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COAKE VICTIMS SUFFER FOR WATER More Than Amount of Production in Way of Proration

ULTIMATUM IS ISSUED BY EAST TEXANS

AUSTIN, April 2.—More than the amount of oil production stood today in the way of possible agreement on oil proration for Texas including the new east Texas field. The ultimatum has been issued on the part of east Texas that if there is proration the state railroad commission must break with the 31 men's central advisory proration committee, headed by R. R. Penn, of Dallas, and hereafter gather its own data. East Texans also will demand that all the state be put on the same basis. Now the Gulf coast area is allowed to handle its own proration. Chairman C. V. Terrell, of the state railroad commission, admitted this morning that the commission still is trying to work out something that will adjust the matter without a conflict. He admitted that interested persons who had conferred had been able to effect no arrangement. Unofficially it was learned that representatives of the east Texas fight against proration had been notified that east Texas would be allowed a scale of production starting at 90,000 and running up to 130,000 barrels a day but rejected the offer.

42,000 BARRELS ADDED TO OUTPUT. LONGVIEW, April 2.—More new Great county wells came in this morning adding 42,000 barrels to the daily production of the field. The wells are H. W. Elliott's No. 1, S. G. Andrews, Shell Petroleum company's No. 1, J. D. Davis, and Magnolia Petroleum company's No. 2. B. Redden. The Elliott well indicates a connection between the Beteman and Lathrop pools.

SILENT HOMAGE IS PAID TO GREAT COACH

SOUTH BEND, Ind., April 2.—Silent homage was paid to the great Knute Rockne today as his body lay in state in a bronze casket encased in a grey silver vault. There were no cheers, no bands, no notes. Just glancing silence everywhere. Rockne's death was beyond comprehension. A scant four months ago these same loyal townspeople and students were standing in the same places crowding, yelling, milling about in thunderous tribute to Rockne and his players, after Notre Dame had completed its second successive undefeated season by humbling Southern California's mighty Trojans. For 20 years as a student, assistant coach and finally head coach, Rockne's life was entwined with Notre Dame and his tragic end in an airplane crash in Kansas has staggered the historic school to its very foundations. Gloom and sorrow ripped and tugged at heart strings of men and women from all walks of life. Eight thousand persons standing in sorrowful silence—that was a never-to-be-forgotten picture as Rockne's body arrived last night from the New York Central from Chicago whence it had come from Kansas.

Residential Improvements

P. L. Ullom, manager of the Burton-Lingo Lumber company reports two new improvements in Cisco residential properties. This week W. H. Hays, of 609 West 9th, street, is putting on an asphalt roof and B. E. Morehart 307 West Eighteenth street, is laying an asbestos roof.

WEATHER

West Texas — Partly cloudy and colder west and north portions tonight, Friday generally fair. Colder in east section. East Texas — Cloudy with showers in northeast portion. Somewhat colder northwest section tonight. Friday mostly cloudy and somewhat colder.

Dice Click as Reno Goes "Wide Open"



ROTARY CLUB HEARS YOUNG ORATORS TODAY

Budding orators of the Cisco high school were the guests today of the Cisco Rotary club in a demonstration of their art. Billy Murray, member of the boys debating team of the school which won first place in the county meet, delivered a synopsis of the affirmative side of the question for Inter-scholastic league debates this season, which is "Resolved that a trial by judges should be substituted for the present system of trials by juries." His arguments were ably prepared and presented and his address well delivered. He announced that his colleague will at a subsequent time present the negative side of the argument. Arch Spruill, winner of the district F. F. T. oratorical contest at Abilene recently, addressed the club on the subject which won him first place in the contest. Mr. Spruill last year won the rural speaking contest at the state interscholastic league meet at Austin. The boys were presented by Ed-ward Lee as program chairman after a brief business session in which President Maner announced a new student loan fund committee to consist of O. J. Russell, chairman; E. P. Crawford and Charles Brown, also advised the club that nominations of new officers will be in order at next week's meeting.

CISCO TEAM LEAVES FOR COUNTY MEET

In charge of Coaches W. B. Chapman and Leonard Hill the Cisco contestants in the county interscholastic track and field meet left today for Gorman where the meet will be held this afternoon at the Gorman athletic field. The contests have been twice postponed because of unfavorable weather, first from last Saturday to Tuesday and from Tuesday until this afternoon. Contestants who will represent the Cisco high school are: John Connel, Willie Jeter, Gero Miley, Ben Miley, Seldon Tomlinson, Orville Black, Waverly Massenaile, Cleo Ray, Walter Ivie, Joe Little, Charles Van Horn, Wade Massenaile, Edwin Johnson, Eugene Layford, Jr., Gordon Seaborn, A. P. Summers, Glen Garrett, and Travis Manning.

Political Editorial Declared Obscene

OKLAHOMA CITY, April 2.—The Oklahoma senate voted unanimously today to pass a resolution directing the attention of the postmaster-general to an editorial in the Blue Valley Farmer, a political publication owned largely by Gov. W. H. Murray. The editorial attacking one of the governor's opponents Sen. Knox Garvin, of Duncan, was termed obscene in the resolution.

AD VALOREM AMENDMENT UP FOR VOTE

AUSTIN, April 2.—Sen. Tom Deberry's proposal to abolish the state ad valorem tax by constitutional amendment was brought before the Texas senate for final passage this morning. No vote had been called for when the senate recessed at noon. The proposed amendment has been pending for more than two weeks after engrossment by viva voce vote. Twenty-one votes in the senate on final passage and a two-thirds approval of the house will be required for submission of the amendment to the voters. Sen. Walter Woodul, who has been voting against the measure, said today if it gets 20 votes he will vote for its submission, reserving the right to oppose it in the popular election.

LIVESTOCK IS NOT ON GOOD BASIS

AUSTIN, April 2.—While great progress has been made toward placing the live stock industry in the ranching regions of Texas upon a systematic basis since the early days when ranchmen sold cattle by the thousands without making a written record of the transactions, there is much still to be done to establish the business on a basis equal to that occupied by other industries, it is generally admitted by ranchmen. There has just been published by The University of Texas a bulletin written by Frederick W. Woodbridge formerly adjunct professor of accounting at that institution and now professor of accounting at the University of Southern California, entitled "A System of Accounting Procedure for Live Stock Ranches." This volume of 195 pages outlines in detail a method of accounting for live stock ranches. In explaining the value of this research work and the system that Professor Woodbridge has devised, Herschel C. Walling, associate research statistician in the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research, said that the preface to the bulletin points out the need of this system in these words: "This book is a detailed analysis of a complete ranch accounting system. It will be useful especially to ranchmen interested in putting their operations on a better business basis, to accountants who keep books for ranchmen and to many students from ranch homes who are interested in ranching as a business. "The opening discussion of the inadequacy of accounting information and the urgent need of ranchmen for some system of bookkeeping records is quite appropriate." Mr. Walling said, "The desire, so evident in the book, and the persuasive arguments offered to encourage the keeping of more adequate records are indeed commendable. The presentation, furthermore, is such as to demonstrate to any reader the ease and simplicity of keeping the ranchman's books. Such a book should serve well this outstanding need of the ranching industry. "The author made a close field study of the ranchman's needs before writing the book and has developed a system that is thoroughly practical and serves adequately the purpose for which it was designed. Its presentation is non-technical and clearly illustrated on sample forms and record sheets to show the handling of each type of transaction likely to be met in using the system. The approach is made through a comparison of the bookkeeping technique involved with the ranch roundup. The presentation continues with a description and an explanation of the uses of the original records, which center around a set of inventory records for live stock, equipment and improvements, of the journal and ledger records and of the closing process. The book is designed to meet the needs of both ranchers and accountants. "This attempt, however, to present a specialized accounting system simply enough to be understood by the ranchmen untrained in bookkeeping and in concise enough form

THE GREATEST SENTENCE IS THEME TONIGHT

"All that a person has to do to be lost is to neglect salvation." Rev. H. D. Tucker told his audience last night at the revival meeting at the First Methodist church. There were quite a number of conversions at the close of the message. Nearly 40 people have given their names for membership in the church next Sunday. The Rev. Mr. Tucker will speak tonight at 7:45 from the subject, "The greatest sentence ever written" and at the close of the sermon, the communion service will be held. Continuing his message last night Mr. Tucker said in part: "A person does not have to commit the sin of murder, adultery, stealing, lying or anything else to be lost. All he has to do is neglect. Jesus had made the only way to escape possible and all we have to do is to accept it to be saved but if we neglect to accept it then we are to be lost. "Every sin on earth can be forgiven except the sin against the Holy Ghost." Mr. Tucker said during the course of his message, "There are two ways that people can commit the unpardonable sin; one is by blaspheming the Holy Spirit by words, the other is to continually refuse to acknowledge the Spirit's call until He withdraws from a person forever and never calls again," he said. "When the spirit of God withdraws from a person there will never be any more need for that person to go to church for there will be no forgiveness," he declared. "When a person comes right up to the place where a choice has to be made and they refuse, the Spirit is gone forever," the speaker said. During the week people of the church are visiting prospects for the church and a large class will be received into the church Sunday. Mr. Tucker will conduct another class of instruction for boys and girls Friday afternoon at 3:30. Parents are urged to see to it that their children are in these classes preparing for church membership.

Pantages Granted New Trial of Case

SAN FRANCISCO, April 2.—The state supreme court today granted Alexander Pantages, multi-millionaire Los Angeles theater magnate, a new trial on the charge that he assaulted 17-year-old Eunice Pringle, co-ed dancer. LOBBY LOUNGERS HIT. TORONTO, Ont., April 2.—Lobby loungers in Ontario hostilities will have to find new places to loaf, if legislators approve suggested amendments to the Provincial Hotel Act. The amendments would give hotels the right to bar unwelcome visitors in their lobby.

Choir Will Sing "Resurrection Song"

"The Resurrection Song," by Roy E. Nolte, is the title of the Easter Cantata to be presented by the choir of the First Methodist church Sunday evening at 7:45 o'clock. The cantata will be directed by Mrs. W. B. Statham with Mrs. B. A. Butler as accompanist. Special parts will be sung by Messdames Dora McClinton, Cec McLeroy, Roy G. Christie, W. W. Wallace, Misses Ella Andrews, Marion Chambliss and Jewell Boyd; Messrs. Jeff Duncan, and Loy Boyd. Guest singers for this program will be Messdames Dora McClinton, Cec McLeroy, W. W. Wallace, Mrs. Roy Huffmeyer and Mrs. Grady Morton. A special invitation is extended to everyone to hear this Easter music.

23 PASSENGERS ARE MISSING IN COLLISION

LONDON, April 2.—Twenty-three passengers aboard the French liner Florida, which collided with the aircraft carrier, Glorious, off Gibraltar yesterday, are missing and believed dead, the foreign office announced today. One passenger was known dead, the announcement said, and 15 were injured, two seriously.

33 New Water Meter Connections Are Made During March; 13 "Take-Outs"

Those for whom new connections were made are: W. D. McCarroll, 1108 W. 14th St.; A. D. Bryan, 305 W. 10th street; C. E. Sale, 1112 W. 7th street; Hubert Meyer, 1206 W. 10th St.; E. C. Loyd, 300 Harris; L. A. Cherry, 612 W. 9th street; W. W. Ezzell, 307 E. 7th street; Elias Hart, E. 16th street; Lewis Starr, 16th St. and N. Ave.; J. M. Little, 2003 B avenue; Guy M. Ray, 408 W. 11th street; J. L. Lightfoot, 216 W. 8th street; J. L. Lightfoot (Filling Station) 519 Gault street; C. W. Latham, 501 E. 8th street; Herschel L. Smith, 1307 E. Ave.; J. T. Stamps, 2508 D avenue; E. M. Burge, 907 W. 6th street; Mrs. Ollie Reynolds, E. 6th street; James Glasscock, 805 C avenue; D. D. Jones, 900 L avenue; J. D. Carroll, 303 W. 18th street; R. F. Jacobs, 402 W. 11th street; M. Peleshuk, 602 E. avenue; L. White, Bedford addition; P. L. Hoffman, 711 W. 7th street; A. W. Hull, 802 W. 9th street; W. J. Freeman, 307 W. 13th St.; G. Greyolds, 216 W. 8th street; Miss Lorena Erwin, 703 D avenue; Patterson and Byers E. 9th street; W. P. Fide, 1004 W. 9th St.; J. Jeffers, 403 E. 18th street; T. W. Clark (Filling Station) E. 16th street.

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Burglary Charge Filed in Robbery

Charges of burglary, in connection with the robbery of the McGuire Garage at Ninrod Monday night, were filed against Jack Ingram after his arrest by Sheriff Virge Foster at Range, yesterday morning. A battery, and several tires were reported to have been taken from the garage. Ingram already faces three indictments charging burglary in other instances, all garages.

At Roosevelt's "Palace"



President Hoover left behind him scenes of enthusiastic acclamations, such as that pictured above, when he started home aboard the U. S. S. Arizona after his holiday cruise to the Caribbean Sea. Here you see a crowd of "adopted citizens" of the United States gathered to welcome him with cheers and a waving of hats as he appeared on the balcony of the governor's palace at San Juan, capital city of Porto Rico. The chief executive is shown standing directly above the American flag in the center, with Governor Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., at his right and Mrs. Roosevelt at his left.

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REGISTER SALES GOOD.

WASHINGTON, April 2.—Countless stores and offices during the past year contributed to the total of \$109,582,000 worth of cash registers and adding machines sold. Almost 45 per cent of the total sales made direct from the 46 manufacturers to individual users; the other 55 per cent went to wholesale and retail dealers and manufacturer's branches. DIDN'T LIVE UP TO NAME. WATERBURY, Conn., April 2.—Irving Lewis Dinkwater drank little water, his wife alleged in bringing suit for divorce on grounds of habitual intemperance.

CITY MAY BE EVACUATED PERMANENTLY

MANAGUA, April 2.—Cries for water coupled with prayers and curses rose today from the ruins of Managua as survivors of the demolished capital sought relief from thirst that followed wreckage of the city's water mains. The exact toll from the catastrophe still was uncertain, estimates mounting to 1,000 and more. Natives walked for miles into the hills and brought pitifully small quantities of water in pitchers and bottles. Authorities warned against drinking the water of Lake Managua but many persons risked the danger of pestilence and sought relief at the water's edge. Marine corps officials and volunteers worked desperately to rehabilitate the water supply. Thousands of survivors were being fed on the golf course and men were sent immediately from the headlines to work on the water system. Curfew will be enforced at sundown tonight though there was no disorder or looting last night.

CITY MAY BE ABANDONED

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, April 2.—The destruction of Managua shaken into ruins by two days of intermittent earthquakes which continued sharply last night, was revealed today as so complete that the city may be abandoned permanently. President general Jose Maria Mendica announced that plans are being considered by the cabinet for evacuation of Managua and removal of the national capital to Granada or Leon, rather than face the toll task of rebuilding the city. He said a definite decision would be made in the next few weeks. Meanwhile the work of relief, the great task of removal and burial of the dead and the problem of providing food and medical attention for the wounded continued under supervision of United States marine forces which have been on almost continuous duty since the first quake.

RED CROSS OFFICIAL TO MANAGUA

MIAMI Fla., April 2.—Director Ernest Swift, of the American Red Cross, left here by Pan-American amphibian plane today for Managua.

PLANE CARRIES SUPPLIES

BROWNSVILLE, April 2.—Bearing 600 pounds of medical supplies donated by San Antonio drug stores, Miss Prosperity, trimotored Ford plane, landed here this afternoon on its way to the Nicaraguan quake zone from San Antonio. The San Antonio chamber of commerce financed the flight.

To Help Farmers Find Potato Seed

The Cisco Daily News and American and the Cisco chamber of commerce have offered their services to farmers of the Cisco section who desire seed potatoes to plant in the stead of those which were destroyed or badly damaged by the recent freeze. Seed potatoes are hard to secure at this time and many farmers, no doubt, have been unable to locate a sufficient supply. While neither the chamber of commerce nor the newspaper will be able to finance the purchase of the seed they will be employed in locating a supplies for farmers wishing them. Farmers, who so desire, may communicate with the chamber of commerce or the American and Daily News and leave information as to how much seed is wanted; every possible effort will be employed in locating a supply, it was announced. The farmer can then make his arrangements for purchasing. Potatoes is one of the most stable crops in this section and this step is being taken in an effort to prevent a short crop by reason of the freeze.

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### DAILY BIBLE THOUGHT

PRAYER FOR WISDOM—So teach us to number our days, that we may apply our hearts unto wisdom.—Psalm 90:12.

PRAYER—Help us, O God, to live uprightly every day.

### B. AND L. ASSOCIATIONS ARE SOUND.

State Banking Commissioner James Shaw, in a recent statement, expressed the opinion that the great majority of building and loan associations in Texas are in sound condition at this time. Indeed the consolidated report of associations operating in Texas at the end of 1930 showed a healthy condition generally in such associations. Domestic associations were reduced during the year by 22 while the total assets of the Texas associations were reduced only approximately \$2,300,000. Furthermore, he said that during less than two years the banking department had been supervising building and loan associations, a strong supervision section had been built up and that the "associations of the state have made a very creditable showing and one that should inspire the confidence of the public generally."

There is a way to build Texas. There is a way to keep Texas money at home. Why not cotton mills, woolen mills and tanneries? Why send the potential wealth of staples and minerals out of the state? This for constructive law-makers who are said to be bent on the enactment of constructive laws.

### "AMONG THE ROAD BUILDERS."

Chairman Walter R. Ely of the state highway commission is back from an 18-day air jaunt to the Panamanian capital. He insists that the proposed Pan American highway, 4000 miles in length, to connect Washington, D. C., by pavement with Panama City, can be completed within five years at a cost of between \$50,000,000 and \$75,000,000 as "the closest co-operation exists between the United States, the Central American republics and Panama in this project heading up to the Pan American union." Speaking of the Latin-American countries he visited Chairman Ely said:

"Those republics are just getting high-minded, and this great road will be their single connected artery from north to south and the same is largely true as to Mexico, although the Mexican government is planning a second highway a portion of the way from Mexico City to the Texas border at Laredo." He gave warning that no Texas highway is to be given exclusive designation as the Pan-American highway.

### BURKE ON HIS WAY TO MICHIGAN.

Fred Burke, "the most dangerous American criminal," is behind the bars of a Michigan prison. He will be sent to trial for the cowardly murder of a police officer. Michigan authorities have the direct evidence. He will be convicted and placed behind the bars for life. Capital punishment is not a Michigan method of dealing with murderers and bloody hijackers. Burke, who was born Camp in Kansas, is a puzzle to the highbrows of the scientific world who make their deductions after making their researches into that world called "the under." For instance Burke "expressed pleasure last Christmas when his wife's parents presented the Burkes a Bible, 'every home' said Burke, 'should contain a family Bible.'" And yet he is said to have 20 notches on his gun, 150 desperate robberies to his credit and as remorseless as a mad rattlesnake in his getaways from the scene of his crimes.

Michigan will house and feed him while his trial takes place the press of the world will carry pages, pictorially embellished and the boys of the world will gulp the stuff down. He was born on a farm. He loved flowers and gardens. He had a pet canary and idolized it. He never indulged in profanity or the cup that is said to cheer and then destroy. And his Christmas day utterance was "there should be a Bible in every home." There should be an electric chair in every state for cowardly slayers of their kind.

### SOVIET RUSSIA IN THE OIL TRADE.

Norwegian ships are carrying on a large business between Soviet Russia and Brazil. It is said the shipping company is owned by South American interests and is operating along the east coast of South America with kerosene and gasoline the chief articles of importation. It is a matter of record that the first ship of the line discharged 30,000 cases of gasoline, 10,000 cases of naphtha and 20,000 cases of kerosene bearing soviet markings. An official of the importing company, stationed at Sao Paulo, Brazil, declared these fuels were purchased in Russia at lower prices than United States products and his company intended to develop large retail outlets all over South America "underselling American and British firms."

Well, there is said to be 170,000,000 Russians. A Russian must eat. He must provide himself with shelter. He must wear garments. He is very much in the scheme of things commercial and financial. He is pushing a five year program. If that program is successful Russian wheat will flood the European markets and cotton grown under the skies of Turkestan will furnish the Russian textile interests all the raw material they need. This is the production of American economists who know the cotton world from first to last.

### OTHER OPINIONS

#### THE PEWARD OF FAITH

Charlie Curtis of Pomeroy, O., may smile a little sometimes at the mottoes and poems which optimis-

tically tell the world to keep on keeping on. It is so exactly what he did. And he won.

It took him 34 years to learn to walk after a farm accident paralyz-

ed him at the age of 20. But he never gave up.

He could only move his head for the first 10 years of his illness. But he could talk into the telephone and give news as a country correspondent for a newspaper. Most men have an idea that horses are found only at the head of the line of march where warriors go, steel-clad, to follow the flame of a gaudy banner. They have not learned that there are infinitely greater martyrdoms where it takes more strength to make a lantern of one's courage and swing it in the dark, than to face the conquering cannon.

So Charles Curtis kept on. Not because he wanted to be a hero just because he wanted to walk. After 10 years he sensed a slight feeling in the tips of his toes and fingers. Then he found he could roll over and could crawl a few inches. His sister lifted him to his knees and hands, as he crept. Then he grew strong enough for crutches, and finally he threw them aside and walked. Now, at the age of 70, he walks proudly and gayly from house to house, with wares to sell.

He won his reward... a pair of legs which most men never lose. He did it because his faith never faltered. — San Angelo Times.

### FARMERS AND TAXES

The farmers are said to be "taxed beyond their ability to pay," and the business men probably would echo the same sentiment.

One hundred farmers of McLennan county, at a county-wide party the other day, talked over their plight and arrived at some conclusions. They figured out ways and means of lifting a part of the tax burden. We do not know whether their plan is any good, but to say the least of it, it's interesting in light of the present effort to adopt the home rule amendment for county government.

The McLennan county farmers adopted a set of resolutions directed at county affairs. Here are some of the things they advocated:

Reduction of salaries of all county officers at least 25 per cent.

Abolition of all offices "not absolutely necessary at this time for the efficient functioning of the county administration."

Reductions of the county library appropriation to not more than \$2,500 a year.

Discontinuance of the practice of furnishing automobiles and gasoline and oil and upkeep for transportation of county officers and employees.

Merging of the office of county auditor and county treasurer, the auditor to be disbursing officer.

Immediate repeal of all bills which have for their sole purpose the raising of official salaries.

Change of law so that when the present terms expire one of the three district courts of the county and one of the two county courts will be discontinued.

Change of law so that 10 of the 12 jurymen can decide a verdict in either criminal or civil cases. — Paris News.

### Did You Ever Stop to Think?

By EDSON E. WAITE  
Shawnee, Oklahoma.

United States Senator L. J. Dickson of Iowa, says:

That most of our troubles are imaginary and that our own attitude in life is the controlling factor in our progress of our stagnation. Money may not enjoy spending money but seem to enjoy hoarding it; otherwise they would not do it. Self denial may be a pleasure to them but a distinct hardship for others.

Getting some real pleasure out of life and doing a wee bit for the sake of humanity should be the ambition of everyone. In this way we learn to appreciate others and force them to appreciate us.

"Life's a bully good game with its kicks and its cuffs. Some smile, some laugh, some bluff; Some carry a load too heavy to bear. While some push on with never a care, But the land will seldom heavy be When I appreciate you and you appreciate me."

He who lives by the side of the road, And helps to bear his brother's load, May seem to travel lone and long While the world goes by with a merry song. But the heart grows warm and sorrow flies When I appreciate you and you appreciate me.

It's the greatest thought in heaven or earth— It helps us to know our fellow's worth: There'd be no wars or bitterness, No fear, no hate, no grasping; yes, It makes work play and the care-worn free. When I appreciate you and you appreciate me."

### In the Political Arena

By HUGH NUGENT FITZGERALD  
Under the dome there are senators and representatives who make no bones in saying that "the schools are in politics backed by certain politicians and a powerful organization known as the State Teachers association. They will tell the laymen as well as their colleagues that "the schools should cut their budgets like all businesses in time of depression." They tell "that millions are wasted annually in the educational field of Texas from the little schoolhouse on the hill to the great

university perched on the apex of the hill." Rep. Ray Holder nails from Lancaster, in the county of Dallas Former Sen. Thomas B. Love hails from Lovelock Farm, on the fringe of Lancaster. Rep. Holder is the publisher of a weekly newspaper. He has several legislative terms to his credit. He is known as an outstanding and persistent champion of a tax on cigars and cigarettes. He is not a user of tobacco in any form. Now the consider: gossips are certain that Thomas B. Love, one of the leaders of the Hoover contingent in Texas, is ever at the ear of Rep. Holder lending aid and encouragement and canny advice. All this is a reminder that Rep. Holder has given two knockouts by his colleague last week and like Ajax defying the lightning is standing erect and hat-footed for another stroke or shot, as the case may be.

This is the record of the dead week. The house, Tuesday voted, 78 to 41, to table a motion to print a substitute for bill 609, known as the Hatchett bill—a bill calling for the taxing of cigarettes. Then came Thursday and the house voted, 87 to 49 to table a motion to print bill 56, known as the Farmer bill, proposed the taxing of cigars and cigarettes. Rep. Holder took his knocks on the nose but was not counted out by the referee. Then came Friday with its proceedings. Rep. Holder introduced and presented a resolution authorizing Speaker Minor to appoint a special committee of five to study school needs and recommend to the house a bill taxing luxuries "including tobacco and cigarettes." There were many absences but the Holder-Farmer-Foxes followers were not among the absentees. A motion to table resulted in a tie vote, 55 to 55, and Speaker Minor announced the motion to table lost. In other words the resolution is pending.

This is the record to date: The house has twice by two to one voted down the tobacco tax and the Holder resolution may share the same fate in the near future. It is a nuisance tax and nuisance taxes are not popular in American common-

wealths. Lancaster and Lovelock are linked together, according to the keen observers and the political prophets. Rep. Holder is accused of having congressional ambition while the Lord of Lovelock is accused of having an ever burning ambition to become one of the national leaders of a remodeled reformed political party. As for the writer he lets it go either way. It does not matter in the long run after the political shad has ceased to float up or down the political stream.

Cigar and cigarette smokers are heavily taxed by the federal government and the federal government has piled it on high to say the least. Why a double tax? David A. Weiss is the economist of Tobacco and Allied Stocks. He has made an analysis of the American tobacco industry. His research survey shows a gain in the consumption of 1 cigarette amounting to 17 tons a day over the total of 16 years ago. The estimate is based upon the increase from 146,000,000 pounds of tobacco used in the manufacture of cigarettes in 1913 to 346,000,000 pounds used in 1929. It continued at the same rate he estimates that 400,000,000 pounds will be used annually by 1940. Revenue of the federal government through the tax on cigarettes, amounted to 239,816,275 in 1929, which is 40 per cent of the \$450,338,900 paid by the tobacco industry. He estimates a total investment of more than one billion dollars. There is no heavier tax imposed by the federal government than the tax on smokers of cigars and cigarettes. Now men who believed in something like equality in taxation are asking why a double tax should be imposed on smokers and cigars by the lawmakers of an American commonwealth.

There is a gasoline tax, a huge tax to speak. One-fourth of the revenue produced by this tax goes to the support of the schools. In addition motorists who are buyers of gasoline are taxed in all the school districts of the state on their possessions. Now the Loves and the Foxes and the Holders and their very genial and never-say-die fol-

lowers are not consumers of tobacco. No doubt this is one of the reasons why they are willing to pile sky high taxes on their benighted fellow citizens who are smokers of the weed. Away back in colonial days the Bostonians gave a celebrated tea party where they declared open revolt against the tax on that alleged delicious beverage. History records the fact that the colonial revolt led to the American revolution. For accurate information read the "History of George Washington and His Times." It is very illuminating as well as educational.

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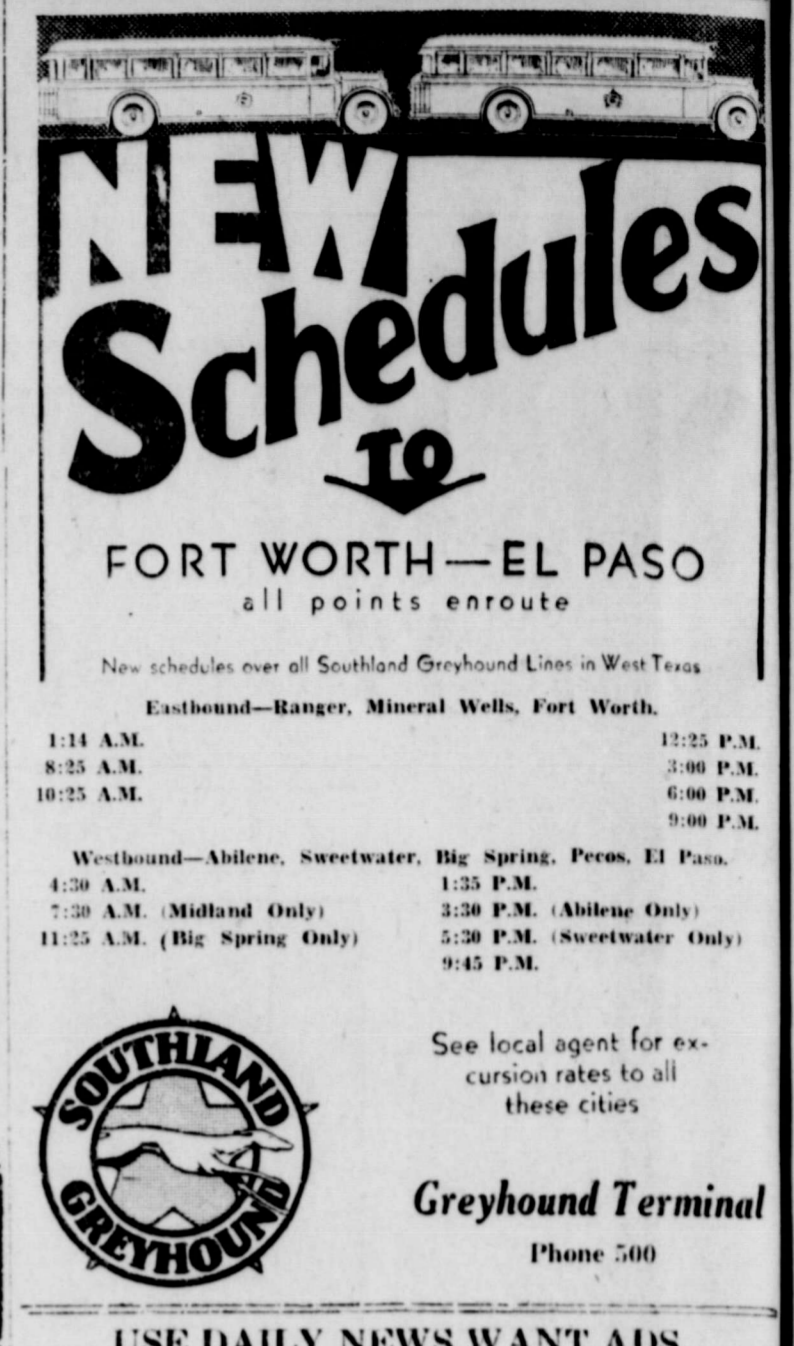
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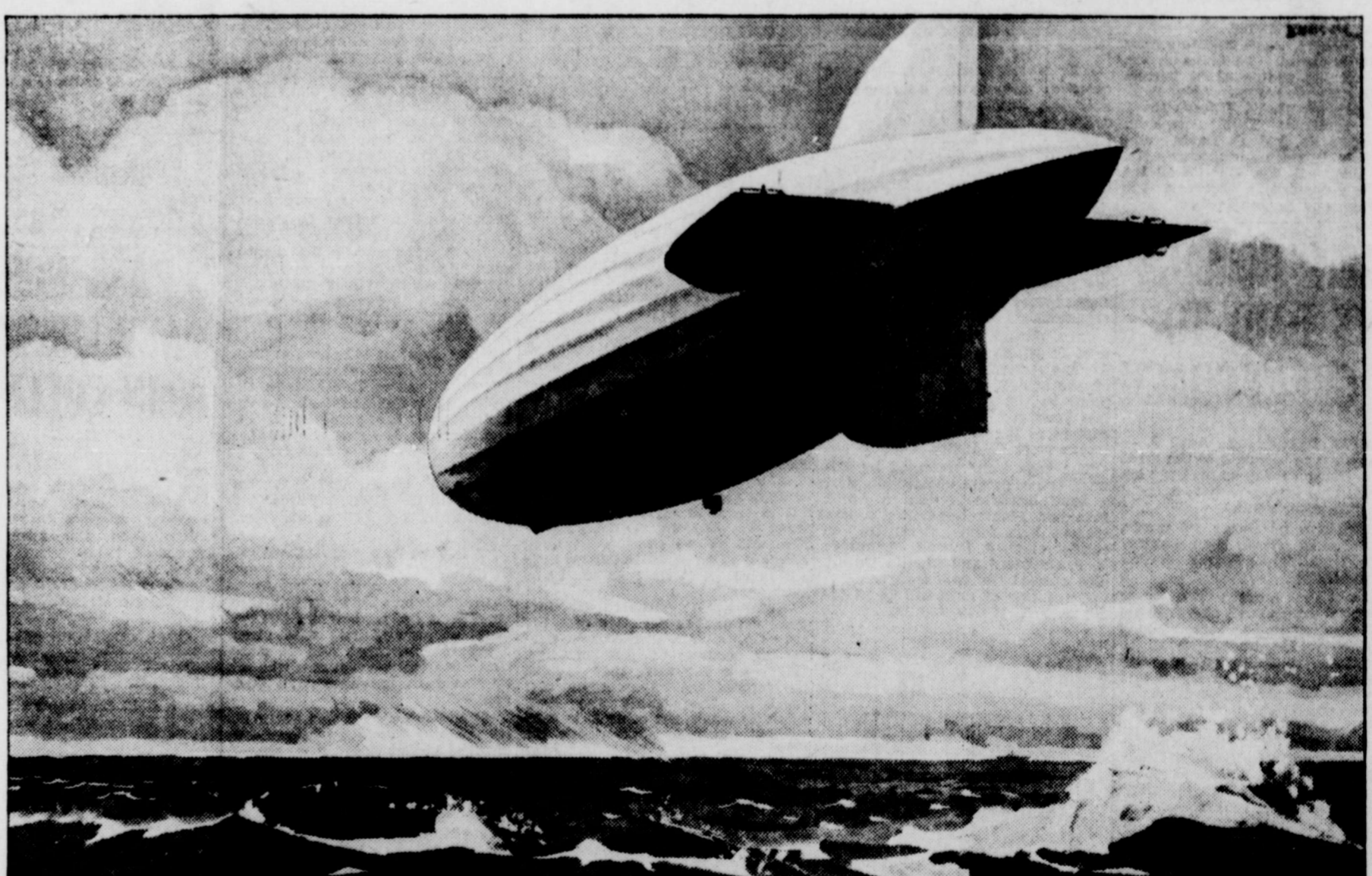
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At Jim's home they are greeted by his aunt, Miss Ellen Wallace, who immediately becomes hostile to the girl. After a few days Miss Wallace moves to a cottage down the street. She arranges a family dinner party where Gypsy is snubbed by other relatives. This enrages Jim and they leave. Next day Gypsy receives a letter from Alan Crosby. While she is hesitating about opening it, callers arrive and she drops the letter into a desk drawer. It is still there when Jim comes home and inquires about some papers he has given her. Gypsy says they are in the desk and he goes to get them.

## NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

Miss Christopher's voice broke in upon the girl's thoughts. "If you'd care to show me the upstairs rooms now—" she began, but Gypsy interrupted.

"I'm sorry," she said. "I'm afraid we'll have to make it some other time. I have some appointments that I really must keep."

"Oh, I hope I haven't delayed you! Suppose I telephone early next week. Would that do? It's such a pleasure to work with you, Mrs. Wallace. I'll follow up your suggestions about the curtains and when I come again I'll let you know the best prices I can get on that chest. Well—I must run! Goodbye."

Gypsy went to the door with her. After that there was a conference with the man from the electric shop who was waiting in the kitchen. It was 12:30 when he was gone and Matilda announced luncheon was ready. Gypsy was not hungry but she had told Matilda what to prepare so she went to the dining room. She was still at the table when the door bell rang.

"It's a lady to see you," Matilda announced. "She says her name's Miss Manley."

Gypsy rose and hurried to the hall. Abbie Manley came toward her with both hands out. "My dear," she exclaimed, "I hope you will forgive me for coming at such an outrageous hour. If I've disturbed your luncheon please go on with it. I was so anxious to see you and this was the only chance I had."

"I'm glad you did come," Gypsy told her. "Do sit down."

She led the way into the living room, Abbie sank into an armchair and Gypsy sat opposite her.

Mrs. Manley paused an instant and then words rushed on. "I want to tell you how dreadfully I feel about what happened last night. Lucia and Ellen deserved every word Jim said to them. Oh, yes, they did! Lucia Wallace is a cat and the whole town knows it. Only you wouldn't think we're all like her. Ben's a good sort but he lets his wife tell him what to do. Charles and I want you to feel that we're your friends."

"It's lovely of you to come and tell me this," Gypsy said, her lip trembling.

"You poor child! And I'm afraid you've been crying this morning. Now just forget the whole thing! Wipe it out of your mind. I want to know what evening next week you and Jim can have dinner with us."

"Why—I'm not sure—"

"How about Wednesday? If anything comes up so that you won't be able to make it you can telephone. My dear, I've spent two hours at the dentist's and I'll declare I'm worn out!"

"Then you haven't had lunch? Why didn't I think of that?" Gypsy was on her feet but Mrs. Manley stopped her.

"I couldn't eat a bite. No, I really couldn't. But a cup of coffee would be a heavenly-scented blessing. Not a thing with it—just coffee!"

Gypsy went to tell Matilda to prepare the coffee. When she returned Mrs. Manley launched forth with her difficulties with a dressmaker. Gypsy warned her of Abbie's frank friendliness and forgave her garrulity. The coffee was served and still Abbie chatted. It was nearly three o'clock when she departed.

As the front door closed Gypsy heard Matilda's heavy footsteps. "Miss Wallace," the cook complained, "the groceries haven't come yet. Do you think maybe they've forgotten to send them?" Gypsy's exclamation was sharp and low. "I didn't order them!" she wailed. "After that woman came this morning I forgot all about it."

"If you're going to have baked lamb it ought to be here," Ma-

tilda insisted. "I was just getting ready to mix the dressing."

"I'll go and bring the things back with me," Gypsy decided. "There's no telling when they'd come if we waited for delivery service. I'll go right away."

She ran upstairs for her hat and coat. The letter from Alan was waiting in the desk drawer where it had been since morning. There was no time to open it now. Gypsy threw on her wraps and hurried out of the house. Pat was in the side yard and at sight of her he came galloping.

"You can't come this time," Gypsy told him. "Now go back!"

The dog's head dropped and he eyed her appealingly. Instead of turning the terrier came toward her slowly.

"Go back!" Gypsy repeated sternly. Pat's bright eyes were fixed on hers. The girl walked away. She had nearly reached the street when she gave a quick glance over her shoulder. There in the middle of the walk was Pat, picture of dejection. It was too much for Gypsy. She relented.

"Come on, old fellow," she called. With wriggles and bounds the little black and white figure shot forward.

It was 15 minutes' walk to the market district. They made the rounds of the vegetable and fruit stalls and Gypsy's arms were soon piled with bundles. After the white-coated fish salesman had weighed and wrapped the halibut they started home. Pat was in good humor, keeping close to the girl's heels all the way.

When they reached the house the girl's arms were aching. She could not open the door and rang the bell. Matilda appeared and relieved her of the bundles.

"Get the fish on at once," Gypsy instructed her. "Never mind about dressing. You can bake it without this time. I brought the eggs and vegetables. The rest of the things will be delivered in the morning."

"What a day!" Gypsy sank down on theavenport to rest for a moment. Pat's little cold nose touched her fingers. She let the dog climb up beside her and slipped her arms around him.

She was there when Jim Wallace arrived at five o'clock. He came in briskly.

"Well," he said, "you two look comfortable. Say, Gypsy, I've got another estimate on the new roof for the garage. What did you do with those figures I got from Bradley?"

"They're upstairs in the desk in my room. Do you want them?"

"Don't bother! I'll find them for myself." Wallace turned. A moment later she heard him going up the stairs.

## CHAPTER XXIV

Woud Jim see the letter from Alan? If he should ask questions what could she say? Gypsy waited in an agony of suspense. In less than five minutes she heard him coming down the stairs again. He was whistling.

"Well," Jim announced, "I found it."

"You mean—?"

"That estimate of Bradley's. About putting a new roof on the garage. The price is low enough and I don't want the job put off any longer. Spring rains will be setting in any day. I think I'll tell them to get to work next week."

Jim did not notice the warm color slowly surging back into the girl's cheeks.

"Abbie was here this afternoon," she told him.

"What did she have to say?"

"She wants us to come to her house to dinner next Wednesday. She said we could make it some other evening if we'd rather."

"Wednesday's all right so far as I know. Do you want to go?"

"I think we should. She was awfully friendly. I guess she really came to apologize about what happened at your party."

Jim scowled. "It's a nuisance," he said, "but I guess we'd better go. Remind me of it next week, will you? I've got a lot of work ahead of me. Mills turned over that Roberts case to me today. His wife's sick and he's going to take her south. They indicted the girl this afternoon."

"Who?" Gypsy asked.

"Nina Roberts. You've seen her pictures in the papers, haven't you? I must have told you about the case. She's the one who's accused of shooting Dr. Fowler."

Gypsy shook her head. "I guess

I haven't been reading the papers the last day or two."

"Oh, here—look at this!" He picked up the newspaper he had dropped on the table and spread it open before her. On the front page was the photograph of a pretty girl and above it, in type stretching across the columns, was the caption, "Girl Faces Trial for Shooting Physician."

"How dreadful!" exclaimed Gypsy. In glancing black letters she hidly smiled she read, "Nina Roberts, Pretty Assistant, Indicted by Grand Jury for Shooting Dr. Frank R. Fowler."

"Everything they've got on her is circumstantial," Jim went on, "but it's going to be a hard fight. I think Mills was glad to get rid of it. It's the most sensational thing I've ever tackled."

"But she's such a pretty girl," Gypsy interrupted, "and she looks so young!"

"She didn't look so pretty when I was talking to her two hours ago. Poor kid's a wreck! I wish the reporters would lay off a while. Look at this blab, 'Love Notes Tell of Tragic Romance!' That will help her a lot, won't it? I've given her strict orders not to talk out its too late now to do much good."

"Why do they think she did it?"

Jim leaned forward, elbows on the arms of his chair. "It's like this," he said. "Fowler was found dead in his office at 6 o'clock in the evening by a policeman who heard the shot fired. When the cop got there Nina Roberts was on her knees beside the body. There was a gun on the floor and no finger prints. Nina was crying and hysterical. She claims she was out of the office making a telephone call at a public phone booth on the next floor—a personal message she didn't want Fowler to hear. When she came back she found Fowler lying on the floor with blood on his clothing. She ran to him and, she says, he tried to say something but she couldn't understand the words."

"When the policeman got there Fowler was breathing but he never regained consciousness. The only others in the building were the superintendent, a fireman, two cleaning women and the boy who runs the elevator. The superintendent and fireman were in the furnace room and didn't hear a thing. The cop's office was on the second floor. Nobody had gone up in the elevator for 30 minutes, according to the operator. He was in the basement, too, but says he heard the shot. The cleaning women were on the ninth and tenth floors and didn't know about the shooting until they finished their work two hours later. What makes it much worse is these letters they found."

"What letters?"

"Oh, two or three letters Fowler had written the girl. They're pretty mushy—according to the newspaper. I haven't seen the originals. You see, Nina worked for Fowler for nearly a year and a half. She told me that he'd been giving her a line about his wife misunderstanding him—all the usual thing—and that she fell for it. Then a month ago they quarreled, and that ended the affair. Like a fool, she kept his letters. Nina swears there was nothing to the flirtation except a few dinner

dates. Of course the prosecution is going to try to make out it was jealousy."

"And you said the man was married?"

Jim nodded. "They had his wife in court today. Cried all the time."

"Did they have any children?"

"No. There's an adopted boy 2 years old. The Fowlers took him a year ago."

"Jim, do you think this girl really killed the man?"

"I'm her lawyer. I've got to prove she's innocent if I can." Jim looked down at the floor and then glanced up again. "You know, it's a funny thing," he went on. "I talked to that girl half the afternoon and I didn't get a thing out of her that I could bring before a jury. I haven't the slightest idea in the world who else could have shot Fowler if she didn't, and yet I'd be willing to take an oath anywhere that she's innocent."

"But that makes it terrible! Has anyone to help her—any friends?"

Jim shook his head. "Says she hasn't any relatives. She's been living in a cheap rooming house down on Mulberry street. Told me she came here two years ago from Chicago. Of course, this thing has her all unnerved. I don't believe she trusts anyone. Couldn't seem to make her understand that I was going to try to get her out of this."

Gypsy had been looking at the girl's picture in the newspaper while he spoke.

"She doesn't look any older than I am," she said.

"How old are you, Gypsy?"

The girl smiled. "Why, don't you know? I'll be 20 in June."

"Nineteen, huh? I was 27 two months ago. Lord—I didn't know you were such an infant."

"Nineteen isn't an infant. How old is Nina Roberts?"

"Twenty-two, she says."

Gypsy dropped the newspaper. "Listen, Jim," she said earnestly, "if this girl is innocent you've got to find a way to save her! You've got to. Why—think what might happen. They'd send her to prison! They might even take her life!"

"Don't you suppose I know that?"

Matilda appeared in the doorway. "Dinner's ready, Mrs. Wallace," she said.

Gypsy arose and Jim followed into the dining room. Over the door they continued discussing the murder. No date had been set for the trial.

"It'll be soon, though," Jim predicted. "Bennett, the state's attorney, thinks he has a chance to get a quick conviction. That will improve his record. Great material for the next campaign."

"But who could have done it if she didn't, Jim?"

"I'll tell you that later."

Throughout the evening Gypsy was unable to shake off thoughts of the girl in prison. If she actually were innocent how terrible it was! You see, Gypsy's own trials sank into insignificance. When Jim went into the library and took down a ponderous volume from the shelves the girl went upstairs to her bedroom. She drew Alan Crosby's letter from the desk drawer and held it to the light. Then in neat letters she directed a large envelope, slipped the smaller one inside and sealed the flap. Ten minutes later

the envelope was in a mail box. Gypsy returned to the living room and devoured all that she could find in the newspaper about the hearing of the murder case.

Nina Roberts's picture and columns about the girl appeared in Forest City newspapers throughout the coming week. There were pictures and feature stories in metropolitan dailies. In some of these the names of James Wallace, defense attorney, was mentioned. A famous woman novelist chose the Fowler affair as the next of a full-page indictment of "Slandered Sirens" which appeared in thousands of Sunday supplements.

There were evenings when Jim arrived home at 6:30 instead of five o'clock and there were nights when his desk lamp in the library was burning until long after midnight. Gypsy asked eagerly for new developments in the case but there was little to be learned. There was no way of establishing when Nina left Fowler's office, or how long she had been gone. There was no proof the girl had even stirred from the room. Nina was going to be a poor witness, Wallace feared. The girl was becoming stullen.

"It was Fowler's own gun that killed him," Jim announced one evening as he threw down his coat and hat in the lamp-lighted living room. "He bought it three months

ago!"

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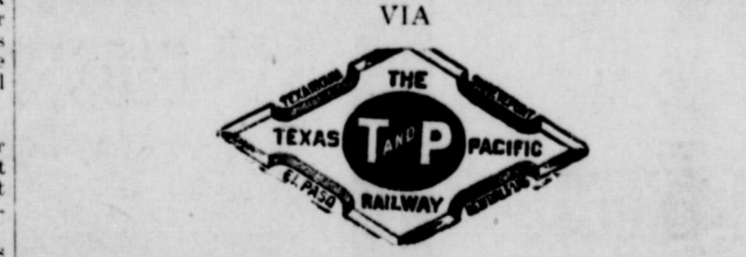
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As Told to Miss Thelma Everett

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Brock of Abilene visited friends in Putnam the first of the week. J. S. Yeager made a business trip to Clyde on Tuesday of this week. Larry Bartine of Lamesa spent the weekend in the home of his mother here. J. L. Hundson, V. M. Teague and Miss Viola Teague made a trip to Merkl Sunday. Clarence Mayes returned Monday from Dallas where he underwent a major operation. Mr. Mayes stood the trip very well and is now at his home east of Putnam. Mrs. G. P. Gaskin and children visited in Cisco Saturday. Misses Gladys Patrick and Lillian Cook spent the weekend in Brownwood visiting relatives. Misses Merline McCool, Thelma Everett and W. P. Everett spent the weekend in Cottonwood, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coffey. Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Seastrunk and daughter, Mary Frances of Carbon visited in the home of Mrs. Seastrunk's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Buchanan and family part of last week. Mrs. Chester Glover visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pierce in Cross Plains Saturday. Miss Artie Cook spent the weekend in Cross Plains the guest of Mrs. Geo. Scott. Putnam was well represented at the county meet last Friday and Saturday, in spite of the disagreeable weather. Gus Ryan of Baird was a Putnam visitor Monday. Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Nordyke and Mrs. Jesse Overton were Cisco visitors Tuesday morning. The Little Theatre Dramatic club of Putnam met Monday night in regular session. After a short business meeting they rehearsed their play, "Let's Get Married," which will be presented Friday night, April 3rd, at the old theatre building. They adjourned to meet again the following Monday night. Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Ramsey, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Camp, W. W. Everett, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Buchanan and daughter, Miss Bertha Buchanan attended the fifth Sunday singing convention in Coleman Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Yeager and daughter visited Mrs. Yeager's father, J. M. Howard in Cisco Sunday. Mr. Howard is convalescing from a long and tedious illness. Mrs. Jack Grisham of the Colony community was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Teague and family through the weekend. Mrs. Patrick of Brownwood spent a few days in Putnam last week visiting her children, Miss Gladys Patrick, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Farmer and daughter, Gladys Louie. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Phillips of Rising Star, and Fred Short of Putnam were weekend visitors in Seymour. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bosworth visited their parents in Cottonwood Sunday. Mrs. W. E. Pruett, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Francisco and son, Reed were Ranger visitors Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Scott entertained the young people of the town with a party Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Renfro and sons of Brownwood were Putnam visitors Sunday. Mrs. L. B. Moore, Misses Doris Isenhour and Thelma Everett, Willard Gaskin and Neal Moore were Abilene visitors Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Everett spent Sunday in Cottonwood, the guest of relatives. Miss Esther Weed of Hart community spent the weekend with Miss Lucie Tucker. Owing to a previous made date to accompany the A. C. C. Public Speaking class to Austin, Don H. Morris will not be able to return in time to deliver an Easter sermon at the Church of Christ, as announced in last week's news items. But will fill his regular appointment second Sunday. Mrs. Homer Pruett in her most gracious manner entertained the young people of the class of the Church of Christ on last Thursday night with a 42 party. The games were played with much enthusiasm throughout the evening. The hand made tally cards were much in evidence adding attractiveness to the party. After the enjoyment of the game, delicious refreshments were served the following: Misses Imadine Alken, Lucie Tucker, Frances Cook, Eva Moore, Bertha Buchanan, Doris Isenhour, Thelma Everett, Messrs. John D. Isenhour, Chesley Pruett, Arnold Pruett, Warkle Jones, Bertman Jones, M. L. Dennis, Neal Moore, Carlton Yarbrough, Collins Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Overton, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bosworth, and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Pruett. Mrs. Pruett's social interest in these young people should be an example to other members in offering their home for wholesome entertainment to this class of fine young people, who are growing spiritually as well as numerically. Her efficient entertaining of Jesse Overton. A hearty welcome is extended to all the young people of the town and vicinity to come and join this class. If you are not going elsewhere, and Sunday evening at 7 o'clock in our Bible study, and also enjoy the social functions with us. Glenn Payne of Winters was in Putnam Sunday. D. M. Weed and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Claude King and family Tuesday. Martin and John Payton Wingo of Abilene were Putnam visitors Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Buck Hughes and children moved to Roby Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Barney Anthony made a business trip to Abilene Thursday. Mrs. Lee Collins and sons, Hollis and Jimmie and Willie Morris King

tended the interscholastic meet at Gorman Friday and Saturday. In the Junior boys' declamation contest Tommy Allen won 2nd place. Mary Griffin represented Desdemona in the junior girls' declamation contest. In the spelling contest Fenelope Robert made 97 1-2 and Geraldine Dyon made 91. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Quinn returned Tuesday from a short business trip to Fort Worth. News was received here recently of the death of Mrs. N. O. Bearden who passed away at her home in Douglas, Arizona. She was a pioneer settler of Desdemona and her many friends here were grieved to hear of her death. J. T. Henry of Dublin, was here on business Saturday and also to visit his father, T. J. Henry. Mrs. Earl Lane and Mrs. Clarence Foglar entertained Saturday night at the home of the former with a going away party honoring Mrs. F. E. Feightner who is leaving soon for her new home at Elasiel. There were two tables of "42" and three of bridge. Delicious refreshments of devil's food cake topped with whipped cream, chicken salad, saltines and coffee were served to the following: Messrs. and Mrs. James Joe Cook, Bill Parks, Carl Laa, George Hicks, Claud Lee, F. E. Feightner, I. N. Williams, and Messdames Roy Rushing, R. L. Weir, Merdellah and Morton, the two hostesses and their husbands. A shower of gifts of many useful and beautiful things was given the honoree. Rev. and Mrs. E. Walker drove to Cisco Friday and were joined there by their daughter, Miss Althea Walker and they went to Oklahoma to visit the married daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Walker. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harrison and baby of Eastland were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Barron Sunday. During the past week members of Desdemona Eastern Star chapter have been visiting at several nearby towns. On Wednesday night nine of them visited Stephenville chapter which was entertaining the worthy grand matron. Then on Thursday sixteen members went to Ranger to the school of instruction and fourteen of them took the examination and were given certificates and on Monday five of them went to Mineral Wells to a school of instruction and took examinations there.

broke down and Mary Bob was 40 minutes late or she might have been first. Unknown persons broke into T. D. McGuire's garage Tuesday night and stripped his car. Mrs. R. M. Brummett is in bed sick with cold. A large crowd attended the singing Sunday afternoon at the Baptist church. Our school exhibit at Gorman was fine. Our boys and girls surely did some fine work. If the judges did think the teachers did it for them. Although we lost the cup on the exhibit, it was not for lack of skill on our work. Our basket ball boys lost in the tournament. Mrs. Bill Clinton visited her mother, Mrs. Rutherford Wednesday. Mrs. Viola Gattis has as her guest her mother, Mrs. Rippe, from Ovello. Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Davis and children of Lamesa were visiting relatives here. Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hall of Crosbyton are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brown. Miss Synyue Henderson was the weekend guest of her parents of Eastland. Miss Verda Gilbert spent the weekend with her parents of Carbon. Oena Baldrice became sick Sunday with the diphtheria. The senior class is beginning to practice their play for the close of school. Mr. and Mrs. Orval Reece attended the singing at Atwell Sunday night. Misses Leila Mae and Clara Pae Slatten of Cisco were visiting in Scranton Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Clinton were visiting relatives in Putnam Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nunnally. We wish them much happiness and success. They will make their home with Mr. Pippin's parents for a while. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Farmer of Cisco spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Farmer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pence and family. Mrs. C. C. McPadden and children and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McIntyver and baby were the Sunday dinner guests of Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Yeager. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Pence and children spent Sunday with Mrs. Pence parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warner of Carbon. Miss Ollie Pence spent Friday night with Misses Bertha and Eunice Pence. Miss Lillie Pence is spending a few days this week with Misses Dora and Florence Yeager. Mr. and Mrs. Author Yeager and family of Putnam spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Yeager. Mr. and Mrs. Ira Pence and daughter spent a few hours in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pence Tuesday night.

Antonio visited his aunt Mrs. Clara Bisbee last Tuesday afternoon. Kera Nix of Dan Horn community spent Sunday night with Berta Mae Bisbee and attended church here. Mrs. D. F. Brown went to Gorman one day the past week to see her father who is in ill health. The protracted meeting at Reich which has been conducted by Rev. H. Yeager. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Pence and children spent Sunday with Mrs. Pence parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warner of Carbon. Miss Ollie Pence spent Friday night with Misses Bertha and Eunice Pence. Miss Lillie Pence is spending a few days this week with Misses Dora and Florence Yeager. Mr. and Mrs. Author Yeager and family of Putnam spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Yeager. Mr. and Mrs. Ira Pence and daughter spent a few hours in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pence Tuesday night.

Smith of Cisco closed Tuesday night His last sermon was on the "Unpardonable Sin". Mrs. Berva King and Mrs. Spoo Speegle of Dan Horn attended church at Reich Tuesday night. Alice—County to purchase new 10-ton tractor for working near roads.

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DOTHAN

The Primitive Baptist church had a three-day meeting last week. Some very good sermons were preached by Rev. Richards, and Rev. West. Other preachers who attended were Rev. Jack Foster and Rev. Charles Jackson of Atwell, and Rev. Sam Short of DeLeon. There were visitors from Cisco, DeLeon, Moran, Scranton, Putnam, Atwell attending these services. Bill Kelley of Colony attended singing Sunday night. Joe Donaway, Miss Pearl Donaway, and Miss Fay Hatton were in Eastland Thursday night. Woodward Hazenwood of Reich is visiting Mrs. Earl Dungan. Misses Ida and Gertrude Donaway, Miss Pauline Dungan, Vernon Donaway, and R. C. Hazelwood attended church at Reich Saturday night. Jack Moody and his mother, Mrs. Fanny Moody, visited relatives in Fisher county last week. They were accompanied home by Miss Bessie Smith. Several from here attended the play at Cottonwood Friday night. Dathan school closed Friday. The program was postponed until Wednesday night. Miss Lucie Smith of Cisco was the Saturday night guest of Miss Stella Pippin. The wind and hail did quite a bit of damage here Monday. Miss Fay Hattox left Tuesday. She will start to school at John Tarleton this week.

SCRANTON

Last Friday morning little Eldis Jean Bailey was badly burned. Her clothing was ignited at the store and before her mother could extinguish the flames she was badly burned. She is doing nicely now. Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Davis of Lamesa were weekend guests of Mrs. Davis' parents Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Rutherford. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Haislep of Stanton spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Rutherford and Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Haislep. We had the coldest weather of the season last week. On account of the freeze the fruit crop is ruined, as were the garden vegetables that were up. Hadassa Boland was a guest in L. Boland's home Sunday. Beulah Savers spent Monday night with Hadassa Boland. Quarterly conference of the Methodist was held Saturday with dinner on the ground. The presiding elder, Rev. Neal of Cisco, delivered fine message messages both Saturday and Sunday morning. Rev. Wright preached at Sabano Sunday morning. We are planning an Easter program Sunday night. Rev. O'Brien preached at the Baptist church Sunday night following the B. Y. P. U. On account of the unfavorable weather last Friday a crowd at Gorman for track meet was small. The field events will be held Thursday. Opal Gattis won fourth place in junior declamation. Neva Blalock won fourth place in senior declamation. L. C. Harlow lost a good milk cow this week. Rudene Allen fourth in senior spelling; Mary Bob Snoddy second place in essay writing. The bus

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Cisco Banking Company (UNINCORPORATED) OF CISCO, TEXAS At the Close of Business March 25, 1931. Condensed Statement of RESOURCES: Loans and Discounts \$450,047.69, Furniture and Fixtures 4,820.19, Bank Building 80,000.00, Real Estate 8,400.00, Cash and Due from Banks 34,012.27, \$586,280.13. LIABILITIES: Capital Stock \$100,000.00, Surplus and Profits 25,000.00, Undivided Profits 3,602.70, Bills Payable 62,752.60, Deposits 394,924.85, \$586,280.13. Stockholders: P. C. O'Loughlin, J. A. Lauderdale, Wm. F. Keough, J. D. Ward, Guy Dabney, Mrs. B. F. Jones, Mrs. G. D. Ward, S. E. Hutson, J. H. Reynolds, R. Q. Lee Estate, Lee Owen, Mrs. C. Owen.

WALTON'S Eleventh Annual BABY CONTEST OPENS SATURDAY, APRIL 4TH CLOSES SATURDAY, APRIL 18TH Any Baby May Compete in This Contest up to Six Years Old MOTHERS! Most of you are familiar with our annual baby contest, which will be conducted in the same manner as the previous contests. THREE CLASSES: 1.—Babies up to one year of age. 2.—Babies from one to three years of age. 3.—Babies from three to six years of age. THREE PRIZES EACH CLASS—NINE PRIZES IN ALL—VALUE \$90.00. Coupons purchased from any salesman recently, will be credited on order of Baby Pictures. IMPORTANT: In order that we may do full justice to your baby's photograph, PLEASE arrange to make your appointment the afternoon before, and if possible, have the sitting in forenoon. The baby feels better in the morning, the force will be fresh, you will also feel better, and it will help us to get a better photograph. ENTRY FEE: The entry fee will be \$1.00. This entitles you to one of the very best 4x6 portraits mounted; regular value \$3.00. You will have an option of ordering additional portraits at \$1.00 each; however, you are under no obligation whatsoever. JUDGES: Our judges will be selected from out of town salesmen or saleswomen from our local hotels. Not one will be given the slightest opportunity of knowing the identity of the babies, as they will be known and judged by number only. WALTON'S STUDIO ART & GIFT SHOP Phone 151

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### AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION NEWS

From the Office of the County Agent and The Home Demonstration Agent.

#### The Market Basket

By the Bureau of Home Economics, U. S. Department of Agriculture, and the Woman's Division of the President's Emergency Committee of Employment.

Another of our grandmother's home remedies, the sulphur-molasses-cure-all for "spring fever," had been re-evaluated to the satisfaction of the bureau of home economics, U. S. Department of Agriculture, and the woman's division of the President's emergency committee of employment.

The modern theory of nutrition has substituted fresh vegetables for the stick mass which every member of the family was urged to take daily by the spoonful as soon as "spring came," she said. "About the time every year the joy of sulfur and molasses used to appear in the kitchen cupboard and great quantities were set by its curative powers. Though little was known of the special nutritive values of the various kinds of foods, the spring tonic was assumed to be a necessary part of the more restricted diet of winter."

"Our national eating habits have changed so greatly that any sort of spring tonic is superfluous. We now have an abundant supply of fresh fruit and vegetables the year around. Increased facilities for shipping perishable foodstuffs from the southern winter diet little different from our summer diet. These fruits and vegetables offer a continuous supply of vitamins and minerals which are really efficacious in maintaining good nutrition. One vitamin especially, which is found in varying degrees in fruits and vegetables, automatically takes care of lagging appetites and promotes good digestion and the absorption of food. Because the body has only a limited capacity to store this vitamin, the food supply should contain an abundance of it at all times."

ter are cooked like spinach, and poked in the same way as asparagus. Most people are familiar with the many ways in which dandelion can be served as a salad. It has recently grown so popular that it is now being raised commercially and shipped to market.

Practically all the benefits which might be derived from vegetables may be lost in the cooking, Doctor Stanley points out. The best methods of cooking vegetables for preserving the food value are in the following order: baking, steaming, and boiling in the skins. When water is used in cooking, the bureau advocates using a small quantity for most vegetables. This method will retain cooking retains most of the vitamins and minerals, many of which are soluble in water and frequently thrown away.

The greatest fault in vegetable preparation, the bureau finds, is over-cooking. The addition of bicarbonate of soda to the vegetable's water is a practice which the bureau decries for it has a tendency to destroy the vitamins and break down the fibers and make the vegetable mushy.

Supply for family of five for one week: father, mother and 3 children: 12-16 pounds bread, 1-2 pound of flour, 4-6 pounds cereal, 23-25 tall cans canned unswartened milk, 10-20 pounds potatoes, 1-2 pounds dried beans, peas, or peanut butter, 6 pounds fresh or canned tomatoes or citrus fruits, 15-18 pounds other vegetables, including greens or carrots, 2 1/2 pounds fats, such as bacon, butter, lard, salt, pork, etc., 3 pounds sugar and molasses, 5-7 pounds lean meat, fish, cheese, eggs, 8 eggs for children, 1 pound coffee, 1-4 pound of tea.

Living Room Improvement Aims of the contest: 1. To encourage interest in better living rooms by making them more comfortable and attractive. 2. To demonstrate the best use of what is on hand. 3. To demonstrate the expenditure of money. Living room making the greatest improvement, cost not to exceed \$50.00. Class II. Cost exceeding \$50.00. Sixteen home demonstration club members of the county have entered Class I and 3 club members have entered class II. This contest closes May first. The living rooms in the contest are scored before improvement and after improvement and the county winner enters the district contest.

#### Club Activities

Seven girls 4-H clubs organized in the county with a total membership of one hundred and twenty-five. Girls who are eligible for club work are all between the ages of 10 and 20. The work is divided into four years, and includes clothing, food preservation, food preparation, home improvement-interior and exterior—productive demonstration and record for all.

Fifteen home demonstration clubs have been organized in the county with an average membership of twenty-five. These clubs meet twice a month with a demonstration at one of the meetings. Four of the clubs have club houses built for the clubs and all meetings are held in them. These houses were furnished by the help of local merchants, entertainers and donations by the members.

#### CORINTH

Almost all garden vegetable were killed Thursday night. We can plant over gardens again but the fruit is lost for this season. Mrs. Geo. Balderer and son Kenneth Dean who have spent the winter with Mrs. Bladerer have gone to Wichita Falls where she will visit her mother.

Miss Daisy Evans entertained quite a few of her friends from Cisco Sunday afternoon. Among them were Misses Louise Eisenath, Mary Bell Love, Mary Smart, Orest Turknet, Clara Shuits and Willie Fenley. Messrs. Howard Hill, Richard Turknet, Harlon Stephens, Glen and Roy Lee Garrett. They all reported an enjoyable time.

Wayne and Albert Henson spent Saturday night with their grandmother, Mrs. Henson. Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Owen visited her mother, Mrs. Hazel Sunday afternoon. Miss Mattie Evans is under the treatment of the doctor again. We hope she will soon recover completely.

Mrs. Balderer spent Monday with Mrs. John Evans. Mrs. Glosecock had as her guest the past week her mother, Mrs. Al-sabrook of Breckenridge. Miss Alice Hazel spent Friday afternoon with Miss Bernice Tenneyson. Miss Willie Fenley of Cisco spent Saturday night with Miss Daisy Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Seabourn have gone for a visit with their son, Bill. Mr. and Mrs. Pellrey visited his sister, Mrs. Darr Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Hart was in Cisco on business Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Waverly Massengale of Cisco visited her mother, Mrs. Hugginbotham Sunday.

#### STARTS HARBOR TUBE

BOSTON, April 2. — Work has been started on a \$16,000,000 vehicular traffic tube beneath Boston harbor, between Boston proper and East Boston. Some 2,000 men will be employed during the construction period.

#### Easter "Duds"!



EASTER PARADE TRAGEDY! MAN WHO FORGOT TO REMOVE PRICE TAG FROM HIS NEW SUIT!

MOTHER ENJOYED HER NEW EXCLUSIVE HAT MODEL—UNTIL SHE FOUND MRS. JONES HAD ONE JUST LIKE IT!

THE SAME LITTLE KID NEXT DOOR—WHO DISILLUSIONED OUR WILLIE ABOUT SANTA CLAUS HAS DEBUNKED THE EASTER BUNNY!

COURSE JIMMIE HAD TO TINKER WITH THE RADIO JUST AS THE EASTER MUSIC STARTED!

WHAT DO IT PROFIT MOTHER TO GET DAD TO CHURCH THIS ONCE A YEAR ONLY TO HAVE HIM SLEEP THROUGH THE SERMON?

#### Hens Make High Production Record

SELMA, Cal., April 2. — Selma hens today were still entitled to cackle a little louder over their egg-producing feats than hens anywhere else in the United States, it appeared from the latest records. Seventeen contests for high average egg production showed 190 contests, with an average of 75.55 eggs per hen since last fall. Stephens, Tex., hens were credited with being next, with an average of 75.17 eggs.

Daily News and American and Roundup want ads are a good investment — Phone 90 or 81.

#### A BETTER DANCE

Thos. Patrick and His Eight Piece Colored Orchestra of Ft. Worth. Saturday, April 4, 9 p. m. LAKE CISCO

News Want Ads Pay—Phone 86.

MUSICAL HORNS BANNED MEMPHIS, April 2. — Musical automobile horns and their loud exhaust and park plug horns—became so numerous here recently that a police drive was launched against them. The Tennessee fire patrol ordered compressed air horns being used on private cars seized.

HOG RAISERS CHALLENGED URBANA, Ia., April 2. — Wallace Winnegar today issued a challenge to the hog raisers of the state to match a record set by one of his

Hampshire sows, which in 12 years has produced 21 litters averaging 7 pigs, or a total of 147 pigs.

News want ads brings results 666 LIQUID or TABLETS Cure Colds, Headaches, Fever 666 SALVE CURES BABY'S COLD

#### DO ONE ROOM at a TIME



Go through the house with an inquisitive and exacting eye. What needs to be done to give color and life and animation and complete LIVABILITY? It may mean floors "done over," walls tinted in a charming color, woodwork freshened, or perhaps an old chair tightened up and varnished. Before you realize it, the entire house has been rejuvenated; looks better to you and to those who visit you, and is WORTH more, if you ever think of selling. Every working need to "put your house in order" we have in stock. Paints, varnishes, enamels and brushing lacquers come in tidy cans—just enough for one chair—or for a dozen. There need not be the waste of a brushful. Sewall's Paint "Cost less, because it spreads most." CISCO LUMBER & SUPPLY CO. "We're Home Folks" P. S.—During Clean-Up Week all Window Glass 1/2 Price. Clean-Up Paint-Up

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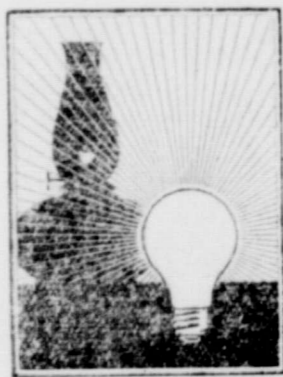
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# Pioneers--Then and Now

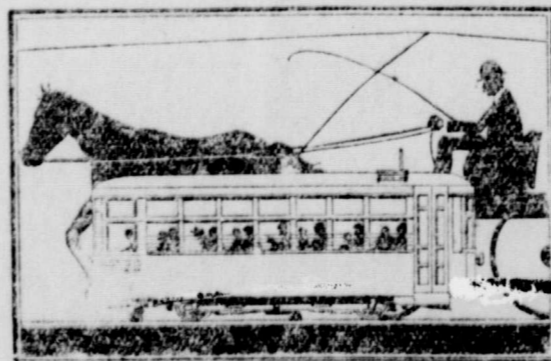


Not so many years ago, hardy pioneers, attracted by the richness, beauty and character of West Texas, halted their ox-drawn "covered wagons" in this section of the nation's last frontier, and sensing, perhaps, its future greatness, made it their home. Wrestling their li-

lhood from the virgin soil, these sturdy Empire-builders laid the foundations for our present high standard of living, our progressive cities, substantial industries, beautiful homes and alert citizenry.

In a comparable manner, the West Texas Utilities Company—pioneering the widespread distribution of electric energy—has made possible, through the equalizing influence of dependable and inexpensive electric power, the intensive development of West Texas.

Just previous to the organization of the West Texas Utilities Company, the average residential cost per kilowatt-hour in this territory was 13 3/4 cents. Now, under the modern rate schedules of this company, it has been **REDUCED** to 6 1/2 cents—a **REDUCTION OF MORE THAN FIFTY PER CENT!** During the year 1930, monthly residential consumption averaged fifty kilowatt-hours per customer. Un-



der the present rate schedule of this company, the customer can increase his use of service to three times that amount and only increase his total bill by 10 cents a day. Before the organization of the West Texas Utilities Company, a similar increase above the normal average would have cost more than four times that amount, or more than 40 cents a day for the additional comfort or service now available for 10 cents! In other words, you can now use an abundance of service, knowing that the added comforts and conveniences possible in this manner will make only a small increase in your total cost.



The building of a transmission line system, which links scattered communities and widely separated rural homes into one unit served from strategically-located main generating plants, was a revolutionary theory when the West Texas Utilities Company first pioneered in this territory. This system—in a territory as sparsely settled and undeveloped as the West Texas area of a few short years ago—has increased the quantity and quality of service, and at the same time reduced rates. Only a sincere faith in the future development of the territory has warranted this investment of many millions of dollars.

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# MEARS PLANS THIRD TRIP ABOUT GLOBE.

By DUANE HENNESSY  
 Press Staff Correspondent  
 LOS ANGELES, April 2. John Mears, who doesn't like to think that anyone has traveled around the world faster than he, even if they were aboard the Zeppelin, is ready to girdle the globe for the third time.

With him will go Vance Breese, of the West's famed pilots, and a number of designers, who will have a two weeks' vacation in May. They plan a 19,000 mile flight. They will be over water 5,500 miles, and will hug the 53rd meridian as closely as the way.

**Their Route**  
 From New York they will go to St. Louis, Mo., and then to St. Paul, Minn., and from there to London, England. From there they will fly to Berlin to arrange for their transport. Moscow will be the next stop, then 8,000 miles across Siberia, up the Trans-Siberian railroad to Khabarovsk, on the Manchurian border.

With wheels exchanged for pontoons, they will make a 600 mile run across the Sea of Okhotsk to the north, then jump across the North Pacific, via the Aleutians, to Sitka, Alaska, and down the Pacific coast to Seattle, Wash. At Seattle, wheels will be used again for the remainder of the trip. It was in 1913 that Mears heard of a French globe trotter held the record for the fastest trip around the world.

So Mears started out and by summer and train girdled the globe in 35 days. His record held until an airplane came into more general use.

**23 Day Trip.**  
 In 1928, Mears decided that it was time for an American to get around the globe again. With the late Capt. Charles B. D. Colver as his pilot, he used fast liners to cross the seas and planes to soar across continents. The trip took 23 days.

A year later the Graf Zeppelin made the trip in 21 days. That was the record.

Last year, Mears suggested a trip around the globe with a pilot and a constructor of trans-Atlantic planes. Breese could not get the record.

Not long ago, Breese became assistant to the president of the Lockheed Aircraft company. He has had 40 miles per hour to the west of the company's fastest plane. Mears met Breese again.

"Let's give your new design a rough test," Mears said. "I'll fly one, we'll add some special equipment and you spend your vacation with me on a trip around the globe."

They are planning the trip now and hope that late in May a new record will be made.

# MAD MARRIAGE

by Laura Lou Brookman  
 AUTHOR OF "HEART HUNGRY, ETC."  
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ago on a trip to Cincinnati. Report came in this morning.

"Did Nina have anything to say about the gun?"

"She told me she'd never seen it until the policeman pointed to it lying on the floor. Nina isn't looking very well. I don't believe the food they're giving her in jail agrees with her."

"Does she have to eat it? Couldn't you have a restaurant send meals in to her?"

"Who's going to pay for it? There isn't going to be any money in this case, you know."

"Jim, you wouldn't let that girl starve or make herself ill just because of a few dollars? Why, there's enough cooked here to feed another person every day. I can pack a basket and take it down to her myself. I'd be glad to."

Jim smiled, shaking his head.

"That's fine of you to think of doing such a thing, Gypsy, but I can't let you. I've asked Dr. Bainbridge to drop around and see the girl tomorrow morning. If he says her diet's wrong I'll see to it that it's improved."

"But aren't you going to take me to see her sometime, Jim? It must be horrible to be alone all day long. You're so sure she's innocent and I can't stand to think of a person being punished that way."

"Nina doesn't want to see anyone. I've told you that before. She'd rather be alone."

"I'm sure she'd be glad to see someone who didn't want to ask her a lot of questions and frighten her."

"Now, Gypsy, you'll have to take my word for it. She wouldn't understand, she's a queer girl but she's proud. Doesn't want sympathy."

It was the same answer he had given before. Gypsy gave up the attempt.

"Jim," she said, "have you ever had a talk with the doctor's wife?"

"You mean the widow? Why, yes. I went out to the house the day after the indictment. She was broken up and cried some but was decent about the whole thing. She's a good witness for the prosecution. Makes the case blacker for Nina, though."

"I was just wondering," Gypsy said, but did not finish.

There was no more discussion of the Roberts case that evening. Gypsy, at breakfast next morning, folded Jim's newspaper and laid it beside her plate. A headline caught her eye. She bent forward, smothering an exclamation.

(To Be Continued)

# OUT OUR WAY



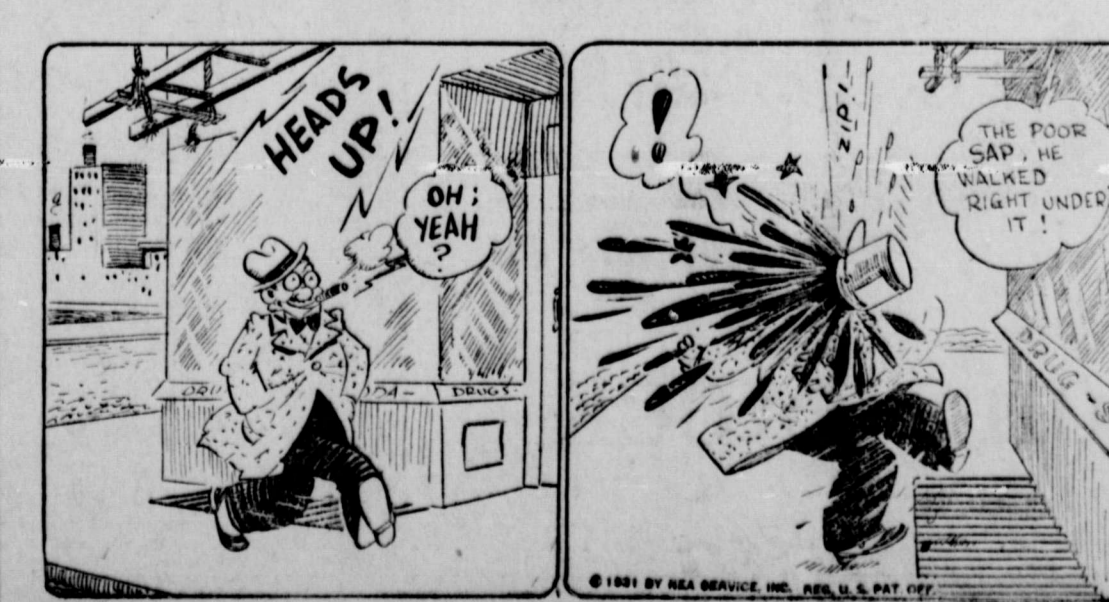
HEROES ARE MADE--NOT BORN

# FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS.



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# DRILL REPORT

Records for date of March 31, 1931, listed as follows:

H. & H. Drilling Co. et al, No. 4 Ella Webb, sec. 1 BAL survey, Shackelford county, application to drill 850 feet.

Humble Oil & Refining Co. et al, No. 2 W. W. Glenn, sec. 3 T&P BY survey, Stephens county, application to plug.

No. 4 W. S. Glenn, sec. 37 T&P BY survey, Stephens county, application to plug.

No. 2 W. L. Yandell, sec. 1410 TEL survey, Stephens county, application to plug.

Ungren & Frazier, Putnam, Texas, application for pipe line certificate to connect C. B. Snyder, sec. 6 T&NORY survey, Callahan county to The Texas Pine Lumber Co.

Ungren & Frazier et al, No. 1 S. W. King, sec. 197 Manual Burno survey, Jones county, application to drill 2000 feet.

Jno. Cox & Henderson Oil Co. No. 1 Mrs. D. McKeethan, Comanche Indian Reserve, Throckmorton county, application to drill 1900 ft.

E. R. Hornbeck, No. 3 J. L. English, sec. 47, LAL survey, Callahan county, application to plug.

S. C. Yingling, No. 1-Coates, sec. 17 T&P BY survey, Jones county, application to drill 2550 feet.

Kiser & Fleming, No. 2 Proctor K. Clarke, sec. 2 BAL survey, Shackelford county, application to drill 700 feet.

Simms Oil Co. No. 3 H. A. Lones, sec. 64 blk. 11 T&P BY survey, Shackelford county, application to shoot with 22 lbs. dynamite from 791 feet to 765 feet.

Swens'n Oil & Gas Co., Inc. No. 1 Swenson Land & Cattle company, sec. 175 EBB&CR survey, Throckmorton county, application to shoot with 100 quarts nitro from 4819 feet to 4841 feet. Well record attached TD 5961 feet.

**NOTICE OF ELECTION**  
 Notice is hereby given that general election will be held in the City of Cisco on the 7th day of April 1931 for the purpose of electing a mayor and two city commissioners.

W. B. Statham,  
 City Secretary.

**BURNED BY CAMPFIRE**  
 PUYALLUP, Wash., April 2. — Henry E. Brown, Watertown, N. Y., "feet tourist", rolled into his campfire while asleep. He walked a mile to the police station despite the painful burns. Police took him to a hospital.

News wait ads bring results

**CHARLESTON'S**  
 5 for 25 cents  
 COUPONS REDEEMED  
 Bowler Kodak Finishing.  
**WALTON STUDIO**  
 ART & GIFT SHOP.

**Sufferer of Indigestion and Rheumatism Praises Crazy Crystals**

Your Crazy Crystals have been a great blessing to me. I have suffered from indigestion and rheumatism for years, could not get any relief at all until I got your crystals. Now I am eating anything I want and feeling much better than I have felt for fifteen years.

MRS. W. A. MOURFIELD,  
 311 Arthur Street,  
 Knoxville, Tenn.

The new, million dollar, Crazy Water Hotel at Mineral Wells, Texas, covers an entire block of ground. It is modern, fire proof and complete in every detail. It is natural to think it would be expensive to stop at this magnificent hotel; yet, you can enjoy its genuine hospitality, pleasing service and receive the benefits of the Crazy Mineral Water Treatment at very reasonable rates. If you have rheumatism, stomach trouble, diabetes, colitis, kidney trouble or any chronic ailment brought on by faulty elimination, we urge you to write the Crazy Water Hotel, Mineral Wells, Texas for full and complete information about their treatment.—Adv.

**Phone the Classified**  
 80 or 81

Miscellaneous for Sale

SCHOLARSHIP FOR SALE

YOUTH PLANS TRY FOR NEW JUNIOR RECORD

**SAN BENITO, April 2.** — Wallace Hurley, 17, who plans to try for a new junior transcontinental flight record this month, will fly a Cessna middle-winged monoplane with a Warner Scarab motor. Its top speed is 190 miles an hour with a landing speed of 52 miles an hour.

Hurley hopes to make the flight in about 16 hours. The present record is more than 20 hours.

Hurley's plane is painted in orange and green and bears the name, "Miss Rio Grande Valley."

The young flyer expects to leave shortly for the Pacific coast stopping at San Antonio, Dallas, Amarillo and El Paso. He plans to make a test flight to some Southern California points before beginning the transcontinental hop.

The proposed flight will be made during the week of the Detroit Air Show where Hurley expects to fly from New York.

In the Los Angeles-to-New York flight Hurley will follow the southern route, flying across the northern part of Texas.

Hurley has been flying for more than two years. He has spent the winter in San Benito, flying from the newly established municipal airport. His home is in Chicago.

**ELEVATOR "BOY" BOWLER**  
 MEMPHIS, April 2. — "Uncle Jim" Kelly, 75, for 16 years elevator boy in the Shelby county courthouse is said to be the best in former California points before beginning the transcontinental hop.

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San Diego—City streets being improved.

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 Parking 30 Min.

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# RENTALS

**Apartment for Rent** ..... 27  
 FOR RENT — Furnished apartment, Phone 355.  
 FOR RENT — Furnished apartment, back and front entrance, adjoining bath, 308 West 12th street, Phone 606.  
 FOR RENT — Duplex, private bath, 307 West Eighth street.  
 NEW apartment, 405 West 11th.

**Houses for Rent** ..... 32  
 FOR RENT — Modern furnished cottage, cheap, 701 West 10th street, Phone 362.  
 FOR RENT — Four room rock veneer cottage, practically new, Cisco Lumber and Supply Co.  
 NEW house, hardwood floors, 355 West Fifth street.

**For Sale or Trade** ..... 38

**FOR SALE or TRADE** — Equity in home on west side near paved street, taxes paid to date, four room house garage, would consider good Chevrolet or Ford Sedan. If interested address Box T care of Cisco Daily News.

# AUTOMOBILE LOANS

**AUTOMOBILE LOANS.** Cars refinanced, bring your 1931 license receipt. O. D. MCCOY, 516 Texas State Bank Bldg., Eastland, Texas.

**Loans on Automobiles, Diamonds**  
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 Over Woolworth. Phone 553.  
 Breckenridge, Texas.

**DR. R. C. FERGUSON**  
 Eastland, Texas  
 216-18 Texas State Bank  
 Diseases and Feeding of Infants and Children  
 Office Hours—10-12; 3-5.  
 Phone 318.  
 Sundays and Holidays by Appointment.

**FAMED TUG PENSIONED**  
 MOBILE, Ala., April 2. — The tug "Mary Wittich" once pride of the Mobile tug fleet and for almost 40 years considered the queen of the harbor fleet has been "pensioned" and is hauling cement barges now.

News wait ads bring results

# 'Business Directory

**Insurance**  
**J. M. WILLIAMSON & CO.**  
 General Insurance  
 City Hall Bldg. Tel. 111

# Announcements

The Rotary club meets every Thursday at Laguna Hotel Private Dining Room at 12:15. Visiting Rotarians always welcome. President, LEON MANER; secretary, J. E. SPENCER.

Lions club meets every Wednesday at Laguna Hotel roof garden at 12:15. P. B. GLENN, president; C. E. YATES, secretary.

Cisco Lodge No. 557, A. F. & A. M., meets fourth Thursday, 8 p. m. HAYWOOD CABANESS, W. M.; JOHN P. PATTERSON, secretary.

Cisco Commandery, K. T., meets every third Thursday of each month at Masonic Hall. CHAS. BOYD, commander; JOHN P. PATTERSON, recorder.

Cisco Chapter No. 190, R. A. M., meets on first Thursday evening of each month at 7 p. m. Visiting Commanders are cordially invited. JACK BOMAN, H. P., JOHN P. PATTERSON, secretary.

# Train Schedule

**RAILROAD TIME TABLE**  
 New train time tables effective 12:01 a. m. March 15th.

**T. & P.**  
 West Bound.  
 No. 7 ..... 1:45 a.m.  
 No. 3 ..... 12:55 p.m.  
 No. 1 "Sunshine Special" ..... 5:05 p.m.  
 East Bound.  
 No. 6 ..... 4:04 a.m.  
 No. 16 "The Texan" ..... 10:20 a.m.  
 No. 4 ..... 5:27 p.m.

**C. & N. T.**  
 Leaves Cisco ..... 4:15 a.m.  
 Arrive Breckenridge ..... 6:00 a.m.  
 Arrives Throckmorton ..... 9:00 a.m.  
 Leaves Throckmorton ..... 9:30 a.m.  
 Arrives Breckenridge ..... 11:00 a.m.  
 Leaves Breckenridge ..... 11:39 a.m.  
 Arrive Cisco ..... 3:00 p.m.

**M. K. & T.**  
 North Bound.  
 No. 35 At. 12:20 p. m.; Lv. 1:05 p. m.  
 South Bound.  
 No. 36 ..... 8:40 a. m.

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# Livestock--

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not to burden it too heavily for the accountant who is interested only in the specialized features of the system was impossible of perfect achievement. The further attempt to design a single system to meet the needs of ranches of all kinds and sizes has necessarily weakened its value somewhat for any particular kind or size of ranch. Nevertheless, despite these difficulties, the result is a book that will be invaluable to every rancher and every accountant interested in ranch accounting.

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## Woman Hungry

with LILA LEE  
SIDNEY BLACKMER  
FRED KOHLER  
RAYMOND HATTON

COMING EASTER SUNDAY

The Laugh of a Lifetime! And what a cast of funmakers!



MARION DAVIES

IN 'It's a Wise Child'

with SIDNEY BLACKMER  
JAMES GLEASON  
Polly Moran, Lester Vail  
Marie Prevost

## About Cisco Today

SOCIETY EDITOR, MISS MARJORIE NOELL—PHONE 29 OR 21

### CALENDAR

**Friday**

The Delta Eta club will meet with Mrs. Emma Butler at her home in Humboldt.

Mrs. G. B. Langston and daughter, Miss Mary Beth, spent this afternoon in Baird.

Mrs. Essie Coker has gone to Houston where she has accepted a position.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Davis and daughter and Mrs. Ida Painter are visiting in Tulsa, Okla.

Mrs. Rex Moore and daughter, Julia Jane, have returned from a visit in Dallas.

Mrs. J. C. Harahan was a visitor in Ranger last evening.

Mrs. J. E. Spencer and Mrs. B. B. Poe visited C. B. Poe who is ill in Carbon yesterday.

G. C. Morris is spending a few days in Houston attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Walters of Dallas are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh White.

Mrs. J. J. Butts is spending today in Abilene.

It has been announced that the American Legion Auxiliary will not meet tomorrow, the regular meeting day.

L. W. Feemster of Moran was a business visitor in the city today.

Mrs. B. C. Boney left today for a visit in Fort Worth.

L. C. Dubuque of Longview is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Slaughter of Humboldt.

Oscar Teegerstrom of Rising Star was a business visitor in Cisco yesterday.

Mrs. R. A. Johnson of Eastland was in the city shopping this morning.

Mrs. Ralph K. Gillon is leaving today for her home in Dallas after a visit with relatives here.

Mrs. Aaron White of Moran was a visitor in the city today.

Mrs. F. A. Hollis and Miss Vera Davis of Carrou and Mrs. H. D. Blair are spending today in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Domm of May were visitors here yesterday.

Mrs. W. E. Chaner of Eastland was in the city this morning.

Mrs. R. Q. Lee is spending today in Abilene.

H. T. Whittikin was a visitor in Strawn yesterday.

Mrs. Hubert Jones of Rising Star was in town shopping this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Locke of May were visitors in the city yesterday.

Jim Bates of Woodson was a visitor here today.

A. M. Parsons of Dallas was a business visitor in Cisco Wednesday.

Mrs. Ray Agnew of Rising Star was in Cisco shopping today.

Rev. T. M. Broadfoot of Snyder was the guest of Mrs. J. W. Howell Wednesday.

Miss Mary Jenkins left this morning for her home in Waxachie after a visit with Mrs. T. E. Neal.

Mrs. Joe Carter left today for Tyler.

Mrs. Grady Morton of Parks is the guest of Mrs. H. D. Tucker.

Everette Davis is a business visitor in Kilgore.

MISS PARKS CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY.

Mrs. S. B. Parks recently gave a surprise party for her daughter, Miss Margarette, celebrating her sixteenth birthday. She was assisted by Mrs. H. C. Henderson and Mrs. J. V. Heyser. The guests registered in a book at the door as they entered. Pink and green tones were given emphasis in all details of decoration. The table was lovely, centered with a beautiful lace cover upon which was the birthday cake decorated with pink and green flowers. The presents were arranged around the cake aimed ferns placed in such a manner as to form the shape of a

star. One of the loveliest gifts was a diamond ring.

After playing many fascinating games, pink ice cream and angel food cake were served to: Misses Ruth McLasson, Pauline Martin, Fay Henderson, Ethel Ruppert, Del Frances Miller, Laura Wilson, Hazel Martin, Naomi Payne, James Huddleston, Bobbie Kilpatrick, Elvish Morton, Ben Groce, Glen Payne, Dudley Wright, Thomas Warren, Glen Whitaker, Alvin Norvell, Dalton Cooke, Jimmie Cox, Blair Clark, Paul Blount, C. B. Reece, Charles Clark, Jules Karkalis, Chester Norvell, Dick Metzgar, and Arthur Barker.

CIRCLE MEETS WITH MRS. LANGSTON.

Mrs. G. B. Langston was hostess to Circle 5 of the Baptist W. M. S. at her home Tuesday afternoon. As this was the fifth Tuesday, there was no business meeting held, but the time was spent in sewing. The circle made a number of garments for a family whose home was recently destroyed by fire. During the period, the hostess served a sandwich plate to the following members: Mesdames T. F. Preston, L. P. Jones, B. B. Poe, J. H. Skiles, Mae Stevens, W. Keeter, M. A. Pierce, Andrews, E. Forbes, Jewel Poe, and W. H. McCarroll.

MUD BRINGS HOLIDAY.

WINSTED April 2.—What do the children of Sandisfield care if the roads are muddy and impassable? Town officials closed the school for a month until they dry up.

Daily News and American and Roundup want ads are a good investment—Phone 33.

MEN THE BEST COOKS.

PHILADELPHIA, April 3.—Men are far better cooks than women, according to Mme. Melanie Reichelt, Vincennes pastry authority, who spoke before a group of women recently.

### Closing Selected New York Stocks

Am. Pwr. & Light	50 1/2
Am. Tel. & Tel.	187 1/2
Anaconda	32 1/2
Aviation Corp. Del.	4 1/2
Beth Steel	57
Ches. & Ohio	40 1/2
Christy	20 1/2
Curtis Wright	3 1/2
Gen. Motors	42 1/2
Gen. Motors PF	103
Gulf States Stl.	25 1/2
Houston Oil	49
Int. Harvester	51 1/2
Int. Nickel	17 1/2
Louisiana Oil	23 1/2
Mont. Ward	9 1/2
Phillips Pet.	22 1/2
Panhandle P. & R.	1 1/2
Pierce Oil	1 1/2
Prairie Oil & Gas	13 1/2
Pure Oil	8 1/2
Radio	21 1/2
Sears Roebuck	55 1/2
Shell Union Oil	6 1/2
Simms Pet.	7 1/2
Sinclair	11 1/2
Sicily	7 1/2
Southern Pac.	94 1/2
S O N J	21
S O N Y	23 1/2
Studebaker	23 1/2
Sun Oil	39 1/2
Texas Corp.	28
Texas Gulf Sul.	49 1/2
Tex. & P. C. & O.	4 1/2
U. S. Gypsum	47 1/2
U. S. Steel	138 1/2
U. S. Steel PF	149

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THE DEPENDABLE STORE  
Cisco's Big Department Store



"Gloria", a charming pump with smartly contrasting trimming of brown kid.

"Wonder" will capture your heart with its metal buckle and brown kid trimming.

"Amanda" boasts an unique strap treatment which is most charming.

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is the smart choice!

Its delicate parchment-like tone is the perfect complement for most any of your new frocks. Come in today and see these lovely new shoes... they are indeed a fashion "find" at this modest price!

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EIGHT PAGES TODAY

NUMBER 43.

## QUAKE VICTIMS SUFFER FOR WATER

### More Than Amount of Production in Way of Proration

#### ULTIMATUM IS ISSUED BY EAST TEXANS

AUSTIN, April 2.—More than the amount of oil production stood today in the way of possible agreement on oil proration for Texas including the new east Texas field. The ultimatum has been issued on the part of east Texas that if there is proration the state railroad commission must break with the oil men's central advisory proration committee, headed by R. R. Penn, of Dallas, and hereafter gather its own data.

East Texans also will demand that all the state be put on the same basis. Now the gulf coast area is allowed to handle its own proration.

Chairman C. V. Terrill, of the state railroad commission, admitted this morning that the commission still is trying to work out something that will adjust the matter without a conflict. He admitted that interested persons who had conferred had been able to effect no arrangement.

Officially it was learned that representatives of the east Texas fight against proration had been notified that east Texas would be allowed a scale of production starting at 90,000 barrels and running up to 130,000 barrels a day but rejected the offer.

42,000 BARRELS ADDED TO OUTPUT. LONGVIEW, April 2.—More new Gregg county oil wells came in this morning adding 42,000 barrels to the daily production of the field. The wells are H. W. Elliott's No. 1, S. G. Andrews, Shell Petroleum company's No. 1, J. D. Davis, and Magnolia Petroleum company's No. 2. B. Rodden. The Elliott well indicates a connection between the Bateman and Lathrop pools.

SILENT HOMAGE IS PAID TO GREAT COACH. SOUTH BEND, Ind., April 2.—Silent homage was paid to the great Knute Rockne today as his body lay in state in a bronze casket encased in a grey silver vault.

There were no cheers, no bands, no noise, just ghastly silence everywhere. Rockne's death was beyond comprehension.

A scant four months ago these same loyal townspeople and students were standing in the same places howling, yelling, milling about in thousands to tribute to Rockne and his players, after Notre Dame had completed its second successive undefeated season by humbling Southern California's mighty Trojans.

For 20 years as a student, assistant coach and finally head coach, Rockne's life was intertwined with Notre Dame and his tragic end in an airplane crash in Kansas has saddened the historic school to its very foundations.

Gloom and sorrow ripped and dug at heart strings of men and women from all walks of life. Eight thousand persons standing in sorrowful silence—that was a never-to-be-forgotten picture as Rockne's body arrived last night over the New York Central from Chicago whence it had come from Kansas.

Residential Improvements. P. L. Utton, manager of the Long-Lingo Lumber company reports two new improvements in these residential properties this week. W. H. Hays, of 609 West 9th, is putting on an asphalt roof and E. E. Morehart, 307 West thirteenth street, is laying an asbestos roof.

#### Dice Click as Reno Goes "Wide Open"



In its effort to keep the lead as American's "Divorce Capital," Reno, Nev., was the first Nevada city to welcome with open arms the new gambling laws, which legalize wide open gambling. Here is a group around a "chuck-a-luck" table, enjoying their fun with full legal approval as the lid came off.

#### AD VALOREM AMENDMENT UP FOR VOTE

AUSTIN, April 2.—Sen. Tom DeBerry's proposal to abolish the state ad valorem tax by constitutional amendment was brought before the Texas senate for final passage this morning. No vote had been called for when the senate recessed at noon.

The proposed amendment has been pending for more than two weeks after engrossment by viva voce vote. Twenty-one votes in the senate on final passage and a two-thirds approval of the house will be required for submission of the amendment to the voters.

Frank Walter Woodul, who has been voting against the measure, said today if it gets 20 votes he will vote for its submission, reserving the right to oppose it in the popular election.

#### ROTTARY CLUB HEARS YOUNG ORATORS TODAY

Budding orators of the Cisco high school were the guests today of the Cisco Rotary club in a demonstration of their art.

Billy Murray, member of the boys debating team of the school which won first place in the county meet, delivered a synopsis of the affirmative side of the question for Interscholastic league debates this season, which is "Resolved that a trial by judges should be substituted for the present system of trials by jury."

His arguments were ably prepared and presented and his address well delivered. He announced that his colleague will at a subsequent time present the negative side of the argument.

Arch Spruill, winner of the district F. F. T. oratorical contest at Abilene recently, addressed the club on the subject which won him first place in the contest. Mr. Spruill last year won the rural speaking contest at the state Interscholastic league meet at Austin.

The boys were presented by Edward Lee as program chairman after a brief business session in which President Manner announced a new student loan fund, committee to consist of O. J. Russell, chairman; E. P. Crawford and Charles Brown, also advised the club that nominations of new officers will be in order at next week's meeting.

CISCO TEAM LEAVES FOR COUNTY MEET. In charge of Coaches W. B. Chapman and Leonard Hill the Cisco contestants in the county Interscholastic track and field meet left today for Gorman where the meet will be held this afternoon at the Gorman athletic field. The contests have been twice postponed because of unfavorable weather, first from last Saturday to Tuesday and from Tuesday until this afternoon.

Contestants who will represent the Cisco high school are: John Connel, Willie Jeter, Gero Miley, Ben Miley, Selton Tomlinson, Orville Black, Wally Massengale, Cleo Ray, Walter Ivie, Joe Little, Charles Van Horn, Wade Massengale, Edwin Johnson, Eugene Lankford, Jr., Gordon Seaborn, A. P. Sommers, Glen Garrett, and Travis Manning.

#### AT ROOSEVELT'S "PALACE"



President Hoover left behind him scenes of enthusiastic acclaim, such as that pictured above, when he started homeward aboard the U. S. S. Arizona after his holiday cruise to the Caribbean Sea. Here you see a crowd of "adopted citizens" of the United States gathered to welcome him with cheers and a waving of hats as he appeared on the balcony of the governor's palace at San Juan, capital city of Porto Rico. The chief executive is shown standing directly above the American flag in the center, with Governor Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., at his right and Mrs. Roosevelt at his left.

#### 33 New Water Meter Connections Are Made During March; 13 "Take-Outs"

Thirty three water meter installations and 13 "take-outs" were reported by the water department office for March. This does not include transfer of meters by residents who changed their places of residence in the city.

Among those who made deposits for water meters were a number of families who formerly made their homes here but were away for varying lengths of time.

Those for whom new connections were made are: W. D. McCarroll, 1108 W. 14th St.; A. D. Bryan, 305 W. 10th street; C. E. Sale, 1112 W. 7th street; Hubert Meyer, 1206 W. 10th St.; E. C. Loyd, 300 Harris; L. A. Cherry, 612 W. 9th street; W. W. Ezzell, 307 E. 7th street; Elias Hart, E. 16th street; Lewis Starr, 16th St. and N. Ave.; J. M. Little, 303 B. avenue; Guy M. Ray, 408 W. 11th street; J. L. Lightfoot, 216 W. 8th street; J. L. Lightfoot (Filling Station), 518 Gault street; C. W. Latham, 501 E. 8th street; Herschel L. Smith, 1307 E. Ave.; J. T. Stamps, 2508 D. avenue; E. M. Burze, 907 W. 6th street; Mrs. Ollie Reynolds, E. 6th street; James Glasscock, 805 C. avenue; D. D. Jones, 900 L. avenue; J. D. Carroll, 303 W. 18th street; R. F. Jacobs, 402 W. 11th street; M. Poleshuk, 602 E. avenue; L. White, Bedford addition; P. L. Williams, 2525 W. street; A. W. Hill, 802 W. 9th street; W. J. Freeman, 207 W. 13th St.; C. Greenolds, 216 W. 8th street; Miss Lorena Erwin, 703 D. avenue; Patterson and Bevers E. 9th street; W. P. Fade, 1004 W. 8th St.; J. Jeffers, 403 E. 18th street; T. W. Clark (Filling Station) E. 16th street.

Charges of burglary in connection with the robbery of the McGuire Garage at Ninrod Monday night, were filed against Jack Ingram after his arrest by Sheriff Virge Foster at Ranger yesterday morning. A battery and several tires were reported to have been taken from the garage.

REGISTER SALES GOOD. WASHINGTON, April 2.—Countless stores and offices during the past year contributed to the total of \$109,582,000 worth of cash registers and adding machines sold. Almost 45 per cent of the total sales made direct from the 46 manufacturers to individual users; the other 55 per cent went to wholesale and retail dealers and manufacturer's branches.

ECONOMIC BARBARIANS. PHILADELPHIA, April 2.—Americans are economic barbarians in the opinion of Dr. Joseph H. Willits. He made this assertion in an address before the All-Philadelphia conference on Social Work. Dr. Willits is a member of President Hoover's committee on unemployment and a director of the university of Pennsylvania's department of industrial research.

DIDN'T LIVE UP TO NAME. WATERBURY, Conn., April 2.—Irving Lewis Drinkwater drank little water, his wife alleged in bringing suit for divorce on grounds of habitual intemperance.

AGED PAIR WED. COQUILLE, Ore., April 2.—An 84-year-old pioneer, C. B. Stadden and Almira T. Henry, 79, both of North Bend, were married here.

#### THE GREATEST SENTENCE IS THEME TONIGHT

"All that a person has to do to be lost is neglect salvation," Rev. H. D. Tucker told his audience last night at the revival meeting at the First Methodist church.

There were quite a number of conversions at the close of the message. Nearly 40 people have given their names for membership in the church next Sunday.

The Rev. Mr. Tucker will speak tonight at 7:45 from the subject, "The greatest sentence ever written" and at the close of the sermon, the communion service will be held.

Continuing his message last night Mr. Tucker said in part: "A person does not have to commit the sin of murder, adultery, stealing, lying or anything else to be lost. All he has to do is neglect. Jesus had made the only way to escape possible and all we have to do is to accept it to be saved but if we neglect to accept it then we are to be lost."

"Every sin on earth can be forgiven except the sin against the Holy Ghost," Mr. Tucker said during the course of his message. "There are two ways that people can commit the unpardonable sin; one is by blaspheming the Holy Spirit by words, the other is to continually refuse to acknowledge the Spirit's call until He withdraws from a person forever and never calls again," he said. "When the spirit of God withdraws from a person there will never be any more need for that person to go to church for there will be no forgiveness," he declared.

"When a person comes right up to the place where a choice has to be made and they refuse, the Spirit is gone forever," the speaker said. During the week people of the church are visiting prospects for the church and a large class will be received into the church Sunday. Mr. Tucker will conduct another class of instruction for boys and girls Friday afternoon at 3:30. Parents are urged to see to it that their children are in these classes preparing for church membership.

#### Pantages Granted New Trial of Case

SAN FRANCISCO, April 2.—The state supreme court today granted Alexander Pantages, multi-millionaire Los Angeles theater magnate, a new trial on the charge that he assaulted 17-year-old Eunice Pringle, co-ed dancer.

#### LOBBY LOUNGERS HIT.

TORONTO, Ont., April 2.—Lobby loungers in Ontario hotels will have to find new places to loaf, if legislators approve suggested amendments to the Provincial Hotel Act. The amendments would give hotels the right to bar unwelcome visitors in their lobby.

#### LIVESTOCK IS NOT ON GOOD BASIS

AUSTIN, April 2.—While great progress has been made toward placing the live stock industry in the ranching regions of Texas upon a systematic basis since the early days when ranchmen sold cattle by the thousands without making a written record of the transactions, there is much still to be done to establish the business on a basis equal to that occupied by other industries. It is generally admitted by ranchmen. There has just been published by The University of Texas a bulletin written by Frederick W. Woodbridge, formerly advanced professor of accounting at that institution and now professor of accounting at the University of Southern California, entitled "A System of Accounting Procedure for Live Stock Ranches."

This volume of 192 pages outlines in detail a method of accounting for live stock ranches. In explaining the value of this research work and the system that Professor Woodbridge has devised, Herschel C. Walling, associate research statistician in the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research, said that the preface to the bulletin points out the need of this system in these words:

"This book is a detailed analysis of a complete ranch accounting system, with special reference to ranchmen interested in putting their operations on a better business basis, to accountants who keep books for ranchmen and to many students from ranch homes who are interested in ranching as a business."

"The opening discussion of the inadequacy of accounting information and the actual need of ranchmen for some system of bookkeeping records is quite appropriate," Mr. Walling said. "The desire, so evident in the book, and the persuasive arguments offered to encourage the keeping of more adequate records are indeed commendable.

The presentation, furthermore, is such as to demonstrate to any reader the ease and simplicity of keeping the ranchman's books. Such a book should serve well this outstanding need of the ranching industry."

The author made a close field study of the ranchman's needs before writing the book and has developed a system that is thoroughly practical and serves adequately the purpose for which it was designed. Its presentation is non-technical and clearly illustrated on simple forms and record sheets to show the handling of each transaction likely to be met in using the system. The approach is made through a comparison of the book-keeping technique involved with the ranch roundup. The presentation continues with a description and an explanation of the uses of the original records, which center around a set of inventory records for live stock, equipment and improvements of the journal and ledger records and of the closing process. The book is designed to meet the needs of both ranchmen and accountants.

"This attempt, however, to present a specialized accounting system simply enough to be understood by the ranchmen untrained in book-keeping and in concise enough form

#### CHOR WILL SING "RESURRECTION SONG"

"The Resurrection Song" by Roy E. Nolte, is the title of the Easter Cantata to be presented by the choir of the First Methodist church Sunday evening at 7:45 o'clock. The cantata will be directed by Mrs. W. B. Statham with Mrs. E. A. Butler as accompanist.

Special parts will be sung by Mesdames Dora McClinton, Coe McLeroy, G. Christie, W. W. Wallace, Misses Ella Andrews, Marion Chambliss and Jewell Boyd; Messrs. Jeff Duncan, and Lory Boyd. Guest singers for this program will be Mesdames Dora McClinton, Coe McLeroy, W. W. Wallace, Mrs. Roy Huffmeyer and Mrs. Grady Morton. A special invitation is extended to everyone to hear this Easter music.

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#### CITY MAY BE EVACUATED PERMANENTLY

MANAGUA, April 2.—Crisis for water coupled with prayers and curses rose today from the ruins of Managua as survivors of the demolished capital sought relief from thirst that followed wreckage of the city's water mains.

The death toll from the catastrophe still was uncertain, estimates mounting to 1,000 and more. Natives walked for miles into the hills and brought pitifully small quantities of water in pitchers and bottles. Authorities warned against drinking the water of Lake Managua but many persons risked the danger of pestilence and sought relief at the water's edge.

Marine corps officials and volunteers worked desperately to re-habilitate the water supply. Thousands of survivors were being fed on the golf course and men were sent immediately from the breadlines to work on the water system.

Curfew will be enforced at sundown tonight though there was no disorder or looting last night.

#### CITY MAY BE ABANDONED

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, April 2.—The destruction of Managua shaken into ruins by two days of intermittent earthquakes which continued sharply last night, was revealed today as so complete that the city may be abandoned permanently.

President general Jose Maria Micaela announced that plans are being considered by the cabinet for evacuation of Managua and removal of the national capital to Granada or Leon, rather than face the coil task of rebuilding the city. He said a definite decision would be made in the next few weeks.

Meanwhile the work of relief, the great task of removal and burial of the dead and the problem of providing food and medical attention for the wounded continued under supervision of United States marine forces which have been on almost continuous duty since the first quake.

#### RED CROSS OFFICIAL TO MANAGUA

MIAMI, Fla., April 2.—Director Ernest Swift, of the American Red Cross, left here by Pan-American amphibian plane today for Managua.

The plane carried an emergency supply of relief materials for the earthquake stricken city and expected to pick up 100 pounds more at Havana, gift to the Cuban government.

#### PLANE CARRIES SUPPLIES

BROWNSVILLE, April 2.—Bearing 600 pounds of medical supplies donated by San Antonio drug stores, Miss Prosperity, trimotored Ford plane, landed here this afternoon on its way to the Nicaraguan quake zone from San Antonio. The San Antonio chamber of commerce financed the flight.

To Help Farmers Find Potato Seed. The Cisco Daily News and American and the Cisco chamber of commerce have offered their services to farmers of the Cisco section who desire seed potatoes to plant in the stead of those which were destroyed or badly damaged by the recent freeze. Seed potatoes are hard to secure at this time and many farmers, no doubt, have been unable to locate a sufficient supply. Whether the crop is to be planted for the summer or winter, farmers will be able to finance the purchase of the seed they will be employed in locating a supplies for farmers wishing them. Farmers, who so desire, may communicate with the chamber of commerce or the American and Daily News and leave information as to how much seed is wanted and every possible effort will be employed in locating a supply, it was announced. The farmer can then make his arrangements for purchasing. Potatoes is one of the most stable crops in this section and this step is being taken in an effort to prevent a short crop by reason of the freeze.

WEATHER. West Texas — Partly cloudy and milder west and north portions tonight. Friday generally fair. Colder next section. East Texas — Cloudy with showers in northeast portion. Somewhat milder northwest section tonight. Friday mostly cloudy and somewhat milder.

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### DAILY BIBLE THOUGHT

**PRAYER FOR WISDOM**—So teach us to number our days, that we may apply our hearts unto wisdom.—Psalm 90:12.  
**PRAYER**—Help us, O God, to live uprightly every day.

### B. AND L. ASSOCIATIONS ARE SOUND.

State Banking Commissioner James Shaw, in a recent statement, expressed the opinion that the great majority of building and loan associations in Texas are in sound condition at this time. Indeed the consolidated report of associations operating in Texas at the end of 1930 showed a healthy condition generally in such associations. Domestic associations were reduced during the year by 22 while the total assets of the Texas associations were reduced only approximately \$2,300,000. Furthermore, he said that during less than two years the banking department had been supervising building and loan associations, a strong supervision section had been built up and that the "associations of the state have made a very creditable showing and one that should inspire the confidence of the public generally."

There is a way to build Texas. There is a way to keep Texas money at home. Why not cotton mills, woolen mills and tanneries? Why not the potential wealth of staples and minerals out of the state? This for constructive lawmakers who are said to be bent on the enactment of constructive laws.

### "AMONG THE ROAD BUILDERS."

Chairman Walter R. Ely of the state highway commission is back from an 18-day air jaunt to the Panamanian capital. He insists that the proposed Pan American highway, 4000 miles in length, to connect Washington, D. C., by pavement with Panama City, can be completed within five years at a cost of between \$50,000,000 and \$75,000,000 as "the closest co-operation exists between the United States, the Central American republics and Panama in this project heading up to the Pan American union." Speaking of the Latin-American countries he visited Chairman Ely said:

"These republics are just getting high-minded, and this great road will be their single connected artery from north to south and the same is largely true as to Mexico, although the Mexican government is planning a second highway a portion of the way from Mexico City to the Texas border at Laredo." He gave warning that no Texas highway is to be given exclusive designation as the Pan-American highway.

### BURKE ON HIS WAY TO MICHIGAN.

Fred Burke, "the most dangerous American criminal," is behind the bars of a Michigan prison. He will be sent to trial for the cowardly murder of a police officer. Michigan authorities have the direct evidence. He will be convicted and placed behind the bars for life. Capital punishment is not a Michigan method of dealing with murderers and bloody hijackers. Burke, who was born Camp in Kansas, is a puzzle to the highbrows of the scientific world who make their deductions after making their researches into that world called "the under." For instance Burke "expressed pleasure last Christmas when his wife's parents presented the Burkes a Bible, 'every home' said Burke, 'should contain a family Bible.'" And yet he is said to have 20 notches on his gun, 150 desperate robberies to his credit and as remorseless as a mad rattlesnake in his getaways from the scene of his crimes.

Michigan will house and feed him while his trial takes place the press of the world will carry pages, pictorially embellished and the boys of the world will gulp the stuff down. He was born on a farm. He loved flowers and gardens. He had a pet cat and idolized it. He never indulged in profanity or the cup that is said to cheer and then destroy. And his Christmas day utterance was "there should be a Bible in every home." There should be an electric chair in every state for cowardly slayers of their kind.

### SOVIET RUSSIA IN THE OIL TRADE.

Norwegian ships are carrying on a large business between Soviet Russia and Brazil. It is said the shipping company is owned by South American interests and is operating along the east coast of South America with kerosene and gasoline the chief articles of importation. It is a matter of record that the first ship of the line discharged 30,000 cases of gasoline, 10,000 cases of naphtha and 20,000 cases of kerosene bearing soviet markings. An official of the importing company, stationed at Sao Paulo, Brazil, declared these fuels were purchased in Russia at lower prices than United States products and his company intended to develop large retail outlets all over South America "underselling American and British firms."

Well, there is said to be 170,000,000 Russians. A Russian must eat. He must provide himself with shelter. He must wear garments. He is very much in the scheme of things commercial and financial. He is pushing a five year program. If that program is successful Russian wheat will flood the European markets and cotton grown under the skies of Turkestan will furnish the Russian textile interests all the raw material they need. This is the production of American economists who know the cotton world from first to last.

### OTHER OPINIONS

**THE EDWARD OF FAITH.**  
Charlie Curtis of Pomeroy, O., may smile a little sometimes at the mottoes and poems which optimis-

tically tell the world to keep on keeping on. It is so exactly what he did. And he won.  
It took him 34 years to learn to walk after a farm accident paralyzed

him at the age of 20. But he never gave up.  
He could only move his head for the first 10 years of his illness, but he could talk into the telephone and give news as a country correspondent for a newspaper. Most men have an idea that heroes are found only at the head of the line of march where warriors go, steel-clad, to follow the flame of a gallant banner. They have not learned that there are infinitely greater martyrdoms, where it takes more strength to make a lantern of one's courage and swing it in the dark, than to face the conquering canons.

So Charles Curtis kept on. Not because he wanted to be a hero. Just because he wanted to walk. After 10 years he ceased a slight feeling in the tips of his toes and fingers. Then he found he could roll over and could crawl a few inches. His sister lifted pads to his knees and hands as he crept. Then he grew strong enough for crutches and finally he threw them aside and walked. Now at the age of 70, he walks proudly and easily from house to house with ease to sell.

He won his reward—a pair of legs which most men never lose. He did it because his faith never faltered.—San Angelo Times.

### FARMERS AND TAXES

The farmers are said to be "taxed beyond their ability to pay," and the business men probably would echo the same sentiment.  
One hundred farmers of McLennan county, at a county-wide party the other day, talked over their plight and arrived at some conclusions. They figured out ways and means of lifting a part of the tax burden. We do not know whether their plan is any good, but to say the least of it, it's interesting in light of the present effort to accept the home rule amendment for county government.

The McLennan county farmers adopted a set of resolutions directed at county affairs. Here are some of the things they advocated:  
Reduction of salaries of all county officers at least 25 per cent.  
Abolition of all offices not absolutely necessary at this time for the efficient functioning of the county administration.

Reductions of the county library appropriation to not more than \$2,500 a year.  
Discontinuance of the practice of furnishing automobiles and gasoline and oil and upkeep for transportation of county officers and employees.

Merging of the office of county auditor and county treasurer, the auditor to be disbursing officer.

Immediate repeal of all bills which have for their sole purpose the raising of official salaries.

Change of law so that when the present terms expire one of the three district courts of the county and one of the two county courts will be discontinued.

Change of law so that 10 of the 12 juries can decide a verdict in either criminal or civil cases.—Paris News.

### Did You Ever Stop to Think?

By EDSON R. WAITE  
Shawnee, Oklahoma.

United States Senator L. J. Dickson of Iowa, says:  
That most of our troubles are imaginary and that our own attitude in life is the controlling factor in our progress of our stagnation. Money may not seem to enjoy spending it, otherwise they would not do it. Self denial may be a pleasure to them but a distinct hardship for others.

Getting some real pleasure out of life and doing a wee bit for the sake of humanity should be the ambition of everyone. In this way we learn to appreciate others and force them to appreciate us.

"Life's a bully good game with its kicks and its cuffs. Some smile, some laugh, some blarf. Some carry a load too heavy to bear. While some push on with never a care. But the land will seldom heavy be. When I appreciate you and you appreciate me.

He who lives by the side of the road. Aye helps to bear his brother's load. May seem to travel lone and long. While the world goes by with a merry song. But the heart grows warm and sorrow free. When I appreciate you and you appreciate me.

It's the greatest thought in heaven or earth— It helps us to know our fellow's worth; There'd be no wars or bitterness, No fear, no hate, no grasping; yes, It makes work play and the care-worn free. When I appreciate you and you appreciate me.

### In the Political Arena

By HUGH NUGENT FITZGERALD  
Under the dome there are senators and representatives who make no bones in saying that "the schools are in politics backed by certain politicians and a powerful organization known as the State Teachers' association. They will tell the laymen as well as their colleagues that "the schools should cut their budgets like all businesses in time of depression." They tell "that millions are wasted annually in the educational field of Texas from the little schoolhouse on the hill to the great

university perched on the apex of the hill." Rep. Ray Holder rails from Lancaster, in the county of Dallas. Former Sen. Thomas B. Love rails from Loveville, on the fringe of Lancaster. Rep. Holder is the publisher of a weekly newspaper. He has several legislative terms to his credit. He is known as an outstanding and persistent champion of a tax on cigars and cigarettes. He is not a user of tobacco in any form. Now the consider gossipers are certain that Thomas B. Love, one of the leaders of the Hoover contingent in Texas, is ever at the ear of Rep. Holder lending aid and encouragement and canny advice. All this is a reminder that Rep. Holder was given two knockouts by his colleague last week and Mike Ajax, deputy lighting is standing erect and flat-footed for another stroke or shot, as the case may be.

This is the record of the dead week. The house, Tuesday voted, 78 to 41, to table a motion to print a substitute for bill 600, known as the Hatchett bill—a bill calling for the taxing of cigars. Then came Thursday and the house voted, 67 to 43 to table a motion to print bill 56, known as the Farmer bill, proposed the taxing of cigars and cigarettes. Rep. Holder took his knocks on the nose but was not counted out by the referee. Then came Friday with its proceedings. Rep. Holder introduced and presented a resolution authorizing Speaker Minor to appoint a special committee of five to study school needs and recommend to the house a bill taxing luxuries "including tobacco and cigars." There were many absentees but the Holder - Farmer - Forbes followers were not among the absentees. A motion to table resulted in a tie vote, 33 to 33, and Speaker Minor announced the motion to table lost. In other words the resolution is pending.

This is the record to date: The house has twice by two to one voted down the tobacco tax and the Holder resolution may share the same fate in the near future. It is a nuisance tax and nuisance taxes are not popular in American communities.

wealths Lancaster and Loveville are linked together, according to the keen observers and the political prophets. Rep. Holder is accused of having congressional ambition while the Lord of Loveville is accused of having an ever burning ambition to become one of the national leaders of a remodeled regenerated reformist political party. As for the writer, he lets it go either way. It does not matter in the long run after the political shad has ceased to float up or down the political stream.

Cigar and cigarette smokers are heavily taxed by the federal government and the federal government has piled it on high to say the least. Why a double tax? David A. Weiss is the economist of Tobacco and Allied Stocks. He has made an analysis of the American tobacco industry. His research survey shows a gain in the consumption of 17 tons a day over the total of 16 years ago. This estimate is based upon the increase from 146,000,000 pounds of tobacco used in the manufacture of cigars in 1913 to 346,000,000 pounds used in 1929. It continued at the same rate he estimates that 400,000,000 pounds will be used annually by 1940. Reversed the federal government through the tax on cigars, amounted to \$359,816,275 in 1929, which is 80 per cent of the \$450,339,000 paid by the tobacco industry presenting a total investment of more than one billion dollars. There is no heavier tax imposed by the federal government than the tax on smokers of cigars and cigarettes. Now men who believed in something like equality in taxation are asking why a double tax should be imposed on smokers and cigarettes by the lawmakers of an American commonwealth.

There is a gasoline tax, a huge tax so to speak. One-fourth of the revenue produced by this tax goes to the support of the schools. In addition motorists who are buyers of gasoline are taxed in all the school districts of the state on their purchases. Now the Loves and the Peabodys and the Holders and their very genial and never-say-die fol-

lowers are not consumers of tobacco. No doubt this is one of the reasons why they are willing to pile sky high taxes on their benighted fellow citizens who are smokers of the weed. Away back in colonial days the Bostonians gave a celebrated toast against the tax on that alleged delicious beverage. History records the fact that the colonial revolt led to the American revolution. For accurate information read the "History of George Washington and His Times." It is very illuminating as well as educational.

### GREW AROUND SKATES

BLAIRSTOWN, Pa., April 2.—When Charles Riecke cut down a large maple tree on his farm near here recently, he ruined an ax which became embedded in a pair of ice skates. The skates had apparently been left in a fork, and the tree had grown completely around them. Lumbermen estimated that it had taken 40 years for the tree to bury the skates.

Pesticide—Frad from this city to Terlingua in Brewster county, being contemplated.

### POLITICAL

City Election, Tuesday, April 7

For Mayor:  
J. R. BURNETT  
J. T. BERRY

For City Commissioners:  
H. S. STUBBLEFIELD  
JOE CLEMENTS  
E. P. CRAWFORD  
J. T. ELLIOTT

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8:25 A.M.	3:00 P.M.
10:25 A.M.	6:00 P.M.
	9:00 P.M.

Westbound—Abilene, Sweetwater, Big Spring, Pecos, El Paso.

4:30 A.M.	1:55 P.M.
7:30 A.M. (Midland Only)	3:30 P.M. (Abilene Only)
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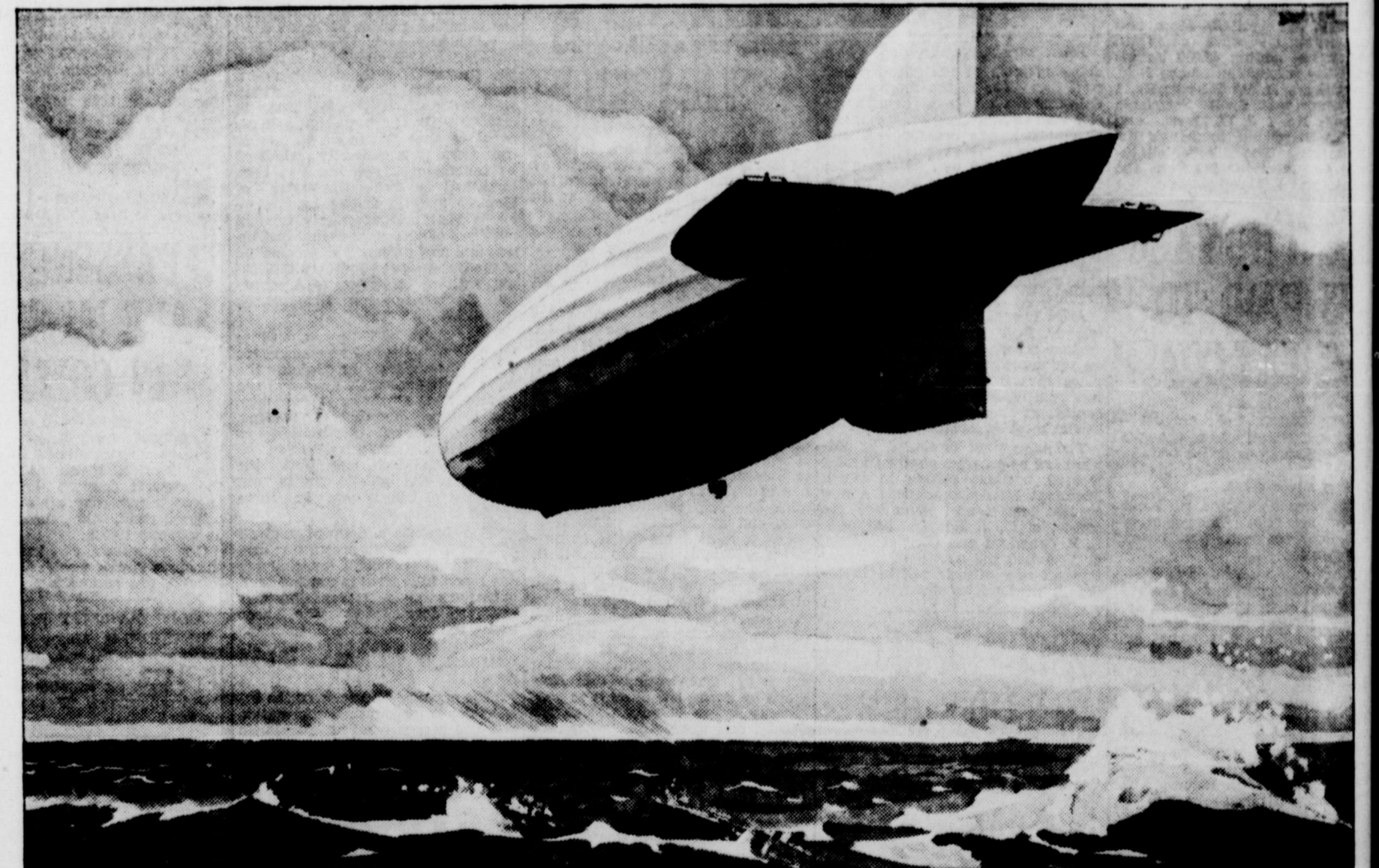
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# MAD MARRIAGE

by LAURA LOU BROOKMAN Author of "HEART HUNGRY," etc.

**BEGIN HERE TODAY**  
Gypsy McBride, 19-year-old typist in a New York office, meets Jim Wallace at the home of her wealthy cousin, Anne Throwbridge. Gypsy is miserable because she has learned Alan Crosby, back from a year and a half in Paris studying art, no longer cares for her. Wallace tells Gypsy that he has been jilted by his fiancée. To spite the girl he cares for he asks Gypsy to marry him. She first refuses but later accepts. They are married next morning and depart for Forest City, his home town.

At Jim's home they are greeted by his aunt, Miss Ellen Wallace, who immediately becomes hostile to the girl. After a few days Miss Wallace moves to a cottage down the street. She arranges a family dinner party where Gypsy is snubbed by other relatives. This evening Jim and she leave. Next day Gypsy receives a letter from Alan Crosby. While she is hesitating about opening it, callers arrive and she drops the letter into a desk drawer. It is still there when Jim comes home and inquires about some papers he has given her. Gypsy tells they are in the desk and he goes to get them.

## NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

Miss Christopher's voice broke in upon the girl's thoughts. "If you'd care to show me the upstairs rooms now," she began, but Gypsy interrupted.

"I'm sorry," she said. "I'm afraid I'll have to make it some other time. I have some appointments that I really must keep."

"Oh, I hope I haven't delayed you too long. Suppose I telephone early next week. Would that do?" It was such a pleasure to work with you, Mrs. Wallace. I'll follow up your suggestions about the curtains and when I come again I'll let you know the best price I can get on that chest. Well—I must run tonight."

Gypsy went to the door with her. After that there was a conference with the man from the electric shop who was waiting in the kitchen. It was 12:30 when he was gone and Matilda announced luncheon was ready. Gypsy was not hungry but she had told Matilda what to prepare so she went to the dining room. She was still at the table when the door bell rang.

"It's a lady to see you," Matilda announced. "She says her name's Miss Manley."

Gypsy rose and hurried to the hall. Abbie Manley came toward her with both hands out. "My dear," she exclaimed, "I hope you will forgive me for coming at such an outrageous hour. I've disturbed your luncheon please go on with it. I was so anxious to see you and this was the only chance I had."

"I'm glad you did come," Gypsy told her. "Do sit down."

She led the way into the living room. Abbie sank into an armchair and Gypsy sat opposite her.

Mrs. Manley paused an instant and then rushed on. "I want to tell you how dreadfully I feel about what happened last night. Lucia and Ellen deserved every word Jim said to them. Oh, yes, they did! Lucia Wallace is a cat and the whole town knows it. Only you mustn't think we're all like her. Ben's a good sort but he lets his wife tell him what to do. Charley and I want you to feel that we're your friends."

"It's lovely of you to come and tell me this," Gypsy said, her lip trembling.

"You poor child! And I'm afraid you've been crying this morning. Now just forget the whole thing! Wipe it out of your mind. I want to know what evening next week you and Jim can have dinner with me."

"Why—I'm not sure—"

"How about Wednesday? If anything comes up so that you won't be able to make it you can telephone. My dear, I've spent two hours at the dentist's and I'll declare I'm worn out."

"Then you haven't had lunch? Why didn't I think of that?" Gypsy was on her feet but Mrs. Manley stopped her.

"I couldn't eat a bite. No, I really couldn't. But a cup of coffee would be a heaven-sent blessing. Not a thing with it—just coffee!"

Gypsy went to tell Matilda to prepare the coffee. When she returned Mrs. Manley launched forth a dissertation on Gypsy's difficulties with a dressmaker. Gypsy warned to Abbie's frank friendliness and forgave her rudeness. The coffee was served and still Abbie chatted. It was nearly three o'clock when she departed.

As the front door closed Gypsy heard Matilda's heavy footsteps. "Miss Wallace," the cook complained, "the groceries haven't come yet. Do you think maybe they've forgotten to send them?" Gypsy's eyelids were as sharp as steel. "I didn't order them," she whispered. "After that woman came this morning I forgot all about it."

"If you're going to have baked lamb it ought to be here," Ma-

I haven't been reading the papers the last day or two."

"Oh, this happened two weeks ago. Here—look at this!" He picked up the newspaper he had dropped on the table and spread it open before her. On the front page was the photograph of a pretty girl and above it, in type stretching across the columns, was the caption, "Girl Faces Trial for Shooting Physician."

"How dreadful!" exclaimed Gypsy. In glaring black letters slightly smaller she read, "Nina Roberts, Pretty Assistant, Indicted by Grand Jury for Shooting Dr. Frank R. Fowler."

"Everything they've got on her is circumstantial," Jim went on, "but it's going to be a hard fight. I think Mills was glad to get rid of it. It's the most sensational thing I've ever tackled."

"But she's such a pretty girl," Gypsy interrupted, "and she looks so young!"

"She didn't look so pretty when I was talking to her two hours ago. Poor kid's a wreck! I wish the reporters would lay off a while. Look at this high, 'Love Notes Tell of Tragic Romance.' That will help her a lot, won't it? I've given her strict orders not to talk but it's too late now to do much good."

"Why do they think she did it?" Jim leaned forward, elbows on the arms of his chair. "It's like this," he said. "Fowler was found dead in his office at six o'clock in the evening by a policeman who heard the shot fired. When the cop got there Nina Roberts was on her knees beside the body. There was a gun on the floor and no finger prints. Nina was crying and hysterical. She claims she was out of the office making a telephone call at a public phone booth on the next floor—a personal message she didn't want Fowler to hear. When she came back she found Fowler lying on the floor with blood on his clothing. She ran to him and, she says, he tried to say something but she couldn't understand the words."

"When the policeman got there Fowler was breathing but he never regained consciousness. The only others in the building were the superintendent, a fireman, two cleaning women and the boy who runs the elevator. The superintendent and fireman were in the furnace room and didn't hear a thing. Fowler's office was on the second floor. Nobody had gone up in the elevator for 20 minutes, according to the operator. He was in the basement, too, but says he heard the shot. The cleaning women were on the ninth and tenth floors and didn't know about the shooting until they finished their work two hours later. What makes it much worse is these letters they found."

"What letters?"

"Oh, two or three letters Fowler had written the girl. They're pretty mushy—according to the newspapers. I haven't seen the originals. You see, Nina worked for Fowler for nearly a year and a half. She told me that he'd been giving her a line about his wife misunderstanding him—all the usual thing—and that she fell for it. Then a month ago they quarreled, and that ended the affair. Like a fool, she kept his letters. Nina swears there was nothing to the flirtation except a few dinner

dates. Of course the prosecution is going to try to make out it was jealousy."

"And you said the man was married?"

Jim nodded. "They had his wife in court today. Cried all the time. 'Did they have any children?'"

"No. There's an adopted boy 2 years old. The Fowlers took him a year ago."

"Jim, do you think this girl really killed the man?"

"I'm her lawyer. I've got to prove she's innocent if I can." Jim looked down at the floor and then glanced up again. "You know, it's a funny thing," he went on. "I talked to that girl half the afternoon and I didn't get a thing out of her that I could bring before a jury. I haven't the slightest idea in the world who else could have shot Fowler if she didn't, and yet I'd be willing to take an oath anywhere that she's innocent."

"But that makes it terrible! Has she anyone to help her—any friends?"

Jim shook his head. "Says she hasn't any relatives. She's been living in a cheap rooming house down on Mulberry street. Told me she came here two years ago from Chicago. Of course, this thing has her all unnerved. I couldn't seem to make her understand that I was going to try to get her out of this."

Gypsy had been looking at the girl's picture in the newspaper while he spoke.

"She doesn't look any older than I am," she said.

"How old are you, Gypsy?"

"The girl smiled. 'Why, don't you know? I'll be 20 in June.'"

"Nineteen, huh? I was 27 two months ago. Lord—I didn't know you were such an infant."

"Nineteen isn't an infant. How old is Nina Roberts?"

"Twenty-two, she says."

Gypsy dropped the newspaper. "Listen, Jim," she said earnestly, "if this girl is innocent you've got to find a way to save her! You've got to. Why—think what might happen. They'd send her to prison! They might even take her life!"

"But you suppose I know that?"

Matilda appeared in the doorway. "Dinner's ready, Mrs. Wallace," she said.

Gypsy arose and Jim followed into the dining room. Over the soup they continued discussing the murder. No date had been set for the trial.

"I'll be soon, though," Jim predicted. "Bennett, the state's attorney, thinks he has a chance to get a quick conviction. That will improve his record. Great material for the next campaign."

"But who could have done it if she didn't, Jim?"

"I'll tell you that later."

Throughout the evening Gypsy was unable to shake off thoughts of the girl in prison. If she actually were innocent how terrible it must be! Gypsy's own trials sank into insignificance. When Jim went into the library and took down a ponderous volume from the shelves the girl went upstairs to her bedroom. She drew Alan Crosby's letter from the desk drawer and held it to the light. Then in neat letters she directed a large envelope, slipped the smaller one inside and sealed the flap. Ten minutes later

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Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Brock, of Abilene visited friends in Putnam the first of the week. J. S. Yeager made a business trip to Clyde on Tuesday of this week. Larry Bartine of Lamesa spent the weekend in the home of his mother here. J. L. Hundson, V. M. Teague and Miss Viola Teague made a trip to Merkel Sunday. Clarence Mayes returned Monday from Dallas where he underwent a major operation. Mr. Mayes stood the trip very well and is now at his home east of Putnam. Mrs. G. P. Gaskin and children visited in Cisco Saturday. Misses Gladys Patrick and Lillian Cook spent the weekend in Brownwood visiting relatives. Misses Myrtle McCool, Thelma Everett and W. F. Everett spent the weekend in Cottonwood, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coffey. Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Seastrunk and daughter, Mary Frances of Carbon visited in the home of Mrs. Seastrunk's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Buchanan and family part of last week. Mrs. Chester Glover visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pierce in Cross Plains Saturday. Miss Artie Cook spent the weekend in Cross Plains the guest of Mrs. Geo. Scott. Putnam was well represented at the county meet last Friday and Saturday, in spite of the disagreeable weather. Gus Ryan of Baird was a Putnam visitor Monday. Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Nordyke and Mrs. Jesse Overton were Cisco visitors Tuesday morning. The Little Theatre Dramatic club of Putnam met Monday night in regular session. After a short business meeting they rehearsed their play "Let's Get Married," which will be presented Friday night, April 3rd, at the old theatre building. They adjourned to meet again the following Monday night. Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Ramsey, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Camp, W. W. Everett, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Buchanan and daughter, Miss Bertina Buchanan attended the fifth Sunday singing convention in Coleman Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Yeager and daughter visited Mrs. Yeager's father, J. M. Howard in Cisco Sunday. Mr. Howard is convalescing from a long and tedious illness. Mrs. Jack Grisham of the Colony community was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Teague and family through the weekend. Mrs. Patrick of Brownwood spent a few days in Putnam last week visiting her children, Miss Gladys Patrick and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Farmer and daughter, Gladys Louille. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Phillips of Rising Star and Fred Short of Putnam were weekend visitors in Seymour. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bosworth visited their parents in Cottonwood Sunday. Mr. W. E. Pruett, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Francisco and son, Reed were Ranger visitors Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Scott entertained the young people of the town with a party Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Renfro and sons of Brownwood were Putnam visitors Sunday. Mrs. L. B. Moore, Misses Doris Isenhour and Thelma Everett, Willard Gaskin and Neal Moore were Abilene visitors Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Everett spent Sunday in Cottonwood, the guest of relatives. Miss Esther Wood of Hart community spent the weekend with Mrs. Luke Tucker. Owing to a previous made date to accompany the A. C. C. Public speaking class to Austin, Don H. Morris will not be able to return in time to deliver an Easter sermon at the Church of Christ, as announced in last week's news items. But will fill his regular appointment second Sunday. Mrs. Homer Pruett in her most gracious manner entertained the young people's class of the Church of Christ on last Thursday night with a 42 party. The games were played with much enthusiasm throughout the evening. The hand made tally cards were much in evidence adding attractiveness to the party. After the enjoyment of the game, delicious refreshments were served the following: Misses Irmadine Allen, Lucie Tucker, Frances Cook, Eva Moore, Bertina Buchanan, Doris Isenhour, Thelma Everett, Messrs. John D. Isenhour, Chesley Pruett, Arnold Pruett, Wadde Jones, Bettman Jones, M. L. Dennis, Neal Moore, Carlton Yarbrough, Cousins Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Overton, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bosworth, and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Pruett. Mrs. Pruett's social interest in these young people should be an example to other members in offering their home for wholesome entertainment to this class of fine young people, who are growing spiritually as well as numerically under the efficient teaching of Jesse Overton. A hearty welcome is extended to all the young people of the town and vicinity to come and join this class, if you are not going elsewhere, each Sunday evening at 7 o'clock in our Bible study, and also enjoy the social functions with us. Glenn Payne of Winters was in Putnam Sunday. D. M. Wood and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Claude King and family Tuesday. Marvin and John Payton Wingo of Abilene were Putnam visitors Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Buck Hughes and children moved to Roby Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Barney Anthony made a business trip to Abilene Thursday. Mrs. Lee Collins and sons, Hollis and Jimmie and Willie Morris King

tended the Interscholastic meet at Gorman Friday and Saturday. In the Junior boys' declamation contest Tommy Allen won 2nd place. Mary Griffin represented Desdemona in the junior girls' declamation contest. In the spelling contest Penelope Robert made 97 1-2 and Geraldine Dyson made 91. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Quinn returned Tuesday from a short business trip to Fort Worth. News was received here recently of the death of Mrs. N. O. Bearden who passed away at her home in Douglas, Arizona. She was a pioneer settler of Desdemona and her many friends here were grieved to hear of her death. J. T. Henry of Dublin, was here on business Saturday and also to visit his father, T. J. Henry. Mrs. Earl Lane and Mrs. Clarence Bagland entertained Saturday night at the home of the former with a going away party honoring Mrs. F. E. Feighner who is leaving soon for her new home at El Paso. There were two tables of "42" and three of bridge. Delicious refreshments of devil's food cake topped with whipped cream, chicken salad, salines and coffee were served to the following: Messrs. and Mrs. James Joe Cook, Bill Parks, Carl Lee, George Hicks, Claude Lee, F. E. Feighner, I. N. Williams, and Messdames Roy Rushing, R. L. Weir, Meidell and Morton, the two hostesses and their husbands. A shower of gifts of many useful and beautiful things was given to the honoree. Ciena Baldrice became sick Sunday with the diphtheria. The senior class is beginning to

practice their play for the close of school. Mr. and Mrs. Orval Reece attended the singing at Atwell Sunday night. Misses Leila Mae and Clara Fae Slatton of Cisco were visiting in Scranton Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Clinton were visiting relatives in Putnam Sunday. Our school exhibit at Gorman was fine. Our boys and girls surely did some fine work. If the judges did think the teachers did it for them. Although we lost the cup on the exhibit, it was not for lack of skill on our work. Our basket ball boys lost in the tournament. Mrs. Bill Clinton visited her mother, Mrs. Rutherford Wednesday. Mrs. Viola Gattis has as her guest her mother, Mrs. Rippe, from Onvillo. Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Davis and children of Lamesa were visiting relatives here. Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hall of Crosbyton are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brown. Miss Wynne Henderson was the weekend guest of her parents of Eastland. Miss Verda Gilbert spent the weekend near Carbon and Rising Star visiting homefolk. Miss Jessie Nelms and Elizabeth Pippins motored to Oklahoma Saturday and were married. They were accompanied there and back by

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nunnally. We wish them much happiness and success. They will make their home with Mr. Pippin's parents for a while. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Farmer of Cisco spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Farmer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pence and family. Mrs. C. C. McFadden and children and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McIntyer and baby were the Sunday dinner guests of Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Yeager. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Pence and children spent Sunday with Mrs. Pence's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warner of Carbon. Miss Ollie Pence spent Friday night with Misses Bertha and Eunice Pence. Miss Lillie Pence is spending a few days this week with Misses Dora and Florence Yeager. Mr. and Mrs. Author Yeager and family of Putnam spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Yeager. Mr. and Mrs. Ira Pence and daughter spent a few hours in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pence Tuesday night. REICH Sunday school and church were well attended Sunday morning and a large crowd was present Sunday night at church. Rev. Smith of Cisco preached. Mrs. R. D. Vangerford spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Gregory of Cisco both Mrs. Gregory and little daughter Model were sick. Mrs. R. N. Hazelwood visited Mrs. George Horn Tuesday afternoon. Leo Callerman spent Saturday afternoon with Homer Bisbee. J. L. Bisbee and family and Stella Grace Hazelwood visited in the W. L. Nix home Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Callerman visited Mr. John Denson who is very ill Sunday afternoon. Oma O'Brien and wife of San

Antonio visited his aunt Mrs. Clara Bisbee last Tuesday afternoon. Kera Nix of Dan Horn community spent Sunday night with Berta Mae Bisbee and attended church here. Mrs. D. F. Brown went to Gorman one day the past week to see her father who is in ill health. The protracted meeting at Reich which has been conducted by Rev. Smith of Cisco closed Tuesday night. His last sermon was on the "Unpardonable Sin." Mrs. Berva King and Mrs. Speegles of Dan Horn attended church at Reich Tuesday night. Alice-County to purchase 10-ton tractor for working later roads.

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WALTON'S Eleventh Annual BABY CONTEST OPENS SATURDAY, APRIL 4TH CLOSES SATURDAY, APRIL 18TH Any Baby May Compete in This Contest up to Six Years Old MOTHERS! Most of you are familiar with our annual baby contest, which will be conducted in the same manner as the previous contests. THREE CLASSES: 1.—Babies up to one year of age. 2.—Babies from one to three years of age. 3.—Babies from three to six years of age. THREE PRIZES EACH CLASS—NINE PRIZES IN ALL—VALUE \$90.00. Coupons purchased from any salesman recently, will be credited on order of Baby Pictures. IMPORTANT In order that we may do full justice to your baby's photograph, PLEASE arrange to make your appointment the afternoon before, and if possible, have the sitting in forenoon. The baby feels better in the morning, the force will be fresh, you will also feel better, and it will help us to get a better photograph. ENTRY FEE The entry fee will be \$1.00. This entitles you to one of the very best 4x6 portraits mounted; regular value \$3.00. You will have an option of ordering additional portraits at \$1.00 each; however, you are under no obligation whatsoever. JUDGES Our judges will be selected from out of town salesmen or saleswomen from our local hotels. Not one will be given the slightest opportunity of knowing the identity of the babies, as they will be known and judged by number only. WALTON'S STUDIO ART & GIFT SHOP Phone 151

AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION NEWS

From the Office of the County Agent and The Home Demonstration Agent.

The Market Basket
The Bureau of Home Economics, U. S. Department of Agriculture, and the Woman's Division of President's Emergency Council of Employment.

Another of our grandmother's home remedies, the sulphur-molasses-cure-all for "spring colds" had been relegated to the past.

The modern theory of nutrition substituted fresh vegetables for stick mass which every man of the family was urged to take.

Our national eating habits have changed so greatly that any sort of tonic is superfluous.

Increased facilities for shipping perishable foodstuffs from the farm markets enable us to produce a winter diet little different from our summer diet.

Vegetables offer a continuous supply of vitamins and minerals which are really efficacious in maintaining good nutrition.

Living Rooms Improvement
Aims of the contest:

1. To encourage interest in better living rooms by making them more comfortable and attractive.

2. To demonstrate the best use of what is on hand.

3. To demonstrate the expenditure of money.

Living room making the greatest improvement, cost not to exceed \$50.00.

Class II Cost exceeding \$50.00. Sixteen home demonstration club members of the county have entered Class I and 3 club members have entered class II.

and district winners enter the finals for the state winner.

Club Activities

Seven girls 4-H clubs organized in the county with a total membership of one hundred and twenty-five.

Fifteen home demonstration clubs have been organized in the county with an average membership of twenty-five.

Practically all the benefits which might be derived from vegetables may be lost in the cooking.

The greatest fault in vegetable preparation, the bureau finds, is over-cooking.

Almost all garden vegetable were killed Thursday night.

CORINTH

Miss Daisy Evans entertained quite a few of her friends from Cisco Sunday afternoon.

Wayne and Albert Henson spent Saturday night with their grandmother, Mrs. Henson.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Owen visited her mother, Mrs. Hazel Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Balderee spent Monday with Mrs. John Evans.

Mrs. Glazeclose had as her guest the past week her mother, Mrs. Alsbach of Breckenridge.

Miss Alice Hazel spent Friday afternoon with Miss Bernice Tenyson.

Miss Willie Fenley of Cisco spent Saturday night with Miss Daisy Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Seabourn have gone for a visit with their son, Bill.

Mr. and Mrs. Pelfrey visited his sister, Mrs. Hart Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Hart was in Cisco on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Waverly Massengale of Cisco visited her mother, Mrs. Higginbotham Sunday.

STARTS HARBOR TUBE

BOSTON, April 2. — Work has been started on a \$16,000,000 vehicular traffic tube beneath Boston harbor between Boston proper and East Boston.

Easter "Duds"!



MUSICAL HORNS BANNED

MEMPHIS, April 2. — Musical automobile horns and their kind, exhaust and spark plug horns—became so numerous here recently that a police drive was launched against them.

Hampshire sows, which in 12 years has produced 21 litters averaging 7 piglets, or a total of 147 pigs.

News want ads brings results

666

LIQUID or TABLETS Cure Colds, Headaches, Fever 666 SALVE CURES BABY'S COLD

DO ONE ROOM at a TIME



Go through the house with an inquisitive and exacting eye. What needs to be done to give color and life and animation and complete LIVABILITY? It may mean floors "done over," walls tinted in a charming color, woodwork freshened, or perhaps an old chair tightened up and varnished.

Before you realize it, the entire house has been rejuvenated, looks better to you and to those who visit you, and is WORTH more, if you ever think of selling.

Every working need to "put your house in order" we have in stock. Paints, varnishes, enamels and brushing lacquers come in tidy cans—just enough for one chair—or for a dozen. There need not be the waste of a brushful.

Sewall's Paint "Cost less, because it spreads most."

CISCO LUMBER & SUPPLY CO. "We're Home Folks"

P. S.—During Clean-Up Week all Window Glass 1/2 Price.

Clean-Up Paint-Up

Hens Make High Production Record

SELMA, Cal., April 2. — Selma hens today were still entitled to cackle a little louder over their egg-producing feats than hens anywhere else in the United States.

Seventeen contests for high average egg production showed 180 contests, with an average of 75.55 eggs per hen since last fall.

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A BETTER DANCE Thos. Patrick and His Eight Piece Colored Orchestra of Ft. Worth. Saturday, April 4, 9 p. m. LAKE CISCO

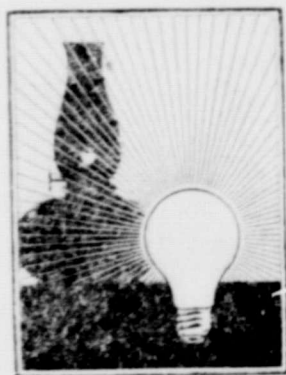
News Want Ads Pay---Phone 86.

Kleiman's Store AT CISCO, TEXAS Sold Out at Less Than 50c on Dollar. WE BOUGHT IT PLENTY CHEAP and We Are Going to Close Out Everything. NO MONKEY BUSINESS LOCK --- STOCK AND BARREL MUST and WILL SELL OUT. SALE STARTS 9 A. M. FRIDAY, APRIL 3RD. Tens of Thousands of Dollars Worth of HIGH GRADE MERCHANDISE SACRIFICED. We Have Arranged This Stock TO SELL OUT EVERY ITEM. Come Every Day During This Sale and Buy More and Greater Bargains.

SPECIAL SUBSCRIPTION OFFER!! Cisco Daily News One Year --- \$4.00 Payable in Advance OFFER GOOD UNTIL APRIL 15 Special features---4 page colored comics each Sunday --- Comic Strips Daily --- Serial story daily --- world news as well as all local happenings printed while they are news --- leased United Press wire service. DELIVERED TO YOUR HOME OR OFFICE BY CARRIER ANYWHERE IN THE CITY



# Pioneers--Then and Now

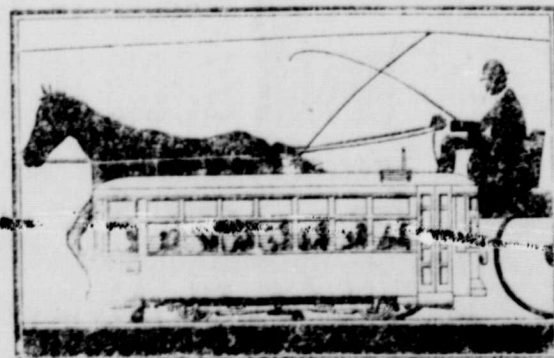


Not so many years ago, hardy pioneers, attracted by the richness, beauty and character of West Texas, halted their ox-drawn "covered wagons" in this section of the nation's last frontier, and sensing, perhaps, its future greatness, made it their home. Wrestling their liv-

elihood from the virgin soil, these sturdy Empire-builders laid the foundations for our present high standard of living, our progressive cities, substantial industries, beautiful homes and alert citizenry.

In a comparable manner, the West Texas Utilities Company—pioneering the widespread distribution of electric energy—has made possible, through the equalizing influence of dependable and inexpensive electric power, the intensive development of West Texas.

Just previous to the organization of the West Texas Utilities Company, the average residential cost per kilowatt-hour in this territory was 13 3-4 cents. Now, under the modern rate schedules of this company, it has been **REDUCED** to 6 1-2 cents—a **REDUCTION OF MORE THAN FIFTY PER CENT!** During the year 1930, monthly residential consumption averaged fifty kilowatt-hours per customer. Un-



der the present rate schedule of this company, the customer can increase his use of service to three times that amount and only increase his total bill by 10 cents a day. Before the organization of the West Texas Utilities Company, a similar increase above the normal average would have cost more than four times that amount, or more than 40 cents a day for the additional comfort or service now available for 10 cents! In other words, you can now use an abundance of service, knowing that the added comforts and conveniences possible in this manner will make only a small increase in your total cost.

The building of a transmission line system, which links scattered communities and widely separated rural homes into one unit served from strategically-located main generating plants, was a revolutionary theory when the West Texas Utilities Company first pioneered in this territory. This system—in a territory as sparsely settled and undeveloped as the West Texas area of a few short years ago—has increased the quantity and quality of service, and at the same time reduced rates. Only a sincere faith in the future development of the territory has warranted this investment of many millions of dollars.



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# MEARS PLANS THIRD TRIP ABOUT GLOBE

By DUANE HENNESSY  
United Press Staff Correspondent  
LOS ANGELES, April 2.—John Mears, who doesn't like to think that anyone has traveled around the world faster than he, even if they were aboard the Zeppelin, is ready to girdle the globe for the third time. With him will go Vance Breese, one of the West's famed pilots and aeronautical designers, who will fly a two weeks' vacation in May. They plan a 19,000 mile flight, they will be over water 5,500 miles, they will hug the 53rd meridian pretty closely all the way.

**Their Route**  
From New York they will go to Harbor Grace, N. F., and stop, as they will cross the North Atlantic to Dublin. From there they will fly to Berlin to arrange for passports. Moscow will be the next stop, then 8,000 miles across Siberia, along the Trans-Siberian railroad to Khabarovsk, on the Manchurian coast.

With wheels exchanged for pennons, they will make a 600 mile jump across the Sea of Okhotsk to Tropic of Sk, then jump across the North Pacific, via the Aleutians, to Sitka, Alaska, and down the Pacific and Puget Sound to Seattle, Wash. At Seattle, wheels will be on the plane again for the trans-continental home stretch to New York City.

It was in 1913 that Mears heard of a French globe trotter held the record for the fastest trip around the world.

Mears started out and by 1928, Mears decided that it was time for an American to get his swash. With the late Capt. Charles B. D. Collier as his pilot, Mears used fast liners to cross the seas and planes to soar across continents. The trip took 23 days.

A year later the Graf Zeppelin made the trip in 21 days. That time Mears, Mears suggested a trip to Breese, then a well known pilot and constructor of trans-Atlantic planes. Breese could not get away.

Not long ago, Breese became assistant to the president of the Lockheed Aircraft company. He has made 40 miles per hour to the red of the company's fastest plane. Mears met Breese again.

"Let's give your new design a rough test," Mears said. "I'll give you one, we'll add some special equipment and you spend your vacation with me on a trip around the world."

They are planning the trip now and hope that late in May a new record will be made.

# MAD MARRIAGE

by Laura Lou Brookman  
AUTHOR OF "HEART HUNGRY, ETC."  
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ago on a trip to Cincinnati. Report came in this morning."

"Did Nina have anything to say about the gun?"

"She told me she'd never seen it until the policeman pointed to it lying on the floor, Nina isn't looking very well. I don't believe the food they're giving her in jail agrees with her."

"Does she have to eat it? Couldn't you have a restaurant send meals in to her?"

"Who's going to pay for it? There isn't going to be any money in this case, you know."

"Jim, you wouldn't let that girl starve or make herself ill just because of a few dollars? Why, there's enough cooked here to feed another person every day. I can pack a basket and take it down to her myself. I'd be glad to!"

Jim smiled, shaking his head.

"That's fine of you to think of doing such a thing, Gypsy, but I can't let you. I've asked Dr. Bainbridge to drop around and see the girl tomorrow morning. If he says her diet's wrong I'll see to it that it's improved."

"But aren't you going to take me to see her sometime, Jim? It must be horrible to be alone all day long. You're so sure she's innocent and I can't stand to think of a person being punished that way."

"Nina doesn't want to see anyone. I've told you that before. She'd rather be alone."

"I'm sure she'd be glad to see someone who didn't want to ask her a lot of questions and frighten her."

"Now, Gypsy, you'll have to take my word for it. She wouldn't understand. She's a queer girl but she's proud. Doesn't want sympathy."

It was the same answer he had given before. Gypsy gave up the attempt.

"Jim," she said, "have you ever had a talk with the doctor's wife?"

"You mean the widow? Why, yes. I went out to the house the day after the indictment. She was broken up and cried some but was decent about the whole thing. She's a good witness for the prosecution. Makes the case blacker for Nina, though."

"I was just wondering—" Gypsy said, but did not finish.

There was no more discussion of the Roberts case that evening. Gypsy, at breakfast next morning, folded Jim's newspaper and laid it beside her plate. A headline caught her eye. She bent forward, smoothing an exclamation.

(To Be Continued)

# OUT OUR WAY

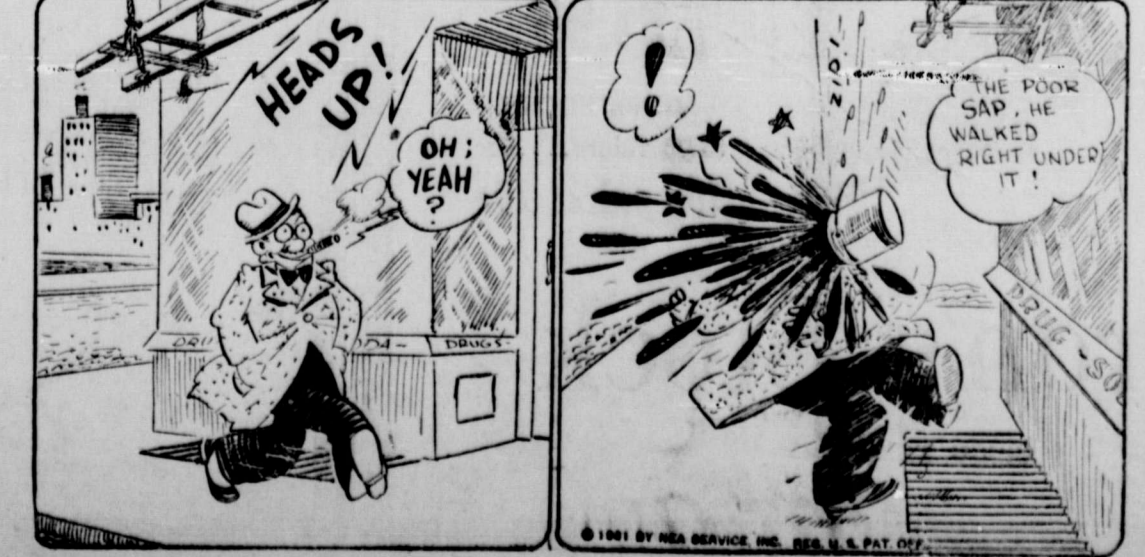


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# FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS.



# MOM'N POP.



# .....CLASSIFIED ADS.....

Quick Reference, Inexpensive Ads That Are a "Clearing House" for Your Needs.

# CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES AND REGULATIONS

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

RATES: Two cents per word for one time; four cents per word for three times; eight cents per word for six times.

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

TELEPHONE 80 and place your copy with understanding that payment will be made at once, collector will call the same day or day following. Copy is received any hour from 8:00 a. m. until 5:05 p. m.

# DRILL REPORT

Records for date of March 31, 1931, listed as follows:

H & H Drilling Co. et al. No. 4 Ella W.obb, sec. 1 BAL survey, Shackleford county application to drill 850 feet.

Humble Oil & Refining Co. No. 3 W. W. Glenn sec. 3 T&P Ry survey, Stephens county, application to plug.

No. 4 W. S. Glenn, sec. 37 T&P Ry survey, Stephens county, application to plug.

No. 2 W. L. Yandell, sec. 1410 TEL survey, Stephens county, application to plug.

Urgren & Frazier, Putnam, Texas, application for pipe line certificate to connect C. B. Snyder, sec. 6 T&NORY survey, Callahan county to the Texas Pine Line Co.

Urgren & Frazier et al. No. 1 S. W. King, sec. 197 Manuel Bueno survey, Jones county, application to drill 2000 feet.

Jno. Cox & Henderson Oil Co. No. 1 Mrs. D. McKeehan, Comanche Indian Reserve, Throckmorton county, application to drill 1000 ft.

E. R. Hornbeck, No. 3 J. L. English, sec. 47 LAL survey, Callahan county, application to plug.

S. C. Yimling, No. 1—Coates, sec. 17 T&P Ry survey, Jones county, application to drill 2500 feet.

Kise & Fleming, No. 2 Proctor, K. Clarke, sec. 2 BAL survey, Shackleford county, application to drill 700 feet.

Simms Oil Co. No. 3 H. A. Lones, sec. 64 blk. 11 T&P Ry survey, Shackleford county, application to shoot with 22 lbs. dynamite from 791 feet to 795 feet.

Swens on Oil & Gas Co., Inc. No. 1 Swenson Land & Cattle company, sec. 175 BB&CITY survey, Throckmorton county, application to shoot with 100 lbs. dynamite from 4819 feet to 4841 feet. Well record attached TD 5981 feet.

# NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that general election will be held in the City of Cisco on the 7th day of April 1931 for the purpose of electing a mayor and two city commissioners.

W. B. Statham,  
City Secretary.

# BURNED BY CAMPFIRE

FUYALLUP, Wash., April 2.—Henry E. Brown, Watertown, N. Y., "fool" tonight, rolled into his campfire while asleep. He walked a mile to the police station despite the painful burns. Police took him to a hospital.

News want ads bring results

CHARLESTON'S 5 for 25 cents  
COUPONS REDEEMED  
Border Kodak Finishing,  
WALTON STUDIO  
ART & GIFT SHOP.

# Sufferer of Indigestion and Rheumatism Praises Crazy Crystals

Your Crazy Crystals have been a great blessing to me. I have suffered for years with indigestion and rheumatism for years, could not get any relief at all until I got your crystals. Now I am eating anything I want and feeling much better than I have for fifteen years.

MRS. W. A. MOSEFIELD,  
311 Arthur Street,  
Knoxville, Tenn.

The new million dollar, Crazy Water Hotel at Mineral Wells, Texas, covers an entire block of ground. It is modern, fire proof and complete in every detail. It is natural to think it would be expensive to stop at this magnificent hotel; yet you can enjoy its genuine hospitality, pleasing service and receive the benefits of the Crazy Mineral Water Treatment at very reasonable rates. If you have rheumatism, stomach trouble, diabetes, colitis, kidney trouble or any chronic ailment brought on by faulty elimination, we urge you to write the Crazy Water Hotel, Mineral Wells, Texas, for full and complete information about their treatment.—Adv.

**Get Results**  
A Daily News Want Ad will secure the field in a few hours for what it would take you days to locate.

**Phone**  
80 or 81  
the Classified

Miscellaneous for Sale ..... 25  
SCHOLARSHIP FOR SALE — A Druggist's Business college scholarship for sale — Apply at Daily News office.

# YOUTH PLANS TRY FOR NEW JUNIOR RECORD

SAN BENITO, April 2.—Wallace Hurley, 17, who plans to try for a new junior transcontinental flight record this month, will fly a Cessna middle-winged monoplane with a Warner Scarab motor. Its top speed is 150 miles an hour with a landing speed of 32 miles an hour.

Hurley hopes to make the light in about 16 hours. The present record is more than 20 hours.

Hurley's plane is painted in orange and green and bears the name, "Miss Rio Grande Valley."

The young flyer expects to leave shortly for the Pacific coast stopping at San Antonio, Dallas, Amarillo and El Paso. He plans to make a test flight to some Southern California points before beginning the transcontinental hop.

The proposed flight will be made during the week of the Detroit Air Show where Hurley expects to fly from New York.

In the Los Angeles-to-New York flight Hurley will follow the southern route, flying across the northern part of Texas.

Hurley has been flying for more than two years. He has spent the winter in San Benito, flying from the newly established municipal airport. His home is in Chicago.

# ELEVATOR "BOY" BOWLER

MEMPHIS, April 2.—"Cude" Jim Kelly, 75, for 16 years elevator boy in the Shelby county courthouse is said to be the best informed man in Memphis on low caves and despite his age is one of the city's best bowlers.

# San Diego—City streets being improved.

Daily News and American and Roundup want ads are a good investment — Phone 80 or 81.

# "Gone!"

Parking 30 Min.  
**IS**  
your Car insured?

Only a small fraction of those 30 minutes have elapsed. And your car has moved on... without you! Tricky the locks... trickier the thieves. But no one can steal your Auto Theft Insurance. It's 100 per cent protection for you!

# E. P. CRAWFORD

Real Estate — Insurance — Rentals.

**Job Printing**  
REASONABLE PRICES  
CISCO DAILY NEWS  
CISCO AMERICAN and  
ROUNDUP

# RENTALS

Apartments for Rent ..... 27  
FOR RENT — Furnished apartment, Phone 365.  
FOR RENT — Furnished apartment, back and front entrance, adjoining bath, 308 West 12th street, Phone 696.  
FOR RENT — Duplex, private bath, 307 West Eighth street.  
NEW apartment, 435 West 11th.  
Houses for Rent ..... 32  
FOR RENT — Modern furnished cottage, cheap, 701 West 10th street, Phone 362.  
FOR RENT — Four room rock wether cottage, practically new, Cisco Lumber and Supply Co.  
NEW house, hardwood floors, 365 West Fifth street.  
For Sale or Trade ..... 38  
FOR SALE or TRADE — Equity in home on west side, near pavement, taxes paid in full to date, four room house garage, would consider good Chevrolet or Ford Sedan. If interested address Box T care of Cisco Daily News.

# AUTOMOBILE LOANS

AUTOMOBILE LOANS, Cars refinanced, bring your 1931 license receipt, O. D. MCCOY, 516 Texas State Bank Bldg., Eastland, Texas.

# Loans on Automobiles, Diamonds

Notes refinanced. Monthly payments reduced. Reasonable rates.  
R. G. CAMP & CO.  
Over Woodworth, Phone 555.  
Breckenridge, Texas.

# DR R. C. FERGUSON

Eastland, Texas  
316-18 Texas State Bank  
Diseases and Feeding of Infants and Children  
Office Hours—10-12; 3-5.  
Phone 318.  
Sundays and Holidays by Appointment.

# FAMED TUG PENSIONED

MOBILE, Ala., April 2.—The tug "Mary Witch" once pride of the Mobile tug fleet and for almost 40 years considered the queen of the harbor fleet, has been "pensioned" and is hauling cement barges now.

News want ads bring results

# Business Directory

# Insurance

J. M. WILLIAMSON & CO.  
General Insurance  
City Hall Bldg. Tel. 111

# Announcements

The Rotary club meets every Thursday at Laguna Hotel Private Dining Room at 12:15. Visiting Rotarians always welcome. President, LEON MANER; secretary, J. E. SPENCER.

Lions club meets every Wednesday at Laguna Hotel roof garden at 12:15. P. B. GLENN, president; C. E. YATES, secretary.

Cisco Lodge No. 557, A. F. & A. M., meets fourth Thursday, 8 p. m. HAYWOOD CABANISS, W. M.; JOHN F. PATTERSON, secretary.

Cisco Commandery, K. T., meets every third Thursday of each month at Masonic Hall. GEORGE BOYD, commander; JOHN F. PATTERSON, recorder.

Cisco Chapter No. 190, R. A. M., meets on first Thursday evening of each month at 7 p. m. Visiting Companions are cordially invited. JACK BOMAN, H. P. JOHN F. PATTERSON, secretary.

# Train Schedule

# RAILROAD TIME TABLE

New train time tables effective 12:01 a. m. March 15th.

T. & P.	
West Bound.	
No. 7	1:45 a.m.
No. 3	12:55 p.m.
No. 1 "Sunshine Special"	5:05 p.m.
East Bound.	
No. 6	4:04 a.m.
No. 16 "The Texan"	10:20 a.m.
No. 4	5:27 p.m.

# C. & N. F.

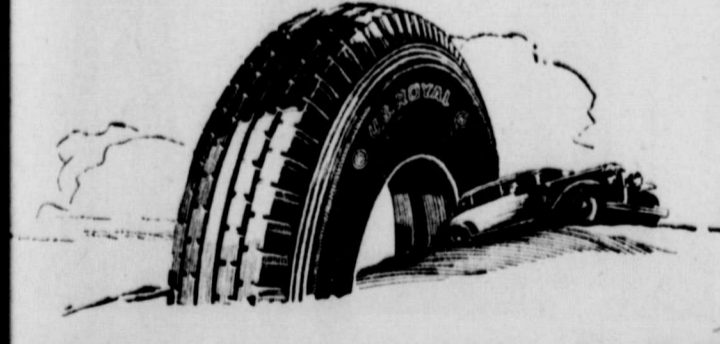
Leaves Cisco	4:15 a.m.
Arrive Breckenridge	6:00 a.m.
Arrives Throckmorton	9:00 a.m.
Leaves Throckmorton	9:30 a.m.
Arrives Breckenridge	11:00 a.m.
Leaves Breckenridge	11:30 a.m.
Arrive Cisco	3:00 p.m.

# M. K. & T.

North Bound.	
No. 35 Ar.	12:20 p. m.
South Bound.	
No. 36	5:40 a.m.

# Renew Your Health By Purification

Any physician will tell you that perfect Purification of the System is Nature's Foundation of perfect Health. Why not rid yourself of chronic ailments that undermine your vitality? Purify your entire system by taking a thorough course of Calotabs, once or twice a week for several weeks—and see how Nature renews and purifies the blood by acting on the liver, kidneys, stomach and bowels. In 10 cts. and 35 cts. packages. All dealers. (Adv.)

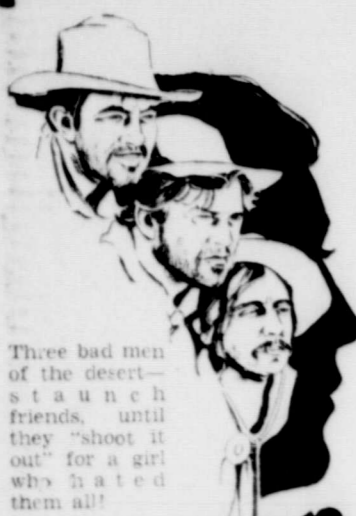


# BUILT FOR LESS TIRE BUYING...AND MORE TIRE SERVICE—THAT'S WHY THE BIG SWINGS TO U. S. TIRES!...

Built the "U. S." way... to meet standards of quality in material and design to assure the owner of the extra service every U. S. Tire buyer has a right to expect at the price he pays. Built to out-wear, out-perform, and out-sell any other tire you ever used. Swing to U. S. Tires and get better quality at lower cost.

CARROLL AUTO SUPPLY CO.  
J. D. Carroll, Manager

**PALACE**  
NOW PLAYING



Three bad men of the desert—staunch friends, until they "shoot it out" for a girl who they attacked them all!

**Woman Hungry**

with  
LILA LEE  
SIDNEY BLACKMER  
FRED KOHLER  
RAYMOND HATTON

COMING EASTER SUNDAY

The Laugh of a Lifetime! And what a cast of funmakers!

**MARION DAVIES**  
IN  
'It's a Wise Child'

with  
SIDNEY BLACKMER  
JAMES GLEASON  
Polly Moran, Lester Vail  
Marie Prevost

### About Cisco Today

SOCIETY EDITOR, MISS MARJORIE NOELL—PHONE 80 OR 81

**CALENDAR**  
Friday

The Delta Eta club will meet with Mrs. Emma Butler at her home in Humbletown.

Mrs. G. B. Langston and daughter, Miss Mary Beth, spent this afternoon in Baird.

Mrs. Essie Coker has gone to Houston where she has accepted a position.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Davis and daughter and Mrs. Ida Painter are visiting in Tulsa, Okla.

Mrs. Rex Moore and daughter, Julia Jane, have returned from a visit in Dallas.

Mrs. J. C. Hadden was a visitor in Ranger last evening.

Mrs. J. E. Spencer and Mrs. B. B. Poe visited C. B. Poe who is ill in Carbon yesterday.

G. C. Morris is spending a few days in Houston attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Walters of Dallas are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh White.

Iral Inzer left today on a trip to Waco.

Mrs. B. H. Stevens returned yesterday from a visit in Big Spring.

Mrs. J. J. Butts is spending today in Abilene.

It has been announced that the American Legion Auxiliary will not meet tomorrow, the regular meeting day.

L. W. Feemster of Moran was a business visitor in the city today.

Mrs. B. C. Boney left today for a visit in Fort Worth.

L. C. Dubuque of Longview is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Slaughter of Humbletown.

Oscar Teegerstrom of Rising Star was a business visitor in Cisco yesterday.

Mrs. R. A. Johnson of Eastland is in the city shopping this morning.

Mrs. Ralph K. Gilson is leaving today for her home in Dallas after a visit with relatives here.

Mrs. Aaron White of Moran was a visitor in the city today.

Mrs. F. A. Hollis and Miss Vera Davis of Carbon and Mrs. H. D. Blair are spending today in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Domm of May were visitors here yesterday.

Mrs. W. E. Chaney of Eastland was a visitor in the city this morning.

H. T. Whittkin was a visitor in Strawn yesterday.

Mrs. Hubert Jones of Rising Star was in town shopping this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Locke of May were visitors in the city yesterday.

Jim Bates of Woodson was a visitor here today.

A. M. Parsons of Dallas was a business visitor in Cisco Wednesday.

Mrs. Ray Agnew of Rising Star was in Cisco shopping today.

Rev. T. M. Broadfoot of Snyder was the guest of Mrs. J. W. Howell Wednesday.

Miss Mary Jenkins left this morning for her home in Waxahie after a visit with Mrs. T. E. Neal.

Mrs. Joe Carter left today for Tyler.

Mrs. Grady Morton of Parks is the guest of Mrs. H. D. Tucker.

Everette Davis is a business visitor in Kilgore.

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**MISS PARKS CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY.**  
Mrs. S. B. Parks recently gave a surprise party for her daughter, Miss Margarette, celebrating her sixteenth birthday. She was assisted by Mrs. H. C. Henderson and Mrs. J. V. Heyser. The guests registered in a book at the door as they entered. Pink and green tones were given emphasis in all details of decoration. The table was lovely, centered with a beautiful lace cover upon which was the birthday cake decorated with pink and green flowers. The presents were arranged around the cake aimed ferns placed in such a manner as to form the shape of a star. One of the loveliest gifts was a diamond ring.

After playing many fascinating games, pink ice cream and angel food cake were served to Misses Ruth Medlason, Pauline Martin, Faye Henderson, Ethel Ruppert, Del Frances Miller, Laura Wilson, Hazel Martin, Naomi Payne, James Huddleston, Bobbie Kilpatrick, Elvies Mouton, Ben Groce, Glen Payne, Dudley Wright, Thomas Warren, Glen Whitaker, Elvin Norvell, Dalton Cooke, Jimmie Cox, Blair Clark, Paul Blount, C. B. Reese, Charles Clark, Jules Karkalitis, Chester Norvell, Dick Metzgar, and Arthur Baker.

**CIRCLE MEETS WITH MRS. LANGSTON.**  
Mrs. G. B. Langston was hostess to Circle 5 of the Baptist W. M. S. at her home Tuesday afternoon. As this was the fifth Tuesday, there was no business meeting held, but the time was spent in sewing. The circle made a number of garments for a family whose home was recently destroyed by fire. During the period, the hostess served a sandwich plate to the following members: Mesdames T. F. Preston, L. P. Jones, E. B. Poe, J. H. Skiles, Mae Stevens, W. Keeter, M. A. Pierce, Andrews, E. Forbes, Jewel Poe, and W. H. McCarroll.

**MUD BRINGS HOLIDAY.**  
WINSTED, April 2.—What do the children of Sandisfield care if the roads are muddy and impassable? Town officials closed the school for a month until they dry up.

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**MEN THE BEST COOKS.**  
PHILADELPHIA, April 3.—Men are far better cooks than women, according to Mme. Melanie Reichelt, Vincennesse pastry authority, who spoke before a group of women recently.

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