

# CISCO DAILY NEWS

CISCO—Pop. 13,500; 1,614 feet above the sea; 5 lakes water; 5 rail exits; 6 paved highway exits; 127 blocks of brick streets; good hotels; A-1 public schools and Randolph College; no mosquitoes; no malaria or typhoid.

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## MARSHALL RATLIFF CASE AFFIRMED

### First Measure Is Finally Passed Special Session Today

## MANY ENVOYS COMING TO LOBO COURT

### SPECTACLE OF CORONATION TO BE GORGEOUS

#### Identities of Their Majesties Not Yet Revealed.

From far and near, from courts of kindred sort and from colleges and civic organizations will come representatives to pay respect to the court of King and Queen Lobo upon the occasion of their coronations this month. The spectacle during which their majesties—whose identities are yet unknown to the public—will be formally enthroned by the high school, will be one of the most magnificent and gorgeous ever held in Cisco.

Not only will there be representatives from numerous cities outside of Cisco but practically every civic organization in this city will be represented at the event.

The most outstanding factor, however, is the large number of out-of-town guests. There will be representatives from cities as far east and south as Belton and Brownwood, and as far west as Abilene and Colorado. The cities represented are:

- Cities Represented
- Abilene, Colorado, Brownwood, Howard Payne, Roscoe, Baird, Belton, Eastland, Douthan, McMurry College, Abilene, Mineral Wells and others.
- The list of cities, with their representatives already in, is as follows:
- Randolph College—Aldene Melton, Frank CoKrell.
- Badger Staff, Randolph—Bertha Helen Triplitt, Ira Lee Beard.
- Abilene — Margaret Dillingham, L. Phillips.
- Colorado—Katherine Price, Scott Spalding.
- Roscoe—Winona Adams, John L. Kelly.
- Baird—Thelma Boatwright, Weldon Varner.
- Douthan — Ida Donaway, Hollis Appin.
- Mineral Wells—Johnweine Crutchfield, McTommy Marphy.
- McMurry—Donna Locke, Howard Miller.
- Bad of Honor—Madge McCauley, Escort—E. B. Whorton.

### Man Murder Case Jury Discharged

ABILENE, May 8.—After reporting itself hopelessly deadlocked, the jury in the trial of W. S. Ham, charged with murder in the slaying of N. V. Nixon, El Paso truck driver, was discharged in city-second district court here. Nixon was shot to death near Bonham in 1920 and his body buried in a shallow grave near the town. Percy W. Howard had previously been tried and convicted of the crime and is under sentence. Defense contended that Ham was a toggle in the hands of Howard.

BERMAN, May 8.—Dennis M. Berman, convicted of killing W. L. Van Alstyne chief of police, was given 40 years in the penitentiary by a jury here late yesterday.

### RADIO

THURSDAY'S FIVE BEST RADIO FEATURES. Copyright 1929 by United Press. WEAF and network 6:30 CST—Sena Dragonette, soprano, and vocal quartet. WABC and network 6:30 CST—United States Marine Band. WEAF and network 7:00 CST—The Revellers and Concert Orchestra. WABC and network 7:30 CST—Ed Hour. WJZ and network 9:00 CST—The Hour.

### Widowed Girl-Wife in Seclusion as Jury Probes Husband's Slaying

#### COED WHOSE HUSBAND WAS KILLED

AMARILLO, May 8.—While a Potter county grand jury investigates the fatal shooting of her secretly wedded husband, a 17-year-old University of Texas coed keeps to her room at Austin widowed by her father's act but a few weeks from the time of her secret marriage. The girl, daughter of Judge and Mrs. H. R. Hamilton, of Amarillo, and her mother have remained in seclusion since the shooting.

Meanwhile at McAlester, Oklahoma, where the body of the young husband has been taken for burial another mother may succumb to shock and grief. She is Mrs. Tom Walton, of Amarillo, whose plea that her son, Tom Walton, Jr., 21, visit Judge Hamilton, the father of the girl whom he secretly married, literally sent the young man to his death before a volley of bullets in the private offices of Judge Hamilton, last Saturday.

Mrs. Walton today is under the care of a trained nurse. She was unable to attend the funeral of her son yesterday.

Meanwhile Judge Hamilton is assembling a large army of legal talent. He declared he shot Walton "to protect his family," but later indicated through an attorney he would plead self-defense.

### OIL MEN TO AUSTIN FOR OIL HEARING

BRECKENRIDGE, May 8.—Independent oil men from Stephens, Eastland, Coleman, Brown and Young counties left today for Austin to discuss with legislators a bill before the general assembly which they believe would hamper oil production in this section if passed.



Theresa Hamilton Walton, University of Texas coed, secret bride of Thomas Walton, Jr., recent student, became a widow Saturday when her husband was shot to death in the office of her father, Judge R. H. Hamilton, at Amarillo. She is a pledge of Gamma Phi Beta sorority.

### Marshall Ratliff Case Decides New Question of Law

The case of Marshall Ratliff, Cisco bank bandit whose sentence of death in connection with the holdup of the First National bank, of Cisco, on Friday, December 23, 1927, was affirmed by the court of criminal appeals at Austin today, has attracted wide interest among attorneys aside for the spectacular features of the holdup.

It decides for the first time in Texas that judges may be changed during trial of a case. Judge W. R. Chapman who began the trial and heard testimony took ill and was relieved by Judge George R. Davenport of Eastland county who heard the arguments, charged the jury and finished the case.

Ratliff's attorneys also claimed that the previous robbery conviction in connection with the same transaction prevented trial for murder. Many objections were made to the arguments to the jury but the court held the trial to be without error.

An unsuccessful effort was made recently by attorneys for Ratliff to have him removed from the death row at Huntsville prison, because his death sentence was on appeal.

### SHOCKED AND ASTONISHED. MARTINSVILLE, Ind., May 8.—

Aside from shock, Harry Williams and his son Austin, are none the worse for having been struck by lightning which traveled several hundred feet along a wire fence they were erecting.

### SESSION WAS STARTED ON 22ND OF APRIL

#### Permits Creation of School District in Terrell.

AUSTIN, May 8.—The first bill to pass both branches of the legislature finally at the present session was passed today. It permits the creation of one common school district taking in all the territory of Terrell county. The session began on April 22.

Objection to the bill was voiced by Representative J. B. Smelgrove, of Rusk. He said it would permit the levying of a high tax on all the land of the county, most of which is grazing land owned by non-residents.

An armistice of 24 hours was declared this morning on the gasoline tax and reduction of motor car registration fees.

Representative Ray Holder of Lancaster said that the armistice had been arranged on the plea that an agreement might be reached. Holder's bill calling for a 50 per cent reduction in automobile license fees was sidetracked by the committee on revenue taxation Monday while Holder was absent.

At the hearing representation was made to the committee that the bill was unconstitutional in covering both gasoline tax and registration fees in one measure. It was also held not to be within the governor's call.

Holder replied this morning that he has an opinion from the attorney general supporting the constitutionality of his dual bill. He declared it was mere quibbling to say that in submitting the topic of taxation, Governor Moody had not also submitted the revenue that would be raised from motor registrations.

A bill reported by the committee in preference to the Holder bill levies a four cent gasoline tax. A bloc was forming today to have the bill recommitted in an effort to cut the tax to 3 cents.

### DAVIDSON TRIAL. GROESBECK, May 8.—

With two charges of murder and one of arson against him, Lloyd Davidson will go on trial in 87th district court Thursday, May 16. Trial date was set Tuesday by Judge W. R. Boyd.

### SENATE CLERK DEAD. GAINESVILLE, May 8.—

Frank P. Smith, 76, who as senate engrossing clerk, district clerk of Bosque county, and employe of the comptroller and secretary of state worked in the state's service for 42 years, died of heart disease here yesterday at the home of a daughter.

### CONGRESS TODAY. By United Press

Senate: Continues debate on farm bill with speeches limited to 20 minutes. Judiciary committee considers King resolution to investigate legality of president's oil conservation program. Interstate commerce committee begins hearings on bill to establish communications commission. Manufacturers' committee considers whether resolution to investigate labor conditions in south. House: Not in session.

### Anonymous Letter Written to Eastland Newspaper Claims That Allen Was Innocent of Robbery

Did E. V. Allen have a part in the hold-up of the First State bank of Carbon on December 13, 1927? A jury in the trial of the case against him in the 86th district court of Eastland county, after a number of witnesses had identified him as being one of the bandits in the bank, found him guilty of the charge of robbery with firearms and assessed his punishment at death. Allen did not plead guilty to the charge.

In an unsigned and undated letter to an Eastland newspaper a person who says he cannot afford to disclose his identity or whereabouts, claims that he and not Allen helped S. F. Hyden rob the Carbon bank. Hyden was convicted of a charge of robbery with firearms and sent to the penitentiary.

J. Frank Sparks, who was district attorney and prosecuted Allen, is of the opinion that Allen is guilty. Sparks states that Allen's case, now on appeal was submitted before the court of criminal appeals at Austin a short time ago and a ruling is expected soon.

Following is the letter received by the newspaper:

Letter. McPherson, Kan. Chief Editor, Eastland Newspaper, Eastland, Texas. Dear Sir:

This will advise you that I am desirous of informing your community that you are punishing the wrong man when you continue to hold and prosecute one E. V. Allen for participation in the robbery of the First National bank of Carbon, Texas, on December 13th, 1927.

I know that he had nothing whatsoever to do with this because I was the man with S. F. Hyden and he and I alone were the only ones directly or indirectly connected with this matter. I am telling you this because my conscience will not permit me to allow an innocent one to suffer and Mr. Allen is absolutely innocent of implication in this robbery, for which I understand he received a sentence of death.

Hoping you will make an investigation to be made, that will prove beneficial to Mr. Allen and result in his release, I am, Yours truly,

P. S. Of course I can not tell you of my whereabouts or identity but I hope that you may give this letter sufficient publicity to gain for Mr. Allen his just and entitled freedom.

### LAST RITES SAID FOR MRS. O'FLAHERTY

While a large concourse of friends and acquaintances of the family stood in respectful silence yesterday afternoon all that was earthly of Mrs. Tula Bennett O'Flaherty, wife of A. B. O'Flaherty, was lowered beneath a profusion of beautiful floral offerings into a grave beside that of Mr. O'Flaherty's mother in Oakwood cemetery. This sad consignment to its final resting place followed funeral services that took place at the O'Flaherty home in Humboldt at 4:30 o'clock where Mrs. O'Flaherty died Monday evening.

Death at 10 o'clock Monday evening put to an end an illness that had continued over a period of almost two years.

The funeral services were solemn in their simplicity. The casket, banked with funeral blossoms, stood in the living room of the home surrounded by members of the family and by as many sorrowing friends as the large rooms would accommodate. Others, unable to find space within stood upon the front porch and the lawn while the officiating minister, Rev. B. C. Boney, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, intoned the solemn words of the ritual of the dead.

Mr. Boney spoke briefly upon the life and faith of the deceased, extolling the constancy of her faith and the magnificent fortitude with which she bore up under her suffering.

Mrs. O'Flaherty was 55 years of age at the time of her death. Having been born in Owensboro, Kentucky, on January 20, 1874. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Graham Bennett, both deceased. Since girlhood she was a member of the Presbyterian church.

Surviving relatives are: her husband, A. B. O'Flaherty; two daughters, Mrs. E. P. Kirrane, of Houston, and Miss Mary Elizabeth O'Flaherty, of Cisco; two sisters, Mrs. Thomas H. Sutton, of Louisville, Kentucky, and Mrs. D. Mike, of Bryan, Texas, and one brother, Dr. Thomas L. Bennett, of Florence, Alabama.

Pall bearers were: J. B. Cate, P. W. Campbell, F. E. Harrell, Alex Spears, J. M. Williamson, H. S. Drumwright, E. P. Crawford, R. W. Marcell and W. H. LaRoque.

The Green Funeral Home was in charge of funeral arrangements.

### CASES AFFIRMED.

Cases from Eastland county affirmed by the court of criminal appeals today were: State versus O. G. Allen; state versus Bob White; state versus Marshall Ratliff.

### SENTENCE OF DEATH UPHELD AFTER APPEAL

#### Cisco Bank Robber Sees Doom Sealing Upon Him.

The tragic tale of an episode of crime written in the blood of good men and of bad news today its last grim chapter. In little steel cells, embedded in masses of heavily guarded masonry sit two young men, like dangerous animals, entrapped, their lives so far the prop-

erty of the state. Tucked away in an avoided corner of the state penitentiary at Huntsville is a little gray room whose narrow green door opens for the condemned but one way.

In some hour of outside darkness when the lights within the little gray room shed a dim and sinister glow over a grizzly instrument of death two young men enter the other will pace the narrow corridor of bars that leads to this little green door, the panel will swing shut again and in the prison record of five the record clerk will write at the bottom of each of two ledger sheets "Discharged by execution of the sentence of death." The state will have been satisfied and the crimes of murder that took the lives of two good men and true of Cisco will have been expiated.

Unless— Some more lenient hand stays the grinding mill of justice and measures out a less arduous punishment.

### Helms' Case Affirmed

One of the two men — Henry Helms, who with Marshall Ratliff, was convicted and given the death sentence in connection with the robbery of the First National bank, of Cisco, Friday, December 23, 1927 — has apparently but one faint avenue to escape the doom which fate of the courts of the land have finally determined must be meted out to him for his part in the crime. That is executive clemency.

Marshall Ratliff today heard the final tribunal to which he might apply pronouncement against him. The sentence of death hanging over him was affirmed by the court of criminal appeals this morning. He can yet file a motion for a rehearing of his case and failing in that, only the will of the governor can release him from the awful penalty.

A third member of the gang of four who swooped down upon an unsuspecting city on that day a short while before Christmas over a year ago, is serving a 99-year sentence in the state penitentiary. He is Robert Hill. Hill but a few days ago was implicated in an attempted escape from a prison farm in company with Bob Silver. As a result officials at Eastland have notified prison authorities that they intend

### MRS. BISHOP DIES AT HOME OF DAUGHTER

Mrs. Laura Bishop, mother of Mrs. Louise Medearis, of the Gables, 208 West Seventh street, died at her daughter's home here this morning about 8 o'clock after a lingering illness. The body, prepared for burial by the Green Funeral Home, of this city, will be shipped on the Sunshine tomorrow for interment at Big Spring.

Mrs. Bishop would have been 60 years of age on July 27. She was born in Georgia on July 29, 1849. Surviving relatives of the immediate family other than Mrs. Medearis, are: Mrs. J. S. Moss, of Fort Worth; Mrs. W. M. Williams, of Long Beach, California; daughters; J. S. Bishop, of Cisco, and J. B. Bishop, of Eastland; sons; Miss Louise Moss, of Fort Worth, granddaughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Moss, Miss Louise and the two sons are here and will accompany the body to Big Spring. Mr. and Mrs. Williams will arrive at Big Spring tomorrow for the services.

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### THE WEATHER

West Texas — Cloudy, showers east portion tonight; cooler north portion; Thursday partly cloudy. East Texas — Local thunder-showers, cooler north portion tonight; Thursday cloudy with showers in east portion; cooler west and north portions Thursday.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation which may appear in the columns of this paper will be gladly corrected upon being brought to the attention of the editor.

"PERSISTENCE IS BEING REWARDED." For many years railroads have conducted a steady campaign for tax reduction and figures in the latest annual report by Southern Pacific lines and affiliated companies show that persistence is being rewarded.

Col. Moore does not believe in large farms. He does not believe in great ranches. He believes that it would be better for Texas and for himself if his plantation had sub-divisions of 160 acres and each 160 acre tract the property of a farmer who knows how to farm, an orchardist who knows how to produce fruit, a berry grower who will work along scientific lines, a truck gardener who knows how to make a program and then push it to completion.

He knows every bend in the gulf coast country from the Louisiana line to the Rio Grande river outlet. He believes in coming time, not the distant future, that the coast country will be the richest and most densely populated section of Texas and that the gulf ports of Texas will be the greatest south of New York or Baltimore, sending forth ships of passage as the carriers of the products of the gulf coast country and a vast territory as well that is not gulf coast country.

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And yet America is the wealthiest of nations and its national income is placed at \$90,000,000,000 a year. And yet Texas is one of the richest of commonwealths and individuals, regardless of calling, and all corporations tell the same story—"they are taxed to death."

DEATH OF THE MEXICAN REVOLUTION. Death has come to the Mexican revolution. It happened in Nogales, Sonora, where the revolution had its birth and where the followers of the dead Obregon first flung the flag of revolt against Calles and his government.

POT SHOTS - AT POLITICS - BY Col. Hugh Nugent Fitzgerald. AUSTIN

Col. H. B. Moore of Texas City fits in and out of Austin at intervals. Col. Moore is a very interesting man. He was born in the Cumberland mountain country of Tennessee in that magnificent valley land lying between the cities of Nashville and Chattanooga, and in his youthful manhood he looked upon the valley as the most beautiful spot ever conceived and brought forth by the master architect of the universe.

Rev. and Mrs. Turner Attend Convention EASTLAND, May 8.—Rev and Mrs. W. T. Turner left last night in company with Mr. Blair and the pastor of the First Baptist church at Cisco, in the former's car, for Memphis, Tenn., to attend the Southern Baptist convention of 18 states.

Col. Moore is a farm planter who plants and farms. He is one of the builders of the gulf coast country. He points with pride to gulf coast cities from Port Arthur all down the gulf coast to the place where the waters of the Rio Grande roll into the Gulf of Mexico to be carried to the Atlantic



OUT OUR WAY

YES STEFFY YOU'RE MISSING A CHANCE OF A LIFETIME OF A VERY RICH WIDOW. SHE'S A MILLION, AND SHE'S CRAZY OVER YOU - CUSH STEFFY -

Washington Letter

By RODNEY DUTCHEER NEA Service Writer WASHINGTON—The Hon. James W. Good, who has sometimes been called "Sunny Jim" and is now secretary of war, has made a good enough impression during his first few weeks as a cabinet member to gag those of his critics who insisted he was only a mere politician.

There were some in the War Department who thought it would be fine for the army to have a secretary who knew Congress so well and Hoover so well. Then there were others who thought it was too bad that the job should be given as a political reward and that politicians should be cared for elsewhere. At this writing, however, both groups seem to agree that Mr. Good is a nice fellow, intelligent and anxious to work, and quite able.

Progressives Worried Good has acted as counsel for one or two electric power companies and as secretary of war is a member of the Federal Power Commission, a combination which worries the progressives. But unless he gives someone an opportunity to charge him with favoritism to the power interests the growing suspicion is that he will be a "good secretary of war."

Army officers are impressed with his promptness in making decisions. One such decision concerned the policy of shifting heads of branches in the department. Good decided it was best for efficiency if these heads were changed every four years.

Speaking of farm relief, there may be some opposition that an American grain farmer gets a good price for his product as the European peasant—or better, Senator Howell of Nebraska presents figures which indicate the opposite.

Seniors Will Be Guests of Juniors EASTLAND, May 8.—The Junior Class of the Eastland high school will honor the Senior class with the annual banquet on Saturday evening of this week, at 7:30 o'clock.

WASHINGTON—It may or may not be more or less significant of something or other that both the Anti-Saloon league and the Association Against the Prohibition Amendment have considerably expanded their offices here within the last year.

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Uncle Sam's Farm-Heads



ARTHUR M. HYDE Secretary of Agriculture

VETERAN IS BURIED AT SIPE SPRINGS Oscar R. Childress, brother of Mrs. F. K. Stamey, of Cisco, and a veteran of two wars, the Spanish-American and the World War, was buried Saturday at 3 p. m. at the old family cemetery in Sipe Springs.

LOST

LOST-Last night on Breckenridge road of A avenue, tire for truck, 30x3 Dunlop. Return to Boon at Swindle for reward.

LOST-Diamond bar pin, somewhere in town. Return to Lee Motor Co. Phone 532J for reward.

LOST ELGIN WATCH - At the Senior-Junior fight last week. Return to Clyde Gunn, at high school.

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YOUR CHOICE CHEAP - Ice boxes taken in on frigidare, all kinds and sizes. West Texas Utilities Co.

FOR SALE - Pit Bull pups, \$5 and \$2.50. Bill Biggerstaff, Cisco Route No. 1.

FOR SALE - Blue Ribbon bicycle, size 26, practically new. Billy Kilborn, 804 West Thirteenth street.

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AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE - One-ton Chevrolet truck, good condition; five good tires. Price \$175 cash. American Glycerine Co.

W. H. Kittrell Is Thanked by King

W. H. Kittrell, of Cisco, is the recipient of appreciative acknowledgments of sympathetic messages to three families of notables recently bereaved or afflicted with serious illness of their members.

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FOR RENT - Furnished home to responsible adults; also furnished apartment; specially priced for the summer. Phone 305 or call 601 West Ninth street.

FOR RENT - New furnished house. Call after 3 p. m. 511 West Tenth street.

WANTED

WANTED - Washing and ironing. Mrs. L. V. Doyle, 604 East Broadway.

MISS STINES NEARS END OF WORLD TOUR

Nearing the home stretch in her motor tour around the world, Miss Clairenne Stines, daughter of the late Hugo Stines, famous German industrialist, is proceeding across the United States from Los Angeles to New York.

Train Schedule

RAILROAD TIME TABLE Texas and Pacific. Table listing train numbers, routes, and departure/arrival times for various destinations.

RENTALS

FOR RENT - Nice bedroom with hot and cold water. 510 West Fifth street. Phone 716W. 59

FOR RENT - One front bedroom adjoining bath; with garage. C. 519W.

CARD OF THANKS To those who ministered to us kindness and consideration during our bereavement with the illness and death of our wife and mother and to those who with floral offerings and by word or deed cheered us we wish to express a deep appreciation.

East Texas State Teachers College at Commerce appropriated \$225,000 for construction of equipment of combined library classroom building.

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Announcements

I. O. O. F. No. 221, meets Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock at O. O. F. Hall, 7 P. M. Visitors welcome. E. L. Wisdom, N. G., J. A. Jensen, Secretary.

The Rotary club meets every Thursday at Garner hall, at 12:15. Visiting Rotarians are always welcome. T. H. VETER POLLEY, President. DUDLEY LEE, Secretary.

Lions club meets every Wednesday at Laguna Hotel roof garden at 12:15. CLAYTON J. GORN, President; C. F. YATES, Secretary.

Cisco Chapter No. 190, A. M., meets on Thursday evening of each week at 7 P. M. in Vassar. Commandants are cordially invited. H. K. PITTARD, H. E. JOHN F. PATTERSON, Secretaries.

Cisco Lodge No. 556, A. O. U. W., meets on Thursday, 8 p. m.; J. Wilson, W. M.; J. PATTERSON, Secretary.

Cisco Commandery, meets every third day of each month. Masonic Hall, I. N. OLSON, E. C. JOHN F. PATTERSON, Recorder.

Cisco Chapter No. 4, Order of Eastern Star, meets first and third Tuesday nights each month. Visiting members cordially invited. BURNES FARMER, W. M. J. M. WITTEN, Secretary.

Cisco Lodge, B. O. E. F., meets first and third Monday at 8 p. m. Judia Bled, Visiting Elks cordially invited. HUGH WHITE, Exalted Ruler. CHARLES F. WING, Secretary.

# BIG PROGRAM ANNOUNCED FOR JUNIOR TOWN

By ZONA MILLER.  
Junior Town of the Cisco Chautauqua met and organized immediately after Tuesday afternoon's program.

First, Miss Firebrough announced the program for the week as follows:

Wednesday at 4:30 the boys will have an indoor baseball game while the girls tell stories and play games.

Thursday will be a very interesting day as there will be a costume parade about 4:30 down main street. Children in the parade may wear any costume they choose.

The program for Friday is undecided.

Saturday will be the biggest day of all as there will be a picnic for all Junior Town. All attending must bring their own lunch. The place and time of the picnic is undecided yet.

After learning some peppy good wills the following officers were elected:

Mayor—Forbes Lee Wallace.  
Clerk—Betty Fee Spears.  
Reporter—Zona Miller.  
Cope—Chief Brown, Davis Hickey, Scott Singleton.  
City Service Commissioners—Justice Hickey, Bill McClung, Donal Series.  
Health Commissioners—Mark Reid, Moselle Scott, Jack McClung.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:15 to meet again Wednesday after chautauqua. All boys and girls having season tickets are urged to come and make "Whoopie" with Junior Town.

The mayor has resigned and another election will be held this afternoon. We also expect the full cooperation of all Cisco people to help put this over.

# COSTUMES OF HUNGARY AT CHAUTAUQUA

Rare and wonderful cymbalom music—perhaps never before heard in this section of the state—played by Viennese musicians, will be one of the attractions of the Cisco chautauqua programs today. In the two programs the chautauqua will present Elsie Patay and Vienna Cymbalom symphony, this company occupying the entire afternoon performance and the first half of the evening performance.

Miss Patay, whose home is in Vienna, comes from a successful tour of Europe to Cisco. The concert which she and her company will give consists of modern music on a combination of perfectly blended string instruments. Beautiful Hungarian costumes will be worn by the members of the troupe during their appearances. Scenic and lighting effects will add the magic of a beautiful background to the numbers they present.

Following the evening concert William Rainey Bennett, a humorist who knows the art of holding his audience's attention by the art of cleverly mixing facts and fun, will be presented in a lecture: "The Man Who Can." Mr. Bennett is a business man's speaker. He may be called a mental engineer because of the large number of boys who have attained success through his guidance.

# CISCO CHORAL CLUB TO GIVE CONCERT HERE

The Cisco Choral club will appear in concert at the First Presbyterian church Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, it was announced today. Prof. Thomas Reid, dean of the fine arts department of Rancho college, is conductor of the club and Miss Velma Walters, is accompanist.

The program Sunday afternoon is scheduled by request following a similar program presented two weeks ago. No admission charges will be made.

The club numbers about 30 members.

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# OF A SOCIAL NATURE

TELEPHONE 164

The Cisco Choral club will repeat its Spring Concert next Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Presbyterian church.

**Mrs. Ponslar Entertains.**  
Mrs. R. L. Ponslar was hostess at a bridge luncheon Monday, honoring Mrs. Yancy McCrea, who is moving to Coleman in about a week. The following ladies were guests: Mesdames Yancy McCrea, W. T. Graham, Charles C. Jones, H. S. McDonald, L. C. Heltzel, P. R. Warwick, M. D. Paschall, O'Brien, A. E. Jamieson, Norman Smith, Leonard T. Simon. The rooms were tastefully decorated with roses and sweet peas. Mrs. McCrea was awarded high score prize and Mrs. W. T. Graham received low score prize. Dainty favors of

sweet peas were given to each guest.

### Mrs. Deal is Honor Guest at Shower.

Mrs. O. E. Deal, who was before her marriage, Miss Clarice Shryman, was the honor guest Tuesday evening when Mrs. L. A. Tullos and Miss Bess Landreth entertained with a linen shower at the home of Mrs. Tullos. Bridge and 42 were enjoyed. Miss Elizabeth Simmons winning high score prize and Miss Claudia Hope low score which was graciously presented to the honoree. A color scheme of pink and green was artistically carried out in bowls of roses, tallies, and refreshments consisted of frozen roses, cake and miniature gold baskets filled with mints which were served to the following guests: Mesdames A. H. Little, G. H. Little, A. B. Sandler, C. S. Sandler, Florino, W. P. Thompson, M. D. Ford, K. N. Greer, Misses Thelma Nell, Elizabeth Simmons, Titia Bell Simmons, Claudia Hope, Viola LaMunyon, Cora Lee McCall, Helen Cobb, Myrna Estes, Ella Andres, Alice Strickland, Marie Glenn, Hazel Morris, honoree and hostesses.

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### American Legion to Meet Tonight

The American Legion meets this evening at 7:45 at the Legion hut in an important business, it was announced today. Every member of the post is urged to be present for this meeting.

**Powell's Cleaning Plant**  
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### Fifteen Boats Used

Fifteen river boats resembling those used on the Mississippi in the '80s and '90s were constructed, including a Show Boat and pusher steamer. Many vessels were

found on the Sacramento which were built as early as that time but their appearance and construction differed slightly from that of the Mississippi river carriers of that time.

Every one of the 15 boats had to be reconstructed for two stacks. But the biggest item of expenditure was the construction of a complete Show Boat on a bare barge purchased by Universal. This was constructed from actual plans of a Show Boat now plying the Mississippi—and which has made its annual trip down stream for a half century.

### Three Veteran Pilots

During the preparation and filming of "Show Boat" Universal kept three former Mississippi river pilots on the technical staff to assure correctness of river architecture, customs and the costumes of men and women characters. They were Capt. Forman Wheeler, "Snag" Thompson and Capt. John "Backwater" Bates, all well known river men.

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was Mark Twain's "Life on the Mississippi," which contains hundreds of details and descriptive passages that proved useful in building up the pictured story.

**Ziegfeld Stars Sing**  
Otis Harlan heads the supporting cast. Alma Rubens, Emily Fitzroy, Elsie Bartlett, Neely Edwards, Jane La Verne, Blanche Craig, Theodore Lorch and many others are in the picture. Helen Morgan, Jules Bledsoe, Aunt Jemima and the Plantation Singers from Ziegfeld's stage production of "Show Boat" appear and sing their "Show Boat" song hits in the big talking picture.

Alice—\$160,000 bond issue voted to finance Jim Wells county's share of improvements to highway from here to Live Oak county line.

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# RICH GIRL POOR GIRL

By RUTH DEWEY GROVES

CHAPTER XXXVI

"And you say this young man—Stephen Armitage—is nothing more to you than a family friend?"

Mildred understood his insinuation.

"I tried to make Harold talk before Stephen got in trouble," she said defensively. "It was for his own sake, not Stephen's."

Mr. Judson nodded. "Doesn't it appear to you that your interest in my son could have been misunderstood?" he asked.

"I suppose it might," Mildred agreed, "if there had been anyone to care. But no one seemed even to notice that he was going to pieces! Oh, I'm sorry," she cried in the next breath as she saw a look of anguish settle over the father's countenance.

"I'm afraid," he said a moment later, "that I've done you a grave injustice, Miss Lawrence. I understood that your relations with Harold were quite different from what you have told me. But I acknowledge my mistake and humbly beg your pardon."

Mildred was touched by the sight of this man, so powerful in his own world, apologizing to her in such a simple and whole-hearted manner. Impulsively she reached out a hand. He took it.

"And now," he said, "I shall have to ask you to repeat your story, my dear, to Inspector Markeson. Your information will prove to be of inestimable value to us in the event your surmises of Connor's guilt are correct. You see, we have a clew to the murderer."

Mildred began to tremble with excitement. "What is it?" she cried.

Mr. Judson told her about the thumbprint on the belt buckle.

"If we can find Connor we shall soon know whether he is the guilty man," he said.

"Oh, you must!" Mildred declared. "I know he's guilty. We've got to get Stephen out of jail."

"Well, that at least is beyond doubt," Mr. Judson agreed.

Mildred's heart leaped high. "You will help him?" she said tremulously.

"I'll do all I can for him."

"Will you hail him out?"

"The very first thing! I'm certain he can't be guilty."

"Then will you do it at once?" Mildred urged. "You've no idea how terrible it is for him there."

"I'm afraid it's more important for you to see Inspector Markeson first," Mr. Judson demurred.

"All right," Mildred consented. "But let's not waste time. Anyway I think Pamela is going to see Stephen now."

Mr. Judson frowned.

"And the frown remained on his face most of the way to police headquarters."

Mildred guessed that he was displeased with Pamela's engagement, but she had no doubt that Pamela would finally win his consent, as she had won all else she wanted.

At police headquarters Mildred again went over her story, answering innumerable questions, many of which seemed quite irrelevant to her.

When Inspector Markeson finished with her and she left with Mr. Judson to act for Stephen's release, certain telephone wires in the city were buzzing with the news of her visit to headquarters.

Back came terse, definite orders and from that moment on Mildred became a marked person.

Mr. Judson insisted that she remain with him while he went through the red tape of putting out bonds for Stephen, but when it came to going to the jail she declined.

Perhaps Pamela would be there, she thought.

"I must get back to my work, if I still have a job," she explained to her companion. "I've forgotten to telephone."

"Never mind," Mr. Judson assured her. "You'll only have to resign anyway. You're coming back to your old place at the hotel. With an increase in salary. Besides, you know, you may get the reward."

Mildred shook her head. She couldn't think of going back to where she'd be seeing Stephen and Pamela together. Neither could she think of accepting a reward for helping to apprehend Harold's murderer. Somehow she felt as though her insistence in making him talk had helped to bring about his end.

"Thank you, Mr. Judson," she said simply, "but I'm well satisfied where I am. And I think they'll want me to remain when I explain what has kept me away this afternoon."

"We'll see; we'll see," Mr. Judson returned, not wishing to argue the matter on the spot. "Shall I send you up in my car?"

"Oh, no, the subway's quicker," Mildred replied. "I know you're going to like Stephen," she added, smiling pathetically. "But there's one thing more I'd like to say to you before you take him out of jail."

Mildred and Mr. Judson were watching her closely, puzzled by her manner. Beneath its surface casualness he sensed a deeper feeling.

"I think Stephen will be in danger the moment he is free," Mildred astonished him by saying.

"You do?"

Mildred nodded, and almost unconsciously glanced over her shoulder. As she did so a man a few doors down the street quickly turned his head and bent a closer inspection upon the display of sign in a haberdasher's window.

Mildred did not notice him. Her action, inspired by a general fear not influenced by any definite idea that she herself might be in danger.

"Huck wanted him put in jail," she reminded Mr. Judson. "It won't suit his plans to have him out."

Mr. Judson's lips tightened.

"You mean his plan to marry my daughter?" he asked.

"Yes."

"But surely not even such a murderous scoundrel as he could consider such a thing now," Mr. Judson proclaimed. "He must be a man, after all, to have got him

self on friendly terms with Pamela."

"She probably thought it a lark to know him," Mildred guessed astutely. "But I'll admit he doesn't look like a beast. Still I think he will try to get what he wants. And one thing he wants is Stephen out of the way. You will warn him, Mr. Judson, won't you?"

"Don't you expect to see him yourself?"

There was a quizzical light in the glance he bent upon her as he asked the question, and there was more behind the question itself than Mildred guessed.

"Oh, I'm pretty busy," she said evasively. "He doesn't need me now. But I wish you'd promise me to warn him that he must be careful."

"I will," Mr. Judson promised. "I'll do better than that."

Mildred looked expectantly at Mr. Judson as he made his promise. He appeared to be more agitated than at any time since they'd left the hotel together.

"What you have just said has convinced me that both Pamela and this young man Stephen will need immediate protection," he told her. "I believe I'd better return to the hotel and see that she is safe."

"But what about Stephen?" Mildred asked. "Perhaps Pamela is with him now."

"I don't believe so," Mr. Judson returned. "I know she plans to visit to the jeweler's this afternoon. You see, I promised her a new necklace to cheer her up. She feels her brother's death deeply."

Mildred felt like saying she must indeed feel it deeply if jewels could assuage her grief, but consideration for Mr. Judson held back the suggestion.

"But you won't leave Stephen in jail?" she appealed.

"No, no. I shall send my attorney."

"Send a policeman with him, please. I'm afraid there will be trouble."

Mr. Judson appeared to think over her suggestion. "Perhaps you're right," he said. "It might be a good idea to have him come to the hotel, too. Then if Connor makes a move . . ."

"You mean you will use him as a decoy?" Mildred broke in nervously.

"He'll be well guarded," Mr. Judson assured her.

"But you'll tell him why you want him at the hotel? You won't let him run any risks?"

"Naturally, my dear. Now don't you worry. And if your employer complains of your being away from the office this afternoon refer him to me for an explanation. I'll tell him how much obliged I'll be to him if he'll fire you."

Mildred smiled wanly. She knew that Mr. Judson was not joking, but the position that had meant so much to her before would mean only heartaches now.

"Goodbye," she said and shook hands with him.

He watched her go, hurrying toward the nearest subway entrance, and there was something about the set of her young shoulders that tugged at his heart.

While Mildred hurried back to her office Pamela was on her way to the jeweler's. She was in high spirits, except when the memory of her recent bereavement intruded itself upon her pleasant reflections of her visit with Stephen.

She had burst in upon him without warning. In the father dim light of his cell she could not see the quick ebbing of his color.

With a bound she was in his arms, pulling his head down, showing kisses upon him, crying out how she'd abused her poor dear "Steve."

To Stephen she was like the sun

bursting out from heavy clouds. No wonder. She had spent the best part of two hours after Mildred had left her in her rooms at the hotel in making herself beautiful with the avowed intention of overwhelming him.

Her maid was at the moment having hysterics in the servants' quarters while a dozen costumes brought out and discarded, still lay scattered about Pamela's dressing room.

Stephen's arm tightened about her while his hunger for her satisfied itself with her nearness. He was emotionally excited. The power of self-hypnotism he had induced by endless hours of longing for her swayed him uncontrollably.

"She was here! She was here! She had come to him! These were all his thoughts. There was no place in his mind then for the memory of his true valuation of her character.

"It hurt my pride so to think of anyone I loved being in jail," she told him. "I didn't see how selfish it was of me, Stephen darling, but I couldn't come to you. I couldn't stand this horri-

ble place; I knew I couldn't. But today I realized in a flash that I couldn't live any longer without you—and here I am. Oh, we won't ever part again, will we?"

"My father is going to get you out of here. Then we'll be married quietly and go away for a long while. Perhaps to Africa. I think it would be lovely to fly across the world. Don't you? I mean the high velocity with nothing but the blue sky over our heads. And if there should be a lion when we come down you won't let it eat me will you?"

She was clinging to his shoulder and sobbing.

Stephen's head was in a whirl. "Oh Pam, Pam," was all he could say in a dazed, helpless sort of way.

"Honey boy," she cooed. "Honey boy. I wish I could stay here with you until dad comes but I can't. I've got to go. I've had the toothache for days but I was too low to care and if I don't go to the dentist now I'll have to give up the time tomorrow and I want to be with you every minute."

Stephen held her tight. "I'll do some shopping, too."

She said happily. "I'll get some khaki things, though I think they are awfully ugly, don't you? But one can't wear anything else in Africa—it wouldn't be safe with those Kaffirs or whatever they're called, would it?"

"Kaffirs," Stephen mumbled, scarcely knowing what he said.

"Now let me go," Pamela begged. "Oh, I hate to go, Steve. I hate to leave you in this horrible place, but it will be just a little minute longer. I'll try to be back at the hotel when you get there."

It did not occur to Stephen to wonder how she could be so close to her dentist and shop all in "just a little minute." Her descent upon him had been too sudden and overwhelming to allow him to reason.

It was not until several minutes after she had left him that he realized he was experiencing an unexpected reaction. He wished he had asked her something about her remark that her father was going to get him out of jail.

He felt completely in the dark, trying to make sense of Pamela's running talk. Freedom! Marriage! Africa!

"Good Lord!" Pamela was troubled with none

of the doubts that assailed Stephen. Her imaginary toothache was not even so much as an imaginary one as she made her way to the manager's private office in the jewelry shop where she was accustomed to look over the best of the stock about once a month.

"Good afternoon, Mr. Blaine," she greeted the manager brightly, and then remembered to be more sedate. The truth was Pamela had felt the shock of Harold's death tremendously, but her mercenary nature would not permit her long to remain plunged in either grief or joy.

With the eradication of the signs of her grief had come absorbing interest in the prospect of being Stephen's sweetheart again.

And now, with an early wedding ahead of her, the prospect was even more alluring.

(To Be Continued)

**USED WRONG DOCTRINE.**

FT. WAYNE, Ind., May 8.—The Monroe doctrine was cited by Judge Oberto, arrested when a fugitive when he appeared before Judge Thomas W. Slick in an effort to obtain a reduction in his bond. Failing to explain why the Monroe doctrine had to do with his case, Oberto's bond was kept at \$10,000.

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# British Professional Leading Field in Open Golf Meet

## AMAZING SCORE OF 69 MADE TO CAPTURE PLACE

### Efforts of American Contenders Put in Shade.

MUIRFIELD, Scotland, May 8. —Smashing the course record for Muirfield's championship links with an amazing 69, Percy Alliss, British professional, led the field of 108 in the first round of the British open today.

The Briton snatched the lead from Leo Diegel, the medalist, just when the American P. G. A. and Canadian open champion had turned in a brilliant 71.

Alliss' performance was all the more remarkable in that he took three putts on two greens, the 14th and 17th, taking a five at each.

The leader's showing was equally astonishing because he has been unable to play golf for some time, due to the severe winter in Berlin, where he is professional at an exclusive club, as well as to the fact that he has been suffering from sciatica.

Alliss' Card:  
 Out ..... 434-355-344-35.  
 In ..... 434-254-354-34-69.

The play of the former German open champion temporarily put in the shade the efforts of the American contenders in the open. While Diegel, Alve Mitchell, MacDonald Smith and a few others turned in low cards, some of these from whom much had been expected were having difficulty.

George Von Elm, the lone American amateur in the championship, needed 79. Archie Compton, one of the British favorites, had 79, as did Horton Smith.

Compton's Card:  
 Out ..... 454-474-345-49.  
 In ..... 444-354-354-36-76.

Horton Smith's Card:  
 Out ..... 554-344-446-39.  
 In ..... 554-345-333-37-73.

The brilliant finish of the Joplin boy promised better golf from him before the tournament is over.

Diegel, who was putting steadily, is now most feared of all the over-seas contenders for the open title. The British have a hearty Leo's magic touch on the greens, which is where the championship will be won, they believe.

Diegel's Card:  
 Out ..... 544-345-344-36.  
 In ..... 444-344-444-35-71.

Abe Mitchell remains within striking distance of the top, and the veteran is being every effort this year to win his first national title.

Mitchell's Card:  
 Out ..... 442-344-346-35.  
 In ..... 444-355-354-37-72.

Among the veterans, Harry Varson, who has won the British open five times, had an 82 today. R. A. Whitcombe had 77, Arthur Havers, champion in 1923, had 80, Bert Hodson, 79.

Horton Smith was getting good distance from the tee, but on several occasions pulled his drives into the rough at the left. His mashie pitches from the fairways were perfect, but the rough troubled him. On three greens he needed three putts to get down.

On the ninth, the Joplin boy had a bit of bad luck when his second putt went into the cup and bounded out.

Johnny Golden, American Ryder cup pro did well today, with a 74.

Johnny Farrell, national open champion of the United States whose work in the qualifying rounds was impressive, was up among the leaders with 72.

Jim Barnes, who won the British open in 1925, equalled Diegel's 71 for the first round.

## FISHING MORE POPULAR NOW THAN BEFORE

Fishing, according to Lake Cisco officials, appears this season to be more popular here than ever before. Since the season opened May 1, large numbers of out-of-town people, not to mention local enthusiasts have taken advantage of the opportunity offered at Lake Cisco, while the influx of sportsmen is by no means what one would expect to correspondingly attend the portions of the season more favorable to the sport.

During the past week end parties from Dallas, Fort Worth, and even Lubbock and Amarillo were in Cisco for outings at the lake. The Laguna hotel, it is announced, has recently added a new service by issuing fishing permits from the city in blocks of 100, each guest who registers at the hotel for the week end receiving complimentary one of these permits. The city has made the hotel a special rate on these permits.

### HOME RUN CLUB.

By United Press.

Leaders

Gehrig, Yankees	6
Smith, Yankees	5
Jackson, Giants	5
O'Doul, Phillies	5

Yesterday's Homers

Grimm, Cubs	2
Ruth, Yankees	1
Diekey, Yankees	1
O'Doul, Phillies	1
Cohen, Giants	1
Walker, Reds	1
High, Cards	1
Stephenson, Cubs	1

Totals

National League	83
American League	66
Total	149

### WILDCAT TEST.

OLEMAN, May 8.—A wildcat test is being spudded on the ranch in W. J. Cannon way, section 70, block 10, by Ward Samuel. The test, in the middle of the Midwest Exploration corporation's block, will be drilled 1,000 feet unless pay is encountered at a more shallow depth.

### TUBERCULOSIS IN DROP.

ROCKHOLM, May 8.—Tuberculosis is gradually decreasing in Sweden and compared with fifteen years ago the number of deaths from this cause is now 6,000 less annually.

## BRUSHING UP SPORTS.

By Laufer.



**PAUL BERLENBACH.**  
 FORMER LIGHT-HEAVYWEIGHT CHAMPION COMES BACK THIS TIME ON THE MAT.

IN THE HEAT OF COMBAT, BERLY OFTEN FORGETS AND LEADS WITH THE LEFT.

PAUL WAS A GRAPPLER BEFORE HE EVER DONNED THE PADDED MITTENS.

Back to a place on the sports pages climbs Paul Berlenbach, former king of the light-heavyweight boxers, this time as a professional wrestler.

Tossing Fred Grubmeier of Chicago in 18 minutes and 27 seconds, Berly celebrated his start in the quest of another world's championship. The business of applying arm locks and flying matts is not exactly new to the German, as he began his athletic career on the mat, giving it up for boxing when by accident he learned he could topple big fellows with a punch on the chin.

While Oom Paul has lost much of the speed he possessed when he was cutting boxers around, his added weight and strength has given him what he needs in his new venture. His big ambition now is to be the only man to win a world's championship in both branches of the modern mayhem.

One thing he will have to overcome is his impulse to throw haymakers when the going on the mat gets rough. Against Grubmeier Paul repeatedly caught himself leading with his left and shooting that right hand over.

Berly is forced to start at the bottom of the new business, but he is entertaining fancy hopes of catching up with Mr. Gus Sonnenberg before very long. It will be interesting to see what effect a right uppercut has on Dartmouth Gus' flying tackle, if such a match ever comes about.

## Two Classics of the American Turf -- the Kentucky Derby and Preakness Stakes, to Run Soon

By GEORGE KIRKSEY  
 United Press Staff Correspondent.

NEW YORK, May 8.—Two of the classics of the American turf will be run within the next ten days.

The rich Preakness stakes will take place Friday at Pimlico, Md., and the Kentucky derby—blue ribbon event of all American horse races—will be contested for the fifty-fifth time a week from Saturday. Probably twenty horses, the out-standing three-year olds of 1929, will go to the post in the two races.

Col. E. R. Bradley's blue Larkspur rules the favorite for the Kentucky derby. The son of Black Servant-Blossom Time won four out of seven races last year and beat Clyde Van Dusen, the little Man o' War gelding, in his only start this year at Lexington.

Harry Payne Whitney's horses have triumphed two years hand-running in the Preakness and he probably will send the favorites to the post again this year.

Bargello and Beacon Hill which will run as the Whitney entry doubtless will be made top choice because of their victories in the Kings county and California handicaps respectively, last Saturday at Jamaica Long Island. After the Preakness they will go to Churchill Downs for the derby.

Among the highly rated derby candidates are Baron Long's California sensation, Ervast, H. P. Headley's Paraphrase, Belle Island stable's upset lad, winner of the Florida derby at Miami, John J. Coughlin's Karl Eitel and E. B. McLean's Neddie.

## OIL NEWS OF SOUTHWEST

Drill report for May 3:  
 Moutray Oil company P. G. Hatchett No. 9-b Lse, D & D. A. survey, section 23, intention to plug 5-2-29, Callahan county, Ace Hickman No. 43, B. B. & C. survey, section 149, Callahan county, intention to drill 5-3-29, depth 800 feet.  
 Ewmw Oil Corporation et al, Callahan county, W. T. Wheeler et al No. 4, section 25, intention to plug 5-2-29; W. T. Wheeler et al No. 5, intention to drill 5-3-29, depth 800 feet.  
 J. W. Juegel, trustee, Brown county, A. F. Armstrong No. 2, H & G. N. survey, block 1, intention to plug, 5-3-29.  
 Royal Petroleum company Brown county, well record; George Etheridge No. 13, Kerr county school land survey, block No. Sub 7 and 8, drilling began 4-8-29, completed 4-20-29, 15 barrels, T. D. 462 feet.  
 Humble Oil & Refining Co. W. Armstrong No. 17, Brown county, Juan Delgado survey, subdivision No. 1 intention to plug, 4-28-29. A. W. Armstrong No. 15, well record; Juan Delgado survey, drilling began 3-8-29, completed 3-28-29, 75 barrels, T. D. 1,219 feet. A. W. Armstrong No. 17, well record; drilling commenced 4-17-29, completed 4-27-29, dry hole, T. D. 1,335 feet.  
 P. H. Burtner et al, Brown county, R. L. Wise No. 1 Garetta Montez survey, intention to plug, 5-1-29. R. L. Wise No. 1 intention to deepen 4-26-29.

KERMET, May 8.—The Bashara well, SE SW, section 17, block 133, has blown in with 18,000 cubic feet of gas and from 50 to 75 barrels of oil. Casing had been set in big lime at 2,579 feet.

## NEW CHARTERS

AUSTIN, May 8.—Chartered People's Congregational church, Dallas; no capital stock; incorporators, Emma Hatcher, H. E. Young, Mattie Alex.  
 W. S. Angford Realty Co., Wichita Falls; capital stock \$400,000; incorporators, W. S. Angford, Jewel Kemp Langford, T. E. Edwards.  
 Delta Club Corp., Dallas; capital stock \$1,000; incorporators, Edwin A. Means, J. J. Gentry, E. F. Cuenod.  
 Mount Nebo Cemetery, Dallas; capital stock \$10,000; incorporators, Amp W. Miller, Mrs. Janie Carothers Miller, W. D. Reid.  
 Cohens, Inc., Mmarillo; capital stock \$8,000; incorporators, Leah Cohen, Bert Levy, Blanche Levy.  
 Manufacturing concern will soon locate factory in Georgetown.

WICHITA FALLS, May 8.—A flow of 700 barrels daily is being registered at the Consolidated Oil Co's No. 0-1 W. T. Waggoner, located in the north part of section 30, eastern Wilbarger county. Depth is at 1,850 feet.

DENISON, May 8.—Plans are being made to connect the Simpson-Fell No. 1 to the Lone Star Pipe line. The well was drilled in Sunday and gauged 11,200,000 cubic feet of gas in thirty minutes.

PIG TOO FEATURED.  
 BENNETT, Neb., May 8.—A Duroc Jersey pig born on the Clifton Hunt farm near here a few days ago had two noses, two mouths and three eyes. The third eye was placed midway between the forking of the two noses. The pig lived for two days.

## Road Into Yellow Mound Improved

RANGER, May 8.—County Commissioner V. V. Cooper is doing some excellent road work on the old Breckenridge-Eastland road. The high of way has been widened and an excellent grade has been put up and the bar pits shaped for drainage.

Across the causeway at Lake Eastland additional ballast was placed, the roadbed widened as much as possible and about eight inches of gravel applied.

Work is progressing on towards Yellow Mound.

## Texas League Leaders

Leading Batters

Player and Team	G	AB	R	H	Avg
L. Cox, Fort Worth	23	97	21	42	.433
Wetzel, San Antonio	23	88	19	35	.398
Benton, Wichita Falls	22	88	22	35	.398
Tate, San Antonio	15	41	5	16	.390
Blackerby, Waco	23	88	18	34	.386

## WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

Yesterday's hero — Long lanky Bob Meusel, New York Yankees outfielder, who broke up his second consecutive game with a timely hit in the tenth inning when he doubled off General Crowder, Yankee jinx last year, sending Ruth and Gehrig home with the tying and winning runs over the St. Louis Browns. The world champions' 6 to 5 victory hoisted them back into first place in the American league.

Al Thomas outpitched lefty Grove and the Chicago White Sox broke a four game losing streak by defeating the Philadelphia Athletics, 4 to 2. Thomas gave but five hits. The Sox won the game in the seventh, after two were out. On hits by Kamm, Clancy and Hoffman and an error by Dykes.

A ninth inning rally fell one short of tying the score and the Washington Senators lost yesterday to Detroit 3 to 2. Triples by Alexander and Gehring figures in the victory.

The Boston Red Sox beat the Cleveland Indians 5 to 4. The Red Sox made all their runs off Wesley Ferrell, who was charged with the defeat.

Larry French, rookie southpaw starting his first major league game, pictured the Pittsburgh Pirates to a 10 inning victory over the New York Giants, 3 to 2. Andy Cohen and Chick Fullis hit home runs in the first two innings but French stopped the Giants the rest of the game. Traynor's hitting decided the contest.

Four runs in the eighth inning brought the Boston Braves from behind to defeat the St. Louis Cardinals, 6 to 5. George Harper and Heinie Mueller, former Cardinals, drove in two runs each.

Lefty O'Doul's home run with two men on in the eighth inning enabled the Philadelphia Phillies to beat the Cincinnati Reds, 6 to 4. It was O'Doul's fifth homer of the season.

Home runs by Grimm (two) and Stephenson helped the Chicago Cubs beat the Brooklyn Robins, 9 to 4. Art Nehf was invincible for six innings but eased up after the Cubs had piled up a long lead.

## SPORT SHOTS

DALLAS—The Southern Methodists played their best ball of the season but it wasn't good enough to keep from Texas Longhorns, sixteen times champion, from winning 5 to 3. Home runs by Leach and Hughes were among the five hits Texas took off Lyle, Methodist hurler.

SHERMAN—The home town saw Sherman sneak a game from Tyler 5 to 3 despite Tyler's getting three more hits off Johnny Lymum than Sherman did from Govenat and Stockman. Govenat was driven from the mound by Sherman base hits in the second, but Stockman relieved him too late.

PALESTINE—Thirty-seven hits were made in a slugfest between Palestine and Texarkana, the home team winning 15 to 8. Both teams used three pitchers. Dillard Payne, Pal manager, drove in seven runs with two doubles, a triple and a single.

COMMERCE—East Texas State Teachers' college made it three in a row from Stephen F. Austin by winning in baseball yesterday, 13 to 10.

MCKINNEY—A three game series between two state high school champions will start here tomorrow with McKinney high, champion of the Texas championship, meeting Classen high of Oklahoma City, three times champion of Oklahoma.

DALLAS—Ted Thye, Portland, Ore., light heavyweight, took the first and third falls with wrist locks from Al Karasick, "Russian Lion," here last night. In the opening matches, Tony Bernardi defeated Roy Reynolds and Cyclone Fox won from Lew Wolf.

ROSENBERG — City Bakery installed additional equipment.

## J. A. BEARMAN GETS WELL IN THROCK COUNTY

J. A. Bearman, et al of Cisco, last night brought in another good well in Throckmorton county. This well, located on the Sanford tract, two miles north of Ft. Griffin, had an initial production of 30 barrels of 38 gravity oil at a total depth of 784 feet from 5 sand topped at 773 feet. The well is in section 1 of the W. S. Phillips survey.

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# 'ROUND ABOUT THE TOWN

TELEPHONE 164

The 20th Century club will meet at the club house Friday morning at nine o'clock.

Miss Mildred Blair has returned from Dallas.

John Culley of Dallas was a business visitor in Cisco Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Jones of Morgan visited in the home of Rev. and Mrs. H. G. Blair Sunday.

Mr. R. E. White of Dallas was a business visitor here yesterday.

Frank Henderson of Abilene was in this city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Luttrell of Moran visited Cisco yesterday.

Joe McBride of Oklahoma City was a business visitor in Cisco Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. U. Harrell of Moran are moving to Cisco today and will be located in the home of Mrs. N. F. Payne at 1908 W. 8th street.

J. B. Morrison left today for a business visit to Fort Worth and Dallas.

Rev. H. D. Blair left Sunday for Memphis, Tenn., to attend Southern Baptist convention.

R. P. Kirrane of Houston arrived yesterday for several days visit with relatives.

Max Bentley of Abilene was in Cisco yesterday to attend the funeral of Mrs. A. B. O'Flaherty.

Mrs. P. W. Campbell of Abilene spent yesterday in Cisco.

Mrs. Jack Reiter has returned to her home in Dallas after spending several days in the home of her brother, Mr. E. C. Wilkinson.

Mrs. D. Mike and son, John Bennet, of Bryan, arrived in Cisco yesterday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Mike's sister, Mrs. A. B. O'Flaherty.

Monday morning a seven pound girl, to be named Vera Camille, was born at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Orr.

Mrs. R. J. Simmons of El Paso is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Clayton L. Orr.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Simmons, their daughter, Mrs. Charles Owen and granddaughter, Marjorie Owen of Springfield, Missouri, are guests in the home of Mrs. Simmons's brother, Mr. J. B. Garrett, while enroute to California.

J. E. Spencer made a business trip to Waco, Monday.

Mrs. Acker Miller has as her guest her sister, Miss Lillian Goodnight, of Dallas.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Norwood and daughter, Ruth, of Midland, are visiting in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Karkalis and Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Cayle.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Higdon and children of Abilene have been visiting Mrs. Kate Richardson, returned home Monday.

D. D. Anderson of Big Springs is visiting his brother-in-law, J. M. Howard, and other relatives.

Mrs. John Slaughter and father, Tom Moreland attended a singing in De Leon Sunday.

Mrs. J. J. Butts and daughter, Mrs. Forest Wright left Tuesday for Austin.

Bank Myers, paymaster for Humble, is in the city for a few days.

Mrs. J. W. Marshall and son of Chicago are visiting their uncle, J. T. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Bateman, of Ballinger, spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kittrell, 261 West Eighteenth street. Mr. Bateman is a representative of the Greasy Rotary Plier company. These old friends first met in Erath county in the early '80s, when all were young people. They spent far into the night talking over old times. Mr. and Mrs. Bateman regard Cisco as one of the best cities they have visited.

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### Death Sentence of Marshall Ratliff Is Affirmed Today

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to bring Hill back to Eastland for trial on a second charge in connection with the robbery of the bank here and the slaying of Police Chief Bit Bedford and Police Officer George Carmichael. His unsuccessful effort to escape further punishment may if Eastland county authorities have their way, bring him a more terrible penalty.

"Santa Claus" Ratliff, whose sentence of death was affirmed by the court of criminal appeals today, was known as the "Santa Claus" bandit because of his having dressed in the garb of Saint Nicholas to cover his reconnaissance of the scene of the raid which took place during the noon hour. Because of his disguise the entry of the bandit gang into the bank was effected in a manner

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advantageous to the members, although the police were informed before the raid was over and the bandits had escaped and rushed to the defense of the institution with the tragic results already known. One bandit was fatally wounded, and the three others escaped to be captured later.

Following the hold-up of the bank, Ratliff, identified by witnesses as the "Santa Claus" bandit in the robbery, was tried before Judge George L. Davenport of the 91st district court here on a charge of robbery with firearms and given 99 years by the jury. He accepted the sentence and is credited with having made the statement that it was no hill for a high stepper like him.

Indictments for murder of Chief Bedford and Policeman George Carmichael, both killed at the time of the bank robbery, were returned by the Eastland county grand jury against Ratliff. The case in which he was charged with Bedford's death was transferred to Abilene and the one charging him with the death of Carmichael was transferred to Anson. At Anson the trial jury gave Ratliff 99 years.

Robert Hill and Henry Helms, also tried for robbery with firearms in connection with the Cisco bank robbery, were tried in the 91st district court here. Hill entered a plea of guilty and was given 99 years in the penitentiary. Helms was convicted and given the death penalty. He was not tried on murder charge.

Helms' case was affirmed by the court of criminal appeals. His attorneys filed a motion for a new hearing, which was denied. A second motion for a rehearing is now pending before the court.

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