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ONE OCEAN FLIER DOWN; SECOND LOST

Prisoner in Garza Co. Jail Slain after Attempt to Escape

CROSS PLAINS REVIVAL NEAR

Gripped by Religious Fervor... Hogg Party to Move to Rising Star



Mrs. Henry Ford in her first political interview...

DAVIS MOTION FOR WRIT OF HABEAS LOST

A surprise move came in the trial of Thomas Davis, charged with the murder in connection with the slaying of Lucas and Leen Shook...

EFFORT TO ESCAPE FOILED

POST Oct. 18.—E. L. Bracken, being held in the Garza county jail pending transfer to the state penitentiary at Huntsville, was shot and killed by the jailer this morning...

BIGGEST THERMOMETER IS IN GERMAN MUSEUM

MUNICH, Oct. 18.—A thermometer with a scale 72 feet high has just been put in place on the tower of the German museum...

BADGERS TAKE BUS FOR GAME WITH DECATUR

Coach H. R. Garrett and his Badger Badgers departed this morning in the Randolph bus for Decatur where the Badgers will play the first junior conference game...

ZEPPELIN WILL MAKE TWO-DAY TOUR OF WEST

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—The Graf Zeppelin will make a 48 hour tour of midwestern American cities at the end of next week before returning to Friedrichshafen, it was definitely decided today by Dr. Hugo Eckener...

ANTI-SALOON LEADER TAKES TERM IN JAIL

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 18.—Dr. E. S. Schumaker, nationally known superintendent of the Indiana Anti-Saloon League, today abandoned his struggle to escape a 60-day jail sentence and \$250 fine for contempt of the Indiana supreme court...

HIGH MASONIC OFFICIALS PAY CISCO VISIT

Cisco Commandery No. 47, Knights Templar, entertained two distinguished Masons at the called session of the Commandery Wednesday night when Tom M. Bartley, of Fort Worth, grand senior warden of the Grand Commandery...

Home Demonstration Club Women of Nimrod to Present Program in Their New Home Friday Evening

The Busy Bee Home Demonstration club women of Nimrod have arranged a most interesting program of entertainment which will be given at that place Friday evening...

FRESH MUST BE OUT OF SIGHT AT DUSK

POST WORTH, Oct. 18.—The fresh fish market is a busy one at this time...

ROBE OF GAS PRICE HIKE IS BEING PUSHED

AUSTIN, Oct. 18.—Much progress has already been made in the investigation into the reasons for the increase in the price of gasoline...

WORK ON NEW CISCO SCHOOL GOING NICELY

Contractor W. W. Johnston, who is building the new West Ward school, states that work is progressing nicely on the building...

PACHER RESTING WELL FOLLOWING OPERATION

Miss Mamie Estes, teacher in the West Ward school, was reported to be resting as well as could be expected at the Graham sanitarium...

DULL DAY IN COURT

Today was regular court day in Justice McDonald's court, but only a few civil cases were finally disposed of...

CROSS PLAINS, Oct. 18.—With the largest attendance record for a religious campaign ever known in the history of Cross Plains and with spiritual effectiveness far exceeding any religious effort ever known here...

On Tuesday night a religious demonstration was witnessed at the tabernacle here which was unprecedented in the history of the church life of this community...

It was estimated that some 200 persons responded to the invitation in spite of the great crowd which packed the tabernacle...

Several scores of additions have already been recorded in Cross Plains churches as a result of the effort and it is expected that the total number of conversions and additions to churches will run well into the hundreds before the campaign closes Sunday night...

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HICKMAN GOES TO GALLOWES AT 10 TOMORROW

SAN QUENTIN, Cal., Oct. 18.—William Edward Hickman self-styled "fox" who kidnapped and murdered Marian Parker, 12-year-old Los Angeles school girl, last December, was today sentenced to hang tomorrow morning...

LOBO PUPS ARE VANQUISHED BY A.C.C. RESERVE

The Cisp Pups made their first appearance before the home fans Wednesday and lost to the Abilene Christian College reserves, 23-0. The Cisp lads played a listless brand of football, marred by frequent fumbles and a lack of hustle...

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THE WEATHER West Texas: Tonight and Friday fair and warmer.

attended the educational encampment as guests of the fair association, and this week two of the club girls are in attendance at this encampment. This distinction was won by being the outstanding club members of the county...

An insect's eyes are always in its head, but its hearing apparatus may be in its legs or other parts of the body.

DR. H. A. HOY, CHIROPRACTOR. Over Garner's Store, Cisco, Texas. More than 18 years experience in Chiropractic.

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COURT REVIEW IS GRANTED TO EASTLAND CO. AUSTIN, Oct. 18.—The supreme court of Texas will review the case of Eastland county against G. A. Davison, road contractor, and C. R. Starnes, county judge, jointly and severally, for \$388,575, and Joe Burkett, former state senator and former member of the Texas highway commission, and Sam D. Young, jointly and severally, for \$3,000 and in Eastland county against all parties for costs.

L. V. HOYT IS LAID TO REST IN OAKWOOD. The funeral services for L. V. Hoyt, who died early Wednesday morning at his home on West Fourth street, were held this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Wigners Funeral home. The religious services were conducted by Rev. P. T. Stanford, pastor of the First Methodist church, and the burial services, at Oakwood cemetery, were according to the ritual of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, with which order he was affiliated. He is survived by his widow and three children, Mrs. Arthur Ward, of Denver; Mrs. S. B. Thames, of Stamford, and Kenneth Hoyt, high school student, who were present at the funeral, as were also two of his brothers who arrived Wednesday evening from Clinton, Ill.



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expected home this week from their vacation spent in Galveston, Waco and Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McMurray have returned from a short visit in Dallas.

Miss Maxine Kelly of Pueblo, Colo., visited in Cisco Tuesday.

Mrs. G. C. Tisdale is visiting her mother this week in Clifton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Armstrong of Humbleton are the parents of a son.

Mrs. G. P. Rainbolt who has been ill for the past several days is reported to be improving.

Mrs. Philip Pettit and Miss Marcella Wadman spent Monday afternoon in Eastland.

Tom Carlisle of Pittsburgh was a business visitor in Cisco Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Belle Stamm, who is spending the winter in Fort Worth, is visiting in Cisco this week.

Mrs. Mary Guyton of Putnam visited in Cisco the first of the week.

Mrs. and Mrs. C. C. Clifton were called to New Orleans on account of the illness of Mrs. Clifton's mother.

Mrs. B. Montgomery spent Monday afternoon in Putnam.

Mrs. E. M. Howard of Rising Star attended the Delphian club in Cisco Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Acl Andrew visited friends in Rising Star the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Blackstock and Mr. Mrs. L. A. Warren visited in Cross Plains and attended the Hog revival services there the first of the week.

Mrs. W. E. McNeal returned Monday night from a several day visit in Dallas.

Mrs. J. B. Johnson has returned to her home in Eastland after a visit with relatives in Cisco.

Mrs. L. A. Warren and Mrs. D. Ball spent Monday in Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Ward have returned home after spending several days in Dallas.

Mrs. W. H. Hayes has returned from a visit in Dublin with her parents.

A short service, "A Day of Intercession" for the women of the church, will be held at the Episcopal church Thursday morning at seven o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McKay of Tyler were the guests Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Loftin.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hackleman of D Avenue are the parents of a new daughter, Betty Lou.

R. H. Gresham, route one, box 328, Springfield, Mo., is a new subscriber to the Cisco American and Roundup.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schaefer have returned from a short visit in Dallas.

Mr. Sam Dragannias and Mrs. Ira Eakin will be assistant hostesses Friday afternoon when the Berean Sunday school class of the First Methodist church will be entertained at the home of Mrs. D. C. Sandler on West Tenth street.

Carl Johnston has returned to Texas University, Austin, after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Webb are moving this week to Humbleton, where they will have an apartment in the home of Mrs. Velma Hayden.

Mrs. Carl Wilson is spending this week with friends in Fort Worth.

Misses Nellie Waters and Julia Lee Simon, piano pupils of Miss Velma Ruth Walters of Randolph College, will appear in a musical program at the meeting of the Mothers' club Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Miss Waters will play "Mussumli" by Media. Miss Simon will give two numbers. One of these includes a vocal solo, with which she will play her own accompaniment.

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Bobbie Dean is spending a few days with friends in Dallas.

Mrs. Charles Hale is expected home Saturday from a several weeks' stay in Jonesboro, Ark.

Rev. M. Collins of Ranger was in the city on business Tuesday.

Miss Ouida McKinsey of Abilene has returned to her home after a visit in Cisco with friends.

Mrs. J. C. Dyer of Pueblo spent yesterday in the city as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Homer McDonald.

"GRANDMA" DEWESE, 85, HAS A PARALYTIC STROKE

Grandma Dewese, 85, mother of Jim Boggs, is reported to have suffered a rather severe stroke of paralysis this morning shortly after arising. This aged woman lives at the Boggs home on the lake road. Going into her room this morning Boggs saw his mother just as she was falling, but in time to catch her before she fell.

BUSINESS WOMEN.

Business women, the Detroit Salvation Army reports, are the most moral in the world. Sheltered home girls and wives with too much leisure are the chief victims of moral traps. Edith May Cummings, a highly successful business woman, echoes this verdict. Business women, she observes, have wholesome work to occupy their minds, experience of the world to develop their judgment of people, and much opportunity for wholesome social contacts. It naturally follows that American women in general, entering business and professional life in greater numbers than those of any other nation, have unusually high moral standards. Yet there was a time when the woman who adopted a business career was viewed with suspicious disapproval.

NEGLECTFUL LAYMEN.

A member of the National Council of Northern Baptist Laymen tells the laymen that church progress depends on them. "We know from a survey of 325 representative churches," he says, "that 47 out of every 100 members did not actively participate in church life, 91 out of every 100 did not attend prayer-meetings, 50 out of every 100 did not give to congregational expense and 61 out of every 100 did not give to world evangelism in the period covered by the survey. He was speaking for a church which is among the most thriving denominations. The situation he complains of is doubtless common. The wonder is that with such general disregard of economic needs and lack of fervor as the average layman shows, the average church keeps going and accomplishes as much as it does.

QUOTA SYSTEM ABROAD.

The Old World, after condemning American innovations, usually ends by adopting them. It has been so with the American quota system for immigration. Europe bitterly resented this system at first. But it has taken only a few years for nearly all the European countries having a labor problem of their own—and most of them have—to come around to the American policy. This has been forced, to some extent, by our own action. Millions barred from our shores

would migrate readily into any neighboring country that offered them a better living than their own. Europe as a whole, while improving economically, is said to have a labor surplus of 10,000,000 people. They are like flood waters. National dams must be erected against them by any country that does not want to be deluged. So we find Great Britain adopting the quota system against continental labor, and France, Italy, Spain and other continental countries taking similar precautions. The American policy therefore now stands justified in foreign eyes. Europeans cannot condemn us for barring them from our economic opportunity when they bar each other.

AN APPRECIATIVE FRIEND.

Thirty years ago American and Cuban troops joined their flags and marched side by side. Last week, for the first time since the days of "Cuba Libre," that experience was repeated. The Spanish war veterans, in Havana for their convention, paraded the streets along with Cuban cavalry and infantry and sailors from American battleships added life and color to the scene. "Tattered old standards of Cuba and the United States" says a newspaper account, "were cheered to the echo. Cuba was celebrating not only her national day of days, but was paying her respects to the men from the North who aided her in securing her freedom." Uncle Sam seems to have more success with Cuba than with Europe, in his military philanthropy. The grateful friendship of Cuba seems whole-hearted.

WEATHER BLESSINGS.

What would we do without weather? Speaking of infinite variety, consider the fact that on October 11 the thermometer at Cleveland, Ohio, registered 86 degrees, within 6 degrees of the highest mark of the whole year. At the same time storm warnings were flying on Lake Superior, storms in Canada were hoking roads with snow drifts and in the Alberta wheat belt wires were broken down and communication stopped by wind and snow. So far nobody has ever been able to do much about the weather except to adopt himself to it as best he can. There are those who prophesy that some day man will be in control of the weather. That may be a comfortable and prosperous period in history, but it looks like a dull and uninteresting period to us.

OTHER EDITORS.

One of the largest colleges in the country is sending its football team to play in the state capital this year. A football player is getting an education some way. Tucks—Greenville Piedmont.

A free country is one that passes laws to please its conscience and then breaks them to please its appetite—Brooklyn Times.

Neither cardinals has promised against the standard cantaloupe. Ashford Hood Syndicate (Philadelphia), The happiest Republican is the one that merely looks at the totals in The Literary Digest poll, and doesn't do any analyzing—Ohio State Journal.

A grizzly bear can whip a lion, at his own game, but he can't beat a wild-animal trainer. Very interesting, but does the gentleman have any information on tigers and donkeys and elephants?—see Council Bluffs Nonpareil.

Nowadays when the skirt reaches down to the ankles, the deduction is that something has slipped.—Norfolk Peninsula-Pilot.

We'd hate to have the job of sweeping out campaign headquarters in Santa Ana (Cal.) Register.

SONORA, Oct. 15.—The word checha has been accepted by the United States department of agriculture as a designation of the edible flesh of a wicker rod, according to E. M. Halbert, chairman of the checha publicity committee of the Sheep and Goat Raisers' association of Texas. This name was selected six years ago through a contest sponsored by the Sheep and Goat Raisers' association to designate goat meat as separate from the flesh of a sheep, which is mutton. Since that time its use has become general in live stock circles and it is winning recognition among the general public also, Halbert said.

LAMESA WANTS MILK PLANT, COUNTING COWS

LAMESA, Oct. 15.—More than 3,000 good grade milk cows have been accounted in Dawson county, according to the survey of the chamber of commerce is now making to determine the number of cows in the county. The agricultural department of the local chamber of commerce is conducting this survey with the idea of locating here a milk plant. The organization is in touch with several companies that are interested in locating here provided the production is sufficient.

BOY KILLED, ANOTHER HURT IN CAR CRASH

SONORA, Oct. 15.—Santa Elise, 12, was instantly killed and Avarillo Pecunia was probably fatally injured late Tuesday when a truck in which they were riding went over an embankment one mile south of here.

OFFICIAL FOOTBALL SCHEDULE FOR 1928

Table with columns for teams (CISCO LOBOS, RANDOLPH EAGERS) and dates (Oct. 19, 20, 27, Nov. 3, 12, 17, 23, 29) listing opponents and locations.

QUICK REFERENCE CLASSIFIED AD

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LOST

LOST—At Cleley Field, bill-fold containing receipts; also green fountain pen. Finder please return to Walton's Studio. 178-19

For Sale

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE. 25 FOR SALE—Batteries, automobile glass. Cisco Auto Wrecking Co., 300 West Second street. Phone 288. 154

Automobiles for Sale

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Touring car. Good condition. new tires; bargain. Price \$168. Skiles Grocery. 173-176

For Sale or Trade

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR FURNITURE—Ford touring car. 404 West Broadway. 15-170

Livestock for Sale

FOR SALE—Twelve brood sows; 95 pigs. W. H. Crockett. 13

Employment

AGENTS AND SALESMEN. 14 WANTED—Ambitious, industrious white person to introduce and supply the demand for Rawleigh Household Products in Cisco and other nearby localities. Make sales of \$150 to \$500 a month or more. Rawleigh methods get business everywhere. No selling experience required. We supply Products, Rawleigh Advertising Literature and Service Methods—everything you need. Profits increase every month. Lowest prices; best values; most complete service. W. T. Rawleigh Co., Dept. TX 14022, Memphis, Tenn. 14-1516

OIL FAMINE IS 3000 YEARS OFF, SCIENTIST SAYS

LONDON, Oct. 15.—Not for 3,000 years will the world be faced with an oil famine. This is the optimistic prophecy of Dr. Gustav Eklöf, United States delegate to the World Power Conference in London. He believes that the new process of "cracking" by which crude and heavy oils are transformed into motor fuel, has solved the oil shortage problem. "Taking into account the vast available supplies of tar and asphalt derived from coal, shale, peat, vegetable, fish waste, and timber wastes, we have enough potential fuel to supply the world's needs for over 3,000 years." "Furthermore," continued Dr. Eklöf in an interview on the subject, "I see no reason why, with reasonable legislation, lessened taxation and widened roads, there should not be something like 24,000,000 motor cars in Europe in 19 years." "Returning to the oil situation he suggested that European countries should construct "cracking" plants and store at least 100,000,000 barrels of fuel oil which could be used in time of national emergency for producing motor fuel and explosives.

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Rentals

APARTMENTS FOR RENT... 25 FOR RENT—New furnished apartment; built in fixtures. 405 West Eleventh street. 141

For Rent

FOR RENT—Two or three room furnished apartment. 265 West Broadway. 17111

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FOR RENT—Furnished apartment. 1208 P Avenue; front private entrance; good garage. See J. D. Elliott at Corner Drug store. 175-15

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FOR RENT—Small furnished apartment; also bedroom adjoining bath; private entrance. 609 West Ninth street. 175-15

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FOR RENT—Two room apartment; private bath; garage; also bedroom. 469 West Fourth street. 15-177

For Rent

FOR RENT—Four room and bath apartment; furnished; \$18 to permanent tenant. At 305 West Twelfth street. 15

For Rent

FOR RENT—Furnished apartments. 1000 West Eleventh street. 15-177

For Rent

FOR RENT—Four room furnished apartment; private bath; garage; 225, 300 West Ninth street. Phone 242. 15-177

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FOR RENT—Four room house. 305 West Twelfth. Call at City Grocery.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Modern furnished six room house; desirable location. Thirteenth street.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

FOR RENT—Furnished keeping room, cheap. Phone 41.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—One bedroom room; also bathroom. Broadway.

T. U. OIL ROYALTIES

AUSTIN, Oct. 15.—Royalty of oil royalties in the Texas Texas from its land in West Texas aggregated \$1,000,000 so far. It was the largest land office in the state collected from \$9,812,758.25, not including \$66,650 received by Austin local Claude Poirier on settlement of all claims.

Beautiful Mar

And Constitution Facial at the Cisco Beauty Shop, West Broadway. PHONE 241.

WANTED!

Clean cotton rag overalls or jumps accepted. Cisco News, mechanical Dept.

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## The Light of the World

By Thos. Lenox, Minister, First Christian Church, Cisco, Texas.

The first sentence that startled the silence of eternity or dispelled the mist of millenniums, was when God said, "Let there be light, and there was light." To that high key struck on the organ of time on creation's morning, has God tuned all of his words and work.

Christ said, "I am the light of the world." (John 8:12). He so lived in the world when he was about to withdraw his personal presence, He assured his disciples that they were to be the light of the world. Thus every word and work of God is in harmony with that first sentence of creation morning. "The light of the world is Jesus."

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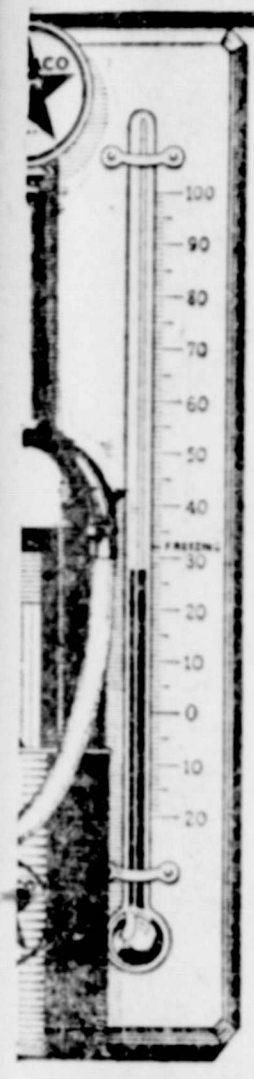
*Don't think that because you are away from home you are away from friends--there are many friendly churches in Cisco and Eastland county, all denominations. They extend to you a cordial invitation to attend their services.*



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## SCRANTON

Rev. Black of Putnam filled his regular appointment here Sunday and Sunday night. He was accompanied by his wife and children and his wife's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Lane.

Lynn Fairies of Abilene was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Farries, Sunday.

Harvey Haidup of Stanton has been visiting relatives here the past week.

Mrs. Harvey Haidup Mitchell and little daughter, Thelma, of Abilene spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Spruwell.

There will be a pie supper at the school building Friday night. The funds will be used to buy song books. Everyone is invited to attend.

Ben Haidup left Wednesday for a short stay in Dallas.

Misses Millie, Ruth and George Morgan, accompanied by Reed Young and Misses Delle Jobe and Lucille Hodges, of Cisco, spent the week end in Dallas attending the fair.

Ernest Lake of Abilene was called to his father's bedside Monday who is severely ill.

The students of Scranton high school met Tuesday night, October 9, and organized the study class. B. B. Brummett was elected sponsor; Madson Stenters, secretary; Ruth Spruwell, vice president; Ruth Spruwell, secretary; Thelma Bailey, treasurer; Faye Wheeler, reporter; and other committees were elected.

## SABANNO

Our Sunday school is growing nicely the last few Sundays. Young people we have on our list. Come on and help us out. The ones that get the most new members the others have to entertain, so come on and we will have some good entertainments.

Mrs. I. M. Barron and daughter, Anna, spent the week end with Mrs. Barron's daughter, Mrs. Ben Huntington, at Cross Plains, and attended the Dr. Hogg revival.

Quite a few people from Sabanno attended the Dr. Hogg revival at Cross Plains throughout the week and Sunday. We plan to carry lunch next Sunday and spend the day over there and hear all three sermons.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Webb spent Sunday at their daughter's, Mrs. Jack Lacy of Cross Plains, where they were attending school.

Cecil Black was seen motoring toward Cisco Sunday afternoon.

Quite a few of Sabanno folks attended the singing convention at Mansum Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. King and daughter attended the surprise birthday dinner at Mrs. King's mother's, Mrs. T. Matthews, of Cisco Sunday.

Misses Ima Green and Leona Maddox and Mrs. Edwin Erwin motored over to Cross Plains Sunday afternoon.

R. Q. Hicks is expected home soon from El Paso.

## BEDFORD

Glad to say that the general health of the community is fine.

Rev. M. H. Spoon filled his regular appointment here Sunday afternoon. A fine sermon was delivered on "Home and Heaven." Every one present surely enjoyed the discourse.

Cisco 12th St. quarterly conference will convene at Remney next Sunday afternoon, Oct. 21, at 2:30 o'clock. Every member of the conference is urged to be present.

Mrs. Aubrey Horington of Colorado, and Rev. P. D. O'Brien of Floydada, Texas, are visiting their mother and family, Mrs. Matthews, this week. Mrs. O'Brien is the proud mother of twin boys now one year old.

A number of people from Bedford attended church Sunday and Sunday night at Grapevine. Rev. Allen, whom they have called as their pastor will preach there every second Sunday of each month.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Smith and family spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Pounda. The stork visited Mr. and Mrs. Pounda last week and left them a tiny baby girl whose name is Marjorie Nell.

Mrs. F. O. Dulin is staying with her daughter, Mrs. J. McKimney, of Ward, who is also proud of a new baby girl.

Bedford school started last Monday with a nice hall for the opening. Miss Ouida Mead of Dallas is the primary teacher and Mr. Williams is principal.

Miss Clara Kurlik of Cisco, Mr. Clarence Parsons and Mr. Elmo Hurron of Abilene were guests of Besse Matthews Sunday.

## CARBON

Rev. A. W. Cunningham occupied his pulpit at the Baptist church Sunday and Sunday night. There was a large crowd and good service.

Rev. H. H. Nance filled his regular appointment at Kokomo Sunday.

Rev. J. W. Holt held funeral services Sunday at Flatwoods for the infant of Henry Wilson and wife.

Rev. A. Low Protestant Methodist, preached Sunday at 11 a. m. Carbon and vicinity have five

more preachers if anybody should happen to need one.

Twenty-one Carbon Leaguers met at Ranger in joint session of the East and West Cisco districts.

Mrs. R. E. Pagola of Dallas was the guest last week of her sister, Mrs. H. O. West.

B. F. Bender of California is the guest of his sister, Mrs. J. F. Edmondson.

Mrs. Nate Morris and daughter, Miss Omal, were in Woodson and Breckenridge Tuesday.

W. A. Tate, wife, and Miss Frankie B. Wilson were attending the Dallas fair last week.

Marvin Guy left Sunday to enter Grubb's college at Arlington.

Jewel Genery, who is attending school in Weatherford, was home Sunday.

The "Sky Pilots," a Sunday school class of the M. E. church, were taken on a picnic at Bass Lake Tuesday evening, each one reporting a wonderful time. The sponsors were Miss Edna Lee Rowan, teacher, and Mrs. H. H. Nance, assistant teacher.

The home of Mrs. J. F. Edmondson has been the scene of much activity lately. She has been entertaining so many youngsters she is getting real busy. Myrtle Norman and Edna Edmondson at Albany and Miss Annell Snyder of Euclid all spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Edmondson, and J. H. Jones and wife of Oeraman came over for Sunday.

Leo Reese and wife left Friday for Lubbock, where Leo has a job doing a big week from Lubbock to Dallas. Leo writes back that it is a great country and he goes hurrying to get back to his parents Sunday.

Joe Price of Humboldt college was visiting his parents Sunday.

Mrs. Dora Damm, editor of the Carbon Messenger was a week end visitor to the Dallas fair, reporting a great fair and lots of people.

## PUTNAM

Neal Moore and J. D. Yastler spent Sunday in Doodemona.

Verdon Spauldin of Brownwood spent the week end in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Spauldin.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Tatum and family visited in Atwell the last of the week, remaining over Sunday.

Y. A. Orr and L. J. Cook left Monday for Austin on a business mission.

Mrs. A. B. Mayes of Big Spring left Monday after a very pleasant visit in the home of Mrs. Luke Cathey.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Cowan and daughter, Miss Lois, of Abilene spent the week end visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Gaslin.

Mr. and Mrs. Cape Hedepe of Cross Plains were Putnam visitors Saturday.

Mrs. W. W. Everett and daughter, Mrs. Clarence Nordyke, were shopping in Baird Thursday.

Clarence Mayes returned from Dallas Friday, where he recently underwent an operation for appendicitis. He is reported to be rapidly recovering.

Mrs. Luke Cathey, accompanied by her little granddaughter, Mary Ellen Russell, left Monday for Big Spring where they will spend a few days visiting friends.

Mrs. Gus Ryan and baby, who have been visiting in Putnam the past week, returned to their home in Baird Tuesday.

Mrs. Pearce Shackelford was a Fort Worth visitor the first of the week.

Mrs. John Hepler of the Zion Hill community was a visitor in Putnam Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Warren returned Friday from a prospecting tour through several West Texas counties.

Milton Hepler and Buck Brock spent Saturday night in Baird.

Clarence Nordyke visited the Dallas fair over the week end. He and Mrs. Bud Cunningham of Pease are moving back to Putnam.

Mrs. S. E. Husep left Sunday for a visit with her sister Mrs. T. I. Tidwell, at Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Anthony spent Sunday at Lover's Retreat, near Mineral Wells.

Miss Matine Coggens spent the week end in the home of her mother at Cottonwood.

Mrs. Golda Cassidy, of Fort Worth, visited in the home of her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Brandon, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Russell were guests in the home of Mr. Russell's parents in Milleville over the week end.

Archie Kelley has returned home from Young county, where he has been working in the oil fields for the past month.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cunningham returned from San Antonio Thursday, where they attended the convention of the American Legion.

Mr. and Mrs. Nordyke of Cottonwood were guests in Putnam Sunday, the guests of their son, Clarence Nordyke, and Mrs. Nordyke.

Mesdames Millard Ray and Floyd Coffey of Cottonwood were shopping in Putnam Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Powers of Junction were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Park Sunday.

Mrs. Dessa Moore of Goree visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Anthony the past week.

Mrs. Pearce Shackelford and children left Friday for Dallas, where they visited the fair, returning Sunday.

Rev. J. E. Black was in Seran-

ton Sunday, where he preached to the Baptist congregation both morning and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Anthony were shopping in Abilene Saturday.

L. E. Miller, Fred Heuser and A. E. Unken returned Thursday from San Antonio, where they attended the convention of the American Legion. They report a most enjoyable time on this trip.

Mrs. Grady Pruet of Colony was in Putnam Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ascue Dodd and children and Mrs. J. E. Hesepe and children spent Sunday in Cross Creek visiting relatives.

Mrs. Audrey Whitaker, nee Miss Audrey Mayes, of San Saba, stopped off in Putnam Friday for a few hours' visit with old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Brandon had the pleasure of entertaining their children at a dinner especially prepared for them last Sunday at their home here. Those present to enjoy this occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon and children, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brunko and children, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Brandon and children and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brandon. All the children were present except Dr. and Mrs. Brandon of Oeraman, who were unable to attend.

The Women's Study club met October 15 in the home of Mrs. Fred Cecil. Subject for the afternoon was "The Art of Living." Mrs. W. H. Norwood gave a very interesting talk on "Leonardo da Vinci's 'The Last Supper'." Mrs. W. J. Patton followed with description of the painting of the "Last Supper" and Mrs. D. E. Reuter, of the "Mona Lisa." Leonardo da Vinci's most famous picture, which is also said to be the world's most famous picture.

## HASKELL

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Perdue, Mr. Fred Steffer and son were visitors in our community last week.

Mrs. Vera Fran of Dallas, was visiting relatives here and at Sabanno last week.

A. H. Perdue was over in this community looking for hands to help through private last week.

Several families here attended church at Nimrod Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night.

Elder Foster filled his regular appointment here Saturday and Sunday. A nice crowd was out at both services.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Perdue of Cisco spent Saturday night with their son, J. M., and family at this place.

J. M. Perdue took his binder to the Nimrod community Monday to be repaired.

Carrie Belle and Myrl Perdue started to school at Nimrod Monday.

Mrs. Nora Blackwell was the guest of Mrs. J. M. Perdue Friday afternoon.

Jan Poplin was a Sunday morning caller at the Perdue home.

Mrs. Lillie Ferme and daughter, Carrie Belle, visited her brother and family, Joe Allen, at Nimrod Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Steffer of Cisco attended church at Haskell Saturday.

## ADMIRAL

Mrs. Early Higgins, with her little son and daughter from Las Vegas, Nevada, has been here visiting relatives and friends.

The B. Y. P. U. rendered a program at Rowden Sunday afternoon. Among those who went were: Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Black and son, Norman Lee, L. Lee and daughter, Jennie, James and Odessa Mrs. Edgar Smith, Tom Esbham and daughter, Ethel and Bertha, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Higgins and sons, E. J. and Raymond, M. and Mrs. Claude Willis and son, Wendell, W. J. Harris and daughter, Ora Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery Coggens and children, and Mrs. Julia Bennett were guests of Mrs. Julia and Miss Edna Sanders last week end.

Jay Jones visited homefolks near Pioneer Sunday afternoon.

Bessie Brown of Burt Branch was a visitor in Sunday school Sunday.

Ernest Jones and children of Sweetwater are here visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Spence and children of Rowden are visiting J. M. Mayes.

Tom Esbham and family, with Jakee Street, spent Saturday in Abilene.

Mrs. Ida Warren and little son of Bell-Plains were in Admiral Wednesday.

## DOTHAN

The Dothan school will begin Monday, October 22. A program has been arranged for the opening and the parents are all urged to attend. The teachers are: Principal, Mrs. E. L. Hazelwood; Intermediate, Mrs. Alberta Sims; primary, Miss Pearl Donaway.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Short and daughter visited relatives in Cisco Sunday.

Otha Coffey and family have moved from Flatwoods to Dothan.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Clark and children were visiting Mrs. May Clark and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Turpen and children visited in Albany Saturday.

Will Stephens and Mr. and Mrs.

Andy Rowe of Putnam attended singing here Sunday night.

Mrs. E. L. Hazelwood and Miss Pearl Donaway attended the teachers' institute at Mansum Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Crawford and children of Cisco visited Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jones Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otha Coffey and children attended church at Breckenridge Sunday.

Rev. Sam Short of De Leon preached here Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Gertrude Donaway left Monday for Dallas to attend the 4-11 Club girls' educational encampment and the fair.

E. Sublett and family spent Sunday in Abilene and Merkel.

## NIMROD

Rev. Nugent Balderpe preached here Sunday at 11 o'clock and Sunday night.

Marvin Brown and family of near Brown this week.

Mrs. John Brinkley and daughter, Mrs. King of Cisco, attended church here Sunday and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Stansford. G. L. Lauster and family of Pleasant Hill were visiting in this community Sunday.

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## VILLAGE OF GASOLINE IS ELECTRIFIED

ABILENE, Oct. 18.—Electrification of the town of Gasoline, announced by the West Texas Utilities company, recalls another chapter of romance in which West Texas richly abounds.

The dusty pages of the history of Gasoline reveal that this town is truly a child of progress, born when the automobile industry was in its infancy and the airplane was a thing of fiction.

Old settlers recall that there once stands the progressive town of Gasoline, where once was but one store, a blacksmith shop and a few scattered houses.

This village stood on the Great Plains Highway which traverses this section of the country from east to west. One far-sighted merchant, the story goes, installed a gasoline pump in the early days of the automobile and straightway did a rushing business. It was one of the first and the only filling station for miles around, a big sign bearing the word "gasoline" hung over the door.

Years later after the village had grown into a little town, containing a schoolhouse, gin and several new stores, the citizens began casting about for an appropriate name. Every name proposed, it was found, was borne by some other Texas city or town. In desperation the citizen pointed to the then old weatherbeaten sign over the first store and suggested that the town be officially recorded as "Gasoline." Thus it was named.

The town has grown steadily and recently the progressive citizens asserted that, to be a really modern town, it must be electrified. And now workmen of the West Texas Utilities company are building an extension of the Quitman-Turkey transmission line into that line.

## MARRIAGE OF DELINQUENT TO GO TO COURTS

AUSTIN, Oct. 18.—The question as to whether marriage relieves a delinquent girl from serving the remainder of a sentence imposed upon her by the courts, is to be tested by legal proceedings.

This was developed when a girl inmate of the Girls' Training school at Garrettsville made her escape and married and refuses to return to the grounds. Her marriage relieves her from serving the balance of the sentence.

The question was submitted to the attorney general's department for a ruling and Assistant Attorney General Ethel Hilton Jones held that the delinquent girl must complete her term and marriage does not relieve her. Based on this opinion, R. B. Walthall, chairman of the board of control, ordered the girl taken back to the school. This girl's husband announced that he will take the matter into the courts on the ground that her marriage removed the juvenile delinquency.

## Birthdays and Wedding Anniversary Are Occasion for Family Reunion at Home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Matthews

The birthdays and wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Matthews were celebrated the past week by a surprise dinner and homecoming of all their children. The dinner was a glad surprise to Mr. and Mrs. Matthews as their birthdays and wedding anniversary were so close together.

Mr. Matthews was 71 years old the 10th, and their wedding anniversary was the 12th, and Mrs. Matthews was 58 years old the 14th of October.

Their married children all decided to surprise them with a dinner and presents. It was all understood for their dinner and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Walker, of Carbon, to go and get Mr. and Mrs. Matthews and carry them to Sunday school and church that day. At 2:30 o'clock they came after them and while they were gone the other children all arrived except one, Walter West, of Big Spring, who could not be there but sent a nice long letter with flowers.

They have eleven girls and two boys, all living. They decorated the dining room all up with flowers and had the table spread with all kinds of good things to eat and arranged the presents to show when they walked in.

There were lots of nice presents from elsewhere to silk dresses and slits.

Everyone enjoyed the occasion. Old childhood memories were brought up with many a hearty laugh. There were four generations present. In the afternoon at 4 o'clock they all gathered around the family altar and Mrs. C. E. Drummond, Mrs. Matthews' mother, who resides with her, read one of her favorite scriptures, the fourteenth chapter of St. John, and a beautiful prayer by her also.

It all seemed so natural to the children to be gathered around the family altar once more although the family was much larger with the sons-in-law and 14 grandchildren. All sons-in-law and grandchildren were present except two, Rev. P. D. O'Brien of Florida, stayed at home and kept their two

## NEW COTTON DISEASE IS STUDIED AT A. & M.

COLLEGE STATION, Oct. 18.—A new disease of cotton has been discovered by Dr. J. J. Tompkins, chief of the division of plant pathology, Experiment Station, A. & M. College of Texas, in connection with his studies of the cotton root rot disease. This new disease has been found in three different sections of Texas including the black land section, and its effects upon cotton are in many respects similar to those due to the cotton wilt, common in eastern states.

Just how serious this new disease may now be, or may become, is not known at present, but it is not believed to be of so much importance as cotton root rot, nor is it believed that farmers need feel serious apprehension at this time.

In the study of cotton root rot from every angle that offers hope for a practical solution of the problem, research workers of the experiment station are also studying carefully the prevalence and activity of any other disease which may be affecting the crop under Texas conditions.

## USE OF STRAW IN BUILDING IS AID TO FARMER

CHICAGO, Oct. 18.—Building boards are being made from straw in cereal regions where there are no forests, Sidney D. Wells, chemical engineer of Quincy, Ill., declared in a report to the Engineering Foundation, New York.

The rise of this process, enabling the construction industry to employ a new material and to make a substantial contribution to farm relief, he attributes to scientific research.

"In the great wheat areas," says Mr. Wells, "enormous quantities of straw are burned annually because it is too resistant to decay to be accumulated by the soil between harvest and sowing time. Only an infinitesimal quantity is otherwise utilized.

Save Transportation.—Most cereal areas are devoid of roads and most transport hauls from distant ports. From the beginning of civilization straw has been used in rural habitations, for both men and beasts, where the fire hazard was small. Its capacity

for reducing the weight has long been recognized.

"The laboratory learned raw materials, if any, are cemented together in elements, which can be apart after softening at elevated temperatures for several hours.

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# ROOT ROT TURNS CENTRAL TEXAS FARMERS TO DAIRYING

## Cotton Disease Necessitates New Industry; Steady Market Assured by Local Milk Plants

WACO, Oct. 18.—Just as everyone woke up a few years ago to find the air full of radio, Central Texas is now on the verge of awakening to find the farms full of milk cows and the towns full of milk plants. This shift is being forced upon the black lands by cotton root rot.

The coming of cows and milk plants is no vision. A cheese factory opened at Hamilton May 15 with receipts of 395 pounds of milk, which grew to 1,900 pounds daily a month later, and now is almost 10,000 pounds daily—a small plant, but its rapid growth in receipts indicates the steady drift toward the milk route. A creamery at Temple is about ready to open, a cheese factory at West and another at Valley Mills are under contract, while Waco is hoping to make definite arrangements soon of a plant which will rival the largest in the nation.

But root has been creeping farther and farther into the black land cotton fields for a quarter of a century, reaching the point in the last few years where some fields suffer 90 per cent loss, and the average in the affected belt has been estimated as high as 25 per cent. The devastated lands, while amounting only 8 per cent of Texas total area, grow more than a million bales of cotton annually, resulting in production any state of the Old South.

In the form affecting Texas, root rot exists nowhere except in the southwestern states, and apparently thrives only in that land which is new from a geological viewpoint. Ten million years from now, say agricultural investigators, this land will have been chemically transformed to a composition which will eliminate root rot. In the meanwhile, something must be done, is the conclusion reached by Central Texas farmers, and confirmed by

to produce seven-eighths of a pound of butterfat a day, during her lactation period, and two-thirds of a pound daily the year round. This means only about 20c a day in net profit per cow, above feed cost. But it means also a home market for feedstuff raised on the farm, and opportunity to rotate and cultivate land cleanly, and to build up the land's productive qualities.

It means more cotton, corn and oats per acre. The Temple experiment records show \$15 an acre paid on rotated land, against an average of \$7 an acre on nonrotated land. It means cash for living expenses and cotton money left in the clear. These advantages have been long held out alluringly, but it remained for root rot to drive the Central Texas farmers into their arms.

## SEN. BORAH TO SPEAK MONDAY NIGHT DALLAS

DALLAS, Oct. 18.—Senator William E. Borah, the "iron wolf" of Idaho, chairman of the senate foreign relations committee, will speak at the Fair Park auditorium here Monday night in the interest of the candidacy of Herbert Hoover. This is the first campaign in several years in which Borah has taken the stump for the Republican national ticket.

Next to the candidate, Borah is the most sought after speaker in the Hoover ranks. Leonard Wilkinson, secretary of the Associated Hoover clubs said, "The Dallas address will be his only speech in Texas, and already arrangements are being made for delegations to attend from all parts of the South-west."

It is expected, Wilkinson said, that Senator Borah's address will be broadcast by one of the large Texas radio stations and also by one of the national chains. Arrangements will also be made for loud speakers to take care of the overflow crowds.

## Number of Deaths in Crossing Accidents Increases in Decade But Percentage to Autos Drops

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—During the last 10 years 23,247 persons have been killed and 57,823 seriously injured in highway grade crossing accidents on major steam railroads. The figures do not include grade crossing accidents occurring on smaller steam railroads or on electric and oil lines.

These figures were made public by the American Road Builders' association as part of its national highway safety campaign. The association pointed out that while the number of fatalities has increased steadily since 1918, the comparative number of deaths has decreased. In 1918 a total of 1,832 persons were killed in these accidents as compared with 2,371 in 1927. In 1927 there were 94 persons killed per 10,000 motor vehicles as compared with 1.94 persons in 1918.

The percentage decrease in highway crossing fatalities has been the result of educational measures taken by the railroads and cooperating organizations. The American Road Builders' association declared, "A continued reduction is dependent upon the practice of caution on the part of motor vehicle drivers. Courtesy and caution are the two fundamentals which will eventually bring a noteworthy decrease in all types of highway accidents," officials said.

Education vital. "The two major factors which will contribute toward better conditions at the railroad grade crossings are crossing elimination and individual education. There are approximately 397,000 unprotected grade crossings on major steam railroads alone. It is economically impossible for the complete elimination of these crossings within the very near future. It is possible, however, to eliminate the more dangerous crossings and at the same time continue the education of the motoring public in the value of courtesy and caution when approaching these hazards."

It is a regrettable fact that 238 persons were killed at grade crossings last year as a result of running into the side of moving trains. This demonstrates the

gross negligence on the part of some drivers when approaching dangerous crossings. Most inexcusable deaths result from attempts to beat trains to a crossing or approaching at a high speed where the view is obstructed in some degree.

The association urged highway departments and railroads to continue the elimination of grade crossings as fast as economic conditions permit.

"More important," the association added, "is the practice of the simple code of courtesy and caution on the part of every individual. The engineer of a steam locomotive is virtually powerless to avert an accident when a motor car obstructs the right of way. The avoidance of accidents is the duty of the driver of the motor car."

In summarizing grade crossing conditions on the major steam railroads, the American Road Builders' association reported that at the beginning of 1927, there were 298,533 unprotected crossings in the United States, 6,148 crossings were protected by gates, 7,790 were guarded by watchmen, 6,411 had both audible and visible signals, 5,396 were guarded by audible signals only, and 2,204 had visible signals only. Of the 235-

138 grade crossings in the United States, only 27,747 had any kind of protection. The above features do not include crossings located on electric, gas or oil railroads, or on steam railroads of second, third and fourth grades.

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### Grim Walls Do Not a Prison Make in Texas; 300 Convicts Escape in Three Months, 100 Still at Large

AUSTIN, Oct. 18.—During the last three and a half months nearly 300 Texas convicts learned that there is some truth in "grim walls do not a prison make," for they effected escapes. The strategy employed was varied. All the way from casually stroking past the guards to setting fire to buildings, although the favorite plan was cutting through bars, floors or walls.

It is fair to say that a large number of those who made the dash were recaptured, although 100 of the total still are at large. "What is the explanation of so many escapes?" Governor Moody was asked.

**4,300 in Prison.** "Simply this," he replied. "We have approximately 4,300 prisoners, which exceeds by more than 1,000 the greatest number behind bars during the previous administration. But the appropriation made is not sufficient to employ enough guards, and if we had them we still would not have sufficient funds to feed them. The last budget was made on a basis of 2,500 prisoners. In all events, the ratio of escapes is less than during any former administration."

Members of the prison commission, of which R. H. Baker of Houston is chairman, have indicated that it will be up to the coming legislature to make the prisons and farms "safe for convicts." The escapes the last few weeks have served to agitate again the plan to centralize the entire prison system, now somewhat scattered, but which would require an appropriation of several millions of dollars.

**228 Flee in Three Months.** Going back to recent escapes, 228 fled during July, August and September, according to records in the governor's office, while the October report, not yet submitted, apparently will list at least 75 who went "A. W. O. L." In July 85 escaped, in August 73 and in September 80. The September report showed 4,475 in the prison census while the daily record reaching here Tuesday showed an increase of only one. Discharges and escapes prevented an increase in spite of the fact that 283 convicts were received in the three months period. Discharges for the same period totaled 269.

Texas convicts who attempt escapes today enjoy the proverbial snap compared to the vicissitudes of Monte Cristo, the prisoner of Chillon and the Man in the Iron Mask. Cristo requiring a year to dig through stone walls and only he of three getting away. Blue Ridge Farm heads the list for escapes, 39 having fled during July, August and September. The Imperial Farm comes second with 47, while the Huntsville record was 18. Escape from Huntsville is more difficult because the prison is all closed in. Still for the month of September, Huntsville forged ahead of all the others except Blue Ridge, 19 freeing themselves. Of the 4,475 in Texas prisons 790 of this number are at Huntsville, while the Ramsey Farm with 500 is second.

**11 Cut Through Floor.** The Wynne Farm made the best start for October, 14 having fled from there on Oct. 13 after cutting through the floor of the frame building in which they were lodged. Many of them were tubercular patients, four of whom were recaptured on the streets of Huntsville. In the crowd were several who had one week previously set fire to hospital buildings at Wynne, causing a loss of \$10,000.

Four days later two white women escaped from the Gore farm four miles south of Huntsville by cutting the bars in a second story window and descending a rope made of blankets. Two days previously three were successful in quitting Huntsville prison. At the Ramsey farm, near Angleton, and during the same week four convicts who had been working in a field made their escape. But the most unusual flight of all occurred less than a month ago at Huntsville when a trio overcame a guard, the leader donning his clothes and gun and escorting the other two into the prison yard. He marched past armed guards, waving cordially at them and saying: "Just taking 'em for a stroll, boss." They still are strolling.

Governor Moody said he did not know the total number of guards employed or the ratio of convicts to guards, but he did know funds

were insufficient to employ any more at present. The records of the three-month period disclose very few pardons, although the furloughs reached 82.

**64 Recaptured in September.** July recaptures numbered 34, August 53 and September 64. Several weeks ago the prison commission placed a ban on prisoners receiving daily newspapers, declaring the articles regarding prison escapes served to incite others to plot flights. Among prisoners who escaped several years ago were Tom Ross and Mill Good serving long terms, amounting to life, for the killing of two inspectors of the Texas and Northwestern Cattle Raisers' association at Seminole in Gaines county. They killed a guard with a stick of wood. Good was recaptured in Oklahoma, while Ross whereabouts are not known, although a reward for his arrest still stands.

No appropriation for modern projects has been made one department being the agitation for concentration of the entire system in one locality.

**One Guard to 18 Convicts.** The Texas prison system has one guard to every 18 convicts, it was learned Tuesday afternoon after going through the budget records of the Board of Control. A slight increase is sought from the next legislature, 275 guards asked for the first year of the biennial period and 333 for the second year. The total appropriation for the prisons for the last two years has been \$2,600,000, which included a contingent fund of \$200,000 for many varied purposes, left to the decision of the commission. As to explaining why so many prisoners escape one reason might be found in wages paid the guards, which does not exceed \$50 a month, including board and lodging. Members of the commission themselves have complained of such low guard salaries, much lower than those paid policemen in any Texas city.

Crops produced by the prison farms made money the past year, cotton alone bringing in more than \$100,000. A sports journal says that all hunters should be subject to an examination. Prohibition officials might find that work highly profitable—Bottle Mountain Standard.

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### OPEN BIDS ON CALLAHAN CO. BONDS OCT. 22

BAIRD, Oct. 18.—The \$125,000 bonds voted July 30 by the people of Callahan county, for the purpose of building a new courthouse, have been advertised for sale and the commissioner's court has set Oct. 22 as the date to open bids on said bonds. Numerous bidders have expressed their intention of being present and the bonds are expected to bring good prices owing to the fact there is no county bond indebtedness against the county except this issue.

### DIRECTOR OF LEGION PLAY BUSY AT BAIRD

BAIRD, Oct. 18.—Miss Martha Carlton has arrived to direct the American Legion's show, "How Comes Arabella" and a very enthusiastic meeting of the general committee was held Monday night at the chamber of commerce building. Miss Carlton is a very talented and capable young woman and comes highly recommended by organizations from the different towns in which she has produced plays. A cast of 39 characters has been selected and preliminary rehearsal will start tomorrow afternoon. The play will be held in the Tabernacle Oct. 23 and special seating arrangements are being made to take care of the crowd. The scenery will be overlaid and with the many costumes furnished by Miss Carlton's company the show will be a very colorful affair. The Legion and Auxiliary are working hard to help put the show over big.

### PASTOR TELLS OF CROP SHAPE NORTH OF HERE

Rev. H. F. Penman and family returned Monday evening from Vernon, where Rev. Penman

breached at a mission rally Sunday. "We left about sundown Friday night and motored as far as Albany where we spent the night with Brother Wagner," Rev. Penman reported. "Thence we motored via Throckmorton and Seymour, arriving at Vernon Saturday night about sundown. This road leads through much hilly and rocky country, and we saw very few crops, but the scenery was quite interesting. At Albany, however, the people were all wearing a broad smile, since they are in the midst of a bountiful cotton harvest. We returned Monday via Crowell, Stamford, Anson and Abilene. The southern part of Poard county and the northern part of Knox county along the Wichita river are about the most desolate and forsaken country I have ever seen. Looks to me as though it would take about 19 acres of that land to feed a jack rabbit. Nevertheless, the ever changing scene is interesting to the traveler. We saw some fair cotton between Abilene and Anson, better cotton just north of Anson, and very good crops around Rule and Rochester. But north of that crops are poor. The cotton at Vernon is almost a total failure. One man from north of Vernon told me that he would make about six bales from 300 acres. However,

the bumper crop of last year will tide these farmers over. They do not seem to feel the effects of this year's failure, for they placed a mission offering of \$1,000 upon the plate last Sunday. We enjoyed our trip immensely; but, of course, are glad to be back home, and in Cisco.

### NABORS FURNITURE CO. IS MOVING TO GRAY BUILDING

The building recently vacated by the Gray Hardware Co. will be occupied by the Nabors Furniture Co. The stock is now being moved from the Odd Fellows' building, and Manager Foy states that it is expected that the move will be complete before Nov. 1. It is not definitely known who will occupy the Odd Fellows' building but one of the trustees stated that two or three applications were pending. One of those who have applied will likely be given a lease, he stated.

The things commonly used to provide an education late in life are a correspondence course and a set of children.—Roanoke World-News.

Patience is sometimes only the virtuous aspect of laziness.—El Paso Herald.

### WELL BROUGHT IN SIX MILES S. E. OF BAIRD

BAIRD, Oct. 18.—The second important discovery of oil in the vicinity of Baird within a week was reported Monday night when the Roster-Foster Oil corporation's No. 1 P. G. Hatchett, in section 23, deaf and dumb asylum lands, found a rich pay sand at a depth of 319 feet to open an entirely new pool three miles from nearest production. It is 6 1/2 miles southeast of Baird.

Test of the pay will not be completed until casing is set, as only one joint of pipe was in the hole when the sand was found. This "grass roots" production is of high gravity, according to a report from the Baird chamber of commerce. The Hatchett well is three miles from the Moutray field, which was extended three-eighths of a mile

southeast late last week when a well on the Ace Hickman lease came in for initial production of approximately 150 barrels. It is now making 125 to 240 barrels daily, according to a report from Baird.

### BROWNWOOD PLANS PECAN INSTITUTE

The Brownwood chamber of commerce will stage a pecan institute in that city Nov. 15, according to a communication to the Cisco chamber, at which will be experts in pecan culture to discuss subjects of importance to growers in West Texas. Appropriate prizes will be offered for the best individual, community or county exhibit for the best native and western varieties shown. This institute will be of especial instructive value to visitors, as experts will talk of tapping, budding, care

of trees and such other matters that will interest pecan growers. An auction sale of pecans will be conducted when many buyers are expected to be on the ground. Effort will be made to perfect permanent organization, according to J. T. Stovall, chairman of a program committee.

### SAN ANGELO STUDENTS TO FATEEN 20 FEEDER LAMBS

SAN ANGELO, Oct. 18.—As one of the major projects in the national agricultural department, the San Angelo high school, two feeder lambs have been purchased by six members at 11 cents a pound, to be fattened, exhibited, the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show, and then sold at that city.

T. D. White, graduate of A. M. College, is the instructor and aiding the boys in selecting the stock. Two head of goats also have been purchased to study the production of mohair, while one lamb will be bought or taken feed later.

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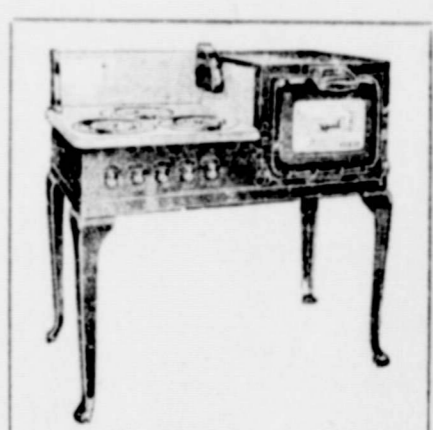
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### Correct Use of Land, Equipment and Proper Feeding Will Result in Profit, Waco Farmer Proves

Oct. 18.—Costs of cotton production in Texas have been reduced considerably by the correct use of land, equipment and proper feeding, a Waco farmer has proved in a recent year.

Barclay, implement dealer and owner of a large cotton farm near Waco, contributes the following figures for the year 1927. The farm has seven miles west of Waco in Falls county.

Barclay figures his labor cost at \$1.50 a day, but states that he did not have to pay more than \$1.50 a day. He figures his cost at \$1.25 per hundred pounds, but fully one-third of the use of four mules for the season to haul the cotton to the gin, and the other two were used for other purposes.

Barclay figured the cost of the use of land at 40¢ a bushel, but actual cost fell below that. He makes no in-charge on investment because he used the depreciation fund to pay for the land.

Barclay says that his best results were obtained by using four years' worth of manure to cover his land. He says that the cost of the manure was \$1.00 per acre, and that he used one pound of manure per acre per day.

Barclay says that he used the best feed he could get, and that he used it in the best way. He says that he used a mixture of corn, sorghum and cottonseed meal, and that he used it in the best way.

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### CLUB LEADERS ENLIST THOUSANDS



Ernest A. Reed, president, and Julian Zelchenko, secretary of the Hoover Clubs of New Jersey, who are enlisting thousands of volunteers to aid in registering voters and to watch the polls, especially in the Hudson County districts controlled by Mayor Hague, of Jersey City, where the New Jersey State Legislature is investigating alleged ballot box irregularities.

### OF A SOCIAL NATURE

#### Social Calendar

**Coming Events**

Cisco Music Study club will meet Friday at 9:15 a. m. at the club house.

The Ladies' auxiliary of the Presbyterian church will have a bazaar December 7 and 8.

**Catholic Altar Society Meets With Mrs. Kelly**

Mrs. G. B. Kelly entertained the members of the Catholic Altar Society Tuesday afternoon at her home on West Fifth street. There were nine members answering to roll. After a brief business session, Rev. M. Collins of Ranger led in prayer. The hostess served pineapple sundaes, cake and coffee to the guests.

**Bridge Club Meets With Mrs. W. J. Armstrong**

Mrs. W. J. Armstrong entertained the Humble Bridge club Wednesday afternoon at her home on M avenue. A variety of cut flowers was used in decorating the rooms. After playing five games of bridge the hostess served a delicious plate of pumpkin pie, coffee and candy. The guest list included: Mesdames W. W. Wallace, Jake Almond, W. K. Egan, Reggie Henderson, F. D. McMahon, Mike McGannon, Joe Hanrahan, C. C. Moore, Jack Kelly, Roy Stever, J. O. Sue, O. C. Cope, J. G. Rodgers of Los Angeles, Cal., A. E. Jamison, H. N. Pardee and Miss Mayne Davis. The prizes in the bridge game were awarded to Mrs. C. C. Moore, high score, and Mrs. Roy Stever, consolation.

**Birthdays Party Given For Gene Pate**

Saturday afternoon of last week Mrs. Geneva Pate entertained with a birthday party, honoring her little son, Gene. Thirty friends, including the mothers, were present, each bringing a little gift. Games were played and pictures were made of the party and Gene with his birthday cake. Refreshments, consisting of ice cream and chocolate cake were served. Those present were: Mabelle Gregory, Laverna Martin, Freda Lane Grist, Betty Fay Grist, John Roy Pritchard, Margaret Lavern Key, Lavone Youslin, George Wild, Charles Wilson, Billy Gene Andrews, Leslie Glen Turner, Clarence Turner, Glen Tiner, Jimmy Max Jones, Hal-tie Joe Jones, Lavone Price, Joe Sikes Price, J. F. Marrell, Jr. All expressed themselves as having a good time and wished for Gene many more happy birthdays.

**Mrs. P. F. Shepard Has Charge of Baptist W. M. S. Program**

Circle Four of the Baptist W. M. S. had charge of the mission program Tuesday afternoon when the seven circles of the church met at the church at 3 o'clock. Mrs. P. F. Shepard was in charge of the program which was on "Giving, Tithing and Where Our Money Goes." After the study lesson the meeting adjourned to meet Tuesday, October 23 in circles. There were 65 ladies present.

**S. O. S. Bridge Club Meets With Miss Butts**

Miss Mary Jane Butts entertained the members of the S. O. S. Bridge club Tuesday evening at the home of her parents, Judge and Mrs. J. J. Butts, on West Sixth street. The rooms were decorated

with cut flowers and the Halloween motif was carried out in the tables and other accessories. In the bridge game the favors were awarded Miss Alne Walker, high score, and Miss Catherine Cunningham the consolation. The hostess served a salad plate to the prize winners, and other members who were Miss Edna Hale, Theresa Lee, Mary Elizabeth O'Flaherty, Madeline Shepherd and Helen Williamson.

**Mrs. E. M. Howard of Rising Star Hostess to Episcopal Guild**

The members of the Cisco Episcopal guild went to Rising Star Tuesday afternoon where they were entertained at the home of Mrs. E. M. Howard. During the business session the guild voted to give a benefit bridge party at the Cisco Humble recreation hall Thursday, October 25. After the study lesson the hostess served dainty refreshments to the following guests: Mesdames Maynard, J. A. Bearman, C. D. Roberts, A. Hamfield, E. E. Jones, J. H. Meyer, D. D. Walker and Lee A. Christy of Dallas. The guild will meet in Cisco Tuesday, October 30.

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### RIVAL FORCES LAYING CLAIM TO WICHITA CO.

WICHITA FALLS, Oct. 18.—Wichita county is engaged in the hottest presidential campaign in its history, with both regulars and Hooverites claiming victory.

Edgar Scurry, militant chairman of the regulars, says:

"I don't think there is any doubt whatever but that Wichita county will go Democratic. The Democrats and a few who call themselves Hooverites have made much of a campaign or paid much attention to the election until the headquarters were opened a few weeks ago. A large majority will vote for the Democratic national ticket. There are quite a few Republicans in the county, some disaffected Democrats and a few who call themselves Hoover Democrats. Of course there is no such thing as a Hoover Democrat."

O. R. Hatt, Republican county chairman, sees the situation through different specs. To quote:

"After making a careful check of the county I am of the opinion that Hoover will carry it by a majority of 1,000 votes. Numerous straw votes which I have seen taken indicate that everywhere in the county there are from six to eight out of every ten voters for Hoover."

N. H. Martin, president of the Anti-Smith club, concurs in Hatt's views.

"Many people have turned to Hoover in Wichita county during the past 30 days. If the situation stays as it appears to be at present until the election, it looks like Hoover will carry the county by nearly a two to one vote," he said.

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### STYLE HINTS

By ALICE LANGELOTT  
International News Service Staff Correspondent

#### COAT DRESS BACK FOR STREET WEAR

PARIS, Oct. 18.—The coat dress has come back this year for street wear in town during early autumn and is proving the ideal costume for the morning stroll in the Bois or along the smart shopping district. It comes in tweed, crepe, reps and other new woollens.

Redfern is showing a charming "rose-mantle" in navy-blue crepe opening over a slip of pale gray crepe de Chine with narrow belt of silver and blue leather. Curving bands of open work are used around the neck and on the lower part of the sleeves.

Black broadcloth is cut like a long coat, left loose at one side and faced with ermine, the front a bit full with a wide belt of black patent leather. It has an interesting scarf of the fur knotted loosely around the neck and narrow bands of the same about the wrists.

Another black broadcloth has groups of pleats at the side of the skirt, a diagonal row of buttons fastening the skirt at one side and narrow scarf of white fur tied about the neck.

Bechoff is featuring strictly tailored frocks in the new tweeds and English checks or small plaids for

street wear. One of the latter in shaded gray is very trim and smart with the bodice fastened with a diagonal row of black buttons, square patch pockets and scarf attached to one side of the throat and fringed at the ends.

A most useful coat-inck to be worn without the coat comes in broadcloth with the bodice of crepe satin and narrow vest and tight undersleeves of white georgette. There are also gowns in the new soft woolen striped materials, made with pleats from neck to hem, with tiny brass buttons and belts of suede or gold leather.

#### SANITY HEARING FOR HICKMAN DROPPED

SAN QUENTIN STATE PRISON, Cal., Oct. 18.—Efforts which had been planned for a sanity hearing in a final effort to save the life of William Edward Hickman, condemned slayer, were abandoned by attorneys late Wednesday. Richard Canfield, one of Hickman's attorneys, announced after a conference with Warden James Holahan, that the hearing would not be asked. The announcement may mean that the attorneys plan to drop the fight to keep Hickman from going to the gallows Friday morning for the murder of Marian Parker.

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Purchasers of the new Ford cars in all the other territories included in the territory of the Dallas branch of the Ford Motor company may now have their time payments financed by a specialized financial institution authorized and sponsored by the Ford Motor company.

The announcement was made today by the Universal Credit company, formed by the Ford Motor company to provide a uniform time plan throughout the United States. Under this plan Ford cars may be bought on time payment terms commensurate with business policy.

The Dallas branch of Universal Credit company will be located in the new building, and will serve Ford dealer organization and time-payment purchases in district covered by the Dallas branch.

The officials of the new company stated today that extremely low rates of interest are one of the important features of the credit plan. They stated that the plan contemplates the purchase by Universal Credit company of sound and adequate third insurance protecting the joint interests of the dealer, the dealer and the com-

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# REDUCED PRICE OF FISHING PERMITS IS POPULAR MOV

## Bargain Rate of \$2.50 for Family for Year Is Expected to Increase Lake Cisco's Favor with Sportsmen

The bargain sale of fishing permits is meeting with a popular response already, as several have purchased the \$2.50 family permits that will entitle a man and wife to fish in Lake Cisco for one year. This bargain sale is only good until November 1, and those who desire permits must procure their fishing license before the expiration of the final date, which is midnight, Oct. 31.

Probably those who have already secured annual permits under the \$10 rate have not thought of the saving in them under the bargain sale rates. By buying a license to fish now, even though one's present permit will not expire until Jan. 1, one will effect a saving of \$1.50, as the old rates will be restored before the permit expires, and the holder will have to pay the old price of \$10.

The reduced rates were made with a view of popularizing Lake Cisco as a fishing resort—in all Lake Cisco to Cisco—as it is in-

could not be seen clearly in the highway.

Then came along a heavy Relay truck belonging to Evans & Brown of Dallas, driven by J. H. Harvey. He was moving about 15 miles an hour, but even so could not stop in time to avoid crashing into the Chevrolet. The wet bricks also made it difficult to stop. Harvey turned towards the ditch, crossed it and crashed through a fence, the wheels then sinking in so deep into the soil, earth that the truck could go no further. He carried more than a score of loaded gas drums, each weighing about 150 pounds and some of these were pushed forward and crashed into the driver's cab. Harvey had a narrow escape from death.

"I didn't know what was about to happen, but stuck to my wheel and prayed," said Harvey.

The side swing of the heavy Relay truck sent the Chevrolet truck across the road into the ditch on the south side. The truck was very little damaged, but the entire load of marble slid off it and broke into fragments when it struck the heavy paving. It was not a difficult job to get the Chevrolet truck into the ditch, but the driver turned around and went back toward Dallas. All three trucks were going west when they crashed.

The Graham truck was only slightly damaged and none of the merchandise it carried was harmed. The Relay truck suffered most, but Harvey said the loss would be covered by insurance. The gas drums were not damaged.

also to reduce economic difficulties arising from high importations from abroad.

**Cut Down Imports**

It may be bad news for the American farmer, who has been accustomed to sending to Italy the greater part of the \$60,000,000 in wheat imported yearly from abroad, but Premier Mussolini and his associates believe the Italian farmer will be stimulated to new effort to supply domestic requirements.

By the new decree, the duty on foreign wheat is increased from approximately 70 cents per hundred pounds to just about an even dollar. The idea is that the full benefit of this additional protection shall go to the Italian farmer, who thus will be inspired to increase

his production in order to reap larger profits. At the same time, there has been a corresponding increase in the import duties on flour and meal.

Meanwhile, the government is concentrating every effort toward teaching the Italian farmer better agricultural methods. This concentration already has shown results in an increased rate of production per acre amounting to about twenty per cent.

**After Long Study**

This improvement is the result of patient study and intelligent reforms carried on in connection with Mussolini's "Wheat Campaign." Better methods are being pursued throughout Italy under the direction of technical experts

who travel about and suggest machinery and chemical fertilizers to the farmers themselves. Experimental wheat fields at strategic points demonstrate to the farmer the value of the new methods.

At the same time orders have been issued insisting upon obedience to the rule of rotation of crops in each zone, with detailed instructions as to the use of artificial grasses which will improve the soil for future plantings of wheat.

Il Duce has expressed himself that by modern methods Italy will realize such a notable increase in wheat production that the kingdom will be freed from the necessity of appreciable importations from abroad.

## Slippery Paving, Herd of Cows and Effort to Render Aid Pile Up Three Trucks on Eastland Highway

EASTLAND, Oct. 18.—About 5 o'clock Tuesday morning, while the truck highway was slippery because of the rain that was falling, H. E. Frye, driver of a heavy Graham truck of the G. & A. Motor Co. of Dallas, about this time a Chevrolet truck belonging to the Blue Ice Transfer of Dallas came along, drove by the overturned truck and stopped in the highway, the driver going back to the right of way. The wheels of the truck slipped, the motor vehicle skidded and then rolled over on its side and the door of the cab was closed and

## WHEAT TARIFF RAISED 50 P. C. BY MUSSOLINI

ROME, Oct. 18.—With a fifty per cent tariff increase for protection against foreign products and with new measures for improving the efficiency of domestic production, Italy today is looking forward to a marked betterment in home output of wheat.

The new measures adopted by the Mussolini government, with the active support of Il Duce himself are aimed upon not only to aid agriculture, through guaranteeing better prices to the farmer, but

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Decorations in fact everything in the Hallow'en novelty line.

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An exceptional value in men's overalls, high back or suspender back. 98 Cents Pair.

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Just received a new shipment of children's headware consisting of felts, velvets pretty bonnets and Tams in shades of red, blue, delicate tans and browns.

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### Average Automobile Requires 35 Pounds of Cotton in Tires, Seat Cushions, Tops, and Other Parts

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Oct. 18.—Approximately 35 pounds of cotton is used in each automobile in the manufacture of tires, seat cushions, covers, tops and other parts, according to the United States department of agriculture, which organization, assisted by the Cotton Trade Institute, prepared an exhibit of the utilization of cotton fiber and seed being shown at the National Cotton show here.

A model automobile showing the various ways in which cotton is used is a part of the exhibit. The department's exhibit covers an area of more than 3,000 square feet, the main feature covered by a cotton canopy of vivid stripes. In this area there is a full exposition of the United States cotton standards and their use in the market. The utilization of cotton seed and of cotton linters is shown in hundreds of products from animal feeds to cellophane, the new transparent covering for fruits and vegetables, and candy boxes. The processes of cotton warehousing and the workings of the United States revenue act depicted.

tended to increase the consumption of cotton. The products of cotton linters such as paints, mattresses, felting, cellulose, explosives and other commodities are shown. In still another place there are exhibited the collection and dissemination of cotton market news, and the preparation of cotton crop reports. The comparatively new work of the bureau of agricultural economics in the collection and publication of grade and staple estimates is described.

Four bales of cotton in cotton burlap, shipped from this country to Germany and then returned here to test the durability of cotton burlap, is a part of the exhibit. The cotton was baled at Henderson, N. C.; shipped to Norfolk, Va., where the cotton was compressed to high density; sent to Bremen, Germany, where it was handled in a warehouse; then sent to Philadelphia and baled in a warehouse at that point, and thence shipped to Memphis. The bales received twice the handling used in international trade, yet the cotton burlap used for covering is reported to be in first class condition.

### RUSHING CHILDREN WILL ENTER PYTHIANS' HOME

The children of B. F. Rushing, who is a patient at a hospital at San Antonio, will be admitted to the Pythian home at Weatherford, according to officials of the Cisco Knights of Pythias lodge. It is the policy of the management of the Pythian home not to admit children if their parents are living, but in this case an exception was made, and the Rushing children will be provided for, as the father is seriously ill and the mother is not able to give them the proper care and attention. The Pythians are credited with many charitable acts, and red tape amounts to very little when good can be accomplished by suspending such rules as the refusal to take children of living parents. The Pythian insurance order is also noted for its promptness in discharging death claims, as it will be remembered that the death claim in favor of Mrs. G. W. Carmichael was paid 48 hours after the death of her husband, the late George W. Carmichael.

### TWO NEW GAS LINES TO ENTER EAST TEXAS

SHREVEPORT, Oct. 13.—Two gas lines from North Louisiana into East Texas, one from the Richland parish field to Waskem and the other from the new De Soto gas area to Latex, will be started within a short time, it was announced here. The Moody-Seagraves interests will lay the line from Richland to Waskem, approximately 130 miles. The Magnolia Gas Co. has entered in a contract with R. O. Roy of Shreveport to lay a 10-inch line to the new De Soto field.

The density of a star is often only one-thousandth that of the air in a soap bubble.

And when after he is an ex-president, Calvin Coolidge wishes to engage a special car, he can get bottom figures from John — Waterloo Tribune.

### Crackers, Milk Keep Man of 51 Alive

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## Blanton to Stump for Smith

ABILENE, Oct. 15.—From which candidate may we 110,000,000 people expect the most good and the least harm? That is the momentous question and the vital issue in the present presidential campaign. Congressman Thomas L. Blanton told a Merkel political gathering Saturday night.

For half a century the Republican party has stood for special privilege. Blanton said. The Democratic party has stood for the masses, with equal rights to all. There must be party government. It is the people's only safeguard. When a party is dishonest, the people have their remedy," Blanton declared.

Blanton said he was not for Governor Smith, but since the party had nominated him by a two-thirds majority he is going to support him because, "I am a Democrat and am for my democratic party."

**A Prohibitionist.** "I am a life-long prohibitionist, have never taken my first drink. I have been on the front firing line fighting prohibition battles for 25 years. I have helped to dry many counties in Texas. For years I helped to lead the fight for national prohibition. I helped to name and pass the Volstead law, and endeavored hard to make it stronger than it is, and when President Wilson vetoed it, I led the fight on the floor of the house to pass it over his veto. The issue is dear to my heart. I know that Al Smith is wet. But the Democratic party says wet, I know that Herbert Hoover and his administration are just as wet, when they are not frank enough to admit it, and that they can't be depended upon to enforce the law. For eight years Hoover and his cabinet have made a miserable failure without an even honest attempt to enforce Hoover's administration selected Mellon to enforce prohibition when every sane man in Washington knows that Mellon is wet, that he doesn't believe in prohibition and when Mellon himself admits that at the time he owned 225 tons of distillery stock. Many times from the floor of the house Mellon has been denounced "The Prince of Bootleggers." And this man-sized job of prosecuting bootleggers has been considered upon one little woman, Mrs. Mabel Wilkbrandt, who told me that she was compelled to move from the Hamilton hotel because she was disturbed by so many wild parties.

**Have Inherent Right.** "I do not criticize Dr. Sandefer. At Simmons College, Dr. Hunt, of McMurry College, or any other of our good ministers or citizens for following their judgment and convictions. They have their inherent right, and I believe that they are honest and sincere. I concede to ministers the right to be heard in the public forum concerning every question that affects our morals, homes and country. I am glad that they are willing to sacrifice and fight when they think danger is imminent. I have worked shoulder to shoulder with these minister-patriots for 35 years and have found them standing for the very best in Christian citizenship. They are as prone to err as other humans. They live far away from Washington. They have not been in close touch with Hoover and his administration. They have not seen what Morris Sheppard and I have witnessed. If they only knew about Hoover and his Republican administration what Sheppard and I know, they would unhesitatingly select Governor Smith as the lesser of two evils, and the one likely to do the most good for, and the least harm to,

all of the people. If like them I believe that Smith could destroy our prohibition laws, and that Hoover would preserve them, I would unhesitatingly vote for Hoover, because prohibition must not die. It is the achievement and result of fifty years of hard work and sacrifice, self-denial, struggle, tears and prayers of our churches, ministers, mothers and sober fathers. It must not die. But Smith cannot change the 18th amendment.

Only by a two-thirds vote of both houses of congress followed by the vote of the legislature of three-fourths of the states. It would take the liquor interests fifty years to bring all this about. And Smith cannot change the Volstead law. Only congress can do it, and congress can change it only to enforce the 18th amendment, because any attempt to abrogate it would be held unconstitutional. President Wilson tried to kill the Volstead law by vetoing it, but he didn't succeed. Congress can do it, and congress won't permit Smith to impair it.

**Near White House.** The city of Washington today has in it more places notoriously open for dispensing intoxicating liquors than exist in the entire state of Texas. Some are near the White House. One is within two blocks of Hoover's department. Special trucks built with secret compartments holding 120 five-gallon cans of whiskey bring regular loads into Washington under police protection. Ordinary employees of foreign embassies import, sell, and distribute generally large quantities of liquor in Washington. Hoover and his administration haven't made one move to stop it. New York has no state prohibition law. But the Volstead act covers New York and Hoover and his cabinet are under oath to enforce it there, and in wide-open Philadelphia, Baltimore, Chicago and St. Louis, yet he and his Republican administration haven't made one honest effort to do so. Sheppard and I know that we may expect no prohibition enforcement from Hoover, for Distiller Mellon will be in his cabinet.

Herbert Hoover was 43 years of age before he ever voted in the United States. Why? Why did he prefer to spend 23 years of his life after becoming grown in foreign lands? It was personal interest. It was not to benefit the United States or our people.

**Picked Catholic Priest.** Hooverites condemn Smith because he is a Catholic. Yet when Hoover married he chose a Catholic priest to perform his ceremony, when thousands of Protestant ministers, and Protestant civil officials were accessible. Just why did Hoover choose a Catholic priest? For exactly the same reason that Smith joined that church—exercise of his constitutional rights. But what church did Hoover join? One that had every member of it exempted and excused from entering the service during the war because of "conscientious scruples." The president of the United States is the commander in chief of our army and navy. When he calls all others to fight he should not be exempt himself because of conscientious scruples.

Herbert Hoover is the most extravagant, wasteful official in public life. His department now

spends twice as much as it did under Wilson's administration. He was thus criticized by prominent Republicans when he held office in Washington. Shortly after he became head administrator, the two great Republicans Jim Mann and Martin Madden in August, 1917, criticized Hoover and condemned the Democratic party because they said Hoover paid a rental of \$15,000 per year for the Gordon hotel building, when he shouldn't have paid more than half that sum. I wrote to Hoover for the facts. Over his own signature he wrote me on August 25, 1917, from which I quote:

**Quote Hoover Letter** "With respect to the rent on the Gordon hotel, this was positively the only building in Washington that we could find available even for temporary quarters. We rented it for \$35,000 for the first year with an option on it thereafter at \$18,000 per annum." Sheppard and I know that there were several hundred other suitable buildings available at that time which he could have rented at from \$5,000 to \$6,000 per annum, and he admitted the charges of Mann and Madden that he also permitted the owner to remove all furniture which he replaced with luxurious new furniture at government expense. Hoover promulgated rules allowing families to buy so much flour, sugar and other necessities by buying at the same time an equal quantity of substitutes. This restricted poor people and made them conserve, but it did not hamper the rich who were able to buy substitutes and throw them away. I heard the wife of J. Maury Dove, a millionaire fuel dealer, tell her grocer that she was tired of buying substitutes, as her big pantry was filled with them from the floor to the ceiling. Herbert Hoover's rich associates got all of the flour and sugar they wanted as they could well afford to throw away the substitutes.

**Strictly White.** Democrats told me that at Anson Friday night that a distinguished minister asserted at Stamford Thursday, that 13,000 negroes in New York belonged to Tammany Hall, and that Governor Smith's private secretary is a negro. On my return to Abilene at midnight I wired to Congressman John P. Carey, who is a ranking Democrat in New York and a leader in congress, and asked him to wire me the facts. Here is his reply: "New York, October 13, 1928. Thomas L. Blanton, Abilene, Texas.

Governor Smith's secretary is George B. Graves, white Protestant, and 32nd degree Mason. He has never appointed any negro to office in New York except a messenger at State House and he had splendid war record. In negro section in New York City there are several negro Democratic clubs, but they are not affiliated with Tammany. Tammany Hall membership is strictly white.

**Negro Question** But since this negro question has been invoked, I will state that it is Republican votes and influence that makes white people stand up in street cars in Washington when the seats are filled by black negro bucks. And it has been the effort of Republicans every year since I have been in congress to force mixed schools there, and mixed theatres, and mixed hotels. You won't find mixed schools in any regular Democratic state. Yet a majority of congressmen come from states that have mixed

schools. Herbert Hoover is the only cabinet officer in Washington who by executive order has abolished segregation of the races, and he has required whites and blacks to work together. If he has done this in his own department, we may rest assured that when he becomes president he will require it to be established in all departments. It is Herbert Hoover's cabinet that has appointed a black negro to the office of registrar of deeds in Washington, and a small regiment of helpless white girls and women are thus forced to take order from and work under him. We Democrats have repeatedly urged Hoover's cabinet to change this outrage, and they have refused. For five years the main official in charge of the office business of the great committee on naval affairs has been a negro appointed and kept there by the Republican congressmen who dictated the office of registrar of deeds in the office. Since Martin Madden died the Republicans have nominated and will elect a negro to congress, and he and his wife will walk down every receiving line in the White House, and be eligible to membership in the Congressional club with rights equal to those of the wives of all senators and congressmen.

**Honesty Unquestioned.** Since Alfred E. Smith has been governor of New York for ten years he has handled hundreds of millions of dollars of public money, and not one enemy can show that he has ever misapplied one dollar.

Herbert Hoover has set around a cabinet table with three Republican cabinet officers whose removal for dishonesty was forced by the Democrats, and through their dishonesty the people of the United States have had stolen from them hundreds of millions of dollars. And not one of them has been sent to the penitentiary. The Republican director of the United States Veterans Bureau, Charles R. Forbes, robbed the people of the United States for months of tremendous sums, and it was Democrats who forced him to be removed to prison. The Republican alien property custodian robbed the people of the United States of huge sums for months, and it was Democrats who forced his removal and his punishment in prison.

**Aid Millionaires.** Hoover and his Republicans forced the passage of the Cade Canal steal putting millions of dollars into the pockets of millionaires. Hoover and his Republicans have been trying to take from the people their \$150,000,000 Muscle Shoals power plant, and it has been Democrats who have resisted all such efforts. It was Hoover's Republican administration that passed a bill rebelling the owners of bonded liquors in warehouses the sum of \$12.60 per case, and most of this great sum of money went into the pockets of Secretary Mellon, and various family connections.

**Disloyal to Wilson** And it was Herbert Hoover who was disloyal to President Wilson and abused his confidence, and became a turn-coat politically, when he thought he had gotten all he could out of the Democratic party. When an official called Hoover a skunk, President Wilson said: "No, he isn't that, because a skunk has a white streak down his back."

If Democrats can't conscientiously vote for their Democratic ticket, for God's sake let them not vote for one who promises white people of the South nothing.

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9-piece genuine walnut Dining Room Suite, regular \$300 value, Pedestal Table, Arm Chair, Five Side Chairs, Buffet, China Cabinet. A real bargain for.

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LIVING ROOM SUITES  
2-piece Living Room Suite, solid mahogany frame, mohair upholstery, reduced from \$247.50 to..... **\$160.00**  
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Mr. Blanton will speak at Eastland Saturday night, October 20. This county-wide rally of Democrats will be held at the Eastland City Hall, starting at 8 o'clock.



# 'ROUND ABOUT THE TOWN

S. W. White of Dallas is transacting business in Cisco this week.

Mrs. Bill Brown of Midland has returned to her home after a visit with Mrs. Jack Duncan.

Mr. and Mrs. S. K. McLeland of Houston are spending several weeks in Cisco. Mr. McLeland is here for his health.

Mrs. A. Hamfield, Mrs. E. E. Jones and Mrs. D. D. Walker attended the Episcopal guild in Rising Star Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Clyde Haney of Colorado City is the guest of Mrs. C. B. Powell.

J. E. Jones of Abilene was a business visitor in Cisco Wednesday.

Lee Montgomery is expected this week from West Texas for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. B. Montgomery.

Little Junior Parks, Billy Bob Montgomery and Marguerite Parks visited relatives in Abilene the first of the week.

Charles Adams of Ballinger is transacting business in Cisco this week.

J. E. Spencer is expected home today from a short days' business trip to Lubbock.

Miss Rebecca White has returned to her home in Carbon after a short visit with Mrs. L. A. White.

Miss Freda Mae Abbott has returned from a short visit in Dallas, where she attended the fair.

Larry Waterbury, Jr., was a business visitor in Albany Tuesday.

H. E. Langbert of Houston transacted business in Cisco Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Charles Trammell is visiting in Fort Worth this week.

Mrs. C. B. Powell has returned from a week's visit with relatives in Abilene.

Jack Walker of Shreveport, La., is spending this week transacting business in Cisco.

Paul Miller and daughter, Betty Jane, of Abilene, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Q. Bills the first of the week.

Mrs. Jack Duncan is reported on the sick list this week.

The Eastland County Federation of Women's clubs will meet Saturday afternoon in Rising Star at 2 o'clock. There will be a board meeting at 2

o'clock. All Cisco members are urged to be present.

B. Montgomery transacted business in Cross Plains Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Williams have returned from a visit in Denison.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hayes left Tuesday for a several days business stay in West Texas.

E. K. Conway of Dallas was a business visitor in Cisco Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. M. L. Montgomery has returned from a month's visit with her brother near Brownwood.

Word has been received in Cisco announcing the birth of a son, Billy Frank, to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dula of Brownwood. Mrs. Dula will be remembered as formerly Miss Ollie Greenwood of this city.

Mrs. Fred M. Gouse has returned to her home in Houston after a short visit with Mrs. L. A. White.

Max Field of Houston was a business visitor in Cisco Tuesday.

C. B. Dowell is transacting business in Beaumont.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon Parks were visitors in Abilene Monday.

Mrs. William Reagan has returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vernon in Dallas.

The Saint Vincent Altar society of the Catholic church is meeting in Ranger this afternoon.

Harry Edwards of Houston was a business visitor in Cisco Wednesday.

Mrs. A. E. Jamison is entertaining with bridge this afternoon at her home on West Ninth street.

S. O. Barnhill attended court at Eastland this week.

H. O. Phillips and family have returned from a stay in Sweetwater.

Harvey J. Permer and Earl Parmer have returned from a trip to the plains county.

Mrs. S. O. Barnhill and children have returned from a visit at Blake.

Mrs. Martin Parmer was called to Corpus Christi Tuesday by the serious illness of her father, H. B. Sanders.

Miss Halle Shipley of Dallas is the guest of Miss Gladys Redwine.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Merrinether and children left this morning for a short visit in Dallas.

C. A. Woodford, Jr., of Atlanta Ga., spent Wednesday in Cisco on business.

Mrs. Velma Hayden left this morning for a several days' visit in Dallas.

Mrs. M. A. Wright leaves tonight for a short visit in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morris and family of Rising Star were business visitors in the city yesterday.

Dr. and Mrs. G. M. Stephenson are spending this evening in Abilene.

Carl Lowery leaves tomorrow for Dallas to attend the fair. He will

be met by his niece, Miss Ora Bea Moore, who is a student at C. I. A. Denton. Miss Moore will spend the week end in Dallas.

C. S. Reed of Dallas transacted business in the city Wednesday.

Ford Hubbard of Coleman is in the city today on business.

## DRILL REPORT OIL ACTIVITY IN DISTRICT 7

Texas Fidelity Oil Co. No. 1 G. T. Butler, Brown survey, Brown county, intention to drill Apache Oil Co. No. 1 J. W. Gates, GH&H survey, Coleman county, intention to plug W. D. K. Kyrer No. 5 J. C. McDermott, Comal county school lands, Callahan county, intention to plug F. N. Schufiner No. 2 Harvey Derrington, Anderson survey, Callahan county, 4 1/2 gasser at 281 feet. Malone, Spear & Starr No. 1 Graham ranch, dry and plugged at 1165 feet. A. L. Derby No. 7 L. P. Jennings, Lipscomb survey, Coleman county, production decreased after 20 count shot. A. D. Bruce No. 3 A. B. Shields, Brown survey, Brown county, intention to drill to 325 feet.

## "KING OF KINGS" TO BE HELD OVER HERE TODAY

In response to many requests from his patrons, Manager K. N. Greer of the Palace theater, is holding over again today this picture of pictures. As usual, crowds were again turned away last night. During its initial screening hardly a whisper was uttered among the audience. It is in fact the most impressive of all motion pictures. This long series of animated scenes, with its fine settings, adequate costumes, and uniforms and its host of players, is an extraordinary and unprecedented film undertaking. With admirable dignity and sympathy H. B. Warner acts the part of Christ. One of the most beautiful scenes is that of the Last Supper strikingly like the old paintings of this subject, but here the figures come to life. The cast of this production is an imposing one for a number of well-known actors have been content to appear in minor parts. Four shows again today will start at 1:00, 3:30, 6:00 and 8:30 o'clock.

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## Clay Samples of Cisco Country to Be Tested for Availability in Manufacture of Earthen Products

An interesting session of the board of directors of the chamber of commerce was held Tuesday night when considerable business was transacted, both of an industrial and civic nature. Samples of clay gathered from deposits in the Cisco Country were inspected by the directors who authorized the secretary to send the best of these for testing as to their availability for the manufacture of clay products. Acting on this authority nine samples have been shipped, and on receipt of reports it will be definitely known whether the Cisco clay is adapted for the purpose. It was stated that a manufacturer of clay products will be in Cisco in the near future to personally inspect the clay deposits in this section, which if found available he will consider the establishment of a plant here. At the meeting the directors planned a civic dinner to be given Thursday evening, Oct. 23, at which various matters of interest to Cisco will be discussed. A committee to arrange and plan this dinner was named consisting of A. D. Anderson, J. T. Elliott and Dr. Charles Hale. This committee met Wednesday and arranged a tentative program, with F. D. Wright as toastmaster, and H. V. Nigro in charge of the entertainment features. The urgent necessity of an airport in Cisco was discussed by the directors, as it was stated that several companies are planning on starting air lines between Fort Worth and the Pacific coast. This matter was placed in the hands of President Guy Dabney, A. B. O'Flaherty and F. E. Harrell with authority to perform all things necessary to have the airport completed at the earliest possible date. Plans were approved by the directors for celebrating Armistice Day Monday, Nov. 12, when there will be a parade of decorated cars and floats at 10 a. m. in three divisions, representing business interests, civic and other organizations, and educational institutions. Two prizes in each division, of \$25 and \$10, will be awarded. The details of this parade and other features of the Armistice Day celebration were worked out by a committee having the matter in hand at a meeting Wednesday afternoon. All persons engaged in any line of business are requested to take part in this parade by decorating a float or automobile, as this will be the only celebration held in this section on that day. In the afternoon of Nov. 12 the annual football game between the Ranger Bulldogs and the Cisco Lobbers will be played on Chesley field. The directors definitely fixed this date for the county Jersey cattle show which will be held all day. This exhibition will be held on the lot now used by the Bleasie Motor Co. for storing used cars. The South Texas good will trip was definitely cancelled. On account of this being the busy season it was practically impossible to secure the required number to secure the Pullman train as originally intended. Those present were A. D. Anderson, E. P. Crawford, Guy Dabney,

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