlington, and appointed to formulate a policy contests, provide for the elimination of the six-year band class and an appropriation of \$5,000 for the Fort Worth event, to include a small amount to be paid hands which attend the convention but do not participate in the contests provided they take part in at least one of the three parades to be held.

The above named committee was instructed to confer with the officials of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and with the general arrangements committee of the Fort Worth association of

Commerce relative to convention plans as they pertain to the conduct of the band contests. The personnel consists of E. L. Homer D. Wade, manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, who sat in with the committee during its session this afternoon, expressed himself as well pleased with the attitude of the bandmasters and with the interest manifested in making the convention at Fort Worth a success. The committee on rules and regulations did not report Monday. Its report will be heard Wednesday. The personnel consists of E. L. Hamilton of Quannah, E. Pogue of Slaton and Paul Jones of Memphis.

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Has lost his job thru a dirty cuff.  
So, when the boss in executive session  
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### CHURCH SAYS NO TO PLEA FOR DIVORCE

DENVER, Feb. 21. — "Mental Cruelty" is not sufficient grounds for divorce under the laws of the Presbyterian church, according to an announcement made here by the Denver Presbytery. Consequently, the Rev. Charles A. Skyles, pastor of the Capitol Heights Presbyterian church and Moderator of the Denver Presbytery, has withdrawn his suit for divorce from his wife, Mrs. Louisa Skyles, now in Toronto, Canada.

The pastor submitted to the wishes of the Presbytery after he received a vote of confidence from the board of elders and the Young People's Christian Endeavor Society of his own church following the filing of his divorce action. Matters seemed to be settled until officials of the church government stepped into the controversy.

Orthodox law of the Presbyterian church provides that "willful desertion" and "adultery" are the only grounds for divorce. The divorce action charged Rev. Skyles' wife with "mental cruelty."

An official statement made by the pastor follows:

"Members of the Presbytery having conferred with me and having pointed out several serious consequences because of our church law which would ensue if I continue to press my suit for divorce, I have decided to withdraw it.

"This action is in nowise taken because I think I was wrong in seeking a divorce and, of course, it is no permanent solution of my problem. I am doing it principally for two reasons: First, that I may be free, if they so desire, to serve Capitol Heights church a little longer and to help in the very important closing months of the church year. Secondly, I believe that most, if not all the members of the Presbytery, would not relish but would be sorely pained and grieved if by my persisting in the action for divorce they would be compelled to carry out the church law in the case.

"Therefore now, as so often we will all have to do, I have decided to set aside for the time my personal wishes and interests for what seems to be a higher and more important obligation."

The Rev. and Mrs. Skyles were married 23 years ago. They have seven grown children. He declared it would be impossible to effect a reconciliation between him and his wife.

"All-metal Clothes Never Wear Out"

LONDON, Feb. 21.—All-metal clothes that will never wear out are one of the possibilities of a secret invention the rights of which have been acquired by a British manufacturing firm.

The invention is the result of eighteen years' experimental research work and the method is entirely unlike the usual processes of metal coating and plating, it is claimed.

The manufacturers claim that by the process metal can be made to penetrate a material to a definite amount, and that the new substance combines the qualities of both the original and the applied metal.

Fabrics can be treated this way; timber can be given added tensile strength, while retaining its resiliency; glass and pottery can be made unbreakable and decorated with filigree work; even paper can be metallized, it is declared.

COLLEGE GIRLS WELL

WACO, Feb. 21.—Fifty Baylor university girls, taken to a hospital Sunday suffering from mild pneumonia poisoning, were discharged Monday afternoon.

### WESTERN LIFE TO BE SHOWN LEGION IN OCT.

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 21.—With plans already well advanced, San Antonio is leaving nothing undone to make the tenth annual national convention of The American Legion, to be held here from October 8th to 12th, the greatest in the history of the organization. Preparations are under way for entertaining a crowd of 100,000 or more people and for a program of fun and frolic such as has never been staged at any previous convention.

All the romance and glamor of the Southwest will be embodied in the program entertainment features, according to Phillip B. Strapp, general convention director. San Antonio plans to infuse into the program the flavor of "Wild West" frontier life, the Mexican atmosphere and the tone given by the greatest military and aviation establishment of the United States.

Rodeos, side trips to the great ranches and border towns on the Rio Grande, entertainers from Mexico City, football games, a Broadway show, the greatest military demonstration and the most ambitious air circus ever staged at a Legion convention are a few of the features Strapp is lining up for the convention.

400 Pieces Skin Grafted to Body

NEW CASTLE, Pa., Feb. 21.—More than 400 pieces of skin have been grafted to the body of 5-year-old Joseph Johnston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnston, of New Castle, in seven months since he suffered serious burns on the legs and lower body.

While he was confined to the local hospital, skin was transferred from the arms and legs of sixteen friends in more than 100 grafting operations.

In the last four months he has been in the Cleveland Ohio, clinic where physicians said at least 300 more grafts were accomplished. The number of persons who contributed is not known.

Through all his pain the little boy has borne his suffering with heroic fortitude. He is now on the road to recovery.

W. T. U. GIVES ABILENE REDUCED LIGHT RATES

ABILENE, Feb. 21.—A reduction in the cost of electricity to all residential and commercial users in Abilene, meaning a saving of \$25,000 in the city a year, was accepted yesterday by the city commission.

Notice of the reduction was presented by A. W. Brehan, superintendent of district A of the West Texas Utilities company. He said the reduction carries the rate down to 11 cents per kw for the first four kw hours per room of each residence. The former rate was 12 cents per kw hour.

R. M. A. SECRETARY WILL ATTEND EASTLAND MEET

EASTLAND, Feb. 21.—Gus Hulsey, national field secretary of the Retail Credit association, will be the principal speaker here at a district meeting on March 19, it was announced today by Miss Anne Hardin, secretary of the Eastland Retail Merchants association. Mr. Hulsey was here last year and impressed the business men greatly. A special invitation is extended to the R. M. A. members to Ranger, Cisco, Breckenridge, Cross Plains, Dublin, Rising Star, Brownwood and other cities of this section, to hear Mr. Hulsey.

I can fix that leaky roof for you; reference given. Phone 314. I Lamb 34-1.

### Scientist Says Frog Hibernation Well Known Fact; Testimony Says Horned Frog Was in Corner Stone

ABILENE, Feb. 21.—Dr. Julius Olsen, of the science department of Simmons University, speaks up for the horned frog, reported to have lived for 31 years in the cornerstone of the Eastland county courthouse.

"I think it is quite probable the frog could have lived that long under the conditions, although I have never heard of a similar case before," Dr. Olsen said.

"The horned toad belongs to the family of reptiles and the common frog, which lives both on land and in water, belongs to the group known as amphibians.

"It is reported that frogs belonging to the amphibious class have been found alive encrusted in rock and limestone formations, the opinions of scientists being that the frogs may have been there for hundreds or even thousands of years. Of course no one knows that this is actually true.

"It is known, however that the amphibians go into hibernation for very long periods of time. In winter they sink to the bottom of the water and imbed themselves in the mud. During this time they are more than dormant. They absorb oxygen from the moisture through their skins.

"Similarly the horned toad digs into the earth below frost line and remains in hibernation for long periods of time.

"If the frog remained in the courthouse cornerstone for 31 years he must have been in a state similar to hibernation. Rocks are slightly porous and it is possible that there could have been enough oxygen in the moisture absorbed by the rocks to keep the frog alive."

TESTIMONY OF EYE WITNESSES.

EASTLAND, Feb. 21.—The horned frog taken from the old Eastland county court house corner stone Saturday and which legend says was placed there when the stone was laid thirty-one years ago, still lives and apparently is doing well.

When the frog was first taken from the small cavity in the cornerstone, it appeared lifeless. Eventually it began to move and finally opened its eyes. It was several hours, however, before it opened its mouth.

The frog is in charge of Eastland county officials and will be preserved.

E. E. Wood, pioneer Eastland county citizen, said: "I caught a horned frog and brought to the court house when the cornerstone was to be laid thirty-one years ago for the express purpose of placing it in the cornerstone. Objections to placing anything alive in the stone arose. I went away to play in the band and do not know if the frog was placed in the stone."

H. A. Parks, superintendent for the Christy Dolph construction company which is tearing down the old courthouse and will erect the new one, said: "The cornerstone had not been tampered with and I saw the frog, half covered with dust, in the cavity. It appeared to be dead and looked as flat as a dollar."

Roy Wheatley, employee of the Christy Construction company, said: "I picked the concrete from off the cornerstone with a pick

and I know the stone had not been tampered with. I also saw the frog in the stone. It appeared to be dead and very flat. I watched it for some time after it was lifted out and saw it when it began to show signs of life."

Eugene Day, who took the frog out of the stone, said: "I saw the frog partially covered with dust in the cavity of the stone. I did not put my hand on it until I called the attention of the Rev. F. E. Singleton standing nearby, to the fact that the frog was there. I was surprised to see it."

Judge Ed. S. Pritchard, county judge of Eastland, said: "The frog was absolutely in the cornerstone and no one could have put it in there when the stone was opened, neither do I see any chance or any evidence of the stone having been opened beforehand."

On Sunday morning, the horned frog was accorded the honor of the banner in the Cisco News, Ranger Times and Eastland Argus-Tribune; he received a double-column writeup on the front pages of the Dallas News and the Abilene Reporter, and was given a "box" on the front page of the Breckenridge American. In today's

issue, the Fort Worth Record Telegram, had an interesting account. This morning Judge Pritchard

### Leads Hoover Drive



Colonel Thad E. Brown (above) is taking command of the Hoover campaign forces in Ohio, following Hoover's letter to him informing him that he had become a candidate for the Republican presidential nomination. (International Newsreel)

received a telegram from a state newspaper for pictures of himself and the frog. Other newspapers communicated with the Cisco officials, desiring pictures, and requests from New York City were telegraphed.

### CORN LIQUOR FOUND BY SHERIFF'S FORCE

RANGER, Feb. 21.—Forty-two half-gallon jars of corn whiskey were found hidden in a dense

thicket not far from the city limits of Ranger by officers Sunday afternoon. Sheriff John Hart, Deputy Sheriff Paine, City Policeman Swift of Ranger, County Attorney Sparks, County Judge Ed. S. Pritchard and a newspaper man were in the party. The officers had a report of another violation of the law but failing to find this, they were about to return empty-handed when they saw a box under a thicket partly

hidden by leaves. It proved to be filled with jars of whiskey. A search, similar to an Easter egg hunt, then began and three other boxes were found. Fruit trees: Apples, pears, peaches, plums, apricots, grapes and berry plants, 20 cents to 50 cents each. Clyde Nursery, Clyde, Texas. 25114. READ DAILY NEWS classified ads for profit and use them for results.

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ANYFUL GLAD YOU CAME, MARY --- YOU'RE JUST IN TIME TO SEE ME AND MY PEACH BECOME A PAIR!

DON'T BLAZE UP WHEN I TELL YOU THIS, BUT I JUST SAW YOUR FLAME SCORCHING THE ROAD TO THE STATION!

CRIMMINY CRICKETS!!!

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# Ku Klux Klan Becomes Knights Of the Great Forest, Minus the Mask; Evans Issues the Edict

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 21. — The Ku Klux Klan is no longer a "Masked Order." At simultaneous ceremonies Wednesday in every Klavern throughout the nation, thousands of klansmen will forswear the mask and make it clear that the order has no political ambition for itself, or for its members. In the main there is to be no change from the ordinary customs of the Klan. The action to be taken is simply an official recognition of a change that has been sweeping over the Klan for the last few years, and the action of Wednesday will simply confirm this change.

The ceremonies of Wednesday will mark a new era in Klanscraft, and are a part of its preparation for new and larger activities in our national life. The official announce-

ment of the changes are based on the following proclamation by Dr. H. W. Evans, head of the order: By virtue of the power and authority in me vested as Emperor and Imperial Wizard of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, and in performance of the solemn duty assigned to me by its constitution and laws, I do hereby proclaim the following edict: That on and after midnight of February 22, 1928, no mask or visor shall be upon the helmet of the regalia of any klansman. It shall therefore be unlawful for any klansman to wear any mask or visor as part of his regalia and each klansman who shall be unavoidably absent from the meeting of a Klan to be held throughout the Invisible Empire on February 22, shall as soon thereafter as possible attend a regular meeting of a Klan, and there become a member of the Knights of the Great Forest. That on and after the said date all klansmen are forbidden to fraternize with or remain in klanslike fidelity to, any who shall thereafter wear upon his helmet a mask or visor. It is well known that a change in the Klan has been going on for two or three years; that there has been inside the order a gradually increasing sentiment toward unmasking, so that eventually it became a question of "when and how" it should be done. The particular date chosen for conferring the new degree has great patriotic significance. The reason given by Dr. Evans for the changes in the Klan are that it has completed the first phase of its work, and is preparing to enter upon the second. He pointed out that the first task of the order was to promote 100 per cent Americanism by stopping unrestricted immigration. This policy of the Klan has been adopted, and made a part of our national policy and the man who would today try to change it would indeed be a traitor. The second phase of the Klan's work calls for an intensive effort to promote the assimilation of those aliens now in America, for the sturdy support of our constitution and laws, and the inculcation throughout America of wholesome patriotism based upon the great fundamentals of Americanism as established in the founding of the republic; to produce homogeneity and a happy understanding of each other by the people upon the firm foundation of American principles will continuously engage the attention of the Klan for the next few years.

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## OF A PERSONAL NATURE

TELEPHONE 683J.

Miss Theo Burkett, who was taken seriously ill Saturday night with an acute attack of appendicitis, is reported to be getting along nicely today.

Mrs. Maude Owen of Romney, is a business visitor in Cisco for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Wilson of Baird were business visitors in Cisco yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom King of Eastland, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hayes Sunday.

Harrell Ruppert who was run over by a car Saturday afternoon, is reported to be getting along nicely.

Mrs. H. L. Kunkel spent Monday afternoon in Eastland with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Clopton of Fort Worth, were visitors in Cisco for a short time Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. I. Tarrant of Breckenridge, have recently moved to Cisco and are located at the

N. N. Rosenquest place on West Nineteenth street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Elzey of Putnam, were guests of friends in Cisco Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hensley and Mrs. Campbell have returned from a short trip to Jacksboro.

Mrs. H. H. White and Mrs. Bill Powell were visitors in Abilene the last of the week.

Mrs. J. H. Surles and daughter, Leta Deel Surles have moved to Cisco from Putnam, and will be located here for the present.

Judge and Mrs. B. L. Russell of Baird, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Russell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marbin Eubanks of Putnam, visited friends in Cisco the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Arnold of Parks Camp, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Clements Sunday.

Everett Davis returned Monday after a week-end visit in Dallas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Davis.

Mrs. P. R. Hanrahan of Houston, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Moore of Humboldt.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Ward and daughter, Evelyn and Miss Stella Erwin spent Sunday in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Poe of Blake, were the guest of Mrs. A. L. Toombs Sunday.

### DOES THIS PROVE SUICIDE PACT?



Here's the snapshot which Major Cecil Campbell (inset) has produced to support his claim of a suicide agreement with his wife, Mrs. Mary Lyle Campbell, whom he slew with a hammer in a New York hotel. Picture was taken in 1927 at a summer resort in Massachusetts. Mrs. Campbell is shown at the right in men's clothing, while a man, whom Campbell refuses to identify, holds the hammer over her head. Campbell is seated in a chair in the background.

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linger, after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Blount.

Dan Leary of Eastland was a Cisco visitor Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown were visitors in Abilene Sunday.

Mrs. G. W. Merrivether of Alpine is the guest of her son, Gail Merrivether.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Gray and Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Mancill spent Sunday with friends in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Drumwright and son, Sterling, have returned from a week-end visit in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Crawford and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Berry visited friends in Abilene Sunday.

B. F. Rushing, who is doing construction work at Brownwood, spent the week-end here with his family. He was accompanied here

by his nephew, Marion Rushing of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Reagan and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Elkins returned last night from a trip to the Rio Grande valley.

Turner Garner of Dallas is spending a few days in the city on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Hubbard returned to their home in Brownwood Monday after a week-end in Cisco.

Mrs. George P. Fee left yesterday for a visit with relatives in Ft. Scott, Kans.

H. N. Pardee spent Monday in Fort Worth on business.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Anderson, Mrs. William Freeman and Mrs. Roy Stover have returned from a short visit in Fort Worth.

The members of Circle 2 of the Presbyterian auxiliary are holding

a social meeting at the home of Mrs. J. M. Carter at Humboldt this afternoon.

Miss Lavonia Baker has returned from a visit with relatives in Coleman.

Miss Eula Johnson of Fort Worth is spending this week in Cisco on business.

**TIRE THIEVES MAKE HAUL**  
Auto tire thieves are still operating in Cisco. An Humboldt resident reported to the police this morning the loss of Goodrich casing and a Firestone truck tire some time during Monday night.

**MEXICAN BISHOP HELD**  
MEXICO CITY, Feb. 21.—Maria Armora, bishop of Tamaulipas, has been arrested by the police with Federico Escobar, in whose home the bishop had been hiding. The police merely announced his arrest and the exact charges against him will not be revealed until cited to the attorney general.

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